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Mega winner

A Westland resident is \$250,000 richer after she matched the first five numbers for the Mega Millions lottery drawing on Friday, May 17.

Wanda Protyniak was the lucky holder of one of three \$250,000 Mega Millions prizes sold in Michigan in the drawing. Protyniak's winning ticket was sold by Unity Service Corp. located at 1716 S. Merriman, Westland. The other winners were Trevis Bluege of Alanson and Paulette Lightfoot of Barbeau.

Two winning jackpot tickets for the \$190 million jackpot were bought in New Jersey and Virginia.

Excellence Award

Wayne-Westland's Wayne Memorial High School community nights program has received the 2013 Education Excellence Award from the Michigan Association of School Boards and SET SEG School Insurance Specialists, the awards sponsor.

"This year's Education Excellence winners demonstrate that excellence is all around us in our public schools, despite their numerous challenges, financial restraints and unending reforms," said Kathy Hayes, MASB executive director. "This year's winners clearly know what it takes to positively impact student achievement."

Facing decreased parental and community involvement and declining student achievement, Wayne Memorial High School established three annual community nights designed to remove the stigma often associated with high schools for many parents and community members.

Community nights are designed to build relationships and establish partnerships among parents, students, staff, district personnel, community members and business partners in an environment that allows people to get to know one another on a personal level.

The innovative program aims to establish trust and comfort with parents and community members through games and other fun activities so they can play an active role in Wayne Memorial students' educations.

Wayne High received a trophy, street sign proclaiming it an "Education Excellence Winner" and a cash award from SET SEG.



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The Rev. Bernard Pilarski offers a blessing and grace to Edna Julian, who was celebrating her 100th birthday.

The century mark

She credits milk and mindset to her longevity

By LeAnne Rogers
Staff Writer

When she lists the various ailments and some accidents she endured as a youngster, it's easy to see why Edna Julian never expected to live until she was 100.

"I had all the childhood diseases - I was sick all the time. I was quarantined when my brother knocked over hot water on the stove," said Julian, a Westland resident. "We were quarantined for a month with scarlet fever. My first step out, I was quarantined again - I had gotten the measles."

But Julian, who was born May 21, 1913, in a room above a store on Michigan Avenue in Detroit across from the Michigan Central Depot, did survive and eventually thrived. When an uncle gave her family a house in Wayne, they relocated, and Julian attended Wayne High School.

Julian moved to Inkster in 1941 into a brand new subdivision. She married second husband John Paul Julian in 1946 and



Edna Julian's wedding day in 1946.

the couple were together until his death in 1991.

"At 35, I was not very well. I prayed I would live long enough to raise my kids," said Julian, who was married twice and had three children. "My husband was on the road for a week or two - he owned his own truck and was a steel hauler. I'd worry. Just all of a sudden I changed when the kids were in grade school."

That meant helping out at the school during recess, class parties and camp.



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STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Edna Julian recently celebrated her 100th birthday. She still drives herself each day to Mass at St. Richard Catholic Church in Westland.

'Made up my mind'

"I just made up my mind to do it. When I did it, I started feeling better," said Julian. "Then, if I expected the kids to go to church, I had to go, too. I just felt better."

Julian was raised a Methodist and attended a Methodist church much of her life. She converted to Catholicism when she

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Westland looks at banning carnivals

By LeAnne Rogers
Staff Writer

Citing problems caused by large groups of young people congregating and fighting at area carnivals, Westland is looking into banning the traveling rides and midway shows.

A council study session Monday about the Westland Summer Festival was prompted by two issues — security concerns and the bill for police overtime that is to be reimbursed by the festival.

"This goes deeper than the festival, it's carnivals," Councilman Bill Johnson said. "We need an ordinance to say no carnivals, festivals only."

The study session came on the heels of serious problems at last month's Westland Firefighters Charity Fund carnival, held at the northeast corner of Wayne and Warren roads.

During that carnival, a group of young males, estimated to number more than 100, were

fighting and eventually spilled over from the carnival into neighboring businesses, including the Westland Shopping Center parking lot.

"Officers from four cities had to respond to problems at the carnival. You couldn't get down Wayne Road for all the police cars," Johnson said. "McDonald's (at Wayne and Warren roads) had to shut down."

A more than two-minute YouTube video of the brawl in the shopping center parking lot, shot from a smart phone, shows the crowd moving en masse as individuals square off to fight. The lights of a small security vehicle can be seen coming into the frame and people start running as police sirens are heard in the distance.

The video looks very similar to incidents that happened Saturday during the St. Mary's of Orchard Lake Polish Festival. There were problems last year at

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Combined dispatch awaits Garden City, Inkster approval

By LeAnne Rogers
Staff Writer

Agreements to establish a four-city emergency dispatching center have been approved by the Westland and Wayne councils.

The local Intergovernmental Agreement is set to be voted on by the Garden City and Inkster councils at their June 3 meetings. The agreement would result in consolidation of the current Westland-Inkster dispatching operation at the Westland Police Department with the Wayne-Garden City dispatching center, currently housed at the Wayne Police Department.

"We're on track with the technology and expect to be set to go July 1," said Westland Mayor William Wild, referring to new dis-

patching consoles funded through a \$400,000 Federal Emergency Management Administration grant.

The six current dispatchers for Wayne-Garden City would be laid off once the dispatching services are consolidated. Those employees would be offered dispatching positions with the combined operation and if hired, would become Westland employees and treated as new hires.

The initial annual cost for the dispatching center would be:

- Westland - \$694,228
- Inkster - \$552,279
- Garden City - \$331,305.
- Wayne - \$296,305.

The merger of the two dispatching operations - Westland has been combined with

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Water rates to increase in Wayne

By LeAnne Rogers
Staff Writer

Wayne residents will see a 4.3 percent increase in water-sewer bills as the city passes along rate increases from the Detroit Water and Sewerage Department and Wayne County.

Effective July 1, a 4.4 percent increase was also approved to the monthly fixed rate costs for both water and sewer.

"We'll get the blame for it anyway because it was passed by us," said Wayne Mayor Al Haidous. "It's not the surrounding 123 communities — the court finally ruled that it's Detroit's water system. They can run it like a business."

The city's water-sewer fund also has to be run

like a business, Wayne Finance Director James Ghedotte said, recommending the increase in rates and fixed costs.

The water rate increase will take Wayne's charge to \$3.91 per unit or 1,000 gallons of water. The fixed rate charge will go to \$15.65 per month — up from \$15 per month. The total fixed rate for water paid by the city would be \$1.1 million in 2013-14.

The sewer rate increase will be from \$5.72 per unit to \$5.97 per unit. The fixed monthly rate is increasing to \$11.03 from the current \$10.57. The county's fixed fee is going from \$1.9 million annually to just over \$2 million.

"The 4.3 percent rates are needed to cover costs.

We will still focus on our meter change out," said Ghedotte.

That meter replacement program, budgeted at \$1.7 million in 2012-13, begins the process of installing new meters that can be read remotely.

"We are looking at different companies and technology," said Ghedotte. "We would no longer need a person to read the meters — it would either be by vehicle or signal to an office."

The meter replacement program wouldn't impact water rates, he said. It is being funded through the 2006 water and sewer bond fund.

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Adoption event

The Better Life Canine Center is holding an adoption event noon-2:30 p.m. Saturday, June 1, at Healthy Paws Veterinary Medical Center at 38150 Ford Road in Westland. The event will feature adoptable dogs from Better Life Canine Center, and there also will be a Smooch a Pooch Booth.

License plate meet

Ohawkeye's 14th Southeast Michigan License Plate Meet will be 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday June 1, at the Romanowski VFW Post 6896 at 28945 Joy, east of Middlebelt, in Westland.

Tables are available for \$5 each. For details go online to vfw6896.com/LicensePlateMeet.html. Admission is \$5 per person. Children under 12 years of age and Veterans with a VFW membership card or a VA Hospital ID get in free.

Free coffee and doughnuts will be available.

All proceeds go to the veterans. For more information, call Scott "Ohawkeye" Olson at (734) 421-1599 or send an email to ohawkeye@yahoo.com.

Benefit concert

The Westland Jaycees will be hosting a concert

on Friday, May 31, to benefit two worthy causes.

The KISS cover band War Machine will perform at Bumpers Bar and Grill 8631, N. Newburgh, just south of Joy, in Westland. All proceeds from the cover charge will go to benefit the Westland-Wayne Relay for Life.

There also will be silent auctions, raffles and 50/50 drawings. The proceeds from these games will go to benefit a local teen that was recently diagnosed with Hodgkin's Lymphoma. Her single mother is taking care of her, but the family does not have health insurance so the bills are piling up. Tickets are available before the event for \$10 and at the door for \$15. Doors open for the concert at 7:30 p.m. The band will be on stage at 8:30 p.m.

For more information or to purchase tickets, send and to jsroc628@yahoo.com or call (734) 858-4811.

Historical program

The Friends of Nankin Mills will sponsor an adult local history program, "Death of Chief Tonquish: Debunking Myths and Legends" 7-8 p.m. Wednesday, June 5, at the Nankin Mills Interpretive Center, at 33175

Ann Arbor Trail, Westland.

Daryl Bailey, military historian and vice-president of the Friends of Nankin Mills, will look at both the death of Chief Tonquish and its historiography. Refreshments will be provided.

Preregister by calling (734) 261-1990.

Kickball signups

Registration is being accepted for Summer Kickball Leagues offered through the Wayne-Westland Parks and Recreation Department at Anderson Ball Fields in Attwood Park in Wayne. The cost is \$200 per team and must be paid in full at time of registration.

All teams must register at the Wayne Community Center by Monday, June 3. Games will start the week of June 10. For more information or to register, call (734) 721-7400.

Cutest Pet

The Westland Jaycees will be hosting a Cutest Pet Contest this year during the Westland-Wayne Relay for Life June 8-9.

Each entry should be accompanied by a 5-by-7-inch picture of the pet, the pet's name, owners name and phone number and the \$5 entry fee. Checks should be made out to the Westland Jaycees. Entries can be sent to 570 Lathers, Garden City, MI 48135. Questions can be directed to Rebeka Sroczynski at wjccutestpet@yahoo.com.

Voting will take place at the Westland Jaycee Relay for Life booth 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Saturday, June 8. Voting will be done by dropping money into a container that is matched to the corresponding pet's picture. The pet earning the most money will be declared the winner. The three top grossing pets will earn prizes. All monies raised will go directly to Relay for Life.

Casino trip

Join the Wayne Rotary Club for a trip to the Motor City Casino Saturday, June 15. A deluxe motor coach will leave the Wayne Activity Center (formerly the senior center) on Sims at 3 p.m. The bus will drop off in front of the casino and depart at 9 p.m. The cost is \$30 per person and includes \$30 of slot play. You must be 21 years old and have photo identification.

For more information, call Trish at (734) 890-6934.

Democratic Club

The Westland Democratic Club will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday, June 25, at Dorsey Center, 32715 Dorsey at Venoy, between Palmer and Michigan Avenue, in Westland. The board meets at 6:30 p.m.

Regular meetings will be held on June 25, Aug. 27, Sept. 24, Oct. 29 and Nov. 26. For more information, contact club president Nan Melke at (734) 674-7327 or by email at WestlandDemClub@rob-inwood.com.

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was 69 and was baptized and confirmed during the 1983 Easter Vigil Mass at St. Richard Catholic Church in Westland.

St. Richard is a central part of Julian's life - she drives herself to the church for Mass daily, helps with sacristan duties and tends the flowers and plants on the altar. She's given up visits to local nursing homes but packs the bag the priest takes with him when he visits.

"When I was younger, I thought I wouldn't do much of anything. I wanted to work in the church," she said. "It's my second home."

Julian is active in St. Richard's 50+ Club, which threw her a 100th birthday luncheon. The club presented Julian, decked out in sequins, with a tree containing 100 golden dollars.



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The Birthday Girl, Edna Victoria Ilene Julian, with daughter Pat Clancy, of Westland, and grandson Michael Clancy of Tucson, Arizona.

'Just a jewel'

"Edna is just a jewel. She drives to Mass every day. She waters the flowers," said club member Jo Ann Krebs.

Many of the club members also attended family birthday party held for Julian at the Wayne Community Center. Michael Clancy - one of Julian's five grandchildren - came from Tucson, Ariz., to help Julian celebrate her birthday.

"She baby-sat for me. She'd drive me to school, my mom had to work," said Clancy.

"He was great. We'd would take him every-

where. He'd sleep in the back seat. When we traveled, we'd give him a bath in the bathroom sink," Julian recalled.

These days, Julian still enjoys traveling - she has been on several cruises and trips to Las Vegas and Atlantic City. She's like to visit places like the Holy Land and England but there is a problem.

"I'll never go since I won't fly in a plane," said Julian. "I want to die right here on earth."

Widowed in 1991, Julian lived in her Inkster home until 1997 when she moved in with daugh-

ter Pat Clancy in Westland. She also had two sons, Robert Zima and John Michael Julian, who was struck by car and killed in 1992 while crossing Inkster Road south of Cherry Hill.

Asked about any tips for longevity, Julian said she never smoked or drank alcohol but she used to drink a lot of milk.

"I think the church keeps her going," said Michael Clancy.

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area carnivals, including the 2012 Westland Firefighters event.

Police report social media is used to alert participants to the next carnival location and date, when youths described as gang members will gather.

"Gangs use the carnivals to have interactions. The first gang to arrive owns the carnival," Westland Deputy Police Chief Michael Match said.

"Carnivals and gangs go hand-in-hand right now." Carnivals held on private property can take security steps like St. Mary's did, Match said,

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Inkster for a number of years - will produce some savings for the communities in the short-term but more long-term.

"Our long-term goal is that this is the beginning of regional dispatch. Our next step would be to add additional cities in western Wayne," Wild said. "The savings would come in the long-term as part of a regional dis-

restricting access to the site, charging an admission fee and checking identification.

"We can't do that on public property. All we can do is arrest someone, then there is a fight and most of the security will be in the booking room," Match said.

While not advocating cancellation of the Westland Summer Festival in July, Johnson said the city does need to address carnivals.

Police requested that the carnival close at 8 p.m. nightly to address the security problems - something unlikely to be agreeable to the festival committee.

As an alternative, Westland Police Chief Jeff Jedrusik said he would

like the carnival closed at 8 p.m. the night of the fireworks.

"Last year was the first year as a police officer that I felt we had control (at the festival). I love the festival and the fireworks. But I don't feel it's comfortable and safe," Jedrusik said, noting incidents in recent years that included a shooting and a stabbing.

Problems with an unruly crowd refusing to leave the carnival during the 2011 festival prompted security changes at the festival, including the use of Livonia Police Reserves for traffic control.

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patching authority." Nearly a year ago, Westland and Wayne merged their fire departments and parks and recreation departments. A committee of staff members from both cities is studying further joint efforts at cutting costs and enhancing services.

Last August, Lt. Gov. Brian Calley visited for the grand opening of the Wayne-Westland fire administration operation and praised the merger as the type of consolidation sought by Gov. Rick Snyder. State funding to

local communities is also being tied in part to consolidations or cooperative efforts with other communities.

"I'll be attending the Mackinac Policy Conference and provide the lieutenant governor with an update on the fire department and the dispatching piece, too," Wild said. "He definitely looks at these as models (for other communities)."

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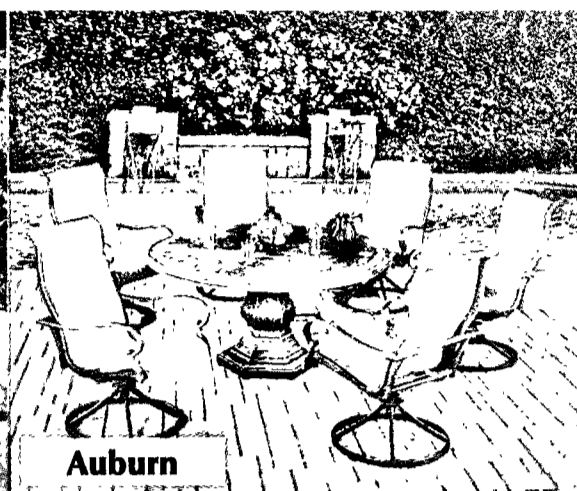
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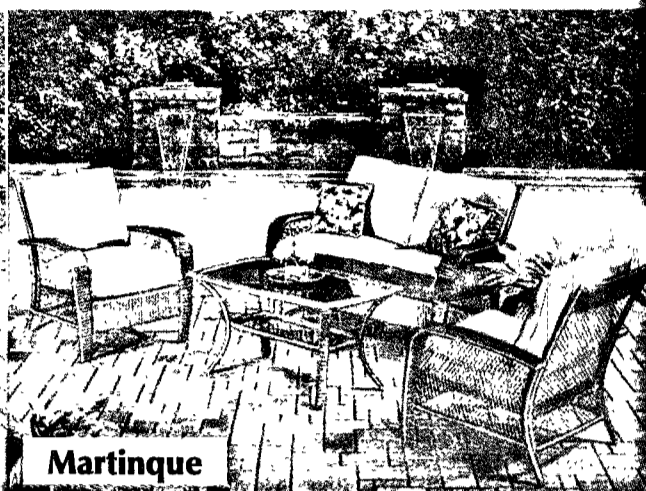
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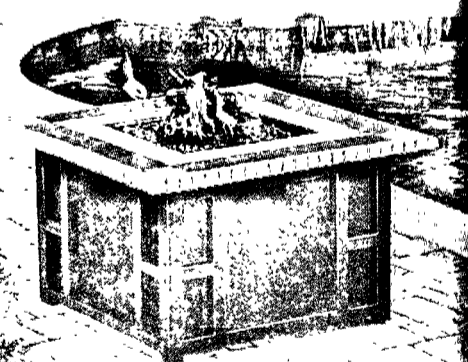
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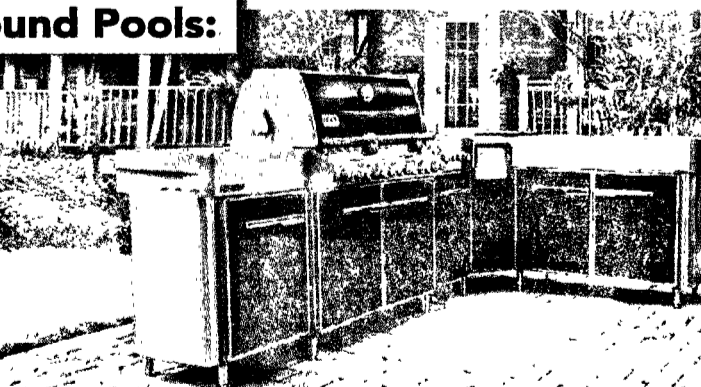


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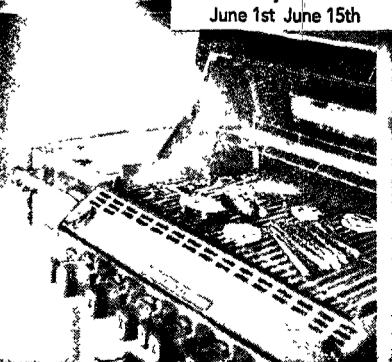
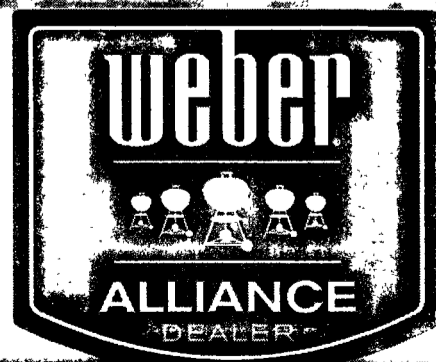
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Fundraiser planned for mom, kids battling degenerative disease

For Allison Rupp, waking up every morning gives an air of uncertainty as to how her day will go.

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Or will it be a bad day, with pain so great that she is confined to bed for the entire day, simply trying to lay in a way that causes her the least amount of discomfort?

Rupp, 30, of Westland, suffers from a condition called Ehlers-Danlos Syndrome (EDS). A degenerative disease, EDS impacts the body's connective tissues, primarily skin, joints and blood vessels. In turn, it also affects organs such as the

RUPP FAMILY FUNDRAISER

What: Fundraiser to help defray medical costs for Allison Rupp and her two children, who suffer from Ehlers-Danlos Syndrome (EDS).

When: 4-7 p.m. Saturday, June 1

Where: Wilson Barn, 29350 West Chicago, Livonia

If you go: Suggested donations are \$10 per person, \$15 per couple or \$20 per family. Included will be food, games and face painting, and a silent auction.

bladder, intestines and uterus.

Because of her EDS, Rupp's body does not pro-



The Rupp family: Andy, 31, Noah, Allison and Lila.

duce enough collagen to maintain the strength and elasticity that a healthy body has.

Rupp likes to use the example of a rubber band, versus Silly Putty; if a rubber band is stretched, it snaps back into place. If Silly Putty is stretched,

it stays that way. Having EDS is much like having Silly Putty for joints.

Despite her young age, Rupp has already undergone 12 surgeries in an effort to help her better manage her EDS, including, most recently, a procedure to fuse vertebrae

in her neck.

Rupp's two children, Noah, 7, and Lila, 4, have also been diagnosed with EDS. They have already begun physical and occupational therapy, the continuation of which will be vital to help minimize the progression of their disease as they get older.

Because of her EDS, Rupp was placed on permanent disability at age 27. Due to the degenerative nature of the disease, her medical expenses are mounting and will only continue to grow in the future.

Even in the face of these struggles, Allison does her best to maintain a positive attitude.

"I'm so blessed to have such a wonderful husband and family," she said. "Yes, my disease is difficult, but I know God

won't give me anything I can't handle. Everyone has a battle to fight, and this is mine."

In an effort to help raise money to defray some of the medical costs for Rupp and her children, Rupp's sister Emily Beeman is putting on a fundraiser for the family on June 1.

The event will be held at Wilson Barn in Livonia, and will run from 4-7 p.m.

Suggested donations are \$10 per person, \$15 per couple or \$20 per family. Included in the festivities will be food, games and face painting, and a silent auction.

Those who are unable to attend the fundraiser but still wish to donate to the Rupp family may send their checks, made payable to The Rupp Family EDS Funds, to P.O. Box 51098 Livonia, MI 48150.

