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**PLACES & FACES**

**Bottles for bears**

Students in the Resource Room at Hicks Elementary recently finished collecting \$100 worth of recyclable bottles to sponsor a polar bear from the Detroit Zoo for one year.

The project, which started in November, is part of a teaching unit on animals and the environment. The students plan to visit the bear on a field trip to the zoo in May. The Wayne-Westland elementary school is located on Helen in Inkster.

And, what would a bear sponsored by Hicks students be called? "Hicks-ups" is his name.

**Open house scheduled**

St. Damian Catholic School is hosting an open house noon to 2 p.m. Sunday, March 9, when the school will be open for tours, refreshments and the school science fair. Teachers and staff will also be available. The school is at 29891 Joy Road in Westland. For more information, call (313) 427-1680.

**New at Recruiting Station**

Petty Officer Second class Theon Lloyd has joined the staff of Navy Recruiting Station Westland.

A 1983 graduate of Canton High School, Lloyd has been in the Navy since 1984 and was awarded the Navy Achievement Medal twice.

A Wayne native, he is married to the former Michelle Lenore Wydeman and has a son, Garland. Navy Recruiting Station Westland is located at 36480 Ford Road, Westland. The phone number is (313) 721-7250.

**Dean's list announced**

The following students from Westland have earned a spot on the fall dean's list at Schoolcraft College:

Corissa Vawn Baran, Matthew Joseph Beau-doin, Kyle Dewayne Becker, Robert P. Bemis, Robert Alan Biggs Jr., Karen Arlene Chuck, Jamie Lyn Churchman, Matthew Scott Colip, Melanie Demara, Jason Michael Dunn, Amy Dawn Eye, John Frederick Floto, Derek Joseph Gentry, Leo Patrick Girard, Frank Robert Gonzales, Dawn M. Gorrell, Weiping Huang, Todd Elbert Hyde, Tara Ann Jeffress and Belinda Faye Jennings.

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**Skating for a cause**

**Doln' the Hokey Pokey:** Girl Scouts above (from left) Gretchen Heinicke, 8 and Tara Harrington, 9, from Patchin Elementary and Jessica Dwyer, 9, and Jessica Maxwell, 8, from P.D. Graham Elementary dance to the beat at Monday's skating party. The event was part of the Helping Hands program sponsored by Huron Valley Girl Scout Council, and to commemorate Girl Scouting's 85th anniversary.



STAFF PHOTOS BY TOM HAWLEY

**Buckling up:** At left, Tara Hilyard, 10, from Wildwood Elementary School puts on her skates for Monday's party. More than 300 Girl Scouts and family members attended the skating party at Skateland West in Westland. Each scout brought a personal care item to be donated to the domestic violence shelter First Step.

**Scouts are honored to help**

More than 400 Westland Girl Scouts and their families took over Skateland West Monday evening to have a good time, celebrate Girl Scouting's 85th anniversary and participate in the Huron Valley Girl Scout Council's Helping Hands project.

The two-hour party is one of a number of events taking place throughout the council to celebrate Girl Scouting's 85th anniversary.

Admittedly nervous about not getting at least 200 skaters to "have the rink to ourselves," North Service Unit manager Diane Browning was pleased with how the skating party turned out.

"We took on a service project and enlarged on it," said Browning. "We like to include families in scouting and this was a good way to do that."

Juliette Gordon Lowe began Girl Scouting with a troop of 18 girls who met in her home on March 12, 1912. Today, Girl Scouting is part of the world's largest voluntary organization for girls and women. In the United States alone, three million girls ages 5-17 are Girl Scouts.

Scouts in the Huron Valley Girl Scout Council are celebrating the anniversary in three ways — a council-wide service project, a salute to multi-generational Girl

Scout families and a display of Girl Scout memorabilia.

The council-wide project, "Helping Hands: United Hands," is sponsored by Briarwood's J.L. Hudson Store. Scouts in Washtenaw, Livingston and Monroe counties and parts of Wayne and Oakland counties will collect personal care items to give to residents of domestic violence shelters.

Browning's service unit, representing 20 Westland troops collected some 600 personal care products for First Step's shelter. The group also went one step further, inviting First Step's families to

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**Union eyes 3-year pact**

Livonia teachers and their school system have reached a tentative 3-year contract extension, following negotiations as part of a wage re-opener in their current contract.



BY MARIE CHESTNEY  
STAFF WRITER

Teachers in the Livonia Public Schools will vote Feb. 27 on a new agreement which extends their current three-year contract until June 1999.

The tentative contract gives teachers a 2.5 percent pay increase for the current year, a 2 percent salary increase in the last year of the contract, and longevity pay in lieu of traditional increases in the second year.

The Livonia district includes students and taxpayers from the northern portion of Westland.

The 2.5 percent pay increase for 1996-97, is retroactive to July 1, 1996. It will not become part of the salary schedule for subsequent years, and so will not be part of the base salary upon which future pay increases are figured.

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If the contract is approved, teachers are expected to receive a separate lump sum payment on April 11 for retroactive pay.

Starting in 1997-98 — the second year of the contract — the tentative contract gives teachers with 16 years of service an increase in longevity pay instead of a traditional pay increase.

A teacher with 16 years of service now gets an extra \$600 every year. That jumps to \$1,936 in 1997 and thereafter under the tentative contract — a 220 percent increase.

A teacher with 25 years of service now gets an extra \$1,950 every year. That jumps to \$3,286 and thereafter under the tentative contract — an increase of 65 percent.

Teachers have received a brief rundown of the tentative agreement reached Feb. 14. Bargaining team members will review it at a meeting 6-8 p.m. Feb. 25 in Churchill Auditorium. The voting meeting begins at

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**Couple dies in weekend murder-suicide**

BY CASEY HANS  
STAFF WRITER

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An estranged Wayne couple is dead in an apparent murder-suicide, after the husband reportedly lay in wait last Saturday morning in the parking lot of a Westland bar, shooting and killing first his wife and then himself.

The quick reaction of a third man allowed him to escape the scene unharmed, police said.

Dead are Robert Thorpe, 36, and Susan Thorpe, 38, both of Wayne. According to police, the couple had separated several days before the incident and had no children.

According to Westland Police Lt. Mark Stobbe, witnesses placed Robert Thorpe both at the scene of the shooting — Chatters Lounge on Wayne Road — and earlier in the morning at a nearby restaurant where he was seen watching the parking lot of the bar.

Police were called to Chatters Lounge at 9:51 a.m. Saturday morning, following the report that a man had driven up in a Dodge Ram pickup truck and opened fire at another vehicle, shooting and killing a woman and then himself. Another

man was able to flee the scene with damage to his vehicle, but no injury, Stobbe said.

According to police investigations, Susan Thorpe had reportedly left her husband and moved out of their Wayne residence several days before the incident. She had reportedly gone to Chatters sometime Friday night or early Saturday morning, leaving the bar with two men and returning to pick up her car shortly before the 9:51 a.m. incident, Stobbe said. It was at that point that she was confronted by her estranged husband.

"He went up to the wife's car and started shooting," Stobbe said. "The man who drove her (to pick up her car) was able to get away." Susan Thorpe drove a dark blue Ford Thunderbird.

An estimated five rounds of slugs were fired during the incident with a 20-gauge shotgun. Although there were witnesses in the area, police said, no one else was reported injured. Robert Thorpe died of gunshot wounds to both his head and



PHOTO BY RON POWERS

**On the scene:** Westland police process the scene of a double shooting last weekend at Chatters Lounge in Westland. The reported murder/suicide occurred Saturday morning.

chest; a suicide note was found in his truck at the scene, Stobbe said.

The man who escaped the scene didn't realize anyone was killed until he reported the incident later that morning to Garden City police. Garden City officers then alerted

Westland, and sent the man to that station for a statement.

"He was in shock," Stobbe said. "He knew exactly what was happening — he laid down on his seat, hit the gas and got out of there." The man's car was hit with two slugs.

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p.m. Feb. 27 in Churchill Auditorium.

The district recently negotiated two labor contracts with pay hikes linked to whatever raise teachers get in 1996-97. District workers who agreed to this linkage are members of Livonia Educational Administrators and Supervisors (LEADS) and Supervisory Employees' Association (SEALS).

John Rennels, assistant superintendent for personnel for the district, said members of these two groups will also receive a lump sum payment after the contract is ratified by the school board and teachers get their lump sum amount.

The current three-year contract with the district's 1,000 teachers expires June 1997.

Under a "reopener" clause in the contract both sides agreed to negotiate a pay increase for 1996-97.

In the current contract, the district agreed to give teachers a 3-percent pay raise in 1996-97 if revenue increased by at least that amount. The district has since pegged its revenue increase from the state at 2.29 percent.

## Impact at the table

Bargaining sessions were more difficult this year because of changes implemented in Lansing, Rennels said.

For example, the state now mandates that the hours of instruction increase to 1,041 in 1997-98 and 1,047 in 1998-99.

"This is very hard, when you have a system and program built

up, to add 14 minutes into the day," Rennels said.

The tentative contract meets this mandate by:

- Reducing curriculum days from six to four.

- Eliminating two half days of elementary conference time.

- Adding one minute to each high school period.

Other items tentatively agreed to in the pact include:

- Beginning in 1997-98, female teachers will be covered for one baseline mammogram at age 35 and annual mammograms at age 40. Male teachers at age 40 will be covered for one Prostate Specific Antigen test each year.

- Teachers can accumulate an unlimited number of sick days.

- Beginning in 1997-98, teachers can receive pay for all unused sick days at retirement.

- Family illness days will be increased from the three days

allowed each year to five days.

- Starting in 1997-98, teachers reaching tenure will receive an extra 10 days to add to their sick time accumulation.

In the Livonia schools, beginning teachers with a bachelor's degree now earn \$31,910; with a master's degree they earn \$34,782.

Teachers at step five, halfway through the salary schedule, now earn \$43,079 with a bachelor's degree and \$47,977 with a master's degree.

Teachers at step 11, the highest step, who have a master's degree now earn \$64,459.

The 2.5 percent lump sum increase also goes to teachers on the so-called Schedule B list, those teachers who coach a sport or work with band, music or student activity groups.

## CARRIER OF THE MONTH: WESTLAND

Cindy Kurc has been selected as the Westland Observer's "Carrier of the Month" for February.

This 13-year-old is an eighth-grader at Emerson Middle School in Westland. Her average report card grade is "A." Her favorite school subjects are Language Arts and Science.

She started her route in July of 1995 and delivers her Thursday and Sunday Observer editions in the Boulevard subdivision.

Her father is Robert Kurc and her mother Betty Kurc and she has two sisters: Sharon, 11 and Jackie, 5.

Her hobbies include reading, playing on Emerson's basketball and volleyball teams and playing the clarinet. She received a No. 1 rating at solo and ensemble music festival playing the clarinet. She is also an honor student and plays in the jazz band.

Cindy plans to attend college and wants to study engineering.

She enjoys her route, and feels she has developed skills from the experience. "I like meeting people



Cindy Kurc

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The Community Literacy Council, Inc. will conduct tutor training seminars for its reading program. To participate, potential tutors should call the council

office at (313) 416-4906. The reading tutor seminar will include two, four-hour sessions. Part A will be the initial introduction to the program.

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join in the fun. Skateland helped by providing free skating for the group, Browning said.

"Everyone seemed to have a good time," she added. "I meet with my troop leaders once a month and this definitely will be something we'll talk about doing again. I love doing big activities and seeing people having a good time."

The event came close to the scouting's Thinking Day, Feb. 22, the kickoff of the collection drive. Thinking Day is a time when scouts think about other scouts and scouting.

As part of the Helping Hands project, scouts also will accept donations from the public at the Briarwood Hudson's 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, March 8, and Saturday, March 15.

Items needed include toothpaste, bandages, nail polish, baby wipes, toothbrushes, soap, shampoo, wash cloths, deodorant, combs, hand lotion, diapers, hairbrushes, tissues and children's hair accessories. In Plymouth, Canton, Northville and South Lyon, Girl Scouts will gather items during the second annual "Stepping Out for a New Beginning Walk" on Sunday, April 27, in downtown Plymouth, while Girl Scouts at Westland's Kettering Elementary School will use a sock hop on Tuesday, Feb. 25, to celebrate the anniversary and help with the service project.

The items collected by "Helping Hands: United Hands" will be given to the domestic violence shelters in each county - Domestic Violence Project/SAFE House in Washtenaw County, LACASA in Livingston County in Family Counseling and Shelter Services in Monroe County, First Step in Wayne County and Haven in Oakland County.

"Helping Hands: United Hands," the name of a Girl Scout quilt made in 1995 as a Women's History Project by Kathy Bouchard and 250 Girl Scouts in Chelsea, will be on display as part of "Strength in Diversity through Girl Scout History" at the Ann Arbor District Library March 4-30.

Open to the public during regular library hours, it also features two other Girl Scout quilts, historic photos and memorabilia from 85 years of Girl Scouting, donated by families with three and four generations of Girl Scouts. Nearly 30 such families have been identified so far in Huron Valley Girl Scout Council. They will be honored at a reception at the library on Saturday, March 8.



Helping hand: Chelsie Whitesall, 7, of Edison Elementary gets a hand from grandma Pat Whitesall.



Family affair: Sarah Drum, 6 (left) brought her family to the skating party. Joining her was her father Marty, little sister Jennifer, 3 and mother Kelly.

**■ 'We took on a service project and enlarged on it . . . We like to include families in scouting and this was a good way to do that.'**

*Diane Browning*  
-North Service Unit manager

# Talks continue on Bentley

BY MARIE CHESTNEY  
STAFF WRITER

As it stands now, in the June 9 school election, residents of the Livonia Public Schools will get the chance to approve a tax request so the district can operate a downsized Bentley Center until the year 2000.

The big question now on the minds of school and Livonia city officials is: If doesn't pass in June, what happens to Bentley?

At the Feb. 11 meeting of the school/city liaison committee, city officials voiced strong support for talks to get under way on a plan for the city to one day take over Bentley - either sooner if the ballot question fails or later, if both sides get a three-year reprieve to put together a plan.

On Feb. 26, the Livonia City Council is expected to approve a mayor's task force to study the possibility of taking over Bentley

Center. The task force, if approved, also could enter into negotiations with the Livonia school district on the sale of the 37-acre Bentley site.

The task force could also solicit architectural proposals on building a center.

School and city officials will get a glimpse into what the community wants at 7:30 p.m. Feb. 26, at the first meeting of a newly formed group, the Bentley Backers. Jason Maciejewski, group co-chair, urges those interested in the future of the Bentley building to attend the meeting in Room A the Livonia Civic Center Library to voice their views.

Livonia school officials have said the district can no longer pay to keep the center open and operate community education programs there.

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In what they call the center's "glory days," money from the state helped pay much of the bill, and the district kicked in the rest. But, with reduced state aid, those days are over, they say.

What to do with Bentley has divided the Livonia Board of Education, said trustee Frank Kokenakes. But the dominant view, he said, has been to stop funding programs there, and put the money instead into K-12 programs.

Also putting pressure on the district, he said, is the abundance of space in school buildings now leased to Northville and Plymouth. Those leases are expected to expire when those districts build schools, and Livonia will be stuck with a glut of vacant buildings.

# New series 'wakes up' Westland

The Westland Chamber of Commerce begins a series of free breakfast seminars in March. Called "Wake-up Westland," series will be held at Joy Manor, just east of Middlebelt, at 28999 Joy Road on the third Thursday of each month from September through May.

Chamber members, co-workers and employees may enjoy a free breakfast buffet and seminar; non-members may attend for \$20. No reservations are necessary.

The series kicks off on Tuesday, March 18 from 8-9:30 a.m. with the topic: "How to Avoid Getting Into Trouble in Hiring and Firing." Guest speaker will be Donna Nuyen of the law firm of Finkel, Whitefield, Selik, Raymond, Ferrara & Feldman. Attendees will learn about at-will contracts,

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employee handbooks, applications and other contractual issues. The event sponsor is Vermeulen Memorial Funeral Home and the postage sponsor is Great Lakes Truck and Trailer.

"Wake-up Westland" is designed to inform, assist and educate chamber members about topics of interest to the corporate bottom line. Sponsorship opportunities are available for future months. Call the chamber at (313) 326-7222 for information.

April series will be sponsored by AirTouch Cellular and will be "How to Avoid Paying Unemployment Compensation."

## SENIOR LUNCH MENU

The senior citizen nutrition program will serve these hot meals for the week of Feb. 24. Meals will be served at 11:45 a.m. at the Friendship Center, 1119 N. Newburgh, Westland. Call (313) 722-7628 at least 24 hours in advance for reservations. Call for cancellation. Suggested donation is \$1.50.

**Monday**  
Pork chow mein, Chinese noodles, pineapple/orange juice, egg roll/plum sauce, almond cookie, milk.

**Tuesday**  
Hamburger with bun, sliced cheese, tomato onion salad, Mexican corn, apricots, milk.

**Wednesday**  
Fried chicken, spinach, potato

salad, corn muffins, lemon pie, milk.

**Thursday**  
Pork chop/gravy, whipped potatoes, green beans, applesauce, dinner roll, milk.

**Friday**  
Vegetable lasagna, zucchini and tomatoes, health salad, fresh orange, soft bread sticks, milk.

## OBITUARIES

### JOHN F. BRAZZIL

A funeral Mass for John F. Brazzil, 65, of Westland was held recently in St. Priscilla Church with burial at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Southfield. Officiating was the Rev. John Kenna. Local arrangements were made by Charles R. Step Funeral Home.

Mr. Brazzil, who died Feb. 16, was born in Detroit. He was a bartender and auto transporter and was a member of St. Priscilla Church.

Surviving are: son, Patrick; daughters, Rosemary Flamboe, Margaret Horvath, Helen Strain; and many nieces and nephews.

### EVELYN A. KRULIKOWSKI

Funeral services for Evelyn A. Krulikowski, 75, of Garden City were held recently in John N. Santeiu & Son Funeral Home with burial at St. Hedwig Cemetery, Dearborn Heights. Officiating was the Rev. Edward Prus, St. Raphael Catholic Church.

Mrs. Krulikowski, who died Feb. 12 in Ann Arbor, was born in Detroit. She was a homemaker.

Surviving are: her husband, Edward; son, Edward; daughters, Patricia Krulikowski, Kathleen Adamczyk and Debra Reini; 10 grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to St. Raphael Catholic Church.

### DAVID E. EVANS

Funeral services for David E. Evans, 47, of Belleville were held recently in Vermeulen Memorial Funeral Home, Westland with burial at Mentor Township, Mio, Mich. Officiating was the Rev. Geoffrey G. Drutchas of St. Paul United Church of Christ, Taylor.

Mr. Evans, who died Feb. 11 in Van Buren Township, was born in Pomeroy, Ohio. He served with the U.S. Army 1969-71. He was an assembler for an automotive manufacturer.

Surviving are: wife, Deborah; son, Samuel of Belleville; daughters, Kristy Riley of Westland, Sherry Evans of Taylor; mother, Kathryn Evans of Pomeroy, Ohio; three grandchildren.

Memorial contributions may be made to Arbor Hospice, 3810 Packard Road, Ann Arbor 48108.

### LEONA E. HOWARD

A funeral Mass for Leona E.

Howard, 84, of Westland was held recently in Sts. Simon & Jude Catholic Church, Westland, with burial at Cadillac Memorial Gardens, Westland. Officiating was the Rev. Gerald V. Bechard. Local arrangements were made by Vermeulen Memorial Funeral Home.

Mrs. Howard, who died Feb. 11 in Westland, was born in Honor, Mich. She was a homemaker.

Surviving are: daughter, Judy Walter of Westland; 10 grandchildren; and 20 great-grandchildren.

### PAULINE H. GRECH

Funeral services for Pauline H. Grech, 81, of Westland were held recently in St. Thomas A'Becket Catholic Church with burial at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in Southfield. Officiating was the Rev. Dick Kelly. Arrangements were made by Uht Funeral Home.

Mrs. Grech died Feb. 11 in Livonia. She was an assembler.

Surviving are: sons, Michael, Frank, Terry; daughter, Agnes Hauser; 11 grandchildren; and 11 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Xavier.

Memorials may be made in the form of Mass offerings.

### JURRIEN H. WINTER

Memorial services for Jurrien H. Winter, 59, of Garden City, will be held 1 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, in First United Methodist Church, Garden City. Arrangements were made by L.J. Griffin Funeral Home.

Mr. Winter, who died Feb. 12, was born in Grand Rapids. He was a teacher and carpenter.

Surviving are: wife, Joan; son, John; daughters, Katherine, Eleanor; parents, Hartger and Katherine Winter; brother, John; two grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to the trust fund of daughter Eleanor.

### BETTY J. FERGUSON

Funeral services for Betty J. Ferguson, 61, of Garden City were held recently in John N. Santeiu & Son Funeral Home with burial at Roselawn Memorial Park Cemetery, LaSalle, Mich. Officiating was the Rev. Jesse Buie from Church of God of Prophecy.

Surviving are: husband, Lawrence; daughters, Pamela, Calvey and Beverly Luhtanen;

mother, Nellie Gonzalez; sister, Nancy Ramsdel; and three grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to American Heart Association of Michigan.

### VIRGINIA KRAUSE

Funeral services for Virginia Krause, 88, of Westland were held recently in St. Richard Catholic Church, Westland, with private burial services. The Rev. John F. Hall officiated. Arrangements were made by Vermeulen Memorial Funeral Home.

Mrs. Krause, who died Feb. 12 in Garden City, was born in Detroit. She was a homemaker.

Surviving are: daughter, Geraldine Pociask of Westland; sister, Wanda Leone; two grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made in the form of Mass offerings or the charity of your choice.

### RICHARD G. DRAPER

Funeral services for Richard G. Draper, 60, of Garden City were held recently in John N. Santeiu & Son Funeral Home with burial at Cadillac Memorial Gardens West, Westland. Officiating was the Rev. Jack Wallace, Detroit World Outreach, Assembly of God.

Mr. Draper, who died Feb. 14 in Garden City, was born in Saline. He was a laborer. He was the oldest of 13 children.

Survivors are: wife, Marge; son, Jeff; daughters Julie Franklin and Jackie Hallup; and six grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to Detroit World Outreach, Assembly of God Building Fund.

### DENNIS M. MCGOVERN

Private funeral services for Dennis M. McGovern, 44, were held recently in Ziomek Funeral Home, Livonia, with burial at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Southfield.

Mr. McGovern died Feb. 15 after a lengthy illness. He attended Schoolcraft College and spent a 20-year career in the restaurant business in Atlanta, Ga., and in Michigan. He was a former member of the Troy Lions Club.

Surviving are: his mother, Joyce McGovern and a sister, Mary Barrick of Colorado.

He was preceded in death by his father, Jack, and brother, Terry of Westland.

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# Area officials to explore county charter tax limits

BY LAURIE HUMPHREY  
STAFF WRITER

Conference of Western Wayne members have not given up on the idea of seceding from Wayne County to avoid overtaxing, but they are open to other ideas.

Robert Thomas, CWW chairman and mayor of Westland, is encouraged by a conversation with Mike Duggan, from the Wayne County Executive's office.

"I informed him that we still had two committees working on the issue (county secession). In our discussion, he offered to personally work on resolving the issue and agreed to work on making these two changes at the county level," said Thomas in a letter to the 18-member CWW panel.

Both changes would require an amendment to Wayne County's charter, which necessitates support of the County Commission and public approval.

The first change, according to Thomas, would require "a two-thirds vote of the County Commission to place any new county-wide millages on the ballot."

The second change would require a 60 percent vote of the public to pass any new county-wide millage.

As it stands, new county-wide millages can be put before the voters with a simple majority, or support from eight county commissioners; and millages pass with support from 51 percent of the voters.

"That is what we proposed one year ago," said County Commissioner Bruce Patterson, R-11th District, in reference to Duggan's offer of assistance. "That does not apply to millages up for renewal."

Patterson, joined by Commissioners Thaddeus McCotter, William O'Neil and Edward Boike, proposed different resolutions at the Feb. 14 CWW meeting in Livonia. Instead of requiring two-thirds support from County Commission, Patterson would like millage proposals, both new and those seeking renewal, to have three-fourths approval. Meanwhile, he would like the 60 percent passage rate to apply to both new millages and those seeking renewal.

"It's a better insulating factor," he reasoned. "It's a point of beginning." He recognizes negotiations could yield different numbers.

Aside from the proposed charter amendments, Patterson also supports an opt out option, where communities could decide not to put certain millages before their voters. He referred to last year's SMART (Suburban Mobility Authority for Regional Transportation) proposal as an example. Some communities opted out of the vote knowing that the SMART buses would no longer service their area.

He also suggested that a reduced millage could be sought for county-wide millages which don't provide an adequate amount of service for certain communities. He proposed this alternative for the current funding/usage situation of Wayne County jails (see related story).

"Clearly, the fate of these is unclear," Patterson stated, "but what is clear is that people feel they are being too heavily taxed."

## UM-Dearborn plans free family nature programs

The Natural Areas Department at the University of Michigan-Dearborn will conduct spring natural history programs in March and April.

All programs are free, family-oriented and begin at the Pony Barn on Fairlane Drive unless otherwise noted. Call (313) 593-5338 for more information.

■ Time for a Change, Saturday, March 1, 10-11:30 a.m. As the lion of winter gives way to the lamb of spring, these two seasons give evidence of the natural world in a state of change.

Tree buds swell in preparation for the spring bloom, early migrating birds announce their arrival, yet reminders of winter still abound. This program will be a leisurely look at nature in transition.

■ Maple Syrup Magic, Saturday, March 8, 1-4 p.m. Go for a walk among the maples, learn to identify the sweetest trees and

see the tools of the syrup trade. All tours will gather back at the syrup evaporator, where the sap boil-down will be going on throughout the day.

Programs begin at 1, 2 and 3 p.m. and people are to meet at the Henry Ford Mansion Terrace.

■ Come Out of Your Shell, Saturday, April 12, 10 a.m. to noon.

Join turtle researcher Mike Perrin, who is taking a census of turtles in the Environmental Study Area, for an informative slide presentation about Michigan turtles. Then, embark on a visit to the study site, where observers can see some of Mike's reptilian acquaintances, recently awakened from winter slumbers, basking in the success of having survived winter's chill.

■ Forests Highs and Lows, Saturday, April 26, 10-1:30 a.m. Discover the plants and animals

which thrive in the sometimes soggy environment of the floodplain forest in contrast to a higher, drier habitat. The group will search for salamanders, big trees and early spring blooms. It may be muddy, so dress accordingly.

### Volunteers needed

Any scout group and organization that would like to experience maple syruping in a more direct way can volunteer to collect sap from over 100 tapped trees. To volunteer, call Rick Simek at (313) 593-5338, to set up a time and date for the group to come and help.

To add incentive and enjoyment to the work, all volunteers will be invited to a post-syruping season pancake breakfast, featuring official UM-D maple syrup.



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# Dems stake out positions, labor caucus stays silent

BY TIM RICHARD  
STAFF WRITER

The chief news out of the recent state Democratic convention is that organized labor is not yet ready to anoint a 1998 candidate for governor.

State AFL-CIO president Frank Garrison, chairing the labor caucus earlier this month, didn't introduce any of the five or six hopefuls and made no comment about the 1998 race against Gov. John Engler or his Republican successor.

"Union households voted 65 to 28 percent for Clinton over Dole," Garrison said, reminding delegates that organized labor provides the muscle, as well as the money that elects Democrats in Michigan.

Meanwhile, the announced and semi-announced candidates quickly divided themselves into two camps - moderates versus traditional liberals. From left to right:

## Jim Berryman

"You'll never hear this Democrat talk about the 'sensible center' or 'the magnificent middle.' We don't need to reinvent the Democratic Party," said state Sen. Jim Berryman, 50, of Adrian.

The second-term lawmaker, a former mayor and florist in his 65 percent Republican bailiwick, was the first to announce in 1996. His theme is children: the state's "punitive policies that put children at risk." Every news story about child abuse

and child placement services that go awry is grist for Berryman.

Engler's plan to close three more state mental health facilities he calls "wrong, Heartless, Stupid."

"Charter schools are not proven. We ought to put a cap on experimentation with charter schools. Flint put a cap on class size for grades one to three - 15 to 17 pupils per teacher. That's not an experiment. That works," said Berryman.

He isn't hiding from the roads controversy and both parties' reluctance to raise the fuel tax for roads. He favors a fuel tax hike. "Anybody who tells you we don't need it - they're lyin' to you," Berryman said.

## Jim Agee

Also an unabashed liberal is state Rep. Jim Agee, 56, a product of Detroit public schools who became a teacher and retired as superintendent of Muskegon schools in 1992.

"I'm not running as a 'new Democrat.' I'm running as an old Democrat," said the white-haired, three-term lawmaker who several years ago was among the finalists for state superintendent of public instruction.

"It will take our party down if we move and race to the center and right," Agee told delegates, denouncing Engler's push for charter schools, choice and vouchers.

"I'm not afraid to say 'organized labor.' Every man and

woman should have the collective bargaining voice they deserve. They should not be displaced by replacement workers."

Agee said he will form an exploratory committee this week to test the gubernatorial waters.

## Doug Ross

Once a Citizens Lobby liberal, Ross made a sharp turn to the center during his term as a state senator from Southfield where he learned to love small entrepreneurs.

"Our mission is to create practical opportunities for workers and low-income workers to get the skills they need," said the former assistant U.S. secretary of labor for employment and training.

Ross sees a future with "thousands of new, smaller plants" where workers in unsupervised teams operate computers that make customized products - "thinking, not lifting. The workers don't check their brains at the door."

Ross, 54, of West Bloomfield, sees Gov. Engler as being forced by the far right to turn against performance standards in public schools and forced by established corporations to turn his back on entrepreneurs.

Ross has yet to formally announce but isn't coy. His literature says "Doug Ross for Governor."

## Larry Owen

"The Republican party has been hijacked by extremists, and

See DEMS, A7

## STATE CAPITOL CAPSULES

### Introduced

Rep. Lyn Bankes, R-Redford, has introduced a bill to start a statewide osteoporosis education and awareness program. Osteoporosis causes women to lose bone mass and suffer painful fractures. Bankes said the bill would teach women that proper diet - particularly consuming calcium and avoiding smoking - and exercise can reduce the \$172 million annual cost of treatment.

State Rep. Gerald Law, R-Plymouth, has reintroduced a bill requiring the sterilization of dogs, cats and ferrets adopted from animal shelters. "We systematically kill at least 200,000 unwanted dogs and cats each year in Michigan," said Law, who sponsored a similar bill vetoed last year by the governor. House Bill 4239 would require a \$25 deposit that would be refunded once the new pet is

neutered.

### Appointed

Robert M. Thompson of Plymouth has been appointed by Gov. Engler to the board of Michigan Technological University for a term expiring Dec. 31, 2004. Thompson founded Thompson-McCully Construction Co. in 1959, the year he left the U.S. Air Force. He has chaired the National Asphalt Paving Association and was a director of Comerica Bank.

### Agenda

Michigan United Conservation Clubs announced its 1997 legislative agenda - creating a citizen board to oversee the state Department of Environmental Quality and toughening recreational trespass laws.

Richard L. Jameson, executive director of the group, said the

public will benefit from an appointive board to watch over DEQ, created 16 months ago from parts of the Departments of Natural Resources and Public Health. "One of the most glaring problems was a lack of genuine public access to its decision-making," Jameson said.

MUCC led last November's campaign on behalf of professional wildlife management and against an anti-bear hunting proposal and will seek legislation reflecting its zero tolerance of trespassers and poachers.

Other key goals:

- Reform of state gas and regulation and leasing programs.

- Regulation of jet skis on state waters.

- Tax incentives to protect wetlands on private property.

# Wage bills sent to committee

BY TIM RICHARD  
STAFF WRITER

The state House and Senate have passed different versions of a minimum wage hike amid signs that partisan differences may be ironed out.

Sticking issues appear to be a Republican desire to maintain a lower "training wage" for young summer employees and differen-

tials for restaurant waiters who get tips; and a Democratic desire to extend the wage floor for under-18 workers.

The bills now go to the Labor Committees of the other chamber. If either version or a compromise becomes law, it would be the first change in 19 years.

Senate votes 37-1

"Last year's elections showed that voters believe in Democratic ideas," said Senate minority leader John Cherry, D-Clio, whose district includes part of northern Oakland County. "We're glad the other side of the aisle got the message."

"Senate Bill 1 is the product of careful consideration and vigor-

See WAGE BILLS, A7

# 11th District Dems to meet Feb. 26

Vicki Barnett was reelected chair of the 11th Congressional District Democratic organization during the Feb. 8 state convention in Detroit. She is a Farmington Hills councilmember.

Other officers are Tom Lawton of Redford, vice chair; Ann Malzberg of Southfield, recording secretary; Barbara Johnson of Livonia, treasurer; Deborah

Goldberg of Farmington, corresponding secretary; Donald Lindemier of Northville, Oakland vice chair; and Kathleen Micallef of Livonia, Wayne vice chair.

Delegates to the Democratic State Central Committee, governing body of the party between conventions, are Darlene Barant, Martha Blom, Ilene Singer, Arisie Evans, Elaine Miller,

Karla Swift, Paul Blizman, Al Holz, Don Jackson, Ken Koepfen, Ed Ptasnik and Matt Hogan.

The 11th District committee will meet at 8 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 26, in Botsford Inn, Grand River north of Eight Mile, Farmington.

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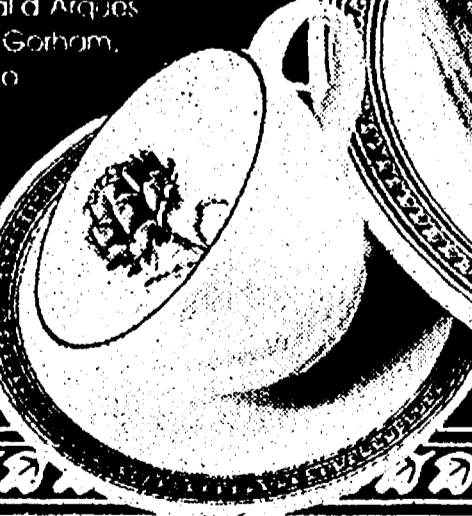

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For updated events in the area, call 953-2005.

## SPECIAL EVENTS

### CRAFT SHOW

The Franklin High School Patriots Club will host a craft show 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, March 15, at the school, located at 31000 Joy Road, Livonia, between Middlebelt and Merriman roads. Those who require wheelchair access will be admitted at 9 a.m. Information, (313) 425-6072.

### CRAFTERS NEEDED

The Wayne-Westland YMCA is having its craft show 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, March 15, and table or rental space is available. For more information call Pauline King (313) 721-7044.

### FREE SCREENING

The J.C. Penney optical center at the Westland Shopping Center will offer free vision screening through Saturday, Feb. 22. Stop by the store in Westland for the screening.

## RECREATION

### SKATING LESSONS

The Westland Sports Arena will accept registration for group lessons on Saturday, Feb. 22 from 9 a.m. to noon and Monday, Feb. 24 from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. at the arena, 6210 N. Wildwood, Westland. The six-week session begins March 3 and costs \$33. Classes are 45 minutes long. Information (313) 729-4560.

### BASKETBALL

Registration being accepted for men's and women's basketball leagues with Westland Parks and Recreation Department, 36651 Ford, Westland. (313) 722-7620.

### SQUARE DANCE

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

### FOR DISABLED PEOPLE

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

### OPEN SWIM

The Wayne-Westland YMCA has daily open swim available 7-8 p.m. Monday through Friday and 1-3 p.m. Saturday. Family swim is 8-8:45 p.m. Friday and 3-4 p.m. Saturday. The YMCA is at 827 S. Wayne Road, Westland. (313) 721-7044.

### WOLVERINE PACERS

The Wolverine Pacers, a race-walking club, meets at 6 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday, and 9 a.m. Saturdays in Levagood Park, Dearborn. Call Gary Gray (313) 464-8890.

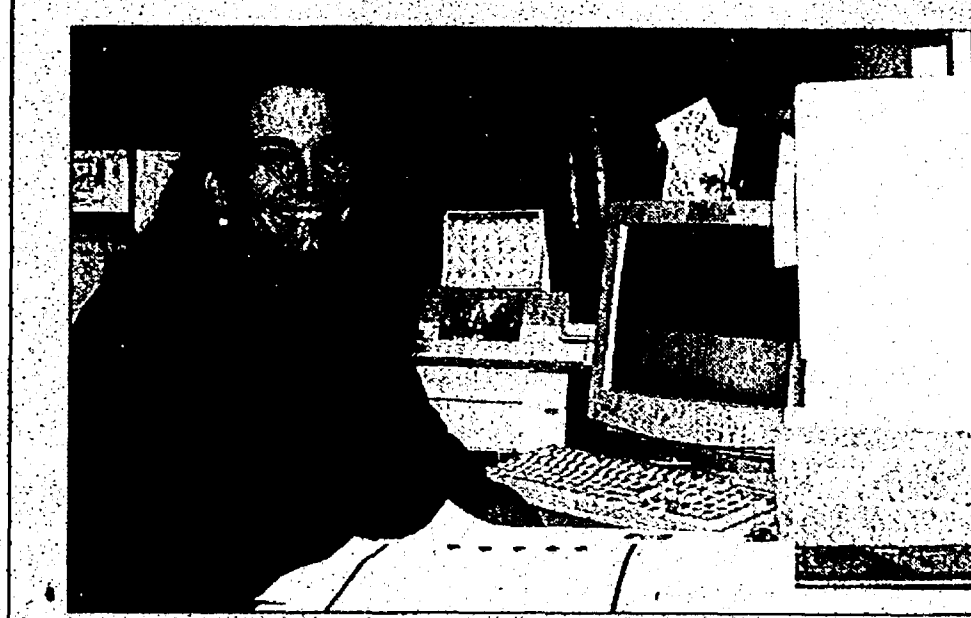
### OPEN SKATING

The Westland Sports Arena, on Wildwood near Hunter, will continue its open skating program through March 31. Hours are 1-2:45 p.m., Saturday and Sunday; and noon to 1:45 p.m. weekdays. Admission is \$3.25 for adults and \$2.75 for students; Monday-Friday is \$1 off admission price. Skate rental is \$2. (313) 729-4560.

## TRAVEL

### TRAVEL GROUP

The Travel Group meets



**Co-op employees:** Brandi Parenti and Joseph Kelley, both co-op students through Madonna University and Westland residents, work at jobs obtained through their college program. Parenti does promotional work for Ideal Steel and Builders' Supplies and Kelley works as a dispatcher for the Plymouth Police Department.

## Co-op students celebrate special month

Gov. John Engler has named February Cooperative Education Month recognizing the important relationship between education and the workforce.

Madonna University students Brandi Parenti and Joseph Kelley, both of Westland, know how important coop education is in this competitive market.

"I think co-cops should almost be mandatory for students," said Parenti, a senior art major. "The things you learn at school and on the job are very different. It gives you a definite head start before the competition.

Parenti started her first co-op in February 1996. Looking for a graphic artist position, she learned about co-op opportunities by noticing the postings throughout Madonna University. "I saw an opening for a graphic artist and I jumped at the opportunity," she said.

Sylvia Gucken, Parenti's supervisor at Ideal Steel and Builders' Supplies, Inc. said Parenti designs brochures, fliers, business cards, company logos and participates in quality assessment writing procedures, placing ads in magazines and trade shows. "We were looking for a co-op student with graphic art experience," she added. "Brandi has done

a lot of remarkable work for us."

Madonna has on average 50 students per term who participate in the co-op program, said Christine Brant, director of cooperative education and placement. As a co-op, the student receives and pays for academic credit and at the same time gains valuable work experience. Approximately 90 percent of the co-ops per semester at Madonna University are paid. The average salary is \$8.23, which means an earning potential of \$3,300 each semester to put towards their education.

"The real value is the experience which helps a student decide if their major is a career they want to... pursue," said Brant.

This holds true for Joe Kelly, a senior in the co-op program majoring in criminal justice. He began working as a part-time public safety dispatcher for the city of Plymouth Police Department in August 1996.

"I really like being a dispatcher, but I want to see what else is out there," he said. "I want to continue to grow with the city of Plymouth... whether that be as a police officer or in some other capacity — that is my goal."

When he first began school, Kelley took general classes at Schoolcraft College, uncertain of his major. However, there was an

instant interest when he took his first criminal justice class. To pursue his bachelor's degree, he decided to attend Madonna. He saw a posting for the part-time position through the co-op department, interviewed and got the position.

At Plymouth, he prioritizes phone calls, deals quickly with emergencies, dispatches to fires, answers 9-1-1 calls and also handles parking enforcement.

"I don't look at Joe as a co-op student — he is a member of our Plymouth Police Department," said Chief Robert Scoggins. "I have been very satisfied with his work."

There are hidden extras and life experiences of which many students are unaware. "The most valuable thing I've learned is an appreciation of life and how special it is," Kelley said.

One of his most rewarding experiences came when an older resident called to report a house fire. "She didn't want to leave... and it was very hard to convince her," he said. "I told her in order for us to find the house, we needed her to go outside and wave the fire truck down."

"There was a lot of smoke with that fire, and I believe I saved her life."

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

### DYER CLUB

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

### GC TRAVEL

Garden City Travel Club: for information call trip director Laree Yard at (313) 522-4446.

## CLUBS IN ACTION

### NAWBO WEST

NAWBO-West meets on the second Wednesday of each month at the Fox Hills Country Club, 8768 N. Territorial, Plymouth Township from 7:30 a.m. to 9 a.m. Cost is \$10 for members and \$15 for guests, which includes continental breakfast.

### FRANKLIN HIGH PTSA

The Franklin High PTSA is looking for new members. Membership is open to anyone who cares about local schools and the community. You do not need to have a student in the school. Student fee is \$3 and Adults are \$5. Checks may be sent to Franklin PTSA, 3100 Joy Road, Livonia, MI 48150 through Feb. 21.

### CAMPING CLUB

Moonliters Camping Club meets 8:15 p.m. the last Tuesday of the month at Canfield Community Center, 1801 N. Beech Daly, south of Ford, Dearborn

Heights. Family camping with all ages, scheduled camp outs during the camping season. Harvey and Marion Grigg, (313) 427-3069.

### WEEKENDERS

The Weekend family campers meet the second Wednesday of the month in Franklin High School, on Joy east of Merriman. (313) 531-2993.

### HOLY SMOKE MASTERS

The Holy Smoke Masters Toastmasters Club meets 6:30-8:30 p.m. every Thursday at Denny's Restaurant, Wayne Road across from the Westland Center. Learn the art of speaking in public. Cost is \$24 for six months and includes monthly magazine and learning manuals. Call (313) 326-5419 for information.

### GARDEN CITY LIONS

The Garden City Lions meet 7 p.m. the first and third Tuesday of every month in the Silver Saloon, 5651 Middlebelt, Garden City. Contact Henry Tolk, (313) 421-4964.

### HOT LIONS

The Westland Hot Lions Club meets 6:30 p.m. the second and fourth Tuesday

of the month in Denny's Restaurant, Wayne and Cowan Road.

### MOTHERS OF MULTIPLES

For information on a Mothers of Multiples Club in your area, call Shelly Weir, (313) 326-1466.

### CHILDBIRTH ASSOCIATION

Classes for childbirth preparation are being offered at several Wayne County locations. Morning and evening classes available. Registering new classes every month. Newborn care classes and Cesarean preparation also offered. (313) 459-7477.

### WESTLAND JAYCEES

Westland Jaycees meet 7:30 p.m. the first Wednesday of the month in the Bova VFW Post, on Hix south of Warren. Hot line, (313) 525-0962.

### CORVETTE CLUB

The Corvette Club of Michigan meets at 8 p.m. the fourth Wednesday of each month in Les Stanford Chevrolet, Dearborn. Glenn Simms, (313) 675-5633, or Paul Jenkins, (313) 981-4264.

### CAMARO BUFFS

The new Eastern Michigan Camaro Club will meet at

7:30 p.m. on the first and third Thursday of each month at Krug Chevrolet in Taylor. (313) 326-5658.

### AMBASSADORS

Ambassadors Junior Civitan is seeking people ages 13-18 for community service activities. The club meets 7 p.m. the first and third Tuesday of each month in the Westland Historical, Cultural and Community Meeting House, 36993 Marquette, east of Newburgh. (313) 729-5409.

### PURPLE HEART

The Military Order of Purple Heart meets at 8 p.m. the third Wednesday of the month in the VFW Hall, on Ford west of Venoy. Meetings are open to combat-wounded veterans.

## SCHOOLS

### NURSERY OPENINGS

**PRESCHOOL PROGRAM**  
The Wayne-Westland Community Schools have ongoing registration for the preschool program, housed in Marquette School, on Marquette east of Wayne Road. There is a free pro-

gram for eligible 4-year-olds in the Kids Plus program and a tuition-based program for others. The Kids Plus program is for children who will be 4 years old by Dec. 1 who also meet two "at risk" factors to qualify. The program is free for children who qualify. Call (313) 595-2660 for appointments.

### CHURCH PRESCHOOL

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

### CHILD DEVELOPMENT

The new Child Development Center at the Inkster Family Investment Center is enrolling children from 6 weeks up to 10 years in its enriched child care program. The center is at 29999 Pine St., two blocks west of Middlebelt and south of Michigan Avenue. It is a joint project of Youth Living Centers and the Inkster Housing Commission. Hours are 6:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Friday. For more information, call Denise Peca at 467-7261.

### OPENINGS

United Christian School, on Florence near Middlebelt, north of Cherry Hill, Garden City, has morning and afternoons for 3- to 5-year-olds. The school offers classes two, three and five days a week as well as flexible hours for parents who need more than the scheduled preschool hours. There is a full curriculum in pre-reading, writing and early math, including hands-on

computer time. (313) 522-6487.

### REGISTRATION

McKinley Cooperative Preschool, 6500 Wayne Road, is registering for the 1997-98 school year. On Jan. 28 will be alumni registration and Feb. 4 will be open registration. Registrations are taken by mail only using check or money order. Call (313) 729-7222 for information.

### PLUS PRESCHOOL

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

### HEAD START

Head Start registration for the Wayne-Westland School District is ongoing, by appointment at Stottmyer School, 34801 Marquette. Classes meet four half-days a week. Children must be 3 or 4 years old by Dec. 1, 1996. The program is free, but family must meet income guidelines. (313) 595-2688.

### YWCA READINESS

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

### REDEEMER LUTHERAN

Our Redeemer Lutheran Preschool is accepting applications for 2-, 3- and 4-year-olds. The school is at 24931 Union in west Dearborn. (313) 562-9246.

### OPEN HOUSE

The Little People's Cooperative Preschool will host an open house for parents and preschool-age children on Friday, Feb. 28 from 6-8 p.m. at 8820 Wayne Road in the Timothy Lutheran Church in Livonia. Applications are being accepted for fall morning and afternoon sessions for 3- and 4-year-olds. Information (313) 422-1176.

## FUND-RAISERS

### K OF C DINNER

The Notre Dame Knights of Columbus will sponsor a \$100 a plate dinner Wednesday, Feb. 26, at 35100 Van Born. The grand prize will be \$3,000. Second prize will be \$500, and there will be \$650 in other prizes. There will be an open bar. For information, call 427-5347, 697-8482 or 728-3021.

### BUY AND SWAP

The Ushers Club at SS. Simon & Jude Church in Westland will host its semi-annual fund-raiser "Railroadiana" on Sunday, March 2 from noon to 4 p.m. The buy and swap event for trains and toys will be held at the church at 32500 Palmer Road, one mile west of Merriman and one mile north of Michigan Avenue. Parking is free. Admission is \$2 per person or \$4 per family and food and refreshments are available. For information or table reservations, call Norm at (313) 595-8327.

