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## Sharing the experience



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**Little grad:** *Huron Valley Lutheran High School graduate Curt Guiles lets his nephew, 2 1/2-year-old Cody Wheller, try on his graduation cap following ceremonies at St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Plymouth last Sunday. Graduating from the Westland school were: Elizabeth Anne Ash, Adam Paul Bartel, Katherine Eleanor Berg, Lori Nichole Conger, Lisa Marie Costie, Dominic Joseph Davidson, Steven Shane Gereau, Curt Milo Guiles, Melissa Beth Gumbis, Maegan Dea Johnson, Joshua Adam Knofski, John Dotson Kotilla, Kevin Robert Kovak, Phillip Michael Lutz, Corinne Anne Martin, Amy Catherine Mohacsi, John Wayne Nielson, Angela Grace Pelligrino, Justin Frank Walling and Daniel Ryan Whitaker. Other area graduations will be featured in coming issues.*

## Test scores mixed

**High School Proficiency Tests are in for Wayne-Westland juniors, with increases in several areas, but a decline in writing. The district still lags behind state scores.**



BY DARRELL CLEM  
STAFF WRITER

Wayne-Westland 11th-graders made gains in math, reading and science on newly released High School Proficiency Test scores, but their writing skills declined.

The trends mirrored statewide gains and losses on the 1997 HSPT, taken by high school juniors in February. Even though Wayne-Westland scores lagged behind state averages in all four subject areas, local students narrowed some gaps.

"We have made greater gains in some of the areas than the state did," Jane Kuckel, assistant superintendent for instruction, said Wednesday during an interview in her office.

"We're still below state averages in every area, but we're seeing some of the gaps close," she concluded.

In the district, Wayne Memorial High School made significant strides to narrow gaps in scores with John Glenn High School — a move that Kuckel attributed to a uniform curriculum.

"Our curriculum is more consistent now," Kuckel said, noting that district educators are in the third year of a five-year curriculum-improvement plan.

John Glenn students still posted higher scores than their Wayne Memorial counterparts, but gaps that fuel negative perceptions have begun to close, officials said.

"We're narrowing the gap between the two schools," Kuckel said.

HSPT scores are used to determine whether student diplomas will

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## Council notes concern over potential crowds

BY DARRELL CLEM  
STAFF WRITER

Two trouble-makers resembling MTV's *Beavis and Butt-head* reportedly lurked outside of Westland City Hall on Monday night, eating nachos as they awaited a decision from city leaders on a possible rock concert that could draw 5,000 people.

"I hear the youngest city council member is, like, 38 years old. These people probably just listen to country music," the *Beavis* look-alike said.

"Uh, yeah, they probably never even heard of *Metallica* or *Ozzy Osbourne*," his *Butt-head*-like companion responded.

Disgusted, the pair walked away, never knowing that Westland City Council members voted 4-2 to allow a six-hour concert on Aug. 9 behind the Wayne Ford Civic League on Wayne Road south of Ford.

Is that cool? Or is that inviting trouble? Kidding aside, council members offered differing views before approving a request from civic league president Neil Greenfield for a concert on a baseball field.

"I'm concerned with the safety of 4,000 to 5,000 people who might come into this community," Councilwoman Justine Barns said.

Colleague Glenn Anderson joined Barns in opposition. "I just think it's too risky for us to approve," he said.

Other concerns included traffic congestion, but

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## Volunteers: The basis for a strong community

BY CASEY HANS  
STAFF WRITER

Volunteering builds a stronger community, say those who offer their time and coordinate volunteer services in the Westland area.

Many believe the recent national Presidents' Summit in Philadelphia — which called for a national volunteer movement — may encourage people who haven't considered giving their time before to come forward and serve.

Doreen Vivyan, director of volunteering for Community Hospice Services and a 10-year veteran in the volunteer arena, believes the national summit will give credence to the idea of volunteering. The April meeting was just the start of something that will likely grow, she said.

"I've seen the face of volunteering change over the years," she said, adding that the idea of corporations giving employees incentives to offer their time is becoming more popular.

"We're seeing so many volunteers come from the corporate level — maybe wanting to help with one event. Companies are encouraging their employees to get

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## Mayor arrives home from hospital

BY DARRELL CLEM  
STAFF WRITER

Mayor Robert Thomas was home Tuesday recovering from bleeding ulcers after spending two nights at Oakwood Hospital Annapolis Center-Wayne, where he narrowly avoided a blood transfusion.

Thomas, 46, said by telephone that he expects to be out of his office for a couple of weeks, although he is handling business from home.

"I'm doing it by phone," he said. Thomas said his directors are keeping him abreast of any issues that he needs to address.

Had the mayor been incapacitated,

### CITY HALL

ed, his duties would have been performed by Westland City Council President Sandra Cicirelli — as

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## FATE OF THE ARTS

## The arts face extinction if funding doesn't improve

BY KIMBERLY A. MORTSON  
STAFF WRITER

More than a century ago, people were not considered educated if they lacked exposure and knowledge of classical and fine arts.

Progressively, cultural programs became an integral component of the curriculum, including dance, visual arts, theater, vocal and instrumental music.

As we approach the 21st century, however, funding is less than satisfactory and the arts are often considered financial luxuries — trimmed when budgets need minimizing.

Districts such as Plymouth-Canton, Wayne-Westland, Redford Union, South Redford, Livonia and Garden City provide varying degrees of optional courses and extracurricular activities related to music, drama, and art.

In the last decade, however, desperate efforts have been made to salvage the arts at the elementary and secondary level despite limited funding and their incidental position to core academics such as English, mathematics, government, science and foreign language.

"Expression of the inner soul is the route of human existence," said Steve Kosinski, Church Hill High School Creative And Performing Arts (CAPA) director.

As the instructor of a unique arts program in the Livonia Public School District, Kosinski said he has witnessed the program change significantly since he took over leadership nine years ago. Due to outside financial burdens, offerings and support staff have been pared down since CAPA was established in 1986,

said Kosinski.

The Livonia instructor said he fears the trend to lessen creative offerings in school curriculums and make way for the "technology bandwagon" will result in the loss of a national art movement.

"Where will our next poet laureate, van Gogh or Leonard Bernstein come from if we continue to make technology a priority?" said Kosinski, who added that the increased use of computer graphics will lead to a generation of adults who can't draw or express themselves creatively without computers.

"We already don't need to know how to spell anymore," said Kosinski, "pretty soon we won't know how to draw, either."

### Sign of the times

A reality of the strain budgeting has placed on the arts, remains to be seen in the numbers. Kosinski said in the early years, CAPA maintained a staff of six to eight full-time teachers to approximately 80 students.

Today, the program, that requires students to audition for eligibility and commit two class periods each day, now supports a staff of 2.5 full-time instructors to an enrollment of approximately 210 students.

"It's one of those sad realities," said Kosinski.

Also, because of budget problems, visual arts and instrumental music have been eliminated from the CAPA program.

Kosinski said he makes this lecture from his "soap box" time and

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STAFF PHOTO BY BRYAN MITCHELL

**On that note:** *Marshall Middle School choir students take a lead from director Bill Ingersoll as they prepare a medley for the school's spring musical.*

## National standards provide gauge of arts proficiency

The following National Standards for Arts Education are a statement of what every young American should know and be able to do in four arts disciplines — dance, music, theater and the visual arts. The scope is grades K-12, and they speak to both content and achievement. They were developed by the Consortium of National Arts Education Associations with the passage of the Goals

2000: Educate America Act.

Students should be able to communicate at a basic level in the four arts disciplines — dance, music, theater and the visual arts. This includes knowledge and skills in the use of the basic vocabularies, materials, tools, techniques and intellectual methods of each arts discipline.

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# Mayor *from page A1*

called for in the city charter. Thomas said he had been suffering several days from flu-like symptoms that left him weak, but he didn't realize he had been bleeding internally. "I thought I had the flu," he said. Thomas said he had lost so much blood that he nearly had to receive a transfusion, but his condition has begun to improve with drugs prescribed by doctors. "I'm still real weak," he said Tuesday afternoon, although he said he wasn't suffering pain. Thomas was hospitalized Sunday afternoon and released Tuesday. He said he has one large ulcer and three smaller ones, and he joked that he plans to name them following this year's election. Thomas is seeking an unprecedented third, four-

year term as Westland mayor. He said he expects to resume his normal activities in two weeks, and he added that his campaign won't suffer. He only has one declared opponent thus far, Dixie Johnson McNa. Thomas said doctors told him that the ulcers can be treated with antibiotics and that he probably will be allowed to return to a normal diet in two weeks. "Right now I can only eat bland stuff," he said. Thomas said doctors told him that the ulcers can be caused by bacteria and stress. He didn't know how long he might have had them. After being released from the hospital Tuesday, Thomas went to Westland Center to spend a little time doing what many mall-goers do. "I just sat there on the bench for awhile," he said.

# Incinerator foes continue fight

BY MATT JACHMAN AND CASEY HANS STAFF WRITERS

Some 30 people braved the rain Saturday to picket and protest at an open house for the Central Wayne Incinerator in Dearborn Heights, which serves Westland. Spearheaded by the Sierra Club and a coalition of environmental and church groups, the peaceful protest began at the gates and culminated with visits and literature drops to area neighborhoods. "I think it was a successful outreach," said Alison Horton, director of the Mackinac Chapter of the Sierra Club. "We offered people fliers with information — that was an opportunity to draw some visibility to our concerns." During the day, some 200 residents signed postcards protesting the proposed permit to expand the incinerator; those will be forwarded to the state Department of Environmental Quality. Sierra Club members are also approaching local city councils, they said, asking for support. In that vein, the city of Livonia has become the newest bat-

tleground in the war of words over the incinerator. Opponents and supporters of the proposed remodeling of the incinerator into a waste-to-energy plant turned out at a May 28 Livonia City Council meeting to speak on a resolution against the plan, gaining council support on a 4-3 vote. Council members voting against it said the council should respect decisions made by officials in the five cities that use the incinerator — Garden City, Westland, Wayne, Inkster and Dearborn Heights. The resolution came out of appearances at a May 19 study session by environmental activists Scott Heinzman of Livonia and Ed McArdle of Melvindale. They said the plan to restart a closed furnace and burn up to 800 tons of trash a day will mean increased toxic emissions and pose a greater ash-disposal problem for many communities, including Livonia. "You create a pollution that wasn't there in the first place by burning plastics," McArdle said Thursday. But those involved in the plan urged local officials to hear them

out. "I'm very disappointed that public officials are not, at a minimum, interested in hearing from both sides on an issue of this importance," said Tom Barnett, project manager for Central Wayne Energy Recovery. McArdle said in addition to Livonia, his group has received support so far from Melvindale and Huron Township, and may approach two or three other communities in the near future, but declined to name them. He said the group has received some resistance from Dearborn and Dearborn Heights, but hopes to win officials there over. The coalition also plans to approach mayors and city managers of the incinerator's member cities, including Westland and Garden City. On Monday, Westland resident Katherine Pare appeared before the Westland City Council urging that a resolution similar to Livonia's be adopted by the Westland City Council. **How it would work** The \$100 million plan for the incinerator would turn it into a waste-to-energy plant with the

latest pollution-control equipment, Barnett said. Emissions would be monitored continuously, he said, and "dramatic reductions" in mercury and dioxin levels are anticipated. Central Wayne Energy Recovery is a private partnership that has a 35-year contract over the incinerator with the Central Wayne County Sanitation Authority, which represents the five communities that use it. The cities would pay CWER to burn their trash, and the partnership would then sell the electricity to Detroit Edison. The plant is now allowed to burn up to 500 tons of trash per day in two furnaces. Two years ago, CWER applied for permission to install new equipment and reopen the mothballed furnace. Both Wayne County and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency reviewed the application, and a decision from the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality is expected this summer. The public will be invited to comment before that. *Staff writer Darrell Clem contributed to this report.*

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# Teacher layoff notices sent for new year

Thirteen Wayne-Westland teachers have received layoff notices for next school year, although officials said they expect to recall a majority of them. The 13 educators — mostly at the high school and middle-school level — join three other teachers who have been laid off for one to two years, said Dan

Slee, assistant superintendent of employee services. The layoffs came as Wayne-Westland administration officials plan their staffing for the 1997-98 school year. But Slee said officials already are planning to recall six of the 13 educators on a part-time basis. Others could be recalled as

other positions become vacant. "By the beginning of the year, most of them could be recalled," Slee said. The layoffs are in response to a continuing enrollment decline in a district that once had well over 20,000 students. The last count of 14,678 was done on Feb. 14. "The downward decline hasn't

ceased as of yet," Superintendent Duane Moore said Monday, on the night the school board approved the layoffs. Slee said the district is expected to employ 826 teachers for 1997-98, following the layoffs. That is a marked decline from the 1,000 teachers employed several years ago.

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## Tests *from page A1*

be state-endorsed in subject areas tested. Eleventh-graders who failed portions of the test will have two more opportunities to pass before their graduation next year. In math, 36.1 percent of Wayne-Westland students passed the test, compared to 52.9 percent of their counterparts statewide. Local scores increased 4.3 points over last year, while

state scores edged up 5.2 points. At Wayne Memorial, 31.2 percent of 11th-graders passed math, marking a 7.9-point increase over last year's 23.3 percent. At John Glenn, 39.9 percent of juniors achieved a passing score, a 2.4-point gain over last year's 37.5 percent. "Wayne Memorial made more gains in math," Kuckel said, although John Glenn retained its district lead. In reading, 30.5 percent of Wayne-Westland juniors passed the test, compared to 41.1 percent of all Michigan 11th-graders. Local scores climbed 2.7 points in one year, outpacing the state's 0.9-point gain. "We made a greater gain than the state," Kuckel said. Again, Wayne Memorial posted more gains than John Glenn, narrowing the gap. At Wayne Memorial, 28 percent of 11th-graders passed reading — a 3.9-point increase over last year's 24.1 percent. At John Glenn, 32.3 percent of juniors passed the reading portion, a 1.4-point increase over 1996 scores. In science, 23.5 percent of Wayne-Westland juniors passed the test, far less than the 38.5 percent reported for all Michigan 11th-graders. Both district and state scores jumped 6.5 points. Kuckel noted that science scores should begin to improve after a new curriculum is implemented within two years. John Glenn posted more gains in 1997 science scores than Wayne Memorial. At John Glenn, 26.4 percent of juniors passed the science test, up 8.2 points from the previous year. At Wayne Memorial, only 19.6 percent achieved a passing score, marking a 3.7-point increase over 1996.



An Eyeglass Factory customer checks out one of over 1000 frames on display.

# Eye Appeal is Pretty Obvious

The Eyeglass Factory in Canton is among the newest of the 53 Eyeglass Factories located throughout Michigan, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Kentucky and Massachusetts. Eyeglass Factories have been around for the last 20 years but are recently exploding with popularity as the age of the baby boomer and his offspring comes to fruition. "Our appeal is pretty obvious," says vice-president, Michael Hallisy, of his desire to help this vast bubble of people in the population who are in need of glasses. "The average age at which the eyes start giving you trouble, even if you have never experienced trouble previously is around 40," according to Mike, who has been in the optical business for 25 years. "The muscle that controls our ability to see near or far starts growing at the time of conception and never stops...so by the time you turn 40 the muscle has often become too large to operate with the same preciseness that it once had," says Mike.

To date, Mike reports, only 35% of the population wear some type of eyewear to aid in their vision, although some 50% really need some type of visual assistance. What keeps people from getting their vision corrected, Mike believes is the cost. "An average single pair of glasses ran just under \$200 nationally last year not including the exam," said Mike. At the Eyeglass Factory, we offer 2 complete pair of glasses plus the exam from only \$69.95. Mike says, "This 2-pair pricing works out great for the person with the active lifestyle. One pair for work, the other for racketball or whatever your interests. After all, a person doesn't own just one pair of shoes or a single purse, why should it be any different for the glasses we choose to wear on our face?" The Eyeglass Factory attributes its low cost to the fact that they maintain a no-frills store and also maintain their own laboratories of which there are

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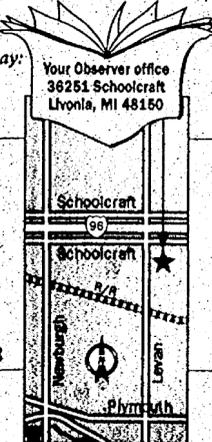
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THE **Observer** NEWSPAPERS



# 'Eager for help' - Young woman's life turns around

BY DARRELL CLEM  
STAFF WRITER

Kimberly Jackson was only 12 years old when her life took a downturn.

"I started hanging out with older people and staying out late," she said. "I would come home drunk and skip school the next day."

Jackson said her Westland parents didn't seem to care, so her behavior only worsened. Then she got caught shoplifting a hat when she was 14 years old.

Only then did Jackson receive the help she needed when juvenile authorities placed her in the city of Westland's Youth Assistance Program, where director Ronalee Bowman paired her with mentor Carol Sparks.

"Kim was eager for help. She was ready to have leadership," Sparks, 58, said. "She wanted someone to care about her. She wanted a mentor in her life."

On Monday afternoon, Jackson and Sparks smiled often - a sign of better times - as they sat in Bowman's second-floor office in Westland's Bailey Recreation Center.

"There was a time when we didn't even

know if Kimberly would make it through middle school," Bowman said.

Now 18, Jackson is counting the days until her graduation Saturday from Wayne Memorial High School, where she maintains a "B" average. She has been offered a summer job by Ford Motor Co., one that holds promise for full-time work. And she has been accepted next fall at the Detroit College of Business, where she wants to study to become a computer programmer.

Jackson lives in Wayne with her 23-year-old boyfriend; she moved in with him because she had to escape a home life that she said was destructive.

"She had to have a place to live," Bowman said.

Jackson seems confident now - in charge of her destiny. "Kim had the desire," Sparks said. "I just tried to help her."

Bowman paired Jackson with her mentor four years ago - a match that proved successful.

"We would talk and go for walks, or we'd go see a movie," Sparks said. "Kim took an interest in school because I would always ask to see her report card. We would go to the library, too, and I'd help her as much as I could with school."

The pair spent no more than a couple of hours a week together, but it was quality time that let Jackson know she had a friend who cared. Sparks served as Jackson's mentor for eight months, but they have stayed in touch. Sparks brought flowers and a card to Jackson on Monday.

Jackson, who was a Franklin Middle School student when she met Sparks, had been receiving "D" grades until she was placed in the Youth Assistance Program.

As she prepares to graduate Saturday, she has two perfect attendance marks on her record and an academic letter that she earned in the 1994-95 school year.

Sparks has served as mentor to three other youths, she said, "but Kim is my biggest success."

Jackson's parents have divorced, and she is forging new ties with her father. She eventually hopes to have a relationship with her mother, although that hasn't happened yet. She talks to two of her three older sisters.

Jackson said she learned valuable lessons in life from the Youth Assistance Program.

"I don't want to end up like my parents. I learned that I have to go to school and to work. It doesn't matter if I stay out until 3 in the morning; this is my responsibility," she said. "I feel better about myself now that I've been going to school. I have more self-esteem. I know that I have to do things for myself; no one else can do it for me."



STAFF PHOTO BY JIM JAGDFELD

She gets help: Kimberly Jackson meets with mentor Carol Sparks. The Youth Assistance program helped Jackson plan her future, which includes graduation this Saturday from Wayne Memorial High School.

## Help needed

Westland's Youth Assistance Program, which pairs mentors with troubled youths, is in desperate need of volunteers, director Ronalee Bowman said.

The program has received 111 referrals this year, more than double the 54 referrals received for the same period in 1996. Courts, schools and police are referring more youths to the program, which has served more than 900 youngsters since it started in 1992. She currently has nine boys on a waiting list for mentors ranging in age from 7 to 16.

Volunteers also must be at least 21 years old and without a criminal record.

Mentors have to be willing to give one to two hours of their time each week, and they are asked to join the program for a year. Most youths are matched with mentors for about six months, Bowman said.

A free training program for mentors is scheduled to begin Monday, June 9, at the Maplewood Community Center in Garden City. The sessions will be for four consecutive Mondays from 6:15 p.m. to 9:15 p.m. The trainees will serve in western-Wayne County programs.

For more information, call Bowman at (313) 467-7904.

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involved in the community, and they're giving them the time to do it. That's very exciting to me."

"I think it (the summit) was long overdue," said local real estate professional and civic volunteer John Toye, whose activities include the Westland Chamber of Commerce, the Westland Rotary Club, the Westland Youth Assistance board, and "anybody else who needs help."

Toye said, as a local businessman, he considers it his responsibility to get involved. "I'm always out and about," he said. "I always thought that part of my job was to give back to the community. This is just part of my job - it's something I need to do."

Over at the William P. Faust Library in Westland, Joe Burchill serves as volunteer coordinator and hopes to build a solid corps of volunteers for a variety of services.

"I'm kind of riding Bill Clinton's coattails," he said. "It trickles right down to my library. We want to be a place where people can make that difference - you take it beyond 'people as a patron,'" he said. Using volunteers, he added, "truly makes it a library of the peo-

ple." At the library, volunteers are used to shelve books, checking books that are already shelved to ensure they are properly placed, and even local garden clubs and other groups are welcome to volunteer to beautify the grounds. They are hosting monthly meetings for those who might be interested in volunteering on the first Wednesday of each month.

John Zech is one local official who gives of his time at the Wayne-Westland YMCA. The Wayne city manager said he first became involved in the Y in coaching his sons' t-ball team. Eventually he was invited to join the board, and recently won an award from the Metropolitan Y for his efforts. He said that most volunteers believe in the organizations for which they serve.

"I really like what the Y stands for," he said. "I believe in their mission. I feel good about serving on the board."

Like most, he believes the national summit will draw attention to other opportunities. "I'm not really sure I know what will come of the presidential summit,"

he added. "It put a lot of emphasis on corporate America. I see more and more companies - especially Fortune 500 - getting more involved."

"It does so much good for people in the business community to work with group that need help."

The senior community is one which is no stranger to the concept of volunteering.

"I believe any kind of encouragement from the president of the United States will help, but I believe you also have to have good leadership in your local community," said Sylvia Kozorosky-Wiacek, director of senior resources for the city of Westland, which operates the Friendship Center on Newburgh Road.

Some 150 people volunteer at the center in any given year.

"People volunteer because they want to feel needed and useful," she explained. "People retire, they think that's what they want. Volunteering helps to fill that void."

Not only to groups need to solicit volunteer help, once you get volunteers "you have to make them feel rewarded and thanked," Kozorosky-Wiacek added.

## CRIMEWATCH

### Gun found

A 16-year-old John Glenn High student was caught at school with a loaded, .32-caliber, two-shot pistol after he reportedly was "showing off" the weapon in the boys' locker room, a Westland police report said.

School authorities received reports of the gun from other students who saw the suspect reveal the gun on May 23, the report said.

Police officers and school officials pulled the suspect from a classroom, and a police officer found the gun while patting down the student. The teen allegedly told officers that the gun belonged to his stepfather and that he brought it to school to sell it.

The suspect was arrested for carrying a concealed weapon and turned over to juvenile authori-

ties, and the gun was seized, the police report said.

### Store robbed

A gun-toting suspect robbed the 7-Eleven at 172 S. John Hix on May 25 and escaped with a small amount of cash, a Westland police report said.

The male suspect walked into the store, demanded money from a female clerk and revealed what was described as "a long gun" tucked inside his coat, the victim told police. The clerk complied after initially trying to pretend that she didn't hear the suspect, the report said.

The suspect, who fled on foot, was described as a white male, 35 to 40 years old, about 5-foot-6, with a medium build. He had curly blond hair and wore a black three-quarter length coat, a striped/hooded sweatshirt and white baggy pants.

## City decision upheld in federal court

A Westland City Council decision rejecting a facility for federal prisoners nearing their release has been upheld in U.S. District Court in Detroit, City Attorney Angelo Plakas said Monday.

A council majority in December refused to allow Community Treatment Centers (CTC) Inc. to house 35 supposedly nonviolent male offenders in a 7,200-square-foot facility near Michigan Avenue and Henry Ruff

Road. A lawsuit filed in federal court challenged the city decision and also sought damages, but Plakas announced during a council meeting Monday that the council has prevailed.

He added, however, that an appeal is possible.

Council members ruled that the prisoner facility didn't comply with zoning requirements in an area slated for office/business development.

The facility would have housed prisoners allowed to leave only for work or to seek jobs, as they prepare to reenter society.

The federal court decision followed an earlier, separate ruling in Wayne County Circuit Court that also upheld the council vote.

Councilwoman Sharon Scott commended Plakas for his efforts at defending the council's decision in court, saying his skills have saved the city money.

### 10 years celebrated

Celebrating 10 years in business in June, Toarmina's Pizza will award a \$1,000 scholarship, donate 8,000 pizzas and raise \$30,000 for local schools, the Make A Wish Foundation and the Salvation Army.

They will celebrate the final day of the promotion, June 10, with a ceremony at 4 p.m. at the store at 1311 S. Wayne Road, where prices will be rolled back to 1987 all day.

The pizza business is owned by Lou Toarmina and was founded in Westland. It now has 18 stores in the area. For more information, call 729-1882.

### Party at the pool

Following is information from Westland's Bailey Pool:

■ The Bailey Pool is available for parties, with packages

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including use of the facility's waterslide, pizza, pop and other goodies. Private pool rentals are also available for birthdays, reunions and parties.

■ Specials are also being offered from 8-10 p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays for kids in sixth grade and older, with entertainment including a disc jockey, swimming and pizza.

■ Swim lessons start from 9 a.m. to noon five days a week the week of June 16 for two-week sessions. Lessons will be available all summer.

■ The pool and waterslide will be available for open swim from noon to 3:30 p.m. and 4:30-7:30 p.m. seven days a week. A wading pool is offered for kids and infants age 3 and younger. Certified lifeguards

are on duty at all times.

General pool rules: Please bring a lock. Swimsuits must be worn at all times; no cut-off shorts are allowed. Children must be accompanied by an adult at all times. For more information, call pool manager Debbie Lindquist at (313) 695-2303.

### Ready, set - get silmed

The Wayne-Westland YMCA, 827 S. Wayne Road, Westland, will host a Family Challenge 6-9 p.m. Friday, June 13.

Games and activities include balloon toss, obstacle race, egg toss, chocolate syrup drip, clothes relay, slime buckets, three-person race, pie-in-your-eye and more.

Space is limited; a maximum of 50 families will be allowed in. Cost is \$5 per family. Everyone is invited to swim after the field games. Call 721-7044.

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# Playscape, housing, senior center get money

BY DONNA MULCAHY  
SPECIAL WRITER

A proposed playscape for Central City Park, an addition at the Westland Friendship Center, and affordable housing activities in the Carver Subdivision are just some of the things targeted for federal funds under a city program.

The 1997-98 Housing and Community Development Consolidated Plan Action Plan consists of the city's proposed Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) budget and HOME program budget for the fiscal year that begins July 1.

Both programs are administered by the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD).

The Westland City Council approved the budget in May.

Congress enacted the CDBG program in 1974 to address the problem of deteriorating cities and neighborhoods. In the program, federal funds are made available to cities for use on activities that:

- Benefit low- and moderate-income families.

- Aid in the prevention or elimination of slums or blight.

- Address an urgent threat to the health or safety of the community.

The city has participated in the CDBG program for the past 23 years and in the HOME pro-

gram for the past three years. Under HOME, cities receive federal funds for the purpose of making affordable housing available to the public.

## Procedure waived

The city council waived its normal procedure by introducing and approving the consolidated plan all on the same night. However, the CDBG and HOME budgets were available for public review from April 15 through May 15, and four public hearings were held on them, including one at the April 21 meeting of the city council.

James Gilbert, director of Community Development, said the approval expedites HUD's approval process.

"This is something that was literally seen by the public on several occasions. We had four public hearings on the matter, and it just seemed silly to drag out the process any further," Gilbert said.

No changes to the plan were requested at any of the public hearings, he added. "I think that's because we're kind of keeping with what people want. We listen to what the public wants."

The plan now goes to HUD, which has 45 days to review the document before deciding whether to approve it. If approved, HUD will release

funds in late August.

The city anticipates receiving \$1,317,242 in CDBG funds for the upcoming fiscal year. That includes a regular block grant allocation of \$1,260,000, and \$57,242 from loan and grant repayments in the CDBG-funded Housing Rehabilitation Program.

The city also expects to receive \$356,000 in HOME funds, according to the consolidated plan.

Under the CDBG budget, \$100,000 would be set aside for a matching grant program for the Central City Park playscape. For every dollar raised by the Playscape Committee from non-governmental sources, the city would donate \$1 in CDBG funds, up to a maximum of \$100,000.

CDBG money can be used only for purchase of materials and equipment or the rental of equipment for the playscape. The 30,000-square-foot, wooden playscape is to be built in Central City Park, south of the Bailey Recreation Center, with all volunteer labor. The total estimated cost for the structure is \$180,000.

In another project, \$158,150 in CDBG funds would go toward the construction of a 4,620-square-foot addition to the Westland Friendship Center. The estimated maximum cost of the addition is \$930,000, excluding

interest on the financing. To help pay for the project, the city plans to use \$100,000 in CDBG funds that it budgeted for the addition last year, and take out a \$530,000 loan from HUD. The city plans to repay the loan over five years.

## Housing projects

The HOME program budget includes \$71,200, to be set aside for the People's Community Hope for Homes Inc. The nonprofit organization has been designated by the city to conduct affordable housing projects and programs in the Carver Subdivision, in an effort to revitalize that neighborhood.

Planned activities include in-fill housing and the acquisition, rehabilitation and resale of homes that are currently vacant.

In addition to money for the playscape and the addition to the Westland Friendship Center, the proposed CDBG budget includes the following: \$247,790 for the Community Development Administration, \$82,222 for the Rehabilitation Administration, and \$100,000 for Housing Rehabilitation.

Also, \$178,500 for senior programs, \$7,000 for N.S.A. transportation, \$24,680 for the Community Commission on Drug Abuse/Hegira Programs, \$19,700 each for First Step and the Child & Family Neighbor-

hood Program, \$14,500 for the Youth Assistance Program, and \$105,000 for phase two of the Van Born Watermain Replacement project.

In addition, \$95,000 for phase two of easement removal in the Norwayne Subdivision, \$125,000 for phase two of the infrastructure project on Currier Street in the Carver Subdivision, and \$20,000 each for phase four of the Stottlemeyer Park Development and upgrades to Norwayne Park.

The proposed HOME budget includes the following: \$105,000 for the HOME Rental Rehabilitation Program in the Norwayne and Carver subdivisions, and \$104,200, for the Westland HomeBuyer Program in the Norwayne and Carver Subdivisions.

Also, \$40,000 for a special HOME Project Set Aside for senior housing, \$35,600 for administration of the HOME funds, and the previously mentioned \$71,200 to the PCFH for revitalization of the Carver Subdivision.

## Concert from page A1

council members Charles Pickering, Sharon Scott, Richard LeBlanc and Sandra Cicirelli favored the concert, following arguments that events like the Westland Summer Festival and high school football games draw similarly large crowds.

Scott noted that city police and fire officials have the power to shut down the concert if unforeseen problems arise.

Said police Chief Emery Price: "I assure you that we will police it as much as we can during the concert."

Greenfield said he is leaning toward a rock concert, although he didn't rule out the possibility of a country music lineup.

Most details still are pending, but Greenfield said the concert would raise money for the Wayne Ford Civic League - a private, nonprofit organization that sponsors youth athletic programs and other charitable events.

Greenfield will have to address several issues in planning the concert. He must:

- Provide proof to the city that the event has proper insurance coverage.

- Hire security, estimated by himself at more than 100 guards.

- Receive approval from the state Liquor Control Commission to serve alcohol.

- Post a bond for potential cleanup of surrounding property.

Greenfield also had to agree to a time frame for addressing fire code violations cited indoors at the civic league, in areas such as a storage balcony and the kitchen. Assistant Westland fire Chief Patrick Harder told council members Monday that some problems date back to 1993.

Barns noted that Greenfield's request marked the first time the council has voted on a concert that will draw such a large crowd.

Greenfield said the event won't draw any more patrons than the civic league's annual carnival does "on a good day."

Anderson, however, noted that patrons come and go at a carnival, unlike a concert where thousands will stay put for hours.

"It's just a real concern I have," he said.

Meanwhile, in a late-breaking development, the Beavis and Butt-head clones seen in Westland apparently learned of the council vote on Tuesday, while playing a game of laser tag at Laser Quest on Nankin Boulevard.

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# Extinction from page A1

shares for the arts won't have the opportunity to flourish within the next generation.

He is not alone. "Funding for the arts throughout the United States is minimal," said Redford Union art teacher Tom Grove. "Generally in our culture the arts aren't held in high esteem and we aren't sure where they fit into things — but the popularity of art festivals and craft shows proves otherwise."

John Glenn drama teacher Sherri Smith said the arts being viewed as "less important than other academic areas" is regarded as a "personal insult" to her as an educator. "It's a tragedy for both students and the community as a whole," said Smith.

Smith receives a budget of \$500 for the entire school year to produce a fall and spring production in conjunction with other

theater-related activities. Not surprisingly, fund-raising becomes one of the few workable solutions.

## Infinite benefits

Music, drama, and visual art teachers offer example after example of the arts link between learning and elevated levels of curriculum performance and achievement.

Garden City High School art instructor Kay Paupore said "getting back to the basics" with less of a concentration on the arts is "short-sighted."

"The arts provide an outlet for problem-solving and require high orders of thinking," said Paupore. "They help students solve comprehensive problems through abstract thinking with a link to their emotions. You don't get that in most curriculum areas."

Educators and other experts

maintain that the arts promote thinking and creativity, and teach the importance and overall value of teamwork — traits any employer would consider essential to working situations.

The benefits are immeasurable but distinctly rewarding.

"The arts are a necessary part of the curriculum that should not be considered frivolous," said Judith Braun, Plymouth-Canton art instructor. "They help stimulate right-brain functions and enhance life in general. People don't realize how prominent art is in our lives."

Although attempts have been made to retain structured art programming, some grades have been reduced to after-school programs, weekly offerings or those available a la carte, with boxes of art materials carried from classroom to classroom for 45-minute intervals.

Teachers know the financial

strains each district operates under, perceiving the lack of funding as commonplace, but largely insufficient.

"District administrators do show support but I think their hands are tied in most situations," said Smith, "and it's tradition to go after the arts first."

Surprisingly, many creative courses don't benefit from individual school budgets whose only source of funding is spent on a teacher's salary or a nominal purse for supplies such as paper and pencils.

"We've been quite successful in financing ourselves," said Gloria Logan.

Logan, a 27-year educator with the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools, said the department's first performance in 1971, drew a crowd of approximately 75 people. This past month, the spring musical "South Pacific," entertained more than 4,000

audience members, many of whom do not have children in the Plymouth-Canton school district.

"Often times, people will call from different cities wanting to know what's going on with our theater because they enjoy the quality entertainment we put forth," said Logan.

A minimal budget for contracted services such as conductor and ushers is provided to Logan, but she said she receives no money from the school district to fund high school productions.

"South Pacific," she estimated, cost \$20,000 to produce, including royalties, scenery materials, advertising, makeup and costumes. Fund-raising and ticket sales help support the entire project, said Logan.

## External challenges

Unfortunately, it is the student who suffers the greatest consequence when various forms of expression are challenged by obstacles such as lack of classroom supplies, limited course offerings and schedule conflicts.

Teachers find themselves burdened with the task of maintaining a constant flow of income generated from fund-raisers.

The distraction from candy sales and money collections can overtake a 55-minute class period with minimal quality time remaining for drawing, singing and acting.

"It's a hassle trying to collect money and teach class," said Gina Strand, Wayne Memorial High School forensic coach. "I feel more like a bank teller some days, but I know it's necessary in order for us to do activities in school."

Fund-raising through student initiatives or booster organizations accounts for a majority of funds used to purchase sheets of music, royalty authorization for the production of a play, competition fees, transportation to and from outside events, uniforms and instruments.

"We won't have a marching band that competes next year if we can't raise another \$5,000 for new drums," said Wayne Memorial High School band instructor Dana Allen.

Redford Union High School band booster president Mike Potter said the parent-oriented organization in conjunction with the Redford Union Task Force tries to support and improve academic and arts-related programming through fund-raising and grants.

"I was really surprised at how much funding comes from the boosters and the task force," said Potter.

Westland John Glenn band instructor Scott Cramer said his district supports the arts "as much as they possibly can" but 90 percent of what it takes to finance the band program comes from fund-raising and boosters.

A lack of funding has undoubtedly left programming across the state minimized, but teachers remain frustrated yet hopeful that the winds of change may "dance" their way.

"Financing does limit what we can offer our students," said Plymouth-Canton art teacher Braun, "but they know it's a fact of life that supplies are expensive and they have to respect what they are given."

# Standards from page A1

They should be able to communicate proficiently in at least one art form, including the ability to define and solve artistic problems with insight, reason and technical proficiency.

They should be able to develop and present basic analyses of works of art from structural, historical, and cultural perspectives, and from combinations of those perspectives. This includes the ability to understand and evaluate work in the various arts disciplines.

They should have an informed acquaintance with exemplary works of art from a variety of cultures and historical periods, and a basic understanding of historical development in the arts disciplines, across the arts as a whole, and within cultures.

They should be able to relate various types of arts knowledge and skills within and across the arts disciplines. This includes mixing and matching competencies and understandings in art-making, history and culture, and analysis in any arts-related project.

As a result of developing these capabilities, students can arrive at their own knowledge, beliefs and values for making personal and artistic decisions. In other terms, they can arrive at a broad-based, well-grounded understanding of the nature, value and meaning of the arts as a part of their own humanity.

## Importance of arts

Knowing and practicing the arts discipline is fundamental to the healthy development of children's minds and spirits.

The arts are worth studying simply because of what they are. Their impact can't be denied. Throughout history, all the arts have served to connect our imaginations with the deepest questions of human existence: Who am I? What must I do? Where am I going?

The arts are used to achieve a multitude of human purposes: to present issues, ideas, to teach or persuade, to entertain, to decorate or to please. Becoming lit-

erate in the arts helps students understand and do these things better.

The arts are integral to every person's daily life.

Our personal, social, economical and cultural environments are shaped by the arts at every turn — from the design on a child's breakfast placemat, to the songs on the commuter's car radio, to the family's night-time TV drama, to the teen-ager's Saturday dance, to the enduring influences of the classics.

The arts offer unique sources of enjoyment and refreshment for the imagination. They explore relationships between ideas and objects and

serve as links between thought and action. Their continuing gift is to help us see and grasp life in many ways.

There is ample evidence that the arts help students develop the attitudes, characteristics, and intellectual skills required to participate effectively in today's society and economy.

## Benefits of arts

Arts education benefits the student because it cultivates the whole child, gradually building many kinds of literacy while developing intuition, reasoning, imagination and dexterity into unique forms of expression and communication.

This process requires not merely an active mind, but a trained one. An education in the arts benefits society because students of the arts gain powerful tools for understanding human experiences, both past and present.

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RONALD D. SHOWALTER  
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**ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION  
NOTICE OF ANNUAL ELECTION  
OF THE ELECTORS OF  
WAYNE-WESTLAND COMMUNITY SCHOOLS  
WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN  
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JUNE 9, 1997**

**TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:**

Please Take Notice that the annual election of the school district will be held on Monday, June 9, 1997.

THE POLLS OF ELECTION WILL OPEN AT 7 O'CLOCK IN THE MORNING AND CLOSE AT 8 O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING.

At the annual school election there will be elected two (2) members to the Board of Education of the district for full terms of four (4) years ending in 2001.

THE FOLLOWING PERSONS HAVE BEEN NOMINATED TO FILL SUCH VACANCIES:

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9	Jefferson Elementary School, 32150 Dorsey, Westland
11	Kettering Elementary School, 1200 Hubbard, Westland
12	Lincoln Elementary School, 1200 Hubbard, Westland
13	Madison Elementary School, 1075 S. Carlson, Westland
15	Hoover Elementary School, 5400 Fourth, Wayne
16	P.D. Graham Elementary School, 1255 S. John Hix, Westland
17	Patchin Elementary School, 6420 N. Newburgh, Westland
18	Roosevelt Elementary School, 36075 Currier, Wayne
19	Schweitzer Elementary School, 2601 Treadwell, Westland
22	Taft-Galloway Elementary School, 4035 S. Gloria, Wayne
23	Vanderberg Elementary School, 32101 Stellwagon, Wayne
24	Walker Elementary School, 39932 Michigan, Canton

All school electors who are registered with the city or township clerk of the city or township in which they reside are eligible to vote at this election.

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education.

MARTHA PITSENBARGER  
Secretary, Board of Education

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**OBITUARIES**

**GEORGE R. CORNFOOT**

Funeral services for George Robert Cornfoot, 72, of Westland were held recently in New York City. Cremation rites were accorded.

A memorial service will be held at a later date.

Mr. Cornfoot, who died May 22 in Wayne, was born in Detroit. He was a retail music salesman.

Surviving are: daughters Judith Cornfoot of Westland and Karen Rauls of Williamsport, Pa.; and two grandchildren. Mr. Cornfoot was a special dad to Charles, Paula, Holly, Kenny and Dena.

Arrangements were made by Vermeulen Funeral Home. Memorial donations in his name may be made to the Michigan Humane Society for adoption of dogs for senior citizens or to the Herbie Williams Scholarship Fund.

**SHIRLEY L. HURST**

Funeral services for Shirley L. Hurst, 72, of Garden City were May 31 in John N. Santeiu & Son Funeral Home, 1139 Inkster Road, Garden City. Cremation rites were accorded. Officiating was the Rev. Christopher Harris from Garden City Presbyterian Church.

Mr. Hurst, who died May 24 in East Tawas, was born in Mayville. He was an electrical supervisor.

Surviving are: wife Jean of

Garden City; daughters Claudia Stover of Port Huron, Diane Hurst-Hollowell of Garden City and Carol Hurst of Garden City; five grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

He was preceded in death by his sister, Margaret Jamison.

Memorials may be made to the Shriners organization.

**STERLING (STAR) COLE**

Funeral services for Sterling (Star) Cole, 85, of Westland will be held in Townsend Funeral Home, Dixon, Ky., with burial at Fairmont Cemetery, Henderson County, Ky. Arrangements were made by Uht Funeral Home.

Mr. Cole died May 29 in Westland. He was a maintenance worker.

Surviving are: wife Naomi; son Larry; daughter Patricia Saunders; brothers Carvil, Vernon; sisters Nell Heater and Velree Duckworth; six grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

**CINDY LOU COLBURN**

Funeral services for Cindy Lou Colburn, 41, of Wayne were held recently at the Uht Funeral Home with burial at Cadillac Memorial Gardens West, Westland. Officiating was the Rev. Robert McDonald.

Mrs. Colburn died May 24 in Garden City. She was a direct care worker.

Surviving are: son John; daughter Crystal Miles of Wayne; parents Walter and

Georgene Miles; brother Bill; sisters Robin, Lynn and Joanie; and two grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her son, George.

**BARBARA J. JUPP**

Funeral services for Barbara J. Jupp, 74, of Westland were held recently at the Vermeulen Memorial Funeral Home, Westland, with burial at White Chapel Memorial Cemetery, Troy. Officiating was the Rev. Tom Eggebeen from St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Livonia.

Mrs. Jupp, who died May 24 in Garden City, was born in Detroit. She was an art teacher at Madonna University.

Surviving are: son Bruce of Redford; and daughter Frances Farkas of Sterling, Va.

**LAUDIA R. SPENCER**

Funeral services for Laudia R. Spencer, 86, of Westland were held recently at Wayne Church of Christ with burial at Oakland Hills Cemetery, Novi. Officiating was Randy Bone. Local arrangements were made by Uht Funeral Home.

Mrs. Spencer died May 23 in Wayne. She retired in 1972 from Whitmore Lake Convalescent Center where she worked as a dietitian. She was an active member of the women's auxiliary of VFW Post 2502 in South Lyon and VFW Post 7305 in Colorado City, Colo.

Surviving are: son Melvin;

daughter Gladys Buchanan; six grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Clyde, and daughter Alice Park.

**KAREN L. HALE**

Funeral services for Karen L. Hale, 58, of Westland were held in L.J. Griffin Funeral Home with burial at Glen Eden Cemetery, Livonia. Officiating was the Rev. Jerry A. Yarnell from St. Michael Lutheran Church.

Mrs. Hale, who died May 28 in Westland, was born in Grand Rapids. She was an accountant for a paper goods company.

Surviving are: daughters Linda and Laura Manzo; sister Judy Knaus; and three grandchildren.

**RUSSELL A. RASMUSSEN**

Funeral services for Russell A. Rasmussen, 79, of Novi were held recently at the Vermeulen Memorial Funeral Home, Westland. Officiating was the Rev. Leonard Partensky.

Mr. Rasmussen, who died May 24 in Farmington Hills, was born in River Rouge. He was a carpenter for a construction company.

Surviving are: wife Shirley; sons James of Northville, John of Milford and Kenneth of Garden City; daughter Kathy Vincent of Mesa, Ariz.; 13 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his daughter, Marjorie Hilton.

**Probe continues about dog**

BY MARIE CHESTNEY  
STAFF WRITER

The owner of an injured German shepherd found wandering in Hines Park told investigators he had taken the dog to a friend, said Dewey Fradly, animal control officer for Westland.

"But he didn't identify the friend," said Fradly, who is now investigating how a dog hit by a van on Five Mile in Livonia wound up abandoned near Ann Arbor Trail and Farmington Road.

Initially, animal control officers in Westland and Livonia were unsure just where the dog was found and which city had jurisdiction. It has since been determined the dog was picked up in Westland.

"So it's in Westland's hands," said Vickey Steier, animal control officer for Livonia. "They must figure out what to do."

According to Fradly, someone saw the dog, named Bubba, dropped off near Hines Park.

"I called him, left my number, and am waiting for him to call back. We need a witness. If there is no witness, we have nothing."

If the witness can identify the former owner as the person who dropped the dog off, Fradly said either Westland's animal control department or Westland police can prosecute.

"He would be cited for cruelty, a four-year felony if pursued by the detective bureau," Fradly said. "Sometimes they put it back in animal control's lap. Then we'd issue a ticket for a misdemeanor."

The owner has since relinquished ownership of the dog to the Michigan Humane Society. The dog is now under medical care in Westland's shelter; he is not yet available for adoption.

Bubba suffered bruises and cuts after being struck by a van near Five Mile and Harrison. He was dragged nearly a block before the van stopped.

Fradly said the dog's former

**UPDATE**

owner said Bubba was a stray he was caring for and feeding. The former owner is now in Sweden.

Barbara Scherr, assistant city attorney for Livonia, said she was disappointed when jurisdiction turned out to belong to Westland.

"This city has a good track record of prosecution where we can in cruelty cases," Scherr said. "We would pursue this if we had jurisdiction."

Scherr said she will turn information in the case over to the Wayne County prosecutor's office, to see if they are interested in pursuing the case.

Witnesses to the accident in Livonia saw the owner put the dog in a car and drive off. Witnesses said the owner said he would take the dog to a veterinarian.

**Applications are available**

The annual Miss Westland Summer Festival Pageant will be held on Saturday, June 28 at the Westland Center at 7 p.m.

The pageant is being conducted by the Westland Summer Festival Committee in conjunction with the sponsorship of the Westland Center.

Any girl who is a resident of the city of Westland, between the ages of 17 and 23, single (never married) may enter the pageant. There will be no swimsuit or talent competition. Judging will be based on the application, essay and costume. Entrants will base their essay and costume on a famous woman from the past who they admire.

All applications must be submitted by 9 p.m. Saturday, June 21. Questions may be directed to Pam Martin at (313) 595-0697. Applicants will be notified by phone by Tuesday, June 24 as to rehearsal date and time.

**NBD announces branch closing on Ford**

In an efficiency move, the National Bank of Detroit announced Thursday it will close a NBD branch on Ford Road just east of Wayne Road in Westland.

The branch is one of 26 branches in Wayne county closed as part of an overall plan to have more ATM locations and fewer

branches. A branch on Wayne Road at Cowan in Westland will remain open.

A bank spokesman said no layoffs are expected since employees at the branches to be closed will be transferred to other locations. NBD said it plans to invest \$28

million to upgrade and modernize its branch and ATM network in southeast Michigan.

The changes are part of the bank's effort to "respond to customer banking behaviors and preferences," said Rob Darmanin, public relations manager for NBD.

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# Schoolcraft College

## Trustees praise McDowell for 'highly effective' leadership

BY KEN ABRAMCZYK  
STAFF WRITER

Citing his "highly effective administrative and leadership abilities," trustees at Schoolcraft College commended college president Richard McDowell for a job well done during his annual evaluation late last month.

Trustees evaluated McDowell May 28 at a closed session, then awarded him a 2.5 percent increase.

Earlier that evening, board members ratified 2.5 percent increases to 12 executive administrators, and 77 full-time classified staff and regular part-time employees.

McDowell's abilities have "resulted in a qualified and stable work force, a strong financial base, and academic and community recognition for the college," according to written comments released Thursday by the board of trustees.

"(McDowell's) continued enthusiasm is unmatched and the college continues to grow in stature. He is a visionary. There is a high degree of integration among the administration, faculty and staff in the decision-making process."

Board chair Patricia Watson said the board was "extremely pleased" with his performance.

"It's a pleasure to work with him. He's demonstrated leadership throughout the years. The college's growth is a credit to him."

### Accomplishments

McDowell's accomplishments for the 1996-97 year included:

■ The celebration of the college's 35th anniversary.

■ The Business Development Center received the Trainer of the Year Award from the state of Michigan. (McDowell is responsible for the creation of the Business Development Center, which was established in 1985. To date, the center has helped area businesses obtain \$804 million in government and state grants.)

■ The college has expanded its distance learning program and student enrollment increases each year for distance learning courses. This year the college added classes on E-mail, and a program using the college's interactive classroom was developed to provide courses for local K-12 schools.

■ Student retention has been a major initiative. Programs and services were developed to meet individual needs, including individual tutoring

and learning communities.

■ Schoolcraft has remained debt-free. No project or program is initiated until an in-depth analysis has been completed. Long-range planning has led to new courses, new facilities and new programs that meet budget guidelines.

■ A facilities master plan was developed to maintain, improve and expand college buildings, some of which has been in existence for 35 years.

The college's finances are strong under McDowell's leadership, Watson added. "Schoolcraft is one of the few colleges that is debt-free," Watson said.

Watson said the board asked McDowell to continue to examine cost-cutting measures in his objectives next year. McDowell is expected to outline those objectives on June 25 for the board.

"We've asked him to look at insurance coverage again next year," Watson said. "We would like to explore better communication between the Schoolcraft board and K-12 school boards. We have a good relationship (with the districts) and we'd like to enhance them."

"We'd like to work with area legislators, to publicize what we're doing and educate them on these issues."

### Trustees agree

Board vice chair John Walsh said McDowell has remained effective as a college president in a position that, at other schools, generally has a high turnover rate.

"His tenure has resulted in a lot of success at the college," Walsh said. "He has been here 15 years, and his approach to the college is still fresh and innovative."

Trustee Richard DeVries said: "Everybody's happy with Dick McDowell. He's a creative administrator. In the review of his objectives, he did very well."

"He's recognized as one of the top 50 administrators of community colleges in the country."

Trustee Steve Ragan reiterated DeVries' statements.

"The college is in excellent financial shape," Ragan said. "He's a president who is active in the community."

Ragan said the board believes McDowell should continue to pursue cost savings and cost-cutting initiatives.

"It's important to keep the tuition increases to a minimum. We also want to strengthen our relationships with K-12 districts."

## Board OKs salary hikes

Schoolcraft College trustees approved 2.5 percent salary hikes on May 28 for the college president, 12 executive administrators and 77 full-time classified staff and regular part-time employees.

Once the board completed an evaluation of Schoolcraft President Richard McDowell in a closed session, he unannouncedly approved a pay hike that will bring his annual salary to \$107,258.

Earlier the board approved the same percentage increase for 12 executive administrators, including McDowell's cabinet of Butch Raby, vice president for business services; Conway Jeffress, vice president of academic

instruction; Betty Gilbert, executive director of human resources, and Sam Florek, dean of marketing and development. That group also includes the college's deans.

The old salaries for that group fell between \$56,046-\$105,609, depending on job classification.

Also, full-time classified staff and regular part-time employees will receive a 2.5 percent salary hike effective July 1.

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Rep. Gerald Law, R-Plymouth, is confident he will be luckier on his third try for a pet sterilization law.

His House Bill 4239 would regulate public and private animal shelters, pet shops and dog pounds. The bill would be required to either sterilize dogs, cats or ferrets or require persons adopting animals to have them sterilized in a specified period of time.

"One year the governor vetoed it," said Law. Gov. John Engler objected that it contained reporting requirements that could have Headlee amendment consequences as unfunded state mandates. "Last year it died. This year it has gone through both chambers," said Law.

There were complications: Hunters wanted assurances their dogs, if found, wouldn't be automatically neutered or

spayed. Law said it wasn't necessary because the hunter would be reclaiming his dog, not adopting it.

"But I had to put in something for them because they were nervous," he said.

Each year more than 200,000 dogs and cats are euthanized in shelters, while others are abandoned and die from sickness, hunger or injury. Only one in five of the 70,000 puppies and kittens born every day in the U.S. will be cared for its entire lifetime.

The Kent County Animal Control Shelter, however, has seen a 61 percent decrease in euthanasia since the inception of its mandatory spay/neuter program. Washtenaw County reported a 67 percent decline in euthanasia, according to testimony in legislative hearings.

**Appointments**

Gov. John Engler has appointed:

■ Lita Popke of Canton to the State Board of Ethics, which receives citizen complaints of unethical conduct by a public officer or employee. Popke is an attorney with the firm of Weisman, Trogan, Young and Schloss PC. She was reappointed as a Republican for a term expiring Feb. 7, 1999.

State Rep. Kirk Profit, D-Ypsilanti, has been appointed by House Speaker Curtis Hertel to the Federal Budget and Taxation Committee of the National Conference of State Legislatures (NCSL). A five-term lawmaker, Profit chairs the House Tax Policy Committee.

**Beauty licenses**

The Senate passed 38-0 and sent to the governor for signing two House bills to license

"estheticians," persons who give skin care services.

Fees would be \$10 for application processing, \$25 for the examination and \$12 for the annual license.

One bill also would revise licensing provisions for cosmetologists. Enforcement will be up to the Department of Consumer and Industry Services.

**Senate OKs**

The state Senate has passed and sent to the House:

■ A package of four bills under which insurers couldn't refuse coverage to victims of domestic violence. Health maintenance organizations and Blue Cross/Blue Shield also would be prohibited from canceling or refusing health insurance for those persons. (Senate Bills 74-76 and 434.)