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PUBLIC SAFETY

Resident finds plastic fencing removed, damaged

Break-in

A real estate agent told police May 26 that she arrived at a home in the 1500 block of Westchester for a showing and found a rear window had been broken out. The rear door was open and she said she heard water running.

The copper from the water main was missing. The officer reported being unable to either shut off the water or secure the door, so a message was left with the listing real estate agent.

Vandalism

On May 26, a resident in the 3600 block of Pamela Court told police that someone had removed seven pieces of the plastic fence located in the back yard in an attempt to get in. The fence pieces were all recovered undamaged.

A fence located on another side of the home had been kicked and was bent with the metal pole on the top of the fence

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cracked.

The owner said he was home when the damaged occurred but hadn't heard anything.

Larceny from a vehicle

A Dearborn man told police May 27 that someone had stolen a laptop computer and a GPS unit valued at \$338 from his unlocked car while it was parked at Meijer, 37201 Warren Road.

Larceny

A Plymouth man told police May 27 that someone had stolen four 20-inch aluminum stock rims and one 17-inch black after market rim from behind a home in the 32000 block of Avondale.

Valued at \$3,000, the man said the rims had been stacked behind the home under an awning.

Larceny

On May 21, a Dearborn man told police that from Oct. 15-April 11 someone had stolen two bronze grave vases from the burial sites of two relatives at Cadillac Memorial Gardens West, 34224 Ford. The vases were valued at \$100.

Larceny

The owner of a rental home in the 31000 block of Parkwood told police May 21 that someone had stolen the central air conditioning compressor unit. He said he had last been at the home 10 days earlier and came over to turn on the air conditioning.

The air conditioning unit, valued at \$2,100, had been gutted and the housing was left in place.

• On May 22, the owner of a home in the 1200 block of South Schuman told police that someone had stolen the central air conditioning unit valued at \$3,000. He said a neighbor called him to alert

him that the unit had been stolen.

Larceny

Two bicycles and a set of chrome wheels/tires for a Camaro, valued \$2,950, were reported stolen from a garage in the 33000 block of Union Court May 19. The screen on a window had been cut and the window pried open to get into the garage.

Larceny from a vehicle

A resident in the 4700 block of Julius told police May 22 that someone had broken into his 2002 GMC Yukon while it was parked nearby on Matthew. He said he noticed the center dash trim had been damaged and that a bag containing Jehovah Witnesses information on brochures and CDs was missing.

Vandalism

On May 24, a resident

in the 34000 block of Warren Road told police that overnight someone had thrown a beer bottle at her GMC Terrain, smashing the driver's side window.

• A Livonia man told police May 23 that someone had smashed the rear window on his 2011 Ford Escape with a rock while he spent the night at the Sleep Disorders Center-Michigan, 35600 Central City Parkway.

Larceny

Police were called to a home in the 700 block of South Henry Ruff May 23 about copper piping that the been cut out, resulting in water damage. An Inkster woman told police that she and two friends had been working on the home, fixing it up for the owner, who wasn't present. The pipe had been stacked up and left inside the home.

The woman told the officer she called the homeowner about the cut pipe

when she found it at 11 a.m. but didn't call police until nearly 10 hours later. There appeared to be no forced entry with a lock box on the house. The officer also noted the precision cuts on the pipes as if done by a professional.

The officer questioned the woman as to whether she was making a false police report for insurance purposes. At that point, the woman said she wouldn't have bothered calling police, if she had known she was going to be questioned so in depth.

Missing plates

On May 26, a resident in the 35000 block of Somerset told police that someone had stolen the license plate from his 2011 Suzuki GSX-R600 motorcycle.

• A resident of an apartment at 37614 Willow Lane told police May 27 that someone had stolen the license plate from his 2001 Dodge Ram pickup truck.

By LeAnne Rogers

Vacationing resident finds break-in when she gets home

Break-in

A resident in the 28000 block of Alvin reported May 26 that someone stole several TVs and a game system from her home when she was away for the Memorial Day weekend.

She found her east side door kicked in and open when she returned. There was damage to the dead bolt, the door handle and the door frame.

The resident told the police that several flat screen TVs were stolen along with a Sony PlayStation, desktop computer and a laptop computer. She couldn't provide the serial numbers to the items.

She added that a white gold ring with 12 diamonds totalling three carats was stolen as well as a necklace and wrist watch.

The resident said that she hosted a family gathering the previous weekend, and there were friends of friends there whom she previously had not met.

GARDEN CITY COP CALLS

Vehicle theft

An internal medicine intern at Garden City Hospital, 6245 Inkster Road, reported May 26 that someone stole his 1999 Chevy Tahoe station wagon from the front emergency room parking lot. There was no sign of forced entry where the vehicle had been parked.

Break-in

Somebody recently broke into a vacant building adjacent to the Smokers Shop, 27549 Warren Road. It's believed that suspects attempted to break into the Smokers Shop.

The property manager said the vacant units have served as the entry points in the past to try to get to other businesses.

Fraud

A resident in the 33000 block of Alta came to the police station May 23 to

report that he was the victim of fraud.

He was contacted by Parkside Credit Union in Westland and advised about three suspicious transactions on his account which totalled almost \$1,600. Two transactions took place in Arkansas and one took place in Texas.

The detective bureau is investigating the matter.

• A Westland woman came to the police station May 26 to report that her stolen Visa checking account debit card was used at the Speedway station and Rite Aid in Garden City.

She was advised by her bank to file a police report at the local police station. She told police that she didn't know where she lost her debit card.

Theft

A Garden City woman came to the police station May 23 to report that someone entered her unlocked 2005 Chevy van and took several items.


They included the faceplate from her wireless radio, two iPhone charger cords, an iPhone clip and a box of Marlboro Lights. She didn't have the seri-

al numbers to the items.

• A resident in the 28000 block of Maplewood reported May 25 that someone entered his 2007 Mercury Montego

and stole five CDs from the center console. He added that the rear driver's side window was left partially open.

By Sue Buck



**CITY OF GARDEN CITY
PLANNING COMMISSION**

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a hearing will be held by the City of Garden City Planning Commission at 6:30 p.m., Thursday, June 13, 2013 at City Hall, 6000 Middlebelt Road, Garden City, Michigan 48135.


The purpose of the Public Hearing is to solicit public comments on the following:

843-879 Inkster Road Rezoning: The applicant is requesting to rezone the property located at 843-879 Inkster Road, also known as parcel 35-015-04-0414-001, from C-1 Local Business District to C-2 Community Business District

Written comments may be submitted prior to the meeting and should be addressed to the Building Department at 6000 Middlebelt Road, Garden City, Michigan 48135.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, that the application may be examined at City Hall, 6000 Middlebelt Road, Garden City, Michigan 48135 during regular office hours until the date of the hearing.

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The purpose of the Public Hearing is to solicit public comments on the following:

1. Special Land Use for a Doggy Day Care Establishment. The applicant is proposing to establish a doggy day care at 5921 Middlebelt Road. Doggy Day Cares are a special land use in the CBD, Central Business District.

Written comments may be submitted prior to the meeting and should be addressed to the Building Department at 6000 Middlebelt Road, Garden City, Michigan 48135.

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**CITY OF GARDEN CITY
PLANNING COMMISSION**

****SPECIAL MEETING****

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a hearing will be held by the City of Garden City Planning Commission at a Special Meeting at 6:30 p.m., Thursday, June 20, 2013 at City Hall, 6000 Middlebelt Road, Garden City, Michigan 48135.


The purpose of the Public Hearing is to solicit public comments on the following:

1. Special Land Use for a Drive-Thru Restaurant: The applicant is proposing to establish a drive-thru restaurant at 30408 Ford Road. Drive-thru Restaurants are a special land use in the C-2, Community Business District.

Written comments may be submitted prior to the meeting and should be addressed to the Building Department at 6000 Middlebelt Road, Garden City, Michigan 48135.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, that the application may be examined at City Hall, 6000 Middlebelt Road, Garden City, Michigan 48135 during regular office hours until the date of the hearing.

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**CITY OF GARDEN CITY
PLANNING COMMISSION**

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a hearing will be held by the City of Garden City Planning Commission at 6:30 p.m., Thursday, June 13, 2013 at City Hall, 6000 Middlebelt Road, Garden City, Michigan 48135.

The purpose of the Public Hearing is to solicit public comments on the following:

31492, 31506, and 31520 Cherry Hill Road Rezoning: The applicant is requesting to rezone the property located at 31492, 31506, and 31520 Cherry Hill Road, also known as parcels 35-023-04-0032-000, 35-023-04-0033-000, and 35-023-04-0034-000, from R-1 One Family Residential District to C-1 Local Business District.

Written comments may be submitted prior to the meeting and should be addressed to the Building Department at 6000 Middlebelt Road, Garden City, Michigan 48135.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, that the application may be examined at City Hall, 6000 Middlebelt Road, Garden City, Michigan 48135 during regular office hours until the date of the hearing.

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Wayne, Westland honor veterans at annual parade



Beth Scott and Debbie Bekemeier of the VFW Post 9885 Ladies Auxiliary place a wreath in honor of those who have given their lives in service to their country during the ceremony following the Veterans Parade.



Uncle Sam (Bob Ammon of Conway Trucking in Wayne) steps over five-year-old Kendal Olson of Wayne during the annual veterans parade.

Residents of Wayne and Westland came together Sunday afternoon to honor those men and women who have served and who have died in service to their country.

Military units, marching bands, representatives of local veterans organizations and even Uncle Sam marched along Wayne Road and Ford en route to Westland City Hall, where a memorial service was held at the Peace Memorial.

Mother Nature provided perfect conditions - warm temperatures and sunshine - for parade watchers who lined the streets, waving flags and applauding veterans who marched by.

Organized by the Wayne-Westland Veterans Parade Council, the parade has been a Memorial Day weekend fixture in the two communities for more than 40 years.



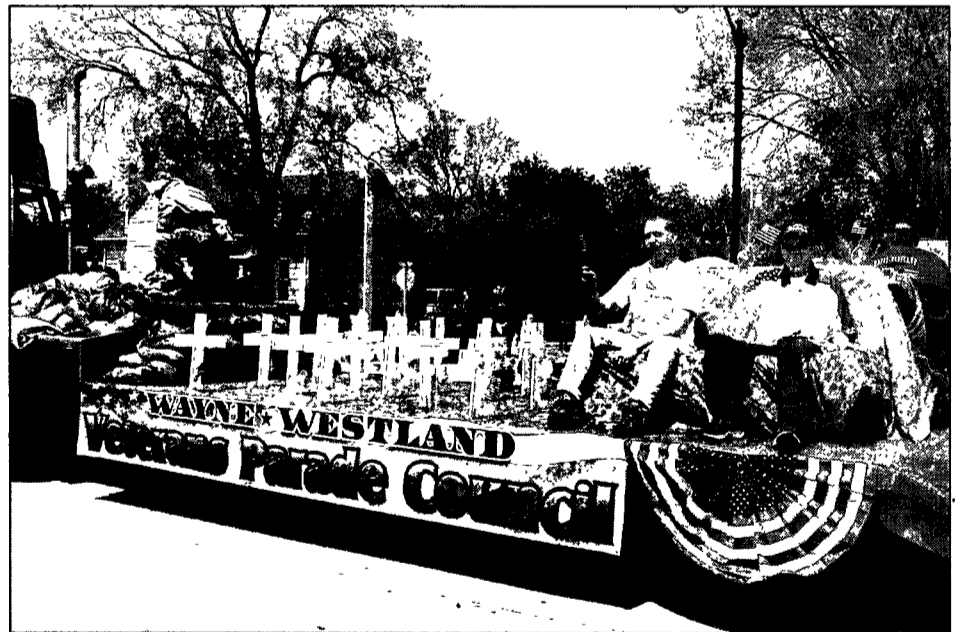
Lisa Alvord of Westland dresses up her dog Ollie as the Westland-Wayne Memorial Day parade begins.



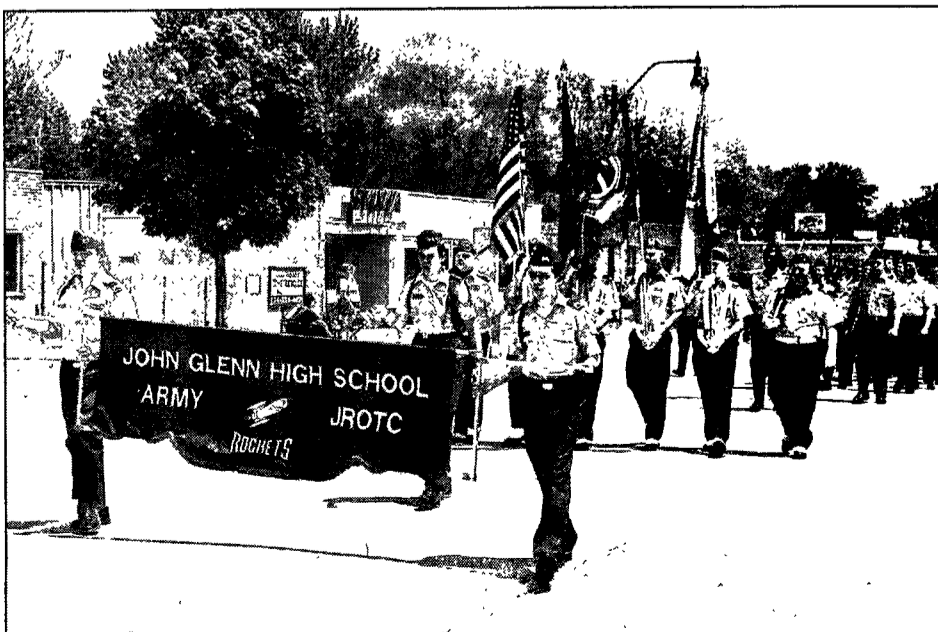
Ten-month-old twins Chelsea and Maddison Parker of Westland enjoy a snack while attending their very first parade with mom Katie.



The Color Guard of Westland Amvets Post 171 marches in the veterans parade.



The Veterans Parade Council's float reminds parade goers of the meaning of Memorial Day in Westland.



The Westland John Glenn High School Army JROTC marches in Sunday's parade.



The Wayne Memorial High School Marching Band was among musical groups participating in the annual parade.

Golf classic benefits hospital's newest service

The 18th annual St. Mary Mercy Hospital "Tee It Up" Golf Classic will be held Monday, June 17, at Meadowbrook Country Club in Northville.

Proceeds from the event will benefit the Wellness Center, a St. Mary Mercy facility where patients and families can benefit from care that goes beyond conventional medicine.

The facility will house the Center for Integrative Medicine and the Senior Assessment and Resource Institute. The integrative approach enhances primary care with alternative and holistic options. Patients fighting cancer, suffering from migraine headaches, or who are recovering from surgery are among the types of patients who depend on this comprehensive philosophy of care.

The Senior Assessment and Resource Institute will provide the thorough check-ups, follow-up and resources that senior patients need to manage illness, reclaim their health and improve their quality of life.

The 18-hole scramble features two shotgun starts, one at 7:30 a.m. and an afternoon round at 1:30 p.m. on Meadowbrook's championship course. An individual Par Golf Package is \$500 per person for 18 holes of golf and a cart. The package includes beverages and refreshments at the turn; breakfast and lunch for morning golfers and the afternoon golfers will receive lunch prior to golf, followed by cocktails and an awards reception afterward.

McCotter staffer pleads no contest in petition signature scandal

By David Veselenak
Staff Writer

One of former U.S. Rep. Thaddeus McCotter's staffers has pleaded no contest in the petition signature scandal involving his office last summer.

Mary Turnbull, a Howell resident and McCotter's former district representative, pleaded no contest Tuesday to the charge of conspiracy to commit a legal act in an illegal manner before Oakland County Circuit Judge Leo Bowman in Pontiac.

Turnbull was accused of being one of four staffers on the former Livonia congressman's campaign involved in illegally copying signatures for petitions to put McCotter on the ballot. After the signatures were found to be invalid, McCotter said



Turnbull

he would run as a write-in candidate before dropping out of the race altogether.

Turnbull is scheduled to be sentenced July 9. She faces a maximum of up to five years in prison.

McCotter was replaced by Democrat David Curson of Belleville for about six weeks after the November election in the 11th District before redistricting took place earlier this year. The current representative for the district is Milford resident Kerry Bentivolio, who originally filed to run against McCotter in the GOP primary last summer.

Turnbull's case is the second to be resolved after McCotter resigned last summer. Another former staffer, Livonia resident Lorianne O'Brady, was sentenced to 20 days in jail or 20 days in a work-release program after she pleaded guilty to five counts of falsely signing a nomination petition as a circulator, all misdemeanors.

Two other staffers, Paul Seewald and Don Yowchaung, continue to face charges in the state court system. Both were originally charged with conspiracy to commit a legal act in an illegal manner, but both had those charges dropped by Wayne County Circuit Judge Margie Braxton. The Michigan attorney general's office is currently appealing the decision to the state Court of Appeals.

McCotter was subpoenaed in the pair's preliminary examination in Livonia's 16th District Court last fall. He was not charged with any crimes involving the falsified signatures.

Both also were charged with several counts of falsely signing a nomination petition as a circulator last fall. Both were sentenced to probation.

CITY OF WAYNE

ABSTRACT

WAYNE CITY COUNCIL MEETING NO. 2013-18

MAY 21, 2013

A Regular Meeting of the City Council was held Tuesday, May 21, 2013 at 8:00 p.m. at Wayne City Hall, 3355 S. Wayne Rd. ALL MEMBERS PRESENT. APPROVED: minutes of regular meeting of May 7; the '13-'14 Budget and Millage Rates; site plan 2013-03 Avenue Sports Grill; site plan 2013-04 CET Pharmacy Group; bid to Fiore Ent. for CDBG sidewalk replacement; bid to Etrak-Plus for Recreation Software; Taxi Town cab licenses; transfer of Class C/SDM for Jake's Bar to David Jakeway; adoption of Chapter 692 Fireworks; call public hearings for June 18, 2013 to consider rezoning of 36253 Mich. Ave. E. and DDA exp. for FY '13-'14; sale of 3429 Sophia to T. Mazloum; resolution for use of City Buildings; contract with A. Matthew Publican for collection of delinquent taxes; special event permit and waive all fees for Sidewalk Sales & Michigan Ave. Cruise; Hawley and representative from the Ripple Effect to Downtown Overlay Committee; conflict of interest with Fausone & Bohn; consent calendar. Received and filed Communications and Reports. Adjourned at 11:00 p.m.

Matthew K. Miller
City Clerk

Publish: May 30, 2013

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REQUEST PROPOSALS

Letters of Intent Notice

The Senior Alliance has extended the deadline for Letters of Intent to provide the following services to persons age 60 and older in the 34 communities of Western and Southern Wayne County. Not all services listed may result in award of contract.

Home Delivered Meals (Not including NSIP)

Home Delivered Meals Assessment

Service period is October 1, 2013 through September 30, 2016. Bidders must provide service in one or more of the following communities. Additional criteria will be provided concerning serving residents of all listed communities.

Allen Park	Gibraltar	Plymouth	Taylor
Belleville	Grosse Ile Twp.	Plymouth Twp.	Trenton
Brownstown Twp.	Huron Twp.	Redford Twp.	Van Buren Twp.
Canton Twp.	Inkster	Riverview	Wayne
Dearborn	Lincoln Park	River Rouge	Westland
Dearborn Heights	Livonia	Rockwood	Woodhaven
Ecorse	Melvindale	Romulus	Wyandotte
Flat Rock	Northville	Southgate	
Garden City	Northville Twp.	Sumpter Twp.	

All prospective applicants for FY 2014-2016 (October 1, 2013 - September 30, 2016) funding for the above listed programs must submit a Letter of Intent prior to submitting a formal application. Final funding levels for FY 2014 have not yet been determined. Complete Letter of Intent requirements can be found at <http://www.saaic.org>.

TSA will solicit full proposals only with those applicants who submit a complete Letter of Intent by the submission deadline. Letters of Intent may be mailed, dropped off, or emailed to the attention of the TSA Planning & Programs Manager, Bethany Burge (bburge@tsalink.org). Letters of Intent must briefly describe the basic elements of the program, major benefits of the applicant agency, major partners, and innovation/sustainability. Letters of Intent must not exceed one page in length. The Request for Proposal (RFP) documents will be available only to those who submit a Letter of Intent in writing no later than Friday, June 7, 2013 by 5:00pm. TSA will hold an Application Workshop on May 30, 2013 and all bidders are strongly encouraged to attend. Additional technical assistance can be provided upon request for bidders after the May 30th workshop.

For more information please call (734) 727-2061

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CITY OF WESTLAND SYNOPSIS OF MINUTES MTG. 10 5/20/13

Presiding: President Pro-Tem Hammons

Present: Bryant, Kadi, Kehrer, Reeves

81: DIA Inside/Out Wild About Youth Bike Tour 6/15.

- E & B Haunted House @ 34043 Ford Rd. w/limited dates & hrs. 9/27-11/2.

- Uptown Fireworks temp. tent 6/25-7/4 @ 2645 S. Wayne Rd. w/contingencies.

- Bid for cold patch to Ajax; amt. \$105/ton.

- Bid for Website Re-Design Svcs. to Vision Internet; amt. not to exceed \$70,000.

- Change order for 2nd & 3rd phase of Hunter Road construction project; estimated cost \$401,000.

- Change order to 2011 paving of Brookfield Village roads for repairs to Carson Drive; estimated cost \$309,000.

- Appr. WWCS Building Trades Program Agrmnt.

- Intro. Budget Amendment 2013-13; Increase Unallocated Fund Balance amt. \$20,444.

- Adopted Prepared Resolution for 1 NSP disposition; 29074 Brody.

- Adopted Prepared Resolution for 1 NSP disposition; 2317 Second.

- Adopted Prepared Resolution to re-name Dorsey Park Liberator Park.

- Appr. 4 City Disptach IGA.

82: Appr. minutes of regular meeting held 5/6/13.

83: Appr. rev. site plan for Brookfield Phase II, PID #050-99-0005-007, -0054-701, & -702, N. side of Cherry Hill, W. of John Hix w/contingencies.

85: Appr. rev site plan for prop Beer Garden & Cooler addition, Ashley's Beer & Grill, 7525 N. Wayne Rd. w/contingencies.

86: Appr. spec. land use for prop. Beer Garden, Ashley's Beer & Grill, 7525 N. Wayne Rd.

87: Appr. spec. land use for prop. Joe Schmoes Customs, 6298 Executive Drive.