### ST. PATRICK'S DAY

SS. Simon & Jude Church, 32500 Palmer, Westland sponsors a St. Patrick's Day Card Party on Saturday, March 15, from 6:30-10 p.m. at the church. Door and table prizes, a 50-50 drawing, cards and games of your choice, plus light meal and snacks. Tickets are \$6 with proceeds to the church building fund. Call (313) 728-2090 or (313) 729-2716 for information.

The Observer Newspapers welcome Calendar items. Items should be from non-profit community groups or individuals announcing a community program or event. Please type or print the information below and mail your item to The Calendar, Westland Observer, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150, or by fax to 313-591-7278. Deadline for Calendar items is noon Friday for the following Thursday's paper. Call 953-2111 if you have any questions.

Event:

Date and Time:

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## Wage bills *from page A5*

ous debate," said Sen. Loren Bennett, R-Canton, sponsor of the amended bill that won 37-1 Senate approval.

Senators rejected 17-20 an amendment by Sen. Gary Peters, D-Bloomfield Township, to lower the applicable age from 18 to 16. The GOP's Bennett and all 16 Democrats voted yes. Republicans put up 20 no votes.

On similar party-line votes, the Senate rejected Democratic attempts to raise the rate for restaurant waiters from \$2.52 to \$3.02 and another to raise it to \$2.65.

Currently, the state minimum wage, applied to companies not in interstate commerce, is \$3.35 an hour. The Senate bill would raise it to \$4.75 beginning July 1 and \$5.15 on Jan. 1, 1998. It retains the "tip credit" wage of

\$2.52 an hour for waiters. It creates a "training wage" of \$4.25 for those under age 20 for their first 90 days on the job.

### House vote 76-29

The House passed its own measure, HB 4177, on a 76-29 vote, with Republicans casting all the dissenting votes.

On a party-line vote, the House rejected an amendment by Rep. Andrew Raczowski, R-Farmington Hills, to allow a training wage for persons under 20 but prohibit an employer from firing or reducing the hours and benefits of an employee in order to hire a young person at the training wage. The vote was 50 in favor and 40 against, with 55 needed for passage.

Here is how area representa-

tives voted on final passage:

Yes - Lyn Bankes, R-Redford, Bob Brown, D-Deerborn Heights, Eileen DeHart, D-Westland Tom Kelly, D-Wayne.

No - Gerald Law, R-Plymouth. Absent - Deborah Whyman, R-Canton.

The Senate Fiscal Agency estimated the bill, if enacted, would yield, in a full year, \$1.4 million more in income taxes and \$2.4 million more in consumption taxes - unless the number of minimum wage jobs decreased, as Kaza predicted.

The SFA analysis did not estimate how many employees or companies would be affected by a change in the minimum wage.

Refer to SB 1 when writing to your state representative. Refer to HB 4177 when writing to your state senator.

## Dems *from page A5*

its moderates have been expelled," said Larry Owen, 52, a former mayor of East Lansing and former Michigan State University trustee.

Owen clearly is after the middle-of-the-road voters. In the second paragraph of his 10-paragraph biography, he mentions working with Republican Gov. William Milliken (mental health code) and Democratic Gov. James Blanchard (Michigan Education Trust).

Owen's announcement on Feb. 4 was the source of the "sensible center" phrase that Berryman denounced.

Owen ran in the 1994 primary with the Michigan Education Association's support and finished second to Howard Wolpe, who had labor federation support.

The son of transplanted Kentuckians, Owen is a lawyer involved in "profitable ventures in commercial real estate, marketing and personal insurance." His list of endorsements includes House Speaker Curtis Hertel, Rep. Eileen DeHart of Westland and former Rep. Maxine Berman of Southfield.

### Ed Hamilton

"The only conservative Demo-

crat for governor in 1998," he says, and so far he's right.

Hamilton, 54, of Troy, lost a 1994 race for state representative (against Shirley Johnson) and was the 1996 Democratic sacrificial lamb for Oakland County executive (against L. Brooks Patterson).

"I will support the impending ratification of the balanced budget (U.S.) constitutional amendment, term limits, immediate safe streets and safe schools for teachers and students. . . no gas tax increase, state income tax reduction. . . the second amendment right to bear arms," he said.

A 30-year veteran at Chrysler Corp., the MSU graduate has a claim to fame as new vehicle launch manager for the Dodge Dakota and Ram trucks, minimum and other big sellers.

His recreational interests also span the political spectrum: Ducks Unlimited on the Right, Sierra Club on the left.

Bill Ballenger, proprietor of Inside Michigan Politics, says "his candidacy can't be taken seriously."

### Others

Former U.S. Sen. Don Riegle, 59, of Troy, was around but not

pushing openly. One veteran Oakland County politico's guess: Riegle would like to see his old friends in the United Auto Workers back him for governor and bring the other unions into line.

Rep. John Freeman, 39, of Madison Heights, will be term-limited out in 1998. He is eyeing races for governor, attorney general in Frank Kelley retires, or Congress if Sander Levin retires.

Rep. Karen Willard, 37, of Algonac, announced she is eyeing the race for governor but wasn't campaigning visibly.

### The convention

Candidates for party office were unopposed in Sunday's formal session.

Mark Brewer, a Macomb County lawyer, was won a second two-year term as state party chair and brought in his team.

Flo Walker, billed by Garrison as "a rising star in the labor movement," was reelected first vice chair; Flint Mayor Woodrow Stanley was named second vice chair; Roger Winkelman, a Bloomfield Hills attorney, moved in as treasurer; Mary Bethany was re-elected recording secretary; and Nancy White of the MEA was named corresponding secretary.



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# Report: Special assessments not subject to rate limits

Some \$55 million in special assessments are levied by local governments in Michigan. These assessments are virtually indistinguishable from property taxes, yet are not subject to the constitutional limits placed on property taxes.

This is one of the conclusions in a new study issued earlier this month by the Citizens Research Council of Michigan (CRC).

"Most taxpayers and even

some local officials cannot tell the difference between ad valorem special assessments and the property tax," said CRC President, Earl M. Ryan, "but because they are called special assessments in statute, they are not subject to rate limits, limits on the length of time they can be levied or the limits imposed by the Headlee Amendment or Proposal A."

The report contrasts ad valorem special assessments, which

are levied on the value of property, with true special assessments, which are levied on front footage or area. True special assessments have been a traditional means of financing infrastructure improvements, such as local roads and sidewalks, but have been imposed only on the property that receives a special benefit from the improvement. In addition, when the improvement is paid for, the special assessment expires.

Ad valorem special assessments, by contrast, are often imposed on all taxpayers in a jurisdiction and are used to pay for functions, such as police and fire protection, that are normally financed by property taxes. They may be levied for indefinite periods of time.

Although ad valorem special assessments currently represent a small proportion of total local revenue in Michigan, the adoption of Proposal A in 1994 has

created an incentive for local units to increase their use of these assessments. Proposal A limited the annual growth of the taxable value of property to inflation or five percent, whichever is less. According to a 1996 ruling by Attorney General Frank J. Kelley, however, ad valorem special assessments must be levied on state equalized value, the growth of which is not subject to Proposal A limits.

The report presents options in

dealing with the problems created by ad valorem special assessments, including converting them to true property taxes.

The report is available from CRC by calling 810-474-0044 or 517-485-9444.

Citizens Research Council of Michigan is a private, nonpartisan public affairs research organization founded in 1916 to analyze issues of importance concerning state and local government in Michigan.

## Scholarships are available at S'craft

High school seniors should apply for Schoolcraft College Trustee Scholarships before the March 21 deadline. There are approximately 100 scholarships available to seniors in the college's service area for the fall-winter 1997-98 semesters.

The awards range between \$800 and \$1,000.

Eligible students must have a 3.0 minimum grade-point average and a high school transcript for the past seven semesters. Applicants must complete a 150-word essay on "What I Expect to be Doing in Five Years," and must plan to enroll full-time.

The scholarship is renewable for a second year.

"More and more students are concerned about the high cost of tuition," said Julieanne Tobin, Schoolcraft director of enrollment management. "Trustee Scholarships not only honor academic credentials; they make higher education affordable."

Application forms are available from area high school counselors or in the office of admissions, McDowell Center, Schoolcraft College. All materials, including transcripts, must be completed and returned to the Admissions Office by March 21.

## Excalibur Foundation

The college is also accepting applications for the Excalibur Foundation Scholarship. Sponsored by the Round Table International, a service organization conducting charitable, benevolent and educational activities, the \$700 scholarship is for the 1997-98 school year.

Applicants must have completed one semester of college at the time of application, in the fields of special education, occupational therapy or psychology. They must furnish a transcript of all completed college terms; letters from three persons in their community other than relatives attesting to character, personal habits and merit; a 100-200 statement giving reasons for interest in their field of study; and financial information.

Deadline for application is Friday, March 28. Applications are available in the Office of Financial Aid in the McDowell Center and must be returned to that office.

For information, call (313) 462-4433.

## Piano sale at Madonna

Madonna University will be the site of "The Liquidation of the Baldwin Pianos" on Sunday, March 9.

A piano sale hosted by Evola will be held from noon to 5 p.m. where savings usually reserved for schools and universities are passed on to the public. The pianos will be available by appointment to preview on Friday and Saturday, March 7 and 8.

Appointments can be made by calling (800) 544-2188. A portion of the proceeds will go toward Madonna University's Music Department.

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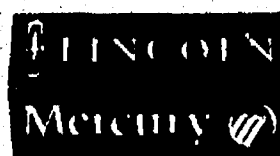
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# State board 4-4 split puts Beardmore in the middle

BY TIM RICHARD  
STAFF WRITER

Dorothy Beardmore, a Republican, has wound up in the middle of the battle between the State Board of Education and Gov. John Engler over control of public school policy.

"Frankly I don't want a confrontation with John Engler," said Beardmore, a former member of the Rochester and Oakland Intermediate school boards.

It is happening anyway on a board that is split 4-4 between Republicans and Democrats. Some reports say she is "voting with Democrats" against Engler.

She prefers the description that she and four Democrats favor public schools while ex-board president Clark Durant and two adherents favor charter schools.

"The last two years (when the GOP had 6-2 control), they didn't need me," Beardmore said in an interview. "I could argue 'til I was blue in the face. It's more difficult now. I'm going to be the determining vote."

And she was at the Feb. 7 special meeting when the board voted 5-2 to ask that Engler withdraw his executive order No. 11 by Feb. 20. It transfers control of the Department of Education to the appointive superintendent of public instruction.

## Motion maker

Beardmore did more than vote yes on the resolution; she made the motion.

Durant was out of the room, as he frequently is during board meetings, when the vote was taken. Voting against it were Republicans Gary Wolfram of Hillsdale and Sharon Wise of Owosso.

So far, Beardmore said afterwards, she has felt no political repercussions in her break with the governor on school policy. She is in the middle of her second eight-year term that ends in the year 2000 and can't be removed.

Beardmore won renomination

to her second term in 1992, after a challenge from Harry Veryser and the religious right mounted 44 percent of the GOP convention vote against her.

Asked what would happen if Engler failed to withdraw EO 11, the new board president, Kathleen Straus, D-Detroit, said, "If we have to go to court, we go to court."

As Beardmore sees it, however, EO 11 is unnecessary under the Michigan Constitution. "By the constitution, the (elected state) board is head of the agency and appoints the superintendent. By the constitution, he's the top executive officer."

"The governor is turning things around 180 degrees. (Under EO 11) the people who appoint the superintendent were below the man they appoint."

## Board: Modify order

The board also wants Engler to modify EO 12, which transfers a 10-page, single-spaced list of duties from the board to the superintendent. Specifically, said Beardmore:

■ Property transfers should be decided by the board after a hearing officer's report and recommendation.

■ Power over charter schools should belong to the board, which should establish a policy for overseeing them.

■ Teacher certification and administrator certification rules are a policy matter that should be decided by the board.

"All he left us with is setting the criteria for (certifying) school counselors," Beardmore said.

"The governor and his advisors think grant receipts are just routine (clutter that prolongs board meetings)," she went on. "But these are policies with money attached. When you look at the money that comes from the federal government, the discretionary funds that go to school districts, I think that's policy."

Many details of Engler's EO 12 are obsolete, said Beardmore, because the functions have been removed from the new 1996

school code, or the staff who performed them were shifted out of the Department of Education by Engler's earlier EOs.

In real life, she said, the board and Superintendent Art Ellis have worked well together.

Beardmore thinks Engler and his advisors have overlooked a historical situation developing within the administration of Ellis, a former university president.

"Art Ellis said he was not a K-12 person; his top administrators are. But now with pending early retirements, they are not going to be there," Beardmore said.

Engler gave the State Board of Education a much-publicized bawling out for "failing schools," particularly in Benton Harbor, where the failure rate on high school proficiency tests has exceeded 90 percent.

The irony, said Beardmore, is that Engler asked for the meeting with the board the same day two top administrators were scheduled to be in Benton Harbor to help local officials.

She has qualms about the state's simply taking over districts with high failure rates. "You can't just waltz in and say this isn't acceptable without the support of the community," she said.

After saying, "I am not happy with the way the State Board of Education has carried out its responsibilities because we have failing schools and students," Engler got a return tongue-lashing from newly-elected member Herb Moyer, a Democrat and former superintendent in Monroe County.

"We have areas we need to work on," said Moyer, "but to take on this kind of tenor and to have this kind of lashing out - 'you're failing' - that's very demeaning in light of the fact of many successes. It's demeaning to teachers. It's demeaning to parents, and it's demeaning to students."

The Associated Press contributed to this story.

# S'craft offers high school seniors \$50 credit on summer tuition

High school seniors can get a jump on their college classes and do it economically with a gift from Schoolcraft College. The college is offering any high school senior who graduates in June 1997 a \$50 credit toward tuition costs for any three-credit summer course.

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# Speakers take aim at proposed child custody bill

BY TIM RICHARD  
STAFF WRITER

Not only will the Michigan Legislature have a tough time fixing the Child Custody Act, divorced dads will have a tough time getting judges to pay attention if a new law is enacted.

A state Senate bill would tell judges to presume that "shared parental responsibility" should be part of parenting plans made for children by divorcing couples.

"This bill doesn't go far enough," said George Miller Jr. of Canton Township. "I have an ex-wife who can't agree on anything."

Their warnings to senators emerged from a three-hour St. Valentine's Day hearing conducted in Livonia City Hall by the Families, Mental Health and Human Services Committee.

The Senate passed a similar bill last year, but it died in the House. Two years ago, Sen. Robert Geake, R-Northville, tapped a barrage of criticism, mostly from fathers, of Friend of the Court and judicial procedures.

All of Geake's proposals passed except the shared parental responsibility bill. This year it is being sponsored by Sen. Joel Gougeon, R-Bay City, chair of the Senate panel.

## Women opposed

Panel member Chris Dingell, D-Trenton, repeatedly pointed out that the bill would merely set up a "presumption that you can knock over with a feather—a simple presumption that operates only in the absence of other evidence."

The bill was stoutly resisted by some women speakers.

Anne Agiroff, of Farmington Hills and a member of the Family

Law Section of the State Bar, said judges should continue to have discretion. Agiroff said the bill would create more problems, including school attendance.

Replied Gougeon: "I've heard fathers say they are given short shrift and become non-custodial parents 300 times a day in hearings that ran from 9 to 6, almost non-stop." Gougeon said fathers pay their child support at far higher rates when there is joint planning and custody. "Otherwise we end up with a welfare situation."

Lynne Kwiatkowski, from Safe House in Ann Arbor, opposed the bill because "joint custody may not be in the best interest of a battered woman. . . . Increased parental contact results in more emotional problems. Not all parents have the capacity for joint custody."

## 'Fiend' biased

Helen Bennett, a Southfield social worker who runs a crisis intervention center, called Agiroff's remarks "B.S. She doesn't know what she's talking about."

"I've dealt with Friend of the Court for 20 years. We call them 'Fiend' of the Court out here. I would like to eliminate judges and attorneys entirely (from divorce proceedings)."

She agreed with Gougeon that men pay child support 90 percent of the time and supported the joint custody bill.

A Westland grandfather, Charles McClain, said he hadn't been able to locate, let alone see, his grandchildren for 11 years after his son's ex-wife left Livingston County. McClain said there was "no communication between" Livingston and Washtenaw counties' Friends of the Court offices.

## Jail for debt

Several witnesses said that although it's unconstitutional to jail a person for civil debts, it happens frequently when fathers who are denied visits with their children when they rebel by refusing to pay child support.

Richard McVay, of the Pontiac-based Children's Advocacy Group, supported the bill in order to reduce parental conflict and maintain a child's relationship with both parents.

"Research has also documented the miserable job our legal system has done. . . . Painfully the current adversarial system pits parent against parent for control of property, which includes their children," McVay said.

David Wightman, of Capitol Area Fathers for Equal Rights, endorsed the bill because "it is a fundamental social pathology of our times that one parent, mostly fathers, is systematically excluded from the lives of children by a father-hostile judiciary, Friend of the Court system and a Family Law bar."

Wightman said court rules enacted in January 1996 allow *ex parte* orders (where one side isn't present to argue its case) changing custody, parenting time and visitation. He asked senators to repeal the court rule by law.

Phillip Holman, of Michigan Parents for Children, Detroit, blistered the Family Law Section of the Michigan Bar as "gender biased and an advocacy group for women." Holman said judges take a "cookie-cutter approach" by routinely awarding a woman custody.

"We expect Michigan NOW (National Organization for

Women) to continue to oppose this bill. . . . Michigan NOW's true agenda is to continue the current *de facto* presumption for sole mother custody."

Kathleen Hagenian, of the Michigan Coalition Against Domestic Violence, Lansing, opposed the bill, adding that the proportion of domestic violence incidents "is not a small minority. It occurs in a significant proportion of contested cases. I don't have a statistic."

Dietrich Berman of Grosse Pointe Woods said, "Today there's a *de facto* presumption (among judges) that the mother gets physical custody."

"The (Wayne County) Friend of the Court asked information only on my income and assets."

Although he and his wife had agreed to temporary joint physical custody of the children, Berman said the Friend of the Court investigator recommended custody by the mother "and

never asked me a question about it. I never had the opportunity to rebut. I never had a chance to tell the investigator about my wife bringing 'R' rated moves home for a 10-year-old and violent computer games."

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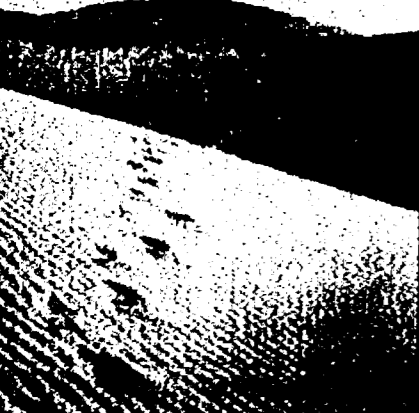
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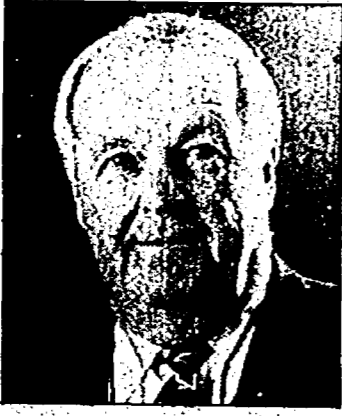
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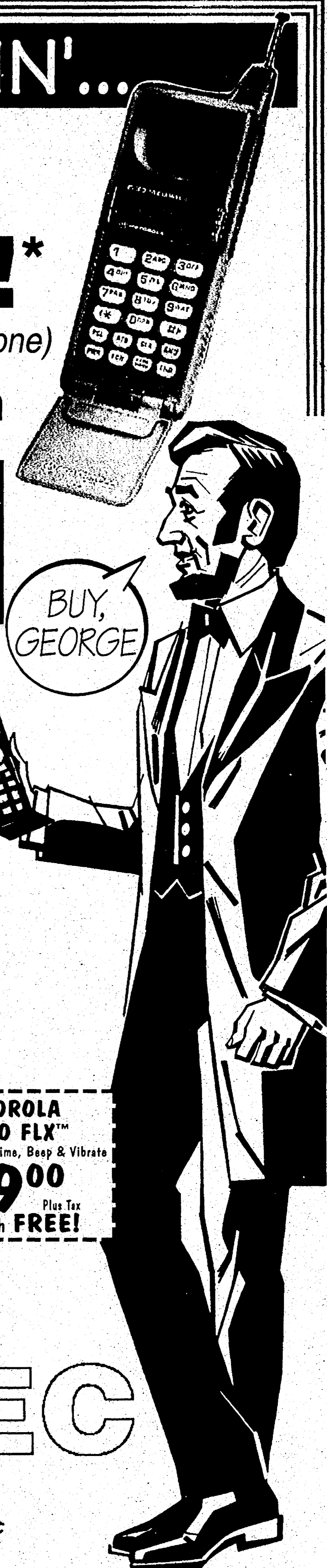
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## Crime rate We're all responsible for it

**N**o sooner did we get the good news that Westland's major crime rate dropped in 1996, than did we experience two area shootings: one on the Westland border at Jamie's in Garden City and the other over the past weekend in the parking lot of Chatters Lounge on Wayne Road in Westland.

Although these high-profile cases are reason for concern and attention by these communities and their residents, let's not lose sight of the overall picture and keep our eye on the ultimate prize: building a better community.

For that, we must all take some responsibility.

Locally, it is apparent that Westland and other areapolice departments are working hard, using the newer community policing approach to keep a handle on crime in the city and trying to take a proactive approach to keep crime rates down. This approach is a way for police to develop better links throughout the community so that potential problems can be headed off and people can be better educated about helping police.

There will still be cases in which this proactive approach won't stop the crime - such as in last weekend's murder/suicide.

But our police continue to work hard, nonetheless.

In 1996, Westland saw a reduction in the number of murders, rapes, burglaries and theft of motor vehicles. There was a significant increase in aggravated assaults and a slight increase in robbery cases. Wisely, police Chief Emery Price called the improvement "a step in the right direction" but noted that the department is not resting on its laurels. "You don't want to hang a lot on one year's report," he said.

We agree. It is important to look at trends, which is why these statistics are kept.

In addition to tracking criminal activities in our own city, we should also continue to look to regional trends as well, if we are to keep crime down.

Police often tell us that crime has no boundaries. The most recent shooting occurred at a bar in Westland; it could just as easily have happened in Livonia, Redford, Garden City, Canton, Plymouth, Wayne or any other near-by community.

We must also look to ourselves and our attitudes about our city. We should get involved in our neighborhoods, community and civic events and develop a sense of pride in our community - something that is a powerful force in helping police and deterring crime.

## Potholes: Drivers pay the price

**I**n the national and business press, John Engler sounds like a fiscal conservative's dream come true - 21 tax cuts worth \$2 billion.

Tell that to drivers whose vehicles are damaged by potholes. Tell it to insurers, repair shops, universities, public schools and budget makers. The fiscal 1998 budget of Michigan's governor is causing nightmares and breeding political chaos.

Road disrepair has been an issue for a decade. Engler's predecessor, James Blanchard, wouldn't face up to a needed tax increase. Engler asked for time to squeeze 600 employees and millions out of the transportation budget before asking for a fuel tax increase; but still he won't face the inevitable.

Examine the governor's budget for fiscal 1998. There is no fuel tax increase. There are a number of funny-money proposals, however, that received a hostile reception in both parties:

First, Engler offered a one-year proposal. Sorry, that won't do. Roads are a continuing need - building, repairing, rebuilding, upgrading.

Second, Engler proposes taking money from the general fund for the road fund. Michigan has done that only once in most of our lifetimes. Our style is to dedicate taxes from fuel and license fees to transportation.

Our goal has been to take transportation out of the battle for dollars with education, welfare, prisons, natural resources, state police, courts and the rest. The Engler proposal would turn back the calendar and resurrect that political brawling.

The governor proposes a 2.5 percent hike, the rate of the consumer price index, for universities and community colleges, whose price index is rising far faster than that. He proposes 2.6 percent more for public school operations. In western Wayne County, public schools are facing health care, pension and special education cost hikes of 4, 5 and 6 percent.

The chair of the Senate Appropriations

Committee, a member of Engler's own party, warned that the Legislature will boost the university line items more than the recommended 2.5 percent. The other party is seeking to restore \$105 million to adult education and more for teacher upgrading. The general fund money Engler proposes for roads simply won't be there.

Third, Engler indulged in some sleight-of-hand when he said there was "\$40 million available for local road projects." What he proposed was that the state take "revenue-sharing" money for local governments and tell them to use it on roads.

That decision should be made locally, not by a central authority in Lansing. Engler has proposed nothing new for local roads. In fact, one local unit after another is seeking local taxes and bonds for roads because the state source is inadequate.

Fourth, while tax cuts may make Michigan's leader look like a model, or even national ticket material, in Iowa and New Hampshire, the fact of life is that those voters don't drive Michigan roads.

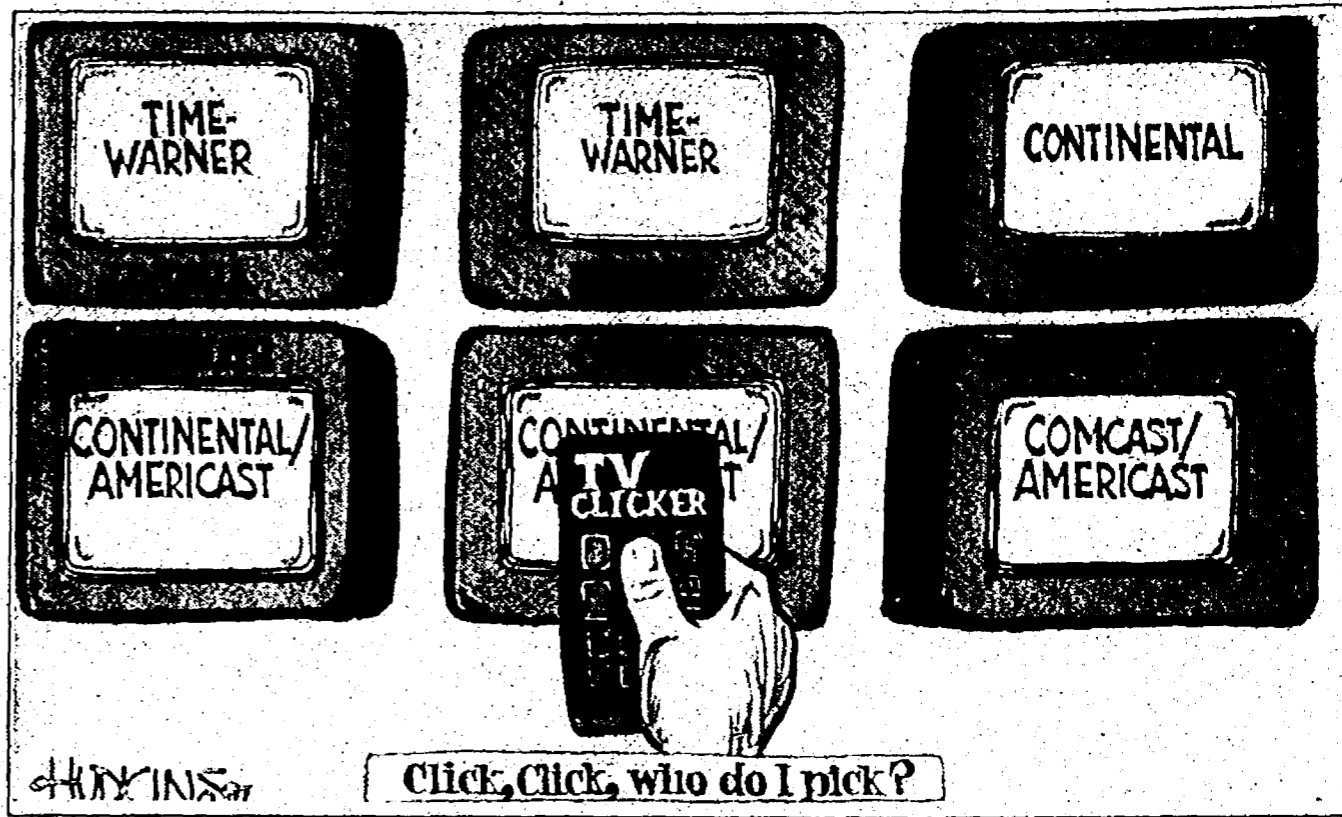
The effect has been to shove the costs onto drivers, especially those with smaller cars. Tires, wheel rims, chassis, trailers - all are being broken and battered. Auto insurers pay some of the bigger claims, but most repairs fall under insurance deductibles, and so individual consumers bear the loss.

Most consumers would rather put their money into fuel taxes than car repairs. Instead, they find themselves paying taxes plus repair bills as our roads get worse by the day, month, year and decade.

At election time, candidate Engler boasted of his ability to make "tough" decisions. On the road issue, his boast rings hollow. He proposes to fix roads for one year by raiding colleges, schools, local budgets and consumers' repair bills. We see nothing admirable and much divisive about Engler's funny-money approach.

The governor and Legislature should have the courage to raise the fuel tax for roads.

ARKIE HUDKINS



LETTERS

### New service not needed

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Unlike rural areas, where accident victims and other emergency cases often need to be transported 20 or more miles to the nearest hospital emergency room, in Westland virtually everyone lives five to 10 minutes or less from a qualified hospital or other urgent care facility.

Please remember, an ambulance is a truck, not a hospital. And a firefighter is a city employee, not a doctor. It could be downright dangerous for paramedics to waste precious time attempting - off the cuff - to diagnose and treat victims in the back of a truck when a fully staffed and functioning emergency room is only minutes away.

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Walter Warren  
Westland

### End abortion

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Some say we should be concerned not only with the unborn but with the earth's environment, its pollution, nuclear armament, pover-

ty and the homeless. Yet, if we believe this, while we execute the lives of the unborn "cherubs," what sane resolve is this? Aren't we condoning further irresponsibility, sheltered by promiscuous, instant gratification of premarital sex via condoms as a "way of life"? Doesn't this render inexcusable prerogatives, meaning if you don't want the responsibility of a possibly conceived life, just dispose of it, like instant garbage?

This is reprehensible. We stand in dire need of knowing the entire truth about what abortion is and what it does ... not as an intimidating factor, but as a way to warrant complete understanding of such great priority as human, conceived life.

"Partial abortions," as well as other inhumane abortions, can never be an answer to the pregnancy epidemic. Abstinence is a "guarantee" and secondly "adoption" instead of abortion is a feasible alternative.

Julianne Pieknik  
Westland

### Letters on Sunday?

**I** was pleased by the recent announcement by the Observer that it is publishing a Sunday morning edition of the Observer.

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Ross Rhinehart  
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POINTS OF VIEW

# Skating offers resident a sense of exhilaration

**T**here are a few poignant moments in each of our lives which we never forget. Two years ago, at the age of 42, I strapped on my first pair of figure skates. Little did I know that a great adventure was about to begin. Passion is a mysterious thing. It infuses energy when the body is weak and provides hope when frustration abounds. The moment I first experienced the exhilaration of gliding across an expanse of ice, an intense energy took hold of me. Skating has become my passion. I cannot escape the uncanny feeling that skating chose me, swept me up on its swift journey, and purposefully propels me. For how else can I explain figure skating in my life? It was not in my plans. With a family, full-time job and as a writer, my time was already filled. Yet, I seemed destined to skate. I worried about my husband and young daughter. Would my new

lifestyle diminish the quality of our lives? Would I regret, and they resent, my time away from home? The passage of time has eased my mind. My family readily embraced skating into the fabric of our lives. Their lifestyles changed with mine, and in the process, we came closer together. When the pace of our sometimes chaotic lives threatens my resolve to skate, their support is my anchor. **New respect** I have gained a new respect for naivete. Not knowing the challenges ahead is sometimes advantageous. In retrospect, based on my experience up to that point, there was not much more I could have done to prepare for my first competition. I practiced with earnestness and devoted hours to learning the program. My newfound aspiration directed me to aspects of skating I had never considered before.



MAE YONG OGLETREE

Yet, a growing sense of dread intensified as the day of the event approached. I did not know what to expect of anyone, especially myself, and feared the worse. At the same time, I could not turn from the challenge. When my moment on the ice arrived, I was not mentally prepared. I did not have the courage to make eye contact with the audience. My movements were stiff and mechanical. The performance was a disappointment to me. I buried my silver medal

in a drawer, and for at year, did not have the heart to view the videotape. I returned to my regular skating routine, guided by the knowledge gained from that first event. I believed I would compete again in the future, but was relieved to know that that future was not in sight. Quite unexpectedly one day, I sensed a dissatisfaction. The practice was monotonous. I was bored. If I was to move forward in skating, I knew I must compete again, and soon. In every practice, I envisioned my audience and skated for their enjoyment as well as my own. In so doing, I found myself searching for emotional content in the performance and accompanying music. Thus was my introduction to choreography. The competition was an enjoyable experience. I greeted my audience with a shy smile, and to my delight, they smiled right back. The program ended all too soon.

**Rich with memories** The fullness of my life is made rich with such memories. I recall a visit last spring to Gaylord, where I skated at the newly opened SportsPlex. After a short time, I became strangely aware that I was in an unique environment. The rink was filled with beginners of all ages. All around me was a community of wobbly skaters. The memory of those beginning skaters in Gaylord was uplifting, and I held it close to me for weeks. I was puzzled by a lingering sense that there was significance in the experience. Skating at its best does not isolate, but connects the skater with humanity. I am reminded of the time I stepped onto the ice and smiled shyly into a sea of expectant faces. Guest columnist Mae Yong Ogletree of Livonia was introduced to figure skating two years ago at age 42.

# Organized labor remains a force in Democratic Party

**T**alk about "culture shock." Two meetings at the Feb. 8-9 Democratic State Convention in Detroit left this reporter reeling. At 3 p.m. Saturday, the labor caucus met, Frank Garrison presiding. Organized labor is the biggest single bloc of delegates in the Michigan Democratic Party, Garrison often says. Whomever labor endorses invariably wins, at least in conventions and primaries. Delegates sit in neat, classroom-style rows. Garrison and 20 or so officers sit on a podium above them. The labor caucus lasts one hour. Its actual business takes about five minutes. Garrison presents the nominating committee's recommendations. The nominating committee's members and standards never are revealed. The qualifications of the recommended candidates are not revealed. Garrison calls for a motion to ratify. The motion is made and seconded. There is no discussion. There are no

other nominations. All in favor — which means everyone in the labor caucus — vote aye. This year it was a slate of a half-dozen party officers. Last year it was 10 education board and two Supreme Court candidates. The whole thing takes just five minutes, literally. The rest of the hour is given to speeches by Garrison and favored candidates. Delegates ask no questions. They sit and applaud. I merely describe. As a journalist, I am their guest. At 4 p.m. Doug Ross, a candidate for governor, hosts a symposium, also for an hour. Immediately one is struck by the difference in the arrangements. The seating is horseshoe style. If you know anything about the conduct of meetings, you know that this style is more suitable to give-and-take, to audience participation. Ross has a lectern but mostly doesn't use it. Ross states his qualifications: con-



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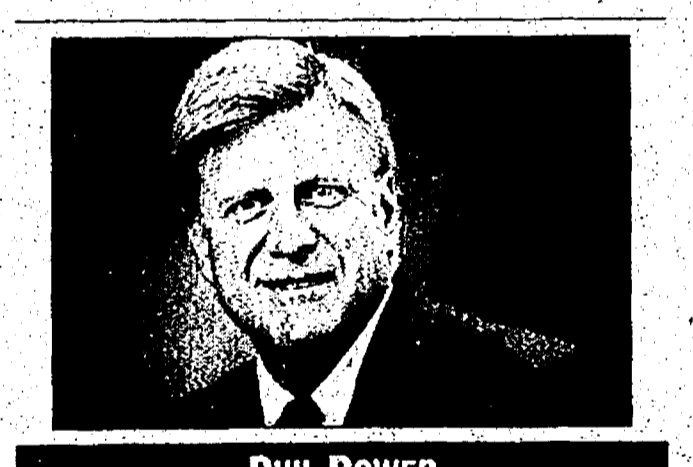
sumer lobbyist, state senator, work in two of Gov. Jim Blanchard's departments, work in President Clinton's Labor Department. He talks about his vision of Michigan's economy in 2006, nearly 10 years down the road. To be precise, it's not his vision but an extrapolation of where the economy and private entrepreneurs are going plus his ideas of how to help it get there, based on input from dozens of associates. Ross talks about workplaces where "workers don't check their brains at

the door." "Teams without supervisors." "Thinking, not lifting." He turns to classrooms. "Students no longer sit in industrial rows while teachers lecture." A "new learning" that is "active not passive. It involves choices. It involves work and learning combined, and lifelong learning." Ross allots almost half the time for audience discussion. A retired teacher suggests that retirees from all occupations would be tapped as volunteers to help schools. Ross picks up on it and turns a phrase: "Your older workers aren't your problem; they're your solution." A clinical psychologist, a fan of public libraries and a high school student get in their licks. The student says, "Education isn't about reciting and testing. It's about interaction." Ross explains his agenda isn't engraved in concrete. It has evolved in the past few months. He even picks up an idea in this session that he plans to incorporate. The professor

has learned something. One is struck by the similarity between the Democrats' labor caucus and the authoritarian religious right of the Republican Party with its emphasis on reading, writing, "rithmetic, rote and religion; the veneration for authority figures; the rigid division of every issue into "right" and "wrong" litmus tests. One also is struck by the business methods that Ross, the one-time Citizens Lobby corporation basher, has learned and internalized. To become the gubernatorial nominee, Ross will have to win the labor caucus' support. It will require more than demonizing Engler, the Mackinac Center and Republicans in general. There is a fundamental, cultural difference between Ross and labor. Just as there is a cultural difference within the Republican Party. Tim Richard reports on the local implications of state and regional events.

# Roads, higher education face off

**I**t got largely overlooked in Gov. John Engler's State of the State speech and subsequent budget, but it's my odds-on favorite for fireworks this year. It's roads and potholes in one corner, folks, and the state's community colleges and universities in the other. Boxed in by his traditional preoccupation with burnishing his reputation as a tax cutter but at the same time well aware of the ghastly shape of Michigan roads, Gov. Engler produced some fancy budgetary footwork. No, he won't go for an increase in the fuel tax, the traditional method of earmarking money for road repairs. (Surprise!) Yes, he proposed spending another \$70 million for roads — \$40 million for local and \$30 million for state trunklines. (Surprise again.) Where's the money coming from? Engler didn't say in his State of the State speech, but budget director Mark Murray did when he detailed the spending plans for the \$8.5 billion general fund budget. It's coming from the 15 state universities and 28 community colleges, which are scheduled to get only a 2.5 percent increase for operations next year versus the 5.5 percent they got this year. How did leaders in the Legislature like the idea? Not much. Still sore at Engler for cutting adult education this fiscal year from \$185 million to \$80 million, the Democrats, who now control the House, are vowing to restore the adult ed cuts and make the universities whole. They (together with a lot of DPW folks who are out trying to fill potholes with cold patch) think the logical way to fix roads is to quit trying to raid the general fund and bite the bullet by increasing the fuel tax. The Engler administration's position — short-changing education in favor of roads — on all this looks very odd, especially if you read carefully the text of the governor's State of the State speech. One of his biggest initiatives was to propose a "statewide framework for career preparation," a term he rightly prefers to "vocational education." Our state is experiencing an absolute shortage of skilled workers. The University of Michigan is predicting that the Big Three will hire more than 100,000 new workers in Michigan over the next five years. These "gold collar" jobs can pay as much as \$30 to \$40 per hour. Moreover, according to the governor, "they don't require a four-year college degree. What they do require is extensive training, especially in work-



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based education." For years, two state representatives — Glenn Oxender, R-Sturgis, and the now retired Bill Keith, D-Garden City — worked on this topic, holding countless hearings all around the state. They got bills through the House, only to see them die in the Senate, done in by criticism from wealthy suburban parents who saw no point in "vocational education" if their kids were all destined for college. The governor wants to put together regional career preparation plans and develop a curriculum that links academic and technical skills and includes some time spent learning skills in actual shops and labs. He suggested a \$30 million pot to reward schools that develop such programs. He's right. Anybody who looks at the Help Wanted section of this newspaper realizes that a local employers are desperate for skilled workers. And people are not going to get the skills to respond to these recruitment ads by studying advanced physics in ivy-covered halls. I'm on the board of the National Center for Education and the Economy, which has been studying human investment and training issues for years. Our research has found, over and over again, that employers in Germany and Japan, our biggest global competitors, spend far more than American companies do on apprenticeship programs and on-the-job skill upgrading. It's nice to see the governor that the state has a significant responsibility in this area. After all the work Bill Keith and Glenn Oxender did (they worked as a team though Engler mentioned only Oxender), it might just be that career preparation and skills upgrading are bipartisan issues whose time has come. Phil Power is chairman of the company that owns this newspaper. His Touch-Tone voice mail number is (313) 953-2047, Ext. 1880.

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The CHEERS Award, sponsored by the Southeast Michigan Corporate Volunteer Council (SMCVC) and United Way Community Services, honors one exceptional employee from metropolitan Detroit who volunteers his or her time to non-profit organizations within Wayne, Oakland or Macomb counties.

Nominations for the CHEERS

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entrance requirements of Schoolcraft College. Scholarship funds may be used for tuition, books and related academic fees up to \$2,000 per year. Recipients must remain in good academic standing, work 15 to 20 hours a week at H.R. Krueger during the school year and full time in the summer. They will be paid at a rate equal to other workers in similar jobs.

Applications are available at the Office of Financial Aid in McDowell Center. For information, call (313) 462-4433. Complete application materials must be submitted by June 1.

Each nomination should have a recommendation letter from the primary charitable organization for which the employee volunteers.

Nominees must be employed by the employer and volunteer outside of work for at least one year with a charitable organization within Wayne, Oakland or Macomb county.

The volunteer work cannot be a required part of the employee's job.

Nominees will be judged on service, time given, initiative of new programs and creative problem solving.

The nominee, employer and charitable organization must be willing to participate in National Volunteer Week activities and be named in promotional materials.

This year's CHEERS Award will be presented at the Celebrate Volunteers Luncheon, one of the largest volunteer recognition celebrations of its kind in the country.

The charitable organization for which the CHEERS winner volunteers will be awarded \$1,000 by the SMCVC and the United Way Community Services National Volunteer Week Committee.

Other nominees and their employees also will be recognized at the luncheon.

"I encourage corporations to nominate up to five of their employees for this prestigious award," said Wayne Bradley Sr., assistant vice president, The Wellness Plan and chair of National Volunteer Week Corporate Subcommittee.

"It's a wonderful way to show your appreciation and recognize your company's volunteers for their contribution to community service."

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## FAMILY ROOM



KAREN MEIER

## Taking time to say thanks and celebrate

**O**J. Simpson owes \$33 million. UAW workers are still striking. Michael Jackson's a dad. Madonna receives no nomination.

And Joey cleaned his room. Tony delivered his papers. Carmen did well at a gymnastic meet. Jack found his elephant. Steven's first birthday is Sunday.

Here, there, everywhere, life tumbles with activity - good and bad. Children deserve the good.

Last night, I did dishes to music. For the children's sake. There were three of them home, the other two were away: one at a meeting with my husband, and one at a practice. And so it was music, not the evening news last night. Too much bad on there and that's not good. Especially for children, especially for little ones; they just don't need that.

They need good news, good examples, good music, good everything, as much good as possible, to have there be so much good that good is what they know well. If children get a firm grounding in "good," when the inevitable bad comes knocking, they'll have the strength and knowledge to recognize and fight for the good.

So I put "good" music on, by Raffi. That's right, Raffi. Raffi's a guy and that's his name, just Raffi. It's simple, distinct. He's a musician who makes music for and about children. He writes songs, performs them, and, you know, the way he performs, the way he sounds, I believe he lives the songs. He believes what he sings.

In the title song on the "Baby Beluga" album, a friend of Raffi's plays trumpet, another a clarinet, and Raffi strums his guitar and sings, "Baby Beluga in the deep blue sea, swim so wild and swim so free, Heaven above and the sea below, and a little white whale on the go." The song is lilting and sweet and contagious.

### Dishes can wait.

As a matter of fact, I took my hands out of the soapsuds, went to Steven, picked him up and danced with him. I decided dishes could wait while I danced with my baby and sang, too, "Is the water warm, is your Mama home - with you so happy?" Steven smiled and then tucked his head under my jaw and on my shoulder, the way babies do, and I held him close. I figured it was OK to let the dishes go for a minute for that.

When the next song began, I was back washing - some muffin pans. It was a coincidence, the song was, "Biscuits in the Oven." I know the words made sense to my young listeners; they anticipate biscuits with the best of them, watching them rise in the oven right before their very eyes. And jumping and shouting when they're ready, I can count on that!

Raffi, apparently inspired by the United Nations Rights of the Child document, composed another song. The UN document says, "Each child has the right to affection, love and understanding; to adequate nutrition, to learn to be a useful member of society, and to develop individual abilities, to be brought up in a spirit of peace and universal brotherhood."

And Raffi sings: "All I really need is a song in my heart, food in my belly, and love in my family. All I really need is a song in my heart and love in my family... So that I can grow up strong and take my place where I belong."

I couldn't help it; the bubbles disappeared from the dishwasher, the water went cold, but dancing was the thing just then. This time with two sons; one in one arm, and the other in the other. Jack danced on his own feet with his several elephants.

### ... And wait some more

Dishes went by the wayside yet again as the calypso beat of "Day-O" emerged from the island congas. Off to dance again, but first I grabbed two bunches of bananas, one for Joe and one for Jack. Steven and I would tally them.

I didn't care about my just refreshed dishwasher, and I didn't care much either if someone passing by on the street saw dancing bananas through my windows. It was fun and the children sang along, "Come Mr. Tallyman, tally me banana, daylight come and me wan go home."

I returned to the sink, the boys remained in the adjoining room with the music. I had to get done now, it was time to pick Carmen up from practice.

The music played on while I washed the last things. The song was simple and very gentle - a prayer-song. I thought of my gentle Steven: "Thanks a lot, thanks for the sun in the sky,"

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## Cupid's couples

### Members find their mates through Jaycees

■ They joined the Jaycees to meet people and get active in the community, but little did eight Jaycees know that Cupid had his arrow pointed directly at their hearts.

BY CAROL WILES BAGAZINSKI  
SPECIAL WRITER

Since he joined the Livonia Jaycees nine years ago, Jerry Bagazinski has been a leading recruiter by promising potential members the experience will change their lives.

He should know. It dramatically changed his and many others who joined the chapter or visited a Jaycee-sponsored event with a friend.

Since 1990, 10 Livonia Jaycee couples have married and most have started a family. There is also another wedding scheduled for August.

Of those who met their spouse through the Jaycees, most will tell you they joined to develop business contacts, make friends and get involved in the community. Only one will openly admit she was on a mission to meet a mate.

"At least she was looking for love in the right places," said Bagazinski.

Also known as the Junior Chamber of Commerce, the Jaycees started in 1915 in St. Louis, Mo., as a young men's civic association. Women were not allowed to join until 1983 when the U.S. Supreme Court ruled that membership based on gender was discriminatory given the outstanding leadership opportunities provided by the organization. (Five of the past 10 Livonia Jaycees presidents have been women.)

The group's membership represents a diverse group of individuals with varied professional backgrounds. Their reasons for joining are equally diverse.

