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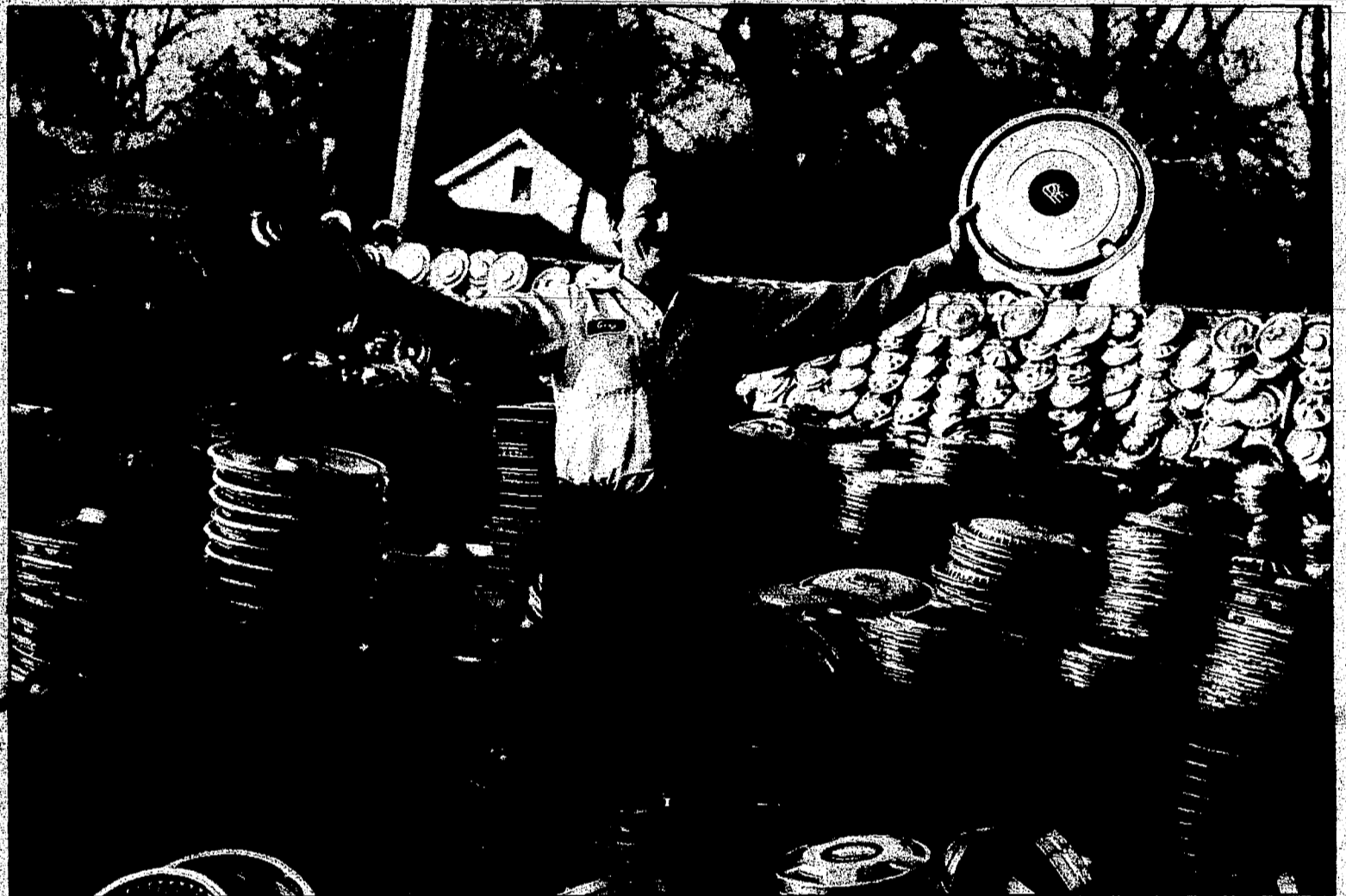
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# Family, friends of missing man remain hopeful

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Garry Elkins remains hopeful that his 21-year-old son, Jeff, will be found alive and unharmed. But he's having a hard time keeping his spirits up.

"Every day that goes by gets worse and worse for me," the Westland father said. "There's been no word, not even a trace of Jeff. Something's not right."

Friends are becoming increasingly worried, too.

"I pray that he's alive," Paul Husack of Westland said. "I'm holding onto that."

Husack and other Westland-area teens have been searching nearly a month now for Elkins, last seen Dec. 23 when he left his uncle's house in Ingham County to come home to Westland for Christmas.

The Ingham County Sheriff's Department still has no leads in the case that has baffled authorities and Elkins' friends and fami-

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ly members, including Garden City grandparents, who say he's not the type to disappear without telling someone of his whereabouts.

Detective Dennis Shackelford had a one-word response Friday when asked if there have been any viable leads in the Elkins case.

Wednesday at the North American International Auto Show at Cobo Hall in Detroit. They planned to return to Cobo over the weekend.

Friends have combed an 80-mile stretch from Detroit to Ingham County, searching for clues on back roads and in malls and other public places.

Husack said some of Elkins' friends have begun to question whether the John Glenn High School graduate may have disap-

peared on his own — and that nothing may be afoot.

"But I believe in my heart that he just did not get up and take off," Husack said.

Elkins' father agreed. His son had been collecting unemployment, and he has not filed any new claims since his disappearance, the father said.

If his son had left the state, he probably would have tried to have his unemployment checks delivered to him, the father said.

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1970s. "There seemed to be a yearning for the '70s instead of dealing with the realities of today," Blake said.

Amid troubling times, many teachers and administrators "have worked hard to provide a quality learning experience for Wayne-Westland students in the tough times of the '80s and early '90s," the study says.

### No leadership

But the audit's findings point out deep-rooted problems that have undermined those efforts. Despite "considerable" evidence of school-based planning, the study found "little or no curricular leadership" from the school board or the central administration.

However, the report later notes that new Superintendent Larry Thomas and a revamped school board appear hopeful of "a recovery" for Wayne-Westland. But the auditing team stressed that those hopes "must be transformed into actions and commitments."

Amid a lack of central leadership, most long-term planning has occurred at individual schools, and "the district is operating more like a confederacy of schools" than a system that is focused, directed and responsi-

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### curriculum audit

ble" to its students, the report said.

Auditors found "no systematic or effective plan for curriculum development" in the district. Moreover, the school board has failed to establish district-wide goals and objectives, the study found.

Curriculum varies among schools, the auditing team learned. Moreover, the panel said, "grading practices, report cards, lesson plans, (student) grouping practices, promotion and retention practices, and homework practices vary from school to school."

Auditors also found little use of achievement tests in revising curriculum, even though parents and many school officials themselves have continually demanded better student scores on the state Michi-

gan Education Assessment Program, or MEAP, test.

### Report's highlights

Other highlights in the study noted that:

■ The Cherry Hill alternative school is often viewed and referred to as "the prison" where troublesome students are "sent" for discipline, rather than an education.

■ Some evidence supports the widespread perception that schools in low-income neighborhoods, with more minority students, receive fewer resources than other schools. But, the report added, "the perception is not viewed by auditors as categorically accurate."

The report contains a series of recommendations for improving the district. Those range from setting board policies — a goal already underway — to adopting a curriculum-driven budget and addressing inequities among schools.

"There's not one recommendation that I'm surprised with or that I would challenge," Blake said. The report, she said, could lead to changes aimed at reversing two decades of decline.

The report contains a wealth of information that will be discussed at length in a series of special school board sessions that will be open to the public, Blake said. The meetings haven't been scheduled.

## Cable from page 1A

some rates will go up while others will go down.

There may also a realignment of channels to meet the law's new definition of "basic" cable service, the notice said. "New rules may result in the addition or deletion of broadcast TV stations. This may in turn require the deletion of some cable channels," the company said.

In an interview last week, Perry said that while many of the new law's provisions have not yet been defined by the Federal Communications Commission, it's clear that there will be several key issues that will increase the economic costs for Continental.

One potential impact for residents is the elimination of the \$5.95 monthly charge for basic cable services.

Currently, those persons have to pay the higher \$18.75 monthly charge to obtain the popular movie channels.

Perry said the new law prohibits that rate structure, forcing the company to eliminate the \$5.95 fee and forcing subscribers who want the movie or premium channels to decide if they want to pay the higher \$18.75 charge to obtain them.

Under the current rate structure, those paying the higher fee are financially subsidizing those paying the lower fee, Perry said.

Another financial impact under the new law is that broadcast channels, such as 2, 4 and 7 in the Detroit area, will be allowed to

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charge the cable companies for carrying their programs. If that happens, it's likely those costs will be reflected in higher rates, Perry said.

Another economic impact of the new law, Perry said, is that Continental is expecting higher costs of complying with the legislation. Those costs are also to be reflected in subscriber rates.

Since Continental started its local system in the spring of 1984, it has boosted rates 151 percent — to \$18.75 from \$7.45.

But Perry said the higher charge reflects the doubling of the number of channels available to subscribers. And among those 58 channels, some such as CNN, have vastly improved their coverage in the past 8½ years, she stressed.

In recent years, Mayor Robert Thomas and several city council members are opposed the size of rate increases although the officials have no control over them.

The legislation also requires the city council to decide by late this month if it wants to have control over rates. The decision

will be in effect for three years, Perry said.

The new law, adopted by Congress last fall, contains a timetable for the FCC to act on numerous provisions this year or next.

One provision, to be decided by April 3, is to establish rules and procedures for establishing "reasonable rates for basic cable service" and "shall establish criteria for determining, in individual cases, whether rates are unreasonable."

Perry said 70 percent of Westland households, or 22,000, subscribe to cable.

The average subscriber pays an average \$30 a month for cable services, or nearly \$8 million. Of gross revenues, the city of Westland receives 5 percent, or nearly \$400,000.

Cable commissioner Jo Johnson said the group has invited U.S. Rep. William Ford, D-Ypsilanti Township, and Rep. John Dingell to attend the hearing or have a staffer stand in for them.

When Congress was debating the cable control bill last summer and fall, the legislation's supporters argued that it would control the increase of rates or even reduce them while also promoting more competition in the cable industry.

Not surprisingly, the cable industry disagreed, saying that the bill's provisions would lead to higher charges for most subscribers and increase its costs of doing business.

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Also present was City Clerk-Treasurer Showalter.  
Moved by Schildberg, supported by Ryall: RESOLVED: To amend Resolution 11-92-435, adopted at the 11/18/92 Meeting to authorize full reimbursement of all travel expenses consistent with the City Travel Policy for all candidates for City Manager, rather than the \$200 limit previously adopted. This reimbursement is for the candidate only and not others who may accompany the candidates. YEAS: Unanimous  
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# Dog-eat-dog competition

## Film spotlights coney contest at hot dog stand



STAFF PHOTOS BY JIM JAGDFELD

**Dresses a dog:** Nick Marabeas puts ketchup on a hot dog for a waiting customer. Marabeas, owner of Hefty's, played the role of one of two short-order cooks in the film.

BY BILL CASPER  
STAFF WRITER

John Prusak, longtime Wayne-Westland school district media teacher, was so taken by Hefty's Hot Dog Stand that he made a movie featuring a suburban landmark and the restaurant's long-running coney dog eating contest.

"I was infatuated with the restaurant," said Prusak, 45, who returned Jan. 4 to Hefty's on Grand River, west of Beech Daly, for a media showing of the 30-minute film. "It's homey and there's no other like its kind. Hopefully, my film will be one of a kind."

Prusak, a media teacher at the William Ford Vocational/Technical Center, is a former art teacher who was previously on the Lincoln Elementary School faculty.

The film, entitled "Hefty's," premiered Saturday at the Old Redford Theater at Lahser and Grand River in northwest Detroit. Proceeds will benefit Detroit Area Film and Television and Children's Hospital of Michigan.

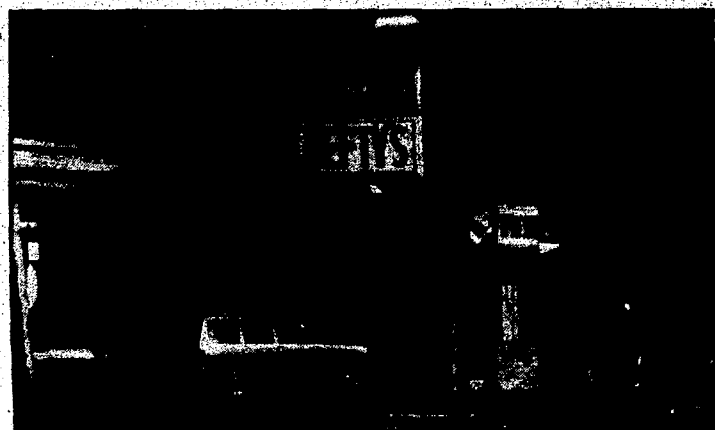
"I feel like a nervous father," Prusak said moments before the media showing. "I hope they like the film because I still want to eat here."

After viewing the film in which he appears, Hefty's owner and cook Nick Marabeas said he is happy with Prusak's work.

"I'm quite pleased with it," said Marabeas, 70, Hefty's owner since the restaurant opened in 1927. "I think he did a real good job."

Prusak, who grew up around the Redford Theater, said he came up with the film's story idea 10 years ago when he went into Hefty's to eat and noticed the photographs of several record-holders of the restaurant's ongoing coney dog eating contest.

"I knew of Hefty's from growing up in the area," said Prusak, who



**A landmark:** Hefty's has been a landmark on Grand River in Redford for 27 years.

co-wrote the film's story with Richard Rockwell of Huntington Woods. "I always liked it because it was unique, and I made the film because I wanted to share a positive part of Detroit with the rest of the world. It's a quiet film, no murders or rapes. It's a story of changing values."

"I would like the film shown in educational circles, like colleges and high schools, as a discussion piece that people can talk about," Prusak said.

Rockwell said plans are to enter "Hefty's" in film festivals with the hope of gaining recognition for the movie before seeking avenues of distribution.

The story line centers around a millionaire, portrayed by Christopher Howe, who decides to try to break the eating record of 19 coneys in an hour as proof to himself that he can do something on his own that his money can't buy. In the process, he learns valuable lessons and finds a surprise friend.

The film was shot in just 12

weekend days during the spring of 1983, but lay dormant for 10 years due to lack of funding, Prusak said. It was finally completed with financial support from the Public Benefit Corp. and the Michigan Council for the Arts and Cultural Affairs.

Other grant funds and additional private donations paid production costs, estimated at \$25,000 to \$30,000, Prusak said.

Prusak has been making films, mostly documentaries, for 20 years. He is probably best known for his work as cinematographer on "Roger & Me."

Prusak's volunteer crew for "Hefty's" included several of his students and friends who have gone on to successful professional careers, including Sam Raimi, who plays the cook. Raimi also wrote and directed the "Evil Dead" films and "Darkman."

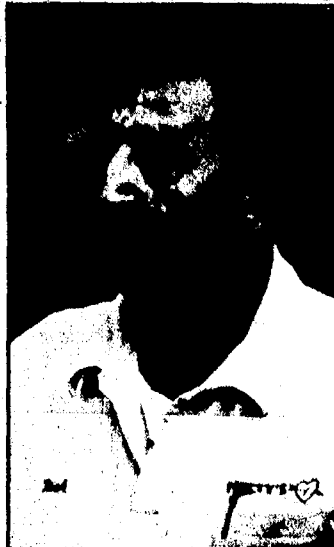
"Hefty's" main star Howe has landed a small part in Daniel Stern's new film, "Rookie of the Year," that is currently being shot.



**Quite a feat:** Pat Moore holds the record for eating 19 coneys at Hefty's in Redford, earning him top spot in the Gallery of Gastronomic Fame.



**A full house:** Hefty's was busy Monday night for the "sneak preview" of the film on Redford's famed coney spot.



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# 19-year-old man pleads guilty of beating teen

BY DARRELL CLEM  
STAFF WRITER

A 19-year-old Westland man pleaded guilty Friday to charges of beating and kicking a local teenager who wanted to drop out of a "skinheads" gang.

Chris Bugosh could face a maximum penalty of 10 years in prison when he returns Feb. 9 to Detroit Recorder's Court for sentencing on a charge of assault with intent to commit great bodily harm.

Two of Bugosh's friends who went to trial and were convicted of identical charges have already been sentenced. James Kirsten Kight, 22, is serving two to 10 years in prison, and Jamie Gates, 18, is serving three to 10 years.

Westland police accused the three teens of severely beating and kicking a dissident skinhead and dumping him in a ditch. The victim spent four days in Garden City Hospital for injuries he received during the March 6 beating last year.

The beating occurred during a party on Avondale, northwest of Palmer and Newburgh. Court testimony indicated the defendants beat the victim in a basement and then drove him to Van Buren Township, where he was dumped in a roadside ditch.

Severely injured, the dissident skinhead managed to stagger to a nearby house for help, and his family was telephoned, police have said.

## Severely injured, the dissident skinhead managed to stagger to a nearby house for help.

The victim was beaten because "he decided he didn't want to belong to the group anymore," Westland Detective Sgt. Russell Nowaczek has said.

Kight and Gates also have received a one-year sentence for a separate incident in August 1991 in which they beat a local teenager in the head, face, back, chest and legs. Brass knuckles and a wooden board were used during the beating, police have said.

Like Kight and Gates, Bugosh also was charged with aggravated assault in that incident. He has pleaded guilty in Westland's 18th District Court and is expected to be sentenced by Judge C. Charles Bokos after his appearance next month in Recorder's Court.

The August 1991 beating occurred in a field near Manufacturer's Drive in Westland. Court testimony has indicated the victim was beaten because he shot a plastic gun at a girl whom the defendants knew.

Although Kight and Gates already have been sentenced, Bugosh had fled from authorities after posting \$500, or 10 percent of a \$5,000 bond. He recently was found and arrested.

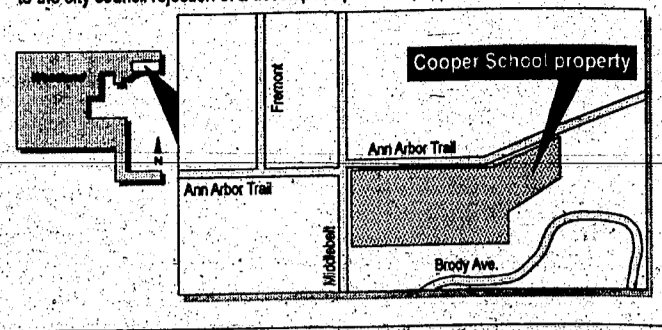


**Boarded building:** The former Cooper School, on a site where a developer wants to build a strip mall, has had its windows covered with plywood for many years.

ART EMANUELE/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

### Rezoning Cooper

Westland residents may have to wait to see what develops on the former Cooper School property. The city planning commission and administration have recommended to the city council rejection of a developer's plan for a strip mall.



## 'Eyesore' from page 1A

into the Livonia school district. The elementary school was vacated in 1967 when a newer Cooper elementary school opened a half-mile away on Ann Arbor Trail between Inkster Road and Middlebelt. The older building was used briefly as the city's first senior citizens' center and then vacated.

In recent years, homeowners who live in the subdivision behind Cooper have publicly expressed concerns that the deteriorating building is becoming a neighborhood eyesore in a highly visible location.

The planning commission, which recommended unanimously Jan. 5 that the council reject the rezoning, said it based its decision on several factors.

One is that the proposed rezoning "would be detrimental to the public interest" and would lead to potential commercial overbuild-

ing in the area, which has a similar strip mall across the street. The commission also noted that there is no market study or documentation showing a need for more commercial development in that area.

Another factor for recommending denial is that the city's future land use plan calls for the property to be developed in its current zoning classification for low-density office and commercial uses. Robert Asmar is president of the Farmington Hills company which owns the property, bought from the Livonia school district years ago.

Asmar's proposal includes nearly 49,000 square feet of retail space, specifying a hardware store, drug store, smaller retail businesses and a Burger King fast-food restaurant on the property.

# Council considers naming parks director

BY KEVIN BROWN  
STAFF WRITER

Westland may soon have a new parks and recreation director.

Chuck Skene, head of the City of Plymouth recreation department for 18 years, is awaiting word from the Westland City Council, which will be asked

Tuesday night to confirm the recommendation of Mayor Robert Thomas.

"It's a chance to go to a larger community," Skene said. "I'm looking forward to that. We couldn't come to a conclusion on the (Plymouth) residency issue." His departure is sparked by

Plymouth voters' rejection in November of an amendment to the city charter that would have allowed non-residents to serve as city department heads.

A long time Plymouth employee, Skene is a Westland resident. A Plymouth charter revision committee appointed by the city commission last year recommend-

ed that the city — like Westland did many years ago — dump its residency requirement, saying it was outdated.

Westland recreation supervisor Michael Brewis has been acting department director since director George Gillies was named mayor's assistant last June.

**CITY OF GARDEN CITY  
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING  
November 16, 1992**

**PUBLIC HEARING at 7:15 P.M.**  
Present were Mayor Plakas, Councilmembers Wiacek, Breen, Schildberg, Nunneley, Ryall and Sobas.  
Absent none.  
On solicitation of comments on the Final Plat for the Victoria Gardens Subdivision.

**REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING at 7:30 P.M.**  
Present were Mayor Plakas, Councilmembers Wiacek, Breen, Schildberg, Nunneley, Ryall and Sobas.  
Absent none.

Also present were Interim City Manager Kuckel, City Clerk-Treasurer Showalter, City Attorney Mack, Director of Department of Public Service Lang, Roads, Sewer & Water Supervisor Browning, Buildings and Grounds Supervisor Buccilli, Director of Community Development Carroll, Community Development Assistant Martell, City Engineers Turner and Warner.

Moved by Ryall, supported by Nunneley: **RESOLVED:** To authorize the City Manager Search Committee to offer to reimburse up to \$200 per candidate for travel expenses, based on receipts. **YEAS:** Unanimous  
Moved by Ryall, supported by Wiacek: **RESOLVED:** To approve the Minutes of the Regular Council Meeting held November 2, 1992, as presented. **YEAS:** Unanimous  
Moved by Schildberg, supported by Ryall: **RESOLVED:** To approve the Minutes of the Special Council Meeting of November 9, 1992, as amended to correct the date. **YEAS:** Unanimous  
Moved by Ryall, supported by Schildberg: **RESOLVED:** To approve the Accounts Payable, as listed. **YEAS:** Unanimous  
Moved by Schildberg, supported by Ryall: **RESOLVED:** To approve the following Consent Agenda:  
a. To approve the Proclamation declaring the Week of November 18-25, 1992 as "American Gene Society Week".  
b. To grant permission for the 1992 Goodfellows Newspaper Drive to conduct On-street Solicitation, subject to them providing signed home harmless agreements and evidence of insurance.  
c. To approve the resolution recognizing the Garden City Foundation for Improving Global Education as a Non-profit Organization.  
d. To approve the proclamation declaring December 12, 1992 as "Underprivileged Children's Day" in Garden City.  
**YEAS:** Unanimous  
Moved by Schildberg, supported by Ryall: **RESOLVED:** To adopt the Policy on Parks and Recreation Facilities Use and Rental Fees.  
Moved by Breen, supported by Sobas: **RESOLVED:** To amend the above motion No. 11-92-440 to substitute Rental for Use in most places. **NAYS:** Unanimous. **YEAS:** None.  
Moved by Wiacek, supported by Breen: **RESOLVED:** To amend Section No. 11-92-440 to change the title to Reservation Policy for Parks & Recreation Facilities. **YEAS:** Mayor Plakas, Councilmembers Wiacek, Breen, Schildberg, Ryall and Sobas. **NAYS:** Councilmember Nunneley  
Moved by Ryall, supported by Wiacek: **RESOLVED:** To amend the above motion No. 11-92-440 to reduce the charge for overnight sleepovers at the Log Cabin to \$15.00. **YEAS:** Mayor Plakas, Councilmembers Wiacek, Breen, Schildberg, Ryall and Sobas. **NAYS:** Councilmember Nunneley  
**YEAS:** Mayor Plakas, Councilmembers Wiacek, Breen, Schildberg, Ryall and Sobas. **NAYS:** Councilmember Nunneley  
Moved by Wiacek, supported by Breen: **RESOLVED:** To approve the concept for the City Park grant improvements as revised with the southwest pavilion at location C. The engineers are to maximize the distance between the walking path and the homes along Henry Ruff when preparing the working drawings so as to minimize the disturbance to the residents.  
Moved by Ryall, supported by Schildberg: **RESOLVED:** To amend the above motion No. 11-92-444 to change the Pavilion location from C to B. **YEAS:** Mayor Plakas, Councilmembers Schildberg, Nunneley and Ryall. **NAYS:** Councilmembers Wiacek, Breen and Sobas.  
**YEAS:** Mayor Plakas, Councilmembers Breen, Schildberg, Nunneley, Ryall and Sobas. **NAYS:** Councilmembers Wiacek and Sobas  
Moved by Nunneley, supported by Ryall: **RESOLVED:** To call a Public Hearing on December 7, 1992, at 6:35 P.M. on revising the Ordinance of Parking Lot Storm Water Discharge. **YEAS:** Unanimous  
Moved by Ryall, supported by Wiacek: **RESOLVED:** To invite the prospective Appointees to Boards and Commissions to come to a Council Workshop to be introduced prior to their appointments. **YEAS:** Councilmembers Wiacek, Breen and Sobas. **NAYS:** Mayor Plakas, Councilmembers Schildberg, Nunneley and Ryall.

**MOTION FAILED**  
Moved by Breen, supported by Ryall: **RESOLVED:** To refer the Resolution regarding the LDFA (Local Development Financing Authority) status to the Planning Commission. **YEAS:** Unanimous  
Moved by Breen, supported by Ryall: **RESOLVED:** To adopt the revised Water Loss/Water Meter Resolution of November 16, 1992.  
Moved by Breen, supported by Ryall: **RESOLVED:** To amend the above motion No. 11-92-449 by substituting "remote encoder" for "electronic" in the second line of paragraph 2 and eliminate the word "present" system from Paragraph 5 and 6. **YEAS:** Unanimous  
Moved by Ryall, supported by Schildberg: **RESOLVED:** To approve proceeding with the Master Meter Replacements. **YEAS:** Unanimous  
Moved by Schildberg, supported by Ryall: **RESOLVED:** To approve the Manhole Rehabilitation Project Change Order No. 3, in the amount of \$664.08, as recommended by the City Engineer and the Administration. **YEAS:** Unanimous  
Moved by Ryall, supported by Wiacek: **RESOLVED:** To award the contract for the purchase of picnic tables to Seavey Corporation, the lowest responsible bidder, in the amount of \$1,632, as recommended by the Administration. **YEAS:** Unanimous  
Moved by Schildberg, supported by Nunneley: **RESOLVED:** To award the contract for Housing Rehab Case No. 07253 to Complete Construction Services, Inc., the lowest responsible bidder, in the amount of \$3,089, as recommended by the Administration. **YEAS:** Unanimous  
Moved by Ryall, supported by Schildberg: **RESOLVED:** To award the contract for Housing Rehab Case No. 07283 to Complete Construction Services, Inc., in the amount of \$4,160, as recommended by the Administration. **YEAS:** Unanimous  
Moved by Schildberg, supported by Ryall: **RESOLVED:** To award the contract for Housing Rehab Case No. 07289 to Complete Construction Services, Inc., the lowest responsible bidder, in the amount of \$3,380, as recommended by the Administration. **YEAS:** Unanimous  
Moved by Ryall, supported by Schildberg: **RESOLVED:** To approve the Final Plat for the Victoria Gardens Subdivision. **YEAS:** Councilmembers Breen, Schildberg, Nunneley, Ryall and Sobas. **NAYS:** Mayor Plakas and Councilmember Wiacek  
Moved by Ryall, supported by Schildberg: **RESOLVED:** To call a Special Council Meeting on November 23, 1992, at 7:30 P.M., to go into Closed Session to discuss Litigation. **YEAS:** Unanimous  
Moved by Schildberg, supported by Nunneley: **RESOLVED:** To call a Special Council Workshop on November 23, 1992, at 8:00 P.M., to discuss the Audit Report. **YEAS:** Unanimous  
Moved by Ryall, supported by Schildberg: **RESOLVED:** To approve going into Closed Session to discuss the City Attorney's Report on the Case of R & S Captown v City of Garden City, et. al., and his report on change order No. 1 to the Alternate Drainage Project. **YEAS:** Mayor Plakas, Councilmembers Wiacek, Schildberg, Nunneley, Ryall and Sobas. **NAYS:** Councilmember Breen  
Moved by Schildberg, supported by Wiacek: **RESOLVED:** To approve the City Attorney's recommendation on the Cap-Town case. **YEAS:** Unanimous  
Moved by Schildberg, supported by Nunneley: **RESOLVED:** To remove from the Table Resolution 10-92-380, Change Order No. 3, Alternate Drainage Project. **YEAS:** Unanimous  
**RESOLVED:** To approve Change Order No. 3 to Sole Construction on the Alternate Drainage Contract, in the amount of \$47,634.95. **YEAS:** Councilmember Wiacek, Schildberg, Nunneley and Ryall. **NAYS:** Mayor Plakas, Councilmember Breen and Sobas

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# Trustee hopefuls stress commitment to serve

BY SUSAN ROSIEK  
STAFF WRITER

Their expertise ranges from law to engineering to money management but candidates vying for an appointment to the Schoolcraft College Board of Trustees said their interest in education and a desire to "give something back to the community" is the prime motivator in applying for the board post.

