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Buddy walk: The Buddy
Walk to raise awareness
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City Park, behind City
Hall. Participants, who
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least \$15 in pledges, will
take part in a one-mile
walk at their own pace.

Toy show: The Westland Rotary Club sponsors a toy show, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. today, Sunday, at Joy Manor in Westland. Admission is \$3. Children younger than 12 get in free. Proceeds will benefit Rotary projects and charities. Joy Manor is at 28999 Joy, east of Middlebelt.

## **MONDAY**

Council meets: Westland City Council meets at 7 p.m. Monday in the second floor council chambers of Westland City Hall, Ford Road west of Wayne Road.

## TUESDAY

Planning commission: The Westland Planning Commission meets at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in council chambers at Westland City Hall, Ford Road west of Wayne Road.

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Turn off violence: The city of Westland will sponsor a "Turn Off The Violence" program 6:30-9 p.m. Thursday at the Bailey Recreation Center, 36651 Ford Road, behind Westland City Hall.

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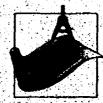
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# Developer's plan irks residents



More than 200 people have signed petitions opposing Salah Zubaidi's plans to build a gas station, convenience store and ice cream parlor, as Westland City Council members prepare to tackle the controversy Monday.

BY DARRELL CLEM STAFF WRITER

Westland residents are preparing to battle city planners and a businessman who wants to build a gas station, convenience store and ice cream parlor on the southeast corner of Middlebelt and

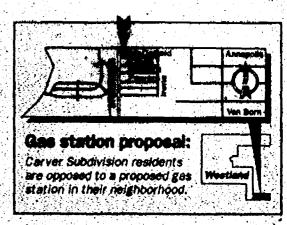
Annapolis.

More than 200 people have signed petitions opposing Salah Zubaidi's plans, as Westland City Council members prepare to tackle the controversy during a 7 p.m. Monday meeting at City Hall

Residents fear the 24-hour business would thwart revitalization efforts in Carver subdivision by attracting drug dealers and other troublemakers to the neighborhood, where new housing is going up for the first time in 25 years.

"New homeowners with school-age children are not going to be attracted by another service station," resident Sabrina Guyton, a mother of two, said in a statement. "Drug dealers, drug

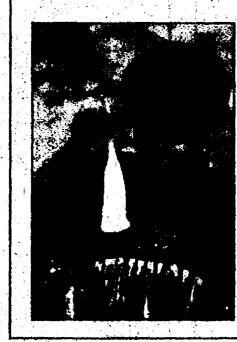
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## Oh, Ploneers



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Good old days: Above, Audrey Johnson, 3, of Plymouth tries to catch the hoop while playing with her mother, Janice, at the Pioneer days at Nankin Mills in Hines Park in Westland recently. The games were part of Games of Graces, which is a stick game with hoops. The day included games, carriage rides, cider and doughnuts. At left, Derrick Esposito, 8, of Westland makes a candle at the Pioneer Days at Nankin Mills recently.

# Police to collar truant students

BY DARRELL CLEM STAFF WRITER

Westland police officers Monday will start searching for truant Wayne-Westland students.

Middle school and senior high students caught skipping will be escorted in police cars back to school.

Police and school officials plan to launch the program after testing it late last school year on a pilot basis.

"Kids started talking about it right away last year, and that's what it takes," William Camp, executive director of secondary education, said Friday.

"The first time a police officer shows up and brings a kid to school, that has an impact," he said. "Other kids start thinking twice about skipping school."

Each day, John Glenn High School and Adams, Marshall and Stevenson middle schools can provide as many as three names per school of truant students that police officers will try to find.

"We'll go to their homes or places where they hang out," Westland police Lt. Marc Stobbe said.

Students who are legitimately absent will be left alone, but those found to be merely skipping class will be escorted to school.

Wayne police also are joining the anti-truancy program this school year, Wayne-Westland Superintendent Greg Baracy said in a letter to parents and guardians.

"The program will be expanded to include all Wayne-Westland secondary schools," he said.

Police and school officials say the

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# Boat business owner ordered to stand trial

BY DARRELL CLEM STAFF WRITER

A Westland boat-repair business owner, accused of running a criminal business, has been ordered to stand trial on felony charges.

Edward Connolly, 74, was ordered to stand trial after he voluntarily waived a preliminary hearing Thursday in Westland 18th District Court.

His decision to waive his hearing averted testimony and resulted in his case being sent to Wayne County Circuit Court for trial.

Connolly was arraigned on criminal charges Sept. 1 following a several-month police investigation prompted by customer complaints.

Customers told police their property was missing from Westland Marine, 8630 Middlebelt. Some reported being told their items were stolen during break-ins, police Sgt. James Ridener has said.

One man's entire boat and trailer came up missing, Ridener said.

Connolly faces trial on charges of conducting a continuing criminal enterprise, perjury, attempting to obtain money under false pretenses and malicious destruction of property.

The maximum sentence for any of the charges is 20 years in prison.

Felony charges surfaced after police executed search warrants at Westland Marine, Connolly's home in Howell and a warehouse he used in St. Joseph in southwestern Michigan, Ridener has said.

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# Head Start program faces changes next year

By Marie Chestney Staff Writer

Next July, change will hit the Head Start program run by Livonia Public Schools at Perrinville school, 33344 Ann Arbor Trail, Westland.

Right now, however, school administrators don't know what that change will be, or what it means for the future of the federally funded preschool child care program in Livonia, or in Head Start programs run in western Wayne County by the Wayne-Westland and Plymouth-Canton school districts.

"We'll try to sustain Livonia's program," said Robert Dietiker, director of the department of student services. "I can't guarantee there will be a program after July 1, 1999. There are too many

questions to make that kind of guaran-

Superintendent Ken Watson is more optimistic that Livonia's Head Start program, as well as other area Head Start programs, will find a way to continue after July 1.

But there's a good chance they will be run by another umbrella agency, and not local school districts, he said. And that concerns him.

And that concerns him.
"If it's run by someone else, they may

not have the same quality standards we do," Watson said. "They won't be working for us, so we would no longer have control over the program."

Livonia could wind up leasing space

Livonia could wind up leasing space now used by its Head Start program at

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## Playground project

Volunteers and donors are being sought for Playground Project '98.

On Oct. 16 volunteers plan to renovate the playground at Jefferson-Barns Elementary School in

The Western Wayne Oakland County Association of Realtors chose the playground as its annual project this year.

The work will include all types of work from installing playground equipment to sprucing up the landscaping. Work will begin at 8:30 a.m. and continue until it is completed.

tinue until it is completed,
Sponsorships of \$500, \$250 and \$100 are also being sought to help raise at least \$15,000 for the

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project

Jefferson Barns is at 32150 Dorsey, south of Cherry Hill between Venoy and Merriman. Rain date is Saturday, Oct. 17. RSVP to staff liaison Denise Bryngelson at (248) 478-1700 to receive a lunch.

## On display

Community residents are invited to display favorite collectibles and memorabilia at the William P. Faust Public Library of Westland. Display areas

include glass display cases and art display boards.

The library's display committee reviews applications for specific displays, which must meet an exhibit policy and be suitable in size, format and area of interest.

"The idea is to give our community and nonprofit organizations an opportunity to share interesting hobbies and useful information," Outreach librarian Marney Cooley said. We hope to get enough applications to feature a unique display monthly, preferably tied in to current interest topics or seasonal

Application forms and policy information can be obtained from the receptionist at the library during library hours.

Penel: State Rep. Eileen DeHart (center) and other members of a panel listen to and discuss proposed alcohol and tebacco policy. At far right, Paul Motz of the Westland Youth Assistant Program speaks.





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# Alcohol, tobacco plans draw support at hearing

BY BETH SUNDRLA JACHMAN STAFF WRITER

Proposed legislation that would get tough with merchants who sell alcohol and tobacco to minors drew support at a hearing in Westland Monday.

Calling alcohol and tobacco "gateway drugs," professionals in the health-care, education and law enforcement fields came out to speak in favor of the proposed laws at Westland City Hall Monday afternoon.

State Rep. Eileen DeHart, D-Westland, who is sponsoring one of the bills, chaired the meeting. Also included on the panel were Rep. Thomas Kelly, who represents Garden City and part of Westland, Wayne County Commission Vice Chair Kay Beard, who represents Westland and Garden City, and Wayne County

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Sheriff Robert Ficano. The proposals, a package of three bills, would include:

Increasing fines for merchants who sell tobacco or alcohol to minors from \$50 to \$700 for the first offense, \$1,000 for the second offense, \$1,400 for the third offense and \$1,400 for the

fourth offense: With the fourth offense in 24 months, the merchant is considered a nuisance. All of the store's furniture, fixtures and contents could be sold and the store could be closed for one

Parents would have the right to sue retailers for selling or giving children alcohol or tobacco. Parents could recover \$700 in damages, plus attorney fees and costs.

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the fines and from the sale of the store's fixtures, furniture and contents after the payment of costs, expenses and liens.

Paul Motz of Westland Youth Assistance said his agency supports legislation that would stop alcohol and tobacco use by young people.

The younger a person begins smoking the more likely they are to use harder drugs, Motz said.

As costly as this could be for offending businesses, the wellbeing of young people is more important, he said.

Kids can easily buy cigarettes and alcohol, and consider current enforcement "just a joke," according to Jeanne Knopf DeRoche of the Knopf Co. of Plymouth. The company conducts substance abuse prevention programs.

In a phone survey of police departments, 91 percent rated alcohol and tobacco enforcement as a four on a scale of one to 10, Knopf DeRoche said.

"We still have in this state an environment that encourages alcohol and tobacco use by minors," she said.

Very often young people are held responsible, she said. But holding the young people responsible for alcohol and tobacco use is like blaming fish for being killed in a polluted stream, she

If Michigan doesn't lower its non-compliance rate on sales of alcohol and tobacco to minors, which is at 26 percent, the state could lose \$21 million in block grant money, she said.

Connie Moore of Hegira prevention programs in Westland

and Wayne County Smoking and Tobacco Intervention Coalition said she supports legislation that would protect children from buying tobacco and alcohol until they are old enough to make their own decisions.

She read parts of letters from children from Redford and Canton who opposed smoking.

The kids raised concerns about tobacco availability, misleading advertising and use of tobacco by parents and siblings, she said.

Amy Rhode, a registered nurse at St. Mary Hospital in Livonia who works with smoking cessation programs in the schools, said the information she brings is no longer just for students to take home to their parents. The students want the information for themselves, she

Student attitudes are also lackadaisical about smoking, she said.

Jim Anuszkiewicz of the Washtenaw County Sheriff's Department said he has also noticed young people's attitudes. in arresting a 13- or 14-year-old, the teen is nervous not because of the crime he committed but because he's not going to have a cigarette for at least an hour, he said.

He called on lawmakers to make sure the law includes the resources to enforce it.

Paula Mack, a court administrator from St. Clair Shores. questioned which courts would be handling the violations.

The bills say the first offense would go to small claims court, but they are still in draft form,



Concerns: Jeanne Knopf DeRoche of the Knopf Co. of Plymouth addresses the panel Monday afternoon.

DeHart said.

Monthly.

Kelly said he hoped to help gain approval of the bills in the next six months.

While the bills have supporters, alcohol and tobacco lobbyists have a lot of influence, Ficano

"It's very important that your keep this up," he told the audi-

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## CITY OF GARDEN CITY

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Mayor and Council will hold a Public Hearing on October 12, 1998, at 7:25 p.m., in the Council Chambers, at the Civic Center, 6000 Middlebelt Road, Garden City, Michigan on the following proposed ordinance:

PROPOSED ORDINANCE #A-98-020

The City Council of the City of Garden City, in accordance with the City Charter and Labor Negotiations between it and the International Association of Fire Fighters (IAFF), hereby adopts and establishes the following salaries for its Fire Department employees for the period of October 1, 1997 through

THE CITY OF GARDEN CITY HEREBY ORDAINS: SALARY ORDINANCE: INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FIREFIGHTERS (LAFF) EMPLOYEES:

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Fire Fighters:				
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No experience 0-1 years experience 1-3 years experience 3-5 years experience Over 5 years experience	\$31,051 \$31,721 \$32,394 \$33,066 \$33,787	\$32,293 \$32,990 \$33,690 \$34,389 \$35,086	\$33,262 \$33,980 \$34,701 \$35,421 \$36,139	\$34,592 \$35,939 \$35,0 <del>6</del> 9 \$36,838 \$37,585
Comp. of Prob. Period	\$36,285	\$37,736	\$38,868	\$40,423
1 year after completion of Probationary Period	\$39,742	\$41,332	\$42,572	\$44,275
2 years after completion of Probationary Period	\$41,192	\$42,840	\$44,125	\$45,8 <b>90</b>
3 years after completion of Probationary Period	\$42,789	\$44,501	\$45,836	\$47,669
Fire Inspector	\$44,634	\$46,419	\$47,812	\$49,724
Engineer	\$45,058	\$46,860	\$48,286	\$50,1 <del>9</del> 7
Lieutenant: Start After one year	\$46,214 \$47,319	\$48,063 \$49,212	\$49,505 \$50,688	\$51,485 \$52,716
<u>Captain:</u> Start After ope year	\$48,553 \$49,660	\$50,495 \$51,646	\$52,010 \$53,195	\$54,090 \$55,323
Fire Marshall	\$57,735	\$60,044	\$61,845	\$64,319
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In addition to the above salaries established herein, fringe benefits agreed to at the bargaining table and made a part of the contract are affirmed and setablished as if set out in full.

> Mayor **ALLYSON M. BETTIS** City Clerk-Trussuzur

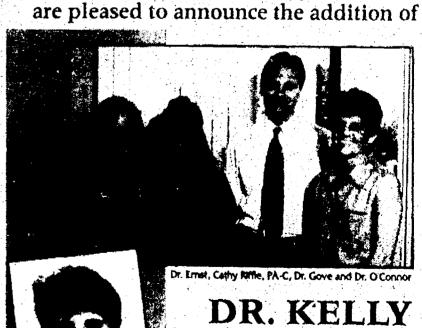
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Looks at books: Stacy Brown of Livonia looks at children books at the Westland's Community garage sale Saturday, Sept. 26, in the City Hall's parking lot.



## Garage sale benefits local groups

Garage sale vendors and bargain shoppers last Saturday fueled a successful community garage sale that raised money for two local organizations.

One-hundred vending booths marked a sold-out garage sale in a public parking lot next to Westland City Hall.

The event raised \$2,000 from booth rentals. The money will be split between two programs:

■ Westland Youth Assistance, which provides mentors and many services and programs to help troubled youngsters and

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their families.

■ Westland Therapeutic Recreation Club, which sponsors programs and field trips for mentally and physically impaired people of all ages.

"It went basically well," therapeutic club supervisor Margaret Martin said.

At one point it appeared that rain would dampen the fun.

"It spit on us for about 10 minutes, and

that made me a little nervous at first." Martin said. "But then the weather cleared up."

The latest seven-hour community garage sale followed a similar spring event that also benefited the two programs. Already, plans are under way for the next sale on

To make booth reservations and to choose a particular space, stop by the Bailey Recreation Center, 36651 Ford, behind Westland City Hall.

For more information, call (734) 722-7620.



Purchases: Chuck Winekoff, daughter Carla Orsette and granddaughter Caitlin Orsette, 5, all from Westland carry items purchased at the garage sale.



Shopping: Brinna Shipley, 6, (left to right), Brittany Shipley, 4, Aaron Stanley, 3, and Tyler Stanley, 5, with parents Wendy and Larry Stanley of Dearborn Heights look at cassette tapes and books.

## 1st citizen nominations sought

ere's a chance to give back to someone who has given of themselves to the com-

Nominations are now being accepted for the 13th annual First Citizen of Westland community service award.

The award will honor someone who has donated time and energy to one or more groups and has made an impact on the quality of life in the community generally or a segment of the community such as children, handicapped people or senior citizens.

The award will be announced in early November with the First Citizen to be publicly honored at a Westland Chamber of Commerce luncheon program 11:30 a.m. Tuesday, Nov. 10, at Joy Manor.

Anyone who qualifies can be nominated by the Friday, Oct. 23, deadline. Local residency isn't a requirement.

Nominations should include as much specific information on the impact the nominee has had as possible.

In past years the first citizens have represented a range of activities such as government, schools, business, scouting and recreation.

Past first citizens have included Joseph Benyo, Thomas Brown, Sam Corrado, Linda Pratt, Sharon Scott, Margaret Harlow, Sue Price, Dennis LeMaitra, Glenn Shaw and last year's winner Roopa Anand.

The award was initiated in 1986 by its cosponsors the Westland Observer and the Westland Chamber of Commerce.

## 1998 FIRST CITIZEN OF THE YEAR

NOMINATION FORM

Nominee: Name Title or Position Company/Organization **Business Address** State City

## Nominator (optional):

Signature of Nominator Printed Name of Nominator

Company Name

Purpose of the uward: The First Citizen of the Year Award was created to recognize a local person for outstanding volunteer community service. The winner will be honored at the Westland Chamber of Commerce Business Luncheon 11:30 a.m. Tuesday, Nov. 10, at Joy Manor.

■ Outline of Community Service, including the impact on the population group or persons served. Include length of time and offices held. Local res-

Mall to: Attn: Beth Sundrla Jachman Observer & Eccentric Newspapers

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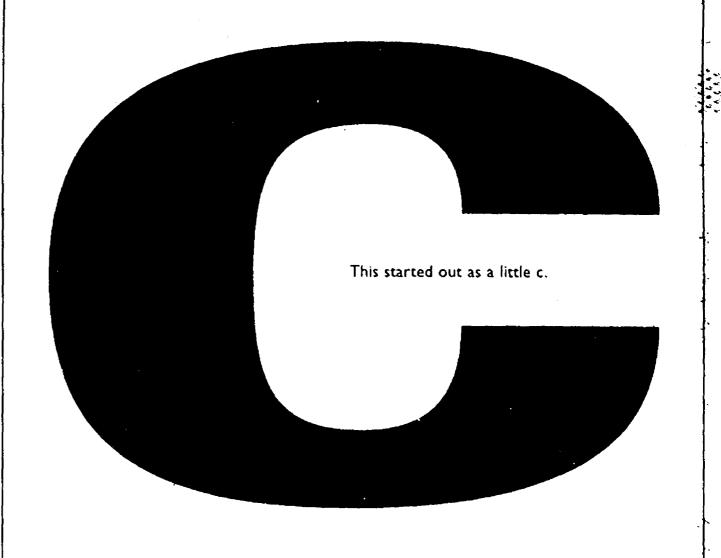
An investigation started prior to last Christmas and was led by the Metro Street Enforcement Team, which includes officers from Westland, Garden City, Wayne and Inkster.

Connolly's bond had been set at \$100,000, but 18th District Court administrator David Wiacek said the defendant was out of jail when he appeared in court Thursday.

Connolly couldn't be reached at home because he has an unpublished phone number. Calls to WestCOURT

land Marine were taken by an answering machine that asked callers to leave a name, phone number, concern and information such as an identification number for personal property.

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Perrinville to the new umbrella agency, he said.

Change of leadership

Wayne County's Regional Educational Service Agency (RESA) recently notified Livonia and other Wayne County school districts that, after June 30, 1999, it will no longer be the umbrella agency for Head Start programs operated in the county.

For 20 years, RESA has gotten a grant from the federal government to administer the popular and successful child care prograin in Wayne County.

Head Start families meet certain income guidelines set by the federal government. The preschool child care program is designed to give the children of lower-income families a "head start" in life through nutritional, health and educational services provided by the program. The program requires family involvement.

"They're getting out of the business completely, and laying off a significant number of people, drivers, teachers, parapros," Watson said.

No layoffs are yet planned for Livonia's program, Watson said. Sally Vaughn, RESA associate

superintendent for education and family services, said the decision to drop the program emerged from a committee of staff, parents and community members set up to see if RESA is the best agency to be running Wayne County's out-county Head Start program.

"Their conclusion was 'no' and it came as a jolt," Vaughn said.

"New regulations from Health and Human Services make it more difficult for an educational program to be the best (provider). Also, our main focus is on K-12 programs. With Head Start's 3,700 students we were spending time and energy on a wonderful program, but on one that didn't have a large enough impact on the entire district. We can't be all things to all people."

RESA's participation in the program is unusual when compared to other Head Start programs nationwide. Most are not run by school districts, but by such nonprofit agencies as family service groups and the YMCA.

Vaughn said RESA's program is one of just three run by school districts in the country. "It makes it an odd fit," she said.

A move is under way to bring all Head Start programs into the federal government's Department of Health and Human Services, and out of the educational realm, Watson said.

"It's up for grabs by someone," Watson said.

That someone could be Livonia if - and that's a big if - the federal agency allows several school districts to join forces to run a regional program such as RESA's, Dietiker said.

Livonia would be willing to take on the task of running such a limited regional program, he said.

However, if the federal agency demands that the programs be operated on a countywide basis, Livonia would not be interested in running a countywide program, he said.

## November date

Livonia should know sometime in November if it's eligible to run a regional program. If so, Livonia will apply for a grant to do so, he said.

Even if Livonia applies for a grant, it's unknown if the school district will get it. Dietiker said. "Right now, we don't know if we can be a player," Dietiker said.

"Now all we have are loads of questions: who will operate it? How will it operate? How will the quality of the programs be maintained? It's a complex issue, with many unanswered questions."

For years, Livonia ran its Head Start program at Bentley Center.

Because parts of the center were demolished this year, the program was moved to Perrinville. Livonia schools sunk more than \$100,000 into renovations at the former Livonia school to meet stringent rules and regulations set by the federal Head Start program.

Currently, 135 youngsters are enrolled at Perrinville. That number includes youngsters from both the Clarenceville and Crestwood school districts. Livonia has a cooperative agreement

with Crestwood. And many families in the Clarenceville district live in Livonia, making them eligible for Livonia's program.

When the new agency takes over next July, Vaughn said

most Head Start families won't notice any significant changes. "There are so many perfor-

mance standards set by the federal government that they would have to abide by," she said.

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anti-truancy program can help reduce crime, too.

"This type of program has had an additional benefit of reducing crimes committed by juveniles skipping school in many areas," Baracy said in his letter.

The program is one of several measures that school officials are implementing to make schools safer and to foster a positive learning environment. Other measures include:

A program in which police dogs assist in periodic locker and parking lot inspections at high schools. "The canine inspections are designed to occur in a short period of time in hallways, locker rooms and parking lots while students are in the classroom,"

Baracy said in his letter to par-

A zero tolerance policy on drugs and weapons, resulting in expulsions for student offenders.

New hotlines, through Westland and Wayne police departments, that accept anonymous tips about students involved with weapons, drugs or gang activity, Baracy listed the Westland number as (734) 467-7950 and the Wayne number as (734) 595-2683.

Baracy urged parents and guardians to discuss with children "the seriousness of the health and safety issues faced by all schools."

"It is my hope that by working together, we can continue to pro-

## Seniors to say viva Las Vegas

trip to Las Vegas are obviously optimistic. "Here we come to win big!" a flier states. The group leaves Nov. 1 and returns Nov. 5 for four nights and five days of fun. Seniors are to leave the Friendship Center at 6 a.m. Nov. 1 to catch their flight. Travelers

Westland seniors planning a will stay at the Golden Nugget in Las Vegas and get round-trip transportation for \$420. To get in on the fun, contact the Westland senior citizen Friendship Center at 722-7632. There is a \$75 cancellation fee for those who drop out before Oct. 16. No refunds will be made afterward.

CITY OF GARDEN CITY **PUBLIC HEARING AND** REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING SEPTEMBER 21, 1998

PUBLIC HEARING AT 7:00 P.M. Present were Mayor Barker, Councilmembers Dodge, Lynch, Kaledas, Briscoe, and Waynick. Absent was Councilmember Wiacek.

Solicitation of Public Comments on Ordinance to Amend Section 51.14, Chapter 51, Title V, of the Code, (Permits/Inspections of Connections into

a Public Sewer) Ordinance # There being no comments from the public, the Public Hearing was closed.

PUBLIC HEARING AT 7:04 P.M.

Present were Mayor Barker, Councilmembers Dodge, Lynch, Kaledas, Briscoe, and Waynick. Absent was Councilmember Wiacek. Solicitation of Public Comments on Ordinance to Amend Section

154.07(A), Chapter 154, Title XV, of the Code. (Swimming Pools) Ordinance #

There being no comments from the public, the Public Hearing was closed. PUBLIC HEARING AT 7:08 P.M.

Present were Mayor Barker, Councilmembers Dodge, Lynch, Kaledas, Briscoe, and Waynick. Absent was Councilmember Wiacek.

Solicitation of Public Comments on Ordinance to Amend Section 91.045 and 91.13 of Chapter 91, Title IX, of the Code (1996 Boca and National Fire Code) Ordinance #

e being no comments from the public, the Public Hearing was PUBLIC HEARING AT 7:15 P.M. Present were Mayor Barker Councilmembers Dodge, Lynch, Kaledas, Briscoe,

and Waynick. Absent was Councilmember Wiacek. Solicitation of Public Comments on Ordinance to Amend Ordinance 93-006, codified at Chapter 157, Title XV, Sections 157.01 through 157.02

and adding Sections 157.03, of the Code. (1996 International Plumbing Code Ordinance # There being no comments from the public, the Public Hearing was closed.

PUBLIC HEARING AT 7:20 P.M. Present were Mayor Barker, Councilmembers Dodge, Lynch, Kaledas, Briscoe,

and Waynick. Absent was Councilmember Wiacek. Solicitation of Public Comments on Ordinance to Amend Ordinance 98-009, codified at Chapter 160, Title XV, of the Code (Land Usage)

There being no comments from the public, the Public Hearing was closed. PUBLIC HEARING AT 7:23 P.M.

Present were Mayor Barker, Councilmembers Dodge, Lynch, Kaledas, Briscoe, and Waynik. Absent was Councilmember Wiacek.

Solicitation of Public Comments on Ordinance to Amend Ordinance 93-008, codified at Chapter 159, Title XV, Sections 159.01 through 159.99, of the Code. (1996 National Electrical Code) Ordinance #

There being no comments from the public, the Public Hearing was closed. PUBLIC HEARING AT 7:26 P.M.

Present were Mayor Barker, Councilmembers Dodge, Lynch, Wiacek, Kaledas, Briscoe, and Waynick. Absent none.

Solicitation of Public Comments on Ordinance to Amend Ordinance 93-007, codified at Chapter 158, Title XV, Sections 158.01, 158.02 and 158.05, of the Code. (1996 BOCA National Building Code) Ordinance #

There being no comments from the public, the Public Hearing was closed. PUBLIC HEARING AT 7:28 P.M.

Present were Mayor barker, Councilmembers Dodge, Lynch, Wiacek, Kaledas, Briscoe, and Waynick. Absent none.

Solicitation of Public Comments on Ordinance to Amend Section 150.02, Chapter 150, Title XV, of the Code. (Fences) Ordinance #

There being no comments from the public, the Public Hearing was closed.

REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING

Present were Mayor Barker, Councilmembers Dodge, Lynch, Wiacek, Kaledas, Briscoe, and Waynick. Absent none. Also present were City Manager Bayless, Deputy Treasurer Smith, City Clerk-

Treasurer Bettis, and City Attorney Salomone, Building Inspector Dodson, Parks and Recreation Director Whitson, Fire Chief Hines, Assistant to the City Manager Miller, Senior Adult Program Coordinator Stepanian, Deputy Police Chief Bertha, Community Center Supervisor McKarge, and Streets, Water and Sewer Supervisor Morton. >

The Mayor announced it was time for Public Discussion for items not on the agenda.

• Ed Hahn, of John Hauk Street, discussed dust control, dumping, noise, work hours, and downed fences pertaining to the DDA construction project.

Richard Grant, of Block Street, discussed water bills and the Excess Sewage Tony Graham, President, GCYAA, discussed a reimbursement of funds in the

amount of \$1,918.28 from their Carnival held May 7 through 10, 1998. •Mike Boca, discussed the CIP - landscaping of Maplewood median. ♦ Item 09-98-414 moved by Lynch; supported by Kaledas: RESOLVED: To

approve the minutes from the meeting of September 14, 1998. AYES: ◆ Item 09-98-415 moved by Dodge; supported by Waynick: RESOLVED: To approve the Accounts Payable for September 21, 1998, as listed AYES:

♦ Lien 02-98-416 moved by Lynch; supported by Briscoe: RESOLVED: To adopt Ordinance No. 98-016, an Ordinance to amend Section 51.14, Chapter 51, Title V, of the Code of Ordinances for the City of Garden City providing for the squance of permits and inspection of connections into a public sewer, collection of fees therefore; and repealing existing Section 51.14 of Chapter 51, Title VI of

the Code of Ordinances for the City of Garden City, AYES: Unanimous ♦ Ham # 28-417 moved by Lynch; supported by Dodge: RESOLVED: To adopt Ordinance No. 98-017, an ordinance to amend Section 154.07 (A), chapter 184, Title XV, of the Code of Ordinances for the City of Garden City providing for the issuance of permits for the construction, installation, or alteration of awimming pools, collection of fees therefore; and repealing existing Section 184.07 (A), Chapter 154, Title XV of the Code of Ordinances for the city of Garden City, AYES; Unanimous

♦ Item 69-61-418 moved by Lynch; supported by Dodge; RESOLVED: To adopt Ordinance No. 98-018, an ordinance to amend Sections 91.045 and 91.13 of Chapter 31 of Title IX of the Code of Ordinances for the City of Garden City opting by reference National Fire Codes and Standards as published by the National Fire Association and the 1996 BOCA National Fire Code; and repealing existing Sections 91,045 and 91,13 of the Code of Ordinances for the Cay of Garden City AYES: Unanimous

Many 40-411 moved by Lynch; supported by Dodge: RESOLVED; To adopt Ordinance No. 98-019, an ordinance to amend Ordinance 93-006, codified at Chapter 157, Title XV, Section (s) 157.01 through 157.02 and adding Section(s) 187.08, being the Plumbing Code of the City of Garden City to adopt by reference the 1996 Edition of the International Plumbing Code, regulation and

controlling the design, construction, quality of materials, erection, installation, alteration, repair, location, relocation, installation, alteration, or use of maintenance of plumbing systems in the City of Garden City; providing for the issuance of permits and collection of fees therefore; repealing Ordinance 93-006, codified at Chapter 157, Title XV, Section(s) 157.01 through 157.02 of the City of Garden City Code of Ordinances. AYES: Unanimous

♦ Item 09-98-420 moved by Lynch; supported by Kaledas: RESOLVED: To adopt Ordinance No. 98-020, an ordinance to amend Ordinance 93-009 codified at Chapter 160, Title XV of the Code of Ordinances for the City of Garden City, entitled "Land Usage" be amended, by amending Sections 160.01 through 160.03, adopting by reference the 1996 edition of the International Mechanical Code regulating and controlling the design, construction, quality of materials, erection, installation, alteration, repair, location, relocation, replacement, addition to, use of maintenance of mechanical systems in the City of Garden City; providing for the issuance of permits and collection of fees; and repealing existing Section 160.01 of Chapter 160, Title XV of the Code of Ordnances for the City of Garden City. AYES: Unanimous

♦ Item 09-98-421 moved by Lynch; supported by Dodge: RESOLVED: To adopt Ordinance No. 98-021, an ordinance to amend Ordinance 93-008, codified at Chapter 159, Title XV, Section(s) 159.01 through 159.99 of the Code of Ordinances for the City of Garden City, being the Electrical Code of the City of Garden City to adopt by reference the 1996 National Electrical Code and all the supplements, with the Reciprocal 1996 NEC Technical Amendments as set forth in the attached Appendix 1; providing penalties for the violation thereof; and repealing Ordinance 93-008 codified at Chapter 159, Title XV, Section(s) 159.01 through 159.99, of the Code of Ordinances for the City of Garden City. AYES: Unanimous

Item 09-98-422 moved by Lynch; supported by Dodge: RESOLVED: To adopt Ordinance No. 98-022, an ordinance to amend Ordinance 93-007 codified at Chapter 158, Title XV, Sections 158.01, 158.02, and 158.05 of the Code of Ordinances for the City of Garden City, entitled "Land Usage", and adding Section 158.06, adopting by reference the 1996 BOCA National Building Code; the 1995 BOCA Medal Energy Consequence Code the 1996 BOCA National the 1995 BOCA Model Energy Conservation Code; the 1996 BOCA National Property Maintenance Code, 5th Edition; and the CABO One and Two Family Dwelling Code; and repealing existing Sections 158.01, 158.02, and 158.05; and adding Section 158.06, of Chapter 158, Title XV of the Code of Ordinances for the City of Garden City. AYES: Unanimous

♦ Item 0.98-423 moved by Lynch; supported by Kaledas: RESOLVED: To adopt Ordinance No. 98-023, an ordinance to amend Section 150.02, Chapter 150, Title XV, of the Code of Ordinances for the City of Garden City providing for the issuance of permits for the construction of fences, collection of fees therefore; and repealing existing Section 150.02 of Chapter 150, Title XV of the Code of Ordinances for the City of Garden City AYES: Unanimous

♦ Item 09-98-424 moved by Lynch; supported by Kaledas: RESOLVED: To accept the bid award for city-wide paper products as recommended by the City Manager for the amount of \$31,715.00, Appropriation #101-292-726.100 (various accounts being charged throughout the year) AYES: Unanimous

♦ Item 09-98-425 moved by Dodge; supported by Lynch: RESOLVED: To approve a one (1) year membership with the Michigan Municipal Risk Management Authority at a cost of \$386,742.00, insurance coverage to mitigate financial risk, Purchase Order in the same amount charged to Account #101-292-910.000. AYES: Councilmembers Dodge, Lynch, Wiscek, Kaledas, Briscoe,

and Waynick. NAYS: Mayor Barker. Motion passed. The Council as a Whole discussed the following items:

Paging Service - Bid.