Bagazinski, a Livonia attorney, joined the chapter in 1987. At age 27, he was finishing up nine years of school and "looking to meet others who were similarly situated." He did.

Although he didn't realize it until several years later, Bagazinski met his future wife at that first meeting. He married Carol Wiles, a marketing specialist, almost five years later.

They became friends while working on community projects together. Each one also served as chapter president. As their schedules permitted, they would date other people within and outside the organization.

### 'Getting to know ...'

Like many of the other couples, they knew each other quite well by the time they started dating each other in 1989. They married three years later and are now expecting



STAFF PHOTO BY JIM JAGDELO

**Happily ever after:** The Livonia Jaycees organization has proven to be the place to meet your mate for four couples - soon-to-be-married Neil Cervenak and Deanna Schryer (seated in front), Steve and Barbara Sartorius (standing from left), Jerry and Carol Bagazinski and Colleen and Brian Meakin.

their second child.

Wendy and Ken Korte were married in October 1996. Wendy characterizes their first date as "really weird."

"We already knew so much about each other," she said, referring to the long conversations they had had during chapter activities.

Ken, a production forecaster for a national distributor of houseware products, joined the Livonia Jaycees in 1982 mainly to develop some political connections. He immediately volunteered to organize the community holiday tree lighting ceremony.

"I was looking for an opportunity to meet the mayor and city council members," he said. Somewhat chagrined, he admits his main responsibility was making the hot chocolate and coffee for the evening ceremonies.

The experience paid off. Korte went on to become chapter president, state program manager and JCI Senator, one of the highest international honors bestowed on a Jaycee.

Like the Bagazinskis, Colleen and Brian Meakin both served as chapter president. Parents of 6-month-old Kellianne, the Meakins now live in Redford, but remain active in the organization.

Meakin, 34, marketing director for an independent insurance agency, joined for business networking opportunities. Several years ago, he was one of 20 district directors recognized nationally for outstanding performance. Currently, he serves as management development president for the Michigan Jaycees.

Colleen, a JCI Senator, joined 12 years ago, when she was 21, simply to make new friends and get involved in the community. Almost immediately, she became active within the group, serving on the board of directors for more than seven years.

Like many of the other couples, the Meakins also were good friends before they started dating. Not wanting to jeopardize that relationship, Colleen turned down several requests from Brian for a date. Given his sales background, he persisted and she finally accepted his invitation to the group's annual charity dance.

They became engaged almost two years later at another chapter event, Brian's President's Christmas Social.

The Rev. Alberto Bondy of St. Michael Church in Livonia has married and counseled some 400 couples during the past 10 years. He is not surprised by the number of success-

ful relationships developing among Jaycees members.

### Spirit of generosity

"Marriage is a service to one another," he said. "These are giving people meeting other giving people. They have a spirit of generosity and are not self-centered. Add love and initial attraction to that and you should be able to make a success of it."

A number of the couples met as members of different Jaycee chapters. Such was the case for Steve and Barb Sartorius, now living in Canton with their three children - Ryan, 4, and twins Erin and Emily, 6 months.

They both served as chapter presidents during the 1989-90 year - Steve in Livonia, while Barb was the first female president for Ypsilanti. Throughout the year, they would see each other at state conventions, but each was busy with their own chapter activities.

As Cupid himself might have planned, Steve was working in Ypsilanti that year. Once a week he would join a group from work to play volleyball in a gym they rented from the Willow Run School District. During a game, he noticed Barb, a special education teacher for the dis-

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## Party to benefit CHS Hospice House



STAFF PHOTO BY TOM HAWLEY

**Party planners:** Fanning them out like decks of cards, Judy Hale (front row, from left), Delores Nilan, Rene Nassar, Carol Sullivan (back row, from left), Ellen Edelen, Michele Schmidt and Sue Racey show there are still tickets available for the fifth annual St. Patrick's dinner-dance March 8.

BY SUE MASON  
STAFF WRITER

"Did you bring something for my wheelbarrow?" Judy Hale asked Lori George. "No? You're fired."

George protests her quick dismissal, pointing out that she's not on Hale's committee, but the protest is glossed over with an order to bring in a garden hose.

If you like corned beef and cabbage, the taste of Guinness beer and Irish step dancing and even want to bid on Hale's "landscape basket," then the place to be is St. Mary's Cultural Center on Saturday, March 8, for the St. Patrick's dinner-dance to benefit Community Hospice Services.

This is the fifth year members of St. Aidan's Catholic Church in Livonia have organized the benefit that raises an estimated \$25,000 for CHS.

This year's proceeds are targeted for a CHS community-based hospice home that would provide care for terminally ill patients in a residential setting, when they have no place to go or no one to care for them. The proposed home would house 6-8 patients.

"The community support has been wonderful," said CHS's Maureen Karby.

A popular soldout event at St. Aidan's, organizers decided to move to the cultural center to accommodate the demand for tickets. With the benefit less than three weeks away, it looks like the benefit is on its way to another sellout, with more than half of the 500 tickets already sold.

"It's the same amount of work, but we're happy," said Hale, who is chairing the event with her husband, Kenneth, and Michele and Ray-

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mond Schmidt. "In some ways the decorating will be easier; we won't have to decorate so high because of the space."

Honorary chairs for the dinner-dance include Wayne County Executive Edward McNamara, State Rep. Lyn Bankes, Congressman Joseph Knollenberg, Livonia Mayor Jack Kirksey, Westland Mayor Robert Thomas, Livonia City Clerk Joan McCotter, Don Massey of Don Massey Cadillac, Pat Milliken of Pat Milliken Ford and Tom Monahan of Domino's Pizza.

The festivities will get under way at 5 p.m. with the O'Hale's Gala for benefactors and sponsors. At 6 p.m., the 40-50 baskets will be previewed followed by a cocktail reception at 6:30

p.m. and the traditional Irish dinner, including a sweets table donated by St. Aidan's Women's Guild, at 7:30 p.m.

Party goers will be able to savor the taste of Guinness beer, which they were introduced to last year when CHS Executive Director Maureen Butrico and her husband brought a case to the party.

It was such a hit that she contacted a friend in New York, a corporate manager for the beer company, who has sent along two kegs of the beer as well as a cooler filled with Guinness goodies like crystal glasses, bar posters, towels and openers.

"Last year my husband and I brought a case and everyone loved it, so we went out all night

buying more cases," Butrico said. "So we decided to have it on tap this year."

There also will be a silent auction, featuring several fishing charters, a leather Dodge Viper seat made into a chair (donated by Johnson Controls) and autographed memorabilia donated by Olympic gold medalist Sheila Taormina.

The auction will also feature a handmade queen-sized quilt that is being made by the CHS staff with the help of volunteers. It also will have entertainment by The Mercy Mimes - "They'll meet, greet and seat," said Schmidt.

The cocktail hour will feature bagpiper Derek Marshall, with the Tim O'Hara Irish

Dancers, disc jockey Stephen King and the music of Midnight rounding out the entertainment lineup.

Tickets cost \$125 each for benefactors, \$75 for sponsors, which include O'Hale's Gala and name recognition, and \$40 for supporters. Corporate sponsorships are \$1,000 and include 10 tickets to the dinner-dance and the gala, 10 raffle tickets and a full page advertisement in the program, being done by Graphic Communication Inc. in Plymouth

Planning for the benefit is a whirlwind affair that starts after the Christmas holidays. This year's official kickoff was a dinner at Butrico's home on Jan. 12. In addition to the planning

committee, there are plenty of volunteers that make the benefit so successful. Bob Racey and Will Sullivan are the event's auctioneers, while Sullivan's wife, Carol, is coordinating table seating. Schmidt's father, John Damiani, is credited with "training his fingers to tie balloons."

"There's 40 baskets of floral arrangements that we have teams go out and pick up," said Karby. "We have at least 100 people volunteering behind the scenes. All of our husbands are volunteers."

"This is a community effort, not just a few people putting on a benefit."

Tickets for the benefit are on sale at the CHS offices at 32932 Warren Road, Suite 100, West-

land, and 127 S. Main St., Plymouth. They also will go on sale this weekend at St. Aidan's Church, 17500 Farmington Road, Livonia. To order, call CHS at (313) 522-4244.

For more information about the dinner-dance or to make ticket reservations, call Community Hospice Services at (313) 522-4244.

Established in 1981, CHS has provided care to more than 1,000 persons in Wayne, Oakland and Washtenaw counties. Event like the dinner-dance support adult and children's bereavement programs that are available to the public.

# Couples from page B1

trict, working out on the other side of the gym and invited her to join them.

They married on Feb. 29, 1992, the first of three couples who celebrated their nuptials at

the Livonia Jaycees Clubhouse.

"The funny thing is, if I hadn't recognized her as a Jaycee, I probably wouldn't have talked to her," Steve said.

Tim and Donna Blackburn

met while their chapter softball teams competed against one another in 1991. Tim was playing for Livonia, Donna for Westland. They spotted one another again at a state convention and started dating.

They were married in 1995 and have two children with the third due this month. The Blackburns both joined the Jaycees only because they wanted to play softball. Neil Cervenan and Deanna Schryer, who are planning an August wedding, also met while playing softball for the Jaycees.

A pediatric nurse, Schryer joined several years ago after moving to Livonia. She simply wanted to get to know some other people in her age group,

but was not interested in joining a singles organization. She attended her first meeting after seeing a notice in the newspaper.

"Actually, I was surprised to see how many members were married," she said.

Cervenan, an engineer, rejoined the chapter in 1995 after his employer transferred him back to the Detroit area from a two-year assignment in another state.

For other couples, it was a specific project that sparked their meeting and interest in one another.

For Judy and Gary Canavan, the first of the many couples to marry, it was a hayride and square dance that they organized together. Residents of

Walled Lake, they were married in April 1990 and have a daughter, Erica.

Brian and Teresa Meyers of Green Oak Township, met at a 1990 weekend retreat, sponsored by the Jaycees. Teresa invited Brian, who was responsible for the event's musical entertainment, to dance. The pair quickly learned they had a lot in common.

Dave and Darlene Ciampa met at a Jaycees-sponsored charity walk and became better acquainted at a party celebrating its success. Darlene, an insurance claims examiner, and Dave, a police officer, both share an interest in politics and law enforcement.

Troy residents, Linda and

Jerry Schultz met while staffing the Halloween haunted house. Jerry attended the event with a co-worker. Several weeks later, he called Linda and asked her to accompany him to the Michigan Thanksgiving Day Parade.

Linda, a marketing research specialist and mother to 5-month-old Thomas, jokingly said she joined the organization because "Jerry Bagazinski promised me it would be an opportunity of a lifetime." In retrospect, she admits it probably was.

The Livonia Jaycees meet 7:30 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month at The Days Inn, 36655 Plymouth Road. Membership is open to all individuals between the ages of 21 and 40. For further information about other chapters, call 1-800-949-6452.

# Family Room from page B1

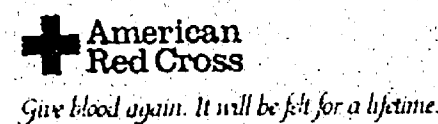
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for all I've got." Happy Birthday, Steven.

If you have a question or comment for Karen Meier, a Plymouth resident, call her at 953-2047, mailbox number 1883, on a Touch-Tone phone, write her at The Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150, or reach her at her E-mail address: FamilyRoom@worldnet.att.net.

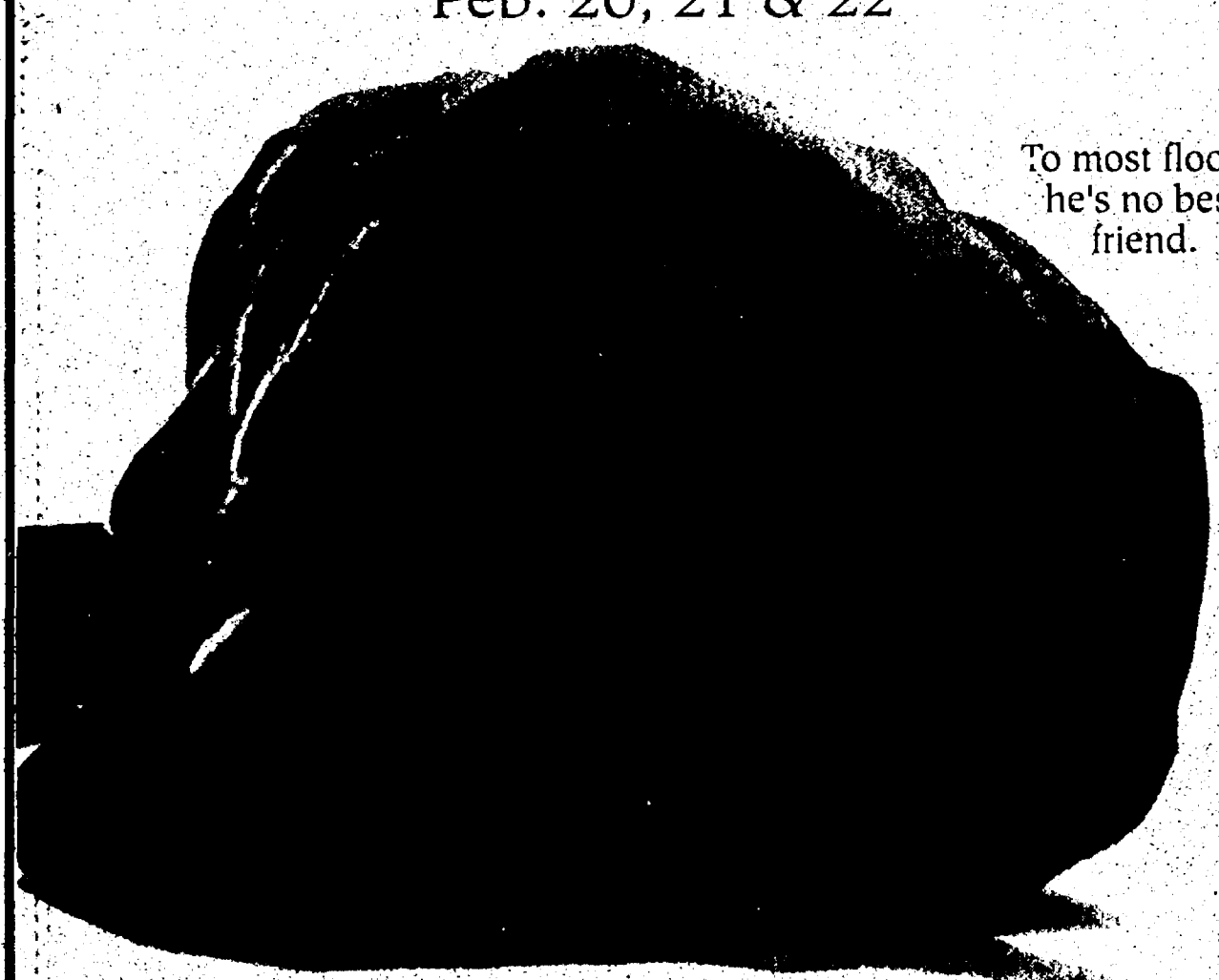
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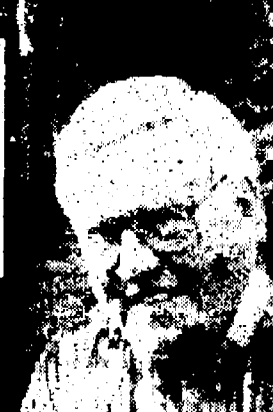
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Speaker sessions will be 1-2 p.m. and 2-3 p.m. and include DMC Health Care Centers' ophthalmologists who will talk about Excimer Laser Correction for nearsightedness. Participants are encouraged to bring their eyeglasses to determine if they are a candidate for the procedure.

A specialist in women's health and internal medicine will speak about the prevention, maintenance and treatment of osteoporosis and a physician internist will talk about developing an exercise program to fit into a busy schedule.

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WEDDINGS AND ENGAGEMENTS

Reso-Katt

Sharon Marie Katt and Dennis Michael Reso were married Aug. 30 at the Martha-Mary Chapel in Greenfield Village, Dearborn. The Rev. Norton Swier, uncle of the bride, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Vern and Elaine Katt of Canton. The groom is the son of the late Ron and Peggy Reso.

The bride received her bachelor of science degree in computer science from the University of Michigan-Dearborn. She is employed by the Ford Motor Co. in Dearborn.

The groom received his bachelor of science degree in computer science from Michigan State University. He also is employed by the Ford Motor Co. in Dearborn.

The bride asked Elizabeth Baron to serve as matron of honor with Janna Humphreys, Kristen Lampe and Annie Swier as bridesmaids. The flower girl was Lorelei Baron.

The groom asked Sean Cooper to serve as best man with Ken



Reso, Ed Bozich and John Jamulla as groomsmen and Ron Katt as usher.

The couple received guests at Lovett Hall in Greenfield Village before leaving on a two-week trip to Hawaii. They are making their home in Dearborn Heights.

Deacon-Lowe

Frank and Martha Asadoorian of Farmington Hills announce the engagement of their daughter, Jennifer Ann, to Patrick Anderson Lowe, the son of Ande and Ruth Lowe, also of Farmington Hills.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Livonia Churchill High School and Ferris State University. She is employed as a dental hygienist in Bloomfield Hills.

Her fiancé is a graduate of North Farmington High School and Ferris State University. Employed by the Ford Motor Co., he is currently attending Eastern Michigan University where he is pursuing a master's degree in industrial technology.

A July wedding is planned for Links at Pinewood.



Sweltzer-Condon

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Sweitzer of Lake Bluff, Ill., formerly of Northville, announce the engagement of their daughter, Kristin Lynne, to Carl Richard Condon, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Condon of Conroe, Texas.

The bride-to-be is a 1989 graduate of Northville High School, a 1993 graduate of the University of Michigan with a bachelor of arts degree, and a her master of arts degree in education in 1995. She is employed as a teacher in Chicago.

Her fiancé is a 1990 graduate of Conroe High School and a graduate of the University of Michigan with a bachelor of arts degree. He is employed as an assistant golf professional at Barton Creek Country Club in



Austin, Texas. A June wedding is planned for St. Andrew Catholic Church in Chicago.

Davis-McInroy

Nancy Lynn McInroy and John Arthur Davis were married Nov. 1 at Trinity Lutheran Church in Midland. The Rev. Denise M. Grant officiated.

The brides is the daughter of Andrew and Devinee Neil of Livonia, and the groom is the son of Richard Davis of Germantown, Md., and Judy Davis of Gladwin.

The bride is a 1989 graduate of Livonia Churchill High School and a 1993 graduate of Central Michigan University with a bachelor of science degree in public health education.

The groom is a 1989 graduate of H.H. Dow High School in Midland and a 1993 graduate of Michigan Technological University with a bachelor of science degree in environmental engineering. He is employed by Progressive Engineering Solutions in Farmington Hills.

The bride asked Tina Bornick to serve as maid of honor with bridesmaids JoAnn Roznowski, Laura Bonnici, Susan McInroy



and Peggy Davis.

The groom asked Terry Pashak to serve as best man with groomsmen Brent Johnson Trent Wickman, Brad Sahr and Jeff Pinwar.

The couple received guests at the Great Mall in Midland before leaving on a honeymoon in Key West, Fla. They are making their home in Westland.

Murzin-Pidruzny

Walter and Kathryn Murzin of Garden City announce the engagement of their daughter, Julie Marie, to David Allen Pidruzny, the son of Richard and Karen Pidruzny of Murrieta, Calif.

The bride-to-be is a 1989 graduate of Garden City High School. She is employed as a customer service representative at Active Aero Charter, inc., in Belleville.

Her fiancé is a 1988 graduate of Redford Union High School. Currently enrolled at the Michigan Institute of Aeronautics, he is employed as a mechanics assistant at Johnson Controls, Inc. in Belleville.

A June wedding is being



planned.

Shumaker-Morris

Mr. and Mrs. Keith A. Shumaker of Lewiston announce the engagement of their daughter, Tracie Myshele, to Charles Edward Morris Jr., the son of Helen Morris of Garden City and Charles Morris Sr. of Clinton, Ky.

The bride-to-be is a 1989 graduate of Johannesburg-Lewiston High School and a 1994 graduate of Baker College-Flint. Tracie is employed by Visual Services, Inc., of Bloomfield Hills.

Her fiancé is a 1986 graduate of Garden City High School. He is employed by Riemer Floors in Bloomfield Hills.

A June wedding is planned for the Lutheran Church of the Redeemer in Birmingham.



Froede-Niemiec

Lawrence and Mary Froede of Harbor Springs announce the engagement of their daughter, Amanda Anne, to Scott Michael Niemiec, the son of Daniel and Kathleen Niemiec of Canton.

The bride-to-be is a 1997 graduate of the University of Michigan. She is a part-time employee of M-Fit of the University of Michigan Health Promotion Division.

Her fiancé is a 1996 graduate of the University of Michigan and is employed by Central Distributors in Romulus.

An August wedding is planned for First Presbyterian Church in Harbor Springs.



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**ANNIVERSARIES**



**Maciejewski**

Leonard and Sophie Maciejewski of Garden City celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary at a special anniversary Mass with other couples on Feb. 9 at St. Dunstan's Church in Garden City. The couple, who exchanged vows on Feb. 16, 1942, also joined with their children - Leonard and Carol Michales, Gary, William and Nancy Novak and Carol.



**Gagnon**

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Gagnon of Wayne celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary on Dec. 28 at a reception given by their children and grandchildren at the Bailey Recreation Center in Westland. The couple exchanged vows on Dec. 31, 1956, at Newburg United Methodist Church in Livonia. She is the former Jackie Sue Jannett the daughter of Mae Jannett of Beckmeyer, Ill., and

the late Monk Jannett, and Lloyd and Norma Oberg of Vandalia, Ill. He is the son of the late Virgil and Harriet Gagnon of Westland. The couple has three children - Rayma Laws of Wayne, Pamela Sherman of Sylvan Lake and Scott Gagnon of Wayne - and two grandchildren - Nicole and Jason. He is a retiree of the Ford Motor Co., She has worked for Able Party Rental in Westland for 25 years.



**Storck**

Bill and Loretta Storck of Canton celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary May 12, 1996. The couple exchanged vows on Mother's Day, May 12, 1946, in St. Nicholas Church in the Bronx, N.Y. She is the former Loretta Nier. They lived in Westland for 30 years before moving to Canton five years ago. The have three married daughters - Bob and Pat Lescoe, Danny and Pam Szuba and Mike and Cheri Hodges, all of Westland. They also have six grandsons - Craig, Kenny, Ryan, Kevin, Brad and Bryan. A veteran of World War II, he worked for Cadillac for 41 years. Their interests include spending time with their family.

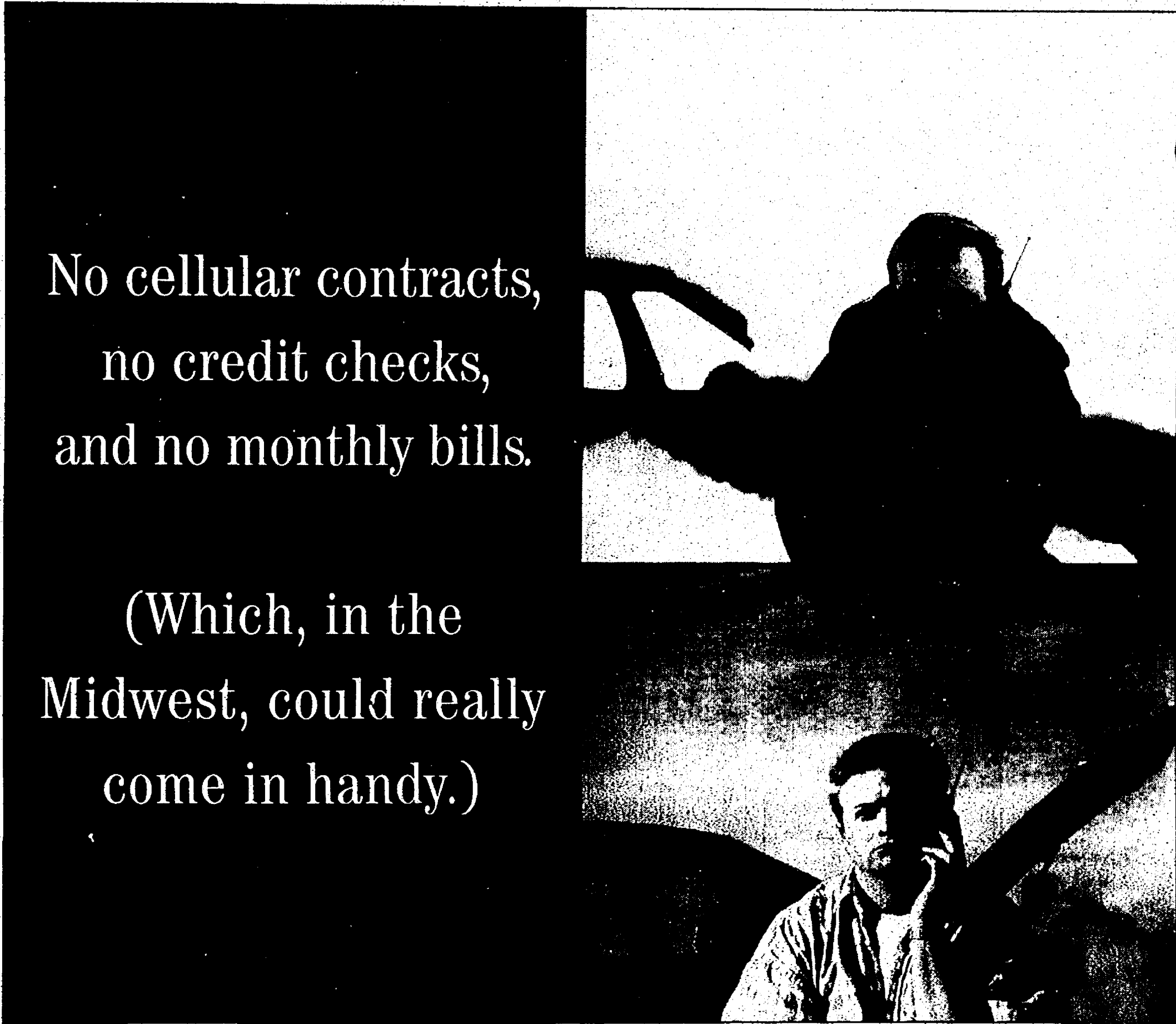


**Carson**

Joseph and Louise Carson of Canton are celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary. The couple exchanged vows on Feb. 1, 1947, at St. David's Church in Detroit. She is the former Louise King. The Carsons have three married children - Glenn and Kathy Schwartz of Franklin, Mass., Eddie and Carol Sarafian of Redford and Joe and Linda Carson of Dearborn. They also have eight grandchildren. Both retired, the winter in Tucson, Ariz. Plans are to celebrate with family and friends when they return to Michigan in the spring.

**Polakowski**

Chester and Julia Polakowski of Sterling Heights celebrated their 63rd wedding anniversary at a dinner with their family. The couple exchanged vows on Feb. 13, 1934 at St. Hedwig Church in Detroit. She is the former Julia Nosek. The Polakowskis have two children - Gloria McDaniel of Livonia and Beverly Jagod Zinski of Farmington Hills - 12 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren. He is a retiree of the U.S. Post Office, while was a cleaner for Michigan Bell Telephone. They enjoy travel, card games and exercise.



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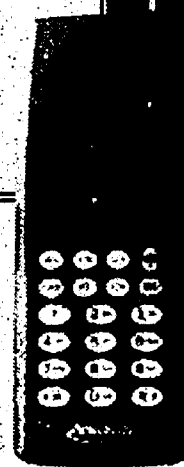
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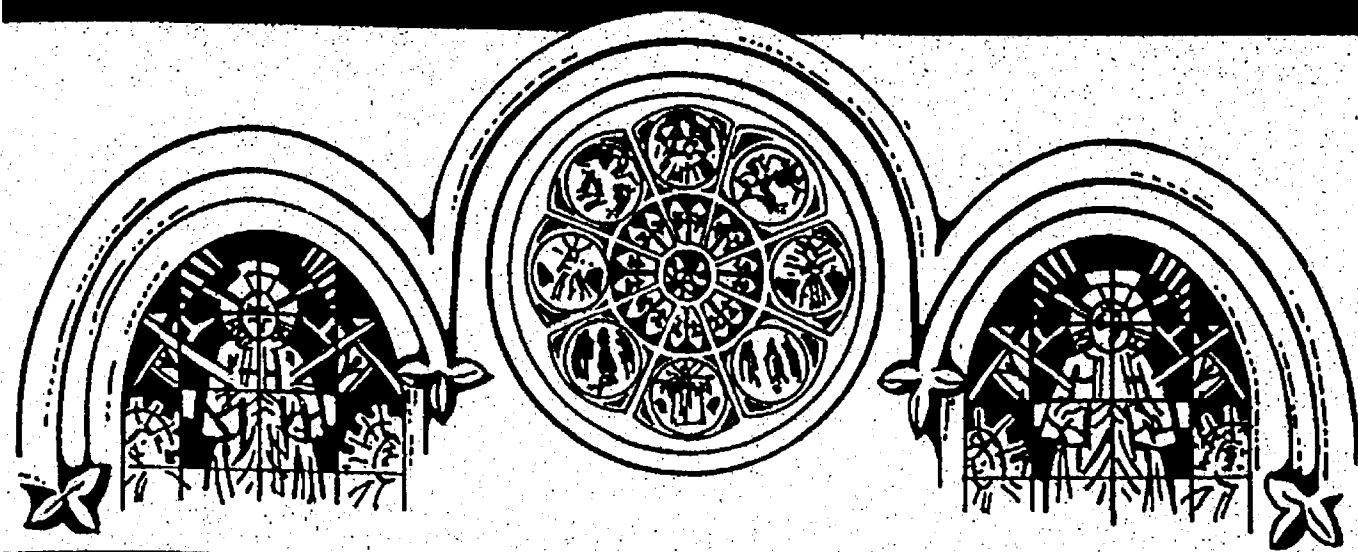
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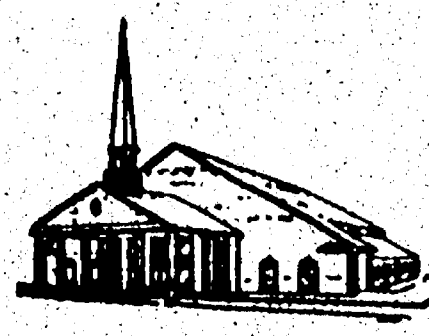
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**FAMILY NIGHT**

Kenwood Church of Christ will have a Family Night 6:30-10:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, at the Livonia Family YMCA, Stark Road north of Schoolcraft, Livonia. Families and friends are invited and there will be snacks and fun for everyone. Just sign up at the Welcome Center. For more information, call (810) 476-8222.

**SPECIAL SPEAKER**

David Benoit will expose the truth about the fascination with Hollywood and the media in "Is the Hollywood or Babylon?" Saturday through Monday, Feb. 22-24, at Prayer Baptist Church, 855 Edwin, Westland. He will conduct a youth rally 10 a.m. to noon Saturday, with adult services slated for 6-8 p.m. Saturday, 9:30 and 10:30 a.m. and 6 p.m. Sunday and 7-9 p.m. Monday. For more information, call the church at (313) 728-3600.

**SHARING PULPITS**

Pastor Dennis Bux of Holy Trinity Lutheran Church in Livonia and Rev. William Petit of St. Kenneth Catholic Church of Plymouth will participate in a pulpit exchange on Sunday, Feb. 23. Bux will preach at St. Kenneth's 10 a.m. and noon services, while Petit will preach at Holy Trinity's 8:30 and 11 a.m. services.

The churches are less than a

mile apart - Holy trinity is at 39020 Five Mile Road and St. Kenneth's is at 14951 Haggerty Road - and such exchanges have been taking place since the signing of a Covenant several years ago by the Catholic Archdiocese of Detroit and the Southeast Michigan Synod of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America. The Covenant defined and affirmed areas of agreement and mutual cooperation.

**ORGAN CONCERT**

The Cathedral of the Most Blessed Sacrament will have the University of Michigan organ students in concert at 3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23, at the cathedral, 9844 Woodward Ave., Detroit. A free will offering will be accepted. For more information, call (313) 865-6300.

**AFTERNOON CONCERT**

The Boychoir of Ann Arbor will present a concert of sacred music at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23, at St. John's Episcopal Church, 50 E. Fisher Freeway at the Fox Center, Detroit. Tickets are \$8 for adults and \$5 for children and senior citizens. They are available at the door or by calling the church office at (313) 962-7358.

**DIVORCECARE**

Divorcecare, a special video seminar and support group has begun a second 13-week session 7:15-9:15 p.m. Sundays at St. Michael Lutheran Church, 7000 Sheldon Road, Canton Township. The series features nationally recognized experts covering such topics as "Facing Your Anger," "Facing Your Loneliness," "Depressions," "New Relationships" and "Forgiveness." Child care is available. For more information, call the church at (313) 459-3333.

**PRAYER LUNCHEON**

A prayer luncheon will be held at the Sveden House, 29477 Seven Mile Road, Livonia, on Monday, Feb. 24. Doors open at 11 a.m. with lunch at 11:30 p.m. The Guest speaker will be Sister Loretta Mellon, O.P. Cost is \$5.75 per person. For reservations, call Kathleen Hollowell at (313) 427-4371 or Pat Slinder at (313) 522-8905.

**BOOK OF REVELATION**

Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church is presenting a study of the Book of Revelation 7:30 p.m. Tuesdays. The series will feature a videotape presentation by Msgr. John Zehz of Sacred Heart Seminary followed by a discussion.

Topics include "John's Letter to the Seven Churches" on Feb. 25, "The Lamb, the Scrolls and the Seals" on March 4, "The 144,000 and the Trumpets" on March 11, "The Women, the Dragons and the Plagues" on March 18, "The Fall of Babylon and the Victory of the Just" on April 1 and "The New Heavens and the New Earth" on April 8. For more information, call (313) 453-0326. Our Lady of Good Counsel Church is at 1160 Peniman, Plymouth.

**12-STEP PROGRAM**

A 12-step program to deal with life's complex and painful issues will be offered at 7 p.m. Tuesdays, beginning Feb. 25, at Ward Presbyterian Church, 17000 Farmington Road, Livonia. To register, call (313) 422-1826.

**LENTEN SERVICES**

"Thoughts Along the Way" is the theme of this year's Lenten worship series at Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church, 14175

Farmington Road, Livonia. Services are at 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays. Each week's 45-minute service will feature a short drama highlighting the thoughts of those who witnessed the events of Christ's trial and crucifixion - John, Peter, Pilate, Herod, and other followers of Jesus. For more information, call the church office at (313) 522-6830.

The Plymouth Ministerial Association is sponsoring ecumenical Lenten gatherings, "Lift High the Cross of Christ," noon Wednesdays during Lent. All services will be held by the First Presbyterian Church, 701 Church St., Plymouth, and will be led by a different minister each week. Lunch will be provided following the service, by a different church each week and for a donation which will benefit the Plymouth Salvation Army.

The worship leader and meal provider for the gatherings will be New Life Lutheran Church and St. John's Episcopal Church on Feb. 26, the Salvation Army and St. Kenneth Church on March 5, First United Methodist Church and Our Lady of Good Counsel Church on March 12 and St. John's Episcopal and Salvation Army on March 19.

The First United Methodist Church of Wayne will have its Lenten series at 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays through March 19. The evening will begin with a potluck dinner at 6:30 p.m. and feature a different speaker each week. The speakers include Steve Miller, pastor of the Davisburg United Methodist Church, on Feb. 26, church traveler Red Miller on March 5, Charles Jacobs, pastor of the Novi United Methodist Church, on March 12 and an evening of gospel

music with The Light of Fenton on March 19. The church is at 3 Towne Square, Wayne. For more information, call the church office at (313) 721-4801.

St. James Presbyterian Church is having Lenten services at 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays through March 19, at the church, 25360 W. Six Mile Road, Livonia. A men's breakfast and devotion also is being held at 8 a.m. Wednesdays. For more information, call (313) 534-7730.

**WEDNESDAY SCHOOL**

The Christian Education Ministries of Ward Presbyterian Church is offering adult classes in their Wednesday School of Christian education which meets at 7 p.m. Wednesdays through May 28.

Programs also are being offered

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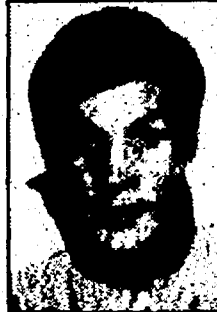
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Free non-Muslim classes on Islam and Muslims, sponsored by the Muslim Community of the Western Suburbs, are offered at 7 p.m. Wednesdays at the Crescent Academy at the corner of Palmer and Lotz roads in Canton. There is no obligation or age limit to attend. For more information, call Rafael Narbaez at (313) 728-6393.

### CLERGY ASSOCIATION

The Redford Clergy Association will meet on Wednesday, Feb. 26, in the R.C. Dunkelberger Activity Center of Presbyterian Village, 17383 Garfield, Redford. Lunch will be served at 12:30 p.m., followed by the meeting. For reservations, call Alexandra at (313) 6487 by Feb. 24.

### NEW TESTAMENT SEMINAR

A Walk Through the Bible Seminar will be held 9 a.m. to 4

p.m. Saturday, March 1, at Berean Baptist Church, 38303 Eight Mile Road, Livonia. Participants will get a fresh insight on the New Testament, its history, geography and life changing applications.

The cost is \$20 for adults, \$18 for senior citizens, \$3 for seventh-12th graders, \$3 for alumni and \$11 for alumni with a new book. For more information, call Melanie Nestor at (810) 624-4329.

### PARISH MISSION

"Reborn for Challenge" will be presented at 9 a.m. and 7 p.m. Monday through Friday, March 3-7, at St. Edith Parish, 15089 Newburgh Road, Livonia. Presented by Rev. Emery Tang, the topics will include "They Mystery of Life," "The Purpose of Life," "The Christian Moral Life," "Forgiveness and Reconciliation" and "Celebration of Mass of Jubilee." For more information, call the church office at (313) 464-1222.

### PARENTS CLASS

Unity of Livonia will offer a new class for parents - "Develop-

ing Capable People" - to help youth increase achievement, motivation and discipline Thursdays, beginning March 6.

The nine-week class will be at 7 p.m. at the church, 28660 Five Mile Road, Livonia. It will be facilitated by Tricia Cole Klaes, Parenting Pals leader and certified instructor for Developing Capable People. The cost is \$45 per person; workbooks are \$5. For more information, call the church at (313) 421-1760.

### LENTEN RETREAT

Newburg United Methodist Church will hold a Lenten Retreat Friday and Saturday, March 7-8, at the St. Joseph retreat center in Jackson. The retreat will focus on speaking the truth of love and how to be an assertive Christian.

There will be four sessions - 8:30 p.m. Friday and 9 a.m. and 1:15 and 6:30 p.m. Saturday. Cost will \$35 for lodging on Friday night and three meals on Saturday. Registration deadline is March 2.

For more information, or to register, call the church at (313) 422-0149. Newburg United

Methodist Church is a 36500 Ann Arbor Trail, Livonia.

### HOLOCAUST SERIES

The Ecumenical Institute for Jewish-Christian Studies will present a three-week series on the Holocaust, "Life Unworthy of Life," Sundays, Feb. 23, March 9 and April 13.

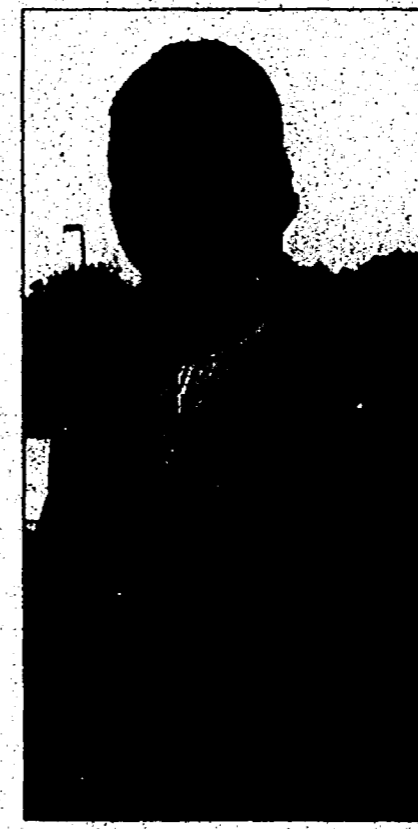
Hosted by the Pilgrim Youth Fellowship of North Congregational Church, the first two sessions will be at 6 p.m. at the church, 36520 Twelve Mile Road, Farmington Hills. The third program will be 2 p.m. April 13 at the Holocaust Memorial Center in West Bloomfield.

Rev. Dr. James Lons, executive director of the Ecumenical Institute, will lead participants in discussions exploring the impact of the Holocaust on both Jewish and Christian families in Germany during World War II.

The program is free of charge, however, reservations are necessary.

For more information, call the Ecumenical Institute at (810) 353-2434.

## Look Inside



**Guest speaker: Izumi Suzuki of the translation business Suzuki, Myers and Associates will present "Behind the Japanese Looking Glass" when she speaks before the Northville Woman's Club at 1:45 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21, at the First Presbyterian Church, 200 E. Main St., Northville. The 104-year-old club meets bi-monthly, and the meeting is open to the public. For more information, call president Kathi Jerome at (810) 348-9097.**

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Listings for the Crafts Calendar should be submitted in writing no later than noon Friday for the next Thursday's issue. They can be mailed to Sue Mason at 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150, or by fax at (313) 591-7279. For more information, call (313) 953-2131.

**ST. MATTHEW**  
St. Matthew Lutheran Church will have a craft sale 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, at the church, 6885 Venoy, Westland.

There will be concessions and tables available for a \$20 fee. To reserve table space, call Michelle at (313) 425-0260.

**LIVONIA MALL**  
Juried artisans will display their works 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 26, through Saturday, March 1, and 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, March 2, at Livonia Mall, 29514 Seven Mile Road, Livonia. Original oil paintings, stained glass lamps, tole painted wood items, appliqued clothing,

handmade scented candles, handcrafted wood furniture and shelves, rubber stamps and more will be featured.

**ST. MEL'S CHURCH**  
Crafters are still needed for St. Mel's Church's spring arts and crafts show 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, March 1 at the church, Warren at Inkster roads, Dearborn Heights. There will be food and beverages and a special crafters raffle. Table plus 5- by 10-foot space is \$30, space only \$25. For more information, call Debbie Mathis at (313) 261-6881.

**MEMORIAL ELEMENTARY**  
Crafters are needed for the 10th annual craft show 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, March 1, at Memorial Elementary School, 30001 Marquette, between Middlebelt and Merriman roads, Garden City. For more informa-

tion, call Darlene at 425-4221.

**ST. SABINA**  
The St. Sabina PAC will have its spring craft show 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, March 8, in the Activities Building on Ann Arbor Trail between Beech Daly and Telegraph roads. Table space is available at \$27.50 for a 8-foot table or \$25 for a 6-foot table. For more information, call Jane Palmer at (313) 563-0657.

**FRANKLIN HIGH SCHOOL**  
The Franklin High School Patriots Club will have a craft show 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, March 15, at the high school, 31000 Joy Road, Livonia. There will be more than 175 crafters featured. Admission will be \$1 and free for those five years and under.

**MADONNA UNIVERSITY**  
Madonna University will have its 12th annual spring arts and

crafts showcase 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, March 15, in the Activities Center. Admission will be \$2 for adults with children under 12 admitted free.

Numerous unique handmade arts and crafts will be displayed, including pottery, jewelry, textiles, woodworking, plastic and cross stitch. The Easter Bunny also will be on hand 1-3 p.m., and there will be a \$1,000 raffle at 4:45 p.m. For more information, call (313) 432-5603. Madonna University is a Schoolcraft and Levan, Livonia.

**LIVONIA CHURCHILL**  
Crafters are needed for Livonia Churchill High School PTSA's ninth annual arts and crafts show Saturday, March 22, at the high school, 8900 Newburgh Road, north of Joy Road, Livonia. Show hours will be 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. In addition to crafts,

there will be food and beverages. Admission will be \$1. For more information, call Diane at (313) 422-4507 or Garret at (313) 464-7425.

**PRCUA SYRENA**  
The PRCUA Syrena Parents Club will have a holiday craft show 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, March 22, at the Canfield Community Center, 1801 N. Beech Daly, Dearborn Heights. Table rentals are \$19 and \$22. For more information, call (313) 565-9865 or (313) 383-1821.

**LIVONIA STEVENSON**  
Livonia Stevenson High School will have a Spring Spectacular craft show 10 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Saturday, April 19, at the school, 33500 Six Mile Road, Livonia. Spaces - 10 by 10 feet or 6 by 16 feet - are available for \$50. For more information, call (313) 464-1041 or (313) 478-2395.

**Babysitting class offered**

The American Red Cross will offer a babysitting certification course Saturday, March 8 and 15, at Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church, Farmington Road, north of Schoolcraft, Livonia.

The course is for students for students 11 years and older. Hours will be 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. The cost is \$24 and includes

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# SPORTS

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1997

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## OBSERVER SPORTS SCENE

### OCC cages Lady Ocelots

Oakland Community College did it again Saturday to the Schoolcraft College women's basketball team, beating the Lady Ocelots before 65 fans at the Highland Lakes campus gymnasium, 65-58.

Cara West led the victorious Lady Raiders with 24 points and six assists. Carrie May (North Farmington High) added 18 points for the winners, now 9-15 overall and 9-4 in the Eastern Conference of the Michigan Community College Athletic Association. Karyn Kerr grabbed 10 rebounds, while Jaclyn Pilkiewicz (Walled Lake Central) dished out seven assists.

Schoolcraft, which trailed by only one at half-time, 36-35, got 17 points and seven rebounds from Alana Caver.

Sheilah Coulter and Chrissy Harmon (Walled Lake Central) added 14 and 13 points, respectively.

The Lady Ocelots shot only four free throws (making three), while OCC was 16 of 24.

The loss drops SC to 18-7 overall and 9-4 in the conference.

### Men's college hoop wrap

• On Saturday, host Michigan Christian shaved Madonna University in a men's basketball game, 81-74.

The victorious Warriors (12-11 overall) were led by Paul Robak's game-high 20 points. Ty Clark and Bob Kofahl each chipped in with 18 points, while Jessie Heck pulled down 10 rebounds.

Madonna, which trailed by only three at intermission, 40-37, got a team-high 18 points apiece from senior guard Christian Emert (Walled Lake Central) and sophomore center Kristian Magro.

John-Mark Branch added 11 points and 10 rebounds, while Mike Maryanski had 12 points. Narvin Russaw grabbed a team-high 12 rebounds.

Madonna (9-19 overall) turned the ball over 20 times to Michigan Christian's 13.

• Forward Julius Teal scored a game-high 28 points and grabbed 11 rebounds Saturday as host Oakland Community College earned a come-from-behind 77-72 men's basketball victory over Schoolcraft College before 76 fans at the Orchard Ridge campus gymnasium.

Three other OCC players scored in double figures — Tom Walker (14), Derrick White (10) and Thomas Henry (10). Guard Alex Zunuzovski added nine points and six assists.

Schoolcraft, which couldn't hold a 40-34 half-time advantage, got 19 points from guard Dwaun Warmack and 18 off the bench from Bruce Goode. Naron Burks added 12.

The key statistic was rebounding as OCC enjoyed a 57-39 advantage.