Sixteen people have applied for two vacant seats on the board, Trustees Mary Breen, Steve Ragan, Michael Burl, Harry Greenleaf and Patricia Watson will appoint two new board members on Wednesday.

## Process continues

On Jan. 6, the board interviewed five applicants. Last week seven were questioned. Four candidates - James McCann, Winifred Fraser, Christopher Vary and Richard J. DeVries - will be interviewed at a special meeting Wednesday, Jan. 20 after which the board will vote on two appointments.

Those appointed must run in a special election in June. The appointments are to fill the vacancies of former trustees Jeanne Stempien, who was elected to the Wayne County Circuit Court, and Thaddeus McCotter, elected to the Wayne County Board of Commissioners.

Candidates interviewed last week were Kathleen E. Payne, law school professor from Plymouth Township; David M. Ozog, health care marketing consultant from Livonia; Malcolm Campbell, a dentist from Plymouth; Catherine Broadbent, human resource director for Plymouth Township and a Westland resident; Robert L. Place, an engineer recently retired from General Motors who lives in Plymouth Township; John J. Walsh, an attorney from Livonia and Lawrence J. Regan, a recently retired finance consultant from Merrill Lynch who lives in Livonia.

Funding, college improvements and the role of a trustee were among the questions most asked by board members.

Payne, a law professor at Detroit College of Law and former educator in Garden City Public Schools, told trustees she was seeking the appointment because of her life long interest in education and her commitment to help

the college "continue to make its invaluable contribution to the community."

Payne has taken continuing education classes and swims at Schoolcraft. She has served on curriculum, faculty development, finance and academic standards committees at the law school.

"I am familiar with the issues facing an education institution and capable of addressing them," wrote Payne in her application to the board.

"While the college employs its own counsel to do legal work, it would be helpful to the board to have a lawyer as a member," said Payne, adding that although she doesn't have "any political connections or party affiliations" she would seek the office in June if appointed Wednesday.

## Grad seeks seat

Ozog, who will graduate from Schoolcraft this semester, told trustees he "has a personal desire to see Schoolcraft continue to serve the community."

He said his experience in marketing, commercial real estate, finance and experience as a student at Schoolcraft would be an asset to the board.

He views the role of trustee as a guardian and believes that the college should strive to improve classes offered outside the main Livonia campus.

Ozog is a graduate of Stevenson High School in Livonia and attends the University of Michigan-Dearborn where he is a student in psychology and business.

If appointed he plans to seek election in June.

Campbell, a dentist practicing in Dearborn, works with students at the University of Michigan and University of Detroit schools of dentistry in a mentor program that he initiated.

Campbell views the role of trustee as a policy maker - "not one involved in day-to-day operations."

## Don't raise tuition

He believes land development - such as the Seven Mile Crossing - has been a wise move to bring in additional funds for the college. Schoolcraft has a long-term lease arrangement with Duke & Associates, developers of the office complex.

When asked to rank funding sources, Campbell said after land

development, the college should look to the government.

"The last place I would look to is 'an increase in tuition,'" said Campbell, who said he has the time and interest to serve on the board.

"I am impressed with what I've seen at the college. The administration is doing a fine job. The board works well together," said the Plymouth resident adding serving as a trustee would be "challenging, stimulating and constructive."

Broadbent, who earned an associates degree at Schoolcraft College, says the college can improve by soliciting ideas from alumni. She also holds a bachelor's degree in business management from Madonna College.

On generating income for the college, Broadbent says land development is a viable option followed by millage.

"Last would be a tuition increase," said Broadbent.

She said complying with the American Disabilities Act, employment issues and prayerless graduation ceremonies are some of the more immediate concerns facing trustees.

## No stepping stone

"I want this position to serve the community - not as a stepping stone to higher office," said Broadbent, who lives in the Westland portion of the Livonia School District.

Place, who recently retired from a middle-management post at GM, said his broad manufacturing business background, engineering approach to problem solving, and vital interest in education for future leaders are just a few reasons he would be a valuable trustee.

Place, who holds a bachelor's of science degree from General Motors Institute, said the college must look for innovative ways to raise money - not property taxes. Tuition increases he said should be "in step with inflation."

Place said the college serves many different facets of the community from the typical 18-year-old high school graduate to the mature adult student to those seeking further training or retraining.

"We must tailor to the needs of our customers," said Place, whose son attended Schoolcraft College after serving a tour of duty in the military.

Walsh, an attorney with Lewis, White & Clay in Detroit, is active on the political action and government relations committees of the Livonia Chamber of Commerce. He also serves as a director of the Livonia Jaycees.

Walsh called Schoolcraft "a tremendous asset to the community and its students."

"Preservation and enhancement of the college's reputation and program is increasingly important as four year colleges be-

come more and more out of reach for students seeking higher education.

"Community colleges in general have become and will continue to be a reason alternative for many students," wrote Walsh in his application to the board.

## Skills match needs

Walsh told trustees that his experience in municipal finance, fund-raising and the governmental process; his internships during college at the executive and legislative levels along with his knowledge of the political environment at the local, state and federal level, will help him make decisions as a board member.

"There's a strong match between my skills and what the board needs," said Walsh, who received his law degree at Wayne State University. Walsh said he plans to seek election to the board in June.

Regan, retired from Merrill Lynch, told trustees that board membership would be both intellectually stimulating and useful.

Regan told trustees that although he's unfamiliar with how the college is funded, he would bring 25 years of expertise in money management to the board. He said the board must look at cutting expenses not just increasing revenues.

"Education must be available at a relatively low price," said Regan, who has a son attending Schoolcraft.

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# Woman searches for niece

BY DARRELL CLEM  
STAFF WRITER

Becky Kecskes hasn't seen her niece, Christina, in 18 years, but she's trying to find her in the Westland-Garden City area. Authorities took the niece from her mother — Kecskes' sister —

amid allegations she was abused when she was young. The niece was turned over to the custody of her paternal grandparents.

Kecskes last saw her niece during a fifth birthday celebration. Soon afterward, the grandparents adopted the child out to a couple that Kecskes said is believed to be living in the Westland-Garden City area.

The family lost contact with the niece, but Kecskes began searching for her five years ago, when Christina would have turned 18.

"I thought that since she was an adult, she could make her own decisions about whether she wanted to see me or any of the family," Kecskes said.

But Kecskes doesn't know if the niece knows how to get in touch with family members on her mother's side, so she decided to try to find her.

"I just want to let her know that she's got a lot of family members who care about her," Kecskes said. "She doesn't even have to come see me if she doesn't want to. But I want her to know that she has an aunt who cares about her."

The last time Kecskes saw her niece, the girl's full name was Christina Jean Martin. She had assumed the last name of her paternal grandparents.

The girl was born Dec. 10, 1969, in the former Wayne County General Hospital, Westland. But Kecskes said she has been unable to find Christina's hospital records. Kecskes doesn't even have a Social Security number.

A Monroe County resident who has three children of her own,



Christina Jean Martin

Kecskes said, "There are a lot of people who love Christina and would love to see her."

That includes Kecskes' mother, who is Christina's grandmother.

"My mother will be 72 in June, and she would like to see Christina before she dies," Kecskes said.

Kecskes said the family would have tried to keep in contact with Christina early on. But they lost contact when Christina was adopted out.

"I've never had a real clear lead," Kecskes said, referring to her search for Christina. "But now that she has her own say as to whether she wants to meet me or not, I want her to know that I'm here."

Kecskes is asking that Christina, or anyone with information about her, contact the Westland Observer at 953-2110.

# TV connoisseurs find dish bliss

BY BILL COUTANT  
STAFF WRITER

Jerry Pierfederici, an admitted "couch potato," decided to make the most of his TV watching time by installing a satellite dish outside his suburban home three years ago.

He has no regrets.

"I was talking to some friends at work who had one (dish), and so I decided to give it a try," said Pierfederici, who drives a truck for a western Wayne County business. "Cable was increasing (in cost) every six months or year."

At the time he bought his new dish, Pierfederici was paying about \$68 a month for a variety of cable channels, including HBO, Cinemax, the Movie Channel and Showtime. Now he pays about \$530 a year and gets many more channels, he said.

"Instead of just one HBO channel, you get four," he said. "That's true for the other movie channels as well."

Pierfederici's wife, Betty, said her daughter also has a satellite dish and suggested the idea.

"It's not for me," she said. "I don't have much time to watch TV. But he loves TV. There are just a lot more channels."

Jerry Pierfederici said he's heard a lot of complaints from

friends about their cable service. "Having a satellite dish gives you independence," he said. "You just have so many more choices."

Roger Taylor, owner of a suburban printing business, has found another reason to add a satellite dish.

"I'm a real sports junkie," he said. "I've had one for two years and there are a lot of channels. The thing I like about it is that I can get sports channels from all over the country that are just like PASS. I can see just about any major sporting event that is televised anywhere."

Taylor and the Pierfedericis agree: owning a dish is worth the cost if you watch a lot of television. The initial cost is offset by lower rates and a much wider selection of channels. There are more than 200 channels available now and more planned.

"If you're going to keep it, it's definitely worth buying," Taylor said.

Jerry Pierfederici said reception with a satellite dish is also better. And even pay-for-view selections are enhanced with a satellite dish, Taylor said.

"With regular cable, you can only get one pay-for-view channel," he said. "With a dish, you can order any pay-for-view channel." A

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**CITY OF GARDEN CITY  
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING  
November 2, 1992**

Present were Mayor Pro-tem Wiecek and Councilmembers Breen, Schildberg, Nunneley, Ryall and Sobas. Absent and excused was Mayor Plaskas.

Also present were Interim City Manager Kucel, City Clerk-Treasurer Showalter, City Attorney Mack and City Engineers Warner and Ross.

Moved by Schildberg, supported by Ryall: RESOLVED: To approve the Minutes of the Regular Council Meeting held October 19, 1992, as presented. YEAS: Unanimous

Moved by Ryall, supported by Schildberg: RESOLVED: To approve the Accounts Payable, as listed. YEAS: Unanimous

Moved by Schildberg, supported by Ryall: RESOLVED: To approve the Appointment of Dennis Kapelanaki to the Recreation Commission, term to expire March 31, 1993. YEAS: Unanimous

Moved by Ryall, supported by Schildberg: RESOLVED: To approve the Appointment of Robert Kosowski to the Zoning Board of Appeals, term to expire March 31, 1993. YEAS: Unanimous

Moved by Nunneley, supported by Schildberg: RESOLVED: To approve the Appointment of Michael Avis to the Cable Commission, term to expire July 1, 1993. YEAS: Unanimous

Moved by Schildberg, supported by Ryall: RESOLVED: To approve the Appointment of James Potvin to the Cable Commission, term to expire July 1, 1994. YEAS: Unanimous

Moved by Schildberg, supported by Ryall: RESOLVED: To remove from the Table Resolution 10-92-395, the Noise Abatement Ordinance. YEAS: Councilmembers Breen, Schildberg and Nunneley. NAYS: Councilmembers Wiecek, Ryall and Sobas

MOTION FAILED

Moved by Ryall, supported by Schildberg: RESOLVED: To approve from the Table Resolution No. 10-92-390, Ballot Tax Proposals. YEAS: Councilmembers Schildberg and Nunneley. NAYS: Councilmember Wiecek, Breen, Ryall and Sobas

MOTION FAILED

Moved by Schildberg, supported by Ryall: RESOLVED: To remove from the Table Resolution No. 10-92-370. YEAS: Unanimous

RESOLVED: To rescind Traffic Control Orders No. 033 and 034. YEAS: Unanimous

Moved by Breen, supported by Ryall: RESOLVED: To remove from the Table Resolution No. 10-92-372. YEAS: Unanimous

RESOLVED: To approve the Traffic Control Orders No. 433 and No. 434. YEAS: Unanimous

Moved by Ryall, supported by Schildberg: RESOLVED: To approve refunding a portion of Special Assessment No. 4187 to Norbert Jaworski. YEAS: Unanimous

Moved by Schildberg, supported by Nunneley: RESOLVED: To accept the Downtown Development Authority Status Report.

Moved by Ryall, supported by Sobas: RESOLVED: To Table the above motion No. 11-92-422. YEAS: Mayor Pro-tem Wiecek, Councilmembers Breen, Nunneley, Ryall and Sobas. NAYS: Councilmembers Schildberg

Moved by Schildberg, supported by Ryall: RESOLVED: To approve the Manhole Rehabilitation Project Change Orders No. 1 & No. 3, in the amount of \$2,831.50 and \$2,550.00 respectively and to not consider No. 2 at this time. YEAS: Unanimous

Moved by Ryall, supported by Schildberg: RESOLVED: To award the bid for video equipment, fans and accessories for the Cable Studio, located at City Hall, to Cruise Communications, the lowest responsible bidder, in the amount of \$3,304.00, as recommended by the Cable Commission and the Administration. YEAS: Mayor Pro-tem Wiecek, Councilmembers Schildberg, Nunneley, Ryall and Sobas. NAYS: Councilmember Breen

Moved by Schildberg, supported by Ryall: RESOLVED: To award the bid for two (2) gas detection devices for the Department of Public Service worker's to M-L Enterprises, Inc., the lowest responsible bidder, in the amount of \$3,298.00, as recommended by the Administration. YEAS: Unanimous

Moved by Ryall, supported by Breen: RESOLVED: To approve the request for recognition of the Friends of the Commons. YEAS: Mayor Pro-tem Wiecek, Councilmembers Breen, Schildberg, Ryall and Sobas. NAYS: Councilmember Nunneley

Moved by Schildberg, supported by Ryall: RESOLVED: To call a Public Hearing on the Final Plat Approval for the Victoria Gardens Subdivision on Monday, November 16, 1992, at 7:15 p.m., as recommended by the Administration. YEAS: Unanimous

Moved by Nunneley, supported by Ryall: RESOLVED: to call a Public Hearing on the Special Assessment Roll for the District V Sidewalk Repair Program on Monday, December 7, 1992, at 7:00 P.M., as recommended by the Administration. YEAS: Unanimous

Moved by Schildberg, supported by Ryall: RESOLVED: To call a Public Hearing on Monday, December 7, 1992, at 6:45 P.M. on the Downtown Development Authority (DDA) Development and Financing Plans.

Moved by Schildberg, supported by Breen: RESOLVED: To call for the question. YEAS: Councilmembers Breen, Schildberg, Nunneley, Ryall and Sobas. NAYS: Mayor Pro-tem Wiecek

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Moved by Schildberg, supported by Breen: RESOLVED: To approve a Meeting with Mayor, Council, Chairperson and Vice Chairperson of the Search Committee on November 11, 1992, at 7:30 P.M. to discuss reasons for the selection of the ten candidates. YEAS: Unanimous

Moved by Schildberg, supported by Nunneley: RESOLVED: To call a Special Council Meeting on Monday, November 9, 1992, at 7:00 P.M. to go into Closed Session to discuss the Attorney's report on Change Order No. 2 on the Alternate Drainage Program. YEAS: Unanimous

RONALD D. SHOWALTER,  
City Clerk-Treasurer

Publish: January 18, 1993

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING  
January 27, 1993  
CITY OF GARDEN CITY  
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Public Hearing will be held by the Zoning Board of Appeals at the Council Chambers of the Civic Center, 6000 Middlebelt Road, Garden City, Michigan on WEDNESDAY, January 27, 1993, at 7:30 p.m., for the purpose of hearing and considering all comments of all persons interested in or concerned with the following request(s):

Item 1-93-002 Ray Bee Construction/J. & B. Kennedy Z.B.A. 92-21  
3043 Sheridan  
Consideration of the request for a Fence Variance, pursuant to Section 161.039 (A)(2) to leave the existing fence where it is and not to reverse the fence on the two sides, located in a R-1 (One Family Residential) District.

Item 1-93-003a Michael & Margie Kelly Z.B.A. 92-22  
31742 Leona  
Consideration of the request for a Fence Permit pursuant to Sections 150.01, 161.039 (C)(5)(D), 161.039 (C)(5)(A), and 161.039 (A)(2), to permit fence with less than one foot setback, in excess of maximum permitted height and with finished side facing lot interior, located in a R-1 (One Family Residential) District.

Item 1-93-003b Michael & Margie Kelly Z.B.A. 92-29  
31742 Leona  
Consideration of the request for a Dimensional Variance pursuant to Sections 161.023 (A)(5), 161.023 (D)(1). To permit Deck that was constructed in rear yard easement and in the required side-yard setback, located in a R-1 (One Family Residential) District.

Item 1-93-003c Michael & Margie Kelly Z.B.A. 92-22  
31742 Leona  
Consideration of the request for a Dimensional Variance pursuant to Sections 161.212, 161.023 (B), 161.023 (A)(6) to permit a Garage that exceeds maximum permitted floor area, and Garage is improperly used for purposes not permitted, located in a R-1 (One Family Residential) District.

Item 1-93-003d Michael & Margie Kelly Z.B.A. 92-22  
31742 Leona  
Consideration of the request for a Dimensional Variance pursuant to Sections 161.237 (1)(a) to retain a breezeway that was constructed without a permit, located in a R-1 (One Family Residential) District.

Item 1-93-003e Michael & Margie Kelly Z.B.A. 92-22  
31742 Leona  
Consideration of the request for a Dimensional Variance pursuant to Sections 161.27 (1)(a) to retain new windows and footing at front of house that was constructed without a permit, located in a R-1 (One Family Residential) District.

Item 1-93-003f Michael & Margie Kelly Z.B.A. 92-22  
31742 Leona  
Consideration of the request for a Site Plan review pursuant to Sections 161.27 (1)(a) to retain new windows and footing at front of house that was constructed without a permit, located in a R-1 (One Family Residential) District.

Item 1-93-004 City Park Z.B.A. 92-23  
Corner of Cherry Hill and Merriman Roads  
Consideration of the request Waver/Variance pursuant to Sections 161.232 (A)(1)(a) and 161.232 (A)(1)(d), to Site Plan Review located in a (R-1) (One Family Residential) District.

Item 1-93-005 Gilbert White/Joe D's Bar Z.B.A. 92-24  
29242 Ford Road  
Consideration of the request for a Sign Permit, pursuant to Section 161.153.10 to retain painted sign on West wall (178 square feet and painted sign on North wall (743 square feet), located in a C-2 (Community Business) District.

Item 1-93-006 Gordon Chevrolet Z.B.A. 92-25  
31850 Ford Road  
Consideration of the request for a Dimensional Variance pursuant to Section 163.40 (B)(3) to erect a sign, located in a C-4 (General Business) District.

Item 1-93-007 Discussion of Use Variance Definition 161.225 (E)(3)(A-D).  
The applicant's submittal materials are available for public review at the Garden City Planning Office, 6000 Middlebelt Road, Garden City, Michigan, (313) 523-8962.  
All persons interested in any of the above are hereby invited to attend this Public Hearing and be heard.

RONALD D. SHOWALTER,  
City Clerk-Treasurer

Posted: January 18, 1993  
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**STOR-N-LOCK  
NOTICE**

Pursuant to state law, a sale will be held at Stor-N-Lock, 7840 N. Wayne Road, Westland, Michigan 48185, (313) 261-6640, on February 20, 1993 at 10:00 A.M. The following goods will be sold:

Unit No. F-2, Kenneth Deryke, 5209 Williams, Wayne, MI 48184. 1 Automobile, 1 washer, 1 dryer, 1 misc. auto parts.

Unit No. E-2 & D-24, C.B.M. Mfg. Inc., 31975 Block, Garden City, MI 48133. 3 Bikes, 1 car, 9 boxes, 3 cabinet displays, 3 boxes, carpet pieces.

Unit No. E-23, Kermit Pennington, 11723 Cavell, Livonia, MI 48150. 1 Scoafolding, 1 grill, 4 boxes, 1 lawnmower, 1 clothes, 1 air conditioner.

Unit No. E-17F & X-17, Renee Jacobs, 1401 Whitaker, Canton, MI 48187. 9 Boxes, 1 misc. household, 1 stuffed animal, 1 tape holder, 1 bag, 1 musical instrument, 1 end table, 1 box.

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**PARADISE VALLEY JAZZ JAM SESSION**  
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**MATERIAL ISSUE**  
With DADA at Blind Pig, 208 First St., Ann Arbor. (alternative pop)  
996-8555

Tuesday, Jan. 19

**ANDREW CALHOUN & KAT EGLESTON**  
The Ark, 637 1/2 S. Main St., Ann Arbor. (folk)  
761-1451

**MARY MCQUIRE & MYK RISE**  
Mr. B's Farm, 24555 Novi Road, Novi. (acoustic rock)  
349-7038

**CHISEL BROS. FEATURING THORNETTA DAVIS**  
And Blues Jam Session at Alvin's, 5756 Cass, Detroit.  
832-2355.

**DAN'S BIG EGO**  
Blind Pig, 208-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor.  
996-8555.

Wednesday, Jan. 20

**OPEN STAGE NIGHT**  
The Ark, 637 1/2 Main St., Ann Arbor.  
761-1451

**RED C**  
Rick's American Cafe, 611 Church, Ann Arbor. (roots rock)  
996-2747

**STONEHEAD**  
Griff's Grill, 49 N. Saginaw, Pontiac.  
334-9292

**EXIT ZERO**  
Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor.  
996-8555.

Thursday, Jan. 21

**DEADBEAT SOCIETY**  
The Ark, 637 1/2 S. Main St., Ann Arbor. (bluegrass)  
761-1451

**MISSED IN DIARY**  
With Volunteer at Griff's Grill, 49 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. (alternative)  
334-9292

**DEPARTMENT 10**  
With Dead Professor and Black Dog at Paycheck's Lounge, 2932 Caniff, Hamtramck.  
874-0909

**THE MIND**  
3-D, 1815 N. Main, Royal Oak. (alternative rock)  
589-3344

**JOHN D. LAMB**  
Gotham City Cafe, 22848 Woodward, Ferndale. (acoustic)  
398-7430

**MYK RISE AND MARY MCQUIRE**  
Hoop's in Auburn Hills. (acoustic rock)  
373-4744

**C.Y. BUTCHER**  
With Dan Kuczek at Alvin's, 5756 Cass, Detroit.  
832-2355.

**YUDU HIPPIES**  
With Beyond Zero at Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. (alternative rock)  
996-8555.

**THE INCURABLES**  
Offshore Club, Wyandotte. (rock)  
374-2450

Friday, Jan. 22

**BLUE NATION**  
With Painted Glass at The Ritz, 10 1/2 and Gratiot, Roseville. (alternative rock)  
778-1510.

**DADDYSTITCH**  
Tape release party at The Burns Room in St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit.  
961-MELT

**THE RFD BOYS**  
The Ark, 637 1/2 S. Main St., Ann Arbor. (bluegrass, swing)  
761-1451

**THE BUSTER WILLIAMS TRIO**  
With pianist Stephen Scott and drummer Carl Allen at Bird of Paradise, 207 S. Ashley, Ann Arbor. (Jazz)  
662-8310

**THE 27TH CITY**  
With Touch Freak and Nativ Rage at Lili's, 2930 Caniff, Hamtramck. (alternative)  
875-6555

**FORMOSA POP**  
With The Opaque at Griff's Grill, 49 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. (alternative)  
334-9292

**STEVEN GORNALL & THE BLUE COLLAR BLUES BAND**  
Q Club, 29 S. Saginaw, Pontiac. (blues)  
334-7411

**BEYOND ZEBRA (TWIN-TONE ARTIST)**  
With Restroom Poets and Slugbug at Finney's Pub, 3965 Woodward Ave., Detroit.  
831-8070

**MOTHER SUPERIOR**  
With Machine Gunn Kelly and Slug at Paycheck's Lounge, 2932 Caniff, Hamtramck.  
874-0909

**PARK THE KARMA**  
Gotham City Cafe, 22848 Woodward, Ferndale. (pop)  
398-7430

**TERRY FARMER AND THE BEAD BAND**  
With Assembly Required at Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor.  
996-8555.

**MARC FALCONBERRY**  
J.J.'s Pub & Grub, 32611 Ford Road, Garden City. (blues)  
522-9450.

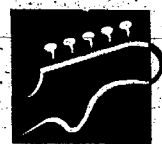
**DETROIT BLUES BAND**  
Moby Dicks, 5452 Schaefer Road, Dearborn.  
581-3650

**KENNY MILLER**  
Attic Bar, 11667 Jos. Campau, Hamtramck. (blues).  
365-4194.

**JOE HUNTER**  
Big Fish, 700 Town Center Drive, Dearborn. (solo piano)  
336-6350.

See IN CONCERT, 9A

## Opaque keeps strings attached to music



■ The Opaque honed its live skills at many low-profile Detroit-area shows. Six months later, it played the first of four Club X shows, cementing its future in the local music scene.

BY CHRISTINA FUOCO  
STAFF WRITER

Leather-jacket clad musician Jim Flynn no longer has to worry about being called names like "pansy violinist."

As a part of The Opaque, the much sought-after musician and his cohorts are quickly being recognized as Detroit's top up and coming band. That is, at least to some.

"There's the occasional naysayers who we quickly eliminate," said Flynn with a laugh.

"Sometimes we rub people the wrong way for what we're doing . . . I've been called every name (in) the book playing my instrument. Now I can get in their face and give it to them," he added.

Lead singer Dirk Schwarzhoff jokingly explained Flynn's frustrations further.

"Jim no longer feels the need to take steroids."

### Flynn's playing

It's Flynn's violin playing that raised The Opaque's status within the local music scene. Throughout 1991 and 1992, the Dearborn resident spent time doing guest stints with bands like Rhythm Corps, Red C and The Hope Orchestra — all with the intention of aiding The Opaque.

"I wanted us to be able to get into the market not from the outside because that would have been too difficult," Flynn explained.

This year, he plans on committing himself to The Opaque.

"I've had the pleasure of playing with other local and national acts. I've stopped doing that. There were reasons for that when I did it."

In the beginning, Schwarzhoff was gigging through Europe with the band Shock Therapy on its tour with Primus. Bassist/lyricist Mark Jordan Ristich and future drummer Scott Spellman were pursuing other projects. Upon Schwarzhoff's arrival home, Flynn, Ristich and Schwarzhoff — all University of Michigan-Dearborn students — and Spellman, of Orchard Lake, hooked up.

### Integrated talents

Schwarzhoff and Flynn first worked together in 1988 in the band 2nd Order Thinking. The band saw the emergence of Schwarzhoff's guitar and vocal ability, and then-lead singer Flynn's electric violin, a custom

pickup mounted on his great-grandfather's 150-year-old violin. They integrated those talents, along with Spellman on drums, into The Opaque.

In early 1992, the group decided to hone its live skills by playing many low-profile Detroit-area shows. Six months later, The Opaque played its first of four Club X shows at the State Theatre. From an outsider's point of view, it seems as if The Opaque debuted at Club X. Schwarzhoff said that was the plan.

"It took a year of scheming to do that," the Dearborn resident said with a grin. "It wasn't that easy. We packed a lot of shows into the first few months."

The group now is planning to release its first tape "Wishlist" in about a month. The three-song release captures The Opaque's alternative rock sound elegantly laced with Flynn's aggressive violin playing, and Ristich's intelligent lyrics.

"I try to work in something of a narrative so that you can get characters that will say things sometimes you're afraid to say," said Ristich about his lyrics.