Garden Oaks Condominium - streets & related issues.

(Not utilized), Site Plans - Escrow Accounts and Charges thereto (proposed

Resolution - City Credit Card.

Pardo/Hartel Repaying Project - Wade-Trim Payment #1. Pardo/Hartel Repaying Project - Peter A. Basile & Sons, Inc., Payment

Refrigerant for Rinkmaster System. John Pietra Memorial Pool Payment #3.

Special Use Permit - 6773 Middlebelt Road.

Removal of City Clerk Treasurer (Moved to the D-Agenda). City Manager's Contract (Moved to the D-Agenda).

Rain Days - Garage Sale Permits. Reorganization Plan.

♦ Item 09-98-426 moved by Lynch; supported by Waynick: RESOLVED: To approve the acceptance of the dedication of that part of Pierce Road which Garden Oaks is improving contingent upon the agreement to be entered into on September 22, 1998. AYES: Unanimous

◆ Item 09-98-427 moved by Waynick; supported by Kaledas: RESOLVED: To approve a resolution setting escrow deposits and providing for the charges thereto to cover city review expenses and have the contractor deposit 1% percent of the total cost of the development into escrow to cover the expense of city review and approval processes. AYES: Unanimous

♦ Item 09-98-428 moved by Briscoe: supported by Wiacek: RESOLVED: To approve payment to Wade-Trim for inspector services on the Pardo/Hartel project in the amount of \$5,019.25, Appropriation # 202-202-337.442 AYES:

◆ Item 09-98-429 moved by Kaledas; supported by Lynch: RESOLVED: To approve payment Application #1 to Peter A. Basile & Sons, Inc., for the Pardo/Hartel Repaying Project in the amount of \$73,513.24, PO \$99-232, Appropriation \$202-202-337.442 for the amount of \$14,218.10 and 592-593-972.200 for \$59,300.14. AYES: Unanimous

◆ Item 09-98-430 moved by Dodge; supported by Kaledas: RESOLVED: To approve the purchase of refrigerant from Johnson/Pameco at the price of \$254/125 lbs. and a purchase order of \$1,000.00 Account # 759-775.200. Purchase Order locks in price should there be an emergency. AYES: Unanimous

♦ Item 09-98-431 moved by Dodge; supported by Briscoe: RESOLVED: To approve of \$16,450.00 to Camp Services Ltd. as per Payment Application #3 for the John Pietras Memorial Pool, Appropriation # 401-401-332,866. AYES: ◆ Item 09096-432 moved by Lynch; supported by Kaledas: RESOLVED: To go

into closed session to discuss the City Manager's evaluation. AYES: Unanimous

+ Item 08-88-433 moved by Dodge; supported by Lynch: RESOLVED: To go into closed session to satisfy the request of the City Clerk-Treasurer. AYES: The Council Meeting was adjourned into Closed Session and reconvened with a

Quorum being present at 12:05 a.m. Mayor Barker announced that Item 2, Removal of the City Clerk-Treasurer, that process was terminated and Council agreed with terminating the process of the City Clerk-Treasurer's dismissal.

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The remainder of the D-Agenda items were heard The meeting was then adjourned.

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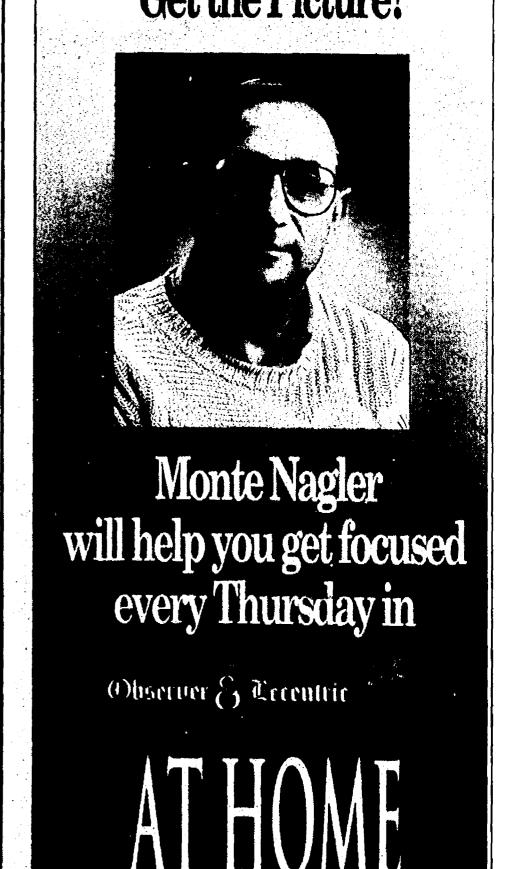


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## New airport center caters to customers

Airport Central, a public include: information center at Detroit Metropolitan Wayne County Airport, is Wayne County's newest endeavor in a crusade to make the airport a friendlier and less-complicated facility.

Centrally located between Concourses D and E, the facility features interactive displays, models and photos, airport facts and information on services and expansion plans.

Wayne County's greenvested customer-service agents will staff the facility to answer questions and offer assistance to the pub-

"We are listening to our customers," said airport director David Katz. "Much of the overcrowding and congestion will be alleviated when the new terminal is completed, but in the meantime, our customers expect and deserve a more attractive and friendlier

Airport Central features

A model and renderings of the new 74-gate ter-

A touch-screen display featuring the airport's Web site as well as links to other Web sites including the airlines, local attractions, Henry Ford Museum, Detroit Zoo, Metro Detroit Visitors and Convention Bureau and the Detroit Institute of Arts.

■ A computer-generated tour of the new terminal.

A touch-screen video wall highlighting the airport's growth, expansion plans, neighborhood compatibility program and wetland mitigation program.

■ All of Wayne County's airport-related brochures and reports.

While Airport Central is a Wayne County facility, its construction was managed by Northwest Airlines.

The information tables, activated during the Northwest pilots' strike, will continue operating as satellite

# Prop C gets bipartisan support

BY TIM RICHARD STAFF WRITER

This is a particularly good time to bond," begins Russell Harding, director of the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality.

He's also the Engler Administration's chief point man on Proposal C, the Clean Michigan Initiative, a \$675 bond issue that voters will decide Nov. 3.

"We have surpluses. The cost of borrowing is down to 6 percent. Will there be any extra cost? No. We'll be setting aside \$40 million a year, a very small part of the (\$8.8 billion general fund) budget. It will take no new revenue, taxes or fees," Harding said in an interview.

Engler proposed \$500 million last February. House Democrats hiked it to more than \$800 million, threw in subsidies for some counties and changed the name. In a compromise, the Legislature pegged it at \$675 million and restored the original name - "a very good job," said Harding. The vote to place it on the ballot was far greater than the necessary two-thirds.

Both parties are satisfied. Lana Pollack, former Democratic senator who heads the Michigan Environmental Council, is satisfied. "There is no organized opposition," Harding said.

The exception being Democratic gubernatorial nominee Geoffrey Fieger, who calls it a "corporate bailout." "He's absolutely incorrect," said Harding.

Top target: \$335 million for brownfields" cleanup. The DEQ chief said about 300 to 400 sites will be treated, "the worst public health risks."

A bone of contention was the 1995 Republican-led rewrite of the 1992 "Polluter Pay" law sponsored by then-Sen. Pollack. Mayors of Michigan's 10 largest cities complained that liability was so strict that developers were leaving city sites behind and paving over the "greenfields" of outer suburbia.

"You couldn't get a cleanup (with the 1992 law) because there was strict retroactive liability. It was a 'deep pockets' law. Even if you didn't cause the contamination, you were liable.

"We changed it (in a bill spon-

sored by Sen. Loren Bennett, R-Canton) to a causation standard with very strong bipartisan support. Now we have a 'polluter pay law."

Here are the main elements of Proposal C:

\$335 million for statewide environmental cleanup at problem sites with redevelopment potential.

\$165 million for water protection - \$50 million for nonpoint pollution control grants; \$90 million for the Clean Water Fund; \$25 million for cleanup of contaminated sediments in lakes, rivers and streams. This was added by the House.

\$50 million for local waterfronts - recreation and environmental quality.

■ \$50 million for state park for health, safety and environmental needs.

# \$50 million for local park grants to enhance recreation. ■ \$20 million for pollution

prevention. **\$5** million to reduce exposure to lead.

In the grants programs, local units must put up 25 percent of

The \$25 million for cleaning, up contaminated sediments is, aimed at removing three million cubic yards of sediments in nine target areas. In southeastern Michigan, these include the Rouge, Clinton, Detroit and Raisin rivers; in mid-Michigan the Pine River; near the Lake; Michigan shoreline, White Lake Muskegon Lake and the Black River; and in the Upper Penin sula, Deer Lake and Carp Creek near Menominee.

State funds will be used where there's no "financially viable person" - either a human or a corporation - who can bear responsibility. Otherwise, said Hard. ing, the state "will aggressively" pursue cost recovery. Some say we're merciless."

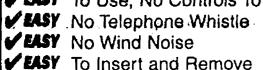
There's a minor amount of political tugging. Engler asked U.S. Sen. Spencer Abraham, a. fellow Republican, to head the, Proposal C campaign. Democrats tapped retiring state Rep. David 🋴 Gubow. D-Huntington Woods, as 🔆 their designated "co-chair."

But Harding is doing most of



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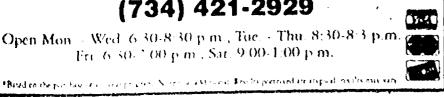
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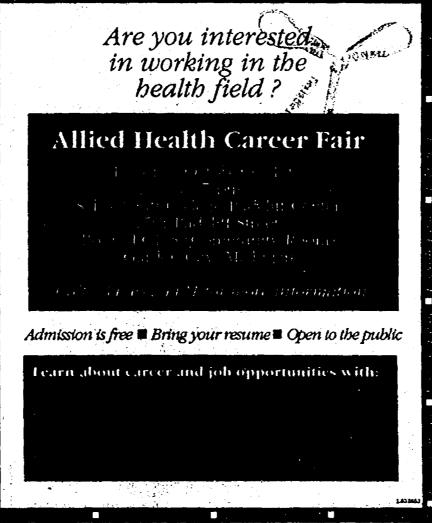
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DO YOU QUALIFY? Caring, petite SWF, 70, who enjoys playing cards, dancing, bowling, traveling and dining out, wants to meet a happy SWM, 68-72, N/S, to spend time with Ad#.7127

SIMPLY MARVELOUS Down-to-earth, Born Again DWCF, 44, 5'3", with blonde hair and blue eyes, N/S, enjoys bicycling, Bible studies, dancing and more. She is seeking a compatible Born Again DWCM, 35-50. Ad#.4240

TOO MUCH TO LIST DWF, 39, 5'1", with brown hair and green eyes, who enjoys camping, lishing, bowling, dancing and sports, is seeking a SWM under 50, to spend time with. Ad#.6345

LIVE LIFE TO THE FULLEST Professional and spontaneous DWF, 41, 5'3", with blonde hair and blue eyes, is seeking a SWM, 38-48, who enjoys dining out, music and movies, the outdoors and more. Ad#.2375

TOUCHED BY AN ANGEL This Born-Again SWCF, 30, 5'6", 125ibs., with blonde hair and blue eyes, enjoys Bible study, is hoping to get together with a SWM, 25-45, for a possi-ble relationship. Ad:#4956

THE POWER OF LOVE SWF, 57, 5'4", full-figured, likes old music, traveling, movies, long walks and more. She is looking for a sincere, compassionate SWM, 52-62, for companionship. Ad#.7141

AMAZING GRACE Pretty WWWCF, 50, 5'3", slender, with blonde hair and green eyes, enjoys dancing, movies, bowling, country drives. She seeks a tall, handsome DWCM, 5'10"+, without kids at home.

Ad#.2130 HOPES & DREAMS Soft-spoken DWF, 21, 5'2", with blonde: hair and green eyes, enjoys the outdoors, theater, music and more. She is tooking for a romantic SWM, 20-33, who likes children. Ad#.5253

SHARE HER DREAMS Energetic, educated DWF, 27, 5'8', with blonde hair and blue eyes, who enjoys blcycling, working out, swimming and horseback riding, seeks a SWCM, age unimportant. Ad#.3919

STRESS FREE LIVING Professional SWCF, 32, 5'3", who enjoys dinling out, movies, traveling, music, cooking and gardening, is seeking a SWCM, 28-39, to share life with. Ad#.7286

FIT AND TRIM Professional, educated SWCF, 34, 5'1", with brown hair/eyes, who enjoys out-door activities, church functions and dining out, is seeking a SWCM, 30-45.

EXTRA NICE Pleasant and employed WWWCF, 63, 5'4", with blonde hair and blue eyes, who loves walking, cooking, country music, and is active in Bible study. She is look-ing for a WWWCM, 56-65, with similar

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**DIVERSE INTERESTS** DWC mom of two, 47, 5'3", with dark hair, who enjoys the outdoors, biking, reading, music, Bible study and the outdoors, is seeking a SWCM, for a possible relationship. Ad#,7388

REFLECTIVE AT TIMES Discover this flexible DWF, 52, 5'6". She is employed and has many interests such as the theater, reading, art, music and walking. She's looking for a spiritual, DWM, 47+, with a positive attitude. Ad#.6081

SPECIAL LADY You'll have a great time with this outgoing, loving SWF, 35, 5'9", N/S, who enjoys church, movies, concerts, sporting events, quiet times and more. If you are a secure SWM, 35-42, N/S, who shares similar interests, call now. Ad#. 1963

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MAGIC IN THE AIR

Here is a sincere, employed SB mom; 25, 5'4", who enjoys going to church, traveling and reading, in search of a hardworking, professional SM, 28-40, for companionship, possible long-term relationship, Ad#.9273

FAMILY-ORIENTED She is a quiet, reserved SW mom, 28,

who enjoys plantes, long walks, coaching sports and is seeking an employed, caring SWM, who shares similar interests and who likes children. Ad#.8369 LEAVE YOUR NAME

A professional, educated SWCF, 45, enjoys reading, long walks, the theatre and dining out, is seeking a SWCM, with similar interests. Ad#.7646 MAKE THE CONNECTION

Youthful SWF, 38, 5'6", brown hair/eyes is seeking a handsome, sincere, honest SWM, over 35, to share mutual interests and friendship. Ad#.2356 ENERGIZED

She's an outgoing DW mom, 42, 5'2", with red hair, brown eyes, who enjoys outdoor activities, rollerblading and gulet evenings, in search of a SWM, 37-49, who shares similar interests. Ad#.7623 SPECIAL REQUEST

She's an outgoing, witty SBCF, 42, 5'6", who enjoys outdoor activities, walking and reading, in search of an honorable SM, 46-50, who shares similar interests for companionship. Ad#.3154 EASYGOING

Protestant DWF, 60, 5'8°, with a great personality, enjoys dining out and dancing. She is seeking a tail WWWM, 65, with similar interests. Ad#.1305 **MISSING YOU** 

Are you looking for a bright Catholic DWF, with a beautiful heart? She is 44, 5'1", with brown hair, who enjoys outdoors, dining out and walks in the park. She is looking for a Catholic SWM, 34-51, to share life. Ad#.3804 Christian Women

Outgoing, professional SWM, 34, 5'9", who enjoys outdoor activities and good conversation, is in search of a SF, under 40, who enjoys life. Ad#.1478

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SEARCHING SWM, 60, 5'5", 165ibs., with brown hair/eyes, who enjoys long walks, movies, flea markets and art galleries, seeks a medium-built SWF, 54-62. Ad#.2526

HEART TO HEART

YOU COULD BE THE ONE hazel eyes, professional, outgoing, enjoys sports, camping, cooking, dancing, walking, being with his kids, romantic nights, seeks Catholic DWF, 30-40, who has children. Ad#.5858

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Friendly DBC dad of two, 47, 6'4",

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Financially secure, fun DW dad, 38, 6'4", 215lbs., whose hobbles include baseball and boating, seeks a SWF, 28-40. Ad#,7234

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dining out, spending time with friends, the

outdoors and more. Ad#.3615 SWC dad of one, 43, 6', a professional, who enjoys dining out, music and movies,

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MAYBEYOU & ME She's a shy, never-married SWF, 34, 5'7", who enjoys baseball games, the outdoors and movies, in search of a athletic SWM, 28-39, for friendship first. Ad#.4211 WAITING TO HEAR FROM YOU

I'm a Catholic DW mom, 37, 5'5", professionally employed, pretty and have a great sense of humor. I'm looking to meet a Catholic SWM, 35-44, who enjoys gardening, the theater, dining out and dancing. Ad#.6644 MOVE QUICKLY

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Stop Thinking

About It.

TIME TOGETHER I'm a professional, educated, outgoing SWM, 39, 6'1". I'm seeking a siender SWF, for a monogamous relationship. Ad#.4758

STILL LOOKING SBC dad, 20, 6', light complexion, who likes basketball, is seeking a compatible SBCF, 22-40, preferably never married, but with children, with whom to have good

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AWAITING YOU This outgoing, friendly SBCM, 35, 5'5", 155lbs., is searching for a special, professional SBCF, 25-37, never-married, childless, who enjoys sports and Gospel con-certs. Ad#.4949

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Ad#.3061

FAMILY-ORIENTED? This athletic, sincere, professional, fun-loving Catholic SWM, 43, 6'1", has a wide variety of interests, seeks a spontaneous, slender, attractive, romantic SWF, race and age unimportant. Ad#.2613

**MUTUAL RESPECT** He's a catholic SWM, 30, 5'9", 180lbs. who is athletic, NS, non-drinker, physically fit and shy at first, seeking a slender, attractive, NS, SWF, 24-33, who likes the outdoors, motocross, mountain biking and basketball. Ad#.1239

I'm a SBM, 26, 6'2", with brown hair/eyes, who enjoys playing basketball, movies and more, in search of a SWF, 21-29. Ad#.8222

SMILE WITH ME

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## **Election issues**

## Candidates split on affirmative action

BY TIM RICHARD TAFF WRITER

Every candidate agrees that Michigan State University needs to be affordable to students and is working to put more full professors in undergraduate classrooms.

Republicans David Porteous and Dee Cook emphasize that as trustees they would be "good stewards" of tax dollars, tuition. dollars and policy.

Democrat Doris Sims says more attention should be paid to "faculty concerns for comparable salaries" and student input on how to curtail campus drinking.

They fielded questions Sept. 24 from the Livonia Branch of the American Association of University Women. No-shows were Democrat John Schlinker and Libertarians Barbara Goushaw and Mark Heil.

Candidates are quoted in the order in which they replied.

#### Affirmative action

They had some differences on "affirmative action," the subject of a lawsuit at MSU's sister institution, the University of Michigan.

Cook (R): MSU has "a College Academic Achievement Program

efforts. It has brought a large minority pool (of students)."

Porteous (R): "I am opposed to quotas and set-asides. I favor an aggressive recruiting program that brings in diverse students through alumni organizations and schools throughout the states. We have tens of thousands of alumni who are glad to go into schools and become mentors ... They will hear about Michigan State and assure our university has a diverse student body."

Sims (D): "I am firmly for affirmative action. It is not just recruiting minorities but women also. It will allow them to compete. It's an opportunity that will allow them an edge on getting into the university of their choice. Minorities and women have not had the tools to have access to universities. I support it wholeheartedly."

#### Charter schools

Candidates were asked whether MSU should charter any schools and, if so, should it follow Central Michigan's example of prolific issuance of char-

Cook (R) "I support the con- here to stay. MSU should be

(CAAP). This is not race-based. cept. MSU has an award-win-It assigns mentors and support ning college of education, We have an experimental program in the Lansing public schools. where we have a school of choice within Lansing. We are equipped to help."

Cook favors following CMU's lead, "but the key is follow-up. We should be perfectly primed and equipped.

Porteous (R): "We have some particular expertise that could evolve into effective charter schools. We used to have agricultural classes in our (K-12) schools. We don't have that any more, yet there is a great need. MSU, as a land grant university and has the staff, the expertise, to implement a very effective charter school in agriculture. I do not think we should establish charter schools in areas where we do not have expertise."

"I'm reluctant to comment on Central Michigan's experience. Although there are some very fine people on that board, I'm not privy to the details of what Central has done," said Porteous, referring to the highly critical Auditor General's 1997 report on CMU's weak supervision of its charter schools.

Sims (D): "Charter schools are

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allowed to offer that. We have an undergrad school where students could run a charter school or contribute to a charter school. beneficial to the students.

"From my observation, some charter schools that have come out of CMU have not been successful," Sims said,

#### Profs in class

An audience member said there had been past complaints of graduate assistants rather than tenured professors teaching undergraduate classes.

Porteous (R): "It's a challenge to balance the goals of research and teaching."

Cook (R): President Peter McPherson's principle is that "every member of the faculty will make a demonstrable contribution to undergraduate education." She added, "We've gotten more productivity at the university. We've made great strides.

Sims (D): "To turn classes over to graduate assistants is unjust to the students."

AAUW asked the candidates' attitude toward the Open Meetings Act and the several lawsuits filed against MSU and U-M over violations.

Porteous (R): Citing his munic-

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- > David Possuson, 45, stiorney from Real City with much municipal work; chair of Michigan Strategic Fund, vice chair of Michigan Economic Growth Anthority; State Corrections Commission; on board of several banks and an insurance com pany; filled vacancy on MSU board by appointment.

#### BEMOCRATS

- > Doses Suss, Lansing, governmental affairs agent, Michigan chapter of National Association of Social Workers.
- > Josep Scommune, East Lansing, attorney in labor relations.

#### LIBERTARIANS

- > BARBARA GOVERAW, Southfield.
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ipal legal work, he said, "When municipalities got into trouble. it's when the meetings are closed."

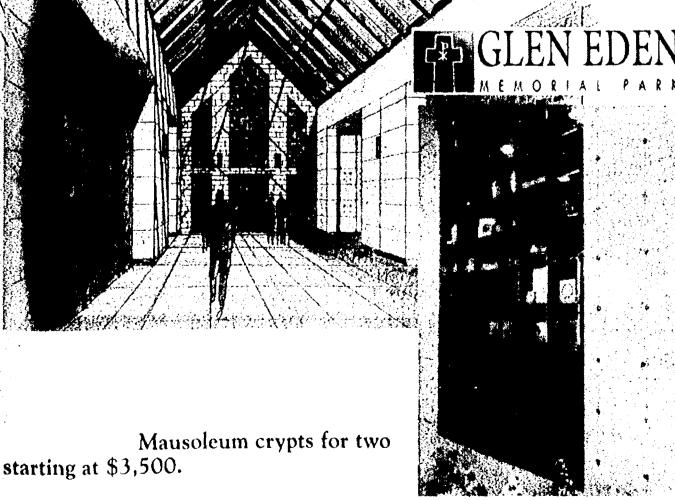
Cook (R): OMA is "controversial." She said the 1996 revisions - allowing the presidential hiring process to be closed until interviews of the finalists - "will remove the reservations I have" by improving the pool of appli-

Sims (D): "I support openness." My primary concern is giving the: public the opportunity to view. the candidates. Closed meetings limit their access." The revised OMA is "acceptable."

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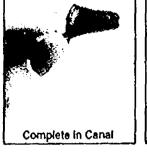
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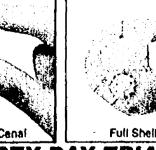
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**OBITUARIES** 

## CATHY E. HONLOFF

Funeral services for Cathy Rohloff, 39, of Benton, Ohio, were Sept. 30 in Uht Funeral Home.

Mrs. Rohloff, who died Sept. 27 in Toledo, was born in Detroit, She was a homemaker.

Surviving are: husband, Richard; son, Ricky Horn-Rohloff; daughter, Kristi Horn-Rohloff; parents, Ernest and Margaret Miskell; brothers, Jerry Miskell of Westland and Ricky Miskell; sister, Connie Williams.

#### THEODORE B. BOOKS JR.

Funeral services for Theodore Books, 57, of Westland were Oct. 3 in Brethren in Christ Church, Annville, Pa. Officiating was the Rev. John Yeatts. Arrangements were made by Neely-Turowski Funeral Home, Canton Chapel, and Kraemer Funeral Home in Pennsylvania.

Mr. Books, who died Sept. 26 in Ann Arbor, was born in Penn-

night attendants.

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users, rapists, child molesters, purse snatchers,

kidnappers and others of the sort would simply

But Zubaidi said his business won't sell alcohol

and won't appeal to a criminal element feared by

residents. Rather, he said the neighborhood would

be "maybe 100 times safer than now" because his

gas station would provide more lighting and all-

"I'm trying to make something nice here," he

Guyton and residents such as Sherry Mallard

"We want our children walking to school or going

to Sunday school and church with a peace of mind

so that they can get an education, not walking and

worrying about the clientele a 24-hour service sta-

Council members Monday face three proposals.

Zubaidi needs a rezoning (partly from residential to commercial), a special land use permit and site

Carver subdivision residents said they feel

betrayed because Westland Planning Commission

members, in a 7-1 vote Sept. 22, decided to recom-

mend council approval. That reversed a June deci-

"I really feel I've just been slapped around by

"It seems like the residents are totally ignored,"

Guyton said, "and that's pretty upsetting."
Planning Director Tod Kilroy said the new deci-

government," Mailard said. "We're supposed to

also fear for the safety of children walking to

school bus stops and nearby churches.

tion attracts," Guyton said.

plan approval.

sion for denial.

have a ring-side spot within our community."

sylvania. He was a sales and marketing executive for a computer company.

daughter, Monique Groff; father, Theodore Books Sr.

Memorials may be made to Messiah College, Grantham, Pa.

Surviying are: wife, Antonetta;

#### ADELINE M. LANAGAN

Funeral services for Adeline Lanagan, 97, of Westland were Sept. 30 in Vermeulen Funeral Home with burial at Michigan Memorial Park, Flat Rock.

Officiating was the Rev. Russell H. Bone of Parkside Church of Christ, Dearborn.

Mrs. Lanagan, who died Sept. 27 in Wayne, was born in Detroit. She was a homemaker.

Surviving are: daughter, Patricia (Orville) Amorose of Westland; five grandchildren, 10 great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Michigan.

#### KEITH A. WEGRECKI

Funeral services for Keith Wegrecki, 32, of Westland were Oct. 3 in Uht Funeral Home with burial at St. Hedwig Cemetery, Dearborn Heights.

Mr. Wegrecki, who died Sept. 30 in Westland, was born in Detroit. He was a dock receiver in the retail foods industry.

Surviving are: wife, Vanessa Tarnowsky; parents, Harry and Barbara, brothers, Kevin and Craig; godchildren, Kimberly and Justin; grandmother, Helen Rypkowski; nephew, Ryan; and niece, Kathleen.

#### JOYCE E. MAHLE

Funeral services for Joyce Mahle, 65, of Wayne were Oct. 3 in Uht Funeral Home with burial at Glen Eden Cemetery, Livonia.

Mrs. Mahle, who died Sept. 28 in Dearborn, was born in Detroit. She was a homemaker. Surviving are: husband,

**CARVER SUBDIVISION** 

concerns, revised his plans to include a walk-in ice

cream parlor rather than an earlier-proposed fast-

Zubaidi said, "but it seems like they keep coming

"I'm going along with whatever they're saying,"

But Guyton said many residents have opposed a

"We're all for revitalization," she said, "but we're

"We really feel that another service station in

looking for something that is more family-oriented,

that area is something that we do not need," she

said, adding that similar businesses are already

But Kilroy suggested such commercial develop-

ment will be necessary to complement a revitaliza-

tion plan that includes new housing and a

fire/police station scheduled for the southeast cor-

and assist in the revitalization of the area."

adjacent to land at Middlebelt and Annapolis.

City officials, he said, "are trying to do our part

Mallard questioned whether the city, to support

Zubaidi's project, gave him special treatment

allowing him to acquire two city-owned parcels

But Kilroy said Zubaidi made the only offer on

the properties when the city recently placed them

up for bid. That sale, Kilroy said, hasn't been com-

pleted as Zubaidi waits for Monday's decision on

food restaurant with a drive-through lane.

like a recreation center or a library.

up with something else."

gas station all along.

located near the area.

ner of Annapolis and Irene.

William; sons, Bill and Scott (Tammy); daughters, Karen Mahle of Westland and Julie Mahle; sisters, Doris Clark, June Jumisco and Donna Jacobs; friends, Mike Ollie and James

Keevis; and six grandchildren. Mrs. Mahle was preceded in death by: daughter, Carol Mahle brothers, Chuck Kusterer and Glenn Kusterer:

#### IRENE D. AUGUST

A funeral Mass for Irene August, 70, of Westland was Oct. 2 in St. Richard Catholic Church, Westland, with burial at St. Hedwig Cemetery, Dearborn Heights. Officiating was the Rev. Terence Treppa, Arrangements were made by Vermeulen Funeral Home.

Mrs. August, who died Sept. 28 in Commerce Township, was born in Detroit. She was a home-

Surviving are: husband, Donald; sons, Kevin (Cathy) of Westland, Greg (Maureen) of Wilmington, Del., and Donald (Debra) of Canton, Ohio; daughter, Karen Glenn of Houston, Texas; sisters, Eleanore Janowski of Dearborn Heights and Bernice Tellish of Westland; and five grandchildren.

Memorials may be made in the form of Mass offerings to St. Richard Catholic Church, Westland.

#### LOIS E. COLLINS

Funeral services for former Livonia resident Lois Collins, 69, of Plymouth were Oct. 1 in Fred Wood-Funeral Home and St.