■ A bill requiring mental hospitals to report to county prosecutors the release of patients

who had had felony charges dismissed due to mental incompetency. The hospital director would have to send the notification 30 days before the patient's release, and the patient would have to undergo a competency exam. The bill passed 33-0 with five not voting. (SB 181.)

■ Six bills with technical amendments to the Friend of the Court laws. Sen. Robert Geake, R-Northville, sponsor of half the package, said the bills "will all be in one place" instead of scattered through the lawbooks, making them easier to look up. (SB 288-298.) State Capitol capsules:

**Unanimous**

The state Senate has given 38-0 approval to:

■ A House-passed bill to make the white-tailed deer the "official game animal" of Michigan. A project of a private school, the bill was guided through the House by Rep. Jessie Dalman, R-

Holland.

Sen. Loren Bennett, R-Canton, said "the students were spectacular. They were such skillful lobbyists. They brought petitions with 42,000 signatures and pointed out to senators that they came from their districts." The designation doesn't affect Michigan's official nickname: "the Wolverine State." As soon as Gov. John Engler signs it, HB 4612 will take immediate effect.

■ SB 97 raising the penalties for possessing a bomb with intent to use it against a person or property. Delivery would be a 15-year, \$10,000 fine penalty. Penalties would increase if there were injury or damage. For a death, the penalty would be life without parole.

Sen. Dianne Byrum, D-Onondaga, credited Eaton County Prosecutor Jeffery Sauter for the idea after he prosecuted a case with a maximum five-year penalty. The bill goes to the House.

**County program offers emergency prescriptions**

The Wayne County Office on Aging now has a program designed to help older persons pay for prescriptions in an emergency.

The office, 30712 Michigan in Westland, has been selected as one of the sites for the program called the Michigan Emergency Pharmaceutical Program for Seniors (MEPPS).

This program provides emergency prescription assistance for persons aged 65 and older who meet the income criteria.

Once a person is determined to be eligible, he or she receives a voucher which is then taken to a participating pharmacy. Prescriptions (no limit to the number) are then filled for free. No

more than a 30-day supply is permitted.

County officials remind the seniors that this is not a permanent service. Seniors may only take advantage of the payment twice a year.

This program is available to persons who meet the following criteria:

■ Age 65 or older and reside in Wayne County

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# Support system

## Community sustains art involvement after the school bell

BY KIMBERLY A. MORTSON  
STAFF WRITER

It is the community that steps in, like an understudy in a play, providing a seamless transition for school districts that have been forced to curtail music and art classes due to a lack of money.

Venues where visual arts and music are offered range from the pavilion stage of Westland's new outdoor amphitheater to the store front window of The Art Gallery in Garden City.

In most communities the focus is broad and offerings appeal to all ages whether you're a 5-year-old painter or an 80-year-old musician.

Westland, Plymouth, Canton, Redford, Garden City and Livonia all offer after-school programming either at the elementary or secondary level with some sampling of the arts, bridging gaps where lack of funding has left voids.

Not all of the communities have symphonies or theater troupes, but their location and convenience to each other makes exposure feasible. Year-round activities help keep the arts visible within every Observer area community from an early summer juried art show to a December symphonic concert.

Kathleen Salla, volunteer coordinator of Canton Project Arts, said community organizations need to make the arts a priority to maintain a strong connection between learning and creative expression.

"We make every effort to develop cultural arts and activities that are both visual and

enjoyable for the community," said Salla. "Young people in particular should be stimulated to gain a deep appreciation of the arts that will last a lifetime."

### Nurturing creativity

Artist Sharon Dillenbeck said her new Canton studio (D&M Studio) relocated from Plymouth, strives to nurture creativity in everyone from her youngest 3-year-old students to senior artisans. Multi-age camps and in-studio classes enable novice oil painters or cartoonists to have contact with distinguished community artists on a day-to-day basis.

Dillenbeck said the lack of exposure children have to the arts comes from a shortage of consistency in the classroom. Funding in some communities is so minimal, said Dillenbeck, there's a different teacher every year.

"Children need something to do besides play."

Dillenbeck also noted the frustration teachers feel when workshops aren't offered with a focus on the arts. "Teachers themselves need to be taught to incorporate the arts in their classroom because they help shape small motor skills and build self-esteem," said Dillenbeck.

Not only does D&M Studio provide a locale for creativity but also encourages students to market their work, teach classes at the studio and provides an arena for public showing at the annual Liberty Festival in Canton where more than 1,000 pieces of children's artwork went on display last summer.

### What our schools offer in arts education

ELEMENTARY					
School	Art	Vocal/Music	Instrumental		
Clarenceville	✓	✓	5th grade		
Garden City	✓	✓	6th grade at high school		
Livonia	✓	✓	5th-6th grade after school		
Plymouth-Canton	✓	✓			
Redford Union	✓	✓	5th-6th grade fall 1997		
South Redford	✓	✓	5th grade		
Wayne-Westland	✓	✓			

SECONDARY					
School	Art	Vocal	Instrumental	Drama	Marching band
Clarenceville	✓	✓	✓	✓	In and after school
Garden City	✓	✓	✓	✓	In school
Livonia	✓	✓	✓	✓	Extra curricular
Plymouth-Canton	✓	✓	✓	✓	Extra curricular
Redford Union	✓	✓	✓	✓	In school
South Redford	✓	✓	✓	✓	In school
Wayne-Westland	✓	✓	✓	✓	Extra curricular

TAMMIE GRAVES/STAFF ARTIST

The Plymouth Community Arts Council, established in 1968, facilitates a program that blends outside talents in the classroom through the Art Volunteer Program, formerly known as Art Lady. Since 1969, volunteers make monthly presentations with cultural items such as music, reprints, posters and sculptures to local classrooms where speakers discuss and display art work.

Jennifer Tobin, Plymouth Arts Council executive director, said

continuing education beyond the end of a school day is necessary to augment what's happening in the classroom and not "copy it."

Local teachers can apply to receive grants from the council for that very purpose, said Tobin. Amounts ranging from \$100 to \$400 are used for trips to the symphony or to conduct school-wide art projects.

"Our purpose is to expand programming and not let things get any worse," said Tobin. "Parents and community members need to

go before school boards and say 'We are serious about the situation the arts are in and you should be too.'"

Realizing formal and outward measures need to be taken to insure the livelihood of the arts, the communities of Plymouth and Canton recently formed the Arts Alliance and adopted an objective to make sure the arts are brought back into schools.

### Working together

Tobin said Plymouth and Canton community-based organizations are also collaborating to design a calendar to avoid event conflicts and provide better communication with the media.

Garden City member and director of The Art Gallery Norma McQueen said her involvement with the arts came late in life but she finds the benefits innumerable.

"Art feeds the soul," said McQueen, "yet in the schools they're considered so much less essential than other areas of the curriculum."

Although the gallery generally features artists 18 years and older, the business offers classes for young children including a clay sculpture course for students 6 to 12 years old.

"Our gallery looks to be as supportive and encouraging as possible to spur an appreciation for the arts in everyone," said McQueen.

Other local examples of programming for children include:

■ Theatre Guild of Redford-Livonia supports the Creative and Performing Arts (CAPA) program at Churchill High

School. Students are exposed to live theater and are trained on-stage and behind the curtain to act, build sceneries, design costumes and conduct performances.

"The theater gives children something constructive to do with their lives," said director Blanche Graham. "It's not all fun and play, and the training requires so much more than hitting a ball."

Acting workshops for kindergarten children are also accessible.

■ The Westland All-Stars is a theater troupe for first through senior high school children, supported by the Bailey Recreation Center and under the direction of Marshall Middle School choir teacher Bill Ingersoll.

■ Civic Center Library of Livonia hosts an annual student exhibit in the spring where hundreds of young artists are featured and given the opportunity to display their work publicly.

Many leaders from the arts community agree initiatives made by their organizations are only beneficial to children if parents and teachers are resourceful and seek out their offerings.

"Children should be given an opportunity to whet their appetite for creativity," said Bob Sheridan, Garden City Fine Arts Association president.

"The arts, whether you're in a classroom or involved with a community program, foster a natural and innate appreciation you can't gain from mathematics or social studies."

## Elementary budgets force arts to take a back seat to reading, writing

BY KIMBERLY A. MORTSON  
STAFF WRITER

By far, elementary-level exposure to visual arts and music has suffered the most dramatic changes in quality, frequency and volume.

Art teachers at the elementary level are either non-existent, divide their day between more than one school or find themselves managing "mobile" classrooms.

While administrators and school boards search for ways to upgrade offerings to students who are at a critical junction for learning, funding ties their hands to limit, or at worst, dissolve structured art classes.

Garden City public schools, due to severe budget cutbacks, were forced to eliminate formal art and music classes several years ago.

Judy Pizzuti, Garden City curriculum director, said while it has not been approved, the district is hopeful they will be able to reinstate art and music in the elementary program for fall 1997.

Currently, the two are incorporated into the curriculum among mathematics, social studies, English, and reading. Sixth-grade students, however, are offered an instrumental music program at Garden City High

### Art teachers at the elementary level are either non-existent, divide their day between more than one school or find themselves managing 'mobile' classrooms.

School each week, said Pizzuti.

Likewise, Redford Union and South Redford also offer instrumental programs for students beginning in the fifth and sixth grades compared to Wayne-Westland and Plymouth-Canton students who must wait until junior high or middle school to take up an instrument.

Livonia does not offer instrumental music during school but established a partnership with the Livonia Community Education Center to host an after-school instrumental enrichment program for fifth- and sixth-graders.

"We have made a commitment to the arts," said Marlene Bihlmeyer, Livonia director of curriculum. "We have a rich secondary offering and are constantly trying to improve what we offer our elementary students."

Jane Kuckel, assistant superintendent of curriculum for the Wayne-Westland Community Schools, said the budget has the

greatest impact on the kinds of classes the district can offer.

"The arts are still in place," said Kuckel. "We would rather pare them down a bit before eliminating them at all."

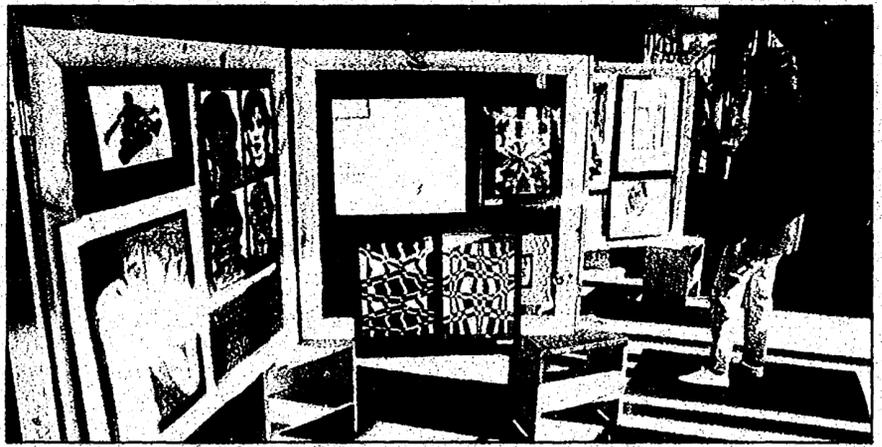
Kuckel said the arts at the elementary level are critical to "laying down a foundation for a well-rounded student."

Plymouth-Canton also knows the restrictions a budget can have on programming.

"We value the arts and want to keep them in the academic curriculum to the extent that the budget allows us," said Verna Anible, director of K-12 instruction in the Plymouth Canton district. "We try and strike a fair balance between the two."

Secondary education teachers and community-based art organizations note the lack of experience elementary children bring to the classroom later on in their education.

Wayne Memorial High School band director Dana Allen said



STAFF PHOTO BY TOM HAWLEY

Admiring: Jan Bartsch of Garden City takes a look at art work on display of the students of Garden City High School before her son, Adam, a sophomore, plays in the annual band concert.

shortcomings are evident at state competitions where students from Class A schools are challenged to play against children from similar districts who continue to enjoy instrumental programming at the elementary level.

"They start later and have had

less time to prepare," said Allen. "Sometimes they are far less experienced and struggle at the level they should be playing."

It's not hard to imagine that differences would also occur in other arts-related disciplines where classes have been reduced or eliminated.

"We have to respect the arts enough to guarantee we have a generation and an audience who will see to their survival," said Canton artist/director Cindy Zeitz. "At the rate we're going there's no assurance they'll be able to appreciate classical music or recognize a Seurat painting."

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# CALENDAR

YOUR GUIDE TO EVENTS IN AND AROUND WESTLAND

## THIS WEEKEND

**FUND-RAISER SCHEDULED**  
The West Central Chapter of the American Heart Association will host a Cardiac Arrest Fund-raiser for research, school programs and CPR training. The event will be tomorrow, Friday, June 6, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Hawthorne Valley Golf Club in Westland. For more information, call Dan Stuit at (810) 557-9511.

**EXPO FOR SKATERS**  
The Westland Sports Arena will host its first Hockey and Figure Skating EXPO on Friday, June 6 from 4-8 p.m. and Saturday and Sunday June 7-8 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The EXPO is open to the public; admission is \$1 per person and children are free when accompanied by an adult. The first 50 people each day are free. The EXPO will feature vendors from the country selling items for skaters. A booth will also allow you to test the speed of your slap shot with proceeds going to the Westland Hockey Association and the Westland Figure Skating Club. For more information call 729-4560.

**RUMMAGE SALE**  
Due to inclement weather, the Friends of the Westland Historical Museum plans to host another Rummage Sale this Saturday, June 7, from 1-4 p.m. at the museum, located at 857 N. Wayne Road between Marquette and Cherry Hill. Items to be sold include: dishes, linens, furniture, jewelry, toys, tools, antiques, books, knick-knacks, kitchen items and miscellaneous. Everything will be half-priced. Call (313) 522-3918 for information.

## SPECIAL EVENTS

**SUMMER CONCERT SERIES**  
The Westland Cultural Society kicks off its 1997 Concerts in the Park series on Sunday, June 8, with the country Western sounds of J.R. Hart, formerly Red & Ramblin' Country. The concert will be at the Westland Library Performance Pavilion and begin at 6 p.m. and is free. In the event of rain, it will be in the Bailey Recreation Center. Call 722-7620 or 522-3918 to confirm.

**SUMMER FESTIVAL**  
The Westland Summer Festival will be held July 2-6, with most activities occurring around the city's civic center area around Central City Park and the Bailey Recreation Center. This year's theme is "American Heritage" and will include a Native American Exhibition, parade, carnival and various other activities. For information or to volunteer time call Jim or Sue Hatfield (313) 326-0666.

**GOLF OUTING**  
The Westland Chamber of Commerce hosts its Annual Golf Classic Tuesday, June 24 the Pheasant Run Golf Club in Canton. The day includes 18 holes of golf in a four-person scramble format, continental breakfast, free range balls, contests, beer and pop, buffet lunch, silent auction, door prizes and goodie bags. Cost is \$115 per person or \$550 for a sponsorship which includes four greens fees and a hole sponsor sign. Call (313) 326-7222 for information.

**FIELD TRIPS**  
Residents and groups can book an end-of-school-year field trip to the Bailey pool

June 9-13. Water safety classes, general recreation and use of the waterslide are part of the program offered. For more information call Debbie Lindquist, pool supervisor at (313) 595-2303 or (313) 722-7620 Monday through Friday.

**BUSINESS MEETING**  
The Westland Chamber of Commerce will host its monthly business luncheon on Tuesday, June 10, at 11:30 a.m. at the Hellenic Cultural Center. For reservations, call 326-7222. Featured will be Detroit Free Press business editor Tom Walsh.

## RECREATION

**SQUARE DANCE**  
Beginner square dance classes held 7:30-9:30 Tuesdays in Bailey Recreation Center (behind City Hall), on Ford Road, Westland. Fee \$3 per person weekly. Mike Brennan, (313) 274-3394.

**FOR DISABLED PEOPLE**  
A recreational get-together for teens and adults who are disabled will be the second Friday of each month at the Westland Bailey Center. (313) 722-7620.

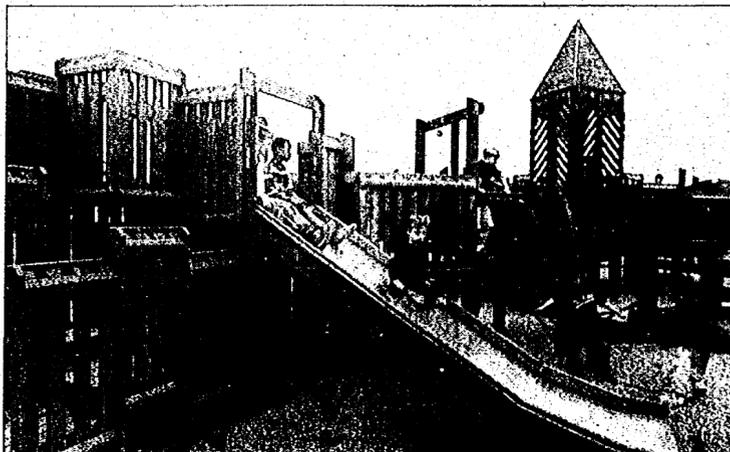
**FAMILY CHALLENGE**  
The Wayne-Westland YMCA, 827 S. Wayne Road, Westland, will host a Family Challenge on Friday, June 13 from 6-9 p.m. Games and activities include balloon toss, obstacle race, egg toss, chocolate syrup drip, clothes relay, slime buckets, three-person race, pie-in-your-eye and more. Maximum of 50 families will be allowed in. Cost is \$5 per family. Everyone is invited to swim after the field games. Call 721-7044 for information.

## HISTORY ON VIEW

**WESTLAND MUSEUM**  
The Westland Historical Museum is open 1-4 p.m. Saturdays, at 857 N. Wayne Road between Marquette and Cherry Hill. (313) 326-1110.

**SEWING DISPLAY**  
The Westland Historical Museum, 857 N. Wayne between Marquette and Cherry Hill has a sewing display on Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., except holiday weekends. Older samples of needlework and antique sewing tools and their history — such as a darning collection, 1860 and

## Playscape fun



STAFF PHOTO BY SHARON LEMIEUX

This weekend, Organizers of the Westland Playscape project are hosting several fund-raising events this Saturday, June 7, in and around the Bailey Recreation Center. From 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., residents can make ceramic hand tiles which will be used as part of a "sitting wall" running through the playscape. A car wash will be held from noon to 3 p.m., and Toarmina's Pizza will give away pizzas for donations to the project from 1-3 p.m. A raffle of a playhouse donated and built by Westland students will be held at 2 p.m. The Playscape project will be a community-built play structure, similar to the one seen above. It will be constructed by dozens of community volunteers in September over a five-day period. For information on Saturday's events, or to volunteer your time in September, call (313) 467-3198.

1890s sewing machines, pin cushions, childrens sewing tools and other items included. The display will run through June. Call (313) 326-1110 for information.

**FRIENDS MEET**  
Friends of the Westland Historical Museum meet on the second Tuesdays of January, March, May, July, September and November at 7 p.m. at the Westland Meeting House, 37091 Marquette between Newburgh and Wayne roads. Information, president Jim Franklin (313) 721-0136. Everyone is welcome.

## FOR SENIORS

**TRAVEL GROUP**  
The Travel Group meets 12:45 p.m. every Friday in the Westland Friendship Center, 1119 N. Newburgh, unless a trip or program is planned. Programs include speakers, films, celebration of birthdays and weekly door prizes. There is a \$3 membership fee for residents, \$12.50 for non-residents. (313) 722-7632.

**CARD GROUP**  
The Friday Variety Card

Group at the Westland Friendship Center meets at 2 p.m. Players enjoy euchre, pinocle, bridge, Uno, rummy and poker. Light refreshments are served. Call (313) 722-7632 for information or just show up to play cards. The Friendship Center is located at 1119 N. Newburgh Road.

**DYER CLUB**  
The Dyer Seniors' Center Travel Club meets the first and third Thursdays of each month in the center, on Marquette between Wayne Road and Newburgh.

**MONTHLY MEAL**  
The Wayne Ford Civic League schedules its senior meal 11:45 a.m. to 4 p.m. on the first Sunday of each month at the league hall, on Wayne Road, two blocks south of Ford, for people 50 and older. Cost is \$5 for members and \$7 for non-members. The meal includes beer, beverages and dancing to Big Band music, and door prizes. (313) 728-5010.

**DANCE FUN**  
Westland Shopping Center hosts a senior citizen dance on the first Monday of each

month at 11 a.m. in the lower level auditorium, Wayne and Warren roads. Coffee and refreshments will be served at 12:30 p.m. The dance will end 1 p.m. The dance is held on the first Monday, with the exception of holidays.

**SENIOR DANCE**  
Senior dances will be noon to 4 p.m. the first Sunday of every month at the Wayne Ford Civic Center, 1651 N. Wayne Road, Westland. There will be dinner, a live band, beer and pop. Members \$5, non-members \$7. (313) 728-5010.

**WORK REFERRAL**  
Information Center Inc. refers workers to seniors who need help. The program is for people interested in providing transportation, yard work, house work, etc. Workers can specify the type of work they are willing to do and the communities they want to serve. Chore Worker Program, (313) 422-1052.

**LINE DANCING**  
Line dancing lessons are offered to senior citizens at 10:45 a.m. each Friday at the Westland Friendship Center, 1119 N. Newburgh, at Marquette. Fee is \$2 per session. (313) 722-7632.

**DYER CENTER**  
The Wayne-Westland School District's Dyer Senior Adult Center has activities Monday-Thursday at the center, on Marquette between Wayne and Newburgh roads. Mondays, Senior Chorus at 1:30 p.m.; Tuesdays, arts, crafts and needlework at 9:30 a.m.; Wednesdays, Kitchen Band, 10 a.m.; bingo at 1 p.m.; Thursdays, ceramics, arts, crafts at 9:30 a.m.; a Hawaiian dance exercise class will be held at 1 p.m.

every Wednesday in the Senior Resources Department (Friendship Center), 1119 Newburgh, Hall A. Instructor is Kammo Oris. Sign up at the front desk or call (313) 722-7632.

## SCHOOLS

**PRESCHOOL PROGRAM**  
The Wayne-Westland Community Schools have ongoing registration for the preschool programs at Stottemyer Early Childhood and Family Development Center, on Marquette between Wayne and Wildwood. Programs include an Early Intervention Program, Head Start, Kids/Plus Preschool, a Pre-Primary Impaired program and Sparkey Preschool. Registration is ongoing from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Call (313) 595-2660 for information.

**CHURCH PRESCHOOL**  
The Westland Free Methodist Preschool has openings for 3- and 4-year-olds in the morning and afternoon sessions. The younger pupils attend Tuesdays and Thursdays with the other pupils attending Mondays and Wednesdays. A Friday enrichment class is also available. The preschool is at 1421 S. Venoy, Westland. (313) 728-3559.

**PLUS PRESCHOOL**  
Registration for preschool by appointment for the Kids Plus Program is ongoing. Children must be 4 years old by Dec. 1. Family must meet two "at risk" factors. Program runs four half-days a week. Parents must provide their own transportation. Program is free for those students who qualify. Call (313) 595-2688.

**YWCA READINESS**  
The YWCA of Western Wayne County Early Childhood School Readiness Program is available to 4- and 5-year-old children. The YWCA is at 26279 Michigan Ave., Inkster. (313) 561-4110.

**LITTLE LAMBS**  
Little Lambs Preschool in Livonia is accepting registration for the 1997-98 school year. Classes meet Monday/Wednesday/Friday in the morning and afternoon and Tuesday/Thursday in the morning for 3-5 year olds. Information (313) 421-0749 or (810) 471-2077.

## VOLUNTEERS

**YOUTH FOR UNDERSTANDING**  
Organizers from the Youth for Understanding group in this area are seeking families from Westland and Wayne to serve as host families for some 50 foreign exchange students visiting this country. Program fees are paid by students and their parents raised through community projects or funded by scholarships. Students have their own medical insurance and bring their own spending money. Students are between the ages of 15 and

18 and usually live here for about 11 months, starting in mid-August. Some six-month hosting opportunities are also available. For more information or to host a student, call Jeffrey Meyer at (313) 467-9762.

**DRIVERS NEEDED**  
Volunteer drivers are needed to transport area residents to meetings of the Western Wayne Parkinson's Disease Support Group. Meetings are held from 7-9 p.m. the second Thursday of the month at the Livonia Senior Center on Farmington Road just south of Five Mile. Drivers may be offered a stipend. Call 459-0216 or 421-4208 for information. The support group serves residents of Westland, Plymouth and Livonia and surrounding communities.

**FOSTER CARE**  
Youth Living Centers are looking for people to open their homes and hearts to children who need foster care. Training and supportive services provided. To learn more about becoming part of the Foster Care Team, call Gina Velez, (313) 728-3400.

**FOOD DELIVERY**  
Volunteers are needed 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. to deliver meals to homebound, disabled, elderly people in Westland one hour or more per day, one or more days per week. (313) 326-4444.

## YOUTH ACTIVITIES

**HOCKEY REGISTRATION**  
The Westland Sports Arena is accepting registrations for the Summer Hockey Power skating class. The class is designed for hockey players age 6 and older with one or more years of playing experience. The class is designed to work on basic skating skills, as well as increasing power and endurance. The class is offered Mondays-Thursdays at 11 a.m. Registrations are being accepted Monday-Friday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Classes start June 30. For more information call 729-4560 between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m.

## EDUCATION

**ADULT ED**  
Wayne-Westland Schools Adult Education has free classes in adult basic education, GED preparation, high school completion, and vocational training. Register at Tinkham Adult Center, 450 S. Venoy, Westland. (313) 595-2429.

## BINGO

**K OF C BINGO**  
The Notre Dame Knights of Columbus hold bingo games starting at 8:45 p.m. Thursdays in its hall on Van Born, east of Wayne Road. (313) 728-3020.

## Celebrating Older Americans

Special activities! Residents of Liberty Park Apartments celebrated Older Americans Month in May with a balloon launch outside of the senior community center. "Without your expertise and wisdom and knowledge, where would we be today?" asked one speaker at the program, which included dinner, the balloon launch and other entertainment.

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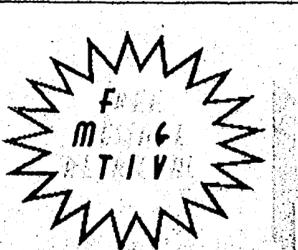
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ACTIVE SWF, 37, 5'8", 135lbs, fairly attractive, N.S. SWF, 36-55, to be honest, caring, loving, sincere, and marriage-minded...

NOT ME Nice SWFP, 30, blonde/green, physically fit, great sense of humor, seeks tall SWM, 20-40, dark hair and good-looking...

SUCCESSFUL/ENERGETIC SWF, 42, 5'6", blonde/brown, physically fit, successful executive, likes sports, movies, culture, and travel...

ALWAYS IN MY DREAMS I know I've seen you before. You are over 50 degrees, enjoy theater, dining, quality times and long for a lasting relationship...

OLD-FASHIONED Divorced mother of one, 29, very shy, blonde/brown, blue eyes, 5'7", 110lbs, enjoys dancing, reading, and social activities...

PRETTY IN PINK DWF, 32, 5'8", light blonde/brown, seeks SWDM, 25-45, for friendship and possible LTR. Must have a sense of humor...

HONEST & AMBLES SWF, 42, likes outdoor activities, movies, theater, music, enjoys seeking someone who has honest, open, caring, enjoys dancing, reading, and social activities...

DO YOU FIT? Attractive, curly blonde/green, freckles, dimples, full-figured, nurse, enjoys riding motorcycles, movies, comedy clubs...

MR. RIGHT SWF, mid 40s, seeking SWM, mid-30s-mid-40s, my interests: bowling, bingo, auto races, seeking sports, walking, funny movies...

THE EYES Down-to-earth DWF, N.S. social drinker, former model, tall, great personality, enjoys good conversations, long walks, dining, dancing and theater...

HAMASTE Pretty, slender, playful, intuitive, artistic, musical SWF, 42, seeks warm, kind, open male, 34-50, for mutually empowering loving relationship...

SEEKING SOULMATE SWF, 24, blonde/blue, 5'6", full-figured, outgoing, confident, outgoing, enjoys romance, flowers, art, poetry, music, dancing, dining, exercise, animals...

51 YEAR-OLD ENTREPRENEUR Pretty, successful, loving, likes movies, plays, concerts, traveling, boating, swimming, looking for her knight in shining armor...

VERY BEAUTIFUL TAN SWF, 25, 5'5", 116lbs, Auburn hair/green eyes, caring, affectionate, honest, intelligent, enjoys sports, travel, dancing, movies, seeking attractive, loving SWM, 25-38, to spend time with...

AT THE SAME TIME OF HEARING THAT GUY? This attractive DWF, 28, is looking for that special someone to prove me wrong and show me that you're out there...

SWEET BUT SASSY DWF, 32, petite, honest, sincere, fun-loving, sports, intelligent, independent SWM, 30-36, who isn't afraid of a challenge...

REAL RELATIONSHIP WANTED B. sweet, attractive 43-year-old SWF, 5'11", 125lbs, blonde, loving, secure SWM, loves the country, walks, having fun, with sense of humor, honesty and respect...

WANTED For fun and friendship by youthful, lovely, bright, warm SWF, 47, smoker, Troy area, 27-35 (exp/7/24)

COOKED MEALS Attractive, affectionate, easygoing, single SWF, 32, 5'2", blonde, fit, good-shape, honest, financially secure, no dependents...

HELLO FRIENDS Attractive, slender, intelligent, refined, affectionate, humorous JF, 54, blonde/green, 5'5", seeks classy GF, who shares her love of home life, good cooking, movies, dancing, N.S. preferred for a real relationship...

GET IN TOUCH Catholic, open-minded, candid, widowed SWF, 42, 5'2", 140lbs, N.S. enjoys sports, movies, dining out, short trips, bingo, Seeking honest, caring SWM, for companionship, possible long-term relationship...

FOXYS DOWN Statusque, classy DFW, 58", 165lbs, N.S. N.D. God-fearing, professionally engaged, Seeking DM, 35-60, retired or professionally employed, committed relationship...

LET'S MEET FOLK COFFEE Tall, slim SWF, 51, seeks male, 51+, for one-on-one I enjoy bike riding, dining, movies and motorcycles...

PROFESSIONAL 33, 5'7", slim, long dark blonde, sense of humor, independent, likes sports, dining, dancing and travel. Seeking thoughtful, classy single white gentleman...

HEALTHY & SENSUAL DWF, 38, mother of three, attractive, 5'8", size 24, financially secure, great sense of humor, intelligent, Seeking large, fit, fun-loving, stable, confident, honest man...

SWEET, SMART, SPORTS DFW, 39, 5'9", blonde/green, fuller figure, enjoys sports, intelligent conversation, honest, dancing, music, good times with friends and family...

FRIENDS OR LOVER What a great time of year for a little romance. I'd love to meet you if you are 45+, energetic, ambitious and are not resting on your laurels quite yet!

WINNER Energetic SWFP, 41, mom, looking for someone to run with, enjoys mountain biking, gardening, cooking. Seeking SWM, 35-45, must be fun-loving, with strong family values and a great sense of humor...

SWEET, PETITE DWF Attractive, 44, 5'1", enjoys classic cars, blues, dancing, weekends north, laughing. Seeking SWDM, N.S. social drinker, 38-58, 5'8"-5'9", attractive, fun, friendly, fit, eat/lover, for LTR...

LET'S ENJOY LIFE! SWF, cultured, genuine, artistic, age 55, SWM, 50, fit, fun-loving, and active, who enjoys life and wants to date and have fun...

GREEN-EYED BLONDE DWF, 37, 5'5", 125lbs, blonde, N.S. 63-69, N.S. social drinker, a gentleman with a sense of humor. Enjoys music, dancing, walking, fishing, traveling, hiking, and some quiet times for comfortable relationship...

LONELY SWF, healthy and active 70-something, 5'4", 140lbs, green eyes, N.S. light drinker. Seeking SWM, 65+, for casual dating and companionship (exp/6/26)

BODY TALK Well developed, physical fitness, 5'11", 130lbs, blonde/green, Seeking SWDM, 40-50, exceptionally well built, athletic type with nice thick hair, for warming up, working out and cooling down. Longer hair a plus...

FUN IN THE SUN Attractive SWF, 5'8", enjoys wide variety of activities. Seeking educated, caring SWM, N.S. 39-50, who enjoys boating, dining, travel and more...

DOWN-TO-EARTH Humorous, conservative SWFP, 40s, average height, slender, no dependents, enjoys conversation, travel, music, theater, dining, and sports. Seeking compatible SW, 40-55, must be employed (exp/6/19)

KIND-HEARTED DFW, 39, Auburn green, 5'4", 120lbs, N.S. no dependents, attractive, caring, enjoys movies, old cars, nature. Seeking N.S. N.Drug, tall, fit WPM, 36-43, who respects work. Fed., I lost your number. 2533 (exp/5/19)

HELP! All my pieces turn into fog! If you're handsome, outgoing, fit, above-average, N.S. seeking a gorgeous, MA-degreed, chiseled lady, 40, 5'7", 130lbs, who loves reading, biking, jogging, cooking, contact me! 2529 (exp/1/9)

IT'S BEEN A WHILE DWF, 49, blonde/blue, likes out of doors, long walks, movies, sports, dining out, no children, wants honest, sensual man, no games. Let's just enjoy life! 2539 (exp/6/26)

CLASSY AND CURVEY DWF, 46, 5'9", HW proportionate, active, degreed mother, into dancing, cooking, gardening, hiking, travel and nature. Seeking successful, mature, loving, loyal. Seeking same for possible LTR. 1632 (exp/6/19)

LUSCIOUS Very attractive, sexy SWF, 22, 155lbs, caramel-brown skin, long shoulder-length hair, adventurous, likes to do things, go out, and have fun. Call, you won't be disappointed! 1623 (exp/6/19)

MARRIAGE-MINDED BF, 24, attractive, 5'7", thin, likes conversation, playful/funny, movies, etc. Seeking marriage-minded SW, with no dependents, race open, for possible marriage. Humorous, ability to be my friend a plus. 1715 (exp/6/19)

FILIPINO BEAUTY Attractive SF, 29, 5'3", 110lbs, mother of one, who enjoys dancing, movies, dining, and travel. Seeking SWM, 30-40, for long-term relationship, possible marriage. Will relocate. Call for details. 1712 (exp/6/19)

SEEKING PRINCE CHARMING Beautiful, blonde, blue-eyed, 36, must be tall, fit, intelligent, fun, and has dreams, or all is lost. 2562 (exp/7/24)

DOUBLE TAKE Heads turn for this attractive, vibrant, petite, blonde/blue, gentle, honest, with unmet interests. Desires handsome, stable, 6'1", looks great in pair of tight jeans, 30-40, who is fun, outgoing, and willing for LTR. 1718 (exp/6/19)

GOLF SEASON IS HERE Petite, N.S. outgoing, sincere, needs a sweet, sincere man, to join me for golf, bowling, cards. Must enjoy people and have family values. 1711 (exp/6/19)

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HERE'S THE CHALLENGE Knows how to treat a lady, flows occasionally, respect always. Desires a long-term commitment. No games. Tall, handsome, good communicator, good sense of humor. N.S. Mr. tall, attractive, 90s son. 2315 (exp/6/19)

JUST WANT TO HAVE FUN Classy, professional, 46, 5'2", DWF, N.S. fit, Loves boating, dancing, skiing, rollerblading, new potter, and snow boarder. No dependents, light tv and dining. Seeking secure, fit, best friend DFWM, 42-50. 2432 (exp/6/26)

GENTLEMAN PREFERRED DWF, N.S. wishes to meet a tall gentleman, 45-55, who knows how to treat a lady. You must enjoy dancing, music, sports, quality time. 2432 (exp/6/26)

SWF SEEKS SBM SWF, 23, professionally employed, short brown hair, great sense of humor, waiting for a fun, ambitious SWM, 22-30, to bring out the best in me. We'll see what happens from there! 2336 (exp/6/19)

UPTOWN LADY Seeking sharp-dressing man. Passionate, attractive, spiritual SWF, 40, 50s, loves dancing, art, laughs and snuggling. Seeking handsome, romantic, secure, honest, affable, N.S. gentleman. 23048 (exp/6/19)

GREEN-EYED BRUNETTE Attractive, 35, 5'5", 110lbs, professional, very optimistic, career, successful, N.S. no children, enjoys all seasons and has varied interests. Loves to laugh. Seeking down-to-earth man, late 30s-early 50s. 25049 (exp/6/19)

SOULMATE WANTED Petite blonde, 40s, 5'5", 116lbs, on quest for best friend/partner, physically fit, enjoys golf, tennis, romantic candle dinners, college grad/successful professional, 45-55, made the journey through his soul, is ready for commitment. 5878 (exp/6/19)

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SOMEONE SPECIAL SWM, 29, 5'11", enjoys hockey, darts, pool, and quiet evenings with that special one. Seeking SWF, 25-33, who's loving, caring, and ready to make a lasting commitment. 2810 (exp/7/24)

AUTHENTIC Honest, romantic SWPM, 32, 6'2", medium build, black/brown, enjoys soccer, tennis, hiking, fishing, and music. Seeking SWF, 21-38, for dating possible LTR. 3007 (exp/7/24)

PERCUTIVE, AWARE, SPIRITUAL, DESCRIBES Attractive, fit, handsome, intelligent, hard-core, open-minded SWM, young, 35, seeks similar woman, with pleasant voice, who's understanding, compassionate and free-spirited. Pretty, painted, nature lover. 3010 (exp/7/24)

NATURE LOVER Handsome SWM, 36, 5'11", 165lbs, loves outdoors, animals, travel, seeks attractive, slender, down-to-earth SWF, for adventurous relationship. 3009 (exp/7/24)

TALL, DARK AND HANDSOME DFWM, 37, 6'1", dark brown/blue, outgoing, fit, handsome, intelligent, good sense of humor, N.S. Seeking SWF, 28-39, with similar qualities. 3011 (exp/7/24)

TIRED OF BAR WOMEN Male 39, very long brown hair, enjoys snow mobile, pool, camping, trips up north. Seeking SWF, 21-34, who's physically fit, and enjoys the outdoors. 2965 (exp/7/24)

HANDSOME GENTLEMAN SWM 38, 6', 200bs, excellent condition, work for a major company, homeowner, enjoys comedy clubs, theater, dining, and travel. Seeking SWF, 25-38, 5'6", slim, attractive, with similar interests. 2994 (exp/7/24)

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### June 9 election

## Galka and Nalley our choices

**O**n Monday, June 9, Westland voters will go to the polls in the annual school election to select school trustees.

For the Livonia Board of Education, the candidates running for two four-year seats are Thomas Kasper, Kristen Galka, Jane Teska, Patrick Nalley, and Dan Lessard. No incumbents are seeking election this year.



Galka

The Westland Observer endorses **Kirsten Galka** as most qualified. Galka regularly attends school board meetings, something not true of the other four. She has a deep background of involvement at the school level in the PTA and as a volunteer.

Galka also has a background in public health, including supervision and consulting, which will add a different perspective to the board. She is bright, articulate, analytical, and thinks well on her feet. Her knowledge of the district will stand her in good stead if elected.

For the second choice, the Observer was torn in two directions in trying to decide whom to endorse. The final decision came down to community and district involvement and varied professional background which is

why we endorse **Patrick D. Nalley** for the board.

An educator, Nalley has taught special education at the elementary, middle school and high school level for Wayne-Westland Public Schools as well as being a high school debate, speech and composition instructor. He also has administrative experience, having served Wayne-Westland as director of adult/community education for 10 years.



Nalley

Community involvement includes being a board member of the Livonia Community Foundation, serving as president of the Laurel Park

South II Homeowners' Association, and volunteering for Youth Make a Difference and Just Say No as well as being active in the PTA. Nalley was stronger last year responding to issue questions in our interview and may have been more passive this year anticipating we would not endorse him.

But we know Nalley to have strong views, to be committed to those positions, and be able to communicate with residents.

We urge all our readers to vote on Monday, June 9, and recommend candidates **Kirsten Galka** and **Patrick Nalley**.



### LETTERS

#### A vote for students

**O**n June 9, the citizens of Wayne-Westland have the opportunity to make a good character choice in school government.

The globalization of our economy creates a greater need for strong-mindedness and dedicated thinking in the trustees of our school board. The inflationary entrapment in which we find ourselves requires a school board trustee who can make hard choices and has no personal agenda.

The good of the community and the best for our youth have been Ed Turner's living agenda. To use the school board for self-promotion or as a steppingstone to higher office is not Ed Turner's agenda. His agenda is the students. Vote for the best, Ed Turner.

Charles Johnson  
Wayne

#### Put money elsewhere

**M**ayor Thomas recently announced in your newspaper that he wanted to hire an assistant manager at \$30,000 a year for the Friendship Center. The mayor said this probably would be some controversy because this is an election year. The election is not the reason I am writing.

As far as I am concerned, he is a good mayor, but I think he may need to shake up his administrators, especially at the Friendship Center.

This money could be well used in maybe putting one more police officer in Westland.

Wilson Woody Combs  
Westland

#### Poor campaigning

**W**hile I was watching the 1997 Wayne-Westland Memorial Day Parade, I was appalled when approached by a person actively campaigning for a candidate for the Wayne-Westland school board: Ed Turner.

This parade is to honor and show respect for departed veterans and their families - not to do political campaigning.

I would like to say to Mr. Turner: SHAME ON YOU!!! This shows me that you and your campaign workers feel it is more important to campaign than to have and show respect for those men and women who have fought for our great country. In my opinion, you don't deserve to hold an elected position and especially one on the school board making decisions for our young people's education. You have lost my vote along with many others that were along that parade route.

Diane Browning  
Westland

#### Change current board

**I**n light of the recent revelation of the anti-discrimination policy passed by the Wayne-Westland school board, it is time to get rid of our present board and get some new people in their place.

We do not need people on the board to try to pass self-serving policies on our children. The students of today have enough problems to face without having to worry about saying something that might be interpreted to violate someone else's rights.

The members of the school board have to remember that they are elected by the people of the district; they owe it to the people to read and know thoroughly what they are voting on and be willing to answer to the people for the policies they pass.

With the school board elections on June 9, the people of the Wayne-Westland school district need to exercise their constitutional right and get out and vote. If we sit back and do nothing, then we give up our rights and enough of them are being taken away from us now.

Michael Donovan  
Wayne

#### Need a new board

**W**e all know that the Wayne-Westland school district is in bad shape financially and emotionally. The school district is one of the higher, big-time spenders in the state of Michigan, yet they are broke, even asking Gov. Engler for more money.

Why? What happened to all our tax dollars? Why is the district broke?

Our school board members and administrators need to manage the school district more like a business and quit wasting our tax dollars. We need new board members and new administrators. We need a new start to change our district for the better. Maybe it would be better if Gov. Engler had the state take over Wayne-Westland schools.

I think if we vote out the board members that are up June 9 and vote in new members that would be a start.

Your children and your tax dollars are precious - our children are our future - the school district needs to take better care of our children and our tax dollars.

Brad Stottlemeyer  
Westland

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## Tighten up city money policies

**T**he fate of Chuck Skene is now in the hands of the courts, most likely a Wayne County jury of his peers.

The fired Westland recreation director faces felony charges for allegedly embezzling money from recreation department coffers to fuel gambling trips from August of last year through as recently as last month. Following testimony, a Wayne visiting district judge found enough evidence last week during a preliminary exam to bind him over to circuit court for trial.

Court testimony will offer more information as the case unfolds downtown.

Westland officials have said they are now taking a closer look at money-handling procedures for parks and recreation and for other city departments. We can only hope that Westland city officials continue to keep an eagle eye on the city books and are setting up

more stringent procedures to tighten the public purse strings.

Certainly, there should be some level of trust given someone in an appointed, director's position answerable to the mayor's office. However, there should also be some checks and balances to avoid possible problems - no one person should have clear access to city funds without a check and balance system.

There should also be a strict policy on "borrowing" of money from cash drawers. Although some private companies have a "voucher" system of loaning small amounts of money to employees, this should be strictly controlled so as not to offer a temptation for abuse.

This is important is private industry, but even more important in dealing with public money - and the public trust.

## Mark calendar to vote Monday

**N**ext Monday, June 9, voters in Canton, Garden City, Livonia, Plymouth, Redford and Westland will turn out to vote in their local school board elections. Well, some of them will.

Turnouts for school elections are traditionally low, whether the elections are to select board members or to vote on bond or millage issues. Yet listen in on conversations around the office or at social gatherings. Schools and teachers are favorite topics.

To paraphrase an adage: "Everyone talks about the schools, but nobody does anything about them." At least, not in the voting booth. The reason for such lack of interest on the part of registered voters is something of a mystery.

It has been suggested that people who do not have children attending school feel no particular connection to the school system and

therefore no interest in helping select board members. Maybe, but that doesn't explain the low turnouts when millage or bond issues are on the ballot. Property owners have a direct connection to those issues when their tax bills come around.

Another explanation for low voter turnout is that school elections tend to be scheduled at "non-traditional" times of the year, often in the summer when many people are on vacation. Some sinister theories suggest that such scheduling is done deliberately, the idea being that the lower the turnout the more likely a bond or millage issue will be approved.

Well, one thing is certain. Every vote cast in any election is important.

The smaller the turnout, the more important those individual votes become. Don't just talk about the schools. Go to the polls on June 9. Vote.

### COMMUNITY VOICE

#### QUESTION:

Annual school elections are Monday, June 9. What do you think is the biggest challenge facing schools today?

We asked this question at the Westland Public Library



"Focusing more on the children and their education. I just wish there was more they could offer the kids."

Melanie Pastores



"Meeting the student needs ... and at the elementary level keeping the students interested in school programs."

Mandra Stanley



"Giving children and students a proper education that prepares them for the 21st century."

Richard Ward



"Getting beyond the discipline problem - that gets in the way of a lot of things."

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POINTS OF VIEW

# Sealing court records keeps public in dark

State Rep. Karen Willard is the latest to lead the battle to stop secret government payouts in Michigan. Willard, D-Fairhaven, sponsored a bill to prohibit governmental agencies from entering into sealed lawsuit settlements.

Lots of luck, ma'am. Rep. Michael Griffin, D-Jackson, got the same bill through the House a few years ago after a big fight, but the Senate killed it.

Why? Public officials want to hide their personal misdeeds and their squandering of the exchequer from taxpayers.

So they agree to settle before a case goes to trial, insist the plaintiff agree to secrecy as a condition of settlement, get the judge to seal the records, then lump the payoff into the attorney's fee.

Griffin got hot on the issue when the Jackson County Sheriff's Department paid off a prisoner who was beaten up by other prisoners due to

lax security. Then there was the case where a western Wayne County school board paid off a female teacher who sued for gender discrimination when passed over for promotion. Can't let the local libbers find out about that, can we?

Former Rep. Perry Bullard, D-Ann Arbor, wanted to extend the open records doctrine to cover suits against corporations where the public health and safety were involved. He was lucky to escape alive.

My own notion is that court records never should be sealed when government or a publicly-traded corporation, like Upjohn, is involved.

One great benefit of open records is told in a 1996 book called "The Chain Gang" by Richard McCord. To demonstrate that Gannett Co., the newspaper publishing giant, used dirty tactics against the competition, McCord journeyed to the federal courthouse in Salem, Ore., and asked to see file 78-865, Community Press v. Gannett.



TIM RICHARD

The file was marked "CONFIDENTIAL - SUBJECT TO PROTECTIVE ORDER ... DO NOT DUPLICATE."

A court aide made a mistake and let McCord see the file. He took copious notes showing Gannett wasn't content to produce a better paper, sell more advertising and earn bigger profits; it also developed "Operation Demolition" to drive the rival paper out of business. Depositions showed Gannett:

■ Told its sales people to start rumors the Community Press was

about to fold.

■ Gave its salespeople bonuses not for selling ads but for persuading advertisers to quit using the rival paper.

■ Bribed advertisers with rebates and credits for dropping out of the rival paper.

■ Went over the head of the regional Kmart honchos and complained to Kmart headquarters in Troy that the rival was going bust, that local Kmart management was making "poor media judgments" (page 66), and that if Kmart didn't pull out of the rival, its ads wouldn't be accepted by the Gannett paper once the rival was demolished (page 68).

And so on, for 283 pages.

Gannett's brass, including chairman Al Neuharth, refused to reply to McCord's story. McCord was unable to obtain the court file of Gannett's responses, so he couldn't tell the chain's side of it.

If Gannett won't defend itself, I'll

say something nice about it. It promotes women into management. And it defends public access to public documents and public meetings both in print and with its foundation money. (But not to corporate documents.)

McCord concludes the incident: "Unwilling to have its practices revealed in an open court, Gannett made a private settlement with CPI a week before the trial was to begin. The dollar amount was not revealed. As it had for the pretrial file, Gannett demanded that the terms of the payout be kept secret. Other conditions insisted upon by Gannett were that all evidence be sealed from public view forever, and that all parties be ordered never to discuss the case."

When big shots in government and business hide something, it's usually because they have something to hide.

Tim Richard reports on the local implications of state and regional events.

LETTERS

A good plan

Ed Turner has been a member of the Wayne-Westland community for the past 40 years. He has given freely of his time to different groups, businesses and organizations for the betterment of the community. He is a loyal, dependable, tireless worker devoted to the enrichment of the children of this community.

Witness to this is the fact that he was the only one who voted not to sell the property at the Patchin Elementary School. He is a man who, once elected, would listen to his constituents, not play politics with them. He also believes that our operating budget needs to be fixed now, and he also believes that the best way to do that is to match our operating budget with our income.

He further plans not only developing, but implementing a long-term educational plan. One that matches our resources to our needs. A plan to increase our buying power and eliminate duplication and waste. A plan that includes

everyone and children, parents, citizens, unions, businesses and government. In simple terms: A plan for the future.

On June 9, vote for Ed Turner for school board. Be a part of the plan.

Ellie Walsh  
Westland

A vote for McCusker

If the voters of Wayne-Westland were to take a close look at the candidates running for their school board, they would notice that among those running is a leader. A true leader. Someone not only with the ability to lead others in accomplishing goals, but also the willingness and dedication to make those goals part of the way they live their life. If you were to look closely, you would find that Mathew McCusker is a true leader.

Matt began his commitment to the school system 20 years ago when his children started

school in the district. Matt belonged to the Wildwood PTA, was a member of the Marshall and John Glenn band boosters and was the president of the John Glenn Football Booster Club. Even now, Matt is still directly involved by being the voice of the John Glenn Rocket Football Team. A big part of Matt's life has been — and still is — dedicated to personally being involved with helping our kids.

Matt has served our school district as an elected official in the capacity of trustee, board secretary, board vice president and three times as board president. He has also served this district on the state and national levels as director and vice president of the Michigan Association of School boards and as a member of the National School Board Association. Matt was also one of the first school board members in Michigan to become certified and remains the only current board member to hold this certification.

Matt's ability to lead has proven itself time and time again, not only in the amount of times this community has chosen him to lead us, but

also by the number of times his peers have chosen him to lead them.

Through his leadership and his dedication to the Wayne-Westland school district, Mathew McCusker has proven his worth to this district and proven himself a true leader.

Vote for Mathew McCusker for school board.  
Kevin M. Headrick  
Westland

Team players

Michael Jordan has won the scoring title and was a strong candidate for Most Valuable Player. A player who can score, distribute the ball, and rebound a little ought to be recognized. Michael McAdoo Jordan is not nearly the all-around player that Bird proved to be.

Present-day players like Barkley, Pippen, Mullin and Hardaway are complete players.  
Neil Goodbred  
Livonia

# Cunningham gave area his vision, hope

First met Father Bill (William just doesn't work) Cunningham in the late 1960s, shortly after he founded Focus:HOPE in response to the 1967 Detroit riots.

He was an implausible figure then — an Irish priest who rode a Harley, wore his hair long and had a salesman's glitter in his eye that belied the passion in his heart. And he remained an implausible figure through the years when he was building Focus:HOPE into the largest private civil rights and social service organization in southeastern Michigan — by a wide margin — the single best promoter in the state, unassailable in his clerical collar and passionate commitment to social justice.

By the time he died this past Memorial Day, Father Cunningham had built Focus:HOPE from a small neighborhood feeding program into a giant firm with a product line ranging from food to day care, from remedial education to job training and master's degrees in mechanical engineering.

The last time I saw him, he was walking gleefully through his state-of-the-art auto parts plant, all lime green hand railings and gray rubberized tile floors, running a job training operation for machinists and engineers that had just received a federal grant in excess of \$1 million.

That was a far cry from the days just after the riots, when the real question — not the abstract proposition but the hard reality — was whether Detroit would simply implode from racial bitterness and poverty and despair, an implosion that would take most of southeastern Michigan down with it.

Together with his extraordinary collaborator, Eleanor Josaitis, originally a homemaker from Taylor, he founded Focus:HOPE in 1968. The two of them made a great pair. Bill Cunningham had the vision, the passion and the charisma, while Eleanor Josaitis plowed along with him, bringing order out of chaos, cleaning up after the occasional mess when vision vaulted too far ahead of practicality.

Focus:HOPE was originally a volunteer-based feeding program for poor people, mostly single mothers with babies who would come into an abandoned factory on Oakland Boulevard looking scared and a little hostile and come out with a sense that somebody cared.

But pretty soon it became clear that merely feeding poor people wasn't going to cut it. Father Cunningham used to like the line



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about it being far better to give a starving man a fishing rod and teach him to fish than to give him fish to eat, day after day. Which explains why Focus:HOPE quickly got taken up with issues of skills and training and self-help, thanks to Bill Cunningham's great gift of figuring out how to build one thing on top of another.

Some mothers originally coming in for a meal found themselves being asked to help out in the child-care center, while others quickly were taught to manage the warehouse and schedule the steady stream of volunteers.

Job training grants brought in unskilled men to learn to use lathes and read blueprints, an activity quickly converted into a parts supplier organization which rebuilt old parts and sold them to the automobile industry. And that in turn led to a Machinists Training Institute and Center for Advanced Technologies, which have trained something like 5,000 engineers, precision machinists, technicians and manufacturing designers.

By the time Bill Cunningham died, Focus:HOPE had an annual budget pushing \$80 million and something in excess of 800 employees.

But what Father Cunningham did for this region goes far beyond size and scope. His life's gift was to prove conclusively that a remorseless pragmatism coupled with a passionate vision could go far beyond do-goodism and well-intentioned charity. He gave this entire region a vision and, yes, a hope that with hard work from everybody things could be better.

That's what heroes do. I've never known many heroes, but Father Bill Cunningham was one. And I'll sure miss him.