88: Appr. prop. land division, PID #081-99-0021-705, e. side of Merriman, n. of Van Born.

89: Appr. site plan for prop. Family Dollar, PID #081-99-0021-705, e. side of Merriman, n. of Van Born w/contingencies.

90: Appr. checklist: \$ 1,755,348.39 & Prepaid: \$ 100,700.83 and check #149298 made payable to Cal Sign Co for \$15,300.

Mtg. adj. at 8:27 p.m.

Minutes available in the Clerk's Office.

James Godbout
Council President

Eileen DeHart
City Clerk, CMC

Publish: May 30, 2013

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CITY OF FARMINGTON HILLS NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED FISCAL YEAR 2013/14 GENERAL FUND, SPECIAL REVENUE, DEBT SERVICE, CAPITAL PROJECTS AND COMPONENT UNIT FUND BUDGETS

In conformity with Article VI, Section 6.04 of the City Charter and Section 16 of the Uniform Budget and Accounting Act (MCL 141.436), notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held at 7:30 p.m. on June 10, 2013, in the Council Chambers, 31555 West Eleven Mile Road. All interested persons will be provided an opportunity to present oral or written comments regarding the City of Farmington Hills proposed budget for fiscal year 2013/14 which is summarized below for All Budgeted Funds, exclusive of inter-Fund transfers. The Fiscal 2013/14 City Budget and the 2013 Property Tax Rate will be adopted at the Council meeting on June 10, 2013.

SUMMARY OF PROPOSED FY 2013/14 BUDGET

Source:	Revenue
Property Taxes	39,403,531
Intergovernmental	14,499,777
Charges for Service	10,905,288
Special Assessments	692,466
Interest Income	323,029
Fines and Forfeitures	1,998,083
Miscellaneous	2,595,916
Proceeds from Bond Sale	2,900,000
Use of Fund Balance	4,190,279
Total Revenue	77,508,369

Function:	Expenditures
Boards and Commissioners	2,648,391
General Government	10,367,156
Public Safety	28,771,432
Planning & Community Development	1,483,870
Public Services	7,276,083
Special Services	6,853,000
Streets (including capital improvements)	12,669,788
Other Capital Improvements	4,621,610
Debt Service Principal	2,152,784
Debt Service Interest	664,255
Total Expenditures	77,508,369

The property tax millage rate proposed to be levied to support the proposed fiscal 2013/14 budget; as authorized by City Charter, State Law, or Voter Approval; will be a subject of this hearing and is allocated as follows:

Operations	6.7084
Capital and Drains	0.6163
Debt service	0.6313
Total Operating Millage	7.9560
Refuse Removal Millage	0.7168
Economic Development/Public Information Millage	0.0164
Voted Parks Millage	0.4882
Voted Public Safety Millage	3.1764
Total Voted Millage	3.6646
TOTAL TAX RATE	12.3538

A copy of this opinion, the entire proposed budget and additional background materials are available for public inspection starting on May 31, 2013 at the City Clerk's Office, City Hall, 31555 W. 11 Mile Road, Farmington Hills, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. weekdays; and on May 31, 2013 at the Farmington Hills Branch Library, 32737 W. 12 Mile Road, Farmington Hills, from 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., Monday through Thursday, 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Friday and Saturday, and 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Sunday. Also at the Farmington Branch Library, 23500 Liberty Street, Farmington, from 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. Monday through Thursday, 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. on Friday and Saturday, and 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Sunday.

Pam Smith, City Clerk

Publish: May 30 & June 2, 2013

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BUSINESS NEWSMAKERS

Canton woman top ACS volunteer

Canton resident Liz Paruch has received the Volunteer of the Year Award from the American Cancer Society Cancer Action Network.

The Volunteer of the Year, created in 2008, recognizes the exemplary efforts of an individual who helps advocate for responsible public health policies and laws that will help fight cancer.

According to Paruch the advocacy work of ACS CAN is frequently overlooked by the public. "We need good laws and policies to make sure the breakthroughs and progress from scientific research gets to the public-at-large and people who are diagnosed with cancer," said Paruch. "I'm very proud of this award. ACS CAN has allowed me to join a national movement that makes sure legislators know their important role in fighting this disease."

Livonia marketing company gets new VP

Keith Bossey has joined Livonia-based Market Strategies International as a senior vice president of research and consulting in the financial services division. He reports to Mark



Bossey

Willard, the division's managing director. Bossey is responsible for managing and growing key client relationships, and he will play a large role in broadening Market Strategies' brand presence in the financial services sector.

He joins Market Strategies from GFK Custom Research, where he most recently served as senior vice president of busi-



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ness development and specialized in the global financial services sector. Bossey held prior positions with Humantech and Rivel Research Group. His experience spans more than 20 years in marketing research, management consulting and financial services. Bossey earned a bachelor's degree in management/marketing from Binghamton University in New York.

Annapolis retains Trauma verification

One year after receiving its initial verification, Oakwood Annapolis Hospital in Wayne has achieved continued verification as a Level III Trauma Center through April 2017.

The American College of Surgeons Committee on Trauma (ASCOT) conducted an on-site review of the Wayne-based hospital recently and found "zero deficiencies or weaknesses" in the trauma program service. As a result, the hospital has received verification for an additional two years.

"This is a big win for our team," said Eric Widner, division president of Oakwood Annapolis Hospital. "It's a validation of the hard work we do

every day to provide the best care to the community."

Verified trauma centers must meet the essential criteria that ensure trauma care capability and institutional performance, as outlined by the ASCOT in its current Resources for Optimal Care of the Injured Patient manual. The program provides confirmation that a trauma center has demonstrated its commitment to providing the highest quality trauma care for all injured patients.

Oakwood Annapolis Hospital opened in 1957 and became part of the Oakwood Healthcare System in 1989. A \$4 million renovation and expansion of the emergency department is currently under way at the hospital that is designed to improve efficiency, patient privacy and safety. Annapolis is the only verified Level III Trauma Center in the region.

Attorney joins Livonia firm

Nathan I. Stull has joined the Livonia law firm of Cummings, McClorey, Davis & Aho, P.L.C.



Stull

He focuses his practice on estate planning, business succession planning and real estate law.

Stull received a Juris Doctor degree from the University of Michigan Law School and a Bachelor of Arts degree from Hillsdale College.

PVM wins awards

The Presbyterian Villages of Michigan Sales and Marketing Department received gold awards in two categories of the 2013 Aster Awards. The initiatives which received gold awards are in the Long-Term Care Facility Web Site Category for redesign of the corporate

website and for the 2013 calendar, "Embrace the possibilities."

"The redesign of the website is a significant step along the continuous pathway of digital marketing and information at PVM. It offers increased accessibility and usefulness for site visitors," said Kathy Bartz, vice president of sales and marketing.

The Aster Awards Program is an elite competition recognizing the nation's most talented health care marketing professionals for outstanding excellence in advertising. The program is associated with *Marketing Healthcare Today*, an industry publication. Entries are judged on creativity, layout, design, typography, production, quality, and overall effectiveness.

New position

Leslie Groves of Farmington Hills has joined the Detroit Public Schools Foundation as development officer.

Groves will oversee all areas of development, including individual, corporate and foundation activities, and build relationships resulting in the support of projects and programs bringing a variety of needed resources to Detroit students.

Groves brings more than a decade of experience in philanthropy to the Foundation, most recently serving as resource relations manager for the Community Housing Network. She previously also served as development officer, development and alumni relations for Wayne State University Law School and in various sponsorship and development roles for the American Cancer Society.

New website

Amerisure Mutual Insurance Co. of Farmington Hills has a completely redesigned website (www.amerisure.com). The new website provides a user-friendly experience with improved navigation and functionality that allows custom-

ers and visitors to learn more about Amerisure and its unique business model.

The new site, which includes updated product and service information, gives current and future policyholders an understanding of Amerisure's range of property and casualty solutions in construction, manufacturing and healthcare. In addition, interested potential policyholders can find a local Partner for Success agency through the website's improved agency search. This feature supports Amerisure's partner agencies by supplying contact information and linking directly to the agency's website.

Award winning

Tanner Friedman Strategic Communications of Farmington Hills has been honored with a 2013 Silver Creative Award in the Summit International Awards (SIA) competition. The firm won the award in the category of Cause-Related PR Program for "Reinvesting in the Arts - Michigan" with ArtServe Michigan.

The program demonstrated how arts and culture act as economic drivers with a valuable return on investment, as well their role in enhancing education and fostering quality of life. The organization's multi-platform public relations approach resulted in widespread coverage of data and influenced increases in state funding for Fiscal Years 2013 and 2014.

Executive selected

The Greater Metropolitan Association of REALTORS, based in Farmington Hills, announced that its board of directors has unanimously selected Duane Marsh to serve as association executive.

Marsh, who is currently serving as the executive director for the Illinois Funeral Directors Association, will begin his new role with GMAR effective July 1.

Don't fall for scams — check with your grandchildren

By Rick Bloom
Guest Columnist

I read a story about grandparents from Michigan who lost more than \$30,000 in a scam that involved someone posing as their grandson. The caller asked them for cash to help pay a fine and to post a bond to get him out of a Canadian jail. They sent the money, but it turned out to be a scam and they lost a substantial portion of their savings.

I have written about other scams targeted at grandparents, but I thought I would do it again because these types of scams are becoming more common.

The scam that is very common today is where grandparents receive a call from someone who is impersonating their grandchild seeking an immediate transfer of money to help them out of a crisis situation. Think back four or five years ago and there were less than 1,000 of these types



Money Matters

Rick Bloom

of scams reported to authorities. That number has mushroomed and there were more than 10,000 of these scams reported just last year. In addition, we all know the reality and that is that a lot more of these frauds are occurring, but people aren't reporting them. The problem has become epidemic, so you need to know how to prevent them from happening to you.

Scam elements

The grandparent scams contain two elements that help people perpetuate the fraud. The first is the need for immediate money in order to resolve a crisis situation. The money could be used for medical costs, to pay a ticket or fine or to post a bond to get out of jail. The

common element is there is an emergency.

The other element to the scam is the need for secrecy. The caller who is impersonating a grandchild convinces the grandparent that his/her parents cannot be notified. These scam artists are good and they know how to illicit information from the unsuspecting grandparent. In fact, this scam has become so prevalent that Western Union has put a warning on its forms advising against sending money for unconfirmed emergency situations. In addition, they are training agents to look out for these types of scams.

Verify information

Grandparents have a soft spot in their hearts for their grandchildren. The scam artists know this and they attempt to exploit it.

How can you guard against this happening to you? Make sure to independently confirm that an emergency exists. I

recognize there are legitimate cases where grandchildren want to keep things from their parents, however, when you're asked to send money, red flags should go up. Get more information before you send any money.

It's unfortunate that we constantly have to keep our guard up and be aware of low-lives out there that want to take advantage of us. That is the reality of the situation. What is also reality is that many of these scam artists, because of the Internet, can find out all sorts of information about us and our families and are willing to exploit it.

The bottom line, we have to be smarter than them. Taking a few minutes to confirm an emergency will go a long way in protecting yourself. Good luck!

Rick Bloom is a fee-only financial adviser. His website is www.bloomassetmanagement.com. If you would like him to respond, email rick@bloomassetmanagement.com.

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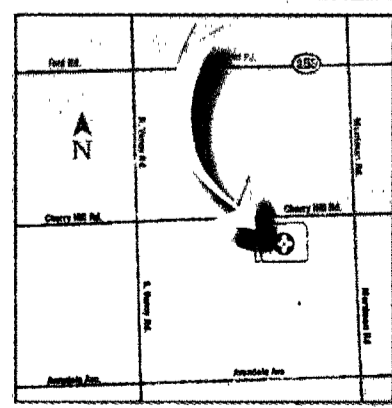
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Area road projects get under way



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Schoolcraft and Haggerty is congested with cars and construction equipment while the road project is under way.

Be prepared for traffic delays as road construction season gets into full swing. Here are a few planned area road construction projects to watch for in Plymouth/Plymouth Township, Farmington/Farmington Hills and Livonia throughout the spring and summer.

Plymouth/Plymouth Township

The mile-long stretch of Haggerty Road between Plymouth Road and Schoolcraft is under construction for the next three months.

The road is undergoing an asphalt resurfacing in the area near Plymouth Road, a reconstruction in concrete in the area near Schoolcraft and a reconfiguration of the intersections at both Plymouth and Schoolcraft roads, according to Plymouth Township and Wayne County officials.

The \$1.12 million project is expected to be completed at the end of September, said Patrick Dostine, public information officer for the county's Department of Public Services. Drivers can expect lane closures, but traffic is expected to be maintained on Haggerty for the duration of the work, Dostine said.

Improvements are planned at both the Schoolcraft and Plymouth road intersections, including, at Schoolcraft, the introduction of a "Michigan left," or turnaround, system for making left turns and, at Plymouth, better lane definition.

The Haggerty project is one of several planned for county roads in Plymouth Township this year:

- In June, the decks of two Hines Drive bridges over the Rouge River, just west of Haggerty in Hines Park, are scheduled to be resurfaced. The bridges will be completely closed and a detour is planned.

- Sheldon Road between M-14 and Five Mile is scheduled to be resurfaced in asphalt beginning in August; that project also includes a new traffic light at Sheldon and Plymouth Oaks Boulevard. Lane closures can be expected, but no full road closures.

Farmington/Farmington Hills

- Two special assessment districts in the Staman Acres and Stratton Hills neighborhoods for road rehabilitation, including repaving. Staman Acres is between Power and Orchard Lake, north of 10 Mile. Stratton Hills is east of Drake, between 13 and 14 Mile roads.

The road rehabilitation portion of the projects tops an estimated \$4.8 million of which the city's 20 percent share is \$960,000.

- Freedom Road, just west of Drake to the city limits. This is federal aid project include road resurfacing and drainage improvements.

- 13 Mile Road between Middlebelt and Orchard Lake. The project will include removing the existing pavement, creating a center left-turn lane and adding a sidewalk on the south side. The work is east of the Glen Oaks Golf Club. The improvements will allow the road to be used as a detour when work begins next year on construction of a roundabout at 14 Mile and Orchard Lake.

- Middlebelt Road near Hillel Day School, just north of 14 Mile. A smaller project, work will include construction of a right turn lane off Middlebelt in the school entrance area.

Oakland County also has two projects in Farmington Hills this season. They include:

- Resurfacing of 14 Mile, Haggerty to Country Way. The work is expected to begin after July 4 and be completed in November.

- Grove Street. The existing roadway has already been removed, from Grand River to Orchard, as has a portion of the parking lot of the Grove Retail Center that abuts the roadway. Grove will become a boulevard with a center island and angle parking. The area will be landscaped and feature brick paver sidewalks. Water main replacement is included in the project.

- Warner and Oakland streets: The projects will include water main and road replacement. A one-eighth mile piece of Warner that connects Farmington's historic neighborhood to Grand River will receive a spruce up, including brick pavers, landscaping and lighting.

Livonia

Crews will patch concrete in east-bound and westbound lanes of 5.7 miles of Schoolcraft Road in Livonia from mid August to early September in preparation for the I-96 shutdown next year. Schoolcraft will have only one lane open for motorists next year while construction on the freeway and bridge overpasses is completed. One lane will be used by contractors to move trucks and construction vehicles around the various sites on I-96 and the overpasses.



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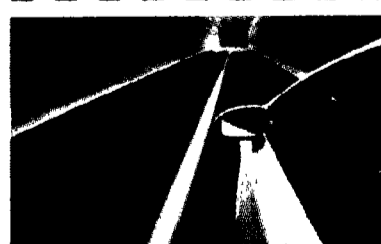
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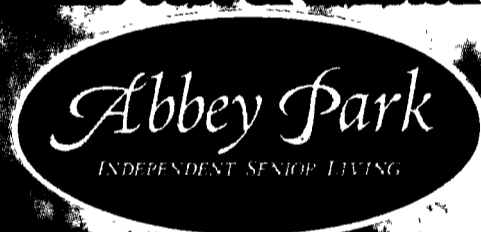
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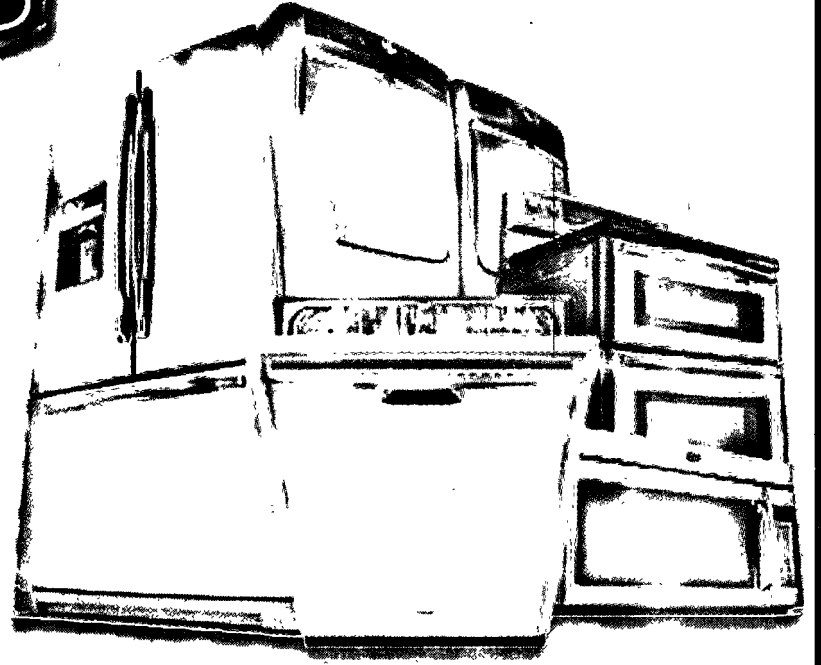
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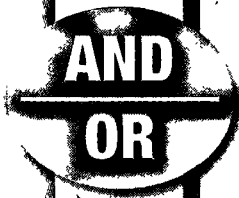


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Family, friends welcome new priests

By Mary Quinley
Correspondent

Local residents were among three men ordained May 18 into the Catholic priesthood.

The Most Rev. Allen H. Vigneron, archbishop of Detroit, celebrated the Mass and the Rite of Ordination at the Cathedral of the Most Blessed Sacrament which welcomed the Rev. James Grau of Livonia, the Rev. Marko Djonovic of Farmington Hills and the Rev. Patrick Gonyeau of Harper Woods as priests of the Roman Catholic Church.

The Rite of Ordination is what "makes" one a priest and takes place within the context of the Catholic Mass. The bishop lays his hands upon each candidate (followed by all priests present), before offering the consecratory prayer, invoking the power of the Holy Spirit upon those being ordained.

Following the ordination, a reception was held on the grounds of the cathedral. The next day, each new priest said his first Mass and then gathered with well-wishers to celebrate.

Here are some highlights of the solemn occasion from the two local men who were ordained and their families and friends.

Rev. James Grau

As a kid, priesthood was "definitely one of several things" that Grau considered.

"It wasn't really until college that I knew I wanted to be a priest,"



Detroit Archbishop Allen H. Vigneron (center) presides at the Cathedral of the Most Blessed Sacrament in Detroit at the Rite of Ordination for Catholic priests May 18. Lying on the steps, praying, are the three men who were ordained. From left are the Rev. Marko Djonovic of Farmington Hills, the Rev. Patrick Gonyeau of Harper Woods and the Rev. James Grau of Livonia.

said Grau, 28, who graduated in 2000 from St. Michael the Archangel Catholic School in Livonia. His mother, Julie Grau, credits the Felician sisters at the school for their dedication in helping to foster her son's Catholic education.

In 2004, Grau graduated from the University of Detroit Jesuit High School. After graduation, he attended Sacred Heart Major Seminary in Detroit and then transferred to the North American College in Rome, where he is currently earning the equivalent of a master's degree (called a "licentiate") in biblical theology. This summer, Grau will assist at Holy Name Catholic Church in Birmingham

as a diocesan priest. He will then return to Rome in the fall to complete his studies.

"To be chosen to study in Rome is a great honor," said the Rev. William Tindall, pastor of St. Michael Catholic Church. "The decision is based on the student's academic abilities, his spiritual development and his level of maturity."

Last Sunday, the St. Michael's family welcomed Grau back to his home parish.

"It was pretty incredible celebrating Mass at St. Michael's — somewhere that I was very familiar with, where I grew up," said Grau, who lived in Livonia for 23 years.

"It is always an hon-

or for a parish when one of its own is ordained to the priesthood. It is also an honor for his family, because vocations are most often grounded in the faith and love of a family. Everything about (his first) Mass spoke to the faith of those present and the faith that motivated Jim to serve the church," Tindall said.

Therese Marshall of Livonia lives next door to the Grau family. She remembers "Jimmy" as "rather reserved with that infectious grin. He was polite, playful and respectful — took his older brother role seriously, maybe the precursor of developing that 'fatherhood role' he spoke of at his reception."

His parents, Jim and



The newly-ordained Rev. Marko Djonovic, and his mother, Maria Djonovic, both of Farmington Hills, welcomed family and friends at the reception on the grounds of the Cathedral of the Most Blessed Sacrament in Detroit May 18.



The Grau family of Livonia celebrated the Rev. James Grau's ordination to priesthood at a reception at Burton Manor in Livonia. From left are Renee, Julie (Grau's mother), Jim (Grau's dad), Grau, Laura and David.

Julie Grau, and his siblings, David, Laura and Renee, reside in Livonia.

"I am proud that Jim took the step to priesthood so confidently. He dove right in — he knows what God wants," Julie Grau said.

"We feel like our job is done and Jim is now in God's hands," his dad Jim said.

Rev. Marko Djonovic

A man with "a sense of humor who laughs at himself, passionate about his life, always open to learning and very humble," said the Rev. Mark Brauer, pastor of Our Lady of

Sorrows in Farmington, referring to Djonovic. "He loves the Lord — it shows in how he lives his life."

Prior to becoming a deacon, Djonovic was assigned to OLS as an intern. After the internship, he completed his deacon studies at Sacred Heart Major Seminary and returned to the parish. He has earned bachelor of philosophy, bachelor of sacred theology and master of divinity degrees. Last Sunday, Djonovic celebrated his first Mass as a priest at OLS.