OCC is 12-11 overall and 7-6 in the Eastern Conference of the Michigan Community College Athletic Association.

Schoolcraft falls to 6-18 and 3-10.

### WYAA baseball sign-up

Registration for Westland Youth Athletic Association baseball and softball will begin from noon to 2 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22 at the Lange Building Compound, 6050 Farmington Road (north of Ford Road).

Registration will continue from 8-10 p.m. Wednesdays and noon to 2 p.m. Saturdays (through March 22).

The age groups for baseball are T-ball (5-6), Coach-pitch (7-8), Mustang (9-10), Bronco (11-12), Pony (13-14) and Colt (15-16).

The age divisions for softball are Shetland (8-11), Filly (12-14) and Appaloosa (15-18).

For more information, call (313) 722-1257.

• The WYAA also needs umpires (16 and up). Training will be provided.

For more information, call John Albrecht after 5 p.m. at (313) 326-8982.

### Drop-in hockey

The Westland Sports Arena offers drop-in hockey from 10-11:45 a.m. Monday through Friday. The cost is \$5 per player (goalies are free).

Players must wear full equipment and be at least 18.

For more information, call (313) 729-4560.

### Spring football clinic

Players and coaches are invited to pre-register for the Spring Tonic Football Clinic, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, March 22 at Madison Heights Bishop Foley High School (located between 13 and 14 Mile roads on 32000 Campbell).

High School, junior high, Catholic Youth Organization and little league coaches are invited to hear former Michigan State University linebacker and 1991 Butkus Award candidate Chuck Bullough, along with Pat Fox of Berkley High School and former pro and college coach Dick Comar.

Players should come dressed for workouts (gym shoes and sweats). Lunch will be provided. The cost is \$20 per coach or \$18 per player (group rate seven or more \$15).

For more information, call Walt Bazylewicz at (810) 544-0494.

• The Winning Edge summer football camp (ages 10-18) will be from July 27-31 (boarders) and July 28-31 (day camp) at Orchard Lake St. Mary's College.

To obtain a brochure, call (810) 544-0494.

### Chargers topple North Farmington

**Bump and grind:** Livonia Churchill's Lori Leszczynski makes the pass during Monday's Western Lakes Activities Association match against North Farmington. The Chargers defeated North in three games to finish 8-3 in the Western Lakes Activities Association. Churchill will return to action Saturday in the WLAA Tournament to be hosted by Northville. See high school volleyball roundup on page C4.



STAFF PHOTO BY BRADON LEMMIX

## Novi wins regional

### Wildcats oust Stevenson; Walled Lake pins Wayne in semis

BY BRAD EMONS  
STAFF WRITER

Novi played spoiler Wednesday night as three Observerland wrestling teams bit the dust in the Division I team dual regional tournament hosted by South Lyon.

The Wildcats broke open a close match with Walled Lake Central when 215-pounder Jon Talbot pulled off a pin to give Novi a trip to the state quarterfinals next Friday in the Kellogg Center in Battle Creek.

The 39-33 victory over Central improved Novi's overall dual record to 23-4.

In the semifinals, Novi eliminated two-time defending regional champion Livonia Stevenson in convincing fashion, 42-21, while Central ousted Wayne Memorial, 43-29.

Trailing 18-6 through the first five matches, Walled Lake got a shot in the arm from 135-pounder Dan Aubrey when he pinned Novi's Mark Churella in 3:12. (The two met in Saturday's individual district final with Churella winning, 4-2.)

But the Vikings, who finished 24-5 on the season, could never get closer than three points the rest of the way despite pins from Scott Aubrey (112), his brother Dan (despite a broken finger), Eugene Kozial (152) and Derek Vos (189).

Clinging to a 33-27 advantage with only two matches remaining, Talbot clinched the victory by pinning Central's Joe Higgins in 1:05.

"It's a heck of a disappointment," Central coach

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Carl McBride said. "I outsmarted myself. I switched the lineup and it didn't work out. I'm second-guessing myself."

"It's none of the kids' fault. Novi came to wrestle and most of my guys did, too. Novi is moving on and I wish them the best. They wrestled well. Nobody thought we could beat Wayne, and that's an outstanding team."

In the semifinal victory over Stevenson, Novi trailed 9-6 after four matches, but stormed back to take control with four straight victories, including three decisions.

Individual district champions Lenny Christoff (130) and Churella (135) each blanked their opponents. Nick Simon (140) also won by decision, while undefeated 145-pounder Taka Watanabe, a defending state champion, won on a walkover.

Andy Kalik's pin of Eric Puninske in the 171-pound match sealed the victory for the Wildcats.

Stevenson, the Western Lakes Activities Association and Observerland meet champions, bowed out at 12-6-1 overall.

"We had a long, fun run and unfortunately it came to an end," Stevenson coach Don Berg said. "Novi has eight (individual) regional qualifiers and they're a lot more experienced than what we had."

"We wrestled hard and nobody quit. We did our best, and that's all you can ask."

"Nothing was easy out there tonight. Four of the six kids we have going to regional got victories. It was just not our day. But we'll come back tomorrow and prepare for Saturday (at Walled Lake Western)."

Stevenson winners by pin included district champ Nick Petryk (152) and Rich Bramey (heavyweight). Katsuhiko Sueda (103), Chris Goins (119) and Jeff Brach (126) won by decisions.

Wayne, meanwhile, finished the year at 20-6-1 overall, but coach Dave Davis was not happy with the finish.

"We thought our guys were ready, but apparently not," Davis said. "We sized up their lineup, and we had a good idea beforehand how we could match up, and they (Central) actually put their guys where we thought."

"We lost a couple of key matches in the lower weights and it took the life out of us."

"Our strength is low and high, and we couldn't hang in the middle weights as long as we liked. We just couldn't gain the momentum we needed, and it punched the wind out of us."

Wayne got pins from Temperance Bedford individual district champ Rich Watson (130), Jim Sivula (152) and George Buckner (215), and decisions from Mike Kassabri (103), John Nichols (119) and Patrick Grzecki (189).

"Honestly, I don't then we were looking past them," Davis said. "We knew Walled Lake Central was a tough match."

## Lady Crusaders take loss in stride to Aquinas, 87-76

BY NEAL ZIPSER  
STAFF WRITER

Losing never feels good.

But even though the Madonna University women's basketball team lost 87-76 to visiting Aquinas College Tuesday, the Crusaders still feel good about controlling their own destiny.

Madonna, which is fighting for the top seed in the NAIA Great Lakes Independent Sectional's East Division, could wrap up the home court advantage for the playoffs with a win Monday when they host Siena Heights College.

With the home court advantage, the Crusaders would also receive a first-round bye.

Entering Tuesday's game, Madonna (12-14) was rated higher than Mount St. Joseph (Ohio). The standings may not change as the Crusaders will receive points for playing a tough Aquinas team.

And Madonna earned all the points it received as it outplayed the Saints for most of the first 35 minutes. But with the game tied 67-all with 4:56 left, Aquinas went on a 20-9 run to end the game.

"I wouldn't say the game was stolen from us; we played 40 minutes of good basketball against a very good team," said Madonna coach Marylou Jansen.

There were eight ties and 14 lead changes in the second half before the Saints (16-9) went on their game-winning run.

Madonna started strong, picking up the loose balls and taking advantage of numerous Aquinas miscues.

Back-to-back three-pointers by Dawn Pelc and Chris Dietrich gave the Crusaders an 18-10 lead. A three-point play by Dietrich later

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gave Madonna its biggest lead of the game at 27-13.

"We were out of sync early but you have to give credit to Madonna," Aquinas coach Linda Nash said. "They spread out the floor on us and didn't allow us to get in our sets offensively."

The Saints rallied, but thanks to five points apiece by Katie Cushman and Angie Negri, Madonna led 39-35 at halftime.

Key to Madonna's first-half success was a 23-16 rebounding edge and a 17-5 scoring advantage from its bench.

Leading the way off the bench was Negri, a sophomore forward who finished with a career-high 18 points — more than twice her season average. Negri also was active on defense with nine rebounds and six steals.

"Angie was the sparkplug for us tonight on offense and defense and did a great job stepping up for us when we needed a big shot or a big play," Jansen said.

After Aquinas opened the second half with an 8-2 run, Negri again came off the bench to lead the Madonna charge. Three Negri steals led to easy buckets, but the Crusaders couldn't shake Aquinas, which took a 61-59 lead after two treys by Alyssa Dykgraaf.

But things were going right for Negri, who then banked in a triple. That was followed by a three-pointer by Mary Murray (18 points). Still, the Saints refused to fold and tied the game at 67-67.



STAFF PHOTO BY BILL BRISLER

**Tight squeeze:** Madonna University's Mary Murray (right) tries to get off a shot against Susan Rhodea of Aquinas during Tuesday's showdown.

See CRUSADERS, C3

# WLAA well-represented at regional

BY DAN O'MEARA  
STAFF WRITER

Observant wrestlers won six individual championships and Livonia Stevenson led with six regional qualifiers Saturday in the Division I tournament at Walled Lake Western.

Western Lakes Activities Association champ Stevenson had half of the champions with Katsuhiko Sueda (103), Dan Seder (125) and Nick Patryk (145). Each was a No. 1 seed.

Also taking first place in their weight classes were Plymouth Salem's Eric Coburn (119) and Teono Wilson (189) and Livonia Churchill's Bob Fowler (215).

Both Salem wrestlers and Fowler were seeded second and defeated the No. 1 seeds in the finals.

Fowler won an 11-2 decision over Brighton's Brian Evans, who received the top seed based on his 2-0 record against the Adrian wrestler; Fowler was 1-1,

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but it was his only loss of the season.

"He should have been the No. 1 seed and wasn't," Churchill coach Marty Altounian said. "I was happy he solidified my point."

"I let him know he was No. 2 coming out of the meeting and (the coaches) thought someone else was better than him."

"It's always nice when your wrestler wrestles to his ability. He can go as far as he wants to go; it's really up to him from this point on."

Fowler was apparently unphased by the pre-tournament seedings.

"It didn't really bother me," he said. "It didn't matter if I was first or second; we were going to wrestle in the finals."

"The last tournament we were at (Salem Invitational) he was

second and I took third. He's a really good wrestler."

Coburn defeated longtime nemesis Steve Atwell of Walled Lake Western in the final, having lost four previous meetings.

Both wrestlers were cautioned for stalling in overtime. Coburn won the coin toss and chose the down position. That led to an escape with 22 seconds left and a 2-1 victory.

"We used a little psychology," Salem coach Ron Krueger said. "We always went after him. I told Eric 'Let's try something different; let's let him try to beat us."

"The last time they went to OT. Atwell got to go down and get the escape and win. This time it was Eric's turn to win the flip of the coin; he got to go down and score the point."

Wilson also needed some late points to defeat Churchill's Joe Ramlawi in the 189-pound final. Ramlawi escaped with 22 seconds left in the third period to take a 3-2 lead, but Wilson scored a takedown with seven seconds remaining to win 4-3.

"Joe had beaten three guys who had beaten Teono, so he was no slouch," Krueger said.

"(Wilson) took him down, and that's what he had to do. It was good experience, being in a tough match. This is when you have to function under the pressure — and he did."

Stevenson coaches had an unbiased attitude toward the 125-pound final. That's because Seder was wrestling teammate

and No. 3-seeded Jeff Brach for the title.

Seder wrestled most of the season at 130 but is actually a 125-pounder. He moved up to fill the lineup and help the team in dual meets, coach Don Berg said.

"Danny was planning all year to come down from 30 to 25," Berg said. "Initially, we planned for Jeff to go to 119, but at this point in time he's wrestling very well at 125."

"Asking him to lose five pounds in a short time would hurt him physically. So we decided to keep him there and give it a shot. Both have a chance at going to state."

"They wrestled together all year in the room, so why not let them decide it on the mats. My concern was that neither one got hurt, so they'd be able to wrestle on Saturday."

Petryk was behind early in his final bout against Walled Lake Central's Eugene Koziol, but his takedown with 26 seconds remaining gave him a 6-4 lead. Koziol hurt his arm on the takedown and defaulted due to injury.

Petryk won his first two bouts by technical fall (16-0) over West Bloomfield's David Leslie and by pin (3:57) over South Lyon's Steve Yurkunas.

"The Walled Lake kid is not a bad wrestler," Berg said. "It wasn't a runaway by any means. The finals are supposed to be good matches."

Sueda, who was a state qualifier last year as was Petryk, also moved down to his natural weight class of 103 after being at 112 most of the season.

He defeated Salem's John Mervyn 7-3, Walled Lake Western's A.J. Lee 15-0, Brighton's Paul Bordenkircher 8-6 and Central's Ryan Parks 6-2.

"(Sueda) doesn't realize how good he is," Berg said. "It will definitely be an upset if he doesn't get out Saturday."

Others surviving the district phase were Stevenson's Mike Allison (160) and Rich Bramer (275), Plymouth Canton's Vince St. Louis (112), Brent Buttermore (130) and Kevin Stone (135); Salem's James Greene (135), Dan Hamblin (140) and Anwar Crutchfield (152); Churchill's Nick McGowan (145) and Livonia Franklin's Alan Shakarian (160).

## INDIVIDUAL DISTRICT RESULTS

DIVISION I INDIVIDUAL  
DISTRICT TOURNAMENT  
Feb. 15 at Walled Lake Western

275 pounds: Josh Heitsch (Walled Lake Central) defeated Joe Yurkunas (South Lyon), 3-1 in overtime; third place: Ryan Kelllor (Brighton) defeated Richard Bramer (Livonia Stevenson), 8-6.

103: Katsuhiko Sueda (Livonia Stevenson) defeated Ryan Parks (Walled Lake Central), 6-2; third place: Dan Jigg (Novi) defeated Paul Bordenkircher (Brighton), 7-4.

112: Nick Stramin (Northville) by injury default over Rick Torrence (Northville); third place: Kevin Neundorff (Lakeland) pinned Vince St. Louis (Plymouth Canton), 5:20.

119: Eric Coburn (Plymouth Salem) defeated Steve Atwell (Walled Lake Western), 2-1 in overtime; third place: Jason Amell (Milford) by injury default over J.J. Balagna (Novi).

125: Dan Seder (Livonia Stevenson) defeated Jeff Brach (Livonia Stevenson), 8-0; third place: Anant Saran (Northville) by medical default over Bob Montoor (Milford).

130: Lenny Christoff (Novi) defeated Dan Aubry (Walled Lake Central), 5-3; third place: Scott Lambert (Brighton) defeated Brent Buttermore (Plymouth Canton), 12-6.

135: Mark Churella (Novi) defeated James Greene (Plymouth Salem), 4-2; third place: Jason Brown (South Lyon) pinned Kevin Stone (Plymouth Canton), 4:11.

140: Taka Watanabe (Novi) pinned Randy Morgan (Walled Lake Central), 4:52; third place: Dan Hamblin (Plymouth Salem) defeated Nick Simon (Novi), 4-1.

145: Nick Petryk (Livonia Stevenson) by injury default over Eugene Koziol (Walled Lake Central); third place: Steve Yurkunas (South Lyon) defeated Nick McGowan (Livonia Churchhill), 11-5.

152: Corey Vos (Walled Lake Central) pinned Brad Kallis (South Lyon), 3:40; third place: Anwar Crutchfield (Plymouth Salem) defeated Nate Muchow (Livonia Churchhill), 7-2.

160: Skip Becker (Novi) pinned Shane Kern (Lakeland), 1:58; third place: Alan Shakarian (Livonia Franklin) defeated Mike Allison (Livonia Stevenson), 16-9.

171: Derek Vos (Walled Lake Central) defeated Dan Thompson (Walled Lake Western), 9-8; third place: Brian Grider (Northville) pinned Mark Laidlaw (Milford), 3:34.

189: Teono Wilson (Plymouth Salem) defeated Joe Ramlawi (Livonia Churchhill), 4-3; third place: Aaron Roan (Milford) pinned Joe Toth (Walled Lake Western), 2:30.

215: Bob Fowler (Livonia Churchhill)

defeated Brian Evans (Brighton), 11-2; third place: Will Wilson (South Lyon) pinned Jon Talbot (Novi), 2:29.

DIVISION I INDIVIDUAL  
DISTRICT TOURNAMENT  
Feb. 15 at Ferndale

275 pounds: Adam Adkins (Troy) pinned John Losler (Mott), 3:41; third place: Jeff Bracken (Catholic Central) pinned Scott Lantz (Royal Oak Kimball), 4:50.

103: Vinh Dok (Sterling Heights) pinned Shawn Baker (Athens), 5:11; third place: Brian Sullivan (Brother Rice) pinned Vikas Patel (Troy), 2:20.

112: Monte Lewis (Sterling Heights) by injury default over Mitch Hancock (Catholic Central); third place: Daryl Dawe (Athens) defeated Neil Durbin (Kimball), 5-4.

119: Mario Bastianelli (Athens) defeated Mike Zelenock (Catholic Central), 10-4; third place: Matt York (Edsel Ford) by injury default over Moussa Hamka (Fordson).

125: Tim Paolitto (Sterling Heights) pinned Dennis Duvell (Hazel Park), 1:05; third place: Mike Derkevorkian (Kimball) defeated Dave O'Hara (Catholic Central), 6-3.

130: Jacob Chapman (Hazel Park) pinned Michael Alverado (Dearborn), 1:30; third place: Ryan Waggoner (Troy) defeated Aaron Napier (Hazel Park), 4-0.

135: Scott Lemay (Troy) defeated Chris Nelson (Kimball), 9-2; third place: Brian Glover (Edsel Ford) defeated Jamal Karmach (Mott), 9-2.

140: Kevin Bastianelli (Athens) defeated James Evans (Fordson), 2-0; third place: Andy Martin (Kimball) defeated Chris Ekola (Berkeley), 8-7.

145: Iyad Fakhouri (Troy) defeated Behal Majed (Horseshoe), 7-2; third place: Jim Blackburn (Athens) defeated Jason Barrios (Brother Rice), 10-6.

152: Brian Kretschmer (Troy) pinned Nick High (Kimball), 2:43; third place: Rick Samona (Brother Rice) pinned Jeff Pascoe (Catholic Central), 0:43.

160: Mario Marsh (Sterling Heights) pinned Rob Wentworth (Catholic Central), 4:26; third place: Chad Yurich (Kimball) defeated Phil Toms (Ferndale), 6-2.

171: Brian King (Kimball) defeated Jason Popham (Mott), 6-2; third place: Shane Gray (Kimball) defeated John Ashire (Catholic Central), 5-4.

189: Casey Rogowski (Catholic Central) pinned Dan McCarthy (Troy), 5:07; third place: Matt Miller (Athens) defeated Mike Lawson (Edsel Ford), 11-9.

215: Ryan Buchzeiger (Ferndale) pinned Brock Naysmith (Catholic Central), 1:00; third place: Abdul Karmach (Mott) pinned Marc Bullock (Troy), 2:10.

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**Watson leads pack at Bedford district**

Wayne Memorial's Richard Watson ran his record to 39-1 en route to a first-place finish in the Division I individual wrestling district tourney Saturday at Temperance Bedford.

Watson, a senior, won the 130-pound class with an 8-0 victory in the finals over Steve Dec of Bedford.

The Zebras qualified seven other wrestlers for this Saturday's regional at Walled Lake Western.

Runner-up finishers for Wayne included Patrick Grzecki (189), George Buckner (215) and William Laramie (heavyweight).

Jim Siwula (152) and John Nichols (119) took thirds, while Nate Wensko (112) added a fourth.

Westland John Glenn will be sending four to the regional, including district champion Marc Dugas, who won the heavyweight title with a 14-4 decision over Laramie.

Tim Reeves (171) was runner-up, while Richard Donahoe (160) and John Fedulchak (140) each finished third.

**Warriors qualify 8**

Lutheran High Westland will be sending eight grapplers to Saturday's Division IV regional tournament at Napoleon.

The Warriors did not have any individual champions, but had a pair of seconds — Eric Falkenberg (112) and Matt Meyer (heavyweight).

Others qualifying included Danny Burk (125), third; Andrew Ebendick (130), Jason Hempel (152), Mike Baltz (160), Scott Archer (171), Matt Nivala (215).

Ebendick improved to 37-6 overall.

Livonia Clarenceville, meanwhile, will be sending senior Craig Rose, who won two of three matches to finish runner-up at 152; and senior Eric Ledda (140), who took two of three matches en route to a third place district finish.

Rose is now 37-6 on the year, while Ledda is 21-20.

In the team dual Division IV district last week, host Harper Woods won the title with a 39-33 win over Lutheran Westland (8-9 overall) in the finals.

Harper Woods defeated Clarenceville in the semifinals, 39-36, while Lutheran Westland eliminated Lutheran East, 60-12.



### BEST BOYS SWIM TIMES

Following is a list of Observerland boys best swim times and diving scores. Coaches should report updates to coach Ken Stark at the Livonia Churchill pool between 4 and 6 p.m. Monday through Friday. Call 523-9231.

**200-YARD MEDLEY RELAY**  
 Redford Catholic Central 1:43.42  
 Plymouth Salem 1:44.92  
 Livonia Stevenson 1:45.53  
 Westland John Glenn 1:45.78  
 Plymouth Canton 1:48.00

**200 FREESTYLE**  
 Keith Falk (Stevenson) 1:47.47  
 Kevin Reinke (Redford CC) 1:49.71  
 Kyle Petroskey (Salem) 1:50.35  
 Steve Domin (Stevenson) 1:50.36  
 John Hawkins (Farmington) 1:51.55  
 Tim Buchanan (Salem) 1:51.89  
 Mark Dettling (Salem) 1:51.97  
 Nick Sosnowski (Redford CC) 1:52.36  
 Patrick Duthie (N. Farmington) 1:52.47  
 J. P. Merchant (Redford CC) 1:52.65

**200 INDIVIDUAL MEDLEY**  
 Keith Falk (Stevenson) 2:01.62  
 Nick Sosnowski (Redford CC) 2:03.58  
 Alex Rotgers (Canton) 2:05.15  
 Dan Gabriel (N. Farmington) 2:05.59  
 Kyle Petroskey (Salem) 2:06.19  
 Brent Mellis (Salem) 2:06.63  
 John Hawkins (Farmington) 2:10.30

Kevin Reinke (Redford CC) 2:10.44  
 Robin Trombley (Harrison) 2:12.50  
 Mark Dettling (Salem) 2:12.55

**50 FREESTYLE**  
 Steve Domin (Stevenson) 22.72  
 Nick Corden (Salem) 22.87  
 Keith Falk (Stevenson) 23.34  
 Andrew Locke (Salem) 23.35  
 Dan Gabriel (N. Farmington) 23.43  
 Paul Merandi (Glenn) 23.44  
 Pete Bosler (Farmington) 23.65  
 Don LeClair (Canton) 23.68  
 Paul Allam (Franklin) 23.69  
 Matt Egan (Redford CC) 23.81

**DIVING**  
 Jeff Thomas (Farmington) 320.10  
 Otto Geiseman (Salem) 266.26  
 Rob Brooks (Canton) 262.45  
 Jamie Taylor (Franklin) 254.90  
 Joe Lebovic (N. Farmington) 233.30  
 J.T. Svoke (Harrison) 222.10  
 Matt Marshall (Churchill) 217.45  
 John Lowry (Farmington) 206.75  
 Jeff Phillips (John Glenn) 202.90  
 Dave Knapp (Stevenson) 200.23

**100 BUTTERFLY**  
 Steve Domin (Stevenson) 54.06  
 Patrick Duthie (N. Farmington) 55.12  
 Paul Merandi (Glenn) 55.57  
 Mark Dettling (Salem) 55.58  
 Keith Falk (Stevenson) 56.04

Nick Sosnowski (Redford CC) 56.32  
 Mark Sgriccia (Stevenson) 56.80  
 Tim Buchanan (Salem) 56.91  
 John Hawkins (Farmington) 58.29  
 Ryan Zoumbaris (John Glenn) 58.45

**100 FREESTYLE**  
 Kyle Petroskey (Salem) 50.19  
 Kevin Reinke (Redford CC) 50.37  
 Nick Corden (Salem) 50.41  
 Keith Falk (Stevenson) 50.84  
 Ryan Meekins (Redford CC) 50.99  
 Pete Bosler (Farmington) 51.02  
 Mark Dettling (Salem) 51.19  
 Tim Buchanan (Salem) 51.39  
 Dan Gabriel (N. Farmington) 51.41  
 Steve Domin (Stevenson) 51.46

**500 FREESTYLE**  
 Steve Domin (Stevenson) 4:53.81  
 Keith Falk (Stevenson) 4:55.89  
 Kyle Petroskey (Salem) 4:58.10  
 John Hawkins (Farmington) 5:02.47  
 J.P. Merchant (Redford CC) 5:02.70  
 Brent Mellis (Canton) 5:05.18  
 Alex Rotgers (Canton) 5:06.50  
 Matt Egan (Redford CC) 5:06.78  
 Dave Schacht (Canton) 5:06.80

**200 FREESTYLE RELAY**  
 Plymouth Salem 1:31.93  
 Westland John Glenn 1:34.05  
 Livonia Stevenson 1:34.42  
 Plymouth Canton 1:34.79

North Farmington 1:35.57

**100 BACKSTROKE**  
 Nick Sosnowski (Redford CC) 55.54  
 Mark Sgriccia (Stevenson) 55.92  
 Dan Gabriel (N. Farmington) 55.95  
 Ryan Meekins (Redford CC) 58.25  
 Kevin Reinke (Redford CC) 58.35  
 Brent Mellis (Salem) 58.37  
 James McParlin (John Glenn) 59.32  
 Josh Duffy (Harrison) 1:00.71  
 Luke Woodcock (Salem) 1:01.26  
 Aaron Rooder (Canton) 1:01.47

**100 BREASTSTROKE**  
 Robin Trombley (Harrison) 1:02.22  
 Chris Owen (Farmington) 1:02.41  
 Paul Connolly (Redford CC) 1:03.14  
 Alex Rotgers (Canton) 1:03.30  
 John Hawkins (Farmington) 1:04.61  
 Ryan Zoumbaris (John Glenn) 1:05.38  
 Matt Walker (Harrison) 1:05.67  
 Matt Heiss (Canton) 1:06.50  
 Keith Falk (Stevenson) 1:07.58  
 Matt Beuckelbere (Farmington) 1:07.79

**400 FREESTYLE RELAY**  
 Plymouth Salem 3:22.35  
 Redford Catholic Central 3:27.00  
 Livonia Stevenson 3:28.87  
 North Farmington 3:29.98  
 Plymouth Canton 3:30.30

## Crusaders from page C1

Aquinas dominated the final five minutes as nothing clicked for the Crusaders.

"We tightened up our defense and got some easy shots in transition which really helped," Nash said. "On defense, we tried to change things up, going from a one-three-one trap to a two-three zone. We knew Madonna is an explosive team on offense and we put the trap on to slow them down and give them something to think about."

Leading the way for the Saints was junior guard Jen Forkner who finished with a game-high 23 points (eight in the final three minutes). Dykgraaf poured in 22.

Aquinas also received 15 points from Bridget Lamoreaux and 12 points and nine rebounds from Sarah King.

Pelc added 10 points for the Crusaders. Cushman, after netting nine in the first half, was shutout in the second half.

"In the final five minutes, we stopped doing the little things like boxing out and their half-court zone pressure stunned us," Jansen said. "They did the little things at the end and we didn't."

The Saints committed 21 turnovers but made up for that with some hot shooting. Aquinas nailed 35 of 68 (60 percent), including eight of 18 from behind the three-point arc.

Madonna, on the other hand, shot 41 percent from the field (31 of 75) and only 27 percent from three-point range (eight of 30).

Even with the loss, Madonna played much better than it had the first time the two squads met on Dec. 30. Madonna traveled to Aquinas and was thrashed 96-82.

"Our post defense was much improved from the last time we played them when they scored a lot of their points down low," Jansen said.

## Fleck, Meconis lead host Clarenceville in B-C swim event

Christine Fleck and Brett Meconis were standouts last month for the host Clarenceville Swim Club in a B-C meet.

Fleck, 8, took three firsts — 100-yard individual medley (1:31.43), 100 freestyle (1:19.07) and 50 backstroke (43.51). She also finished third in the 50 freestyle (36.72), 25 breaststroke (23.24), 50 butterfly (45.24) and 25 freestyle (17.26). Fleck added a fourth in the 50 backstroke (50.12).

Meconis, 12, won three open events including the 100 breaststroke (1:25.05), 200 IM (2:31.09) and 100 butterfly (1:07.59).

He also finished second in the 100 backstroke (1:09.9), 50 freestyle (27.86) and 100 freestyle (1:02.92) and 500 freestyle (6:03.99).

#### OTHER C'VILLE FINISHERS.

**Girls 8 and under:** Carly Burgio — second place, 100 freestyle (1:20.31), 50 butterfly (44.19); fourth, 25 freestyle (17.51); fifth, 50 freestyle (37.7); sixth, 25 butterfly (19.42); Jill Fleck — second, 50 butterfly (55.94), fifth, 50 backstroke (49.14); sixth, 25 freestyle (18.33); Alicia Grant — sixth, 25 backstroke (25.45); Emily Navas — third, 100 freestyle (1:37.58); fourth, 25 butterfly (28.38); Colleen Maxwell — sixth, 50 backstroke; Kristina Navas — fifth, 25 breaststroke (25.12); sixth, 100 freestyle

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**Boys 8 and under:** Eric Haapaniemi — second 50 butterfly (55.52); third, 25 butterfly (24.78); Kyle Hermann — fourth, 25 freestyle (21.8); Kyle Milnek — second, 25 freestyle (19.7); fifth, 100 freestyle (1:51.41), 50 backstroke (56.24).

**Girls 9-10:** Kristine Bishop — fourth, 50 breaststroke (45.87); Katie Dallacqua — first, 50 backstroke (38.14); Katie Fleck — second, 100 freestyle, 100 freestyle (1:16.42); fourth, 200 freestyle (2:59.03); fifth, 50 backstroke (40.77); 100 IM (1:30.03); Rachel Gauer — fifth, 50 backstroke (48.35); sixth, 50 freestyle (38.09); Courtney Green — first, 100 butterfly (1:32.52); second, 100 breaststroke (1:39.5); third, 100 IM (1:27.88); sixth, 100 backstroke (1:38.36); Kathryn Kusuplos — first, 100 backstroke (1:30.08); third, 50 backstroke (39.54); fourth, 50 breaststroke (50.75); sixth, 200 freestyle (3:02.9); Monica Pauza — first, 50 butterfly (39.75); third, 100 breaststroke (1:40.28); fifth, 50 breaststroke (45.89); Valerie Rexis — sixth, 100 breaststroke (2:38.36); Julie Ward — first, 100 freestyle (1:14.18); second, 200 freestyle (2:54.2); 50 freestyle (33.63); 100 backstroke (1:33.05); 50 butterfly (39.96); sixth, 50 backstroke (41.5).

**Boys 9-10:** Paul Haapaniemi — first, 100 IM (1:26.21); second, 100 freestyle (1:18.37); Sam Haapaniemi — second, 50 breaststroke (52.5); 100 breaststroke (1:54.67); fourth, 100 freestyle (1:37.44); Matthew Hurches — third, 50 freestyle (36.28); sixth, 100 backstroke (1:36.22); 50

backstroke (43.81); William Navas — first, 100 IM (1:41.94); second, 50 backstroke (41.19); fifth, 200 freestyle (3:11.95); 100 backstroke (1:34.08); sixth, 50 butterfly (47.45); Matthew Paletta — third, 100 backstroke (1:40.82); fifth, 50 breaststroke (1:02.01); Gregory Scully — first, 50 backstroke (45.3); Britton Steele — fourth, 100 breaststroke (1:37.63); sixth, 100 freestyle (1:14.22).

**Girls 11-12:** Brittany Burgio — sixth, 50 backstroke (39.31); Julia Fitzpatrick — second, 100 breaststroke (1:28.63); third, 50 backstroke (41.04); Erin Lennon — fourth, 50 butterfly (37.55); fifth, 100 butterfly (1:27.14); sixth, 500 freestyle (7:36.81); Jessica Lis — second, 50 backstroke (40.68); sixth, 100 freestyle (1:16.8); Melissa Navas — first, 200 open backstroke (2:41.94); fourth, 100 IM (1:18.54); 100 open backstroke (1:16.67); fifth, 50 butterfly (40.08); sixth, 100 freestyle (1:08.02); 100 breaststroke (1:32.25); 200 open IM (2:49.05); Teresa Navas — third, 100 backstroke (1:29.85); fifth, 50 backstroke (43.12); Megan Pierce — first, 100 breaststroke (1:27.64); fourth, 50 backstroke (38.16).

**Boys 11-12:** Jon Burmeister — second, 500 freestyle (6:45.88); third, 200 open backstroke (2:57.68); fourth, 50 backstroke (38.22); 100 open backstroke (1:23.45); sixth, 50 breaststroke (44.51); 100 backstroke (1:29.63); Scott Montgomery — first, 50 breaststroke (39.79); fourth, 100 breaststroke (1:30.45); Mark Piskorowski — third, 50 backstroke (44.5); 50 freestyle (34.24); fifth, 100 freestyle (1:21.89); 50 butterfly (50.7); sixth, 100 IM (1:42.64); Josh Robbins — fourth, 50 freestyle (36.05); fifth, 100 IM (1:39.35); sixth, 100 backstroke (1:30.98);

Shilo Robinson — sixth, 50 butterfly (43.6); 100 backstroke (1:45.72); Bryant Steele — first, 100 IM (1:16.54); third, 200 IM (2:47.67); 100 backstroke (1:18.9); fourth, 50 freestyle (29.34); fifth, 100 freestyle (1:04.54).

**Girls 13-14:** Patricia Hurches — fourth, 100 backstroke (1:17.37); Lisa Lupe — third, 100 freestyle (1:05.31); fourth, 200 open backstroke (2:46.68); fifth, 50 freestyle (29.9); Valerie Sierzga — first, 100 backstroke (1:13.58); second, 100 breaststroke (1:24.81); 50 freestyle (28.95); third, 200 IM (2:39.7); sixth, 100 freestyle (1:05.61).

**Boys 13-14:** Jason Ballou — fourth, 100 breaststroke (1:22.34); Edward Lesnau — second, 100 breaststroke (1:18.58); fourth, 50 freestyle (28.78); sixth, 100 backstroke (1:17.22); Michael Nemer — first, 200 open breaststroke (2:44.17); second, 50 freestyle (28.21); third, 200 IM (2:31.36); 100 backstroke (1:11.28); fifth, 100 freestyle (1:02.17).

**Girls open:** Stephanie Cummings — third, 200 butterfly (2:44.38); Nicole D'Avanzo — third, 100 freestyle (1:06.89); 200 backstroke (2:46.14); 100 breaststroke (1:33.91); fifth, 50 freestyle (30.26); Kristel Mathie — first, 100 backstroke (1:14.64); second, 100 freestyle (1:05.71); 100 breaststroke — 1:27.86; fifth, 200 IM (2:42.2); Danielle Navas — fourth, 200 breaststroke (3:11.49); fifth, 100 backstroke (1:17.77); 200 backstroke (2:46.92).

**Boys open:** Joe Bublitz — first, 500 freestyle (5:42.33).

### THE WEEK AHEAD

#### GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

Thursday, Feb. 20

Huron Valley at Taylor Bapt., TBA.  
 Luth. North at Luth. Wstd., 6 p.m.  
 PCA at Oakland Christian, 7 p.m.  
 Luth. N West at Clarenceville, 7 p.m.

Saturday, Feb. 22

Fraser Tournament, 8 a.m.  
 Ypsilanti Invitational, 8 a.m.  
 WLAA Tourney at Northville, 9 a.m.  
 UM-Dearborn Tournament, 9 a.m.  
 Metro Tourney at Kingswood, TBA.

#### WOMEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL

Friday, Feb. 21

Oakland CC at Mich. Christian, 7 p.m.

#### PREP BOYS BASKETBALL

Thursday, Feb. 20

(Catholic League Playoffs)  
 Redford CC vs. O.L. St. Mary's,  
 Holy Redeemer vs. Shrine,  
 at Schoolcraft College, 6 & 7:30 p.m.

Friday, Feb. 21

Huron Valley at Flint Valley, 7 p.m.  
 PCA at Oakland Christian, 7 p.m.  
 Luth. Wstd. at Luth. North, 7 p.m.  
 Clarenceville at Liggett, 7 p.m.  
 Wayne at Monroe, 7 p.m.

Garden City at Lincoln Park, 7 p.m.

Wyandotte at Redford Union, 7 p.m.  
 Taylor Center at Thurston, 7 p.m.  
 Churchill at Farmington, 7 p.m.  
 W.L. Western at N. Farm., 7 p.m.

#### (Western Lakes Playoffs-1st Round)

Canton at John Glenn, 7 p.m.  
 Northville at Harrison, 7 p.m.  
 Franklin at Salem, 7:30 p.m.  
 Stevenson at W.L. Central, 7:30 p.m.

Sunday, Feb. 23

Catholic League Championships at Cathan Hall, noon; 2 & 4 p.m.

#### PREP HOCKEY

Friday, Feb. 21

Franklin vs. Lakeland  
 at Edgar Arena, 6 p.m.  
 Churchill at Trenton, 7 p.m.

Saturday, Feb. 22

Redford Union vs. Dearborn at Redford Ice Arena, 7 p.m.  
 Stevenson vs. Brother Rice at Ply. Compuware, 3:30 p.m.  
 Franklin vs. Millford at Lakeland Ice Arena, 4:20 p.m.

TBA — times to be announced.

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# Wayne clinches 3rd Mega-Red crown

The real test for Wayne Memorial's basketball team is coming up.

It has clinched the Michigan Mega Conference-zRed Division boys title, but still has two league games remaining.

Wayne offset a 30-point Tuesday night by Robert Griffin to defeat Belleville, 68-60, and clinch its third straight Mega-Red basketball crown.

The Zebras are 16-1 overall, 10-0 in the league for a three-game lead with two yet to play before the start of the state tournament.

Host Belleville, 9-8 overall and 7-3 in the Mega-Red, got to the free throw line just five times and made three.

Wayne, which made all but three of 10 free throws, had four players in double figures led by LaVelle Guess who had 18 points.

Lorenzo Guess scored 13 points, while Richard Rashad and Shomari Dunn hit 10 apiece.

The Zebras saw their lead trimmed to three points in the fourth quarter but weathered the storm.

The Tigers jumped out to a 12-2 lead but the Zebras retaliated with an 11-1 run of their own to take a 14-13 lead after the first period of play.

**FRANKLIN 44, NOVI 37:** Center Matt Bauman and guard Nick Mongeau scored 12 points apiece Tuesday night to pace the Patriots.

Livonia Franklin raised its record to 9-8 and dropped Novi to 5-12 in the non-league encounter.

Kevin Biga and Jay Fontaine scored seven each for Franklin. Novi was led by Kyle Kearney, who had 17 points including three treys.

Mongeau had four triples as his team overcame a 9-

## BOYS HOOP WRAP

4 first quarter deficit to win.

**ADRIAN 72, JOHN GLENN 58:** It was a long drive for a loss.

The Rockets drove Tuesday night to Adrian and came home with their 10th loss in 17 outings. The Maples are 13-4.

Brad Wilde scored 14 points, but didn't net a one after the first half. Devin White added 11.

Sean Carlson scored 26, including three treys, for Adrian while Chris Howard had 17.

Westland John Glenn Glenn made 20-of-31 free throws while Adrian sank 15-of-24.

Glenn's David Jarrett missed the game with a hip-pointer.

**LAKELAND 48, STEVENSON 44:** Poor shooting doomed the Spartans.

"We did not shoot well from the floor," Coach Tim Newman said after Stevenson dropped its 11th game in 17 tries this season. "Our intensity picked up in the second half but we didn't shoot any better."

"When you hold a team to 48 points, you should win."

Tony Datillo scored 10 points and Tyrone Davidson seven for Stevenson. Milford Lakeland, 8-9, got 15 from both Eric Hardin and Brian Kennedy.

In a non-league game played last Saturday, host Dearborn Fordson trimmed Stevenson, 61-45, as Abdul Haidoud scored 17 for the Tractors (6-10 overall).

Mike Potempa scored 12 points and Ed Szumlanski 10 for the Spartans.

**LIGGETT 55, LUTHERAN WESTLAND 53:** A 13-5 third quarter got Lutheran Westland back into the game but the Warriors couldn't get a shot to drop at the end.

Joe Pruchnik led Lutheran High Westland with 19 points and Kevin Wade added 16. The Warriors are now 8-9 overall, 6-8 in the Metro Conference.

Junior forward Brian Bruenton led Liggett with 23 points. The visiting Knights are 10-8 overall, 9-5 in the league.

Lutheran Westland trailed by eight at halftime and Wade hit a pair of three-point shots in the fourth quarter to give his team a shot at winning.

**LUTHERAN EAST 59, CLARENCEVILLE 47:** A 28-point fourth quarter in which Harper Woods Lutheran East got to the line 17 times was the margin of victory.

The host Eagles outscored the Trojans, 28-15, in that fourth quarter to overcome a 32-30 deficit after the third period.

Lutheran East made 12 of its 17 free throw tries in that final period to protect its 10th win in 13 league games.

Livonia Clarenceville is now 9-9 overall, 8-6 in the Metro Conference. The Eagles were 18-of-32 for the game from the line.

The Trojans shot 11 free throws and made four. The Trojans got 12 points from Donahue Fulton, 11 from Albert DeJesevic and 10 from Justin Villanueva.

B.J. Condon led Lutheran East with 20 points. Don'tel Cokley had 15.

**FRANKLIN ROAD 72, HURON VALLEY 49:** Westland Huron Valley Lutheran is still looking for its first victory of the season.

Southfield Franklin Road Christian improved to 4-3 in the Michigan Independent Athletic Conference and 10-7 overall, while Huron Valley is winless in 15 tries, eight of them in the MIAC.

Jeremy Zahn, a senior guard, scored 19 points in a losing cause.

Franklin Road's Paul Burkhardt, a senior forward, scored 22 points and grabbed 10 rebounds.

# Shamrocks overcome loss of Young, 71-59

BY STEVE KOWALSKI  
STAFF WRITER

Brian Teehey played defensive end on the Detroit Catholic Central football team and he probably never dreamed of taking Greg Alcala's job at tailback.

As a member of the CC basketball team, offense is usually just as far from his train of thought.

But Teehey's willingness to take on a new role helped the Shamrocks beat Detroit St. Martin DePorres, 71-59, in a first-round Catholic League playoff game on Saturday at University of Detroit-Mercy's Calihan Hall.

With 6-foot-10 junior center Chris Young suffering a broken nose late in the first half, the 6-3 Teehey became another offensive option in the low post for the Shamrocks. He scored nine points, making four of five shots from the floor, while grabbing a team-high 10 rebounds.

The Shamrocks expect to have

Young back in the lineup - with a protective mask - for a second-round game at 7:30 tonight against Orchard Lake St. Mary's at Schoolcraft College.

But Teehey will come prepared. "It was fun," Teehey said. "I just kept doing what I had to do - hustle, get rebounds, outlet the ball and get it up and score."

Teehey was one of many unsung heroes for the Shamrocks. Also recording a career high in points was senior guard Matt Martinez, who scored 18 points on seven for 14 shooting.

Senior guard Marc McDonald overcame a slow start to finish with a game-high 23 points and sophomore guard Nick Moore showed the poise of a senior. He scored 10 of his 12 points after halftime, making five of six free throws in the fourth quarter.

Senior guard Joe Jonna scored only four points, but played the entire 32 minutes along with

McDonald.

The Shamrocks jumped to an 11-2 lead to start the game but a 7-0 DePorres run and injury to Young late in the second quarter left them feeling rather helpless.

CC trailed 26-23 when Young left the game with 2:57 remaining in the first half after taking an elbow and forearm in the nose while battling for a rebound. He had scored six points and grabbed two rebounds in front of University of Michigan coach Steve Fisher before the injury.

The Shamrocks, 11-6 overall, went into halftime trailing 30-27.

"I told them 'You've got to believe we can win it, go out and play,'" Coratti said. "Teehey went to Young's spot and we were a little more deliberate on offense. Brian has been a pleasant surprise. We tell him he's just got to rebound, whatever else he gets is gravy. He got a lot of gravy tonight."

McDonald scored 18 in the second half after being held to five points on two of 10 shooting in the first half.

"McDonald got open and once he got going it was like a snowball effect," said DePorres coach Derrick Owens, who wasn't pleased with the Eagles' 11 turnovers after halftime compared to CC's six. "We had too many missed opportunities in transition, too many turnovers."

Teremun Johnson, a 6-5 junior forward, led DePorres with 18 points. Senior guard Jason Small added 11 for the Eagles, 10-7 overall.

**BORGESS 59, AQUINAS 47:** Redford Bishop Borgess earned a berth in the semifinals with a victory Sunday afternoon over Southgate Aquinas.

Aaron Jessup led a balanced Borgess attack with 15 points. Kevin Jordan had 14 points, Durand Bynum 10 and John White eight.

Borgess is 10-7 on the year.

# Kicking Mules boot Blazers

## VOLLEYBALL

Livonia Ladywood, ranked No. 2 in Class A, was ousted in the semifinals of the Temperance Bedford Invitational volleyball tournament Saturday by the host Kicking Mules, 15-5, 15-1.

The loss drops Ladywood to 43-5-1 overall.

In pool play, Ladywood defeated Ann Arbor Huron (15-4, 15-1), Burton Atherton (15-2, 15-2), Livonia Churchill (15-9; 15-7) and split with Battle Creek Central (15-11, 6-15).

In the quarterfinals, the Blazers ousted Hanover Horton, the No. 1-ranked team in Class C, in three games, 15-8, 8-15, 15-12.

Sarah Poglits, a 6-foot-1 junior, was Ladywood's top attacker with on the day with 40 kills. Kristen Dause and Jenny Lachapelle added 32 and 27, respectively.

Cathy Hermann served 18 aces, while Mary Lu Hemme added 16 digs.

Nicole Vondracek and Poglits each had 40 assists.

Vondracek, however, played in only six games, because of sickness. The Blazers also played without key reserves Jenny Young and Natalie Rozell, both out with the flu.

## Clarenceville clinches

Setter Nicole Riedl had 18 assists and middle hitter Michelle Berry added seven kills and three aces Monday, leading Metro Conference champion Livonia Clarenceville to a 15-10, 15-3 victory at Macomb Lutheran North.

The win clinched first place for the Trojans, who will be the top seed in Saturday's conference tourney at Bloomfield Hills Kingswood.

Kristen Jaber served nine points in the win, while Amy Jones was the top attacker with 10 kills.

Clarenceville is 20-11-1 overall and 7-0 in the Metro.

## Warriors win twice

Lutheran High Westland clinched second place in the Metro Conference Tuesday with a 15-13, 15-10 victory at Rochester Hills Lutheran Northwest.

Lindsay Allor served 10 consecutive points to erase an 8-0 first-game deficit and Sarah Hoffmeyer served the final two points as the Warriors (6-1) won the opening game.

The Allor served the last six points to clinch the second game and the match.

Coach Joan Ollinger also praised the net play of Jessica Joyce and Joy Tiernan.

On Monday, Joyce served 10 points and added five kills, carrying the Warriors to a 15-8, 8-15, 15-4 Metro victory over host Bloomfield Hills Kingswood.

Other top servers for the victorious Warriors, now 5-1 in the Metro, included Allor, six points; Hoffmeyer and Christen Rae, five each.