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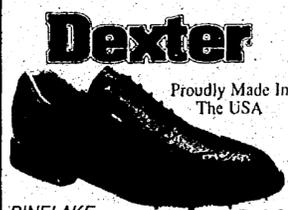


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# COMMUNITY LIFE

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THURSDAY, JUNE 5, 1997

## FAMILY ROOM



KAREN MEIER

### Oh, to finish what I started

Our phone went out last week. The phone repair guys left in the middle of doing their job. They never reconnected us.

Still out, too, was our computer (still is). The electric company, actually the subcontractor guys, had trouble reconnecting stuff, too. And THOSE guys left.

Boy, I sure hope this isn't a guy thing. I have all these sons! I don't want them walking out before the job's done, or leaving if they mess up. "You stick around. You see it through. You started it, you finish it." I tell them this all the time.

And last week, even though the phone and computer were down, I couldn't be bogged down. I had stuff to do. Wednesday morning, I packed up the double stroller, a stocked baby bag, my Very Important Folder (VIF) and my three at-home children. In the van we went. I parked downtown. I got the stroller out and in hopped 3-year-old Jack in the front and Steven I put in the back. He sat up so nicely, enjoying the sights of the rare warm May day. Off we went, with my VIF tucked under my arm and a goal tucked under my tenacity.

Getting "corporate" sponsors for an athletic/charity event was my goal for two of the days last week. Doing this for the "Champions for Charity" Gymnastic Exhibition has been just one of the 10 jillion tasks involved with this. (And because of the way of the world, I've had to tackle most all 10 jillion on my own. That's another story.)

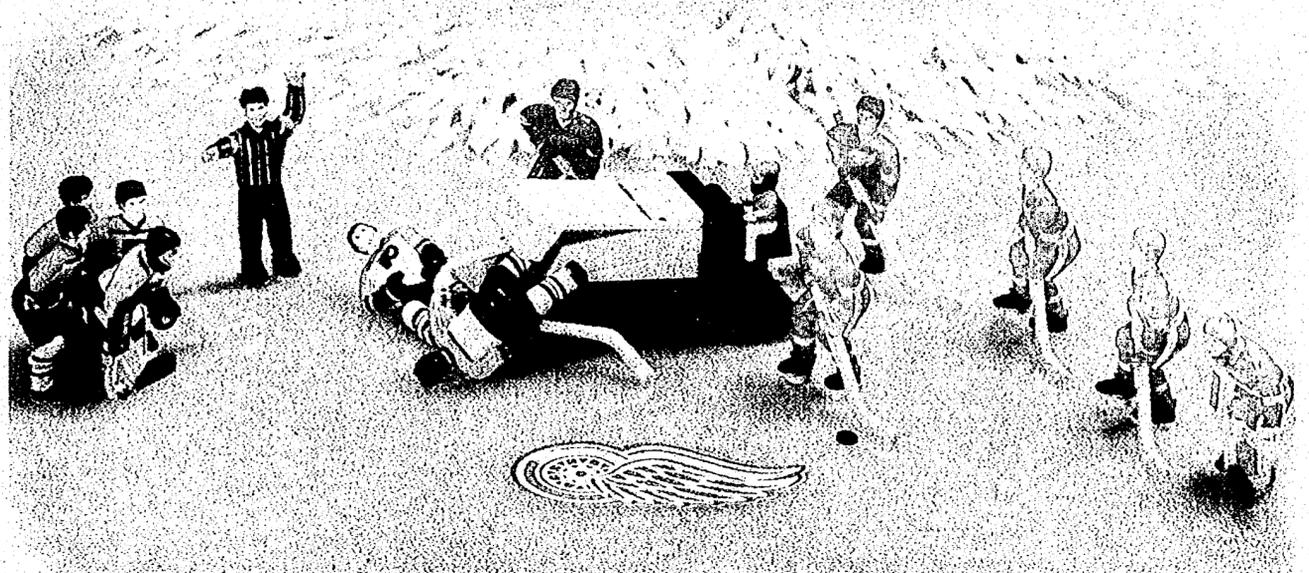
#### Call to volunteer

The host gym for this event is the one my daughter belongs to, the one I take her to six days a week for her practices. This gym I know well. It's a privately owned gym and it will, through this event, be heeding the call President Clinton and the former presidents of the U.S. made a few weeks ago, the call to volunteerism, to reach out and help those less fortunate than ourselves.

This gym, the Michigan Academy of Gymnastics located on Hix in Westland, has a big heart and a community spirit. It's quite a place! And quite a place in other respects as well. One of my

Please see FAMILY ROOM, B2

## HOCKEYTOWN.



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### Dealership scores with NHL show

BY KIMBERLY A. MORTSON  
STAFF WRITER

Stanley Cup fever and a "good" case of laryngitis have been contracted by area Detroit Red Wing hockey enthusiasts like the general manager of Crestwood Dodge in Garden City.

The local dealership will be the host site of a National Hockey League (NHL)-sponsored "Cup Crazy" promotion 2-4 p.m. Friday, June 6, where participants will have an opportunity to win two tickets for Saturday night's Stanley Cup game.

According to long time Red Wing fan and Crestwood Dodge General Manger Oneita Fellows, the dealership is eager to share in the enthusiasm with their community by hosting the event.

Fellows, a die-hard Steve Yzerman admirer, has only missed one play-off game since April and doesn't expect to regain her voice until after the Stanley Cup is in the hallowed halls of Joe Louis.

"I've had laryngitis since the regular play-off games and I'm loving it," said Fellows. "I'm ecstatic about the Wings and have been an avid fan, win or lose, going way back."

The New Dodge "Cup Crazy" caravan will bring two convoys, consisting of a tractor trailer, two Dodge Dakotas and a Dodge mini-van to the dealership where participants can enjoy interactive hockey activities, Slap Shot Cage, music, prizes, giveaways and more.

"Crestwood Dodge certainly supports the Red Wings and their quest for the Stanley Cup and we're glad we can have the Cup Crazy Caravan here for all of our customers to come and participate," said Joe Himmelspach, Crestwood general sales manager.

Himmelspach said all of Crestwood's 85 employees have been rallying behind the Wings and are excited to be involved with the NHL activities. Upon arrival, consumers will be directed to the nhl.com registration booth, where they will be introduced to the NHL's Web site and pick up their "Cup Crazy" goody bag and ticket sweepstakes entry card.

Other promotions will include a broadcast, sponsored by ESPN and the FOX network, featuring videos. FOX affiliate personalities also will

be on hand for autographs sessions.

New Dodge/Cup Crazy key chains will be distributed, and "Cup Crazy" staff members will assist in teaching and coaching novice players on their techniques.

Cup Crazies can also have their photographs taken with the Foxbots (mascots in costume).

Hockey enthusiasts, young and old, will have the chance to test their skill in the Franklin Goal Gallery, featuring three cus-

tomized wooden goalie cut outs with target holes in various save positions.

Participants take three shots per round to win prizes (one per event) and goal lights will be activated when the targets are hit.

Up to six Sony Play Stations also will be placed on-site, with Sony providing directions, game information and giveaways. Staff members also will assist on playing instructions and tips.

"The Crazy Cup Caravan will be lots of fun," said Fellows. "We look forward to showing our support for the team and with all Wings fans in the area."

"Hockey has been a long time tradition for us since Detroit's original 16 and Gordie Howe."

Fellows said Garden City dealership owner Rob Robbins has been an avid supporter of the Western Conference Champions, long before he became a season ticket holder in 1984 and shares his enthusiasm with his employees.

This is the first Cup Crazy promotion hosted by Crestwood Dodge of Garden City and a new event sponsored by The New Dodge and the NHL.

Previously, the caravan traveled to each of the "Final Four" market places, including New York, Colorado and Philadelphia. It will make its final appearance in the metropolitan Detroit area as the Stanley Cup finals draw to an end.

"This is the year!" said Fellows who's looking forward to Friday's event.

Crestwood Dodge is at 32850 Ford Road, Garden City. For more information about the event call, (313) 421-5700. You must be present for the NHL Cup Crazy drawing to be eligible to win two June 7 play-off game tickets.



## New columnist tackles family, parenting issues

When it comes to family issues in the '90s, Jacque Martin-Downs wants to help parents in their goal of bringing up children with character and integrity.

"It is my belief that all of us can play a small part in developing a future generation we can be proud of," said Martin-Downs, the newest addition to the Observer's Community Life section.

Her column, Common Sense, will run the second and fourth Thursdays of the month, alternating with Karen Meier's Family Room as a front page feature, beginning Thursday, June 12. A popular feature, Meier's column will continue to appear weekly.

"I'm excited about Jacque's addition to our lineup and am happy to be able to respond to readers' requests for more information on parenting and family issues," said Community Life editor Sue Mason. "Over the last few years, readers have requested coverage of parenting and family issues that Jacque deals with daily in her professional life."

Martin-Downs is well-versed in family matters. She has touched community issues, parents and children in the area of substance abuse prevention of Hogira Preven-



Jacque Martin-Downs

tion, a substance abuse and violence prevention program serving all of western Wayne County.

She has been involved in parent seminars, coordinated 63 student school groups weekly and authored numerous columns on family issues.

She also co-hosts a cable television show with Westland Deputy Mayor George Gillies and oversees the Young Mother's Assistance Program for pregnant and parenting teens.

If that isn't enough to keep her busy, Martin-Downs also

sees clients privately at the Northville Counseling Center and has worked with her husband, Doug, to develop a seminar for people who are thinking about marrying for a second time.

She also recently completed a book, "The 10 Best Values Every Child Needs." While the book's title may say 10, it contains a comprehensive list of values parents need to instill in their children.

Martin-Downs candidly admits that not all of her knowledge has come from textbooks, but from the "war zone training" with her son and daughter, both of whom she says are "superb young adults."

"I'm honored to be writing this new column and as it kicks off, I intend to accomplish a very simple goal," said Martin-Downs. "My hope is to expose the people who influence children to the ideas upon which they can cogitate and concepts that they can instigate to positively impact children around them."

"Through the simple act of sprinkling wisdom, hope, love and confidence onto our little people who most of us come in contact with one way or another, all of us can make a difference with the next generation, our successors."

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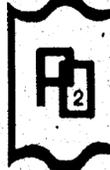
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# 'Little People' alumni gather for retirement picnic



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Slip, sliding away: A warm spring day was good reason for Jimmy DiMilia and Abby Staber to take to the slide at Bernice Lawrence's Little People's Place. Lawrence is holding a reunion for Little People alumni on Sunday to mark the closing of the day care center after 27 years.

BY CHRISTINA FUOCO  
STAFF WRITER

Plymouth child care provider Bernice Lawrence and her husband, John, have a new journey ahead of them.

After owning and operating The Little People's Place for 27 years, Lawrence is retiring Friday, June 13, to take care of her husband who is in the last stages of Parkinson's disease.

"My husband's illness had prompted me to close earlier than I expected," she said. "I wanted to continue working as long as my health would hold out."

"I really have mixed emotions about it. I really planned on continuing (for a while). In time, things will fall into place. When I look at my new opportunity, I see more quality time for myself."

In celebration of her retirement, Bernice Lawrence is inviting current and former "little people" and their families to a retirement picnic and graduation program at noon Sunday, June 8, at the Top of the Hill area of Maybury State Park. For more information, call (313) 453-5842. The party is an expansion

■ **'In caring for the children, can you imagine the count of how many diapers we've changed in 27 years? How many shoelaces we've tied? How many little noses we've had to wipe?'**

*Bernice Lawrence*  
—child care provider

of her annual graduation ceremony and picnic.

"We usually have games for the children. With some of the games, the child competes against the parents. That seems to go well," she said with a laugh.

The Lawrences — who have two children, Connie, 34, of Farmington Hills, and Jack, 42, of Clarkston — will spend winters in Florida and summers in Traverse City. She admits that she will miss being close to her six grandchildren.

But she is excited about taking up new hobbies.

"I'm anxious to get into fishing," she said. "We have the casting rods all ready to go. I just have to learn how to cast. It'll be a new adventure. That's what we have to look forward to is a new adventure."

The Little People's Place, licensed for 12 children in the basement of the Lawrence home, offered breakfast, a snack, and lunch. The cost was based on a sliding scale. During the child's stay at her center, she involved them with a number of projects to help increase their socialization skills, as well as math, biology and cooking.

"In caring for the children, can you imagine the count of how many diapers we've changed in 27 years? How many shoelaces we've tied? How many little noses we've had to wipe?" said Lawrence, who earned two associate's degrees from Schoolcraft College in Livonia.

"It goes on and on." Running the child care center takes up most of her time, she said. She and her assistants spend nearly 11 hours with the

children, then Lawrence plans her lessons at night.

Besides running her center, Lawrence is a former president of the Plymouth Elks Club's women's auxiliary, Vivian's Club, and a former member of the Sweet Adeline's Chorus in Farmington Hills. A hospice volunteer, Lawrence is founder and president of the Pink Rose Club, an organization dedicated to the members' mothers.

"On Mother's Day, we were taking corsages to some of the mothers in the nursing home and the senior home," she said. "We would (also) have guest speakers (at meetings). We had a few women attorneys who spoke about how their mother played a role in achieving their present careers."

Besides her mother, Lawrence said, the children she's cared for 27 years inspire her.

"It seems as though they've touched our lives in same way we've touched theirs," she said. "I want to express my appreciation to all the parents who have entrusted me with the honor and privilege of caring of their children for all these years."

## Family Room from page B1

daughter's coaches at this gym is the 1992 Olympic gymnastic champion, Tatiana Gutsu from the Ukraine. She is here, right here in the U.S., in Michigan, right around the corner in Westland. The Olympic champ in women's gymnastics is passing her knowledge on to our young girls each day.

And there are other former Olympians coaching here, from

Bulgaria. This gym, with its high-caliber coaching staff, is the very one reaching out beyond its walls and into the community to help. Just like the presidents asked. And who are they reaching out to? These athletes? These young girls and boys representing some of the strongest and most talented and promising gymnasts in the area? They're reaching out to some 500,000 developmentally disabled people in the U.S., the people with Down syndrome.

Since I was the one who came up with the idea in the first place, I got to pick the charity for this year. It's the charity I'm partial to, the one raising money for Down syndrome research, Friends of Tri. Each year, as I'd proposed back in February, a different charity will be selected to be the beneficiary of the Champions for Charity Exhibition.

I have to say, I'm quite proud of this idea and I'm quite proud of the fact that it's going to be reality in just a few short days, on Sunday, June 8. That's when the athletes, ages 6-17, boys and girls, and parents and families and friends will enter into the "inner sanctum" of the gym. A place rarely seen up close except through the lobby windows.

There will be a "meet" portion of the program. And an exhibition portion. And like a real

meet, there will be a concession stand, bleachers, programs, souvenir T-shirts, tickets, the whole ball of wax. And corporate sponsors, businesses who've helped defray the cost of ribbon/awards, printing of the programs, coaches' fees, etc.

### Company of children

So for two days last week, I signed up businesses, approaching them the old-fashioned way, door-to-door and explaining the who, what, where, all that stuff. With three little ones (no babysitting available, no one else to do that task either), we made about two dozen stops. The stops sandwiched in between ferrying school-aged children to and from school, after-school practices and games, and preparation of meals, and all that regular stuff.

In the middle of the first sales day, I took the children home to feed them lunch and run about the yard a bit. Slight problem in accomplishing that. I'd lock the keys in the van still parked downtown. Well, home is only about a mile or so away and the sky was clear and it was warm, so away we went. Mary, a friend, spotted us and drove us home.

We ate, cleaned up, and began our walk back to the van downtown. We stopped in a few more places on the way. My little ones are not ideal sales call compan-

ions. I think it's probably best to do a sales call on one's own. I seriously think that. But I didn't have that luxury.

In the plumbing supply place, with the showroom of toilets, Jack decided, or maybe it was the power of suggestion, that he had to "go" and how handy it was to have a whole room of toilets. Luckily, I can hear two conversations at once and comprehend them. I excused myself from the person I was speaking with and saved Jack and his family a significant amount of embarrassment and mess. And I got a sponsor!

The next day I made another dozen stops, in the rain, out of the rain, with little ones. Out of the 24 stops in 30 hours, I had four businesses become sponsors. A bunch told me to come back, for some it would be a second time, or third time, one, a fourth.

I persisted.

Stick to it. See it through. Finish what you start. Really, it's the only way.

If you have a question or comment for Karen Meier, a Plymouth resident, call her at 953-2047, mailbox number 1883, on a Touch-Tone phone, or write her at The Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.

## Festival pageant entries sought

The Westland Festival Committee has put out a call to young women between the ages of 17 and 23, who are single and never married to enter the annual Miss Westland Summer Festival Pageant.

The pageant will be at 7 p.m. Saturday, June 28, at the Westland Center, which is sponsoring the event in conjunction with the Westland Festival Committee.

Contestants must be resident of the city of Westland. There will be no swimsuit or talent competition. Judging will be based on the application, essay and costume. Entrants will base their essay and costume on a famous woman from the past whom they admire. Entrants should be prepared to explain the reason they selected her

when asked during the pageant.

Applications can be obtained at Westland City Hall, 36601 Ford Road; the information booth at Westland Center, Warren at Wayne roads; Bailey Recreation Center, 36651 Ford Road; Westland CATV, 33455 Warren Road; Westland Chamber of Commerce, 36900 Ford Road; John Glenn High School, 36105 Marquette, and Wayne Memorial High School, 3001 Fourth St., Wayne.

Applications must be filled out completely and include information about education, hobbies, interests and plans for the future.

Applications must be submitted by 9 p.m. Saturday, June 21. They can be typed or printed and submitted by mail or in person

to Miss Westland Summer Festival Pageant, Pam Martin, 6306 Arthur, Westland 48185. Applicants will be notified by phone by Tuesday, June 24, as to rehearsal date and time.

Miss Westland Festival will receive a crown, banner, trophy and one dozen long-stemmed roses as well as a \$200 gift certificate from the Westland Center. First runner-up will receive a trophy and \$100 gift certificate, the second runner-up a trophy and a \$50 gift certificate.

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ENGAGEMENTS

**Beaumont-Rutledge**

Daniel and Patricia Beaumont of Livonia announce the engagement of their daughter, Trisha Renae, to Gary James Rutledge, the son of Robert and Betty Rutledge, also of Livonia.

The bride-to-be earned her associate's degree in business from Henry Ford Community College in Dearborn. She is employed at First Chicago NBD.

Her fiancé, employed by the State of Michigan, earned his associate's degree in criminal justice at Schoolcraft College in Livonia.

A September wedding is planned in Garden City.



**Selasky-O'Donnell**

Deborah Stecko of Northville and Leo D. Selasky of Livonia announce the engagement of their daughter, Bethanie Lyn, to Todd James O'Donnell, the son of Pamela O'Donnell of Walled Lake and Ronald O'Donnell of Livonia.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Ladywood High School and is studying nursing at Schoolcraft College.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Livonia Churchill High School and Walsh College with a bachelor of arts degree in business administration. He is employed as a supervisor on purchasing by the Ford Motor Co.

An August wedding is planned at St. Edith Catholic Church in Livonia.



**Corman-Williams**

Bonnie Kistler of Ypsilanti announces the engagement of her daughter, Deanna Lynn Corman, to Matthew Dennis Williams, the son of Dennis and Phyllis Williams of Redford.

The bride-to-be, the daughter of the late Larry J. Corman, received her bachelor of business administration degree from Eastern Michigan University. She is employed at Great Lakes Bancorp as an account representative.

Her fiancé received his bachelor of business administration degree from the University of Michigan-Dearborn. He is employed at Instrumentation Laboratory, Inc., as a systems administrator.

A September wedding is



planned at St. Luke Lutheran Church in Ann Arbor.

**Reynolds-Kilgore**

Robert and Kathleen Reynolds of Plymouth announce the engagement of their daughter, Pamela Ann, to Jason Scott Kilgore, the son of John and Linda Kilgore of Lake, and Lucy Dueck of Athens, Texas.

The bride-to-be will graduate this spring from Michigan State University with a degree in horticulture design/build.

Her fiancé is a 1995 graduate of Michigan State University and is employed by Resource Management Group Inc.

A September wedding is planned at the Reynolds' Plymouth home.



**O'Reilly-Campbell**

Robert and Ellen O'Reilly of Houston, Texas, announce the engagement of their daughter, Shannon Eileen, to Scott Christopher Campbell, the son of Clark and Linda Campbell of Fort Worth, Texas.

The bride-to-be is a 1989 graduate of Plano East Senior High School and a 1994 graduate of the University of Texas with a bachelor's degree in psychology. She is a physician assistant student at the University of Texas Medical branch. She will graduate in August.

Her fiancé is a 1988 graduate of Boswell High School and a 1993 graduate of the University of Texas with a bachelor of science degree in speech. He is employed with the Prudential Insurance Company in Austin, Texas.



A Sept. 6 wedding is planned at Oasis on Lake Travis in Austin.

**Fischer-Pagnucco**

Joann and Ronald Fischer of Livonia announce the forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Christine Marie, to Gregory Raymond Pagnucco, the son of Teddy Pagnucco and Rino Pagnucco, both of Livonia.

The bride-to-be is a 1987 graduate of Livonia Stevenson High School and a 1992 graduate of the University of Michigan-Dearborn. She is employed as a data entry supervisor at Michigan Credit Union League/Cucorp in Southfield.

Her fiancé is a 1984 Livonia Churchill High School and a 1990 graduate of Eastern Michigan University. He is employed as a machine operator at Detroit Diesel Corp. in Detroit.

A June wedding is planned at St. Gerald's Catholic Church in



Farmington.

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**ANNIVERSARIES**

**Carravallah**

Raymond and Geraldine Carravallah of Livonia will renew their wedding vows at a Mass at

St. Damian's Church and then attend a reception, given by their children, at Sacred Heart Byzantine Catholic Church Activities Center in observance

of their 50th wedding anniversary.

Forty-four-year residents of Livonia, they exchanged vows on June 3, 1947, in St. Martin's on the Lake in Detroit. She is the former Geraldine Culton.

The Carravallahs have 12 children - James and wife Cecilia, Robert and wife Camille, Judith Mueller and husband Robert, Michael and wife Cathie, Edward and wife Debbie, Janice Lovier, Mary, Jean Orlikowski and husband Julian, Raymond, Theresa Sears and husband Doug, Leonard and wife Laura and David and wife Ann-Marie. They also have 28 grandchildren.

Retired 8 1/2 years, he worked for Commercial Steel Treating Corp. for 35 years and Valeron



for 10 years, while she worked for Roller Bearing for four years.

His interests include the St. Damian's Men's Club, gardening and walking. Her interest is in the daily management of her children and grandchildren.

**Breen**

John and Lois Breen of Livonia celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary by cruising the Mississippi River aboard the Mississippi Queen and attending the Kentucky Derby in Louisville, Ky.

The couple exchanged vows May 3, 1947, at Whitfield Methodist Church in Detroit. She is the former Lois R. Smith.

Six-year residents of Livonia, they have two children, Michael of Petoskey and John of Westland.

A U.S. Navy veteran, serving from 1941 to 1945, he retired 14 years ago after working for the Otis Elevator Co. and Wayne County. She has been retired six years from Wayne County Cir-



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**Trygier**

Thomas and Anastasia Trygier celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary with a surprise dinner reception and pool party, given by their children at their daughter home in Livonia.

The Livonia residents were married on June 1, 1957, at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church in Dearborn Heights. She is the former Anastasia Koch.

The couple has five children - John and wife Jill of West Chester, Ohio, Lisa and husband Ken of Pinckney, Vickie, Tom and wife Patty of Livonia and Christine and husband Lou, also of Livonia - three grandchildren and two step-grandchildren.

Retired five years ago from Commercial Steel Heat Treating, He enjoys reading. She retired from the from Kroger Co. three



years ago. She likes to travel and work around their home. The couple's favorite activity is spending time with their grandchildren.

**Martin**

Lloyd and Louise Martin of Garden City will be the guests of honor at a 50th anniversary party held at Hawthorne Valley in Garden City.

The couple exchanged vows on June 21, 1947, in Cookeville, Tenn. She is the former Louise Dockery.

Forty-two-year residents of Garden City, they have three children - Shirley Martin of Canton and the late Ronald Martin. They also have one grandchild and one great-grandchild.

Retired six years, he was employed by General Motors for 40 years while she worked as a



biscuit maker for Hardee's for five years.

They are active in the Church of Christ.

**Barevich**

Francis and Patricia Anita Barevich of Westland recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary.

The couple was married on June 7, 1947, at St. Joseph Church in Hamilton, Ont., Canada.

They have three married children - Francis Walter Barevich and wife Rachel of Savannah, Ga., Cynthia Margaret DeWulf-Shipley and husband John of Germany, and Patricia Ann Barevich and husband Joe Lapinski of Belleville.

The Barevichs also have three grandchildren - Francis Raymond Barevich of Chicago, Miriam Patricia Barevich of Pigeon,



and Jeremiah Michael Lapinski of Belleville - and two great-grandchildren - Devon Renee Stegall of Pigeon and Isaac Lee Barevich of Chicago.

**Pulford**

Carl and Noreen Pulford of Beaverton, Minn., celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary at the Cedar Ave Inn in Gladwin.

The couple exchanged vows May 9, 1947, in Toledo, Ohio. She is the former Noreen Norris.

Twenty-two year resident of the western Wayne County area, they have six children - Kathy of Gladwin, Karen of Canton, Mike of Livonia, Alan of Whitmore Lake, Gary of Stockbridge and Scott of Las Vegas, Nev. They also have six grandchildren.

He is a 13-year retiree of March Chevrolet, she is a homemaker. Their interests include golfing, boating, walking, craft shows and the American Heart Association. They also enjoy



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**Luck of the draw:** It was a lucky draw for Thomas Shankie and wife Judy of Canton who won the one-of-a-kind Waterford crystal sculpture of a Model T, valued at \$28,000. Proceeds from the "car" raffle benefited the Henry Ford Estate.



## Canton auto dealer wins 1-of-a-kind Waterford 'car'

Canton resident Thomas Shankie walked away with a one-of-a-kind "new car" after winning a special raffle held to benefit the Henry Ford Estate.

The owner and president of Friendly Ford in Monroe won a crystal Model T Ford, created and donated by Waterford Ltd., Ireland.

Only 250 tickets, costing \$250 each, were sold for the raffle. The ticket was drawn at the April 26 Henry Ford Estate Dinner Dance, held at the Ritz-Carlton in Dearborn.

Edsel B. Ford II, honorary chair of the event with his wife, Cynthia, drew the lucky ticket.

Shankie and his wife Judy received the crystal work of art at a celebratory luncheon held last week at the Pool Restaurant of the Henry Ford Estate.

The estate, on the campus of the University of Michigan-Dearborn, was named Fair Lane after a road in Ireland near the Ford ancestral farm.

"Judy and I am thrilled and honored to be the lucky recipient of this wonderful piece of Waterford Crystal," he said. "Our Irish

heritage and ownership of a Ford dealership connects this treasured piece to the history of the Ford automobile. It will be a grand showpiece to display in our dealership."

Also attending the luncheon was estate director Donn Werling and the dinner-dance co-chairs Jack and Claudette Rourke who solicited the gift from Waterford on behalf of Fair Lane. Fellow co-chairs Bob and Ann Knoop were unable to attend the celebration.

More than \$24,000 was raised through the raffle. The money will be used to underwrite a study of the estate roof, slated for repair this spring.

A national landmark designed by Frank Lloyd Wright. Plagued by a leaky roof, the estate has been plagued by a leaky roof for many years.

The leaks have forced the staff to plastic sheeting in the attic to catch rain and melting snow and in some places, mushrooms can be found growing in the rafters.

Estimates to create a functional roof while maintaining the existing roof line is \$75,000 to \$1 million.

The estate is open regularly to tours, dining, special events and educational programs. For more information, call (313) 593-5590.

## Hospice forms support group

Parents who have experienced the death of a young child or teen are invited to join Arbor Hospice's 10-week support and educational group, starting Thursday, June 12.

The Circle of Love will meet 7-9 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church, 200 E. Main St.,

Northville. Parents will have the opportunity to share, learn and heal in the presence of other bereaved parents.

To register or for more information, call the Arbor Hospice Bereavement Department at (313) 677-0500 or (800) 763-5764.

## Casual Day benefits UCP

It's that time of year again to get casual for a cause. Monday, June 23, has been set aside as the sixth annual United Cerebral Palsy of Metropolitan Detroit Casual Day.

Last year, more than \$1 million was raised for UCP by local individuals, businesses, law firms and financial institutions. The money helped support services to more than 7,000 people.

Employees at participating businesses are asked to make a voluntary contribution of \$5 to UCP. In addition to benefiting thousands of people with disabilities, employees will be able to dress in casual attire for one day, receive an official Casual Day button designed specifically

for Detroit, a \$2 discount coupon from Harmony House, and a raffle ticket for a drawing on July 11 in the UPC offices in Southfield.

Raffle prizes include a Las Vegas vacation for two (including airfare and hotel accommodations, \$100 and \$50 gift certificates from Harmony House.

The new, limited edition Detroit Casual Day T-shirt was provided, pro-bono by local design firm Graphinity, Inc. The T-shirt can be obtained through UCP for a \$20 contribution, which also entitles the donor to three additional raffle tickets. T-shirts in sizes 2XL and 3XL also are available for \$22 and \$25 respectively. Those donors will

receive an additional raffle ticket, for a total of five tickets.

Call the UCP Casual Day Hotline at (810) 557-5070 or listen to The River 933 FM for Casual Day updates.

United Cerebral Palsy of Metropolitan Detroit turns obstacles into opportunities for people with cerebral palsy and other disabilities who are eager to experience life to the fullest.

People deemed unemployable are holding down jobs; youngsters with significant disabilities are being educated alongside their peers; people destined for institutions are living independently with the aid of community supports.

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**Saturday Car Show 10 am-3 pm**

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## Saturday Is Kids Day 10 am to 4 pm

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10am Penny Hunt (ages 2-6)

11am 3-legged Race (ages 6-15)

12pm Shoe Kicking (all Ages)

1pm Hot Dog Eating (ages 12-17)

Sponsored by Hefty's

2pm Tug-A-War (ages 12-17)

3pm Ronald McDonald Show (Happy Meal Show)

10:30am Sack Race (ages 6-15)

11:30am Diaper Derby (crawling age Children)

12:30pm Back to Back (ages 7-15)

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**Saturday**

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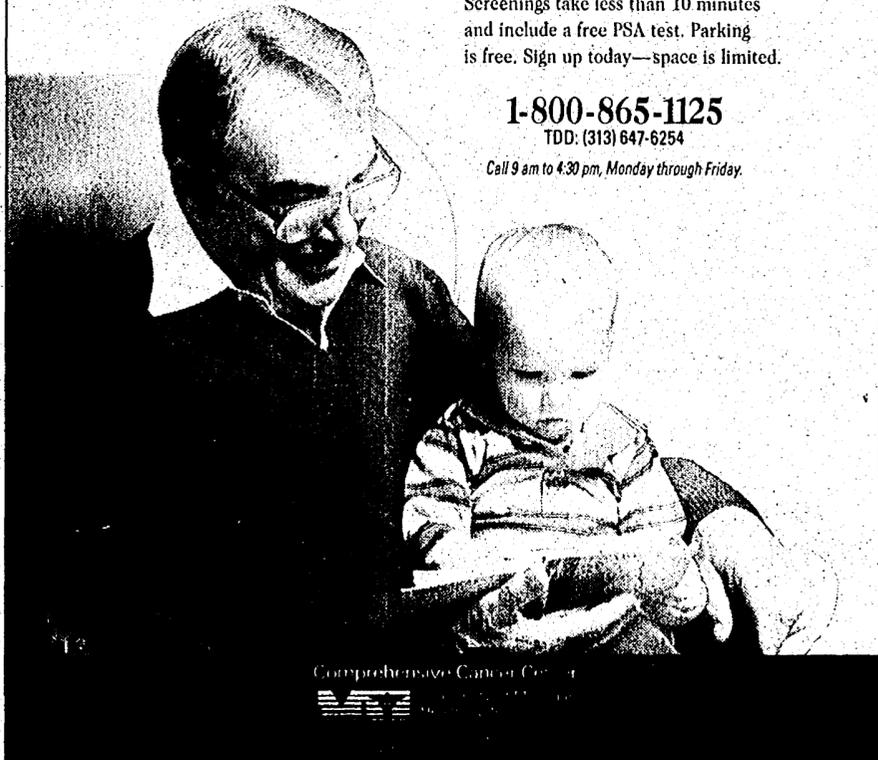
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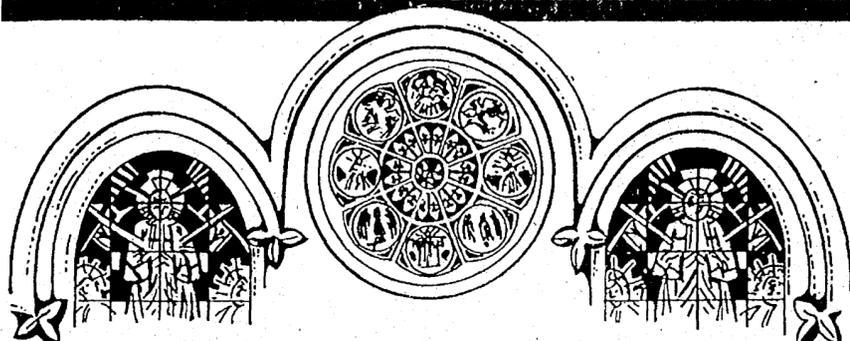


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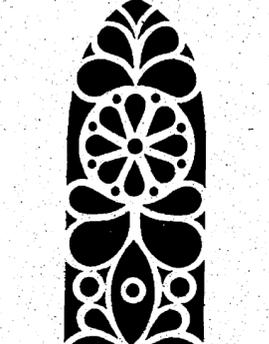
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**ALLEN PARK**  
Class of 1977  
Nov. 29 at the Dearborn Inn, Dearborn.  
(313) 454-4512

**ANN ARBOR HURON**  
Class of 1977  
Aug. 8 at the Crowne Plaza, Ann Arbor.  
Reunion Planners, P.O. Box 291, Mt. Clemens 48046 or (810) 465-2277 or (810) 263-6803

**ANN ARBOR PIONEER**  
Class of 1977  
July 19 at Weber's Inn, Ann Arbor.  
(810) 464-2277 or (313) 263-6803

**BELLEVILLE**  
Classes of 1981-83  
Oct. 11-12 at the Ypsilanti Marriott Hotel. Cost is \$45 per person with cash bar.  
Pamela Zoller-O'Neill, 42976 Ryegate, Canton 48187, or (313) 416-9666

**BENEDICTINE**  
Class of 1987  
Aug. 30 at the St. Regis Hotel.  
(313) 886-0770 or (810) 783-6889

**BISHOP BORGESS**  
Class of 1977  
Nov. 22 at the Warren Valley Country Club.  
(313) 538-7634, (313) 953-2580 or (313) 522-0359

**Class of 1987**  
Nov. 8 at the Karas House, Redford.  
(313) 937-1886 or (313) 255-1100

**CHERRY HILL**  
Class of 1977  
Oct. 18 at the Holiday Inn, Livonia.  
(248) 360-7004, press 7

**CLARENCEVILLE**  
Class of 1967  
Aug. 22 at the Marriott in Romulus.  
(313) 886-0770 or (810) 783-6889

**CRESTWOOD**  
Class of 1967  
Oct. 4 at the Airport Ramada Inn, Romulus.  
(313) 886-0770 or (810) 783-6889

**Class of 1977**  
Is planning a reunion.  
(313) 261-1823 or (313) 274-6126

**DEARBORN**  
Class of 1952  
Aug. 2 at the Dearborn Country Club.  
(313) 937-1387 or (313) 274-9064

**Class of 1947**  
A reunion is planned for Sept. 13.  
(313) 455-0375 or (313) 421-3151

**DEARBORN EDEL FORD**  
Class of 1967  
A reunion is planned for July 27.  
(313) 277-0631

**Class of 1977**  
Aug. 1 at the Hellenic Cultural Center, Westland.  
(313) 394-0409 or (810) 363-8674

**DEARBORN FORDSON**  
January and June classes of 1952  
Oct. 18 at St. Mary's Cultural Center, Livonia.  
(313) 388-1582 (January graduates) or (313) 565-1641 (June graduates)

**Class of 1977**  
Aug. 8 ice breaker party at Paisano's, Aug. 9 reunion dinner at Laurel Manor, Livonia, and Aug. 10 family picnic at Ford Field.  
(248) 814-8872, (248) 344-1063 or (313) 561-6176

**DEARBORN HEIGHTS ROBICHAUD**  
Classes of 1971-72  
Nov. 29 at the Marriott in Romulus.  
(313) 886-0770 or (810) 783-6889

**DETROIT CASS TECH**  
Classes of 1946-49  
Are planning a reunion.  
(313) 272-0330

**Class of 1968**  
Looking for classmates for a reunion in 1998.  
Pam Yee Gianola, 1243 Smith Road, Beulah, Mich. 49617-9493 or e-mail at mie-nai@aliens.com

**Class of 1977**  
A reunion is planned for 1997.  
CT '77 Reunion Committee, 10608 Beaconsfield, Detroit 48224

**Classes of 1980-82**  
Are planning a reunion.  
Stephanie Bradford Wright '80, 1753 Cornell, Southfield 48075, (313) 945-8473; or Dylan Warmack '81, 2131 Bryanston Ct., Detroit 48207, (313) 963-7665

**Class of 1985**  
Is planning a reunion.  
Wayne Harvey, 18850 Lamont, Detroit 48235, or (313) 226-6080

**Class of 1987**  
Is planning a reunion for late 1997.  
(810) 626-6964 or by e-mail at eusyeg@voyager.net

**Class of 1988**  
Is looking for names and addresses of classmates.  
(313) 896-0736, (313) 859-0261 or (313) 882-1632

**DETROIT CHADSEY**  
Class of 1947  
Sept. 21 at Park Place, Dearborn.  
(313) 981-2825 or (313) 421-1257

**DETROIT CODY**  
Class of 1962  
A reunion is planned for Sept.

13.  
(248) 548-8593 or (248) 615-9162

**FARMINGTON HARRISON**  
Class of 1987  
Nov. 28 at the Doubletree Guest Suites, Novi.  
(248) 366-9493, press 4

**Class of 1988**  
July 1998 at the Hawthorne Valley Country Club, Westland.  
(248) 442-2862

**GARDEN CITY**  
Class of 1987  
A reunion is planned for fall 1997.  
Kurt Tyszkiewicz, 1592 Nautical Lane, Marine City 48039 or (810) 765-1380

**Class of 1962**  
Is planning a reunion.  
(313) 722-7551, (313) 565-8024 or (313) 422-8129

**GARDEN CITY EAST**  
Class of 1977  
Oct. 3 at Laurel Manor, Livonia.  
(313) 886-0770 or (810) 783-6889

**GARDEN CITY WEST**  
Class of 1972  
Oct. 25 at the Hawthorne Valley Country Club, Westland.  
(248) 486-2997

**Class of 1977**  
July 26 at Laurel Manor, Livonia.  
(313) 422-9347

**Class of 1967**  
A summer picnic reunion is planned for 6 a.m. to 10 p.m. Aug. 24 at Titan Pavilion II of Westland City Park.  
(313) 427-8768, (313) 420-0156 or by fax at (313) 427-2311

**GARDEN CITY EAST/WEST**  
Class of 1967  
Is planning a reunion.  
(313) 728-8352 or (313) 451-0052 (East graduates or (313) 427-8768 or (313) 420-0156 (West

graduates  
**HOLY REDEEMER**  
Class of 1972  
A reunion is planned for October 1997.  
(313) 522-6369 or (313) 534-6995

**JOHN GLENN**  
Class of 1972  
Aug. 2 at the Sheraton Hotel, Novi.  
(313) 729-2322, (313) 397-8460 or (313) 722-9377

**Class of 1977**  
Oct. 4 at the Holiday Inn, Livonia.  
(248) 366-9493, press 2

**Class of 1967**  
Is planning a reunion.  
(248) 471-4814

**Class of 1987**  
Is planning a reunion.  
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**LINCOLN PARK**  
June class of 1972  
Aug. 30 at the Knights of Columbus Hall, Lincoln Park. Cost is \$30 per person.  
(313) 928-7420

**LIVONIA BENTLEY**  
Class of 1972  
July 26 at the Novi Hilton Hotel.  
(313) 886-0770 or (810) 783-6889

**LIVONIA CHURCHILL**  
Class of 1987  
Aug. 16 at St. Aidan's Banquet Center, Livonia.  
(616) 453-1335 or Julie (Peterson) McCall, 1551 Geddes N.W., Walker, Mich. 48544

**Class of 1977**  
Oct. 16 at the Embassy Suites Hotel, Livonia.  
(313) 886-0770 or (810) 783-6889

**LIVONIA FRANKLIN**  
Classes of 1966-68  
Aug. 2 at Embassy Suites Hotel, Livonia.

(313) 513-2058  
Class of 1987  
A reunion is planned for Nov. 29.  
(313) 261-4970

**LIVONIA STEVENSON**  
Class of 1987  
June 21 at Vladimir's in Farmington Hills.  
(248) 478-6339 or (810) 422-1705

**MADISON HEIGHTS-LAMPHERE**  
Class of 1977  
June 21 at the Sterling Inn.  
(248) 280-0918 or (810) 536-2599

**MELVINDALE**  
Class of 1972  
Is planning a reunion.  
(313) 886-0770 or (810) 783-6889

**NORTH FARMINGTON**  
Class of 1977  
Aug. 2 at the Novi Hilton Hotel, Novi.  
(810) 465-2277 or (313) 263-6803

**Class of 1987**  
Aug. 23 at St. Aidan's Banquet Center, Livonia.  
(248) 366-9493, press 1

**NORTHVILLE**  
Class of 1977  
Aug. 29 at the Novi Hilton Hotel.  
(313) 886-0770 or (810) 783-6889

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A reunion is planned for Oct. 25. Send names and addresses to P.O. Box 7102, Novi 48376-7102

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(313) 842-3320

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Class of 1987  
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(313) 397-8766, (313) 397-4824

or by e-mail, rwunderl@rust.net

**REDFORD THURSTON**  
Class of 1977  
Aug. 2 dinner-dance at Bobby's Country House, Livonia, Aug. 3 picnic in Northville.  
(313) 462-4399

**Class of 1972**  
Sept. 13 at Burton Manor, Livonia.  
(313) 886-0770 or (810) 783-6889

**Class of 1963**  
Nov. 8 at the Novi Hilton Hotel.  
(313) 464-0376, (313) 522-9344, (248) 651-7288 or (248) 656-2962

**Class of 1991**  
Aug. 23 at Vladimir's, Farmington Hills. Cost is \$60 per person by July 5.  
(248) 477-8050

**REDFORD UNION**  
Class of 1977  
Sept. 6 at the Novi Hilton Hotel.  
(313) 886-0770 or (810) 783-6889

**Class of 1967**  
Aug. 9 at the Novi Hilton Hotel.  
(313) 886-0770 or (810) 783-6889

**Class of 1987**  
A reunion is planned for Nov. 29.  
(248) 615-7782 or (313) 255-2965

**ROSARY**  
All classes  
Sept. 14 at Rosary High School, Joy and Greenfield, Detroit.  
Rosary Reunion, 9400 Courville, Detroit 48224 or call (313) 882-6307

**ST. AGATHA**  
Class of 1977  
Aug. 2 at Vladimir's.  
(313) 886-0770 or (810) 783-6889

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(313) 341-6210 or (313) 861-4312

**DETROIT OSBORNE**  
January Class of 1967  
Aug. 30 at the American Polish Cultural Center, 2975 E. Maple, Troy.  
(810) 939-5377 or ohs1967@aol.com

**Class of 1967**  
Aug. 8 at Athena Hall.  
(313) 886-0770 or (810) 783-6889

**DETROIT PATTENGILL**  
Class of 1947  
Is planning a picnic-style gathering in July. Members of classes of 1944-50 welcome.  
(313) 937-8233 (after 1 p.m.) or (510) 651-0194

**DETROIT PERSHING**  
Classes of 1949-53  
Are planning a reunion.  
(248) 471-5609 or P.O. Box 530-244, Livonia 48153-0244

**Class of 1957**  
Sept. 27 at the Sterling Inn.  
(313) 886-0770 or (810) 783-6889

**DETROIT REDFORD**  
Class of 1987  
Aug. 23 at the Radisson Hotel Pontchartrain.  
(313) 886-0770 or (810) 783-6889

**DETROIT ST. DAVID**  
Class of 1967  
July 26 at the Georgian Inn.  
(248) 879-9009

**DETROIT SOUTHEASTERN**  
Class of 1947  
July 18 at the Kingsley Inn, Bloomfield Inn.  
(313) 886-0770 or (810) 783-6889

**DETROIT WESTERN**  
Class of 1942  
Oct. 19 at Lakes of Taylor Golf Course, Taylor.  
(313) 565-4997 or (313) 381-9540

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BLOOD DRIVE

Ward Presbyterian Church will have a Red Cross blood drive 2-8 p.m. Thursday, June 5, at the church, 17000 Farmington Road at Six Mile Road, Livonia. Donors are needed, to make an appointment, call the church at (313) 422-1150.

SUPPORT GROUPS

New Directions Center for Christian Counseling will offer a Christian support and growth group for adults who have experienced abuse as children. The starting date of the group as well as the day and time will be determined by the participants.

The center also is organizing Forever Free, a support and growth group for people who are suffering from the pain and desperation of the binge diet roller-

coaster. Participants also will determine the day and times of meetings.

For more information about the groups, call the center at (313) 464-8882. New Directions is at 37625 Ann Arbor Road, Suite 107, Livonia.

HOCKEY NIGHT

The men and youth of Merriman Road Baptist Church will host a special "Hockey Night at Church" 7-30 p.m. Thursday, June 5. The second Stanley Cup game between the Detroit Red Wings and Philadelphia Flyers will be shown on the church's "Mo-Vision."

Participants are asked to bring a 2-liter bottle of pop and a good snack-type item. All items will be collected and distributed by the church's youth group. A donation will be taken to benefit the Youth Mission trip fund.

Merriman Road Baptist Church is at 2055 Merriman Road, Garden City. For more information, call the church office at (313) 421-0472.

NEW BEGINNINGS

Sue Anne Daniel will discuss

"Help for the Family in Grief" when New Beginnings, a grief support group, meets at 7 p.m. Thursday, June 5, at St. Matthew's United Methodist Church, 30900 W. Six Mile Road, Livonia.

The program is for people suffering as a result of the death of a loved one. The group meets on Thursdays year-round and features speakers the first Thursday of the month.

For more information, call the church at (313) 422-6038, Marilyn Wilkinson at (810) 380-7903 or Rosemary Kline at (313) 462-3770.

FLEA MARKET

Rice Memorial United Methodist Church will have a flea market 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, June 7, in the south parking lot of the church, 20601 Beech Daly, Redford. There will be a bake sale, food concessions and vendors galore. Space is still available. For more information, call John Frith at (313) 537-7865 or the church office at (313) 534-4907.

Good Shepherd Reformed Church has space available for its flea market, set for 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, July 12, in the parking lot of the church, 6500 N. Wayne Road, Westland. Spaces - 10 by 15 feet, cost \$20 each. For more information, call Ray or Jackie Gagnon at (313) 722-7225.

SUMMER WORSHIP

St. John's Lutheran Church, 13542 Mercedes, Redford, will begin summer worship at 9:30 a.m., beginning Sunday, June 8. For more information, call the church at (313) 538-2660. In concert

Gospel singer Ann Downing will speak and sing of the grace of God for all situations at 6 p.m. Sunday, June 8, at the Plymouth Church of the Nazarene, 45801 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth. For more information, call the church at (313) 453-

1525.

BILLY GRAHAM FILM

"Repeat Performance," a Billy Graham film, will be shown at 6 p.m. Sunday, June 8, at Merriman Road Baptist Church, 2055 Merriman Road, Westland. The film is the story about the power of being forgiven and forgiving other. For more information, call the church office at (313) 421-0472.

CHARISMATIC PRAYER

A charismatic prayer group meets at 6 p.m. Sundays in Patio Classroom 1 on the ground floor of the University Center at Madonna University, Schoolcraft and Levan, Livonia. For more information, call John at (313) 422-5611.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

The radio series, "What is This Christian Science and Who Are These Christian Scientists?" is being broadcast at 1:30 p.m. Sundays of WQBH-AM 1400. Topics include "Do Christian Scientists ignore sickness?" on June 8, "Sisters and mothers in Christian Science" on June 15, "Bible healings today, Part 2" on June 22 and "Christian Science healing: fraud or fact?" on June 29.

The Christian Science Sentinel-Radio Edition" also can be heard at 9:30 a.m. Sundays on WAAM-AM 1600. The conversational program discusses current public topics as well as shares healing through prayer from people all over the world.

HISPANIC CHURCH

The Hispanic Pentecostal Church conducts worship services at 2 p.m. Sundays at the Open Door Church, 33105 W. Seven Mile Road, Livonia. The Rev. G. Diaz officiates. For more information, call (810) 471-5282.

MAKE A DIFFERENCE

Men Who Make a Difference, a small group of Christian men dedicated to the biblical principles of building a "Godly life," will provide followup to the

recent Promise Keepers Conference at 7:30 p.m. Monday, June 9, at Merriman Road Baptist Church, 2055 Merriman Road, Garden City. The group is open to men of all faiths and denominations. For more information, call the church office at (313) 421-0472.

FROM THE HEART

Ward Evangelical Presbyterian Church offers From the Heart Cancer Support Group at 7 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays of the month in Rooms B2 and 4 at the church, 17000 Farmington Road, Livonia. Family members, those with cancer and friends are invited to share, encourage and support one another in a loving, hopeful God-focused environment. For more information, call the church at (313) 422-1826.

UNDERSTANDING ISLAM

Free non-Muslim classes on Islam and Muslims, sponsored by the Muslim Community of the Western Suburbs, are offered at 7 p.m. Wednesdays at the Crescent Academy at the corner of Palmer and Lotz roads in Canton. There is no obligation or age limit to attend. For more information, call Rafael Narbaez at (313) 728-6393.

WOMEN'S CONFERENCE

Gateway Ministries will present the 1997 Christian Women's "Leading Edge" Conference Thursday through Saturday, June 12-14, at the Livonia Marriott Hotel, Six Mile Road south of Newburgh Road, Livonia.

The featured speaker will be Dr. Lois E. Burkett, international evangelist, conference speaker and founder of New Creation Ministries in Phoenix, Ariz. With their dynamic ministry, Burkett and her staff will rejuvenate and challenge women's ministry gifts and calling.

The conference will include registration, fellowship and a general session be 4-9 p.m. June

12, continental breakfast, morning and afternoon teaching sessions, lunch, banquet and evening session 7 a.m. to 9:30 p.m. June 12 and continental breakfast, teaching sessions and closing session 7-1 p.m. June 14.

For more information, call Gateway Ministries at (313) 878-1880.

STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL

Garden City Presbyterian Church will have its annual Strawberry Festival 5-9 p.m. Friday, June 13, at the church 1841 Middlebelt Road, Garden City. Strawberry shortcake, ice cream, hot and cold drinks, baked goods and arts and crafts will be featured. There also will be children's games and a performance by the GCPC Men's Quartet.

SCHOOL REUNION

United Christian School will have a 20-year reunion picnic at 12:30 p.m. Saturday, June 14, at the school, 29205 Florence, Garden City. All faculty and students, past and present, are invited to attend. Food will be provided. For more information, call (313) 522-6487.

SPIRITUAL SPEAKER

Unity of Livonia will have Ted Hunt speak on the subject of "Forgiving and Giving" at 9:30 and 11 a.m. Sunday, June 15, at the church, 28660 Five Mile Road, Livonia. Hunt is a favorite speaker at the Detroit Unity Temple. For more information, call the church at (313) 421-1760.

LITURGY ON TAPE

The Divine Liturgy of St. John Chrysostom is available on videotape for a cost of \$15, plus \$3 postage, from Holy Transfiguration Orthodox Church, 36075 W. Seven Mile, Livonia 48152. The tapes make a great gift for a shut-in or those unable to attend the liturgy or for people who are either seeking or expressing an interest in the Orthodox faith.

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'Lutheran Hour' lands on Internet

The radio broadcast that for nearly 70 years has reached millions worldwide with the Gospel has been launched into cyberspace.

"The Lutheran Hour," the world's oldest continually broadcast Gospel radio program, is now available on-demand via the

Internet. The weekly broadcast is heard locally on WAAM-1600 at 8:30 a.m. Sundays and CKWW-580 at 7:30 a.m. Sundays.

The half-hour program, first broadcast in 1930, is the flagship radio program of Lutheran Hour Ministries. It features addresses by Dr. Dale Meyer and Dr. Wallace Schulz.

The program's availability on the World Wide Web at Lutheran Hour Ministries' Web site, "Wired with the Word" (<http://www.lhm.org>), provides computer users with online access to the Gospel-based messages.

The "The Lutheran Hour" in RealAudio messages made its Internet debut on Easter Sunday with an Easter sermon

delivered by Schulz and a historic 1937 Easter sermon, "The Resurrection Reality," from the original "Lutheran Hour" Dr. Walter A. Maier.

The inaugural "Webcast" drew 335 Internet listeners on Easter Sunday and an additional 674 listeners during Easter week. Easter Sunday was the most active day ever for the Lutheran Hour Ministries Web site, with a record 12,000 visits reported.

Lutheran Hour Ministries has been online on the World Wide Web since October 1995.

"The broadcast of 'The Lutheran Hour' across the Internet marks the latest step for the organization, a strategic reinvention of our international ministry using digital communication technology," said Jim Telle, director of marketing and communication. "The historic move reaffirms the Lutheran Hour Ministries mission of 'bringing Christ to the nations and the nations to the church' through every appropriate means and medium available to Christians.

"Digital technology and the World Wide Web are creating new opportunities for Christian ministry. In the case of 'The Lutheran Hour,' the Internet means extending our potential

weekly means extending our potential weekly audience from thousands to millions. 'The Lutheran Hour' in RealAudio is the pioneer program for even more multimedia ministry in the future."

Consistently ranked by the National Radio Broadcasters Association as the most listened-to weekly Christian radio program, "The Lutheran Hour" is heard on more than 1,200 stations throughout North America and in numerous countries around the world.

The weekly online Webcasts from Lutheran Hour Ministries are made available using the cutting-edge technical resources of the Gospel Communications Network (GCN), an online strategic alliance of ministries, religious and news service organizations. It (<http://www.gospel.com.net>) is the largest Christian resource on the Internet, averaging 500,000 accesses by Internet users daily.