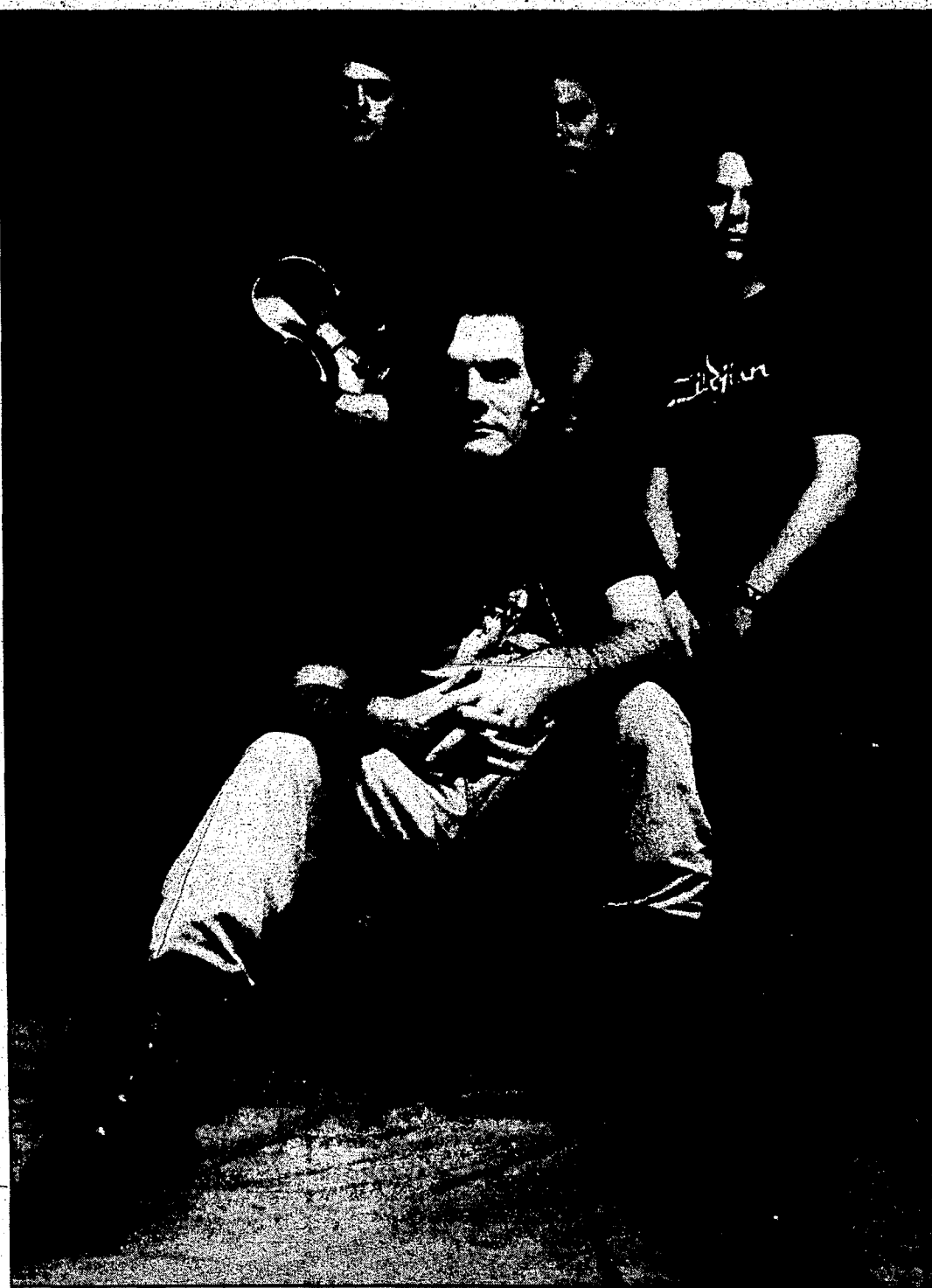
That, the Royal Oak resident said, lends honesty in The Opaque's work.

"I think when you do that for one thing you get honesty for the way you look at life. It can provide the person listening to it with something they can grab onto except for someone mulling about how terrible their life is."

The version of "Wishlist" available to the public may include a bonus track. The group's work is also included on the "Dream Catchers" and "Tremor" compilation CDs.

On the band's immediate "wishlist" is a record deal. Judging from the band's 1992 successes it shouldn't be out of reach. The Opaque, who has opened for established alternative acts like Echo and the Bunnymen, won the Detroit Music Awards' "Best Video" prize for the video to the song "Kiss Goes Corrupt." The quartet has also applied to play at the prestigious South by Southwest music conference in Texas in March. The band, who recently played Chicago and Indianapolis, is also planning an East Coast tour for spring.

Flynn realizes that fans remember the band mostly because of him. He admittedly loves the attention, but loathes bands who



Well stringed: The Opaque — Jim Flynn (from left), Mark Jordan Ristich, Scott Spellman and Dirk Schwarzhoff (seated) — will play Griff's Grill in Pontiac Friday, Jan. 22.

use him as a "Band-Aid."

"It's been tried with other rock'n' roll formats. It's simply a Band-Aid. (In) this I'm doing my thing and everybody else is doing their part as opposed to a Band-Aid application which I really resent being used as."

It's that equality that makes this band in his career the most

worthy of attention, Flynn said.

"We've completely turned it upside and try to make sure we sounded like no one in Detroit or anyone else in the U.S.A." he added.

The Opaque performs with Formosa Pop at Griff's Grill, 49 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. Call 334-9292

for more information. Other dates include the second night of the Mid-America Music Conference Friday, Feb. 5, at the Premier Nightclub, 33970 Van Dyke, Sterling Heights. Call 264-7827 for more information. Also Saturday, Feb. 6 at Alvin's, 5756 Cass, Detroit, during the Dream Catchers benefit.

## Daddy Stitch pins its future to 'Fly South'

BY CHRISTINA FUOCO  
STAFF WRITER

The Sex Pistols may endorse "Anarchy in the U.K.," but Daddy Stitch members find democracy works fine for them.

"It's (run) this country for a couple hundred years, I guess it'll work for us," said Jarrod Wolny, guitarist.

Apparently it has. Utilizing

these democratic means, Daddy Stitch has just released their first tape, "Fly South." Instead of one or two members footing the bill for it, the group chose an even-keeled method. Daddy Stitch funded the tape entirely with money earned from 20-30 shows. The hard alternative rock band will celebrate the release with a performance on Friday, Jan. 22, in

the Burns Room in St. Andrew's Hall in Detroit. The show will bring Daddy Stitch a room closer to accomplishing its immediate goal.

"We're shootin' to play right here on this stage," said Wolny dragging on a cigarette under the dim light of the chilly, closed St. Andrew's Hall.

The business-minded group

doesn't expect to earn its money back. Daddy Stitch intends on selling only a limited number of the tapes. The rest will be sent to record companies with the hopes of landing a record deal.

"The purpose of the tape is a tool to garner recognition, not to make money," explained the group's burly lead singer Mike Apostolou.

So far, Daddy Stitch has received wide Detroit-area exposure by supporting national acts like Jesus Lizard. Apostolou hopes the band can expand on its opening act experience.

"We just want to play a good show with a compatible national band," said Apostolou citing The Pixies, Mudhoney and Dinosaur Jr. as examples. "We're confident of our music and I think we're ready to play on that level."

So confident that Apostolou is hoping to make Daddy Stitch his career. "I can't speak for the whole band but I eat, sleep, live and breathe this. This is what I want to do. I don't want to go to school. I don't want to do nothing. I don't even want to work. I want to make it with this band," explained Apostolou who cites his mother his "biggest influence." "We're not asking much," said Wolny with a laugh.

The majority of the group — which also consists of bassist David Bingham, drummer Shawn Grzyb, and guitarist Nick Fiori — are former members of Anti-Social Degenerates. After "five years of getting nowhere," according to Bingham, the group broke up. Shortly afterward, they formed Daddy Stitch, a "hardcore" yet melodic band, Grzyb said.

"They got a lot of hooks, they're rough enough yet catchy enough," said Apostolou.

Through their songs and their lyrics — which concentrate on "dames and situations," Apostolou said — they hope to move audiences.

"What other medium is there that can move you like music? Books are the only thing that can compare to music," says Bingham. "You can buy a feeling on a tape."

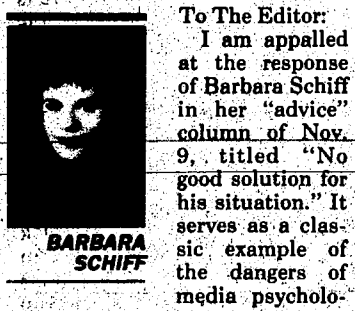
Daddy Stitch holds a record release party Friday, Jan. 22, in the Burns Room at St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit. Call 961-MELT for more information. Upcoming shows include Friday, Jan. 29, at The Ritz, 10 1/4 and Gratiot, in Roseville, with Loudhouse (778-6404) and Saturday, Feb. 6, at Paycheck's Lounge, 2932 Caniff, in Hamtramck, with Loose Seals (874-0909).



Daddy Stitch: Daddy Stitch is, top row from left, David Bingham, Mike Apostolou, and Jarrod Wolny; and, bottom row, Shawn Grzyb and Nick Fiori. They recently released the tape "Fly South."



Response recognized who he is and what he has to do



BARBARA SCHIFF

To The Editor:

I am appalled at the response of Barbara Schiff in her "advice" column of Nov. 9, titled "No good solution for his situation." It serves as a classic example of the dangers of media psycholo-

gies and pain.

Ms. Schiff tells him that as an apparent "rugged individualist," he has the last say. The alternative — staying alive — she describes as "sacrificing himself" for the sake of those who love him. In other words, she gives this individual permission to kill himself.

Surely, a trained therapist should recognize depression when she reads it. How could she not suggest counseling? Just because she has "no good solution" for him, does not mean that others in her field would be as helpless and hopeless. I hope he — and other readers who may have empathized — is still with us and that he reads this and seeks help to restore value to his life. He has contributions to make and he is a

valuable human being.

A Very Concerned Reader

Dear Reader,

I received this letter some weeks ago, after having already addressed these concerns in a previous column. The issue is very important and so I welcome the opportunity to discuss it further. Concurrent with this letter there was a message on my voice mail from a man who said, "You need to have more discretion in answering these letters, but I enjoy them." I assume that this man was also referring to the column criticized by this writer.

There are times when a patient is dying and a doctor with all good intentions offers hope. But a few patients do not want false hope; they want the bleak cold facts. In the letter that the voice mail and

the letter to the editor refer to, it was understood that the writer had been on medication and had been in therapy.

My answer was written with that understanding. It was also written with the knowledge that there are untreatable cases of depression. I respect the writer's intelligence to deeply try to fluff that fact even though it is fluff that some people need and want in order to get by.

If a person needs to base his or her sense of security on a delusion, we need to accept that delusion and not take it away. If a person bases his or her life on the truth, wants to know the worst scenario and is capable of handling it with grace, then it is his or her right not to have those beliefs taken away. Many don't want the bitter facts, but some do.

Without an argument, pharmacology has changed the treatment of mental illness. Patients who only 10-20 years ago would not have been able to live productive lives now often do. But it is not a cure-all, and sometimes there is resistance to complying with a doctor's recommendation to take pills even though they are helping.

Psychotherapy, also, can save lives — sometimes. Neither is it a cure-all. Recommending it to someone for whom it has not been helpful seems a cruel joke, lacking in empathic understanding.

There are those of us who take a spiritual path to peace, and those of us who face a bleaker honesty and in so doing find the ability to problem solve. People are capable of a great deal, if not deluded by what some have called

"fairy tales." Those who respect their ability to develop grace under pressure need to be recognized, too. This is who they are and this is what they have to do.

It is true that great people have helped others through the spiritual route; it is also true that millions of others have been aided in their development through the cerebral, intellectual, cognitive functioning of the "miracles" of the brain.

Barbara

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620 Men Seeking Women

AAS-SALAM-ALAKUM Muslim seeks wife to help me become a millionaire and 100% minister in the new nation of Islam etc. 44341

ABJURING BACHELOR 6'3" Commanding black man, 30, has matrimony in mind, I'm seeking outstanding lady, 19-39, with beauty and grace. Race open. 44809

ABSOLUTELY anxious to meet college educated, attractive woman of color. I'm a single Italian engineer who enjoys cooking & travel. Age open. 44783

ABSOLUTELY Unique, Entrepreneur, California transplant. Looking for extremely attractive, vivacious, sexy, friendly, single female for adventure. 44879

ADVENTUROUS white lady sought by attractive black man, 40. Try it, you'll like it! 44651

AFFECTIONATE nice-looking single white professional male, 54, 5'6". Enjoys golf, biking, movies, dining out, non-smoker, outgoing, honest female 45-50, for friendship or possible relationship. 44801

AFFECTIONATE caring, understanding professional white male seeks female unhappy with current situation for discreet relationship. Age/status unimportant. 44643

AGGRESSIVE MALE 45, fit, seeks docile female. 44881

AGILE, sexy, attractive, slender, clean non-smoking, drug-free 44 white male seeks similar black female for passionate, discreet, satisfying relationship. All replies confidential. 44676

A LITTLE overweight white male, 31, 5'7", intelligent, employed, educated, non-smoker, likes ballet, theatre. Seeking single female for friendship, possible relationship. 44853

APPELLING white male, 38, 5'6", physically, mentally, spiritually fit, open, honest, sincere, affectionate. Among many interests are exercising, travel, cooking, also have a 2 bedroom apartment. 44484

ARTISTIC, romantic, white male, 49, 5'10", trim beard, non-smoker. Seeks strong, spontaneous, passionate woman (30-40), likes movies, dancing, photography. 44464

A TALL, DIVORCED, white male, 6'2", trim, 48, considers somewhat nice looking, honest, sincere, good values, non-smoker, financially secure. Would like to meet single lady 35-45 over 5'3" tall, for eventual long-term relationship. 44837

ATTRACTIVE, honest, factory worker 38, seeks fun-loving wild lady. 44611

ATTRACTIVE, single, white male, 32, 6'4", muscular, enjoys gym, water sports, good times, seeking physically fit, attractive, single lady. 44863

ATTRACTIVE, White male 42, honest, sincere, affectionate, social drinker. Smoker. Seeks white, petite female with same interests. 44911

AVERAGE black gentleman, 37, 6', 205lbs, non smoker/drinker would like to meet intelligent, honest lady (weight proportion/helpful) to build a friendship. Race no barrier. 44789

BLACK BROTHER seeks white sister for fun times. Call today for the excitement of your life! 44695

CHRISTIAN white male, 50, 6'1", 160, good looking widower, honest, affectionate, sincere with well-rounded values, seeks attractive, slender, 40ish white female, with similar interests. 44823

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ATTRACTIVE black male, 30, great built, personality, business owner. Lots of fun to be with. Desires a sweet bi-racial female for relationship. 44873

A VERY SHY, 54, single white male needs an older Nam type white female to teach me everything I need to know. I'm sincere, open minded, willing to learn & please for a lasting relationship. 44822

BALD but goodlooking single white male, 5'10", 160 lbs, physician/golfer. Hoping to meet trim, attractive 50-ish woman for all the usual reasons. 44785

BRIGHT, degree, caring, divorced white male, 41, seeks bright, non-smoking, weight proportionate single white female for tender, faithful relationship, marriage. 44868

CHEERFUL, Nice looking, slender, 36 yr. old male enjoys good conversation, dining, romantic evenings. Seeks sincere, trim, 21-38 yr. old woman. Relationship, marriage-minded. Plymouth. 44893

CREATIVE single white male, 37, 5'8", fit, Catholic professional, interests: jogging, long walks, films, music, reading, thinking. Seeking trim professional single white female to share hopes & dreams. 44829

DISCREET INTERRACIAL relationship wanted! I'm black, 29, handsome, have afternoons free. You're white, pretty, passionate. 44651

DISTINGUISHED GENTLEMAN - trustworthy, tan professional, fit plus, 185lbs, secure, sensual, fun, invites trim, 38-50 honest professional lady with creative fantasies for marriage only. 44771

DIVORCED WHITE MALE, 43, confident, appreciative, sincere, affectionate, fun-loving, intelligent, trustworthy. Looking for someone with same qualities to enjoy beauty and life together. 44852

DIVORCED white male, 25, 5'10", professional, honest, passionate, caring. Enjoys music, movies, sports travel. Seeking woman 22-35 with similar qualities & interests. 44831

DOMINANT SENSUAL, passionate white male, 39, tall, dark, handsome, seeks adventurous, submissive lady for friendship, passion. Will answer all! 44068

DO YOU ENJOY Music, Life, Laughter, Nature, Conversation, Friendship, Fun? Attractive, easy-going single white male seeking creative, large girl friend/soulmate. 44687

EASY GOING, handsome 6' white professional nice guy, in shape, 42, wants white female companion, friend, pal, attractive 27-37, to share experiences. 44762

FARMINGTON Hills area: Considerate & very good looking single lady white male, 31, 6'1", 175 lbs., nice build. Romantic, honest, responsible & financially stable. I enjoy most entertainment & having fun. Seeking exclusive relationship w/single white female in 20's, never married, in shape, very attractive, sense of humor, selective. You may gain a friend or more! 44687

FORTYISH Executive, fetish gourmet, seeks reticent woman who enjoys imaginative seasoning spices. Menu features pleasurable, delicious indulgences created as you like. Appetizer service all hours. 44890

GOOD LOOKING TEACHER, 47, 5'8", divorced, Birmingham area. Enjoys long walks, conversation & more. Seeking attractive & educated woman for friendship/dating. 44855

ROCHESTER AREA, Single white male, sincere, honest, 52, 41, educated, professional, athletic. Enjoys sports, movies, plays, romance. Seeks trim, attractive woman, thirty-something. 44681

SINGLE BLACK Professional male, handsome, intelligent, fun, romantic, 25, seeking single female black, oriental, Mexican, 21-32 for friendship, love, relationship. Must be attractive & professional. 44852

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EASY to get along with, handsome, fit, divorced white male, 32, 5'8", 150 lbs., searching for an attractive white female, 25-32 for friendship or relationship. 44863

EMPLOYED, SINCERE, honest, sensitive, educated, 1942 vintage White divorced male seeks affectionate, cuddly counterpart for long-term relationship. 44724

FETISH FUN - Attractive, educated, white male, desires attractive white female, for friendship, companionship, to make fetish spanking mutually fun. 44547

GOOD LOOKING, rugged yet gentle Outdoorsman, sandy hair, blue eyes, 5'11", trim 178 lbs. Successful, love life, 20's. Would appreciate a sweet girlfriend. 44098

HANDSOME EXECUTIVE in Forties, Asian Caucasian looking for slim beautiful white female, for relationship, fun & possible relationship. 44749

SINCERE married white male, 42, Asian female, seeks an attractive, fun & possible relationship. 44747

SINGLE LEBANESE male, age 37, free minded, college educated, looking to meet a special lady that is a mother and a husband. All replies answered. 44819

SINGLE ORIENTAL MALE Professional, 30, fit, looking for someone with same interests to enjoy life. 44838

SINGLE WHITE MALE, Dearborn Heights, average 37, dirtborn, white male, 38, 5'7", blue eyes, female, cheerful, 30-39, to share life's hopes & dreams. 44217

SINGLE WHITE MALE 30, attractive professional, seeks attractive female with weight in proportion to his 26-32, sincere, warm, interested in developing mutually rewarding relationship. 44731

SINGLE White Male, 51, 6'3", 215, honest, intelligent, retired professional, looking for a single, slender, intelligent lady to be a friend, companion & eventually lovers. 44775

SINGLE WHITE MALE, 38, non smoker, looking for single white female 24-36, children free. Mutual feelings start with respect & an uncomplicated relaxed atmosphere. 44884

SINGLE white, male, 5'11", 230 lbs, 28 yrs. Honest, compassionate, looking for an attractive, fresh, woman, 20-35, for movies, dinners, & drag racing. Must like fun. 44903

SINGLE White male, 34, 1 child, honest, sincere, very affectionate. Enjoys outdoors, movies, talk time. Seeking woman 29-34, 1 child ok, who enjoys same. 44691

SINGLE white male, 22, good looking, 5'8", 161 lbs, blonde hair, brown eyes, health conscious. Seeks single white female, 22-28, slim, attractive, career minded, romantic. No mind games! Must be serious. 44883

SUBMISSIVE, eager to please white male, 44, attractive, clean, discreet, thin. Anxiously seeking dominant female to satisfy. 44832

SUCCESSFUL Businessman, 5'10, 47, white, seeks honest woman with sense of humor for dining, dancing, movies, plays. Looking for a friend, possible relationship. 44813

SUPERMAN (31), Seeks Catwoman (20's), who enjoys fun-in-sun, snow, water or woods, sport cars, marriage, romance, long walks, talks, camping, canoeing, cooking, cleaning, laundry. 44802

TALL, HANDSOME, well built, non-smoking, young looking, 37 yr. old, optimistic, growth oriented, likeable, fun, professional, seeking counterparty 28-35. Family feasible. 44852

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NICE GUY, 29, white, tall, slim, professional, enjoys sports, movies, concerts, travel, quiet evenings, social drinker, non-smoker. Seeks slim 22-28 female, similar interests. 44883

NIGHT WORKER seeks lady for discreet daytime delightful dickerer. Race unimportant. 44754

PROFESSIONAL - uninhibited divorced black male, 40, looking for compatible, honest, attractive, sensual black lady, 30-40 for friendship, fun & possible relationship. 44748

PROFESSIONAL, moral, never married white male, 40, seeks relatively mild minded female. Enjoy dinner, movies, plays, sports. 44458

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TALL, dark, & handsome inside & out, white male, willing to devote my time & affection to a financially independent mature woman. I'm middle-aged, divorced degree, active shape, non-smoker. Please be sincere. 44688

TALL, Single, white, good-looking smoker. 7 yr. old son, 6'4", 200 lbs. Down to earth. Like country music, trucks, sports. Seeking good-looking slender lady to take care of. 44892

TRUE Romantic, 43, libertarian. Heading to Montana in 7 years. Wants very attractive, trim, intelligent, good-hearted woman, 25-38, for pleasure, maybe to ride on together. 44882

UNINHIBITED Single black male seeks Uninhibited single white lady for private, pleasurable relationship. 44342

VERY CUTE & Understanding single white male, 38, 5'7", blue eyes, blonde hair, physical fit, seeks down to earth, honest & understanding single white female, 30-35, 44836

VERY HANDSOME professional man, outgoing, creative, sharp & funny, seeks lady (25-32) with intelligence, beauty & style for fun and romance. 44653

WANTED - single white female, attractive, independent, short, fun to share/enjoy friendship with 30 single white male professional who likes travel, quiet evenings. Red Wing Hovey. 44752

WELL-ENDOWED Man seeks well-endowed lady. 44460

WHITE, divorced, father of 1, educated, employed, dry & alcohol free, 32, 5'6", 150 lbs. Loves nature, seeks same for friendship. 44714

WHITE MALE, non-divorced, non-smoker, active independent, intelligent, witty, attractive woman with an honest character. 44847

WHITE MALE, 23, 6'1", 190 lbs., seeking career oriented, music loving white female who is in shape, and likes to party and have fun, for relationship. 44810

WHITE MALE, 37, open minded, generous looking, business owner, looking for attractive lady for fun relationship without commitment. 44769

WHITE MALE, 43, 6', blue eyes, 200 lbs, seeking white lady for friendship & permanent relationship. 44889

WHITE MALE, 45, educated, seeks female who does not look back in anger, nor ahead in fear, but around in awareness. 44438

YOUNG WHITE widower, 45, 5'10", 165lbs, black hair, brown eyes, nice looking, seeking lady for positive growing relationship with friendship as a foundation. 44848

YOUNG 51 divorced Dad, honest, caring professional, 5'6", homeownership, divorced Mom, short, petite, honest, caring, for friendship, companion with family values. 44825

57, 160, divorced, looking for white female who likes social drinking & fun sports. Fishing, bowling, clubbing. Pool & would like to be friend first & maybe marry later. 44877

621 Women Seeking Men

AFFECTIONATE - ADVNETUROUS caring female 29 seeks male 28 to 33 for fun, friendship, dancing & relationship. 44753

A LITTLE Overweight, yet very attractive I'm 27, warm, open minded to new things. If you're a European or foreign man, like to have fun, call so we can meet 1 on 1. 44812

Attractive, educated, dark-skinned female 27, Weight/height proportionate. Honest & sincere. Enjoys music & dining out. Prefers unselfish foreign & white men. 44970

ATTRACTIVE, green-eyed, white, female smoker/social drinker seeks sincere affectionate white male, 35-45 to experience life with. Must love to be loved. 44785

ATTRACTIVE single black female, 32, seeks single white, Asian or Latino male for friendship. If intelligent individual & fun loving describe your respond to. 44767

ATTRACTIVE white female, 21, 5'6", weight proportionate to height, tired of the bar scene, looking for single white male with similar attributes. 44960

BEAUTIFUL, busy, healthy, black, middle-aged christian lady, 54, 160lbs, looking for gentleman who enjoys theater, movies, candle-light dinners, & the beach. 44681

BEAUTIFUL PRINCESS, 26, educated, loving & honest seeking educated professional, honest, communicative, caring male to build a whole new world. Catholic & plus. 44799

BEAUITY, enchantment, spirituality, attracts this divorced white female. Gentleman counterpart wanting friendship, love, marriage. 44909

BLACK CHRISTIAN female, 45, with lots of love and fun to offer. Seeks kind-hearted, sincere, white male, 50ish, non-drinker, single, honest. 44905

BLACK FEMALE, late 30's, looking for that someone who stands out in a crowd with a personality & smile that warms my heart. For 1993 it's you & me! 44559

BLACK single female, 40 seeking 45-50 old financially stable single man. Must be physically fit, kind, fun, intelligent. Wining/dining would be fun! 44821

BLOND PROFESSIONAL, very handsome, affectionate, financially secure, professional (35-45) who is ready for a relationship, starting as friends. 44869

BLUE-EYED Dancer, 5'5", athlete, 53, Colorado, caring, tennis, creative, blonde, M.O.M.A., slim, laughing, skiing, best friend, spontaneous, listening, sunrise, if you would you like to meet me? 44850

CREATIVE - 38 yr. old white female, 5, 5'6", 160, professional, fun loving non-smoker, seeks male 40-49 for fulfilling, lasting relationship. Westland area. 44817

DIVORCED BLACK CHRISTIAN female 30s seeking Christian male for fun & sincere relationship. 44827

I'M 30, single white female, one dependent - you're attractive, intelligent, mature, non-smoker, est. real, romantic, non-smoker - should like movies, sharing, weekend travel. Family values. 44878

621 Women Seeking Men

CONSIDERATE, outgoing 5'2", 40's professional, wants kind, caring, outgoing male who enjoys plays, opera, DSO, dining, sports, computers & appreciates good home cooking. 44771

DYNAMIC Blonde seeks handsome, 48, Rochester Hills professional, affectionate, mustache, who hates oysters, loves back rubs and needs a romantic quiet evening away from everything but me. 44842

FUN LOVING cute divorced white mom. Romantic and a little wild, 35 seeks handsome, single best friend/lover over 30 for long-term adventure. 44726

HOW DO THE Elite Meet? Sweet slim, beautiful blonde seeks her equal in a handsome, fit, affluent gentleman. 47ft, degree educated, world traveled. Golf & plus. 44087

KIND divorced white female, attractive, 5'6", 5'10", slim, enjoys gentleness, humor, outdoors, education, music. loves like seeking man with similarities to share time with. 44960

LIVELY, bubbly gal, circa 1950's, not a size 8, but not an 18. Prefer power tools over flowers. Positive/upbeat. Are you? Looking ahead. Non-smoker. 44641

OUTGOING, WARM, romantic intelligent attractive divorced white female, 43 seeking similar age, qualified in single white male with wonderful values. Friends first. 44722

PERKY, EDUCATED, bright, attractive, slim, classy, warm, sensitive, romantic professional lady with varied interests seeking nonsmoking gentleman counterpart wanting friendship, love, marriage. 44909

Pretty, very successful, entrepreneur, 5'5", very loving, giving, full figured, seeking male, 46-late 60's who can love me for the person I am. 44139

PROFESSIONAL, SOPHISTICATED single Jewish woman seeks personaly secure non-smoking male 45-60 for long term commitment. 44761

SECURE - emotionally and financially 46 yrs, 5'8", professional employed. Mother of one. Looking for best friend. 44875

SEXY FUN, white redhead secretary, 46, great legs, divorced, childless, 5'6", 128 lbs, seeking 6'4", hunk, 40-55. Non smoker, professional, sex/animal lover. 44840

# 'Crying Game' twists, turns through a fascinating story

**TICKETS PLEASE**



**JOHN MONAGHAN**

"The Crying Game" opens at a carnival, appropriate enough since it has more twists and turns than a Tilt-a-Whirl. The latest from Irish writer/director Neil Jordan's ("Mona Lisa," "The Miracle") stylish new thriller opens at a carnival, appropriate since it has more twists and turns than a rollercoaster. It begins with an IRA kidnapping of an English soldier (Forest Whitaker) and then careens off into intrigue and dark comedy.