Michael Catholic Church. Mrs. Collins, who died Sept. 26 after a short illness, was born in Detroit. She worked at Schoolcraft College until her retirement. She enjoyed her home, her neighbors, golf, family, gardening and traveling.

Surviving are: husband of 47 years, William; sons Gary (Linda) of Bend, Ore., and Michael (Stacy) of Wheatland, Ky.; daughters, Linda (Bob) Reid of Livonia and Janice (Fred) Schierloh of Temperance, Mich.; brothers, Robert "Bob" Thompson and Ronald "Bud" Thompson of Westland; seven grandchildren; and many nieces and nephows.

Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society.

#### CITY OF GARDEN CITY REGISTRATION NOTICE FOR THE GENERAL ELECTION TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1998

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the last day of registration for the GENERAL ELECTION is MONDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1998. Candidates seeking election to the following offices are to be voted upon: GOVERNOR AND LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

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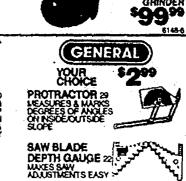
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Jordan, Karla

#### Focus on Wine



RAY & ELEANOR HEALD

## Wine auction celebrates harvest

arvest time signals what's new on the wine scene. El Nino has delayed the harvest in California. We're not about to forecast this vintage until we taste it in the bottle. It's senseless to do otherwise.

But harvest in our area means the premier wine event, the Detroit International Wine Auction, one of the top charitable wine auctions in the country, now celebrating its 17th vintage! We'll forecast this one 6 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 24, at the General Motors Building in Detroit. All the wine's in the bottle and divided into auction lots. It spells phenomenal success for the benefactor: the art, design, music and dance programs of the Center for Creative Studies. Tickets for the black-tie auction

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#### WINE PICKS

Pick of the pack: Autumn brings on a taste for zinfandel and there's none better than 1995 Gallo Sonoma Frei Ranch Zinfandel \$16.

Early this summer we recommended some Rose wines because they are so refreshing when chilled. There's still some autumn pican excellent latecomer to the scene: 1997 Beringer Rose de Saignee \$16, a blend of Pinot Noir and Syrah with the aromas and flavors of cranberry and strawberry. Great chilled with roast chick-

en or turkey. At a recent wine tasting, a wine retailer was very upfront, "There's a lot of bad meriot on the market," he said. We echo his sentiments and recommend the following that are pretty dam good: 1996 Alexander Valley Vineyard Merlot \$18; 1996 Murphy-Goode Merlot Murphy Ranches \$18, 1996 Fetzer Barrel Select Merlot \$14 and always in our too three no matter what vintage,

Merlot \$45. Best buys at \$10 and under: 1997 Fontana Candida Pinot Grigio and Frascati, both \$8; 1997 Amberhill Chardonnay \$8; and 1998 Marcelina Chardonnay, Napa Val-

1995 Matanzas Creek

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Tasting of Merchant of Vino-Whole Food Market Top One Hundred Wines, 7-9 p.m. Friday, Oct. 9, at Southfield Manor (25625 Telegraph Road, north of 10 Mile Road, Southfield). The cost is \$25 per person in advance or \$30 at the door. Tasting benefits Think Twice," a not-fored to rebuilding Detroit through volunteerism and fund-raising. Attendees: can vote on their favorite wines to establish the Top Ten People's Choice Awards. To charge tickets by phone, call (248) 433-3000, (734) 769 0900. Tickets can also be purchased at any Merchant

profit organization dedicatof Vino-Whole Foods loca-

chased the property in 1943 for \$75,000. Peter (now called Peter Sr.), well-equipped with an enology degree from the University of California, undertook a series of firsts that propelled Charles Krug. winery to the head of the curve. Krug was among the first to vintage date varietals. Cold fermentation experiments gave rise to fruity white wines and a winery reputation. Red wines: were aged in small French oak barrels, a revolutionary technique in the

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## **LOOKING AHEAD**

What to watch for in Taste next week:

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# SISTERS BREAK BREAD

#### BY KEELY WYGONIK STAFF WRITER

Kristina Dickey cried the first time she read "Breaking Bread -A Family History Preserved by Seven Sisters," written by her mom, Pam Dickey of Canton, and six aunts - Karla Rossi, Tina Marie Rossi Currie, Lisa Ann Rossi Nute, Therese Louise Rossi Benish, Patty Ann Rossi Jordan and Tanya Lynn Rossi.

"It's so good," she said about the book, which also includes favorite family recipes, including Kristina's "Tadpole in a Hole". recipe. "There was so much history. I learned about relatives I. never knew existed."

Pam and her sisters started talking about the project on Oct. 15, 1988, at Therese's wedding. "Mom did a lot of the cooking." and while we were sitting there eating we said 'we've got to save these recipes," remembers Pam. Shortly after the wedding, the sisters began collecting family favorite recipes.

Polish on her mother's side, Italian on her fathers, Pam and her sisters grew up in a family where good food was synonymous with good times. Soon the project evolved into a cookbook and family history complete with photos of weddings, anniversaries, birthdays, graduations, parties, Christmas, Easter and other celebrations.

"We all wrote something, and all participated," said Pam about the book that was printed in July. In the introduction, the sisters explain, "This collection of memories and recipes is presented from our viewpoint; that is, the seven Rossi sisters. However, we have tried to be as inclusive as possible

"This book is not only a gift to our parents but to our extended families, including all the generations to come. We hope it will become an irreplaceable treasure as it connects us all."



Their story isn't unlike many

other metro Detroiters whose

and arrived at Ellis Island with

little money, but lots of ambition.

Katarzyna Zyla Siembor and

Jozef Siembor who grew up in

Pam's mother, Celia Siembor

Tanya Lynn Rossi. Poland in neighboring villages. Katarzyna arrived in the United

families left Europe for America States in 1911. Jozef in 1906. On April 16, 1955, Celia married Herman Rossi, the son of. Ernesto Rossi and Flora Cairo Rossi, is the daughter of Rossi, whose parents immigrated

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Working together: Celia Siembor Rossi watches as her granddaughters and daughter make Katarzyna's Rice Bread. The recipe was passed down to Celia by her mother, Katarzyna Zyla Siembor. Pictured (left to right) are Celia Siembor Rossi, Kristina Dickey, Pam Rossi Dickey, and Alyssa Dickey.

## Stewart Francke gets ready for the battle of his life



When 40-year-old, nationally known performer and recording artist Stewart Francke of Huntington Woods, who just released his fourth CD, was almost out the door to go for a run on June 10, he felt a moving lump beneath his left rib

Francke has been athletic all of his life. He never drank or smoked and ate healthy foods. Concerned about this lump, he went to his internist who sent him to Beaumont Hospital for further testing. His blood tests showed his white

blood cell count at 100,000 (normal is 500,000), and his spleen was enlarged. A bone marrow biopsy concluded that Stewart had chronic myelogenous leukemia.

The resident at Beaumont referred Stewart to the Karmanos Cancer Center where he is scheduled to have a bone marrow transplant on Monday, Oct. 19. Stewart's sister, Kit Reece of Bloomfield Hills, is a genetic bone marrow match which will increase the success rate of this procedure.

Only 3 million people in the United States are part of the National Bone Marrow Registry. If a male Caucasian went into this pool, there would be a 75 percent chance of finding a match. If you are an African American, your chance of finding a

match decreases to 45 percent while Asians have even less of a chance of finding a match. The statistics are similar for women - it's race that makes

After the procedure, Stewart will be in the Protective Isolation Unit at Harper Hospital in Detroit for six weeks. Dr. Karanes oversees the bone marrow transplant unit at Harper, I remember doing a rotation in the PEU during my dietetic internship at Harper Hospital in the early 1980s. We had to gown up, scrub up, keep on our mask at all times, and sterilize all food and equipment that went to patients in this unit. The chances of survival today after this procedure are so much higher than they were 15 years ago. When Stewart comes home, he will have to take special precautions as well. His wife, 4-year-old daughter and 2-year-old son will have to be very careful not to bring germs around him for at least 100 days since he will be so immunosuppressed. Stewart will be homebound unless he needs to go out to his physician. In this case, he will have to wear a mask.

## Stewart's diet

Because we cook for Stewart in our Healthy Chef program, we were concerned about the foods that we would be preparing for him. Restrictions include foods that can carry fungus such as fresh fruits (unless the peels are thick) and vegetables, nothing that may contain salmonella such as eggs or chick-

en, and no foods with live cultures such as yogurt. Some individuals with this condition change to a macrobiotic diet, an alternative route which is an enormous lifestyle change.

Although the Franckes are not quite ready for a complete vegetarian diet, they have incorporated many meatless meals into their lifestyle.

Stewart wants to be as strong as possible before the procedure. Already, he has gained back 10 pounds of the 20 that he originally lost. He is mentally and emotionally prepared and has a wonderful outlook.

Stewart isn't the only one suffering from this disease. Anyone can go through a blood test to be entered in the national bone marrow registry and may get a call in the future if they are a match. If you would like more information, call 1 (800) MAR-ROW2 or visit the website at www.sflf.com.

If you would like to make a donation to the Stewart Francke Leukemia Foundation to assist with patients and their families, write to P.O. Box 715, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48303

Beverly Price is a registered dietitian and exercise physiologist. She operates Living Better Sensibly, a private nutrition practice in Farmington Hills that offers programs for individuals and corporations. She is the co-author of "Nutrition Secrets for Optimal Health," Tall Tree Publishing Company. Visit her website at www.nutritionsecrets.com

## Sisters from page B1

to the United States from Italy. Ernesto came in March of 1921. Flora's parents, Theresa Dinverno Caira and Gio Caira, in 1909.

Flora's parents retained the Caira name, but their children acquired the Cairo spelling through the American school system.

Celia and Herm had a strong foundation to build a family on, Both grew up in close families that took pride in their heritage and shared the Roman Catholic faith.

They raised seven daughters in Belleville. An eighth daughter, Mary Beth, died shortly after birth. "She is the angel in 'Seven Sisters and an Angel,' the name we use in our logo, and

copyright," said Pam. In 1974 the family relocated to Adrian where they opened a restaurant, Rossi's.

Food has always played an important role in Celia's and Herm's life. Like their parents, they're both good cooks.

"I grew up on Martin Street in Detroit," said Celia. "I was one of seven, and have three sisters and three brothers. No matter what the temperature was outside my mother always made chicken soup with homemade noodles every Sunday. We had an early dinner after mass." Herm, was one of nine children. After Herm and Celia married, the Sunday dinners continued, but now included pasta, chicken

or roast beef, and always ice cream for dessert.

Pam remembers those dinners. And memories are what kept the sisters going as they worked on the book.

"L wanted to keep those recipes for our kids," said Pam. "Dinner was important when I was growing up. You worked your schedule around dinner."

A lot happened in the family while Pam and her sisters. worked on the book. Patty got married, babies were born, and "people moved all over the place," said Pam who now has sisters living in New Hampshire, California, Toledo, Dexter and Sturgis. They all enjoy cooking, and "Breaking Bread" has gotten

them even more involved in members.xoom.com/BreakBread cooking.

"We never had fast food or frozen food growing up," said Pam, who like her mother usually cooks every night. A radio broadcaster who works full time, Pam looks for quick meals.

The cookbook was an instant hit in the Siembor and Rossi family, and other people have expressed interest in purchasing it, too.

"I just loved it," said Celia about the book. "It's just wonderful what the girls did - mainly being proud of their traditions and heritage."

You can find out more about "Breaking Bread" by visiting the Rossi Family Web page, http://

The 463-page, professionally bound book is available from the Rossi Family for \$45 per copy, which includes shipping and handling. To order the book send check, payable to Herm & Celia Rossi, to The Rossi Family, 814 S. Main Street #4A. Adrian, MI 49221.

In addition to information about Polish and Italian holiday traditions, great Polish, Italian and family recipes, you'll be reminded of dinners you enjoyed growing up and maybe be inspired to create some new traditions of your own like the Rossi's Pool Party Buffet & Barbecue.

There are lots of pictures,

many that probably look like pictures in your albums, and even a special section with recipes for pets and old-fashioned home

remedies. October is Polish American Heritage Month, What are you

doing to save your heritage? Celia and Pam offer these suggestions:

Ask relatives to share stories and ask them about family history.

■ Keep collecting recipes

Write the dates on back of photographs along with the names

## Wine from page B1

Today, it is Peter Sr.'s two sons, Marc, who studied enology and viticulture at the University of California-Davis, and Peter Jr., armed with a Stanford University MBA, who are guiding the winery during its sojourn into the next millennium.

The hallmark, image-setting wine of Charles Krug - Peter Mondavi Family Winery has always been the Vintage Selection Cabernet Sauvignon. Aged in French oak, it represents the best of the best from Charles Krug. High bidder for the Honorary Chairpersons Grand Lot of Sauvignon gets two bottles of wine from select vintages,

#### Auction lots

Among other lots in the auction are a salmanazar of 1994 Caymus Special Selection: imperials of 1986 and 1987 Robert Mondavi Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon; imperial of 1984 Newton Cabernet Sauvignon in a signed bottle; one case of 1991 Heitz Martha's Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon; double magnums Duckhorn Cabernet Sauvignon Vintages 1992-1996; double mag-

Sauvignon Vintages 1987-1991; imperial of 1994 Fisher Coach Insignia in an etched handpainted bottle signed by owner Fred Fisher.

From some of the area's finest collectors are donations of 1989 and 6 bottles 1970 Chateau Palmer; an imperial of 1979 oboam and magnums 1966, 1970 and 1979 Chateau Mouton Rothschild.

And there's more than wine. Fabulous travel lots including airfare such as a Gala of the Century on the French Riviera for two to usher in the new millennium or Exploring the Bur-

Vintage Selection Cabernet nums Spottswoode Cabernet gundy region of France for two during a seven-day, six-night holiday stay at elegant chateaux, while enjoying gourmet dining and superb wines. There's a week in Baden-Baden, Germany. West Coast wine country packages include air, lodging, VIP French wines such as a jeroboam tours and tasting, winery lunches and much morel

About 70 silent auction lots Chateau Lafite Rothschild; a jer-include fabulous wines and dining certificates. At other auctions in the country, most of these prized lots would be in live auction.

> Look for Focus on Wine on the first and third Sunday of the month in Taste. To leave a voice mail message for the Healds, dial (734) 953-2047 mailbox 1864.

## Pear cake's a winner

AP - Bartlett pears respond to baking in their own special way: Their texture becomes tender, but they keep their shapely appearance and their distinctive flavor is heightened. They're versatile, too, and they can make a subtle addition to many baked desserts.

Bartlett Pear Side Down Cake, a recipe by Stephanie Braunstein of Elk Grove, Calif., was the grand-prize winner in a recent baking contest. The recipe produces a moist but firm cake. Serve with whipped cream or ice

#### BARTLETT PEAR SIDE DOWN CAKE

1/3 cup butter or margarine 1 cup light brown sugar

3 to 4 cups sliced Bartlett pears

2 cups whole wheat pastry flour

2 teaspoons baking powder

2 large eggs

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1 1/2 cups sugar 1 cup heavy cream

1/2 cup milk Preheat oven to 350 degrees F. Butter the sides of an 11-by-7-inch baking dish. Melt the butter and pour into the bottom of the dish.

ly together. Set dish aside. Sift the flour with the baking powder; set aside.

Sprinkle with the brown sugar.

Arrange the pears, cut side down.

over the brown sugar, fitting tight-

In a separate bowl, beat the eggs with the sugar until light; stir in the flour mixture. Add the cream and milk; mix well. Carefully pour the batter into the prepared pan, being careful not to move the pears.

Bake for 25 minutes, then reduce the heat to 325 degrees F and bake an additional 25 to 30 minutes, or until the cake tests done. Remove from oven and let cool for five minutes before turning onto a serving plate. (Cake may also be left in pan, cut into squares, and served directly from pan.) Makes 8 servings.

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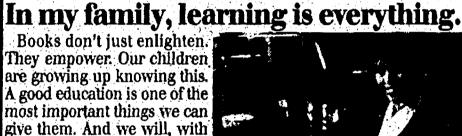
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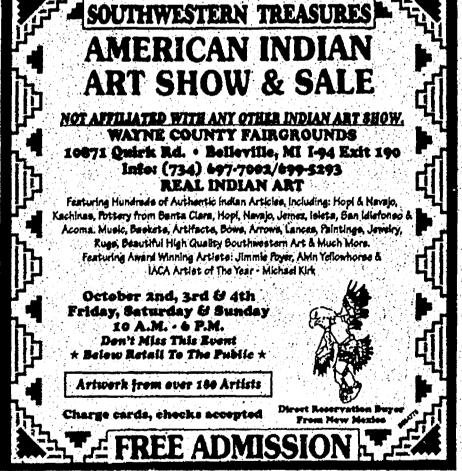
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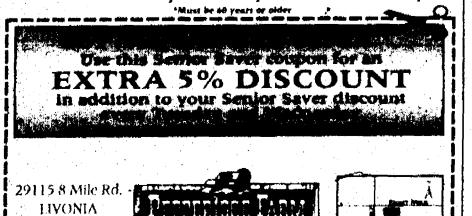








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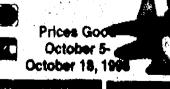
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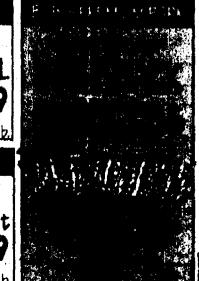
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## Seven sisters share favorite family recipes in 'Breaking Bread'

See related story on Taste

Recipes from "Breaking Bread - A Family History Preserved by Seven Sisters."

This recipe compliments of Celia Siembor Rossi.

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Serves one and all.

Celia's mother Katarzyna Zyla Siembor made this rice-filled bread at Easter and sometimes at Christmas.

#### KATARZYNA'S RICE BREAD

#### Dough

- 4 cups whole milk
- 2 (0.6 ounce) cakes compressed yeast
- 1/2 pound melted butter
- 12 cups sifted flour (approximately)
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 4 eggs, beaten
- 1 cup sugar 1/2 cup golden raisins
- 1 teaspoon each lemon and orange rind
- 2 teaspoons vanilla

Scald milk (heat to just before boiling point, when tiny bubbles form at edge; remove as thin film appears.) Set aside to cool.

When cooled to 110-115 degrees F., break 2 cakes of yeast into 1/2 cup of milk (from the 4-cup milk portion) and dissolve.

In separate bowl, combine melted butter and sugar. Add beaten eggs, rind, raisins, and vanilla.

Put approximately 8 cups sifted flour and salt in a large bowl. Add the milk and yeast mixture gradually as well as the remaining milk. After mixture is blended, stir in butter, sugar and egg mixture (eggs, vanilla, raisins and rind).

Add remainder of flour gradually while working dough until texture is dry enough to come away from the pan. Knead until smooth.

Place in large bowl and cover with muslin towel dusted with flour so it won't stick to dough. Put aside to rise, about 1 hour or more (until double in size).

#### Filling

- 1 1/2 cups rice (long grain, not instant)
- 3 1/2 cups cold, whole milk
- 1 teaspoon salt (or less)
- 1 tablespoon butter
- 1/4 cup sugar

Cook rice by combining cold milk, salt and sugar, stir in rice and bring to a boil; add butter. Lower heat, cover and cook for about 20 minutes, until done. Set aside to cool.

When dough rises to double in size, test by pressing gently with finger. If it stays indented, remove

from bowl, punch down with fist and knead a couple of times. Cut dough in half; set one half aside for Rice Bread.

Take other half, roll out gently and put into baking pan or casserole dish about 10 1/2- by 14 1/2inches (or smaller).

Cover with flour dusted towel and set aside to rise. This loaf is baked without the rice stuffing - it makes a nice tea bread!

Take the Rice Bread half, roll out gently and make sure the width is twice the size of the width of the baking pan which should be approximately 10 1/2- by 14 1/2inches.

Center the dough in pan with the extra wide edges draping over the sides. Gently spread the rice filling down center and then fold in each draping side of dough to overlap at center; seal by gently pressing together. Cover with floured towel and set aside to rise again. After doubled in size, about 30 minutes, very gently brush with an egg wash.

Bake Rice Bread at 350°F for approximately 45 minutes, until

golden brown (Bake the unfilled tea bread 30-40 minutes, also at

This recipe is compliments of Patty Rossi Jordan.

### PIT'S BEST MINESTRONE EVER!

- 3 medium carrots, pared and coarsely chopped
- 3 stalks celery, coarsely chopped
- 2 medium onions, chopped 1 large potato, peeled and
- cut into 3/4 inch cubes 1/4 pound fresh green beans, trimmed and cut into 1inch pieces
- 2 medium zucchini, cut into 1/2-inch cubes
- 2 cloves garlic, chopped 1/3 cup olive oil
- 3 tablespoons butter
- 3 1/2 cups beef broth
- 1 1/2 cups water 1 (28 ounce) can Italian plum tomatoes, coarsely
- chopped (save all juice) 1/2 pound ground sirioin. browned (optional)
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon dried basil

- 1/4 teaspoon black pepper
- 1/4 teaspoon dried rosemary 1 bay leaf
- 1 can cannellini beans

Heat oil and butter in 5 quart 25 44 Dutch over medium heat. Add onions and garlic; saute until golden (but not brown), about 6-8 minutes,

Stir in carrots and potato; saute 5 minutes. Stir in celery and green beans; saute 5 minutes. Stir in zucchini, saute 3 minutes, Add broth, water and the juice from tomatoes to pan. Add tomatoes, salt, basil, rosemary, pepper and bay leaf.

In a separate pan, brown and drain ground sirloin. Add to broth; heat to boiling; reduce heat to low. Simmer covered, stirring occasionally, about 1 1/2 hours.

Rinse and drain beans; add to soup and cook uncovered over medium to low heat, stirring occasionally until soup is thick about 30-40 minutes. Remove bay leaf just before serving. Sprinkle each bowl with Parmesan cheese, if desired. Makes about 12 cups.

# Celebrate harvest time with warming, nutritious dishes

See related story on Taste front.

Here are some favorite fall recipes from Living Better Sensibly's Healthy Chef Program.

### TOFU BRUNSWICK STEW

- 2 teaspoons canola oil, divid-
- 1 pound Firm tofu, diced
- 1/2 cup diced onion
- 1/2 cup diced celery 1 clove garlic, minced
- 1 tablespoon tomato paste 1/4 cup dry red wine or beer
- (optional) 1 cup canned tomato puree 1/2 cup fresh or frozen corn
- kernels 1 can black beans, drained

- 2 tablespoons barbecue sauce
- 1 tablespoon tamari Hot pepper sauce to taste

Heat 1 teaspoon oil in a nonstick pan over moderate heat. Add diced tofu; brown. Remove from pan; set aside. Add remaining 1 teaspoon oil; sauté onion, celery and garlic until well-browned. Stir in remaining ingredients and reserved tofu; simmer until sauce is reduced and develops rich brown color, about 15 minutes. Makes 4 servings.

### BAKED STUFFED EGGPLANT

- 2 medium eggplants
- 2 teaspoons canola oil
- 1 medium onion, minced

- 1 green pepper, diced
- 2 cloves garlic, minced 2 (16 oz. cans) plum toma-
- toes, drained and chopped 1 large celery stalk, chopped
- 2/3 cup plain, dried breadcrumbs 1/2 cup minced fresh parley
- Pepper to taste

Soy Parmesan cheese

Preheat oven to 350°F Slice eggplants in half lengthwise. Carefully scoop out flesh, making 4 eggplant shells; set aside. Coarsely chop second eggplant. Heat oil in large heavy skillet. Add onion and bell pepper; sauté 2 minutes. Add chopped eggplant, garlic, tomatoes and celery. Simmer until eggplant is tender, about 15 minutes.

Remove from heat; add bread crumbs and parsley. Stir to combine. Add pepper to taste. Place eggplant shells in large baking pan; fill each shell with tomato mixture. Sprinkle with parmesan. Pour water into pan around stuffed eggplants. Bake until eggplant is very soft and top is browned, about 30 minute. Two eggplant halves makes 4 servings.

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2 apples, cored and cubed 2 cups frozen or fresh cran-

berries (1 cup dried cranberries) 1 cinnamon stick

1/2 teaspoon black pepper Simmer Maple syrup, wine, and apple juice. Add pears, apples, cranberries, cinnamon

stick, and pepper. Simmer until

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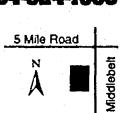
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Peanut Butter and Honey Pot Oatmeal Cookies have something for everyone in the family. Kids will go for the honey-nut flavor, while parents are sure to approve of the wholesome goodness of the whole grain oats. Easy to make, these delightfully chewy oatmeal cookies are great for packing in lunch boxes.

Kids big and small will go wild over Bear Paw "Cubcakes." These chocolate-y cupcakes with candy "paw" prints on top will be a hit every time.

Other healthy kid-pleasing cookie ideas for lunch boxes and after-school snacking are available at the Quaker Oatmeal Web site www.quakeroatmeal.com

#### PEANUT BUTTER HONEY POT OATMEAL COOKIES

- 3/4 cup peanut butter
- 3/4 cup honey .
- 3/4 cup granulated sugar

In large bowl, beat peanut but-4 tablespoons (1/2 stick)

ter, honey, sugar and margarine with electric mixer until creamy. Add egg, milk and vanilla; mix well. Add combined oats, flour and baking soda; mix well. Stir in raisins and peanuts. Cover and chill at least 30 minutes.

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ened

1 egg, lightly beaten

1/4 cup fat-free milk

3 cups oats (quick or old-

1 teaspoon baking soda

1 cup golden raisins

fashloned, uncooked)

1 3/4 cups flour (if using old-

1/2 cup coarsely chopped dry

roasted peanuts (optional)

fashloned oats, add 2 addi-

tional tablespoons of flour)

2 teaspoons vanilla

Heat oven to 375°F. Drop dough by rounded tablespoonfuls onto ungreased cookie sheets.

Bake 7-9 minutes or until light golden brown. Remove to wire rack; cool completely. Store tightly covered at room temperature or wrap airtight and freeze. Makes about 5 dozen.

## BEAR PAW "CUBCAKES"

- 1 1/4 cups fat-free milk 1/3 cup fat-free chocolate
- 1 cup oats (quick or old fashioned, uncooked)
- 5 tablespoons stick margarine or butter, melted
- 1 egg, lightly beaten
- 1 teaspoon vanilla

syrup

- 1 1/3 cups all-purpose flour 1/3 cup unsweetened cocoa
- powder 1/3 cup granulated sugar
- 2 teaspoons baking powder 1/2 teaspoon salt (optional) 1/4 teaspoon baking soda
- Decorations : Ready-to-spread vanilla frosting
- 12 chocolate candy-making wafers or chocolate-covered mint patties
- 36 semisweet chocolate chips

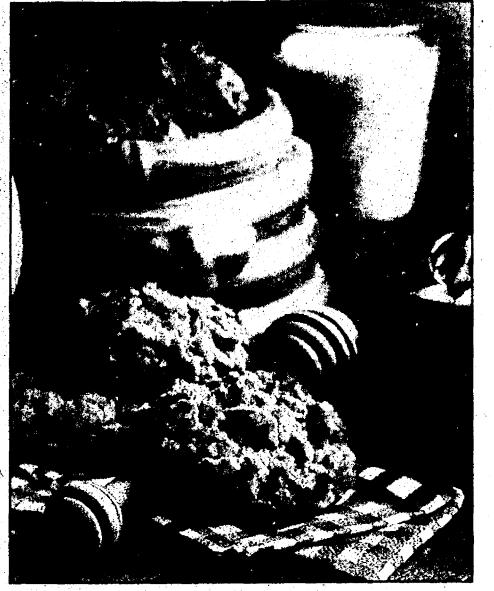
Heat oven to 375°F. Line 12 medium muffin cups with paper

In large bowl, combine milk and chocolate syrup; mix well. Stir in oats and let stand 10 minutes. Stir in margarine, egg and vanilla until blended.

In medium bowl, combine flour, cocoa powder, sugar, baking powder, salt and baking soda. Add to oats mixture; stir just until dry ingredients are moistened. (Do not óvermix.) ·

Fill muffin cups almost full. Bake 15 to 18 minutes or until wooden pick inserted in center comes out with a few moist crumbs clinging to it. (Do not overbake). Cool cupcakes in pan on wire rack 5 minutes; remove from pan. Cool completely.

Spread frosting on cupcakes. For each cupcake, gently press 1 candy wafer into frosting, forming a bear paw "pad" press 3 chocolate chips into frosting around wafer for



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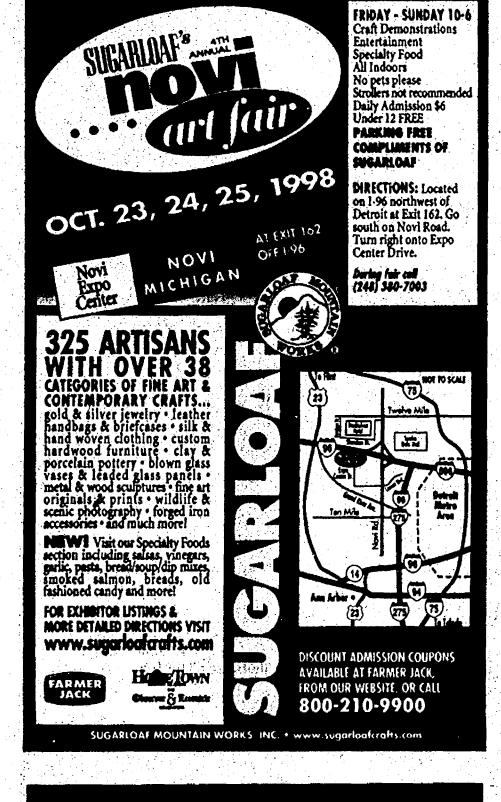
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Wednesday, Oct. 7, 7-8:30 pm Holiday Inn Livonia West (I-275 and 6 Mile Rd.) This event is free of charge. No registration is required.

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Sunday October 4 Press

## **MEDICAL** BRIEFS

## Menopause support

This support group provides indepth information, education and communication to assist women in leading a fuller life during the midlife years. Meets the first Wednesday of the month from 7-9 p.m. at St. Mary Hospital, Livonia. Guest speaker: Michael Gatt, M.D., OB/GYN, St. Mary Hospital. Gatt will conduct a question and answer session about topics related to menopause. Next meeting 7-9 p.m. Oct. 7 in Conference Room B (use the south entrance off Levan Road).

## **Pituitary education**

The Pituitary Tumor Education and Support Group Meeting will be held Wednesday, Oct. 7, and feature Dr. Viken Mitossian. Group will meet from 6:30-8:30 p.m. at the Brighton Public Library and discuss "The relationship between nerves, hormones and emotional well-being." RSVP to Teresa Sullivan at (810) 227-5615 or sully@ismi.net. The Brighton Public Library is located at 200 Charles H. Orndorf Drive.

## Stutter support

As part of the National Stuttering Project, Henry Ford Hospital will host a support group for people who stutter from 6:30-8 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 7, at the hospital's Center for Rehabilitation Services, located at 2799 W. Grand Blvd. The support group was formed to offer participants speaking practice, social activities and mutual support. Call (313) 876-4605.

## **Depression testing**

Advanced Counseling Services of Livonia will offer free screenings for depression and manic-depression during National Depression Screening Day, Oct. 8. The free program will be held from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. at ACS, .17199 Laurel Park Drive, Suite 312, Livonia. No appointment is necessary. Walk-ins are welcome. Individuals anonymously complete a written test for depression and have the opportunity to discuss the results with a mental health professional. Call (734) 953-1203.