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VACATION BIBLE SCHOOLS

listings for the Vacation Bible Schools calendar should be submitted in writing no later than noon Friday for the next Thursday's issue. They can be mailed to Sue Mason at 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150, or by fax at (313) 591-7279. For more information, call (313) 953-2131.

**BETHEL BAPTIST**  
Bethel Baptist Temple will have its children's vacation Bible school 7-8:30 p.m. June 9-12 at the church, 29475 W. Six Mile Road, Livonia. There is no charge for attending, and free transportation is available by calling the church at (313) 525-3664.

**FAITH LUTHERAN**  
Faith Lutheran Church will have its vacation Bible school, Adventure Fair - God's Kids in Action, 9 a.m. to noon June 16-20 at the church, 30000 Five Mile Road, Livonia. The school will be for children age 4 1/2 through those entering sixth grade. The registration fee will be \$6 per child or \$10 per family and includes a vacation Bible school T-shirt to decorate. Pre-paid registration should be completed by June 1. For more information, call the church at (313) 421-7249.

**CHRIST OUR SAVIOR**  
Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church will conduct two vacation Bible school, entitled "Wild Frontier Bible Ranch," 9:30-11:45 a.m. June 16-19 at the Livonia campus, 14175 Farmington Road, and 6:30-8 p.m. June 23-26 at the Canton campus, 46001 Warren Road. Both programs are open to children age 4 through the sixth grade. To register, call (313) 522-6830.

**ST. JAMES PRESBYTERIAN**  
St. James Presbyterian Church will have its vacation Bible school 9 a.m. to noon June 16-20, at the church, 25350 W. Six Mile Road, Redford. Children in kindergarten through the sixth grade are invited to attend. For more information, call the

church office at (313) 534-7730.  
**ST. MICHAEL LUTHERAN**  
St. Michael Lutheran Church will have its vacation Bible school, "J.E.S.U.S. Express," 6-8:30 p.m. June 16-20 at the church, 8003 Hannan Road, Wayne. The school is for children age 3 through sixth graders. For more information, call the church office at (313) 728-1950.

**RICE UNITED METHODIST**  
Rice United Methodist Church will have its vacation Bible school, "Celebrate Jesus," 6-9 p.m. June 23-27 at the church, 20601 Beech Daly, Redford. For more information, call (313) 534-4907.

**GARDEN CITY PRESBYTERIAN**  
Garden City Presbyterian Church is offering "Stories Jesus Told," a vacation church school experience for children age 3 through the sixth grade, 9 a.m. to noon June 23-27 at the church, 1841 Middlebelt Road, Garden City. The school will explore stories Jesus taught as he traveled through the Holy Land. Activities include exploring the Bible through the computer, music, puppets, drama, snacks, games, crafts and the ever popular Bible Bubble. Pre-registration begins on June 8 at the church. For more information, call (313) 421-7620.

**ST. JOHN'S-GOOD SHEPHERD**  
The registration deadline is June 8 for a joint vacation Bible School, sponsored by St. John's and Good Shepherd Lutheran Churches in Redford. The school will be 5:30-8 p.m. June 23-27 at St. John's, 13542 Mercedes. Each session will begin with dinner and will be followed by Bible study and activities for youths and adults. There is no fee, however, a free will offering will be accepted to cover the cost of dinner. For more information or to obtain a registration form, call St. John's at (313) 538-2660.  
**ST. MATTHEW UM**  
St. Matthew United Methodist Church's will have its vacation

Bible school, "Celebrate Jesus," 9:30 a.m. to noon June 23-25 at the church, 30900 W. Six Mile Road, Livonia. Classes for ages 4 through 12 will be offered. Children will celebrate that Jesus learned about God, loved God and others, worshiped God and is the light of the world. Monetary donations will be accepted at the time of registration to help defray the cost of snacks and refreshments. To register, call the church office at (313) 422-6038.

**CHINESE BIBLE**  
The Chinese Bible Church will have its vacation Bible school 9-11:30 a.m. June 23-27 at the church, 28111 W. Ten Mile Road, Farmington Hills. The school will be for children in kindergarten through sixth grade. For more information, call (810) 474-9511.  
**MERRIMAN ROAD BAPTIST**  
Merriman Road Baptist Church will have its vacation Bible school for children in kindergarten through the sixth grade

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**MEMORIAL CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Memorial Church of Christ will have its vacation Bible school, "Promise Makers," 9 a.m. to

noon June 23-27 at the church, 35475 Five Mile Road, Livonia. The school is for children ages 4 through sixth grade. There will be songs, games, crafts, snacks and entertainment and each day will have a different theme. Youngsters will be asked to bring items - canned soups Monday, cereals Tuesday, dry goods Wednesday, rice and pasta Thursday and anything goes Friday - each day to help fill the Benevolence Closet. For more information, call (313) 464-6722.

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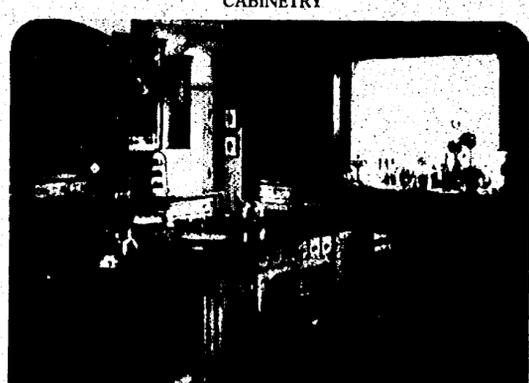
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CC netter runner-up

Redford Catholic Central freshman J.D. Shade finished second at No. 4 singles at the state Class A Boys Tennis finals held Friday and Saturday at the Midland Community Tennis Center.

The sixth-seed Shade lost to top seed Kai Blache of Rochester Adams in the finals, 7-5, 5-7, 6-2.

Shade won his first two matches easily, defeating Dan Buda of Mason, 6-0, 6-1; Mark Scheffer of Muskegon Mona Shores, 6-0, 6-0.

He then upset third seed Paul Villalba of Birmingham Brother Rice, 6-3, 7-5, and second-seed Tom McHugh of Ann Arbor Huron, 6-2, 6-1.

CC's No. 2 doubles team of Chris Marco and Jeff Fleszar won two rounds, defeating teams from Grand Rapids Forest Hills Central (6-2, 6-3) and Port Huron Northern (7-6, 6-3). They were ousted by Traverse City, 6-3, 6-4.

The Shamrocks, who tied for 12th in the team standings with three other schools, also gained a point at No. 3 doubles as Juan Soares and Ben Rost defeated a duo from Mason, 7-5, 6-1, before losing to Ann Arbor Huron, 5-7, 6-2, 6-2.

CC's top three singles players all fell in their first matches — Brian Foley (No. 1) to Kent Dolbee of Battle Creek Lakeview, 6-4, 6-1; Tom Tarnacki (No. 2) to top seed and eventual champion Todd Townsend of East Lansing, 6-0, 7-5; and Marc Siciliano to fifth-seed David Deguitts of Bloomfield Hills Lahser, 3-6, 7-5, 6-0.

At No. 1 doubles, CC's Greg Thursam and Matt Olex lost a three-setter to Ann Arbor Pioneer, 7-5, 6-7, 6-3.

Okemos captured the team title, edging Huron, 18-17.

Kristy inks golf letter

Livonia Stevenson senior Kelly Kristy has signed an NCAA National letter-of-intent to play golf next season at Division I school Charleston Southern (S.C.).

Kristy, who played in every Spartan varsity meet during her four-year career, was medalist in 27 of 35 dual matches.

She averaged 41.9 strokes per nine holes as a Stevenson completed its second straight undefeated dual meet season.

"Fantasticly she has a very strong work ethic," Stevenson coach John Wagner said. "And she's the first, I can remember, that we've ever sent south for golf. We're very proud of her and it's quite an accomplishment."

Kristy was also voted Stevenson's top female athlete recently winning the Brieske Award.

Collegiate note

Junior co-captain Holly Kimble (Livonia Stevenson) of the University of Tennessee women's soccer team, a sports marketing major, recently made the Dean's List.

Kimble, who also played at Schoolcraft Community College, is entering her senior season with the Volunteers.

Youth soccer champs

The Livonia Youth Soccer Club Rockers, an under-11 boys team, won three straight games to place first in the Silver Division at the Canton Invitational (May 23-25).

Members of the Rockers, coached by Laura McDougall, include Erik Anderson, Danny Armbruster, Ryan Burke, Mike Cook, Tony Housley, Sam Hoyt, Danny Karas, Adrian Lucero, Danny Pepera, Jeff Pepera, Garrett Radford, Mark Schubert, Danny Van Cleve and Kenny Vella.

Luck Lucero is the assistant coach. The team manager is Don McDougall.

The Rockers also captured the Warren Tournament with three wins (April 26) behind the efforts of Anderson, Armbruster, Patrick Brockway, Burke, Cook, Housley, Hoyt, Karas, Lucero, Mike Manooogian, Danny Pepera and Radford.

The Northville Sting, an under-12 boys team, won the Ann Arbor Memorial Tournament, outscoring their opponents, 18-0, including a 2-0 victory in the finals over the Farmington Fury.

Members of the Sting, who will be invited to next year's Dallas Cup, include John Spray, Livonia; Brian Emrick, Westland; Jared Pereira, Plymouth; Danny Beck, South Lyon; Darrel Quinn, Howell; Kevin Azanger, Patrick Kellehar, Stephen O'Keefe, Kevin Paladino and Matt Konopinski, all of Novi; Andy Fieldhauer, Kevin Gardner, Gabe Ilko and Brian Lake, all of Northville.

The team is coached by Richard Azanger and Kevin Tuite. The team manager is Mike Paladino.

Michigan Amateur qualifier

Eleven golfers including medalist Bill Vander-Mass of Novi, who shot a low round of 72, have earned spots in the upcoming 86th annual Michigan Amateur Championship after Sectional Qualifying Monday at Whispering Pines in Pinckney.

Livonia golfers just missing the cut included Bill Dorough (78), Douglas Ehrheart (79) and Derek Lucas (81). Livonian Derek Reesa carded an 88.

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Regional bound

Hit parade: Livonia Stevenson won its second straight district baseball title Saturday. The Spartans, who beat Livonia Churchill and Plymouth Canton, were led by Mike Allison (left photo) and Mark Dietrich (with assistant coach Harv Weingarden). See page C2 for story.



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Terek breaks vault record at state meet

BY BRAD EMONS  
STAFF WRITER

Livonia Franklin pole vaulter Paul Terek had a simple motto during the spring track season.

"Work hard, think positive and good things will happen," said the 6-foot-2, 180-pound senior. "I think somebody from West Point sent that quote to me while I was being recruited there."

Despite a 5½-hour wait before his first attempt, everything fell into place for Terek as he broke the state record for all classes in the pole vault, clearing 16 feet, 6 inches in the Class A meet held at Rockford High School.

Terek shattered the mark of 16½ set by Midland Dow's Steve Hills in 1993.

He waited nearly six hours to launch his first practice jump at 14-4 and he took two attempts before clearing his opening height at 14-7 (the final heights of the second and third-place finishers).

He followed by making his first attempts at 15-1, 15-6 and 16-1½ (breaking Hill's record).

"Everybody seemed to be doing personal bests and I was feeling: 'I would be able to do it, too,'" said Terek, who cleared 16-1 in a dual meet earlier this season against Northville.

Terek, who was second a year ago in Class A, was able to put together his best performance before teammates, coaches, family and relatives (from as far as West Virginia).

"The whole clan was there," Terek said. "I smiled after I made it (the state record), but I didn't jump up and down."

"We went out to dinner afterwards, then we came right home. My dad (Joe Paul) told me I did a good job. It hasn't quite hit me yet." By the time the rest of the field had been eliminated, the pressure was off, and Terek was jumping for show and looking to increase his mark in the Michigan High School Athletic Association record books.

"My first vault at 16-6 was not good," Terek said. "Mickey Turchak, who coaches at Taylor Center, said I was too far underneath the bar and I wasn't getting back far enough. I vaulted with his son and he's helped me out a lot."

Terek said he cleared 16-6 by "three or four inches," but grazed his hip on the bar on the way down.

The bar, however, stood still. Terek then asked for the bar to be raised to 16-9.

"My first two attempts were horrible and the third I came up a little short," he said.

Terek, who is headed to Michigan State University on a track scholarship, will get another chance as he will represent Michigan in the Midwest Meet of Champions, Saturday, June 14 at Ohio Wesleyan in Delaware, Ohio.

Franklin coach Dale Lee doesn't expect to coach another athlete again like Terek, who also excelled in the long jump (second best in Observerland), 100 and 200-meter dashes (11.1 and 22.7, respectively), and 400 (Western Lakes champion at 51.4).

"I was loading him down all year in other events for us to score points, but he never complains," Lee said. "When the pressure is on him, even when he's missed two vaults, he always gets it done."

"Even in the bad weather we've had all spring, he just puts his head down and goes at it. He can focus on things pretty well."

"I doubt if I'll ever see one like him again. He's the best vaulter in the history of the state of Michigan," Lee said Terek accomplished the three goals he set before his junior season.

"He wanted to win the state meet, break the state record and vault 16-4," the Franklin coach said. "His goals are always way out there. He set a huge goal this year and he



Paul Terek clears 16-6

1 victory away  
State final next as Stevenson rolls

BY BRAD EMONS  
STAFF WRITER

Wednesday was graduation night at Livonia Stevenson High School, but much of the pomp and circumstance occurred 60 miles away.

In the state Class A semifinals at Jackson's Mehall Field, the Spartan girls soccer team held an unofficial ceremony afterwards for three seniors as they celebrated a convincing 5-0 victory over Grand Rapids Forest Hills Central.

The win catapults Stevenson, now 20-0-2 overall, into Saturday's state championship matchup with Brighton.

It will be Stevenson's first appearance in the final since 1990 when now assistant coach Regen Coyne led the Spartans to a 2-1 win over Rochester Adams.

Stevenson, under third-year coach Jim Kimble, will be gunning for its fourth girls' state crown. Game time is 1 p.m. Saturday at Plymouth Canton's CEP Field.

Brighton (23-0-2) advanced in the other semifinal with a 2-1 win Wednesday over Troy, setting up a battle between the state's top two ranked teams.

"It's been mentioned that it's been awhile since we played for the

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(state) championship," Kimble said. "And this group has never been that close before."

With spirits running high, three Spartan senior starters — midfielder Anne Fedrigo, forward Nicole Tobin and defender Melissa Jacobs — tossed their graduation caps jubilantly into the air following the victory.

"There was no discussion at all for these three, I had no doubt where they would be," Kimble said of the graduation conflict. "That's how badly they want it. The three seniors have carried this team emotionally on their shoulders all season long."

Fedrigo, who pumped in three goals in Saturday's impressive 6-0 regional championship win over Livonia Churchill, got the Spartans rolling once again with a goal from junior Allison Campbell at the 31-minute mark.

"Fedrigo has just been playing out of her mind this whole tournament," Kimble said.

And so has Campbell, the red-hot redhead, who figured in all five

Anderson's stock drops, 19th overall to Mariners

BY RICHARD L. SHOOK  
STAFF WRITER

He's called a Randy Johnson clone.

Now, Ryan Anderson has a chance to call Johnson "teammate."

"It's the Unit and the Young Unit," Gus Anderson said after his talented left-handed son was drafted 19th in the first round of Tuesday's Major League Amateur Draft by the Seattle Mariners, the team Johnson pitches for.

"I'm happy I got picked by the Mariners," Ryan Anderson said. "I had no indication they were interested."

Not surprising, considering the Westland native was projected as a possibility to be drafted first in the country by his hometown Detroit Tigers.

Most projections had Anderson, who stands 6 feet, 10 inches, and throws with the same hand as Johnson, as almost certain to be one of the first four players taken. A "top tenner" at least.

Baseball America had him listed as the top overall prospect in the country.

Whether signability or other issues figured into his drop from there to No. 19, is something only 18 clubs can answer.

"Obviously, Ryan's a guy we spent



REBECCA COOK

Young unit: Ryan Anderson hopes to follow in the footsteps of All-Star hurler Randy Johnson.

a great deal of time of talking about," Detroit scouting director Greg Smith said. "There might have been some questions (by other teams) about his signability. It's a good fit for him with Seattle."

The Mariners almost certainly will argue they got a first four choice at No. 19 — and you know Anderson's agents, the Hendricks brothers of Houston, Texas, are going to take that negotiating tact.

"I'm still the same pitcher that I was as a (possible) number one,"

Phillies nab Rutherford in 12th round

BY BRAD EMONS  
STAFF WRITER

He eventually would like to be in the City of Brotherly Love.

But don't worry, he prefers to be a Phillie, not a Flyer.

Livonia Churchill High product Mark Rutherford, the MVP of the Eastern Michigan University baseball team this spring, was taken Tuesday in the 12th round of the Major League Amateur Draft by the Philadelphia Phillies.

The 6-foot-2, 210-pound Rutherford, a right-handed pitcher, worked out prior to the draft for three different Major League clubs — Cincinnati, Arizona and the Yankees. He also had contacts with the Florida Marlins and the Phillies.

"It's an absolute dream come true and I'm lucky to get the opportunity," said Rutherford. "I just hope to go out and do the best I can do."

Rutherford is expected to talk contract and receive an offer from a Phillies scout on Saturday. His first stop may be Batavia, N.Y. of the New York-Penn League.

"I didn't really have an idea where I was going to go or when," he said. "Baseball America had me ranked ninth in the Great Lakes Region, so I thought I might have a chance to go in the top 10 rounds."

As a pitcher, Rutherford threw consistently in the high 80s (MPH)

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# Stevenson wins district

BY STEVE KOWALSKI  
STAFF WRITER

Livonia Stevenson? A baseball power?  
Soccer and swimming still take center stage when it comes to earning statewide reputations, but coach Mike Keller's baseball team is making people take notice.

The Spartans won their second straight Class A district championship, dominating Saturday's four-team field at Redford Catholic Central.

Stevenson beat cross-town rival Livonia Churchill, 9-1, in a semifinal before smacking upstart Plymouth Canton, 16-8, in the championship game.

Canton, 13-16 overall, had reached the final with a 9-8 victory over host CC.

The game against Canton was a stark contrast to the first two meetings between the two Western Lakes Activities Association schools. Canton won the first game, 8-7, and Stevenson won the second game, 2-1, in 10 innings.

Keller, who formerly coached Walter's Appliance in the Livonia Collegiate Baseball League, hopes to see some of his former colleagues come calling when they need players in the future.

The Spartans are now 15-9 overall.

"I don't think we're underrated, I just don't think we have been an established school for

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years on the baseball end of it," Keller said. "We're slowly turning it around. People looking at ballplayers haven't thought about Stevenson in the past. Somewhere down the road they will start coming around."

Stevenson senior left-hander Mike Allison, who fell behind 1-0 on a solo home run by Canton's David Kwiatkowski in the top of the second inning, earned the pitching victory. Allison, also one of Stevenson's heavy hitters, contributed to a 12-run second inning by the Spartans that put him in command the rest of the way.

The Spartans also received a complete-game pitching performance by Jon Ritzler in the win over Churchill.

"We don't have a number one on our club," Keller said. "Mike and John both have been the best for us. It didn't matter who we threw. If you win the district, you have to win two ballgames. It's been nice to win it two years in a row. We're just happy to be there and taking it one game at a time. We're trying to move on a little bit farther."

Stevenson collected eight hits in the second inning to chase Canton starter Ben Tucker. Ryan Dahlman, Mike Rourke and Jeff Page followed on the mound for the Chiefs.

Page was the most effective, pitching the fifth and sixth innings against the Spartans.

Justin Kerr and Mark Dietrich each smacked triples and Eric Yuhasz deftly dived a double in the second inning for the Spartans. Kevin Marvin, John Marlin and Dietrich each scored twice in the second.

Allison led the Spartans' attack with three hits and two RBIs. Yuhasz and Roy Rabe had two hits each. Dietrich drove in five runs and Kerr two.

The seniors came through again, which Keller has come to expect.

"Most of them started last year as juniors and now we're a little more senior oriented," Keller said.

Canton didn't go down without a fight, scoring four runs in the seventh when Stevenson had the outcome in hand.

Pat Noonan hit a two-run double while Richardson and Andrew Copenhaver delivered RBI singles in the seventh for Canton.

Kwiatkowski had a two-run single in the third for the Chiefs. Kwiatkowski finished 3-for-4, scored two runs and drove in three.

Kyle Richardson and Pat Marsac each went 2-for-3. Marsac scored twice.

This was a young Canton team as only Marsac, Jason Tallant, Noonan, Jeff Opalinski, Neil Wildfong, Ray Horlinski, Jason Mortiere, Dahlman and Nathan Copenhaver will be lost to graduation.

"There were no secrets, no surprises, they just hit the ball better than we did the second game," Canton coach Scott Dickey said. "They absolutely hit the ball better than anybody we've faced. Usually when we score eight runs we win."

"Give our kids credit, we stayed up even through the seventh inning. They were still trying to battle."

# Canton edges Shamrocks, 9-8

BY STEVE KOWALSKI  
STAFF WRITER

Plymouth Canton baseball coach Scott Dickey played for Dearborn Diving Child, which has had some success against Redford Catholic Central.

"We beat them 2-1 to go to Tiger Stadium (for the 1984 Catholic League championship)," recalled Dickey, a 1985 DC graduate.

More than a decade later, Dickey's team at Canton pinned a 9-8 loss on the Shamrocks in Saturday's Class A district semifinal hosted by CC.

The win earned the Chiefs the right to meet Livonia Stevenson in the championship game, played in intermittent rain and won by the Spartans, 16-8.

To hear Dickey tell it, Saturday's win against CC would have been better than the one 13 years ago even if it earned the Chiefs the right to play in someone's backyard during a driving rain.

"Any success the kids have is better than any I had as a player," Dickey said. "This is by far a lot better. This is why we coach."

Pat Marsac's line drive single with the bases loaded and no outs in the bottom of the seventh brought Andrew Copenhaver home to break an 8-8 tie and send CC home with a rare district loss.

Not only was this the first time in years CC failed to win a district, it may have been the Shamrocks' first district loss that didn't come in a championship game since 1981, accord-

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ing to coach John Salter.

Canton ace Jason Mortiere was resilient through 4½ innings before getting relief help from Ben Tucker, who got credit for the victory.

Mortiere scattered 11 hits, struck out five and walked four.

The Shamrocks took a brief 8-7 lead when they scored four runs in the bottom of the fifth, including a pair that came home on a double by Casey Rogowski, and two others that came in on wild pitches.

That's when Dickey summoned Tucker.

"I had it but then the 'blue (umpires) didn't give me a couple calls and then I lost it," Mortiere said. "I knew two through six they are real tough. The second time around I got them down, the third time they knew my stuff. That's probably the best hitting team I've seen a 11 year. They refused to go down with two outs."

The Chiefs had 12 hits off four CC pitchers, beginning with starter Tony Nozewski, who lasted two innings.

Anthony Tomez pitched one inning in relief, followed by Mike Haller (three innings) and Ryan Kolb, who pitched to two batters. Haller suffered the loss, allowing two runs on one hit, one walk and three strikeouts.

The Chiefs began the bottom of the seventh with a walk to Opalinski. Attempting to advance Opalinski a base, the

next two Canton batters laid down bunts that were misfielded by the Shamrocks to load the bases.

Jason Tallant, the first batter to face Kolb, hit a ground ball under the third baseman's glove to score Opalinski with the tying run. With CC's defense in, Marsac ended things when he drove a line shot to left to score the winning run.

The Shamrocks, who finished 18-13 overall with a young team, lose only Josh DeCorvo, Nick Watts, Kolb, John DiBella and Ryan Ossenmacher to graduation.

"It hurts when you lose ugly but you can learn by it," said Salter, whose team committed eight errors. "All our returnees next year are good players now and with the experience of 31 games I'm sure they'll be better next year."

DiBella's two-run double gave the Shamrocks a 2-0 lead in the first, but they had to play catch-up most of the way.

The Copenhaver brothers led the Canton attack. Andrew Copenhaver was 3-4 with a stolen base, two runs and an RBI.

Nate Copenhaver was 2-3, stole a base and had three RBIs.

Opalinski was 1-3 with two runs scored and Pat Noonan was 2-4.

Bob Malek led the Shamrocks, going 3-for-4 with three RBIs. Rogowski was 2-4 with one RBI. Matt Firlik had two singles and scored one run.

# Spartans eliminate Churchill

BY STEVE KOWALSKI  
STAFF WRITER

Livonia Churchill defeated Livonia Stevenson, 5-0, in last month's Livonia City Tournament championship baseball game.

It took Stevenson less than one inning to reverse the score in Saturday's rematch in the Class A district semifinal hosted by Redford Catholic Central. The Spartans scored five first-inning runs en route to a 9-1 victory and a berth in the district championship game against Plymouth Canton, a 9-8 upset winner over host CC.

Senior right-hander Mark Felker, who handcuffed the Spartans on five hits in the previous meeting, was the victim this time.

Felker lasted only one-third of an inning, surrendering a three-run home run to Mike Allison and a two-run shot to Eric Yuhasz.

Tony Dattilio led off with a single and Todd Wilson walked, setting the stage for Allison's homer that cleared the centerfield fence about 350 feet from home plate.

The Spartans gained a 5-0

lead after Yuhasz hit a homer down the left-field line following a single by Justin Kerr.

"I didn't think it was going out. I thought it was going to be a long fly ball out," Allison said. "It's nice to get a lead on him. We were pretty happy to see him. We hit the ball a lot in the city tournament, but right at people, and we couldn't get a big inning going."

Stevenson coach Mike Keller said: "We kind of felt he'd be the guy throwing against us, he did such a good job the first time. I don't know if we were concerned. We were not too concerned about who was throwing against us."

Churchill coach Herb Osterland said neither homer would have had a chance to clear the fences at Ford Field, where the Chargers' city championship took place.

But that's of little consolation to the Chargers, who finished 7-14 overall.

"Allison's ball over the centerfield fence, that's a catchable ball at Ford Field," Osterland said. "You say 'Wow that's two home runs in the first inning.' You give them credit

for hitting them, but that's a pretty small park.

"You've got to give Stevenson a lot of credit. They were very aggressive, on a mission. They have a lot of seniors in the lineup and a lot of seniors delivered for them."

Earning the pitching victory was a sophomore, Jon Ritzler, who struck out 13 and walked one.

"He mixed his pitches up very well, got the ball over," Osterland said.

The Spartans added four runs after the first inning, three earned, against Churchill reliever Corey Cook.

Cook scattered seven hits, struck out six and walked two in 6½ innings of work.

Justin Kerr led Stevenson's 11-hit attack, going 3-for-3 while also receiving a walk.

Churchill's lone run came on Adam Carter's homer in the third inning.

Eric Lightle led Churchill, going 2-for-3 at the plate. Cook, Lightle and junior outfielder Brett Wells are three of the players Churchill will count on in the future.

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Anderson said. "My talent hasn't decreased."

"We do our homework," said Ken Madeja, the Michigan scout who followed Anderson for the Mariners. "We look into things like signability."

"He's a guy we followed the whole year, in fact, ever since he was 16. So we've seen a whole lot of him. He was there when we picked, so we couldn't let him go."

The Tigers, who had the No. 1 pick overall, opted for another Anderson, Matt, right-hander who helped Rice University reach the College World Series.

"I wasn't surprised at all," said Anderson, who is 5-2 this year with the Falcons and has a strikeout-to-inning ratio of nearly 3-to-1. "I sort of expected it."

By a quirk, Seattle happens to be playing Detroit in a four-game series starting tonight. Anderson figures to be there for one or more of the games — on his own dime since his dad

wants him to remain eligible to go to the University of Michigan should Seattle and his son fail to come to terms.

"We're tickled to death," his father said of the choice by Seattle. "Going down the list (after Detroit), they were the first one. Then New York (Yankees), Cleveland, then (Arizona) the Diamondbacks."

When the Mariners visited the Tigers earlier this season, Anderson sought out Johnson for counseling. It's no coincidence Anderson wears Johnson's No. 51 at Dearborn Divine Child.

Gus Anderson had 24- by 36-inch picture of Johnson and Anderson together. He has three copies and already arranged for Johnson to sign them. That will take place this weekend and Johnson gets one copy for himself.

Negotiations can't begin until Anderson's high school career is over. The Falcons are still in the running for the state Class B

crown. (They play in the Grosse Ile regional this Saturday.)

"There's not much more we can tell you at this point," Madeja said. "Once he finishes his season, then we'll get down and do some talking. I think Ryan's a good kid."

"I want to start," the young pitcher said. "And as soon as possible."

"Now that Seattle has got him," his father said. "This is only the first step. The next step is negotiations. The final step is a contract signed. That's our goal."

"We're viewing it the same way Alan Hendricks is viewing it. But I don't want to talk about money. And that's the way it should be."

It's hard to believe Seattle drafted Anderson just to look at, though.

It drafted him to pitch. And if drafted him to pitch, one has to believe the Mariners will get him signed.

# Rutherford from page C1

and sometimes in the low 90s. He finished 9-3 with 51 strikeouts and 74½ innings with an earned run average of 4.48. In nine Mid-American Conference starts he was 6-1 with a 2.3 ERA, allowing just two earned runs in his final four outings (26 innings).

In addition to making first-team All-MAC as a pitcher, Rutherford was also a second-

team All-Conference selection as a designated hitter where he finished with a .388 batting average, including a team-high 11 homers to go along with 48 RBIs.

"I just had a lot more confidence and was a lot more comfortable this season because of experience," said the 22-year-old Rutherford. "I attribute that to working out. My velocity was about 4 MPH better. I worked on

strengthening my forearms and that made me a better hitter."

When asked who his favorite Phillies was, Rutherford, who is not sure whether he'll be a reliever or starter, came up with a couple of worthy choices.

"Steve Carlton's one for sure, or how about Pete Rose, he was a Phillie," Rutherford said.

For now, Philly would settle for somebody like Curt Schilling.

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# Lutheran Westland claims 1st district crown since '94 season

Turnabout is fair play. Southfield Christian had won the Class C girls softball district the last two years, beating Lutheran High Westland in both.

But on Saturday, the Lady Warriors reversed the trend with a 10-7 victory in the championship final at Livonia Clarenceville.

Lutheran Westland (15-12 overall), which appeared in the 1993 and '94 regionals, will be headed this Saturday to Goodrich to face Harper Woods Bishop Gallagher (16-13) in one semifinal beginning at noon,

## GIRLS SOFTBALL

while Waterford Our Lady of the Lakes (25-3) takes on Armada (27-3) at 10 a.m. The final starts at 2:30 p.m.

"Our spring sports had a great season and we were probably the only team not to win the Metro Conference," Lutheran Westland coach Ron Gentz said. "We didn't want to cry over spilled milk, we just wanted to refocus. We played some of our better ball and seemed to play relaxed."

The Lady Warriors overcame a

6-3 deficit with four runs in the top of the fifth inning. Two Southfield Christian errors a pair of two-run singles by Kierra Decker and Beth Heiden sparked the rally.

The Lady Warriors also made a couple of clutch plays in the fifth and sixth innings. Second baseman Holly Kaye survived a violent collision with a Southfield Christian runner on a race to the first base bag, but held on for the out.

"She's as steady as we have defensively," Gentz said.

Sarah Hoffmeier led Lutheran Westland with three hits and three RBI, while Heiden, Decker and Joy Tierman each contributed two hits.

Michelle Wiersig, who came on for Decker, the starter, in the third, was the winning pitcher.

In the opening round, Lutheran Westland eliminated the host Trojans, 20-9, as Tiernan had four hits and two RBI.

Lindsay Allor and Jenny Blaine each contributed three hits and three RBI. Jenny Schultz also had three hits.

Clarenceville, which bowed out at 11-14 overall, got three hits from freshman designated hitter Rachael Koernke and two each from Amy Tondreau and losing pitcher Nicole Riell.

Wiersig was the winning pitcher.

# Season ends for Livonia teams

BY C.J. RISAK  
STAFF WRITER

Freebies kill. It's a lesson high school softball players, by the conclusion of their senior season, know all too well.

You just can't give the opposition a break.

Livonia Stevenson and Livonia Churchill both got a detailed clinic in that lesson at Saturday's Class A state district softball tournament, hosted by Livonia Ladywood.

In Saturday's first district semifinal, Stevenson had three first-inning wild pitches, walked five and committed two costly errors in losing 9-5 to Plymouth Salem; in the second, Churchill walked nine in an 8-1 loss to Plymouth Canton.

Canton, the champion of the Western Lakes Activities Association, ended up winning the district crown with a 13-1 triumph over Salem.

"We're a young team," said Stevenson coach Art Anselm. "We've got a lot of 10th graders (five starting) . . . One error led to all those runs."

"We don't normally do that." The Spartans got off to a quick start, scoring twice in the first inning. But Salem answered with four runs in the bottom of the first — on one hit, four walks and three costly wild pitches.

With a runner at first and two out, Stevenson starter LeAnne Schraufnagle walked the next two batters to load the bases. A wild pitch brought home the Rocks first run; a single by Maureen Buchanan drove in the second.

Buchanan stole second to put runners at second and third, and then Schraufnagle tossed two

more wild pitches to bring in two more runs, making it 4-2.

In the third, the Spartans added a run on a two-out single by Stephanie Ladd, trimming Salem's lead to 4-3.

But that was as close as they would come. The Rocks pulled away with a five-run fourth, all starting with two out and no one on base.

A walk and two errors brought home the first Salem run in the inning. Three straight hits followed — just the second, third and fourth hits of the game for the Rocks — the first a two-run triple by Becky Esper, the second an RBI triple by Carah Best. Stefanie Volpe's single delivered the fifth run of the inning, making it 9-3.

The Spartans got something going in the sixth, putting the first two batters on base on a hit batsman and a walk. With one out, Teri Fox doubled to bring in two runs.

But Salem pitcher Shannon Coultas averted further trouble with a strikeout and, with the bases loaded, a pop out.

Neither team hit particularly well: Salem had five hits, Stevenson four. The loss finished Stevenson's season with a 10-17 record.

In the Canton-vs.-Churchill semifinal, the Chiefs scored twice in the second inning and Churchill never recovered.

Consecutive singles to start the second by Amber LaGrow, Sara Freels and Nikki Kovachevich led to the first Chiefs' run, Kovachevich getting the RBI on a squeeze bunt. A single by Jillian Gross delivered the second run of the inning.

A base-running error cost Canton in the second inning, when

Nikki Kovachevich was called out at home after sliding in to the plate, but not tagging it; in the next inning, a runner failed to touch third and was called out.

The Chiefs added a run in the fifth on a walk to Gross, a wild pitch, a sacrifice bunt by Tara Biro and a ground out by Angela Litwin that drove in the run.

Churchill's only run came in the sixth. After Tina Naif reached base on an error, Jessie Jenkins tripled her home.

Canton broke the game open with a five-run sixth off Charger starter Raegan Tisher. A double by Freels started it; after a walk, however, the next two batters were retired, leaving runners at second and third.

A passed ball brought home the first Canton run of the inning. A Biro single brought home the second, and Litwin followed with a base hit to drive in the third. After a walk to Elizabeth Elsnor, Jenny Sikora singled to deliver a run, and an error in the outfield allowed Elsnor to race home.

"They're just solid," said Churchill coach Dana Hardwidge of Canton. "We knew we couldn't give them many runs, because we wouldn't score many."

One surprise did greet the Chargers: Canton coach Jim Arnold started senior Sarah Carson, his No. 2 pitcher.

"I was (surprised)," Hardwidge said. "We'd faced them twice before, and it was always (Gretchen) Hudson. I know he goes on a kind of rotation basis, and I guess it was her turn."

Carson stopped Churchill (15-14) on three hits, with no walks; the only run off of her was unearned.

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**METEORS RUNNER-UP**

The Livonia Family Y Meteors, a girls under-13 team, recently finished second in the Canton Invitational held Memorial Day weekend.

They also finished second in the Sidney, Ohio Mayfest Classic (only losing to the Canton Force).

Members of the Meteors, who fell to the Beechmont, Ohio in the championship, include: Ashley Aja, Jennie Bartkowiak, Elizabeth DiPonio, Jenna Felczak, Jamie Hartwick, Katharine Koch, Deanna Kowalkowski,

Jennie Kupatas, Shayna Lewis, Meghan Parnell, Julie Peterson, Rebecca Rogozan, Any Sanders, Eric Schuelke and Lauren Valdivia.

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**Rockets' long jumper 2nd**

Paul Terek's record-shattering performance (see related story) in the pole vault somewhat overshadowed some outstanding performances by area athletes in last week's Class A boys and girls track meets held Saturday in Rockwood.

On the boys side, Westland John Glenn senior David Jarrett was runner-up in the long jump.

Jon Hall of Pontiac Central won the event with a leap of 22 feet, 6 inches. Jarrett, who had gone an Observerland best of 23-6/8 earlier this year, was second in 21-11/4.

Plymouth Salem junior Ian Searcy finished third in the 800-meter run with a time of 1:55.42. Nick Gow of Milford Lakeland was first in 1:54.8.

Livonia Churchill sophomore Ryan Kearney set a school record with a time of 39.45 in the 300 intermediate hurdles, good enough for fifth place. Arthur Bouyer of Lansing Sexton was first in 37.74.

Another fifth-place finisher was Redford Catholic Central senior Brian Teehey, who clocked a personal best of 49.22. Godfrey Herring, a three-even winner from state champion Pontiac Northern, was first in 46.95.

Wayne Memorial senior Ron Pennington was sixth in the shot put with a personal best toss of 54-9/8. Todd Duckett of Kalamazoo Loy Norrix broke the state record with heave of 63-6.

Farmington Hills Harrison's Nick Shaieb was eighth at 54-3.

Harrison's 800 and 400 relay teams finished fifth and eighth, respectively.

Glenn's Mike Samples was 10th in the shot put with a personal-best 53-0. The Rockets' 400 relay team, without top sprinter Harden James (pulled quad), had the ninth-best time behind the efforts of Reggie Spearmon, Steve Hester, Aaron Stephens and Jarrett.

Livonia Stevenson's Rob Block was 12th in the 3,200 at 9:47.8, a personal best for the junior.

**Girls Class A results**

Livonia Stevenson junior Kelly Travis came through with a fifth-place finish in the 1,600 run (5:11.69) and seventh in the 3,200 run (11:24.63), both personal bests. Teammate Kelly McNeilance, also a junior, placed seventh in the 1,600 with a personal-best 5:14.03.

**Terek from page C1**

"I attained it. It was very impressive."

Terek had a good feeling about his weekend when Lee was able to find a nearby Old Country Buffet on Friday night in the Grand Rapids area.

"I made coach Lee look it up in the phone book," said Terek, who was along for the ride with fellow state qualifiers and teammates Matt Lawson (shot put) and Josh Burt (3,200). "I ate a lot of pasta. I had a full stomach, for sure, and a nice sleep."

"Then in the morning we went out to breakfast bar and for once in my life I ate mostly healthy things — only one piece of bacon, cereal, a banana and fruit." Yes, everything did fall into place.

Portage Northern's Sharon Van Tuyl, the state record holder, won the 3,200 in 10:31.16. She was also first in the 1,600 (4:57.82).

Stevenson's 3,200 relay team of Travis, McNeilance, Danielle Harris and Andrea Parker was fourth in 9:29.39 (a season best and a school record). Plymouth Salem was fifth in 9:31.6.

In the long jump, Plymouth Canton Nkechi Okwumabua was third with a leap of 17-5/8. John Glenn's Nicolette Jarrett, a junior, was fourth at 17-4/8. Jarrett also took eighth in the

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200 (26.14).

In the 800 run, Katie Bonner of Salem was seventh with an Observerland-best 2:18.45. North Farmington's Melissa Gratz was fifth in the discus (128-5).

**Class C results**

Lutheran High Westland rode the strong legs of senior Jodi Werman, who finished third in the 1,600 run (5:14.11) and seventh in the 3,200 run (11:39.45) at Saturday's state Class C meet at Comstock Park.

Both events were won by Bethany Brewster of Saginaw Valley Lutheran in 5:00.55 and 11:09.33, respectively.

Hana Hughes added a fifth in the 300 hurdles with a personal-best 46.73.

The Warriors 400 relay team of Stephanie Davis, Hughes, and the Clark sisters, Laura and Amy, finished fifth 51.79. The 800 relay quartet of Rebekah Hoffmeier, Hughes and the Clark sisters added fifth in the 1,600 relay (4:11.49).

Tiffany Simon of Redford Bishop Borgess was runner-up to Alanna Mestelle of White Pigeon in the 200 dash. Mestelle was clocked in 25.36, while Simon posted a time of 26.163.

Detroit Renaissance won the girls team championship.

In the boys meet, Corey Davis of Borgess was eighth in the 400 (50.94).

Detroit St. Martin DePorres captured the boys team title with 42 points. New Haven was second with 33.

**WEEK AHEAD**

**GIRLS SOCCER**

Saturday, June 7  
Class A state championship at Plymouth Canton; 1 p.m.

**STATE TOURNAMENT**

**REGIONAL BASEBALL DRAWS**

(all Saturday, June 7)

**CLASS A**

at ANN ARBOR HURON

Semifinals: Livonia Stevenson vs. Monroe district champion, 11 a.m.; Belleville district champion vs. Saline district champion, 1 p.m.

Championship final: Approximately 3 p.m. (Winner advances to the state quarterfinals Tuesday, June 10 at Onsted vs. Lansing Everett regional champion.)

**STATE TOURNAMENT**

**REGIONAL SOFTBALL DRAWS**

(all Saturday, June 7)

**CLASS C**

at GOODRICH

Semifinals: Armada (25-3) vs. Waterford Our Lady of the Lakes (27-3), 10 a.m.; Lutheran High Westland (15-12) vs. Harper Woods Bishop Gallagher (18-13), noon.

Championship final: Approximately 2:30 p.m. (Winner advances to the state quarterfinals Tuesday, June 10 at Holly vs. Reese regional champion.)

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**BASEBALL ASSOCIATION SCHEDULE**

Friday, June 6

Livonia Adray vs. Michigan Rams.

Livonia DCI vs. Hines Park at Ford Field, 5:30 & 8 p.m.

Sunday, June 8

(all double-headers)

Livonia Adray vs. Livonia DCI.

Windsor Selects vs. Michigan Rams at Ford Field, noon and 5:30 p.m.

Hines Park vs. Windsor Stars at Mic-Mac Park, 6 p.m.



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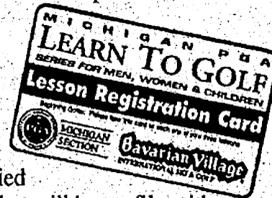
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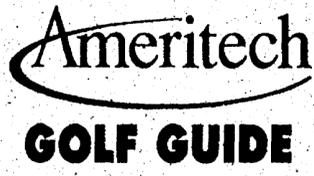
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# Be careful when tiling

**Q.** We are planning on installing ceramic tile in our kitchen. We have had two contractors give us estimates, and they were somewhat different. Which method is better - (1) gluing the tile to the plywood subfloor or (2) putting down a "mud" base?

**A.** A single layer of plywood is completely insufficient. You must add "underlayment" prior to installing the ceramic tile. However, it is important to inspect the floor joist spans before you proceed. Ceramic tile is a very rigid material. Most ceramic tiles will crack if there is movement underneath the tile. Some wood floor systems when designed to minimum standards have too much flex in them. The flex or "bounce" will crack tiles.

Floor joists are basically wood "I" beams for a given floor joist. You can increase the distance between supports, but the joist will deflect a greater amount. Floor joists beneath ceramic tile floors must not deflect more than 1/360th of their span. Assuming your

joists are No. 1 grand and the span is no greater than 16'9", you can proceed.

You have two choices of underlayment: 3/8-inch cementitious board. Both will perform exceptionally as long as you install them carefully. Your existing subfloor should be securely attached to the floor joists. Drywall screws work well, but use ones that have coarse threads.

If you choose to use exterior plywood, the spacing of the sheets is critical. The 3/8-inch plywood edges must be offset from existing plywood edges at least 2 inches in each direction. You must also be sure to maintain a 1/8-inch spacing around each sheet of plywood. Plywood expands with changes in humidity. If spaced too tightly, the plywood will buckle and crack the tile.

Attach the plywood with nails or screws that will penetrate the floor joists at 3/4 inch. Be sure to screw the edges. Cementitious board makes a great underlayment, but it requires some additional labor. It is necessary to install the cementitious board in a layer of

fresh thin set or dry set mortar. This material acts as a filler for any low spots in the plywood. Without this layer of thin set, the board may flex under foot traffic, causing the ceramic tile to crack. The cementitious board is attached to the existing plywood and floor joists with galvanized nails and screws. If you choose exterior plywood as underlayment, you must use an organic adhesive or an epoxy mortar as a bonding agent between the tile and the wood. A latex premodified Portland cement mortar will create long-lasting adhesion should you decide to use the cementitious board underlayment.

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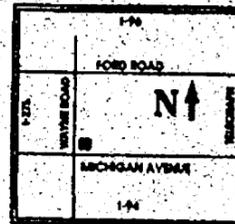
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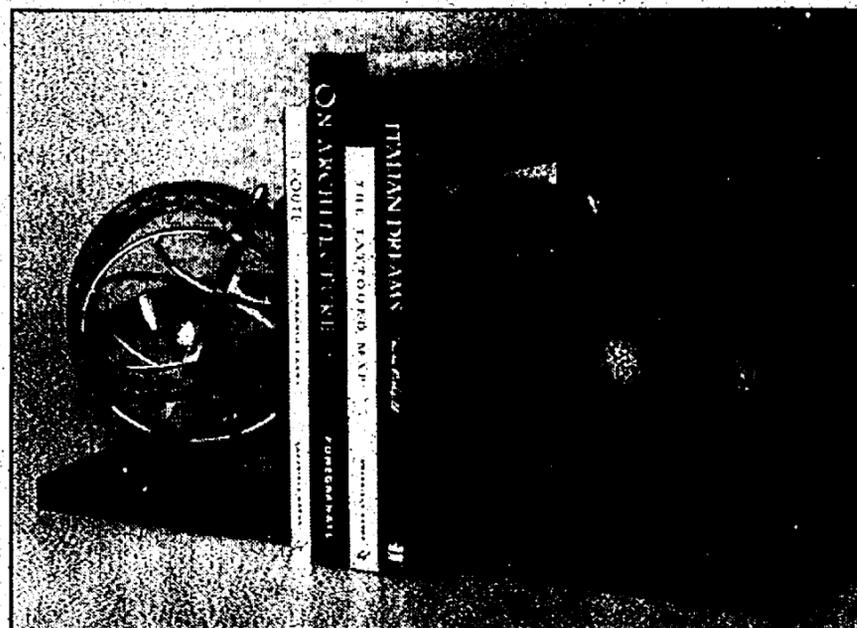
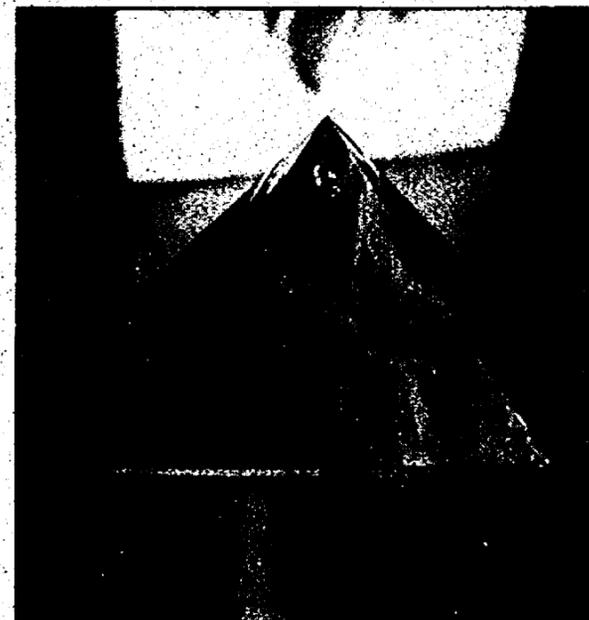


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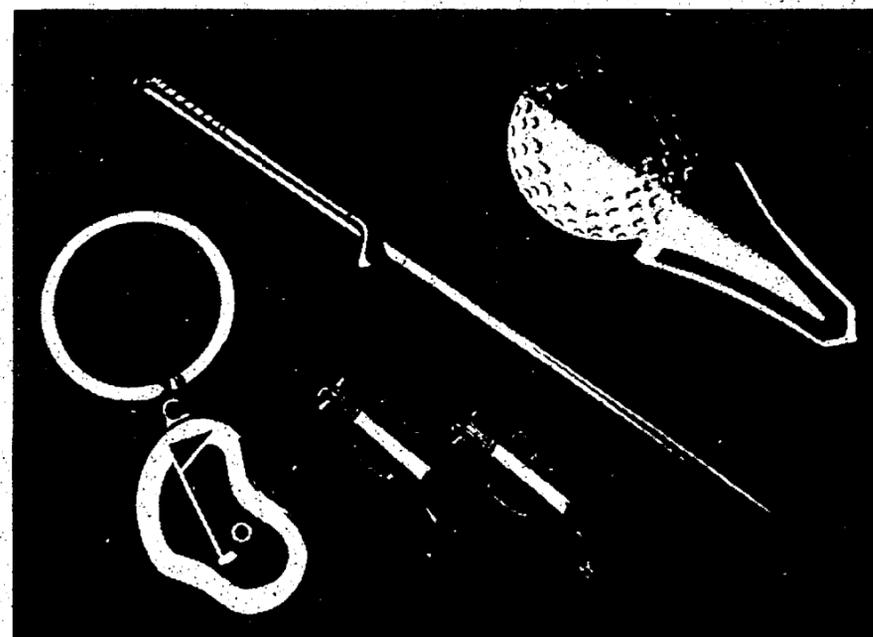
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# The old days taught many things



JOE GAGNON

The year was 1972 and I had just clocked 65,000 miles on a brand-new Ford Torino driving back and forth across the state of Michigan.

My job for the Amana Corporation was to take care of customer relations and to find and teach independent service companies how to repair Amana products. It was a period of long hours and many service meetings, but it afforded me knowledge of what was going on in my industry.

We had just moved into a renovated building on Eight Mile near Woodward in Ferndale that was then our offices and warehouse facility serving the Michigan area.

My boss, Jack Plating, found us a warehouse manager by the name of Louie Florio, who had spent years work-

ing for the Philco Corporation, and we brought him out of retirement.

I remember during his interview when he showed me how to load a large side-by-side refrigerator onto a dolly. This little robust guy made me look like an amateur as he grabbed that wire band around the box and with one hand accomplished what I couldn't do with two.

He was always so pleasant and we shared old stories from his earlier years in the business that were fun to listen to.

A few years ago someone told me that Louie had passed away, and I felt guilty at not keeping in touch. Yesterday I was going through the weekly mail I receive at the radio station when a return address on an envelope jumped out at me. The name was Dennis Florio and I'd like to print here what his short letter said:

"Joe - I really enjoy your program. My father talks about you a lot. He used to work with you at Amana. (Louie Florio). Give him a call if you get a chance.

His number is.... Thanks, Dennis."

Folks, I read that short note and I can't tell you how so few words could mean so much. I will be calling Louie before this column is in your hands.

Today, the Amana Corporation is up for sale, and I understand a foreign manufacturer is seriously looking at the purchase. With the few major players left in the appliance industry, this is big news in my business.

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He knew a lady who had retired from Philco, and we were blessed to hire Charlene Charlesworth. She worked for us for several years before retiring again, and there was no finer lady in the world.

A few years back I was doing a consumer seminar for a group of seniors in Plymouth and as is normal I was late getting there.

I ran down the hall to the stage area and standing in a group in front of the entrance door were eight of the past employees of the Amana Corporation.

I stopped in front of them with great surprise, as they informed me that they had set up this seminar. I was choked with emotion as the tears flowed down my cheeks and I embraced each one of them.

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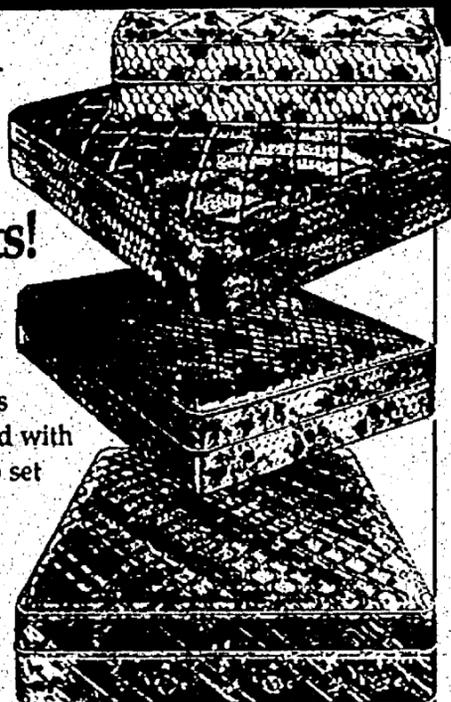
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## garden spot

# Planning garden brings great results



MARTY FIGLEY

I visited "Spring Fling," the cheerful garden of Dr. David and Kathleen Schneider of Royal Oak in late April and found a garden filled with yellow Daffodils and blue-flowering Vinca.

Soon Forget-me-nots filled in the area to camouflage the foliage as the bulbs died down.

"The Forget-me-nots were given to me by my mother and they are now all over the yard, and the neighborhood," Kathleen said.

This garden requires little maintenance.

It has taken the Schneiders six years to achieve this beautiful setting for their home.

They have done all the work them-

selves and in this time single bulbs of Unsurpassable Daffodils have now formed clumps. A few King Alfreds are also part of the setting.

A curving walk leads to the front door and is flanked by these bright yellow bulbs. Near the house, deep crimson Azaleas bloom to add depth.

Along the side of the house, tiny "Tete a tete" daffs keep company with perennials, which will bloom later in the season.

For the past two years a friend has given them a gift of 100 mixed bulbs from White Flower Farm, so they call this area, which is along the side of the back yard and directs one to the back, "Mary's Walk."

A large yellow Forsythia holds court near a bench and chairs, providing a pleasant place for resting.

"In the spring we concentrate on yellow, white and blue, then later in the season there are pinks, blues, light blues,

purples, mauves and light yellows. I was inspired by Ellen's Garden at Cranbrook."

As the season progresses, the window boxes repeat these colors.

This garden is a perfect example of what can be accomplished when a plan is made and then executed.

Although tender summer-flowering bulbs usually are planted a week to 10 days before the last frost date (May 10-20 in zone 5), there's still time to plant them, especially since we have had such a cool spring. It's best to have a plan, as the Schneiders have done, for the best show.

Because these plants are quite attractive, and sometimes have a short bloom period, choose a place where they can be enjoyed to their fullest. Keep in mind that bulbs need a soil that is moisture-retentive and well-draining - they won't tolerate waterlogged soil.