## Churchill stops North

Thanks to the effective outside hitting of Andrea Will and Danielle Sockolosky, Livonia Churchill wrapped up Western Lakes Activities Association play with a 15-13, 15-12, 15-9 win Monday over visiting North Farmington.

The Chargers enter Saturday's WLAATournament at Northville with a 24-8 overall record and 8-3 in the Western Lakes.

On Saturday, Churchill played five teams rated in the top five at the Bedford Invitational.

The host Kicking Mules ousted Churchill in the elimination round, 15-10, 15-11, as Megan McGinty had 16 kills in a losing cause.

In pool play, Churchill split with Battle Creek Central, lost to Ladywood and defeated Ann Arbor Huron and Burton Atherton.

## Franklin stops Glenn

Livonia Franklin won a Western Lakes Activities Association match Monday against visiting Westland John Glenn, 15-10, 15-11, 12-15, 15-6.

Franklin improved to 18-16-10 overall and finishes 5-6 in the WLAAT.

Patriot standouts included Brooke Hensman (13 kills/three solo blocks/11 digs), Randi Wolfe (30 assists/three aces), Missy Blanton (15 digs/seven kills), Cathy Wolfe (22 digs/17 serve receives without an error/three aces), Jamie Wensing (four kills) and Jackie Ziem (four aces/12 digs).

Glenn finishes 4-7 in the WLAAT and 13-19-7 overall.

Senior Chrissy Harkless had 10 solo blocks and seven kills, while seniors Jenny Smith and Jamie Romej each had 16 digs. Junior Julie Taylor also did a fine job attacking.

But Glenn coach Stacy Graham was not happy with the performance overall.

"We started off well, but went down the tubes because we lacked big-time in service and serve receive," she said. "We watched more than we played."

"Franklin came ready to play and ready to win."

On Saturday, Franklin went 1-1-2 at the Bedford Invitational - splitting with Stevenson (2-15, 15-12) and Walled Lake Central (12-15, 4-15), while losing to host Bedford (1-15, 5-15) and beating West Bloomfield (15-11, 15-9).

Randi Wolfe had 34 assists, four aces, four solo blocks and 25 digs on the day. Hensman added 19 kills and nine blocks. Danielle Wensing contributed 13 kills and 17 kills, while Jamie Wensing had five kills and seven blocks.

## Stevenson triumphs

Livonia Stevenson, behind junior Whitney Crosby's 13 aces, finished 8-3 in the WLAAT with a 15-1, 15-10, 15-7 victory Monday over visiting Walled Lake Western.

Other Stevenson standouts included Nicole Tobin, 16 for 16 serving (nine aces) and 13 assists; Kelly Kristy, 13 digs; Lindsay Pfeifer, nine digs; Gina Palmeri, seven kills.

Saturday at Bedford, Stevenson was eliminated in the quarterfinals against Kalamazoo Central, 12-15, 15-6, 15-5 (rally scoring in the third).

In pool play, Stevenson split with Franklin (15-2, 12-15) and Walled Lake Central (15-4, 11-6). The Spartans beat West Bloomfield (15-9, 15-9) and lost to host Bedford (4-15, 7-15).

Palmeri had 26 kills on the day, while Crosby added 20 kills and 19 aces. Tobin collected 36 assists.

## Hawks still winless


Westland Huron Valley Lutheran is playing its best volleyball of the season, but it's still searching for victory No. 1.

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**Thursday, Feb. 27:** A-B winner vs. C-D winner, 5:30 p.m.; E-F winner vs. G-H winner, 8 p.m.  
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Redford Catholic Central's hockey team finished the regular season with a 9-0 victory Saturday over Ann Arbor Pioneer at Redford Arena.  
 The Shamrocks, who led 3-0 after one period and 4-0 after two, are 19-1-1 overall.  
 Jason Tardif scored two goals to lead the Shamrocks. Pat O'Dea, Nick Lewarne, Nick Selasky, Ian Devlin, Jim Melton, Keith Rowe and Brett Murphy scored one goal each.

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Mike Sharpe and Mike Porter collected two assists each. Brad Karabelaki, Tim Cibor, Dan McLellan, Devlin, Tardif, Rowe, O'Dea, Matt Bieniek, Melton and Dave Turner had one assist apiece.  
 Rick Marnon and Jordan Braciszewski shared the goal-tending duties. Marnon made 15 saves, Braciszewski three.

**Greyhounds harpoon Whalers**

It was a weekend the Detroit Whalers would like to forget. The second-place Sault Ste. Marie Greyhounds (31-16-8) skated past the visiting Whalers twice — 11-4 on Friday and 8-5 on Saturday — in Ontario Hockey League action.  
 The losses drop the Whalers (22-30-5) to fourth place in the West Division of the OHL.  
 Julian Smith notched his 13th goal and added two assists in the Friday defeat. Harold Druken his 20th goal of the year, while Eric Gooldy added his sixth.  
 On Saturday, Whaler scorers included McKinney (9th and

10th), Morrone (third), Druken (22nd) and Taylor (28th). The Greyhounds erased a 5-4 second period deficit by scoring four unanswered goals in the third, including Joe Seroski's 41st and Joe Thornton's 32nd. The Whalers return to action at 7:30 tonight at the Plymouth Township Compuware Arena against the Erie Otters (19-32-6). Central Division leader Kitchener Rangers (32-16-6) come in for a 7:30 p.m. game Saturday, while Owen Sound (26-28-4) play the Whalers at 6 p.m. Sunday at Compuware.

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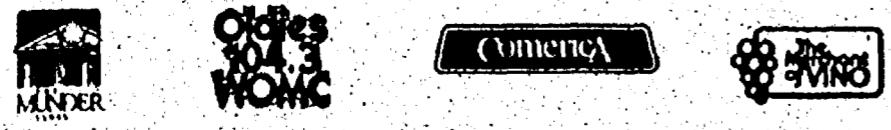
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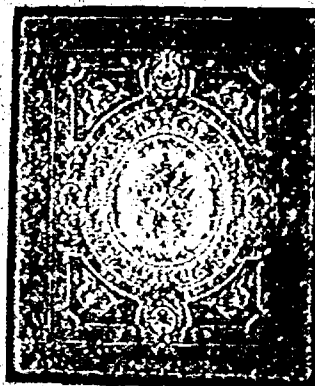
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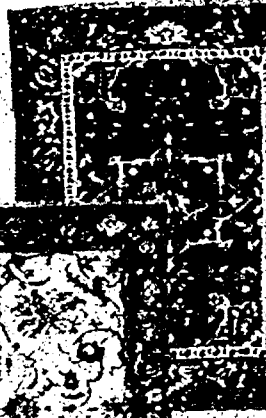
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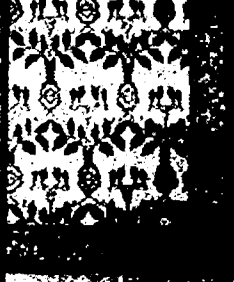
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garden spot

## Dishing the dirt: Learn from errors



MARTY FIGLEY

Do you believe that all gardens are planned, planted and maintained without one thing going wrong? Let me tell you, they aren't!

Those beautiful gardens are the result of much hard work, trial and error and sometimes a little bit of luck. Even the most impressive "spreads" have had times when things just didn't work out. The best gardeners are always learning.

Let me share some good advice from a book written by my friend, Pat Stone, of North Carolina. He is editor and publisher of GreenPrints, to which many of you may subscribe. Perhaps you'll get a chuckle or two and learn some good gardening tips along the way.

Pat's new book, "Real Gardeners' True Confessions" (Storey, \$12.95, paper), has a purpose: "To make you feel a little less foolish and garden a good bit more successfully by helping you avoid all of the most common home gardening faux pas."

He shares his own gardening errors along with those made by 46 other gardeners. The old axiom, "Do as I say, not as I did," could apply.

Here are a few examples: One person left weeds right in the garden for mulch, and because it rained soon after, the plants left in the garden began to grow again. Another fertilized container-grown plants when they were dry without watering them first; as a result, the leaves turned black and fell off (although they finally recovered).

Or, a mistake common to almost every house in the country - the fact that the one bib for water is at the opposite part of the house where you'll want the garden to be located. This is a tip for new home builders to remember.

A California friend confesses she planted a short crop on the north side of the garden and the taller ones on the south (it's better to reverse the order). And one more: One person planted trees underneath a power line and they were fine, until the power company came to clear the right-of-way.

Each chapter is devoted to a particular subject and is filled with excellent information for beginners as well as experienced gardeners. Pat begins the book with the chapter "Site With Foresight," reminding readers about proper

location, keeping in mind sun and shade, water sources, type of soil, drainage and more.

Other chapters advise: Don't start too big or too early in the season, ask questions of other local gardeners, make a plan and keep records. Buy the best tool and use the proper one for each job (he shows how) and how to care for them. Plant seeds at the proper depth and label them, watering techniques, hold the plant by the root ball (or leaves if necessary) but never by the stem.

In the chapter devoted to weeding, his advice is to "get 'em while they're small." Also, be diligent about weeding, and mulch.

Pat's humor comes through loud and clear as he leads the reader through the trials and errors of gardening.

For example, he begins Chapter 12 - "Feeling Bugged? Pest Control" - as follows: "If you grow it, they will come. Yes, they will. Sooner or later (probably sooner), when you start a garden, you'll have to deal with invasive pests. You'll be bugged by bugs."

His personal treatment is organic pest control and he explains why, especially in home gardens. Some advice: Know the insect, grow resistant varieties, rotate crops, use integrated pest management. His advice about pests and diseases is just as thorough.

Pruning, composting, winter protection, staking, soil nutrients, transplanting, sowing seeds and much more good "stuff" is included. The black and white line drawings are very helpful; clever cartoons are interspersed throughout. Pat's final remarks give an insightful look into this author:

"A real gardener takes the manure in life and turns it into compost, right? So don't let the failures get to you. Focus on the fun part. Enjoy the joys. After all, the most important thing we grow in our gardens ... is ourselves."

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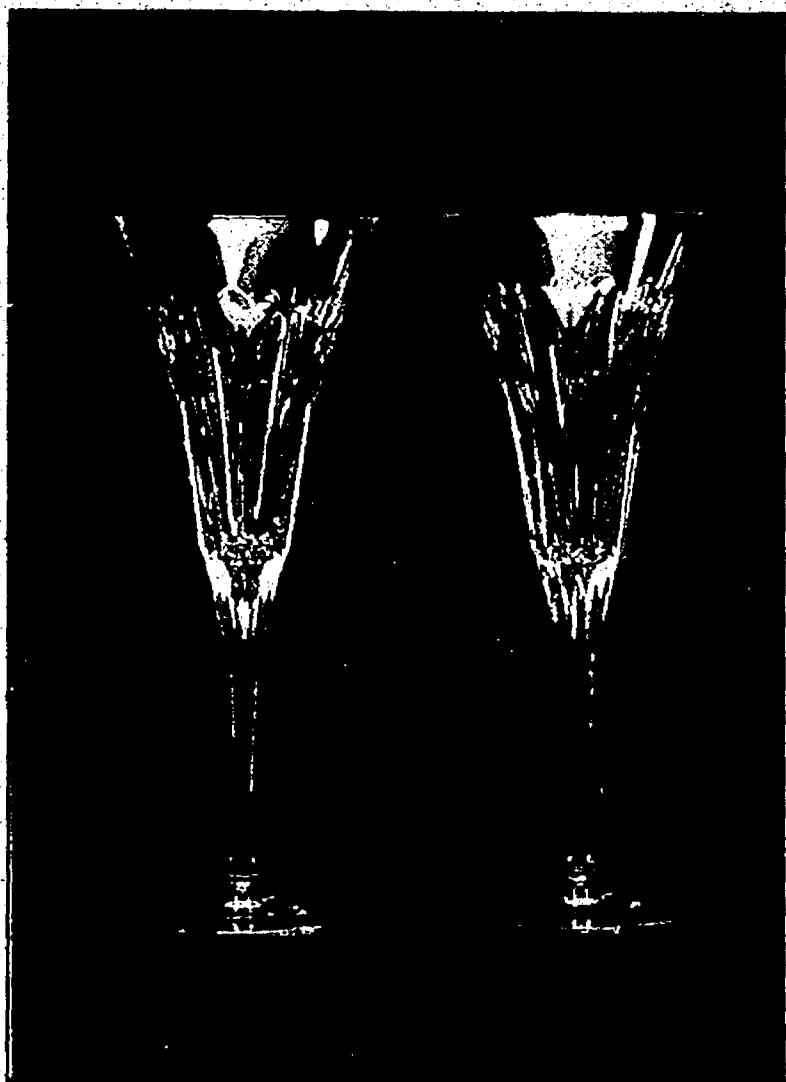
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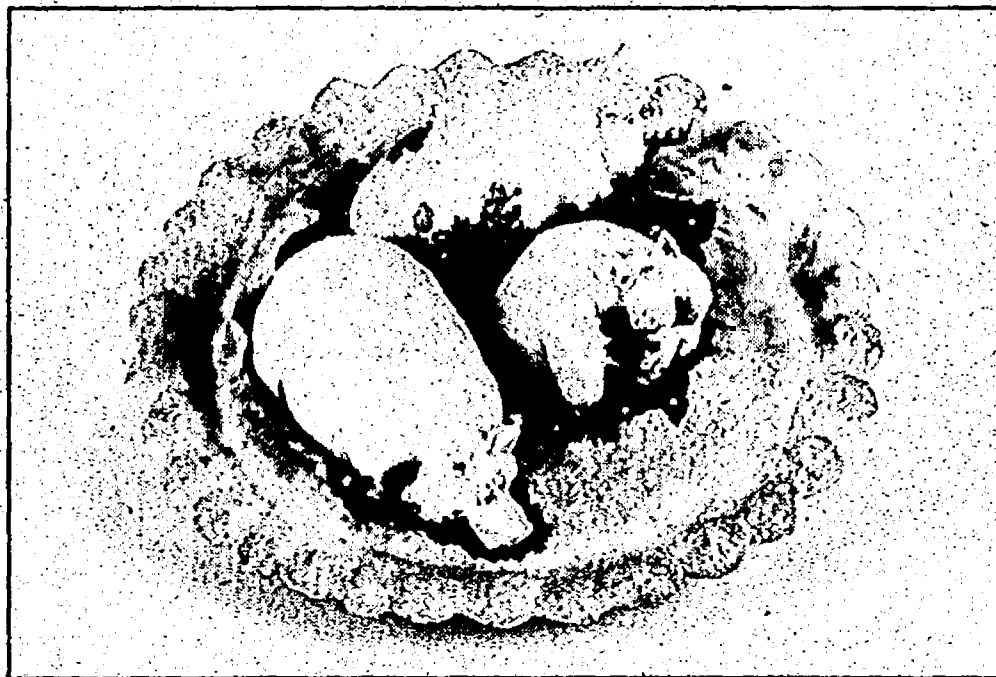
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### Hansen at hand

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Artist Stephen Hansen, originally from Michigan, is known for his full-size papier-maché pieces and is featured in numerous collections, including at the Smithsonian Institute. Two of his smaller design cast works shown here - "Getting My Piece of the Pie" (\$650) and "Mom and Pop Tart" (\$800) - are available at Galerie Blu, 568 N. Woodward, Birmingham. Hansen will be at the gallery for a single-artist show later this year. Call (810) 594-0472.



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inviting ideas

**Let off steam with  
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**RUTH MOSSOK  
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My adventure into learning how to cook ethnic foods began in 1972 - it was rooted in learning to prepare Chinese or Asian foods. The classes I took, were given to me (and five others) in the upper apartment of the Asia Trading Co. which at that

time, was on Washington Street in Royal Oak. My interest into that type of cuisine has not waned. I've continued to increase my repertoire of Asian and Pacific Rim dishes, and last year I took a class from Helen Chen, the daughter of the famous Joyce Chen. After all these years, it's still a primary focus of influence on my cooking.

Susanna Foo, a James Beard award-winning cookbook author and owner of the superb Susanna Foo Chinese Restaurant in Philadelphia (on Walnut Street) recalls her childhood memories of Northern China and Taiwan:

"Everything I cook is based on what I remember from childhood. There is no need to 'improve' the classical dishes - they have been popular for thousands of years. But a good cook should be open-minded."

With that in mind, be advised that Susanna has a beautiful book out - "Susanna Foo Chinese Cuisine" (published by Chapters Publishing, Ltd; 1995, \$35 hardcover).

This award-winning book is a perfect way to explore Chinese cuisine with friends. In planning your meal - consider preparing some steam cuisine. Ala Wok. This could be a unique approach to pot-luck entertaining. Provide each guest or couple with one Chinese-type bamboo steamer used with a wok. Have the guests place steamable cuisine of their choice in their designated steamer - and bring it along for dinner. Using this technique, you not only have the ability to cook a multi-course meal in 20 minutes, you are providing the creative means to an interesting and delicious dinner. This idea can also be done by the person giving the party - same idea, the host prepares the steamer baskets.

Steaming tips:

■ Make sure fish is placed in the steamer on top leaves or vegetables - if what you are cooking is something real juicy - place a plate in the steamer under the food being cooked.

■ If steaming dumplings, steam directly on the bamboo steamer - no need for leaves or a plate below them.

■ Make sure the water in the wok is simmering before placing the filled steamers over it.

■ Make sure the lid is in place to keep the steam circulating around evenly to cook the food.

■ Always keep the water level consistent - not too high - you don't want it to touch the food, not too low - you don't want the wok to boil dry.

■ Steam cuisine ideas: dumplings, assorted vegetables, rice paper rolls stuffed with glutinous rice and shrimp, fish, meat balls - almost anything can be steamed.

■ Make several sauces to have on hand for dipping - gingered soy sauce or hoisin.

My recipe for hoisin sauce is as follows:

**RUTH'S HOME-MADE HOISIN SAUCE**

You can buy hoisin sauce at any Asian shop or grocery that has an Asian section - my homemade version is consistent with the taste of prepared versions. It is delicious on crepes, dumplings, meat, fish and even on egg rolls.

- 8 garlic cloves, peeled and minced
- 2 green onions, ends cut and finely chopped
- 1/2 cup (light) black molasses
- 1/4 cup light sodium-reduced soy sauce
- 5 tablespoons raspberry jam
- 1/4 teaspoon dry Oriental hot mustard powder
- 4 tablespoons tomato paste
- 1 tablespoon canola oil
- 1-1 1/2 teaspoons dried red chili flakes or Asian red pepper powder

Place the garlic, onions, molasses, light soy, jam, mustard powder, tomato paste, oil, and chili flakes in the bowl of a food processor fitted with a steel s blade. Process until smooth.

The following recipes are from "Susanna Foo Chinese Cuis

**PORK DUMPLINGS WITH SOY GINGER SAUCE**

- Makes 40-45 dumplings
- 1 pound pork butt, coarsely ground
- 1 cup finely chopped scallions

See Inviting Ideas, page D5

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## Inviting ideas from page D4

3 tablespoons soy sauce  
1 tablespoon peeled, grated gingerroot

1/2 pound Chinese napa cabbage, finely chopped (if you cannot get napa cabbage, substitute green cabbage. Because it is not as moist as the Chinese cabbage, add 2 tablespoons of water to the pork filling before incorporating the cabbage.

1 1-pound package round dumpling wrappers (gyoza). 3 inches in diameter

Soy-Ginger Sauce (recipe to follow)

Do not use preground meat commonly found in supermarkets - cut the meat into 1/2-inch cubes, then grind it in small batches (1/3 to 1/2 pound at a time) in a food processor. Or ask your butcher to grind the meat coarsely for you.

In a large bowl, combine the pork, scallions, soy sauce, sesame oil, and gingerroot. Mix well so that the flavors will penetrate the meat. Then add the cabbage and mix until all the ingredients are thoroughly combined. The filling will not taste right if you try to combine all the ingredients at once.

Place 1 dumpling wrapper on a plate or a board. Place 1 scant tablespoon of pork mixture in the center. Moisten the edges of the wrapper with a little water; then fold them over the filling to form a half-moon shape. Pinch the center together first, then stand the dumpling up on its base and pleat one of the sides of the half-moon twice, halfway between the outer edge and the center. Pleat the other side in the same way and leave the dumpling standing up.

Stand the finished dumplings on a baking sheet lined with waxed paper. Do not allow the sides of the dumplings to touch each

other, or they will stick together. Repeat, using the remaining dumpling wrappers and pork filling. The dumplings can be made in advance and frozen up to 3 months (defrost dumplings before cooking or they will burn), or they may be cooked immediately.

### To Pan-Fry Dumplings:

Pan-fried dumplings are known as "pot stickers" because one side sticks to the bottom of the pot, becoming delightfully crisp. Heat about 1 tablespoon corn oil in a large non stick skillet. Add as many dumplings as can fit in a single layer. Pour 1/2 cup cold water over the dumplings.

Cover the skillet and cook over low heat for about 10 minutes, without turning or stirring, until the water has evaporated and the dumplings are golden and crisp on the bottom. If the dumplings are not browned enough, keep cooking until they are. Remove the dumplings to a heated platter and repeat with the remaining dumplings. Serve hot, with Soy-Ginger Sauce on the side.

### SOY-GINGER SAUCE

Makes about 3/4 cup dipping sauce

1/4 cup soy sauce  
1/4 cup balsamic vinegar  
2 tablespoons water

1 tablespoon peeled, julienned gingerroot, soaked in ice water

Combine all the ingredients in a small bowl. Mix thoroughly and serve. This sauce will keep for up to 1 week in the refrigerator, without the gingerroot. Add the gingerroot when ready to serve.

Ruth Mossok Johnston is an author and food columnist who lives in Franklin. To leave a Voice Mail message for Ruth, dial (313) 953-2047, mailbox 1902.

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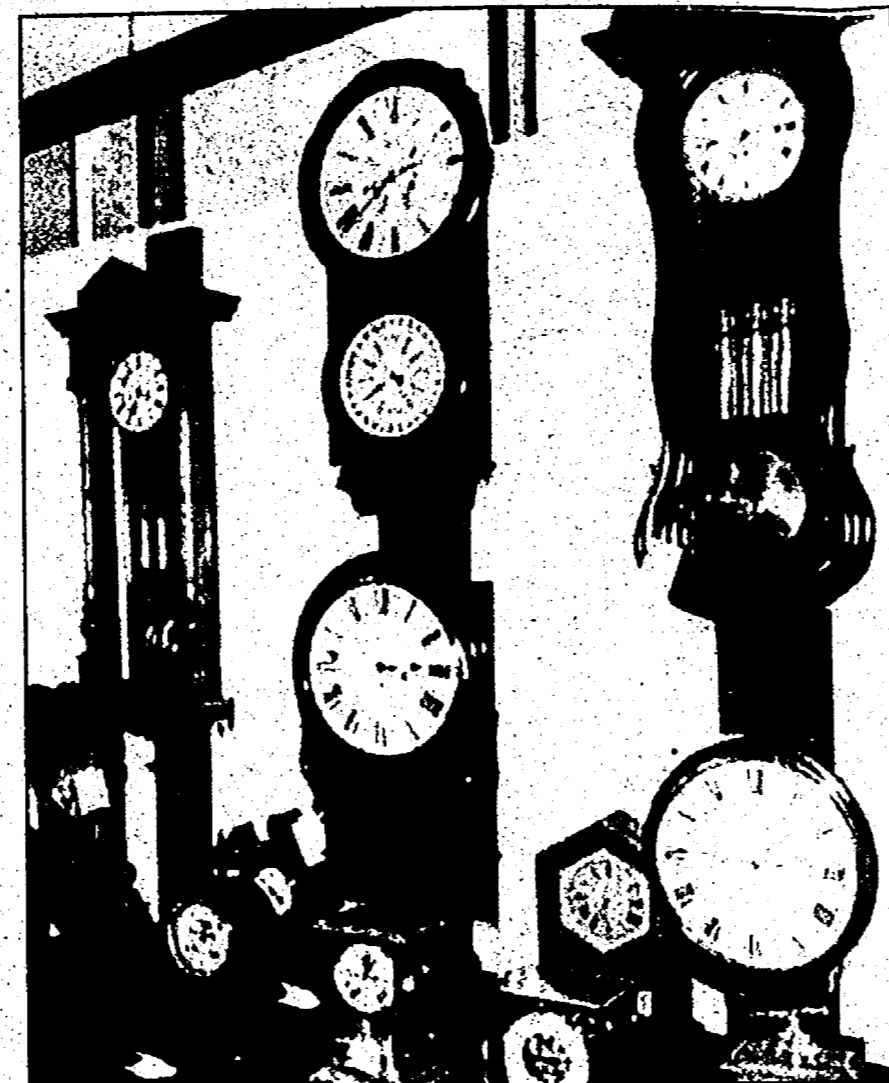
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## Into the past: Now's the time for antiques

BY MARY KLEMIC  
At Home Editor

"Don't stop thinking about tomorrow ... Yesterday's gone" a popular song warned a few years ago.

But it's likely you're more in tune with the refrain of another song, "Everything old is new again," when it comes to antiques.

Antiques enthusiasts come in all ages; and if you'd like to get started collecting, there's no time like the present. Area dealers encourage novices to take that first step of finding out about the antiques they like.

"They're going to have an interest in certain things," said Doris McElmurry, owner of Dobbin House Antiques in Clarkston, which specializes in silver-plated flatware. "What they really need to do is they need to learn about the business ... Learn about the category."

The library is a good place to start, she said - "There's a plethora of books on antiques."

Also, "The best way to learn is go to shows ... talk to dealers."

McElmurry is one of more than 100



Oriental beauty: 19th century Chinese vase

nationally recognized exhibitors who will be at the Southfield Pavilion Antiques Exposition Friday-Sunday, Feb. 21-23, at the Southfield Civic Center, Evergreen at 10-1/2 Mile.

The show, in its 17th year, will feature a wide selection of American, European and Oriental antiques and fine art. Antiques dealers from across the country, noted authors and nationally known experts will display and sell collections.

If you're feeling intimidated, the answer "is to plunge in and buy what they like," said Joe Rumford, owner of Joe Rumford antiques in Troy, another exposition participant. "Do a little comparison shopping."

Classes are available on antiques, said Rumford, who taught one such class at a Livonia high school.

"They need to do a lot of reading, a lot of research, a lot of looking," said Jack Gunsaulus, owner of Gray's Gallery and Jack's Corner Bookstore in Plymouth, which carries out-of-print books and jewelry and has been in the Southfield

exhibit every year. "There are so many reproductions on the market right now, they really do have to do a lot of asking." There always has to be a reason behind a collection, dealers said. It's something personal.

A history major, McElmurry started with Civil War items. Usable items such as furniture are always popular, she said. "A lot of times they're collecting their childhood," McElmurry said.

"They like what they collect," said Rumford, whose shop features eclectic collections.

"With the new baby boomers the trend is going into modernism. A lot of people are collecting the '40s, '50s and '60s. (But) a lot of people want the 17th, 18th and 19th century."

A love of something old, something that has already been established, motivates many collectors.

"They feel safe, feel good," Rumford said.

Hours for the Southfield Pavilion Antiques Exposition are 2-9 p.m. Friday, noon to 8 p.m. Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday. Admission is \$6 regular, \$5 with ads or listings of the event, free for age 12 or under. One paid admission is good for all three days of the show. Parking is free. Luncheons and dinners will be served daily.

# Pillow talk: elegant, colorful, diverse



NAOMI STONE LEVY

Pillows can be diverse and eclectic, esthetic and elegant, calming or electric, significant or unimportant. I could think of many other adjectives, but in essence pillows will add or detract from any room. I love 'em!

Pillows can be seasonal. Vary them from summer to winter and even holiday to holiday. Lightweight cotton fabric, perhaps whimsical in character, would give way to American quilt patterns. Other options are very elegant silks and velvets as the requirement dictates. They can be needlepoint or embroidered - how about lacy?

There are a myriad of ways to trim pillows. There exists tassels with charisma, very costly, that I have often used at the four corners. An inexpensive counterpart might be large buttons, self-cov-

ered or contrasting colors in the same way as welt cord.

But welting is also available in costly varieties; twisted cord in multicolors is merely one of several potentials, often coordinated with tassels or floret buttons.

How to organize pillows on a sofa should challenge your talents. If they vary in size the largest ones should be behind smaller ones. I much prefer all squares, rectangles or bolsters, rather than rounds and triangles. On occasion I have the square corners pinch-pleated.

How does one discuss color? It is a fascinating subject that isn't easily articulated. We are all cognizant of the primary colors on the wheel: red, yellow and blue. Next are the secondary (in-between) colors: orange, green and purple. And then there are the dozens, even hundreds of variations of the six, too subtle to describe.

In selecting a combination you might start with a lush, dark-green velvet. Add to that an awesome, wide gold braid, not necessarily around the square. Try

three rows, off-centered, and separated by a narrow band of the background green. On this pillow I wouldn't use any welt-cord. Don't confine yourself to green - any rich color that sends you is right.

A second and third pillow for this group could be a printed heavy silk, either traditional or contemporary in design. Next I'd love to see the fourth and fifth in heavy silk, but in only one glorious color.

If you research the fabric houses you will have to acknowledge that no fabric accepts colors with more subtlety than velvets and silks.

To these single-colored delights why not add the short tassels I spoke of earlier? Said fabric houses often have marked-down remnants of exquisite and very costly fabrics. Elegant?

You don't aspire to this elegance? Let's evaluate a more simple array. Nothing wrong with a wide-whale corduroy for the background. Add to this the second and third pillow in a printed chintz, again either geometric, modern

or traditional. The fourth and fifth pillow again should be a rich looking, single-colored cotton/linen, with a fabulous fringe trim in varying colors, inserted in lieu of welt.

Try sewing some very attractive buttons close together and all over the surface of a pillow.

Beads, in a multitude of colors, are yet another venue.

The pillow forms should be ultra-soft to provide real comfort. Whether used as a headrest or propped behind your back for support depends on your need. The covers should be zipper-closed to ease the comfort involved in changing them.

I could go on and on with pillow talk, but I urge you to concoct your own schemes. You'll love the creativity.

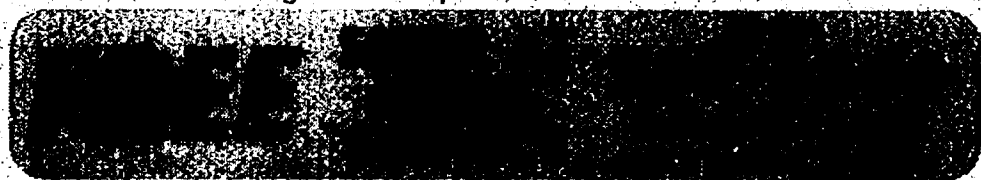
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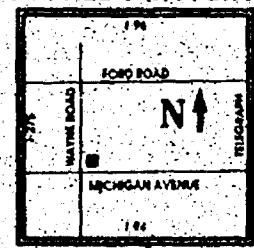
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**A:** The best way to start inspecting the job is by creating a punch list. These are the items that need a little extra attention to make them right. Whatever items you put on the list, you must remember three important things:

1. This is not an excuse to complain to or harass your contractor. It is an opportunity to ensure quality control on the project.

2. Your punch should be comprehensive and detailed.

3. Always keep a copy of the list for your files and give one to the remodeler.

Many remodelers have a generic checklist to help guide you through the project and get the list started but you should give yourself some time to explore the remodeled area to find any trouble spots. Examine the room in the day with natural lighting and at night



using artificial lighting. Ask everyone in the family to survey the room to see if they spot problem areas - missing hardware, a window that won't open, an unsecured appliance etc.

Here are some of the areas we recommend you take a second look at:

- Are the gas and water hooked up and all appliances in working order?
- Do exterior and interior doors, windows and skylights open easily? Are the screens in place?
- Have you tested all cabinet draw-

ers and doors to see if they are aligned and glide smoothly? Have toe panels been installed?

■ Are wood floors and surfaces even with not bubbles or streaks in the finish? Are walls evenly painted and free of nail indentations?

■ Have you examined countertops, vanities and other surfaces for scratches, chips or discoloration?

■ Have you tested all light fixtures and switches at varying levels? Are any new circuit breakers labeled?

■ Is molding in place and painted or stained? Is it secure?

■ Have you checked the duct work? Are the vent flaps working properly?

■ Is the refrigerator level, plumbed and plugged in? Is the ice maker hooked up and operating? Have you checked plumbing for leaks?

■ Have all the fixtures been installed, secured and cleared?

You may notice a clause in your contract referred to as the substantial completion clause. Most contractors request

that a substantial portion of the first payment be made when the room is available for use or occupancy. This means that you would pay the majority of the project balance before the punch list items are complete. At the same time, you also will be ready for your final inspection. Ask your contractor to explain how this process works in your area. The inspectors look for any work, product or material that violates the local building code. He or she will not be looking at the cosmetic work.

Once the punch list is completed and the final inspection has taken place your contractor will ask for the remaining balance. Be sure you have received the following:

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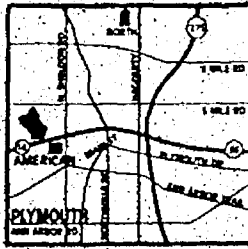
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ture when you let light skim across it.)

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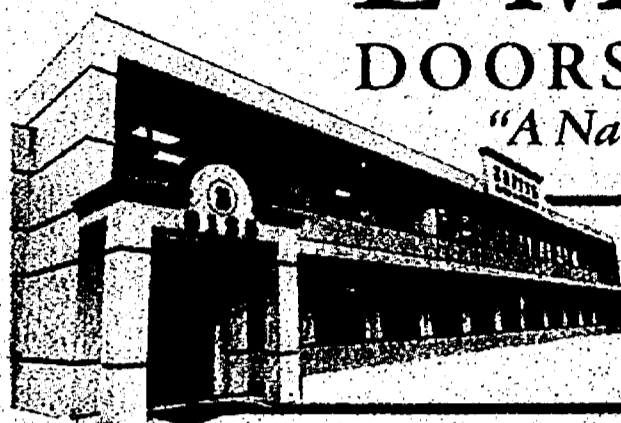
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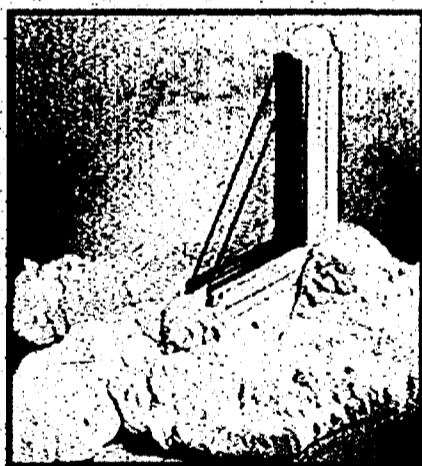
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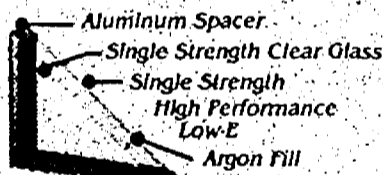
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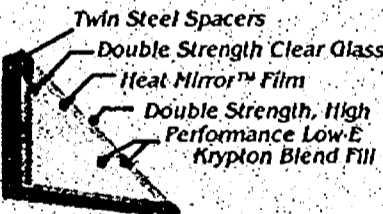
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FRIDAY



Adrian Zmed stars with Sally Struthers and Mackenzie Phillips in "Grease!" at the Fox Theatre, 2211 Woodward Ave., Detroit, (810) 433-1515.

SATURDAY



Dein Perry and the cast of "Dein Perry's Tap Dogs" bring industrial-strength tap to the Detroit Opera House, 1526 Broadway, Detroit, (810) 645-6666 or (313) 872-1000 for more information.

SUNDAY



Lee Murdock presents a concert of Great Lakes Music & Lore 1 p.m. at Henry Ford Centennial Library, 16301 Michigan Ave., Dearborn to benefit the Dossin Great Lakes Museum. Admission \$5, call (313) 267-6440 or (313) 584-6100.



Hot tix: Luke Skywalker (Mark Hamill) begins his training to become a Jedi knight under the watchful eye of Yoda (performed by Frank Oz) in "The Empire Strikes Back Special Edition."

## KING OF comedy holds court at Townsend Hotel

BY KEELY WYGONIK  
STAFF WRITER

There was little pomp, considering the circumstances, Jerry Lewis, one of the kings of comedy was holding court for metro Detroit media Feb. 11 at the Townsend Hotel in Birmingham.

Casually dressed in a red shirt, navy V-neck sweater, jeans and jogging shoes, Lewis, who is starring as the devilish Mr. Applegate in "Damn Yankees" at Fisher Theatre, hardly looked like royalty.

"Isn't this cozy," he asks as reporters, usually never at a loss for words, stare, overcome with emotion, and memories of their childhood hero. "It always starts out as a staring contest," he says. "This is number 54."

Finally, someone asks — "where do you get all the energy?" — the spell is broken, everyone remembers their lines, the show begins.

"I truly believe the body and mind atrophies. I fear that more than anything else. The more you do, the more you can do," said Lewis explaining why at age 70, 71 in March, he's starring as Mr. Applegate, the devil in the revival of the Richard Adler/Jerry Ross musical "Damn Yankees." He's also working on three new movies, all comedies, and will be 77 when he finishes them.

"We're born with a tremendous resource, the ability to get up and go. When I get up in the morning I open my eyes and scream 'I made another one.' I am moving as fast today as I did when I was 20, it prevents atrophy."

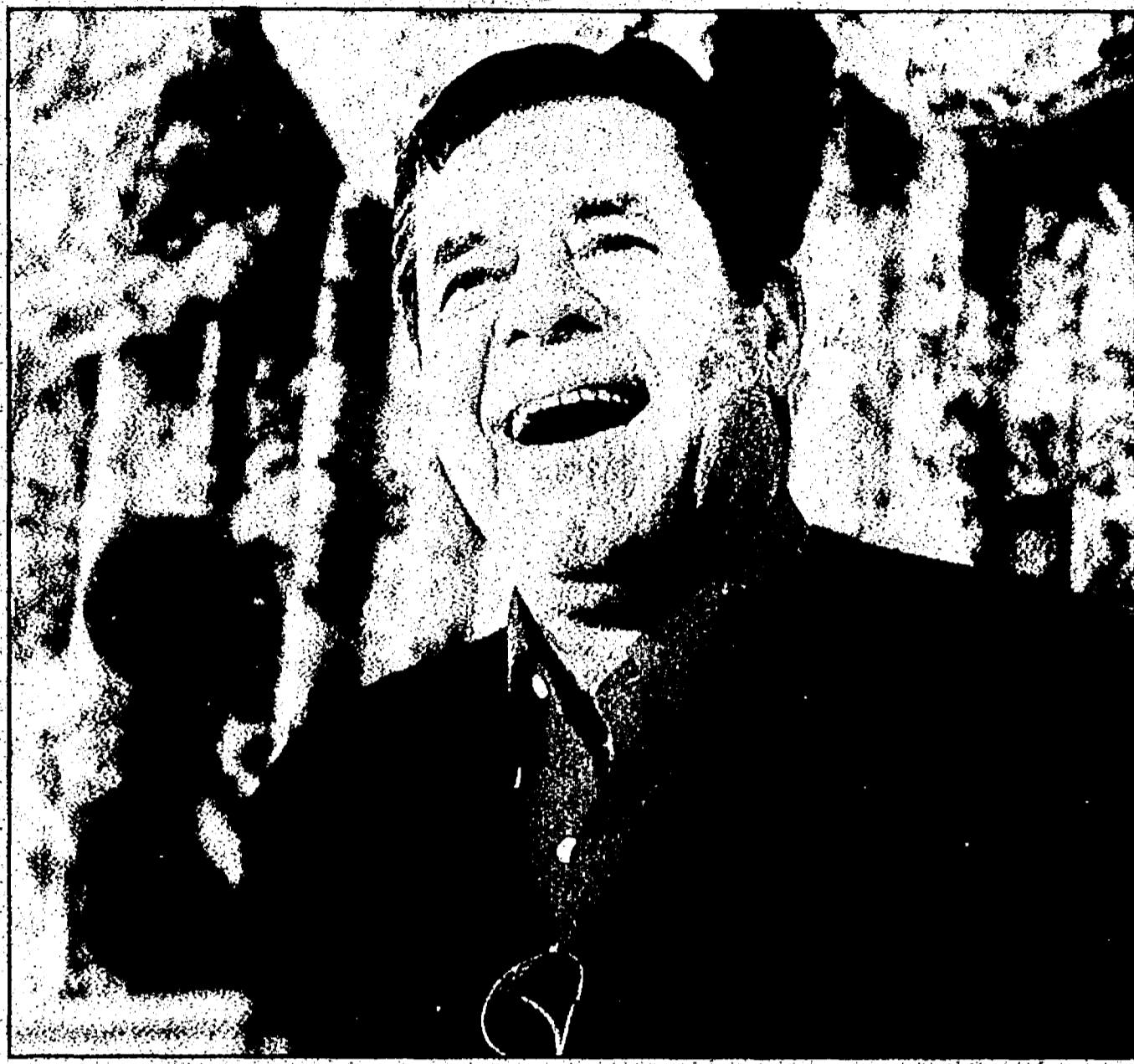
Lewis, who also said he's "gonna go to 101, and beat George Burns," is living a dream — to perform in a Broadway show. But why "Damn Yankees," I ask.

"The Yankees have always been a part of my life," he answers. "My father and I used to go to games together. In high school I was the only freshman playing senior baseball. I could have gotten a baseball scholarship."

Before agreeing to do the part, he went to see the show because "I didn't like the script. I went under duress, and came out loving the show."

Detroit Tiger fans, upset by the Tiger's recent losing streak, can certainly relate to Joe Boyd's frustration.

It's 1955, Boyd's favorite ball team is the Washington Senators, who never in all their history have had a chance to win a pennant. Boyd dreams of the Senators beating the New York Yankees to win the American League pennant.



STAFF PHOTO BY JERRY ZOLYNSKY

Mischievous devil: Jerry Lewis stars as Mr. Applegate in the first national tour of the Broadway music "Damn Yankees." Lewis discussed his devilish role at a press conference at the Townsend Hotel in Birmingham.

### "Damn Yankees"

When: Continues through March 2.

Where: Fisher Theatre, 3011 W. Grand Boulevard (at Second) Detroit.

Shows/ticket price: 8 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday; 7:30 p.m. Sunday; 2 p.m. Saturday & Sunday, Main Floor & Mezzanine \$60, Loge \$47.50, Balcony \$30; 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, Main Floor \$65, Loge, \$52.50, Balcony \$35. Available at all Ticketmaster outlets. To charge tickets, (810) 645-6666, for information, (313) 872-1000.

Boyd says he'd sell his soul to the devil for a chance to beat those "Damn Yankees," and Lewis appears. He changes Boyd into Joe Hardy, a great ball player, but there are strings attached.

"I've been playing a devil for 65 years," said Lewis about playing Applegate. "He's not a mean devil, he's mischievous."

Besides a great story — love, romance and deception — there are songs including — "You Gotta Have Heart," "Whatever Lola Wants," and "Two Lost Souls."

While Lewis plays a funny sort of devil, he's serious about theater. "This is a man who wants to do the best he can, and give the audience their money's worth," he said. "My father told me if you're not sweating, you're not working. Longevity comes from quality."

He demands that the show be every bit as good in Chicago, Boston and Detroit as it was on Broadway. "We bring Broadway to Detroit," he said. "I believe Detroit is as important as any other city."

He's a man with a point of view, integrity and sense of value. He started the National Tour of "Damn Yankees" after the Muscular Dystrophy Telethon '95, and the tour shuts down every year in August for six weeks so Lewis can prepare for the telethon. "Nothing stops MDA he said." Part of his contract for the show, scheduled to run to New Year's Eve 1999, allows for time off during the telethon. "I come back energized," he said.

Producing shows is expensive, and that's why Lewis believes there aren't more new productions.

"The theater needs material, but you have to give them their money's worth," he said. "We would shut theaters down if there weren't revivals or people passionate about their work. It was better in the 1940s and 1950s. There was more care, personal gratitude wasn't blotted out by cost."

A reporter asks why he hasn't chosen to do more "serious" dramatic roles. Lewis snaps, "you haven't seen my work."

"The world needs more of my nonsense than 35,000 people doing drama," he said. "Comedy is very difficult. It comes from a man in trouble who people will pay for making a complete fool of himself. That's pretty dramatic. Don't talk to me about drama."

Lewis said he respects his profession, audience, and family — five sons, daughter, Danielle Sara who will be five in March, grandchildren, a great grandchild, and wife SanDee "Sam."

"I use the treadmill every morning, I don't drink or smoke," he explains. "When you get to be my age you get wisdom. You count your blessings and take care of yourself. I have a strong responsibility."

When asked if the Jerry Lewis his daughter sees is the same one fans see. He replies — "I'm never off. My daughter sees her father, and the performer, but she doesn't understand why people stopped me at the mall and asked me for my autograph."

"Do they know you?" she asks? "I tell her 'no,' then she asks, 'can I have your autograph too?'" Rehearsing keeps him busy, and Lewis said he hasn't had much time to explore Birmingham or metro Detroit, but he did go to Somerset Collection in Troy with his daughter.

"Sam, my wife took her to FAO Schwarz at Somerset, and when I asked her where she wanted to go on our date she said we'd go to this swell mall. We pulled up in front, and there are all these walkways and elevators. She took me to elevator one in the bowels of this mall, and took me to FAO Schwarz where I bought her whatever she wanted."

## COMEDY

### Second City — Detroit parties, touches audience

BY KEELY WYGONIK  
STAFF WRITER

The cast of Second City — Detroit "Reach Out and Touch," the audience in "Ambassador Bridge Party," the ensemble's ninth revue.

This is gritty, giddy, in your face comedy Motown style. When producer/cast member Angela Shelton says, "come on, I want you to 'Reach Out and Touch Someone,' touch the person next to you," the audience gets nervous.

It's quite a sight, adults wiggling in their seats, looking up at the ceiling, at their date, privately wishing this wasn't happening. Then the tension breaks, cast members rush into the audience and touch people. Rico Bruce Wade shows a picture of his children. The idea is — we're all different, but we're together, let's see what we have in common, and get to know one another, let's be kind. "Touch" is what this ensemble

does a lot. They touch our buttons, our past, making us laugh, and challenging us to put aside prejudices against people who are black, fat, gay, or just different with lines like — "you don't like me because I'm white."

As in previous shows, the musical numbers are the strongest. Here's a favorite:

"If you're searching for a college to attend in the gorgeous state of Michigan... makes fun of our higher institutions of learning with familiar stereotypes. "Consider the playboy, party school, get a teaching degree from CMU. Get a University of Michigan degree in five or six years. Albion, expensive, not smarter."

Margaret Exner fits in well as the newest cast member. A graduate of Wayne State University, she has appeared in numerous productions at the Bonstelle and Studio theaters, was a member of The Second City — Detroit

### "Ambassador Bridge Party"

Who: The Second City — Detroit, 2301 Woodward Ave., Detroit.

When: 8 p.m. Wednesdays through Sundays, with additional shows 10:30 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays. The cast performs an improvisational comedy set (free of charge) after every performance on Sundays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, and after late shows on Fridays and Saturdays.

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Touring Company, director and M.C. of a local performance troop called "Topophobia Stagings."

The world is unkind to people like Margaret, who like fellow cast members Larry Campbell and Joshua Funk, is overweight.

This talented trio gets together on Easter in the basement of a house in suburbia where Uncle Josh and Uncle Larry are playing pool. Margaret is kicked out of

the kitchen by her mother, and sent away. She's upset about being fat. The uncles try to make her feel better by trying to name some really famous people who are fat, and telling her it's the person inside that counts. But Uncle Josh's "butt crack" was a little sophomoric.