## **Chemical sensitive**

M.C.S. Friends is a free support group for anyone who is hypersensitive to chemical/and or environmental irritants (smoke, fragrances, pesticides, cleaning supplies). Support group will meet 2-5 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 11, in the Zeigler Center - Botsford Hospital, 28050 Grand River, Farmington Hills. Call (248) 349-4972 for information.

## Wish list

The Arbor Hospice is looking for donated items to give the residence the look and feel of a home. Some of the items sought include all types of music (CD, cassette), electric typewriter, magazine subscriptions, decorative items, place mats, etc. If you are interested, call (734) 668-6059.

## We want your health news

There are several ways you can reach the Observer Health & Fitness staff. The Sunday section provides numerous voluce for you to offer newsworthy information including Medical Datebook (upcoming calendar events); Medical Newsmakers (appointments/new hires in the medical field); and Medical Briefs (medical advances, short news items from hospitals, physicians, companies), We also welcome newsworthy ideas for sealth and fitness related stories. To submit an item to our newspaper you

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## By Kimberly A. Mortson Stapp Writer

Roll up your sleeves — it's flu shot season.

The flu is a contagious, respiratory illness that can cause symptoms such as fever, chills, headaches, aching muscles, nausea and vomiting. The gravest of cases can lead to pneumonia, bronchitis, sinus and lung infec-

Different from the common cold and often confused with the stomach flu, influenza strikes millions of people each year and causes 20,000 deaths annually.

"In 1992, Americans missed more than 52 million workdays because of the flu," according to the American Lung Association of Minnesota.

The U.S. Centers for Disease Control report there are current ly three strains of the virus circulating: A/Sydney, A/Beijing and B/Harbin. Vaccines that help guard against the disease are updated yearly to include the most current virus strains. one of the main reasons people should be immunized each year with the vaccination.

## Who's at risk?

Unfortunately no member of the population is 100-percent protected from flu viruses. Because the strains are continuously changing, susceptibility is increased. If the virus did not change, a single vaccination could be administered, for instance when a person was young, that would last a lifetime.

Re-infection occurs when the virus creates new antibodies that the old antibodies - produced during a past infection no longer recognize, allowing the mutated virus to invade again.

Some groups are more susceptible to the illness and are at increased risk for complications of influenza. They include:

Persons aged 65 and older. Residents of nursing homes and other chronic care facilities

that house people of any age who have chronic medical conditions.

Adults and children who have chronic disorders of the pulmonary or cardiovascular systems, including children with \_asthma.

Adults and children who have required regular medical follow-up or hospitalization during the preceding year because of chronic metabolic diseases.

Children and teenagers (6 months to 18 years) who are receiving long-term aspirin therapy and therefore might be at risk for developing Reye's syndrome after influenza.

■ Women who will be in the second or third trimester (past 14 weeks gestation) of pregnancy during the influenza season.

According to a spokesperson, Henry Ford Health System is encouraging high-risk patients (those age 65 and older and those with certain chronic medical conditions, including asthma, diabetes, chronic lung disease, heart disease, kidney disease, or a history of cancer) to attend a walk-in clinic or visit their primary care physician's

office to obtain a flu shot. "We have set up a toll-free number which provides a listing of where and when we are offering flu shots," said Meredith Meyer, Henry Ford public relations. "This will be updated on a weekly basis." For more information, call 800-529-4347.

Diabetics, whose immune system is often compromised, are urged to be immunized by the Southeast Michigan Diabetes Outreach Network. Each year, 10,000-30,000 deaths among people with diabetes are associated with influenza and pneumonia, a complication of the flu.

## Making progress

Thanks to the progress in both research and public awareness, The New England Journal of Medicine states that "workers who receive a flu shot suffer 25percent less upper respiratory illnesses and save an estimated \$47 per employee in healthcare

Individuals who are allergic to eggs or chicken feathers, sensitive to antibiotics or have Guillain-Barre syndrome (a neurological disorder) should not get a flu shot but should consult with their physician.

Many people are discouraged from getting the vaccination against the flu because of myths they'll contract the virus from the shot. False,

Dr. Lynn Gray, clinical coordinator for Michigan Peer Review Organization, said, "Despite what you may have heard, you can't get the flu from a flu shot."

An ice pack will alleviate any soreness where the vaccine is injected. A few people may get a mild fever, headache and flulike signs, such as aching muscles. These reactions start in 6 to 12 hours and last 24 to 48 hours, but they pale in comparison to the symptoms brought on by catching the flu.

## Readily available

There are dozens of clinics throughout western Wayne County offering flu shot clinics during the months of October and November (see calendar). The fees average \$5 - \$10 or free if you have Medicare (Medicare Part B pays for flu shots). You will not have to pay anything for the shot if your doctor accepts Medicare assignment and does not charge more than Medicare will pay.

"Even if you got a shot last year, you'll need another this year because the flu is a different type from year to year," said

Schedule an appointment with your personal physician to receive your flu shot or call (800) 365-5899 to find out where flu vaccine sites are in Wayne County or for a referral to your local health department.

A, B, and C. Type A is the mint s clated with the most serious e It produces generally is milder than that co type A. Type C viruses, on the other he been connected with a large epidemic

III The annual direct medical costs of influence are a mated at up to \$4.6 billion. Total direct and indirect costs of a severe flu epidemic are at legal \$12.5 III Schools are an excellent place for transmission of flu viruses, so that families with school-age children have a higher rate of infection then other families, with an everage of one-third of the family members infected each year.

Wiruses for vaccine production are grown in chicken eggs and then inactivated with a chemical so that they are no longer infectious. People who are allergic to eggs should not receive flu vaccine since some egg protein may be present in the vaccine.

# It takes about two weeks after veccination for antibodies against influenza to develop and provide printed tion, therefor, the best time for a flu shot is from early October to mid-November. The typical influenza "seeson" of activity begins in November and concludes in April (peak activity between January and March).

## Flu shot locations

## CANTON

Oct. 7, from 4-7 p.m.; Oakwood Healthcare Center, 7300 Canton Center Road. For information call, (734) 454-8001. Flu shots are \$5 (or free with medicare card).

Saint Joseph Mercy Health System will be offering flu shots on a walk-in basis for \$10, Monday, October 12 from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. at the Canton Health Building Community Room, 1600 S. Canton Center Road at Summit Parkway. For more information. please call (734) 398-7557.

Oct. 13, from 2-6 p.m.; Oakwood Healthcare Center, 7300 Canton Center Road. For information call (734) 454-8001. Flu shots are \$5 (or free with medicare card).

Oct. 14, from 4-7 p.m.; Oakwood Healthcare Center, 7300 Canton Center Road. For information call, (734) 454-8001. Flu shots are \$5 (or free with medicare card).

Saint Joseph Mercy Health System will be offering flu shots on a walk-in basis for \$10, Thursday, October 15 from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. at the Canton Health Building Community Room, 1600 S. Canton Center Road at Summit Parkway. For more information, please call (734) 398-7557.

Oct. 21, from 1-4 p.m.; Oakwood Healthcare Center in Canton, 7300 Canton Center Road. For information call (734) 454-8001. Flu shots are \$5 (or free with medicare card).

Oct. 24, from 9 a.m. to noon; Farmer Jack, 43403 Joy Rd., near Morton. Immunizations are \$10 each, 100 percent reimbursable for Medicare B cardhold-Oct. 28, from 4-7 p.m.; Oakwood Healthcare Cen-

ter in Canton, 7300 Canton Center Road. For information call (734) 454-8001. Flu shots are \$5 (or free with medicare card). ■ Nov. 3, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.; Canton Outpatient Phar-

macy, 7300 Canton Center Road. For information call (734) 454-8070. Flu shots are \$5 (or free with medicare card). Nov. 4, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Oakwood Healthcare

Center, 7300 Canton Center Road. For information call (734) 454-8001. Flu shots are \$5 (or free with medicare card).

■ Nov. 11, from 4-7 p.m.; Oakwood Healthcare Center, 7300 Canton Center Road. Flu shots are \$5 (or free with medicare card). ■ Nov. 18, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Oakwood Health-

care Center, 7300 Canton Center Road. For information call (734) 454-8001. Flu shots are \$5 (or free with medicare card). ■ Nov. 25, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Oakwood Health-

care Center, 7300 Canton Center Road. Call (734) 454-8001. Flu shots are \$5 (or free with medicare

## LIVONIA

Oct. 2, from 5-8 p.m.; Oct. 3, from 9 a.m. to noon; Oct. 31, from 9 a.m. to noon; Farmer Jack, 37665 Five Mile, near Newburgh. Immunizations are \$10

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## 'Tell-A-Friend Tuesday' aims to increase mammograms

The American Cancer Society, Great Lakes Division will celebrate Breast Cancer Awareness Month with the launch of a massive breast cancer education and early detection program on Oct. 6 called, Tell-A-Friend Tuesday.

On this day, thousands of volunteer callers in Michigan and Indiana will take time to phone at least five of their female friends and family members, age 40 and older, encouraging them to get a mammogram. More than 100,000 women will be reached in Michigan and Indiana, making this the largest breast health initiative of its kind.

Support for Tell-A-Friend Tuesday is widespread, endorsed by virtually all women who received mammegrams every sector of Michigan and Indiana did so because they were asked," says

large and small are encouraging their employees to make their calls "at work" to help in the campaign.

Additionally, cancer survivors, health conscious individuals and others in communities all around Michigan and Indiana will pause and take time from their busy schedules to educate their friends and loved ones about breast cancer by calling from their homes.

Tell-A-Friend Tuesday was developed in response to research showing women get their annual mammogram as a result of requests from family members and friends. "Roughly 25% of

In Michigan last year where the program was initially launched as a pilot project, more than 7,500 women were reached in a single 24-hour period. "We will dramatically exceed that number this year," says Rakowski.

Tell-A-Friend Tuesday volunteers will be taking a simple message to the phones: A mammogram is a woman's best defense against breast cancer. When detected early, the survival rate for breast cancer is as high as 97 percent. All women, age 40 and older, need to conduct monthly breast self-exams and have annual clinical exams and mammography.

communities. Corporations, govern. Vicki Rakowski, Vice President of Can-that to reduce the mortality of breast provided they receive American Cancer ment, labor unions, and businesses cer Control for the American Cancer cancer by 50 percent by the year 2015,

100 percent of women age 40 and older must get annual mammograms by the year 2008. Today there are nearly 1.2 million women 40 years and older in Indiana, and nearly 2.2 million in Michigan.

Currently, only 60-65 percent of these women are getting these life-saving screenings. "Our goal is to increase the number of women getting mammograms in Michigan by 600,000 and by almost 2000 in Indiana by the year 2000," says Rakowski.

"Tell-A-Friend Tuesday will help us do this," she added. Recruitment for the campaign has been underway for The American Cancer Society says several months. Anyone can participate Society materials.

## Porn sites often snare unwary visitors to the Internet

It happened to CNN. It happened to NASA. And last week, it happened to Chrysler.

Internet pornography pirates hijacked unsuspecting Web surfers by diverting them to Xrated adult sites.

We exposed a similar problem in a column here last month. That involved some sophisticated Internet pro-

gramming by some unscrupulous opportunists who were able to divert Web searchers to porn

What they'd do is set up dummy sites devoted to popular subjects, like the Spice Girls singing group. A net search engine would refer Spice Girls fans to the site. But once there, the programming would take over and, behind the scenes, instead pass the surfer onto several different pornographic sites before eventually landing them on a very shallow and superficial site supposedly devoted to the Spice Girls, or whatever subject was used to lure the surfer.



MIKE WENDLAND

Oftentimes, the surfers never even knew that they were logging into and out of the porn sites, that's how fast it

But, because the porn sites sell advertising based on how many "hits," or times their pages are accessed, each of those "visits" counted.

That's one way the porn pirates get visitors.

The other is by trickery. And that's what the Chrysler Corp. is now fighting against. Porn pirates set up a Web site with a name very similar to the automaker's www.4adodge.com would heavily promote its site, a New York-based Internet porn company called "The Net" used almost the same exact name ... almost, but not quite ... for its hard core offerings.

Thus, when would-be Chrysler shoppers did a search on the Internet for Dodge-related info, they were as often as not directed to the porn site.

"A customer searching for information about a Dodge should not be faced with pornography," said Chrysler in a statement. "The Net' is clearly using one of

the most identifiable brand names in have set up several other knock off sites the automotive industry to make money dispensing pornography."

Chrysler did manage to reach someone at The Net. But, according to a Chrysler spokesman, they were told unless Chrysler would pay them a lot of money, they were going to hold onto the name they registered that sounds so much like the Dodge site.

Instead of paying, Chrysler is suing The Net for trademark infringement and unfair competition.

This is not the first time the porn company has been accused of such pirasite that is aimed at showing off Dodge cy. They did the same with CNN last automobiles. Knowing that Chrysler summer. And last year, The Net ripped off a Web site name almost identical to NASA's Web site so that thousands of people, including a lot of schoolkids innocently seeking information on space exploration, ended up at a site peddling

That site was shut down and the CNN rip-off site had the porn offerings

Probably the same thing will happen with the site Chrysler is complaining about.

By that time. The Net will probably

to hijack surfers.

All this is prompting calls for new Internet regulation, or at the very least rules that prohibit people from so biatantly trading on the good name of another.

Here are some other recent Internet

happenings you need to know about: ■ Netscape loses in browser war -Microsoft's Internet Explorer Web browser is now the most used browser on the Internet, according to a new study by International Data Corp. The report says 43.8 percent of all those who surf the Net now use the Microsoft product, compared to 41.5 percent who use Netscape's Navigator Web browser.

■ Talk to your computer - By the millennium, IBM is predicting 50 million people will be using speech software to control their computers. You will be able to ask your browser to find you things on penguins in Antarctica or dictate your e-mails, which will be multimedia, so instead of dictating the text you could record your voice and it would automatically arrive at either the recipient's PC or telephone. People will realize that voice is more valuable than the

same words recorded as text.

Security flaw in free e-mail program - If you use the free e-mail service Hotmail be advised, they've found not one but two security flaws in the program. Head to the Hotmail Web site for details but experts say the best way to avoid being at risk is to download and send out your e-mail, and then log out ... instead of staying logged in and idle for prolonged periods of time.

PC Mike seminar My next PC Mike Computer/Internet seminar will be 10 a.m. to noon Saturday, Oct. 31. It's called "Internet 101" and "How to Spruce Up Your System." Cost is \$5 a person and you must register in advance by calling (248) 423-2721.

Mike Wendland covers the Internet for NBC-TV Newschannel stations across the country. His "PC Talk" radio show airs Saturday and Sunday afternoons on Detroit's WXYT-Radio AM1270. He is the author of a series of Internet books. You can reach him through his Web site: http://www.pcmike.com

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each, 100 percent reimbursable for Medicare B cardholders. St. Mary is doing community flu shots on Monday, Oct. 12, from 2-5 p.m. and Wednesday, Oct. 14, from 8-10 a.m. Pre-registration is required. There is an \$8 fee but senior citizens who bring their Medicare B card get their shot free. Call to make an appointment, (734) 655-8940.

## **PLYMOUTH**

Oct. 7, from 4-7 p.m.; Oakwood Healthcare Center, 7300 Canton Center Road. For information call, (800) 543-WELL. Flu shots are \$5 (or free with medicare

card). Cct. 13, from 9-11:30 a.m. and 1-3:30 p.m.; Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer St. in Plymouth. Sponsored by the Wayne County Health Department. Call (734) 455-6627 for an appoint-

■ Saint Joseph Mercy Health System will be offering flu shots on a walk-in basis for \$10. Tuesday, October 13, from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. At the Arbor Health Building Community Room - Plymouth, 990 W. Ann Arbor Trail. For more information, please call (734) 414-1000.

■ Oct. 15, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Independence Village, Plymouth sponsored by the Oakwood. Healthcare Center. 14707 Northville Rd. between Schoolcraft and Five Mile. Open to the

public. Saint Joseph Mercy Health System will be offering flu shots on a walk-in basis for \$10. Wednesday, October 21, from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. At the Arbor Health Building Community Room - Plymouth, 990 W. Ann Arbor Trail. For more information, please call (734) 414-1000. Nov. 5, from 4-7 p.m. Independence village in Plymouth sponsored by Oakwood Healthcare Center. Northville Road between Schoolcraft and Five Mile. Open to the public. Flu shots are \$5 (or free with medicare card).

## REDFORD

Oct. 15, from 9 a.m. to noon; Farmer Jack, 27330 Plymouth Rd., near Inkster. Immunizations are \$10 each, 100 percent reimbursable for Medicare B cardholders.

## WESTLAND

Oct. 3, from 2-5 p.m.; Farmer Jack, 34414 Ford Rd., near Wildwood St.; and Oct. 17, from 2-5 p.m.; Farmer Jack, 6050 Middlebelt, near Ann Arbor Trail. Immunizations are \$10 each. 100 percent reimbursable for Medicare B cardholders. ■ Oct. 7, from 8:30-11 a.m.; Friendship Center Westland on

Newburgh Road, sponsored by Oakwood Hospital. Open to the public.

■ Oct. 13, from 2-6 p.m. at the Oakwood Merriman Center Outpatient Pharmacy (Merriman Rd. between Michigan Ave. and Palmer): Former Merriman Hospital site. Flu shots are \$5 (or free with medicare card). For more information call (800) 543-WELL.

■ Oct. 14, from 2-6 p.m.; F&M Westland Store, 35715 Warren Road.

n Oct. 15, from 10 a.m. to noon; American House - Westland, 1660 Venoy in Westland. For information call (734) 326-7777.

■ Oct. 23, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.; Woven Hearts, 3211 Cherry Hill

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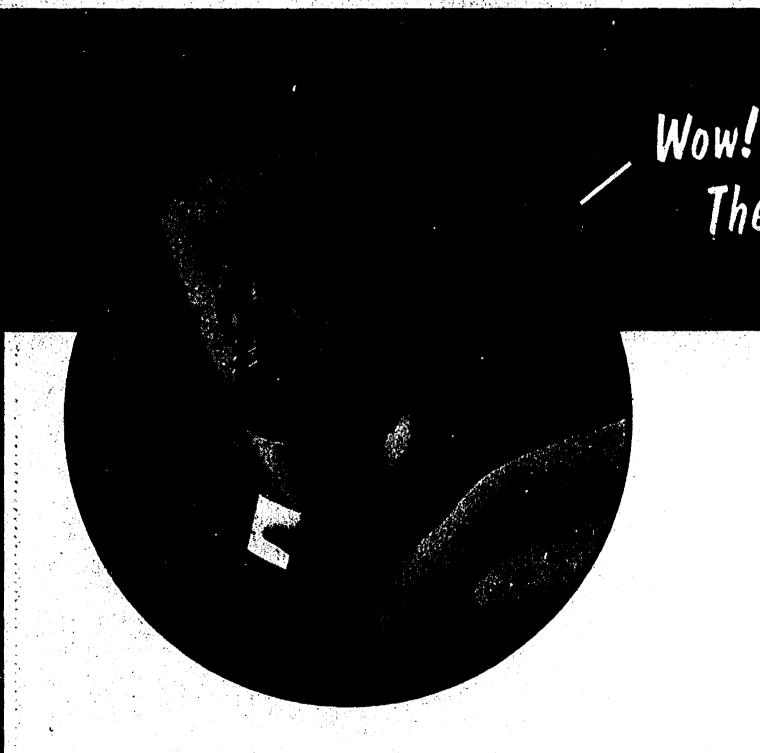
Road. For information call (734) 729-4034.

Oct. 28, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Presbyterian Village, 32001 Cherry Hill sponsored by Oakwood. For information call (734) 728-5222.

Nov. 6, from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.; Westland Mall, 35000 Warren Road in Westland, sponsored by Oakwood. For information call (734) 421-0877.

## **URGENT CARES**

St. Joseph Mercy Hospital Urgent Care Centers will provide flu shots from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. all the time on a walk-inbasis. For more information, call your nearest St. Joe Urgent Care Center.



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# ARTISTIC EXPRESSIONS **LINDA ANN CHOMIN**

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## **Artists share** the greatest gift of all

fter winning two Best of Shows in prestigious area art exhibitions, Henry Friedman destroyed the sculpture he'd created while working for a company in Garden City. Even though the West Bloomfield resident had 1-1/2 years of work into the piece dealing with life in German concentration camps during World War II, he felt it didn't convey the horror suffered by millions of Jews. Friedman survived seven of the camps between the ages of 16 and 21. The last-Mauthausen was referred to by the prisoners as the "moth house." Down in the basement machine shop of Friedman's home you can almost smell the stench of burning flesh coming from the crematoriums in the dozen or so sculptures he's created over the years.

"It didn't have the true meaning of the extermination camps," said Friedman, who concentrates on two types of work: the Holocaust and stories from the Bible. "The worst part was the dehumanization. We got used to hunger and beating, but we clung to

the hope we Sharing the Gift would be liber-Within You

Two of Fried-

man's works are

currently on

"Sharing the

You" at First

Presbyterian

through Oct. 9.

"Shofar," depicts

a rabbi blowing

the Ram's Horn

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other religious

"Jacob," shows

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"I'm trying to

bring a message

to the younger

artists from

ton, Redford,

and Livonia.

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WHAT: A multimedia exhibition judged by William Bostick, a former administrator at the Detroit Institute of Arts. Admission is free. Bostick gives a juror's gallery talk 1:30 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 8. Cafe luncheons served 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Oct. 6-8. WHEN: Through Friday Oct. 9. Gallery hours are 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday-Thursday, and until 8 p.m. Friday. WHERE: First Presbyterian Church of Northville, 200 E. Main Street. For informa-



tion, call (248) 349-

0911.

**Award winner:** Henry Friedman took the Juror's Choice Award in the sixth annual "Sharing The Gift Within You" exhibition.

doesn't teach murder."

generation. there's more than drugs and crimes," said Friedman. "They should believe in a reli-

gion no matter what it is as long as it

Born in Germany, Friedman said Jews were deprived of everything when the Nuremberg Laws went into effect. He was separated from his parents at the very beginning. Bernard and Amalia went to the gas chamber. One of the sculptures is a memorial to them, another to the American soldiers who liberated the camp May 5,

"You think it's easy to build," said Friedman quickly turning away from the sculpture honoring his parents. "I cry, I build. I cry, I build."

## Documenting the atrocities

The commandment "Thou Shalt Not Kill" echoes through several of Friedman's sculptures. None of the 30 or more works are for sale as Friedman wants to donate them to a museum or other organization to display as a reminder.

"As a survivor I must leave some-

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harlie Martin never saw the car coming the night he ran out of gas after rehearsing with Bob Seger's band. Five weeks later he awoke in the hospital to realize the driver with no lights had crushed the lower part of his body leaving him paralyzed.

Eighteen years later, Martin is making a comeback. He's traded in his drums for a keyboard and is busy preparing for one of the most important performances since the days he played drums with Seger- a gala evening and auction to benefit Very Special Arts Michigan and Special Olympics Michigan on Friday, Oct. 16, at the Roostertail Club in Detroit.

If you're looking for a piece of art for your home or sports memorabilia, the Art and Soul Auction is the place to be. A bowl by Farmington potter John Glick, watercolors by William

Bostick and

Louis Red-

stone, photog-

raphy by Jack

Olds, a former

Livonia Arts

Commission-

er, and sculp-

ture by Sergio

De Giusti of

Redford (see

accompanying

story) are just

a few of the

art items to

go on the auc-

tion block.

WHAT: Very Special Arts Michigan and Special Olympics Michigan host an art and sports memorabilia auction to benefit their organizations.

WHEN: 7 p.m. Friday, Oct. 16. WHERE: Roostertail Club, 100 Marquette, Detroit.

COST: \$50 per person, \$100 for patron, For more information, call (248) 423-1080 or (800) 644-6404.

The Elizabeth Stone Gallery in Birmingham is donating a print from H.A. Rey's "Curious George" children's book. There will also be art by children and emerging artists previously exhibited in a Very Special Arts exhibit that annually tours the state. For sports enthusiasts, there's a Detroit Pistons jersey autographed by Joe Dumars, Detroit Red Wings' items, a weekend ski package at Treetops Resort, a two-night stay at the Hotel Iroquois on Mackinac Island, and a suite for a Piston's game, Martin's donating a pair of autographed drum sticks from his days with Seger to raise funds for the state affiliates of organizations founded by the Kennedy family to help people with disabilities.

Martin, who's spent nearly half his life "Running Against the Wind," embodies the Very Special Arts spirit which is the power of the arts to triumph over disability. Whether he readily admits it or not, Martin's music kept him going. After recuperating in the hospital for seven the University of Michigan-Dear-



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Wheelchair painting: This abstract art work was created by using a roller device attached to a wheelchair.

weeks, the Northville resident went through five months of physical and occupational therapy. For two years after the accident, Martin "didn't do anything with drumming." He sold his drums but continued to express his creativity through the piano. "It was a form of therapy."

"Being a paraplegic, I thought it was important to show you can overcome the handicap and make a positive statement," said Martin, who went back to school a few years ago to earn a psychology degree at

born. He works part time helping kids who've opted for the Livonia Youth Assistance Program after get-

ting in trouble with the law. In addition to Martin and his band Jam Pact, Boyz II Boyz will perform under the direction of Birmingham musical therapist Margaret Hull. Hull's weekly sessions with the duo is one of programs supported by Very Special Arts to provide opportunities for children and adults with disabilities to grow

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Looking back: Sergio De Giusti shows a retrospective of his 35 years as a sculptor.

## Exhibition traces sculptor's career in stone

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN STAFF WRITER

Sergio De Giusti leaned back in the chair at Madonna University's Exhibit Gallery, a content look on his face. The Redford sculptor was nearly through installing a retrospective of his work in the library building on the Livonia campus. The exhibition, continuing through Oct. 24, spans 35 years of his

"I'm really proud of this," said De Giusti. "You start looking at your whole life when you do an exhibit like this. You have to have convictions and stick with them."

The medallions, relief, drawings and models for commissions demonstrate De Giusti's style as it evolved over the

years. In addition to the original art The medalworks, a photo- lions, relief, graphic overview shows public art drawings and created by De models for Giusti-Anthony Wayne sculpture Wayne State University, reliefs honoring Martin Luther King Jr. at Eastern Michigan University, the

the years. 20-panel frieze for the State of Michigan Library and Archives Building in Lansing, bronze doors for the Church of San Vito in Italy, and the memorial to Special Agent Rick Finley at the Drug Enforcement Adminstration's Detroit Field Headquarters downtown are a few of the commissions De Giusti's completed

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over the years. De Giusti is one of the few sculptors doing bas relief. Best known for his shrouded figures, De Giusti was influenced early by Manzu, El Greco and Donatello. Adrift in space, the haunting images intrigue viewers and hold them

steadfast in the eerie spirits' grip. Today, De Giusti frequently visits and photographs traditional art works in churches and cemeteries for inspiration. (He refers to churches as the poor man's museum.) Born in Maniago, Italy, De Giusti used to spend hours staring up at the ceiling in the Church of St. Martino admiring Vittorio Cadel's religious themes. He believes artists

are shaped by their environment. "I'm fascinated by the element of time," said De Giusti. "The anthropological series deals with a ritual, it deals with afterlife. The mystery is much more important. It's the mystery.

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## Pied piper uses music to teach children basics



Early learning: Norma Atwood leads a Beginnings music session at the Southeast Michigan Arts Conservatory.

LINDA ANN CHOMIŃ STAFF WRITER

Norma Atwood's Tuesday morning Beginnings class of children from 18 months to 4 years were just starting to warm up by singing the "Hello" song. Pointing to herself and then to each child, Atwood made her way around the circle of moms, dads and kids sitting on the floor of the Southeast Michigan Arts Conservatory in Canton.

The song is one of the ways the Kindermusik program puts children at case. Some of the children were more shy than others but gradually most came around to participating in the bell ringing and movement that Atwood led.

Mary Crombez of Livonia brought Emily, 2, Katie, 4 and Mary Rose, 4-1/2 months to the class. An early childhood development specialist for Wayne-Westland Community Schools before becoming a mother, Crombez values the lessers Atwood imparts in the 45minute session all in the name of fun.

"It's much more than learning songs," said Crombez. "It's learning early cog-

#### Southeast Michigan Arts Conservatory

WHAT: Offers Kindermusik programs days and evenings Monday-Saturday.

WHERE: 5701 Canton Center Road at Maben, Canton, call (734) 453-7590.

nitive and motor skills. They're able to replicate sound because they've had real experience. They learn concepts like faster and slower. Emily's learned a lot of words to use and Katie's totally focused and responds by moving her

Two-year old Sean Ajluni was one of the more active participants in the Beginnings class.

"He's developed a real taste for music," said father Victor Ajluni of Livonia. "He enjoys music for the sound."

This is the second semester for Madison Linnen, 2 and mom Karen. The first semester Madison didn't engage in the activities but now she's dancing

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with scarves.

"She's just really blossomed," said Karen Linnen, a Canton resident. "She's constantly singing. It's built self confidence.

Justin Lamb, at 22 months, quietly sat taking everything in. Mother Rollyn said he goes through a metamorphosis when they hit the door of their Canton home.

"Lwant Justin to have some. sort of an education with music, everything from Barney to Bach," said Robyn Lamb. "He's real quiet in class, but they give you a CD to take home and he knows everything that was done

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and follows along."

Norma Atwood had been involved with music for more than 20 years when she discovered Kindermusik.

"It's an international curricuhum," said Atwood. "I fell in love with the quality of material and education procedures. It originated in Germany by Lorna Heyge 25 years ago."

In addition to the Beginnings class, Kindermusik curricula includes Growing with Kindermusik for ages 3 1/2 to 5 years and Kindermusik for the Young Child aimed at ages 4 1/2 to 7.

Atwood is most excited about the Kindermusik Village pro-

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gram for newborns to age 18 months being introduced nationally this fall. Cognitive, social and emotional development skills begin at birth.

"It's important to have the child involved with music with rocking movement," said Atwood. "It's helping brain functions at ah early age but also educates the parent. There's lots of new parents who are very stressed and the rocking movement and music calms them."

A grandmother of two, Atwood's seen first hand how Kindermusik develops confidence and social skills.

"All the new information coming out is proving we're stimulating children to develop sequential skills," said Atwood. "They're far beyond other children. And we're making them aware of music, the enjoyment of music."

From Debussy to Bernstein, Atwood encourages the children ranging from traditional children's songs to ethnic music from Israel. By offering a varied repertoire, children learn to differentiate between modes of music as they're not just listening to pure C Major sounds.

"Our society is a very visual society, not a good aural society," said Atwood. "They're training their ears and learning to listen to recognize sounds. They're able to hear or audiate the music in to listen and "feel" the music, their head and internalize visual concepts."

The use of rhythm sticks to tap out the beat improves coordination and develops motor skills. Amazingly, with few exceptions. Atwood held the attention of the children throughout the 45minute session by introducing the rhythm sticks, plastic microphones, scarves, and other props. Observing this session, it was obvious the children were learning to follow directions in addition to recognizing the different parts of their body.

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through the arts. Special Olympics provides year-round RIDAY - SUNDAY 10-6 sports training and competitions Craft Demonstrations Entertainment for persons with mental retarda-Specialty Food tion. All Indoors

Lora Frankel, Very Special Arts Michigan director hopes to build name recognition for the organization by associating it with Special Olympics. Although the group celebrates its 25th anniversary next year in Los Angeles, Frankel said when she mentions Very Special Arts she still receives blank stares of noncomprehension. Proof is the auction. This is the third auction for Very Special Arts. The last in 1995 raised only a few thousand

"We want to spread aware-

ness," said Frankel. "We're a very well kept secret. Many people know about Special Olympics but not Very Special Arts. We work quietly in the schools and provide mini-grants. We're also statewide."