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Tipton Academy will be hosting their 2013-14 Annual Organizational meeting, open to the public, at 6:30pm, on June 12, 2013 at Tipton Academy, 1615 Belton Rd. Garden City. CE0679082

PUBLIC HEARING

The Plymouth Housing Commission has developed its 2013 Agency Plan in compliance with the Quality Housing and Work Responsibility Act of 1998. It will be available for review by May 30, 2013 at our office in Tonquish Creek Manor, located at 1160 Sheridan Street, Plymouth, Michigan between the hours of 8:30 am and 4:30 pm.

In addition, a public hearing will be held on Wednesday, July 17, 2013 in the Community Room at Tonquish Creek Manor at 1160 Sheridan Street, Plymouth, Michigan at 6:00pm. Everyone is invited.

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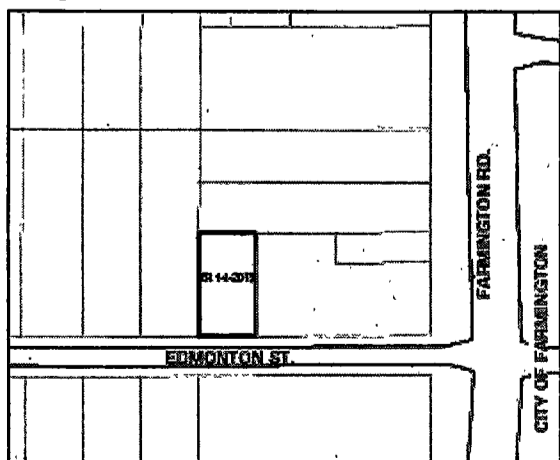
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ITEM: Special Approval 56-5-2013

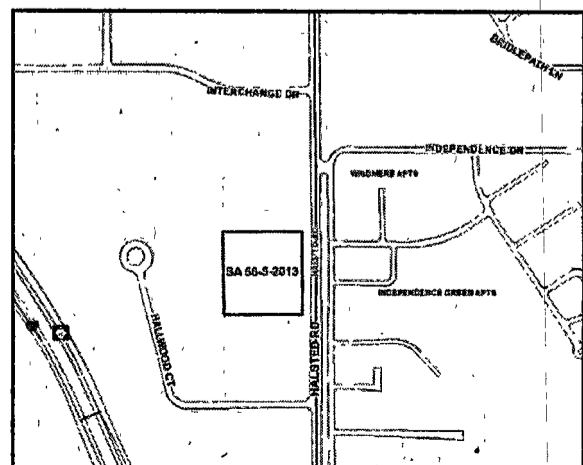
The Farmington Hills Planning Commission will give formal consideration to Special Approval 56-5-2013. The property involved is located at 24659 Halsted Rd. Parcel I.D.: 22-23-19-426-043

The applicant in this matter is Nick Bastianelli, who seeks approval of indoor sports training use in a LI-1, Light Industrial District.

Any person who is interested is invited to participate in the discussion of the Special Approval request. The application may be reviewed at the Planning Office on any business day between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m.

Edward R. Gardiner, Director
Planning & Community Development Department
Phone: 248-871-2540
E-mail: egardiner@fhgov.com

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PRIESTS

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"It was beautiful," said Brauer, who was a celebrant with the new priest.

"I'm overwhelmed by God's goodness towards me," said Djonovic, 34. Becoming a Catholic priest "is very humbling, a privilege and a joy. ... It entails responsibility which I embrace. For many years, I attended Mass. And then, to celebrate Mass as a priest was unbelievable. By far, the highlight (of the weekend) was celebrating Mass."

Djonovic attended Dunkel Middle School and North Farmington High School in Farmington Hills. He also studied at Oakland Community College and Madonna University in Livonia.

His parents, Maria and Frano Djonovic of Farmington Hills, and his three siblings, Ana Djonovic of Los Angeles, Kristina Berger of West Bloomfield and Jozef Djonovic of Farmington Hills, were present for the weekend



The Rev. James Grau of Livonia says his first Mass as a Catholic priest at St. Michael the Archangel Catholic Church in Livonia.

festivities. "I was overwhelmed. It was unreal," Maria Djonovic said.

"My parents came to this blessed country from Montenegro (in the former Yugoslavia) with very little money and with practically no education. They worked very hard, suffered and sacrificed much for their children. My mother was the spiritual rock of our

home," Djonovic said.

Immediately after, Djonovic said he "was strongly moved to thank and praise God and to thank and honor my parents."

On July 1, he will be assigned to St. Joseph Catholic Church in Lake Orion as associate pastor. Gonyeau will be assigned July 1 to the National Shrine of the Little Flower in Royal Oak on July 1.

County holds hazardous waste collection

The Wayne County Department of Environment will host a household hazardous waste collection 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday, June 22, at Henry Ford Community College in Dearborn.

Open to all Wayne County residents, the collection will accept unwanted household chemicals for proper disposal, such as household paints and stains, bathroom cleaners, stain removers, solvents, fertilizer, lawn and garden chemicals, pesticides, antifreeze, fluorescent bulbs (all types), fire extinguishers, smoke detectors, mercury thermometers, thermostats and elemental mercury.

Residents will also be able to recycle electronics like televisions, CRT and LCD monitors, computers, laptops, printers, fax machines, copiers, VCRs, keyboards and mice, DVD players, microwaves, stereos, speakers, telephones, cell phones, game consoles and handheld electronics devices.

Only household generated products from Wayne County residents will be accepted.

Items that will not be accepted include commercial waste, industrial waste, radioactive material, explosives, ammunition, 55-gallon drums, shock sensitive materials, household trash, refrigerators, microwaves or other appliances, tires, yard waste, roofing shingles and concrete.

For information on how to dispose of

these items, contact the Wayne County Resource Recovery Coordinator at (734) 326-3936.

E-waste collection

The Wayne County Department of Public Services' Land Resource Management Division is holding a two-day Electronic Waste and Scrap Tire Collection Recycling event located at the Huron Township DPW, 19555 Sterling.

The event runs 8 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Friday, May 31, and 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, June 1.

The following items will be accepted from Wayne County residents and small businesses:

- up to (7) seven passenger (scrap) tires,
- computers, laptops, keyboards, mice, CRT and LCD monitors;
- TVs, VCRs, CD players, DVD players,
- printers, fax machines, stereos, speakers,
- cell phones, telephones, microwave ovens,
- Christmas lights,
- game consoles, hand-held electronic devices,
- computer parts and miscellaneous cables.

For more information contact (734) 326-3936. Information is also available on the Wayne County website at www.waynecounty.com.

CITY OF WAYNE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Please take notice that the City of Wayne City Council has scheduled a public hearing to consider proposed expenditures for FY 2013-2014 in the estimated amount of \$1,194,039.00. The public hearing is scheduled for:

Tuesday, June 18, 2013 at Wayne City Hall

3355 S. Wayne Road, Wayne, MI 48184

8:00 P.M., or as soon thereafter as may be heard.

Inquiries: Peter J. McInerney, Community Development Director (734) 419-0118.

Matthew K. Miller
City Clerk

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CITY OF WAYNE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The City of Wayne City Council will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, June 18, 2013 at 8:00 P.M., or as soon thereafter as may be heard, to consider a request to rezone certain property east of Wayne Industries, 36253 E. Michigan Avenue from B-5 Business Concentrated to IND-2 Heavy Industrial. Reference: #55-013-06-0315-007, but only the western portion (est. 3 acres), and #55-013-06-0315-008, an outlot (est. 0.68 acre). The proposed text and any maps may be examined or written comments may be submitted at the City Clerk's Office during business hours (10:00 A.M. to 4:30 P.M., Monday through Thursday). Members of the public may appear at the public hearing in person or by counsel. At the conclusion of the hearing, the City Council may consider approval. Inquiries: Peter J. McInerney, Community Development Director (734) 419-0118.

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CITY OF WAYNE

05-13-0155 Motion Dobrowski, seconded by Monit and unanimously carried, it was resolved to approve the Second Reading and adoption of amendments to Chapter 1473 regarding the registration, maintenance and inspection of vacant properties.

PUBLIC NOTICE ORDINANCE #2013-03

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND WAYNE CITY CODE BY ADDING CHAPTER 692, SECTIONS 692.01, 692.02, 692.03, 692.04 AND 692.99 DEFINING FIREWORKS, GOVERNING THE USE OF FIREWORKS, AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR A VIOLATION

CHAPTER 692 - FIREWORKS

692.01 - Definitions

(a) For purposes of this section, the following definitions apply:

- (1) Act means the Michigan Fireworks Safety Act, MCL 28.451 et seq., as that statute may be amended from time to time, which is hereby adopted by reference as part of the ordinance from which this section derives.
- (2) Agricultural and wildlife fireworks means fireworks devices distributed to farmers, ranchers, and growers through a wildlife management program administered by the United States Department of the Interior or the department of natural resources of this state.
- (3) Articles pyrotechnic means pyrotechnic devices for professional use that are similar to consumer fireworks in chemical composition and construction but not intended for consumer use, that meet the weight limits for consumer fireworks but are not labeled as such, and that are classified as UN0431 or UN0432 under 49 CFR 172.101.
- (4) Consumer fireworks means fireworks devices that are designed to produce visible effects by combustion, that are required to comply with the construction, chemical composition, and labeling regulations promulgated by the United States Consumer Product Safety Commission under 16 CFR parts 1500 and 1507, and that are listed in APA standard 87-1, 3.1.2, 3.1.3, or 3.5. Consumer fireworks do not include low-impact fireworks.
- (5) Display fireworks means large fireworks devices that are explosive materials intended for use in fireworks displays and designed to produce visible or audible effects by combustion, deflagration, or detonation, as provided in 27 CFR 555.11, 49 CFR 172, and APA standard 87-1, 4.1.
- (6) Fireworks or fireworks means any composition or device, except for a starting pistol, a flare gun, or a flare, designed for the purpose of producing a visible or audible effect by combustion, deflagration, or detonation. Fireworks consist of consumer fireworks, low-impact fireworks, articles pyrotechnic, display fireworks, and special effects.
- (7) Low-impact fireworks means ground and handheld sparkling devices as that phrase is defined under APA standard 87-1, 3.1, 3.1.1 to 3.1.1.8, and 3.5.
- (8) Novelties means that term as defined under APA standard 87-1, 3.2, 3.2.1, 3.2.2, 3.2.3, 3.2.4, and 3.2.5 and all of the following:
 - (i) Toy plastic or paper caps for toy pistols in sheets, strips, rolls, or individual caps containing not more than .25 of a grain of explosive content per cap, in packages labeled to indicate the maximum explosive content per cap.
 - (ii) Toy pistols, sub cannons, toy canes, toy trick noisemakers, and toy guns in which toy caps as described in subparagraph (1) are used, that are constructed so that the hand cannot come in contact with the cap when in place for the explosion, and that are not designed to break apart or be separated so as to form a missile by the explosion.
 - (iii) Flitter sparklers in paper tubes not exceeding one-eighth-inch in diameter.
 - (iv) Toy snakes not containing mercury, if packed in cardboard boxes with not more than 12 pieces per box for retail sale and if the manufacturer's name and the quantity contained in each box are printed on the box; and toy smoke devices.
- (9) Special effects means a combination of chemical elements or chemical compounds capable of burning independently of the oxygen of the atmosphere and designed and intended to produce an audible, visual, mechanical, or thermal effect as an integral part of a motion picture, radio, television, theatrical, or opera production or live entertainment.

692.02 - Use of consumer fireworks prohibited.

(a) It shall be unlawful for any person to ignite, discharge or use consumer fireworks, except for the use of consumer fireworks on the day preceding, the day of, or the day after the following national holidays:

- (1) New Year's Day, January 1
- (2) Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, the third Monday in January
- (3) President's Day, the third Monday in February
- (4) Memorial Day, the last Monday in May
- (5) Independence Day, July 4
- (6) Labor Day, the first Monday in September
- (7) Columbus Day, the second Monday in October
- (8) Veterans Day, November 11
- (9) Thanksgiving Day, the fourth Thursday in November

(10) Christmas Day, December 25

(b) A person shall not ignite, discharge, or use consumer fireworks on public property, school property, church property, or the property of another person without that organization's or person's express written permission to use those fireworks on those premises. Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, a person that violates this subsection is responsible for a civil infraction and may be ordered to pay a civil fine of not more than \$500.00.

(c) Consumer fireworks shall not be ignited, discharged or used by a person under the influence of alcoholic liquor or controlled substance or a combination of both.

(d) Low-impact fireworks shall not be ignited, discharged or used by a person under the influence of alcoholic liquor or controlled substance or a combination of both.

(e) Unmanned free-floating devices. Any unmanned free-floating device (sky lantern) which requires fire underneath to propel it and is not moored to the ground while aloft, have an uncontrolled and unpredictable flight path and descent area so as to pose a potential fire risk and are therefore prohibited.

(f) Novelties. This section does not apply to novelties.

692.03 - Display and articles pyrotechnic fireworks.

(a) Pursuant to MCL 28.451 et seq., (the "Act") the city may grant a permit, upon application in writing on forms provided by the department of licensing and regulatory affairs, for the use of the following:

- (1) Agricultural or wildlife fireworks (as defined in the Act);
- (2) Articles pyrotechnic;
- (3) Display fireworks; or
- (4) Special effects manufactured for outdoor pest control.

(b) Such a permit granted by the city shall be subject to payment of a fee to the city, and shall be for either public or private displays within the city by the city, fair associations, amusement parks, or other organizations or individuals approved by the city, as long as the applicable conditions and requirements of the Act are complied with.

(c) Before a permit for display fireworks or articles pyrotechnic firework ignition is granted, the person, firm, or corporation applying for the permit shall furnish proof of financial responsibility by a bond or insurance in an amount, character, and form deemed necessary by the city to satisfy claims for damages to property or personal injuries arising out of an act or omission on the part of the person, firm, or corporation or an agent or employee of the person, firm, or corporation, and to protect the public.

(d) The city shall not approve or otherwise grant a permit for display fireworks or pyrotechnic fireworks ignition to a nonresident person, firm, or corporation until the person, firm, or corporation has appointed in writing a resident member of the bar of this state or a resident agent to be the legal representative upon whom all process in an action or proceeding against the person, firm, or corporation may be served.

(e) Pursuant to the Act, the city shall rule on the competency and qualification of articles pyrotechnic and display fireworks operators as required under NFPA 1123, as the operator has furnished in his or her application, and on the time, place, and safety aspects of the display of articles pyrotechnic or display fireworks before granting permits.

692.04 - Repealed

Wayne City Code 690.02 "Fireworks" is hereby repealed.

692.99 - Penalty

Unless otherwise provided in this section, if a person knowingly, intentionally, or recklessly violates section, the person is guilty of a crime as follows:

- (1) Except as otherwise provided in this section, a misdemeanor punishable by imprisonment for not more than 30 days or a fine of not more than \$500.00, or both.
- (2) If the violation causes damage to the property of another person, a misdemeanor punishable by imprisonment for not more than 90 days or a fine of not more than \$500.00, or both.

State law reference— Fireworks, MCL 28.451 et seq.

SECTION 2

That this Ordinance shall be published as required by law.

SECTION 3

That this Ordinance shall become effective ten days after enactment and upon publication thereof.

Adopted: May 21, 2013
Published: May 30, 2013
Effective: May 31, 2013

Matthew K. Miller
City Clerk

Publish: May 30, 2013

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RELIGION CALENDAR

May

CAMP ENROLLMENT

Time/Date: Now through May 31
Location: Consuming Fire Christian Center, 31463 Ann Arbor Trail, Westland
Details: Enrolling kids and teens, age 5-15, for six-week Bible/Homework Enrichment Camp that will run July 8-Aug. 16. Full day sessions are \$700 and a half-day is \$480.
Contact: Melanie Staten or Sylvia Brown at (734) 266-2293

FILM

Time/Date: 7 p.m. Friday, May 31
Location: Prince of Peace Lutheran Church, 28000 New Market Road, Farmington Hills
Details: Free screening of the movie, "Ever After," an updated adaptation of the classic fairytale Cinderella, starring Drew Barrymore. A special meal is also offered with the movie. Make dinner reservations with the church
Contact: Call the church at (248) 553-3380

June

BARBECUE

Time/Date: 4-7 p.m. Saturday, June 8
Location: St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, located on Five Mile, just west of Inkster Road, in Livonia
Details: Food will include: North Carolina Pulled Pork Shoulder, Southern Bar-B-Q Chicken, baked beans, cole slaw, red-skinned potatoes and lemonade. Advance tickets are \$8 for adults, \$4 for children and \$22 for a family box. At the door, tickets are \$10 for adults, \$5 for children and \$24 for a family box while supplies last. Carry out will be available. Bulk quantities also will be available; inquire for price.
Contact: (734) 422-1470

CONCERT

Time/Date: 3 p.m. Sunday, June 9
Location: St. James Catholic Church, located on 10 Mile, west of Taft, Novi
Details: "Overture" from "Oklahoma," highlights from "Annie," "Far from the Home I Love," from "Fiddler on the Roof," are among the songs in this concert that also original compositions by Matthew Raelzel. Tickets are \$10. Students are free with ID
Contact: (248) 347-7778

DAY CAMP

Time/Date: 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Monday-Friday, June 17-21
Location: Emmanuel Lutheran Church, 34567 Seven Mile, Livonia
Details: Emmanuel Lutheran and Holy Cross Lutheran present this day camp for children completing kindergarten through sixth grade. Day camp activities include opening and closing worship, games, arts and crafts, nature activities, Bible study and more. Early bird registration is \$55 for first child in a family, \$50 for the second child, and \$45 for third child. After May 26, registration fees are \$60 per child. Registration packets are available at Emmanuel Lutheran or at Holy Cross Lutheran Church, 30650 Six Mile, Livonia
Contact: Judy Cook at Emmanuel at (248) 442-8822, or Cindy Channey at Holy Cross at (734) 427-1414

FINE ARTS CAMP

Time/Date: 8:30 a.m.-1 p.m. June 24-28
Location: Prince of Peace Lutheran Church,

28000 New Market Road, Farmington Hills
Details: Registration has begun for this camp for children entering grades 2-8. The theme of the week is "Joseph: from the pit to the palace." Youngsters will participate in fun-filled drama, art, music, hand bells and Bible time. They'll each choose one class to "specialize" in. The final day of camp will include an evening celebration when campers will show family and friends what they learned during the week. Lunch will be included in the camp. Registration is \$35 by June 3. To register or for more information call the church or visit its website
Contact: (248) 553-3380; www.princeof-peacehills.org

ICE CREAM AND MUSIC

Time/Date: 1-5 p.m. June 8
Location: Oakland Hills Community Church, 37150 W. Eight Mile in Farmington Hills
Details: Enjoy an ice cream cone while listening to the Chuck Tocco Band
Contact: (248) 478-5001

TORAH TOPE STUDY

Time/Date: 7:30-8 p.m. Thursday, starting June 6
Location: Congregation Beth Ahm, 5075 W. Maple, West Bloomfield
Details: Beth Ahm ritual assistant Nancy Kaplan will facilitate the study. Solid Hebrew reading skills are a pre-requisite. The ability to carry a tune is helpful but not required. There is no charge, but once the group gets off the ground there will be a modest materials fee. Anyone who is interested in learning more about Beth Ahm's new Torah Trope group may attend the first couple of sessions and then decide whether to register
Contact: (248) 737-1931 or e-mail nancyel-879@att.net

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Time/Date: 9:15 a.m.-noon, June 24-28
Location: St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, 27475 Five Mile, one block west of Inkster Road, Livonia
Details: The session is called "Come, Follow Jesus and Walk in His Ways" and it will include story time and lesson, music, crafts, recreation and snack. It's aimed at youngsters, age 3-fifth grade. Cost is \$5 per child. **Registration is available now**
Contact: (734) 422-1470, ext. 17 or visit www.sppc.org

July

FILM

Time/Date: 6 p.m. Wednesday, July 17
Location: St. Aidan Catholic Church, 17500 Farmington Road, Livonia
Details: Screening of "The Hunger Games" with a Q and A afterward and refreshments provided. RSVP requested
Contact: (734) 425-5950; www.staidanlivonia.org

Ongoing

CLASSES/STUDY

Men's Bible study
Time/Date: Breakfast at 7 a.m. and study at 8 a.m.
Location: Kirby's Coney Island, 21200 Haggerty, Northville Township
Contact: John Shulenberger at (734) 464-9491

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CABLE, CAROL M.

Age 89, May 26, 2013. Wife of the late Marion. Dear mother of Edward, Delane, Daniel (Phyllis), Mary Gail, Henry (Elizabeth), Franklin, John (Kristin) and the late Nick. Loving grandmother of 13. Great grandmother of 13 and great great grandmother of one. Private Services were held. santeufuneralhome.com



ERWIN, MARY LONGMAID ("SUNNY")

Age 80, of Novi, Michigan, formerly of Bloomfield Hills, passed away peacefully at home on May 26, 2013, after a long battle with emphysema. She was preceded in death by her loving husband of 40 years, E. James ("Jim") Erwin. Sunny is survived by her children, Katherine Anne (Dirk VanKoughnet) of Chicago, IL, E. James ("Chip") III (Betsy) of Bloomfield Village, MI, and Richard Esterbrook (Dixie) of Hinsdale, IL. Loving grandmother to Laura VanKoughnet, Jed, Will and Claire Erwin, and Katie, James, Grace and Kinsey Erwin. Also survived by her dear sister Elizabeth L. Barnard (Harold Willey), and many nieces and nephews. Born February 8, 1933, in Philadelphia, PA to the late Mary Stokes and Sydney E. Longmaid, Sunny attended the Baldwin School in Bryn Mawr, PA, and received her B.A. in English from the University of Michigan, where she met Jim. A busy homemaker for most of her life, she was an active member of the Birmingham-Bloomfield Alumni Club of the University of Michigan and the Rudgate Neighborhood Association, and a prolific crafter. With her husband Jim, Sunny traveled the world and co-authored a book on the art of lost-wax jewelry casting. She loved the fields and streams of Northern Michigan, the open water of the Florida Keys and the rocky coastline of Southwest Harbor, Maine. A celebration of Sunny's life will be held on Thursday, May 30, 2013, at 11:00 a.m. at Fox Run Senior Living Community, 41000 13 Mile Road, Novi, MI, with a reception to follow. Private interment at Walled Lake Cemetery, Walled Lake, MI. In lieu of flowers, tributes to her most beloved cause and the fund she founded, the Duchenne Clinic Support Fund, Department of Neurology--Development, the University of Michigan Medical Center, 1000 Oakbrook, Suite 100, Ann Arbor, MI 48104.