The acclaimed new picture, which plays for a second weekend at the Detroit Film Theatre, opens with a black English sol-

dier (Forest Whitaker) taken hostage by a group of IRA types who hole up in a rundown country house. Unless one of their people is released, the soldier will die.

Fergus (Stephen Rea) befriends the soldier, Jody, during his assigned watch. As the hours drag by, the men share cigarettes, past experiences and dreams until it becomes painfully obvious that the hitman will have an unusually hard time shooting the doomed soldier when the time comes.

Giving away much more would be unfair to the movie, which has a much-publicized twist. Even if someone does have loose lips and gives it away, there's enough here to hold your attention.

One of these things is Rea's performance as the shaggy

Fergus, who walks through the film in a perpetual daze, battered about by circumstance and other people's desires and deception. Sensitive, tough and thoroughly unpredictable, he's easily taken in by the rough charm of the soldier, well-played by the beefy American actor Whitaker ("Bird").

Miranda Richardson ("Enchanted April") and Adrian Dunbar ("Hear My Song") play fellow IRA freedom fighters. She's the epitome of femme fatale, part chameleon, part black widow, who shows her attraction to each of the film's male characters at one time or another. He's a textbook IRA man — ruthless and unwavering in his duty.

Written by English group Pet

Shop Boys, the spooky title song is performed in one of its incantations by Boy George. On another level, "The Crying Game" means emotional manipulation, something that writer/director Neil Jordan has become a master of after seven films.

In his most popular works, "Mona Lisa" and "The Miracle," he created characters who were almost cliches from the outset. Yet, he has an amazing way of making you emotionally involved even when bizarre coincidence and predictability shake your willing suspension of disbelief.

His movies are often so loose that you might get the idea that Jordan is making them up as he goes along. Look closer and you will find a director who probably

works much closer to Hitchcock's style of meticulously plotting each angle out before the cameras roll.

Unlike Hitchcock, whom Jordan certainly compares to in terms of red herrings tossed about, the director allows his performers considerable freedom. The improvisational tone of the conversations (especially between Fergus and the soldier Jody) work amazingly well here.

The movie's a dazzler visually, both polished and realistically low budget at the same time. The opening shots at the carnival, with the familiar ferris wheel and games of skill, are sedately rendered. He used similar seaside trappings to lend an almost surreal edge to "The Miracle."

The second half of this movie is played amidst the claustrophobic flats, dance clubs and construction sites of contemporary London.

While "The Crying Game" might fall short of its overblown reputation as a masterpiece, it does offer a dose of freshness and ingenuity rarely seen in commercial releases. And from a quick glance at the movies opening in the next couple of months, this is the best new release we're going to have for a long, long time.

If you have a comment, question or suggestion, write to John Monaghan, Street Scene, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150, or call him at 953-2047, mailbox number 1866, on a touch-tone phone.

## SCREEN SCENE

**DETROIT FILM THEATRE**  
Detroit Institute of Arts, 5200 Woodward Ave. Call 833-2323 for information. (\$5)

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**MICHIGAN THEATRE**  
603 E. Liberty, Ann Arbor. Call 668-8397 for information. (\$5; \$4 students and senior citizens)

"Smiles of a Summer Night" (Sweden — 1955), 4:15 p.m. Jan. 18. Ingmar Bergman's lightest film is this witty version of Shakespeare's "A Midsummer Night's Dream" set on a weekend in the late 19th century. Continuing a weekly Bergman series in cooperation with Ann Arbor film classes.

"Swoon" (USA — 1992), Jan. 21-Jan. 24 (call for show times.) Tom Kalin's highly stylized take on the Leopold-Loeb murder case, in which a pair of 18-year-old male lovers kidnapped and murdered a 13-year-old boy in 1920s Chicago. Shot in black-and-white, it focuses on beautifully shot vig-

nettes that paint a loose but riveting picture of the pair.

"Reservoir Dogs" (USA — 1992), Jan. 22-28. First-time director Quentin Tarantino's high-powered crime film, about a group of tough guys whose heist goes haywire. Harvey Keitel supposedly worked for peanuts to be in on this project, which also stars character types Steve Buscemi, Tim Roth and Lawrence Tierney.

**REDFORD THEATRE**  
17360 Lahser, Detroit. Call 537-2560 for information. (\$2.50)

"The Story of Vernon and Irene Castle" (USA — 1939), 8 p.m. Jan. 22-23 (organ overture begins at 7:30 p.m.). Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers portray the real-life Paris ballroom dancers who reach the heights of fame and fortune in the early part of this century. Walter Brennan co-stars, but probably doesn't dance.

**STATE THEATRE**  
2115 Woodward Ave., Detroit. Call 961-5450 for information. (\$1.89)

"Eating Raoul" (USA — 1982), 9 p.m. Jan. 18. Paul Bartel directed this dryly funny cannibal comedy about couple (Bartel with Mary Woronov) who invite swingers to their apartment only to kill and then devour them. The cult hit even spawned a Broadway musical.

— John Monaghan

## In concert from page 7A

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**FIREHOUSE**  
The Ritz, 10½ and Gratiot, Roseville. (rock) 778-8150.

**STRANGE BEDFELLOWS**  
Twenty-36, 2036 Woodward, Detroit. (alternative rock) 961-5471

**ROY BROOKS**  
The Ark, 637½ S. Main St., Ann Arbor. (native African-American music) 761-1451

**THE BUSTER WILLIAMS TRIO**  
With pianist Stephen Scott and drummer Carl Allen at Bird of Paradise, 207 S. Ashley, Ann Arbor. (jazz) 662-8310

**3RD NATURE**  
With Affection at Lill's, 2930 Caniff, Hamtramck. (melodic rock) 875-6555

**SKELTON CREW**  
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POINTS OF VIEW

# Public has misconceptions about education system

**QUESTION:** I heard the massive \$10-million Sandia Laboratories study of public education, funded by the U.S. government, was such political dynamite that Washington buried the results. Is that true?

**ANSWER:** The renowned and prestigious New Mexico Sandia National Laboratories, in 1989, was commissioned to complete a government-funded \$10 million study of public education that was so explosive, Bush and then Clinton totally ignored the results during their campaign.

It started when Rear Admiral James Watkins was sworn in as President Bush's Energy Secretary in 1989. The admiral was directed to order researchers at the Sandia Labs to provide ammo for his charge about the sad decline of public education. It was hoped the study would support their movement for the privatization of education, which Bush advocates.

When the White House saw the Sandia results, it went ballistic, ordering it squelched.

However, the Oklahoma Observer got its hands on a copy Jan. 25, 1992, and I got a copy from a "friend." The final draft of the study carried a phone num-

ber at the bottom, but callers are told: "no more copies" . . . "it's outdated." (A 1991 study outdated? Come on now!)

Under pressure, Watkins did appear at a news conference in Oklahoma City to answer questions. When asked why copies were not available, he replied: "The results are not what he anticipated and did not jibe with the opinions of '50 state governors.'"

The findings basically did not support Bush's strong advocacy for funding private Schools of Choice with public dollars and for the privatization of education using public funds. Look at the Sandia study findings below, a study whose intent was to support the opinions of some politicians and some journalists as to how bad public education is.

■ **Fiction:** Our children, because of frill subjects and non-academic school activities are "dumber" today.

Sandia: Today's students IQ(s) are seven points higher than their parents and 14 IQ points higher than their grandparents on the Wechsler and Stanford Binet Intelligence Tests, according to the Sandia study. The typical cut off point for giftedness is now about seven times greater than the IQs of the present political leadership which is doing all the com-



Doc Doyle

plaining about public schools.

■ **Fiction:** The falling Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) scores are a clear indication of a failing public school system.

Sandia: The SAT scores, since 1975, have increased for Caucasian, black, Asian, American-Indian and Mexican American students as individual groups. Original scores in the mid-60s didn't include diverse populations, and tests were given primarily to middle and upper class Caucasians. Now, however, current scores appear to be lower since the scope of the student population and the type of institution of higher learning they attend have broadened.

Educational Testing Service, the de-

veloper of the SAT test items, has admitted that the SAT today is much more difficult than it was in 1975. Indeed, item difficulty checks are run each year, and if a test quest is found too easy, it is dropped for a tougher test question.

■ **Fiction:** The United States already spends more money on public education than most other countries.

Sandia: Japan, Austria, Denmark, West Germany, Canada, Norway, Sweden and Switzerland (many non-industrialized countries) spend more money on public education than the U.S. Belgium, Italy, Australia and the United Kingdom spend less. We rank ninth among the industrialized nations in per-pupil expenditures, spending 14 percent less than Germany and 30 percent less than Japan per student.

■ **Fiction:** The drop-out rate in the United States is a disgrace.

Sandia: The U.S. drop-out rate is declining and never been lower. When the drop-outs who return to school and graduate late are counted, the graduation rate is 85 percent, which is the best in the world.

■ **Fiction:** Washington's expenditures for teachers each child has increased dramatically over the years.

Sandia: The Sandia study says Wash-

ington, in 1975, promised to bear up to 40 percent of special education costs. In reality it never bore more than 12 percent. And the cost of a full time equivalent special education student is \$17,600 (according to Phi Delta Kappan editor Pauline B. Gough). Government has treated general education the same.

■ **Fiction:** The number of college graduates is declining, especially women.

Sandia: We have the highest rate of earned bachelor degrees in the world, and female enrollment surpassed males in the late '70s.

Many other findings negate that mental set some people have when they read about a bad situation in one school and then generalize to all public schools in the country.

As a former teacher, administrator, college instructor and parent of four children, I have many criticisms of our public school system. But politicians, the media and investigative reporters should study more of the facts and realize America's public education system is not perfect but still one of the best in the world.

James "Doc" Doyle is a Northville resident. To leave a voicemail message for him from a touchtone phone, dial 953-2047 mailbox 1856.

# The more things change, the more they stay the same

**T**he closer it comes to Bill Clinton taking over the presidency, the more I feel uneasy.

It's not that Clinton can't do the job, chances are he can. And it's not that I didn't vote for him. I did.

It's the baby boomer thing. I just find it hard to have confidence in somebody of my own generation. We're the folks who didn't want to go to Vietnam, cut our hair or go to church.

From there we went on to reinvent just about everything. Bars sported ferns and we doused offices with gray and mauve paint. We talked about being liberal, but voted for Reagan because we were making money.

We came up with "diversity," baby carriages that cost \$600 and started talking about letting women and

homosexuals fight our next war.

Hopefully there won't be one. But if there is, I'm 100 percent behind having women in combat and homosexuals in the services. It's the level playing field idea that ultra liberals are always talking about. We need to create one.

Since we've kept women and homosexuals out of combat during previous wars, it's now their turn. If we do that, it levels out the playing field for the heterosexual males who have fought our previous wars.

But baby boomers have reinvented more than the armed services.

Back in the '50s you were embarrassed if your parents sat around in their underwear at night eating popcorn and watching "The Honeymooners." We now call that cocooning.



Jeff Counts

■ **It's the baby boomer thing. I just find it hard to have confidence in somebody of my own generation. We're the folks who didn't want to go to Vietnam, cut our hair or go to church.**

And if your dad could find his pants, put them on and head to the corner bar to watch the Friday Night Fights on a 27 inch TV, he had an evening out. We now call that male bonding.

If your mom managed to get out of her house dress and into a blue suit for an evening of cards with old college friends, she had a night out. It's now called networking.

We baby boomers find everything traditional abhorrent. But we need those activities, so we call them something else to make them new and trendy.

We've even forgotten how to take a walk. We can't do it without buying a special pair of \$100 shoes or reading a magazine that tells us how to put one foot in front of another.

Women buy expensive cookbooks to basically learn what they should have from their mothers, and men watch tool and garden shows for the same reason.

American Indians believe people have a sickness, if they're out of touch with the land or their traditions. If they're right, we've got a plague on our hands.

As Jimmy Buffett said in one of his songs: "We are the people our parents warned us about."

Jeff Counts is the editor of the Plymouth and Canton Observer Newspapers and has been on the cutting edge of the cocooning movement for about 10 years. He can be reached at 459-2700 or faxed at 459-4224.

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BY RALPH R. ECHTINAW  
STAFF WRITER

If anyone is plotting a coup in Wayne County, this week would be a great time to spring it because Democrats are off to Washington D.C. for the inauguration of Bill Clinton.

Not only will Wayne County Executive Edward McNamara and at least 20 executive department officials be on the beltway schmooze circuit come Wednesday, but half the county commissioners, the chief circuit court judge, the county clerk, the un-

dersheriff and the sheriff's head spokeswoman will join the hundreds of thousands of people (plus the members of Fleetwood Mac) to witness the first Democratic inauguration since 1977.

County commissioner Bryan Amann, D-Wayne, who confesses to voting for Gerald Ford the last time a Democratic presidential candidate was successful, will take his wife and two young daughters to the extravaganza just as soon as his Mercury Sable is out of the shop.

"My 7-year-old Lindsay is just

so interested in this stuff," Amann said. "She figures I'm just very close to Clinton."

At first, Lindsay Amann figured her pop was tight enough to rate an overnight stay at the White House, but daddy convinced her that couldn't happen "because Bush is moving out."

Amann's commission district includes Canton Township.

Also piloting an automobile to Washington will be Wayne County Circuit Court Judge Richard Kaufman, accompanied by his wife and two youngsters.

Kaufman, a Plymouth Township resident, said the excitement of this venture is "tempered by the thought that I'll be one of 200,000 people running around to places ... with two semi-behaved children. My 11-year-old wants to know why I can't guarantee that she can meet Bill Clinton."

The judge also remarked that he had to pay \$70 for a new dress

his wife will wear in Washington. "Everybody says I'm lucky it wasn't more," he said. "I'm just a public servant on a fixed income."

The Kaufmans and the Amanns are also staying at the same hotel, the Hyatt of Arlington, Va., for \$160 per night per room. That might sound like an incredible sum to you, but it's chump change by inauguration standards.

Candace Avery, the main spokeswoman for Wayne County Sheriff Robert Ficano, said she's paying more than \$300 a night for three nights in D.C. land.

Perhaps to save money for the hotel bill, Avery will ride the rails to Washington on Amtrak, the federal government's passenger train company. "It's a 12-hour trip," she said. "But I don't mind. I've got two good books."

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MONDAY, JANUARY 18, 1993

TASTE BUDS



CHEF LARRY JANES

Cooking with soul on the newest holiday

Stuck with the midwinter blahs? Maybe it's time you ventured into the kitchen for some creative cooking. Why not do some cooking with soul in honor of one of our lesser known national holidays, Martin Luther King Day on Jan. 18?

Soulful cookbook

I can't think of a better reason to try out some recipes from "Sylvia's Soul Food" by Sylvia Woods and Christopher Styler, (Hearst Books, 1992, New York, \$17). Ample warning: This is no diet food cookbook.

If you've ever been to New York or possibly read Gael Greene in the New York Times, you've probably heard of Sylvia Woods, also known as the "Queen of Soul Food."

Woods has been barbecuing, smothering, baking and frying New York City's legendary soul food for 30 years in her world famous Harlem restaurant.

You have to understand that I'm a big fan of the locally produced Steve's Soul Food restaurant on Grand River in Detroit, but being a Yankee from Wyandotte, I've tried to prepare lip-tingling ribs, sweet potato pie and greens with minimal success.

That is, until I got a copy of "Sylvia's Soul Food" within finger-lickin' reach of my kitchen stove. Before now, I had to rely on a takeout from Steve's.

Comfort food

The simple term "soul food" conjures up stick-to-your-ribs delicacies like fried chicken, corn bread, black-eyed peas and collard greens.

Even though we never called it as such, momma could whip up a batch of fried chicken, giblet gravy and biscuits as light as a cloud faster than you could clean a chitlin.

We called it "comfort food," but little did I know that it was nothing short of good old down home cooking. This down-to-earth cookbook featuring recipes that lack the necessities of a Cuisineart is sure to inspire and give new meaning to your basic corn bread, fried chicken and steamed lima beans.

You don't have to be a fan of "soul food" to enjoy this book; simply reading the recipes for secret ingredients like cane syrup instead of pancake syrup will certainly add new dimensions to what you and I love to eat — just good old basic food, simply prepared and served with love.

Preparation tips

And if the so-called secret ingredients won't tempt you, you'll certainly enjoy the preparation tips like rubbing down your ribs and roasts with salt, pepper and crushed red pepper and then allowing them to sit overnight in the refrigerator to develop a flavor all their own.

There's even a recipe for barbecue sauce that uses a 16-ounce bottle of Red Devil Hot Sauce (I tried the recipe and my lips tingled for a week!) that recommends never boiling or the sauce will turn dark and thin out.

If you're thinking of expanding your kitchen repertoire to include some great soul food the book is a must-have, but there are local soul food aficionados that do a pretty remarkable job.

Sweet potato

In addition to Steve's restaurant in Detroit, you can check out a company called Sweet Potato Sensations in Detroit, 532-7996.

I met the owner at a recent cooking demonstration in Rosedale Park. She sells her family secret sweet potato pie, cookies and sweet potato cheese-cake at the Western Market, the Char-Broiler and the Majestic Market in Southfield, and Savon Super Foods in Detroit.

Cassandra Taylor, who dubs herself the Detroit area's sweet-potato sensation, wouldn't share her secret recipe, but rumor has it that it's relatively close to the one in Sylvia Woods' cookbook.

Good soul food restaurants are virtually non-existent in the suburbs, and if you haven't yet tried Steve's in Detroit, you might also want to check out the New Detroiter on Jefferson between downtown and Belle Isle.

Good ribs are available at the Bone Yard locally, but if you're looking for something to really tickle your lips and reek of soul, it's worth the drive to Steve's or the New Detroiter.

Kitchen folk who are looking for soul-food-like alternatives for Martin Luther King Day can easily whip up a batch of corn bread, macaroni and cheese, and steamed greens. All of which are great accompaniments to traditional soul food dishes.

See recipes inside. To leave a message for Chef Larry Janes, dial 953-2047 on a touch-tone phone, mail box number 1886.



RISE & SHINE

CELEBRATE THE YEAR OF THE ROOSTER

Join the party; celebrate Chinese New Year. Cook Chinese food at home, or eat out at area restaurants which are planning special dinners.

BY KEELY WYGONIK  
STAFF WRITER



Most of us are taking down holiday decorations, but area Chinese-Americans are unpacking theirs to celebrate the new year. Join the party; celebrate the Year of the Rooster at area restaurants which are planning special dinners and events Jan. 22 to Jan. 30.

Unlike our New Year's Eve which is always Dec. 31, the Chinese New Year, based on the lunar calendar, is celebrated on the first day of the first moon, which is different every year.

"According to the Chinese zodiac, the current lunar year is the Year of the Rooster," said Yin-Fen Pao of Farmington Hills. "Before the Western calendar was transmitted into China, the lunar calendar predominated Chinese people's life. For Chinese farmers, the lunar calendar was used as a guide for sowing and harvesting."

Each of the 12 years of the Chinese Zodiac falls under a different animal sign.

"Each animal in the Chinese zodiac has its own character and personality. A certain year of birth picks up the certain animal in the zodiac, and thus assumes the distinctive traits of that particular animal," said Pao.

People born under the sign of the Rooster — 1945, 1957, 1969, 1981 and 1993 — seek wisdom and truth. They have a pioneering spirit.

"The person born in the Year of



SHARON LEMIEUX/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

New Year fare: Jack Dai and Linda Parker of Hunan Palace show crispy whole fish, a traditional Chinese New Year dish. Other dishes on the table include sesame beef (left to right), crispy shrimp, sesame shrimp and General Tsou's chicken.

the Rooster should be a person of steadiness," said Pao. "The rooster is regarded as a symbol of luck and auspice."

Marco Chin of Mon Jin Lau Restaurant in Troy said that people born during the Year of the Rooster are hard workers, shrewd, and definite in decision making, often speaking their mind.

If you guessed this is a good year to set new routines, and resolve to be on time, you're right.

"In China, the new year celebration is just like Christmas is here," said Shen Yu of New Peking Restaurant in Garden City. "People are off work for two weeks. Family and friends get together and visit. The children receive money in red enve-

lopes. Red means good luck."

Before the feasting and celebrating, there is much work to be done. "We pay our bills, and take care of problems so everyone can relax, and get off to a good start in a brand new year," said Linda Parker of Hunan Palace in Farmington Hills.

All sweeping and cleaning must be done before the holiday. "To sweep after the new year begins is to risk sweeping away good fortune," said Chin.

"My mother and grandmother would cook for three days to get ready," said Parker. "The family gathered for dinner around a round table. There would always be special foods like whole fish that you don't cook everyday. You must have whole fish at a traditional Chinese New Year dinner. It means good wishes for the new year, and good things to last forever."

The crispy whole fish prepared for Chinese New Year dinners by Chef Jack Dai at Hunan Palace is a feast for the eyes and palate, and a lot of work to make.

Dai, who has more than 20 years of experience, debones a whole grouper, reassembles it to look like a whole fish, and cooks it. Served with a sauce, the fish is crunchy on the outside and moist inside. You don't have to worry about biting into a bone because there aren't any.

If you want to learn more about Chinese New Year celebrations, here are two options to consider.

The Chinese American Educational and Cultural Center of Michigan is hosting a Chinese New Year Festival, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 23 at Oceania Inn Restaurant, 68 N. Adams, Rochester Hills.

There will be more than 50 types of Chinese cuisine, workshops and cooking demonstrations, food sculp-

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Check label to see who imported wine

FOCUS ON WINE



ELEANOR & RAY HEALD

This may be the most important bottle information attached to the label or the neckband.

Over the years, we've come to respect the knowledge of Robert Haas and his son Dan at Vineyard Brands in Chester, Vt. Bob Haas made his first trip to France to select wine in 1954.

"When I visit in spring, the smell of the smoke coming from the burning vine prunings in the vineyards of Burgundy remind me of how some things have not changed," he said.

"Many things have changed, however," said Dan Haas, who now selects the Burgundies imported by Vineyard Brands. "The economics of grape-farming in Burgundy have improved dramatically in the last decade, and the purchase price of a grand cru vineyard has escalated to a million dollars for a 2.50-acre parcel. There was something slightly off about each of the better vintages in the decade of the 1980s, but 1990 may be described as a perfect vintage. Buy 1990 or don't buy red Burgundy."

With the high cost of land in Burgundy, many producers are overcropping and we believe there's a

How much attention do you offer a wine label when you buy wine in a shop or restaurant? Do you care who imported the wine or who selected it for import? You should.

WINE SELECTIONS OF THE WEEK

Available in this area about Feb. 1 are the latest introductions from Vineyard Brands. Marquis de Chasse (red and white) are the new wines from the Bordeaux proprietors Chateau Chasse-Spleen. The red is a blend of 65% cabernet sauvignon, 30% merlot and 5% other varietals. The white is 60% semillon and 40% sauvignon blanc. Both tasty pours retail around \$7 to \$8.



VINEYARD BRANDS

Wine importer: Robert Haas of Vineyard Brands inspects wine in the cellar at Domaine Trapet in the heart of Burgundy, France.

lot of high-priced junk on the market masquerading as top-quality 1990 Burgundy. Recently, we tasted 11 estate-bottled red Burgundies imported by Vineyard Brands. All the wines were superior to exceptional and worth your consideration.

Look for the following Domains: Mongeard-Mugneret, Trapet Pere et Fils, Rossignol-Trapet, Henri Gouges, Joseph Matrot, Jean-Marc Boillot, Pierre Bitouzet and Ennee Sauzet. Expect the starting price of the best estate-bottled Burgundies to be around \$25. They quickly escalate to between \$50 and \$100.

How can you tell the Burgundy is estate-bottled, and not a negociant wine? In addition to the French phrase "mis en bouteille au (or par) domaine," the words proprietaire or proprietaire-recoltant must be on the label. The translation is, "bottled at (or by) the property" with the additional words roughly meaning "by the owner" or "by the winegrower."

"In a great vintage such as 1990, the terroir (a French word denoting the sum total of site, soil and microclimatic influence) is showcased and more pronounced differences are evident among the specific sites," said Haas. "The wines have deep color and supple fruit; they are drinking well now, but will also age well for 10 to 20 years."

Cloverleaf Market in Southfield sells more estate-bottled Burgundies than any other retailer in the nation. Jim Lutfy of the Cloverleaf agrees with Haas' assessments.

"Negociant Burgundies carry the stamp of the producer," he said. "Among negociant bottlings, there's very little taste difference between a Pom-

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# Chinese New Year dishes something to crow about

See related story on Taste front.

## PAN-FRIED CHICKEN WITH LEMON SAUCE

**Sauce**  
 ¼ cup chicken stock  
 6 tablespoons fresh lemon juice  
 3 tablespoons sugar  
 2 teaspoons grated lemon zest  
 2 teaspoons plum sauce  
**Chicken**  
 ¾ cup all-purpose flour

2 eggs, beaten  
 ½ cup white sesame seeds  
 2 teaspoons salt  
 1 teaspoon ground white pepper  
 4 skinless, boneless chicken breast halves  
 6 tablespoons peanut oil  
 1 tablespoon minced fresh ginger  
 1 teaspoon minced garlic  
 1 tablespoon cornstarch mixed with 1½ tablespoons water  
 Sliced scallion greens for garnish (optional)

Combine the sauce ingredients in a bowl and reserve.  
 To prepare the breading, place ¼ cup of the flour in a large shallow bowl or plate. In another bowl, beat the eggs, and in a third, combine the remaining ¼ cup of flour with sesame seeds and salt and pepper. Arrange these next to each other on a counter.  
 Wash the chicken breasts and trim any excess fat. Pound with a mallet or rolling pin to ¼-inch

thickness. Then dip, one at a time, first in the flour. Pat off any excess and dip in the egg. Lift the meat, allowing excess egg to drain back into bowl, and then dip and coat with the flour and sesame seed batter. Reserve on a platter.  
 Heat 4 tablespoons of peanut oil in a 10-inch skillet over medium-high heat. Fry the chicken breasts, two at a time, until golden, 3 to 4 minutes per side. (Reduce the heat to medium if the chicken is browning too quickly.) Reserve on a platter.

breast into ¼-inch strips along the width and place on dinner plates. Spoon on the sauce and garnish with scallions, if desired. Serves 4.  
 From "Chinese Cooking For Beginners," by Helene Siegel, (Harper-Collins Publishers, \$12.50)

Place ginger in a small bowl and add brandy. Mix together and put mixture through a fine sieve. Press grated ginger against the wall of the sieve to extract as much juice as possible.  
 Add sugar to mixture. Mix well. (Sugar helps keep broccoli bright green.)

## STIR-FRIED BROCCOLI WITH GINGER AND BRANDY

1 bunch regular broccoli (about 1¼ pounds, yielding 4 cups)  
 2 teaspoons grated gingerroot  
 2 tablespoons brandy  
 1 tablespoon granulated sugar  
 3 tablespoons oil  
 ¼ teaspoon salt  
 3 tablespoons water  
 Separate broccoli stems from flowerets. Peel skin from stems. Cut flowerets into even sections, then cut stems diagonally into slices ¼-inch thick. Rinse and drain thoroughly.

Set a wok over high heat. When very hot, add the oil. When the oil is hot, sprinkle in salt. Immediately add broccoli stirring and turning until each piece is well coated with oil, about 1 minute.  
 Sizzle in brandy mixture along edge of the wok, stirring until evaporated. Sprinkle water onto broccoli, then cover wok. Turn off heat and wait 1 minute. Remove broccoli, and serve.  
 Recipe from "Everything You Wanted to Know about Chinese Cooking," by Pearl Kong Chen, Tien Chi Chen, and Rose Tseng. (Barron's Educational Series, Inc. \$21.95)

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ture, Lion Dance, and cookbook sale. For ticket information, call 663-0099, 375-9200, or 756-4664.  
 Another good source is "Everything You Want to Know About Chinese Cooking," by Pearl Kong

Chen, Tien Chi Chen, and Rose Tseng, (Barron's Educational Services, Inc. \$21.95).  
 Available at Kitchen Glamour stores, this book contains a wealth of information about Chinese cooking and holidays.

"Gung Hay Fat Choy!" Happy New Year; welcome to the Year of the Rooster.  
 See recipes and listing of area New Year dinners above.