Frankel and Olds, a former grants director for the Michigan Council for Arts and Cultural Affairs, have been hard at work securing items for the auction. According to Olds, donations for the auction are down because artists are tired of being the ones who are always asked to give so he's still looking for works anyone might want to donate. The money raised from the auction will support programs such as an exhibit by professional artists

with disabilities set to tour the of 7 and 99 with mental retardastate beginning in March 1999. In 1998, funds went to eight mini-grants for programs such as "Hear the Music, Feel the Fun" at the Bryant Center in Livonia and Wild Swan Theatre.

"We want to provide funds for programs and greater services for people with disabilities,"

Special Olympics Michigan development coordinator Aaron Klein is co-chairing the auction with Frankel. Founded by Eunice Kennedy Schriver 30 years ago, Special Olympics held its' first international games in Chicago in 1968. More than 20,000 athletes between the ages

tion and other developmental disabilities will participate in training and competitions this year. Based at Central Michigan University in Mt. Pleasant, Special Olympics Michigan provides year round training and competitions in 20 different sports.

"We're really trying to bring attention to reach a lot of people in the Detroit Metro area; a lot of our athletes come from Wayne and Oakland counties," said Klein. "I'm really excited about the auction. It's the very first time we've done anything with this kind of glitz. And also because we're founded on the same belief as Very Special

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thing behind otherwise who's going to remember," said Friedman. "So, perhaps this will be a testimony from an eye witness."

No one would blame Friedman if he were a bitter man. Instead. Friedman cares about his fellow man. He volunteers several times a week at a Jewish Home for the Aged. Sharing his story at churches and schools, including Madonna University in Livonia, helps lessen the chance it will happen again. Tucked in one corner of the basement, enlargements of photographs taken when the ovens were opened at Dachau are visuals meant to remind lest we forget.

"I talk to them about Hitler and his henchman, what hatred can do to the whole world." said Friedman, "We have to share

ourselves with other people. After my life what I went

through, we can't be an isle." After Friedman welded together that first sculpture of industrial junk metal, he thought "maybe I can make something from my life in extermination camps." He entered the work with encouragement from his daughter Miriam in the Michigan State Fair's Fine Arts Competition. That was his first Best of Show. Since then he's received many awards including Best of Show in "Transforming Visions," an international fine arts competition recently held at Swords into Plowshares Gallery and Peace Center in Detroit, and Juror's Choice in "Sharing the Gift Within You."

"I thought maybe it was beginner's luck, but then I entered it in a show by the Southfield Arts Council where the juror was the head of Cranbrook Academy of Art," said Friedman. "I won First

Prize and then I destroyed it." Until his retirement from the Robotics Division of General Motors in 1997, Friedman could only work on his sculpture during his off hours. Now, he equally divides his time between the metal sculptures and speaking to groups about The Holocaust. Still the sculpture created in the machine shop of Friedman's

basement takes anywhere from

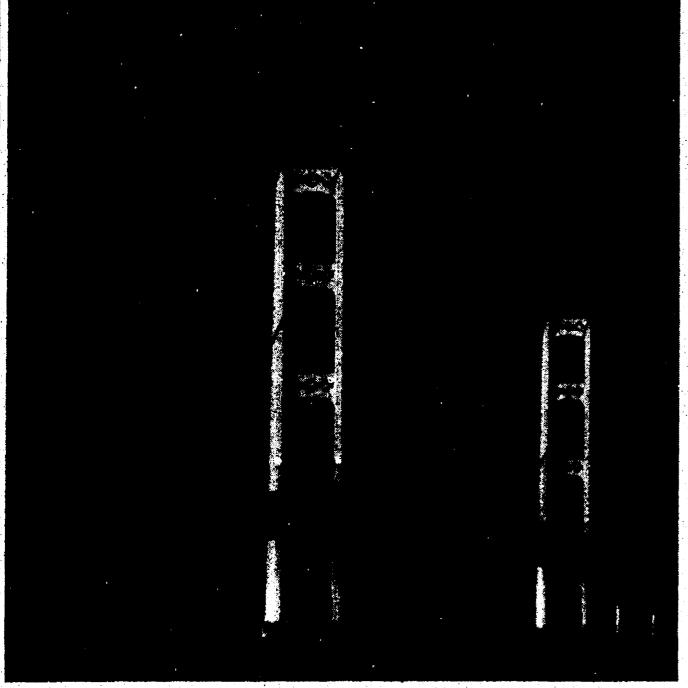
eight months to 1-1/2 years to complete.

and machine," said Friedman. "I only make one art work until sculptors who make molds and then can cast as many as a thousand from it."

"My artwork is made by hand

Friedman's metal sculpture most recently was shown at the "Celebrate Life" exhibition at Congregational Church of Birm-

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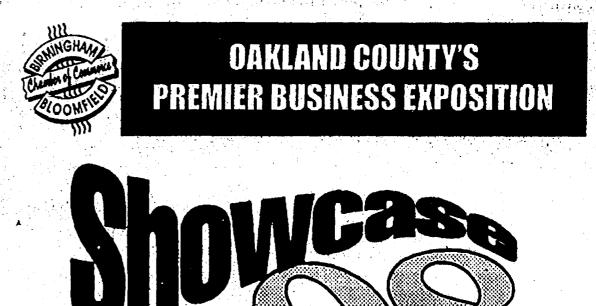
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#### arts & crafts, CULTURAL **FESTIVALS**

"SHARING THE GIFT"

Sixth annual juried fine art exhibit, "Sharing the Gift Within You," 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Oct. 4-8, First. Presbyterian Church of Northville, 200 E. Main Street, Northville; (248) 348-0911.

HANDCRAFTERS ARTS & CRAFTS SHOW

17th annual show Friday,-Sunday, Oct. 9-11, 303 W. Main Street, Northville; (734) 459-0050.

**ALL WORLD MARKET** 

72nd Original All World Market. featuring the Ballet Folklorico Cihua-Art and Afroomeztizo Ballet from Mexico, local ethnic performs, craft demonstrations, hands-on activities for children. 10 a.m.-8 p.m. Friday & Saturday, Oct. 16-17, 11 a.m.-6 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 18., Southfield Civic Center, 26000 Evergreen, Southfield; (313) 871-8600.

FRANKLIN ANTIQUE SHOW

Over 30 antique dealers, 10 a.m. 8 p.m. Friday, Oct. 23, & 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 24. Admission: \$5. Franklin Community Church, 32473 Normandy Road. Proceeds go to outreach programs at Franklin Church. (248) 851-5438. **MEADOW BROOK HALL** COLLECTION

"Tiffany: Essence of Light," through Nov. 15. Meadow Brook Art Gallery, Wilson Hall, Oakland University, Rochester; (248) 370-3140.

#### AUDITIONS/ CALL FOR ARTISTS

**ANN ARBOR CONSORT** Open rehearsals for 1998 holiday season, 7:30-9:30 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 14 & 21. Concordia College, 4090 Geddes

Road, Ann Arbor; (734) 665-7823.

**CRAFTERS WANTED** Artisans and crafters for the Third

Annual Craft Show sponsored by St. Stephen Parent's Guild, Sunday, Oct. 4, St. Stephen Church, 18800 Huron River Drive, New Boston. For Information, (734) 654-8817 or (734) 753-5876. Crafters wanted for "Seasonal Sensations," the annual Senior Fair and Craft Show at Southfield Christian School. Juried show Dec. 5, 1998. Call (248) 375-0693. Crafters wanted for Dunham-Ray VFW Ladies Auxiliary Annual Arts & Craft Show, 10 a.m. 4 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 15. 24222 W. Nine Mile Road; (248) 777-8972. **Crafters wanted** for Farmington High School 9th Annual Arts and Craft Show, Saturday, Nov. 14. Fees: \$45 for booth space; (248) 478-2397, or (248) 473-1538. HOLIDAY MARKETPLACE

Creative Arts Center, North Oakland County, invites local artists to participate in its annual "Holiday Marketplace Gift Shop," Nov. 6-Jan. 2, 1999. Fee: \$15. 47 Williams Street, Pontiac; (248) 333-7849.

LONE MEADOW CRAFT SHOW

New crafters needed for 16th anniversary \*Long Meadow School Country Craft Show," Saturday, Oct. 17. For application (248) 651 6964 or (248) 375-0652. PLYMOUTH COMMUNITY CHORUS

Open auditions for new members, 7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 29, especial ly needed are tenors, basses and baritones, some openings for altos and sopranos. First United Methodist Church, 45201 North Territorial Road, west of Sheldon. Plymouth. (734) 455-4080.

TROY COMMUNITY CHORUS Seeks chorus members for its new season. Candidates must be available for Tuesday rehearsals 7:30-9:30 p.m. Candidates should send their resume and salary requirements to the chorus, P.O. Box 165, Troy, MI 48099. (248) 879-0138.

## BENEFIT

MASQUERADE BALL

Detroit Dance Collective's fundraiser, "Imagine Yourself As..." 8 p.m. Friday, Oct. 16, Riverview Ballroom, Cobo Hall; (313) 965-3544.

> CLASSES & WORKSHOPS

ART MUSEUM PROJECT

Non-credit studio art classes and workshops from mid September



Waiting to exhale: Detroit Chamber Winds opens its fall season with "An Autumnal Diverstissement!" 7 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 4 at the Birmingham Unitarian Church, 651 N. Woodward, Bloomfield Hills; (248) 362-9329.

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DETROIT DANCE COLLECTIVE Fall classes in modern dance and ballet for intermediate and advanced dancers. Central United Methodist Church, 23 E. Adams on Grand Circus Park, across from the State Theater, Detroit; (313) 965-

3544. **GETTY MUSEUM TOUR** 

The Community House in Birmingham is offering a tour of the Getty Museum in the foothills of the Santa Monica Mountains. Tour will be held Nov. 12-16, 1998. Limited space. For information, call (248) 644-5832.

JEWISH COMMUNITY CENTER "The Pleasure of Painting," demon-

stration and instruction by Sandra Levin. 12:30 & 6:30 p.m. Session begins Nov. 3. Fee for five-week class: \$50, 6600 W. Maple Road, West Bloomfield; (248) 661-7641. KAMMUELLER DANCE CLASSES Advanced and professional classical ballet program, 9:30 a.m. Monday-Friday; intermediate level Tuesday, Thursday & Fridays at 11:30 a.m. 5526 W. Drake, West Bloomfield; (248) 932-8699. LONGACRE HOUSE - ART CLASSES

Range of art classes, including watercolor, drawing and collecting pottery. Hand quilting and appliqué taught by Lynn Van Nest, 6:30-9:30 p.m. Mondays through Nov. 2: fee: \$72. Mask-making, ages 18 and up: 7:15-8:15 p.m. Wednesdays through Oct. 21. Private voice lessons from instructor Bessie Koursaris, all skill and

age levels: by appointment between 6-9 p.m. Wednesdays through Oct. 21 or Nov. 4-Dec. 16; fee: \$210. 24705 Farmington Road, between 10 Mile and 11

Mile roads. To register, (248) 477-8404.

through Oct. 12: session two -Oct. 19-Nov. 15. Golden Gate Plaza, 8691 N. Lilley Road, south-

PAINTING IN THE PARK Drawing and painting every at Heritage Park, Spicer House Visitor Center, on Farmington

West Bloomfield Parks and Recreation holds watercolor, oil and acrylic painting classes with Karen Halpern. 4640 Walnut Lake Road, West of Farmington Road.

SCHOOLCRAFT COLLEGE Classes in colored pencil, portrait painting, ceramics, watercolor and oil, and decorative painting begins in mid Sept. 18600 Haggerty, Livonia. (734) 462-4448.

The Visual Arts Association of Livonia begins its fall classes. Workshops in pastel, watercolor monotypes, fall landscape, still life, watercolor, and painting glass ornaments. Jefferson Center, 9501 Henry Ruff, south of Plymouth Road, Livonia. To register, (734) 455-9517.

"An Autumnal Diverstissement!" 7 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 4, Birmingham Unitarian Church, 651 N. Woodward, Bloomfield Hills; (248)

Scriabin's "Poem of Ecstasy" and Piano Concerto, and Strauss' A Hero's Life, featuring pianist Igor Zhokov and Neeme Jarvi, 3 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 4. High-energy violinist Nigel Kennedy, 8 p.m. Thursday & Friday, Oct. 8-9, 8:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 10, and 3 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 11. Orchestra Hall, 3711 Woodward, Detroit; (313)

NARDIN PARK UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday, Oct. 4, 29887 W. Eleven Mile Road, Farmington Hills; (248) 476-8860.

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Detroit Chamber Winds & Strings presents "Colors," an interactive musical performance for children 4-9, 1:30 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 10. Tickets: \$5. The Community House, 380 Bates, Birmingham; (248) 644-5832.

JULLIARD STRING QUARTET Opening-season concert for the Chamber Music Society of Detroit, 8 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 11, Orchestra Hall, 3711 Woodward Avenue, Detroit. Tickets: \$15-\$40; (248) 737-9980.

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## LECTURE

**ART & FEMINISM** 

Painter and portrait-artist Patricia Hill Burnett, founder of the Michigan Chapter of NOW, 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 6, Tickets: \$15. The Community House of Birmingham, 380 S. Bates, downtown Birmingham; (248) 644-2476.

**ARTS AUTHOR** 

Reading and book signing by Phoebe Hoban, author of "Basquait: A Quick Killing in Art," 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 6, de Salle Auditorium, Cranbrook Academy of Art, 1221 N. Woodward, Bloomfield Hills.

**CIVIL WAR** 

\*Sgt. Drake of Michigan Civil War Days," a historic look at the state of the Union before, during and after the Civil War. Noon Thursday, Oct. 15. Oakland County Information Technology Auditorium (248) 858-0415.

**PROLIFIC FICTION WRITER** Loren D. Estleman talks about writ

ing mysteries and western novels. 3 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 18. Admission \$10. Southfield Centre for the Arts, 24350 Southfield Road. Southfield; (248) 424-9022

CHILDREN'S AUTHOR

and illustrator Jane Dyer guest speakers at 7th annual Young at Heart Luncheon sported by Storytellers Guild of The

Monday, Oct. 19, 380 Bates Street, Birmingham; (248) 644

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#### MUSEUMS (ON-GOING)

**DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS** Through Oct. 18 - The Invisible Made Visible: Angels From The Vatican," an exhibit of more than 100 rare works of art and artifacts from the 9th century B.C. to the 20th century. Hours: 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Wednesdays-Fridays; 11 a.m.-5 p.m. weekends, 5200 Woodward Avenue, Detroit; (313) 833-7900. **MUSEUM OF AFRICAN AMERICAN** HISTORY

Through October 18 - "Detroit's Black Bottom & Paradise Valley,\* and "Juke Joint," a recreation of southern country nightclub lifé by artist Willie Little, 315 E. Warren Avenue, Detroit: (313) 494-5800. **U-M MUSEUM OF ART** 

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### EXHIBIT (OPENING)

THOMAS KINKADE

Oct. 4 - A rare public appearance by Kinkade at the Westin Hotel, downtown Detroit, 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Sponsored by Avenue Gallery, 167 N. Old Woodward; (248) 594-

**ARIANA GALLERY** Oct. 5 - "Steppin" Out on the Right

Foot" a shoe exhibit. 119 S. Main, Royal Oak; (248) 546-8810. **B'HAM UNITARIAN CHURCH** Oct. 6 - Acrylic paintings of Raenette Franklin. Through Nov. 12. 651 N. Woodward, Bloomfield Hills; (248) 644-6343.

SOUTHFIELD CENTRE FOR THE Oct. 8 - \*Quilts: A Wondrous

Legacy," through Oct. 11. Exhibit of antique and contemporary quilts. Slide lecture 1 p.m. Friday & Saturday by curator Merry Silber, 24350 Southfield Road (south of 10 Mile Road); (248) 424-9022

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Oct. 9 - Works of Ford Motor Company Artists, Reception 5 p.m. Friday, Oct. 9. Through Nov. 20. U M Dearborn, 4901 Evergreen Road, #1165 AB, Dearborn; (734) 593-5058. BBAC

Oct. 9 - \*Capturing the Essence of the African American Experience through its Artists," featuring the work of Valerie Fair, M. Saffell Gardner, Henry Heading, Al Hinton, Earl Jackson, Robert Martin, Cheryl Pastor, Bill SAnders, Dwight Smith, Gilda Snowden, Shirley Woodson, Through Oct. 30, 1516

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Oct. 10 - \*Jane Dickson: Almost Elving\* in main gallery, and \*Janet Hamrick: Wall Narratives" in prolect gallery, 538 N. Old Woodward Avenue, Birmingham 642-6623

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Through Oct. 17 - The paintings of Mel Rosas, professor of art at Wayne State, 226 Walnut Blvd.,

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3909.

REVOLUTION Through Oct. 17 - Anne Wilson: 2 Voices, 23257 Woodward Avenue, 🕏 Ferndale; (248) 541-3444.

**ZOOM GALLERY** Through Oct. 18 - New anthropocentric drawings by Randall Veilleux offer a rare glimpse into. the empirical, whimsical and holistic vision characterizing the Ann: Arbor artist, 212 Miller Avenue, \*

Ann Arbor; (734) 747-9944. G.R. N'NAMDI GALLERY

Through Oct. 24 - "Cotton Bleu," recent works by Vincent Pimenteli 161 Townsend, Birmingham; (248) 642-2700.

REVOLUTION

Through Oct 24 - Works of Anne? Wilson, 23257 Woodward Avenue, Ferndale; (248) 541-3444.

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Through Oct. 24 - 5 p.m., mixed. media drawings of Nick Cave, enamel vessels of June Schwarcz, and the jewelry of Alan Burton 📆 Thompson. 202 E. Third Street, .: Royal Oak; (248) 544-3388.

Through Oct. 29 - \*Oriental Art and Calligraphy," sponsored by the Midwest Oriental Art Club, Hours 9 a.m.-5 p.m. weekdays. Executive

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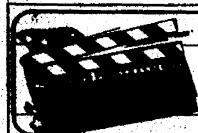
Through Oct. 31 - 7 p.m. Friday. Oct. 2, opening reception for Romero Britto. 568 N. Old Woodward, Birmingham; (248)

594-0472. HABATAT

Through Oct. 31 - New work by glass artist Dale Chihuly, 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac; (248) 333-

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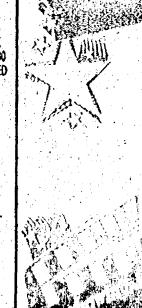
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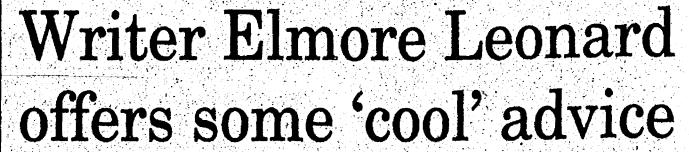
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The title of Elmore Leonard's newest work of crime fiction is "Be Cool," but like his 35 preceding novels, it's filled with the heat of violence and the warmth of good humor. Community residents and out-of-towners enjoyed a preview of his soon-to-be-published book when Leonard read excerpts at the Bloomfield Township Public Library Sept. 23.

"Be Cool" takes Chili Palmer, the protagonist of his highly successful novel, "Get Shorty," and catapults him into the world of music, where, according to Leonard, "there are more crooks

. . . than in the movie business." Humorous comments like this kept his more than 200 listeners laughing as the Birmingham author answered questions about his craft. For those who couldn't attend the delightful event, here's a sampling of his responses.

Regarding naming of characters: "If the character doesn't have the right name, it probably won't talk." Leonard explained that he must find the right name before a character can assume an identity and express himself accordingly.

Regarding description: When Leonard switched from westerns to crime fiction, what worried him was describing places already familiar to most readers. How could he make them interesting and real? His solution was to depict a scene, not through his own eyes, but through a character's attitude.

"Then there's life in it - juice in it. I hope you're never aware of me writing."

Regarding dialogue: Leonard creates his own dialogue. He never uses the taperecorded comments of others. Downplaying his perfect ear for wording and cadence, he suggested that his task was simple because "all my characters are dumb, or they wouldn't be involved in crime."

Regarding writing schedule: "I stay with (the manuscript) all day," also working several hours on weekends. "I can't believe I'm getting paid to make up this stuff. I'm the only one I have to

Regarding his writing process: Leonard begins with an idea but confesses, "I don't know what's going to happen." As the plot develops, he may have to retrace his steps and insert something new that makes subsequent events plausible.

Regarding his writing tools: Leonard still writes his novels in longhand. Then his daughter types his draft on a recently purchased electric typewriter. (She's been helping her dad for 22 years.) He still doesn't own a computer!

■ Regarding authors who have inspired and influenced him: "Ernest Hemingway made it look so easy." His pace was "lean." It had "the appearance of not being packed with words." But "Hemingway took himself too serious-

ly... He was thinking of himself too much." Other influential authors include John Steinbeck. Richard Bissell, Raymond Carver and Joan Didion.

Regarding the adaptation of his books to movies: Leonard has to make certain that his brand of humor isn't misrepresented. When a character says something funny, the camera should not cut to another character and show him snickering or winking. All his characters are dead serious. "They don't know they're funny."

Regarding advice to beginning writers: "Read, read, read! Find someone you have rapport with. Imitate until you find your own voice."

Regarding writer's block, whether he's ever painted himself into a corner so that he couldn't think of an ending: "No!"

Those who would like to see Elmore Leonard in action can watch a 5-minute photo essay by photo-journalist Linda Solomon on CNN's "Showbiz Today," 2:30 p.m. Tuesday.

Esther Littmann is a resident of Bloomfield Township. She is a private tutor in English and German You can leave her a message from a touch-tone phone at (734) 953-2047, mailbox number 1893. Her fax number is (248) 644-1314.

## Lynch's 'Still Life in Milford' is poetry rich in humanity

Still Life in Milford By Thomas Lynch (W.W. Norton and Co., \$21)

BY HUGH GALLAGHER STAFF WRITER

Thomas Lynch's book of essays, "The Undertaking: Life Studies from the Dismal Trade," was widely praised as one of last year's best and most important books, a finalist for the National Book Award and winner of the American Book Award. But it was as a poet that Lynch originally made his literary reputation and it is to poetry that he returns in this beautiful, wry,

musical and insightful collection. The Milford mortician draws on his Irish and Catholic background and his professional work as an undertaker to focus on life's simple realities with reverence tempered by humor or humor tempered by reverence.

The poems range from short epiphanies to lyric short stories. each capturing in the smallest circle of words rich insights into character, ironies, celebrations of the everyday against the pretentious and inflated.

Lynch begins with a poem that describes a visit to the Chicago Museum of Art and in doing so sets out the essentials of artistic

creation, whether in a painting by Seurat or a poem by Lynch, each using his particular raw materials to create something else, different from life but related to it.

The next set of poems play with language, English and Latin as found in the Gregorian hymns, and also play with the sacred and profane, the sensual and the spiritual: "Attende Domine et misererel Lord/I've sinned with my eye and did not pluck it out, and with my hand and yet my hand remains/blessing myself against Your righteousness I've sinned and loved the sound it made."

In "Moveen Notebook," Lynch pays tribute to Nora Lynch, a cousin in Clare, Ireland, living on the family land. He describes with loving detail the rough life of these people, a cast of characters all come to life in a few musical syllables, dancing before us to a fiddler's tune and in the background the shadow of death, that subject that Lynch knows so well: "To bury the dead must we first unearth them,/to see the bones still brittle in the dust." Other poems draw on this rich Irish vein as well.

Death is also the cold subject of "One of Jack's," a remarkable

transformation of a medical examiner's report on one of Dr. Kevorkian's "victims or patients" into brutal verse.

Lynch uses a variety of poetical forms and delves into many subjects, all with a language that is precise without being obscure, personal without being exclusive, accessible without being condescending. Since these terms rarely describe modern poetry, Lynch is a treasure as well as a neighbor.

Humanity is in these poems, from the hope of "Nuptials" to the bitterness of "The Riddance" to the grim truth of female forbearance in "The Lives of Women," "Aubade" and "Local Obits."

The exquisite title poem concludes this collection. It is a poem to a painting, "Still Life in Milford," by Lester Johnson in the University of Michigan Museum. The Milford in the picture is somewhere in New England, but Lynch uses the poem to describe his own Milford and his life as an artist: "I'm just like Lester, just like Frost and Hall/ I covet the moment in which nothing moves/ and crave the life free of life's distractions."

This is rare art, indeed.

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Writing workshop, 4 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 4; at the store, 34300 Woodward Ave., Birmingham (248)203-0005. **MURDER MYSTERY MAYHEM** 

sign their books 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 6; Fiction Book Club discusses Rebecca Wells' \*Divine Secrets of the Ya-Ya Sisterhood," 7 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 8; Steve Hamilton signs his book "Cold Day in Paradise." 1 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 10 at the store, 35167 Grand River, Farmington (248)471-7210.

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**BORDERS (ROCHESTER HILLS)** Thomas Moore signs his new book "The Soul of Sex," 7:30

p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 6 at the store 1122 S. Rochester Road, Rochester Hills, (248)652-0558.

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Berl Falbaum signs his new book "A Matter of Precedents" 7 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 6, at the store 19043 Middlebelt, Livonia (734)471.4742.

BARNES & NOBLE (NORTHVILLE)

Book Fair to raise money for scholarships for the American Association of University Women, Livonia Branch. The organization will receive a portion of receipts from specially designated registers, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday Oct. 10 at the store, Six Mile and Haggerty, Northville.

## Stagecrafters presents silent film classic

"The Thief of Baghdad" starring Douglas Fairbanks, Sr., with live theater pipe organ accompaniment by John Lauter at the historic Baldwin Theatre, 415 S. Lafayette, downtown Royal Oak.

99 Silent Film & Organ Concert are reserved. To purchase tick- gious film has nothing whatever Series 8 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 17, ets, call (248) 541-6430 or visit to do with its rather severe and 2 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 18 with the ticket office 7-9 p.m. Tuesday moral injunctions; rather, it is and Thursday, or 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Fridays.

"Happiness must be earned," instructs the opening motto of "The Thief of Baghdad. Significantly, however, the best thing

Stagecrafters opens its 1998. Tickets are \$8 and all scats about Fairbanks' most prestithe character of the Thief who in the early scenes declares a different philosophy: "What I want, I take. My reward is here. Paradise is a fool's dream and Allah is a myth."



## Performance poetry crosses a new border

By Frank Provenzano Staff Writer

If there's a distinctive postmodern art form, it may be performance poetry. (Sorry, karaoke doesn't make it.)

Eclectic, artistically disheveled and blurring boundaries between music and verse, performance poetry can't be accused of belonging to any tradition.

And that's both it's appeal and perhaps the reason that a broader audience hasn't been hooked into "poetry you can sing" as M.L. Liebler, one of the area's most often-heard performance poets, has described it.

There's hope, however, that a sing along to poetry will commence this Friday at Rackham Auditorium on the University of Michigan campus as five poets and their musical accompaniments come together for "Border Crossings: A Festival of New Jazz/Rock & Poetry."

What the Lilith Fair did for recognizing contemporary female singers and songwriters, "Border

What: "Border Crossings: A Festival of New Jazz/Rock & Poetry," featuring poets Arwulf Arwulf, Brenda Cardenaş, M.L. Liebler, Richard Till-Inghast and Barry Wallenstein When: 7:30 p.m. Friday,

Where: Rackham Auditorium, University of Michigan campus, Ann Arbor Admission: Free

Donations will be accepted for the Great Lakes Literary Alliance.

For information, call (734) 764-6296 or (734) 662-7407

Crossings" may bring to several of the Midwest's most compelling poets, including Liebler, Richard Tillinghast, Arwulf Arwulf, Brenda Cardenas and Barry Wallenstein.

The lineup of poets offers more than a beatnik chic, and a smoky coffeehouse setting. There's a cross-section of personal and

political polemics in their words. "This isn't about entertainment, it's about ritual," said Arwulf, a longtime Ann Arbor

poet who also has a jazz program on WEMU-FM (88.3), Standing in front of an impro-

vising ensemble, Arwulf combines his theater with an unadulterated version of what he calls "cosmic letters about the earth along with some politically astringent stuff."

The title of his upcoming CD, "Reproductive Rights for All Women," provides the type of inyour-face statement uttered by Arwulf.

While there's a sense that performance poetry intends to make poetry more accessible by becoming more like a folk, rock, rap or jazz concert, Arwulf doesn't believe the music simplifies the

"It's not New Age crapola," he said. "It's more like a show of improvisation happening right before you."

At the other extreme of the improvisation spectrum, poet Liebler's performances are more rehearsed and probably come closest to a rock rap sound, Liebler is a professor of English at Wayne State University.

Meanwhile, poet Tillinghast, a U-M English professor and organizer of "Border Crossings," offers a backdrop of world music to go with his visually charged poetry.

Funds raised at the poetry festival will benefit the Great Lakes Literary Alliance, a nonprofit of small and chain booksellers looking to expand its activities beyond sponsoring readings.

Eventually, according to Keith Taylor, president of the alliance, the literary organization intends to sponsor workshops, publish literary journals and offer grants to writers.

"We've started here, but we want to reach out to nearby states," he said.

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The Plymouth Community Arts Council is pleased to present an afternoon gospel music concert by the Avenue United Methodist Church Praise Team of Detroit 3:30 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 4 at the Joanne Winkleman Hulce Center for the Arts, 774 N. Sheldon, Plymouth.

In lieu of admission, an offering will be collected. For more information, call (734) 416-4278.

Director Crystal Matthews will lead approximately 10 male and female members of the choir in an uplifting selection of secular music. Also, the arts council will feature works by Michigan African American artists in the auditorium and lobby,

#### LIVONIA ARTISTS CLUB

Holds its semi-annual exhibition and sale 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 10 and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 11 in the center court of Laurel Park Place mall, Six Mile and Newburgh, Livonia.

Demonstrations continue throughout the show. For more information, call Marge Masek at (734) 464-6772.

Local artists exhibiting their work in watercolor, oil, acrylic, photography, and mixed media are Shirley Ceasar, John Copa, Bill Dombrowski, Ann George, Yvette Goldberg, Audrey Harkins, Evelyn Henry, Shirley

Hulet, Marge Masek, Valerie Pentz, Pat Quiery, Billie Thomp, son, and Al Weber.

## VAAL WORKSHOPS

The Visual Arts Association of Livonia hosts two and three day workshops ranging from painting landscapes to the mysteries of the Mayans in October. The costs for individual subjects is: \$45 VAAL members, \$50 nonmembers. To register, call Mary Ann Adams at (734) 455-9517.

If you want constructive critique about a work that's mystifying you, Al Weber will share his point of view Fridays, Oct. 9, 16 and 23. Paint a wet and juicy fall landscape with instructor Donna Vogelheim Oct. 2-3, Gwen Tomkow teaches how to paint fandscape patterns Oct. 17 and 24. Connie Lucas sets up an exotic still life with items related to the Mayan and Inca civilizations.

#### **NOONTIME CONCERT**

The Doree String Quartet perform popular and light classical selections, 12:15 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 15, at the Livonia Civic Center Library Atrium, 32777 Five Mile east of Farmington.

Admission is Free. For information, call (734) 466-2491.

#### SEASON OPENER

The Plymouth Symphony Orchestra presents its grand opening concert with flute soloist Deborah Rebeck Ash, 8 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 17, at Plymouth Salem High School Auditorium, Canton Center and Joy roads.

Tickets are \$12 adults, \$10 seniors/students, and available by calling (734) 451-2112.