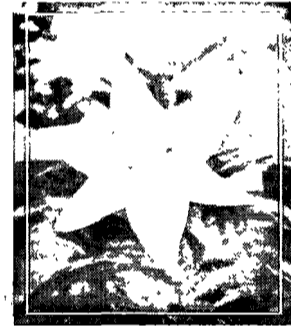
MESSINA, FRANK

Passed away May 24, 2013 at his home in Monroe after a brave and exhausting 6-month battle with illness. Born January 13 1940 in Detroit. Frank was the son of Peter and Josephine Messina. Frank will always be remembered throughout the area as CEO and founder of Messina Concrete Inc. Over the past 40 years Frank, along with his wife Marlene worked tirelessly building the business he loved so much. A beacon of respect in the concrete industry Frank was always happy to help out anyone who needed more than others would be willing to give. Frank enjoyed golf, boating, travel, the casino, his grandchildren, spending time with his wife and his friends and as always, a good meal. Mario's in Detroit, Joes French Italian, Dolce Vita and Angelo's stand out as some of his favorites. His life was filled with love and happiness shared with Marlene, his wife of 51 years. His three children Joanne (Todd) Cameron, Debbie (David) Hanson and Vince (Christine) Messina; his five grandchildren Caitlyn, Jake, Avery, Emerson and Elliot; his sister and brother in law Pauline (Joe) Zichichi; his twin brother and sister in law Sam (Linda) Messina, his nephew and niece Peter and Linda; his dog Bella and countless cousins, friends, nephews, nieces, neighbors, suppliers, clients and employees. Visitation will be held on Tuesday from 4-8 PM and Wednesday from 1-8 PM in the Bacarella Funeral Home, 1201 S. Telegraph Rd., in Monroe. On Thursday, May 30, 2013 he will lie in state at St. John The Baptist Catholic Church in Monroe from 9:30 AM until Mass of the Resurrection Celebrating his life at 10:00 AM. Frank's wishes were that in lieu of flowers a donation be made to Mercy Memorial Hospital in his name. Online condolences, and special memories, may be shared with the family by visiting the obituary page at www.bacarellafuneralhome.com



DORES VEHMEYER

Age 95, of Birmingham MI and recently of Jasper, GA, went to be with her Lord and Savior Jesus Christ dying peacefully in her home May 23, 2013. She was born on June 10, 1918 in Detroit MI, the daughter of Emroy (Pete) Vehmeyer and Marjorie Wetmore Vehmeyer. She was married to John F. Cole Jr. (Jim) on November 29, 1941 at Christ Church Cranbrook in Bloomfield Hills, MI. They had two children and were married for 40 years before her husband passed away in 1984. Doris graduated from Baldwin High School, Wildciff Jr. College, and Toby Coburn School for fashion careers. She also attended the University of Michigan and was a member of Kappa Alpha Theta Sorority. She was a member of the altar guild at Christ Church Cranbrook, the Village Club, Junior Goodwill, University of Michigan Alumnae Association. Survivors include Carol (Don) McCann of Jasper GA; Cyndie Cole of Gaylord MI; grandchildren Christine and Alyson Cole; nephew Richard Wibel (Toni), nephew Mark Wibel (Barbara), and niece Kristie (John) Jickling. Services will be held at Christ Church Cranbrook on Friday May 31 at 10:30am. Reception to follow in the fellowship hall. Memorial gifts may be sent to Georgia Mountains Hospice, Jasper GA.



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 45801 W. Ann Arbor Road • (734) 453-1529
 Sunday School - 9:45 A.M.
 Sunday Worship - 11:00 A.M.
 Sunday Evening - 6:00 P.M.
 Family Night - Wed. 7:00 P.M.
 NEW HORIZONS FOR CHILDREN LEARNING CENTER
 (734) 455-3198 AT 07/09/2012

ASSEMBLIES OF GOD

A Church for Seasoned Saints
OPEN ARMS CHURCH
 Worship:
 Sunday 10:30 am
 Wednesday 7 pm
 Pastor Grady Jensen
 & Music Minister Abe Pazzini
 33015 W. 7 Mile Rd. • Livonia 48152
 Between Farmington & Merriman
 Across from Joe's Produce
 248.471.5282
 Church As You Remember it! AT 07/09/2012

LUTHERAN CHURCH WISCONSIN SYNOD

St. Paul's Ev. LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL
 17810 FARMINGTON ROAD
 LIVONIA 734281-1350
WORSHIP SERVICES
 Sunday: 8:30 A.M. & 11 A.M.
 Thursday: 6:30 P.M.
 website: www.stpaulslivonia.org AT 07/09/2012

PRESBYTERIAN

Fellowship Presbyterian Church
Adult Sunday: 9:30 - 10:15 a.m. • Worship: 10:30 a.m.
Childrens Sunday School: 10:30 a.m.
 Services held at: **Saint Andrews Episcopal Church**
 16360 Hubbard Road in Livonia • South of Six Mile Road
 Nursery provided • www.fellowship-presbyterian.org AT 07/09/2012

ST. PETER'S LUTHERAN CHURCH & SCHOOL
 1343 Penniman • Plymouth
 Church: (734) 453-3393
 School PreK-8: (734) 453-0460
 Website: www.splp.org
WORSHIP SERVICES
 Sunday Worship 9:30am AT 07/09/2012

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 or e-mail: ssare@hometownlife.com

OUR VIEWS

Wayne needs to educate citizens about fiscal woes

The city of Wayne is at a crossroads. The council last week approved a balanced budget for fiscal 2013-2014, but officials say the city will face a deficit in 2014-2015 with no money available to shore up finances.

Wayne - like every community in Michigan - has been hit hard by the economic downturn. Property values have plummeted and so has the revenue generated by property taxes. In 2009, a mill raised \$630,000, today it's \$380,000. Six years ago, the city budget was \$22.8 million, today it is at \$16.8 million.

The city has a plan to ease the pressure on the budget. It plans to ask voters to approve a 7-mill tax levy for 10 years that would fund a P.A. 345 plan to pay for police and fire pensions and retiree medical costs. The amount of millage levied each year would be the amount

required to fund the retirement plan based on actuarial calculations. If approved, the millage would generate \$2.6 million annually and cover the legacy costs that are currently paid for through the city's general fund.

Mayor Al Haidous has said the city is trying to protect vital services. Moving the city's legacy costs out of the general fund would provide some breathing room to do that. But he and other city officials are hesitant to offer voters much more in the way of information beyond that. Several residents have questioned what the plan is, if voters say no. The mayor has indicated plans A and B are to have residents tell him what to do.

The mayor also has pointed out that "the community always comes through with what the city needs to serve them." Certainly, that was the case when voters approved a

millage to repair the city's streets and sidewalks several years ago, but that was in somewhat better times. For many, even with the depressed value of their homes, another 7 mills may be just too much to bear.

That's why it is important for city officials to fully inform residents what the problem is and how it can be solved. They have to know the potential benefits of voting yes and the consequences of voting no. That can't happen if city officials plan to wait until after the vote to come up a fallback plan.

Ask any person about a big ticket purchase and they will tell you that they weigh the pros and cons before making a final decision. They get the facts and then make a decision. Telling residents, the millage is needed isn't enough. Wayne residents need know the specifics.

Wayne officials should take heed of what Garden City did last year when it asked voters to approve 3.5-mill levy for four years to fund police and fire services. Garden City officials launched a series of town hall meetings to educate residents about the city's fiscal problems, the tax request and what would happen if it was approved or denied. Whether residents were for or against the millage, they had the necessary facts to make an informed decision. In the end, the millage was approved by a 2-1 vote.

Certainly, there is fiscal uncertainty and concern about declining property values and the changes in personal property taxes, but it is better to make plans now, even if they are tentative ones, rather than later. Maybe Eleanor Roosevelt said it best: "It takes as much energy to wish as it does to plan."

Warn teens about underage drinking

Graduation season are upon us. John Glenn and Wayne Memorial High School are holding graduation ceremonies Saturday, and Garden City High School will hold its commencement June 7.

Now to talk your teens about the dangers of underage drinking.

Kids may hear the message at school. For example, members of Students Against Destructive Decisions at Wayne Memorial held a Grim Reaper Day, who called out students to join them as part of a reminder that alcohol and driving don't mix.

But teens need to hear the message at home too.

Contrary to popular opinion, kids actually do listen to their parents even more so than to their friends. Research shows parental disapproval is the No. 1 reason teens choose not to drink.

Even if they don't do everything

as they should, teens want to know their parents love them enough to talk to them about underage drinking.

Don't just have the conversation once. An important topic like this bears repeating. Make sure they understand clearly that you won't tolerate any drinking at all - even if they aren't driving.

According to MADD, underage drinking contributes to the death of approximately 5,000 young people every year. It's not just fatal car crashes. It's also binge drinking, getting into fights, accepting dares and other risky behaviors kids get involved with when their judgment is impaired.

If you host a party for teens, make it clear that alcohol and any other drugs are strictly prohibited. If you host a party in your home, lock your liquor cabinet - and your medicine cabinet to keep pre-

scription medications out of reach.

Chaperone the party, keeping an eye on what kids bring in. Don't let guests sneak into other rooms of the house like bedrooms or the garage.

Call the parents of any guest who brings alcohol or other drugs to the party, or if he or she appears to be under the influence. Remember that you would want to be called by another parent if it were your child who showed up drunk.

If you serve alcohol at your teen's graduation party, make sure no one under age 21 has access to it. Have a responsible adult serve all alcoholic drinks.

If your child wants to go to a party, call the party hosts in advance to make sure drinking won't be permitted and the party will have adult supervision.

Check in with your child throughout the night and when he

or she gets home. If you go out for the evening, let your teen know where you will be and how you can be reached.

Have a "code" phrase your teen can say to you over the phone or text to you that means he or she wants to be picked up from a party where alcohol and drugs are being used or other risky behaviors are going on. Do not push for an explanation.

Set a good example. If you drink, be responsible and limit the number of alcoholic beverages you consume.

Host alcohol-free events for other adults in your home. Let teens see that people can have fun without drinking.

Do everything you can to prevent an underage drinking tragedy. Graduation season should be a time for happy memories, not sad ones.

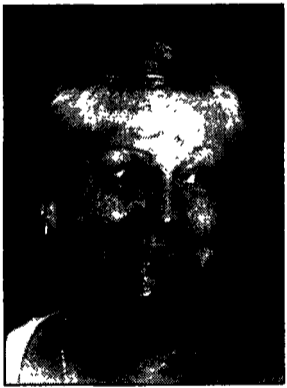
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Are there any movies you plan to see this summer?

We asked this question at Westland Shopping Center in Westland.



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Gabrielle Berby
Detroit



"I want to see Monsters University, it's the prequel to Monsters Inc."
Sara Klimiewicz
Redford

LETTERS

Library closing is frustrating

As a lifelong library user and supporter of the Westland library, it dismays me to have write this letter. The residents of the city of Westland finally get back to regular patron hours at the library in April (eight months after the millage passed) and this Memorial Day holiday weekend brings a service issue to light.

I drove to the library Friday night to return some books. The drive-up bins were locked for the Memorial holiday weekend (hard to believe that they would get filled up, but ...) and there was a sign posted to use the bins in the building wall.

I drove back around the circle, turned off my car and locked it as it was after hours. I walked up to the return bins in the wall (which say "locked while the library is open"). The media one was locked and so was the one for books and the library wasn't open!

This was extremely frustrating. I wasted my time and gas because I wasn't able to return the books. I looked to see if there was any special posting about the inability to return items - there was a flier, not predominately displayed, only stating that the library would be closed Friday, Saturday and Sunday for the holiday (and not mentioning anything about all the return bins being locked) and no phone number to report any issues.

I sent an email this weekend to the library director, Sheila Collins, but received an "out of office" reply. I searched and searched the website, but other than seeing a listing of the names of the library board members, there were no email addresses for the library Board of Trustee members.

Catherine Broadbent
Westland

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LPS grateful for support

The LPS community gave its stamp of approval to the May 7 proposal made by the school district to make important improvement to its school facilities.

The bond proposal will allow the school district to improve each classroom throughout the school district by replacing windows, heating/air handling systems, lighting, flooring, electrical, P.A. and phone systems; along with adding new whiteboards, furniture and technology. With these improvements, our classrooms will be transformed into modern, 21st century learning environments, providing staff and students the tools they need to provide a high-quality education.

In addition, we are excited to improve key common areas that are 40 to 60 years old, including fine arts auditoriums and classrooms, cafeterias and entrance ways. The district is also now positioned to make safety improvements through entrance ways and equipment.

We are so grateful for the

community's support. This was a significant request and we recognize the sizable investment being made. We truly believe this will be a significant boost for our community. Bringing in \$195 million of investment over the next several years will renew and revitalize our pride in our schools and that impacts all of us here within the LPS borders. The staff is so excited to see the work begin. This will truly be a point of pride for all of us, as we look to attract and retain families.

This is the culmination of several years of planning and effort to live our district's vision where "we see a school district with facilities that are updated and well-maintained, with cutting-edge technology and equipment."

Again, from a grateful school community, thank you.

Dr. Randy Liepa
Livonia Public Schools
superintendent

Vizy's is great

One of (Canton's) local businesses deserve recognition. The owners of Vizy's Pizza, Paul and Sheila, are two of the most amazing people in our community. I am honored to have two special people in and around our community.

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When I mean community, they step in Canton, Dearborn, Wayne, Westland and all the other communities around. They have given back the meaning of "family." We all stand together as one.

I cannot thank them enough for everything they have given back to the community and I feel they should be given recognition for all of their hard work and support.

Jennifer Grzymala
Canton

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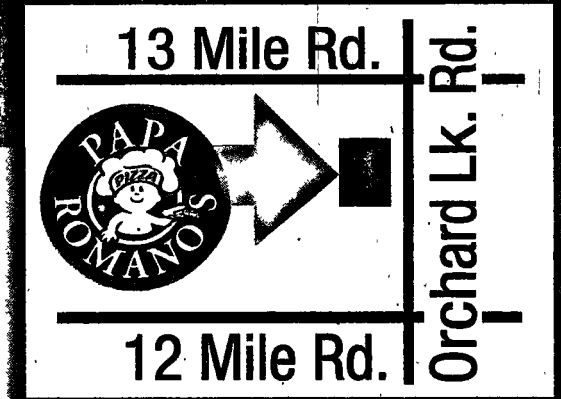


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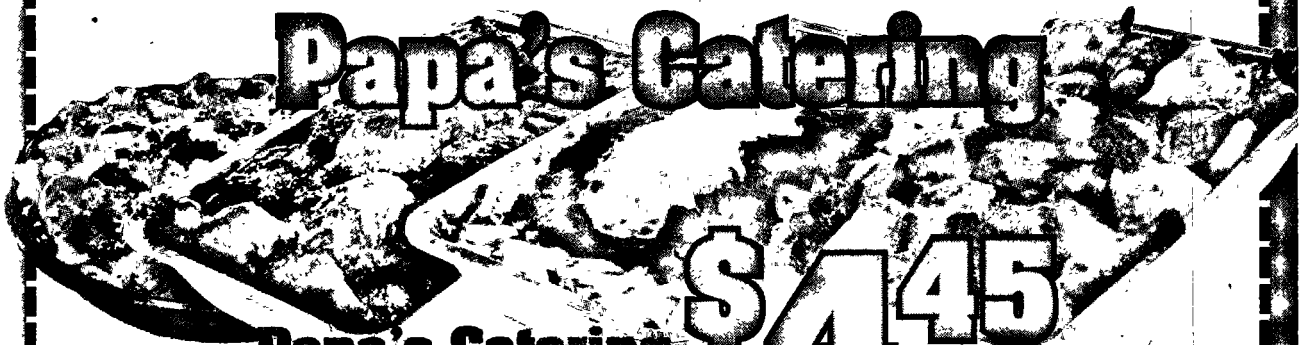
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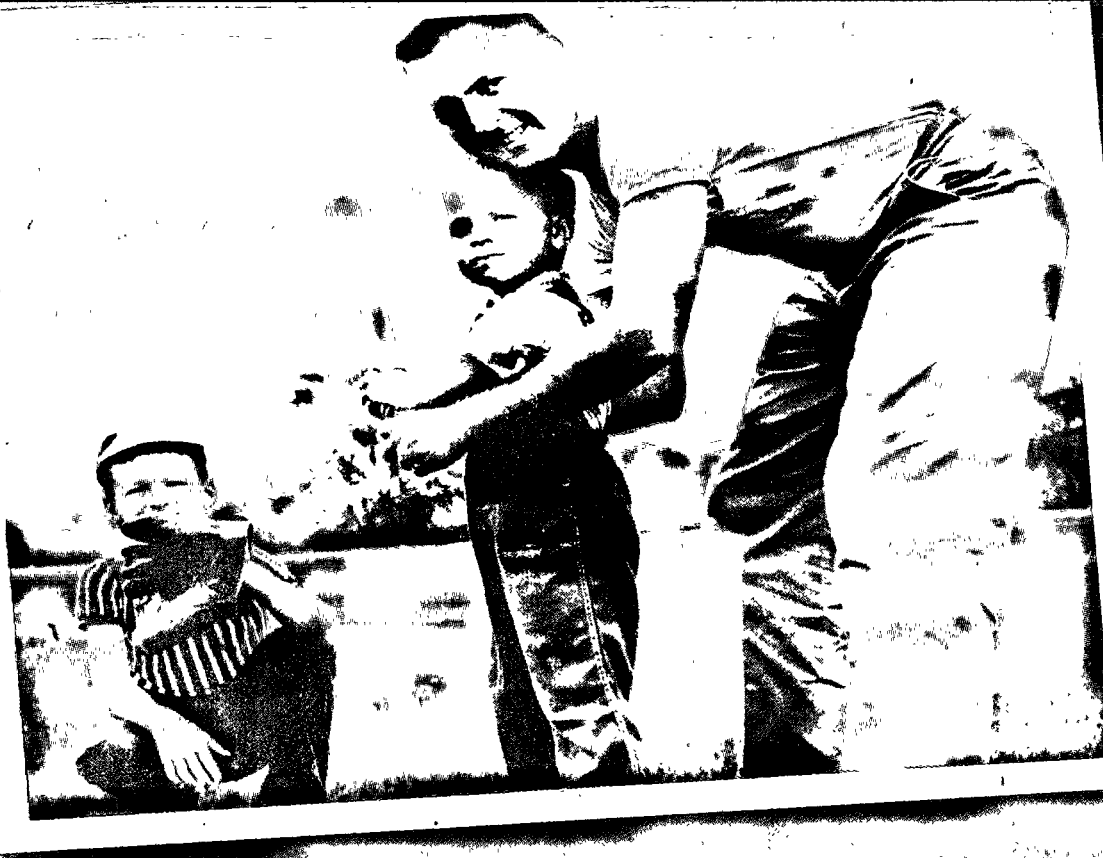


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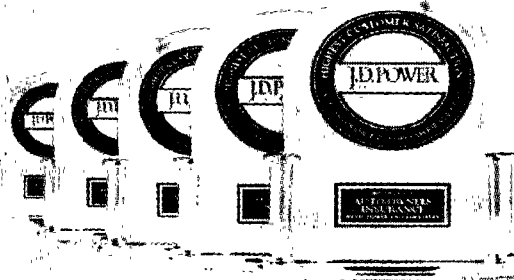
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Walkers, runners put sole into helping Parkinson foundation

By M.B. Dillon
Correspondent

If you're game Sunday, June 2, for some fitness fun and philanthropy to benefit those fighting Parkinson's disease, consider entering the Michigan Parkinson Foundation Walkathon & 5K Run at Northville High School. This year's "I Gave My Sole for Parkinson's" event commemorates the foundation's 30th anniversary, and will honor special guests including Westland's Ruth Ann Butler, facilitator of the Livonia/Western Wayne

Support Group and one of this year's honorary chairpersons. Proceeds will help fund programs and services for patients and their families. "Parkinson's disease is a chronic neurological condition affecting more than 30,000 individuals - and growing - in Michigan," said Debby Orloff, chief executive officer of the foundation. "Our focus at the Michigan Parkinson Foundation is to give every person with Parkinson's and related disorders responsive, compassionate quality care and support."

Register on race day beginning at 9:30 a.m. at the high school, 45700 Six Mile east of Beck Road. Entry fee is \$25 for 5K runners; \$20 for walkers aged 13 and up, and \$15 for walkers 12 and under. The walk/run begins at 11 a.m. Walkers will complete any distance they choose on the track. Runners, after a lap on the track, will do a loop through the neighborhood. Age-group awards will be given, and \$100 prizes will go to the top male and female 5K runners. Strollers, wheelchairs, and dogs are welcome.



Participants filled the track at Northville High School for last year's Michigan Parkinson Foundation Walkathon and 5K Run. Supporters are urged to return to this year's event Sunday, June 2.

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In addition to Butler, honorary chairpersons include Larry Bauer and Raymond T. Bauer, M.D., sons of the late Dr. Raymond B. Bauer, founder of the foundation; Livonia Treasurer Dennis Wright; State Rep. Vicki Barnett, D-Farmington Hills; Northville Township Trustee Marvin Gans; and Connie Spiteri. Orloff said Butler is being honored for years of hard work. "Ruth is a nurse educator, mother of six, grandmother of 12, and great-grandmother of two. She was a care partner for her late husband, Pierce Butler, who had Parkinson's, for almost 40 years," said Orloff. "Ruth started volunteering at MPP's offices around 1989. "She's a strong advocate for patients and families. She created a book of writings of children whose

parents have Parkinson's. She leads monthly meetings for the Livonia/Western-Wayne Support Group. And she continues to think up new ideas to help people cope with Parkinson's," added Orloff. Butler said she is humbled, and thankful to all those who help. "They enable the support groups to assist anyone, anywhere, in any city no matter how small or how big. People diagnosed with Parkinson's can call down to the foundation office, and anyone in this vicinity can call me. People need to talk to somebody who knows something about the disease. Support groups - and I emphasize the word 'support' - offer education, fellowship, doctor referrals, and information. We are not a money-making organization. There is no charge to join our group." Wright was named an

honorary chairman to recognize "the tremendous job he does, living with Parkinson's every day in his job as a public figure," said Orloff. "Dennis was diagnosed 10 years ago, and continues to be active, holding a very visible office in the city of Livonia, interacting with people every day and having to use his expertise and knowledge." "I feel for people who have it," said Wright. "There are people out there so much worse than myself. The best thing I can tell them is don't give up." Wright hopes to do the walk, and says he appreciates runners' and walkers' help. "The more research money the closer you get to a cure for it," he said. For more information, call (248)433-1011 or (800)852-9781 or visit www.parkinsonsmi.org.