Most tender bulbs need to be dug

and stored each season, so be ready to care for them after they have brightened your garden while others are replaced each year. Here are some suggestions:

Dahlias are one of the most popular and there are many kinds - tall, short, large, small, single and double. They are most happy in well-drained, loamy soil mixed with humus or decayed leaf mold. The tall ones need to be staked - don't crowd them.

Gladiolus are grown from corms and are in the *Iridaceae* family. There is a very large selection from which to choose (including colors) and they are wonderful as cut flowers.

Bone meal should be worked into the planting hole under the corms and provide a side dressing of an all-purpose

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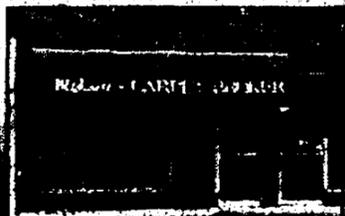
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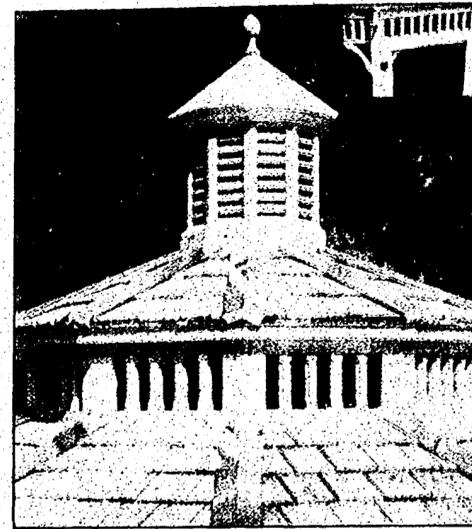
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Shaping up: Gazebo styles include Classic-Spindle (at left) and Countryside-Lattice (at right). Types of roofs are shown above.



Cleanup: Doug Hoisington of Power Clean in Oxford (at left) gives a light brushing to a deck to speed the cleaning. Hoisington offers The Miracle Soaper (below), which is used with a garden hose and common household products. The bottom two photos show part of a deck before (top) and after cleaning with the device.



# Gazebos: Popular way to hit the deck



**On the cover:** Going gazebo: An Elite-Spindle style gazebo is a lovely way to enjoy the outdoors.

BY MARY KLEMIC  
At Home Editor

"All hands on deck!" That's the idea on land more and more as temperatures climb and homeowners look for relaxation on decks, patios and porches. And a gazebo is a popular version of a deck, both romantic and practical.

The owner of a Milford gazebo business attributes to TV the popularity of the outdoor structures.

"More soap operas are pushing them big," said Joe Poplars, owner of Gazebos LTD, 140 Summit (call (800) 701-6767). "There's either murder or romance or something going on there (on the shows). It's become a backyard status symbol."

An advantage of a gazebo over a screened-in porch is that a gazebo gives you a view from every direction, Poplars said.

"It's a backyard retreat, just to get away.... We have other people who put electrical outlets there where they can make toast and cook eggs."

A gazebo is a good spot to enjoy coffee, a picnic or a book. It gives youngsters a place to be with their friends that is private but still in parents' view. It can enclose a hot tub. During winter months, it can house such summertime items as outdoor furniture and pool supplies.

Lynda Long first bought a gazebo to hide a propane

tank. She ended up buying three gazebos, including a 12-sided, 160-square foot Countryside-Lattice style to house a hot tub. Planters and an L-shaped deck enhance the gazebo's beauty.

"I love it," the Gazebos LTD customer said. "I was very impressed with the quality."

When Poplars and his brother, Earl, started Gazebos LTD in 1981, it was ahead of the trend in Michigan, he said. Now the business sends gazebos all over the world as well as all over the area.

The gazebos come in nine sizes and four styles: Monarch-Window, Countryside-Lattice, Classic-Spindle and Elite-Spindle. Shapes are square, rectangle, eight-sided, 10-sided and 12-sided.

Prices range from \$399 to \$9,000. Features that can be added include cupolas, skylights and sliding windows.

They are do-it-yourself units. Parts are pre-cut and pre-drilled, and most are pre-assembled.

The homeowner could take the gazebo to a new residence - but Poplars knows a customer who bought three of the structures. Every time the customer wanted to take the gazebo along on a move, the new owners said it was one of the reasons they wanted the house.

The gazebos last 70 years, Poplars said. He recommended using a penetrating preserver on the wood, rather than a surface sealer, as a surface sealer tends to wear off.

## Cleanup

Preserver isn't the only thing to keep in mind about maintaining a deck.

"Decks are pretty maintenance free," said Doug Hoisington of Power Clean in Oxford.

"It's a good idea to keep it clean.... The ideal (cleaning) is once in the spring and once in the fall."

Ultraviolet rays from the sun, grit, pollution, mildew and pollen destroy the top layer of bare wood and make the deck look grimy and gray, Hoisington said. Moss can make it slippery.

Grit on a deck is "just like sand on your carpet," Hoisington said. "It cuts the fiber."

Decks are cleaned by pressure washing and/or chemicals. Hoisington has tips and tools to, as he puts it, "take pressure off power washing."

Power or pressure washing uses plain water at anywhere from 1,500 to 3,000 pounds per square inch to remove dirt from the surface.

It also takes off the soft grain of the wood, which can make an uneven surface and lead to splinters and sharp edges of wood sticking up, Hoisington said. He advised the following:

- Before cleaning with high pressure, cover electrical outlets so the water won't get into the house. Replace any weak or cracked boards and drive in any loose nails. Be sure shrubs and plants are protected.

- If you rent a power washer, start on a part of the deck that doesn't show, until you get the hang of the machine. Be careful, as you can hurt yourself or the deck even if you glance away for only a moment. If you hire a cleaning business, get its certificate of insurance and references.

- Attic vents should always be cleaned by hand. Take care of screens and canvas awnings. Bricks shouldn't be cleaned with a power washer as the high-pressure washing damages the mortar.

Hoisington is the local distributor for The Miracle Soaper, a low-pressure cleaning device with a plastic tube attached to a solid brass fixture.

It is used with a garden hose and common household cleaning products. The other end of the tube is placed in the cleaning solution, and a dial on the fixture is turned until the liquid rises up the tube.

The Miracle Soaper costs \$49.95 and can be used for other jobs around the house, including fertilizing the lawn.

"People keep coming up with more and more uses." Hoisington offers a free booklet, "How to Clean Any Home or Deck Safely," and a free information package about The Miracle Soaper. For the material, send a stamped, self-addressed, business-size envelope to Power Clean, 3528 Meadow View Drive, Oxford 48371. Call (248) 628-6320.



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**Radon mitigation:  
the next step**

In prior columns, we discussed what radon is and inexpensive methods for testing.

Radon is a naturally occurring radioactive gas that is ranked behind smoking as the second-leading cause of lung cancer. The EPA estimates that one out of every 15 homes in the United States has radon levels above the recommended action level.

This column will deal with easy and relatively inexpensive methods to reduce elevated levels of radon.

Who can fix radon problems?

If elevated radon is found in your home, help is just a phone call away. The state of Michigan has a list of EPA-listed radon mitigators (called RCPs for Radon Contractor Proficiency) who can fix your home fast and inexpensively.

The state also has plenty of free consumer information that it will quickly send in the mail. The state radon office can be reached at (800) RADON-GAS.

The RCP program measures the proficiency of an individual contractor, not the company. All EPA-listed radon mitigators are given a photo ID card. We suggest that you check this card and that you verify contractors are fully insured and licensed with the state. Ask the contractor to certify, in writing, that any installation they perform will meet local codes and insist that a permit be pulled.

How are radon levels reduced?

While there are various methods for radon reduction, the most common methods work through soil suction. In this newspaper's readership area, the cost for such a system is typically \$800 to \$1,000.

Soil suction methods work exceedingly well for a couple of reasons. First, soil suction helps to remove radon before it enters the house; this usually eliminates the need to exchange air or take other more expensive steps to reduce levels in the home.

Second, the air pressure inside the home is usually lower than it is in the soil around the home's foundation. Science tells us that nature constantly strives for equilibrium, thus radon-containing soil gas infiltrates as a means of correcting the imbalance. Soil suction mechanically corrects the imbalance, lessening the higher air pressure in the soil under the home.

Of the various types of soil suction methods, the two most commonly used are sump suction and active subslab suction.

If the home has a sump pit, the pit is capped with an airtight cover in which a radon suction pipe is installed. Usually made out of four-inch PVC (like modern plumbing drains), the suction pipe is

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fertilizer when the flowers are forming. Galtonia, or Summer Hyacinth, is a member of the Liliaceae family and vaguely resembles tall hyacinths with white flower spikes. They need to be handled the same way as gladiolus.

Another plant you may wish to grow is the Tigridia, or Tiger Flower, which is also in the Iris family. Tigridias grow from corms; flower colors range from shades of purple and rose to white, yellow and orange.

Set them in the ground three to four inches deep and six to 10 inches apart. They grow best in a sunny location.

Begonias can perform well in a shady area and are generally bought as bedding plants here. Set the tubers just at the surface of the soil 12 to 18 inches apart.

When the weather is very hot, a light spray of water will be appreciated. When flowering declines, cut the foliage back to four to six inches and stop watering.

Dig tubers, allow to dry, remove remaining foliage. Next season start new growth several weeks before time to set them in the garden.

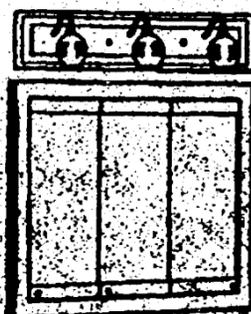
**TIMELY GARDEN TIPS**

- Plant container-grown trees, shrubs, ground covers, annuals.
- Transplant perennials and evergreens.
- Prune dead or diseased wood and water sprouts from dogwoods.
- Check plants growing on trellises; stake and retie if necessary.
- Weed when the soil is damp - it's easier.

Marty Figley is an advanced master gardener based in Birmingham. You can leave her a message by dialing (313) 953-2047 on a touch-tone phone, then her mailbox number, 1859. Her fax number is (810) 644-1314.

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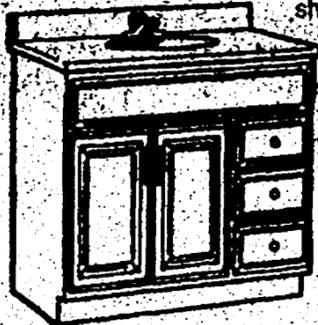
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## focus on photography



**Cultural composition:** Fran Valentine took this carefully composed photograph of the Orpheus Fountain at famed Cranbrook Academy. Along with many other pictures, it hangs proudly in her home.

## Get some exposure



**MONTE NAGLER**

If you're like many amateur photographers, your pictures don't get much exposure - in your home, that is. Many of your good shots are packed away in drawers and closets, not on the wall where they belong.

Your home should reflect your personality with a selection of photographs to complement the other furnishings in your rooms. Your own pictures and those of other photographers whose work you admire will add to the decor of your home and your enjoyment of it.

Of course, attractive matting and framing enhances the presentation of a photograph. Pre-cut mats in standard sizes can be bought from most art supply or camera shops.

You can also buy inexpensive mat cutters, and with a little practice you'll be cutting your own professional looking mats.

Simply measure equal borders around your already mounted photograph and carefully cut your mat. Make sure the blades are sharp and use fine sandpaper or an emery board to eliminate any rough spots on the edges.

To produce a collage of pictures, perhaps of the entire family, just cut as many "windows" out of the mat board

as you'll need. Then tape each picture to the board from behind and back them with another piece of mat board. You're now ready to add a frame.

Frames come in many styles, colors and prices. For photography, simplicity is the best guideline.

Plain metal frames don't draw attention away from the impact of the photograph, yet at the same time they lend a complementary finishing touch to your picture.

Metal frame kits are available in all photo, art supply and frame shops. Buy sections in the lengths you need and your frame can be assembled easily in a matter of minutes.

Be sure to use glass, too. Glass not only protects your photograph, but also adds to the appearance of your finished work. Regular, single strength glass works best. Non-glare glass reduces the "snap" of your photo and makes the colors look dull.

Other types of frames are available. Plain wood frames will enhance many photographs, while more modern Lucite frames will add a contemporary touch.

Most pictures look best when hung at eye level.

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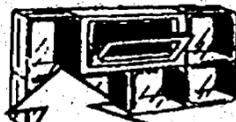
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# How about some tasty tips



RUTH MOSSOK  
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Few things are as thrilling to me as looking out of my not so plumb 1840 kitchen window, and seeing apple green crowned stalks of asparagus popping out of their trench and through our sandy soil.

As much as I love my herb garden, and reap great benefit from its flourish, there is something almost magical about asparagus. The long anticipated wait of three years before harvest is well worth it.

This cherished member of the lily family (which also includes onions, leeks, and garlic), has roots in Greece, and dates back 2,500 years.

Not only elegant and tasty, asparagus is a good source of potassium, vitamins; B6, A, and C, triamin and folic acid (folacin) - low in calories, no fat, no

cholesterol and is low in sodium.

Michigan is third in the nation for the production of asparagus, yielding over 25 million pounds of asparagus yearly - and to celebrate, there is an annual festival held in Hart, Mich.

This year marks the 24th Annual National Asparagus Festival - "Stalking the Good Life," and Oceana County will make you plenty welcome with all kinds of activities on June 13-15.

For information check with the Michigan Asparagus Advisory Board, (517) 669-4250 or (517) 347-2530.

Asparagus tips:

■ If planting asparagus in your garden, make sure your soil is sandy - plant in a trench and await the growth process. Year one: a crown forms with approximately six inches of root ending. Year two: the asparagus crown grows into a fern. Year three: time to harvest.

■ If buying asparagus, look for fresh, firm spears with a closed crown. A purple hue on the crown is no indication of age or discoloration. Buy stalks that are

the same size in diameter for consistency in cooking time.

■ Your choice of pencil-thin or thicker stalked asparagus, is purely personal. One isn't finer or more tender than the other.

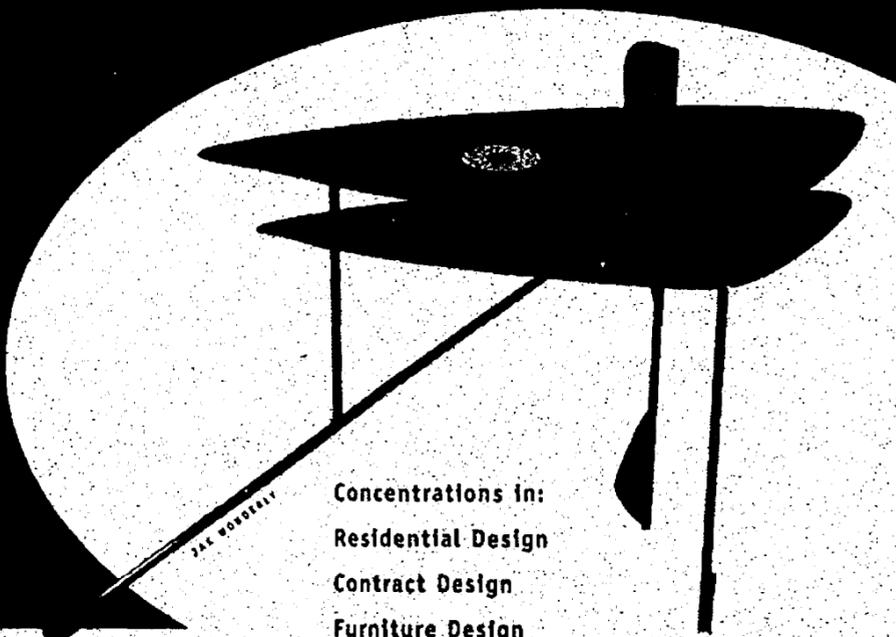
■ While some prefer only the tips, the stalks are quite delicious, especially in soups, or processed and pureed for a sauce.

■ Asparagus can be peeled or left unpeeled. Williams-Sonoma stores sell an asparagus peeler, or a small sharp knife will do. The asparagus peeler does provide for an extravagant gift during gift giving holidays, or an unusual hostess gift.

■ To keep fresh asparagus fresh, keep it clean, covered and cold, or wrap stem ends in moist paper towels, or stand upright into a few inches of cool water. Cook and eat asparagus as soon as possible.

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sible. It will keep for a few days in the refrigerator.

■ Asparagus can be steamed, boiled, sauteed, grilled, stir-fried, or baked in a casserole.

■ Flavor the oil (with herbs, garlic or spices) in which you will be cooking the asparagus.

■ Asparagus makes wonderful soup, a great ingredient for a quiche or stir-fry. Puree of asparagus is a wonderful base for sauces to top pastas, rice, or over a meat, fish or poultry entree. Cooked asparagus makes a delicious and nutritious side dish or salad.

Award-winning cookbook author and chef Joanne Weir has just come out with a new publication - this one is for Williams-Sonoma: "Spring-Recipes Inspired by Nature's Bounty" published by Time-Life Books, a division of Time Life Inc., 1997.

Joan has a few tips of her own: "Using a small, sharp knife, cut off the woody stem end of each asparagus spear. Alternatively, firmly grasp the end and snap it off; the stalk will break naturally at the proper point. Using a vegetable peeler, strip away the tough outer skin of the asparagus spear, starting 1-2 inches (2.5-5 cm) below the base of the tip and cutting slightly thicker as you near the end."

**PARCHMENT-BAKED SCALLOPS AND ASPARAGUS**  
1 1/2 pound (750 g) asparagus spears  
1/2 teaspoon grated orange zest  
1 tablespoon fresh orange juice  
1/4 cup (2 oz/60 g) unsalted butter, at room temperature salt and freshly ground pepper

2 pounds (1 kg) bay scallops  
Preheat oven to 425° F (220°C).  
Cut or snap off the tough stem ends from the asparagus spears and discard. Cut the spears into 1 1/2-inch (4cm) lengths. Bring a large saucepan three-fourths full of salted water to a boil. Add the asparagus and boil until bright green, about 1 minute. Drain well and set aside.

In a small bowl, using a fork mash together the orange zest, orange juice, butter and salt and pepper to taste.

Cut out 6 hearts from parchment paper, each one 12 inches (30 cm) high and 12 inches (30 cm) wide at its widest point. Spread the 6 parchment hearts in a single layer on a work surface. Divide the scallops and asparagus evenly among them, placing them on the right half of each heart. Season to taste with salt and pepper and dot with the orange butter. Fold the left half of each heart over the filling and, beginning at one end, fold and crease the edges together securely so

no juices will escape. Place in a single layer on a large baking sheet.

Bake until the packets have puffed considerably, 7-10 minutes. Remove from the oven and place on warmed individual plates. Cut open the top of each packet with scissors and serve immediately. Serves 6

Recipe from: "Spring-Recipes Inspired by Nature's Bounty."

**COOK'S NOTES**

Zest: thin strips of rind removed from a citrus fruit - only taking away the col-

ored rind, leaving behind the white part. Zesters are available at all cooking shops - it is a tool specifically designed to remove the rind - this handled short bladed tool with sharp-edged small holes (usually 5) can be found at Williams-Sonoma, Bed, Bath and Beyond stores and the Kitchen Glamor Shops.

Parchment paper can be bought at upscale groceries (Hiller's Food Empori-ums - formerly called Shopping Center Markets) or at kitchen shops.

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## HOME

■ The Symphony of Homes tour, sponsored by the Plymouth Symphony

League, will take place 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Friday, June 6, and 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, June 7. Ten residences in the Plymouth-Canton-Northville area will be featured. A boutique will be open at one of the houses, with items from The Velvet Plum, Traditions, Friends, Debbie Malek, Carolyn Still and more. Station 885 will be there selling beverages, light lunch foods and desserts. Raffle prizes

will be available. Area musicians will perform in the houses. Pre-sale tickets are \$15 and available at Frameworks, Beitner Jewelers, The Velvet Plum, Friends and Coldwell-Schweitzer Realtors. Tickets will be available for \$18 Friday and Saturday at any of the houses. For more information, call (313) 207-0666 between 11 a.m. and 5 p.m.

■ Colleen Dodt, author of "The Essential Oils Book," will present "Aromatherapy Introduction" 2-4 p.m. Saturday, June 7, at the Southfield Public Library, in the Southfield Civic Center at 26000 Evergreen. Pre-registration is required; call (810) 948-0470. Admission is \$5 at the door. In addition to her work as an herbalist, aromatherapy consultant and lecturer, Dodt is owner of Herbal Endeavors Ltd. of Rochester Hills.

■ A two-day opportunity to buy Walt Disney's "Winnie the Pooh: Up to the Honey Tree" sculpture will be Saturday-Sunday, June 7-8, in the Collector's Gallery of Hudson's stores at Oakland Mall in Troy (call (810) 597-2200), the Somerset Collection in Troy (call (810) 816-4000) and Twelve Oaks in Novi (call (810) 344-6800).

■ Craftspeople from Pawley's Island

Hammock of South Carolina create a hammock 1-4 p.m. Saturday, June 7, in Hudson's Marketplace at Oakland Mall in Troy (call (810) 597-2200). Guests may register to win the hammock at the end of the demonstration.

■ Clarkston Home Tour 15, featuring five distinguished residences in Clarkston and Independence Township, will take place noon to 5 p.m. Sunday, June 8. Reservations are \$22 per person (tax-deductible), which includes a tour of all houses and lunch at Mesquite Creek. The luncheon will be secured for all advance reservations. Walk-in reservations will be available 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Washington and Main streets. The premiere showing of the houses for patrons will be 6:30-9 p.m. Saturday, June 7, followed by a champagne reception and silent and live auctions at a private castle. Patron reservations are \$65 per person. For reservations, call (810) 625-3330 between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. Thursday-Friday. The tour is sponsored by the North Oakland SCAMP Funding Corporation.

■ The 25th annual Indian Village Home & Garden Tour will take place 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, June 7. Tickets

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■ The 1997 Detroit Symphony Designers Showhouse, a historic home and gardens at 892 W. Boston Blvd. in Detroit's Boston-Edison District decorated by area interior designers, is open 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. daily through Sunday, June 8. Tickets are \$15 each at the door, \$12 each for groups of 15 or more. Call (313) 962-1000, Ext. 285, for information.

■ The Community House, 380 S. Bates in Birmingham, offers a variety of home and garden classes. Call (248) 644-5832 for fees and other information. In the two-session "Blooms All Summer Long..." Mondays, June 9 and 16, learn how to select flower combinations to provide continuous color throughout the growing season. Instructor is Flower-scapes Inc. designer Mary Jo Grohs.

■ The Artfull Home, a fund-raiser for the Ann Arbor Art Center, will host a gala

housewarming preview 6-8 p.m. Thursday, June 12, at 706 Dornoch Drive in the Polo Fields at Zeeb and Liberty in Ann Arbor. Attendees may meet and mingle with local and statewide artists, and sign individual tiles of a ceramic "guest book" that will be displayed at the art center. The event will also showcase Michigan wines and feature music by Ann Arbor musician Paul Vornhagen. Tickets are \$35 per person. The Artfull Home will be open June 14-29, furnished and decorated with the works of more than 100 Michigan artists and artisans. Call the art center at (313) 994-8004.

■ A house and garden tour, sponsored by the Birmingham Republican Women's Club, will take place 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday, June 13. Tickets are \$8 donation and are available at Mills Pharmacy, 1740 W. Maple at Chesterfield in Birmingham; at Republican Headquarters, 725 S. Adams, Suite 14, in Birmingham; or from any club member. For tickets by mail, or more information, call (810) 646-5228, (810) 646-2009 or (313) 534-6724.

**GARDEN**

■ The Roses-West Rose Society will meet 7:30-9:30 p.m. Thursday, June 5, at the Novi Community Center, 45175 W. 10 Mile, west of I-96 and Novi Road. Call (810) 347-0400. Hands-on exhibiting at rose shows, along with tips and handouts, will be discussed by Erv Ignash,

chairman of judges for the Great Lakes District. A social hour will be featured. Guests are always welcome.

■ Saguaro Rare Plant Nursery, 470 W. Five Mile in Whitmore Lake, offers a series of free talks 7 p.m. Thursdays through June 26 at the nursery. Call (313) 449-4237. The June 5 talk, "Water Garden Plants," is by Saguaro Rare Plant Nursery owner Richard Tuttle. "Exotic Tropical Flowering Plants" will be the topic June 12, when Tuttle introduces many different flowering plants that will enhance

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■ The Metropolitan Rose Society will meet 7 p.m. Friday, June 6, at the Royal Oak Senior/Community Center, 3500 Marais, east of Crooks and north of 13 Mile. The topic will be "Enjoying the Rose Show." Learn such subjects as which varieties are best for exhibiting, how to prepare your roses for the show (what do you do with a crooked stem?) and how to keep the bloom dry. The public may attend.

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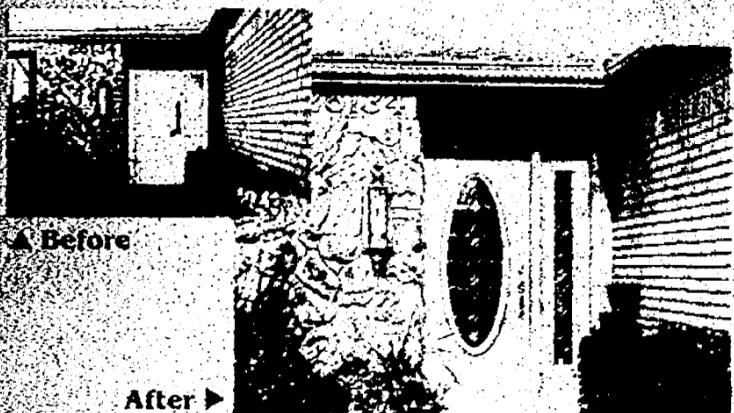
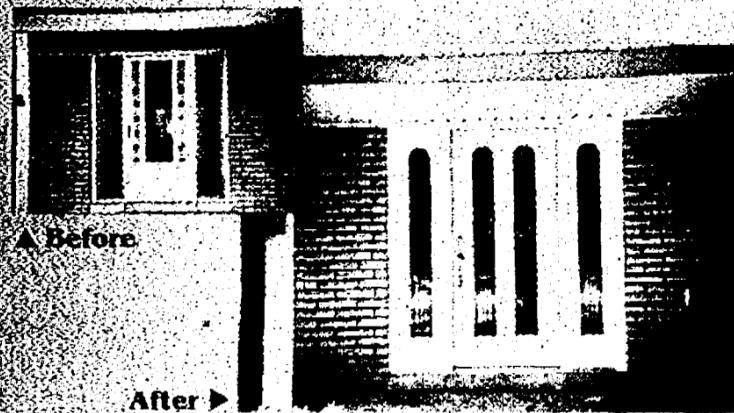
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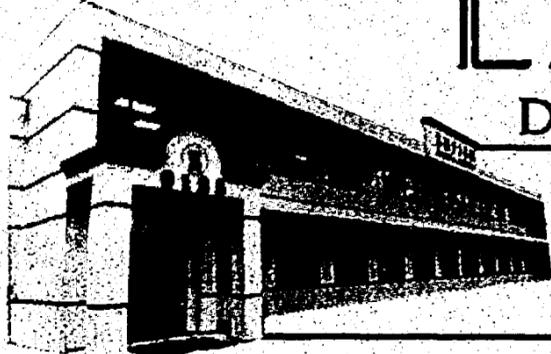


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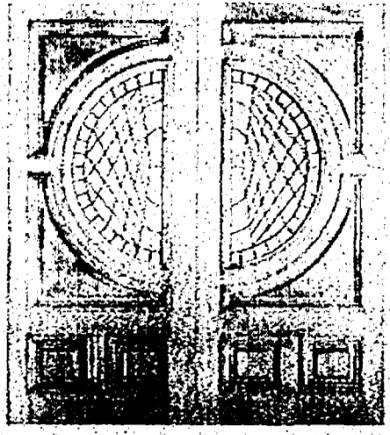


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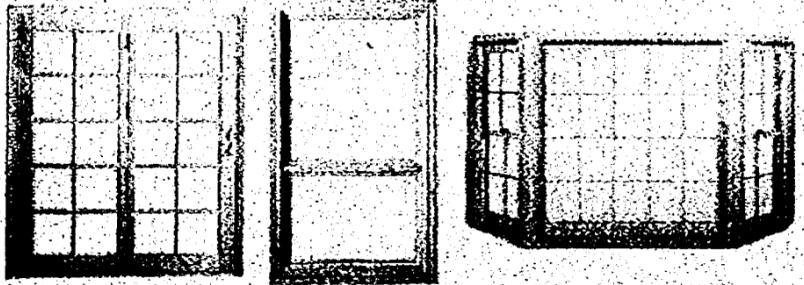
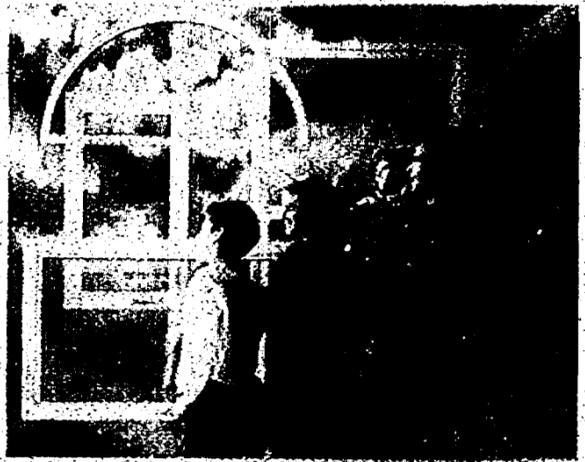
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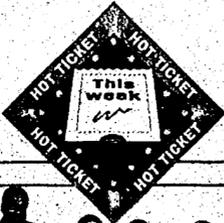


Twin brothers San and Laz Slomovits, also known as "Gemini," perform 11:30 a.m. and 2 p.m. at the Detroit Symphony Orchestra's Young People's Concert at Orchestra Hall, 3711 Woodward, Detroit. Tickets \$18 to \$7 (box seats \$27), (313) 833-3700.

SUNDAY



Robert Goulet and Darryl Ferrer star in "Man of La Mancha," 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. at the Fisher Theatre, 3011 W. Grand Boulevard, Detroit. Tickets range from \$22 to \$52, call (810) 645-6666 to charge tickets, or (313) 872-1000 for information.



Hot fix: Celebrate the grand opening of the Southfield Centre for the Arts, 24350 Southfield Road, with the Coasters, 8 p.m. Saturday, June 7. Tickets \$25 and \$30, (810) 424-9022.

# ENTERTAINMENT

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STAFF PHOTO BY DAN DEAN

Ethereal celebration: The Rev. Tony Tocco (above) of St. Hugo of the Hills in Bloomfield Hills had the initial idea for the Great Lakes Chamber Music Festival. He and his brother, renowned pianist and artistic director James Tocco (left), consider the two-week festival as a "family reunion."

## Heartland presents Playscape

BY JULIE YOLLES  
SPECIAL WRITER

Kitty Dubin has had a "Mystical Body" experience. And quite an artistic one at that.

The Birmingham playwright, who's had four of her six works produced locally at Jewish Ensemble Theatre ("Change of Life," "The Last Resort"), the Purple Rose Theatre ("Ties That Bind") and the now-defunct State Fair Theatre in Detroit ("Mirrors"), got the idea for her latest play at a group function.

"Someone used the phrase 'mystical body' to describe a sense of group connectedness that provides spiritual unity, and I was taken by this concept," said Dubin.

"When you're connected with people, you're better able to cope with things that would otherwise be overwhelming."

Dubin ought to know. She's been a practicing psychotherapist in Birmingham for the past 20 years.

"I don't use things directly for my plays, but my work gives me a good, solid underpinning of human nature," she said. "I think psychotherapy is very much like dramatic structure in that people don't get into therapy unless they're in a crisis. They don't just come to chat. And plays start out that way, too. There's conflict, growth and solutions."

For Dubin, there's been a lot of growth to "Mystical Body," a comedy about a woman down on her luck who finds spiritual renewal in leading an aerobics class. It was first performed



On stage: Mary E. Rychlewski (left to right) and Phyllis Lewis in the comedy "Clown Wives" written by local playwright Kim Carney.

## Festival celebrates spirituality of music

BY FRANK PROVENZANO  
STAFF WRITER

Growing up on the eastside of Detroit in the 1940s and 1950s, the Tocco brothers were about as close as brothers could be. They didn't have much choice. Eight boys shared a bedroom in a house of 13 siblings. The two youngest, Tony and James, shared more than a passion for music, an uncannily similar gait and bed sheets.

Following distinctively different paths, each sought a way to express a longing for ethereal harmony. Nearly 50 years later, Tony and James have respectively found their own special verse in biblical scripture, and as one of the most established pianists in the classical music world. Today, their respective talents have found a natural partnership in a rapidly emerging local music festival that has come to symbolize universal brotherhood.

With Tony — a monsignor pastor at St. Hugo of the Hills — providing one of the performing venues and James overseeing the artistic direction, the Tocco brothers' collaboration is the spiritual force behind the Great Lakes Chamber Music Festival. The two-week festival opens Saturday at Kirk in the Hills, an added venue this year.

Now in its fourth year, the festival has grown into one of the top international events considered on the level of prestigious chamber music festivals in Seattle, Santo Fe, Norfolk, Sarasota and Austria. This year's festival has been extended



from one-week to two. It'll be held at three primary sites: Kirk in the Hills Church, Temple Beth El and St. Hugo.

Drawing on a Presbyterian sanctuary, a temple and Catholic church represents the cross-denominational appeal that organizers believe reflects "the ecumenical and spirituality of music."

Although the 11 performances by 30 musicians appears to be distinguished more by eclecticism than by theme, many of the pieces were selected to commemorate the 100th anniversary of Brahms' death and the 200th anniversary of Schubert's birth.

"The key is James Tocco," said Maury Okun, executive director of the festival. "The musicians who'll be performing have either worked with him, or are coming here because of him."

In addition to Tocco, other high-profile artists include violinist Phillip Setzer of the Emerson Quartet, the lauded St. Lawrence String Quartet and conductor Peter Oundjian. Local musicians participating include Detroit pianist Ruth Laredo and the Detroit Chamber Winds.

"None of the artists are prima donnas," said James Tocco, who teaches at the University of Cincinnati Conservatory when he's not touring. "All the musicians at the festival are the type who consider the music more important than image. Because

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**Great Lakes Chamber Music Festival**

When: Saturday, June 7-Saturday, June 21  
Tickets: \$100, five concert subscription (\$85, seniors); \$120, seven-concert subscription (\$105, seniors); Corigliano concert, June 15 - \$15-20; \$7, family concert.

**SCHEDULE**

■ **Saturday, June 7**  
8 p.m. Kirk in the Hills, 1340 W. Long Lake Road, Bloomfield Hills.  
James Tocco, Wu Han, Miriam Fried, David Finckel, Jonathan Biss, Detroit Chamber Winds  
"Beethoven, "Sonata in E-flat for piano and violin, Op. 12 No. 3"; Grieg, "Sonata in A minor for cello and piano, Op. 36"; Hummel, "Septet in D minor."

■ **Tuesday/Wednesday, June 10-11**  
8 p.m. St. Hugo of the Hills, 2215 Opyke Road, Bloomfield Hills.  
James Tocco, Wu Han, Jonathan Biss, David Finckel, Ruth Laredo, Lawrence Liberson, Detroit Oratorio Society  
Brahms, "Waltzes, Op. 39 for piano"; Brahms, "Four Evening Songs" for chorus; Brahms, "Trio in A minor for clarinet, cello and piano, Op. 114."

■ **Saturday, June 14**  
8 p.m. Temple Beth El, 7400 Telegraph, Bloomfield Township  
James Tocco, Ruth Laredo, Miriam Fried, Peter Oundjian, Kevin Good, Detroit Chamber Winds  
Britten, "Simple Symphony"; Bach, "Brandenburg Concerto No. 5"; Corigliano, "Voyage"; Shostakovich, "Concerto No. 1 for trumpet, piano, strings."

■ **Tuesday/Wednesday, June 17-18**  
8 p.m. Temple Beth El  
Ruth Laredo, Phillip Setzer, Barbara Westphal, Paul Katz, St. Lawrence Quartet  
Brahms, "Piano Quartet in C minor, Op. 60"; Franck, "Piano Quintet in F minor."

■ **Thursday-Friday, June 19-20**  
8 p.m. Hugo of the Hills  
Phillip Setzer, Barbara Westphal, Paul Katz, Laurence Liberson, St. Lawrence Quartet, Detroit Chamber Winds  
Weber, "Quintet in B-flat for clarinet and strings"; Schoenberg, "Transfigured Night"; Beethoven, "Septet in E-flat, Op. 20."

■ **Saturday, June 21**  
8 p.m. St. Hugo of the Hills  
Eugene Isotomin, Ruth Laredo, James Tocco, Phillip Setzer, Barbara Westphal, Paul Katz, St. Lawrence Quartet  
Haydn, "Quartet in D, Op. 76 No. 5"; Debussy, "Two Nocturnes: Nuages" for two pianos; Ravel, "La Valse" for two pianos; Brahms, "Piano Quartet in G minor, Op. 25."

**FAMILY CONCERTS**

■ **Sunday, June 8**  
4 p.m. at Cranbrook Institute of Science

■ **Sunday, June 15**  
4:30 p.m. Detroit Zoo, Wildlife Interpretive Gallery

**CORIGLIANO CONCERT**

■ **Sunday, June 15**  
7 p.m. at Temple Beth El

### MUSIC FESTIVAL

## Black Sabbath reunites at 'OzzFest '97'

BY CHRISTINA FUOCO  
STAFF WRITER

Realizing that they're not the iron men that they once were, Ozzy Osbourne, Tony Iommi and Geezer Butler decided now was the time to put aside their differences and shock unsuspecting fans with a Black Sabbath reunion.

Paranoid about "getting old," Butler said they wanted to do it "while we still could do it. It was just a question of everybody getting on the phone and actually talking to each other, which we haven't done for a few years."

"Sore feelings had to be cleared. Once that was out of the way, we put the band together and played a bit

to see if it was going to work."

It worked just fine and as a result Black Sabbath will be the feature of "OzzFest '97" which comes to Pine Knob Music Theatre in Independence Township at 2 p.m. Thursday, June 12. For more information, call (248) 377-0100. (Black Sabbath's future plans include a live album with a few new songs.)

The dream of every black-clad metal head, "OzzFest" also includes performances by Osbourne, Pantera, Type O Negative, Fear Factory, Machine Head and Powerman 500 on the main stage, and Drain S.T.H., Downset, Vision of Disorder, Coal Chamber, Slo Burn and Neurosis on the second stage.

Although the reunited band has played two shows since Osbourne's departure in 1978 — 1985's Live Aid and the last show of Osbourne's 1992 world tour in Costa Mesa, Calif. — Butler said he never expected Black Sabbath would get back together.

Citing a turbulent past, Butler explained "as you get older you get more mellow and you realize what stupid little things that you fight over. It's nice to get back together."

"It's going to be great to hear the songs with the right singer doing them after all these incarnations of Black Sabbath. Nothing is ever as good as the

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Reunion: Ozzy Osbourne (pictured), Tony Iommi and Geezer Butler decided now was the time to put aside their differences and shock unsuspecting fans with a Black Sabbath reunion, the "OzzFest '97."

## Festival from page E1

of the way a piece (of chamber music) is put together, it's very much a democracy."

That may be the case, but bringing in a marquee name certainly doesn't hurt the festival's growing international appeal.

Perhaps the most significant feature that elevates the festival to major international status is the presence of composer-in-residence John Corigliano, arguably the most popular composer in the United States. Corigliano's music will be featured throughout the festival. He'll be on hand to introduce his work at the Sunday, June 15, concert at Temple Beth El Chapel.

Winning three Grammys this

past year, Corigliano is staking a claim to Leonard Bernstein's mantle as America's musical spokesman. His first symphony, a somber commemorative to friends who died of AIDS, won the Grawemeyer award, a \$150,000 prize presented to contemporary composers. In 1991, Corigliano's "Ghosts of Versailles" was the first new opera at the Met in 25 years.

While some critics have lambasted Corigliano's compositions as trendy or bombastic, James Tocco and others contend that the work's accessibility and popularity is keeping contemporary music alive.

"I always wanted new music as

part of the festival," said Tocco, who includes in his impressive repertoire a piece Corigliano composed for him years ago. "Serious music is being written today as it was 200 years ago. If we don't play music of our time, then we're merely propagating a dead art."

An integral part of Tocco's mission to sustain contemporary chamber music is the establishment of the Shouse Chamber Music Institute, made possible by a grant from the Katherine Filene Shouse Foundation. During the two-week festival, five fledgling chamber ensembles will be coached by the well-established performing artists in

attendance. "We can't run the risk in classical music to be perceived as relics," said Tocco.

Quite the contrary. Throughout his life, Tocco has either seemed precocious or at the leading edge of his art.

At nine years old, Tony recalled quitting piano lessons after becoming distressed that his younger brother by five years was already was proficient playing the complex music of Bach and Prokofiev.

"Jim was a virtuoso from the time he pushed the pedals on the player piano and memorized the keys," said Tony. "He'd practice for hours. We had to ask him -

tell him - to stop."

Years later, the Tocco brothers have found a way to build a musical celebration as a monument to the special bond created long ago in their eastside Detroit home. "The initial idea (for the festival) was to come back to the area and celebrate a family bond," said James.

The next step for the festival, according to Tony, is to broaden that bond beyond Bloomfield Hills. Discussions are underway to combine other regional arts events with the chamber music festival to widen the audience.

"It has to spread beyond our immediate area," he said. "This is not a festival exclusive to

Bloomfield Hills." During his tenure at an eastside church and at St. Hugo, Tony has sought to make music an essential part of church life.

"In Europe, festivals are usually associated with churches. Young people over there know so much more about arts and letters," he said. "This is (also) a great way for different congregations to come together."

While many call the festival a collection of some of the finest talent of chamber music musicians, the Tocco brothers simply refer to the next two-week celebration in more personal terms.

They call it a family reunion."

## Ozzfest from page E1

original one," said Butler whose solo album "Black Science" comes out in July on TVT Records.

Sabbath's 40-minute set will include a four-song medley including "War Pigs" and "Iron Man," and more obscure songs like "Fairies Wear Boots," "Beyond the Wall of Sleep," "Black Sabbath," and "Paranoid," Butler explained, "if we get an encore."

"You can never be too complacent," he said with a laugh.

Besides sets by Osbourne and Black Sabbath, "OzzFest '97" includes performances by a host of metal acts on the main stage.

Stalwart hard rockers Pantera will release its first live album "Official Live" on Elektra Records on Tuesday, July 29. Taken from the band's last three

years of touring, "Official Live" will feature 10 live tracks plus two new studio songs. It is the follow-up to 1996's "The Great Southern Trendkill" which sold more than 700,000.

Type O Negative built a fan base with its first two albums but found fame with the gold-selling "Bloody Kisses" (Roadrunner) which spawned the hits "Black No. 1" and "Christian Woman." Peter Steele, the 6-foot-6 inch bass voiced singer, wrote about 80 percent of the songs on his band's latest album "October Rust" (Roadrunner) where he tackles subjects like "My Girlfriend's Girlfriend" and his former job with the New York City Parks Department on "Green Man."

Los Angeles industrial/thrash quartet Fear

Factory has followed up the release of last year's power chord-laden "Demanufacture" (Roadrunner) with their second foray into remixing, "Remanufacture" (Cloning Technology). For this album they worked with Rhys Fulber of Front Line Assembly, Junkie XL, Kingsize, and DJ Dado. "Remixes help us see where our music can go and where we can take our ideas. These remixes are a tool for our next record and will continue to influence and inspire us as a band," said guitarist Dino Cazares.

Machine Head's debut, 1994's "Burn My Eyes" was the top-selling debut album in the history of Roadrunner Records. In recording its follow-up "The More Things Change..." Machine Head maintained the ferociousness of its debut while adding new elements. "Some of the stuff on this album is weird-

er than anything we've ever done before but it's still along the same lines as far as the eerie, dark feeling that brings with it," said vocalist/guitarist Robb Flynn.

Powerman 5000, founded by Rob Zombie's brother/singer Spider, calls its sound on "Mega! Kung Fu Radio" (DreamWorks Records) "action rock." "Being in a band is as close as I could get to being an actual super hero," said PM5K singer/lyricist Spider. "That's what this is all about for me - it's like being in the Avengers or the Defenders." Groovy guitars and hard-driving vocals inundate "Mega! Kung Fu Radio," a reworking of its indie album "The Blood Splat Rating System." Fans of his brother's band shouldn't expect White Zombie Jr. "They make that assumption that we're like White Zombie but we're coming from another place."

The second stage theme is "Never Never Land" where each band plays 20-minute sets. Joining Downset, Neurosis, and Slo-Burn are:

Coal Chamber, called a "hybrid of Korn, Fear Factory, and White Zombie" by Kerrang! magazine, tapped into the personal lives of its members while writing lyrics for its self-titled debut (Roadrunner). Lead singer Dez's wife left him the day he began work on "Coal Chamber" inspiring the song "Unspoiled." (He had previously left the band for six months at her urging.) "Making this record was the most difficult thing any of us has ever gone through. We were challenged physically, mentally, and emotionally, and it was pure hell, especially on my end. I needed to rid myself of all this emotion so that I could feel all right again," Dez said.

Drain S.T.H., an all-female

hard rock quartet from Sweden, recently released its debut "Horror Wrestling" (Enclave). Drain S.T.H. rages against its country's trademark pop sensibilities (Ace of Base, Roxette, The Cardigans) by writing songs about death, betrayal, and humiliation. "The lyrics are about wrestling with your own agony and horrors in life," said drummer Martina Axen.

Vision of Disorder's singer/songwriter Tim Williams writes "all about energy (on its self-titled debut on Roadrunner/Supersoul). Venting frustrations about what people collectively choose to believe, government, day-to-day things. Everything from bliss to devastation." Three songs on the hard-core band's album - "Element," "Ways to Destroy One's Ambition" and "Excess" - trace this path.

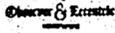
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## Playscape from page E1

last year as a staged reading at Heartland Theatre Company's Playscape '96. Then, the artistic nurturing process, the tenet of the non-profit theater group, began. Through audience talk-backs following the performances, and just by sitting among playgoers and watching how people responded, Dubin edited and tweaked her script - about 10 rewrites in total.

This year, when Playscape '97 opens on June 12, Dubin's new version of "Mystical Body" will be performed as a complete, produced show.

"Heartland Theatre, in 1987, started out as, basically, a group of actors studying a particular technique under [legendary actress] Uta Hagen," said Jan Radcliff, Heartland Executive Director and Birmingham resident. "We've always been very process-oriented and development and education-oriented. We didn't just want to produce plays, we wanted Playscape to be a part of the process."

"We've always been a square peg in a round hole. We're not a traditional theater company. We're a theater company that is primarily concerned with the development of the resident artistic community."

To support that mission, Playscape was created to pro-

duce new, original works from, primarily, Midwestern playwrights. Nearly 100 scripts were submitted for consideration. Of those, 37, 10-minute plays were selected for Heartland's first annual Play by Play, a 12-hour marathon which was successfully produced in March.

From Play by Play, eight 10-minute plays and two full-length scripts were chosen to be featured in Playscape '97. The festival will be performed in rotating repertory through June 22 at Varner Hall on Oakland University's campus.

This year, the festival will spotlight 10 original pieces to be presented either as a First Stage Reading, very developmental in nature; a Concert Reading, where actors will present the play, using scripts and minimal props and sets; or a Mainstage Production, which features an evening of eight short plays.

Kathleen Schmidt of Birmingham, Steve Dombrowski of Clarkston and Jan Waldron of Redford are a part of the ensemble. Redford resident and Hilberly Theatre alumnus Donald Robert Fox is the stage

manager for the event.

Pulitzer Prize-nominated playwright for "The Runner Stumbles" and Detroit native Milan Stitt will be the Guest Playwright at this year's festival. Stitt's play "Labor Day" will be performed as part of the Mainstage Production. In addition to meeting individually with all nine playwrights about their works, Stitt will conduct the audience talk-backs for the readings and performances June 13-15. He will also conduct a lecture from 4-5 p.m. on Friday, June 13. The lecture is free and open to the public.

"Mystical Body" is a pattern that we hope is repeated. It's a part of an overall plan," said Radcliff, who's also the Executive Producer of Playscape '97. "We want, more and more, to have a script come to us in the very beginning, developmental stage, and then we'd like the privilege of taking it through the process to production."

Besides, says Kitty Dubin about her comedy, "Anyone who's ever taken an aerobics class will know this woman. She's universal, yet unique."



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# Robert Goulet brings flair to "Man of La Mancha"

BY FRANK PROVENZANO  
STAFF WRITER

After years of prodding, one of the consummate Broadway performers apparently reached a new perspective when he agreed to play western literature's ultimate idealist, Don Quixote. Just don't expect Robert Goulet to think of it as a case of mellowing.

"I turned down 'La Mancha' for 20 years," said Goulet, referring to the landmark Broadway play, "Man of La Mancha," playing at the Fisher Theatre.

Although he recorded one of the American stage's most popular anthems, "Impossible Dream" from the musical in the mid 1960s, the charismatic Goulet never could comfortably deflate his effervescent swagger to fit the melancholic role.

"It was too serious. Then I went up to Seattle where it was being performed. And for the

first time, I saw some humor. It was dark and foreboding, but there was something human in it that attracted me."

Since his debut as Lancelot in the 1980 original production of "Camelot," the dapper and velvet-baritone Goulet has personified suave Broadway/Vegas performers. With Goulet, as it was said about the late Richard Burton, there's an unmistakable heroic attitude and stage presence that he has naturally translated into roles of kings and brash conquerors.

Those are intangible traits required to succeed at the demanding role of Quixote/Cervantes that calls for Goulet to be on stage — and on his knees — for all but a few scenes. The story begins with Cervantes imprisoned for a minor offense.

He passes the time in the dungeon creating a mock trail. Cervantes defends himself by

**What:** Man of La Mancha, starring Robert Goulet  
**Where:** The Fisher Theatre, Fisher Building in the New Center Area, Detroit  
**When:** Through June 22  
**Times:** 8 p.m. Tuesday-Thursday; 7:30 p.m. Sundays; 2 p.m. Saturday-Sunday  
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acting out the story of Quixote.

Throughout the tale, Goulet must undergo transformations from Cervantes to Quixote with most of the character changes occurring on stage. At one point, Goulet whitens his hair, moustache and goatee. Striking a philosophical posture, Goulet becomes the misguided knight Don Quixote de la Mancha from late 16th-century Seville. Thereafter, he sets out to challenge villains and rescue dis-

tressed souls. Whether he's actually "making a difference" in the world or blindly "tipping at windmills" is one of the most-often considered dilemmas in literature.

At 63 and planing hip-replacement surgery after his tour, Goulet flashes his trademark bravado when asked if facing his own mortality made him reexamine Cervantes' story of a wandering idealist. "I simply never had any interest in the role," he said. "It absolutely had nothing to do with what I went through."

In 1993, Goulet was diagnosed with prostate cancer. Since "taking care of the problem" he has kept up his legendary grueling schedule. His 35-year career includes lead roles on stage in Camelot, Carousel, Gentleman Prefer Blondes, South Pacific, Meet Me In St. Louis, The Happy Time, Kiss Me Kate, The Fantasticks and Moon Over

Buffalo. In 1992, he rejoined the cast of Camelot as King Arthur.

Goulet has also starred on television in "Murder She Wrote," "Love Boat," "Mission Impossible" and "Fantasy Island," and most recently, in several films, including "Scrooged," "Beetlejuice" and "Mr. Wrong."

From his hotel room in St. Louis prior to arriving in Detroit, Goulet was all-too-ready to explain the epiphany of Quixote's dilemma. He recited a few lines from the musical before he found his place. "This is when he talks about being knighted," he offered as a set-up. Then, in a resonant all-too-familiar voice, he bellowed, "I wonder how sages of the future will describe this night when nothing is known except thy soul."

The inimitable Goulet quickly offered his interpretation. "When you die, if you believe in such things as your soul, you don't

take any of the material world with you. Not your house, your car or your boat. So don't be so damn vain."

In a series of self-deprecating spots that aired on ESPN two years ago, Goulet reached yet another audience. He appeared, poking fun at himself, in ads to promote the network's college basketball coverage. Like Tony Bennett, a decade or so older than him, Goulet realizes that there's a new and younger audience who might not have heard about him.

In addition to planning to open in "The Wives of Henry the Eighth" next spring, Goulet is planning a new album "with a Henry Conick, Jr. sound" aimed at audiences born long after he first stepped into the role of Sir Lancelot.

"There's a whole generation out there who've never seen a Broadway musical," said Goulet.

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"Playscape '97," festival of original plays, opens Thursday, June 12 and runs in repertory through June 22. Oakland University campus in Rochester. \$5-\$12.50. Lecture by Milan Stitt, Pulitzer Prize nominated playwright for "The Runner Stumbles," 4-5 p.m. Friday, June 13. (248) 433-1233.

**PERFORMANCE NETWORK**  
"The Birthday Party," Thursday, June 5-Sunday, June 8, and Thursday, June 12-Sunday, June 15. Performance Network, 408 W. Washington, Ann Arbor. 8 p.m. Thursdays-Saturdays, 2 p.m. Sundays. \$12; \$9 for students on "pay-what-you-can Thursdays." (313) 663-0681

**FISHER THEATRE**  
"Man of La Mancha" featuring Robert Goulet through June 22. Performances 8 p.m. Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, 7:30 p.m. Sundays, 2 p.m. Saturday and Sunday (\$52, \$38, \$22); 8 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays, (\$58, \$42, \$26). Call (810) 645-6666 or (313) 872-1000.

## OPERA

**MICHIGAN OPERA THEATRE**  
"The Flying Dutchman," 8 p.m. Friday, June 6-Saturday, June 7, and 2 p.m. Sunday, June 8, Detroit Opera House, 1526 Broadway, Detroit. (313) 874-SING/(248) 645-6666

## COLLEGE

**EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY**  
"Lincoln Park Zoo," mystery-comedy lampooning the famed corruption of Chicago's public life while following a twisting plot of murder and robbery, 8 p.m. Fridays, June 6 and 13-Thursday, June 12-Saturdays, June 7 and 14, 2:30 p.m. Sunday, June 8 in EMU's Sponberg Theatre. (313) 487-1221.

**OAKLAND UNIVERSITY**  
"Hamlet" by Oakland University Department of Music, Theatre and Dance with University of Michigan-Flint Theatre Department through June 15. Varner Studio Theatre, Oakland University campus, Walton Boulevard and Adams Road, Rochester. 8 p.m. Friday, June 6-Saturday, June 7, and 2 p.m. Sunday, June 8. \$5. (248) 370-2030/(810) 762-3230. Fund-raising performance 7 p.m. Friday, June 13, Barnes and Noble Bestsellers book store in Rochester.