Detroit Mayor Dennis Archer (Rico Bruce Wade) and Gov. John Engler (Joshua Funk) are fair game when "Mr. Gambalino" (Grant Krause) comes to town. Archer and Engler argue over what gambling profits will be used for — rebuilding Detroit or education — and get into a brawl. Gambalino starts taking bets — "OK I've got \$200 that says Engler gets his butt kicked," then on a loud speaker you hear — "Canada a safe place to gamble."

Joshua Funk charms everyone with his lounge lizard act with music director Chad Krueger, a



THEATER

Excellent cast shines in high-voltage drama 'I Am A Man'

Meadow Brook Theatre with Plowshares Theatre Company presents 'I Am A Man,' through Sunday, March 9, at the theater, Wilson Hall, Oakland University, Walton and Squirrel boulevards, Rochester. 8 p.m. Tuesdays-Thursdays (\$22), 2 p.m. Wednesdays (\$22), 8 p.m. Fridays (\$26.50), 2 p.m. Saturdays (\$22), 6 p.m. and 8 p.m. Saturdays (\$32), 2 p.m. Sundays (\$22), and 6:30 p.m. Sundays (\$26.50). Student, senior, and group discounts available. (810) 377-3300. BY BARBARA MICHALS SPECIAL WRITER

formed at Meadow Brook Theatre, is a high-voltage drama detailing the 1968 Memphis sanitation workers' strike and the honest zeal of their local union president, T.O. Jones. The professional Michigan premiere of Ann Arbor playwright Oyam O's engrossing tale is co-produced by Meadow Brook and Detroit's Plowshares Theatre Company, and the excellent cast combines members of both theater troupes. Mostly black, the Memphis sanitation workers toiled for unbelievably low wages under unsafe conditions and with no job security. When they went out

on strike the city refused to accept their union as a legal entity. Enlisting support from national unionists and civil rights activists, the strikers eventually drew the presence of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Only when King's assassination brought national attention to Memphis did the white establishment acknowledge the union and settle the strike (albeit for an absurdly low wage increase). As Jones, Lou Beatty, Jr. is eminently believable as a man struggling to keep his dignity intact amid pressures from all sides, both black and white. Earnest and unrelenting, Jones

will let the whole strike strategy grind to a halt when an individual worker needs his aid. Jones is no saint, though. An uneducated man who sometimes cannot express himself succinctly, he's allowed his union pursuits to wreck his marriage, and he's easily misled by both black militants and the white mayor. Charles Bevel is the omnipresent bluesman whose singing sets the time and mood of the play. He projects from the heart, even though some of the lyrics are difficult to fully catch. He also projects the voices of various points of view during the drama. Luray Cooper offers strong support as Craig Willins, the polished union professional who

comes to aid the Memphis strikers. Though Willins is also black, he and Jones come from such different worlds they can barely communicate. As the double-dealing mayor, Phillip Locker is political slime incarnate yet manages to keep from slipping into caricature. The always-reliable Robert Grossman is equally effective as the hard-nosed New York unionist and the city solicitor increasingly sympathetic to the strikers. Paul Hopper is amusing as the white clergyman totally enveloped in the black community. Jennifer Kay Jones is fine as Jones' frustrated wife, as are Phillip Sekou Glass as Rev. Moore, Clyde T. Harper as the city's senior black councilman,

and Charlotte Nelson as an NAACP secretary. Esau Pritchett and Michael Jay are convincing as the black militants. Overall, director Gary Anderson delivers a fine production, although there were several minor line flubs at Saturday night's performance. Reid Johnson's lighting and Peter Hicks' minimal scenery also work well most of the time. However, an early scene depicting the death of two sanitation workers caught in faulty machinery - the incident that precipitated the strike - is so representational it makes no sense at all to anyone who has not read the program background material.

GUIDE TO THE MOVIES

Grid of movie listings for various theaters including AMC Theatres, United Artists Theatres, and others. Lists titles like 'That Darn Cat', 'Dante's Peak', 'Fools Rush In', etc., with showtimes and contact info.

MOVIES

'Marvin's Room' a tear-filled tribute to reconciliation

BY JOHN MONAGHAN SPECIAL WRITER

When sisters Lee and Bessie are reunited after 20 long years of self-imposed separation, the frozen smiles on their faces speak volumes. Recognition. Shock. Relief. And about a million memories both good and bad. Though there was scarcely a dry eye in the house at the end of 'Marvin's Room,' there were moments like this earlier on that really hit home. A Hollywood weepie that's equal parts poignant and manipulative, it offers in Diane Keaton and Meryl Streep the best roles on screen so far this year.

Adapted by Scott McPherson from his own play, 'Marvin's Room' is about family responsibility, love, and at least partial reconciliation.

Bessie, after being diagnosed with leukemia, needs her sister and nephews to get tested as possible bone marrow donors. The request doesn't come easy. Bessie moved down to Florida to care for their bedridden father (Hume Cronyn), who has been dying slowly ever since.

"He doesn't want me to miss a

thing," she tells the compassionate but slightly scattered Dr. Wally (a charming comic turn from Robert DeNiro). Lee, a single mom with a cosmetology degree, has spent the past two decades trying to carve out a life for herself while raising two sons. The youngest is a doll, but the oldest (played in James Dean-style by Leonardo DiCaprio) spends his time in a mental institution after burning down the family home.

"Marvin's Room" refers to the father's room, where Bessie makes round-the-clock medication visits and flashes patterns of light on the wall with a beveled mirror - the old man's last remaining pleasure. It's a far cry from the efficient but depressing nursing home that Lee insists Bessie look into.

The acting in the film is every bit as good as you might have heard: Streep's selfish Lee wants you to despise her. Yet, though it's painful to admit, we might relate to her more than Saint Bessie since it's through Lee's eyes that much of the story unfolds. Bessie, meanwhile, might be Keaton's best role ever.

Much of the praise will come from the actress performing sans makeup, but it's through some inner light that Keaton really shines. You really believe that she has found true love through the care of others.

Director Jerry Zaks tries hard to make us forget that we're watching a filmed stage play. The credit sequence is a marvel, with the camera offering an ant's-eye view of Marvin's endless rows of medicine bottles, which look like the towering skyscrapers of Metropolis.

While it uses every trick in the book to wrench a tear, 'Marvin's Room' does have one bold scene. Bessie has promised the boys a trip to Disney World and the world's favorite theme park is shown as crowded, hot, and oppressive. Her last sight before slipping into unconsciousness is the stuffed head of Goofy staring down at her.

Sure the acting is incredible. But making a movie for Miramax (a division of Disney) that shows the Magic Kingdom as the hell it sometimes is might be "Marvin's Room" most underrated achievement.

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of a comedian himself. Krueger wants to break up with his girlfriend, but doesn't know how. Funk offers lines in song, all ending with the words we've all said - "but we can still be friends."

Angela Shelton is the concerned mom, whose son, Theodore, (Rico Bruce Wade) a

straight A student, is failing "Ebonics." When Shelton tells the teacher Margaret (who is white) that her son is an A student, Margaret blurts out - "Girl you can save your drama for your mama." When the two learn they attended the same college, Yale, they become friends shattering assumptions - black peo-

ple don't go to Yale, and all black people speak black English.

The finale's a sing-along, Irish style, that goes like this - "If you lived in Detroit you'd already be home, so raise up a glass that is filled, the city's improvin' so think about movin' we promise you will not get killed."

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STREET SCENE

# Metallica makes a melodic change in style

BY CHRISTINA FUOCO  
STAFF WRITER

In pop and rock music, a revamping of style is necessary sometimes to resuscitate a career or to renew the band's interest in itself.

U2 jumped from Bible-belt earnestness of "Joshua Tree" to the jaded, leather-clad sleaze merchants on "Achtung Baby." The harmonies that inundated "Pop Smear" were stripped out when The Verve Pipe recorded "Villains." Then there's always the physical makeovers that singers like Madonna and Hole's Courtney Love go through.

Metallica's metamorphosis from a heavy, dirgy sound to a more listenable melodic rock on its latest album "Load" (Elektra) did more than reinvent the band. It — not to mention the haircuts and body piercings — ticked off plenty of fans. And bassist Jason Newsted has heard all about it.

"If kids want to sell us so short and not want to be involved in this record, there's a lot of good heavy, heavy, heavy bands out there like Sepultura that need people's support too. I think it's silly to throw stones at the guys that invented the music," Newsted said during a recent phone interview from his Chicago hotel room.

The complaints, which include accusations of selling out to sound more like trendy alternative rock bands, present a Catch-22 situation, Newsted said.

"A lot of these people liked us and joined our ranks because we did whatever we wanted to. They dug that attitude. Now that we continue to do what we want, they're mad because we don't do what they want us to do. It's a chasing your own tail sort of



**Dedicated band:** Metallica — from left, vocalist/guitarist James Hetfield, drummer Lars Ulrich, guitarist Kirk Hammett, and bassist Jason Newsted — has earned a reputation for its dedication to its fans.

thing. In order to make ourselves happy with the music, we want to create something new and different and fresh for us."

"It has the most input from all four members which makes it kind of a more reflective, personal kind of record. It's also the most listenable to a large amount of people," Newsted said.

The proof, he added, is in album sales.

"The bottom line is more people have come on to listen to Metallica than have left. Times have to change, people have to change."

## Various influences

Metallica's influences have

never been as obvious as they are on "Load," according to Newsted.

Black Sabbath and Jimi Hendrix are collective favorites of Metallica. Drummer Lars Ulrich favors Brit pop bands like Kula Shaker while guitarist Kirk Hammett prefers industrial music as well as sitarist Ravi Shankar. Singer/guitarist James Hetfield listens to Lynyrd Skynyrd, The Allman Brothers Band, and upstarts like the Mighty Mighty Bosstones and Rocket From The Crypt. Newsted likes a lot of hip-hop music, metal groups Napalm Death, Cannibal Corpse and Sepultura, and soul and Motown music.

"We take our influences and spit them back out as a bouncy and groovy and Motown and Sabbath kind of thing. You hear so much Southern-flavored licks and riffs coming out of James because that is his real true self. That is all showing its face now. It makes it a bit more comfortable not having to work up to something else and really letting yourself go instead."

That freedom is best represented in the groove-laden song "The Outlaw Torn," and the Southern-flavored acoustic-based "Mama Said," Newsted explained.

"The Outlaw Torn" is very epic sounding and James' singing, he really outdid himself on that. I think that's a wonderful, wonderful composition. To be able to put something on tape and make it sound like that is an incredible feat. It sounds so grandiose and huge," he said.

"I also like 'Mama Said' for its diversity. It's very close to the heart of James."

## Michigan native

Born in Battle Creek March 4, 1963, Newsted lived in western Michigan until his 18th birthday when he moved out west with the hopes of joining a rock band.

"It worked out," Newsted said with a laugh.

He began his career with the Phoenix-based band Flotsam and Jetsam. After five years with the band, he left to replace Metallica bassist Cliff Burton who was instantly killed Sept. 27, 1986, in a tour bus accident in Sweden.

Newsted said his climb to fame wasn't as easy as it looked.

"It's a lot of hard work. There were times, you know, when I did

not have a job and lived on the street, like the stories you hear all the time. There were times I got rid of everything except my bass and my amp — and a piece of cheese," Newsted said.

When Metallica plays The Palace of Auburn Hills Saturday, March 22-Sunday, March 23, you can bet Newsted's family will be there. So will some of his "close friends."

"A lot of folks kind of just show up and say, 'We were best buddies in the third grade and went to different high schools.' Then there's the people who come up to me who were real (jerks) to me when I was in high school because I was always a little bit different than everybody else. (I tell them) 'I remember who you were and how you were. Go back to your pig farm.' It feels good to do that."

## Dedication to fans

Since Metallica's inception in 1981 in California, the band has earned a reputation for spoiling its fans.

"That's why we are where we are. There's no question that we are still really big fans of music — so many different kinds of music. Everybody is still a big fan in that way. It's always been a priority of Metallica to keep in that touch with our own fans. There's no us without them," Newsted said.

As a sign of Metallica's dedication to its fans, the band has designed a stage that will give every fan a good seat during the tour for "Load."

"It's kind of in the round plus. It's the biggest production we've ever taken out or any heavy band has ever taken out in the history of concerts. The stage

takes up the same amount of room on the arena floor that a basketball court would."

"Even if people aren't into heavy music, it's something to see just for the production. It takes 100 crew people to make it run every day. We have 19 40-foot semis full of equipment, and seven buses that carry 100 people."

During the show, Hetfield, Ulrich, Hammett and Newsted will move around the two stages shaped like a figure eight.

"It's always changing. It's never going to be the same. There's no broken sight line. There's no bad seat. All the PAs are flown, all the lighting rigs are flown. There's 16 mics on two stages."

"We're constantly moving so there's never any stagnation. The crowd moves with the band as the band moves around the floor. The cool thing is that it's always different for us, the players, and there's a different crowd every night. It makes for a very exciting show for everybody. It might be the 3,000th time I'm playing 'Seek and Destroy' but it's in a new spot from a different part of the stage. I could be singing into 50 kids' faces, head butting them or sweating on them. It's the closest we've ever been to you and you've ever been to us."

Metallica with Corrosion of Conformity, 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, and 7 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23, at The Palace of Auburn Hills, 2 Championship Dr. (I-75 and Lapeer Road), Auburn Hills. Tickets are \$35.50 and \$25.50 for the second show. The first show sold out. For more information, call (810) 377-0100.

# Wilco turns 'joke' into double album



CHRISTINA FUOCO

For its second album, the roots rock band Wilco underwent a rather ambitious project — following up its critically acclaimed debut "A.M." with a double album.

The idea was meant to be a joke, but as the recording process went on, the mood changed.

"There was some early talk about doing a rock record and then doing maybe an acoustic EP later in the year. That wasn't even something we talked to the label about. We wanted to be able to do both things but that idea was just forgotten about," said guitarist/keyboardist/backing vocalist Jay Bennett.

"When it came time to record we still had all the material that had been designated for those two projects. It started out as a bit of a joke, actually, but as we encountered not as much resistance from the record company as we thought, it became less of a joke."

The band-produced "Being

There" features 19 new songs ranging from the somber "Misunderstood" and angst-ridden "Sunken Treasure" to the pure straight-ahead rock of "Monday" and "I Got You (At The End of the Century)," to the country rock of "Forget the Flowers" to the Beach Boys-flavored "Outta Mind (Outta Sight)."

Bennett said that the album wouldn't have sounded complete as single albums.

"We wanted to get all the material out. If we had to trim some material out to make it a single album, a couple of those songs would have been lost forever. They could have come out as an EP, as b-sides or bonus tracks, but a lot of those songs would have been lost."

With "Being There," Wilco is hoping to make a statement.

"On the double album, you get to open and close it twice. You don't get that weird, bulky middle ground where all the songs blend together. You listen to 10 songs, close it up and reopen it and listen to nine more songs. That was pretty important to us."

Wilco and special guest September '67 perform Friday, Feb. 21, at the Majestic, 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit. Doors open at 9 p.m. for the 18 and older show. Tickets are \$12.50 in advance. For more information, call (313) 833-9700.

Misc: Pascal Humbert (bass) and Jeffrey-Paul (fiddle, guitar, cello, vocals) have joined 16 Horsepower's David Eugene Edwards and Jean-Yves Tola to record the band's next A&M Records release, set to be produced by P.J. Harvey's John Parish. Humbert toured with 16 Horsepower during its U.S. tour with Grant Lee Buffalo last year, and Paul is a long-time friend of Paul's.

The Westland-based R&B singing trio One Wish has released its second single, "Wings of Love," off its debut CD "I Feel Like Gettin' Romantic." For more information about the group, call their hotline at (888) 222-5754.

In case you were curious

about how The Artist Formerly Known As Prince (TAFKAP) and his wife Mayte spent their first wedding anniversary on Feb. 14, here you go. According to a press release sent out by NPG Records, "They will celebrate their first anniversary by revisiting the Hawaiian isle site of their honeymoon. In honor of their marriage (TAFKAP) has created an orchestral-ballet interpretation of their love story entitled 'Kamasutra.' 'Kamasutra,' composed by (TAFKAP), recorded by the 52-piece NPG Orchestra, details the origin of (TAFKAP)'s name, the meeting of (TAFKAP) and Mayte, and how he and she become one."

If you have a question or comment for Christina Fuoco, you can write to her in care of The Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft Road, Livonia, or you can leave her a message at (313) 953-2047, mailbox No. 2130, or via e-mail at CFuoco@aol.com



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**ALLIGATORS**  
9 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21, Old Woodward Grill, 555 S. Woodward Ave., Birmingham. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 642-9400

**ATOMIC NUMBERS**  
10 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, Cross Street Station, 511 W. Cross St., Ypsilanti. Cover charge. 18 and older. With Gone Daddy Finch, 9:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 27, Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. \$4. 19 and older. (alternative rock) (313) 485-5050/(313) 996-8555

**BARNSTORMER**  
9 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 20-Saturday, Feb. 22, and Thursday, Feb. 27-Saturday, March 1, High Kicker Saloon, 593 W. Kennett, Pontiac. Cover charge. 21 and older. (country) (810) 334-5550

**JOHNNIE BASSETT AND THE BLUES INSURGENTS**  
9 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, Old Woodward Grill, 555 S. Woodward Ave., Birmingham. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 642-9400

**GEORGE BEDARD AND THE KINGPINS**  
9 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28, Old Woodward Grill, 555 S. Woodward Ave., Birmingham. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 642-9400

**BENNY AND THE JETS**  
Headlines WinterFest with Mike McGuigan Group, Apple Core, Axes and Bee Bop Deluxe, 9:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28, Wine Cask Inn, 22100 Warren Ave. (east of Telegraph), Detroit. Free. 21 and older. (rock) (313) 730-1627

**BIG DAVE AND THE ULTRASONICS**  
9 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21, Rick's, 611 Church St., Ann Arbor. Cover charge. 19 and older. (jump blues) (313) 996-2747

**BLUES JUBILEE**  
With Blue Suit, Big Gene Morgan, Little Junior Cannady, Robert Jones and Blues Business, 9 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, Moby Dick's, 5452 Schaefer Road, Dearborn. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (313) 581-3650

**BOYFLY**  
With Merge and Knee Deep Shag, 9 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28, 7th House, 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. \$7 in advance. 18 and older. (funk/rock) (810) 335-8100

**"BOTTOM OF THE BARREL" RELEASE PARTY**  
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**BUCKWHEAT ZYDECO**  
8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 20, 7th House, 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. \$15 in advance. \$18 at the door. 18 and older; 9:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21, Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. \$14 in advance; \$16 at the door. 19 and older. (blues/zydeco) (810) 335-8100/(313) 996-8555

**BUGS BOWDEN BAND**  
10 p.m.-1:45 a.m. Friday, Feb. 21-Saturday, Feb. 22, Roger's Roost, 33626 Schoenherr, Sterling Heights. (blues) (810) 979-7550

**BUSTER'S BLUES BAND**  
10 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, Coyote Club, 1 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 332-HOWL

**BUTTERFLY**  
With Leftside, 9:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. \$5. 19 and older. (alternative rock) (313) 996-8555

**BRYAN BOWERS**  
8 p.m. and 10 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 27, The Raven Gallery and Acoustic Cafe, 145 N. Center St., Northville. \$10. All ages. (blues/harmonica player) (810) 349-9421

**BUTTERFLY**  
10 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21, Cross Street Station, 511 W. Cross St., Ypsilanti. Cover charge. 19 and older. (alternative rock) (313) 485-5050

**TOMMY C**  
9 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 20-Saturday, Feb. 22, and Wednesday, Feb. 26-Saturday, March 1, Steff's Lounge, 8631 Newburgh Road, Westland. Cover charge. 21 and older. (rock) (313) 459-7720

**CITY HEAT**  
9 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21, Stan's Dugout, 3350 Auburn Road, Auburn Hills. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 412-1040

**CITY LIMITS BLUES BAND**  
9 p.m. Saturday, Jan. 18, Rhino's, 6211 Chase Road, Dearborn. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (313) 581-1726

**THE DETRANTS**  
With Pummle, 10 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 20, Cross Street Station, 511 W. Cross St., Ypsilanti. Cover charge. 19 and older. (power pop) (313) 485-5050

**EUREKA BLUE MOON**  
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**SCOTT FAB**  
With American Mars, 9 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, Alvin's, 5756 Cass Ave., Detroit. \$5. 18 and older. (alternative rock) (313) 832-2355

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10 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, Library Pub, 42100 Grand River, Novi. Free. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 349-9110

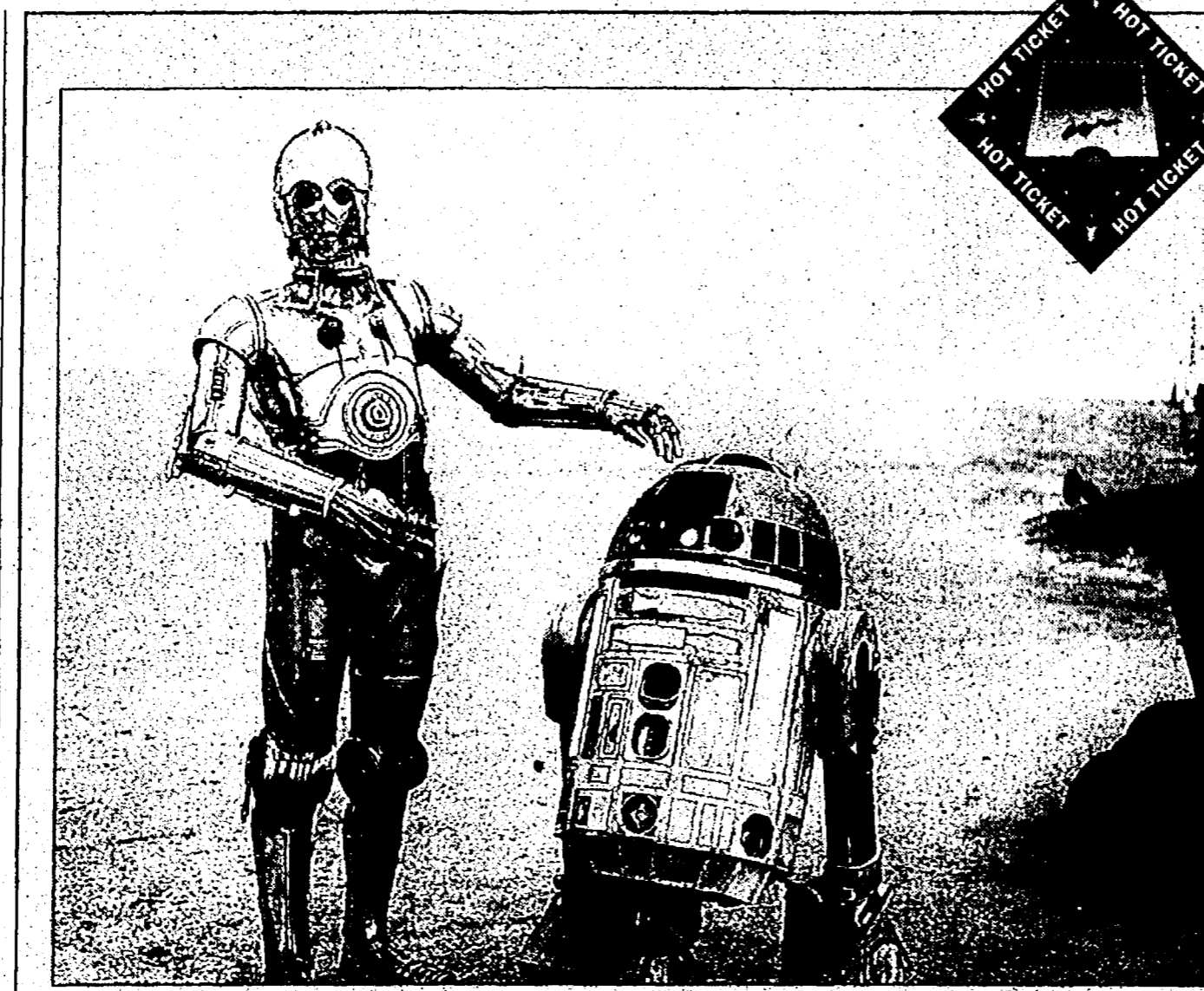
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9 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 27, Rick's, 611 Church St., Ann Arbor. Cover charge. 19 and older. (alternative rock) (313) 996-2747

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**TIM FLAHERTY**  
Hosts blues jam, 9-11 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 25, Mr. B's Farm, 24555 Novi Road, Novi. Free. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 349-9110

**FLETCHER PRATT**  
9 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21, Alvin's, 5756 Cass Ave., Detroit. \$5. 18 and older. (hard alternative rock) (313) 832-2355

**TOM FREDRICKS**  
9:30 p.m.-1:30 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, Fat Willy's, 19170 Farmington Road



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**STEVE GORNALL**  
9 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28-Saturday, March 1, Sisko's on the Boulevard, 5855 Monroe Boulevard, Taylor. \$12 in advance. 21 and older. (blues) (313) 278-5340

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Members of the MC5 and Sponge, along with Scott Campbell Group, The Sillies, See Dick Run, Speedball, Skeptic Tank, and Howling Diablos, play a benefit to help Phil "Greasy" Carlisi, bassist for Dark Carnival, pay for medical bills he accrued after having five heart attacks, 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21, State Theatre, 2115 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$10 in advance. 18 and older. (alternative rock) (313) 961-5451

**GARY HOEY**  
8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 27, 7th House, 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. \$8 in advance; \$10 at the door. 18 and older. (guitar rock) (810) 335-8100

**NIKKI JAMES AND THE FLAMETHROWERS**  
9 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28, Stan's Dugout, 3350 Auburn Road, Auburn Hills. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 412-1040

**THE JOB**  
Featuring the surviving members of the Jerry Garcia Band, 8 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 25, Majestic, 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$15 in advance. 18 and older. (Deadhead) (313) 833-9700

**BIG JACK JOHNSON AND THE OILERS**  
9 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21, Memphis Smoke, 100 S. Main St., Royal Oak. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 543-0917

**MICHAEL KATON**  
8 p.m. and 10 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21, The Raven Gallery and Acoustic Cafe, 145 N. Center St., Northville. \$10. All ages; 10 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, Fifth Avenue, 215 W. Fifth Ave., Royal Oak. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 349-9421/(810) 542-9922

**KEB MO**  
With his band, 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, and solo, 10:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, with special guest Jonny Lang, 7th House, 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. \$13.50 in advance. (blues) (810) 335-8100

**MIKE KING**  
With Tim Diaz, 8 p.m. and 10 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 20, The Raven Gallery and Acoustic Cafe, 145 N. Center St., Northville. \$8. All ages; 10 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28, Coyote Club, 1 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. Cover charge. 21 and older. (adult alternative rock) (810) 349-9421/(810) 332-HOWL

**JOHN D. LAMB**  
9 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 20, Library Pub, 42100 Grand River, Novi. Free. 21 and older; 9 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21-Saturday, Feb. 22, Mr. B's Farm, 24555 Novi Road, Novi. Free. 21 and older; 9 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 27, Mr. B's, 48550 Van Dyke, Shelby Township. Free. 21 and older. (singer/songwriter) (810) 349-9110/(810) 349-7038/(810) 731-0700

**LARVAL**  
With Cattle Call, 9 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, Magic Stick in the Majestic complex, 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$6 in advance. 18 and older. (alternative rock) (313) 833-POOL

**SAM LAY**  
With Jim McCarty and Mystery Train, 9 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, Memphis Smoke, 100 S. Main St., Royal Oak. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 543-0917

**LIVE**  
With Fun Lovin' Criminals, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 27, State Theatre, 2115 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$22.50 in advance. All ages. (alternative rock/hip-hop) (313) 961-5451

**L7**  
7:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 27, The Shelter below St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit. \$10 in advance. All ages. (alternative rock) (313) 961-MELT

**JERRY MACK AND THE TERRAPLANES**  
9 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23, Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. \$2. 19 and older. (blues) (313) 996-8555

**MAKESHIFT CREAM**  
With Plain, 9 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 20, Magic Stick in the Majestic complex, 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$6. 18 and

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**LARRY MCCRAY**  
9 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21-Saturday, Feb. 22, Sisko's on the Boulevard, 5855 Monroe Boulevard, Taylor. \$12 in advance. 21 and older. (blues) (313) 278-5340

**METALLICA**  
With Corrosion of Conformity, 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, and 7 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23, The Palace of Auburn Hills, 2 Championship Dr. (I-75 and Lapeer Road), Auburn Hills. \$35.50, \$25.50. First show sold out. (hard rock) (810) 377-0100

**CHRIS MILLS**  
With Bird Dog, 9 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 26, Magic Stick in the Majestic complex, 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$6 in advance. 18 and older. (singer/songwriter) (313) 833-POOL

**MOONPIE FONTANA**  
9 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23, Memphis Smoke, 100 S. Main St., Royal Oak. Free. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 543-0917

**MUDPUDDY**  
9 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 20, Memphis Smoke, 6480 Orchard Lake Road, West Bloomfield. Free. 21 and older; 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28, Memphis Smoke, 100 S. Main St., Royal Oak. Free. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 855-3110/(810) 543-0917

**BOBBY MURRAY BAND**  
Featuring Larry Watkins, 9 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28, Memphis Smoke, 6480 Orchard Lake Road, West Bloomfield. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 855-3110

**MYSTERY TRAIN WITH JIM MCCARTY**  
9 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28, Moby Dick's, 5452 Schaefer Road, Dearborn. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (313) 581-3650

**ROBERT NOLL AND THE MISSION**  
9 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21-Saturday, Feb. 22, Memphis Smoke, 6480 Orchard Lake Road, West Bloomfield. Free. 21 and older; 9 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 26, Oxbow Lake Road, 9451 Elizabeth Lake Road, Waterford. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 855-3110/(810) 698-1514

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9 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 27, Memphis Smoke, 100 S. Main St., Royal Oak. Free. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 543-0917

**RESTROOM POETS**  
10 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 27, Library Pub, 42100 Grand River, Novi. Free. 21 and older. (roots rock) (810) 349-9110

**THE REV. RIGHT TIME**  
9 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 20, Rick's, 611 Church St., Ann Arbor. Cover charge. 19 and older. (funk) (313) 996-2747

**JOHNATHAN RICHMAN**  
9:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28, Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. \$10.50 in advance; \$12 at the door. 19 and older. (quirky alterna-pop) (313) 996-8555

**RIGHTIOUS WILLY**  
10 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28, Library Pub, 42100 Grand River, Novi. Free. 21 and older. (rock) (810) 349-9110

**SHAWN RILEY**  
9 p.m.-1 a.m. Friday, Feb. 21, and Friday, Feb. 28, Fat Willy's, 19170 Farmington Road (north of Seven Mile Road), Livonia. Free. 21 and older. (acoustic rock) (810) 615-1330

**ROOMFUL OF BLUES**  
8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 20, Magic Bag, 22920 Woodward Ave., Ferndale. \$15 in advance. 18 and older. (blues) (810) 544-3030

**SAX APPEAL**  
7-11 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 25-Wednesday, Feb. 26, Timbers Seafood Grill, 40380 Grand River, Novi. Free. 21 and older; 9 p.m.-1 a.m. Friday, Feb. 21-Saturday, Feb. 22, and Friday, Feb. 28, Starling Gate, 135 N. Center St., Northville. Free. 21 and older. (pop rock) (810) 478-7154/(810) 349-5660

**JO BERRAPEARE AND JOHN DIVINE**  
10 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21, Coyote Club, 1 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. Cover charge. 21 and older. (singer/songwriters) (810) 332-HOWL

**SHAPES BETWEEN US**  
10 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 20, Coyote Club, 1 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. Cover charge. 21 and older. (rock) (810) 332-HOWL

**10:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, Griff's Grill, 49 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. Cover charge. 21 and older. (alternative rock) (810) 334-9292**

**SISTER SEED**

8 p.m. and 10 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, The Raven Gallery and Acoustic Cafe, 145 N. Center St., Northville. \$10. All ages. (acoustic rock) (810) 349-9421

**60 FOOT DOLLS**  
With Fletcher Pratt and Gershwin's, 8 p.m. Monday, Feb. 24, The Shelter below St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit. \$3 in advance. All ages. (alternative rock) (313) 961-MELT

**SKEPTIC TANK**  
With Spank, 9 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, Magic Bag, 22920 Woodward Ave., Ferndale. \$5. 18 and older. (alterna-pop/rock) (810) 544-3030

**SKIPPING STONE**  
9 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 26, Rick's, 611 Church St., Ann Arbor. Cover charge. 19 and older. (313) 996-2747

**SMALL CHANGE**  
10 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 27, Cross Street Station, 511 W. Cross St., Ypsilanti. Cover charge. 19 and older. (alternative rock) (313) 485-5050

**SUBURBAN DELINQUENTS**  
With Tuesday, Spit, and Fudge Gun, 7 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 25, The Shelter below St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit. \$4. All ages. (punk) (313) 961-MELT

**TOP KAT**  
9 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 25, and Friday, Feb. 28, Rick's, 611 Church St., Ann Arbor. Cover charge. 19 and older. (funk) (313) 996-2747

**TREMOR RECORDS SHOWCASE**  
9 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28, Alvin's, 5756 Cass Ave., Detroit. \$5. 18 and older. (variety) (313) 832-2355

**2XL**  
10 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21, Library Pub, 42100 Grand River, Novi. Free. 21 and older. (R&B/blues) (810) 349-9110

**UNCLE BOOBY**  
With Acumen, 9 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23, Magic Stick in the Majestic complex, 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$6. 18 and older. (hard rock) (313) 833-POOL

**THE VOLCANOES**  
With The Prodigals and Mondo Mod, 9 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28, Magic Bag, 22920 Woodward Ave., Ferndale. \$5. 18 and older. (surf) (810) 544-3030

**RANDY VOLIN AND THE SONIC BLUES**  
9 p.m. Monday, Feb. 24, Motor Lounge, 3515 Caniff, Hamtramck. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (313) 369-0080

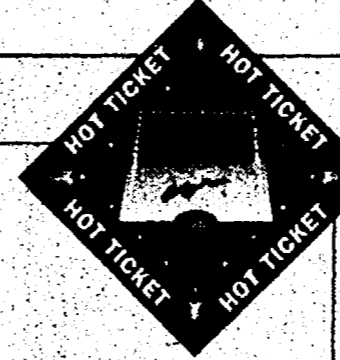
**VU DU HIPPIES**  
9 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 20, The Groove Room, formerly 3-D, 1815 N. Main St., Royal Oak. Free before 10 p.m. 21 and older. (alterna-pop) (810) 589-3344

**WALLIN' INC**  
9 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 26, Memphis Smoke, 100 S. Main St., Royal Oak. Cover charge. 21 and older. (blues) (810) 543-0917

**THE WAKE**  
With Empire Hideous, 9 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, Majestic, 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$8 in advance; \$10 at the door. 18 and older. (gothic) (313) 833-9700

**WHIPTAIL**  
10 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28, Cross Street Station, 511 W. Cross St., Ypsilanti. Cover charge. 19 and older. (punk) (313) 485-5050

**WILCO**  
With September '67, 9 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21, Majestic, 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$12.50 in advance. 18 and older. (alternatwang) (313) 833-9700



Cover charge. 18 and older; Retro dance party, 9 p.m. Tuesdays. \$3. 21 and older, Cross Street Station, 511 W. Cross St., Ypsilanti. (313) 485-5050

**FAMILY FUNKTION**  
"Family Funktion" night 9 p.m. Wednesdays, Alvin's, 5756 Cass Ave., Detroit. Cover charge. 18 and older. (acid jazz/funk) (313) 832-2355

**THE GROOVE ROOM**  
Formerly 3-D, "Temple of Boom" featuring live local bands, 9 p.m. Thursdays; alternative dance, 9 p.m. Fridays, Saturdays, and Tuesdays; Lounge night with martinis and cigars, 9 p.m. Wednesdays, at the club, 1815 N. Main St. (at 12 Mile Road), Royal Oak. Free before 10 p.m. 21 and older. (810) 589-3344

**INDUSTRY**  
"The Planetarium," alternative dance night with DJ Darren Whytt and Johnny Edwards from 96.3 WHYY-FM, 9 p.m. Thursdays, 21 and older. Cover charge; "Club 95.5 Live," dance music night hosted by WKQI-FM, 8 p.m. Fridays, 21 and older. \$5; "Saturday Night Fever Disco Party," 9 p.m. Saturdays, 21 and older. \$5; Techno/alternative rock dance night, 9 p.m. Sundays, 18 and older. Cover charge; "Homesick Night" with DJs Tom and Cristina spinning modern rock from the 1980s to present, 9 p.m. Tuesdays, 18 and older. Free before 11 p.m. for those 21 and older, \$3 after 11 p.m., and \$5 for those 18-20. (810) 334-1999

**THE MAJESTIC COMPLEX**  
"Psychedelic Sunday" with funk music, 9 p.m. Sundays in the Magic Stick. Cover charge; "The Chamber" with gothic/Industrial and deep dark retro music with DJ Tim Shuller, 9 p.m. Mondays in the Magic Stick. Cover charge; "Figure Four Tag Team DJs," acid jazz and early disco/retro tunes with DJs Bubblicious, Scott Zacharias, Paris and Bone, 11 p.m.-4 a.m. Thursdays in the Magic Stick. Cover charge; "Rockabilly Bowl" with DJ Del Fridays in the Garden Bowl. Free; "Rock 'n' Bowl" 9 p.m. Saturdays with DJ Cheryl spinning alternative, funk and R&B in the Garden Bowl. Free. All events in the Majestic complex, 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit. 18 and older. (313) 833-9700/(313) 833-POOL (Magic Stick)/(313) 833-9651 (Garden Bowl)

**MOTOR LOUNGE**  
"Blue Mondays" with Johnny "Yard Dog" Jones and Bobby Murray with a special guest blues artist weekly; Darren Revell hosts "Stereo Heaven" spinning ethereal dream pop songs Tuesdays; "Mixer" lounge night with different cocktail specials weekly; Nine-piece house band, "Power Train," featuring former members of Wild Cherry, Sly and The Family Stone, and Parliament, plays funk, soul and jazz with DJ Munk, Thursdays; "Maximum Luxury Overload," featuring local and national guest DJs Fridays; Dancing with DJ St. Andy, Saturdays; The Back Room hosts lounge night, Sundays, with live jazz, at the lounge, 3515 Caniff, Hamtramck. Doors open at 9 p.m. 21 and older. Cover charge. (313) 369-0080/motor3515@aol.com

**ST. ANDREW'S HALL/THE SHELTER**  
10 p.m. Wednesdays "The Incinerator," alternative rock in the Shelter, \$6. 18 and older; 10 p.m. Fridays "Three Floors of Fun" with hip-hop, alternative rock, and techno/house, \$3 before 11 p.m., \$5 after, 18 and older; 10 p.m. Saturdays "Soul Picnic" with funk, hip-hop and soul in the Shelter, \$3. 18 and older, 431 E. Congress, Detroit. (313) 961-MELT

**THEATER**

**ATTIC THEATRE**  
"God's Country," by Steven Dietz, 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 20, 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, 6 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23, 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28, 4 p.m. Saturday, March 1, The Really Ridiculous Shakespeare Company's performance of "A Commentary on the Nearly Complete Works of William Shakespeare, With Music; Abridged," 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21, 4 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, 6 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23, 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 27, 8 p.m. Saturday, March 1, and 2 p.m. and 6 p.m. Sunday, March 2, at Attic Theater, 508 Monroe St., Detroit. \$15-\$25. (313) 963-9339

**DETROIT OPERA HOUSE**  
"Dein Perry's Tap Dogs," a group of six Australian dancers dressed in jeans and shorts with tank tops and plaid shirts tap dancing in construction boots, through Sunday, Feb. 23, at the house, 1526 Broadway, Detroit. 8 p.m. Thursday, 7:30 p.m. Sunday, 2 p.m. Saturday and Sunday (\$32.50 main floor, boxes and mezzanine, \$22.50 second mezzanine and balcony); 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday (\$38 main floor, boxes, mezzanine, \$26 second floor mezzanine and balcony). (313) 872-1000

**THE FISHER THEATRE**  
"Damn Yankees" with Jerry Lewis, through Saturday, March 2, at the theater in the Fisher Building, Detroit. 8 p.m. Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays; 7:30 p.m. Sundays; 2 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays; 8 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays. \$30-\$65. (313) 872-1000

**FOX THEATRE**  
"Grease," starring Sally Struthers and Adrian Zmed, through Sunday, Feb. 23, Fox Theatre, 2211 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$17.50-\$39.50. "Grease" replaces "Andrew Lloyd Webber's - Music of the Night" starring Betty Buckley in the Fox Variety Series. All series tickets will be honored. (313) 983-6611

**HILBERG THEATRE**  
"Time of My Life" by Alan Ayckbourn, 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 20-Friday, Feb. 21, 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22; "Love Letters" by A.R. Gurney, special benefit performance starring Philip Fox and Cynthia Blaise, 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23, and 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28, 4743 Cass Ave., Detroit. Tickets for "Love Letters" \$10, \$25 (which includes a \$15 tax-deductible donation), and \$50 (which includes a \$35 tax-deductible donation). (313) 577-2972.

**JEWISH ENSEMBLE THEATRE**  
"Unexpected Tenderness," by Israel Horowitz, Wednesday, Feb. 26-Sunday, March 23, Aaron DeRoy Theatre, 6600 W. Maple Road, West Bloomfield. 7:30 p.m. Wednesdays and Thursdays; 8 p.m. Saturdays; 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sundays;

No evening performance Wednesday, March 5, instead there will be a 2 p.m. show. \$13-\$23 with discounts for seniors, students and groups. (810) 788-2900

**MACOMB CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS**  
"The Who's 'Tommy,'" 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 20-Friday, Feb. 21, MCPA, Macomb Community College, 44575 Garfield Road, Clinton Township. \$32; \$29 students and seniors; group discounts available. (810) 286-2222

**MEADOW BROOK THEATRE**  
"I Am A Man," based on the Memphis sanitation workers' strike of 1968, through Sunday, March 9, at the theater, Wilson Hall, Oakland University, Walton and Squirrel boulevards, Rochester. 8 p.m. Tuesdays-Thursdays (\$22), 2 p.m. Wednesdays (\$22), 8 p.m. Fridays (\$26.50), 2 p.m. Saturdays (\$22), 6 p.m. and 8 p.m. Saturdays (\$32), 2 p.m. Sundays (\$22), and 6:30 p.m. Sundays (\$26.50). Student, senior, and group discounts available! (810) 377-3300

**MILLENNIUM THEATRE**  
"A Secret Meeting of Black Men," 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21-Saturday, Feb. 22, and 3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23, at the theater, 15600 J.L. Hudson Dr., Southfield. \$15, with discounts for students, seniors and groups. (810) 552-7000

**NATIONAL THEATRE FOR THE DEAF**  
"Curiouser and Curiouser," 7:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28, Harrison High School, 29995 W. 12 Mile Road, Farmington Hills. (810) 473-1888 (voice) or (810) 473-1875 (TDD)

**PURPLE ROSE THEATRE COMPANY**  
"Labor Day," by Kim Carney, through Saturday, March 8, at the Garage Theatre, 137 Park St., Chelsea. 8 p.m. Wednesdays through Saturdays; 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. Sundays; 3 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, Wednesday, Feb. 26, and Saturday, March 8. \$20 Fridays and Saturdays; \$15 Wednesdays, Thursdays and Sundays. (313) 475-7902

**OPERA**

**PUCCINI'S LA BOHEME**  
With the New York City Opera National Company, 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 20-Friday, Feb. 21, 2 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22 (75-minute family show, no intermission), and 8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, family show which includes an open curtain scene change as well as an introduction to singers and backstage crew, Power Center, 121 Fletcher, Ann Arbor. \$22-\$44; \$5 children, \$15 adults for family show. (313) 763-3333

**PUCCINI'S LA BOHEME**  
Sunday, Feb. 23, Macomb Center for the Performing Arts, 44575 Garfield Road, Clinton Township. (810) 286-2222

**COLLEGE**

**BONSTELLE THEATRE**  
"Canterbury Tales, The Musical," Friday, Feb. 28-Sunday, March 9, at the theater, 3424 Woodward Ave., Wayne State University campus, Detroit. 8 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays, 2 p.m. Sundays. \$9.50-\$11.50 with group discounts available. (313) 577-2960

**UNIVERSITY OF DETROIT MERCY THEATRE COMPANY**  
"Home Fires," through Sunday, March 2, Earl D.A. Smith Studio Theatre, University of Detroit Mercy campus, Six Mile and Livenols roads, Detroit. \$10; \$8 students, seniors, UDM employees, alumni; Free, UDM students free with ID, Thursday and Sunday performances only when available. The first 20 people who arrive to purchase tickets at the door dressed in 1940s-style costumes get in free. 8 p.m. Thursdays-Saturdays; 2 p.m. Sundays. (313) 993-1130

**UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN THEATRE DEPARTMENT**  
"Born Gully," by Ari Roth, 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 20-Saturday, Feb. 22, and 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23, Trueblood Theatre, Frize Building, 105 S. State St., University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. Free. (313) 764-0450

**COMMUNITY THEATRE**

**BLACK HISTORY REVISITED**  
A Detroit-based theatrical production company devoted to the development of positive and historically accurate cultural presentations; presents "The Dream Lives: A Tribute to Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.," with Rudy Barker as Dr. King, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 27, 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28, 2 p.m. and 8 p.m. Saturday, March 1, and 3 p.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday, March 2, 1515 Broadway theater, 1515 Broadway, Detroit. \$12.50 in advance, \$15 at the door. (313) 965-1515

**DETROIT REPERTORY THEATRE**  
"Crumbs From The Table of Joy," through Sunday, March 23, at the theater, 13103 Woodrow Wilson, Detroit. 8:30 p.m. Thursdays and Fridays; 3 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. Saturdays; 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sundays. \$14; \$100 10-ticket booklet; \$90 10-ticket matinee booklet. (313) 868-1347

**FARMINGTON PLAYERS**  
"Later Life," through Saturday, Feb. 22, at the "Barn," 32332 W. 12 Mile Road (between Farmington and Orchard Lake roads), Farmington. 8 p.m.; 2 p.m. Sunday. \$8. (810) 553-2955

**THE HARTLAND PLAYERS**  
"Two Rooms," 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21-Saturday, Feb. 22, and 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23, Hartland Music Hall, 3619 Avon, Hartland. \$8 adults; \$7 students and seniors. (810) 220-3521

**HURON CIVIC THEATRE**  
"Noises Off," featuring executive producer Marge Marion of Plymouth, Friday, Feb. 21-Sunday, Feb. 23, Huron Civic Theatre, 32044 Huron River Dr., New Boston. 8 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays; 3 p.m. Sundays. \$8 adults; \$6 seniors and students. (313) 782-5380

**MUSICA VIVA**  
U.S. premier of the Brazilian musical "Madalena," as part of Musica Viva's 10th anniversary season, Saturday, Feb. 22, Oakland Community College's Orchard Ridge campus, 27055 Orchard Lake Road

# 8 days a week

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(at 1696), Farmington Hills. Tickets at Ticketmaster. (810) 540-1500

**PLANET ANT PLAYERS**

"Getting Out," by Marsha Norman, 10:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21-Saturday, Feb. 22, and Friday, Feb. 28, and Saturday, March 1, Planet Ant, 2357 Caniff, Hamtramck. \$7. (313) 365-4948

**PLYMOUTH THEATRE GUILD**

"Rumors," by Neil Simon, Friday, Feb. 21-Sunday, Feb. 23, and Friday, Feb. 28-Saturday, March 1, Water Tower Theatre, on the campus of Northville Regional Hospital, 41001 W. Seven Mile Road (one mile west of I-275), Northville. 8 p.m. show time, except 6 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23. \$8 in advance at Sir Speedy Printing Center on South Main in Plymouth, Piccadilly Petalier Flowers in Canton Sears Center, or by mail at PTG Tickets, PO Box 700451, Plymouth, MI 48170; \$9 at the door.