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Zebras earn stripes in shootout, 1-0

Taylor twins reach Final 4

By Brad Emons
Observer Staff Writer

GIRLS SOCCER

Wins were hard to come by this season for the Wayne Memorial girls soccer team, but Tuesday's 1-0 shootout victory over rival Westland John Glenn definitely will rank as the highlight of the Zebras' 2013 campaign.

The two teams fought to a scoreless draw through 80 minutes of regulation play, followed by a pair of 10-minute overtimes in the opening round of the Division 1 district tournament.

And that's when Wayne first-year coach Jason Dean decided to make a surprising goalkeep-

er change.

"We had a penalty kick shootout in an earlier preseason tournament," Dean said. "Nikki (Tolentino) is a little inexperienced and Shaelyn (Wojewski) is probably the most athletic girl I have, so I thought she'd be the right fit. And heck, she stopped four out of five, so that was a good fit for her."

The freshman couldn't stop Sydney Climie's leadoff attempt, but wouldn't let the Rockets find the back of the net on their next four attempts, which included two key stops — one against Kaitlyn Mitchell, which she

tipped over the top of the crossbar, the other with a sprawling save on Evelyn Acerrano.

"She usually plays center back from me and she did a heck of a job in that last five shots for sure," Dean said of the ninth-grader.

Wayne, however, didn't score on its first two attempts against Glenn keeper Jenna Redden, but made good on its third when Crystal Fletcher put one into the left side.

And after Wojewski made Marissa Edwards miss on Glenn's fourth attempt, junior Amber Parrish sealed the deal, putting one into the upper right corner to end the stalemate.

"Actually I told them they had to be going bottom right all five kicks," said Dean, whose team improved to 5-11-1 overall. "We looked at the game and only one of five went bottom right. You try and compose them, but when you get in that situation they're so amped up. They're going out there to just shoot the ball."

The Rockets hit the crossbar once in the second half and Kendra Pennington's free kick late in the second OT glanced off the outside left post, followed by an Edwards attempt with 1:40 remaining that grazed the top of the crossbar.

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The Grand Valley State University softball team, featuring junior twins Briauna and Brittany Taylor (Livonia Franklin), completed a historic season by finishing 46-9 overall and reaching the Final Four of the NCAA Division II World Series in Salem, Va.

The ninth-ranked Lakers were eliminated Sunday in the semifinal by Kutztown (Pa.) State, 7-2, after posting victories Saturday over Molloy, 5-2, and Texas Women's University, 8-4.

Kutztown also beat GVSU in the tourney opener Thursday, 3-1.

Briauna Taylor, a starting shortstop, hit .331 this season with three homers and 22 RBI in 42 games. She went 2-for-4 with an RBI in the win over Texas Women's University.

Brittany Taylor, a starting left fielder, appeared in all 55 Lakers games, hitting .234.

On May 18, Briauna Taylor drove in Brittany with the game-winning run in the bottom of the sixth inning to beat No. 1-ranked and host University of Indianapolis, 3-2, in the Midwest Super Regional championship game.

MU's Graves signs cager

Madonna University women's basketball coach Carl Graves announced the signing Tuesday of Gibraltar Carlson guard Sarah Carlson, who was named Monroe County Player of the Year and holds the school's career scoring mark with 1,068 points.

The 5-foot-8 Carlson, an honor roll student, is a three-time All-Downriver League and team MVP.

"Sarah will be a wonderful addition to the MU program," said Graves, who guided the Crusaders to their third 20-win season in 2012-13. "Athletically, she has the ability to score the basketball and defend in the open floor."

CHS outing

The 13th annual Livonia Churchill Athletic Patrons golf outing will be at 2 p.m. (shotgun start) Sunday, June 9, at Whispering Willows Golf Course.

The cost is \$85 per person (if registered in a foursome) or \$95 per person. It includes dinner, beverages, skins, prize packages and 50-50 raffles.

To register online, visit www.CHS-Cap.com/golf.htm.

Patriots make it respectable

State power Novi wins, 4-0

By Brad Emons
Observer Staff Writer

Livonia Franklin didn't get any breaks by drawing one of the state's top soccer programs in Tuesday's opening round of the Division 1 district tournament.

The Patriots, who surprised 17-1 Garden City in last year's district final at Woodhaven, had the monumental task of facing perennial state power Novi, which has captured five state championships since 2005.

The 5-12-1 Patriots, however, made a respectable showing before falling 4-0 to the visiting Wildcats, the KLAA Central Division champs and Kensington Conference runners-up to No. 1-ranked Plymouth.

Novi, 14-2-2 overall, scored all four of its goals during the first half to advance to Thursday's district semifinal at Livonia Stevenson, where they will face rival Northville.

Senior Erin Dircks scored twice, while Katrina Koomen and Kelly Cauchi each added a goal for the Wildcats.

Taylor Pavlika contributed two assists, while Natalie Krygier and Jessie Parvana added one each.

"Novi is a phenomenal team, one of the best teams, along with Plymouth, that we've seen all year," Franklin coach Dean Kowalski said. "I thought we played really hard. I was happy com-

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DOUGLAS BARGERSTOCK

Franklin's Micaela Pelle (10) tries to dribble past Novi defender Kendall Kramer during Tuesday's Division 1 district girls soccer opener.



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Churchill's Brian Sexton gets his putt bouncing on the green during Tuesday's KLAA Kensington Conference boys golf tourney at Salem Hills.

Plymouth seizes KLAA golf crown

By Tim Smith
Staff Writer

Like a well-armed caddie, Plymouth boys golf coach Nick Brandon has plenty of options at his disposal — all of them pretty darn good.

Such was the case again at Tuesday's KLAA Kensington Conference tournament at Salem Hills Golf Club in Northville.

Four of Brandon's golfers broke the 80-mark — with senior Kyle Rodes shooting 71 to share medalist honors with Northville's Andrew Sarokin — to spark the Wildcats to a first-place total of 299 to lead the 12-school field.

Plymouth edged the Mustangs (307), followed by defending champion Novi (312), Livonia Stevenson (319), South Lyon (320), Canton (321) and Livonia Churchill (322).

"I'm extremely proud of the guys," said Brandon, the Wildcats' first-year coach.

"I think today is one of those

days where you learn about the depth of your team.

"When you play six and count four, having that sixth player is something that can help your team tremendously."

On a day where the 12 teams had to stop play for about 45 minutes due to rain, Brandon's sixth man was junior Kyle Melnick — who finished with 76 to tie for seventh.

"We chose Kyle Melnick, based on the way he's played and all he did today was go out and shoot a 76," Brandon said. "When your No. 6 player can do that, it speaks to the depth of your program, it speaks to the work ethic these guys have had all year and it resulted in a monumental win for our program. I couldn't be more proud of the guys."

According to Rodes, who was his usual razor-sharp self, his focus was on "greens in regulation, just trying to hit

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SPORTS ROUNDUP

Tim Shaw camp
The fourth annual Tim Shaw "Dream it, Do it" Football Camp (grades four-12) will be from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, June 15, at Clarenceville High School.

The linebacker and special teams player for the Tennessee Titans, a former Clarenceville and Penn State standout, will host the free camp assisted by current and former NFL and college players, along with area coaches.

The camp is open to the first 150 registrants (includes T-shirt).

To register, visit www.timshawfootball.com.

For more information, e-mail johnshawfamily@gmail.com.

Cheer clinics

The Livonia Stevenson cheerleading team will be offering monthly clinics for youths ages 8-and-up from 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, June 8, July 13, Aug. 17, Sept. 21 and Oct. 12.

The cheer clinics include one-on-one instruction in technique and skill development.

The pre-registration cost is \$20 for each session or \$25 for walk-in.

For more information,

email lshscheer@gmail.com; or visit <https://sites.google.com/site/lshscheer/> to obtain a registration form.

Livonia golf deals

The City of Livonia's Fox Creek, Idyl Wyld, and Whispering Willows Golf Courses have partnered with the Michigan Recreation and Park Association (MRPA) to provide golfers with discounts, deals and the opportunity to win free rounds of golf through the Municipal Golf Trail (MGT).

More than 3,000 golfers have already registered for the MGT player card and have enjoyed discounted rounds of golf at the 29 participating courses throughout Michigan.

As part of the MGT program, Fox Creek and Whispering Willows are offering \$29 for 18 holes with cart Monday through Friday and on weekends and holidays after 11 a.m., while Idyl Wyld Golf Course is offering \$25 for 18 holes with cart anytime.

Registration for the MGT player card is free, and interested golfers can register at www.MiGolfTrail.org.

Summer kickball

Wayne-Westland Parks and Recreation will offer summer co-ed kickball leagues on Thursdays starting the week of June 10 at Anderson Ball Fields (Atwood Park) in Wayne.

The season includes 10 games, plus playoffs with a limit of 12 teams per night. Game times are 6:25, 7:35, 8:45 and 9:55 p.m.

Registration will be April 15 through June 3. The cost is \$200 per team.

All teams must register at the Wayne Community Center. (A managers meeting will be at 7 p.m. Monday, June 10 at the Wayne Community Center.)

For more information, call (734) 721-7400; or visit www.cityofwestland.com (click on parks and recreation, then athletics).

Coaching jobs

Livonia Ladywood High School has coaching vacancies for a girls varsity pom pon and varsity swimming for the fall 2013 season, along with a girls freshman basketball coach for the 2013-13 winter season.

Those interested should fax a resume to Ladywood athletic director Sal Malek at (734) 591-2386.

Weekly 5K runs

All runners, joggers and walkers are welcome to participate in a weekly timed 5-kilometer run-walk at 9 a.m. each Saturday at Livonia's Bicentennial Park.

Participation is free, but you must bring your registrant barcode to earn by registering at www.park-run.com or www.park-run.us.

THE WEEK AHEAD

PREP BASEBALL DISTRICT TOURNEY DRAWS DIVISION 1

at WESTLAND JOHN GLENN Friday, May 31: Wayne Memorial vs. Westland John Glenn-Dearborn Heights Crestwood winner, 11 a.m.; Belleville vs. Inkster, 1 p.m.; **championship final:** 3 p.m.

at LIVONIA STEVENSON Saturday, June 1: Livonia Stevenson vs. Redford Thurston, 10 a.m.; Livonia Franklin vs. Garden City, 12:30 p.m.; **championship final:** 3 p.m.

at NORTHVILLE Saturday, June 1: Northville vs. Livonia Churchill-Salem winner, 10 a.m.; Plymouth vs. Canton, 12:30 p.m.; **championship final:** 3 p.m.

at SOUTH LYON EAST Thursday, May 30: (A) Livonia Clarenceville vs. (B) South Lyon East, 4 p.m.

at LIVONIA STEVENSON Saturday, June 1: Detroit Henry Ford vs. A-B winner, 10 a.m.; Redford Union vs. Detroit Community, noon; **championship final:** 2 p.m.

at LUTHERAN WESTLAND Saturday, June 1: Plymouth Christian Academy vs. Ypsilanti Calvary Christian, 10 a.m.; Westland Huron Valley Lutheran vs. Lutheran High Westland, noon; **championship final:** 2:30 p.m.

GIRLS SOFTBALL DISTRICT TOURNEY DRAWS DIVISION 1

at WESTLAND JOHN GLENN Friday, May 31: Wayne Memorial vs. Westland John Glenn-Dearborn Heights Crestwood winner, 11 a.m.; Belleville vs. Inkster, 1 p.m.; **championship final:** 3 p.m.

at LIVONIA STEVENSON Saturday, June 1: Garden City vs. Livonia Franklin, 10 a.m.; Redford Thurston vs. Livonia Stevenson, noon; **championship final:** 2 p.m.

at NORTHVILLE Saturday, June 1: Plymouth vs. Canton, 10 a.m.; Northville vs. Livonia Churchill-Salem winner, noon; **championship final:** 2:30 p.m.

at SOUTH LYON EAST Saturday, June 1: Livonia Ladywood vs. Redford Union, 10 a.m.; Livonia Clarenceville vs. South Lyon East, noon; **championship final:** 2 p.m.

DIVISION 4 at WESTLAND HURON VALLEY LUTHERAN

Saturday, June 1: (A) Westland Huron Valley Lutheran vs. (B) Lutheran High Westland, 10 a.m.; **championship final:** Plymouth Christian Academy vs. A-B winner, noon.

GIRLS SOCCER DISTRICT TOURNEY DRAWS DIVISION 1

at LIVONIA STEVENSON Thursday, May 30: Livonia Stevenson vs. Livonia Churchill-Farmington Hills Mercy winner, 4:30 p.m.; Northville vs. Novi, 6:30 p.m.

Saturday, June 1: Championship final, noon.

at PLYMOUTH-CANTON Thursday, May 30: Wayne Memorial vs. Plymouth, 5 p.m.; Salem vs. Canton 7 p.m.

Saturday, June 1: Championship final, noon.

DIVISION 2 at LIVONIA LADYWOOD

Thursday, May 30: Livonia Ladywood vs. Detroit Mumford-Redford Union winner, 4 p.m.; Redford Thurston vs. Hazel Park-Warren Fitzgerald winner, 6 p.m.

Saturday, June 1: Championship final, 1 p.m.


DIVISION 4 at PLYMOUTH CHRISTIAN

Thursday, May 30: Southfield Christian at Lutheran Westland 4:30 p.m.; Plymouth Christian vs. West Bloomfield Frankel Jewish Academy, 4:30 p.m.

Friday, May 31: Championship final, 4:30 p.m.

MHSAA BOYS & GIRLS TRACK & FIELD FINALS (all Saturday, June 1)
Div. 1 at E. Kentwood, 10 a.m.
Div. 2 at F. Hills Eastern, 10 a.m.
Div. 3 at Comstock Pk., 10 a.m.
Div. 4 at Hudsonville, 10 a.m.

MHSAA GIRLS TENNIS FINALS Friday-Saturday, May 31-June 1
Division 1 at Midland, 9 a.m.
BOYS GOLF DISTRICT TOURNEYS Thursday, May 30
Division 1 at Lakes of Taylor, 9 a.m.
GIRLS LACROSSE DIVISION 2 REGIONAL Friday, May 31
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Ladywood freshman Conner Huggins keeps the ball away from a Detroit Renaissance defender during Tuesday's Division 2 district girls soccer opener.

Blazers roll 12-0 in district opener

Warriors boot Cristo Rey

Senior Brenna Wright collected three goals and two assists Tuesday as top-ranked Livonia Ladywood cruised to a 12-0 Division 2 district girls soccer victory over visiting Detroit Renaissance.

The Blazers, who improved to 18-2-2 overall, scored all 12 goals in the opening half.

They also got two goals from Sarah Bloem, three assists from Carlee Faber and one goal and two assists from Kennedi Bullard.

Goalkeepers Sara Even, Whitney Bauriedl and Abby Pelon combined for the team's 12th shutout of the season.

The Phoenix of the Detroit Public School League bow out at 4-4 overall.

LUTHERAN WESTLAND 6, CRISTO REY 0: Samantha Benner scored twice Tuesday as host Lutheran High Westland (15-0-1) opened Division 4 district play with a victory over Detroit Cristo Rey.

The Warriors led 4-0 at halftime on unassisted goals by Michelle Greening, Sadie Schultz, Claire Oppenlander and Benner.

In the second half, Christa Kasprovicz scored on a rebound and Benner finished the scoring off an assist from Katie Schnaltz.

Goalkeeper Angela Morrison posted the shutout. "We did a good job controlling the game and moved the



Ladywood sophomore Kennedi Bullard (8) controls the ball in Tuesday's Division 2 district girls soccer opener against Detroit Renaissance.

ball well," Lutheran Westland coach Sara Schafer said.

N.D. PREP 7, C'VILLE 0: In a Division 3 district opener Tuesday, Taylor Timko notched an assist as host Pontiac Notre Dame Prep (16-2-2) ousted Livonia Clarenceville (6-9-2).

Gabriella Galloway also scored twice, while Francesca Accurso and Hannah Zapczynski added solo tallies as the Fighting Irish advanced to Thursday's district semifinal to

face host Beverly Hills Detroit Country Day.

Clarenceville goalkeeper Brianna Tuuri-Cesarz made 40 saves.

"We played well and defensively did all we could the whole game," Clarenceville coach Amanda Moody said. "Summer Reddick, Grace King, Amal Musleh, Ashley Murphy and Tristyn Bean battled it out on defense. Brianna was unbelievable in net."

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ing out in the second half and keeping them off the board. It's something to build on for next year."

Franklin returns 11 of 18 players for next season, including four freshmen.

"We are graduating some great kids — Natalie Desautel being the prime player for the last four years, helping us win a district championship last year," he said. "She goes on to play at Olivet."

"Andrea Schweitzer, our goalie, Jenna Michniewicz, Jane Modes, Kara Dodane and Danielle Howard were just great for us. That being said, we have some great youth and we're excited about next year."

STEVENSON 4, FARMINGTON 0: On Tuesday, host Livonia Stevenson (9-8-3) tallied three second-half goals to put away the Falcons (2-10-4) in the first round of the Division 1 district tournament.

Sari Rakowicz got on the end of a beautiful through ball from Katelyn Foster and dinked it over the Farmington goalkeeper to open the scoring just two minutes into the match.

And although the Spartans were able to keep up the pressure, they were unable to extend their lead after 40 minutes.



DOUGLAS BARGERSTOCK
Franklin's Kara Dodane (7) settles the ball during Tuesday's Division 1 district girls soccer opener against state-ranked Novi.

But just three minutes into the second half, Stevenson's Aliya El-Sabeh launched a free kick — a bomb from 30 yards out — to make it 2-0.

Farmington responded with some heavy pressure the next 10 minutes, but shots and corner kicks yielded no results as the Spartans weath-

ered the storm. Taylor McLaud's goals at the 70- and 75-minute marks put the game away for Stevenson, with assists going to Emily Mulcahy and Allie Corp.

Goalkeeper Emily Kubeshesky made five saves to preserve the clean sheet.

HVL sweeps in district tune-up

Westland Huron Valley Lutheran slipped on its hitting shoes Tuesday to sweep a girls softball doubleheader from visiting Sterling Heights Parkway Christian, 19-7 and 14-4.

The Hawks, who improved to 14-7 overall, finish third in the Blue Division of the Michigan Independent Athletic with a 7-5 mark entering Saturday's Division 4 district matchup at home against rival Lutheran High Westland. (Game time is 10 a.m.)

Both games went only five innings because of

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the 10-run mercy rule.

In the opener, junior Emma Bogenschutz led the way going 2-for-2 with two walks, three RBI and four runs scored.

Another junior, Sarah Setian, went 2-for-3 with three RBI.

In the nightcap, sophomore Nikki Alcini was 2-for-3 with a walk and two RBI, while winning pitcher Dayna Schroeder, a junior, was 2-for-2 with a pair of walks and one RBI.

Schroeder scattered

seven hits, hit one batter and walked two.

She also won the first game allowing eight hits and one walk with two strikeouts.

DEARBORN 10, C'VILLE 0: On May 22, winning pitcher Victoria Coleman allowed just one hit and struck out 13 in a five-inning mercy rule victory over visiting Livonia Clarenceville (11-13).

Junior Nicole Kurdziel collected the lone hit off Coleman with a single to right field in the fifth inning. Emily Schwartz (7-11), the victim of five errors, took the loss for the Trojans.

Katie Konchal and Rachel Renko each had an RBI, while Amy Wensley singled twice and scored a run.

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"That's why you play the game," Glenn coach Ralph Cabildo said. "Anything can happen defensively. We did have several opportunities. It was one of those games where we didn't have one that went in. When you get to a shootout, anything can happen, like it did."

The third-year Glenn coach tried to keep things loose entering the shootout.

"When you're going into PKs, you've got to have fun with it and not put any pressure on yourselves," Cabildo said. "It's hard, they're high school girls, but you've still got to be proud of them. When the PKs come, basically the question comes: 'Who wants to take one?' And we had exactly five girls that asked to take them. You're glad that you have five girls that want to step up. That's what you normally do."

Wayne, meanwhile, had

gone 0-1-1 in two previous meetings with the Rockets.

"We tied them 2-2 the first game and we lost 4-2 the second time, so we know they have a little more talent than we have," Dean said. "It was just a matter of holding strong for the 80 minutes and we were lucky to do it another 20 minutes. Past that, it turned in our favor shootout time."

Dean's defensive strategy targeted one player in particular.

"The defensive four ... and Katie Kuder marked their best offensive player ... Sydney Climie," he said. "So we knew if we took her out of the game, eliminated her and most of the action, that we'd have a legit shot. Before you know it, Katie did a heck of a job on her kept her out of the backline."

For Glenn (7-9-2), it was a disappointing finish to the season after a fast start.

"It was an up-and-down season for us this year," Cabildo said. "Next year — at least with these girls — I would like to see more work off-sea-


son. We always come into the season not prepared.

They're not in shape. That will be something we'll work on. When they turn in their uniforms, we'll tell them to come back ready to go at a higher level. The speed of play is what they need to try to learn, if anything."

In last year's district final at Woodhaven, Dean was on the other end of a shootout setback when his 17-1 Garden City team was ambushed by underdog Livonia Franklin.

"Trust me, this is bringing back memories," he said. "Same kind of thing. You get all amped up — we made only one of five last year — and before you know it, you lose the district."

And it will certainly be a huge undertaking Thursday in the district semifinal at Canton, when the Zebras take on KLAAs South Division, Kensington Conference and KLAAs Association champion Plymouth (18-0-1), the state's No. 1-ranked team in Division 1. Game time is 5 p.m.