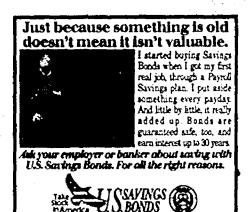
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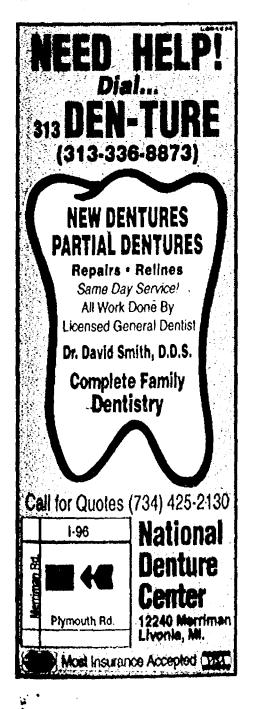
In the 1960s, artists such as Frank Stele and Jackson Pollock were avoiding the figure for Abstract Expressionism, but De Giusti loved capturing the human body. In the lean early years. De Giusti taught at Wayne State University, the Birmingham Bloomfield Art Center, the University of Michigan, and Center for Creative Studies College of Art and Design in Detroit so he could continue his figurative work.

"I've been fortunate because I've been free to create," said De Giusti, who saw his first relief in undergraduate school at Wayne State in 1966.

Medallions of John Glick, the Farmington potter, and opera figures such as scenes from Wagner reveal De Giusti's love of portraiture, something for which he wishes he had more time but commissions keep him busy. Although De Giusti said public



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The figures are really moving commissions are rare these days, he's built up a following over the years so for him "they're pretty steady." He is currently working on 9-foot high free-standing relief for the entrance of the new Blue Cross Blue Shield building

in downtown Detroit. What does it take to be a sculptor these days? Doug Semivan thinks the current exhibit at Madonna University shows the consistency evidenced in De

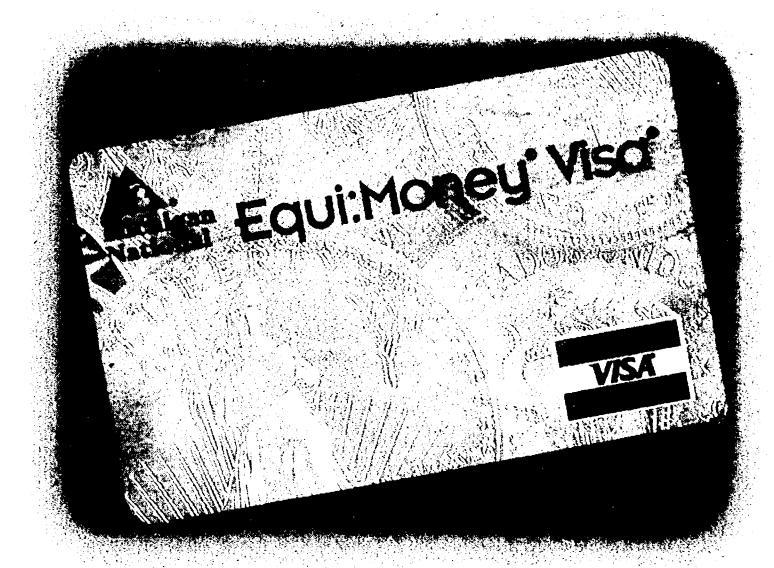
Giusti's work is an example his art students would do well to follow.

"I decided to show Sergio's work because we find him locally but his work is global," said Semivan, art department chairman. "Sergio's passion is exhibited in his work."

Another example Semivan's students should follow is the role De Giusti's taken in promoting arts in the community by donat-

ing works to the Italian Consulate in Detroit, Civic Center Library in Livonia, and Very Special Arts (see accompanying story) along with curating shows such as a 40 year retrospective of the Birmingham Bloomfield Art Center, and "Patrimonio," which traced the Italian legacy of art in Detroit. The show, exhibited at Wavne State University in 1996, set standards for future sculptors and artists.

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Doggone It: That's Katie Mulcahy in her Halloween doggy disguise.

# Create your own costume

I alloween is less than a month away. So if you want to buy the perfect costume or make one yourself, it's time to get cracking.

And here's a prediction, based on what I've seen and heard in stores:

SHOPPING CENTERED



DONNA MULCAHY

Scream ghosts to come a-callin' Oct. 31. My 3-year-old daughter, Katie, has

Expect a lot of Tele-

tubbles and

told me in no uncertain terms what she wants to be – Blue, the pale blue puppy with the royal blue spots from the Nickelodeon television show, "Blue's Clues."

I searched a bunch of stores, but couldn't find a Blue costume anywhere.

No problem, I thought. I'll just make one out of a pale blue sweat suit.

That's what I did last year, when Katie was a Dalmatian. I got a white hooded sweat suit, safety-pinned socks to it for ears and a tail, and stuck black construction paper spots all over it with two-sided tape.

Why didn't I just buy her a Dalmatian costume last year? Because my mom always sewed my Halloween costumes when I was a kid, and I wanted to do the same for Katie's first time trick-or-treating.

Only, I never learned how to sew, which is why I went the sweat suit and safety pin route.

The Dalmatian costume turned out cute and the best part was that after Halloween was over, Katie could still use the sweat suit. All I had to do was remove the decorations.

I would have gone the same route this year, but I couldn't find a pale blue sweat suit anywhere.

In the end, I bought two pairs of pale blue, zip-up, Dr. Denton blanket sleeper pajamas from Meijer (girls' sizes 4 to 14, \$9.99 to \$11.99 depending on the size).

One of the sleepers will be the body of Katie's Blue costume. I intentionally bought it two sizes too big so that she can wear multiple layers of clothing underneath it, to keep warm while trick-or-treating.

I cut the arms and legs off the other pair of pajamas and, using Katie's sweat suit hood as a pattern, made a hood with a Velcro closure out of the middle part of the pj's. It only took me a couple of hours to cut out and sew the hood together by hand, and it was surprisingly easy. Out of the cut-off legs, I made a pair of ears and out of some of the remaining pajama material, I made a tail. For the finishing touch, I added some blue felt spots.

You could do the same sort of thing for any stuffed animal type of costume - make it out of a hooded sweat suit or blanket sleeper pajamas - for about the same price you'd pay for a store-bought or sewn-from-scratch

At Sears, I found hooded sweat jackets for \$14.99 in girls sizes 4-7 in pink (a bunny?), green (a dinosaur?), dark purple (Barney?) and white, and in boys sizes 7-20 for \$15.99 in royal blue, dark blue, black, red and maroon. Matching sweat pants were about \$7-\$8. Felt rectangles were 20 cents each at Jo-Ann Fabrics.

Costume patterns ranged from about \$2-\$10 at Jo-Ann Fabrics and they usually call for at least three yards of fabric, which can be \$2.99 to \$10.99 a yard. That doesn't include the cost of things like zippers and

decorations.

Not counting any discount specials, ready-made costumes range from about \$13.99 to \$17.99 at the Half-Off Card Shop, \$11.99 to \$29.99 at Jo-Ann Fabrics, and \$14.99 to \$39.99 at Spencer Gifts.



Worth It: Worth's navy beaded silk tank (\$395) and satin crepe long slim skirt (\$295).

BY LINDA BACHRACK

When Katie Prior sold her downtown Birmingham boutique two years ago, she was pregnant with her third child and needed a break from the retail biz. Her friends thought otherwise, however. They hated to lose her style and merchandising savvy, her eye for fashion and her dedication to customer service and satisfaction. Gail Colwell, former executive director of The Community House, soon introduced Prior to Bloomfield Hills native Caroline Davis, founder and president of The Worth Collection, a direct

sales company specializing in women's quality ready-to-wear.

"Once I met Caroline, I was hooked on the Worth concept," says Prior. "I told my husband that being a Worth sales associate would allow me to 'dabble' in retail. He laughed, knowing I would make a huge commitment to the business."

But for Prior, the Worth inhome approach to clothing sales offers the best of both worlds. She shows the designer apparel four

times a year, choosing weeks that work within her schedule. When the collection arrives at her home, she merchandises it, just as she would in a retail shop. But the sales approach is much more laid-back and more personal. Invitations

are sent to friends, former customers and referrals. Appointments are scheduled and each client is given individual attention by Prior and her sister and partner, Susan Martin. The two women know their merchandise mix - the color combinations, fabrics, fit, proportion and the accessories that complete each outfit. They are true wardrobe consultants

and they believe in the quality and contemporary styling of their product line.

"Caroline Davis has brought The Worth Collection into the '90s and beyond," says Prior. "It's less traditional and more fashion-forward Carlisle, a company also founded by Davis." Prior is constantly amazed by the superior fit and wearability of the clothing. Her customers return season after season, adding pieces to their Worth wardrobe. And there seems to be no resistance to the prices, which are comparable to Ellen Tracy or Dana Buchman,

the better bridge lines. "This fall, we offer everything from a feather boa (\$125), the hottest new accessory, to a wool and cashmere coat (\$1,200)," says Prior.

Though department stores are

# Worth... a closer look

Fall fashion from The Worth Collection



fabrics, fit, proportion and the accessories that comfrom The Worth Collection.

Start Proto by July Zolin fabrics, fit, proportion and the accessories that comfrom The Worth Collection.

filled with grays this fall, expect to find a rainbow of colors in The Worth Collection, from camel and chocolate to cherry red and blue violet. Emily Miller of Birmingham chose a parrot green leather jacket that will easily become a signature piece. And if she decides to add the green dyed-fox fur collar – wow!

"The stuff is always great," says Miller. "The clothes feel good on...you can actually feel the quality. And the styles are consistently cool, from season to season." Best of all, Miller and others aren't likely to see their outfits on the bods of fellow country club members or gala-goers. The nearest Worth sales associate is in Grosse Pointe, which makes an individual's selection pretty exclusive.

selection pretty exclusive.

Prior and Martin make the shopping experience as painless and convenient as possible. Mix-and-match options are endless; petite sizes are offered; there always are two or three color choices; scarves and belts are dyed to match the clothing; merchandise is shipped, usually within 10 days, and delivered to your home; credit cards are accepted and payment plans are flexible; a folio of swatches is available for those who

miss the showing.

"It's a fun, lucrative business with little out-of-pocket investment," says Prior. "And it's like playing dress-up with your friends for a week at a time."

For more information on the next showing of The Worth Collection, call 1-800-WORTHOK.

## HOLIDAY '98 - THE WORTH COLLECTION

1. Sparkle and Shine. From silvery eye shadows to the shimmering gown – sparkles are everywhere this season. Worth's gown of choice – a dazzling black or white crepe dress that blends sparkles for subtle

2. Gown Time. A red silk crepe boat neck skimmer is sure to put you in celebration mode. The fitted gown falls to the ankle with a shocking peek of fuchsia at the deep slit.

3. Beading Not Forgotten. Worth's selection is a silk georgette chocolate and turquoise floral print tank with outline beading. Pair the beaded top with a chocolate silk charmeuse easy pant.

4. The Finishing Touch. A simple bronze or black silk chiffon cocoon wrap — the updated shrug that falls elegantly over the back and shoulders.

5. From Work to Play. The oneoutfit-wonder – a black marble silk charmeuse double-breasted jacket embroidered with silver threads. It takes center stage for day, and comes alive for evening shine at the afterwork holiday gathering.

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

## SUNDAY, OCT. 4

## PAINTER OF LIGHT

Artist Thomas Kinkade brings his "Celebration of Light" museum tour to the Westin Hotel in the Renaissance Center 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Seating is limited. Call for tickets: Avenue Gallery, 167 N. Old Woodward Ave., Birmingham; (248) 594-7600.

## BEDAZZLED

View pieces from internationally known LeVian Jewelry at a trunk show at Parisian, Laurel Park Place, Livonia. 12-6 p.m.

## SALON/GALLERY

Figaro salon presents Sundays at Figaro and the opening of "The Eclectic Collection," an exhibit and sale of photographs by artist Jeffrey M. Lindblom. Enjoy Michigan wines, cheeses, apple cider and more. 2-5 p.m. 285 N. Old Woodward, Birmingham.

## **ADDED ATTRACTIONS**

## COLD REMEDIES

Solomon & Son presents a trunk show of Vericci outerwear, 12-5 p.m. See shearlings, leather and cashmere coats for men and women. 6905 Orchard Lake Road on The Boardwalk, West Bloomfield.

## MONDAY, OCT. 5

## SENIOR SWING

Westland Shopping Center hosts a Senior Citizen
Dance in its lower auditorium, 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Coffee
and refreshments will be served at 12:30 p.m. 35000
West Warren, Westland.

## THURSDAY, OCT. 8

## FAMOUS FOODIE

Mark Bittman, nationally know cooking authority and columnist for the New York Times, discusses and sign copies of his new cookbook, How To Cook Everything, at Borders Books and Music, 30995 Orchard Lake Rd., Farmington Hills. 7:30 p.m.

## BEJEWELE

Ogle the jewelry collections of three top designers at Neiman Marcus. Jewelry artist Stephen Dweck makes a personal appearance from 12-4 p.m. The Lagos trunk show of hand-sculpted classics will be presented from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. and David Yurman's new Buckle collection is featured in his trunk show from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Neiman Marcus, Somerset Collection, Troy.

## FRIDAY, OCT. 9

## RETAIL ROUNDUP

Great Lakes Crossing hosts a job fair at the Pontiac Silverdome today, 9 a.m.-5 p.m., and tomorrow, 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Up to 150 Great Lakes merchants will have booths. The mall will be hiring 2,500 employees for its Nov. 12 opening.

## SUNDAY, OCT. 11

## FALL FROCKS

The ladies auxiliary of the Knights of Columbus Council #4764 in Lake Orion presents a mother-daughter fall fashion show and luncheon with door prizes and raffles. \$15/adults, \$7.50/ages 12 and under. 2-4 p.m. 1400 Orion Road; (810) 790-6299.

This feature is dedicated to yearbook. belping readers locate sources for hard-to-find merchandise. If you've seen any of the items in your retail travels (or basement). please call Where Can I Find? 248) 901-2555. Slowly and cleariv. leave your name, number and message, and you should see your input in Sunday's column. hank you.

What We Found: Mikasa's Sketchbook pat

ern and other Mikasa patterns an be found at Replacements LTD in North Carolina (800) 737-5223.

We found the game Lie Detector and the crochet pattern for an afghan with a basketweave pattern.

The donut recipe for the Sears mini donut machine. Paintings of mountain scenes

and sunsets for Sharon. Dan has a Troy Bilt roto-

We're Still Looking For: Cheryl is looking for a 1975 Crestwood High (Dearborn)

Beth is looking for a Star Wars pinball machine (full

June wants a game called Ini. tial Reaction.

Nancy from Canton is looking for "Gee your hair smells terrific" shampoo from the '70s and Mennen hypoallergenic/sensitive skin anti-perspirant and deodorant.

Patty is looking for Revion lipstick in the shade Honey

Wendy wants the kid's game "Rock Em Sock Em Robots." Barbara wants Diamond

Brite paint sealant for cars (made in Lansing). Daniel is looking for Heinz all-

nature cleaning vinegar. Tootsie Pops drops. Verna is looking for the game

Super Boggle. Steve is looking for a manual for the Sharp cash register

model #XE 1054.

Selma is looking for Bonnie Doons Peds 1/2 hose (that covers the toes, and under the foot).

Baretta is looking for the small disposable bags for the G.E. powered vacuum sweeper #P3SVI.

Bob is looking for the movie (tape/film) "The Golden Fish" from the early '50s made by Jacques Cousteau. (It is a short

Virginia is looking for someone to purchase her old 78 rpm's.

Lynn is looking for a complete set of stoneware dishes called Images by Signature. Beatrice is looking for old

song books from the '40s and '50s titled "Hit Parade." Bob wants Carrington

cologne for men. Joyce is looking for old 10 cent Coats & Clarks pattern and crochet books by Star & Lilly

books. Ed is looking for a grass catcher for a Black & Decker #U-274, it has a 22 inch blade. Lori is looking for a Snuggle

Sandra wants Narcisse cologne by Chloe.

-Compiled by Sandi Jarackas

RETAIL DETAILS

'Matt Prentice's Unique Restaurant Corporation celebrates autumn with its annual Michigan Fall Feast, held three evenings at three different restaurants. The feast showcases the abundant harvest of the Great Lakes state. Enjoy a fivecourse meal at Duet on Oct. 7. Morels on Oct. 8 and No.VI Chop House & Lobster Bar on Oct. 9. 6:30 p.m., \$36.95. Call for reservations: Duet at Orchestra Place (313) 831-3838: Morels, 30100 Telegraph, (248) 642-1094; Chop

House, inside the Hotel

Baronette, Novi; (248) 305-5210.

CANDLES FOR A CAUSE

UNIQUELY AUTUM

You're Fired, a paint-yourown-pottery studio, offers 75 percent of the proceeds from candlesticks painted in the studio to The Candlelighters Childhood Cancer Foundation, through Oct. 31. You're Fired, 6925 Orchard Lake Road, on The Boardwalk, West Bloomfield.

**BEST BEHAVIOR** 

Boys and girls, ages 8-12, will

learn the fine art of being ladies and gentlemen at "Etiquette with Style," a program in socialgraces, character and confidence building at the Ritz-Carlton Dearborn Saturday, Oct. 10 and Oct. 17. Leslie Jacobs is the instructor, and the program includes participation in introductions and social correspondence, proper table manners, hotel mamners and communication savvy. The students will receive a tour of the hotel, hands-on experience with the hotel's pastry chef and a special Ritz-Carlton tote bag filled with gift items. They will practice their skills during lunch in The Grille. A special "Young Gentlemen's" class is planned for Nov. 7. 9:45 a.m.-2:30 p.m. \$125. For reservations, call (313) 441-2100.

#### WE'RE GAME

Steven Spielberg's Game-Works Detroit entertainment venue comes to Great Lakes Crossing in Auburn Hills Thursday, Nov. 12. The first of its kind in the Midwest, GameWorks is comprised of a series of integrat-

ed environments designed to offer guests a social experience around games. By day, Game-Works Detroit is a cool place to have lunch with business associates or conduct corporate meetings, play with friends or compete in motion simulation games. By night, the mood and atmosphere change, and Game-Works becomes an adult destination, featuring a sit-down restaurant, full bar and exciting game areas. GameWorks L.L.C. is a subsidiary of Sega Enterprises, DreamWorks SKG and Universal Studios.

#### MALL MIX

Fairlane Town Center announces the opening of five new retailers. They are: Ashley Stewart for women's fashions in sizes 14-26: Julian K for leather apparel: Select Comfort for aircushion sleep systems; Trade Secret, an all-in-one professional salon/retail beauty supply shop; and Lids, a collection of 5,000 fashion and sports team toppers.

## Evelyn Lauder raises breast cancer awareness

Breast cancer is still the most common form of cancer in women. This year, more than 178,000 new cases of breast cancer will be diagnosed, and 43,500 women will die. Early detection offers the best route to survival.

October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month, and raising

awareness has become a signature campaign for Evelyn Lauder, senior corporate vice president of the Estee Lauder Companies. She initiated the Pink Ribbon Campaign in 1992 and has been instrumental in a fund raising effort that Lauder has enabled The Breast

Cancer Research Foundation (BCRF), an organization she new skincare, makeup and frafounded, to contribute over \$4 million in medical research grants during fiscal 1998 alone.

Ms. Lauder was in town last

week to focus attention on improving public awareness. The soft-spoken, dynamic and astute business woman, is also a talented photographer, ardent philanthropist, wife, mother and grandmother. The smallest detail fails to escape her eye, whether behind the camera's

lens or on the pages of a financial statement.

Shortly after her marriage to Leonard A. Lauder, Evelyn was persuaded to join the family company by her mother-in-law, Estee (who applied Evelyn's makeup on her wedding day in 1959). She brings

her talents to the development of grance products and she is the company's ambassador, travelseminars.

But her passion is breast cancer awareness. A member of the Board of Overseers at Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, she led the fund drive to build and equip the first-ever breast and diagnostic center. Today, the Evelyn H. Lauder Breast Center, . Memorial Sloan-Kettering at 64th Street, serves as a model throughout the world.

Wherever Lauder goes, her IS20 Olympus camera goes along and the images she captures have been featured in onewoman shows, the most recent of which opened last April at Winston Wachter Fine Art in Manhattan. The show benefited the BCRF.

"She has an eye for beauty, an eye for design, an eye for balance," says Leonard, chairman and CEO of the cosmetics ing the world to conduct training empire. The implicit themes of her photography - a commit-

ment to healing, vigilance, optimism and renewal - mirror her commitment to breast cancer education.

## Cosmetics for a Cause

Through Oct. 31, Estee Lauder customers can make a contribution to the BCRF by calling 1-888-479-9337. They will automatically be entered in the "Cure In Our Lifetime Sweepstakes," according to the amount of the pledge. Prizes include a trip to New York City or Beverly Hills, an Estee Lauder Spa day and \$500 worth of Lauder products. In addition, net profits realized from the sales of a golden heart-shaped compact with jeweled pink ribbon motif (\$35), and a golden metal lipstick case with enameled pink ribbon motif (\$10), will be donated to The Breast Cancer Research Founda-

Clinique is selling a full size Plum Brandy Different Lipstick in a maroon satin bag adorned with a pink ribbon, for \$7.50 (regularly

\$10.50). The remaining \$3 per lipstick sold goes to the BCRF. Prescriptives has partnered with renowned makeup artist Tricia Sawyer to develop specialty tools that fill voids in the

brush market. They will donate

one dollar from every makeup

brush purchase to the BCRF. Origins will donate one dollar from the sale of its new Original Skin Pressed Makeup and the Original Skin Foundation to the BCRF.

And, for men, Aramis will dis



STATT PROTO BY JERRY ZOLYNERS

Heartfeit: The pink ribbon heart-shaped compact by Estee Lauder.

tribute pink ribbons, bookmarks and postcards at the counter in order to promote breast cancer awareness.

"During the month of October, our 14,000 employees worldwide will work together to help eradicate breast cancer from the face of the earth," says Lauder.

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## Hard-working people of La Paz make Baja special

BY HUGH GALLAGHER STAFF WRITER

Joanne Blacker is a people watcher. So when she went to visit her sister in Mexico's Baja California peninsula, it wasn't the casinos, yachts and ocean views that got her attention.

It was the hard-working Mexican people and their pleasant community in the sun.

Blacker, a 40-year resident of Garden City and co-founder of the Garden City Fine Arts Association, was invited down to La Paz in February of 1997 by her sister and brother-in-law to watch the construction of their new home in Comitan, a small town on the tip of a peninsula across from La Paz, She visited them again this past spring.

"My sister lives in Portland, Oregon, where there's rain and gloom everywhere. Her husband used to motorcycle down in Mexico and suggested they go down and check it out," Blacker said.

La Paz is at the bottom of the Baja (or lower) California peninsula, connected to the United States by a two-lane blacktop. For Blacker, La Paz is a repudiation of many stereotypes about Mexico. The city of approximately 46,000 is the capital of Baja California.

"All the buildings are colorful, in turquoise, green, yellow," she said. "Everything was very, very clean, modern cars, not a lot of poverty. Everyone was working."

The city is symbolized by a giant sculpture of a whale's tail superimposed with a dove, symbolizing the peace of its name.

Blacker said the city has attracted many foreigners – Americans, Canadians and Germans, especially. But it is also home to many prosperous Mexicans.

"I found a lot of Mexican professional people are very busy here, lawyers, doctors, dentists, architects," she said.

And the working class people of the community have enjoyed healthy employment, much of it resulting from the building boom.

"The average Mexican person, it seemed everyone was working, very productive. They were maids, gardeners, but also very innovative about opening shops. There were a lot of new ideas. They don't seem to think American people are bossy," she said.

Blacker got to know some of the Mexican workers who built her sister's house. Blacker's sister, Nettie, and her husband lived in one trailer and Blacker

in another as work progressed on the adobe-style home made with concrete blocks. A bodega with bath and laundry rooms and an open area for weekend dances was already on the property and will remain when the work is done. A swimming pool will be added in September.

home in La Paz, Mexico.

The recently completed home will be a part time residence during winter months. The southern Baja has become a prime area for retirees and the wealthy.

Blacker said some of the yachts in the La Paz harbor look like cruise ships.

"Bill Gates has a yacht at Cabo (at the tip of the peninsula), that's where the multi-billionaires go," she said.

When James Cameron needed credible looking passengers for the Titanic when he was filming the record-setting, Oscar-winning movie in Baja, he recruited the retirees and vacationers at La Paz, Blacker said.

As an artist and an art enthusiast, Blacker found several galleries to enjoy.

"One man, Garcia, I went to this gallery and was just amazed by his work," she said. "He comes from La Paz. They have wonderful tile works. We're used to the Pewabic tiles we have here, but there tiles are shiny and very colorful. They do it in the open and they have their own wheels, all done by hand. It's very beautiful."

Home site: A bodega with a bathhouse was already on the property where Joanne Blacker's sister is building her

She is also fond of jewelry and discovered a fine variety of opals, silver and gold.

The traditional Mexican bullfight, however, was not a favorite activity for Blacker.

"I couldn't watch it, I had to leave," she said. "But one with clowns at a rodeo was funny to look at."

Clowns were also a big part of the Mardi Gras festivities. Blacker said the parade with its homemade floats, beautiful young women and unusually dressed clowns was a highlight of her trip.

In addition to the yearly fiestas, the people of the area like having a good time after their hard work, Blacker said. Every

Observer goes
south: Joanne
Blacker
proudly displays her
hometown
newspaper in
La Paz, in the
background
in the city's
famous dolphin/dove
statue.

Friday evening, the local people head for the beach where they drink beer, dance and enjoy themselves until dawn.

As a people watcher, Blacker said she enjoyed watching how the young girls would flirt with the serious, disciplined young men of the Mexican coast guard.

Blacker, who was widowed three years ago after 45 years of marriage, had enjoyed traveling

with her husband in a camper. After a period of mourning and depression, she decided it was time to enjoy her life again and remember the good life she's had. The Blackers raised five children in Garden City.

In March, Blacker plans to return for another visit to La Paz. In June, she will join her daughter for a trip to Wales and England.

## GREAT ESCAPES

with primary colors.

Color: The outdoor markets in Mexico's Baja are ablaze

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Events include a writer's contest, a Running of the Bulls footrace and tours of Hemingway sites. Hemingway's 100th birthday is in 1999. For more information, call (616)347-4150.

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October is Lighthouse Awareness Month. Alpena will host the

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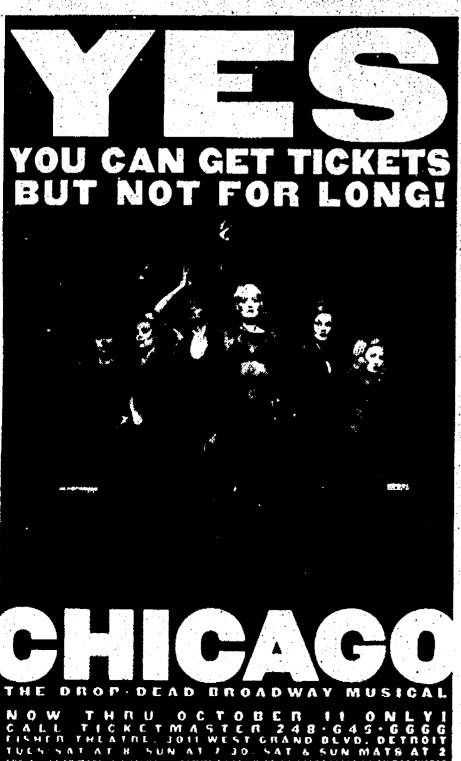
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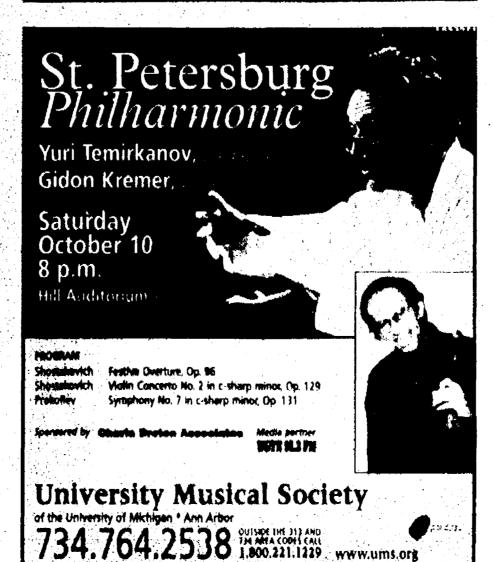
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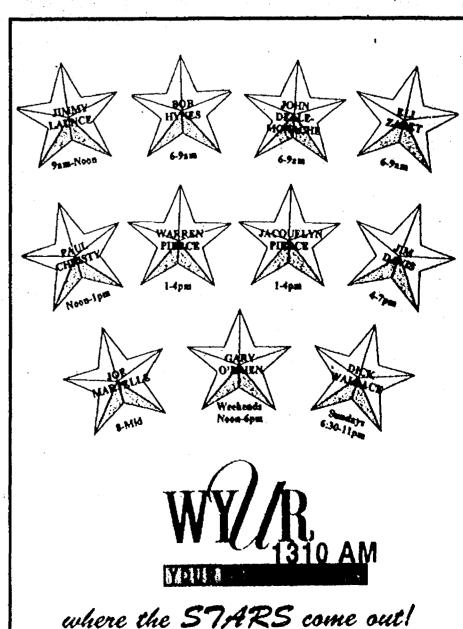
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## Knights rule Early Bird

The Bantam AA Knights of the Livenia Hockey Association took the Wayne Karly Bird hockey tournament with a 4-8 win rejently over the AFI Thunder in the championship final.

The Knights also posted wins over Garden City (9-0) and host Wayne (6-2) en route to the final.

Members of the Knights, coached by John Regulski, include Doug Borda, Andy Nicholson, Steve Doinidis, Mark Demmer, Kevin Gessler, Jeff Davis, Robbie Grisius, Jeff Osikowicz, Matt Calus, Frank Geluso, Steve Catalfio. Tim Hillebrand, Jos Canike and Brett Regulski.

Assistant coaches include Al Buchanan, John Gessle and Tom Hillebrand. The team manager is Tony Catalfio.

Team sponsors include Borda, Inc., Canike Landscaping and Jack Demmer Ford.

## Fury's Livonia connection

The Muskegon Fury of the United Hockey League open training camp Monday at Walker Arena with a definite Livonia flavor.

Vying for a goaltending spot is Livonia Stevenson High product Kevin Brady, who played two games last year with Toledo of the East Coast Hockey League. The 6-foot-4, 210pound Brady had a goals against average of 1.98.

Fury head coach and director of hockey operations Rich Kromm, son of former Red Wings coach Bobby Kromm, is also from Livonia.

## **LJAL** hoop signup

The Livonia Junior Athletic League, in cooperation with Livonia Parks and Recreation, will stage 1999 basketball registration (ages 8-16) from 6:30-8 p.m. Monday, Oct. 5 at Emerson Middle School, located at W. Chicago and Middlebelt roads.

The LJAL and Parks and Recreation Department will sponsor allgirls divisions for grades 3-4 (freshman) and 5-6 (junior varsity).

Other divisions include freshman boys (grades 3-4), JV boys (grades 5-6), Co-ed (grades 7-8) and Class E Coed (grades 9-10 with 16-year-olds required to be in the 10th grade).

The cost is \$65. No late registrations will be accepted.