**P.T.D. PRODUCTIONS**

"You Can't Take It With You," 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 20-Saturday, Feb. 22, Riverside Arts Center, 76 N. Huron St., Ypsilanti. \$12; \$9 seniors and students. (313) 483-7345

**RIDGE DALE PLAYERS**

"Annie Get Your Gun," Friday, Feb. 28-Sunday, March 2, Friday, March 7-Sunday, March 9, and Thursday, March 13-Sunday, March 16, at the playhouse, 205 W. Long Lake Road, Troy. 7:30 p.m. Thursday (510); 8 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays (512); and 3 p.m. Sundays (512). \$11 for seniors on Sundays. (810) 988-7049

**TROY PLAYERS**

"Annie," weekends Friday, Feb. 28-Sunday, March 16, Troy Community Center in Troy City Complex, 520 W. Big Beaver (east of I-75). \$10 adults; \$9 seniors and children. 8 p.m. Fridays-Saturdays, and 2 p.m. Sundays. (810) 879-1285

**YOUTH PRODUCTIONS**

**ANN ARBOR YOUNG ACTORS GUILD**

"The Blue Bird," by Maurice Maeterlinck, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 27-Friday, Feb. 28, and 3 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Saturday, March 1, Lydia Mendelsohn Theater, Michigan League, 911 N. University, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. \$7; \$5 for those aged 11 and younger. (313) 930-1614

**PAPER BAG PRODUCTIONS**

"Huckleberry Finn," through Sunday, May 18, Historic Players Club, 3321 E. Jefferson (across from Harbortown, between McDougall and Mount Elliott), Detroit. Lunch begins at noon with 1 p.m. performance on Saturdays; 1 p.m. lunch and 2 p.m. show on Sundays. \$7.50 includes lunch, with special rates available for groups of 20 or more. 50 cent discount to anyone who brings in children's books in new or good condition to be donated to Focus House. (810) 662-8118

**YOUTH THEATRE**

"Ishang's Africa," 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, and 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23, as part of the "Movin' Up Club" season for children ages 7 and older. Music Hall Center for the Performing Arts, 350 Madison Ave., Detroit. \$7 in advance; \$8 at the door. (313) 963-2366

**SPECIAL EVENTS/BENEFITS**

**THE ARMENIAN HERITAGE COLLECTION**

Featuring 7:30 p.m. dinner by The Golden Mushroom, and 9 p.m. show with reproductions of 26 Armenian costumes from various regions of Armenia spanning the 13th-19th centuries modeled by members of the Daughters of Vartan and their families. Friday, Feb. 28, St. John's Armenian Cultural Center, 22001 Northwestern Highway, Southfield. \$35 donation. (810) 754-3984/(313) 464-7973

**MICHIGAN HOME AND GARDEN SHOW**

3-10 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 27, noon-10 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28, 10 a.m.-10 p.m. Saturday, March 1, and 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Sunday, March 2, Pontiac Silverdome, Pontiac. \$6.50; \$3 for children ages 6-14. (810) 456-1600

**MICHIGAN INTERNATIONAL MOTORCYCLE SHOW**

5-10 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21, 11 a.m.-10 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, and 11 a.m.-6 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23, Pontiac Silverdome. \$8; \$4 children ages 6-11. (810) 456-1600

**MICHIGAN THEATER FOUNDATION**

Hosts 16th annual Las Vegas party, 7 p.m.-midnight Thursday, Feb. 27, 7 p.m.-1 a.m. Friday, Feb. 28, and 4 p.m.-1 a.m. Saturday, March 1, Sheraton Inn, Ann Arbor. \$5 in the evenings; \$2 from 4-7 p.m. Saturday. Party, which benefits the renovation of the Michigan Theater, features prizes such as two airline tickets to anywhere in the contiguous United States and \$1,000 cash, a pair of earrings, and Ann Arbor restaurants package. (313) 668-8397

**PLYMOUTH COMMUNITY ARTS COUNCIL**

"Blues at the Botsford," with Chicago blues and jazz artist Eden Atwood, Saturday, Feb. 22, Botsford Inn, 28000 Grand River, Farmington Hills. 7 p.m. art auction and cocktails, 8 p.m. gourmet dinner and dancing following the performance. \$50, benefits PCAC programs, available at the council office, 774 N. Sheldon Road, Plymouth. (313) 416-4278

**RAILROAD SWAP MEET**

Featuring sale of all railroad scale models, railroad memorabilia, pins and other accessories, 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23, American Legion Hall Post No. 16, 1701 W. Genesee Road, Lapeer. \$2. (810) 395-4966

**ST. MARY'S COLLEGE ICE ON THE LAKE**

Featuring ice sculpting exhibits, laser and music shows, Wayne State University jazz quartet, Polish art, live music, food and cash bar, face painting and chili cook-off, 6-11 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28, and 2-11 p.m. Saturday, March 1, St. Mary's College, 3535 Indian Trail, Orchard Lake. \$10; \$5 youths; free, children 10 and younger. Free mug and drink with paid admission. (810) 683-0521

**CLASSICAL**

**ACADEMY OF ST. MARTIN-IN-THE-FIELDS**

With Conductor/violinist Iona Brown, 4 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23, Rackham Auditorium, 915 E. Washington St., University of Michigan campus, Ann Arbor. \$26-\$34. (800) 221-1229

**"BRAHMS UNPLUGGED"**

Brown bag concert featuring the life and works of J. Brahms performed by Washenaw Community College students, faculty and friends, noon Friday, Feb. 21, WCC, Morris Lawrence Building, room 150, 4800 E. Huron Dr., Ann Arbor. Free. (313) 973-3623

**BRANDENBURG ENSEMBLE**

With Conductor/violinist Jaime Laredo, violinist Lella Josefowicz, and pianist Andrea Haefliger, 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 14, Hill Auditorium, 530 S. State St., Ann Arbor. \$14-\$36. (800) 221-1229

**JULIA BUSHKOVA**

Violinist and part of faculty at Interlochen Arts Academy, 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23, JPM Building, Jewish Community Center, 15110 W. 10 Mile Road, Oak Park. 100 members; \$15 non-members. (810) 967-4030

**CHAMBERWORKS**

"Music at the French Court," music from Paris and Versailles performed on period instruments, 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21, Bellan Art Center, 5980 Rochester Road, Troy. (810) 952-5207

**DETROIT SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA**

With Conductor Lan Shui premiering "Thoughts That Sing, Breathe and Burn" by Michigan composer Leslie Bassett, and 16-year-old violinist Tamaki Kawakubo performing Edouard Lalo's "Symphonie Espagnole," 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 27-Friday, Feb. 28, and 8:30 p.m. Saturday, March 1, Orchestra Hall, 3711 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$16-\$58. (313) 833-3700

**DAVID LAABS**

Guitarist performs 8-10 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28, Borders Books and Music, 30995 Orchard Lake Road, Farmington Hills. Free. All ages. (810) 737-0110

**MUSICA VIVA**

Celebrates its 10th anniversary with Jean Pierre Rempal, 8 p.m. Monday, Feb. 24, Temple Beth El, 7400 Telegraph Road, Birmingham. \$20 in advance; \$25 at the door; \$50 patron includes reception with the artist. (810) 855-0410/(810) 645-6666

**NATIONAL TRADITIONAL ORCHESTRA OF CHINA**

8 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 25, Macomb Center for the Performing Arts, Macomb Community College, 44575 Garfield Road, Clinton Township; 8 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 26, Hill Auditorium, 530 S. State St., Ann Arbor. \$14-\$28. (810) 288-2222/(800) 221-1229

**"PRELUDES WEST"**

A project of the Education and Outreach Division of the Detroit Symphony Orchestra Hall Volunteer Council, get-together features French Horn Quartet with Eugene Wade, Adam Unsworth, Corbin Wagner, and Mark Abbott, noon Friday, Feb. 28, Temple Beth El, 7400 Telegraph Road (at 14 Mile Road), Bloomfield Hills. \$20; \$10 children. (313) 962-1000, ext. 285

**UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN SYMPHONY BAND**

Celebrates its 100th year anniversary with a show on the date of the Michigan's first band concert, featuring Grainger's "Lincolnshire Posy" and "Irish Tune from County Derry," performed with band alumni members; and Even Chambers' "Tango World," first of several works commissioned for the band's centennial celebration. 3 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, Hill Auditorium, 825 N. University, Ann Arbor. (313) 764-0594

**VOCAL ARTS ENSEMBLE**

7 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28, Borders Books and Music, 5601 Mercury Dr., Dearborn. Free. All ages. (313) 271-4441

**WAYNE STATE UNIVERSITY CONCERTANTE**

Performs Bach, Britten, Elgar and Scarlatti, 7 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28, St. James Lutheran Church, 170 McMillan Road, Grosse Pointe Farms. Free; donations accepted. Proceeds will benefit Wayne State University's Music Department scholarship funds. (313) 884-0511/(313) 577-1785

**AUDITIONS**

**HANQY QURWIN PRESENTS**

Open auditions for children ages 8 and older for "Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat," 2 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, Jewish Community Center, 6600 Maple Road (northwest corner of Maple and Drake roads), West Bloomfield. Children should be prepared to sing one song of choice. Performances in April. (810) 988-7032

**Theatre Guild Auditions for "Lend Me A Tenor," 2 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23; 7 p.m. Monday, Feb. 24, at 15138 Beech Daly Road, Redford. (313) 531-0554.**

**HOLLYWOOD LITERARY RETREAT**

"How to be a Film Director," featuring writer/director/teacher Jim Pasternak (Cousins), "Lightning Bender," "Anti-Gravity Room," "The Casting," 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday, March 1-Sunday, March 2, Kingsley Hotel and Suites, Bloomfield Hills. Call about rates; "Writing the Half-Hour Sitcom and One-Hour Drama," with writer/producer Adam Belanoff ("Cosby," "Murphy Brown," "Wings") from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday, May 3, and with executive producer Charles Egles ("Murder One," "Civil Wars," "NYPD Blue," "Moonlighting") 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Sunday, May 4, Plaza Hotel, Southfield. \$175 per day; \$295; "Writing Erotic Drama for Hollywood," 6-10 p.m. Friday, May 9, at Plaza Hotel, Southfield, or noon-4 p.m. Saturday, May 10, at Holiday Inn Livonia Park West, with executive producer Linda Clark ("The Red Shoe Diaries") and writer/producer Lynn Isenberg (Showtime's "Bordello," HBO's "Maul Heat," and Playboy's "For the Love of Lisa"). \$125. (810) 584-4764/(888) HLR-1600

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**CHORAL**

**CANTATA ACADEMY**

"A Spritied Tea," with assorted teas and desserts, and a selection of choral music, 4 p.m. Sunday, March 2, Christ Episcopal Church, 120 N. Military, Dearborn. \$20 in advance only. (810) 546-0420

**JAZZ**

**MOSE ALLISON TRIO**

8 p.m. and 10 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 27, 9 p.m. and 11 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28-Saturday, March 1, Bird of Paradise, 207 S. Ashley, Ann Arbor. \$12.50 in advance; \$15 at the door. (313) 662-8310

**MARK BRAUN TRIO**

With pianist Mark "Mr. B" Braun, bassist Paul Keller, and drummer Pete Siers, 8 p.m. and 10 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, Kerrytown Concert House, 415 N. Fourth Ave., Ann Arbor. \$10-\$25. (313) 769-2999

**JACK BROKENSHA QUARTET**

8-11:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 20, and Thursday, Feb. 27, Botsford Inn, 28000 Grand River (north of Eight Mile Road), Farmington Hills. (810) 474-4800

**CALVIN BROOKS**

8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28, The Grand Cafe, 33316 Grand River, Farmington. Free. All ages. (810) 615-9181

**RON BROOKS TRIO**

9:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 22-Saturday, Feb. 23, Bird of Paradise, 207 S. Ashley, Ann Arbor. \$5. 21 and older. (313) 662-8310

**DETROIT SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA**

With The Count Basie Orchestra, 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 20, 8:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21-Saturday, Feb. 22, and 3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23, 3711 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$16-\$58. (313) 833-3700

**SKIP GREENE AND THE JAZZ KATZ**

8-11 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23, Brazil coffee-house, 305 S. Main St., Royal Oak. Free. All ages. (Jazz standards/pop) (810) 399-7200

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Blondie singer joined by former Lounge Lizards Roy Nathanson, Curtis Fowlkes (trombone), E.J. Rodrigues (drums), and Marc Ribot (guitar), along with Jim Nole (violin), Brad Jones (bass), and Bill Ware (vibes), 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21, 7th House, 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac. \$20 in advance. 18 and older. (810) 335-8100

**KIMMIE HORNE**

9 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21-Saturday, Feb. 22, D.L. Harrington's Chop House, 2086 Crooks Road (at M-59), Rochester Hills. Cover charge. 21 and older. (810) 852-0550

**INNER SOUL**

8-11 p.m. Saturdays in February, Trés Vite, 2203 Woodward Ave., Detroit. (313) 964-4144

**INSAID STORY**

9 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 25, Memphis Smoke, 100 S. Main St., Royal Oak. Cover charge. 21 and older. (810) 543-0917

**PAUL KELLER ENSEMBLE**

8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21, Smith Theatre, Orchard Ridge campus of Oakland Community College, 27055 Orchard Lake Road, Farmington Hills. \$10. (810) 471-7667/(810) 471-7700

**KOOL'S KAT'S**

7-10 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28, Bistro 313, 313 E. Walton Boulevard, Pontiac. Cover charge. 21 and older. (810) 332-9100

**SHEILA LANDIS AND RICK MATLE**

8-11:30 p.m. Fridays, Feb. 21, and Feb. 28, Coffee Beanery, 152 N. Woodward Ave., Birmingham. Free. All ages. (810) 646-6022

**RON MITCHELL**

5-11 p.m. Fridays in February, Trés Vite, 2203 Woodward Ave., Detroit. (313) 964-4144

**MADELINE PEYROUX**

8 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 26, Majestic, 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$10 in advance. 18 and older. (313) 833-9700

**PAMELA WISE AND HER LATIN JAZZ ALL-STARS**

8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21-Saturday, Feb. 22, and Friday, Feb. 28, Trini and Carmens, 1019 W. Maple Road, Clawson. (810) 280-2626

**WORLD MUSIC**

**BLACK MARKET**

9 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 20, Memphis Smoke, 100 S. Main St., Royal Oak. Free. 21 and older. (reggae) (810) 543-0917

**IMMIGRANT SUNS**

With The Ludittes and Pinetop 7, 9 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28, Magic Stick in the Majestic complex, 4140 Woodward Ave., Ferndale. Cover charge. 18 and older. (world music/eclectic) (313) 833-POOL

Michigan Ave., Detroit. Free. 21 and older. (acoustic Irish) (313) 963-8895

**KODO**

Work centered on traditional Japanese drum, taiko, 8 p.m. Monday, Feb. 24-Tuesday, Feb. 25, Power Center, 121 Fletcher, Ann Arbor. \$26-\$36. (800) 221-1229

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8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 27, Majestic, 4140 Woodward Ave., Detroit. \$13.50 in advance. 18 and older. (Nigerian) (313) 833-9700

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9 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, Dick O'Dow's Irish Pub, 160 W. Maple, Birmingham. Free. 21 and older. (traditional Irish music) (810) 642-1135

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**ODD ENOUGH**

9 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28, Friendly Sons of St. Patrick Hall, 8269 E. Eight Mile Road, Warren. Free. 21 and older. (Irish) (810) 758-7602

**TARIKA SAMMY**

8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 20, The Ark, 316 S. Main St., Ann Arbor. \$12.50; \$11.50 members, students and seniors. All ages. (313) 761-1451

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8 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 25, The Ark, 316 S. Main St., Ann Arbor. \$13.50 in advance. All ages. (313) 761-1451

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9 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22, Rick's, 611 Church St., Ann Arbor. Cover charge. 19 and older. (reggae) (313) 996-2747

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8 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 22-Sunday, Feb. 23, The Ark, 316 S. Main St., Ann Arbor. \$17.50. All ages. (313) 761-1451

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9 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21-Saturday, Feb. 22, O'Mara's Restaurant, 2555 W. 12 Mile Road, Berkley. Free. All ages. (810) 399-6750

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**EDDIE FROM OHIO**

9:30 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 20, Blind Pig, 206-208 S. First St., Ann Arbor. \$6 in advance; \$8 at the door. 19 and older. (313) 996-8555

**DAVID FOLKS**

7 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21, Borders Books and Music, 5601 Mercury Dr., Dearborn. Free. All ages. (313) 271-4441

**SOPHIE HANIFI**

With Kiss Me Screaming, 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 27, The Ark, 316 S. Main St., Ann Arbor. \$8.50; \$7.50 members; students and seniors. (313) 761-1451

**LONESOME AND BLUE**

8-10 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21, Borders Books and Music, 30995 Orchard Lake Road, Farmington Hills. Free. 21 and older. (bluegrass) (810) 737-0110

**MAUREN MCDONALD**

8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21, The Grand Cafe, 33316 Grand River, Farmington. Free. All ages. (810) 615-9181

**RFD BOYS**

8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 21, The Ark, 316 S. Main St., Ann Arbor. \$9; \$8 members, students and seniors. All ages. (bluegrass) (313) 761-1451

**JAMES LEE STANLEY**

## DINING

## New owners hop to challenge at Bullfrog Bar &amp; Grill

BY KEELY WYGONIK  
STAFF WRITER

With traffic going 50 miles per hour, it's easy to pass the Bullfrog Bar & Grill on Telegraph north of Five Mile Road in Redford. But people who work in the area have noticed lots of changes since brothers Damon and Aaron Ormanian, Jim and Rick Forner took over the bar formerly called the Office.

Childhood friends, they grew up together in Taylor, took possession of the bar in August, and closed for renovations. Since opening in December they've been working toward achieving their goal to be a great band bar and serve good food too. They put in a window to let in light, added a neon sign tower, an awning, stuccoed the outside with light beige, put in new bathrooms, new ceramic floor, carpeting and ceiling.

"There's no live entertainment in the area," said Damon the day manager explaining how they chose this location. When we grew up, and started going to bars we thought about having one of our own. We thought we could make the coolest band bar around."

Thursday, Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays are band nights, they start at 9 p.m. Call for the schedule. On Friday and Saturday, Feb. 21-22 the Bullfrog is hosting a benefit concert for First Step. The "Stop the Violence Tour 97," features Down With Hatred and other bands (see chart).



Taste of Mexico: Liz Banks and Damon Ormanian with a Bullfrog Bar and Grill specialty, the Mexican Platter, which is served on Wednesdays during lunch.

STAFF PHOTO BY JIM JAGDFELD

The Bullfrog's clientele is diverse. During the lunch hour they get factory workers, and people who work in the shops and offices nearby. In the evening the crowd ranges in age from 21 to 35.

"We wanted this to be a meeting place where both blue collar and white collar workers would

feel comfortable," said Damon. "They can order anything from a big hamburger to a chicken salsa salad."

Jim is the night manager, Aaron takes care of maintenance and bills, and Rick, who with his brother also owns Mexi-go, a carry-out Mexican restaurant with three metro Detroit locations

including one in Westland, (8437 N. Wayne Road, in Holiday Plaza, two blocks south of Joy Road, (313) 421-7778) takes care of the food.

"Rick taught us all how to cook. Usually when you go to a bar you get a lot of fried foods," explained Damon, while Rick prepared an order. "We wanted

to serve some health-conscious dishes too."

There are two sides to this menu. Mild Side features usual bar fare - burgers, stacked ham and cheese sandwich, char broiled chicken, Crispy Tacos, and Turkey Sandwich. Wild Side offers Buffalo Burgers, Whiskey Sausage Sub, Rattle Snake Bean Chili, Jumpin' Hot Chimmy's "chimichanga" - shredded roast beef with special spices, and a chicken salsa salad.

"We tried to bring something that you would not see at a typical bar," said Rick who makes the homemade tacos, salsa, corn chips, and other menu items.

"Buffalo meat is leaner, but has the taste of beef," said Damon. "Our Whiskey Sausage Sub is made with a very lean sausage link, and marinated in whiskey to give it a little bite. The chicken salsa salad is made with char-broiled chicken and served on a flour tortilla."

There really is such thing as Rattlesnake bean - "they're smaller and have a milder flavor," explained Damon, adding that chili served at the Bullfrog is made with chunks of roast beef.

Crispy Tacos are one of the most popular menu items. And of course, how can you have a place called Bullfrog and not serve frog legs? "Our frog legs are big," explained Damon, "charbroiled and served with a spicy barbecue sauce."

Bullfrog offers 25 different bot-

## Bullfrog Bar &amp; Grill

Where: 15414 Telegraph, (one block north of Five Mile Road), Redford, (313) 533-4477.

Hours: Open for lunch 11 a.m. Monday-Friday. Bar closes 2 a.m., food available up to closing. Saturday and Sundays open 6 p.m. to 2 a.m.

Menu: Burgers, sandwiches, chili, assorted appetizers. Crispy Tacos and Frog Legs are specialties. Daily lunch specials include Mexican Platter served 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Wednesdays; open face turkey sandwiches, Fridays.

Cost: Sandwiches range from \$2.99 for a bull Frog Burger to \$4.55 for Jumpin' Hot Chimmy's.

Chart cards: Visa, Master Card, American Express

Special events: "Stop the Violence Tour 97," benefit concert for First Step, hosted by Kelly Brown. 89X FM. Doors open 9 p.m., cover \$5. Friday, Feb. 21, Down With Hatred, 20 Dead Flower Children, Undergrind; Saturday, Feb. 22, Down With Hatred, Motor Dolls, and Bomb Pops.

Tuesdays - Karaoke Night 9 p.m.

led beers, four tap beers, and three non-alcoholic beers. "We want to give people an option so they don't feel like they have to drink," said Rick.

## THEATER

## Impeccable timing makes 'Rumors' a laugh-filled 'must see'

Plymouth Theatre Guild presents "Rumors," by Neil Simon, Friday, Feb. 21-Sunday, Feb. 23, and Friday, Feb. 28-Saturday, March 1, Water Tower Theatre,

on the campus of Northville Regional Hospital, 41001 W. Seven Mile Road (one mile west of I-275), Northville. 8 p.m. show time, except 6 p.m. Sunday, Feb.

23. \$8 in advance at Sir Speedy Printing Center on South Main in Plymouth, Piccadilly Petalor Flowers in Canton Sears Center, or call (313) 349-7110. Tickets

\$9 at the door. BY SUE SUCHYTA  
SPECIAL WRITER

Physical humor and impeccable timing make the Plymouth Theatre Guild's production of Neil Simon's "rumors" a laugh-filled "must see."

The strong ensemble cast worked well together to blend author Simon's delicious verbal humor with their own physical comedy, which ranged from pratfalls to pain. First-time directors Karen Groves and Debbie Pletzer deserve high praise for a job well done.

Set against a strikingly beautiful and well-dressed set, the story follows the increasingly tangled web of clumsy subterfuge that occurs when four couples gather for a dinner party only to find their host grazed by a self-inflicted bullet wound, an uncooked dinner, and the servants and hostess missing.

Couple number one, Chris and

## REVIEW

Ken Gorman, played by Debby Gorman and Mike Falzon, successfully set the tone for the evening as the panicky first arrivals who discover their injured host and frantically try to keep it a secret from the successive arrivals.

The second couple, Claire and Lenny Ganz, played by Valerie Mangrum and Brian Townsend, delivered some of the best lines of the show. Their wonderful comedic timing and ability to play naturally off each other made them a favorite with the house.

As Lenny, the character who suffered whiplash on the way to the party, Brian Townsend was

hysterical. From his facial expressions to his stiff necked gait, his actions alone magnified the comedy. He and Mangrum made a great pair for verbal repartee. Townsend's delivery, timing and comedic insight produced some of the evenings' best acting.

Cookie and Glenn Cusack, played by Gail Mesner and Jerry Salas, garnered plenty of laughs once they got over their initial stiffness, as did Peter Hathaway as Glen Cooper.

So if you're looking for light-hearted theater entertainment with enough humor to keep you laughing regularly, reserve your seats now for "Rumors" at the Water Tower Theatre, located on the campus of the Northville Psychiatric Hospital.

## Faculty perform Sunday at Madonna

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN  
STAFF WRITER

How often do you have the opportunity to hear a live concert featuring the music of Chopin, Copland, Boccherini, and Villa-Lobos for free?

Stop by Madonna University's faculty recital at 3 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 23 in Kresge Hall when pianist Linette Popoff Parks, classical guitarist Helene Rottenberg, flutist Donna Kallie, and violinist Grazyna Biskupski will treat the audience to a taste of all these composers and more. Biskupski will also perform with members of her trio which includes pianist Kazimierz Brzozowski and cellist Tadeusz Biskupski. Although there is no charge for the concert, donations will be enthusiastically accepted for the university's music schol-

arship fund.

Solo and ensemble pieces in piano, violin, flute, and guitar will be on tap. A chamber musician and soloist who performs professionally, associate professor Linette Popoff Parks is looking forward to the afternoon of classical compositions.

"We hold the recitals so that faculty members have the chance to perform and so we can share with the community," said Linette Popoff Parks.

A Plymouth resident, Popoff Parks performs frequently at the Tuesday Musicale in Grosse Pointe as well as at the Detroit Institute of Arts, Detroit Public

Library, and Livonia Civic Center Library. If you miss the faculty recital, you'll still be able to enjoy her in concert with Michigan Opera Theatre violinist Velda Kelly May 8 on campus. The two will team up for a program of Brahms, Schubert and Handel.

In addition to faculty performances, Madonna University frequently spotlights recitals by the Madonna Chorale and students.

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# REAL ESTATE

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This column highlights promotions, transfers, hirings, awards won and other key personnel moves within the suburban real estate community. Send a brief biographical summary—including the towns of residence and employment and a black and white photo if desired—to: Movers and Shakers, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, 48150. Our fax number is (313) 591-7279.

## Boezwinkle earns license



Ron Boezwinkle in Birmingham.

Ron Boezwinkle, a Livonia resident, has passed the Architectural Registration Exam and now is a licensed architect in Michigan. Boezwinkle works for Studio B Architects in Birmingham. He has two degrees from the University of Michigan and has several years experience in the field.

## Klepper named VP



Denise Klepper

Denise Klepper has been named vice president of human resources at Republic Bancorp Mortgage in Farmington Hills. Her responsibilities include employment, recruiting, employee relations, compensation, benefits, and employee training and development.

Klepper has previous personnel experience with Alberto Culver and Marshall Fields/Dayton Hudson Corp.

## Cobb promoted



Alan H. Cobb

Alan H. Cobb, a Troy resident, has been promoted to director of architectural design at Albert Kahn Associates. Cobb, a graduate of Lawrence Technological University, joined the firm in 1976.

He's on the board of directors for American Institute of Architects-Michigan and AIA-Detroit. He's also a member of the Engineering Society of Detroit.

## Anderson joins McNabney

Liz Anderson has joined McNabney & Associates, a commercial real estate firm in Bloomfield Hills, as a sales associate. She will specialize in the leasing and sales of office, medical and industrial properties along the I-75 corridor of north Oakland County. Anderson is a Bloomfield Hills resident.



Taking charge: The board of directors at Millwood Village Condominiums, Doug Rowe, Jim Bloom, Jim Godbout, Pam Wasczenski and Mike Liptak, self-manages association business.

# Some condos just go it alone

BY DOUG FUNKE  
STAFF WRITER

William St. Martin, past president of the Yorkshire House Condominium Association in Birmingham, knows why he prefers self-managed associations to hiring a management firm to do the job. He illustrates with a story. "We have a person here who has epilepsy and, one day, I saw him lying on the sidewalk in the inner courtyard," St. Martin said. "I'm familiar with what to do. I tried to calm him down. I didn't call EMS."

"I got him on his feet, got him back to his apartment. I went to my apartment and called his dad, and he came over to take care of him."

"There's a personal touch involved in this building," St. Martin said. "There's a rapport."

The Millwood Village Condominium Association in Westland also self-manages.

"We had a professional at one point, but, quite honestly, they weren't doing us any sort of service," said Jim Godbout, Millwood Village president. "They were basically doing bookkeeping, collections. It took months to get (financial) statements."

So, several years ago, Millwood Village decided to do for itself.

"Assessments go to a common post office box. The treasurer picks up dues and sends out late notices," God-

bout said.

"We have a board meeting once a month. I prepare an agenda."

"We signed a multi-year deal at reduced rates for snow removal and grass cutting. One person on the board sent out a number of bid notices," he said.

"We have board meetings once a month. I prepare an agenda. Problems? They (residents) contact someone on the board. We put out a newsletter, probably on a quarterly basis, and include any issue we want to bring to everyone's awareness."

Godbout, who has experienced both hired-gun and self management, definitely prefers the latter.

"I think it keeps us closer informed to what's going on and gets different people involved in the association," he said. "I think if we were managed by a professional manager, we'd lose some of that personal involvement."

There's a substantial financial savings, he added.

It isn't really clear how many condo associations self manage.

Robert M. Meisner, a Bingham Farms lawyer and Observer & Eccentric columnist who specializes in real estate law, speculates that upwards of a third of the condo associations in suburban Detroit self manage. That would include those that employ professional staff.

"They're generally smaller, generally comprised of people with more time

on their hands to handle the affairs of the association. They're usually more mature condo associations," Meisner said.

Management companies set fees based on services provided. Some are as high as \$12 per month per unit, Meisner said. Smaller communities, less than 50 units, generally are charged a flat monthly fee.

There are different levels of self management.

Yorkshire House has 20 units, and St. Martin is a retired plant manager. He receives \$3,000 per year to cut the grass, clean the laundry room and common areas and maintain trash bins.

Neither he nor other board members are paid for board services.

Millwood Village consists of 60 detached units where individual owners are responsible for their own yard maintenance. No one is paid.

Neither Yorkshire House nor Millwood Village has a pool or clubhouse, common elements that often generate controversy for condo management.

Then there's the Country Club Estates Condominium Association in Sterling Heights, which seems to be an exception to several of the general rules.

The community, close to 30 years old, has 121 attached units, a pool and a clubhouse.

The community has always self-managed but employs a full-time

caretaker to handle maintenance duties.

"If there's a problem with administration, bylaw infractions, you call a board member," said Carol Whitener, association president. "If there's a problem with the physical plant, you call the caretaker."

The secret to self-management success is an educated, competent, organized board of directors, Whitener said.

"Our secretary is an attorney. I'm a college grad with a background in public administration. Our treasurer is like a staff accountant in an office," she said.

"When people ask me if we are professionally managed, I like to say, 'Yes, we are, but we do it ourselves,'" Whitener said.

The president, treasurer and secretary all receive credit for six months of association fees, the other two directors receive two months, for their services.

But the top three officers each can spend upwards of 10 hours per week interacting with the caretaker, collecting and recording payments and tending to inside and outside correspondence.

"I love doing this," Whitener said. "I know it's well run. Who can do it better than we can?"

One nagging question that often

See SELF, F2

## Plumbing problems should have been disclosed

REAL ESTATE  
QUERIES



ROBERT M. MEISNER

Q. My husband and I closed on our first home recently. After being in the house for only 2 weeks, we had several major sewer septic backups into the house.

A plumber snaked the outside main line, which leads to the septic field. The snake would go 50 feet then it would stop. The plumbing company quoted us \$1,000. to dig up the asphalt driveway to repair the problem.

When the plumber dug up the driveway, he found that the riser at the top of the main line had fallen and was blocking the sewage from reaching the septic. The plumber said that from the look of the riser, it had been there for at least a year and would have caused a back up on a regular basis.

If the seller did not disclose any information about the plumbing on the property disclosure statement, how can we get back the money we paid for repairs? Would the real estate agents be responsible?

A. The seller can be liable for failure to disclose for the consequential damages incurred by the purchaser. The real estate person who may have been your agent had some responsibility to assist you in this endeavor, and/or the seller's agent had knowledge or should have had knowledge about the condition that was not disclosed, they may also have liability.

You are well advised, assuming that there are damages, to consult with an attorney to provide you with your legal rights and to take legal action, if necessary, against those responsible parties.

Q. I am interested in developing some property on the water but am running into a great deal of difficulty with the city because they do not want to protect the natural habitat or the shoreline and have given me a difficult time in connection with my development. I am contemplating selling the property but will probably sell it for less than it would be worth if I were able to develop the property as contemplated. Should I see an attorney?

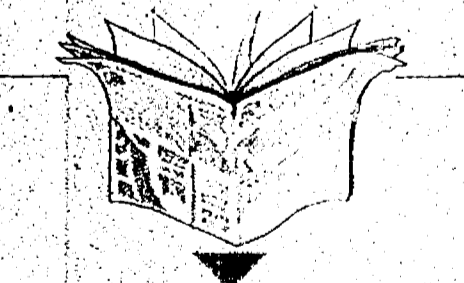
A. Based upon a recent decision where a city would not allow a housing development next to the Pacific Ocean because it wanted to preserve the dune and

natural habitat, the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals held that this was "taking" under the U.S. Constitution and the city was required pay the owner \$1.5 million in damages. However, the court held that it was up to a jury to decide in such cases if the land has any economically viable use and if the city's actions are reasonably related to a legitimate public purpose.

This ruling was, of course, a big win for developers across the country since it can be powerful tool for developers to use to pressure a city in permit negotiations. The court held that the developer had lost all economically viable use of the property even though it was ultimately able to sell it for a profit.

You may well have a viable claim against the municipality and may well be entitled to substantial economic relief.

Robert M. Meisner is an Oakland County area attorney concentrating his practice in the areas of condominiums, real estate, corporate law and litigation. You are invited to submit topics that you would like to see discussed in this column, including questions about condominiums, by writing Robert M. Meisner, 30200 Telegraph Road, Suite 467, Bingham Farms MI 48025. This column provides general information and should not be construed as legal opinion.



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surfaces in associations that hire a manager is whether they're getting the best bang for their buck in contract services.

"You have far better control of money if you self manage," St. Martin maintained. "It's easier to build personal relationships (with service providers). They know you and you know them.

They know what you want, what to expect."

"Maybe I'm too particular, I don't know," Martin said of management companies. "I don't think they would be as attentive to detail. This is only my opinion."

A key to self managing, most agree, is to establish specific

policies, then follow them to the letter. That way, you don't become a sounding board for chronic complainers.

"At one point in time, we had a collection problem," Godbout said. "We set a policy about when (assessments) were delinquent, when the late fee was due. When people found out we were seri-

ous, the problem went away."

"When you have a complaint, you fill out a form, you put your name on it and we'll follow up," Whitener said.

Another key is competent people willing to do the work.

But don't overestimate your competency, Meisner warns. Periodic financial, legal, physical

and operation audits are necessary.

"They should have a good, experienced condominium attorney and a condominium CPA," Meisner said.

St. Martin and Godbout both admit that it would be more difficult to self-manage larger, attached condominium commu-

nities with pools, clubhouses and other amenities.

Whitener, however, believes that the proof is in the doing. It takes know-how and desire, she said.

"All of the people on this board are competent and capable," she said. "I don't do it all myself."

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## Respect water heater

(NAPS) - Would you remember if you had a bomb in the basement? Probably, but many people forget how potentially dangerous their water heaters can be.

If they explode, many water heaters possess enough stored energy to launch themselves right through the roof. Luckily, protective measures can greatly reduce your accident risk.

To keep your water heater operating safely, here are some common safety questions, answered by the National Board of Boiler and Pressure Vessel Inspectors.

ever, safety devices installed on water heaters help minimize the risks.

The most important safety device found on any water heater is the combination of temperature and pressure relief valve. The valve is designed to relieve the pressure in the water heater due to high temperature or high pressure.

**Q: Can steam be produced in a water heater?**

**A:** While not impossible, it is improbable. The most dangerous condition which can exist is water exceeding 212 degrees Fahrenheit while still pressurized.

**Q: What happens if the water heater ruptures?**

**A:** Upon a malfunction of the operating and safety controls, the water temperature can exceed 212 degrees F. A rupture in the pressure-retaining material will result in a tremendous release of energy (an explosion), causing severe property damage and possibly injury and loss of life.

**Q: I don't have a boiler in my home, why should I be concerned?**


**A:** Although not classified as a boiler, the domestic water heater found in every home technically fits within the criteria listed above. Explosions involving water heaters generate enough impact (energy force) to lift a house off of its foundation.

**Q: Are water heaters dangerous?**


**A:** When installed improperly or operated improperly, the potential for danger exists. How-

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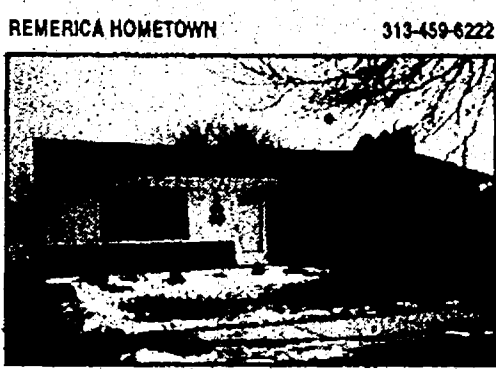
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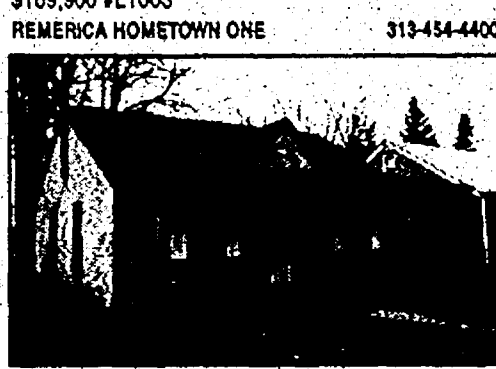
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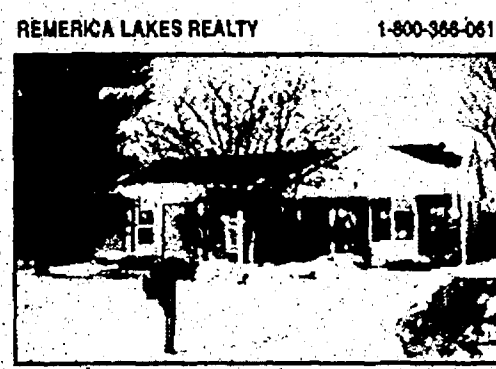
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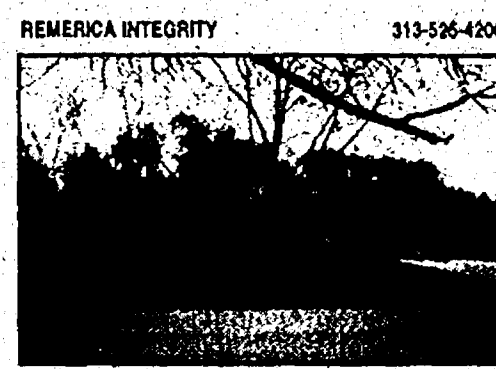
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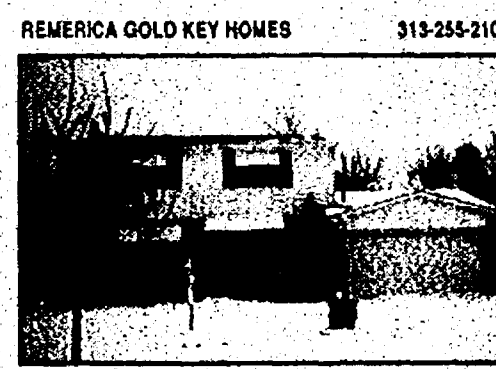
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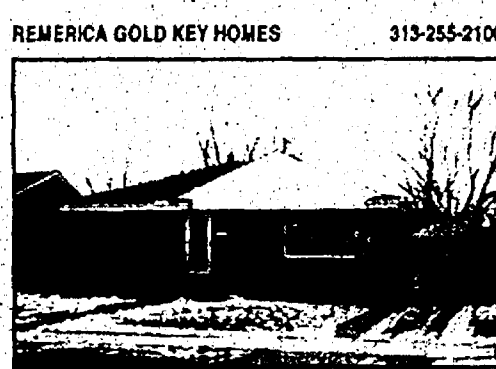
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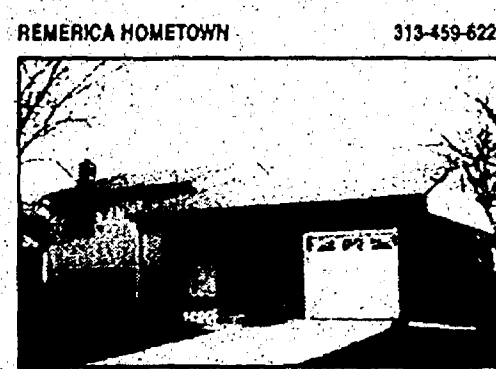
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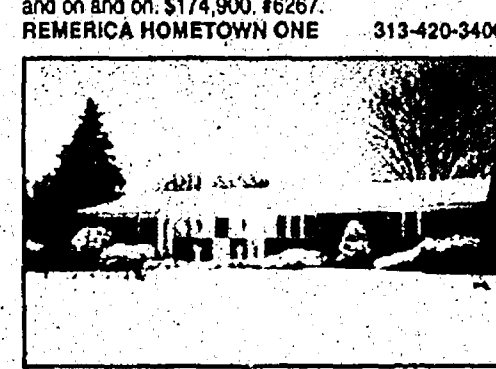
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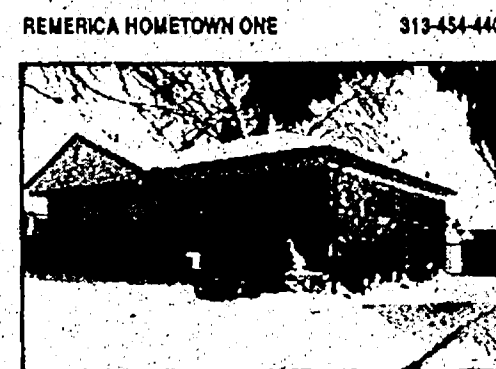
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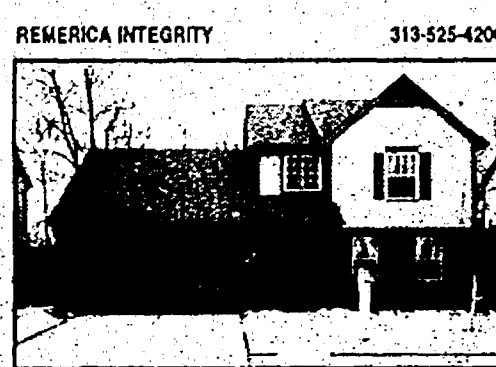
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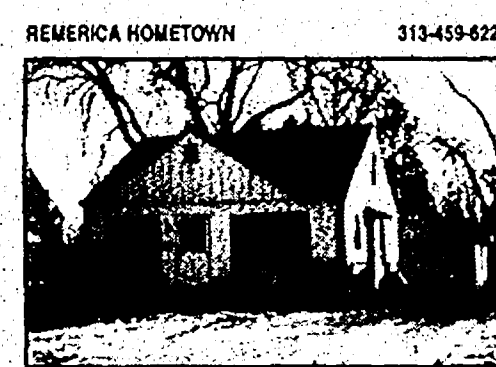
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# Plan for your mortgage loan and save big

## MORTGAGE SHOPPING



DAVID C. MULLY

For many people, a home is their most valuable asset and requires the use of mortgage financing. The quality of the mortgage loan and many of the early decisions related to the loan can have a substantial effect on the cost of the home. The industry has evolved in a way to ensure that lenders' interests are protected, but in most mortgage transactions there is not a mortgage loan professional.

George Fox, the executive director of the National Association of Mortgage Planners states that members of "our association are contractually bound with a fiduciary responsibility to the borrower. The association acts as the certification authority for the industry designation of

Certified Mortgage Planner. CMPs must be trained and pledge to uphold our code of ethics. NAMP also has standardized "The Borrowers Exclusive Representation Agreement," which details the duties the CMP has to the borrower, for which they are paid a fee."

Fox is a proponent of educating the consumer about the lending process. "Most people buy the house, then the mortgage. It should be the other way around," Fox said. Borrowers should interview prospective mortgage companies. "If you don't like the answers you are getting to your questions, go somewhere else."

Fox recommends first taking a financial inventory and review your prior two years of earnings. Get a copy of your own credit report. To find out how to obtain a copy of your credit report, contact the following credit reporting agencies: Equifax (1-800-685-1111), TRW (1-800-628-7654) or Trans Union (1-800-916-8800). Look at your credit worthiness through the eyes of the lender

and determine how much money you should borrow.

Investigate any tax consequences that may arise from your planned purchase. Many CMPs are part financial planner and can help you through this process. The borrower should then be able to determine a range for the amount of a loan and then stick with it.

Ask for a letter stating that the charges outlined in the "good faith estimate" will be the actual charges at closing, except for those charges that will be prorated (i.e. taxes and interest).

Look out for extra charges that seem as through they should be part of the loan processing fee. Don't be afraid to ask how to avoid them.

Find out if they will transfer your file if you decide to go with another mortgage firm. You don't want to be held hostage by your loan information file.

It's a good idea, too, for you to hire an appraiser acceptable to a number of mortgage firms. If the appraisal is for the lender and

not you, another institution may not be able to use it. That means you might have to pay for it again.

Ask to have the "good faith estimate" updated at 14 days, not at seven days before closing to allow for early detection of unexpected fees.

Make sure that you receive a HUD 1 closing statement 24 hours in advance of settlement, not at closing. This allows time for corrections and keeps you from being pressured in the closing. Request that the lender provide you with a pre-qualification letter that states you are approved for a mortgage loan based on the potential property having an acceptable value, but without disclosing the amount of the loan for which you are approved. This will protect your ability to negotiate, if a seller should require proof of your pre-qualification.

Ask if you can see the lender's wholesale rate sheet. They may not let you, but it doesn't hurt to ask. You have a legitimate right

to know how much you are paying for the loan and how much you are paying for the processing of the loan. Find out how the lender will handle a rate change. If rates go down, will you get the better rate? Conversely, will they lock a rate for you? If you lock a rate, get a copy of the rate lock. Allow seven days beyond the expected closing date for the expiration date of the lock. That way, if there is a snag and closing is delayed, you don't lose your locked rate.

Avoid big purchases once you apply for the loan. They could cause you to become ineligible for a loan.

Keep copies of all the information in the lender's file and keep it in a separate file that you control. This can protect you if you end up changing lenders or if the lender's file is lost or destroyed.

Require that the lender keep all information in the file confidential. The appraiser, the seller

and/or agents for either should not be permitted to know any details contained in the file. This protects you in possible future negotiations that may arise in completing the sale of the property.

Also, the appraiser should not know the contract price of the property so that there is no outside influence on the valuation.

David Mully has been researching mortgage lenders for more than 10 years. He shares his most recent findings every week in this column. Mully welcomes readers to contact him for a free consultation. As part of his ongoing research, any feedback from homeowners about their experiences (good and bad) with mortgage lenders is welcome. To call him, dial 1-800-405-3051, or fax him at 1-810-380-0603 or email him at maxwell11@juno.com. You can find previous mortgage articles at <http://www.observer-eccentric.com/realstate/mully>



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**Mortgage seminar**

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Reservations suggested at (810) 968-1800.