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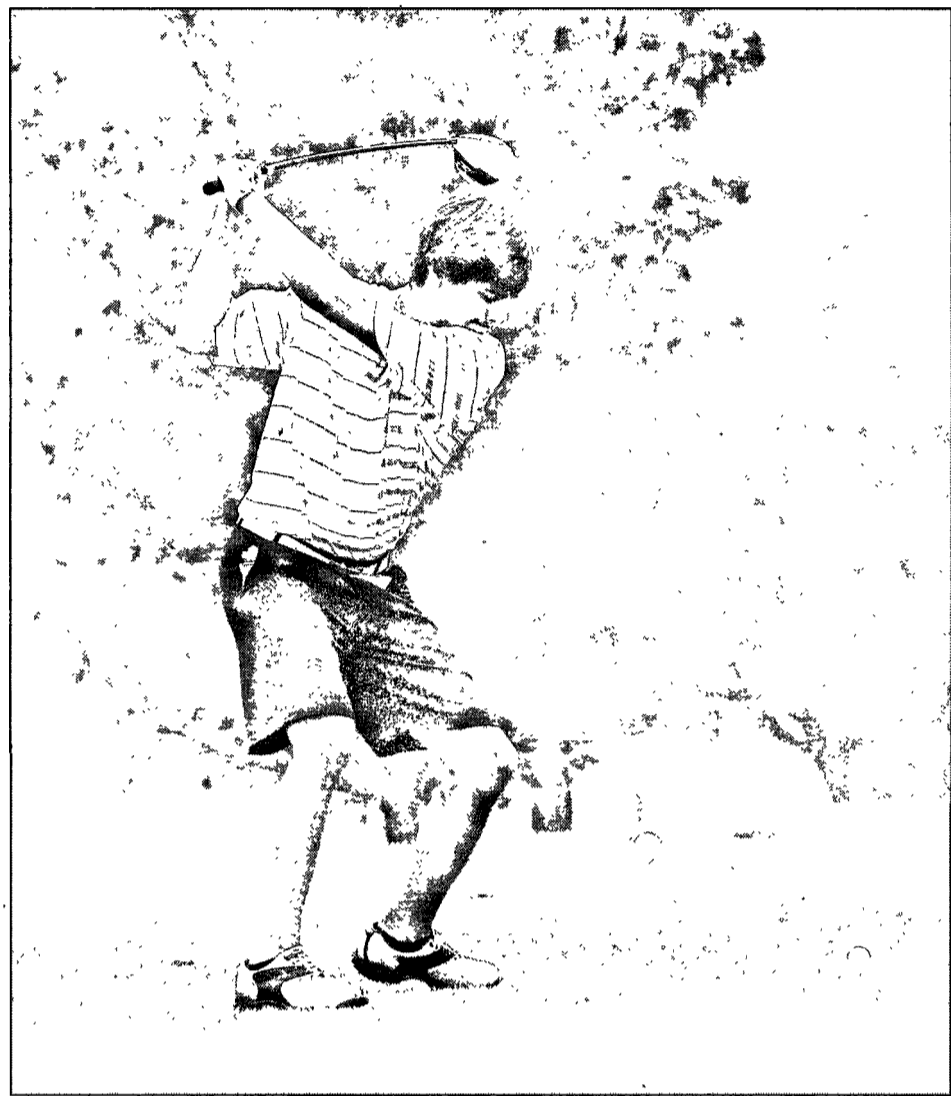
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TEAM STANDINGS: 1. Plymouth, 299 strokes; 2. Northville, 307; 3. Novi, 314; 4. Livonia Stevenson, 319; 5. South Lyon, 320; 6. Canton, 321; 7. Livonia Churchill, 322; 8. South Lyon East, 334; 9. Salem, 359; 10. Westland John Glenn, 365; 11. Livonia Franklin, 367; 12. Wayne Memorial, no score.
Individual co-medalists: Kyle Rodes (Plymouth) and Andrew Sarokin (Northville), 71 each.
TEAM-BY-TEAM SCORING
Plymouth (299): 1. Kyle Rodes, 71; 3. Evan Chipman, 73; 7. Kyle Melnick, 76; 13. John Tatti, 79; 22. Ryan Rieckhoff, 82; 37. Chris Kozler, 86.
Northville (307): 1. Andrew Sarokin, 71; 7. Todd Goebel, 76; 12. Andrew Stevens, 78; 22.

Matt Evasic, 82; 29. Andrew Johnson, 84; 47. Brad Minniear, 90.
Novi (312): 5. Mike Wenzl, 75; 11. Garret Buckley, 77; 13. Brad Kozinski, 79; 20. Billy Ulle, 81; 29. Bryan Fegery, 84; 39. Jason Carless, 87.
Stevenson (319): 7. (tie) Eric Attard and Austin Harris, 76 each; 22. Eric Marsh, 82; 36. Michael Blaesser, 85; 39. Ben Zammit, 87; 56. Connor Humitz, 94.
South Lyon (320): 3. Kyle Koehler, 73; 15. Gavin Garris, 80; 28. Nick Stella, 83; 29. Nate Copp, 84; 39. Zach Deline, 87; 47. Mitchell Stump, 90.
Canton (321): 5. Donnie Trosper, 75; 15. Tyler McMahan, 80; 22. Alex Champagne, 82; 29. (tie) Noah Lindbauer and Brent Perry, 84 each; 43. Carter Schenk, 88.
Churchill (322): 15. (tie) Brian Sexton, Doug Simpson and Alec

Kondrath, 80 each; 22. Zack Colosimo, 82; 43. Sam Spayd, 88; 58. Luke Otto, 95.
South Lyon East (334): 20. Alec Adgate, 81; 22. Matt Sherry, 82; 29. Conner Kivisto, 84; 30. Spencer Fleissner, 87; 51. Cameron Thomas, 91.
Salem (359): 29. Nick Danis, 84; 43. Noah Hirvela, 88; 52. Woddy Mashni, 93; 56. Adam Marcero, 94; 61. Josh Eldridge, 100; 66. Jack McCormack, 107.
John Glenn (365): 46. Nick Doupe, 89; 47. (tie) Andy Snyder and Josh Wakeford, 90 each; 60. James Hartman, 96; 63. Travis Sharp, 102.
Franklin (367): 37. Greg Bo, 86; 52. (tie) Tyler Gerhard and Alex Regish, 93 each; 58. Adam Stadler, 95; 61. Josh Dudek, 100; 63. Dan Butler, 102.
Wayne (no team score): 52. Austin St. Peter, 93; 65. Ken McKay, 105.



BILL BRESLER | STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Stevenson's Connor Humitz uncoils for a tee shot during Tuesday's KLAAS Kensington Conference tournament at Salem Hills.

GOLF

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as many greens and make as many putts as I could."

The weather had no bearing on his approach, he stressed.

"Rain doesn't bother me," Rodes said. "It made that course a little softer. I kind of like when it rains because then I think the other people's scores are going to go higher, so I try to go lower to stand out."

Other Plymouth standouts included junior Evan Chipman (tied for third, 73) and junior John Tatti (tied for 13th, 79) as the top 18 finishers earned all-KLAA honors.

Brandon said the rain delay actually helped his team, which finished 10-0 during the dual-meet season, to get untracked.

"We had a chance to settle down," he said. "There were other schools I could see that were off to hot starts. We started steady, but we weren't to our potential by any means the first few holes. It gave us a chance to regroup."

Stevenson was led by junior Eric Attard and senior Austin Harris, both whom shot 76 to tie for seventh place and earn All-KLAA honors.

"It was a good round for both them," Stevenson first-year coach Dave Higham said. "They finished the round with a couple of bogeys, but they had a good round going considering the rain delay and all of that."

Eric Marsh added a 22nd-place finish with 82 and Michael Blaesser was 36th with 85 to round out the Spartans' four-player scoring contingent.

"After the rain delay, the course dried out pretty good," Higham said. "But we fell short of our expectations a little bit. Obviously our goal was to win it, so we fell a little short of it. I think the rain delay kind of hurt us. A couple of guys struggled after the rain delay."

Churchill, meanwhile, boasted three all-conference honorees in Brian Sexton, Doug Simpson and Alec Kondrath. Each registered 80 to tie for 15th.

Both Churchill and Stevenson returned to action Wednesday in first leg of the MHSAA Division 1 district tournament, with the Spartans headed to Huron Meadows and the Chargers going to Lakes of Taylor.

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Bizarre finish

Bucks lose in Canton Cup on fluke goal

By Evan Paputa
 Correspondent

Everything was going as planned for the Michigan Bucks as they were maintaining a 1-0 lead in the closing minutes of their sixth-annual Canton Cup game played at Independence Park.

But in a span of five minutes, the visiting River City Rovers from Louisville, Ky. scored the equalizer and the 2-1 game-winner in extra time.

Just 45 seconds into extra time, Peter May launched a free kick from 60 yards away that fooled Bucks goalie Adam Grinwis. The ball soared high and appeared to be going wide right, but the wind pulled it back and sent it in the back of the net leaving even May speechless.

"That was the luckiest thing ever," May said. "I was honestly looking to play it in to our center-forward John Manga but the wind took it and the next thing I know I look up and my teammates are running towards me."

Neither Dylan Terry nor Mustaf Warsame started the game for the Rovers, who are now 1-1-1 in the Premier Development League's Great Lakes Division. But in the final minutes of the second half, they made their mark.

The equalizer came with only 2:06 left to play. Substitutes Terry and Warsame connected to tie the game up. Terry sent a crisp pass in to the box where Warsame slid the shot past Grinwis.

After regulation was over, the referees awarded four minutes of extra time. In the first 30 seconds, the Bucks had a corner kick, but couldn't beat Taylor Hafling a second time and the ball came out of the Rovers box, setting up the 70 yard May goal.

The Bucks scored the first goal of the game on a set piece, something they have been working a lot on early on in the season.

Drew Ruggles sent a free kick from the left side about 30 yards in to



BRIAN QUINTOS

Drew Ruggles (right) of the Michigan Bucks battles for the ball against River City Rovers goalkeeper Humberto Bertran during Saturday's game at the Canton Cup.

the box where Nick Walker's head deflected it. As Walker's header was rolling for out of bounds past the right post, Zach Steinberger was there to redirect it past the Rover goalie Hafling.

"We worked on set pieces earlier this week. The big man is supposed to head it across the goal," Steinberger said. "It went to the far post. I knew the ball was coming so I looped around and I lost my defender and got to the spot."

Hafling fought off several Bucks scoring chances all game. But he couldn't help but wonder when his team would get their chance as they had only scored one goal in the first three games of the young season.

"I knew it was just about time for us to put one in the back of the net," Hafling said. "We were more defensive-minded this game and we tried get the ball out of our end."

It was not all smiles for the Bucks, who slipped to 1-1.

Defender Kevin Cope was pleased with the Bucks' efforts, but knows

his team let one get away. "We had a pretty solid game; we stayed connected across the back four and midfield. But unfortunately we got broken down at the end of the game. It was not pretty; hopefully we can make up for it next time."

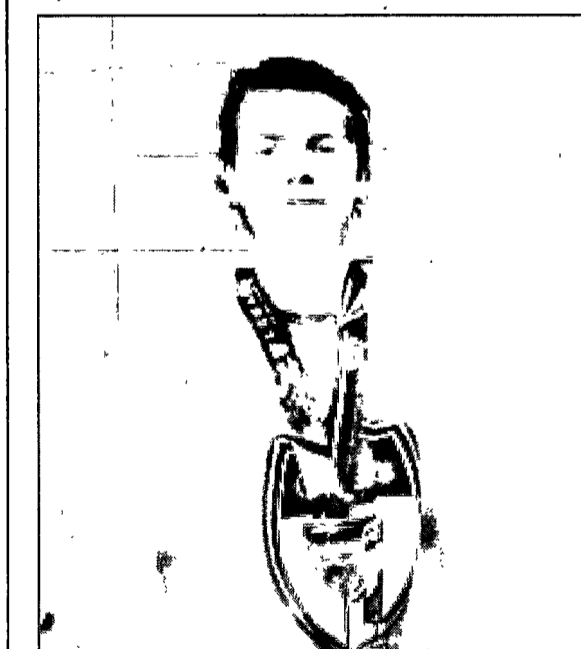
Bucks captain and 2009 Salem graduate Cope praised the Canton Cup and was thrilled to see the fan turnout, especially in the youth.

"It is a great experience at the Canton Cup, having a lot of the young kids out watching our game," Cope said. "It is a pretty high level of play for them to see. Hopefully they learned something. That's what it's all about; getting the kids involved."

At Salem, Cope became just the third defender to ever win Mr. Soccer in the state of Michigan. He went on to play at Michigan State where he will be a redshirt senior in the fall.

The Bucks return to action 7:30 p.m. Saturday at Pontiac's Ultimate Soccer Arenas when they face Kitchener-Waterloo United F.C.

Bell tolls for USHL



Evan Bell, a 15-year-old sophomore who attends Livonia Stevenson High, was recently taken in the sixth round (83rd overall) by the Fargo (N.D.) Force of the U.S. Hockey League Phase One Draft. The offensive-minded defenseman, who played last season for the Little Caesars Midget Major team, was also selected to play this summer in the 2013 USA Hockey National Player Development Camp in Buffalo, N.Y. Bell, who attends St. Collette Church, also enjoys golfing and spending time with his family and friends.

SPORTS ROUNDUP

FunStart tennis

The City of Livonia Department of Parks and Recreation will stage two sessions of its three-week FunStart Tennis Intro classes for ages 6-10.

Each class is 55 minutes with Session I at 6 p.m. Mondays and Wednesday, June 17 through July 3, at Sheldon Park.

Session II is scheduled for 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays, July 8-24, at Bicentennial Park.

The fee is \$76 for residents and \$86 for non-residents.

For more information, call (734) 466-2410.

Archery range

Registration is underway for the City of Livonia Department of Parks and Recreation's archery range, located on Glendale Avenue, between I-96 and Plymouth Road.

Range hours will be 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Saturdays (April-Oct.); 11 a.m.-3 p.m., Sundays (May-Oct.); and 4 p.m. until dusk, Tuesdays and Thursdays (Sept.-Oct.).

Season passes are available at the Livonia Parks and Recreation desk inside the Livonia

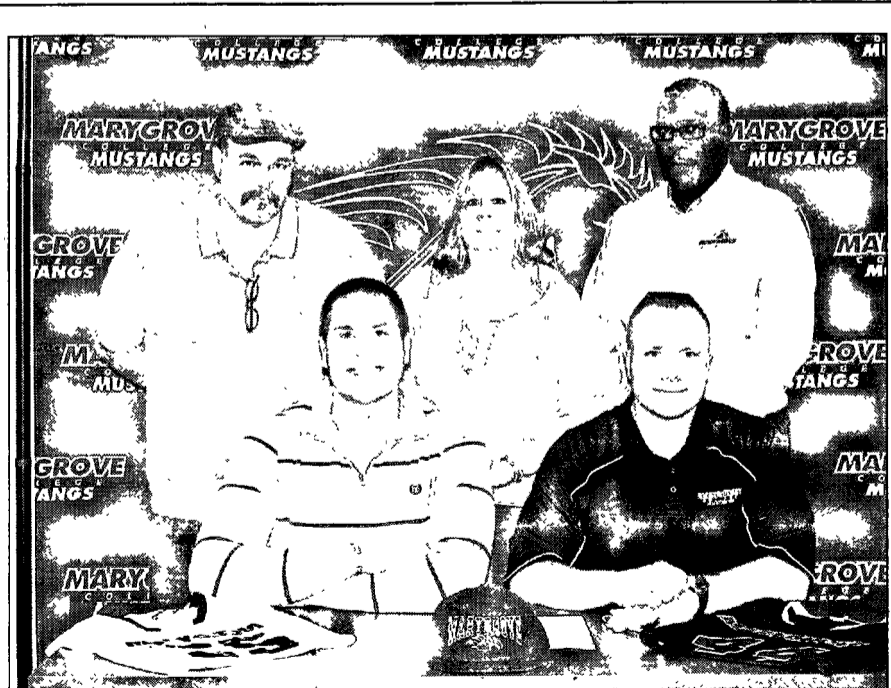
Community Recreation Center, 15100 Hubbard.

Resident season pass rates, which include unlimited hours, will be \$25 (individual), \$35 (two members), \$45 (three members); or \$55 (four or more members).

Non-resident fees are \$40 (individual), \$50 (two members), \$60 (three members); or \$70 (four or more members).

Daily resident fees are adult (\$4) and 17-and-under (\$2), while non-residents are \$6 and \$4, respectively.

For more information, call (734) 466-2410.



Marygrove signee

Jake Barham (front row, left), who averaged 11.8 points and 9.0 rebounds his senior year (2011-12) en route to third-team All-Observer honors at Livonia Franklin, recently signed an NAIA letter-of-intent to play basketball at Marygrove College. In attendance for the signing was (counter clockwise, front row) Marygrove head coach Dave Sichterman, assistant coach Greg Thomas and Barham's parents, Jeff and Elizabeth. "Jake is a big physical presence that plays with sound fundamentals and has a great touch around the basket," Sichterman said. "Being out a year, I think Jake will be hungry and motivated to play in 2013-14. If Jake continues to work on his strength and footwork, he will have an impact on our team very soon."

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An avid history buff, Milford attorney Jack W. Bolling is passionate about keeping the past alive for future generations.

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As an estate/legacy planner, Bolling has trademarked his approach to the estate planning process and accompanying legal services as Legacy LifeLines™. This process includes three steps: 1) counseling and plan design; 2) funding of the revocable living trust; and 3) an on-going maintenance plan that is unique to Bolling's practice.

Bolling encourages his clients to think beyond their financial matters and look into their own life's fulfillment by asking themselves questions like: What really matters most to me? What would I really like to accomplish? What legacy

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These important life questions are all the more reason that Bolling has expanded his practice to include Medicaid planning.
He believes that estate planning and Medicaid planning go hand in hand.
"Through proper planning, it is possible to provide for your long-term care while preserving assets for you and your loved ones," Bolling said. "Why should you give up something that you've worked your whole life for when

your spouse becomes ill?"
Bolling is also an accredited VA attorney and can help people who have either served or whose family member has served in the U.S. military. "There are many veterans' programs available, but you need to know who to ask and what to ask," Bolling said. "I am the person who can help you sort through these issues."
While helping people on a one-to-one basis with their legacy planning, Bolling reaches an even broader

audience as a guest columnist for Gannett Newspapers, including The Milford Times. He is also a guest speaker for many local groups and organizations.

With a deep respect and passion for history, Bolling is pleased that his practice is now housed in a 130-year old Victorian home at 334 Union St. in downtown Milford, which has been renovated to the period of time in which it was built.

Original pine wood planked floors, a cupalo, winding staircases, tall ceilings and etched glass front doors are just a few of the features that drew Bolling to this location in November 2008.

"History comes alive to me while conducting my practice in this historic home," Bolling said. "It gives me a sense of the past and a vision for the future — exactly what I want to bring to my clients."

— By Sally Rummel

Accredited Veterans Affairs Attorney. Member: National Network of Estate Planning Attorneys; National Academy of Elder Law Attorneys; President, Michigan Forum of Estate Planners and the Michigan Conference of Estate Planners

ENTERTAINMENT

Summer sounds

Hear blues, rock, classical music and more at outdoor community concerts

By Sharon Dargay
Staff Writer

"Music is in the Air" at Plymouth's Kellogg Park — and T-shirts soon will be, too.

Plymouth Downtown Development Authority, which presents the popular, free summer music series, will shoot shirts into the audience at some of its upcoming Friday night concerts.

"They have the Music in the Air logo on front and on back, a concert schedule and the logos of all our sponsors," said Tony Bruscato, Authority director. "We'll shoot some off with compressed air guns. We're doing something new this year. If folks come out to the concerts, they might get a T-shirt.

"It's also a good thing for our sponsors," Bruscato added. "Without them there would be no way to have a series like this. There are a lot of communities that have concert series, but none go 14 free concerts. It takes a lot of money to do it and we're fortunate to have them."

The Bluescasters kicked off the series — and the local outdoor concert season — Friday, May 24. Bruscato said cool, overcast weather didn't keep music fans away. Wearing coats and jackets, they filled approximately three-quarters of the park. The Crutches, with funk and favorites, is up next. All concerts start at 7 p.m. and are held weather permitting.

"I think we have one of the best line-ups we've ever had," said Bruscato, who works with a music producer to set the schedule. "Annabelle Road (Aug. 16) is one of the hottest country singers around. Steve King and the Dittilies (June 28) draws one of the biggest crowds every year. He is like the official state band.



Hear country music band, Annabelle Road, at the Music is in the Air concert series in Plymouth.

The park will be packed that night. Gia Warner (July 19) has a great voice. Fifty AMP Fuse (July 26) is back after a few years hiatus. When you put it all together it's a pretty good line-up. It doesn't get much better than that."

Lady Sunshine wraps up the season Aug. 30. For a full list of performers, visit downtownplymouth.org.

In the park

Two other concert series also begin next month in Kellogg Park.

The Plymouth Community Arts Council, New Liberty Bank and McCully's Educational Resource Center, present the Music in the Park Children's Concert Series at noon Wednesday, beginning June 19, with Guy Louis. Other performers

are Cats & The Fiddler, June 26; Thom Jayne & The Nomads, July 3; Beverly Meyer, The Music Lady, July 10; Harpbeat, July 17; Gemini, July 24; The Kerfluffles, July 31; Gordon Russ the Magician, Aug. 7; Guy Louis' second appearance in the series, Aug. 14; and Joel Tacey, Aug. 21.

Plymouth Community Band will kick off its 53rd outdoor concert season on June 13 in Kellogg Park. Carl Battishill, who conducts the group, says he's unaware of any other community band with a six-week free outdoor summer concert series. Concerts start at 7:30 p.m. June 13, 20, and 27, and July 4, 18 and 25.

"What it has done is give us a faithful audience. They know we're there every Thursday night," Battishill said. "The

programs are of a traditional nature. People know they are coming to a semi-classical concert. It gives them a sense of stability to know we'll be there."

The first concert, which has a "British Invasion" theme, will offer Beatles music and classical works. Other music themes include western, South Pacific and patriotic. The band's patriotic concert, held July 4 this year, draws its largest crowd, about 1,000 listeners, every season.

"The concerts are pretty well attended," Battishill said, adding that the band's audience is different from the crowd that attends the Music in the Air series. "We have people who aren't coming for dinner and to socialize, but to her the music. They come to listen. Our crowd

tends to be a little bit older."

Canton concerts

Canton Leisure Services also runs a Thursday night summer concert series and will offer some of the same performers scheduled for Plymouth's Friday night series. Its concerts run 7:30-9 p.m. in the amphitheater at Heritage Park, 46202 Heritage Park Road, Canton.