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and a Nuits St.-Georges. This is because the negotiant treats all the wines similarly in the cellar, regardless of their origin.  
 "Estate producers take pride in individuality. These wines have soul... Negotiants manipulate wines. I buy as many estate-bottled Burgundies as I can and I still don't get enough. If consumers don't buy the outstanding 1990 red estate-bottled Burgundies now, within two months they'll be shut out."  
 The 1990 wines have been compared to the exceptional 1947 vintage, except the 1990s should prove to be more cellar-worthy,

considering improved winemaking technology employed in Burgundy today.  
 In addition to Burgundies, other Vineyard Brand wines to consider are the Rhone wines of the Perrin family. Chateau de Beaucastel is always a superior Chateaufeuf-du-Pape. At half the price is Coudoulet de Beaucastel. This vineyard borders the Perrin's Beaucastel, but is just outside the appellation. It is labeled a Cotes du Rhone, but is made from the same grape varieties as its Chateaufeuf-du-Pape relative and receives identical cellar treatment.  
 The best bargains and the number-one selling Rhone wines

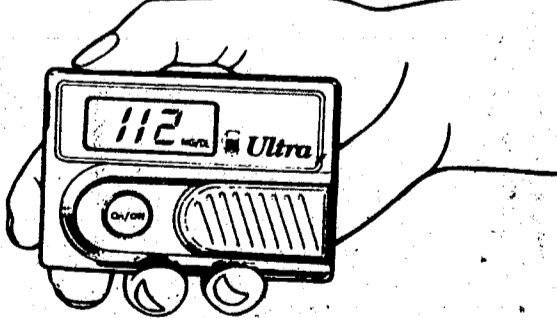
in the U.S. are bottled under the La Vieille Ferme brand also produced by the Perrins.  
 From Chile, Vineyard Brands imports Vina Santa Rita. Chardonnay, sauvignon blanc, cabernet sauvignon and merlot are available. In 1992, sales of these wines in the U.S. were at 160,000 cases. Vineyard Brands also imports the number-one selling Rioja wines from Marques de Caceres. A red, white and rose are available as well as a red Rioja Reserva and Gran Reserva.  
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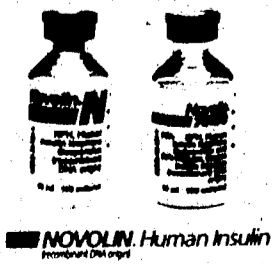
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# 'Queen of soul food' shares famous sparerib recipe

See Larry Janes' column on Taste front.

## SYLVIA'S WORLD FAMOUS TALKED-ABOUT SPARERIBS

- 2 slabs pork ribs (about 3½ pounds total)
- 1½ teaspoons salt
- 1½ teaspoon fresh ground black pepper
- ½ teaspoon crushed red pepper flakes

2 to 3 cups white wine vinegar  
Barbecue sauce (see recipe)

To make the ribs easier to handle, cut each slab between the middle bones into 2 equal pieces. Rub the salt, black pepper and red pepper into both sides of the ribs. Place ribs in a deep baking dish, cover them, and refrigerate overnight.

Preheat the oven to 450 degrees F. Pour the vinegar over the ribs and bake 1½ hours. Rotate the ribs

two or three times during baking and spoon some of the pan juices over them.

Remove the ribs from the baking dish and place in a single layer on baking sheets. (Line the baking sheets with aluminum foil for easy cleanup). Bake at 450 degrees for 1 hour. The ribs should be tender and well-browned. This can be done up to a day in advance. Cool the ribs, cover tightly, and refrigerate. Bring to room temperature for about 1

hour before continuing.

To finish the ribs, preheat the oven to 400 degrees F. Cut the slabs between the bones into individual ribs. Place the ribs in a baking dish large enough to hold them comfortably. Spoon enough of the barbecue sauce over them to coat lightly. Cover the pan with aluminum foil and bake until heated through, about 20 minutes. Serve with additional barbecue sauce on the side. Makes 8 servings.

## BARBECUE SAUCE

- 16 ounces Red Devil Hot Sauce
- 2½ teaspoons crushed red pepper flakes
- 1 small onion, sliced
- 1 small stalk celery, sliced
- 3 cups tomato puree
- 1½ cups water
- 1½ cups sugar
- 1 lemon sliced

Combine all the ingredients in a

heavy pot and heat just until hot. Don't bring to a boil or the sauce will turn dark, and become thin. Cool the sauce to room temperature, strain it, and store it in a tightly covered jar in the refrigerator.

Makes about 5 cups. It keeps for at least a month.  
Recipes from "Sylvia's Soul Food," by Sylvia Woods and Christopher Styler, (Hearst Books, New York, \$17)

## COOKING CALENDAR

To get your classes listed in this column, send items to be considered for publication to: Keely Wygonik, Taste Editor, The Observer & Eccentric, 36251 Schoolcraft Road, Livonia 48150.

### MORELS

Tim Cikra, executive chef of Morels: A Michigan Bistro, will be teaching a cooking class at Les Saisons in Royal Oak, 10 a.m. to noon, Saturday, Jan. 16. Cikra will be demonstrating three recipes from Morel's menu — Wild Mushroom Strudel with Walnut Sauce, Morel bisque, and Rogout of Wild Mushrooms on Potato

Crouton with Boursin Cheese. Les Saisons is at 304 West Fourth Street. The fee for the class is \$25. Call 545-3400.

### WEIGHT WATCHERS

Weight Watchers will present "Positively Pasta," a free cooking demonstration conducted by Weight Watchers Food Advisors Sheila Goodell and Linda Reiha. The demonstrations will take place 6:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 21 at Canton Weight Watcher's Center, 42043 Ford Road at Lilley Road, and 7 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 27 at Livonia Weight Watch-

ers Center, Wonderland Shopping Center, Plymouth and Middlebelt. Everyone is welcome with free recipe sheets for all. Call 1-800-487-4777 for information.

### KITCHEN GLAMOR

Michigan Chef series featuring Peter Peterson, Tapawingos; Marcus Haight, the Lark; Peter Loren, Opus 1; Rick Halberg, R.I.K.'s Restaurant; Ed Janos, Certified Master Chef, Brian Polcyn, Pike Street; Kathy Ruis, Rowe Inn; and Milos Cihelka, Golden Mushroom begins 12:30 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 31. Cost \$300 for the series of 8 classes or \$40 a

single class. This week's demonstration type class will feature Michelle Miller-Fuller, KitchenAid representative who will teach you step-by-step how to operate your new KitchenAid mixer. Class offered 7 p.m. Monday, Jan. 19 at Novi store, 7 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 20, Redford store, 7 p.m. Jan. 21, West Bloomfield store, and 7 p.m. Friday, Jan. 22 Rochester stre. Next week, low calorie recipes for success with Kay Huberty, a registered dietitian. For information about the chef's series or demonstration classes, call 537-1300.

## Local restaurants celebrate new year

Celebrate the new year, Chinese style at area restaurants which are planning special dinners.

Hunan Palace, 38259 W. 10 Mile, Farmington Hills, 473-3939, is celebrating the new year with a 10-course dinner, 6:30 p.m. Monday, Jan. 25, Tuesday, Jan. 26, and Wednesday, Jan. 27. The cost is \$35 per person.

Oceania Inn, 68 North Adams, Meadow Brook Village Mall, Rochester, 375-9200, and Oceania Inn, 24845 Ryan Road, Warren, 756-4664, are celebrating the Year of the Rooster with a 12-course dinner, and Lion Dance. The dinner will begin with the Lion Dance, 6:45 p.m. at Rochester restaurant, 7:45 p.m. at Warren restaurant Friday, Jan. 22, Saturday, Jan. 23, Sunday, Jan. 24, Thursday, Jan. 28, Friday, Jan. 29, and Satur-

day, Jan. 30. Cost is \$10.95 per person (minimum four people), reservation required.

On Sunday, Jan. 24, Mon Jin Lau, 1515 E. Maple Road, Troy, 689-2332, will ring in the new year with the tradition Lion Dance, plenty of fire crackers, and delicacies of the Orient. The cost of dinner with entertainment is \$52 per person, not including tax or gratuity. All reservations must be confirmed by check or credit card. The last day to cancel without charge is Jan. 21. Call 689-2332 for reservations and information.

New Peking Chinese Restaurant, 29105 Ford Road, Garden City, 425-2230, will ring in the Year of the Rooster 6:30 p.m. Monday, Jan. 25, with a special 12-course dinner, and the Lion Dance. The cost is \$26 per person.

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The scientists say the mechanism behind the weight loss is not clear, but suggest it is partially due to a decrease in the intestinal absorption of calories. Scientists in another study published in *The British Journal of Nutrition*, found that patients consuming the same colloid lost weight in spite of being instructed not to alter normal eating patterns. Despite this evidence, other scientists may not agree on the weight loss benefits of colloids. Someday, pending further study, there could be an universal agreement that colloids are helpful in confronting the problem of obesity.

National Dietary Research, whose research topics have been the subject of articles published in recent medical and nutritional journals, has successfully incorporated a series of colloids into a chewable food tablet called FS-1. When used as directed, FS-1 replaces high calorie fats with lower calorie nutrients, thus providing optimum nutrition with a minimum number of fat calories. According to an article published in *The American Journal of Clinical Nutrition*, consciously limiting the amount of food one consumes is not necessary to lose weight, provided you limit the fat.

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# Tasty sandwich packed with fiber

Are you dreading waking up to another bowl of oat bran cereal? Are you tired of eating the same bran-muffin each day to ensure you get enough fiber in your diet? There's an alternative. According to the Canned Food Information Council, some of the highest fiber foods available are packaged in cans.

Yet, most people are confused about how much fiber to consume, the different kinds of fiber and the best way to regulate their fiber intake. Fiber is divided into two categories: soluble and insoluble, both of which you need in order to maintain a healthy diet.

Insoluble fiber, or roughage, is found in canned vegetables, such as green beans, potatoes and corn, and serves to speed the passage of food through the digestive system. Soluble fiber, found in canned beans, lentils, peas, mandarin oranges and apples, among others, also helps move food through the digestive system and may play a role in lowering blood cholesterol levels.

While Americans currently consume an average of 11 grams of dietary fiber daily, the National Cancer Institute recommends an increase to 25-35 grams a day.

An easy way to increase the amount of fiber you eat, while adding variety to your diet, is to include many green vegetables. But it's tough to beat beans when it comes to fiber. Beans are among the few foods that contain significant amounts of both soluble and insoluble dietary fiber.

Low in fat and price, beans are the ideal choice for people seeking additional fiber. Canned limas, navy, kidney and garbanzo beans are good sources of iron and B vitamins, and like all vegetables and fruits, contain no cholesterol.

Many new varieties of beans, such as black beans with cumin and spices, picante beans with tomatoes, peppers and spices, and pintos in chiles are now available on grocery shelves. Canned beans are the convenient alternative. The canning process takes care of

the soaking and cooking, so the beans are ready to serve with little effort.

More than 40 different kinds of beans are available in cans, as well as dozens of other fruits and vegetables. Here's a recipe to try.

### FALAFEL

- Vegetable cooking spray
- ¼ cup sliced green onions and tops
- ½ cup sliced celery
- 2 cloves garlic, minced
- 1 can (15 ounces) garbanzo beans, drained
- 1 can (15 ounces) pinto beans, drained, rinsed
- 1 egg
- 2 teaspoons lemon juice
- 2 tablespoons flour
- ½ teaspoon ground cumin
- ½ teaspoon salt
- ¼ teaspoon black pepper
- 2 cans (15 ounces each) whole tomatoes, drained, coarsely chopped
- ½ cup chopped cucumber
- 2 teaspoons sliced black olives
- 1 cup no-fat plain yogurt
- ½ teaspoon dried mint leaves
- 4 pita breads, cut into halves

Spray small skillet with cooking spray and heat until hot; saute onions, celery and garlic until tender. Process beans in blender or food processor until smooth. Mix pureed beans, egg, lemon juice, flour, cumin, salt and pepper; mix in sauteed vegetables. Form mixture into 8 patties. Spray large skillet with cooking spray and heat until hot; cook patties over medium-low heat until lightly browned, about 5 minutes on each side.

Mix tomatoes, cucumber and olives; mix yogurt and mint. Serve falafel in or with pita bread; serve with tomato and yogurt mixtures. Makes 8 servings.

Per Serving: Calories: 216, Protein: 10.4 grams, Fat: 2.6 grams, Carbohydrates: 38.3 grams, Sodium: 680.3 milligrams, Cholesterol: 27.1 milligrams, Dietary Fiber: 4.7 grams. Source: The Canned Food Information Council.

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LINDA BACHRACK

### Nips of nature cure winter's discontent

The winter landscape offers a peaceful stillness. There's a certain magic in the beauty of a snowfall and the glimmer of ice crystals on tree branches. Though there are pleasures to be enjoyed outside in the cold, crisp air, the warmth of the indoors invites contemplation and perhaps a twinge of longing for springtime.



To cheer a gray day, bring a little nature inside with a lifelike bird that sings a lilt-ing song. Touch and motion activated, this bluebird (\$10) can be placed on a window sill or tied to a plant branch where he will delight with his chirping. Your cat will be fascinated! "I picked it up and just smiled," said Erica Densel of Birmingham. Her friend, Stephanie Ignash, agreed. "You can have the sounds of spring in your house every day."

The Breezy Singers, which include a hummingbird and a goldfinch, are available at Natural Wonders in Twelve Oaks Mall, Novi. If you prefer the actual presence of your feathered friends, consider the MagicWindow bird feeder that succions to your window pane. You can see them, but they can't see you.

Another interesting way to bring the outdoors in is with the award-winning video, Earth Dance (\$19.95). Stunning footage of the sea, the sky and the forests fills the screen as contemporary music provides the dramatic background.

### Botanical prints

A reader called to share her discovery of a new gallery in Birmingham called Barclay's, 280 Merrill. She raved about the helpful staff and the "gorgeous botanical prints" that her husband bought her for Christmas. I was equally intrigued with this purveyor of antique art.

The Paxton botanicals of which the caller spoke are wonderful early 19th century English prints, hand-painted to depict various exotic species (\$170-\$220).

While you're browsing, don't miss the Audubon "Birds of America" prints and the delicate butterfly studies (\$125).



Let thoughts of spring burgeon at the DIA Museum Shop in the Somerset Collection. Among its wealth of treasures is this charming tale of a little girl's visit to

Claude Monet's gardens at Giverny. Sink into a chair with your little one and delight in "Linnea in Monet's Garden." The book includes photographs of the famous Impressionist's paintings and Monet family snapshots (\$11.95). Your child's first art book is made even more enchanting with the addition of the Linnea rag doll (\$13.95), charmingly dressed in her gardening outfit.

For your winter's discontent — a cheerful burst of color. The Blossom Well is a carved marble bud vase with a silver enameled steel stem support (\$25). A single bloom in an elegant vase brings just a touch of spring to your bedside table. "This is the perfect gift, especially for a winter birthday," said Abbie Dawson. "The design is so unusual, and who can resist fresh flowers in January?"

### Van Gogh's 'Sunflowers'

The window of the DIA shop features mosaics adapted from Vincent Van Gogh's "Sunflowers." These colorful designs include a box (\$245), a round mirror (\$895) and a classic urn (\$595).

Not to be missed and furthering our spring theme are Tiffany lamp replicas. My favorites are the Peony floor lamp (\$1,648) and the Wisteria table lamp (\$698).

Another wonderful art book that pairs photographs and recipes in a celebration of the seasons is our own Cranbrook Reflections (\$19.95). This culinary collection created by Cranbrook House and Gardens Auxiliary features beautiful scenes of Cranbrook's environs.

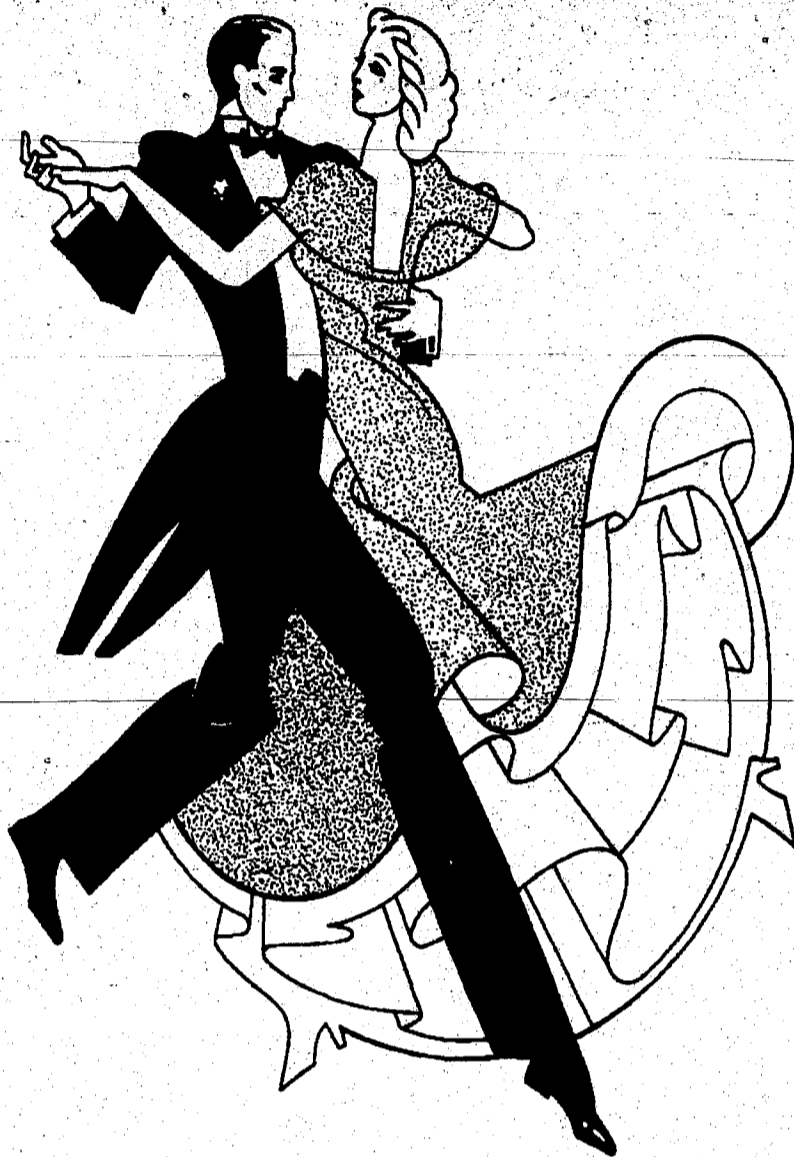
Jacobson's Home stores presents Garden Pleasures from now until March. Paint a winter garden with ideas that bring life into your home. See hand-painted botanicals and fruits and vegetables on pillows and table linens. Dodge the winter doldrums with light, airy garden furniture.

Next week — the ritual of tea.

Linda Bachrack is a Birmingham resident. You can give her column ideas by calling 953-2047, Ext. 1889 from your touchtone phone.

## Fabulous Forties

### Mall uses promotions to beat the band



It's hard to come up with sales gimmicks year-in, year-out. But Livonia Mall marketing director Bill Checks manages to do so. His themes have included the Wild West; the Red, White and Blue; and next week, The Fabulous '40s.

BY SUSAN DEMAGGIO  
STAFF WRITER

"When you're working promotions year after year, you keep your eyes open for trends, crazes, fads," said Bill Checks, marketing director at the Livonia Mall.

"I've noticed young people discovering big band music, movie buffs celebrating the 50th anniversary of Casablanca and the popularity of the old shows on cable TV. I knew I had a theme here for my winter sidewalk sales."

The Fabulous '40s will return to the Livonia Mall Jan. 28-31 via a special series of events and programs. Highlights include The Over 40 Dance in the Club Community Room, and a free concert by the Jimmy Dorsey Band under the direction of Jim Miller.

"We have 300 \$6 tickets to sell to the dance, which will be Thursday, Jan. 28, from 7-9 p.m.," Checks said. "The Community Room will be decorated to resemble a '40s nightclub complete with tables and palms. Entertainment will be provided by one-man band Rennie Kaufmann performing music from the '40s like 'Tangerine' and 'All of Me.'"

"If the city grants me a one-day liquor license I plan to serve wine, cheese and fruit. If not, we'll have non-alcoholic champagne. There'll be plenty of room to dance besides," he said.

On Friday, Jan. 29, beginning at 5:30 p.m. the mall will be filled with

music made popular by the Dorsey Band, credited with putting the jukebox industry in business. "This concert will be free and again we'll have room for dancing," Checks said.

There will be 40 prizes awarded throughout the '40s event, including a CD player and '40s CD collection, and tickets to Stars of the Lawrence Welk Show debuting Feb. 5 at the Palace in Auburn Hills.

"I expect this event to draw as many as 10,000 people to the mall in four days," Checks said. "Hopefully, they'll do some shopping at our winter sidewalk sales while they're here." Both Record Town and Musicland in the Livonia Mall admit that sales of '40s music is on the rise.

"Give Harry Connick Jr. all the credit for turning on consumers in their 20s and 30s to music from the 1940s," said one employee. "Additionally, we sell a lot of Glenn Miller, Frank Sinatra and Harry James recordings to the senior citizens who shop in the early part of the day. CKLW plays a lot of '40s music and listeners stop in looking for these hard to find recordings."

"Also, popular vocalists like Sinead O'Connor, Michael Bolton and Robert Palmer are doing '40s classics. Believe it or not, Tony Bennett is the best-selling vocalist these days."

What's Livonia Mall's theme for the Summer Sales? Checks would only say, "Stay tuned."

## Retailers hear wedding bells

BY SUSAN DEMAGGIO  
STAFF WRITER

When Alvin's women's ready-to-wear stores closed around town two months ago, two stores survived demise.

Alvin's of Rochester remains on Main Street in downtown Rochester. And on Pierce Street in downtown Birmingham, Alvin's Bride, is doing a brisk business.

"When customers see we're here to stay and view the huge selection of gowns we stock, we get their business," said Alvin Steinman, owner. "They want to make sure we're not associated with the Boulevard Group, though."

With the Boulevard Group of Bridal Salons in court on fraud charges, brides-to-be can no longer shop at

Today's Bride, Sue Gordon, Boulevard Bridal in Birmingham, or Kitty Kelly's in Troy and Dearborn. Since their closing last summer, brides have had to order their gowns elsewhere.

Steinman said his Birmingham store, which formerly sold women's apparel, did a fair amount of business in bridal gowns from a corner on the lower level since 1985. He made the decision to convert the store to a bridal salon two months ago and the phones are ringing.

### At 'Jakes,' Hudsons

Jacobson's and Hudson's spokeswomen also report a burst in bridal gown business since last summer.

"Our salespeople were on the phone with gown manufacturers and United

Parcel Service throughout the crisis trying to help distraught brides get their gowns in time for their weddings," said Linda Morrisroe of Hudson's.

"There's no doubt that we have picked up a lot of new customers through word-of-mouth praise for our service."

Hudson's Bridal Salon is at the Northland store in Southfield.

The Birmingham Jacobson's store, as well as the larger bridal salon in the Dearborn store, have been very busy helping brides with gowns, said Janice Hayes.

"During the months surrounding the closing of several popular bridal salons, our staff used all our resources to help brides get their gowns," she said.



JOHN STORMZAND/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Fit to be bride: Melissa Hechlik of Rochester Hills tries on a dress, as bridal consultant Toni Ansley adjusts the veil at Alvin's Bride.

MONDAY, JAN. 18

### ITALIAN FESTIVAL

Week-long activities include dinners, cultural presentations, entertainment. Call for schedule of events. Ritz-Carlton Dearborn, Hubbard/Southfield Service Dr. 441-2100.

### NEW WALKERS CLUB

Wonderland Mall and St. Mary Hospital introduce "Wonder Walker" program 8 a.m. daily. Attendees win incentives for miles walked; keychains, fanny packs, lapel pins, theater tickets. Free blood pressure screening by staff from St. Mary every second Monday. Health professionals lecture second Wednesdays 9 a.m. Food court. Sign-up forms at information booth. Wonderland Mall, Plymouth/Middlebelt. 522-4100.

### BRIDAL FAIR

Tickets on sale now through fair date, Saturday, Jan. 23, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Hudson's Northland and Southfield Pavilion. Fashion shows, brunch, communications seminar, bridal registry consultations, entertainment, gifts. Tickets \$12.50 per person, redeemable toward bridal purchases. Reservations required. Northland Center, Eight Mile/Greenfield 443-6332.

THURSDAY, JAN. 21

### WARHOL EXHIBIT

"Endangered Species" portfolio includes 10 silk-screen prints produced by Andy Warhol in 1983. Co-sponsored by Detroit Zoological Society. Through Wednesday, Feb. 10. Rotunda. Exhibit premiere in Detroit area. Zoo memberships available at show from \$25. Somerset Collection, Big Beaver/Coolidge. 643-6360.

### PREFERRED SHOPPERS

Sidewalk sales customers can register for preferred shopper status through Jan. 24. Card carriers get discounts and special offers at 20 stores throughout

## ADDED ATTRACTIONS

1993. To qualify, shoppers must show receipts totaling \$100 at booth near fountain. Tel-Twelve Mall, Telegraph/12 Mile. 353-4111.

### GOWNS PREVIEW

Marissa bridal fashions day-long trunk show. Jacobson's, Birmingham, Maple/Bates. 644-6900.

### CAR & TRUCK SHOW

Ten Oakland County automotive dealers feature displays through Jan. 31. Sponsored by Automotive Trade Association. Aisleway markets will sell related merchandise. Summit Place Mall, Elizabeth Lake/Telegraph. 682-0123.

FRIDAY, JAN. 22

### FASHION SHOW

Models will feature clothing from The Limited and Casual Corner. Noon-2 p.m. At Dennison's and Marriott's Garden Court Restaurants. Laurel Park Place, Six Mile/Newburgh. 462-1100.

### SPORTS COLLECTIBLES

Cards, coins, comics, sports stars. Through Sunday, Jan. 24. Former U-M baseball star and pro player Rick Leach will meet fans and sign autographs Saturday 1-3 p.m. on stage near Crowley's. Tiger first baseman Dave Bergman will do the same Sunday 2:30-4:30 p.m. Over 125 tables of dealers from five states and Canada. Livonia Mall, Seven Mile/Middlebelt. 476-1166.

### CLEARANCES

Mallwide sales through Jan. 24. Chance to win a

cruise for two to Bahamas, Oakland Mall, 14 Mile/John R. 585-6000

SATURDAY, JAN. 23

### MUSEUM TEA

Victorian tea coincides with exhibit of 35 dolls dressed in first lady inaugural gowns. 2 p.m. Plymouth Historical Museum. Tickets \$12. Seating limited to 100. Reservations required. Tables of four and six. Exhibit through Sunday. Downtown Plymouth, S. Main/Church. 455-8940.

### MODELING CLASS

Boys and girls ages 6-18 years. Learn modeling techniques, skin care, wardrobe, etiquette. Six Saturdays. Times vary. Course fee. Community room. Registration required. Somerset Collection, Big Beaver/Coolidge. 643-6360.

### PUPPET SEMINAR

Kids 12 and under. 11:30 a.m. Clowns, magic, puppet-making. Meadowbrook Village Mall, Walton/Adams. 375-9484.

SUNDAY, JAN. 24

### STORY HOUR

Sesame Street characters tell stories and pose for pictures with preschoolers. Part of storybook Sunday program. Fairlane Town Center, Michigan/Southfield Freeway. 593-3330.

MONDAY, JAN. 25

### HEALTH SCREENING

Blood pressure and cholesterol testing. 8-10 a.m. Free. Jacobson's Court Apts. Botsford General Hospital staff. Laurel Park Place, Six Mile/Newburgh. 462-1100.