## COMMUNITY THEATER

**ANN ARBOR CIVIC THEATRE**  
"Medea" opens 8 p.m. Thursday, June 5 and continues through June 21. 2275 Platt Road, Ann Arbor. 8 p.m. Thursday-Saturday. \$10 with student/senior discounts. (313) 971-2228.

**JACK-IN-THE-BOX PRODUCTIONS**  
"Mask," a collection of monologues in a workshop production that illustrates life behind everyone's societal mask, 8 p.m. Thursday, June 12-Saturday, June 14, University of Michigan-DeARBORN's ROC, 4901 Evergreen Road, Dearborn. \$3 donation. (313) 422-6JKB/(313) 593-5000

**OAK PARK VINTAGE PLAYERS**  
"What a Ball," light-hearted play about a senior volleyball team, Monday, June 9-Tuesday, June 10, Jimmy Prentis Morris Building, 15110 W. 10 Mile, Oak Park. \$7 at Jewish Community Center, W. Maple Road, West Bloomfield. (248) 967-4030.

**PLANET ANT COFFEEHOUSE**  
"Baby with the Bathwater," 11 p.m. Thursday, June 5-Saturday, June 7, Thursday, June 12-Saturday, June 14, and Thursday, June 19-Saturday, June 21, at the coffeehouse, 2357 Caniff, Hamtramck. \$5 in advance; \$7 at the door. (313) 365-4948.

**ST. DUNSTON'S THEATRE GUILD OF CRANBROOK**  
"Camelot," 9 p.m. Friday, May 30-Saturday, May 31, and Thursday, June 5-Saturday, June 7, outside of the church, 400 Lone Pine Road, West Bloomfield. (248) 644-0527.

**STAGECRAFTERS 2ND STAGE**  
"Lips Together Teeth Apart," 8 p.m. Friday, June 6-Saturday, June 7, Friday, June 13-Saturday, June 14, 7 p.m. Sundays, June 8 and 15 at the Historic Baldwin Theatre, 415 S. Lafayette Ave., Royal Oak. \$7. (248) 541-6430

**TROY PLAYERS**  
"Nonsense," weekends through June 15, Troy Community Center in Troy Civic Complex, 500 W. Big Beaver (east of I-75), Troy. \$8 adults; \$7 seniors and children. (248) 879-1285

## YOUTH PRODUCTIONS

**MARQUIS THEATRE**  
"The Shoemaker and the Elves," 2:30 p.m. Saturday, June 7, at the theater, 135 E. Main St., Northville. \$5.50, with group rates available. Children younger than 3 1/2 will not be admitted. (248) 349-8110

## SPECIAL EVENTS

**BLOOMSDAY CELEBRATION**  
Readings from "Ulysses" and other works by Joyce and other writers, music by Jim Perkins. Spontaneous recitations or readings from other Irish



**Grand opening: The Platters join The Coasters, and The Drifters with special guests Heidi Hepler and Michele Ramo to celebrate the grand opening of Southfield Centre for the Arts, 24350 Southfield Road, (just south of 10 Mile) 8 p.m. Saturday, June 7. Tickets \$25 and \$30, Call (810) 424-9022 for information. The center opens 7 p.m. Friday, June 6. Opening weekend hours are 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, June 7, and noon to 6 p.m. Sunday, June 8. More than 30 free performances of dance, drama, and music including blues, jazz, choral, and orchestral will be presented during grand opening weekend. Mosaic Youth Theatre will present "Mosaic Tales" with Michigan Opera Theatre's "Broadway to Hollywood Revue" 8 p.m. Friday, June 6; \$10 general admission.**

works by audience members welcomed, 5:30-9 p.m. Thursday, June 12, The Old Shillelagh, 349 Monroe, Greetkton. \$5 donation. (248) 540-6687

**HERITAGE FESTIVAL**  
Lakes Area festivities include performances by Michigan 5th Regimental Band, an authentically costumed Civil War era military band; Merry Motormen barber shop chorus, other local musicians, numerous crafters noon to 5 p.m. Sunday, June 8 in the Richardson Center, 1485 Oakley Park Road, Walled Lake, \$5 adults, \$3 seniors/students, children under 12 free. (243) 360-0310 or 624-4123

## FAMILY EVENTS

**THE CHENILLE SISTERS**  
7 p.m. Saturday, June 7, as part of the Dearborn Art Fair on Monroe Street between Michigan Avenue and Garrison Street, Dearborn. Free. All doors. (313) 943-3095

**GEMINI**  
Young People's Concert 11:30 a.m. and 2 p.m. Saturday, June 7, with the Detroit Symphony Orchestra, Orchestra Hall, 3711 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$7-\$27. (313) 833-3700.

**PUPPETART**  
Troupe of puppet masters from the former Soviet Union performs a new show "Scenes from the Shtetl," 2 p.m. June 8, Jimmy Prentis Morris Building, 15110 W. 10 Mile Road, Oak Park. (248) 967-4030

**STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL**  
The 21st annual National Strawberry Festival, Friday, June 13-Sunday, June 15, featuring festival parade, dance troupes, musical acts, a juried arts and crafts show, home-cooked foods, strawberry treats, amusement rides, midways, a Figure-8 demolition derby a variety of activities held at five different venues throughout the Belleville area, including Main Street, area churches (St. Anthony's, Belleville Presbyterian Church, Trinity Episcopal Church) and the Wayne County Fairgrounds. (313) 697-3137.

## CLASSICAL

**DETROIT ORATORIO SOCIETY**  
European tour program featuring "Four Motets" by Bruckner, "Hymn to Cecilia" by Britten, "Madrigal For A Capella Choir" by Lauridsen, "A Whitman Madrigal, Poem of Earth" by Iannaccone, and "Let's Touch the Sky" by Lolse Talma, 4 p.m. Sunday, June 8,

First Congregational Church, 1314 Northwood (corner of Crooks Road and Webster Street), Royal Oak; and 7 p.m. Sunday, June 8, St. Paul's Catholic Church, 157 Lakeshore Dr., Grosse Pointe. (248) 650-2655

**GREAT LAKES CHAMBER MUSIC FESTIVAL**  
Presents pianists Ruth Laredo and James Tocco, violinist Jeffrey Multer, and the Veronika String Quartet performing Brahms' "Waltz for Four Hands Op. 39," Schumann's "Piano Quintet," and Corigliano's "Sonata for Violin and Piano," 8 p.m. Thursday, June 12, Kerrytown Concert House, 415 N. Fourth Ave., Ann Arbor. \$5 students; \$10 general admission; \$15 rows 3-5; \$25 rows 1-2. (313) 769-2999

## POPS/SWING

**DETROIT SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA**  
"A Night at the Oscars," with film highlights from American classics, Leslie B. Dunner conductor, John Gorman host, 8 p.m. Thursday, June 5, 8:30 p.m. Friday, June 6-Saturday, June 7, and 3 p.m. Sunday, June 8, Orchestra Hall, 3711 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$16-\$58. (313) 833-3700.

**IMPERIAL SWING ORCHESTRA**  
9 p.m. Saturday, June 7, Mill Street Entry below Clutch Cargo's, 65 E. Huron, Pontiac. Free before 9:30 p.m. 21 and older. (swing) (248) 333-2362

**EDGAR LEON Y LA ORQUESTRA TRADICION LATINA**  
9 p.m. Saturday, May 31, Mill Street Entry below Clutch Cargo's, 65 E. Huron, Pontiac. Free before 9:30 p.m. 21 and older. (swing) (248) 333-2362

**GUY LOMBARDO'S ROYAL CANADIANS ORCHESTRA**  
8 p.m. Friday, June 6, Southfield Pavilion, 26000 Evergreen Road, Southfield. \$20; \$18 seniors. (810) 424-9043

**WARREN COMMISSION BIG BAND SWING**  
9 p.m. Friday, June 6-Saturday, June 7, and Friday, June 13-Saturday, June 14, D. L. Harrington's Chop House, 2086 Crooks Road, Rochester Hills. Cover charge. 21 and older. (248) 852-0550

## BRASS BAND

**MOTOR CITY BRASS BAND**  
8 p.m. Thursday, June 12, as part of the Redford Township Community Festival at Belle Creek Park, Five Mile and Inkster roads, Redford. Free. (248) 349-0376

## AUDITIONS / SEMINARS

**"THINKING LIKE A DIRECTOR"**  
Jim Pasternak conducts seminar, which includes director's point of view, blocking and staging for the camera, redirecting through editing, working through talent, and guest speaker Jay Roach, director of the comedy "Austin Powers: International Man of Mystery," 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday, June 7-Sunday, June 8, in Bloomfield Hills. \$275; \$225 for students. (248) 584-4764/(888) HLR-1600.

## CHORAL / VOCAL GROUPS

**DESPERATE MEASURES**  
Performs a cappella favorites and original songs, 8 p.m. Friday, June 13, Kerrytown Concert House, 415 N. Fourth Ave., Ann Arbor. \$5 students; \$7 general admission. (313) 769-2999

**MICHIGAN BACH FESTIVAL**  
Choral Concert 3 p.m. Sunday, June 8, North Congregational Church, 36520 12 Mile Road, (north side of the road between Drake and Halstead), Farmington Hills. Concert features the Michigan Bach Festival Chorus, selections include "Jesu Joy," Bach; "Hallelujah" G.F. Handel; "Hallelujah from 'Mount of Olives,'" L. Beethoven; and "Battle Hymn of the Republic," Roy Ringwald. Organist Dr. David Wagner and flutist Alexander Zorjlic will also be featured. Tickets \$10 and \$12, students and seniors \$8, (313) 271-1939, coffee and cookie reception follows concert.

**RENAISSANCE VOICES**  
Concert featuring "Messe Basse" by Gabriel Faure, and a selection of works by Aaron Copland, Francis Poulenc, John Rutter, and Randall Thompson, 7 p.m. Sunday, June 8, Christ Episcopal Church, 120 N. Military, Dearborn. \$8, \$5 students and seniors. (313) 845-6474

## JAZZ

**LINDA BLANCHE TRIO**  
8 p.m.-midnight Thursday, June 12, Edison's, 220 Merrill St., Birmingham. Free. 21 and older. (248) 645-2150

**CASS TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL JAZZ ENSEMBLE**  
With conductor Ben Pruitt, 6:30 p.m. Monday, June 9, Graystone International Jazz Museum, 1249 Washington Boulevard (at Grand River), Suite 210, Detroit. \$8 in advance and for museum members; \$10 at the door; \$5 students. (313) 963-3813

**HEIDI HEPLER AND MICHELE RAMO**  
8 p.m. Saturday, June 7, as part of the opening night celebrations at Southfield Art Center, 24350 Southfield Road, Southfield; 6-10 p.m. Monday, June 9, Too Chez Restaurant, Novi; 7-10 p.m. Wednesday, June 11, Le Metro Restaurant, Southfield. (248) 424-9022/(248) 348-5555/(248) 353-2757

## JAZZ HEAD

9 p.m. Friday, June 6, Motor Lounge, 3515 Caniff, Hamtramck. Cover charge. 21 and older. (acid jazz) (313) 369-0090

**PHIL KAPUT AND THE MAIN-STREAM JAZZ TRIO**  
8-11 p.m. Saturday, June 7, Coffee Beanery, 307 Main St., Rochester. Free. All ages. (248) 650-3344

**MIKE KAROUB'S CELLO JAZZ**  
8-11 p.m. Saturday, June 7, and Friday, June 13, Tuscan Cafe, 150 N. Center St., Northville. Free. All ages. (248) 305-8629

**PHIL KELLY TRIO**  
8:30 p.m.-12:30 a.m. Friday, June 13, Edison's, 220 Merrill St., Birmingham. Free. 21 and older. (vocal/piano/bass trio) (248) 645-2150

**KATHY KOSINS**  
8:30 p.m.-12:30 a.m. Friday, June 6, Edison's, 220 Merrill St., Birmingham. Free. 21 and older. (vocal/piano/bass trio) (248) 645-2150

**SHEILA LANDIS**  
With pianist Robert Piphoo, and bassist Rick Matte, 9 p.m.-1 a.m. Saturday, June 7, Edison's, 220 Merrill St., Birmingham. Free. 21 and older. (248) 645-2150

**DAVID MYLES AND THE MYLE-STONES**  
6-8 p.m. Friday, June 13, in celebration of Black Music Month at the outdoor plaza at the Farnsworth entrance of the Museum of African-American History, 315 E. Warren, Detroit. Free. All ages. (313) 494-5853

**113**  
Thirteen 10-minute pieces in tribute to John Cage featuring text by Stephen Dweeke, music by Michael Dec, Matt Smith of the Volebeats, Troy Gregory of Witches, and Carey Loren of Destroy All Monsters, and special guest Clarified Butter, 9 p.m. Friday, June 13, Xhedos Cafe, 240 W. Nine Mile Road (west of Woodward Avenue), Ferndale. \$5. All ages. (248) 399-3946/xhdos@wwnet.com.

**ROBERT PIPHO**  
8 p.m.-midnight Thursday, June 5, Edison's, 220 Merrill St., Birmingham. Free. 21 and older. (piano/bass/drums trio) (248) 645-2150

**ROSWELL RUDD QUARTET**  
9:30 p.m. and 11 p.m. Friday, June 6, Xhedos Cafe, 240 W. Nine Mile Road (west of Woodward Avenue), Ferndale. \$12 for both sets. All ages. (248) 399-3946/xhdos@wwnet.com.

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6-8 p.m. Friday, June 6, in celebration of Black Music Month at the outdoor plaza at the Farnsworth entrance of the Museum of African-American History, 315 E. Warren, Detroit. Free. All ages. (313) 494-5853

**ALEXANDER ZONJIC**  
With friends, 5-8:30 p.m. Thursday, June 5, Crown Plaza Hotel/Pontchartrain, 2 Washington Blvd., Detroit. \$10; 10 p.m. Saturday, June 7, Scallops, 1002 N. Main St., Rochester. \$7.50 (313) 965-0200/(248) 656-2525, reservations suggested.

**WORLD MUSIC**

**BLACK MARKET**  
10 p.m. Friday, June 6, The Deck atop Second City, 2301 Woodward Ave., Detroit. Cover charge. 21 and older. (reggae) (313) 965-2222

**IMMUNITY**  
10 p.m.-2 a.m. Thursday, June 12, Cafe Max, 6500 Highland Road, Waterford. Cover charge. 21 and older; 9:30 p.m.-1:30 a.m. Friday, June 13, Library Pub, 42100 Grand River, Novi. Free. 21 and older. (reggae) (248) 866-2030/(248) 349-9110

**ISRAEL VIBRATIONS**  
Backed by Roots Radics, 9 p.m. Wednesday, June 11, Majestic, 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$14.50 in advance. 18 and older. (reggae) (313) 833-9700

**JO HAB**  
10 p.m. Saturday, June 7, The Deck atop Second City, 2301 Woodward Ave., Detroit. Cover charge. 21 and older. (reggae) (313) 965-2222

**PINO MARELLI**  
7 p.m. Thursday, June 5, and Wednesday, June 11-Thursday, June 12, Luciano's, 39031 Garfield Road, Clinton township. Free. All ages. (English, Italian, and Spanish pop standards, traditionals, and originals) (810) 263-6540

**MAURA O'CONNEL**  
7:30 p.m. and 9:30 p.m. Friday, June 6, The Ark, 316 S. Main St., Ann Arbor. \$15. (Irish) (313) 761-1451

**JUDY PIAZZA**  
7:30 p.m. Thursday, June 5, The Raven Gallery and Acoustic Cafe, 145 N. Center St., Northville. \$8. All ages. (Indian chants/Latin rhythms) (248) 349-9420

**REGGAE AMBASSADA**  
10 p.m. Thursday, June 12, Rick's, 611 Church St., Ann Arbor. Cover charge. 19 and older. (reggae) (313) 996-2747

**TRINIDAD TRIPOLI STEEL BAND**  
9 p.m. Saturday, June 7, Rick's, 611 Church St., Ann Arbor. Cover charge. 19 and older. (reggae) (313) 996-2747

**UNIVERSAL XPRESSION**  
10 p.m. Friday, June 13, The Deck atop Second City, 2301 Woodward Ave., Detroit. Cover charge. 21 and older. (reggae) (313) 965-2222

**FOLK**

**"BLUEGRASS MUSIC SPECTACULAR"**  
With Robert White and the Candy Mountain Express, The Fritts Family, and the Jimmy Hanes Band, 6-11 p.m. Saturday, June 7, Willow Metropark's outdoor dance pavilion, off of I-275, exit 11B, New Boston. Free except for the required Metroparks vehicle entry permit - \$15 or \$8 for seniors aged 62 and older for an annual permit, \$3 weekends and holidays for daily pass. (800) 477-3182/(313) 697-9181

**RON CODEN**  
9 p.m. Friday, June 6-Saturday, June 7, and Friday, June 13-Saturday, June 14, O'Mara's Restaurant, 2555 W. 12 Mile Road, Berkley. Free. 21 and older. (248) 399-6750

**CATE FRIESEN**  
8 p.m. Thursday, June 7, Birmingham Unitarian Church, 651 North Woodward and Lone Pine Road, Bloomfield Hills \$8, \$6 seniors and children age 17 and under. Open mike 7:15-8 p.m. (248) 647-2380 or 546-5153.

**EVEN KEEL AND PERRY KERRY**  
7:30 p.m. Thursday, June 12, The Raven Gallery and Acoustic Cafe, 145 N. Center St., Northville. \$8. All ages. (contemporary folk) (248) 349-9420

**JIM GARY**  
7:30 p.m. and 9:30 p.m. Friday, June 6, The Raven Gallery and Acoustic Cafe, 145 N. Center St., Northville. \$10. All ages. ("new folk") (248) 349-9420

**PATTY GRIFFIN**  
7:30 p.m. and 10 p.m. Saturday, June 7, The Ark, 316 S. Main St., Ann Arbor. \$15. (313) 761-1451

**JAN KRIST**  
7:30 p.m. and 9:30 p.m. Saturday, June 7, The Raven Gallery and Acoustic Cafe, 145 N. Center St., Northville. \$8. All ages. (folk/pop) (248) 349-9420

**STEELEYE SPAN**  
8 p.m. Thursday, June 12, The Ark, 316 S. Main St., Ann Arbor. \$15. (313) 761-1451

## DANCE

**ENGLISH COUNTRY DANCING**  
7:30-9:45 p.m. Tuesday, June 10, and Tuesday, June 24, Chapel Hill Condominium Clubhouse, 3350 Green Road (north of Plymouth Road), Ann Arbor. \$4 donation. (313) 663-0744

**FIRST SATURDAY CONTRA DANCE**  
8 p.m. Saturday, June 7, Pittsfield Grange Hall, 3337 Ann Arbor Saline Road (1/4 mile south of I-94), Ann Arbor. \$6. (313) 769-1052/(313) 913-2076

**FREEDOM HILL'S TIME TO DANCE WEEKEND**  
7-11 p.m. Friday, June 6-Saturday, June 7 Night Dances, \$7; 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, June 6 Workshops on Two-Step, East and West Coast Swing, Cha Cha and Beginner, Intermediate Line Dances, Flow Dances, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Sunday, June 7 Waltz, Cha Cha, Line Dances, Flow Dances Workshops, charge. (248) 772-4765 or 541-2244/(313) 884-2760

**JOEY'S COMEDY CLUB**  
Joel Zimmer, 8 p.m. Thursday, June 5, 9 p.m. Friday, June 6, and 8 p.m. and 10:30 p.m. Saturday, June 7; "Stogles and Stand-Ups," a night of dinner, cigars, and comedy with Kirk Noland, Leo DuFour, Norm Stulz, and Joey Bielaska, 6 p.m. dinner followed by 8 p.m. comedy show Wednesday, June 11 (\$75), at the club above Kickers restaurant, 36071 Plymouth Road, Livonia. (313) 261-0555

**JOEY'S COMEDY CLUB AT PAISANO'S**  
Alturo Shelton 9 p.m. Thursday, June 5-Saturday, June 7 (\$6), 5070 Schaefer Road, Dearborn. (313) 584-8885

**MAINSTREET COMEDY SHOWCASE**  
"Totally Unrehearsed Theatre, 8:30 p.m. Wednesday, June 11, at the club, 314 E. Liberty, Ann Arbor. \$4. (313) 996-9080

**MARK RIDLEY'S COMEDY CASTLE**  
Billy Ray Bauer, 8:30 p.m. Wednesday, June 4-Thursday, June 5 (\$6), and 8:15 p.m. and 10:45 p.m. Friday, June 6-Saturday, June 7 (\$12), and 7:30 p.m. Sunday, June 8 (\$6); Totally Unrehearsed Theatre hosts open mic night 8:30 p.m. Tuesdays (\$5); Ross Amicucci and Jeff Margriett, 8:30 p.m. Wednesday, June 11-Thursday, June 12 (\$6), 8:15 p.m. and 10:45 p.m. Friday, June 13-Saturday, June 14 (\$12), and 7:30 p.m. Sunday, June 15 (\$6), 269 E. Fourth St., Royal Oak. (248) 542-9900.

**MILL STREET LOUNGE**  
"Eleven Marbles," an eight person spontaneous comedy troupe, opens with a free show 10:30 p.m. Thursday, June 12, and runs Thursdays through July 31 with a cover charge, lower

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**THE SECOND CITY-DETROIT**  
"Send in the Clones," at the club, 2301 Woodward Ave., Detroit, 8 p.m. Wednesdays-Sundays with additional shows at 10:30 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays. Free improvisational comedy set by the cast is after every performance on Sundays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays, and after the late shows on Fridays and Saturdays. \$12 Sundays; \$12 Wednesdays until June 11 when "Hump Day Special" price \$8; \$14 Thursdays; \$17.50 Fridays; \$19.50 Sundays. (313) 965-2222

## MUSEUMS, PARKS AND TOURS

**DETROIT SCIENCE CENTER**  
"Special Effects," an IMAX film about special effects and how movies like "Star Wars" and "Independence Day" were done, hourly 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Mondays-Fridays, hourly 11 a.m.-3 p.m., and 5 p.m. Saturdays, 1 p.m., 2 p.m., 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. Sundays; "Titanica," an IMAX film about the Canadian-American-Russian expedition team set out to explore the Titanic, 4 p.m. Saturdays; "Destiny in Space," another IMAX film, 10 a.m. Saturdays, and 4 p.m. Sundays, Detroit Science Center in the University Cultural Center, 5020 John R St., Detroit. Museum admission \$6.75 adults; \$4.75 for students and senior citizens. (313) 577-8400

**MAYBURY STATE PARK**  
Farm stories 11 a.m. Saturday, June 7, and 3 p.m. Sunday, June 8, monthly stornytme for kids, Farm demonstration Building; Michigan free fishing weekend 1-3 p.m. Sunday, June 8, north in park, 20145 Beck Road, Northville. State park motor vehicle permit required for entry. (248) 349-8390.

**MUSEUM OF AFRICAN-AMERICAN HISTORY**  
"Africa: One Continent. Many Worlds," exhibit runs Saturday, June 7-Sunday, Sept. 7, at the museum, 315 E. Warren, Detroit. Museum hours 9:30 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesdays-Sundays. \$3 adults; \$2 children younger than 12. (313) 494-5853

**CRANBROOK INSITUTE OF SCIENCE**  
Elephants: 40 Million Years of Evolution, through Sept. 1, 1221 N. Woodward, (between Long Lake and Lone Pine Roads), Experience the wild and wooley story of the world's largest living land mammals. Admission \$7 adults, children 3-17 and senior citizens \$4, children under 3 free, (810) 645-3200 or (810) 645-3209.

## POPULAR MUSIC

**BENEFIT FOR GREASY CARLISI**  
With Hoarse, Dark Carnival, Trash Brats, Cult Heroes, Rocket 455, Demolition Doll Roids, and Mog Stunt Team, 7:30 p.m. Friday, June 6, State Theatre, 2115 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$10 in advance. All ages. (rock) (313) 961-MELT

**BLUE CAT**  
10 p.m. Saturday, June 7, Library Pub, 42100 Grand River, Novi. Free. 21 and older. (blues) (248) 349-9110

**BLUES IN THE NIGHT**  
Featuring Sheila Landis and guitarist Rick Matle; 10 p.m.-2 a.m. Friday, June 6, Woody's, 208 Fifth Ave., Royal Oak. Free. 21 and older. (blues/rock) (248) 543-6911

**JASON BONHAM BAND**  
With Tiles; 9:30 p.m. Thursday, June 5, The Palladium, 17580 Frazho, Roseville. Cover charge. 21 and older. (Zeppelin cover band/hard rock) (810) 778-8150

**B.C.'S GRAND PRIX PARTY**  
With Brilliant, Motor Dolls, Hoarse and Charm Farm; 8:30 p.m. Friday, June 6; With Vudu Hipples, Walk on Water, Civilians, and Howling Diablos; 8:30 p.m. Saturday, June 7, Franklin Street Brewing Company, 1560 Franklin St., Detroit. Cover charge. 21 and older. (pop/rock) (313) 568-0390

**JONATHA BROOKE AND THE STORY**  
With Barb Payton; 8 p.m. Friday, June 6, Magic Bag, 22920 Woodward Ave., Ferndale. \$12. 18 and older. (pop) (248) 544-3030

**BUDDY POPPS**  
10 p.m. Tuesday, June 10, Rick's, 611 Church St., Ann Arbor. Cover charge. 19 and older. (acoustic) (313) 996-2747

**BUGS BEDDOW BAND**  
9 p.m.-1 a.m. Friday, June 6, Checkers Bar and Grill, 36759 Mound Road, Sterling Heights. Cover charge. 21 and older; 8-8:40 p.m. Sunday, June 8, as part of the Oakland County Food Bank Benefit at Ai's Copper Mug, 1720 E. Maple Road, Walled Lake; 9:30 p.m.-1:30 a.m. Friday, June 13-Saturday, June 14, Beale Street Blues, 8 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 264-9500/(248) 629-3955/(248) 334-7900

**BUTTERFLY**  
9 p.m. Thursday, June 12, Groove Room, 1815 N. Main St., Royal Oak. Free before 10 p.m. 21 and older; 9 p.m. Friday, June 13, Motor Lounge, 3515 Caniff, Hamtramck. Cover charge. 21 and older. (psychedelic

trippy pop) (248) 589-3344/(313) 369-0080

**CAELUM BLISS**  
9 p.m. Thursday, June 5, Motor Lounge, 3515 Caniff, Hamtramck. Cover charge. 21 and older. (313) 369-0090

**SUSAN CALLOWAY**  
10 p.m. Friday, June 13, Coyote Club, 1 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. Cover charge. 21 and older. (singer/songwriter) (248) 332-HOWL

**MARY CHAPIN CARPENTER**  
With Jim Lauderdale and Duke Levine; 8 p.m. Friday, June 13, Fox Theatre, 2211 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$27.50 in advance. All ages. (country) (810) 433-1515

**TOMMY CASTRO**  
With Deborah Coleman; 9 p.m. Saturday, June 7, Sisko's on the Boulevard, 5855 Monroe Boulevard, Taylor. \$12. 21 and older. (blues) (313) 278-5340

**CHISEL BROS. WITH MIAMI HARRIS**  
9 p.m. Friday, June 13, Soup Kitchen Saloon, 1585 Franklin St., Detroit. \$5. 21 and older. (R&B) (313) 259-2643

**THE CIVILIANS**  
10 p.m. Thursday, June 12, Library Pub, 42100 Grand River, Novi. Free. 21 and older. (rock) (248) 349-9110

**EDDIE "THE CHIEF" CLEARWATER**  
9 p.m. Saturday, June 7, Soup Kitchen Saloon, 1585 Franklin St., Detroit. \$7. 21 and older. (blues) (313) 259-2643

**DEBORAH COLEMAN**  
9 p.m. Friday, June 6, Sisko's on the Boulevard, 5855 Monroe Boulevard, Taylor. \$5. 21 and older. (blues) (313) 278-5340

**COPPER MUG BLUES BASH AND ALL-STAR JAM**  
With Bugs Beddow Band, Tim Flaherty with Paul Marvin, Ben Moore's Blues Express, Buster's Blues Band, Tommy D., and Bob Willett; 2-10 p.m. Sunday, June 8, Ai's Copper Mug, 1704 W. Maple (at Decker), Walled Lake. \$1, canned food donations benefit Oakland County Food Bank. 21 and older. (248) 624-9659

**THE CRIMINALS**  
9:30 p.m. Thursday, June 5, Pharaoh's Golden Cup, 28959 Joy Road (two blocks east of Middlebelt Road), Westland. Cover charge. All ages. (punk) (313) 513-8536/(313) 513-8688

**SAL D'AGNILLO**  
9 p.m.-1 a.m. Friday, June 6, Fat Willy's, 19170 Farmington Road (north of Seven Mile Road), Livonia. Free. 21 and older. (acoustic rock) (248) 615-1330

**KELLEY DEAL 6000**  
With Radar Brothers and Aurora; 9:30 p.m. Friday, June 13, Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. \$6 in advance. 19 and older. (alternative rock) (313) 996-8555

**DOMESTIC PROBLEMS**  
With The Rivermen; 9:30 p.m. Thursday, June 12, Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. \$4. 19 and older. (alternative rock) (313) 996-8555

**DOOBIE BROTHERS**  
7:30 p.m. Wednesday, June 11, Pine Knob Music Theatre, I-75 and Sashabaw Road, Independence Township. \$22.50 pavilion; \$12.50 lawn. All ages. (classic rock) (248) 377-0100

**GLEN EDDY BAND**  
9 p.m. Saturday, June 7, Memphis Smoke, 100 S. Main St., Royal Oak. Free. 21 and older. (blues) (248) 543-4300

**EGO ORCHESTRA**  
9 p.m. Thursday, June 12, Cross Street Station, 511 W. Cross St., Ypsilanti. Cover charge. 19 and older. (rock) (313) 485-5050

**THE REV. MARC FALCONBERRY**  
10 p.m. Friday, June 13, Union Lake Grill and Bar, 2280 Union Lake Road, Commerce Township. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (248) 360-7450

**FIELDTREE**  
With Call It In The Air; 9 p.m. Tuesday, June 10, Magic Stick in the Majestic complex, 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$5 for those 20 and younger; Free for 21 and older. (rock) (313) 833-POOL

**5 HORSE JOHNSON**  
With Raging Slab; 8 p.m. Thursday, June 5, The Shelter below St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit. \$6 in advance. 18 and older. (rock) (313) 961-MELT

**FLAT DUO JETS**  
With The Woggles and The Hentchmen; 9 p.m. Saturday, June 7, Magic Stick in the Majestic complex, 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$6 in advance; \$8 at the door. 18 and older. (alternative rock) (313) 833-POOL

**FRANKENHEAD**  
With Kung Fu Diesel; 9:30 p.m. Wednesday, June 11, Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. \$3. 19 and older. (rock) (313) 996-8555

**FRANTIC FLATOPS**  
With The Intoxcats; 9 p.m. Friday, June 6, Magic Stick in the Majestic complex, 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$6. 18 and older. (rockabilly) (313) 833-POOL

**TOM FREDRICKS**  
9:30 p.m.-1:30 a.m. Saturday, June 7, Fat Willy's, 19170 Farmington Road (north of Seven Mile Road), Livonia.

Free. 21 and older. (acoustic rock) (248) 615-1330

**FUNK-O-MATIC**  
9 p.m. Sunday, June 8, Magic Stick in the Majestic complex, 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$6 in advance. 18 and older. (funk) (313) 833-POOL

**GROOVE MONKEY ATMOSPHERE**  
With Nick Strange; 9:30 p.m. Thursday, June 5, Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. \$4. 19 and older. (rock/funk) (313) 996-8555

**THE HARVENGERS**  
10 p.m. Saturday, June 7, Mount Chaleit, 4715 N. Woodward Ave., Royal Oak. Free. 21 and older. (alternative rock) (248) 549-2929

**HATCHETMEN**  
9 p.m. Friday, June 6, Stan's Dugout, 3350 Auburn Road, Auburn Hills. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (248) 852-6433

**THE HAYWOODS**  
10 p.m. Wednesday, June 11, Rick's, 611 Church St., Ann Arbor. Cover charge. 19 and older. (alternative rock) (313) 996-2747

**SUSANNA HOFFS**  
Former lead singer of The Bangles, with special guest Lincoln; 8 p.m. Friday, June 6, 7th House, 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. \$8.50 in advance. 18 and older. (pop) (248) 335-8100

**HONKY DORY**  
9 p.m. Tuesday, June 10, Memphis Smoke, 100 S. Main St., Royal Oak. Free. 21 and older. ('70s-style pop) (248) 543-4300

**"HOT COUNTRY JAM"**  
With Tracy Byrd, Big House, MC Potts, and Sara Evans; 2:30-11 p.m. Friday, June 13, and Tanya Tucker, Terri Clark and others, noon-11 p.m. Saturday, June 14, Thörn Park, Telegraph and King roads, Brownstown. Free. (313) 259-4444 or via the web site <http://wattsupinc.com/>

**HOWARD AND THE WHITE BOYS**  
9 p.m. Thursday, June 5, Soup Kitchen Saloon, 1585 Franklin St., Detroit. \$5. 21 and older. (blues) (313) 259-2643

**IMPACT 7**  
9 p.m. Friday, June 6, Memphis Smoke, 100 S. Main St., Royal Oak. Free. 21 and older. (blues) (248) 543-4300

**ANTON JAMES**  
10 p.m. Friday, June 6, I-Rock, 16350 Harper, Detroit. Cover charge. 21 and older. (rock) (313) 881-ROCK

**JERRY AND THE REMAINDERS**  
10 p.m. Thursday, June 5, Rick's, 611 Church St., Ann Arbor. Cover charge. 19 and older. (variety) (313) 996-2747

**JOHN KAY AND STEPPENWOLF**  
With Blue Oyster Cult, Foghat and Pat Travers as part of the "Summer Daze," 6:30 p.m. Sunday, June 8, Pine Knob Music Theatre, I-75 and Sashabaw Road, Independence Township. \$22.50 pavilion; \$10 lawn. All ages. (rock) (248) 377-0100

**KING SWEAT**  
9 p.m. Friday, June 6, Union Lake Grill and Bar, 2280 Union Lake Road, Commerce Township. Cover charge. 21 and older. (rock) (248) 360-7450

**LADY SUNSHINE AND THE X BAND**  
9 p.m. Wednesday, June 11 Thursday, June 12, Fox and Hounds, 1560 Woodward Ave., Bloomfield Hills. Free. 21 and older. (blues) (248) 644-4800

**JOHN D. LAMB**  
10 p.m. Thursday, June 5, Coyote Club, 1 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. Cover charge. 21 and older; 9:30 p.m. Tuesday, June 10, Rock on Third, 112 E. Third St., Royal Oak. Cover charge. 21 and older; 9 p.m. Wednesday, June 11, Frigates, 1103 E. Lake Dr., Novi. Free. 21 and older; 9:30 p.m. Friday, June 13, Mr. B's Farm, 24555 Novi Road, Novi. Free. 21 and older. (singer/songwriter) (248) 332-HOWL/(248) 542-7625/(248) 624-9607/(248) 349-7038

**LITTLE TEXAS**  
With Martina McBride, Billy Dean and Crystal Bernard; 6 p.m. Friday, June 13, Pine Knob Music Theatre, I-75 and Sashabaw Road, Independence Township. \$22.50 pavilion; \$12.50 lawn. (country) (248) 377-0100

**LULLABY FOR THE WORKING CLASS**  
8 p.m. Friday, June 13, The Green Room, 206 W. Michigan Ave., Ypsilanti. Cover charge. All ages. (country) (313) 482-8830

**THE MARILYN MACK GROUP**  
With The Luddites; 10:30 p.m. Saturday, June 7, Scalliti's Underground Lounge, 6650 Allen Road (at Southfield Road), Allen Park. Cover charge. 21 and older. (rock/acoustic) (313) 438-2659

**JOHN MAYALL AND THE BLUES BREAKERS**  
With Charlie Musselwhite; 8 p.m. Saturday, June 7, Majestic, 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$20 in advance. 18 and older. (blues) (313) 996-2747

**JIM MCCARTY AND MYSTERY TRAIN ALL-STAR JAM SESSION**  
9 p.m. Wednesday, June 11, Moby Dick's, 5452 Schaefer Road, Dearborn. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (313) 581-3650

**MOONPIE FONTANA**  
10 p.m. Sunday, June 8, Memphis Smoke, 100 S. Main St., Royal Oak. Free. 21 and older. (blues) (248) 543-4300

**MOTOR CITY JOSH AND THE BIG 3**  
9 p.m. Tuesday, June 10, Fox and Hounds, 1560 Woodward Ave., Bloomfield Hills. Free. 21 and older.

(blues) (248) 644-4800

**MOTOR JAM**  
9 p.m. Thursday, June 5, Mr. B's, 48550 Van Dyke, Shelby Township. Free. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 731-0700

**MUDPUDDY**  
9 p.m. Friday, June 13-Saturday, June 14, Sisko's on the Boulevard, Taylor. \$5. 21 and older. (blues) (313) 278-5340

**MURPHY'S LAW**  
With ALD and Animal Chln; 6:30 p.m. Friday, June 13, The Shelter below St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit. \$8 in advance. All ages. (punk) (313) 961-MELT

**BOBBY MURRAY BAND FEATURING LENNY WATKINS**  
9 p.m. Friday, June 13, Memphis Smoke, 100 S. Main St., Royal Oak. Free. 21 and older. (blues) (248) 543-5300

**STEVE NARDELLA**  
9 p.m. Friday, June 13, Moby Dick's, 5452 Schaefer Road, Dearborn. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (313) 581-3650

**NEW YORK SKA-JAZZ ENSEMBLE**  
Featuring members of The Toasters, The Skatalites, and The Scofflaws, with special guest The Articles; 8 p.m. Thursday, June 5, 7th House, 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. \$7 in advance. All ages. (ska) (248) 335-8100

**MOJO NIXON AND THE TOADLIQUORS**  
7 p.m. Saturday, June 7, Magic Bag, 22920 Woodward Ave., Ferndale. \$7 in advance. 18 and older. (quirky rock) (248) 544-3030

**NOBODY'S BUSINESS**  
10 p.m. Thursday, June 5, Library Pub, 42100 Grand River, Novi. Free. 21 and older. (rockabilly) (248) 349-9110

**MIKE NOLAN**  
9 p.m. Friday, June 6, BC Beans, 2966 Biddle, Wyandotte. Free. All ages; With his group, and special guests 20 Mule Team, 8 p.m. Wednesday, June 11, 7th House, 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. \$6 in advance; \$7 at the door. 18 and older. (alternapop) (313) 284-2244/(248) 355-8100

**ROBERT NOLL'S MISSION**  
9 p.m. Saturday, June 7, Alley Oops, 280 E. Walton Boulevard, Pontiac. Cover charge. 21 and older; 9 p.m. Friday, June 13-Saturday, June 14, Memphis Smoke, 6480 Orchard Lake Road, West Bloomfield. Free. 21 and older. (blues) (248) 335-5336/(248) 855-3110

**ORIGINAL HITS**  
9 p.m. Monday, June 9, Fox and Hounds, 1560 Woodward Ave., Bloomfield Hills. Free. 21 and older. (variety) (248) 644-4800

**OUR LADY PEACE**  
With Skeptic Tank and Motherload as part of 101 WRIF's "The World's Largest Grand Prix Party," 9 p.m.-1:30 a.m. Saturday, June 7, River Rock Cafe, 673 Franklin St., Detroit. \$5. 21 and older. (alternative rock/rock) (313) 259-6676

**OZZFEST**  
With Ozzy Osbourne, Black Sabbath, Pantera, Type O Negative, Fear Factory, Machine Head, and Powerman 5000 on the main stage, and Downset, Neurosis, Slo Burn, Coal Chamber, Drain S.T.H., and Visions of Disorder on the second stage. 2 p.m. Thursday, June 12, I-75 and Sashabaw Road, Independence Township. \$45 pavilion; \$27.50 lawn. All ages. (hard rock) (248) 377-0100

**ROBERT PENN**  
9 p.m. Friday, June 6-Saturday, June 7, Moby Dick's, 5452 Schaefer Road, Dearborn. Cover charge. 21 and older. (R&B) (313) 581-3650

**GARY RASMUSSEN AND VAL VENTRO**  
7-11 p.m. Friday, June 6, Old Woodward Grill, 555 S. Woodward Ave., Birmingham. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (248) 642-9400

**RIGHTEOUS WILLY**  
10 p.m. Saturday, June 7, Coyote Club, 1 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. Cover charge. 21 and older. (rock) (248) 332-HOWL

**R.O.A.R. (REVELATION OF ALTERNATIVE RHYTHMS) TOUR**  
With Iggy Pop, Sponge, the Rev. Horton Heat, Tonic, Bloodhound Gang, and Linda Perry; and a Lifestyles Experience Village with an Iwerks virtual reality simulation theater, music exhibitions, and sporting competitions. 2 p.m. Thursday, June 5, Pine Knob Music Theatre, I-75 and Sashabaw Road, Independence Township. \$25 pavilion; \$12.50 lawn. All ages. (alternative rock) (248) 377-0100 or <http://www.roartour.com>

**LEON RUSSELL**  
With Robert Jones; 3 p.m. Sunday, June 8, Pine Creek Golf Course, 50521 Huron River Dr., Belleville. \$15 before June 2; \$20 at the door. (blues) (313) 483-5010

**RUTHIE AND THE WRANGLERS**  
With Eddie Jackson and the Swingsters; 9 p.m. Friday, June 13, Magic Stick in the Majestic complex, 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$6. 18 and older. (rockabilly) (313) 833-POOL

**THE SCHUGARS**  
With Jill Jack; 10 p.m. Friday, June 6, Lili's, 2930 Jacob, Hamtramck. \$5. 21 and older; With Brilliant and Butterfly, 9 p.m. Thursday, June 12, The Groove Room, 1815 N. Main St., Royal Oak. Free before 10:30 p.m., \$4 afterward. 21 and older. (roots rock) (313) 875-6555/(248) 589-3344

**THE SERFS**  
10:30 p.m. Friday, June 13, Griff's

Grill, 49 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. Cover charge. 21 and older. (rock) (248) 334-9292

**SHAMUS**  
9 p.m. Friday, June 6, Cross Street Station, 511 W. Cross St., Ypsilanti. Cover charge. 19 and older. (rock) (313) 485-5050

**SISTER SEED**  
7-11 p.m. Saturday, June 7, Old Woodward Grill, 555 S. Woodward Ave., Birmingham. Cover charge. 21 and older. (acoustic-based rock) (810) 642-9400

**SOUTH NORMAL**  
With 3 Speed and Robb Roy; 9:30 p.m. Friday, June 6, Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. \$5. 19 and older. (alternative rock) (313) 996-8555

**SPAT**  
With Hornet, and Orgone Box; 9 p.m. Saturday, June 7, New Way Bar, 23130 Woodward Ave., Ferndale. Cover charge. 21 and older. (alternative rock) (248) 541-9870

**SPEEDBALL**  
9 p.m. Saturday, June 7, Cross Street Station, 511 W. Cross St., Ypsilanti. Cover charge. 19 and older. (rock) (313) 485-5050

**STARSHIP FEATURING MICKEY THOMAS**  
With Survivor's Jiml Jamison, and Molly Hatchet; 7:30 p.m. Friday, June 6, Pine Knob Music Theatre, I-75 and Sashabaw Road, Independence Township. \$20 pavilion; \$10 lawn. (classic rock) (248) 377-0100

**STYX**  
With Pat Benatar; 7:30 p.m. Saturday, June 7, Pine Knob Music Theatre, I-75 and Sashabaw Road, Independence Township. \$25 pavilion; \$12.50 lawn. All ages. (rock) (248) 377-0100

**CURTIS SUMTER PROJECT WITH CATHY DAVIS**  
9 p.m. Friday, June 6, Soup Kitchen Saloon, 1585 Franklin St., Detroit. \$5. 21 and older. (blues) (313) 259-2643

**SURFIN' PLUTO**  
With Swag; 10:30 p.m. Saturday, June 7, Griff's Grill, 49 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. Cover charge. 21 and older. (rock) (248) 334-9292

**SWITCHBLADE SYMPHONY**  
With Sunshine Blind; 9 p.m. Monday, June 9, Majestic, 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$10 in advance. 18 and older. (gothic/industrial) (313) 833-9700

**MARY THOMPSON AND THE DELTA CHILDREN BLUES BAND**  
8 p.m.-midnight Friday, June 6, and 9 p.m. Monday, June 8, Java Master, 33214 W. 14 Mile Road, West Bloomfield. Free. All ages; 9 p.m. Monday, June 9, Bakers Keyboard Lounge, 20510 Livernois Road, Detroit. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (248) 626-7393/(313) 345-6300

**THE TRAMMPS**  
With Sister Sledge; 9 p.m.-2 a.m. Friday, June 13, State Theatre, 2115 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$20 in advance. 18 and older. (disco) (313) 961-5451

**TRANSMISSION**  
With Machina; 9:30 p.m. Saturday, June 7, Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. \$5. 19 and older. (rock) (313) 996-8555

**TWISTIN' TARANTULAS**  
9 p.m. Friday, June 6, as part of the "River Lounge" in the Mill Street Entry below Clutch Cargo's, 65 E. Huron, Pontiac. Free before 9:30 p.m. 21 and older. (rockabilly) (248) 333-2362

**2XL**  
9 p.m. Thursday, June 5, Memphis Smoke, 6480 Orchard Lake Road, West Bloomfield. Free. 21 and older. (R&B) (248) 855-3110

**VIETNAM PROM**  
10 p.m. Saturday, June 7, Impound, 17320 Harper, Detroit. Cover charge. 21 and older. (experimental rock) (313) 884-9441

**RANDY VOLIN AND THE SONIC BLUES**  
9 p.m. Saturday, June 7, Orleans, 100 Macomb St., Mount Clemens. Cover charge. 21 and

MOVIES

# 'Trial and Error' is an innocent courtroom comedy

TICKETS PLEASE



JOHN MONAGHAN

Charlie has a corner office, partnership in a prestigious law firm, and a wedding date with the boss' daughter. Best friend Richard, a part-time actor, takes his job as best man so seriously that he insists on throwing Charlie a bache-

Nevada desert town, Richard follows and brings some actor buddies with him. Charlie ends up sick from the party, so it's his friend who strolls into the courtroom to try the case.

You can't help but compare "Trial and Error" to "Liar Liar," the manic Jim Carrey comedy that remains one of the year's funniest. Courtroom movies are static by nature and this one needs something to liven it up. That something is supposed to be Richards. As Kramer on "Seinfeld," his entrances and pratfalls always draw applause and a laugh. Here they're almost grating, proving that, like many television actors, he's great in small doses but can't sustain an entire film.

He should be comfortable enough with the material, which is essentially TV-style situation comedy blown up for the big screen. The movie takes place in

about three main locations and rarely strays from its small stable of characters.

One of the problems with "Trial and Error" is that director Jonathan Lynn ("My Cousin Vinny") doesn't look around for potential weirdos in the woodwork. There must be some odd-ball yokels in this picturesque Nevada town, but we never get a chance to meet them.

Rip Torn proves an exception. He's well-cast as the defendant, a veteran con man who has bilked hundreds out of \$17.99 for a copper engraving of Abraham Lincoln. What did they get for their money? A brand new penny.

There are other funny bits. Against Charlie's wishes, Richard brings in an expert witness, a New Age doctor who equates the defendant's sugar-heavy diet with drug addiction (she even has charts). When the

prosecuting attorney rudely cross-examines the woman and questions her credentials, the healer diagnoses her as well, and for awhile it looks like Richard's tactics just might win the case.

Then there is the judge who desperately tries to keep order while simultaneously amused at the unorthodox proceedings. Charlie, who technically can't speak in the courtroom, uses flash cards to tell Richard when to object and what for.

Poor Jeff Daniels. How many times has he played this regular Joe made perpetually uncomfort-

able by the circumstances around him? He even had the same name in Jonathan Demme's superior "Something Wild," another time his straight-laced, frustrated suburbanite was awakened by a frisky, free-spirited woman.

That woman here is played by newcomer Charlize Theron and she may be the only fresh thing in the picture. Perfectly happy to work in a hotel and live in a trailer in the desert, she makes Charlie realize that there is life beyond the law office.

The movie strains in its

attempts at poignancy. Sure we're all actors playing a part on the stage of life, but maybe that kind of philosophy should be left in the hands of Shakespeare.

"Trial and Error" is innocent fun, yet it fades from memory even quicker than most mindless Hollywood entertainment.

John Monaghan welcomes your calls and comments. You can listen to him on Dave Dixon's Radio Show AM 1270, 8 p.m. to midnight Saturdays. To leave John a voice mail message, dial (313) 953-2047 on a touch-tone phone, mailbox 1866.

COMING ATTRACTIONS

Scheduled to open Friday, June 6

**"ALL OVER ME"**  
Exclusively at the Main Art Theatre. Drama about three teenagers coming of age - and "coming out" in New York City's Hell's Kitchen.

**"CONAIR"**  
Action film about a group of notorious prisoners who hijack the plane taking them to a new maximum security facility. Stars Nicolas Cage, John Malkovich, John Cusack, Steve Buscemi.

**"BLISS"**  
Sensual story about love, relationships and self-discovery. Stars Craig Sheffer, Sheryl Lee.

**"BRASSED OFF"**  
Story of a spirited group of Yorkshire men, all members of a local brass band, and the woman who walks into their world - attracting a lot more than just musical admiration. Stars Pete Postlethwaite, Tara Fitzgerald.

**"BUDDY"**  
True story of Gertrude Lintz, an eccentric socialite who nurses an infant gorilla to health and then raises him as if he were her child. Stars Rene Russo, Robbie Coltrane.

**"BROKEN ENGLISH"**  
Dramatic story of a Croatian-born woman who flees her war-torn homeland with her family to settle in New Zealand.

Scheduled to open Friday, June 13

**"SPEED 2: CRUISE CONTROL"**  
A cruise ship full of vacationers, including Annie Porter (Sandra Bullock) and her new beau, is sent hurtling out of control by a computer mastermind. Also stars Jason Patric.

**"LOVEI VALOURI COMPASSIONI"**  
Exclusively at the Main Art Theatre. Comedy-drama about eight gay men, longtime friends who spend three summer holiday weekends together at a beach house. Stars Jason Alexander, Randy Becker, John Glover.

Scheduled to open Friday, June 20

**"BATMAN AND ROBIN"**  
Adventures of the Dark Knight continue with two new heroes, Robin and Batgirl and villains, Mr. Freeze and Poison Ivy. Stars George Clooney, Chris O'Donnell.

**"TEMPRESS MOON"**  
Story of seduction and betrayal set in 1911 China. Stars Gong Li, Leslie Cheung and Kevin Li Jianhua.



Sophie Baker/Miramax Films  
Spirited group: Ewan McGregor (left), Tara Fitzgerald, and Pete Postlethwaite in Mark Herman's "Brassed Off."

**"JULE'S GOLD"**  
Story of a solitary and stubborn bee-keeper and his return to the world. Stars Peter Fonda, Patricia Richardson.

**"OUT TO SEA"**  
Walter Matthau and Jack Lemmon are teamed up again on screen, this time as "dance hosts" aboard a cruise ship in the Caribbean. The comedy also stars Dyan Cannon, Gloria DeHaven, Hal Linden.

**"MY BEST FRIEND'S WEDDING"**  
Romantic comedy about two friends who go from an impossible possibility to an unimaginable reality. It's the classic tale of a triangle - the boy, the girl, and the boy's best friend - in which destiny and tradition are thrown out along with the rice. Stars Julia Roberts, Dermot Mulroney.

Scheduled to open Friday, June 27

**"THE VAN"**  
A raucous, tender story of friendship between two men and their ill-fated partnership in a fish 'n' chips fan. The third installment from Roddy Doyle's Barrytown trilogy "The Commitments," "The Snapper." Stars Colm Meaney, Donal O'Kelly.

Scheduled to open Friday, July 11

**"CONTACT"**  
A visionary drama based on Carl Sagan's novel about humankind's first encounter with extraterrestrial life. Stars Jodie Foster.

**"SHALL WE DANCE"**  
An ordinary 42-year-old businessman and a former competitive dancer find each other and together discover the joy of dance.

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General Cinemas

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**"TILL THERE WAS YOU (PG13)**  
**"FIFTH ELEMENT (PG13)**  
**"ADDDCTED TO LOVE (R)**  
**"BREAKDOWN (R)**  
**"AUSTIN POWERS (PG13)**  
**"NIGHT FALLS ON MANHATTAN (PG13)**

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**"FATHER'S DAY (PG13)**  
**"FIFTH ELEMENT (PG13)**  
**"ROMY & MICHELLE (R)**  
**"LIAR LIAR (PG13)**  
**"AUSTIN POWERS (PG13)**  
**"ADDDCTED TO LOVE (R)**

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**ABSOLUTE POWER (R)**  
**SCREAM (R)**

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2150 N. Opdyke Rd.  
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**GONE FISHIN' (PG)**  
**TILL THERE WAS YOU (PG13)**  
**TRIAL AND ERROR (PG13)**  
**ADDDCTED TO LOVE (R)**  
**LOST WORLD (PG13)**  
**NIGHT FALLS ON MANHATTAN (R)**  
**SPRING (R)**  
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STREET SCENE

# Bosstones hit charts mighty hard with 'Impression'

The Mighty Mighty Bosstones got into ska and punk rock as a way of avoiding the mainstream. Now that the band has scored a hit with the song "The Impression That I Get," saxophone player Tim "Johnny Vegas" Burton is thrown for a loop.



Coming to town: The Mighty Mighty Bosstones - from left, dancer Ben Carr, trombonist Dennis Brockenborough, saxophonist Tim Burton, singer Dicky Barrett (seated), saxophonist Kevin Lenear, drummer Joe Sirois, guitarist Nate Albert (seated), and bassist Joe Gittleman.

"I'd rather they (mainstream radio listeners) listen to us than Whitney Houston. I think we have a better message than 'I Will Always Love You.' We have more substance," Burton said. "It's cool, but personally I don't really hear it on the radio. That's not really what we're about. It thrills me more when we can go to a venue and play in front of 1,000 people. ... We consider ourselves primarily a live band. We've always felt that's the more direct and honest way to present yourself to people."

The Mighty Mighty Bosstones are joining Social Distortion, Pennywise, Royal Crown Revue, and others Wednesday, July 23, when the Warped Tour comes to Pine Knob Music Theatre in Independence Township. Tickets go on sale Saturday, June 7.