**Builder's license training**

Builder's Training Services offers a pre-exam builder's license training program 6-10 p.m. March 4, 6, 11 and 13 at the Clawson Troy Elks Club on Big Beaver Rd. east of Rochester Road.

The same class will be offered 6-10 p.m. March 3, 5, 10 and 12 at the Livonia Elks Club on Plymouth Road between Middlebelt and Merriman.

Association sponsors a program on women in real estate 7 p.m. Tuesday, March 4, at the Southgate Holiday Inn, 17201 Northline one block east of I-75.

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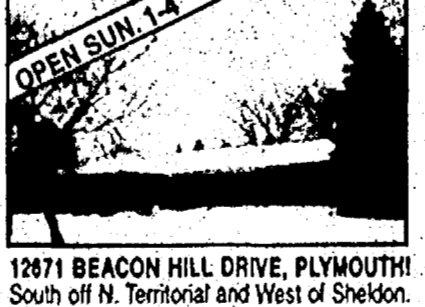
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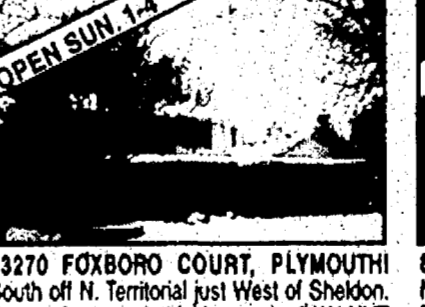
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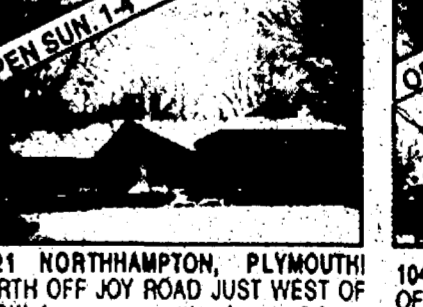
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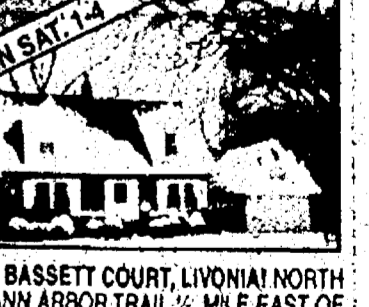
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# Service brings homeowners and tradespeople together

Consumers should begin looking for spring and summer remodeling help now, advises Contractors Central, a Bloomfield Hills firm that brings service providers and customers together.

Contractors Central provides free referrals to consumers from a pre-screened data base of contractors and tradespeople. All of the contractors have been checked for appropriate licenses, insurance, work history and consumer references.

"My partner and I have both needed home remodeling professionals in the past," said Suzanne Anderson, co-founder of the firm.

"With the high number of housing starts and the strong demand for Michigan construction professionals, it is really difficult to find good, reliable tradespeople who commit to giving prompt and excellent service. So we decided to do something about it."

Anderson and her partner, Kathleen Norton-Shock, started their business about nine months ago and currently have about 50 contractors in their database. Some 200 consumer inquiries have been fielded.

"A contractor pays a membership fee, but we only accept those that can be screened," said Norton-Shock. "We ask for a minimum of three to five references, and we explore, ourselves, further."

Carpenters, electricians, glaziers, painters, plumbers and drywall professionals can be referred on a rotation basis.

"Our contractors in some ways self-select," Norton-Shock said. "They have geographic preferences. Obviously, they have specialty preferences. Some people want to take smaller jobs, others larger."

"We have contractors north, south east and west," she said. "We're now going all over."

When consumers call Contractors Central, (800) 882-8855, they reach a staff member who elicits as much information as possible about the potential job.

The staff member matches an appropriate contractor to the project and ensures that both parties are in touch with each other promptly.

Every consumer who uses a Contractors Central referral is inter-

viewed when the job is finished.

"This follow-up enables our contractor members to improve their operation," Norton-Shock said. "Most are quite concerned about what clients think, but not all feel comfortable asking. We can do that for them."

Periodically, Contractors Central publishes a free newsletter to past consumer clients profiling contractors and providing tips on home repair, remodeling or renovation projects.

"We also provide our contractors additional business assistance - a newsletter addressing small business topics not necessarily in their fields of expertise," Norton-Shock said.

"We also are beginning a series of seminars for our contractors oriented to other areas of business development," she said.

Contractors Central is at least the second free contractor-referral service in the area. Home Advantage, (800) 733-3778, is based in Livonia.

# Fannie Mae helps you buy a home

BY JAMES A. JOHNSON

(NAPS) - It may come as a surprise to some, but the top three barriers to home ownership are a lack of information, not enough funds for the down-payment and discrimination.

Many renters don't know what they need to know to buy homes - or where to find out. Less than a third of young renter households have the cash for a ten percent down payment or closing costs.

Fortunately, there are five factors working together for the first time that could trigger record rates of home ownership.

• First, industry changes have lifted limits on mortgage capital.

• Second, the current interest rate environment is very favorable from an historic standpoint, and coupled

with modern home price inflation those with increasing income are getting closer to achieving home ownership.

• Third, emerging technology is cutting closing costs.

• Fourth, America has the laws and the will to end discrimination.

• Finally, the demographics, a growing pool of new immigrants and aging baby boomers.

What needs to be done now is to open up low down payment mortgages, lease purchase and sweat equity. We can do more to serve immigrants, from translation of consumer education materials to diversity hiring. We can let senior home owners tap the equity in their homes and improve their quality of life by taking out a reverse mortgage. We should continue to develop new technology that will eventually lead to lower costs, perhaps free-up IRAs to

be used for down payments.

## Free brochures

To learn more about home ownership, call the Fannie Mae Foundation at 1-800-688-HOME (Spanish speakers can call 1-800-782-2729) for free booklets in seven languages on the home buying process.

• Mr. Johnson is Chairman and CEO of Fannie Mae, the largest source of home mortgage funds. Fannie Mae finances one in every five new mortgages in the country. Johnson's new book, Showing America A New Way Home: Expanding Opportunities for Home Ownership (Jossey Bass, Inc., \$25) has been called "a blueprint for how to take down the walls that keeps would-be home buyers from realizing the American dream." It can be found at local bookstores.

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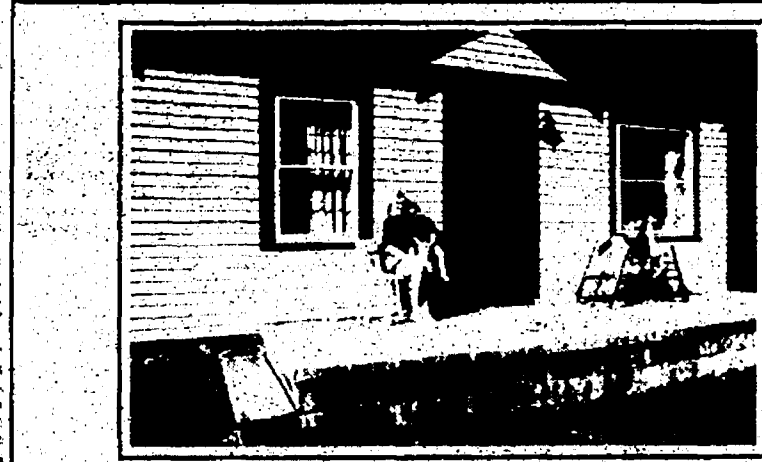


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# 1996 Renovation is a Sensation!



On Friday, September 20, 1996, sixty-three volunteers arrived at the home of a young Farmington family for the Third Annual Home Renovation Project sponsored by the Public Relations Committee of Western Wayne Oakland County Association of REALTORS® and Farmington School's Head Start Program.

The project was the final result of many months of hard work by the committee. It was made possible only through donations of time, effort, money, and materials from local businesses and corporations. These businesses saw this community endeavor as a worthwhile project to help a family. And help they did, from roofing supplies to bathroom flooring, garage doors and siding to bathroom faucets and landscaping. The committee is already gearing up for their 1997 project, to be held Friday, September 19. Contact Denise at the WWOCA offices (810)478-1700 to get involved!

From everyone at the Public Relations Committee at the WWOCA, we extend our sincere appreciation to everyone who had a part in making the Third Annual Home Renovation Project a reality.

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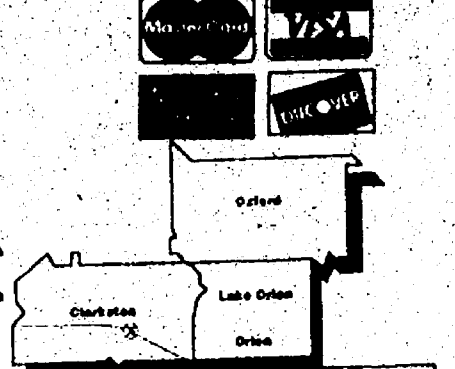
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**Beaumont - Great business opportunity.** Taking action with six beds, possible nail salon use. Assumable lease. Nice location, next to Powerhouse Gym. Start your own business today! \$90,000 (10056) 981-3500

**Vacant Land - Wayne** Great location. High traffic volume. In downtown Wayne near new library. Great potential, with multi use! Small manufacturing, office, retail, wholesale, research, build height 30 ft. \$25,000 (50132) 981-3500

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Needed part time for rapidly growing reading center, will train in multi-sensory reading method. Management opportunities. Send resume to: P.O. Box 951, Hunter, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48304.

**500 Help Wanted General**

**TOOL & DIE POSITIONS**

Available for the following: • Mechanical Grinder, Wire EDM, Surface Grind, 401(N) & health insurance available. Apply at: 4985 Bellevue Rd., Canton.

**TOOLMAKER/MACHINIST**

A research and development center, for a worldwide leader in the design and development of ball and roller bearings has an opening for a Toolmaker/Machinist

We are looking for an individual with a precision mechanical background, for a worldwide leader in the design and development of ball and roller bearings has an opening for a Toolmaker/Machinist

We offer a competitive salary and benefit package. Please send your resume and salary history to: NTN Bearing Corporation, 23336 N. Hwy. Dept. 3950 Research Park Drive, Ann Arbor, MI 48108. An Equal Opportunity Employer

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Experienced mechanic needed to perform wide range of repairs and preventive maintenance on 2nd shift. Contact Bob West at (810) 549-8377 or Fax resume to: (810) 449-1801

**TUTORS - PLYMOUTH AREA**

Part-time, afternoons, evenings & Saturdays. Very flexible hours. Send resume to: Tutoring Services, 23336 N. Hwy. Dept. 3950 Research Park Drive, Ann Arbor, MI 48108.

**TYPESETTER** with own equipment or take over existing business to work out of print shop. Be you own boss. Good customer base already established. Call (313) 261-5460 or Fax to (313) 261-2781

**TYPEWRITER/FAX TECHS**

We currently have 2 openings for typewriter/fax technicians. IBM, Xerox and Olympus experience preferred. BPI provides excellent compensation including a health package and 401K plan. Send resume to: BPI INFORMATION SYSTEMS, 23875 Northwestern Hwy., Southfield, MI 48075. Attn: Mr. Tan Swerney

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**UNHOLSTERER - FULL TIME**

Experience necessary. Benefits available. Apply in person at: Concept Furniture, 30940 Industrial, Livonia (Middlebelt & I-96)

**UNHOLSTERER SEWER** needed, part time 20-30 hrs/wk. Apply in person - Concept Furniture, 30940 Industrial, Livonia, (Middlebelt & I-96)

**WAREHOUSE 2ND SHIFT**

Shipping Department  
Lift at least 50 lbs. work in variable temperatures (depending on season). Good math and reading skills required. Starting time 4 PM. Starting pay \$8.15. Hour 90 days \$9.00. Employment drug test. Send resume to: BPI INFORMATION SYSTEMS, 23333 Commerce Dr., Farmington Hills, MI 48333-2764.

**WAREHOUSE WORKER** - afternoon hours. Good pay. Send resume to: Concept Furniture, 30940 Industrial, Livonia, (Middlebelt & I-96) or call Alana 810-553-1936

**500 Help Wanted General**

**POLISHER/JEWELER**, experienced needed for Southeast Michigan jewelry manufacturer. Benefits. Resumes to: P.O. Box 9154, Farmington Hills, MI 48333-9154

**PORTER/UTILITY TECHNICIAN**

Must be ICAAR certified. Apply at: 42300 Ann Arbor Rd., Plymouth

**500 Help Wanted General**

**PURCHASING AGENT**

Must have experience in purchasing computer equipment for prototype and production builds. Must have a technical background and a take-charge, make it happen attitude! Call for an interview. The company is located in Farmington Hills. LIVONIA, 313-266-8600

**RENTAL SPECIALIST** to assist our clients find apartments, townhouses, or rental homes. Must have real estate license, own vehicle, and transportation. Call 1-800-862-1950

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**REDECOORATION PERSON**

For large Farmington Hills apartment community.

**MULLENWOOD**

Management Office  
35555 Mulford Dr.  
Farmington Hills, MI  
N.W. corner of  
Grand River & Grata

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**RECYCLERS**

Water Bottle Supplier  
Plymouth Canton, MI  
Days/Afternoon Shifts  
Apply 9-11am & 1-3pm  
34717 Ford (E. of Wayne)  
Picture ID required. No unlicensed INTERIM PERSONNEL

**CONFIDENTIAL** well groomed assertive person to manage front desk operations of Bloomfield Hills business. Job duties include: • Business/Retail/Marketing background • Excellent communication & organizing skills • Availability, afternoons, evenings, weekends. Positive attitude. As a valuable member of this professional team, salary is negotiable, health and retirement benefits are available. Call (810) 642-2882 or fax resume to (810) 642-7687.

**SCHEDULER** - needed immediately, temporary position 8:15-10:15. Detroit area manufacturing warehouse facility. Gene Stone, Executive Recruiter, 5000 W. 13 Mile, Suite 200, Farmington Hills, MI 48333-9154. Fax (313) 882-8006

**500 Help Wanted General**

**SHIPPING/RECEIVING CLERK**

Looking for a self-motivated, reliable person for full-time employment. Must have some computer experience, be detail oriented, able to work alone & very self-motivated. Please send resume to: Veniura Systems Incorporated, 1100 Owendale, Suite F, Troy, MI 48063, or fax to (810) 524-0669

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# EMPLOYMENT

## 502 Help Wanted-Office Clerical

**ACCOUNTING/ADMINISTRATIVE**  
Edward Rose & Sons, a large property management firm located in Farmington Hills seeks to fill the following positions:  
**ACCOUNTS PAYABLE** - Position requires an aggressive individual with experience in a manual accounts payable system. Degree and knowledge of property management helpful but not necessary. Direct resume to Accounting Manager.  
**ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE** - position requires an experienced accounts receivable individual with a desire to learn and familiarity with property management. Knowledge of property management and degree helpful but not necessary. Direct resume to Accounting Manager.  
**DATA ENTRY** - position requires an individual with immediate entry level opening. Opportunity for advancement.  
All resumes should be sent to: P.O. Box 9154, Farmington Hills, MI 48333-9154

## 502 Help Wanted-Office Clerical

**ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT**  
Interact with the design community. Design center showroom seeking Administrative Assistant with accounts receivable experience. Full-time. Call (810) 649-4960.  
**ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT**  
Auto Supplier, WordExcel Good communication skills. Temp to Hire, Plymouth Area. Must have resume. Please call 313-721-6515 for interview.  
**ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT**  
National insurance agency is looking for an Administrative Assistant to assist with proposal generation & agent support. Property casualty & life insurance. Send resume to: Marketing, Prudential, 295 Krys, Troy, MI 48064. Fax: 810-269-5031

## 502 Help Wanted-Office Clerical

**ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANTS NEEDED**  
Looking for experienced professionals with a variety of word processing skills. Immediate opening available with competitive wages and benefits. Resumes needed for today for an immediate interview.  
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(313) 525-0330  
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**ASSISTANT**  
Needed for busy real estate agent. Must be able to handle a variety of tasks. Need computer skills. \$8.50 to start. Hours: 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM. Call (313) 464-7111 or fax out application or mail resume to: Century 21 Row, Attn: Yoshiko Fujino, 37172 Six Mile, Livonia, MI 48152 (Six Mile & Newburgh) or Fax to: 373-484-8713  
**ATTENTION: HOUSEWIVES, RETIREES & STUDENTS**  
Part time - FLEXIBLE HOURS and days available. Data entry, preparation of Purchase Orders and computer work. The Bench Mark in Downtown Farmington Hills. Contact Paul Goodman at (810) 477-8111  
**AUTO BILLER**  
Automobile dealership in need of auto biller. Experience helpful but not necessary. Competitive wages and benefits available. Apply in person at John Rogin Buick, 399 S. Wayne Rd., Wayne, (313) 729-2000

## 502 Help Wanted-Office Clerical

**BOOKKEEPER**  
Residential Building Company is seeking an experienced Bookkeeper/Accountant to join our growing firm. Responsibilities include assisting in all accounting functions with a strong emphasis in accounts payable. Please send your resume to: Controller, Ader Building & Dev. Co., 719 E. Grand River Ave., Brighton, MI 48116  
**BOOKKEEPING/SECRETARIAL**  
A/R, A/P and computer experience. Northville location. Pleasant non-smoking environment. Phone or fax resume: Peterson Window Corp. (810) 347-2400 Fax: 810-347-1520  
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Microsoft Office Package a Must  
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Excellent Benefits  
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**COMPUTER SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT**  
Expanding company needs access developers for many exciting projects. Work from home. Excellent benefits. Call (810) 661-7171  
**CONTROLLER**  
For construction co. in Novi. Benefits. Experienced only. 810-478-3303  
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Large corporation seeks qualified person for Credit Dept. Experience required, credit, accounts receivable, problem solving, computer oriented, collections & customer service. If you enjoy a challenge, we would like to hear from you. No phone calls, please. Send resume to: CREDIT MANAGER 21900 MELROSE SUITE 10 SOUTHFIELD, MI 48075

## 502 Help Wanted-Office Clerical

**DATA ENTRY**  
Accounts Payable  
Gain experience in the new department of a major financial institution. Some full-term positions available in Auburn Hills, Southfield and Dearborn.  
**COUSIN'S SUPPORT**  
Major careers in Wayne and Plymouth need your experience. Computer experience with MS Office preferred. Immediate temp to hire. Also afternoons and evenings. Call Leslie today  
Birmingham 646-7663  
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Advantage Staffing  
**DATA ENTRY**  
Computer skills necessary. Some phone ability. Full time position with benefits. Canton location. Send resume to: Dana Craig, Frank Stefan & Associates, 2200 Canton Center Rd., Suite 250, Canton, MI 48187, Attn: Barbara

## 502 Help Wanted-Office Clerical

**GENERAL OFFICE**  
Dependable, responsible person needed to do filing, typing & general office work. Please apply in person. 1647 Inlander Rd. Garden City  
**GENERAL OFFICE**  
Farmington of a busy machine shop. Pleasant phone personality. Computer data entry & accounts receivable experience helpful. Blue Cross & other benefits. Non-smoking office. Reply Mon-Fri., between 8am-4:30pm. (810) 478-7768  
**GENERAL OFFICE - Full-time**  
Equal to take calls on our Spanish speaking customers. Typing & good phone skills a must. Some computer work. Call Jeannette. (810) 477-6650 ext 104  
**GENERAL OFFICE**  
Full-time position for fast paced Farmington Hill executive office. Good customer service, organizational skills and word processing a must. Most of the day. Call anyone (313) 462-1313 or Fax resume to: 313-462-1374  
**GENERAL OFFICE**  
Immediate full time position available for individual to coordinate the office operations of a busy Machine Shop. Responsibilities include bookkeeping, invoicing, data entry. Send resume with salary requirements to: Fluid Machine 23435 Industrial Park Drive Farmington Hills, MI 48335  
**GENERAL OFFICE**  
Part time position available in our distribution dept. in our Belleville based marketing company. This position is 28 hrs per wk. Some weekend work required. A qualified candidate must have computer knowledge and a pleasant voice, get along well with others while handling various tasks. Please forward resume to: Randy at 1-800-550-5230  
Equal Opportunity Employer  
Male/Female/Handicapped/Vet

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**LEGAL SECRETARY**  
Experienced, for busy Birmingham firm specializing in litigation. Seeking Warm player with legal experience, excellent typing & organizational skills. Send resume, references & salary requirements to: Office Manager, 30700 Telegraph Rd., Suite 4475, Brighton Farms, MI 48025  
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Established St. Clair Shores Finance Co. (close to all major freeways) seeking Legal Secretary to support in house collection attorneys. Civil litigation or family law collection pleadings required. Must possess strong organizational, computer, and typing skills and be able to work in a fast paced environment. Excellent salary. 1-800-455-2524, Ext. 139  
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For high profile law firm. 2-3 yrs. experience. Must know Windows. Non-smoker. (810) 355-5535  
**LEGAL SECRETARY**  
Full time in Southfield position. Excellent salary. Must know Windows. Experience required with good organizational skills. Auto negligence background helpful. Excellent salary. 401k, health care. Send resume to: G.G.A., Attn: Adriana 28588 Northwest Highway Southfield, MI 48034 or Fax resume to: (810) 350-1066  
**LEGAL SECRETARY - Full time**  
equal position with Plymouth attorney. Will train, strong knowledge of Windows and MS Word a plus. Send resume to: Box #151, Observer & Electronic Newspapers 36251 Schoolcraft Rd. Livonia, MI 48150  
**LEGAL SECRETARY**  
For medium size Troy law firm. WP 5 1/2 for DOS and litigation background required. Plaintiffs work & 5 years experience. Excellent salary. 401k, health care. Send resume to: Powers Chapman, 2001 W. Big Beaver, Suite 204, Troy, MI 48064, Attn: Carol  
**LEGAL SECRETARY**  
For 23 attorney firm in Bloomfield Hills. Exceptional organizational skills required for insurance defense work. Salary commensurate with ability. Send resume and salary requirements to: Office Manager, 300 E. Long Lake Rd. Bloomfield Hills, MI 48304  
**LEGAL SECRETARY**  
For 2 partners at Troy law firm. Legal experience desired. Wonderful working environment. Pleasant working environment. Please fax resume to: Office Manager, 810-649-3175.  
**LEGAL SECRETARY**  
Full-time (8:30-5:00) 5 yrs. experience minimum. Good organizational skills. Windows, Microsoft Office, legal filing & procedures. Bloomfield Hills attorney. \$500 signing bonus after 120 days. Call: (810) 335-5220  
**LEGAL SECRETARY**  
For Southfield law firm to work primarily on Estate Plans with some Probate work. Minimum 5 years experience in those areas. Send resume to: Office Administrator, PO Box 215, Southfield, MI 48037-0215, or call: 810-355-5000  
**LEGAL SECRETARY**  
Full time secretary for St. premier in Southfield. Friendly. Friendly candidates with experience in malpractice litigation. Experience with appellate briefs is a plus. Applicant must have excellent typing skills. Salary commensurate with skill level & experience. Non-smoker. Send resume to: Office Manager, One Town Square, Suite 1400, Box 5068, Southfield, MI 48068-5068  
**LEGAL SECRETARY**  
Growth oriented law firm in Farmington Hills seeks Legal Secretary with at least 1 year experience. Call: (810) 469-1100  
**LEGAL SECRETARY**  
Injury, experience necessary. Non-smoker preferred. Computer literate. Send resume to: Jason, nice guy, (810) 355-4701  
**LEGAL SECRETARY**  
Immediate opening in a fast paced/corporate secretary. Legal experience required. Must possess strong Word processing skills. Excellent organizational skills. Send resume to: Laura Conroy, Howard & Howard Attorneys, 10000 Woodward, Suite 101, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48304 or Fax to: 810-645-1568  
**LEGAL SECRETARY**  
Midsize Southfield insurance defense law firm seeks Legal Secretary with 3 plus years legal secretary experience. Prefer individual with Michigan law degree. Excellent salary and benefits. Apply to: Firm Administrator, 4000 Town Square, Ste. 809, Southfield, 48075  
**LEGAL SECRETARY**  
Partner caliber Secretary needed for busy defense law practice. Must: Typing 90wpm, precise management of day system, positive attitude. Excellent salary & benefits. Reply to: Box #1576, Observer & Electronic Newspapers 36251 Schoolcraft Rd. Livonia, MI 48150  
**LEGAL SECRETARY**  
Part-time, 3-4 days/wk. Farmington Hills law office. Qualified, experienced. 810-932-0100, ext. 339  
**LEGAL SECRETARY**  
Small Birmingham law firm. Computer, good organizational skills, excellent in real estate law necessary. WordPerfect 7 helpful. Send resume to: T. McWilliams, 30200 Telegraph, Ste. 467, Brighton Farms, MI 48025, or Fax: (810) 544-2941  
**LIMO SERVICE** seeks office help. Customer service and computer skills. Send resume to: 4772 Tara Ct. W. Bloomfield, MI 48323.

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If you are available immediately, and willing to work as an Accountants One TEMP, while continuing to pursue a new permanent job, call for an appointment or stop by for an Open Registration any Thursday or Friday, 9:00am to 1:00pm. Bring your resume and allow time for testing. We also provide full permanent placement services, and give first priority to our Temp. All placement fees are paid by your new employer. The only cost to you is your time. Call for directions:  
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**ACCOUNTING SUPERVISOR**  
Plymouth mfg. co. seeks experienced individual to manage AP & AR departments, maintain bank relationship & prepare internal reports. Excellent temp-to-perm opportunity. Salary commensurate with experience.

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Troy law firm seeks full time experienced legal secretary with WordPerfect skills. We offer:  
• Competitive Salary  
• Medical Insurance  
• Life & Disability Insurance  
• 401(k)  
• Paid Vacation & Personal Days  
Send resume with salary history to:  
Legal Administrator,  
801 W. Beaver Rd., Ste. 500  
Troy, MI 48064  
Equal Opportunity Employer

**LEGAL SECRETARY**  
Well established law firm seeking experienced legal secretary for our Southfield location. Experience in litigation/personal injury required. Must be organized and accurate, possess good communication skills and desire to work as a team member. Proficiency in WordPerfect 5.1 is crucial. Salary commensurate with experience. Upscale office environment. Please mail resume stating salary history/requirements to:  
Bernstein & Bernstein  
3000 Town Center, Suite 1801  
Southfield, MI 48075

**MARKETING & ADMISSION**  
Person needed.  
Computer experience a must.  
Call 313-337-8144

**MARKETING ASSISTANT**  
A Leading Door of Purchase Display Manufacturer is looking for an enthusiastic, detail oriented and energetic individual with excellent verbal/written communication skills. Benefits include Salary, Bonus, Health Insurance & 401K. Send Resume with Salary History to:  
TectAir Industries, Inc.  
24665 Halsted Rd.  
Farmington Hills, MI 48335

**MARKETING**  
Here is a new job you've always wanted. Clarkston location 20-30 hrs per week. Multi-office real estate firm provides all agency type materials. Looking for key support person to assist in purchasing, desktop publishing, etc. Macintosh/Quark Express a must. Excellent organizational skills mandatory. Contact Jennifer at 610-625-4287 ext 147 for more information.

**Prudential**  
Great Lakes Realty

**MEDICAL OFFICE RECEPTIONIST**  
Requires some office skills. Will train. 30 hrs/week.  
Box #1517  
Observer & Eclectic Newspapers  
36251 Schoolcraft Rd.  
Livonia, MI 48150

**OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR**  
Desired by small life insurance agency. Salary & benefits commensurate with experience. Computer, typing, accounting & closing experience required. Send or fax resume to: Kelly Title Co., 3100 Telegraph Rd., Ste. 215, Bingham Farms, MI 48025. Fax: (610) 626-1665

**Office administrator**  
Roush Industries is a Livonia based engineering company serving the automotive industry and other clients. Our noise and vibration engineering division has a position for a self-starter, responsible individual to manage the information flow in the front office.  
• General secretarial duties  
• Create and maintain spreadsheets  
• Maintain databases  
• EOE reports

**Department secretary**  
We also have a need for secretaries in other engineering departments.  
• Spreadsheets  
• Excellent phone skills  
• Good organizational skills  
Send resume with salary requirements  
Roush Industries  
11916 Maple, sales filing,  
Livonia, MI 48150  
313-591-1100  
fax 313-591-4333  
EOE

**OFFICE ASSISTANT**  
Full time for Canton area apartment complex. Morning, afternoon, general office. Send resume to:  
Office/Canton, P.O. Box 308, Southfield, MI 48037

**OFFICE ASSISTANT - General office**  
including basic bookkeeping knowledge. Must be computer literate. Experience in a retail environment. Accounting 313-525-4411

**OFFICE ASSISTANT/ BILLER**  
Full time for medical office. Experience preferred. 313-451-0070

**OFFICE ASSISTANT - full time**, computer, telephone, sales filing, good benefits. Please send resume or apply at Westvian Manor Retirement Community, 54061 Elmwood, Westland, MI 48185. EOE

**OFFICE ASSISTANT**  
This opportunity requires light typing and ability to perform clerical functions. He/she will handle mail, file folders, and answer phone. Full time position with choice of start time. Top

**Diversified Recruiters**  
810-344-8700 Fax 810-344-8704

**OFFICE ASSISTANT**  
30-35 hours per week, various responsibilities include customer relations, organizing bridal seminars, some reception, telephone, mailing, phones, etc. Livonia area. Call 313-422-8222

**OFFICE CLERICAL**  
Bloomfield Hills firm has positions requiring computer knowledge and excellent communication and organizational skills and the ability to work in a fast paced environment. Qualified candidates send resumes and salary requirements to: Sherry Hill, Personnel Manager, 26777 Telegraph Road, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48302 or call (810) 972-5660 Equal Opportunity Employer

**OFFICE CLERICAL**  
Competitive wages. Will train. Detroit area. (313) 859-2900

**OFFICE CLERICAL**  
National Home health care provider has a position open in its reimbursement department. Responsibilities include data entry, analysis, research & process billing & payroll adjustments. Able to work independently to solve accounting problems. Must possess good communication skills. Competitive wages & excellent benefits package. For immediate consideration fax resume to: (810) 352-7534 or mail resume to: Reimbursement Manager, 26777 Central Park Blvd., Suite 200, Southfield, MI 48078

**OFFICE CLERK**  
Part time position with busy Bloomfield Hills law firm. Variety of duties including light typing, data entry, filing, copying and deliveries. Must have dependable transportation. Flexible work schedule. Fax resume to: (810) 258-8745 or call Personnel at: (810) 258-8700

**OFFICE CLERK**  
This position will be responsible for A/R, purchase order entry, receiving inventory and light switchboard duty.  
If interested in a diversified position with good pay and benefits, please fax resume to: TKE Human Resources, (810) 489-5350, 26777 Telegraph Road, Suite B-12, Farmington Hills, MI 48331.

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answer phones, CPA firm. Benefits. Must resume to: A & V P, 30400 Telegraph Rd., Ste. 116, Bingham Farms, MI 48025. Fax: (610) 642-8187

**OFFICE HELP**  
needed, part-time afternoon shift, on Wed, Sat, and Sun.  
(810) 349-7120

**OFFICE HELP**  
With varied duties. Full time, mature, dependable person.  
(313) 525-0020

**OFFICE MANAGER**  
Automotive consulting firm seeking professional individual to manage staff of 8, daily office operations & maintain company computer system. Windows for Workgroup, Excel & WordPerfect 5.1 experience needed. Fax resume to: (810) 412-1248 or mail to 20700 Telegraph Rd., Suite 4566, Bingham Farms, MI 48025.

**OFFICE MANAGER STAFFING SERVICES**  
Challenging career opportunity with growing S. Mich. service for mature take charge individual. Responsibilities include: recruiting, interviewing, NESC workman's comp department. Corporate invoice management. Facility and benefits administration. Computer skills necessary. Salary, bonus and benefits.  
Contact: President, P.O. #1531  
Bloomfield Hills, MI 48012-1531

**OFFICE PERSON**  
FULL TIME  
For Diverse & Busy Position  
Looking for a good typist, filing experience, invoice experience & computer knowledge. New office in Westland.  
Call Tonia for appointment:  
313-641-1244

**KITCHEN GLAMOR**  
Part-time leading to full-time for in-house repair contractor. Immediate opening. Must have 3-5 years experience in all-around office work and be computer literate plus have good organizational skills. Excellent opportunity. Good wages & more.  
(313) 535-7660

**OFFICE POSITION** in Westland. Must have pleasant voice & enjoy taking with people. Students need computer training. Starting pay between \$5.50 & \$8.00 per hour. Professional office environment.  
Call Mrs. Golden, 1pm at:  
313-262-8502

**OFFICE / Route Driver**  
Monday thru Friday. Immediate opening. Good customer relations & general office help. Some evening route driving.  
(810) 353-8494

**OFFICE**  
We are an industrial distributor that is looking for a team player to handle multiple responsibilities including: Sales, Customer Service, Shipping & Receiving. We require good phone skills, the willingness to learn and a practical computer experience. This is a full time position including complete benefits. Please send or fax your resume to: Personnel Dept., 14600 Keel Street, Farmington Rd., Livonia, MI 48150. Fax 313-261-6250

**PARTS COORDINATOR**  
Spare/Repair Parts Coordinator needed to join our winning team. Seeking a self-starter with a proven record in receiving, heavy customer contact, order taking & follow-up if you are an energetic, enthusiastic, team player. Please send your resume to: Personnel Dept., P/MC Machinery Sales Inc., 14600 Keel Street, Plymouth, MI 48170. EEO

**PART-TIME OFFICE PERSON**, light clerical duties, some data entry. Compensation commensurate with experience. Night & weekends only. Position available in Dearborn. Newton Furniture located near 12 Oaks Mall. If interested call Sherry Robinson or Bob Corbitt.  
(810) 343-4500

**PART TIME** to assist clerical staff. Light clerical duties, some data entry. Computer experience required. Call Kay 914 (13 & Telegraph) 810-433-3399

**PAYROLL**  
Plymouth firm is seeking an experienced payroll clerk. Individual with strong PC and accounting skills. Full time position. Starting at \$10.00 per hour. Fax resume to: P.O. Box 50306, Southfield, MI 48153

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Full time responsible and dependable person to answer phones, perform clerical duties. Need word processing experience. Send resume to: P.O. Box 50306, Southfield, MI 48153

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Fast paced, friendly, motivated & detail oriented person for entry level position. Must be comfortable with computers and possess a friendly personality. Send resume with salary requirements to: UAI, 16680 Woodward, Dearborn, MI, 48154. Fax: 313-421-9155

**PERSONAL ASSISTANT**  
For local designer. Excellent communication skills and pleasant attitude a must. Scheduling appointments, design and office assistance. Will train.  
(810) 818-9475

**PLC TECHNICIAN**  
needed with a minimum of 1 year experience in component level repair of PLC's. Must be able to read and program ladder logic and peripheral controllers and peripherals located in Livonia, negotiable salary. Call today:  
SOUTHFIELD 313-268-8600  
SOUTHFIELD 810-352-1300  
AUBURN HILLS 810-377-7500  
TAYLOR 313-284-0777  
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Novel physical therapy office is seeking a mature, responsible individual with excellent communication skills to perform transcription, clerical, phone & light billing duties. Must be available 20-25 hrs per week. Send resume, Oakland Physical Therapy, PC, 47601 Grand River, B124, Novi, MI 48047, Attn: Teresa. Phone: 810-380-3550

**RECEPTIONIST**  
Bloomfield Hills 2-4pm, Mon-Fri, 8-hour. Excellent telephone skills. Some computer needed. Call Diane. (810) 647-0775

**RECEPTIONIST/CASHER**  
AUTO dealer has a position open for receptionist/cashier. Duties also include inventory control and light filing. Competitive wages and benefits. Send resume to: John Rogo Buck, 3939 S. Wayne Rd., Wayne, MI 48137

**RECEPTIONIST/CLERICAL**  
Self motivated, good phone & typing skills. WordPerfect. General office duties. Wages commensurate with Non-smoking office. Send resume to: Card, Ampco, Inc., 29590 W. 5 Mile, Redford, MI 48239.

**RECEPTIONIST**  
Corporate Headquarters needs friendly, outgoing, professional to assist with phone and perform light clerical duties at our Bloomfield office. Microsoft Word & Excel knowledge a plus.  
Call: (810) 351-3789  
or fax resume to: (810) 304-2698

**RECEPTIONIST**  
Creative, fast-paced advertising firm, located in downtown Detroit, (close to downtown) needs an energetic, outgoing receptionist/typist/accounting support person. Great opportunity for college graduate or re-entry into job market. Benefits, paid parking and chance for advancement. WOW us with your resume and portfolio. Send resume to: 11568 Russell, Plymouth, MI 48170

**CUSTOMER SERVICE**  
Fast-paced Livonia wholesaler seeks friendly, articulate individual capable of handling busy telephone system in general office setting. Must have excellent phone skills and customer service experience. Benefits include health insurance and 401K. Send resume to: P.O. Box 10106, Livonia, MI 48151-6624, ATTN: VP Administration.

**RECEPTIONIST**  
Days, Customer Service & Windows experience helpful.  
Call Lisa - M-F from 8:30am till Noon at:  
313-454-8686

**RECEPTIONIST** - Downtown law firm seeks reliable, cheerful, positive disposition individual. Answer phone, file systems, greet clients, light clerical. PC/WordPerfect experience helpful. Full time benefits. Resume Fax 313-961-8178 Send Attn: Office Manager, 1490 First National Bldg, Detroit, MI 48226.

**RECEPTIONIST**  
For immigration law firm in Farmington Hills. Must be organized & energetic. Must have excellent phone skills and be familiar with legal terminology. Fax resume with salary history to: Human Resources, 27260 Hagerty Rd., Suite A8 Farmington Hills, MI 48331

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**RECEPTIONIST/ PART TIME**  
Perfect for students or anyone else looking for part time work. Peachwood Inn has openings for part time receptionists. If interested apply at:  
Peachwood Inn  
355 W. South Blvd.  
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**RECEPTIONIST**  
Part-time, days. Immediate opening. Ask for D. Valle. (313) 432-7600

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Evenings for Farmington Hills Real Estate Office. Mon, Fri, 5pm to 8pm. Typing, filing, and customer service. Send resume to: Prudential Great Lakes Realty, 31000 Northwestern Hwy., Ste. 101, Farmington Hills, MI 48334, Attn: (810) 626-9100.

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**RECEPTIONIST**  
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Part Time - Sat & Sun Days  
Phonics, Some typing  
Ask for Dave Owens  
The Prudential Agent  
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**DIRECTOR OF OPERATIONS**  
Manage care company has current opening for director of operations. This position requires a highly motivated and analytical person to be responsible for operations. Must have experience in Medicaid as commercial manager.

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**MEDICAL ASSISTANT, Walled Lake area.** Full or part time, could time share, some experience required. Must be computer literate. For busy multi specialty practice, call Norma: 810-624-1528

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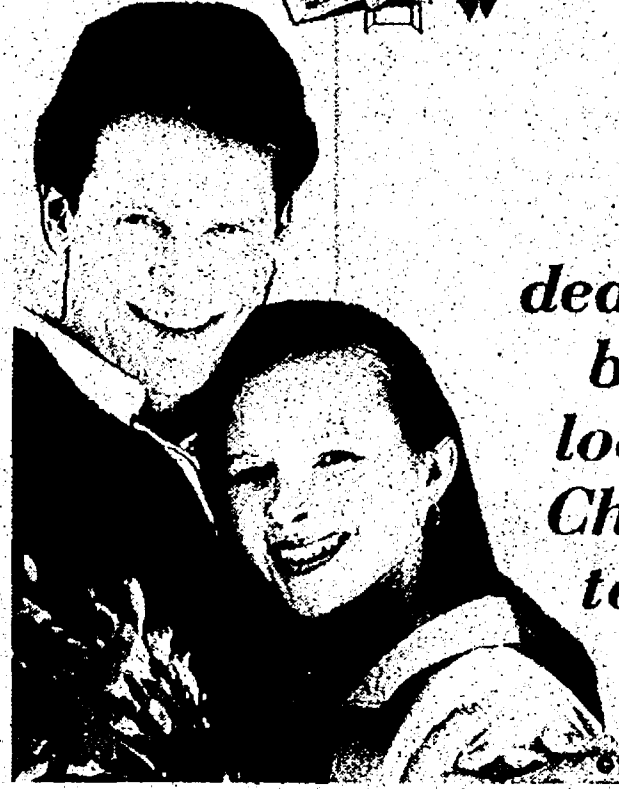
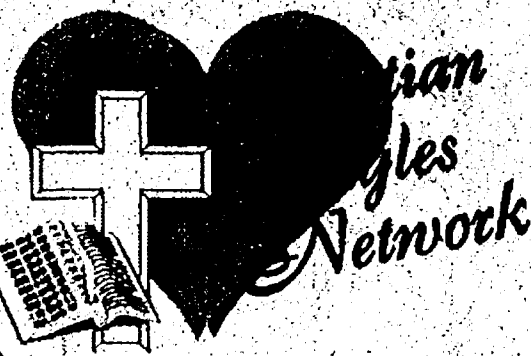
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Upbeat, humorous SM, 33, can be serious, smoker, enjoys golf, fishing, hunting, camping, seeks kind-hearted SF, for serious relationship. Ad# 3690

**GOES TO CHURCH**  
Bubbly SWM, 38, happy, easygoing, enjoys outdoor sports, hockey, seeks spirited, honest, religious SF. Ad# 6589

**BELIEVES IN GOD**  
SWM, 21, Catholic, black hair, brown eyes, nice, caring, blue-eyed blonde SF. Ad# 8381

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Protestant SBM, 33, sensitive, sincere, fun-loving, attends Christian activities, enjoys biking, writing poetry/songs, seeks sincere, honest, sensitive SF. Ad# 6433

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Religious SWM, 39, outgoing, attends Christian activities, enjoys travel, walks, quiet times, seeks honest, faithful, articulate SF. Ad# 8273

**ENERGETIC**  
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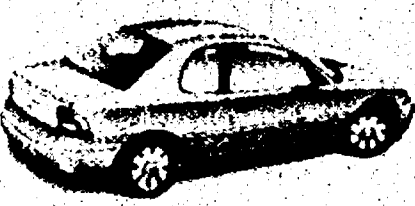
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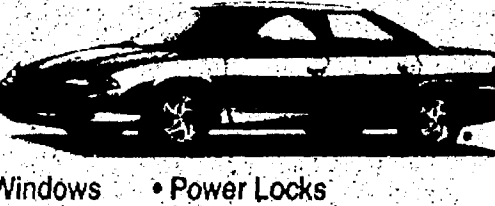
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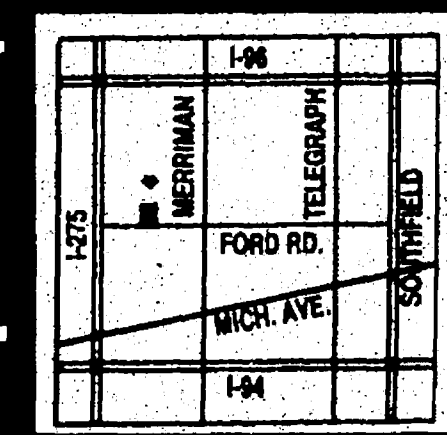
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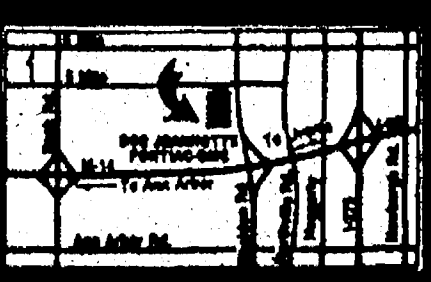
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**INFORMATION PACKETS:** Will be prepared by Sims-Varner and Associates and can be obtained at no cost between January 22, 1997 and February 19, 1997, from Sims-Varner and Associates, Inc. office. Contact Mr. Geoffrey Harrison, Tel: (313) 961-9000.

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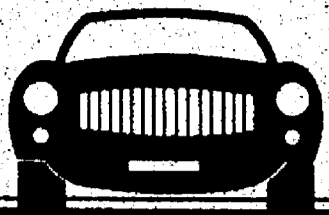
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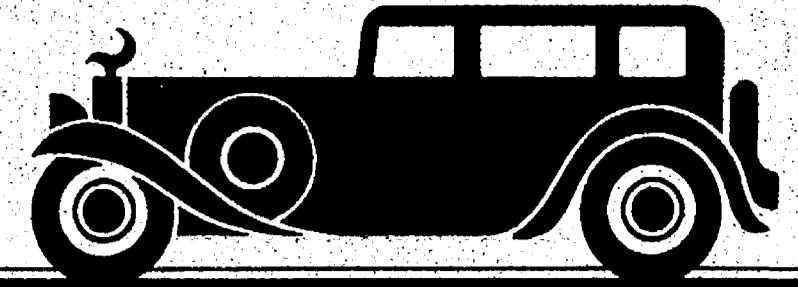
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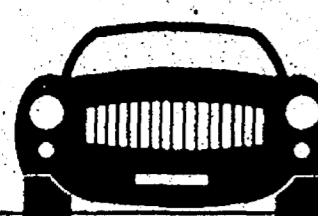
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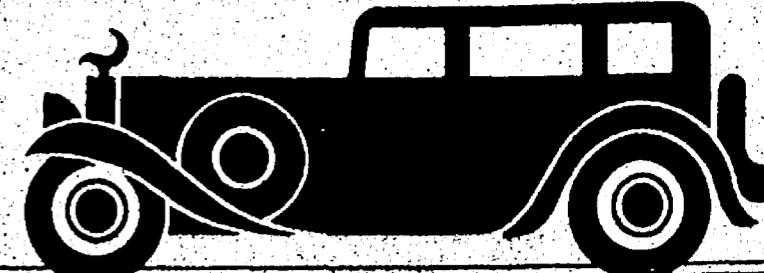
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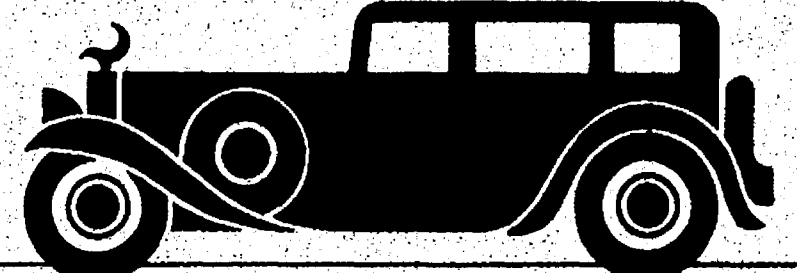
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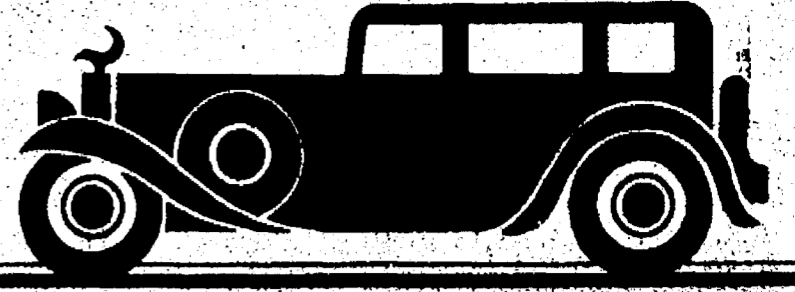
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