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**MID-SEASON LEAGUES NOW FORMING**

ALL LEAGUES START IN JANUARY

**MENS LEAGUES**  
FRIDAY 9:45 a.m. MIDNIGHTERS - Night shift men

**LADIES LEAGUES**  
WEDNESDAY 12:30 p.m. AFTERNOON DELIGHTS - Free babysitting  
WEDNESDAY 9:30 p.m. STARLIGHTS - Beginners Welcome  
THURSDAY 9:30 p.m. LADIES NITE OUT - 4 to a team

**MIXED LEAGUES**  
MONDAY 9:30 p.m. ODDBALLS - Battle of the sexes  
TUESDAY 9:30 p.m. FUNTIMERS - An inexpensive fun night  
WEDNESDAY 9:30 p.m. MIXERS - 2 couples on a team  
SUNDAY 8:30 p.m. HOSPITALITY LGE. - Any combo of 4 (EVERY OTHER) A fun night out for any average bowler

**YOUTH LEAGUES**  
MONDAY & FRIDAY 4:15 p.m. PARKS AND RECREATION  
SATURDAY 9:30 a.m. & Noon YOUTH LEAGUES - ALL AGES

**BUMPER BOWLING (AGES 3 to 8)**  
TUESDAY 12:30 p.m. **Sign-up Now for League Play**  
FRIDAY 9:45 a.m.

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**SENIOR LEAGUES**  
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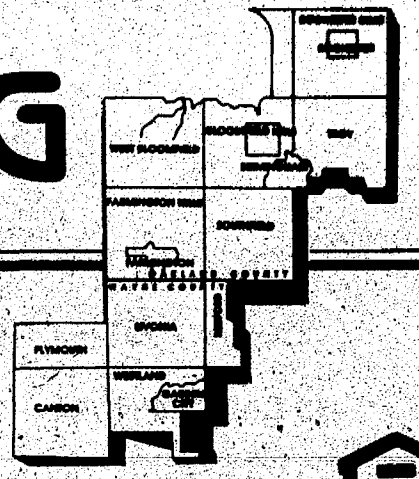
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304 Farmington Farmington Hills
ATTENTION GARDENERS
Enjoy this 3 yr. old, 3 bedroom, 3 full bath ranch on 1.25 acre lot...

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Farmington Hills
\$6000 MOVES YOU IN 23126 ELMGROVE

305 Brighton-Hartland Howell
BRIGHTON Waterfront - 3 bedroom colonial family room/lr./fireplace, 2 1/2 baths, deck, finished walkout...

306 Southfield-Lathrup
GREAT buy in Southfield. Unique home, with a lot of personal touches...

307 South Lyon Milford-Highland
S. LYON - 671 Covington Rd. 3 bedroom ranch, 1 bath, attached garage...

308 Rochester-Troy
3 bedroom colonial, 1 1/2 baths, quality upgrades, newer carpeting, neutral decor...

309 Royal Oak-Oak Park Huntington Woods
CENTENAL HOUSE AVAILABLE
You move to your lot!
Make an offer!
541-7138

310 Wixom-Commerce Lakes Area
COMMERCIAL TWP. below market contemporary - 3 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, family room, dining room & much more.

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AFFORDABLE HOMES \$66,900 - \$97,900
Bradley Realtors NW 313-623-9687

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This charming freshly decorated 3 bedroom ranch offers remodeled kitchen, new vinyl windows, ranch doors leading to dining room, covered patio & garage, \$87,900.

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Nicely landscaped 3 bedroom brick ranch. Very clean inside & out. Features include updated kitchen, finished basement, wood deck with 1200 Power Lift. Priced to sell fast! \$72,900.

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MILFORD TWP. - 4 bedroom, 3 bath homes w/ 3100 sq. ft. of room & 1 1/2 acres. For sale by Carmen Con-struction Co. \$229,900. 884-0397

The Prudential Wolfe Realty
Step up to 3 bedrooms including master suite w/full bath, walls of new thermal windows, new furnace, central air, finished basement w/ bar. All appliances! Beautifully landscaped w/sprinkler system & outside lights. (754571)

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**WAS \$17,063**  
**NOW \$14,399\***  
24 MONTH LEASE  
**\$289\*\*** per mo.



**1993 RANGER XLT**  
Stereo cassette, rear slider, chrome step, 225 OWL tires, cast aluminum wheels, more. Stk. # 31414  
**WAS \$12,053**  
**NOW \$8995\***  
24 MONTH LEASE  
**\$162\*\*** per mo.



**50  
4x4s  
In  
Stock**  
Including  
**2  
SNOW  
PLOW  
TRUCKS**

**1993 F-150** **AUTO AIR**  
Stereo, 6250 lb. GVWR, rear step bumper, headliner insul. package, styled wheels, slider, cloth interior, more. Stk. #30958  
**WAS \$14,678**  
**NOW \$11,995\***  
24 MONTH LEASE  
**\$249\*\*** per mo.



**1993 TEMPO GL 2 DR.**  
Air conditioning, light group, tilt, stereo w/cassette, dual electric mirrors. Stk. #31348  
**WAS \$10,974**  
**NOW \$8333\***  
24 MONTH LEASE  
**\$175\*\*** per mo.



**1993 ESCORT GT**  
Tilt, cruise, air, cassette, rear defroster, light group, power steering and more. Stk. #30458  
**WAS \$13,773**  
**NOW \$10,995\***  
24 MONTH LEASE  
**\$217\*\*** per mo.



**1993 ESCORT LX 3 DR.**  
Air, power steering, rear defroster, stereo cassette, light conv. group, electric mirrors, more. Stk. #30001  
**WAS \$11,401**  
**NOW \$8995\***  
24 MONTH LEASE  
**\$159\*\*** per mo.



**1992 TEMPO GLS 4 DR.**  
Air, luggage rack, P185 performance tires, power seat/windows/locks, prem. sound, cassette, tilt, speed control. Stk. #20552  
**WAS \$15,256**  
**NOW \$10,595\***



**1992 FESTIVA GL**  
Stereo, rear wiper, body side moldings, styled wheels, gauges, console, reclining seats, power brakes. Stk. #22574  
**WAS \$8445**  
**NOW \$5995\***



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## Pay-to-play dunks Cobb

Randy Cobb is a state qualifier without a team. And the Livonia Franklin High School sophomore standout swimmer may be the first significant casualty of the Livonia Public Schools' pay-to-participate sports plan.

When school budgets face crunch time, extra-curricular sports are traditionally first in line on the chopping block.

But under a \$140 per-person, per-sport fee compromise plan, LPS saved sports for 1992-93. Or did they?

Franklin varsity boys swimming is no more, a decision that was postponed for at least a month by athletic director Dan Freeman until he could no longer salvage the program.

Only 11 kids originally paid to participate, but the LPS council, made of up ADs, principals and members from the board office, requires certain minimums for each varsity sport. For instance, basketball, according to Freeman, requires seven to make up a bona fide squad.

Cobb and his teammates searched the halls, put up posters and tried to recruit any available swimmers before they opened the season Dec. 19 at the Western Lakes Relays at Plymouth Salem.

One eventually came into the fold, but it was discovered that three others were ineligible, leaving the number at nine. It's nearly impossible to field a swim team with only nine, particularly for dual meets.

Freeman and Franklin Principal Mike Fenchel waited until Franklin's second scheduled dual of the season, Jan. 7 against Farmington Harrison, before dropping the bad news.

### Cobb's dream dunked

No Franklin team means that Cobb, who placed fifth in the 200 individual medley and third in the 100 breaststroke in last year's WLAA meet, is through.

The Michigan High School Athletic Association doesn't recognize swimmers unless they compete for their school. With no team, Cobb's options are limited.

As of the moment, he can't try to qualify for the state meet and he can't even compete as an individual in the WLAA meet.

"Pay to participate has had an effect," Freeman said. "We came close to losing girls tennis. (In November) to let them know what we were doing. We pulled out of the WLAA relays to buy more time. The athletic council tried to set low numbers for each sport."

Cobb, meanwhile, has gone back to his club team, Livonia-Novi Spartan Aquatic, to resume training.

"I'm biased because of my kid, but it affects the whole team," said Wayne Cobb, Randy's father. "The kid was totally bummed out when we got the letter (dropping the program). It's hard for a kid that young to face rejection."

The appeal process to let Cobb and any others compete as individuals could be exhaustive and futile.

Freeman and Fenchel are in the process of requesting a hearing before the MHSAA's executive staff and representative council, but that group doesn't meet again until Feb. 17 in East Lansing. They would petition for a waiver to let Cobb compete as an individual in the WLAA meet, Feb. 24-26, at Salem, giving him at least one chance to make a state cut.

"Nothing is appealable, they don't have a swim team, and they're not on our list as a bona fide team sponsored by the school," said Warren McKenzie, assistant director of the MHSAA's executive staff. "You must be a member school to compete in our state meets."

Wayne Cobb has been on the phone with McKenzie as well.

"I'm very discouraged, but I understand their rules," he said. "But the rules don't help kids in certain situations like this."

### What's next?

Who can help Cobb?  
Jack Roberts, executive director of the MHSAA, for one.

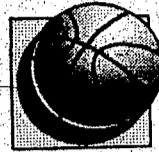
Maybe he can't expedite the process, but he should give Mr. Cobb some idea about what kind of decision may be handed down regarding a waiver.

In light of pay-to-participate for LPS again next year, Cobb and his teammates may be facing the same scenario all over again.

Wayne Cobb may decide to transfer his son, perhaps over to Churchill or even Stevenson. If that

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## Goins fuels Rockets' victory



Westland John Glenn's inside tandem of Ken Taylor and Tony Goins proved too much for Plymouth Canton Friday night. The Rockets moved to 5-1 overall with a 10-point victory.

BY STEVE KOWALSKI  
STAFF WRITER

When someone asks Tony Goins about the Band-Aid on his finger, he can smile and say proudly, "I cut it on the rim."

Goins, Westland John Glenn's 6-foot-4 junior forward, had a lot to be proud of Friday night at Plymouth Canton. Besides throwing down two impressive dunks, and almost a third, he scored a career-high 21 points in Glenn's 76-66 Western Lakes Activities Association boys basketball victory.

Goins also held Canton's star forward Bryan Whittle to two points and four rebounds. As for the bloody finger, it came after his steal and dunk that gave the Rockets a 65-50 lead with 3:19 remaining.

"When I pulled the rim down, it snapped up and hit my hand," said Goins, who now has seven dunks in six games. "I haven't gotten the chance to do my favorite one yet. Maybe when the time is right."

Glenn's first-year coach Mike Schuette (who needs a step ladder to touch the rim) seemed as impressed with Goins' defense as he was with his nine-of-14 shooting. Senior center Ken Taylor also was tough on the Chiefs, making 11-15 shots for a game-high 22 points and nine rebounds.

Both teams are headed in opposite directions. Glenn has won five of six games, while Canton is zero for the New Year and 1-7 overall.

"Goins took up the challenge, he played Whittle face-to-face," Schuette said. "We played pretty

well, inside, I thought, and it was nice having (sophomores) Guy Rucker and Brent Washington off the bench."

Whittle made only one of four shots, had four rebounds and came out of the game after injuring his leg with 2:05 left when trying to prevent another dunk by Goins.

"Whittle didn't seem like he had his legs tonight," said Canton assistant Charlie Paye, still subbing for ailing coach Dave Van Wagoner. "The trainer said he had a possible broken fibula. When Whittle came out of the game he said he dislocated something in the past."

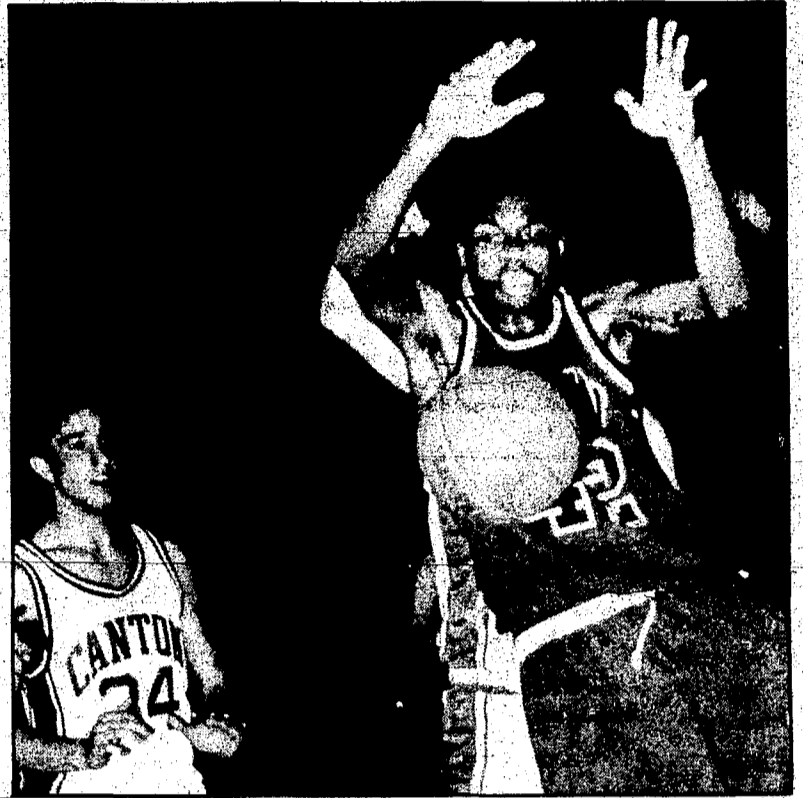
Glenn led 33-30 at halftime and made 17-22 shots in the second half to pull away. The Rockets, who enjoyed a 19-5 rebounding advantage in the second half, scored 11 straight points in the third quarter to go from a 37-32 lead to 48-32.

Goins started the spurt with consecutive baskets, John Miller drilled a three-point shot from the top of the key and added a baseline drive, and Taylor ended the run with a layup.

Senior point-guard Aaron Scheffer didn't score during the third quarter but he might have played his finest game with 16 points, six rebounds and several impressive assists for easy Glenn baskets.

"When we play well, it's because we play with five on the floor," Schuette said. "Scheffer played a good game in South Lyon (on Tuesday) and a good game tonight, too. He made some sweet passes underneath, didn't he."

Canton looked like the team with a winning record early, leading 18-14 after one quarter and 30-29 late in the



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Bouncing ball: Tony Goins (right) of Westland John Glenn tries to grab the basketball during Friday's 76-66 win at Plymouth Canton.

first half. Junior guard Matt Paupore and senior center Owen Crosby triggered Canton's early start, combining for 18 first-half points.

But Crosby scored only two of his 10 points after halftime and Paupore was the only consistent scorer, finishing with a game-high 30 points on 12-24 shooting (including three shots from three-point range). Canton com-

mitted only eight first-half turnovers before turning the ball over 13 times in the second half.

"The first half was probably our best half of the year," Paye said. "We had good movement in our offense and got the ball to the person who was hot (Crosby). The kids gave a good effort and if we keep it up we'll win down the road."

## Observerland rinks haven for pro talent

BY CHRIS MCCOSKY  
STAFF WRITER

When you think of hotbeds of hockey talent, you think Canada. You think Windsor, Toronto and those obscure-sounding places like Medicine Hat and Moose Jaw.

If you think United States, you might think Minnesota or Massachusetts or upstate New York. It would probably be a while before you got around to thinking about the Observer & Eccentric area.

Well, think again. "When you look at the quality of the players produced in this area, it's really unbelievable," said Craig Button, the director of amateur scouting for the Minnesota North Stars. "This area produces more quality players than any other area in the U.S. I'm from Montreal, but the North Stars asked me to move here (Ypsilanti) three years ago because the depth and breadth of hockey talent is so good."

The area Button is talking about is southeastern Michigan. And when he lists the great players from this area he includes the likes of Pat Lafontaine (Waterford), John Vanbiesbrouck (Detroit), Craig Volanin (Grosse Pointe), Kevin and Kelly, Miller (Lansing) and Kevin and Derian Hatcher (Sterling Heights) and Jimmy Carson (Grosse Pointe).

Still, the largest concentration of talent in southeastern Michigan comes from the 12-community O&E area. There are now 23 players from the O&E area playing professional hockey, nine in the NHL.

The nine are: Adam Burt from Westland (Hartford); Mike Donnelly from Livonia (Los Angeles); Mike Hartman from West Bloomfield (Tampa Bay); Al Iafate from Livonia (Washington); Todd Krygier from Northville (Washington); Mike Modano from Livonia (Minnesota); Chris Tancill from Livonia (Detroit); Mark Howe from Lathrup Village (Detroit); and Rich Kromm from Livonia (New York Islanders).

"That's quite an accomplishment for an area in the U.S.," said Chris Coury, a Red Wings scout and the general manager of the Little Caesars' AAA elite hockey program. "You take a place in Canada like Toronto and you have a quarter of a million kids playing hockey. There's almost as many kids playing hockey in Toronto as there are in the entire U.S. So to have that many quality players come out of one area like that is really impressive."

### System breeds quality

It's not difficult to see why this area produces such a high quality and quantity of hockey talent. The steps up the ladder of success are all securely in place. They need only to be climbed.

"There is a good system in place here and excellent facilities for development," Coury said. "It all starts with the local associations and the communities really do a good job of getting them started and getting them exposed to the game."

The Livonia Hockey Association, the largest in the area with 725 members, introduced the game to Tancill, Modano and Donnelly. Iafate couldn't get into the overcrowded LHA and wound up cutting his hockey teeth at the Winter Wonderland facility in Detroit. Burt got his start with the Redford Hockey Association. Hartman played first in the Oak Park house leagues before joining a Southfield travel team. Krygier, Donnelly, Hartman and Kromm honed their skills during the summer in A.J. Baker's Midwest Summer Hockey League in Plymouth.

Garden City, Westland, Plymouth, Birmingham, Southfield and Wayne also house strong amateur hockey programs.

"Because of the strong local programs, we are able to target the good players at an early age and get them into the more elite programs," Coury said. "The better the program, the better the instruction and competition, the better the player."

There is certainly no shortage of elite programs in the metro Detroit area. Coury's Little Caesars program features 250 teams, including seven elite (AAA) teams between the ages of 11 and 17. Compuware sponsors the Tier II Junior A Ambassadors in the North American Junior Hockey League and the Detroit Junior Red Wings in the Ontario Hockey League. The United States Hockey League (Junior A) also recruits heavily in the metro Detroit area.

"The big advantage of playing in the Detroit area is its proximity to Canada," said Button. "These kids in the elite programs are always competing in the big tournaments in Canada. You just can't beat that quality of competition."

"I just got back from a tournament where the Little Caesars' team played against teams from Toronto, Ottawa and Montreal and they lost in the fi-



Mike Donnelly Franklin grad  
Chris Tancill Stevenson grad  
Adam Burt Westland product

### THE O&E HOCKEY TALENT POOL

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE		
Player	Hometown	Team
Adam Burt	Westland	Hartford
Mike Donnelly	Livonia	Los Angeles
Mike Hartman	W. Bloomfield	Tampa Bay
Mark Howe	Lathrup	Detroit
Al Iafate	Livonia	Washington
Rich Kromm	Livonia	N.Y. Islanders
Todd Krygier	Northville	Washington
Mike Modano	Livonia	Minnesota
Chris Tancill	Livonia	Detroit
AMERICAN HOCKEY LEAGUE		
Player	Hometown	Team
Serge Roberge	Bloom. Hills	Halifax (Quebec)
Billy Pye	Canton	Rochester (Buffalo)
INTERNATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE		
Player	Hometown	Team
Mark Beaufait	Livonia	Kansas City (San Jose)
Don McSweeney	Plymouth	San Diego
EAST COAST HOCKEY LEAGUE		
Player	Hometown	Team
Bryan Krygier	Northville	Nashville
Vaclav Nedomansky	Birmingham	Knoxville
Darryl Noren	Livonia	Greensboro
Alex Roberts	Bloom. Hills	Toledo
Mike Gilmore	Farmington	Erie (N.Y. Rangers)
Dave Burke	Redford	Greensboro (Toronto)
COLONIAL HOCKEY LEAGUE		
Player	Hometown	Team
Brian Baldrice	Canton	Muskegon
Mike Jorgensen	Livonia	Flint
PROFESSIONALS OVERSEAS		
Player	Hometown	Team
Dennis Smith	Livonia	Austria
Pete Podrasky	Canton	Sweden

nals. I mean these kids are competing against the very best 15- and 16-year-old players in North America."

### Talent boom or bust?

Yet, there are those who believe the area's talent pool is drying up.

"The players you are talking about — the Modanos and Iafates and Hartmans — were a product of the late 1960s and early 1970s, a great growth period in U.S. hockey," said Jack Vivian, an Ann Arbor-based scout for the New York Islanders. "Right now, this area is very thin as far as talent. Things are healthy in

this area through the midget level. But after that, it's real bad. The level of play in the NAJHL is really on the decline. I don't see any Mike Modanos coming through. I don't think we will see anybody in the next four or five years that would be comparable to those guys."

Coury agrees.

"In actual fact, there is less talent today even though there are more opportunities for players," he said. "It will be interesting to see what happens in the next few years."

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## Wayne bumps off Belleville

BY NEAL ZIPSER  
STAFF WRITER

It's hard to call a game important this early into the high school basketball season, but when Wayne Memorial and Belleville meet, the game is always vital.

The winner of the matchup is usually in the driver's seat to capture the Wolverine A League. The two teams have each won the league title twice in the past four years, and if history repeats itself, the Zebras have started their excursion to the title in dramatic fashion.

Behind two free throws by senior guard Dontez Prewitt with 19 seconds remaining Friday, Wayne escaped with a nail-biting 50-49 victory over the host Tigers.

"There's no one on the team I'd want more at the line in that situation," Wayne coach Chuck Henry said.

Prewitt, who led a balanced Wayne attack with 10 points, was held scoreless in the second half until he drove through the free-throw line and dished off a pass. The Tigers' Doug Walters was called for a block.

With the home crowd roaring, Prewitt calmly sank both free throws to give the Zebras a one-point lead.

"I've always wanted to be in that type of situation," Prewitt said. "I was nervous and kind of

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scared, but had confidence. I knew my teammates had confidence in me and were behind me."

Prewitt's heroic free throws proved almost meaningless as Belleville's Nate Griffin drew a foul on Wayne's Naté Bishop with nine seconds left. But the senior guard missed both free throws and Wayne was able to pull out the win.

Wayne improved to a perfect 8-0 overall and lead the league with a 5-0 mark. The Tigers fell to 5-4 overall and 4-1 in the league.

"We have a one-game lead and that's all we have," Henry said. "We have to play Belleville two times a year, maybe three times if you include the districts. We're happy now but there are too many big games down the road."

The Zebras took a while to get going as they went nearly three minutes before scoring. Fittingly, it was Prewitt who got Wayne going with a tip-in and three-pointer.

After the teams dueled to a 10-10 first quarter, Belleville jumped out to a 24-19 advantage. Wayne went on a 7-0 run before Doug Walters' triple at the buzzer gave the Tigers a 27-26 edge.

The Zebras dominated the

third quarter as Belleville's shooting turn cold. The Tigers made only three of 15 shots as Wayne took a seemingly comfortable 41-34 lead into the final quarter.

For the game, Wayne converted 19 of 49 shots (39 percent) compared to Wayne's 20 of 47 accuracy (43 percent).

The Zebras led by as many as 10 in the fourth quarter before Belleville came back on a 11-2 run, cutting deficit to 47-46 after a triple by Garland Johnson (11 points).

After a Bishop free throw gave Wayne a 48-46 advantage, Johnson made a spectacular underhand scoop and was fouled. He made the ensuing free throw which gave Belleville a one-point lead with 33 seconds left, before Prewitt's free throws put Wayne back on top.

Junior forward Ralph Truitt paced the Tigers with 12 points. Rod Hardison added 10 points for Wayne.

Ten different Zebra players scored.

Henry is looking forward to Friday — the last day junior point guard Andre Graves' ineligibility (academics).

"By getting him back, we will be getting our best point guard and a good leader in the game at the same time," said Henry, who added that his play may make Wayne a great team, instead of a good team.

## Devon-Aire closing creates concern

BY STEVE KOWALSKI  
STAFF WRITER

Devon-Aire Ice Rink manager Bob Kukla answered the telephone at about 7:40 Thursday night but he couldn't talk.

"Can you call back after nine o'clock?" Kukla asked. "I'm right in the middle of Open Skate and I've got over 200 people here tonight."

Devon-Aire, as usual, was abuzz with people and a Zamboni machine but a year from now there might not be any noise coming from the building on West Chicago east of Merriman Road in Livonia.

Devon-Aire, which remains a popular spot for Open Skate and a practice facility for the Livonia Hockey Association and Livonia high school teams, is scheduled to close not only for winter but for good on March 1.

Devon-Aire, one of two ice rinks owned and operated by the city of Livonia, was sidelined as the city tries to trim \$2 million from its 1993 budget of \$38.5 million. Twenty-six full-time jobs were lost in the new budget and Devon-Aire was one of many facilities to either be shut down or continue with reduced hours.

Livonia Mayor Robert Bennett

said Devon-Aire over the last four years has operated at an approximate loss of \$63,000 per year. Another concern with Devon-Aire if it remained open are repairs, such as replacing the roof, which would cost as much as \$200,000, according to Bennett.

Mark Nelson, a member of the LHA's Board of Directors, doubts that Livonia's remaining rink, Eddie Edgar Arena, will be enough to accommodate everyone. Nelson said the closing would "cut our association (teams and players) in half."

The LHA has used Devon-Aire mostly for practices, while Eddie Edgar Arena, which has bleachers, is used for games, practices and skating lessons.

"We didn't set out to close Devon-Aire," Bennett said. "We had to go to each department, including the Mayor's office, police, fire, Department of Public Works, Parks and Recreation, and had to find ways to trim the budget. It's a painful decision but there are a lot of painful decisions."

Bennett is "certainly interested in pursuing ideas that would serve to keep Devon-Aire open, but under the current budget constraints, (the city) can't do it."

The LHA is the largest hockey association in Michigan, accord-

ing to secretary Linda Henderson, with 42 teams and approximately 774 players. The LHA has formed a committee to look into the possibility of keeping Devon-Aire open.

Nelson, chairman of the committee, said the LHA is considering buying Devon-Aire from the city and taking over operations and maintenance. There also is the possibility another enterprise or non-profit organization could buy the rink, he said. Bennett said he sent the LHA a report on how much it would cost to own and operate the rink.

"We don't feel Devon-Aire has been singled out — the city is trying to keep Devon-Aire open, not only for the LHA but for recreational skaters," said Nelson. "I've never been pessimistic, always optimistic. It may involve the association to take an active role in operating the rink, it might involve raising ice rates. We're exploring different ways to do it."

Kukla can't imagine only one rink in Livonia.

"I sit here, see what goes on and ask myself 'Why?'" he said. "We have people in here tonight from age two to 81 and they look forward to this. Someone needs to take it over and do a good job."

## Penalty time costs Shamrocks, 4-3

Redford Catholic Central hockey coach Jack Gumbleton has implored his players to stay on the ice and out of the penalty box.

His words apparently fell on deaf ears. Perhaps actions will speak louder than his words.

Wednesday night, the Shamrocks were slapped with 28 minutes of penalties which Allen Park Cabrini converted into three power-play goals and a 4-3 victory over No. 2-ranked CC at the Allen Park Ice Arena.

Cabrini, ranked No. 4 in Class B, got power-play goals from

### HOCKEY

Derek Frosinos, Andre Cooper and Steve Karagatsoulis, and a short-handed goal from Pete Niphoros in the first two periods.

Catholic Central (7-1-2) countered with three power-play markers of its own, as Cabrini earned 20 minutes worth of penalties. Jon Heady, Justin Ronayne and Frank Novock each scored a goal and an assist for the Shamrocks. Ronayne just missed notching the

tying goal when his hard shot clanged off the goal post in the final period.

**STEVENSON 9, LAHSER 1:** Ryan Schmidt, Ryan Gusick and Scott Worthen each scored a pair of goals to pace Livonia Stevenson Wednesday at Edgar Arena.

Scott Johnson contributed a goal and three assists, Doug Gulau had a goal and two assists and Ryan Brody added a goal.

Stevenson goalie Daryl Chamberlain faced just 11 shots.

The Spartans are now 7-0-1 in the Suburban High School Hockey League, 8-5-1 overall.

## Churchill dry spell proves costly

Don't be surprised if Livonia Churchill basketball coach Tom Lang posts the following advertisement in the school's hallways next week: "Wanted: Top gun. Player(s) capable of contributing 15 to 17 points on a consistent basis."

"The kids play hard all the time," said Lang, after his Chargers succumbed Friday to Western Lakes rival North Farmington, 48-39. "I just can't get anybody to step forward and be a scorer for us, and I play everybody. I couldn't be happier with the defense. They're aggressive and they never quit. But in this conference, we won't win many games scoring in the 30s."

Mark Rutherford's 12 points kept Churchill close for 3½ quarters. In fact, Churchill got within five points midway through the final period before North iced the victory from the free throw line. North hit 16 of its 31 free throws, including six of seven in the final minutes by John Pennala. Churchill hit just five of 12 from the stripe.

"They were much bigger than we were and the big guys always seem to get the advantage," Lang said. "But if we had been able to do better from the line, we'd have hung right in there."

Doug Dolak led North with 13

points and 6-7 center Evan Ellis tallied 10. The Raiders are 2-0 in the conference, 4-3 overall.

Churchill falls to 0-2 in the conference, 1-5 overall.