On "Let's Face It" (Mercury), the Boston band's latest album, The Mighty Mighty Bosstones retreat primarily to a straightforward ska sound while its most recent albums carried a hybrid of

punk and ska. "We didn't make any kind of a conscious effort to do that. We wanted to just try to make the best album that we could."

Lyricaly, the album's major theme is tolerance. The title track faces off against those who partake in racism, homophobia, or bigotry. "Numbered Days" tells the story of a lifelong bully while singer Dicky Barrett sings about a victim in "Nevermind Me."

The songs for the album were chosen from a batch of about 30 written during a break specifically scheduled "to be creative."

"We wrote more material than we needed. That way we could be a little bit more picky and a little

tougher with our arrangements and make sure everything was as good as we could possibly get it," Burton said.

So good that it debuted in the top 60 Billboard charts.

"The fact that ska music has started to reach into the mainstream is a big 'whatever' to me. ... I'm not going to say anything negative. No Doubt they paid their dues because they've been around for a long time so you can't accuse No Doubt of jumping on some kind of bandwagon."

He's frustrated that mainstream acts influenced by ska are getting all the attention when traditional ska acts like the Toasters or Hepcat are large-

ly ignored by journalists.

"I think a lot of the appeal that ska music has with the mainstream is what turned us on to ska music in the first place. The message is very similar to the punk rock message in the 1980s. It's very youth oriented, very do it yourself, and (encourages) racial diversity. Ska had that same kind of message."

"If I could be so bold to pontificate, the cool rock bands over the last eight years have been really hard bands. Your Green Days, your Red Hot Chili Peppers, and going back a little farther, Nirvana, Soundgarden have made dents in the airwaves so I think people might be looking for a more musical sound right now. I think ska has that. It's easier on the ears."

Tickets, \$25 pavilion and \$20 lawn, for the Warped Tour - Mighty Mighty Bosstones, Social Distortion, Pennywise, Royal Crown Revue, and others - go on sale Saturday, June 7, at all Ticketmaster outlets. For more information, call (248) 377-0100 or (248) 645-6666.

The band 10,000 Maniacs will release "Love Among the Ruins," its first for Geffen Records with its new lineup, on June 17. After the departure of lead singer Natalie Merchant in 1993, the four remaining members of the band - guitarist Robert Buck, keyboardist Dennis Drew, bassist Steven Gustafson, and drummer Jerome Augustyniak - added John Lombardo, an original member who co-wrote the early hits

"Can't Ignore the Train" and "Tension," and Mary Ramsey, who played viola, violin and sang backup on 10,000 Maniacs' "Our Time in Eden," and "MTV Unplugged." "Love Among the Ruins" was recorded in Athens, Ga., with producer John Keane (R.E.M., Indigo Girls, Cowboy Junkies) at his studio and at Woodstock N.Y.'s Bearsville Studios with producer Fred Maher (Lou Reed, Lloyd Cole). ... Other upcoming releases include a collection of XTC's greatest hits "Upsy Daisy Assortment"

(June 17), Jamie Walters' "Ride" produced by Walters, Linda Ronstadt, and Aaron Neville (June 24), Edwin McCain's "Misguided Roses" (June 24), and Madder Rose's "Tragic Magic" (June 24).

If you have a question or comment for Christina Fuoco, you can write to her in care of The Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft Road, Livonia, or you can leave her a message at (313) 953-2047, mailbox No. 2130, or via e-mail at CFuoco@aol.com.

# Detroit's art didn't end with Motown

BACKSTAGE PASS



ANN DELISI

Then Berry Gordy descended Mount Olympus, clove his head, and out sprang Diana Ross. From his thigh emerged Marvin Gaye, and while his craft pitched on the briny sea, he heard the song of the Sirens, and crashing to the rocky shore discovered it was really the Marvelettes.

Yes, the legend of Motown has become a part of our Detroit mythology. And while we cherish that legacy, it's also become something of an albatross: you perform an amazing feat, and everybody heaps on the praise and recognition, which is great, except then they don't notice anything else about you ever again. They figure they've already got you pegged.

That's Detroit all over, and it can be frustrating. Go to another city and tell them you're from Detroit. The free associations that sometimes pop out of their mouths are dumbfounding. "Oh, you guys flipped over a cop car

when you won the World Series." That was 1984. Get over it. "You guys set dumpsters on fire on Devil's Night." Not for years, thank you. "You guys gave us cars and Motown." All right, already!

Well, every week in this column, and on Backstage Pass on Channel 56, we give you ammunition for those conversations by showcasing our area's artistic and cultural diversity. Sure we gave the world Motown, but we're also the worldwide nexus for techno music. With the likes of Sponge, The Verve Pipe, Vuou Hippies, et al, the major labels have zeroed in on Detroit as the current hotbed for hard-driving new rock. And Detroit's also unique in having a large number of working, touring Ska bands in its recent history.

Ska is easily the peppiest music you'll ever hear. Its most recognizable feature is the syncopated guitar that continually works its way up and down the scale in quick, one-lick bursts throughout most of the songs. It has an intoxicating effect. Ska players tend to bound around the stage like Tigger hepped up on coffee and amphetamines. All that jumping and squirming quickly spreads to the audience,

and soon the whole room is engulfed in a mischievous, frolicsome energy. If you're not careful, you're liable to become a Ska fan, characterized by an amalgamation of uniquely '90s piercing and facial hair patterns, and the clothing your dad wore when he was slim in those earliest of color photographs - patterned pullovers, narrow ties, and thin-brimmed fedoras made of wicker.

On tonight's show, The Articles - a Ska band that's been gigging all over the city, and will soon be releasing their first CD - perform live in the Channel 56 studio. The Articles purvey traditional, jazz-influenced Jamaican Ska with a dash of Desi Arnaz, often covering or otherwise paying tribute to the works of seminal jazzmen like Monk, Bird, and Mingus.

This grab-bag admixture of sounds and influences may seem glib, but make no mistake, these are serious musicians. Never mind that they have way too much fun.

Ever wonder what actors do after the curtain falls on the evening's show? One group of local actors decided that one show wasn't enough, so they launched an after hours theater at Planet Ant in Hamtramck.

Planet Ant was already known as a popular coffee haunt, so what better place to do theater for insomniacs?

With so many people working late these days, eight o'clock curtains just don't fit the schedule. By the time you rinse the dishes, you're not vegging out in front of the tube until nine or nine-thirty. Planet Ant's eleven o'clock start times give you a live, late-night alternative to channel surfing through cable's John Hughes wasteland. They're currently showing the off-beat comedy about modern American child-rearing, "Baby with the Bathwater," by the hilarious playwright Christopher Durang (Sigourney Weaver's husband).

Also, on tonight's show, Gerry Craig, curator of The Wildlife Interpretive Gallery at the Detroit Zoo, and one of our crack art correspondents, gives us a look at "Clay Dominant," an exhibition this month at the Detroit Artists Market that examines the use of clay in combination with other media.

It's another jam-packed Backstage Pass, so tune to Channel 56 tonight at 7:30 p.m., or catch the rebroadcast Friday night at 11:30 p.m. That's all for this week. Now get out there!

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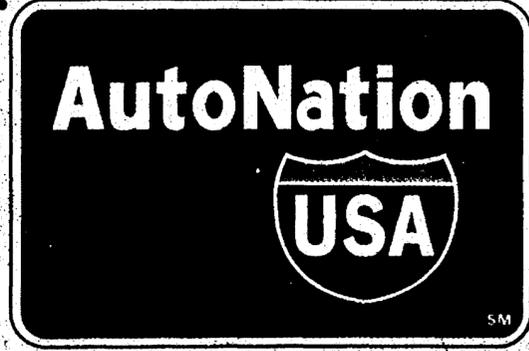
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## Take DNR to court, if you think you're right

### REAL ESTATE QUERIES



ROBERT M. MEISNER

**Q.** I am having a problem with the DNR in several instances and believe that they have exceeded their authority and are operating arbitrarily. What can be done?

**A.** Apparently you are not alone in your sentiments, based upon a recent Michigan Court of Appeals decision. Generally speaking, the agency's regulation, standard or instruction of general applicability that implements or applies laws enforced or administered by an agency such as the state Department of Natural Resources is not enforceable if it is not promulgated properly as a rule pursuant to the Administrative Procedures Act.

In a recent case involving a dispute over a marina owned and operated by a developer, the Michigan Court of Appeals stated that "in this case, the DNR charitably may be described as an agency zealously enforcing the environmental laws under its jurisdiction. Its conduct may be described less charitably as that of a rogue agency wielding its extensive power to punish and harass a landowner for daring to insist on and asserting its constitutional and statutory rights."

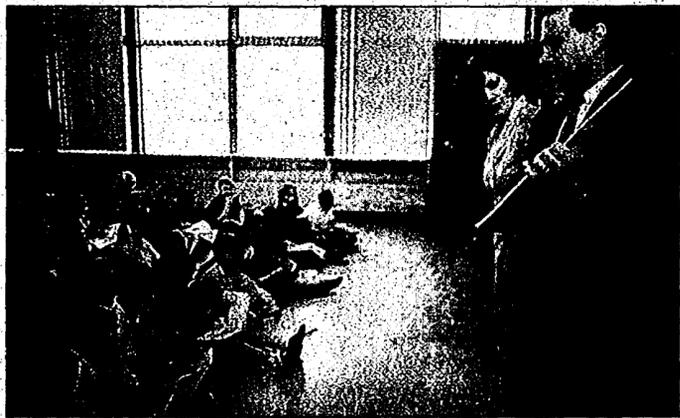
I would suggest that you consult with legal counsel regarding your problems with the DNR.

Robert M. Meisner is an Oakland County area attorney concentrating his practice in the areas of condominiums, real estate, corporate law and litigation. You are invited to submit topics that you would like to see discussed in this column, including questions about condominiums, by writing Robert M. Meisner, 30200 Telegraph Road, Suite 467, Bingham Farms MI 48025. His email address is [rmeisner@mich.com](mailto:rmeisner@mich.com) and his web site is <http://www.meisner-law.com>. This column provides general information and should not be construed as legal opinion.

## Kids learn about homes



I Know: Neill Kabron, a student at Our Lady of Sorrows, raises his hand to respond to a question about trees and their role in home construction.



Working plans: Adorno and Karen Piccinini share real blue prints of a condominium they actually build in the "Homes of Our Own" education program.

BY DOUG FUNKE  
STAFF WRITER

Today's children are tomorrow's home owners.

That's why residential builders Karen and Adorno Piccinini got involved with "Homes of Our Own," an education program developed by the National Association of Home Builders to explain the construction process at a kid's level of understanding.

Recently, the Piccininis entertained second graders at Our Lady of Sorrows School in Farmington Hills with a brief talk and video.

And the kids ate it up, coming away with a coloring book, a blueprint of a condo and a real pine seedling to plant at home.

"I liked the movie, listening to the tree talk," said Lauren Kennedy.

"I learned you could make so much things from wood - squares, triangles," said Robert Dolecki.

"I didn't know how much trees you would use for a house (25, on average)," said Alicia Grant.

Sarah Rogers and Ryan Seitz said afterwards that they might enjoy getting into the business some day, themselves.

"My dad sells paints, and I may want to be a builder so my dad could sell paints to me and I give them to painters," Rogers said.

"It kind of looked fun," Seitz said.

The Piccininis, active in the Building Industry Association of Southeastern Michigan, gently spoke with words the kids could understand.

"As developers, we buy land, dig up dirt, put in streets and fire hydrants," Karen said. "As builders, we build homes, apartments and condominiums."

"People pick homes on needs - how far they are from work, how far from schools, shopping, grocery stores," Adorno said. "Builders make comfortable homes by getting permits from cities."

The Piccininis and the video made parallels between animals living in the woods and people living in houses, the various jobs involved in building a house and the recycling/replanting of wood products and trees.

The couple looked forward to personalizing the building industry to young people and dispelling some myths.

"Our industry gets a lot of negative press," Adorno said. "In reality, we're planting a lot more trees than we're taking down."

"We're conscious of the environment and regulations," Karen said. "We want to get that out by example."

"Skilled trades are so low (in numbers) now," Adorno said. "Maybe some day, young kids will think about becoming a builder or a skilled trades."

Laura Hryczyk, a social studies teacher at the school, helped coordinate the presentation.

"We've been studying community," she said. "It really fit in well. Houses have to do with needs and wants. Children get to see how many jobs (upwards of 200) building a house can give."

### Building Permit Activity

Number of houses, condominiums and apartment units permitted, by community, from Jan. 1 through April 30, 1997.

Community	Permits
Canton	354
Waterford	282
Rochester	154
West Bloomfield	181
Orion Township	140
Livonia	113
Troy	101
Rochester Hills	98
Commerce Township	96
Westland	93
Farmington Hills	87
Detroit	66
Plymouth Township	65
Oxford	50
Warren	39
Bloomfield Township	36

HELEN FURCEAN/STAFF ARTIST

## Tailor a home mortgage to your needs

### MORTGAGE SHOPPING



DAVID C. MULLY

Many of the newest offerings in the constantly changing home finance market have been advantageous to consumers because they provide flexibility in either the length of the loan, the amount of the monthly payment, or the ability to obtain equity out of the home. On the other hand, conventional mortgages have worked well for many people.

They allow home buyers to make payments at a set amount for 15 or 30 years and, if they need cash, take out a home equity loan or refinance the mortgage.

I've recently been alerted to an innovative mortgage that puts home buyers in control of their mortgage and lets them tailor the mortgage exactly to their needs. Michigan National Bank now offers the "Tailored Home Loan" that lets home owners systematically increase their payments to build equity faster, access pre-paid principal if the need arises, and change other aspects of the mortgage throughout the term of the loan.

"This new program was developed for people who want the ability to change the terms of their mortgage as their financial needs change," said Mark Harwood, consumer segment marketing manager. "We believe this is the first program of its kind in the USA, and we believe it is going to be extremely popular."

The biggest shock for most home buyers comes when the lender presents the loan disclosure form and they realize just how much interest they are going to pay over a period of 15 to 30 years. The Tailored Home Loan offers new levels of flexibility and control for homeowners who wish to manage their mortgage throughout the life of that mortgage.

Homeowners can save thousands of dollars in interest by making accelerated payments and making additional lump sum payments, thus reducing the term of their mortgage and saving significant interest expense and having access to their principle for personal use. In addition, customers may lock in their rate for up to five years at various times during the life of their mortgage.

This product offers many of the advantages of different types of mortgage products, all rolled into one. It makes it possible to:

- Pay off the loan faster than most conventional mortgages.
- Save a significant amount of the money that would otherwise be spent on interest.
- Use the equity built up through previous principal payments.
- Switch from an adjustable to a fixed-rate (for periods of up to five

Please see MULLY, F2

## Renters

### You really do need property insurance

Renters shouldn't overlook the need for insurance to protect their personal belongings.

"Unlike the owner of a house, who needs insurance coverage for both the dwelling and its contents, the renter needs a policy to protect just his personal belongings," Leanne Snay, executive director of the Michigan Association of Insurance Companies, said.

If the renter's building is destroyed, the insurance policy bought by the landlord or property owner will cover the building only. To recover for the loss of personal effects, including furnishing, the renter must have his own policy.

However, it is estimated that less than 20 percent of all renters nationally buy insurance to cover their belongings.

There is a policy tailored to fit the needs of renters, according to the insurance industry spokeswoman. The renters policy or HO-4 covers damage to possessions that result from perils such as explosion, fire or lightning,

windstorm or hail, riot or civil commotion, theft and vandalism. It is similar to the package policy that can be bought by the owner of a home. The primary difference is that the renters policy doesn't include coverage on the dwelling structure.

Normally, the renters policy reimburses for losses on an actual cash value basis. This means that the insurance company will pay replacement cost, less depreciation. If the renter is willing to pay more, any insurer offer an endorsement to the policy that will cover contents on a replacement cost basis. The key is the words "replacement cost basis."

Although the renters policy covers personal belongings such as furniture, appliances, clothing and jewelry, there are limitations on amounts of coverage for certain types of personal property that are especially susceptible to loss. For example, coverage for cash generally has a \$200 limit.

Other valuables, such as jewelry, furs, firearms and silverware, have lim-

itations for their loss. These limits vary between \$1,000 and \$2,500. For an additional premium, the consumer can buy a policy endorsement that specifically describes each item and includes its dollar value. The key word to communicate with your agent is "floater."

The renters policy usually includes several other coverages. Examples of these are:

- Additional living expenses that might be incurred if the residence is temporarily uninhabitable after a loss.
- Personal liability insurance for bodily injury/property damage claims or lawsuits.
- Alterations or improvements the renter has made to the building at his/her own expense.

The Michigan Association of Insurance Companies is a non-profit organization representing property/casualty insurance companies that operate in Michigan. The association sponsors a number of consumer education and public information programs.

**HOMES SOLD IN WAYNE COUNTY**

The Wayne County Register of Deeds office is once again having problems with its new computer system. The Register of Deeds is unable to provide access to the most recent home sales in Wayne County. We will resume publishing recent home sales information as soon as the Wayne County Register of Deeds office is able to straighten out its difficulties.

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money may be accessed by the homeowner at any time after the pre-paid principal balance reaches \$2,000 for a small transaction fee. This is called the "re-draw." The minimum amount that may be withdrawn is \$2,000.

**Adjustable rate options:**  
Tailored Home Loan is available with a variety of adjustable rate mortgages (ARMs). These include a one-year ARM or the ability to lock in an interest rate for two, three, four or five years. Interest accrues on a daily simple interest basis, allowing customers to save even more if they make their payment before the scheduled due date.

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**HOME SELLER'S CLASS**

Rosemary Firestone of RE/MAX 100 and her financial services team host a free home seller's class 7-8:30 p.m. Tuesday, June 10, at First Michigan Title, 38777 W. Six Mile, Suite 203, just west of I-275, Livonia. Topics include eight steps for selling, nine deadly mistakes and how to get the highest price in the shortest time with the least hassle. For reservations, call Kristie at (248) 348-3000 ext. 226.

**SELF DEFENSE PROGRAM**

The Michigan Society of Professional Surveyors hosts a dinner program, "Your Self Defense," presented by the Franklin Police Department 7 p.m., Wednesday, June 11, at Sila Italian Dining & Pizza, 4033 W. 12 Mile, Berkley. Cost is \$12. For reservations, call Linda Brenizer at (248) 844-5400 by noon Tuesday, June 10.

**LAW SUIT PROTECTION**

The Oakland County Real Estate Investors Association presents a two-day lawsuit protection workshop for landlords and investors Saturday and Sunday, June 7-8, at the Troy Marriott, 200 W. Big Beaver. Presenter: William Bronchick, lawyer and author. Cost, which includes materials, is \$495. To register, call (800) 655-3632.

**NORTH OAKLAND BUILDERS**

The Building Industry Association of Southeastern Michigan hosts a meeting of its North Oakland County Builders Association to explain "What You Need to Know If You Build in North Oakland County" 5:30-8 p.m. Tuesday, June 10 at Mitch's II, 6665 Highland Road, Waterford.

**BUILDERS LICENSE SEMINAR**

Livonia Community Education and Oakland Builders Institute co-sponsor a 16-hour seminar on what you need to know to pass the state builder's licensing exam 6-10 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays June 17-26 at Frost Middle School, 14041 Stark, Livonia. Cost is \$150 plus a \$20 textbook fee. Registration required at (313) 523-9277 by Friday, June 13.

**HOME BUYING SEMINAR**

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**2nd water tank saves energy**

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Q: We have two 50-gallon electric water heaters connected in series, but we seldom use large amounts of hot water. If hot water is being dispensed one tank at a time, it seems that the water in the second heater in the series would rarely be dispensed. Could this standing water be a breeding ground for bacteria? How practical is it to turn off one via the breaker switch until large amounts of hot water are needed?

A municipal water supply, the bacteria are normally not toxic, but they can cause smelly or rusty water. If your water heaters are connected in series, you won't have standing water. As water is drawn from the first tank, makeup water will flow from the second tank into the first, and from the water supply into the second tank.

If you turn off the power to the second tank, that tank will function as a preheater by raising the water temperature to that approaching room temperature before it enters the first tank. This reduces your energy costs.

In the case where more hot water is needed, there are several ways to deal with this problem. For instance, a plumber may install the second water heater in parallel. Water heaters that are the same size and BTU input are usually installed this way - the advantage being that the system will provide large quantities of hot water at one time, since water is drawn from both tanks simultaneously. Also, this system allows you to shut off and drain one tank for periods where the extra hot-water capacity is not needed.

Water heaters that are different sizes are often installed in series. The first and smaller tank functions as a preheater for the larger

Other options to consider would be installing the water heaters individually (so each serves a group of fixtures), installing an instantaneous water heater (a small gas or electric water heater adjacent to a tub/shower or sink) or installing a single large water heater. Each installation has advantages and drawbacks, and you should discuss each of these with the contractor who will perform the installation.

Q: I have a 4-zone, gas-fired, forced hot-water heating system. The water heater has started making a low moaning noise intermittently, almost a groan. The system is 26 years old and has had minimal maintenance. How can I stop the noise?

A: It sounds like the bearings are failing on the circulator pump. Over the years, the bearings wear - especially if they have not been adequately lubricated. Worn bearings get hot, overheat and develop a scraping noise, which is transmitted through the piping and can be heard in some sections of the house. If the sounds are coming from the circulator bearings, replace the circulator. Circulator pump bearings should be lubricated at least once a year with motor oil, typically sold at hardware stores. Newer circulator pump motors, however, are usually permanently lubricated.

A: Yes, standing water can be a breeding ground for bacteria that are always present in water. However, in

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- Convenience and easy carrying. Your days of lugging around a heavy vacuum cleaner could be over. Spend less time dusting and vacuuming and more time doing the things you want to do. The system's built-in power unit will really be appreciated when cleaning stairs.
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**Bruce Measom** has joined the Bloomfield Hills-based Harbor Real Estate Co. as director of acquisitions. He will be responsible for locating, evaluating



Measom

and overseeing the purchase of investment properties.

Measom, who lives in West Bloomfield, earned law and bachelor's degrees from the University of Michigan.

**Beverly Weingarden**

associate broker with Century 21 Town & Country in Birmingham, has been honored with the company's coveted Centurion Award for sales performance.

This is the second year in a row that Weingarden, a West Bloomfield resident, has received the Centurion Award.

David F. Brochue has been promoted to vice president and



Weingarden

director, instrumentation & controls at BEI Associates, a Detroit-based architectural and engineering firm.

Brochue, affiliated with BEI since 1988, previously was a senior associate.

**Vickie Reasons**

a sales associate with Century 21 Nada in Farmington Hills, has received the company's Emerald Masters Award for sales achievement. Reasons lives in Dearborn Heights.



Reasons

**Matt Kenkel**, a Realtor with ERA Banker's Realty of Farmington Hills, received national recognition from ERA Franchise

Systems for achieving over \$6 million in sales volume last year

Kenkel, a licensed real estate broker and a certified public accountant, received an MBA degree from the University of Michigan.

**Lucy W. Ham**

a sales associate with the Prudential Great Lakes Realty franchise in Flushing, was recognized as the firm's top sales agent last year with volume in excess of \$21 million.



Ham

Ham, with 24 years experience, holds professional designations of Certified Residential

Specialist and Certified Sales Professional in new home development.

**John Dziurman, AIA**, has opened an architectural and planning office, John Dziurman Architects, at 416 Main Street, Suite 200, Rochester.

The firm specializes in institutional, educational and government projects.

Dziurman has won a multitude of awards from such organizations as AIA Michigan, AIA Detroit, Engineering Institute of Michigan during his 35 years in the business.

**Stephen A. Horton** has been appointed as vice president and commercial loan officer at Oxford Bank. His primary responsibilities include new business development and portfolio maintenance.

Horton, a University of Michi-

gan graduate with a bachelor of science degree in business administration, has 17 years experience in commercial lending.

**Julie K. Blough, Ginger L. Burress, Lisa R. Schreiber, and Elizabeth A. Sevakis** are recent additions to the facility management staff at Troy-based Ellis/Naeyaert/Genheimer Associates, architects, engineers, planners.

Blough has a bachelor of science degree in architecture from Lawrence Technological University.

Burress and Schreiber have bachelor of arts degrees in interior design from Michigan State University.

Sevakis served on the facilities staff at the Indianapolis campus of Indiana University.

**Look for structural quality when buying home**

With the warmer temperatures, many people begin searching for new homes or start working with their builders to custom design and construct the dwelling of their dreams. While looking at the beauty of the kitchen and master bedroom and bathroom in a model home, or while viewing plans, industry experts suggest buyers thoroughly examine the structural construction and materials to be used in the building of their homes.

"What it really comes down to is asking builders lots of questions and coming armed with information," explains David Boivin, vice president of marketing for building products manufacturer CertainTeed Corporation.

For instance, while quality can be easily demonstrated via such items as a hardwood floor or brand of appliance, some things within a home can be hid-

den or overlooked because they are not easily seen. One example of this is insulation. Insulation is usually not visible to the potential buyer, especially in side-walls. How does a homeowner then know what material is in the wall and what the quality of the product is? This is especially important when you consider that insulation is a product that must be installed correctly otherwise thermal performance is sacrificed.

To ensure high quality insulation installations, the National Association of Home Builders (NAHB) Research Center has developed a Certified Contractor Program, the only program of its kind where an independent third party certifies the installation of a building product in new homes.

"This program is setting new quality standards in the housing industry for

the installation of insulation," explains Liza Bowles, NAHB Research Center president. "Now home builders that use a certified insulation contractor and the buyers that purchase from these builders are assured of the overall quality of the insulation in their houses."

In only a year in operation nearly 100 insulation contractors have been certified in the program across the country and the NAHB Research Center wants to expand into other subcontracting fields.

Therefore when looking at prospective new homes or discussing a custom home with your builder ask him if he uses a certified contractor, as they have established a recog-

nized quality system, effectively trained their employees and passed a series of stringent criteria in a thorough third-party audit. For a brochure on the Certi-

fied Program or a list of certified insulation contractors nearest you call 800-782-8777 or visit us on the Internet at <http://www.certainteed.com>

**Protect eyes during spring cleaning**

With spring just around the corner, many of us are planning our traditional housecleaning and yard restorations. But in the fever of cleaning, don't forget to take precautions - according to the U.S. Eye Injury Registry, almost forty percent of eye injuries occur in the home. Below are some safety tips from the American Academy of Ophthalmology:

**Safety in the backyard:** Stones, twigs, and other debris become dangerous projectiles after shooting out of the blades of a lawn mower and can injure eyes including those of innocent bystanders. Before using a lawn mower, power trimmer or edger, be sure to check for rocks and stones. When using pesticides around the yard, always point the spray-can nozzle away from your face.

**Eye protection around the home:** Many household chemicals, such as cleaning fluids, detergents, and ammonia, are extremely hazardous and can burn the eye's delicate tissues. When using chemicals for home improvement, always read instructions and labels carefully, work in a well-ventilated area, and make sure spray nozzles point away from you before spraying. After use, wash your hands thoroughly! Use of tight-fitting goggles, available at hardware stores, is also advisable, especially when spraying or splashing is involved. The majority of eye injuries

is preventable using safety precautions. However, should an injury happen, use the following first aid tips and then seek medical attention:

**Foreign objects:** Pull the upper lid down over the lashes of the lower lid and blink a few times, allowing the eye to wash itself out.

**Cuts:** Bandage the eye lightly, then immediately seek medical attention. Do not attempt to wash out the eye or to remove objects that may be stuck in the eye or eyelid. Avoid applying pressure to the injured eye.

**Blows:** Apply an ice cold compress for about 15 minutes to reduce pain and/or swelling.

**Chemicals:** Immediately flood the eye with warm water for about 15 minutes. Use your fingers to keep the eye open and rinse by holding your head under a faucet or shower, or by pouring water into the eye from any clean container.

**Remember -** First aid is only the first step for emergency treatment. If you experience pain, impaired vision, or any possibility of eye damage, call your ophthalmologist (a medical doctor specializing in the treatment of the eyes) or go to a nearby hospital emergency room. In

the case of a blow, do not assume that the injury is minor; the eye should be examined thoroughly by a medical professional because vision-threatening damage could be hidden.

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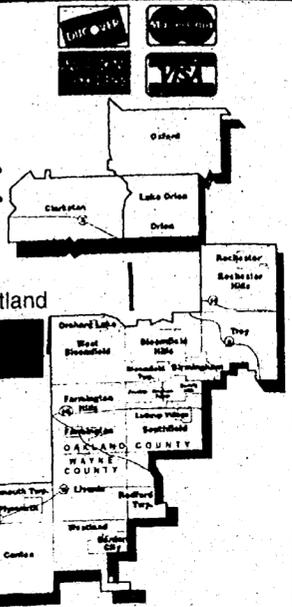
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PLYMOUTH - Beautiful, 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath. Open Sat-Sun, June 7-8. Noon-4pm. \$189,000. 651 Auburn/E of Sheldon, N. of North Terminal).
REFORD - By Owner, OPEN SUN. 1-4pm or By Appointment, 17877 Indian (N. of 7 Mile, E. of Inkster) All new construction, cabinets & windows, plumbing, wiring & roof and more. 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, open floor plan w/ vaulted ceiling. Must see. Priced to move at \$72,000. 313-535-1448
ROCHESTER, SUN. 12-6, 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath colonial walkout. Family/living/dining rooms, deck w/ hot tub, 1150 Eagle Nest Dr., E. of Rochester, N. of Buel (107) 752-1811
SATURDAY 1-4 p.m. PLYMOUTH-12438 Duxbury Ct., Beacon Estates Subdivision S. of N. Chardon or By Appointment, 17877 Indian (N. of 7 Mile, E. of Inkster) All new construction, cabinets & windows, plumbing, wiring & roof and more. 2 bedrooms, 1 bath, open floor plan w/ vaulted ceiling. Must see. Priced to move at \$72,000. 313-535-1448
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STERLING HEIGHTS - 4 bedroom quiet, new kitchen, many updates, large lot, central air, 2 car garage, \$153,900. Open Sun., Noon-4pm, 18 Mile & Ryan area. 36661 Lamarr, (810) 983-3910
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WESTLAND - Open Sat. 1-3. 34318 Frances, S. of Ford, E. of Wixom. REMERICA FAMILY 313-525-5600

304 Ann Arbor
TWO STORY NEW CONSTRUCTION 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 bath, first floor laundry, full basement, fireplace, front covered porch, brick front. Excellent location. Ann Arbor schools. 60 day occupancy - choose your interior colors. \$200,000. \$171,500. Call 313-572-4588. 248-926-9106
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West Bloomfield
Open Sunday 1-4
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WESTLAND 3 bedroom ranch on almost an acre. Florida room. Many updates including windows, furnace & central air. 14EDW \$119,500. 313-455-5600
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**BRICK ranch** 3 bedroom, attached garage full basement, new roof, furnace & water heater. \$95,000. By owner. Eves 313-226-6004

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**BY OWNER** Open Sat & Sun 1-5 839 Douglas, N. of Cherry H2W of Venice 3 bedroom 2 bath ranch. Finished basement. Central air. 2 car garage. Appliances \$105,000. (313) 422-8861

### 317 Garden City

**GARDEN CITY** 3 bedroom ranch, move in condition, many updates, large deck, 2 car garage, partial finished basement, central air. By owner. 313-522-7961

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**NEW CONSTRUCTION** Beautiful 3 bedroom ranch with 2 car attached garage, cathedral ceilings, nice wooded lot. Huron River & Chan-of-lakes access. Pincusky schools, close to X-way. Land contract terms. \$126,500. (810)231-1063

**320 Harland**  
**CUTE CAPE** Cod in Village of Harland 3 bedroom, 1 bath, 1350 sq ft, \$119,900 firm. (810) 632-5331 after 5 pm or (810)229-4477

**NEW CONSTRUCTION** 1500 sq ft ranch, 3 bedroom, 3 bath, attached garage, mental cabinets, beautiful home on 2 acres, 2 miles to US-23. \$167,900. (248) 887-3841

**THREE BEDROOM** 2 1/2 bath split level ranch, Lake privileges on Durham Lake 4, acre lot. \$172,000. (248)887-6191

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**ADORABLE** 3 bedroom, many updates, 2 car garage. \$85,900. (313) 525-5612

**Alluring Homes**  
LARGE LOT IN LIVONIA Sharp Cape Cod features updated kitchen, 40' ft deck, neutral decor w/ new carpeting. Also features an 11 x 15 addition w/alcove and bath. All this on a 2.68 ft. deep lot in the heart of Livonia. Just listed at \$122,900

**PRIME LOCATION**  
This 3 bedroom brick ranch comes with central air, 2 car garage & hardwood flooring. It also offers new windows, and exterior doors & a large backyard. Hurry, call today! \$134,900

**ATTRACTIVE RANCH**  
This 1971 built brick home features 3 bedrooms, family room with fireplace & finished basement, also 1 1/2 bath & 2 1/2 baths, central air, 2 car attached garage & a large fenced in yard. Hurry won't last! \$155,000

**14243 BRENTWOOD** 3 bedroom tri-level, 1.5 bath, air, \$127,500. (313) 425-8058

**BRICK RANCH** - 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, mint condition, completely updated, 2 1/2 car garage, finished basement, privacy fence. Open House Sun, June 8, 1-5pm. 14257 Arcola, off Lyndon & Inkster. \$139,900. (313) 427-4575

**BRICK RANCH** 4 bedrooms, 1 acre wooded lot, too many extraordinary features to mention! Asking \$275,000. OneWay Realty 248-473-5500

### 325 Livonia

**'A SPECIAL RANCH'**  
3 bedroom, partially finished basement, new roof, remodeled kitchen, vinyl windows with central air, new furnace, central air and hardwood floors. \$109,900

**'GREAT STARTER HOME'**  
Beautiful ranch home located on a large corner lot. Features include 3 bedrooms, 2 baths & 2 car detached garage with electricity. Great for that home mechanic. \$119,900

**LIVONIA'S BEST!**  
Gorgeous brick ranch with 2 1/2 car attached garage, 3 bedrooms, 3 full baths, formal dining room, huge family room and heated sun room over looks 2 acres of a ravine lot. \$269,900.

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### 325 Livonia

**BRICK COLONIAL** 2 1/2 bath brick home Bright kitchen with breakfast room, formal living & dining rooms, impressive foyer, family room with fireplace & doorway to backyard, finished basement, attached 2 car garage. \$174,900.

**UNBELIEVABLY BEAUTIFUL**  
gorgeous 3 large bedroom, 2 bath brick ranch decorated to perfection. Beautiful carpeting, large kitchen, covered patio, hardwood floors, finished basement, 2 car garage. Quick occupancy. \$139,900.

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**BRICK RANCH**, 3 car garage, full finished basement, central air, new kitchen, new carpet, new windows, \$148,500, \$25,000 down land contract. OneWay Realty 248-473-5500

**BURTON HOLLOW** Cape Cod 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, family fireplace, 34012 Wood, W. of Farmington, off 6 Mile, Open Sun 6-8, 2-5pm. 313-591-3404

**BY OWNER** 3 bedroom brick ranch, basement, large open kitchen, hardwood floors, central air, 5 car garage, 1 1/4 acre, \$128,900. 313-432-6082

**BY OWNER** - 3 1/2 bedroom colonial, 1930's carpeting, 34012 Wood, W. of Farmington, off 6 Mile, Open Sun 6-8, 2-5pm. 313-591-3404

**BY OWNER** - 5 1/2 acre area, 14785 Country Club Dr, 3 bedroom brick ranch, 1 1/2 bath, finished rec room w/ gas log fireplace. Corner lot, nice yard, 2 car garage. Shown by appointment. \$299,000.

**BY OWNER** - Open House June 1, or call (313) 265-7028 2 story 3 bedroom, built 1995, 1/2 acre lot. \$179,900. 29120 Sunnyside.

**BY OWNER** - 19342 St Francis 3 bedroom brick ranch, finished basement, air. Completely updated. \$95,900. 313-533-5378

**BY OWNER** Windridge Village Sub: 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, colonial on large corner lot w/sprinklers, 2300 sq ft, air, updated furnace & carpet, fireplace, 2nd kitchen/workshop, dining room, large deck, beautiful lot, much more. \$252,900. (248) 476-2616

**COLONIAL in Woodbrooke Sub** (7 Mile/Farmington area), 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, almost 2400 sq ft, w/sprinklers, large deck, beautiful lot, much more. \$252,900. (248) 476-2616

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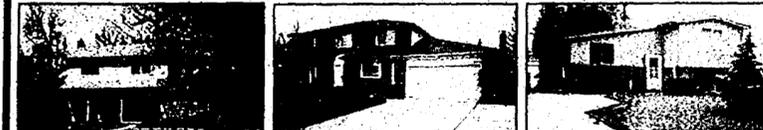
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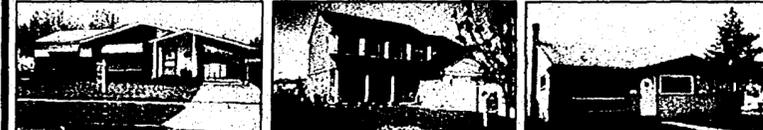
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**PLYMOUTH** - From the gorgeous white berber carpet to the open airy kitchen and massive family room this home is tops. No expense spared here. \$269,900

**SOUTHFIELD** - Updates begin at the front door of this new on the market quad. ALL white kitchen, newer furnace and central air. Must see to appreciate. \$119,900



**ROSEDALE MEADOWS RANCH** - New on the market and sure to go fast at \$119,900. Big lot, newer furnace and central air. 1 1/2 baths on main floor.

**CANTON** - Why go new construction when you can get this bright and airy home with loads of extras. Master suite, cathedral ceilings, 2000 sq. ft. of living area for \$187,900

**LIVONIA** - 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath home with Livonia Schools, new carpet, windows, roof, central air, and freshly painted. A lot of house for your dollars. \$113,900



**YOUR LUCKY DAY** - A 1887 sq. ft. ranch in Livonia. With formal dining room, first floor laundry and 2 full baths on main floor. Finished basement. \$189,900

**CANTON** - Open floor plan with upstairs bonus room. Master suite has Jacuzzi and shower plus cozy fireplace. Kitchen with large island. Professionally landscaped. \$279,900

**CANTON** - Everything has already been done. Less than 2 years old. Has sprinklers, beautiful landscaping, two tier deck and is spotless. New homes still being built in sub.

### 319 Hamburg

**IT'S ALL HERE AND YOU COULD BE TOO LATE!**  
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**CAPE COD** on 1.5 acres, country setting, 4 bedroom, 1500 sq. ft., full basement, & pool. Listed by owner. \$129,000. 1621 Marjorie, Call for appointment. (517) 546-3905

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**323 Howell**  
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### CANTON

A lot of house for the dollars!!!! Great 4 bedroom 2 1/2 bath colonial with 21x17 master bedroom suite with walk-in closet, country kitchen, partially finished basement, central air, 2 car attached garage, large family room with fireplace, deck, pool. \$146,900 (10070) 981-3500

**SUPER VALUE IN NORTH CANTON!** 3 bedroom condo with 1,200 sq. ft., great floor plan, huge living room, 1st floor laundry, 1.5 bath, updated cabinetry in kitchen and dining room. Land contract terms available. \$79,900 (10110) 981-3500

**CURB APPEAL PLUS/PARKING CLEAN!** Newly listed Canton Colonial offers 3 bedrooms, 1.5 baths, family room/fireplace (attached garage, all kitchen appliances included, positively the cleanest home you'll ever see! \$143,900. (10113) 981-3500

**FARMINGTON HILLS**  
**LUXURY EXECUTIVE COLONIAL** Quiet enjoyment are the key words to the lifestyle offered in this exclusive neighborhood. Features oversized gourmet kitchen, master bedroom with jacuzzi, \$489,900. (10111) 981-3500

**GARDEN CITY**  
**HOME WITH PLENTY OF ROOM** on this large lot. Almost 1,100 sq. ft. with 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, never carpeted, furnace & roof, appliances could stay with the right offer. Call today. \$82,500 (50200) 458-4900

**Cream Puff Listing!** Lovely 3 bedroom ranch, beautiful gallerly kitchen with oak cabinets, basement, updated vinyl windows, covered patio, 2 car garage, near schools. \$83,000 (10104) 981-3500

**Large Country Lot** - New complete remodeled 3 bedroom with finished basement, updated oak kitchen, 1 1/2 bath, new vinyl windows, doors and more. Call now \$72,900 (10106) 458-4900

**Huge Lot - Country in the city!** This 3 bedroom ranch is on a 86'x130' lot in great area with many updates: nice bath, large kitchen with cabinets, nice eating area, huge living room. Won't last long. \$72,900 (50166) 458-4900

**Lovely 3 bedroom brick ranch!** Has all the updates you've been looking for: full finished basement, copper plumbing, newer furnace, central air, newer carpet and much more. \$107,900 (50166) 458-4900

**Beautiful new built!** Super sharp 3 bedroom Colonial with vaulted ceiling in great room with natural fireplace. Main floor master suite, oak cabinets, 1st floor laundry. Must see! \$164,900 (50164) 458-4900

**WESTLAND**  
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**458-4900**  
WESTLAND / GARDEN CITY / WAYNE Specialties

### GREAT PRICE-GREAT LOCATION!

Lot, updated kitchen with oak cabinets, vinyl windows, needs TLC, purchaser to purchase "as is", call now! This one won't last. \$54,900 (50197) 458-4900

**BEAUTIFUL HOME IN POPULAR WESTLAND SUB!** Enter your summer under this large inground pool with privacy, cul-de-sac 4 bedroom, 1,800 sq. ft., spacious living, master with WIC, 2.5 baths, great decor. \$189,900 458-4900

**An Absolute Spacious Great Home!** 3 bedroom ranch, 3 baths, cathedral ceiling, foyer, skylights, newer carpet, fresh paint in & out, finished basement, new landscape, fireplace, awesome jacuzzi. \$135,900 (50185) 458-4900

**Must see this beautiful home!** in popular Toquosh sub, remodeled large kitchen & bath, new roof, central air, newer furnace & H2O heater, vinyl windows, down to deck \$129,900 (50160) 458-4900

**Westland's Best Neighborhood!** This 3 bedroom brick ranch features formal windows, hardwood floors, carpet, finished basement with bar, air conditioning, gas fireplace, whirlpool bathtub, 2 car garage, appliances negotiable. \$116,900 (10107) 981-3500

**Outstanding value!** 3 bedroom all-brick ranch in great area featuring newer drive-way, full finished basement, oak cabinets, central air, new furnace & H2O heater. Call now \$114,900 (10100) 981-3500

**Big family wanted!** Many updates! 3 bedroom brick ranch with 2 more bedrooms in finished basement. Updated kitchen & 2 baths, 2 1/2 car attached garage, neutral decor, freshly painted, pool wall to deck, great floor plan. \$115,900 (10092) 981-3500

**Just built in a great large lot!** This 3 bedroom ranch with many updates: brick exterior, central air, newer furnace, roof, vinyl windows, doors and more. Call now \$117,900 (50167) 458-4900

**Awesome 3 bedroom Brick Ranch!** home in desirable Westland sub. Features large 2 1/2 car garage, newer furnace, central air, updated roof & bath. Stove & refrigerator stay. Immediate occupancy. Call soon! Won't last! \$89,900 (10094) 981-3500

**Three bedroom brick ranch** in beautiful Westland neighborhood, close to shopping & schools, updates: new furnace, electrical, carpet, roof & partially finished basement. Great buy! \$85,900 (50143) 458-4900

**Great Neighborhood!** 3 bedroom with many updates, 2 baths, family room, wood burning stove, new furnace, newer roof, updated bathroom plus much more in this Brick Ranch with basement \$92,500 (50183) 458-4900

**Price reduced - move in condition!** Three bedroom ranch with huge kitchen, newer win-

### Great opportunity!

Greenhouse in the middle of the city with 1.5 acres. Turn of the century home in need of some TLC. What a great opportunity! Excellent price. \$69,900. (10103) 981-3500

**Home sweet home** on approximately 1 acre. Pretty bi-level with 3 bedrooms located in country type atmosphere, 1.5 baths, 1st floor laundry, above ground pool, sprinklers, fenced, nice family room. \$107,900 (10101) 981-3500

**Great rental property!** Updates: furnace, ductwork, plumbing, roof, attic stairways/lions of storage, painting in progress/kitchen floor being replaced-call on this one! \$18,000 (50190) 458-4900

**Immediate possession!** Wayne/Westland schools! Refurbished 3 bedroom, full basement ranch, replaced furnace, H2O heater, driveway, sewer line, hardwood floors, deep lot, only \$42,000. (50051) 458-4900

**Home with almost 2 acres in the city!** Great starter, 2 bedroom home with remodeled kitchen & bath, potential large 3rd bedroom upstairs, 2 car garage with attached shed, finished basement, call today. \$89,900 (10080) 981-3500

**BEAUTIFUL TREE LINED STREET** Three bedroom ranch lot, 100 sq. ft. lot living space. Newer kitchen & furnace. Large living room with fireplace, burning fireplace call today. \$50,000 (50159) 458-4900

**Country living with lots of extras!** This totally remodeled Northville 5 bedroom, (1st floor master bedroom or fourth bedroom & den) has lot library, family room w/fireplace, great room w/fireplace, in ground heated pool. Must see! \$295,000 (10036) 981-3500

**Back to the future!** Completely remodeled 3 bedroom colonial home, bright & sunny! 99' lot, 1 1/2 bath on lower level, finished neighborhood. This is a great buy! \$71,800 (50185) 458-4900

**OPEN SUN, 2-5 12629 N. Territorial Twp., Dexter Twp.** Dream house on 10 wooded, rolling acres. Custom built colonial, 2431 square feet, 3 bedrooms, oak woodwork & floor, kitchen with island, built-in pantry, breakfast room, great room w/natural fireplace, security system, intercom, French doors to deck, 3 car garage, attached screen gazebo, 8' ceiling basement, 2 1/2 bath. \$439,900 (10081) 981-3500

**New construction in progress.** 2 bedroom ranch on 1 acre. Carpeting throughout, nice kitchen with island bar & vinyl floor, nice family room, private dining room with beautiful country setting. Check it out! \$96,000 (10079) 981-3500

**Handy man special** with country setting, 1.152 ac. ft. ranch with 2 bedrooms located on 3.72 acres, extensive work required, excellent opportunity for FHA 203K Program. Call today!

### OPEN SUNDAY 2-5 298 Harbour Pointe, S. of Huron Dr., W. of Columbia.

One of best values per sq. ft. in sub. Lots of room! 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, 2nd kitchen/workshop, dining room/family room, large partially finished basement, beautiful back yard. Call today! \$209,900 (10080) 981-3500

**Spacious and Inviting!** Never updates throughout. Marvelous great room w/fireplace, large 3 bedrooms, 1st floor laundry, sunny warm kitchen, newer Berber carpet, attached 2 car garage. \$190,000 (50171) 458-4900

**Check out this well built home!** Brick home w/finished basement in knotty pine, ceramic tile bath, beautiful fireplace, close to schools and shopping \$84,900 (50181) 458-4900

**CONDOS**  
Beautifully decorated Townhouse! In fabulous Deerhurst, 2 bedroom, vertical blinds in living room & dining room, over wall to patio, marble face fireplace with oak mantel, vaulted ceiling in master bedroom, w/ oak floors. Call today! \$129,900 (50173) 458-4900

**LOTS & CREAM!**  
Classic serene wooded lot. Over 2 acres of land situated in an area of open built homes. It's already planned waiting for your new build. Lot on Twp. Northville Schools. \$75,000 (10047) 981-3500

**Lovely wooded lot - 3.3 acres in Romulus w/158' frontage, privacy.** Great area for building that dream home, ready to build. Owner will look at any offer. \$44,900 (50147) 458-4900

**Buildable Westland Lot!** Located in residential area near easy access to major roads and expressway. Asking \$17,900 (50116) 458-4900

**Great park!** 7 acres of prime wooded property located in the heart of Northville. Property owned by a local developer. \$250,000 (10033) 981-3500

**Prime Vacant Land.** Almost 2 acres of 100% wooded lot, paved road in the heart of Canton. Build your dream home! Close to shopping and major roads, city water and sewer. Hurry! \$69,900 (10068) 981-3500

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ABSOLUTELY IMMACULATE 2 bedroom colonial enjoying the con-

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335 Redford

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336 Rochester/Auburn Hills

FOR SALE BY OWNER - By appointment 2339 N. Fairview Lane, N of Trienke...

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\$24.00/WKLY.  
Water bottle/day shift  
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Repair facility in Brighton needs full time person experienced in auto repair sales. Top pay plus benefits. Contact Mike at: (313) 353-9900

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We have an opening for an experienced advisor with strong background and communication skills. We offer an excellent compensation plan, medical insurance package, 401K, profit sharing, and paid vacation. Call: 248-643-3388 or call Pete Seifera Ford. 248-643-5000 ext. 131. Dean Seifera Ford.

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**BILLING CLERK** needed for fast-growing advertising agency. Basic knowledge of word perfect and Excel. Send resume to: Accounting, P.O. Box 708, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48304

**BINDERY**  
Experienced colorists, index tabs, other bindery equipment. Full or part time. Phone interviews & 313-421-8600 or fax: 313-451-0994

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A position available at fast growing business company. Experience in MAS-90 helpful, a multi-model automated accounting system. All accounting transactions thru 401K plans are included. Excellent compensation and benefit package. Send resume to P.O. Box 442, Novi, MI 48240

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Part-time to start. Basic computer experience. Retirees welcome. All areas are included. Excellent compensation and benefit package. Call: 313-427-5300

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Must be experienced. We are a job shop in Westland. (313) 326-8737

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The kind that don't make any more. If you're a bridgeport operator, you know your tools, call (248) 349-8811

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Immediate opening for construction estimator & sales consultant. No experience necessary. Excellent starting salary during probationary period. Excellent benefits



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**JANITORS WANTED** - Part time. Evening positions for men, women & couples. Troy, Birmingham & 12 Oaks Mall area. Call 810-423-1136

**JIG GRINDER** - 5 yrs. exp. experience. Full benefits, full time. Great pay. Part-time also available. TR-90 Tool & Gauge 38196 Excelsior Dr., Westland. (313) 721-9439

**JOB COACH** - Wanted to work with developmentally disabled. Untrained \$6 an hr. Trained \$8.50 an hr. Daytime hours. Flexible hours. Benefits available for full-time. Contact Hazel at 313-414-9505

**JOB OPPORTUNITIES IN** - Fabrication, Milling, Welding, Mig & Tig welding. 313-538-1200

**JOURNEYMAN ELECTRICIAN** or experienced helper, minimum 2 yrs. residential & commercial. top wages & benefits. call evening. 810-801-8010

**KAYLA CORPORATION** - Marketing Managers, Account Representatives, Data Entry, Customer Service, Surveys, Phones, General Landscaping. NW Detroit Location. For appointment & interview, call Andrea: 313-340-0944

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**LABORERS APPLY TODAY** - work today, get paid today. Jobs in Westland, Livonia & Dearborn Hills. All shifts available. 313-268-1868

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**MACHINE REPAIR** - Seeking experienced person to maintain precision machinery and mechanical equipment used in production. Knowledge of mechanics, machine shop, and machine methods & techniques. • WELDER REPAIR - Seeking experienced person to install, repair and maintain welding machinery and equipment used in production. Must have a broad knowledge of mechanics, weldments and the ability to visually inspect and correct defects. Must have a job training from a 4 yr apprenticeship program plus 5 yrs industrial experience in a stamping industry. Competitive wages, benefits, and signing bonus included. Please submit resume to: Superb Manufacturing Inc., Attn: Human Resources, 1200 Woodland Ave., Detroit, MI 48211

**MACHINE SHOP PERSON** - Ipm to 10pm. Full time with benefits. Looking for mechanically minded person to run a highly skilled machine shop. Will train in turn drums & rotors on lathe & grind fly wheels & do minor machine shop work. Must be a highly skilled Heavy Duty is required. Starts 5:30. Great Lake Truck & Trailer, 5912 Excelsior Dr., Westland, MI 48170. Call & ask Bob. 313 729 4588

**MACHINIST** - Manual Lathe Operator with minimum 2 years experience. Must be able to travel. Good benefits. Canton location. (313) 495-0000

**MACHINIST** - Needed for repair shop. Must be able to read blue prints, and precision measuring instruments. Must have own tools and at least 7 years experience. Will consider part time with a good benefits and retirement package. Nightshift positions only. Voeckel Appliance, 28975 E. River Rd., Romulus, MI 48174. Attn: Machine Shop, General Foreman.

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**MACHINIST/TOOL ROOM WORKING LEADER** for metal stamping plant. Experienced in repair of progressive dies and also making tools. Full time position with benefits & profit sharing program. Non smoking environment. Apply 8:30am to 3:30pm, Franklin Fastener Co., 12701 Clerch Daily, Redford.

**MAIL CLEER** - Several positions available in Plymouth. Must be able to drive. Medical starts at \$6/hr. Call Blanche for an appl. (313) 525-4908

**MAINTENANCE** - Experienced full time at Waterwood Senior community. Competitive salary, apartment style, benefit package. Apply in person: 3250 Walton Blvd., Rochester Hills, MI 48307

**MAINTENANCE** - Full time. For large apt. community in Livonia. Must be handy. References. Top pay. Live on site. 810-352-2220

**MAINTENANCE** - General building maintenance with mechanical skills & some electrical experience. Will consider part time. 401K, full range of benefits including 401K. Day shift. Redford area. Rise-On Industries. 313-541-7090

**MAINTENANCE** - Immediate openings for Canton, Belleville & Downriver area apartment complexes. Experience necessary in all phases of residential property maintenance. Send resume to: P. O. Box 308, Southfield, MI 48037

**MAINTENANCE** - Immediate opening for general maintenance position for apt. community in Canton area. Must have 5+ yrs. experience, own tools & basic maintenance knowledge. Compensation includes full salary, benefits, 401K, flexible salary requirements to 313-456-1159 or send resume to Box #1922, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft Rd., Livonia, MI 48150

**MAINTENANCE MACHINE REPAIR** - Progressive metal stamper seeking versatile maintenance personnel with 5+ yrs. exp. in all phases of residential property maintenance. Send resume to: P. O. Box 308, Southfield, MI 48037

**MAINTENANCE** - Person needed for 136 unit complex in Canton. Experienced in apt. prep, electrical, plumbing & multi-family benefits. (313) 455-7440

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Full charge for Livonia non-profit. Experience in A/R, A/P, general ledger & financial statements. Strong computer & organizational skills. Fax resume to: (313) 427-5055. Or mail to: 15401 Farmington Rd., Livonia, MI 48154 by June 9th.

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Plymouth Twp business seeks person for multiple duties. Customer contact, computer skills (MS Word, MS Excel) & math skills REQUIRED. Attractive benefit package. Send resume with salary requirements to: 45800 Mast, Plymouth, MI 48170.