Prep volleyball training Schoolcraft College women's volleyball coach Tom Teeters will hold sessions of volleyball skills development and conditioning for girls in grades 7-9 and 10-12, Oct. 9 through Nov. 19, at the SC Physical Education Build-

The cost is \$200 per person. Choice I includes 7-9 p.m. Friday Oct. 9, 16, 30 and Nov. 6; 5-7 p.m. Friday Oct. 23, both at the main gym; 5-7 p.m. Sundays, Oct. 11, 18, 25, Nov. 1 and 8 at the auxiliary gym; 7:10-9:10 p.m. Tuesdays Oct. 13, 20, 27, Nov. 3, 10 and 17 at the auxiliary gym; 5-7 p.m. Thursdays, Nov. 12 and 19 at the auxiliary gym;

Choice II, 5-7 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 11, 18, 25; Nov. 1, 8, 22, 29; Dec. 6, 13, 20; Jan. 3, 10, 17, 24; Feb. 7, 14 and 21 in the auxiliary gym.

Former Schoolcraft and All-MAC player Nikki Stubbs of Garden City, along with Kirk Vickers, former Golden Gloves boxwer and Detroit Red Wings athletic therapist, will also assist Teeters.

For more information, call (734) 462-4413.

## Soccer open house

The SoccerZone, located at 41550 Grand River off Meadlowbrook Road in Novi, will stage an open house from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 10.

In addition to fun and games, players and teams can register for the SoccerZone's fall season of indoor soccer leagues.

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# Rockets make grade in 25-6 win

## Spartans go flat in Lakes battle

BY BRAD EMONS SPORTS EDITOR

Call it a mid-term exam of sorts, at least it was from Westland John Glenn football coach Chuck Gordon's perspec-

And his Rockets put together an "A" effort, staying unbeaten with a 25-6 victory Friday over Livonia Stevenson.

It was a far cry from last Saturday's lackluster performance when Glenn squeaked by underdog Farmington High, 14-7.

"If I knew what difference was between this week and last — I'd write a book, sell it to all the coaches and I'd become a millionaire," Gordon said. "Our guys just took to heart all week everything we wanted them to do.

"We just had to practice better and step our play up to a different level. We were all disappointed in the way we played a week ago."

Mr. Consistency, senior tailback Reggie Spearmon, rushed for 100 yards or better for the fifth consecutive game.

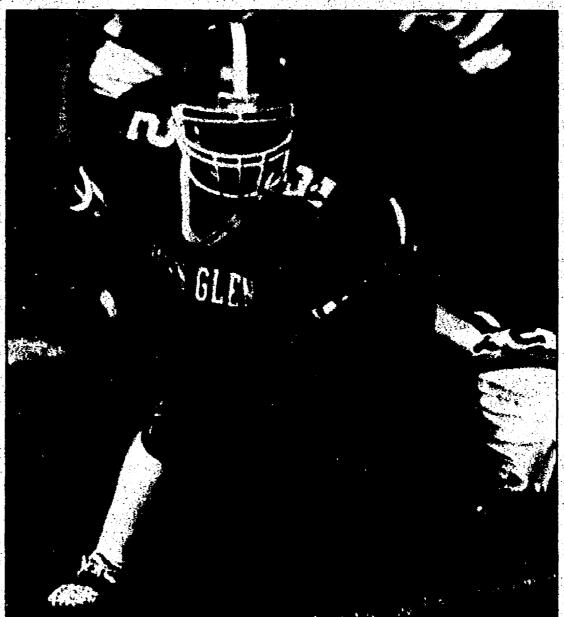
Receiving solid blocking on the right side of the Glenn offensive line, the 5foot-9, 185-pound Spearmon rushed for 184 yards in 32 carries and three touchdowns.

Eric Jones, a junior wide receiver and running back, also did his part with 20-yard TD reverse and 52 yards on just six carries.

But Stevenson may have put the fear in Glenn on its opening drive, marching 75 yards in just seven plays, capped by Ryan Van Belle's 10-yard TD toss to split end Phil Szumlanski. Waleed Haddad's 51-yard run off

right tackle set up the score.

"In that first series we changed our



STATY PROTO BY BRYAN MITCHELL

Elusive guy: Westland John Glenn running back Reggie Spearmon, who had 184 yards in 32 carries, tries to shake Livonia Stevenson tackler Jason Sorge.

our guys just missed the check and the guy (Haddad) ran right where he had left that spot," Gordon explained.

But the Spartans missed the extra it 7-6 for the Rockets. point as Glenn trailed 6-0.

Spearmon then responded by return- half on Spearmon's 2-yard run, call at the line of scrimmage and one of ing the ensuing kickoff to the Glenn 49

and scampering around right end 51 yards for a TD. Jeremy Catarino's point-after made

Glenn scored again with 7:51 in the

The Spartans then moved the ball

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just 24 seconds left.

"Reggie's played very well all season," Gordon said, "He carries a tremendous load offensively and defen-

"At that point going they (Stevenson) were going into the half maybe tied or

"I don't know if that switched the momentum, but it was a big play when we needed it the most."

Ironically, Stevenson managed just one first down in the second half.

"Glenn plays very good defense," Stevenson coach Tim Gabel said. "You need big plays and a few breaks to beat them. They're extremely well coached. They're aggressive, physical and quick to the ball."

"Those off-tackle plays you've got to \_ shut down in a hurry," Gabel said. "He (Spearmon) is a great back. He ran hard. And give credit to their offensive line. They knocked us off the ball."

The loss dropped Stevenson to 2-3 overall and 1-2 in the Lakes Division. Glenn is now 5-0 and leads the Lakes all alone at 3-0.

really didn't come close," Gabel said. Our hitting wasn't good.

trying to put everything together in all phases, but we haven't done that yet.

Please see LAKES GAME, D2

# Churchill earns overtime triumph against Patriots

BY RICHARD L. SHOOK STAFF WRITER

Football overtimes are a game unto themselves.

Livonia city rivals Churchill and Franklin played to a 7-7 draw Friday night after 48 minutes of football.

Host Churchill made its homecoming a happy one when Mike King kicked a 36-yard field goal on its first possession in overtime to give the Chargers a 10-7 victory.

There's a formulaic approach to overtime but circumstances can dictate going against conventional wis-

When you're in uncharted waters, though, it's best to have a map.

"There are certain things you're supposed to do," Coach John Filia-traut of Chuzchill said, "but I can assure you the wires (to the pressbox) were zinging.

"I hadn't been in an overtime game as a coach."

He played it just right.

The Chargers won the coin flip and elected to go on defense first, which puts the pressure on the other team to decide whether it wants 2, 3, 7 or 8

The Patriots put the ball in the end zone three times, incomplete, then were wide to the left on a 26-yard field goal try.

Churchill ran the ball twice to the five, then holder Ryan Vickers knelt on the 12 for a third-down field goal attempt.

"We were kicking on third down," Filiatraut said. "It was a chip shot from the five. But we had a bad snap and our holder did an excellent job of maintaining possession."

Vickers tried to make something happen, but was smothered on the 18.

"That's exactly why you kick on third down," Filiatraut said. "In case something like that happens.' Vickers knelt at the 26 and Mike

King boomed it home from there to

make the Chargers 2-3 and keep the

Patriots winless in five tries. Churchill had tied the game on its first possession of the second half, with Jeff Palazzelp just getting the ball over from the one on fourth



He's the man: Churchill kicker Mike King (middle), who booted the game-winning field goal in overtime, is carried off by teammates Geoff Lassers (left) and Ben Lamb.

Franklin had taken a 7-0 lead with tough angle for a kicker." 7:09 left in the first half

to on a sizzling 62-yard punt return edge in total yardage. by John Nagle

Nagle squirted through a group of would-be tacklers about 15 yards upfield from where he caught the ball, veered to the right sideline and burned the rest of the way untouched.

"We played hard," Coach Rick Lee of Franklin said. "I'm proud of our

"Even last week against (Farmington) Harrison we played hard. We're inexperienced. We gave Churchill some opportunities and they capitalown opportunities."

forced the overtime.

He tried out for the football team and sophomore.

Filiatraut said. "That field goal was will be a lot easier to correct after a from the right hash-mark - a real win.

Franklin had one more first down Churchill won the toss and elected in the game, 9-8, and had a 147-117

Sophomore quarterback Joe Ruggiero completed 9-of-23 passes for 62 yards for Franklin while Churchill's John Bennett hit 5-of-19 for 34, but had numerous throws dropped.

Franklin lost a possible touchdown in the first quarter when a tipped Ruggiero pass was intercepted in the Churchill end zone.

Ryan Shiplett gained 45 yards on nine rushes for the Patriots, whose Scott Balko picked up 24 on five car-

"I probably didn't stay with our ized on them, and they created their running game long enough," Lee said. Brian Pardo was Churchill's lead-King kicked the extra point that ing rusher with 48 yards on 11 car-

"Our touchdown drive was the only after getting cut from the soccer drive in which we executed our team, which he'd made as a freshman offense." Filiatraut said. "We had an vawful lot of dropped passes.

"He's done a real good job for us," \ But, as he noted, things like that

into Glenn territory twice in the second quarter, including all the way down to the 15 with just under a minute left, but Spearmon broke up Van Belle's fourth-down toss to the goal line with

sively.

even taking the lead.

Meanwhile, Glenn was adding two more TDs — a 20-yard fake reverse by Jones with 7:03 left in the third quarter and a 7-yard run by Spearmon with 7:34 left in the game.

"We came down here to win and we

"It's the worst we've played this year. "But don't take anything away from Glenn. We just have to regroup. We're

## COLLEGE SOFTBALL

## White new head coach at Madonna

## Replaces Abraham

BY C.J. RISAK SPORTS EDITOR

How often does something like this

happen? You find out you're losing your coach, one that's taken your team from the depths to national prominence. This all happens just before the



Al White New softball coach

start of the school year. So what are you gonna do? How about hiring someone with strong qualifications, a greater knowledge of the game (well, maybe) than his predecessor, a guy with coaching experience who knows the program he's

taking command of? Nah is the answer. No one could be that lucky to find a guy like that wait-

ing in the wings. No one except Madonna University. Here's what's happened. Jerry Abraham, the school's long-time volleyball coach, was asked five years ago to take over the softball team in the wake of Dave Racer's untimely departure. Abraham did, and in his first season (1994) he guided the Lady Crusaders to the NAIA World Series. They finished fifth in the nation that year.

Abraham continued coaching both sports, compiling a 155-82-1 record in softball, with NAIA Sectional championships in 1995, '96 and '97.

But it was too much for him, together with working as a teacher and counselor in the Taylor school district. It was time for him to step aside.

"I just decided it last week," Abraham said. "I just didn't have enough time. I really like the sport. The administration has been super, very supportive of me. I'm going to miss it, but it was the time factor.'

Enter Al White.

"I really and truly thought this would happen last year," said White, noting that Abraham had contemplated resigning last year because of time constraints. Which is what was fortunate

Please see AL WHITE, D3

## Clarenceville coasts to 49-12 win vs. East

## Shaw, Ragland rack up yards

Livonia Clarenceville's football team completed a festive homecoming night with a 49-12 football victory on Friday over visiting Harper Woods Lutheran East.

The Trojans scored 21 firstquarter points and enjoyed a 29-6 halftime lead in improving their record to 4-1 overall and 3-1 in the Metro Conference.

Lutheran East fell to 1-4 overall, 1-3 in the Metro.

Clarenceville running back Tim Shaw led all rushers with seven carries for 195 yards. including touchdown runs of 78 and 65 yards.

Senior tailback Walter Ragland had 152 yards in 14 carries, scoring on runs of 10 and 32 yards. Scott Wion had a 45-yard touchdown run for the winners

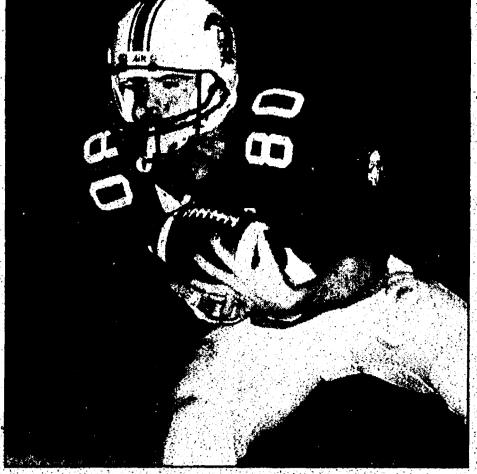
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while teammates John Wallace and Tim Riedel scored on runs of 25 and 35 yards, respectively.

Wallace, the Trojans' quarterback, completed two of four passes for 45 yards. Ragland led the defense with four sacks and two fumble recoveries.

Opening most of the holes on the offensive line, according to Clarneceville coach Chuck Donaldson, were Josh Rose and Steve Rotenheber.

"We came out and played an entire game, started right from the beginning, which is nice to see because we're usually a slowstarting team," Donaldson said. "I thought it would be a real close game."



STAFF PHOTO BY TOM HAWLEY

Clutch grab: Clarenceville's Jeff Salvas snared this pass on fourth down which led to the Trojans' fourth TD of the opening half

## Lakes game from page D1

But we have kids who to like to play and we'll be back."

And if one player typified Glenn's resurgence from a week ago, it was blocking tight end Dave Lewandowski, who kept the Stevenson linebackers out of the backfield.

"Dave had a good week and played well this game," Gordon said. "He's a guy whose play drastically improved in a span of a week.

"We felt our season was at a crisis point. We had to play football like we were supposed to play, or we'd all be sick."

The final statistics bore out Glenn's dominance. The Rockets had 295 yards total offense, 271 on the ground in 46

Stevenson had 150 total yards, 113 on the ground led by Haddad's

73 yards in 10 carries, but the Spartans connected on just four of 18 passes for 37 yards with one interception (by Dan Smitherman).

## **GIRLS SWIM MEET RESULTS**

LIVONIA CHURCHILL 122 LIYONIA FRANKLIN 64 Oct. 1 at Livonia Churchill

200-yard medley relay: Churchill (Kristen Derwich, Whitney Green, Laura Shereda Courtney Lim), 2:10.28; 200 freestyle: Carolyn O'Keefe (LC), 2:16.16; 200 IM: Adrienne Doyfe (LC); 2:29.18; 50 freestyle: Amy Smith (LF), 29.76; diving: Angela Aneiros (LC),

2:18.20; 100 butterfly: Beth Bushey (LC), 1:13.03; 100 freestyle: Smith (LF), 59.47; 500 freestyle: D'Keefe (LC), 6:04.40; 200 freestyle relay: Churchill (Lim, Bushey, Doyle, Angela Simetkosky), 1:50.06; 100 backstroke: Simetkosky (LC), 1:08.66; 100 breaststroke: Derwich (LC), 1:20.27; 400 freestyle relay: Franklin (Mean, Wint, Bastow, Cobb), 4:20.48.

Churchill record: 3-3 overall, 1-1 division.

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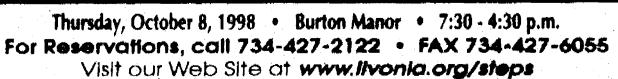
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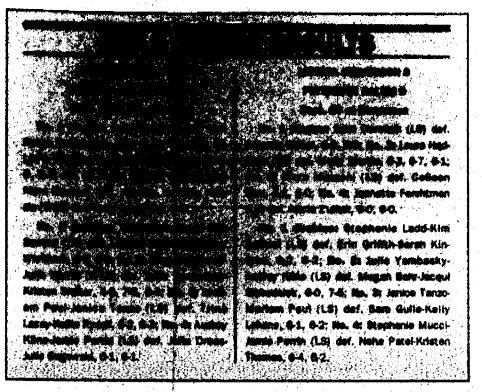
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## Lady Crusaders getting healthy, roll by Alma College in 3 striaght

With most of its lineup recovered from injuries that had plagued it for the last month, Madonna University had no trouble disposing of Alma College 15-3, 15-5, 15-11 in women's volleyball Friday at Madonna.

The victory improved the Lady Crusaders' record to 19-4 overall. Alma is 7-8.

Nicole Burns, Rayna Vert and Stephanie Uballe, all starters, had been hurt a month ago. All three played against Alma.

Brandy Malewski (from Redford Thurston) paced Madonna with 12 kills, one solo block and seven block assists. Erin Cunningham contributed 10 kills and 15 digs, Burns got seven kills, three service aces, one solo block and six block assists. Uballe finished with six kills. three solo blocks and three block assists, Jennifer Russell had 15 digs, and Deanne Helsom totaled 39 assists to kills (13 per game), seven digs and two block assists.

## VOLLEYBALL

### Lady Ocelots drop Delta

Schoolcraft College didn't let a road trip to Delta College bother it. The Lady Ocelots stopped the Pioneers in three-straight games Thursday, 15-10, 15-7, 15-13, to improve their MCCAA Eastern Conference record to 2-4.

Megan McGinty (Livonia Churchill) paced SC offensively with 16 kills; she also had 10 digs, one solo block and five block assists. Melissa Plave added 11 kills, two service aces and seven digs; Kelly Johnston (Plymouth Salem) chipped in with eight kills and 12 digs; Cindy Maloof had six kills, three aces, three block assists and seven digs; and Danielle Wensing got 38 assists to kills (12.7 per game), nine digs and three block assists.

SC improved to 8-10 overall.

## **BOYS CROSS COUNTRY RESULTS**

LIVONIA CHURCHILL 15. WALLED LAKE WESTERN 50 Oct. 1 at Cass Benton Park

Top Individual finishers: 1. Jason Richmond (LC), 16:51; 2. Joe Robinson (LC), 17:43; 3. Phil Johnson (LC), 17:56; 4. Paul Mercler (LC), 18:02; 5. Paul Perez (LC), 18:10; 6. Dan Valentino (LC), 18:13; 7. Brandon LaPointe (LC), 18:14.5; 8. Ryan Gall (LC), 18:14.8; 9. Alex Eichler (WLW), 18:25; 10, Brian McNeff

Churchill's dual meet record: 4-1 overall and 3-1 WLAA-Western Division.

LIVONIA FRANKLIN 18 FARMINGTON HILLS HARRISON 50

Oct. 1 at Cass Benton Park Top individual finishers: 1. Josh Burt (LF), 16:34; 2. Brian Klotz (LF), 17:16; 3. Roy Bates (LF), 18:38; 4. Rick Burnett (LF), 19:00; 5. Chris Jaskot (LF), 19:08; 6. Keyin Schnelder (LF), 19:11; 7. Steve Dudley (LF), 19:12; 8. Tony Ward (FHH), 19:18; 9. Ben

19:51. Franklin's dual meet record: 2-5 overall and 2-1 WLAA-Western Division.

Iber (FHH), 19:36; 10. Jesse Knight (LF),

#### LIVONIA STEVENSON 22 WALLED LAKE CENTRAL 37

Oct. 1 at Case Benton Park Top individual finishers: 1. Todd Mobiley (WLC), 16:11; 2. Joe Verellen (LS), 16:21; 3. Eric Bohn (LS), 16:49; 4, Matt Isner (LS), 17:11; 5. Jason Babcock (WLC), 17:26; 6. Brad Carroll (LS), 17:27; 7. Steve Kecakemeti (LS), 17:38; 8. Eric Mink (LS), 17:41; 9. Chris Currin (WLC), 17:43; 10. Jeremy Aver (WLC),

Stovenson's duel meet record: 41 overall, 2-1 WLAA Lakes Division.

**NORTH FARMINGTON 24** WESTLAND JOHN GLENN 31 Oct. 1 at Case Benton Park

Top individual finishers: 1. Charlie Stamboulien (NF), 16:59; 2. Josh Keyes (WJG), 17:05; 3. Matt Wiegand (NF), 17:27; 4. P.J. Wolocko (WJG), 17:39; 5. Mike Millat (NF), 17:50; 6. Justin Keyes (WJG), 18:00; 7. Ethan Goodman (NF), 18:28; 8. Isaac Keufman (NF), 18:29; 9. Kevin Durigon (WJG), 18:39; 10. Dayld Teets (WJG), 18:44.

Glenn's dual meet record; 3-3 overall.

## **GIRLS CROSS COUNTRY RESULTS**

LIVONIA FRANKLIN 23 **FARMINGTON HILLS HARRISON 32** Oct. 1 at Cass Benton Park

Top Individual finishers: 1. Jenny Furiong (LF), 21:14; 2. Diana Potter (LF), 22:09; 3. Lynn Andrewjeski (FHH), 22:10; 4. Jill Webber (LF), 23:01; 5. Erin Brozovich (FHH), 23:52; 6. Christine Witte (LF), 24:02; 7. Lauren Liebowitz (FHH), 24:25; 8. Sherrill Ben-Yuri (FHH), 25:50; 9. Amanda Gardner (FHH) 26:32; 10. Michelle LeDesma (LF), 26:37.

Dual meet record: Franklin, 1-4 overall. Note: Franklin's first win in two years. LIVONIA CHURCHILL 15 **WALLED LAKE WESTERN 49** Oct. 1 Cass Benton Park

Top Individual finishers: 1. Alison Fillion (LC), 20:51; 2. Stephanie Skwiers (LC). 21:09; 3. Rochelle Ziegel (LC), 21:59; 4. Christy Smith (LC), 22:09; 5. Ailese Scott (LC), 22:10; 6. Colleen Hayden (LC), 22:32; 7. Rachel Delmontte (WLW), 22:46; 8. Gwen Ostrosky (LC), 22:48; 9. Maria Karadomis (WLW), 22:55; 10. Michelle Dunaway (LC).

Churchill's dual meet record: 2-3 overall

and 2-1 WLAA-Western Division. LIVONIA STEVENSON 19 **WALLED LAKE CENTRAL 36** Oct. 1 at Cass Benton Park

Top Individual finishers: 1. Andrea Parker (LS), 19:45; 2. Katle Sherron, 20:37; 3. Leslie Knapp (LS), 20:38; 4. Ashley Prince (WLC), 20:39; 5. Breanna Turesanyi (WLC), 20:42; 6. Marissa Montgomery (LS), 21:09; 7. Christy Tzilos (LS), 21:12; 8. Jenny Compton (WLC), 21:43; 9. Sara Biller (WLC), 21:47; 10. Lynn Pesta (WLC), 21:59.

Stevenson's dual meet record: 5-0 overall and 3-0 WLAA-Lakes Division.

> **NORTH FARMINGTON 20 WESTLAND JOHN GLENN 37** Oct. 1 at Cass Benton Park

Too Individual finishers: 1. Sharron Ryan (WJG), 21:05; 2. Heldi Frank (NF), 21:06; 3. Karen Bockli (NF), 22:11; 4. Kori Rothman (NF), 22:38; 5. Holly Stockton (NF), 22:38; 6. Amanda Dobkowski (NF), 23:21; 7. Nicole 8tan (WJG), 23:23; 8. Julie Wilhelmsen (WJG), 23:33; 9. Amy Newman (NF), 23:36; 10. Tasha Chandler (WJG), 23:49; 11. Heidi

## Whalers off to 2-1 OHL start

If this truly is an indication of what to expect this season. then start building those

The Plymouth Whalers might have been forgiven for a slow start. A tumultuous off-secon with former Whaler Jesse Beulerice still awaiting a court verdict for his ancice attack of a Gueigh player, combined with a four-game road trip to start the season and with some top players missing, still in eamp with NEL teams - all spelled trouble for the Whalers.

One problem, though: They apparently don't spell too well, because the Plymouth tosse collected victories in its first two games and came very close to making it three in a row before Sault Ste. Marie rallied for an overtime win.

In a 5-4 loss to the Greyhounds last Sunday in Sault Ste. Marie, the Whalers battled back from a 3-2 deficit after two periods behind Harold Druken, who scored a short-handed goal 3:44 into the third period to tie it at 3all, then assisted on Adam Colagiacomo's go-ahead goal two minutes later.

The Greyhounds knotted it at 4-4 then won it on Sam Passero's second goal of the game 4:07 into overtime.

Nick Taelios opened the scoring for the Whalers with a power-play goal at 7:21 of the first period. The Greyhounds scored twice in a four-minute span to go up 2-1, but Druken - who figured in all four

Whaler goals (two goals, two assists) - knotted it with a power-play score with 3:40

Robert Holsinger made 25

saves in goal for Plymouth. On the previous Friday (Sept. 26), Julian Smith's second goal of the game, with 4:21 left in regulation, proved to be a game-winner in a 4-3 triumph over the Sudbury Wolves. His first goal, with 5:17 remaining in the second period, had given the Whalers a 3-2 lead.

Jamie LaLonde's powerplay goal was the only score of the opening period, staking Plymouth to a 1-0 lead. Druken also scored for the Whalers in the second period.

Dwayne Bateman made 28 saves in goal for Plymouth to pick up the win.

In their season-opener (Sept. 24), the Whalers shut out host North Bay 3-0. Rob Zepp made 19 saves in his first start ever for the Whalers to get the shutout

Colagiacomo opened the scoring 4:03 into the first period. After that. Smith took over - he netted two goals in the third period, one on a power play (with Colagiacomo assisting. Smith also had an

Plymouth hosts Mississauga at 7:30 p.m. Friday and Windsor at 7:30 p.m. Saturday, both at Compuware-Arena. Next Sunday, they travel to Windsor for a 6 p.m. game.

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about the entire situation: White was always there - ready, willing and able.

Indeed, when Racer stepped aside White would have been a candidate to replace him. He had been an assistant coach at Madonna since the beginning of the program, in 1990; prior to that, he was an assistant at Livonia Ladywood HS for two years.

But White was not in the position then work-wise to devote enough time to the program. He would stay on as an assistant, but he couldn't take over the full responsibilities.

That changed this year. White has a more flexible schedule, and now Madonna has a new head coach — one the team knows

"I highly recommended Al,"

said Abraham. "He's been with me since I started at Madonna.

solid coaching candidate? How about 30 years of playing experi-

In fact, he was inducted into the state's American Softball Association Hall of Fame this year. He was a well-known modified fast-pitch pitcher for teams in Miami, Fla. and Plymouth, something he continued to do until this year.

Ladywood because his daughter, Shannon, was pitching there. He hasn't stopped since.

I'm very happy to see him get it." So what makes White such a

He decided to help coach at

"I really didn't know what to expect," White said of his early coaching days. "I didn't know (coaching at Madonna) would lead to anything more."

I thought I might like to try and run a program, even a good high school program," he said. White continued as Abraham's

assistant, waiting for the right situation and learning his craft. "I learned a lot from Jerry," White said. "He's a good coach. I learned a lot from all the people I coached under.

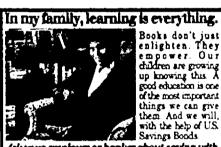
"I've always enjoyed coaching girls. I found out coaching girls was easier than coaching boys. They respect you more and they'll listen better."

White does have plans to do things a bit differently. "I think we'll try to be a bit more aggressive," he said. "More bunting, put more pressure on their defense."

Unfortunately, the recruiting

Not at first, anyway. Then . . wasn't all White had hoped it "Starting about five years ago, woud be. He may have to break in an entirely new pitching staff, with freshman Missy Bako (from Garden City) as the only mem-

> He's still trying, however. After all, his job begins today with the start of his fall season.



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## Conklin's 30 sparks Chargers; Lutheran Westland secures 1st

It's better by far to be in a shooting zone than shot down by one.

Kersten Conklin was definitely in a zone Thursday night, sinking 13 field goals in a 30-point game that helped her Livonia Churchill team trim visiting Walled Lake Western, 64-41.

Winning the Western Lakes Activities Association Western Division battle left the Chargers 6-3 overall, 2-1 in the division and left the Warriors with comparable 1-8, 1-2 records.

Conklin had just one triple (in three attempts) and 1-of-2 free throws. She had 22 points in the

"She was in a zone in the first half," coach Dave Balog of Churchill said. "Our press hurt them. They couldn't keep up with her speed.

"This was a good game after a tough loss to Mil-

J.C. Evans added seven points, Jill Routzahn six and Stacey Supanich six plus 13 rebounds.

Carey Coomer paced Walled Lake Western with 11 points. Churchill led 18-7 after one quarter and 38-13 at the half.

• SALEM 33, STEVENSON 29: The host Spartans nearly pulled off the WLAA Lakes Division upset but the Rooksrebounded from their only loss of the season.

Livonia Stevenson held Salem to just two points in the first. quarter but the Rocks did the same to the Spartans in the second. The score was deadlocked at 22 after three periods.

"In the first quartrer we did everything confidently with ball, disrupted them with our pressure defense," coach Wayne Henry of Stevenson said. But the second quarter was just the opposite. Their pressure got to us and they shot with confi-

"Their defense was sound," Salem coach Fred Thomann said. "We knew we were going to struggle coming off that game Tuesday. They did a great job preparing for the game. Tiffany Grubaugh scored 13 points to lead Plymouth (7-1, 3-0) while Christine Philips scored nine and added eight

Lindsay Gusick scored 11 points to lead Stevenson (6-3, 1-2). Stephanie Dulz also had 11 to go with nine rebounds. Cheryl Fox, Gusick and Cassle Ehlendt combined for 13

Salem took a 30-27 lead but Livonia scored on a fastbreak, then stole the in-bounds pass with about 17 seconds to play. However Stevenson committed a turnover before it could call

timeout to set up a last shot. "We played good defense. It was a hard-fought game," Henry said. "We had our shot at knocking off one of the power

"We still feel good about how hard and how good we played. We were outscored 14-2 in the second quarter so to dome back and play as well as we did in the second half was a tribute to our girls.

"We'd feel better about a win, but it shows we're coming

Salem only made seven baskets in the game but was 19-for-28 from the free throw line. Stevenson made 10 baskets and was 9-for-11 from the line.

• LUTHERAN WESTLAND 27, KINGSWOOD 22: The host Warriors claimed sole possession of first place in the Metro Conference by winning its showdown with Bloomfield Hills Cranbrook-Kingswood Friday.

nine rebounds for Lutheran Westland, 6-0 in the Metro and 7-2 overall. Senior guard Sharon Greer added eight points.

Senior guard Loren Roumel scored eight points and junior forward Corie Latimer seven for the Cranes, who slip to 5-1

## **GIRLS BASKETBALL WRAP**

Kingswood was without sophomore point guard Tiffany Rhodes, whom Lutheran Westland coach Ron Gentz considers the best player in the conference. Rhodes suffered a serious knee injury in a recent game and could be out for the season. Despite going scoreless in the second quarter, the Warriors

led 7-5 at halftime. It was 13-13 after three quarters, and Lutheran Westland had a 14-9 advantage in the fourth.

We played well defensively, but we had just too many turnovers," Gentz sald, adding both teams had nearly twice as many turnovers as they did points.

The Warriors had 41 turnovers, the Cranes 34. "it wasn't the most brilliantly played ballgame," Gentz said. "I've said before that winning ugly is still better than losing

gracefully all the time. It still counts the same in the end." \*LUTHERAN WESTLAND 33, HAMTRAMCK 26: The Warriors could never expand on an eight-point first quarter lead but it: was enough to keep them unbeaten in five Metro Conference

Forward Anna Schwecke scored 11 points and had six rebounds while center Bekah Hoffmeler had 12 rebounds. Ten of Coach Ron Gentz: 12 players scored.

Lutheran High Westland made 10-of-21 free throws and is now 6-2 overall.

Sophomore forward Erica Slappey scored seven points and had 14 rebounds for Hamtramck (3-5, 2-4). •LUTH, NORTHWEST 56, CLARENCEVILLE 14: Host

Clarenceville kept the score down for a half before things got Macomb Lutheran Northwest led, 9-2, after one period and

194 at the half of the Metro Conference game. Christine Skrela and Jessica Kennedy led Livonia Clarenceville (1-8, 0-6) with four points apiece. Danielle Sledz

had nine rebounds. •REGINA 63, LADYWOOD 57: The host Saddlelites shot three times as many free throws as the Blazers and had a 20point advantage at the line Friday.