**HARRISON 72, STEVENSON 41:** On Friday, host Farmington Harrison picked up its first victory of the season at the expense of Livonia Stevenson in a WLA encounter.

Junior Calvin Pruitt led the victorious Hawks with 16 points and nine rebounds. Don Bryant, Ryan Cahill and Keye Smith each added 11 points. Jeremy Teachman dished out seven assists.

Harrison is now 1-6 overall and 1-1 in the Western Lakes.

Stevenson (3-3, 1-1) played without top scorer Chris Chichila, who underwent surgery for a broken finger.

Brad Morgan and Adam Roy scored 11 and 10 points, respectively, in a losing cause.

**SALEM 77, FRANKLIN 63:** Unbeaten Plymouth Salem got a tougher-than-expected battle Friday against host Livonia Franklin before earning the WLA victory.

James Head, a 6-foot-6 junior, paced the victorious Rocks (8-0, 2-0) with 17 points, 14 rebounds and seven assists. Brothers Mike and Brandon Slone chipped in with 13 and 12 points, respectively.

Franklin (3-4, 0-2) was led by junior Paul Kruschka, who pumped in 18 points. Juniors Greg Maple and Clemente Herrera added 14 and 13, respectively.

**REDFORD CC 60, RICE 55:** Redford Catholic Central rallied in the fourth

quarter to defeat arch-rival Birmingham Brother Rice in a Catholic League Central Division battle Friday.

The Shamrocks are 1-2 in the Central Division and 3-5 overall, the Warriors 2-1 and 5-3.

CC trailed 42-38 entering the fourth quarter, in which it outscored Rice 22-13.

The Shamrocks sank 10 of 13 free throws in the last period, and senior forward Jeff Gutt scored nine of his game-high 17 points in that quarter.

The Shamrocks also got 16 points from senior forward Brian Paluk. Gutt scored 15 of his points in the second half.

Rice's D.J. MacAloon scored all of his 15 points in the second half on five three-point field goals. Brian Kalczyński chipped in 12.

**LUTHERAN EAST 89, C'VILLE 38:** Livonia Clarenceville committed 22 first-half turnovers and fell behind 18-0 to start the game. And it just got worse. The score was 56-16 at half.

Anthony Ricks scored 18 points and George Powell added 15 for Lutheran East, which leads the Metro Conference with a 3-0 record (6-3 overall).

Mark Kalaj scored 15 to lead C'ville (1-1, 3-2).

**HARPER WDS. 62, LUTH. WESTLAND 57:** Host Westland carried a five-point lead into the final quarter and was outscored 21-10. Westland falls to 0-2 in the Metro Conference and 2-6 overall.

Eric Lindblade scored 14 points to lead Harper Woods (1-1, 3-5).

For Westland, sophomore Chris Tierman scored nine points; seniors Pat Schaefer and Phil Spoljarick each scored eight points.

## Crusaders come back down to earth

Reality set in for Madonna University's women's basketball team Thursday.

The Lady Crusaders visited Spring Arbor College for a game against the pre-season pick to win the NAIA District 23. They took with them a perfect record (2-0) in district play.

That record did not remain that way for long.

The Cougars rolled to a 49-25

### MADONNA

lead by halftime and coasted to a 90-60 triumph, a win that raised their district record to 2-1 and made them 7-10 overall. Madonna slipped to 2-1 in the district, 8-10 overall.

Mary Bieniewicz (from Farmington Hills Mercy) and Cheri

Sangregorio each scored 12 points for Madonna. Stephanie Niebauer added 10, while April Blanton grabbed seven rebounds. For Spring Arbor, Kristin Nobach had 18 points and Liz Christinske netted 17.

Turnovers spelled the difference. The Crusaders had 34 in the game, many forced by Spring Arbor's pressure defense.

## Hockey haven from page 1C

Apparently, interest in hockey lagged in the late 1970s. Equipment and ice time expenses, lower birth rates, the closing of rinks and the popularity growth of soccer were cited as possible reasons.

"But that has turned around," Coury said. "There are a lot of kids who were born in the 1980s coming up right now, and we are real excited about them. We could be entering another boom period."

According to John Beadle, managing director of the Michigan Amateur Hockey Association, there are 3,000 amateur hockey teams in Michigan, 2,000 in the metro Detroit area.

"Our biggest problem right now is that we need more arenas," he said. "There is more demand for our product than we have the space for."

So, kids are playing hockey again. The steps that Modano,

Hartman and the others climbed are still in place. Are there more future NHL stars on the O&E horizon?

"Let me put it this way," said Button. "The chief scout in our (North Stars) organization, Dennis Patterson, lives in Canton and I live in Ypsilanti. Obviously, we feel that this area is one of the best producers of NHL talent in the United States. I don't expect that to change any time soon."

## Dunked from page 1C

happens, Randy would have to sit out a year, but at least he could compete and try to qualify for the state Class A meet in 1994.

"I can't afford to send my kid to CC (Redford Catholic Central) and I wouldn't move," Wayne Cobb said. "But I'd look into him into going to Churchill or even Stevenson."

LPS, however, rarely grants in-district transfers because of athletic reasons.

The LPS semester term ends Jan. 29, but the MHSAA may not act or even grant a hearing about Cobb until Feb. 17 unless Roberts or the representative council speeds up the process.

The other alternative is to peti-

tion the MHSAA (by April 15) to run a cooperative swim program with another school next season.

Because of low turnouts at two schools, Walled Lake Central and Western now compete as "Walled Lake."

But there are no guarantees that would be approved when the MHSAA meets in May.

Meanwhile, Cobb and his teammates sit back wondering what move they should make.

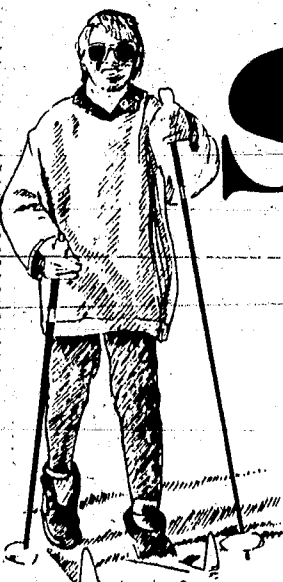
The first move should involve a member of the LPS administration, either Superintendent Joseph Marinelli or Director of Secondary Education Ken Watson. They should get on the horn with

Roberts and get some kind idea of what is forthcoming by the MHSAA.

The MHSAA can eliminate the red tape and show compassion in this kind of case.

It's hard for me to believe the MHSAA continues to look the other way when certain Detroit Public School League basketball powers can recruit from all over the metropolitan area. They also look the other way when parochial schools accept student-athletes on scholarship.

Give a kid like Randy Cobb, who also happens to be an all-A student, a break.



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THE WEEK AHEAD

Table with 3 columns: BOYS BASKETBALL, WOMEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL, MEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL. Lists games for Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday.

Stevenson pins Salem

Heavyweight David Ross of Livonia Stevenson came through in the clutch Thursday, pinning his opponent Ryan Guiliani in 1:45 to give the Spartans a 35-28 wrestling victory over visiting Plymouth Salem.

WRESTLING

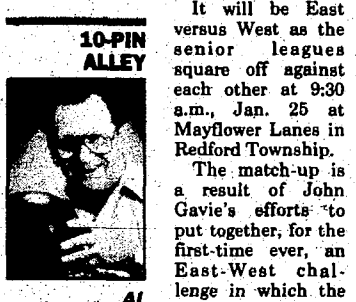
Hernandez (152), a 8-5 decision over John Svec; and Ben Lewis (171), a pin in 5:47 against John Rackozy.

It was only Don Berg's second dual meet victory against Salem in 10 years as coach. "We're young, we have only two seniors in the lineup, but we're getting better," said Berg, who last beat the Rocks in 1988.

LIVONIA FRANKLIN 49 PLYMOUTH CANTON 18. Lists wrestling matches with weights and scores.

WESTLAND JOHN GLENN 38 FARMINGTON 30. Lists wrestling matches with weights and scores.

Mayflower hosts crosstown tilt



AL HARRISON

It will be East versus West as the senior leagues square off against each other at 9:30 a.m., Jan. 25 at Mayflower Lanes in Redford Township.

all schools, but just about every bowling center remained open. Seems like people are more concerned about their bowling than education.

In the team's second game, Ken Fister led the way with a 300, and his teammates supported him with a 289 by Mark Konopatzki and a 279 from Charlie Riffle.

The team combined for a whopping score of 1,296 and a series total of 3,427. It was a very good day, especially for Fister, as he followed his perfect game with a 299 and wound up with a 830 series.

Jewish War Veterans - Don Rosenberg, 234-214; Edward Burg, 232; Arnold Weiss, 232; Robert Wrey, 215; Martin Rosenfeld, 211; Allen Kiegon, 210.

Drakeville Lanes (Farmington Hills): Ansa's Big Boy Classic - Tom Leonard, 268/781; Randy Pierce, 218/772; Ken Kossick, 253/744; Tom Shively, 283/704; Dick Soupe, 279/725; Terri Marucci, 267/734; Jerry Penza, 259/701; Jeff Dishong, 278/754; Bud LeBlanc, 259/734; Don Castaldi, 269/781; Dave Hemming, 267; Doug Spicer, 266.

Garden Lanes (Garden City): St. Linus Men - Mike Bazer, 753; Saturday Kings and Queens - Larry Santavy, 702; Printcraft - Mark Payne, 717.

SPORTS ROUNDUP

Wales Tennis Tournament at the White City Complex in Australia. Amy Frazier of Rochester Hills beat the Churchill High product, 6-3, 6-2.

The event is a prelude to the Australian Open, one of the four Grand Slam events on the women's pro tour.

LIVONIA MITES 157. The Livonia Mite A Knights hockey team recently captured the Wayne Christmas Tourney with a 4-1 victory over the Wayne Chiefs in the championship final.

The Knights, led by tournament MVP Bryan Lerg and all-star selection Robbie Deuby, went 3-0-1 overall.

Members of the Knights, coached by Alan Buchanan, include Jacob Archer, Jeff Osikowicz, Corey Garbutt, Chris Walsh, Nathan Krzyaniak, Sean Tackett, Mike Reid, Matt Calus, Tony Peraino, Jeff Davis and Brian Grant.

Assistant coaches include Terri Pinchek, John Herrera and Dan Lerg. Roxanne Grant is the team manager.

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'76 HAWKS VICTORIOUS. Over the holiday, the Livonia YMCA '76 Michigan Hawks,

coached by Paul Scicluna and Ken Hamann, captured the Cocoa Beach, Fla. Expo Cup '92 with a 5-0 victory against the Brevard (Fla.) Blaze.

The '76 Hawks defeated teams from Florida, New York and Pennsylvania en route to the title.

Members of the unbeaten '76 Hawks include Aimee Cousino, Michelle Fatute, Laura Fedrigo, Angie Siggia and Elizabeth Szkyrbalo, all of Livonia; Kelly Lukasik, Plymouth; Jessica Jones and Katie Kohl, Northville; Gina Dawson and Kathryn Sobrero, Bloomfield Hills; Ann Marie Cieszkowski, Beverly Hills; Amber Berendowsky, Brighton; Kelly Hamann, Milford; and Muthoni Muiruri, East Lansing.

LIVONIA TOUGHMAN. Steve "Sandman" Nelmark, a 27-year-old black belt from Livonia, is entered in the Professional American Karate Association-sanctioned Toughman Contest, which begins at 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday at Detroit's Cobo Arena.

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 Canton Township is accepting applications for Public Safety Dispatcher. To perform dispatching for Canton Township Police/Fire divisions and other related duties. Rotating shifts. \$19,955/yr. plus excellent fringe benefits. Preference will be given to applicants that have recent public safety dispatching experience. Applications must be picked up at the Canton Township Personnel Division, 1150 S. Canton Center Dr., Canton, MI 48186 or send a self-addressed stamped envelope to the above address to request application form. Job description will be posted at the Township Administration Building, last date for submitting completed applications: January 29, 1993 at 4pm. No phone calls please. The Charter Township of Canton does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age or marital status in employment or the provision of services. An Equal Opportunity Employer.

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 RECEPTIONIST (Part-time, afternoons) for Birmingham hair salon. Ginger Group 645-2767

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 To work days 9am-2pm. Receptionist duties include computer print typing & filing. Computer experience necessary. Call Westborn Market between 10-2.

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 National corporation offering financial service to the retail community, has entry level position in the referral business. Competitive salary, customer service experience and data entry. Must be extremely organized and detail oriented in a probability of success. Candidates should be people oriented and have the ability to work well on their own. 30-40 hrs/week. Salary \$14,550. Send resume to: P.O. Box 673, Southfield, MI 48037.

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**RENTAL AGENT for apartment building**  
 Experienced with some knowledge of computer billing. Call 350-9590

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 Full time for Westland office. Responsible for tracking all aspects of rent collection for multi-property management company. Computer experience required. Location 1,2,3 preferred. Send resume to: Box 808 Observer & Electronic Newspapers 36251 Schoolcraft Rd., Livonia MI 48150

**RESIDENT MANAGER for office at Waterford apartment complex**  
 Must have 2 years experience in property management. Apartment complex included. Send resume & salary requirements to: 24700 W. 12 Mile, Southfield, MI 48034

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 On site manager for 24-hour operations of properties in Royal Oak and Troy. Responsibilities include overview of marketing, leasing, service and budget. Must be assertive, energetic, good with detail and able to manage others. You will have autonomy yet strong management supervision. Salary commensurate with experience. We prefer manager who can live on site. We are an established company with excellent benefits and salary. Respond in writing: Amber Management, P.O. Box 767, E Lansing, MI 48826.

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 with the Detroit Metropolitan area. Must have 5 years experience in roofing, full roofing, shingles & sheet metal. Must have own truck & hand tools. 313-437-7051

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 Livonia area, part time, good hours, desirable work. Respond in writing: 525-9430

**SALES PERSON needed for retail computer picture framing in Novi**  
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**SALES - Some driving & mechanical experience helpful**  
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**SAW OPERATOR/JANITOR**  
 Full time 2-3 years general tool shop experience. Must have high school diploma. Apply at: Industrial Dr. Plymouth, Or call 453-8800 EOE M/F/H/V

**SCREW MACHINE OPERATORS**  
 Experienced multiple spindle operators needed for day and night shift. 421-2000

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 Small office setting in West Bloomfield. Call Patty at 737-9090

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**SECRETARY**  
 For Althea Department at Madonna University. Full-time position with good benefits. 44 wk/yr. (Aug-16, 1992 - Jan 19, 1993). Requires: 6 months experience with PC based word processing. WordPerfect 5.1 preferred. 30 wpm accurate typing. Starting rate \$2,625. \$6,075/yr. based on experience. Send resume and cover letter demonstrating secretarial skills to: MADONNA UNIVERSITY, HR Dept., Room 115, 36000 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150

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 Will train person seeking career in retail to become a sales associate. Benefits, etc. Employment Center, Inc. Agency. 569-1638

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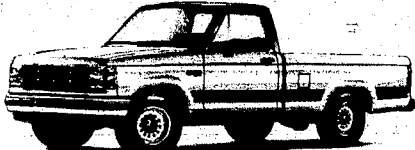
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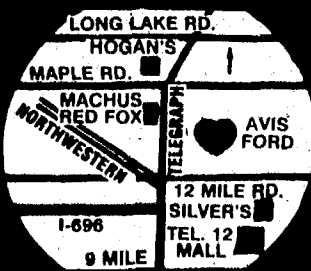
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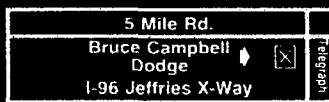
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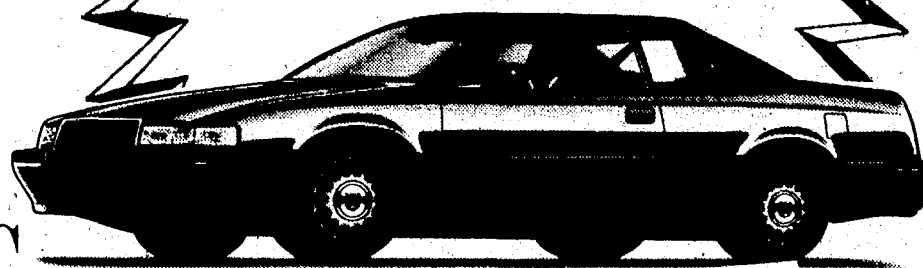
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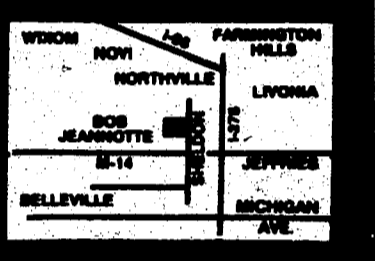
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# *Monthly Album*

## Tucker 50th anniversary

Fred and Shirley Tucker of Englewood, Fla., formerly of (30 years) Farmington, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Saturday, Nov. 21.

They were married in Farmington on Nov. 21, 1942.

They were childhood sweethearts. Fred was in the military during World War II and the Korean and Vietnam Wars. He retired in 1976 when they moved to Venice, Florida in 1979.

They celebrated with a family dinner given by their three sons, Larry, Mark and Glenn, their wives and grandson at Brighton House, Brighton.

Their daughter Cheri, her husband



and granddaughter of Venice, Florida gave a party for them on Saturday, Nov. 21.

## Boruff-Steller

Larry and Flo Boruff of Garden City announce the engagement of their daughter Sherri to Mark Steller, son of Tom and Linde Steller of Howell.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Garden City High School and is attending Henry Ford Community College for a career in the medical field.

Her fiance is a graduate of John Glenn High School and is employed by Northwest Airlines as a mechanic.

A June wedding is planned in St. Dunstan Church.



## Wilkie-Hoogerwerf

Julia Kathryn Hoogerwerf and Geoffrey Scott Wilkie were married April 25 in The Shrine-Chapel of Our Lady of Orchard Lake by the Rev. Michael Dylag. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Hoogerwerf of Farmington Hills and he is the son of Mrs. Marilyn Wilkie of Liverpool, N.Y. and Stephen Wilkie of North Syracuse, N.Y.

The bride is a graduate of Marian High School in Birmingham and Michigan State University with a degree in civil engineering and a master of science degree in civil engineering.

The groom is a graduate of Liverpool High School and Michigan State University with a degree in civil engineering and a master of science degree in civil engineering. He is a First Lt. in the Air Force and is an instructor at

the Air Force Institute of Technology, Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Dayton, Ohio.

Stasia Hoogerwerf served as her sister's maid of honor with bridesmaids Elizabeth Brent and Karin Wilkie.

John Van Ophem served as best man with groomsmen Dave Jaekle and Daryl Wilkie. Ushers were Theodore Hoogerwerf, William Hoogerwerf and Robert Beadle.

The couple received guests at Plum Hollow Golf Club in Southfield before leaving on a trip to Cocoa Beach, Florida. They are making their home in Fairborn, Ohio.

The couple's wedding pictures were taken by Rick Fairchild of Fairchild Photographic in West Bloomfield. He was recommended by friends.

## Keeber-Longoria

Dr. and Mrs. Willard H. Keeber of Farmington Hills announce the engagement of their daughter Anne Margaret to Michael Albert Longoria, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Longoria of Detroit.

The bride-to-be is a sales represent-

ative for S.O.B. International Inc. of Lebanon, Ohio. Her fiance owns and operates a custom sign studio in Lebanon, Ohio, and is an antiques dealer and collector.

A July wedding is planned in Farmington Hills.

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### Skolarus-Lindner

Frank and Judy Skolarus of Northville announce the engagement of their daughter Sheryl Ann to Christopher Michael Lindner, son of Denis and Ellen Lindner of Canton.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Northville High School and Michigan State University with a bachelor of science degree.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Plymouth Canton High School and Eastern Michigan University with a bachelor of science degree.

A June 1993 wedding is planned on Holy Family Church, Novi.



### Zrebiec-Houghton

Mr. and Mrs. Jose Hernandez of Dearborn announce the engagement of their daughter Tammy Lynn Zrebiec to Jeffrey Scott Houghton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Houghton of Canton.

The bride-to-be is a senior at the University of Michigan-Dearborn and is employed as sales manager by Wear Guard Stores, Westland.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Schoolcraft College and is employed as sous-chef at the Mayflower Hotel in Plymouth.

A September 1993 wedding is planned in St. Peter Lutheran Church, Plymouth.



### Roy-Pawlisz

Sue Ann Pawlisz and Joel Thomas Roy were married Aug. 1 in St. Robert Bellarmine Church, Redford, by the Rev. John Zwiers. She is the daughter of Ann Pawlisz of Detroit and he is the son of Patrick and Margaret Roy of Wayne.

The bride is a graduate of St. Andrew High School and attended Henry Ford Community College. She is owner and instructor of Susie's Dance Pointe in Westland.

The groom is a graduate of John Glenn High School and attended Henry Ford Community College. He is employed by BASF Chemical in Livonia.

Roxanne Potter served as matron of honor with bridesmaids Julie Wiczorek, Tina Krupinski, Lisa Bendy and Arlene Tomaszewski.

Michael Potter served as best man with groomsmen Mark Carter, Gary Krupinski, Ryan Miriani and Michael Krupinski.

The couple received guests at Burton



Manor before leaving on a trip upstate Michigan. They are making their home in Detroit.

### John-Oakes

Thomas and Janice John of Livonia announce the engagement of their daughter, Jennifer Susan, to Franklin Wilson Oakes Jr., son of Franklin and Mary Oakes of Golden, Colo., formerly of Livonia.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Madonna University and is working toward her master's degree at Eastern Michigan University. She is employed as a kindergarten teacher at St. Genevieve School in Livonia, also part time by Redford Union Schools.

Her fiancé is employed as a senior manufacturing technician at Kelsey Hayes in Brighton. He is also a freelance artist whose work is well known in the Brighton area.

A September wedding is planned in the Brighton Church of the Nazarene.



### McCormick-Altenger

Harriet T. McCormick of Yardley, Pa., and Colonel Frank E. McCormick of Rocky River, Ohio, announce the engagement of their daughter Susan Anne to Patrick George Altenger, son of George and Carole Altenger of Livonia.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of John Carroll University and is employed by Waste Management of North America in Bristol, Pa., as an account service representative.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Michigan State University and is also employed by Waste Management of North America as general manager.

A spring 1993 wedding is planned in Princeton, N.J.



### Corwin-Lobb

David and Ronni Curtis of Canton announce the engagement of his sister, Cindy Loraine Corwin of Canton, to Daniel James Lobb of Garden City, son of James and Jerilyn Lobb of Garden City.

The bride-elect, daughter of the late Dorothea (Hance) Corwin and the late Melvin "Bud" Corwin, is a graduate of Plymouth Salem High School and of Adrian College, where she earned a bachelor's degree in management. She is employed as an administrative assistant at Frank W. Kerr Co. in Novi.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Bishop Borgess High School and of the University of Michigan-Dearborn, where he earned a bachelor's degree in microbiology. He is planning to complete his degree in pharmacy at Wayne State University in April. He is employed as a pharmacy intern with KMart Corp. A September wedding is planned at



St. John Neumann Catholic Church in Canton.

## Tockstein-Beaudoin

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Tockstein of Westland announce the engagement of their daughter Deborah Lynn to William Shawn Beaudoin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vern Beaudoin of Amherstburg, Ontario.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of John Glenn High School and Wayne State University. She is employed by R.J. Spisak & Associates in Westland.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Western Secondary School and is employed at Faucher Lumber in Amherstburg.

A May 1993 wedding is planned in St. Matthew Lutheran Church.



## Kripas-Strzalkowski

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Creamer of Farmington Hills announce the engagement of their daughter Patricia Ann Kripas to James B. Strzalkowski, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Strzalkowski of Garden City.

The bride is a graduate of Garden City High School and is employed by General Medical Corp. in Livonia. Her fiancé is a graduate of Garden City High School and U of M-Dearborn. He is employed by Motorola as an electrical engineer.

A June 1993 wedding is planned in St. Simon & Jude Catholic Church, Westland.



## Gollob-Snabes

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Gollob of Livonia announce the engagement of their daughter Mauraleen Annette to Christopher Carl Snabes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Casimir Snabes of Garden City.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Bishop Borgess High School and Chaminade University of Honolulu. She is a second year law student at the University of Detroit-Mercy School of Law. She is employed by a Livonia law firm.

Her fiancé is also graduate of Bishop Borgess High School and Eastern Michigan University. He is a graduate student at EMU and is employed with Difco Laboratories R & D.

A June 1993 wedding is planned.



## Dickie-Thompson

Pamela Ann Thompson and John William Dickie were married November 7 in St. Theodore Catholic Church, Westland. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Thompson of Westland and he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Dickie of Westland.

The bride is a graduate of John Glenn High School and is employed by Jim Graham's Garage.

The groom is also a graduate of John Glenn High School and is employed by the city of Westland.

The couple received guests at St. Clement Hall in Dearborn before leaving on a trip to Florida. They are making their home in Westland.



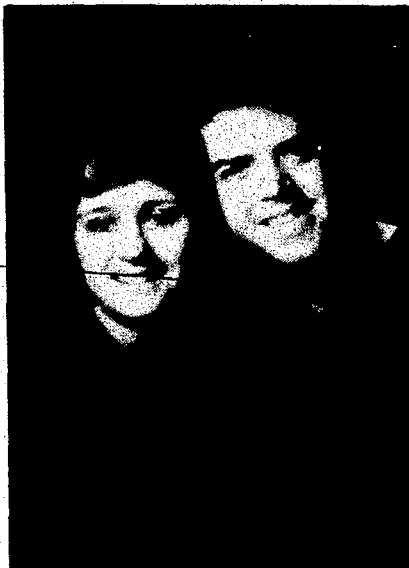
## Mayer-Gandolfi

Karen and Richard Mayer of Plymouth announce the engagement of their daughter, Pamela Kristine, to Adam Robert Gandolfi of Southfield, son of Leslie and Robert Gandolfi of Houghton Lake, Mich.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Plymouth Salem High School and of Eastern Michigan University, where she earned a bachelor's degree in exercise physiology. She is employed as a cardiovascular technician at William Beaumont Hospital in Royal Oak.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Central Michigan University, where he earned a bachelor's degree in exercise physiology. He is employed as a cardiovascular technician at William Beaumont Hospital in Royal Oak.

A late June wedding is planned at Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church in Plymouth.



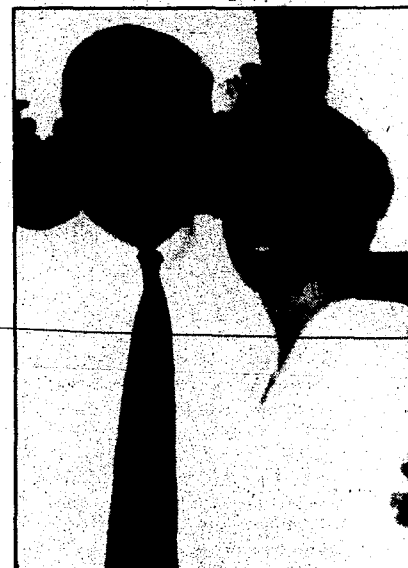
## Frigge-Hanlon

Jeanne and Rowland Frigge of Plymouth announce the engagement of their daughter, Beth, to Scott Hanlon, son of Judy and Doug Hanlon of Wayland, Mich.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Central Michigan University, where she earned a degree in psychology. She is employed as a sales representative with Pratt Pharmaceutical.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Central Michigan University, where he earned a degree in history. He is employed as a supervisor with United Parcel Service.

An October wedding is planned in Plymouth.



**Jacobs-Isherwood**

Mary Jacobs of Novi and Ronald Jacobs of Royal Oak announce the engagement of their daughter Cynthia Elizabeth to George Patrick Isherwood, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Isherwood of Cleveland, Ohio.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Harrison High School and Ferris State University. She is employed in the International Department of Guardian Industries Corp. in Northville.

Her fiance is a graduate of St. Edward High School and the University of Detroit and is employed as a mechanical engineer by Migdal, Layne & Sachs Inc. in Oak Park.

A May wedding is planned in Nardin Park United Methodist Church, Farmington Hills.



**Ajlouny-Grigsby**

Louis Ajlouny of Livonia announces the engagement of his daughter Rania Marie to Brint V. Grigsby, son of Judy Engel of Manitou Beach, Michigan.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Churchill High School and is employed by D. Dennison's in Livonia.

Her fiance is a graduate of Addison High School and is employed by PeeSIGe Painting in Livonia.

A May wedding is planned in St. Mary Orthodox Church, Livonia.