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Birmingham real estate development firm has an opening for a full-time administrative assistant. MS Word, Excel and dictation experience required. Need candidates individual willing to work long hours. Must be able to work with the supervisor and able to handle multiple tasks simultaneously. Excellent pay and benefits. Send resume and cover letter stating salary requirements available at: 200 E. Brown St., Suite 401, Birmingham, MI 48009.

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Village Green Management Company, a leading national property management firm, has an opening for a Data Entry - Accounts Payable Clerk. Responsibilities include: data entry, invoicing, and special projects. Typing 10 wpm and CRT experience required.

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Southfield area general practice law firm. Needs person oriented person who desires highly responsible challenging position. Excellent phone skills, mathematical skills, word perfect 5.1. Trial City. Office experience required. 2 days per week beginning 8/1/97. Position in Westfield for 2 years. 248-333-0404.

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Accounting clerk needed for small Livonia firm. Must have a good accounting background. Knowledge of great Plains software helpful. Intelligence, coordination and the ability to juggle is a must for this complicated office. Send resume via fax to 313-922-5240.

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Bloomfield Hills real estate company seeks an experienced, organized individual. Must be able to prioritize multiple tasks, transcription; good grammar; excellent computer skills. Qualified candidates only. Must have experience in Word, Windows 95 & Lotus a plus. Send resume to: P.O. Box 892, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48303-0692.
INSURANCE CSR
Personal injury law firm. Good salary and benefits. Send resume to: West Dearborn Agency, Insurance experience required. Excellent salary and benefits. (313) 541-5835.
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Large agency seeks commercial lines CSR with minimum 3 years experience. Must have excellent written and verbal communication skills. Proficiency in Word/Excel, spreadsheets, P.O. programs required. Licensed agent a plus. Send resume to: Personal Dept., P.O. Box 5104, Southfield, MI 48066-5104, EOE.

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Born-Again SWF, 48, romantic, humorous, honest, enjoys Christian activities, reading, country rides, festivals, seeks Born-Again SM, to share life with. Ad# 7575

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Catholic SWF, 21, outgoing, attends Christian activities, enjoys the outdoors, seeks honest, sincere, romantic, Catholic SM, with a good sense of humor. Ad# 1572

**SPIRITUAL**  
Catholic SWF, 42, 5'11", 118lbs., outgoing, bubbly, likes dining, movies, fitness, walks, cycling, seeks considerate, open, attentive, compassionate SM. Ad# 4330

**HEART FOR KEEPS**  
Easygoing SWF, 26, 5'5", 130lbs., fun-loving, humorous, enjoys water skiing, mountain biking, music, movies, the outdoors, seeks adventurous, educated SM. Ad# 2744

**GENTLE WAYS**  
Shy SWCF, 48, fun-loving, enjoys cooking, outdoor activities, walking, seeks humorous, caring, sharing SM, with similar interests. Ad# 5223

**FIND THE ANSWER!**  
SWCF, 18, fun, outgoing, enjoys Christian concerts, sports, hanging out with friends, would like to meet a Born-Again SCM. Ad# 8888

**A LITTLE QUIET**  
SWF, 25, enjoys going to church, sports events, talking on the phone, spending time with friends, Bible studies, hockey games, seeking communicative SM, to spend time with. Ad# 1212

**GOOD-HEARTED**  
Catholic SWF, 46, warm, caring, independent, enjoys Christian activities, walking, traveling, reading, movies, cooking, seeking honest, loyal, dependable, affectionate SM. Ad# 5343

**RESPECT EACH OTHER**  
Roman Catholic SWF, 55, sentimental, romantic, attends church, Christian dances, enjoys picnics, watching movies, some sports, seeks true, honest, faithful, respectful SM, with matching interests. Ad# 6705

**SHY, RESERVED**  
Roman Catholic DW mom, 26, full-figured, fun-loving, easygoing, enjoys sunsets, bowling, playing darts, seeks fun-loving, romantic SM, who is easy to get along with. Ad# 1397

**A GIVING HEART**  
Protestant SWF, 59, upbeat, loving, laid-back, kind, hobbies include walks, reading, golf, religion, seeks honest, open SM, integrity a must. Ad# 5557

**A SPIRITUAL LADY**  
SWF, 41, full figured, bubbly, active, outgoing, enjoys animals, walking, refinishing furniture, decorating, seeks dependable, sharing SM, to spend time with. Ad# 9336

**DESIRE PERKY & LIVELY?**  
Baptist SWF, 38, emotionally healthy, positive, professional, enjoys Christian concerts, dancing, reading, seeks wholesome, caring SCM, N/S. Ad# 9229

**LET'S MEET OVER COFFEE**  
Presbyterian SWF, 23, honest, humorous, enjoys the outdoors, the theater, plays, seeks outgoing, humorous, honest SM, for possible relationship. Ad# 1402

**THOUGHTFULNESS**  
Born-Again SWF, 23, outgoing, independent, enjoys attending Christian activities, reading, long walks, rollerblading, seeking fun-loving SCM, who enjoys life. Ad# 1973

**READS HER BIBLE**  
Non-denominational SWF, 46, honest, sincere, musically, likes music, dancing, seeks intelligent, communicative, hardworking SCM, with same traits, who loves the Lord. Ad# 6522

**SOULFUL**  
SF, 59, casual, intelligent, professional, enjoys Christian activities, exercising, dancing, massage therapy, jazz, reading, meditation, seeking balanced, secure, comfortable SM. Ad# 7070

**QUALITY TIMES**  
Protestant SWF, 70, enjoys cooking, reading, gardening, seeks intelligent, honest, easygoing SM, who enjoys traveling. Ad# 5445

**BE SINCERE**  
Lutheran SWF, 42, 5'6", 180lbs., smoker, witty, funny, serious, attends Christian activities, enjoys videos, shooting pool, bowling, seeks honest, caring, sensitive SM. Ad# 3845

**A FRENCH LADY**  
SWF, 68, outgoing, good attitude, enjoys painting, reading, sewing, seeks SCM, with good morals, for possible relationship. Ad# 7538

**ENJOY LIFE WITH ME**  
Methodist SWF, 55, outgoing, enjoys socializing, camping, weekend trips, flea markets, movies, walks, seeks happy, honest SM. Ad# 7869

**AN ARTIST**  
Protestant SWF, 42, compassionate, good listener, enjoys playing guitar, music, craft shows, bike riding, looking for easygoing, humorous SM. Ad# 5258

**TRY NEW THINGS**  
Protestant SWF, 44, easygoing, humorous, enjoys Christian activities, concerts, rollerblading, bike riding, seeks funny, casual, active, N/S SM, who attends church. Ad# 3436

**LET'S TALK**  
Protestant SWF, 49, outgoing, attends Christian activities, hobbies are traveling, aerobics, movies, plays, seeking honest, giving, N/S SM, who enjoys life. Ad# 2305

**LOVES TO LAUGH**  
SWF, 40, outgoing, funny, likes painting, music, arts and crafts, seeking caring, gentle, kind, considerate SM. Ad# 1125

**SAME INTERESTS?**  
Baptist SWF, 25, 5'3", hazel eyes, full-figured, outgoing, energetic, attends Christian activities, enjoys biking, bowling, shopping, seeks honest, sincere, romantic SM. Ad# 9624

**MARRIAGE-MINDED**  
Baptist SW mom, 27, easygoing, sensitive, enjoys movies, dining out, country music, comedy clubs, seeking caring, monogamous SM, who likes kids. Ad# 8369

**GOOD ATTITUDE**  
SWF, 40, Baptist, optimistic, upbeat, enjoys working out, bowling, dancing, roller-skating, running, seeks charismatic, trusting, loving SM, with similar beliefs. Ad# 7513

**QUALITY TIME**  
Protestant SWF, 57, fun-loving, positive, attends Christian activities, enjoys traveling, dancing, golfing, seeks understanding, considerate, respectful SM. Ad# 5585

**COMMUNICATIVE**  
Roman Catholic SWF, 42, friendly, personable, enjoys life, quiet times, seeks sincere, faithful, happy-go-lucky, fun SM, for potential partner. Ad# 5407

**MANY INTERESTS**  
Protestant SWF, 53, witty and funny, enjoys good music, playing piano, cooking, dining out, antiques, old cars, decorating, seeking educated, outgoing, clean, well-groomed, thoughtful SM. Ad# 3334

**FUN TO BE WITH**  
Catholic SWF, 28, enjoys laughing, playing darts, playing pool, church-going, seeking SM. Ad# 1269

**COWBOY WANTED**  
Lutheran SWF, 32, enjoys line dancing, fishing, boating, golfing, concerts, seeks SWM, 28-36, with good values and morals. Ad# 5264

**HOLD MY HAND**  
Lutheran SWF, 25, brown hair, blue eyes, employed, student, enjoys dancing, skiing, movies, seeks sincere, honest, family-oriented SWM, 25-35. Ad# 1422

**I'M THE ONE**  
SBF, 24, quiet, down-to-earth, enjoys movies, long drives, seeks honest, caring, communicative SM, for a relationship. Ad# 3795

**COUNTRY MUSIC**  
SWF, 45, laid-back, attends Christian activities, enjoys reading, walking, garage sales, crafts, seeks honest, communicative, compassionate SM. Ad# 7342

**QUIET TIMES**  
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

**LIKES TO TRAVEL**  
Catholic SWF, 56, easygoing, attends Christian activities, enjoys auctions, flea markets, play cards, seeks SM, with similar interests, for companionship. Ad# 8950

**SWEET**  
Baptist SBF, 28, down-to-earth, outgoing, enjoys Christian concerts, shooting pool, singing, church, seeking honest, respectable SM, for possible relationship. Ad# 2233

**GOOD VALUES**  
Catholic DWF, 32, independent, positive, enjoys exercise, music, outdoor activities, sports, seeks intelligent, patient SM, with integrity and a positive outlook. Ad# 1888

**VERY BUBBLY**  
Catholic SWF, 55, romantic, honest, secure, attends church, enjoys flea markets, fine dining, walking, seeks honest, sincere SM, 6', 200lbs., with similar interests. Ad# 9378

**ZEST FOR LIFE**  
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

**CONVERSATION**  
Religious SBF, 33, 5'7", enjoys movies, dancing, traveling, working out, cooking, 135lbs, enjoys seeks dedicated, attractive, free-spirited, 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

**JOYFUL LIFE**  
Baptist SBF, 39, moody, sincere, enjoys reading, listening to music, movies, seeking clean, mature, physically fit, handsome, honest SM. Ad# 6238

**FUN, FRIENDSHIP**  
SCF, 18, enjoys walking, playing volleyball, TV, club life, seeks caring, fun to be around SM. Ad# 1379

**UP FOR A FISH FRY?**  
Catholic SWF, 38, compassionate, enjoys biking, reading, physical activities, church, seeks caring, honest, affectionate SM, to spend time with. Ad# 3948

**WIN MY HEART**  
Pleasant SB mom, 49, motivated, enjoys bowling, cooking, dining out, attending Christian functions, seeks honest, responsible, fun-loving SM, 45-60. Ad# 2424

**LOVES MUSIC**  
Baptist SWF, 22, outgoing, bubbly, enjoys Christian concerts & activities, reading, poetry, seeks honest, trustworthy, respectful SM. Ad# 1122

**LOVING HEART**  
Catholic SWF, 45, quiet at first, hobbies are reading, gardening, movies, social events, seeks sensitive, caring, easygoing SM. Ad# 1028

**REALLY NICE**  
Catholic SW mom, 31, outgoing, enjoys camping, fishing, ceramics, dancing, seeks fun, nice, respectful SM. Ad# 1997

**POSITIVE ATTITUDE**  
Catholic SWF, 52, 5'5", blonde hair, outgoing, enjoys reading, long walks, dancing, music, seeks humorous, open, outgoing SM, for casual dating. Ad# 3344

**TALK OVER COFFEE**  
Classy, romantic, loyal Born-Again SWCF, 48, slim, blonde hair, enjoys videos, dancing, seeks Born-Again SCM to share life's ups & downs & prayer. Ad# 8883

**CALL ME!**  
Protestant SWF, 39, outgoing, attends Christian concerts and activities, enjoys anything fun, seeks SM, with good qualities. Ad# 3639

**WALKS WITH THE LORD**  
Born-again DWF, 48, 5'5", auburn hair, blue eyes, reserved, volunteer, open, honest, enjoys crafts, Christian concerts, sports, seeks N/S SM, N/S. Ad# 5279

**CREATIVE**  
SWF, 45, 5'5", 128lbs., blonde hair, green eyes, Presbyterian, likes family activities, sports, seeks honest, trustworthy, Christian, educated SM. Ad# 3257

**ROMANTIC**  
Professional SWF, 27, loves long walks, fires, old movies, holding hands, seeking educated, N/S SM, 25-35, with similar interests. Ad# 5145

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**TIME WITH HER**  
SW mom, 33, 5'7", 295lbs., reddish brown hair, blue eyes, enjoys church, music, camping, movies, fireplaces, seeking SM, for relationship. Ad# 1020

**ARE YOU HIM?**  
SW mom, 25, 5'6", brown hair, blue eyes, emotionally & financially secure, seeks down-to-earth, funny, compassionate SWM, Ad# 8855

**FAMILY-ORIENTED**  
Full-figured SWF, 32, 5'2", blond hair, green eyes, enjoys horseback riding, kids, music, movies, animals, nature, seeking honest, loyal, cuddly SM, similar interests, for dating. Ad# 5584

**SHY AND QUIET**  
SWF, 22, 5'6", blue-eyed blonde, full-figured, easygoing, loves animals, kids, movies, cuddling, walks, seeking romantic SM, for dating. Ad# 4985

**A KIND HEART**  
DW mom, 31, 5'9", brown hair, hazel eyes, kind-hearted, good-sense of humor, two kids, enjoys movies, dining, camping, traveling, sitting and talking quietly, seeks SM. Ad# 7146

**TO THE POINT**  
SWF, 21, employed/student, seeking SM, for companionship, fun, maybe more. Ad# 6925

**MARRIAGE-MINDED**  
Catholic SWM, 37, 6'1", 190lbs., caring, sensitive, romantic, enjoys outdoor activities, sports, skiing, seeks slim, sensitive, professional SWF, who is a modern woman. Ad# 1956

**PROMISE KEEPER**  
SWCM, 40, 6'1", 195lbs., attractive, professional, enjoys boating, camping, music, reading and family activities, seeks slender, intelligent, romantic, professional SWCF. Ad# 1000

**MEET MY CRITERIA?**  
Catholic SWM, 38, dynamic, compassionate, likes reading, photography, history, seeks optimistic, very feminine, affectionate SF, 27-37, no professionals. Ad# 1218

**CARING**  
SWCM, 18, fun and outgoing, enjoys Christian concerts, being with friends, sports, seeks SF. Ad# 1416

**GOOD SENSE OF RHYTHM**  
Protestant SWM, 51, calm, easygoing, attends Christian concerts and activities, enjoys ballroom, country-western and swing dancing, seeks slender SF, 5'1-5'5". Ad# 4563

**LET'S WORK TOGETHER**  
Catholic SWM, 23, easygoing, enjoys working on vehicles, hockey, seeks honest, sincere SF, for possible long-term relationship. Ad# 3688

**HAPPY-GO-LUCKY**  
Non-denominational SWM, 59, sentimental, zest for life, enjoys walks, bowling, dancing, seeks nice SCF, to share friendship and interests with. Ad# 2926

**HAS OWN PERSONALITY**  
SWM, 41, fun-loving, humorous, enjoys attending Christian activities, reading, biking, walking, swimming, seeking sincere, lovable SF, no head games. Ad# 7511

**KEEP THE FAITH**  
Catholic SWM, 32, shy, easygoing, attends Christian concerts, likes darts, sports, movies, concerts, seeks slender, fit SF, 26-36. Ad# 1492

**GOOD CHARACTER**  
Catholic SWM, 37, witty, warm-hearted, romantic, enjoys water skiing, outdoor sports, travel, seeks trim, slim, athletic SWF, for monogamous relationship. Ad# 1616

**HOLY ROLLER**  
Dedicated SWCM, 40, enjoys music, singing in the choir, reading the Bible, seeks a strict religious SF, with high, strong morals, who attends church regularly. Ad# 1234

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Methodist SBM, 44, caring, sincere, enjoys walks in the park, concerts, movies, travel, seeks down-to-earth, faithful, independent, soft-spoken SF, height/weight proportionate. Ad# 1553

**APPRECIATE LIFE**  
Catholic SWM, 31, outgoing, professional, enjoys church activities, horseback riding, golf, concerts, travel, karaoke, walking his dog, seeks genuine, caring, giving S/D, friendship first. Ad# 4592

**WELL-LIKED**  
SWCM, 41, joyous, warm, well-read, protective, loving, eclectic, likes travel, fly fishing, working out, seeks trim, attractive, commitment-minded SWCF. Ad# 1944

**LEADING TO MARRIAGE?**  
Catholic SWM, 40, 6', 190lbs., warm, sincere, professional, enjoys laughter, romantic times, golf, working out, dining, weekend travel, seeks outgoing, faithful, trim SWF. Ad# 2363

**LOVES THE LORD**  
Born-Again SWM, 41, has integrity, enjoys Christian concerts, the outdoors, shooting pool, movies, listening to music, seeking honest, loving SF, who is a Born-Again. Ad# 1527

**I'VE BEEN SAVED!**  
Born-Again SWM, 34, 6'1", 200lbs., brown hair, blue eyes, enjoys building models, flying planes, seeks faithful, proportionate SF, to continue life together. Ad# 9999

**UNDERSTAND ME**  
SWJM, 25, fun-loving, kind-hearted, enjoys collecting antiques and old advertising signs, seeks reliable, dependable, caring, level-headed SF. Ad# 2035

**HAS DIRECTION**  
Non-denominational SWCM, 44, warm-hearted, thoughtful, enjoys biking, running, family and friends, seeks romantic, monogamous SF, who is slim and trim. Ad# 5698

**INTRODUCE YOURSELF**  
Non-denominational SWM, 39, enjoys music, skiing, running, tennis, golfing, the outdoors, seeks trustworthy, professional SF, N/S, who has direction in her life. Ad# 4444

**A PLAYFUL ROMANTIC**  
SWCM, 38, warm, caring, enjoys traveling, wild flowers, sunsets, seeks fit, slim, considerate SWF, 25-39, for quality, long-term relationship. Ad# 1966

**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

**SOMEONE SPECIAL**  
Thoughtful, romantic SWM, 40, 6'1", 190lbs., hobbies are athletics, golf, tennis, movies, seeks romantic times with positive, slim, attractive SWF, who is family-oriented. Ad# 1223

**NO KIDS AT HOME?**  
SWCM, 55, very spiritual, funny, honest, likes Christian activities, hobbies are sports, the outdoors, golfing, seeks spirit-filled SF, with a sense of humor. Ad# 1817

**SPECIAL TIMES**  
Catholic SWM, 36, 6'1", 195lbs., adventurous, positive, good listener, enjoys the theater, music, the outdoors, family and friends, seeks athletic, slender SF, who has similar qualities and interests. Ad# 6142

**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-go-lucky SF, with similar qualities. Ad# 1490

**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, athletic SF. Ad# 5571

**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

**CALL ME!**  
Catholic SWM, 19, fun, outgoing, enjoys drag racing, football, seeks SF, who likes going out and having fun. Ad# 9696

**CARMEN FAN!**  
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

**CALL ME!**  
Protestant SWM, 57, outgoing, likes the outdoors, summer activities, seeking communicative, spontaneous, employed SF. Ad# 4800

**PEOPLE PERSON**  
Catholic SWM, 21, easygoing, outgoing, friendly, funny, caring, enjoys computers, biking, camping, seeks SF, with similar qualities. Ad# 6978

**MARRIAGE-MINDED**  
Catholic SWM, 39, gregarious, enjoys the beach, photography, traveling, theater, week end getaways, seeking family-oriented, petite, slim, romantic SF, N/S. Ad# 2469

**STAR GAZING**  
Non-denominational SWM, 41, open, fun-loving, attends some Christian activities, enjoys 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

**NO ADDICTIONS!**  
Dynamic, educated SWM, 41, enjoys jogging, biking, theater, coordinating events, seeks honest, intelligent SF, who is well-rounded. Ad# 3626

**MARRIAGE-MINDED**  
Catholic SWM, 43, tall, dark hair, romantic, 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, searching for caring, understanding SF. Ad# 5858

**GENUINE MALE**  
Methodist SWM, 48, outgoing, humorous, enjoys church activities, astronomy, sailing the outdoors, seeks slim, honest, intelligent, attractive SF, who is a parent. Ad# 1126

**SHY & NICE**  
Catholic SWM, 20, quiet, outgoing, enjoys sports, reading, movies, dancing, seeking smart, motivated SF, with a good and caring personality. Ad# 8237

**THIS IS THE ONE**  
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

**ONLY THE BEST**  
Humorous, easygoing SWM, 45, enjoys reading, sports, music, dining out, seeks honest, laid-back SF, who enjoys life. Ad# 4111

**LIKES TO JOKE**  
Protestant SWM, 23, fun-loving, easygoing, enjoys bowling, playing pool, movies, shooting darts, seeks honest, loving, spiritual SF. Ad# 9644

**GREGARIOUS**  
People-oriented Protestant SWM, 36, enjoys fishing, golf, movies, the outdoors, seeks honest, 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

**FUNNY MAN**  
Open-minded Catholic SWM, 30, enjoys boating, fishing, horseback riding, TV, home repairs, seeks goal-oriented, ambitious SF. Ad# 1074

**I'M THE ONE**  
Baptist SBM, 34, funny, enjoys Christian concerts, Bible studies, Gospel plays, football, tennis, looking for honest, outspoken, down-to-earth SF, who loves the Lord. Ad# 7000

**MAKE YOUR MOVE**  
Lutheran SWM, 32, humorous, enjoys reading, writing, listening to music, seeking open-minded, kind-hearted SF. Ad# 9040

**THOUGHTFUL**  
Catholic SWM, 43, warm, light-hearted, sincere, enjoys sailing, outdoor sports, hiking, camping, seeks intelligent, petite, romantic, passionate SF. Ad# 9760

**ENJOYS LIFE**  
SWM, 35, N/S, non-drinker, enjoys outdoor activities, seeking honest, open-minded SWF, 27-37, with old-fashioned values and morals. Ad# 9098

**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

**WEEKEND GETAWAY**  
Catholic SWM, 36, 6', 180lbs., fun-loving, sincere, enjoys the theater, ball, romance, travel, seeks marriage-minded, slim, trim, physically fit SW/AF. Ad# 9876

**VARIOUS INTERESTS**  
Jewish SWM, 49, seeking vibrant, intelligent, caring, loving, warm, personable SF, for companionship. Ad# 7098

**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

**GOOD COOK?**  
DBM, 48, 5'11", 206lbs., fit, active, professional, enjoys outdoor activities, conversation, seeking SF, 35-53, small-medium, intelligent, neat SF. Ad# 4267

**LET'S PICNIC**  
DWM, 39, 5'8", husky build, brown hair, hazel eyes, not into bars, N/S, light drinker, likes pool, bowling, walks, seeks SF, with similar interests. Ad# 4712

**BOWLER**  
DWM, 54, 6', brown hair, blue eyes, enjoys cooking, gardening, seeks loving SF. Ad# 1885

**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', 180lbs., N/S, seeking attractive, N/S, honest, sincere DSF, 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, sunsets, conversations, seeking loving SF. Ad# 1717

**LIKES RECIPES**  
SBM, 55, well-educated, loves reading, sports, cooking, swimming, exercising, biking, seeking N/S, casual drinking, open-minded SF, good conversationalist. Ad# 6475





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ANOTHER ESTATE SALE BY IRIS Fri-Sat, June 6-7, 10-4 4406 South Bay (Lake Orchard Lake Road to Pontiac Trail, which is between Orchard Lake and Long Lake, take Pontiac Trail to Cranbrook Trail, which is 1/2 mile past Cranbrook, light, take 1st to South Bay)

MASSIVE ESTATE SALE! Quality New Antiques, art, collectibles, furniture, home decor, dishes, Jun 6, 8 & 7, 10-4, 13-14, 6AM-3PM. Wood Dr. Rochester Rd. to Orion Rd., to Ridgewood to Abbey Wood.

FARMINGTON - 2323 Wesley, W. of G. St. of Grand River. H.P. was mounted weight bench. 800, sporting equipment, toys, misc. all clothes. Fri & Sat, 9am-4pm.

BEVERLY HILLS - Westwood Estates Sub. Sale, Jun 6-8, 9am to 4. 1st blk. N. of 11th, enter E. of Evergreen. Lot of quality items.

FRIDAY FEATURES A FINE COLLECTION OF FRENCH, SCOTTISH AND AMERICAN GARDEN FURNITURE FROM MARY ANN EMERINE OR SILVER SPRING, MD.; STEUBEN GLASS, SATURDAY, PART OF C. 1820 ENGLISH OUTLINE PISTOLS, AMERICAN ENGRAVED POWDER HORN SIGNED & DATED 1776. NATIVE AMERICAN ARTIFACTS, C. 1950 CELEBRITY AUTOGRAPHS, SUNDAY, EXTENSIVE OFFERING OF FINE JEWELRY, AFRICAN IVORY CARVINGS, SEMI-ANTIQUE & MODERN ORIENTAL RUGS, INCLUDING A C. 1930 SIGNED MESHED.

COLLECTABLE & BEANIE BABY SHOW, Faith Lutheran Church, June 14th, 10-3pm, 30000 Five Mile, Livonia. For table info: 313-462-2426

SOMETHING OLD, the old Troy Corners. SOMETHING NEW, a new location! 251 Merril, Merrimack Building, upper level, Birmingham, MI Hours: Tues-Sat 10am-5pm (248) 594-8330

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REDFORD TWP. - General household goods, dishes, misc. furniture, many books, luggage, Hi-Fi 78 albums, large antique, Christmas decorations, stks, custom woven drapes (9' x 7') and hardware, glass insulators, electric typewriters, Eric-Bea, misc. boat trailer parts, carrying 300 lbs. Nikon Nikon camera, IBM PS 2 Model 30 & Model 60 computers. Saturday only 9-5pm: 25369 Vanhoose (Beech-Five Mile area)

ROYAL OAK - 101 Yr. old lady's Estate. Need we say more. Thurs. 6-8, Fri. 9-11, Sat. 10-12. On Catalpa (1 1/2 Mile), 2 blk. W. of viaduct at 713 Woodcrest. Sorry, no presales!

NOVI - Royal Crown Estates Sub. N. of W. of Oak, Fr-Sat, June 6 & 7, 9-5.

CANTON - A1 Multi family sale. Furniture, baby clothes, toys, much more. Off Lacey St. of Ford Rd. in Franklin Square Sub. 42171 Fairview Dr. Sat. only, 9-5.

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CALL US TODAY! Photo opportunity: You may also choose to have your graduate's picture included. A photograph will add 12 lines to your ad and must be submitted with your message.

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710 Estate Sales AN ESTATE SALE 6682 Burtonwood West Bloomfield

STONEBRIDGE area on southside of West Maple Road, between Farmington Road & Drake Road.

FRIDAY & SATURDAY (10 a.m. to 4 p.m.)

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BIRMINGHAM, Fri & Sat, June 6 & 7, 9am-5pm. Grandmother's Household, Furniture, dishes, lamps, etc. 8125 S. of Southfield, 1/2 mile W. of Southfield, S. of Maple.

BIRMINGHAM - June 5, 7:50-9:50. Henley, behind Adams & Hunter, Wrentham & Big Beaver. Good stuff!

BIRMINGHAM - Little Takes toys & games, crib, changer, kids clothes, antique glass, too much to list. 1629 Croft, Fri. & Sat. W. of Woodward, Thurs, Fri, 9-5.

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BLOOMFIELD HILLS - Your best stop here! Furniture, children's clothes, women's clothing (12-14 & 16), you name we got it on Sale! Orchard Hill Adams & Wattles. Thurs., Fri. & Sat. 9-4pm

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WAVE RUNNER - Yamaha 3 person
WELLCRAT 1989 21 ft Classic
WELLCRAT 1987 21 ft 200 hp
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YAMAHA 1993 Waveblaster

807 Motorcycles/Minibikes/Go-Karts
HONDA GOLD Wing Interstate 1984
HONDA 1995 Magna 3 yr warranty
HONDA 1992 750 Nighthawk
HONDA 1996 SHADOW DLX 500

812 Campers/Motor Homes/Trailers
AMERICAN 1984, 32 ft., sleeps 6
APACHE 1978 Pop-Up Boat
CAMPING MEMBERSHIP Over 600
COACHMAN 1976 16'00. Needs

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TROTWOOD - 13ft. sleeps 6, heater
UTILITY TRAILER 8 x 10. All steel
Viking 1992 pop-up, 17' sleeps 6

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PONTIAC 1995 Trans Sport, 3000 V-6

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JEEP 1991 Wrangler 4x4, 4 cylinder

803 Boat Parts/Equipment/Services
SHORE STATION boat lift, 2600 lb
BOAT LIFT - Made by Easy Lift

804 Boat Docks/Marines
SUZUKI 1993 800 outboard, low
SUZUKI GSXR 750 1994 3000

815 Auto Misc.
SEIZED CARS from \$175. Porsche,
DODGE 1991 Dakota, club cab, V-6

816 Auto/Truck Parts & Service
BLACK FIBERGLASS cap for full
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AAA STORAGE
Outdoor, well-lit secured

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MOTORCYCLE TRAILER 5x8 ft

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**TAURUS 1995** - 4 door, GL, SE, LX (11) Auto, air, power windows, locks, cruise, etc. ABS, 11,900 best. Selection in town starting from \$9,995.  
**DEMETER FORD** (313) 721-2600

**TAURUS 1995**, GL, automatic, 6 cyl., 31,000 miles, power windows/locks/cruise, etc. ABS, 11,900 best.  
**DEMETER FORD** (313) 721-2600

**TAURUS 1995 GL**, 6 cylinder, 3L automatic, air, power windows/locks & seat, cruise, 138,000 miles, rebuilt transmission, chassis, alignment, new tires, cleaning fluids, great 12/5/2 negotiable. (248) 967-4138

**TAURUS 1992 GL** - Loaded, rebuilt, brand new transfer warranty, good condition, \$6,500 best. 810-442-1169

**TAURUS 1988 GL** - V8, very good condition, new transmission, 60,000 miles. 1 owner, power windows, locks, \$3,400. Call after 6pm. (248) 641-8311

**TAURUS GL 1995** Wagons (4) Auto, GL, V6, full power, cassette, 1 owner, cruise, tilt, loaded, 1 owners low miles from 311,995.  
**DEMETER FORD** (313) 721-2600

**TAURUS 1991** - Gold loaded, great condition, 106,000 miles, 11,900 best. \$3,350. (248) 476-9200

**TAURUS 1995 LX**, emerald green, mint condition, polished rims, keyless/hooded entry, all power, climate control. Must see Beautiful car, \$12,400 best. (313) 319-8879

**TAURUS 1994, LX**, Midnight green, loaded, leather seats, 1 owner, non-smoker, garage kept, 60,000 miles, \$4,900 best. 810-652-2225

**848 Ford**  
**TAURUS 1995** - SE, 4 door (3) automatic, air, power windows, locks, cruise, etc. ABS, 11,900 best. Selection in town starting from \$9,995.  
**DEMETER FORD** (313) 721-2600

**TAURUS SHO**, 1992, Dark blue, black leather, CD, moonroof, 5-speed, \$7,995. (810) 589-1088

**TAURUS 1994 'SHO'**, great, automatic, air, moonroof, leather, power windows, locks, cruise, tilt, cassette, ABS, brakes. Only \$12,995.  
**DEMETER FORD** (313) 721-2600

**TAURUS 1995 'SHO'** (3) moonroof, leather, automatic, air, cruise, tilt, power windows/locks, low miles, 2 door, hard top, 58,000 miles, \$14,598.  
**DEMETER FORD** (313) 721-2600

**TAURUS 1993**, Tan, 35,000 miles, like new. Loaded. Automatic, 4 door, 1 owner, \$8,900. (248) 669-1453

**TAURUS 1993**, Wagon, loaded, 3rd seat, like new interior/exterior, 45,000 miles, \$9,900. (810) 363-5258

**T-BIRD**, 1994, leather, moonroof, climate control, full power, V-8, 30,000 miles, \$12,000. (313) 533-5740

**T-BIRD 1996 LX 'V8'** (2), moonroof, automatic, air, ABS, brakes traction assist, loaded, \$14,598.  
**DEMETER FORD** (313) 721-2600

**T-BIRD 1995 V8**, 21,000 miles, \$12,800. 313-359-1813

**TEMPO 1994**, automatic, air, 81,000 miles, warranty available, \$4,300.  
**TYME AUTO** (313) 455-5556

**TEMPO 1993 GL**, excellent condition, 60,000 miles, \$4,900 best. 313-414-9918

**848 Ford**  
**TEMPO 1992** - Good condition, 48,000 miles, 1 owner, \$8,950. (810) 473-2465 or 313-963-2727

**TEMPO 1991**, LX, clean, good condition, fully loaded, 64,000 miles, \$8,200. (810) 348-5024

**THUNDERBIRD 1994**, automatic, air, moonroof, all options, \$8,900. "Free Red Wings Car Flag with purchase."  
**FOX HILLS**  
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 313-455-8740 (313) 961-3171

**THUNDERBIRD 1997**, good shape, 2 door, hard top, 58,000 miles, 1 owner, fully loaded, \$11,657.  
**THUNDERBIRD LX 1996** (6) Auto, air, power windows, locks, seat, moonroof, cruise, tilt, cassette. Loaded. \$12,995.  
**DEMETER FORD** (313) 721-2600

**THUNDERBIRD 1995**, LX, automatic, air, 39,000 miles, immaculate condition, small down, payments, low as \$149. Why lease \$55-556.  
**TYME AUTO** (313) 455-5556

**THUNDERBIRD 1993 LX** - great shape, loaded, 69,000 miles, moonroof, \$8,000. (248) 348-4998

**THUNDERBIRD 1995**, LX, V8, excellent condition, green, gray interior, adult driven, dealer maintained. \$12,500 best. (810) 546-2714

**THUNDERBIRD SUPER Coupe** 1989, damaged left corner panel & door, \$800. (313) 538-1722

**848 Ford**  
**THUNDERBIRDS & COUGARS '95 & V8's**  
 as low as \$11,495  
**BILL BROWN FORD**  
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**850 Geo**  
**METRO 1991** Convertible - 5 speed, air, fm cassette, air, new top, 88,000 miles, \$4,000 best. 313-484-3110

**METRO 1990** - 5 speed, Needs clutch. No rust. High mileage. 248-345-3278

**METRO 1990** - red, air, dependable car. Other 4 cylinder automatic. \$1,300. Canton. 313-840-4169

**SPECTRUM 1989** - 5 speed, air, new suspension, exhaust & tires, cassette. \$1,100 (313) 981-1539

**TRACKER 1994** Convertible, air, 2 top, 19,000 miles, warranty. Like new! \$2,000. (810) 547-4359

**TRACKER 1990** convertible, 98,000 miles, AWD, air, \$4,199. Mahan. (248) 626-1347

**TRACKER 1993** convertible, Black, 5 speed, low mileage, \$5,500. 313-388-3008 or 313-455-4036

**TRACKER 1990**, 4x4 LSI, automatic, air, convertible, air, new top with cassette, 72,000 miles, \$6,590. 248-652-6075

**856 Lincoln**  
**MARK 1990** V8 LSC Special Edition, Loaded, moonroof, \$9,000. (810) 546-5818

**TOWN CAR 1989** - Absolute mint, loaded, 67,500 miles. Non-smoking. \$9,900 best. 313-281-2476

**TOWN CAR 1992** CARTIER, 30,000 miles, 4.6 liter, CD, heated wind shield, non-smoker. Mint Like new! Leather, \$13,995. (313) 561-4794

**TOWN CAR 1989**, 87,000 miles, full power, leather, Florida car, Mint. \$8,995. (810) 624-2516

**TOWN CAR 1994**, 45,000 miles, perfect condition, new tires, Portofino blue, \$14,990. Plymouth. (313) 453-0288

**TOWN CAR 1989** Signature Series, loaded, extra, mint condition, low miles, \$8,500 best. 810-229-8500

**TOWN CAR 1993**, top of the line luxury! Only 80,000 miles, \$6,990.

**860 Mercury**  
**COUGAR 1994** XR7, excellent, full power, leather, interior, exterior, chrome, \$13,000 best. (313) 542-0991

**COUGAR 1985** XR7, 5 year, excellent condition, new Michlins tires, all power, \$2,500 best. 810-695-7413

**COUGAR 1995** XR7, 'V8', full power, loaded, 17,000 miles, 1 owner \$12,495.  
**DEMETER FORD** (313) 721-2600

**GRAND MARQUIS GS 1988**, 4 door, loaded, excellent condition, \$9,900. \*\*\*\*\*SOLD\*\*\*\*\*

**GRAND MARQUIS** - 1995 GS, 87,000 miles, warranty to 38,000. Loaded, \$15,300 (313) 429-2988

**GRAND MARQUIS 1993** LE 4 door, good condition, 19,000 miles, mostly highway, great 12/2nd car, maintained, \$9,900 best. 248-552-9990

**MYSTIQUE 1995** GS, moonroof, 4 door, automatic, air, power windows/locks, leather interior, 36,000 miles, \$15,995.  
**DEMETER FORD** (313) 721-2600

**SABLE GSLS 1995** - 4 door (9) auto, air, 6 cyl, power windows, locks, cruise, tilt, loaded, low miles! 1 owner, lease turn key from only \$10,595.  
**DEMETER FORD** (313) 721-2600

**SABLE LS 1995** 4 door, auto, air, moonroof, leather, 3.8 liter, A.B.S., digital dash, keyless entry, Loaded, 28,000 miles, \$12,695.  
**DEMETER FORD** (313) 721-2600

**SABLE 1998** LS1 (4) 4 door, automatic, air, power windows/locks, leather interior, abs, brakes, from \$13,999.  
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**DEMETER FORD** (313) 721-2600

**SABLE 1986** - 108,000 miles, looks & runs excellent. \$2,100. 248-844-2879

**SABLE 1993** Wagon GS, 85,000 miles, 7.5% highway, new parts, loaded, excellent condition, \$7,200. (313) 326-5115, Pager 313-803-0200

**SABLE 1992** Wagon LS - Green/teal leather. Loaded, keyless entry, moonroof, cruise, am/fm, 100-333-1375

**TOPAZ 1993** 2 door, clean, 64,786 miles, \$1,500. (810) 946-6478

**TRACER 1991** Automatic, Good condition, 19,000 miles, \$1,800. 810-335-2703 Days: 810-614-9408

**TRACER 1989**, new brakes, new tires, \$2,500. Call (810) 485-0512

**TRACER 1991**, 5 Speed, Blue, 69,000 miles, 1995 Great Evolving After 6pm (313) 881-2845

**TRACER WAGON 1992** - 4 door, new tires, good condition. (810) 391-4224

**VILLAGE 1993**, LS, Loaded, 33,000 miles, 1 owner, Extras, Mint. \$14,250 best. (248) 645-2643

**864 Oldsmobile**  
**ACHEVA 1992**, White, Quad 4 engine, automatic, tape, no rust, 87,450. \$15,500 (810) 685-2361

**CIERRA WAGON 1988** - 8 passenger, V6, 60,000 miles, Flurry great. \$2,400 best. (248) 524-1993

**CUTLASS 1994** Chea 9, 4 door, white, 13,000 miles, excellent condition, \$9,900. (810) 337-2682

**CUTLASS 1993** Sierra 8, 56000 miles, loaded, excellent condition, \$6,900. (810) 855-5600

**CUTLASS SUPREME 1992** Convertible, low miles and all the power! \$12,995.  
 Livonia Chrysler-Plymouth (313) 525-7804

**CUTLASS SUPREME 1990**, dark red, charcoal interior, \$2200 only at TYME AUTO (313) 455-5568

**CUTLASS 1996** Supreme SL, 4 door, loaded, 5600 miles, brand new, Asking \$14,500. (248) 689-9505

**CUTLASS 1988** Supreme - 114,000 miles, \$2,500 or best offer.

**OLDS 1994** Cutlass Supreme SL, 2 door, loaded, mar, \$7,900. (810) 315-6523

**OLDS 88 - 1991**, Regency Elite, Clean, Loaded, 74,000 miles, \$10,900. (248) 689-9364

**OLDS 88**, 1992, Regency Elite, 38,000 miles, mini condition, \$11,000. (810) 474-4745

**OLDS 88** 1994 Royale, 4 door, loaded, excellent condition, \$11,500. (313) 534-5927

**OLDS 88** Touring Sedan 1997, loaded, excellent condition, 142,000 miles, \$6,250. (810) 391-1278

**REGENCY 98**, 1989 Brougham, Loaded, 3.8 V-6, 110,000 miles, \$2,600. (810) 333-1981

**REGENCY 1989** Brougham, with leather interior, Flurs great! \$2,000. (313) 421-3720

**REGENCY 1996**, loaded, silver exterior, gray leather, CD, 22,000 miles, \$2,100. (248) 549-2058

**88 ROYAL 1994** - 4 door, loaded, 19,000 miles, ABS & air bags, LSA new! \$14,400. (313) 729-7919

**868 Pontiac**  
**GRAND AM 1995** GT, loaded, excellent condition. Must see! Best offer! \$8,100. (810) 344-4178

**GRAND AM 1994** SE 4 dr., loaded, Red, clean, 51,000 miles, \$8,995.  
 (248) 565-2768

**GRAND AM 1992** SE Gray, 4 door, V6, loaded, well maintained, sharp, clean \$6,700. (248) 414-8181

**GRAND PRIX 1992** LE 4 door, bright white, 75,000 miles, excellent condition, \$6,500. (810) 628-6592

**GRAND PRIX 1993** LE - 4 door, loaded, 80,000 miles, Good condition, \$6,900. (810) 475-7071

**GRAND PRIX 1993** LE - 4 door, loaded, 84,000 miles, \$6,800. 248-363-5622

**GRAND PRIX 1988**, 90,000 miles, well maintained/clean, New tires. Excellent \$3,800. 810-541-5890

**GRAND PRIX 1993** SE, automatic, air, Tach red, Sharp! \$8,770 "Free Red Wings Car Flag with purchase."  
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**GRAND PRIX 1994** SE, 4 door, loaded, 1 year warranty, \$9,995. AUTO CITY (248) 584-0800

**GRAND PRIX 1996** white, loaded, automatic, CD, low miles, \$15,000. 313-722-3379

**PARISENNE**, 1986, good condition, 1 owner. SOLD

**PONTIAC 1995** Grand Prix, 79,000 highway miles, Blue. Very good condition, \$8,600 best. (810) 227-3761

**PONTIAC LEANHS 1988**, Automatic, 100,000 miles, \$1,500. 313-455-5568

**SUNBIRD 1994**, 4 door, loaded, 24,000 miles, \$7,995. JEANOTTE PONTIAC (313) 453-2500

**SUNBIRD 1989**, LE 4 door, Automatic, Air, Spotted condition, 82,000 miles, \$2,900. (313) 281-1019

**SUNBIRD 1996**, 2.4L, auto, & looks great, loaded, 102,000 miles, \$1,600 or best offer. (313) 261-8609

**DODGE 1988**, Diplomat, 4 door, runs good, \$1,100. Dan. 313-534-6308

**ESCORT**, 1988, 2 door, automatic, stereo/cassette, power, 600 air, 84,000 miles, \$1,750. (313) 625-6135

**ESCORT 1986** GT - very good condition. Many new parts \$1,500 or best offer. (313) 644-4282

**ESCORT 1989** LX, 4 door hatchback, 5 speed, manual, 1 owner, \$1,695 best. 248-546-9222, nights

**ESCORT 1989**, LX, 5 speed am/fm cassette, air, great condition, \$1,900 best. (313) 541-0407

**FORD 1989** ESCORT - GREAT! \$1,500 best. Call Lisa 313-451-9435

**FORD GRANADA 1981** - 60,000 actual miles, Granada car, air, dependable, \$1,350. 248-349-0843

**FORD 1978** LTD - very good shape, runs good, hardly any rust, \$2,900 best offer. 313-453-6283

**FORD 1988** Mustang LX, 100,000 miles, \$1,400. (313) 425-5630

**GRAND AM 1989** SE, 95,000 miles, loaded, great air, automatic, red interior, Sharp! \$2,000. 313-581-1813

**LINCOLN 1985** Town Car - Arizona vehicle, no rust, excellent, \$1,350. \$1,950. Call. (810) 478-3256

**MERCURY 1987**, \$1,700, 1989 Call: \$1,200, 1978 Chev. var. \$950. (810) 225-0137

**NISSAN - 1983** Pickup 103,000 miles, New tires/wash/air, \$1,038. Good radio. \$800 best. 248-661-0238

**PLYMOUTH VALARI 1978**, 36,000 original miles, 2nd owner, runs great, \$1,000 best. (313) 513-6325

**TEMPO 1989** GL, automatic, air, new tires, 4 door, am/fm cassette, \$1,950. (313) 462-1791

**THUNDERBIRD 1987** - looks good, new gear. \$600 or best offer. 313-794-2312

**872 Toyota**  
**TERCEL 1994** 4 door DX, air, auto, 33,000 miles, \$11,900. (313) 255-8980

**TERCEL 1993** DX, 4 door, loaded, 41,000 miles, \$11,900. (313) 255-8980

**EVES 313 981-6438**

**874 Volkswagen**  
**BUG 1969** western car, no rust, sport wheels, new paint & interior. Excellent condition. \$5,000. (810) 777-5429

**CABRIOLET**, 1995, excellent condition, low miles, loaded, \$18,500. (810) 332-2438

**KARMAAN GHIA 1971** coupe, white, professionally restored, runs great. New brakes, tires, etc. \$2,500 best. (810) 544-9783

**PASSAT 1993** GLX - red/black leather, New car condition, \$14,400. (810) 645-0262

**876 Autos Over \$2,000**  
**VEYER BERETTA - 1993** - loaded, very clean, 64,000 miles, \$7,650. (810) 349-8968

**CONQUEST 1987**, TSI, 89,000 miles, new turbo, leather interior, \$3,000 best. (248) 853-2215

**DODGE 1988** DYNASTY, 62,929 miles, \$2,850. (313) 455-7348

**PLYMOUTH 1989**, Acclaim, Good condition, New car condition, \$1,500. \$2,500 best. (248) 647-9259

**878 Autos Under \$2,000**  
**BMW 325**, 1986, ES, \$1,500 as is. Call Glenn (248) 645-1364. Leave message.

**BUICK 1985**, Century Wagon, loaded, very good shape, \$875. (313) 416-1643

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**BMW 325**, 1986, ES, \$1,500 as is. Call Glenn (248) 645-1364. Leave message.

**BUICK 1985**, Century Wagon, loaded, very good shape, \$875. (313) 416-1643

**852 Honda**  
**ACCORD 1985**, 4 door, 73,000 miles, 2nd owner, Clean, Sunroof, \$2,650 best. (248) 445-2843

**ACCORD 1991**, EX Wagon, show room condition, only 2nd owner with low miles, cheap. TYME AUTO (313) 455-5568

**ACCORD 1990**, LX, 2 door, 104,000 miles, automatic, beautiful, \$6,500 best. (810) 625-4657

**ACCORD 1988** - LD, Automatic, loaded, 131,000 miles, 1 owner, Well-maintained. \$2,950. 313-432-6325

**ACCORD 1992** LX station wagon - White, excellent condition, 49,000 miles, \$10,500. (810) 546-4727

**ACCORD 1993**, 100th Anniversary, loaded, low miles, excellent condition, \$11,000 best. (810) 264-3417

**CIVIC 1994** CX, 5 speed, good condition, low miles, upgraded stereo, air, condition, \$7,900. 313-266-7210

**DEL SOL 1993** - 61,000 miles, automatic, air, stereo, 2 top (removable), \$6,500. Call after 6pm: 313-418-8148

**DEL SOL 1996** - LX, 5 speed, low miles, Loaded, Like new, Best offer. 313-464-7651

**PRELUDE 1993** - Red, 5 speed, loaded, excellent condition, 52,000 miles, \$12,000. 810-473-1154

**856 Lincoln**  
**CONTINENTAL 1995**, black leather, air, moonroof, excellent condition, 21,000 miles, \$11,000 best. (810) 264-3417

**CONTINENTAL 1993** Executive Series, blue, gray leather, loaded, Excellent! \$11,000. 810-889-1762

**CONTINENTAL 1995** - White, blue leather heated seats, moon roof, CD, trunk organizer & more, warranty, 34,500 miles, \$23,900. 248-652-9000

**CONTINENTAL 1994** Executive Series - moonroof, extended warranty, \$9,995. 810-685-8622

**MARK 1994** VII (2), loaded, leather black & dark grey, your choice. \$12,995. (313) 221-2600

**MARK VIII** - 1993 59,000 miles, Excellent condition. Power sunroof, JBL sound, \$14,000. (313) 427-1370

**860 Mercury**  
**COUGAR 1994** all power, beautiful condition inside & out, only 18,000 miles, \$10,500. (313) 541-2441

**COUGAR - 1990** Clean, 39,000 miles, \$6,395. 810-244-2345 Voice Mail

**COUGAR 1992**, fully loaded, excellent condition. New tires/battery/brakes. \$8,900. (810) 474-9921

**COUGAR 1996** LS, automatic, air, cruise, tilt, cassette, power windows, locks, cruise, tilt, ABS, brakes, great color! Loaded! 6,000-22,000 miles. Starting from \$12,995.  
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**COUGAR 1990**, LX, Excellent condition, 19,000 miles, \$5,400. (313) 981-7421

**COUGAR LS 1987**, excellent condition, new tires, \$2,875. (810) 488-5997

**COUGAR 1992** LS, teal color, sharp & clean, new brakes, low miles, \$7,700. Call (313) 595-8867

**866 Plymouth**  
**ACCLAIM 1993** - Mint condition, 65,000 miles, 1995 Great Evolving, auto, \$7,000. (313) 261-5535 or Everings (313) 453-2116

**BREEZE 1996**, automatic, air, power steering/brakes, AM/FM stereo, rear window defogger, & to choose from, \$11,995.

**THE BIG STORE CAMPBELL DODGE**

**COLT 1992**, 4 speed, Pioneer CD, new brakes, great shape, 84,000 miles, \$2,995. (313) 425-6129

**DUSTER 1992** - Red, automatic, V6, 65,000 miles, Excellent condition, \$6,500. (810) 345-1916

**LASER 1991**, all black, power moonroof, automatic with overdrive, \$1,929. \$1,419.00. Start your credit with this one. No co-signer needed. Must see! \$1,929. (313) 455-5566

**NEON 1995** 4 door Sport, air, automatic, power locks, CD, 12,000 miles, Sharp! \$8,500 (313) 459-0389

**NEON 1995** Sport - air, power steering/brakes, automatic, am/fm, CD, tilt, excellent condition, \$7,700. (248) 338-6565

**NEON 1995** Sport Green, 4 door, 5 speed, air, ABS, Door locks, 46,000 miles, \$7,200. (248) 486-6028

**SUNDANCE 1991**, automatic, air, \$4,995.  
 JEANOTTE PONTIAC (313) 453-2500

**SUNDANCE 1990** - 2 door, auto, loaded, great air, automatic, red interior, silver, air, \$3,000. 810-952-1961

**868 Pontiac**  
**BONNEVILLE 1989** SE - All power, 64,000 miles, no rust, 1 owner, Sharp! \$2,000 offer! 313-281-1019

**BONNEVILLE 1994** SEI, loaded, 38,000 miles, \$13,650 best. 313-416-9614

**BONNEVILLE 1992** SE - loaded, clean, 63,000 miles, grey/grey, \$9,900 best. (248) 348-7386

**BONNEVILLE 1992** - SE, White, 51,000 miles, Excellent Shape, \$9,990. (810) 478-3884

**BONNEVILLE 1996** SLE, leather, excellent condition, 12,000 miles, \$11,995. (810) 738-7933

**BONNEVILLE 1995** SSEI, black, leather, \$16,895.  
 JEANOTTE PONTIAC (313) 453-2500

**BONNEVILLE 1988**, S.S.E. white/tan, 69,000 miles, excellent, 1 owner, \$5,200 best. (313) 453-0221

**FIERO 1984** Red, looks good, needs some brake work. \$550. 313-729-1968

**FIERO 1984** - Red, 4 speed manual, lots of new parts, runs good, \$2,200 best offer! (810) 932-0978

**FIREBIRD 1994** Formula-V8, loaded, 100,000 miles, new tires/brakes, low miles, \$13,900. (810) 455-9254

**FIREBIRD 1988** V8, 94,000 miles, well maintained, runs great, \$2,500 best. 810-474-4172, 810-477-8718

**FORMULA 1994**, v6, dark green, clean, 52,000 miles, power windows/locks, \$11,900. (810) 855-4004

**GRAND AM 1995**, 6 cylinder, 35,000 miles, excellent condition, for sale or lease, \$10,999-28,999. 810-628-2745

**GRAND AM 1994** - 2 door, 4 cylinder, low miles, showroom condition. Many extras \$10,000. 248-548-9633

**GRAND AM 1989**, 2 door, new tires, good condition, 75,000 miles, full power, \$3,600. (810) 348-5211

**GRAND AM 1993** GT, 4 door, V6, automatic, air, power, 35,000 miles, warranty, \$7,650 best. 313-427-4064

**870 Saturn**  
**SATURN 1992** SC2, blue/green, 5 speed, manual, 19,000 miles, \$1,900. \$1,695 best. 248-546-9222, nights

**SATURN 1994** SC1, gold, automatic, air, am/fm cassette, cruise, power windows, non-smoker, 65,000 miles, well maintained, \$6,900. (248) 935-9446

**SATURN SL2** leather, power windows/locks, aluminum wheels only \$11,995.  
 Livonia Chrysler-Plymouth (313) 525-7804

**SC1 1994**, 36,000 miles, automatic, excellent condition, \$8,500 best offer \$10,200. (810) 781-3855

**SC2 1992** - Silver/gray, 38,000 miles, loaded, excellent condition, \$5,100. (810) 651-5150

**SC 1992**, 5 speed, ABS, leather, sunroof, air, cruise, alarm, excellent condition, \$6,900. 810-608-9664

**SC2 1994**, 5 speed, red, loaded, power sun roof, CD, 69,000 miles, well maintained, excellent condition, \$12,500. (810) 624-5241

**SL2 1994**, blue, 30,000 miles, \$9,995. JEANOTTE PONTIAC (313) 453-2500