Regina made 30 of 45 free throws, Ladywood 10 of 14. "We couldn't really play; they called every touch foul," Blazers coach Andrea Gorski said. "We backed off a little bit (because of the foul situation) and let some offensive

"We started to play passively and we couldn't get into a flow. We rely on our defense to get us into (scoring) runs, and that didn't happen tonight."

Michelle Harakas picked up her fourth foul a minute into the third period and sat for much of the second half. She did-

n't foul out but Kristen Barnes and Elana Szentickas did. Erin Hayden and Harakas scored 16 points apiece; Barnes added eight.

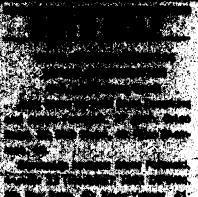
Regina's Carrie Culos netted 19 points and Katrina Super The Blazers (4-6, 1-3) led 21-12 after one quarter and 35-29

at halftime, but the Saddelelites (5-5, 2-2) railled to take a 44-42 lead into the fourth period. •NORTHVILLE 76, FRANKLIN 32: The host Mustangs put a 32-9 third quarter onto a 35-21 halftime lead.

Tera Morrill scored 16 points for Livonia Franklin (1-6, 0-3) and Stephanle Prechel contributed seven. The Patriots made 12 of their 27 free throws.

Janet Hassey had 24 points and Emily Carbott 12 for Northville, which made 11-of-21 free throws. . PLY. CHRISTIAN 65, HURON VALLEY 21: Senior center the second half to lead host Plymouth Christian Academy (8-

> 0, 3-0) to the Michigan Independent Athletic Conference win over visiting Westland Huron Valley Lutheran (1-7, 0-3). Junior forward Stacle Graves paced HVL with nine points.



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## Warriors topple Liggett, earn 2nd seed in Metro

## HIGH SCHOOL BOYS SOCCER

Senior Ryan Ollinger made good on a penalty kick with just three minutes left to give Lutheran High Westland a 2-1 Metro Conference boys soccer win Thursday over Grosse Pointe Woods University-Liggett.

"It was a real tough game and I was pleased with everybody's effort," Lutheran Westland coach Rich Block said.

The game, pitting state-ranked teams in Division IV, was the first meeting of the season between the two.

Lutheran Westland, ranked No. 6, is now 8-2-2 and 5-1-1 in the Metro. Liggett, ranked 10th, falls to 7-4-2 and 4-8 in the conference.

Freshman Justin Combs, a sophomore forward, gave Lutheran Westland a 1-0 halftime lead on an assist from sophomore forward

But Liggett's Jonathan Kish's header off a corner kick with just under four minutes to play in the second half tied it at 1-1. It was the first goal Lutheran Westland has given up at home this

"Mike Randall, our senior stopper, did a great job of marking

Kish." Block said. Goalie Andrew Gliesman also came through in the clutch, making

• WAYNE 7, ROBICHAUD 0: Austin Rowland scored a pair of goals Wednesday to

propel host Wayne Memorial to a Mega-Blue Division triumph over Dearborn Heights

Ken Raupp, Tim Stark, Scott Teasdale, Justin Beseler and Nate Wensko also tallied goals for the Zebras, now 5-4-1 overall and 4-2-1 in the division.

•STEVENSON 2, JOHN GLENN 0: Sergio Mainella tallied a goal and one assist Wednesday as No. 1-ranked Livonia Stevenson (11-1, 3-0) downed host Westland John Glenn (4-6-2, 0-3-1).

Jeff Budd had the other Stevenson goal, while Tom Eller assisted on Mainella's

"John Glenn was a hungry team and played with a lot of heart," Stevenson coach Lars Richters said. "It was a good win under tough circumstances." Goalkeepers Joe Suchara and Joe Zawacki combined on the shutout for Steven-

The Rockets lost Corey Dahn to surgery with a broken leg.

•SALEM 7, FRANKLIN 1: On Wednesday, host Plymouth Salem (13-2-2) jumped out to a 4-0 halftime lead and coasted to a WLAA crossover win over Livonia Franklin (3-10-2).

Guiseppe lannl and Jeff Haar each had two goals and one assist for the victorious Rocks. Dan Wielechowski contributed a goal and one assist. Keith Schenkel and Nick Szczechowski also scored goals for Salem.

Brett Stinar contributed two assists, while Aaron Rypkowski and Graeme McDonald contributed one apiece. Ross Bohler's second-half goal from Scott Tuggle broke up Salem goalkeeper

Brian Wozniak's shutout bid. "We started out flat," Franklin coach Dave Hebestreit said. "But Salem had

something to do with it. They're the best team we've seen this year." Hebestreit singled out the efforts of Bohler and Bill Fischer.

• JOHN GLENN 2, BELLEVILLE 1: in a non-leaguer Friday, Westland John Glenn (5-6-2) overall won it on junior Jeff Ruppel's second-half goal from sophomore sweeper Senior Adam McGahan scored in the first half for the Rockets from Matt Trussler.

•LUTHERAN EAST 3, CLARENCEVILLE 1: It was 1-1 at halftime Thursday before host Harper Woods Lutheran East scored two unanswered goals in the second half to subdue Livonia Clarenceville (0-9 overall).

Steve Shaw scored the lone Clarenceville goal with an assist from Shaun Dorrell. Trojan coach Randy McCoy singled out the efforts of Brian Pankows, Eric Szczembara and goalkeeper Trevor Tipton in defeat.

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SBF, 25, enjoys movies, concerts, bowing. Seeking professional male, 25-30. If you're out there, give me a call, \$29315 **BEEKING SENSE OF HUMOR** DWF, 43, medium build, N/S, seeks a S/DWM, 43-50, N/S, employed,

who likes children, outdoors, sports, for a possible LTR. 12 1000 INTERESTING GEMINI SWPF, 60s, N/S, N/D, no dependents, sense of humor, spiritual,

spontaneous, easygoing, seeks tall, polished gentleman, 58-65, intelligent, honest. Must be interesting. YOU+ME=US

SWF, 35, 5'2", 250lbs, enjoys bowl-

ing, dancing, dining out, quiet evenings at home. Seeking SM, 35-39, for friendship first. \$29640 ATTRACTIVE DOCTOR SWF, 38, never married; worked hard, has time now for sincere rela-

tionship with similarly educated, honest, and secure WM, 35-42. GOOD COMPANIONSHIP Pretty, understanding, financially secure, young single, professional lady, beautiful inside outside, physically fit, healthy, enjoys nature, ping pong, tennis and good music. Seeking energetic, educated gentleman,

friendship first, possible relationship. 129545 ARE YOU READY? Fun-loving SWF, 28, brown/blue, college-educated, loves goth, rollerblading, walks, movies. Seeking a SWM, 28-32, who is ready for

relationship. 129505 FRIENDSHIP AND MORE SWF, 28, 57°, 120lbs, funny, out-going, fikes to be romantic, dancing, movies, walks, cuddling. Seeking a SM, same qualities/interests, for a

ONLY REAL MEN NEED APPLY SBF, 26, 5'9", seeks professional male, 30-55, 6'+, financially secure. who thinks with his head on his shoulders, for friendship first. Race unimoortant, 1279270

DARLING BLACK CHERRY 27, seeks passionate, energetic hite male, 20+, for exciting new experiences. #9259 MOTORCYCLE? Loves Harley men-it must be some-

thing in the jeans! Romantic, pasaionate brunette, mid-40s, works out regularly; looking for strong, silent type. North Oakland County.

LUÇK BE A LADY Imaginative, witty, educated SJF, mid-50s, 5'6', bionde/blue, stim, sweet disposition, self supported, enjoys baking and cooking. Bakes good tooty-fruity cookies. Dutch Treat. Real and fun conversation. Commitment if right. #9373

MAKE BEAUTIFUL MUSIC DWF, 44, financially secure, professional musician, sexy, classy, blonde/blue, romantic. Seeking a outgoing, secure, college-educated S/DWM, 35-50, passion for life, for a possible LTR. 229600

ALMOST AN ANGEL Widowed female, 56, 5'6", blonde/ blue, full-figured, seeks a SM, 45-60, tall, cowboy boots a plus, who likes C&W and Harley's. Must be down-to-earth. 29690 **GEMINI - ROCHESTER AREA** 

I'm a DVYF, 51, blonds/blue, who desires a romantic, humorous, affectionate handyman, camper, animal lover, 50+. #39628 GENTLEMAN

DWF, 44, blonde/blue, size 14, enjoys music, movies, romantic dinners, dancing and camping Seeking DWM, professional mate. 35-55, N/S, likes small dogs, with similar interests, for friendship/LTR

LET ME BE YOUR SUNSHINE Widowed WF, 60, 5'2", blonde blue, N/S, social drinker, financially/emotionally secure, seeks honest, carring man, 58-65, good sense of humor. \$29407

BEAUTIFUL SMILE Attractive, athletic SWF, 49, 57 slender, college graduate, enjoys sports, movies, concerts, dining. and faughter. Seeking tall, healthy. sincere, spontaneous SWPM, 50-55, N/S, social drinker, college graduate, for LTR. #9121 PRETTY PROFESSIONAL

WF, 39, 5'5", slim, long auburn green, with warm smile, enjoys nusic, arts, antiques, car shows. travel, quiet evenings. Seeking honest creative, tall, fit WM. 37-45. N/S, similar interests. Children/pets

GENTLEMAN ONLY Pretty, stender, tall, intelligent, refined SF, 52, smoker, seeks a gentleman, 52-65, intelligent, tall, articulate, classy, confident, for romantic dinner dates laced with

good conversation. 129788 BIKELIFE PARTNER Just bought a motorcycle! SWPF. 46, 6'8", Dlonde, full-figured, seeks SWM, 40-55, to teach me to ride

HANDSOME DOCTOR WANTED By very pretty blue-eyed blonde, bright and warm, youthful 48, 5'6', slightly overweight, seeking friendship. Troy area. 179387

SELF MADE MAN
Seeking SWPM, secure, average/
attractive, trustworthy, emotionalhylinarcially stable, fun, hip guy, 4852, 5'8"-5'11", No games. I'm pretty, classy, sirn, 57", secure, open, hip gal. No kids. You won't be disappointed. 12/350 FRIENDSHIP FIRST
This petite, stender, romantic professional DWF, 30s, brown hair/
eyes, enjoys movies, theater, dining out and travel. Seeking tall, pro-lessional S/DWM, 35-42, with similar interests. 129109

LOOKING FOR THAT SPECIAL SOMEONE THAT SPECIAL SOMEONE SWPF, 51, 5'3', 125ibs, brown eyes, financially secure, enjoys outdoors, travel, quiet at home evenings, seeks sincere SWM, gentleman, caring, romantic, humorous, for a possible relationship. \$28865

TWILIGHT
Attractive BF, 50, 5'6", 150fbs, N/S, educated, employed, no dependents, seeks one great male, 48-55, H/W proportionate, N/S a must, for

monogamous relationship. Race open, must live alone. No hang-ups or baggage, \$19878 A TOUCH OF JUNGLE FEVER Complex preference, not novelty. DWF, 39, pretty, independent, happy, sensual woman of sub-

stance, seeks black gentleman, late 30s+, financially/emotionally secure, for monogamous physical and spiritual happiness. \$29880 CHAMPAGNE AND CAVIAR SBF, 47, attractive, likes, jazz, trav-

eling, classicicars, driving, seeking, SM, sense of humor, financially secure honest, race unimportant. TRUE FRIENDSHIP
WF, 18, seeks a SM, 18-25, for
Iriendship and conversation. Give
me a call. 279787

DYNAMIC, BEAUTIFUL PH.D. Cultured, mean apple pie. Goll, tennis, and skiing enthusiast. Theater addiction, dance fever. Seeking male counterpart, 34-47. \$29728

COFFEE, TEA AND THEE! Unencumbered, tall, attractive Christian lady with great personality seeks gentlemen, 55+, 6'+, N/S, social drinker, great sense of husation, theater, dining. Friendship first, possible LTR. #9726 **FUN-LOVING** 

Outgoing DWF, 45, enjoys movies, dining, videos, dancing and more. Seeking a S/DM, 45+, for friendship and possible LTR. 179601 GARDEN CITY WOMAN

DWF, 47, 5', full-figured, likes walks in the park, movies, dining. Seeking a monogamous relationship, with a SM, N/S, no drugs, for a LTR. No games please. 129692 LIGHTHOUSE LOVER

Very independent SF, young 48, lkes sightseeing, lighthouses, great lakes, carracing, fishing, and walking. Seeking friend, 45-60 to share weekends doing above. N/Drugs, no games. Honesty is \$1. \$29632 PRETTY, SMART, SEXY

Honest, sincere, financially secure 39, 5'6", 145lbs, great legs, one child, enjoys sports, music, mo-vies and romance. Seeking caring sincere, physically fit S/DBM, 38-48, N/S, social drinker 199633.

SOMEONE SPECIAL Pretty, educated, active, artistic temale, mid-50s, seeks a male, similar attributes, for a monogamous, caring relationship. \$29598

WOMAN WITH BAGGAGE... (2 kids and a neurotic dog). Seeking a SM, to wine, dine, entertain and make me laugh. SF, 57, fit, trim, gorgeous, sexy, dark-hair/green partially deat, sense of humor

LOOK NO MORE DWF, 44, good sense of humor, seeks S/DM, 40-52, who enjoys music, movies, football, eating out, and

who I can enjoy life with. 179552 A SHOT IN THE DARK Attractive, full figured, and sincere SWF, 38, 5'6", hard working, honest and financially secure. Enjoys outdoors, water sports, travel, and concerts. Seeking tall SWM, 37-45, honest, outgoing responsible and goal-orientated, NS. \$29547

SOMEONE SPECIAL SWF, 43, 5'8", medium build, smoker, social drinker, enjoys movies, quiet dinners, dancing, antiques. Seeking honest, romantic, financially secure, sensitive man, 48-55,

tall stature #19507 PARTNER IN ADVENTURE Attractive, articulate, green-eyed sales professional, gregarious, 52, 5'4", 128'bs, loves dancing, theater, salang, flying, nature, people. If you think the future looks bright, let's discuss the possibilities. 279514

HARDWORKER SF, 5'7', 175lbs, brown/blue, likes fishing, bowling, movies, camping. Seeking an honest, sincere, romantic gentleman, for a LTR. \$9515

THICK AND HEALTHY Cuta SBF, 24, 5'6", 225/bs, brown skin, no kids, employed college stu-dent, seeks nice-looking SBM, 20-29, with no kids, N/S, for friendship and dating 129462

LOVES BEETHOVEN SWF, 37, attractive, petite single mother, loves classical music, theater, gardening, camping. Seeking single male, 30-45, with similar interests especially in dassical music

NO GAMES PLEASE! Attractive, churchgoing, career-minded SBF, 37, working on BA degree, seeks tall, attractive. churchgoing, career-minded SBM. 35-40, N/S, who enjoys sports, jazz. concerts, and dining. \$39452

PRETTY BROWN-EYED ITALIAN Outgoing single mom, 38, brown/ brown Likes movies, theater, dancing, long walks, good conversation. Seeking handsome mate, dark hair/ brown, 35-45, who is romantic, sincere, honest, with a sense of humor \$19455

ONE IN A MILLION Attractive, college-educated, petite, fit SWF, 37, long brunette hair, great smile, fun-loving attitude, seeks sweet, smart, sexy SWPM, for friendship, possibly LTR, \$79450 CLASSY LADY

Sionde-haired, blue-syed, petite SWF, 43, honest, sincere, enjoys dancing, traveling, dining, walks, romantic evenings at home, seeks gentleman, 30-50. \$29408

ATTRACTIVE BLACK FEMALE

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SBF, 43, 5'5", medium build, enjoys travel, movies and the beach. Seeking honest, sincere, financially secure SM, 5'8"e, with similar interests, for friendship first. \$29368 Black, British, Classy BF, 42, British, classy, lady of principles, 5'4", 128lbs, new to Mich.

igan, seeks friendship with a gen-tleman, 40-50, of good moral stan-dards and principals. \$29362 LIGHT MY FIRE

Passionate, pretty DF, 40, with medium build. Seeking SWM, 38-50, N/S, N/D, for dating, mating, and relating. Will you spark my interest? \$29368 DELTA BURKE'S SISTER

Southern born, professional nanny, 50 year-old lady; full figured, enjoys walking, church activities, family-ori-ented, cooking, gardening, short trips, NVS. Seeking companion for same. 29360 ARE YOU READY...

for the next chapter? So am I. God was kind to me in the looks department. Inside: fun-loving, compassionate, sensual woman. So, if you're holding out for the best, you

may have found her. \$29352 R.S.V.P An invitation to meet this attractive DWF, 44. If you are an attractive S/DWM, 38+, N/S, smart, sincere, fun.

no games guy. Let the party begin!

SPECIAL REQUEST Petite SPF, 48, redhead, young in attitude and appearance. If you're honest, stable, no game playing gentleman, 40-55, good sense of humor, with a love of life. Looking for friendship and companionship Northern Oakland County. 229347 ATTRACTIVE BLONDE LADY European-born, refined, giving, loving, educated, young 60ish, 5'5', good figured, N/S, many interests, seeks gentleman, 65-75, with sense of humor, caring, intelligent, secure, N/S, for lasting relationship. ₱9349

YOUR SEARCH IS OVER Attractive DWCF, who's intelligen honest, with just about the right S/DYM, 40-51, who's honest, caring, and has strong moral values. rious replies only. Rochester area. 229172

GARDEN CITY SWF, 22, 5'6", curvy, short brown/ green, searching for S/DWM, 18-27, who's not into playing games. **29315** LET'S

MEET FOR COFFEE WF, young 62, Farmington Hills area, seeks companionship/iriendship with man of same age group. Loves animals, long walks/drives, dining in/out, movies and shows. Would like to meet for coffee, convarsation. 🗃 9275

PETITE ATTRACTIVE 53 DWF, very active, enjoys water, out-doors, casual, social fun. Social drinker, enjoys quiet times, sense of humor, seeking emotionally, financially secure, soulmate, companion for LTR. \$9254

SEEKING CHEMISTRY
Very attractive, fun SPF, 40, 5'6'. blonde/blue, great catch, single parent, traditional/good values, seeks family-oriented, clean-out, andsome SM, executive type, for

LTR. #9170 NO NONSENSE AD DWPF, 46, intelligent, attractive, with diverse interests, N/S, D/Dfree, seeks same in WPM, 45-55.

for a relationship with a committed tuture. No nonsense please. #79210 FRIENDSHIP FIRST Thoughtful, considerate SWF, 65.

5'3", enjoys animals, gardening, movies and cooking. Seeking SWM, 50-65, N/D, smoker ok, for friendship first. 229205 SPARKLING SPUNKY, STYLISH

Sensuous, gorgeous, fit, 40, 5'7", 130'bs, MA degreed, into bike touring, reading, antiquing, giggling. Seeking SWM, N/S, degreed, fit, outgoing puy. #9203 **52 YEAR-OLD ENTREPRENEUR** Pretty, successful, giving, loving, looking for her soulmate. Any sincere, successful caucasian, 45-70, please apply. 129201

WISH UPON A STAR SWF, 44, 5'7", brown/hazel, N/S. enjoy sports, jazz, C&W, quiet times at home. Seaking romantic, honest, family-oriented S/DWM, 38-54, 577+, N/S, All calls will be answered, 279198

SEEKING SOMEONE SPECIAL Attractive DWF, young 49, 5'4', brown/blue, N/S, financially/emotionally secure, enjoys movies, din-ing, sports, travel, and romance Seeking attractive, honest, canng, compassionate SWM, 45-55, financially secure, for friendship, leading

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LADY IN WAITING
Good-looking 46, DBPCF, 5'5',
140ibs, N/S, enjoy traveling, movies, reading, exercising, outdoor
activities. Seeking SPCM, N/S, with
similar Inflaments, for friendship, possibly more. \$79125

SEEKING GOOD MAN

SEEKING SOULMATE

DWF, 42, 5'10", N/9, N/Drugs, easygoing, overweight, South Lyon Area, enjoys swimming, walking, bowling, cards, pets, traveling, Seeking honest, loyal SWM, N/S, N/Drugs #9126 MUSIC IS MY LIFE

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Stay for a relationship, Good-looking SWM, 45, open to anything from a date to a LTR, seeks an optimistic, playful SWF, 30-50. \$19540 CHARM SCHOOL GRADUATE Tall, attractive, stim, adventurous, open-minded SBM, enjoys moun-

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YOUNG BENIOR 59 Brown blue, white, medium build, retired, homeowner with two dogs (my bables). Activities: I'm a sun and outdoor person. Not into game playing Seeks similar interests in woman for LTR. \$9255 NEVER TOO OLD

Attractive, kind, caring, financially secure SWF, 60ish, blonde/blue.

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## RECREATION

## Leave woods, water in better condition

Nov. 15th was the annual "big day" of my

youth. My father was a passionate outdoorsman and an ardent deer hunter.

Opening day of Michigan's annual firearms sea-

would always find my dad, my two older brothers, and I in deer camp up in Montmorency County - as long as we kids maintained good grades, that

The importance of conservation and game management and respect for nature were rooted in all three of us boys at a very early age.

We learned to hunt and fish, to shoot and to cast, but we also learned to respect our quarry and all natural resources and to only take what we planned to use.

"Always leave the woods or the water in the same or better condition than when you. arrived," Dad always used to

My father hunted a little bit with a bow and arrow and taught my brothers and I to shoot with a recurve before compounds were popular.

My oldest brother, Kevin, was so adept with a recurve that he out-shot the archery counselor at Camp Agawam one year during summer camp with the Boy Scouts. The following summer he was hired as the new archery merit badge

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never did much hunting with a bow and arrow.

#### Bit by the bug

That all changed for me about 18 years ago when I was bit by the bowhunting bug. Nov. 15 has now been replaced as the "big day" of the year by Oct. 1, opening day of the high. archery deer season.

Firearms hunting is great and I still thoroughly enjoy the season, but there's a special appeal that surrounds archery deer hunting.

Bowhunters who successfully stalk or pattern a mature whitetail and intercept that animal on its own turf experience a deep sense of accomplishment.

The big attraction for me is summed up in the popular bowhunter cliche: "It's now how far you can shoot an arrow, it's how close you can get to your prey."

The average lethal bow shot in Michigan is less than 20 yards. Many accomplished archers can certainly make a shot at much further distances. but the average is less than 20 yards.

For me, there's nothing more captivating than watching a whitetail meander toward your blind for 15 minutes, closing the distance from 100 yards to 60, to 50, to 40, to 30, to 20 and then ending up right where you had planned. Buck fever rises to a new level when a deer is at such close range.

Bow season opens

The woods will be full of skill-

ful, camo-clad archers as the better than 600,000 today. For some reason, though, we 1998 Michigan archery deer ... Bow hunters have taken season Thursday.

Upwards of 350,000 bowhunters are expected to take to the woods and fields of this great hunting state between now and the end of the season, Jan. 3.

Expectations for another stellar deer season are running

With a burgeoning whitetail herd including some 600,000 right here in Zone III (southern Michigan) the outlook for the archery and firearms seasons is spectacular, especially in southern Michigan.

### Southern opportunity

Believe it or not, in the last two deer seasons hunters have taken more deer in southern Michigan than they have in the forests of the northern Lower Peninsula or the Upper Peninsula.

The herd in southern Michigan has been on the rise for the

past 30 years. As a child growing up in northern Oakland County in the 1970s we'd rarely see a deer close to home.

Today, my daughters and I go out with a spotlight before the 11 p.m. curfew, in the same area of northern Oakland County, and regularly see anywhere from 30 to 130 deer in an hour's time.

The Michigan Department of Natural Resources estimated there were approximately 50,000 white-tailed deer in southern Michigan in the mid-1960's. There were approximately 140,000 by the mid-70s, 376,000 by the mid-80s and

advantage of this explosion by shooting better than 60,000 deer in southern Michigan over each of the past two seasons.

If you can gain access to some local private land you're chance for success will be excellent. Private lands hold the majority of deer in southern Michigan.

### Hunting on public land

There is, however, over 140,000 acres of public land open to hunting in southern Michigan and much of it provides good to very good deer hunting opportunities.

A couple of the larger tracts of public land deer hunters can check out include the Waterloo Recreation Area (22,000 acres) in Jackson County, the Pinckney Recreation Area (11,000 acres) in Washtenaw County, the Lapeer State Game Area (8,000 acres) in Lapeer County and the Holly Recreation Area (7,700 acres) in Oakland Coun-

Enjoy the season and consider sharing your bounty with others who are less fortunate. Many area butchers are cooperators with the Hunters for the Hungry program in which lean, protein-rich venison is distributed to homeless shelters across the state.

Enjoy the season and try to introduce a youngster to the outdoors this year.

Be safe, hunt hard and remember what my dad used to tell us, "always leave the woods or the water in the same or better condition than when you arrived."

## Türkey vultures get mistaken for hawks

NOTES

The beginning October marks the arrival of large numbers of turkey vultures.

Turkey vultures have been around southeastern Michigan all summer, but this is the season when birds from the

north migrate south. If you look in the right areas you can see thousands of them in one day.

According to data from the Southeastern Michigan Raptor Research group, early October is when the most vultures pass through our area.

On Oct. 10, 1993, 6,363 turkey vultures were counted down at Erie Marsh Metro Park. Prior to and subsequent to this date, they regularly counted a thousand birds per day.

A turkey vulture is a large bird. They have a 6-foot wingspan and measure about 2 feet from head to tail. Their body is all black.

People often mistake these large birds for hawks when spotted soaring over open fields, but a closer look will reveal some differences.

Most hawks around here are not black. Even when viewed in shadows, they do not look black.

Turkey vultures have longer wings than hawks found in our area. They also hold their wings

in a slight "V" pattern. Our red-tailed hawk does that

to a degree, but not to the extent that the turkey vulture does.

Vultures can glide for minutes on end without flapping their wings. This helps save energy because they do not have to beat. their wings.

The "V" pattern of a vulture's wings is magnified by its small; head.

A vulture does not have feathers on its head. When viewed. from a distance, vultures appear. not to have a head. They look! like two wings attached to a! body and a long tail - "no" head.

This general appearance helps; to distinguish them from hawks.

Vultures have very weak feet; compared to hawks and other! raptors. They don't really need strong feet and long talons because they only eat things that are dead.

Since it's hard to eat frozen carrion and even harder to smell frozen animals, vultures head south for the winter.

Though it's is believed that most birds have a poor sense of smell, vultures find their food by smell. They can identify odors of decaying animals.

You might think that anything

that eats dead animals wouldn't be too picky, but actually vultures prefer carrion that is not too ripe, just rotten enough. If you head to Florida this win-

ter you will see some of the vultures that migrated south through southeastern Michigan.

No matter where you see them, watch their effortless flight on stagnant wings as they master the currents of air.

# Bowling's Wally Pipp story true

Over the past 10 years of "Ten Pin Alley" a lot of strange but true stories have appeared on these pages.

As we are launching a new era of bowling coverage it seems appropriate to go back and recall a few of the best ones

- partly to remember those long forgotten tales and also for the benefit of those readers who have come aboard more recently.

Most bowling stories seem to revolve around the perfect game, the "300," or "perfecto." It consists of 12 consecutive strikes in one game, a count of 30 pins in each of the 10 frames. A lucky pinfall here and there

can make all the difference between just another very good game, or all the glory and honors extended to this great accomplis-Sanctioned league bowlers

receive a ring for a 300 game (also 299, 298 or an 800 or 900 series). They are called "Honor Scores."

My most memorable coverage occurred in Farmington's Bel Aire Lanes where Bill Stewart was a member of the Our Lady of Sorrows league.

Unfortunately, Stewart was stricken and passed away rather suddenly. At the funeral home,

his bereaved widow asked his good buddy, Paul Koenig, if he would take Bill's place on the team and finish out the season for him. Paul agreed to do so. and as he was walking out the door, Mrs. Stewart yelled out to Paul, "Bowl a 300 game for him!"

The following night Koenig did that very thing. In Stewart's 20 years of bowl-

ing he had not been able to do it, so they got a quick ring and put it in the casket with the scoresheet. The 300 game belonged to Bill. It was buried with him.

■ Plymouth Bowl was always a tough house to score in, and in the last year of operation, it had not had any perfect games. That was, until Harold McMa-

han, a senior bowler in his 60's. became the only one to do it before they closed their doors. McMahan did not have one of

those fancy high-tech balls either. Rather it was an old discard, an LT-48 someone had left on the rack which Harold had "adopted."

■ Clarkston is where Cherry Hill North is located, one of the nicest bowling facilities in Northern Oakland County.

The 300 game which was rolled by Dave Craft at this locale last winter was different from all others because Craft is legally blind.

He has a spotter to tell him which pins are standing. But for nothing to do but watch in this game was not but for an 8-year old, 200 is realthat one game the spotter had years.

■ The date was Tuesday, Jan. 27, 1998, and Dave Hannenberg of Canton had been bowling for more than 40 years.

As a Vice President of the Wayne Westland Men's Bowling Association and as a league secretary for years, Hannenberg had seen plenty of others get their rewards for "perfectos."

But only some 299s were in store for him until that Tuesday at Super Bowl when he finally had his wish come true.

■ Mort Friedman of West Bloomfield began his night at the Senior Classic League in Sterling Lanes with a 300 game. That set the tone for the rest of the night as he followed with 257 and 297, a whopping 854 series, at the age of 61, the highest series ever recorded in the nation by a senior league bowler.

No talk of 300s can be complete without the mention of the legendary Joe Norris. He will be 'making his annual visit to Detroit from his San Diego home to compete at age 90 in the Old Timers Tournament next month at Thunderbowl.

Norris bowled his first 300 at the age of 18, which at the time made him the youngest bowler ever to record a "perfecto." He did it again a few years ago to become the oldest ever to roll a perfect game. Norris is the Cal Ripken of bowling, having set all-time records for more than 70

ly something special. It was Andy Jones of Livonia in the youth league, while his mom, Pam was in her Merri Bowl Ladies league a few lanes away and only had a 196 game.

Andy has now moved up to the Sunday Youth Classic. Mom Pam just rolled her first 300 game in the Cloverlanes All-Star Bowlerettes a few weeks ago.

The best news event was when the bowlers all got together to have a revolt against the Liquor Control Commission and get new legislation passed in Lansing to allow low-stakes gaming in the bowling scene.

It was the L.C.C. which had cracked down on mystery games and such. Rep. David Jaye and Rep. Deborah Whyman of Canton co-sponsored House Bill 6114, which proved the Democratic process really works when people show their support.

■ And then there is Michael Barr of radio station WJR, who single-handedly raised thousands of dollars for the Karmanos Cancer Institute with his two 24-hour bowling non-stop marathons.

This year he was a bit wiser, changing the format to a regular bowlathon with lots of eager participants who made lots of money for the same cause. The stories never stop coming.

There is new excitement all the time, and you can expect to read all about it right here on these bowling pages as the future stories get told.

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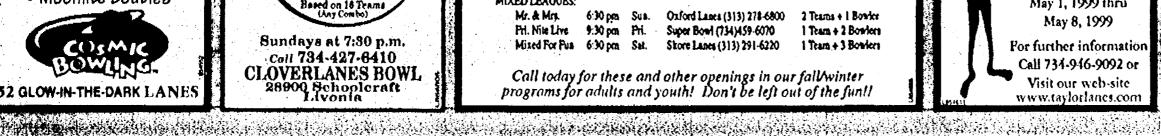
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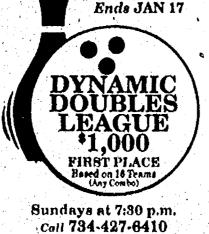
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