**Macdonald-Griffore**

Suzanne M. Griffore and Michael A. Macdonald were married November 27 in Divine Savior Church in Westland. She is the daughter of David and Connie Griffore of Farmington Hills and he is the son of John and Mary Macdonald of Farmington.

The bride is a graduate of Eastern Michigan University and is employed as a recreational therapist by Spectrum Rehabilitation Center in Brain Trauma Rehab.

The groom is a graduate of Michigan State University. He is employed as a financial analyst by Ford Motor Co.

Marianne Borbi served as maid of honor and Timothy Macdonald served as best man.

The couple received guests at the Golden Fox of Fox Hill Golf Club before leaving on a Windjammer cruise in



the West Indies. They will make their home in Novi.

**Harriman-McKibben**

Doris Harriman of Farmington Hills and Thomas Harriman of Westland announce the engagement of their daughter Tracy Louise to Eric Anthony McKibben, son of Eileen and Don McKibben of Farmington.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Farmington High School and is employed by World Wide Grower. Her fiance attended Harrison High School and is presently working at Sonny's Plumbing and will be a licenced plumber by the time of the wedding.

A May wedding is planned in Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church, Livonia.



**Miller-Kristoff**

Erin R. Kristoff and Duane M. Miller were married Nov. 21 in Glendale, Ariz. She is the daughter of Richard and Janet Kristoff of Farmington and he is the son of Frank and Ann Miller of Glendale, Arizona.

The bride is a graduate of Farmington High School and is attending Michigan State University. She is employed by LaPetite Academy in Scottsdale, Ariz.

The groom is employed as a golf professional at Marriott's Mountain Shadows Resort in Paradise Valley, Ariz.

Karen K. Chen and Stacey Adame served as the bride's attendants.

Clay L. Meininger and Derrick M. Miller served as the groom's attendants.

The couple received guests in Glendale, Ariz., before leaving on a trip to



San Diego, Calif. They are making their home in Phoenix.

**Palmer-Birsa**

Kristine Birsa and John Palmer were married April 10 at the Grosse Pointe Academy Chapel. She is the daughter of Paul and Arlene Birsa of Farmington Hills and he is the son of Thomas and Jean Palmer of Clawson.

The bride is a graduate of Michigan State University and is a manager at KPMG Peat Marwick.

The groom is a graduate of Walsh College and a senior manager at KPMG Peat Marwick.

The couple received guests at the Detroit Athletic Club in Detroit. A Carribean cruise followed. They are making their home in the Chicago area.



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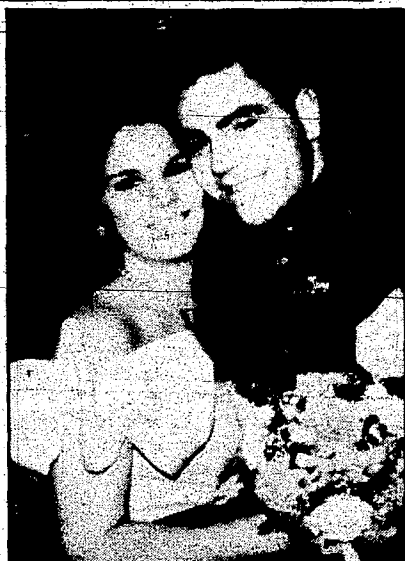
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## Nelson-Black

Kimberly Dawn Black and Gary Dean Nelson were married June 27 in The Wedding Gardens in Las Vegas. She is the daughter of Sammie Black of Santa Margarita, Calif. and Judy Black of Garden City and he is the son of Dean and Judy Nelson of Minnesota.

The bride is a student at Saddleback College in Mission Viejo, Calif.

The groom is a E-4 Corporal in the United States Marine Corps stationed in Camp Pendleton, Calif.



## Rosowski-Dewan

Robert and Kathleen Rosowski of Ann Arbor announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary to Michael Dewan, son of Patrick and Bonnie Dewan of South Lyon.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Mercy High School and the University of Michigan. She is employed by Mitchell Elementary School in Ann Arbor as a teacher. Her fiance is a graduate of Detroit Catholic Central and Grand Valley State University. He is a small business owner in South Lyon.



## Zielke-Fuhst

Melissa Marie Fuhst and Erik John Zielke were married Sept. 18 in Redford Township Hall by Justice of the Peace Winston Churchill.

The bride is a graduate of Redford Union High School. The groom is also a graduate of Redford Union High School and is serving with the U.S. Marine Corps stationed in California.



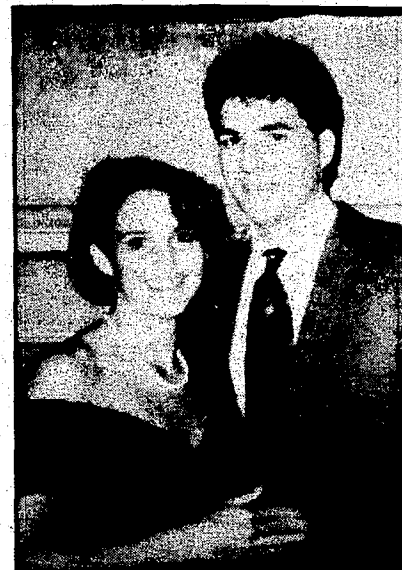
## Ruggiero-Dyke

Anthony and Janet Ruggiero of Plymouth announce the engagement of their daughter, Annette, to Peter Gilland Dyke, son of Vernon and Susan Dyke of Rochester, N.Y.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Mercy High School and of Colorado State University, where she earned a degree in finance. She is employed by Hewlett Packard in Ft. Collins, Colo., as a senior financial analyst.

Her fiance received his bachelor of science degree from Colorado State University and his master's in business administration degree from Cornell University. He is employed as a finance operations manager at Hewlett Packard.

A late March wedding is planned at Winter Park Resort in Colorado, the ceremony to be conducted at St. Bernard Catholic Church.



## Wargin-Barnaby

Russell and Patricia Wargin of Canton announce the engagement of their daughter, Cherie Lynn, to David Parent Barnaby Jr. of South Lyon, son of Ruthann Barnaby of Ann Arbor and David Parent Barnaby Sr. of Livonia.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Plymouth Salem High School. She is employed with Amicare Home Health Care in Farmington Hills.

Her fiance is a graduate of Plymouth Canton High School and of the University of Detroit, where he earned a bachelor's degree. He is a graduate of the University of Michigan, where he earned a master's degree, and is employed with the Ford Motor Co.

A summer 1994 wedding is planned



at St. John Neumann Catholic Church in Canton.

## Turko-Fife

Jennifer Lynn Fife of Canton and Michael Christopher Turko of Highland, Mich., were married Oct. 3 at Rosedale Gardens Presbyterian Church in Livonia. The Rev. Richard Peters performed the ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Bill and Cathy Fife of Canton and Mike and Shirley Turko of Highland.

The bride is a graduate of Central Michigan University. She is employed as a surveillance coordinator with Detroit Diesel.

Her husband is a graduate of Central Michigan University. He is employed as a senior credit analyst with Comerica Bank.

Pamela Fisher was the maid of honor. The bridesmaids were Shannon Brown, Danielle Peterson and sister of the bridegroom Beth Turko.

Mark Peake was the best man. The groomsmen were Shawn Rodocker and brothers of the bride Chris Fife and Tim Fife.



For her wedding, the bride wore a silk gown with an all-lace bodice, long sleeves, a high scalloped neckline and a chapel train. She carried a bouquet of cascading white roses, stephanotis, freesia and green ivy.

A reception was held at Glen Oaks Country Club.

Following a Caribbean cruise, the newlyweds are making their home in Novi.

## Kulick-Greenwood

Jill Marie Greenwood and Joseph Winn Kulick were married Oct. 2 in Carmel Highland Doubletree Resort, San Diego, Calif. by Charles Richards. She is the daughter of Richard Greenwood of Redford and Christina Boucher of Tucson, Ariz., and he is the son of Robert Kulick of Worthington, Ohio and Mary Kulick of Loma Linda, Calif.

The bride is a graduate of Garden City High School and is employed by Beach International Inc. as an office

manager and executive assistant.

The groom is a graduate of Pasqual High School and is the owner of a car detailing business.

Sara Hooten served as maid of honor and Paul Hinson served as best man.

The couple received guests at Carmel Highland Doubletree Resort before leaving on a trip to Napa Valley, San Francisco, Monterey and Carmel. They are making their home in San Diego, Calif.

**Fleming-Mykols**

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Fleming of Plymouth announce the engagement of their daughter, Jennifer Lynn, to David Thomas Mykols of Plymouth, son of Dennis Mykols of Grand Haven, Mich., and Diana Mykols of Canton.

The bride-elect is a senior at Western Michigan University, where she is majoring in elementary education and plans to graduate in the winter of 1993.

Her fiance is a graduate of Eastern Michigan University, where he studied finance. He is employed at Roney & Co. of Plymouth.

A summer 1994 wedding is planned.



**Scheibel-Gearns**

Dave and Sandy Scheibel of White Lake, Mich., announce the engagement of their daughter, Kristen Keri Scheibel of Westland, to Jeffrey Phillip Gearns of Westland, son of James and Norma Gearns of Belleville.

The bride-elect attends Schoolcraft College and is working toward an associate degree in accounting. She is employed at Adistra Corp. in Plymouth.

Her fiance is employed at Meijer's.

A late March wedding is planned at Prince of Peace Lutheran Church.



**Ludwig-Dallago**

Debra K. Dallago of Denver, Colo., and Peter M. Ludwig of Denver were married Sept. 19 at St. Louis Catholic Church.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dallago of Denver and Mr. and Mrs. Michael Ludwig of Denver.

The bride is a graduate of Plymouth Canton High School. She is employed as a legal secretary.

Her husband is a graduate of Cherry Creek High School in Englewood, Colo. He is employed as an attorney in Denver.

Following a wedding trip to Jamaica, the newlyweds are making their home in Englewood, Colo.



**Kuffel-Chandes**

Harry Lewis and Carole Kuffel of Livonia announce the engagement of their daughter Nancy Ann to Gerald Bernard Chandes Jr., son of Gerald Bernard and Kathleen Chandes of Livonia.

A January wedding is planned in St. Colette Church, Livonia.



**Bailey-Stephens**

Mike Bailey of Plymouth announces the engagement of his daughter, Jennifer Michelle, to Mark Francis Stephens of Northville, son of Robert and Marcella Stephens of Northville.

The bride-elect plans to graduate from Saginaw Valley State University in the spring of 1993. She is majoring in art and design.

Her fiance plans to graduate from Saginaw Valley State University with a finance major in the spring of 1993. He is employed at Merrill Lynch.

A late April 1994 wedding is planned at Lovett Hall at Greenfield Village in Dearborn.



**Jenson-Wonfor**

Angelia Wonfor and Michael Jenson were married Nov. 28 in the Little Wedding Chapel of Farmington Hills. She is the daughter of Don Wonfor of Sterling Heights and Pam Cogo of Livonia and he is the son of Douglas

and Violet Jenson of Royal Oak.

The bride is a graduate of Troy High School. The groom is a graduate of Kimball High School.

The couple received guests at the bride's mother's home.

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## Roselli-Garces

Sara C. Garces and Daniel J. Roselli were married June 27 in Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church, Midland, by the Rev. John Hammer. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Juan Garces of Midland and he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Roselli of Farmington Hills.

The bride is a graduate of Midland High School and Michigan State University. She is a graduate student at the University of Minnesota in Human Resources and is employed as an intern with Film Tec Corp.

The groom is a graduate of North Farmington High School and Michigan State University. He is employed by General Mills Inc., Golden Valley, Minn. as a financial analyst. He is also enrolled in the University of Minnesota M.B.A. program.

Cassandra Garces served as her sister's maid of honor with bridesmaids Jean Roselli, Tamara Syrek, Cindy Bergstrom, and Susan Bajzer. Marcela Garces served as junior bridesmaid. Flower girl was Martha Garces.

Philip Roselli served as his brother's best man with groomsmen Paul Bailey, David Bailey, David Davis, Todd



Roshak and Scott Johnson. Andy Garces served as junior groomsman. The couple received guests at Cafe Edward in Midland before leaving on a cruise to the Caribbean and Disney World. They are making their home in Eden Prairie, Minn.

## Pfeifer-Pendell

Jane Ellen Pendell and Bradley Claude Pfeifer were married Aug. 21 by the Rev. Kean D. Cronin in St. Genevieve Catholic Church. She is the daughter of John and Judith Pendell and he is the son of Sharon Pfeifer of Dearborn and Donald Pfeifer of West Bloomfield.

The bride is a graduate of Bentley High School and Central Michigan University. She is employed as a marketing copywriter for E.D.S. in Troy.

The groom is a graduate of Dearborn High School and Wayne State University. He is employed as a systems analyst for Chrysler Corp.

Julie Pendell served as her sister's maid of honor with bridesmaids Andrea Pfeifer, Cathy Santi, and Julie Slomczenski. Andrea Hodges and Leah Keilman served as flower girls.

Richard Moore served as best man with groomsmen Bill Dean, Kevin Dewey, Tim Pfeifer, John Pendell Jr. and Jeff Pendell.

The couple received guests at the



Dearborn Inn before leaving on a trip to Boston and Cape Cod. They are making their home in Dearborn.

## Southland-Hoffman

George and Marilyn Southland of Three Rivers, Mich., announce the engagement of their daughter Dawn Michelle to Ross Alan Hoffman, son of Gordon and Catherine Hoffman of Redford.

A January wedding is planned in Three Rivers Bible Church, Three Rivers, Michigan.



## Ulle-Taschner

Jill Marie Taschner and William Frank Ulle III were married Oct. 17 in St. Colette Catholic Church in Livonia by the Rev. Brad Forintos. She is the daughter of Mike and Julie Taschner of Northville and he is the son of William and Mary Ulle II of Livonia.

The bride is a graduate of Northville High School and Michigan State University with a degree in communications. She is employed as a media relations specialist by Little Caesars Pizzeria.

The groom is a graduate of Stevenson High School and Western Michigan University. He is employed as a sales representative by Bengal Steel Corp.

Lori Carlson served as matron of honor, with bridesmaids Denise Colvas, Deanna Kase, Sheri Mandel, Sandra Horstkotte, Mary Catherine Dickmann, Joni Ulle, Julie Merana and Carolyn Swink.

Rob Kuphal served as best man with groomsmen Greg Burrell, Kurt Dickmann, Brian Greene, John Keim, Dan Gilmartin, Sean Kelly, John O'Conner



and John Taschner. The couple received guests at the Walnut Creek Country Club in South Lyon before leaving on a trip to Sandals Resort, Jamaica. They are making their home in Novi.

## Peterson-Bobbish

Cynthia Bobbish and Mark Peterson of Plymouth were married Nov. 21 in The Little Wedding Chapel of Farmington Hills by the Rev. Shari Johnson.

The bride is employed as a dental assistant in West Bloomfield Township.

The groom is a graduate of the University of Michigan. He is employed as a product design engineer by Ford Motor Co. in Dearborn.

Dawn Law served as maid of honor with bridesmaids Bethany Vale and Pamela Peterson. Debbie Bobbis served as junior bridesmaid.

Kirk Goleniak served as best man with groomsmen Aravin Balasubramanian and Todd McMahon. Aaron Smith served as junior groomsman.

The couple received guests at the



Holiday Inn in Farmington Hills. They will travel to Europe in the spring.

## Womack-Cance

Pamela Womack Gibbings and David E. Gibbings of Livonia announce the engagement of their daughter Michelle Wynn Womack to Bradley Norman Cance, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Cance of Ontario, Canada.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Michigan State University with a bachelor of science degree in hotel, restaurant, institutional management. She is employed as a catering coordinator by Holiday Inn in Livonia.

Her fiance is a graduate of Michigan State University with a bachelor of arts degree in communications with a minor in business. He is employed as a front desk manager at the Ritz Carlton Hotel in Chicago.

A July wedding is planned in St. Scholastica Church in Detroit.



**Roselli-Drees**

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Roselli of Farmington Hills announce the engagement of their daughter Jean Marie to Thomas Michael Drees, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Drees of Toledo, Ohio.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of North Farmington High School and Michigan State University. She is employed by Hallmark Marketing Corp. as a sales executive.

Her fiancé is a graduate of the University of Toledo with a degree in electrical engineering. He owns his own cellular phone company and is also an agent for Centel Cellular in Ohio.

A May wedding is planned in St. Fabian Catholic Church, Farmington Hills.



**Piscopink-Zakalowski**

Nancy Zakalowski and Gene Piscopink were married Oct. 20 in Duns River Falls, Jamaica. She is the daughter of Phyllis and Tony Zakalowski of Garden City and he is the son of Barb and Eugene Piscopink of Westland.

The bride is a graduate of Garden City East High School. The groom is a graduate of Wayne Memorial High School.

The couple honeymooned at Ocho Rios, Jamaica. A wedding reception was held November 14. They are making their home in Dearborn Heights.



**Hoffman-Bock**

Penny Lynn Bock and Ronald Edward Hoffman were married Nov. 27 in The Little Wedding Chapel of Farmington Hills by the Rev. Shari Johnson.

Linda Feldmann served as maid of honor. Ronald Feldmann served as best man.

The couple made a trip to Northern Michigan. They are making their home in Livonia.



**Srock-Olschefska**

Deborah Ellen Olschefska and Michael Gary Srock were married Nov. 28 in the Little Wedding Chapel of Farmington Hills by the Rev. Shari L. Johnson. She is the daughter of Doris Olschefska of Farmington and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Olachefski of Warren and he is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Roy and Karen McAnnally of Bloomfield.

Cindy Cheney serves as matron of honor and Carol Dingeldej served as maid of honor.

Mike Davis served as best man with groomsman Jim Mayo.



**Koslow-Quinn**

Patricia Susan Quinn and Dr. Scott Allen Koslow were married Nov. 7 in All Saints Catholic Church, Dallas, Texas, by the Rev. John Libone. She is the daughter of Margaret L. Quinn of Seguin, Texas, and Peter F. Quinn of Houston, Texas, and he is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Koslow of Livonia.

The bride is a graduate of the University of Texas at Austin and is working on her master's in education at the University of North Texas. She will graduate in the spring of 1993.

The groom is a graduate of Franklin High School and the University of Michigan and received his doctorate from the University of Southern California.

Anne Morris served as maid of honor and Beth Moscariello and Maro Coco served as matrons of honor with bridesmaids Deanna Moscariello. Laura Coco served as flower girl and Amy Moscariello served as ringbearer.

Mark Koslow served as best man with groomsmen Greg Urbanski, Don



Vihn, and Tassu Sherbani. Ted Ware and Robert Glenn served as ushers.

The couple received guests at the Chapparal Club in downtown Dallas before leaving on a bicycle trip through England and Scotland. They are making their home in Plano, Texas.

**Gensler-Capraro**

Angela Marie Capraro and Eric Christopher Gensler were married Sept. 19 in Central United Methodist Church, Traverse City.

The bride is employed by Great Lakes Business Systems. The groom is employed by United Technologies Automotive.

Sherry Romano served as matron of honor with bridesmaids Kim Begley, Trish Baden, Sue Gensler and Amy Caldwell.

Roger Stachnik served as best man with groomsmen Don Sauer, Chuck Russell, Pete Sharp and Kerry Gensler.

The couple received guests at Platte River Association Hall in Honor, Mich., before leaving on a trip to Puerto Vallarta, Mexico. They are making their home in Traverse City.



## Seal-LaBarbera

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Seal of Northville announce the engagement of their daughter Lisa Renee to John Patrick LaBarbera, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert LaBarbera of Indianapolis, Ind.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Plymouth Canton High School and has attended Western Michigan University and Lawrence Technological University where she is completing a bachelor of architecture degree. She is employed by Lopiccolo Homes and Multi Building Co. as director of sales and marketing for the Northville Trails Development.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Lawrence North High School in Indianapolis and Ball State University with a bachelor of science degree in marketing. He is employed by the Dr. Pepper/Seven-Up Co. based out of Dallas, Texas as an account sales manager in the Midwest. A June 1993 wedding is planned in



First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth.

## Waechter-Winnick

Tonya Michelle Winnick and Brian S. Waechter were married July 25 in Adrian, Mich., by the Rev. Bradshaw. She is the daughter of Carol Medley of Garden City and Les Winnick of Perry, Michigan and he is the son of Stan and Diane Waechter of Troy.

The bride is a graduate of Adrian College with a bachelor's degree in early childhood education.

The groom completed pre-pharmacy at Wayne State University and will complete his doctorate at Ferris State University.



## Barnowski-Bussler

Nancy Ruth Bussler and Timothy Douglas Barnowski were married May 15 in St. Genevieve Church in Livonia by the Rev. Kean Cronin. She is the daughter of Dolores and Kenneth Bussler of Livonia and he is the son of Elinor Barnowski and Donald Barnowski Sr. of Royal Oak.

The bride is a graduate of Bentley High School and Schoolcraft College. She is employed by Future Three Software in Livonia as a customer support rep.

The groom is a graduate of Berkley High School and is employed by Sulzer Plasma Technik in Troy.

Judy Bussler served as her sister's maid of honor with bridesmaid Kathy Hacko.

Don Barnowski Jr. served as his brother's best man with groomsmen Doug Barnowski, Doug Bussler and Michael Barnowski served as ushers.

The couple received guests at Mercy Center in Farmington Hills before



leaving on a cruise to the Bahamas and Disney World. They are making their home in Allen Park.

## Fairall-Frampus

Thomas and Sharon Fairall of Grosse Ile announce the engagement of their daughter Tami Lynn to Michael Howell Frampus, son of Howell and Loretta Frampus of Redford.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Grosse Ile High School and Roberts Wesleyan College in Rochester, N.Y. She is employed as a registered nurse by Oakwood Downriver Medical Center.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Redford Union High School and Wayne State University. He is employed as a substitute teacher in the Farmington Public School District.

An April wedding is planned in Grosse Ile Baptist Church.



## Bessey-Marshall

Gail Bessey of Plymouth announces the engagement of her daughter Jill Margaret to 2nd Lt. David Herman Marshall, son of Herman and Harlean Marshall of Redford.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Plymouth Salem High School and is attending Eastern Michigan University. She is employed by K.P. American in Southfield.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Redford Union High School and Eastern Michigan University. He is a second lieutenant in the United States Marine Corps at Quantico, Va.

A December, 1993 wedding is planned in St. John Episcopal Church, Plymouth.



## Phillips-Dobbs

Tisha Lee Dobbs and 1st Lt. Richard L. Phillips II were married July 25 in the First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth. She is the daughter of Chuck and Sharon Dobbes of Livonia and he is the son of Major General Richard Phillips U.S.M.C. of Washington, D.C. and Jacqueline Phillips of Carlsbad, California.

The bride is attending San Diego State for a degree in nutrition. The groom is a graduate of San Diego State and is a pilot in the U.S. Marine Corps.

The couple exchanged vows with a full military swordarch presentation. They received guests at the Marriott Hotel before leaving on a Caribbean Cruise. They are making their home in San Diego, California.



**Patuano-Kendall**

Vincent D. Patuano of Redford announces the engagement of his daughter Sherry Lynn to Thomas Kendall, son of Larry and Grace Kendall of Redford.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Redford Union High School and is employed by Household Retail Services.

Her fiance is also a graduate of Redford Union High School and is attending Schoolcraft College. He is employed by the Wayne County Sheriff's Department.

A May wedding is planned in St. Valentine Church in Redford.



**Hill-Ogden**

Lori Ann Ogden and Timothy Bruce Hill were married Dec. 5 in The Little Wedding Chapel of Farmington Hills by the Rev. Shari Johnson. She is the daughter of Nancy Powers of Canton and Thomas Larsen of Northville and he is the son of Robert Hill.

The bride and groom are both employed by Outback Steakhouse.



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**Salacain-Singer**

Reyne Anne Singer and James Maurice Salacain were married Oct. 3 in St. Mary Catholic Church, Rochester, N.Y., by the Rev. James Lawlor. She is the daughter of David and Yvonne Singer of Farmington and he is the son of Maurice and Majorie Salacain of Commack, N.Y.

The bride is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin with a degree in art therapy. She is a registered art therapist and is employed by Episcopal Church Home Senior Residence.

The groom is pursuing his master's in imaging science at the Rochester Institute of Technology. He is employed by Eastman Kodak.

Anne Marie Diakow served as matron of honor with bridesmaids Michelle Snyder, Therese Albertelli, Debra Singer, Monica Waino and Marlis Downs.

John Salacain served as best man with groomsmen Dan Singer, Michael Epner, Ronald Marsico, Robert Diakow and Paul Salacain.



The couple received guests at Thendara Inn in Canandaigua, N.Y., before leaving on a water rafting trip in the Grand Canyon. They are making their home in Rochester, N.Y.

**Ziomek-Lemming**

Deborah Ann Lemming and Robert Joseph Ziomek were married May 9 in Our Lady of Good Counsel Church in Plymouth by the Rev. Joseph Plawecki. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lemming of Plymouth and he is the son of Lorraine Ziomek of Livonia and the late Daniel Ziomek.

The bride is a graduate of Plymouth Canton High School and attended Eastern Michigan University. She is employed by Detroit Cab Co.

The groom is a graduate of Bentley High School and is employed by Valassis Inserts in Livonia.

Judy Mansur served as maid of honor with bridesmaids Denise Lemming, Cindy Ziomek, and Sally Messacar.

Brian Auge served as best man with groomsmen Dave Fugate, Brian Brickman, and Marty Clark. Mark Ziomek served as usher and Adam Allen served as junior usher. Justin Allen served as ringbearer.

The couple received guests at Laurel



Manor before leaving on a trip to Hawaii and California. They are making their home in Northville.

## Miller-Fisher

Lawrence and Susan Miller of Redford announce the engagement of their daughter Sharon Ann to Gregg Anthony Fisher, son of Donald and Barbara Fisher of Hancock, MI.

The bride-to-be will graduate in April from Western Michigan University with a degree in occupational therapy. She is employed by Botsford Hospital.

Her fiancé is an intern at the University of Michigan Medical Center and will graduate in May 1993.

A May wedding is planned in St. Agatha Church, Redford.



## Konwinski-Rettig

Tony and Joyce Konwinski of Posen, Mich., announce the engagement of their daughter Sheila to Geoffrey K. Rettig, son of Rollin and Ina Rettig of Westland.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Posen High School and is attending Northwood Institute. She is employed by Midland County Friend of the Court office.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Livonia Franklin High School and Western Michigan University and a 1989 graduate of Wayne State University Law School. He is employed as an assistant prosecutor in Midland County.

A May wedding is planned in St. Casimir Church, Posen, Mich.



## Copi-Smith

Mr. and Mrs. James J. Copi of Livonia announce the engagement of their daughter Sherri Lynn to Eric Brian Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. David H. Smith of Girard, Ohio.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Ladywood High School and Madonna University. She is employed as a high school teacher for the Livonia Public Schools.

Her fiancé is also a graduate of Madonna University where he earned a degree in accounting. He is employed at Trader Publishing in the accounting department.

A February wedding is planned in St. Michael Catholic Church, Livonia.



## Cockrum-Harbottle

Robert and Elaine Cockrum of Westland announce the engagement of their daughter Sandra Lynne to Joseph John Harbottle, son of John and Carol Harbottle of Muncie, Ind.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Eastern Michigan University and is attending Eastern Michigan University master's program.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Muncie Central High School and Northern Illinois University.

A June 1993 wedding is planned.



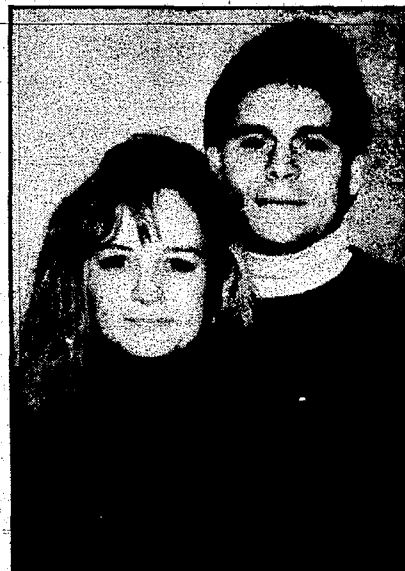
## Thompson-Reiber

Jack and Patricia Thompson announce the engagement of their daughter Jane to William Reiber, son of Richard and Elaine Reiber of Trenton.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of North Farmington High School and Central Michigan University. She is employed as an accountant by Henry Ford Health System.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Trenton High School and Central Michigan University. He is employed as a programmer analyst for Computer Methods Corp.

A May wedding is planned in Orchard United Methodist Church.





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