Canton's lineup: The Crutches, with pop/rock, June 20; The Gia Warner Band, with pop/contemporary, June 27; Motor City Soul, a high energy dance and show band, July 11; Persuasion, from Motown to top 40, July 18; The Randy Brock Group, with rock and classic rock, July 25; Justine Blazer, with country, pop and rock, Aug. 1; and Trilogy, with variety, dance, top 40 and classic rock, Aug. 8.

Canton Color Tour, a live jazz series, brings music to retail centers along Ford Road, Friday, July 5-Aug. 23, and its Backyard Beats concerts, Wednesdays, June 19-24, are held on shared green spaces and in neighborhood parks. For a complete list of scheduled performers and locations, see cantonfun.org.

In Livonia

The Music From the Heart series offers free outdoor concerts sponsored by the Livonia Arts Commission and the Parks and Recreation Department, 7-8:30 p.m. Thursday, on the steps of Livonia City Hall, located at Five Mile and Farmington Road. Performers are: The Paisley Foggy, with 60s rock/pop, July 11; Midnight Special, with 70s music, July 18; Trilogy, with variety, pop and classic rock, July 25; Allan as Tim,

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Film festival screens entries outdoors

The 4th annual 3 Minutes in Lyon Film Festival kicks off Friday, May 31 with a free outdoor screening at James P. Atchison Memorial Park in Lyon Township.

The 2013 Lyon Festival will feature newly created three-minute videos by local talent; some student and some adult amateur filmmakers. Over the past four years, more than 70 videos have been created for the festival by filmmakers who are just getting their start in exploring visual arts.

Videos submitted to the 3 Minutes in Lyon Film Festival are submitted, critiqued by television and multimedia professionals and displayed to audiences over the festival weekend.

The festival schedule is:

- Friday, May 31 — Free outdoor screening night. All videos are shown to the public for the first time on a large outdoor inflatable screen.

- Saturday, June 1 — All participants of the 2013 festival are invited to a private reception to meet the festival organizers, other participants, judges and enjoy good food and conversation.

- Sunday, June 2 - Festival awards ceremony, 1 p.m. at the Lyon Theatre in South Lyon. The top videos are recognized and awarded in each category. The Library Choice Award and the Audience Choice Award are presented.

"My goal for this festival has always been to give young people an opportunity to explore and practice their visual arts talents in a local setting," said



A photo from "Familiar," a video entry by Leanne Schultz in the 3 Minutes in Lyon Film Festival.

founder Rich Perry. "Many young people may not realize they have skills as a film director, editor or videographer until they actually begin the film-making process. Access to creating visual content has been made so much easier with video cameras in

practically every phone, some in HD, and basic editing software available for free. Anyone with an idea and a desire to tell a story can do so quite easily. The challenge is to make it entertaining and unique."

Another twist to the festival is that the video footage must be shot in the South Lyon and Lyon Township area.

The 2013 festival features several returning producers including Travis and Justin Burgess of South Lyon and Leanne Schultz of Hamtramck, who have participated in all four festivals. This year there are several new producers participating for the first time, as well.

James F. Atchison Memorial Park is located behind the Lyon Township Municipal Center, located at 58000 Grand River Ave., in New Hudson.

For more information about the film festival, visit www.lyonfilmfestival.org.

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with Tim McGraw country music, Aug. 1; The Earth Angels School of Rock, with dance and rock, Aug. 8; The Millionaires, with swing, Aug. 15; Livonia Symphony Orchestra (held in the gym at Parks and Recreation), with classical music, Aug. 22; and Sinjon Smith, with rock, Aug. 29. Visit www.ci.livonia.mi.us for more information.

Farmington-Farmington Hills

Rhythmic in Riley Park concerts run 7-8:30 p.m. Fridays in downtown Farmington. Performers are Paisley Fogg, June 7; The BackBeats, June 14; Lindsay Lou & the Flatbellys, June 21; The Luddites, June 28; Delta Twins, July 5; Billy Mack & The Juke Joint Johnnies, July 12; Hulabaloo, July 26; The Crane Wives, Aug.

2; Strings & Rhythm, Aug. 9; Terrie Lea & The Mustangs Trio, Aug. 16; and The Kreellers, Aug. 23. Listen to sounds from each group at www.downtownfarmington.org.

Stars in the Park concerts start at 7 p.m. Thursdays in Heritage Park, located on Farmington Road between 10 Mile and 11 Mile, Farmington Hills. Concerts include Dragon Wagon, bluegrass-folk-rock, June 20; The Groove Council, R&B, June 27; Farmington Community Concert Band, July 11; Bill Bynum & Company, featuring fiddle, bass, pedal steel, and guitar, July 18; the eight-piece horn group, Mass Transit, July 25; Persuasion, with Motown and R&B, Aug. 1; Parrots of the Caribbean, a Jimmy Buffet tribute band, Aug. 8; Farmington Community Band Big Band, with jazz and swing, Aug. 15; and Farmington Community Chorus, Aug. 22. For more information call (248) 473-1856.

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Keep the food simple. Ask everyone to bring a favorite side dish so you only need to grill up the hamburgers and hot dogs. Of course, you'll also want to whip up a few special treats. What could be better than a popcorn bar? Popcorn is both good and good for you. It's a whole grain food that is not only low in calories but also makes a great addition to many recipes. Because, sometimes, a sweet indulgence is just what you need.

Set out large bowls of popcorn along with shakers of garlic salt, cumin, lemon pepper, dry taco seasoning mix and Parmesan cheese for extra flavor. Add dried fruit, nuts, pretzel sticks, grated cheese and chocolate chips for a make-your-own trail mix option. Complete the popcorn bar with a few sweet surprises like delicious desserts made with freshly popped corn.

For more creative recipes, visit www.popcorn.org.

Double Chocolate Popcorn Balls

Yield: 18 balls

½ cup sugar
½ cup corn syrup
¼ cup butter or margarine
2 tablespoons cocoa powder
8 cups freshly popped popcorn
1 cup milk chocolate candies
Combine sugar, corn syrup, butter and cocoa in medium saucepan; bring to a boil. Add popcorn, stirring until evenly coated. Remove from heat. Stir in milk chocolate candies. Cool slightly. Shape into 2-inch balls.



Perfect Picnic Popcorn Squares

Perfect Picnic Popcorn Squares

Yield: 12 squares

1 cup light corn syrup
½ cup sugar
½ cup brown sugar
1 cup reduced fat peanut butter
8 cups air-popped popcorn
¼ cup raisins
Cooking spray
Combine corn syrup, sugar, brown sugar and peanut butter in a large saucepan. Bring to a boil over low heat, stirring constantly; boil 2 to 3 minutes. Remove saucepan from heat. Combine popcorn and raisins in large bowl; pour hot mixture over popcorn and toss carefully with wooden spoons to mix until well-coated.

Spray 9-inch by 13-inch baking dish with cooking spray; press popcorn mixture into pan and cool completely. Cut into squares and serve.

Coconut Monkey Mix

Yield: 7 cups

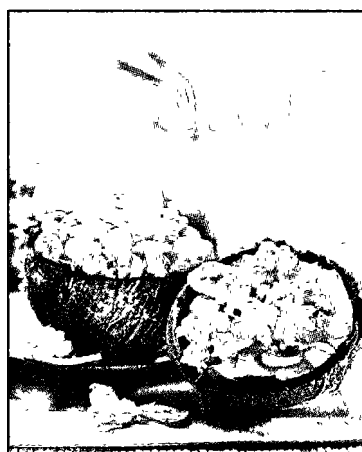
1 cup flaked coconut (unsweetened or sweetened)
6 cups popped popcorn
1 tablespoon butter or margarine, melted
1 teaspoon sugar
½ teaspoon salt
Dash of nutmeg
1 cup dried banana chips
Preheat oven to 325°F. Spread coconut in a 9-inch by 13-inch baking pan, break-



Double Chocolate Popcorn Balls

ing up any clumps as needed. Bake 10 minutes or until edges of coconut begin to brown.

Spread popcorn over coconut and sprinkle with melted butter; toss. Sprinkle popcorn mixture with sugar, salt and nutmeg; toss. Bake 5 minutes longer and toss with banana chips. Serve immediately or cool and store in an airtight container.



Coconut Monkey Mix

Grab and Go Pizza Popcorn

Yield: 6 quarts

6 quarts popped popcorn
Olive oil cooking spray
1 cup grated Parmesan cheese
2 teaspoons garlic salt
2 teaspoons paprika
1 tablespoon Italian seasoning
Place popcorn in a large, sealable plastic container (or in a 2.5-gallon plastic sealable bag). Spray popcorn lightly with cooking spray. Sprinkle cheese, garlic salt, paprika and Italian seasoning over popcorn and shake to distribute evenly. To serve, scoop popcorn into reusable plastic cups.

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Parade of Homes showcases local lifestyle options

Parade of Homes 2013, the 24th annual exhibition of new model homes located across southeastern Michigan, will open on June 1 and run through June 30. Home Builders Association of Southeastern Michigan (HBA) and Bank of America Home Loans sponsor this free public event.

"This is our comeback year," said Sam Palazzolo of Palazzolo Brothers Construction and president of HBA. "Today's buyers are in a unique position to take advantage of still low interest rates and the current market as we move into a better economy."

The Parade of Homes offers potential homebuyers a unique opportunity to visit the area's finest model and inventory homes, including condominiums and single-family homes, affordable housing and estate-sized homes. Visitors to the homes will have an opportunity to see first-hand the latest trends in energy efficiency and green building, architecture, interior design, amenities and materials. The 43 model, under construction and pre-construction homes and condominiums range in base price from \$159,990 to \$1,600,000.

The homes are built by 21 different builders, all members of HBA. The Parade of Homes includes five attached condominiums, one detached condominium and 37 single-family homes. Four of the homes are pre-construction, so potential homebuyers have the opportunity to work with the builder from the beginning of construction. Another five of the homes are currently under construction. The remainder are built and will be open for visitors beginning June 1.

Architects and industry experts will judge the homes and award blue ribbons in several categories. The judges will make their decisions based on a combination of factors including innovation, aesthetic appeal and value for the price. Judges for this year's program will be Lonny S. Zimmerman, AIA, NCARB of Siegal/Tuomaala



The Bloomfield model by Pinnacle Homes/Farmington Hills is \$450,000.



The St. James is by Mocer Companies/Oakland Township, priced at \$1,200,000.

Associates; Benedetto Tiseo, FAIA, NCARB of Tiseo Architects, Inc.; Michael J. Gordon, RA of Moiseev/Gordon Associates and Paul Salloum, Retail Sales Manager, of Bank of America Home Loans.

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Automatic renewal of pact not a plus

By Robert Meisner
Guest Columnist

Q: Our management company wants to enter into a five-year management agreement with our association with a renewal of five years automatic, if not terminated within a certain period. Do you think that is a good idea?

A: No. I think that the management agreement should not necessarily provide an automatic renewal provision since many associations forget to monitor that provision, and a



Robert Meisner

five-years contract sounds too long for any property management company. There should always be, however, even in a five-year contract, an escape clause for the association to extricate itself from the agreement with or without cause. Moreover, the association's attorney should review any management contract before it is signed, and make sure that the attorney reviewing it is not "in bed" with the management company because of financial referrals.

Q: Our property management company in our condominium says that it has a form to use for its contractors that it used in another project, and, that it will save us a lot of money in legal fees. I suspect you don't agree with that, but what is your opinion?

A: Every contract that an association or other entity enters into should be tailored to that particular project. While there may be similar clauses used in each contract, it is imperative that the contract be explicit to the needs of the parties to that contract. It is a false economy for the association to think that it is saving money by a managing agent arguably practicing law and, at the same time, potentially causing the association to incur liability in a future contract dispute. The association should make sure that it has its attorney review any major contracts that it enters into, perhaps in a dollar amount in excess of \$5,000.00 plus, and, of course, the management contract itself. That clause might best be set forth in the management agreement with the association.

Robert M. Meisner is a lawyer and the author of *Condo Living 2: An Authoritative Guide to Buying, Selling, and Operating a Condominium*. It is available for \$24.95 plus \$5.55 for tax, shipping and handling. *Condo Living 2* is available in both print and e-book editions. The e-book is available for download through iTunes, Amazon.com, and barnesandnoble.com. He is also the author of *Condominium Operation: Getting Started & Staying on the Right Track*, second edition. It is available for \$9.95 plus \$2.20 for tax, shipping and handling. Call (248) 644-4433 or visit bmeisner@meisner-law.com. This column shouldn't be construed as legal advice.

HOMES SOLD/REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS-WAYNE COUNTY

These are the area residential real estate closings recorded the week of Feb. 4-8, 2013, at the Wayne County Register of Deeds office. Listed below are cities, addresses, and sales prices.

CANTON	
2568 Barkhill Rd	\$77,000
1450 Bayberry Park Cir	\$189,000
40786 Bluesprings Ct	\$243,000
1648 Brookdale Dr	\$240,000
7008 Chadwick Dr	\$198,000
44933 Coachman Ct	\$131,000
1363 Copeland Cir	\$205,000
7402 Derby St	\$163,000
46482 E Oak Manor Ct	\$258,000
7520 Emerson Dr	\$183,000
46671 Grand Oak Ct	\$325,000
41427 Haggerty Woods Ct	\$110,000
1427 Kensington Dr	\$125,000
42343 Metaline Dr	\$212,000
45658 Morningside Dr	\$245,000
8596 N Canton Center Rd	\$105,000
271 N Willard Rd	\$125,000
3298 Niagara Ave	\$250,000
42371 Old Bridge Rd	\$145,000
47854 Pavillon Rd	\$435,000
641 Princess Dr	\$137,000
44148 Proctor Rd	\$165,000
42262 Saratoga Cir	\$136,000
44415 Savery Dr	\$44,000
44722 Twyckingham Ln	\$180,000
41126 Westfield Cir	\$168,000

30914 Barton St	\$50,000
32941 Barton St	\$72,000
30707 Beechwood St	\$72,000
6530 Cadillac St	\$85,000
28912 Cambridge St	\$55,000
33015 Donnelly St	\$75,000
985 Helen St	\$50,000
6663 Lathers St	\$50,000
30033 Rosslyn Ave	\$130,000

38884 Minton Ave	\$115,000
19044 Norwich Rd	\$90,000
16834 Riverside St	\$165,000
29646 Robert Dr	\$97,000
38636 Ross St	\$131,000
14627 Taylor Blvd	\$225,000
18437 University Park Dr	\$47,000
34573 Woodvale Dr	\$250,000
31707 Wyoming St	\$102,000

REDFORD	
9166 Berwyn	\$53,000
19318 Delaware Ave	\$60,000
15009 Dixie	\$57,000
14005 Farley	\$85,000
9943 Hemingway	\$70,000
25391 Ivanhoe	\$50,000
26311 Kenneth	\$62,000
15760 Lenore	\$23,000
9051 Lerverne	\$37,000
11371 Marion	\$65,000
13511 Royal Grand	\$64,000
9048 San Jose	\$73,000
19948 Wakenden	\$20,000
15802 Woodworth	\$48,000

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These are the area residential real estate closings recorded the week of Jan. 14-18, 2013, at the Oakland County Register of Deeds office. Listed below are cities, addresses, and sales prices.

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31740 Glencoe Dr	\$188,000
22535 Metamora Dr	\$350,000
16208 W 13 Mile Rd	\$113,000

1644 South Hill Cir	\$113,000
BLOOMFIELD TOWNSHIP	
4660 Burnley Dr	\$260,000
4580 Cherokee Ln	\$603,000
1961 Eagle Pointe	\$167,000
6246 Hills Dr	\$320,000
7120 Lahser Rd	\$75,000
2464 Mulberry Sq # 23	\$50,000
188 N Glenhurst Dr	\$665,000
4223 Smugglers Cv	\$372,000
5654 Tall Oaks Rd	\$300,000
COMMERCE TOWNSHIP	
5190 Joe Dr	\$55,000
4655 Vandalia St	\$165,000
6181 Warwick Dr	\$170,000
FARMINGTON	
31720 Leelane	\$129,000
FARMINGTON HILLS	
31701 Bella Vista Dr	\$122,000
25564 Bridlepath Ln	\$205,000
29500 Colony Circle Dr	\$243,000
28083 David St	\$100,000
21515 Hancock St	\$40,000
24701 Hathaway St	\$280,000
23135 Tuck Rd	\$98,000
22087 W Brandon St	\$94,000

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25335 Dennison Rd	\$665,000
LATHRUP VILLAGE	
18745 Cambridge Blvd	\$138,000
18151 Wiltshire Blvd	\$86,000
MILFORD	
350 Cabinet St	\$150,000
745 Knight St	\$86,000
800 Lone Tree Rd	\$242,000
1129 Riverstone Cir	\$247,000
2025 Rowe Rd	\$138,000
NORTHVILLE	
42103 Roscommon St	\$117,000
42177 Roscommon St	\$57,000
NOVI	
41539 Burroughs Ave	\$403,000
24435 Cavendish Ave E	\$426,000
44578 Ellery Ln	\$171,000
44580 Ellery Ln	\$165,000
44584 Ellery Ln	\$166,000
24051 Glen Ridge Ct	\$117,000
27922 Hopkins Dr	\$165,000
27926 Hopkins Dr	\$180,000
23209 Inverness Ct	\$400,000
25950 Island Lake Dr	\$470,000

25632 Portico Ln	\$518,000
27292 Sloan St	\$260,000
44849 Stockton Dr	\$88,000
24263 Weathervane Ct	\$171,000
SOUTH LYON	
24670 Brompton Way	\$436,000
417 Dorothy St	\$53,000
24289 Glenwood Dr	\$303,000
24563 Ridge Pole Ct	\$75,000
24594 Ridge Pole Ct	\$77,000
53854 Springwood Dr	\$220,000
52689 Trailwood Dr	\$2,000
52743 Trailwood Dr	\$2,000
52905 Trailwood Dr	\$2,000
52959 Trailwood Dr	\$2,000
26740 York Ct	\$308,000
SOUTHFIELD	
27445 Berkshire Dr	\$105,000
27900 Berkshire Dr	\$48,000
27090 Devonshire St	\$97,000
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ACROSS

- Gym dance
- Imitated
- Some PC screens
- Wonder
- Falling that
- Mystique
- Detach
- Physics particle
- colada
- Lets use
- Glitterati (2 wds.)
- Always, to the bard
- Need an aspirin
- Paint bubble
- Letter before sigma
- Emulates Galen
- Ms. Thurman
- Frozen desserts
- Phoenix loc.

36 Sourdough's find

- Glazed fabric
- Mercator's tome
- Truth bender
- Murmurs
- Repair place (2 wds.)
- Carrot or beet
- Ess molding
- "Close Encounters..." craft
- Endangered trees
- Polar explorer
- AAA suggestion

DOWN

- Suffers from
- Be in debt
- Cheerleader quality
- Craggy abode
- Factory
- This, in Barcelona

Answer to Previous Puzzle

DIKE	ELAN	TNT
UNIX	ROBE	EEO
BILE	ICE	CREAM
STOMACH	TEMP	
	PGA	GAB
ABATE	CORSAIR	
PAD	EAT	KOIA
TASTIER	TEACH	
	INK	JAN
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8 Pungent condiment
9 Archaeological site
10 Marched along

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16 Basilica part
19 Aloha tokens
20 Pickle holders
21 Mountain refrain
22 Explorer — Heyerdahl
23 Annex
25 Undergrad degs.
26 Bend in the road
27 Give off, as rays
28 Heckle
30 Not his
31 Monsieur's summer
34 Crows over
35 Makes public
37 Apple product
38 Made bales
39 Land measure
40 Wrench or saw
41 Tower over
42 Sluggish
44 Jump about
45 "Ben-"
46 Repeatedly
47 "Ulalume" poet

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BOTULISM	INDOORS
CARCINOGEN	INVENTORY
CHEMICALS	LAUNDRY
CLEAN	LINEN
DAMP	MAID
DEFOAMER	MAINTENANCE
DETERGENT	MANAGEMENT
DISINFECTANT	MOPPING
DUSTER	NAPERY
DUVET	ROUTINE
EPOXY	SOILED
FURNITURE	STEWARDS
GARBAGE	SUPPLIES
GRATUITY	WASH

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Word Search

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Rummage Sales & Flea Markets

FARMINGTON HILLS
First Presbyterian of Farmington, 26165 Farmington Rd. Corner of 11 Mile & Farmington Rds. Fri., May 31st 9-6pm. Sat., June 1, 9-2pm. lots of stuff!

Estates Sales

SOUTH LYON: Estate Liquidation, 1 day sale! All items priced to sell. Table & chairs, matching china cabinet, bedroom set, tools, jewelry, Misc. items. 22313 Brookfield Dr. 48178. June 1, 9am-4pm. 810-599-6097

Garage/Moving Sales

CANTON: Central Park Sub-Wide Sale. May 31-June 1, 9-4pm. S. of Cherry Hill, E of Denton, W of Beck. Entrances off Denton and Beck roads.

CANTON: CENTURY FARMS ANNUAL SUB SALE
May 30-June 2, 9-5pm. N/Palmer, W/Haggerty. Household, tools, clothes, baby items, furniture, new sales every day!

CANTON GLENNHURST VILLAGE
Subwide Garage Sale. May 30-June 1, opens at 9am. Great items! Too good to miss! N. of Palmer, E. of Canton Center.

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CANTON: ROYAL POINTE SUB-WIDE GARAGE SALE!
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CANTON - Sub-wide satel Central Park Sub. 356 Harbor, Cherry Hill & Denton. May 30-June 1st 9-5pm. Tools, jewelry, collectibles, and more!

CANTON: Sub-Wide Sale!
May 30-June 1, 9am-5pm. Cobblestone Ridge Sub. S. of Ford, E of Beck.

FARMINGTON: Chatham Hills Sub Wide Sale.
Thurs-Sat. May 30-June 1, 9am-5pm. S. of Grand River btwn. Drake & Halstead.

FARMINGTON HILLS
BIG MULTI FAMILY SUB SALE
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FARMINGTON HILLS
HUGE GARAGE SALE
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FARMINGTON HILLS
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Effective July 17, 2013, the following channels will now be available on an additional channel, listed below:

Entertainment On Demand	Channel 481
Kids On Demand	Channel 482
Nature & Knowledge On Demand	Channel 483
Lifestyle On Demand	Channel 484
Sports & Fitness On Demand	Channel 485
Cutting Edge On Demand	Channel 486
Music On Demand	Channel 487

Effective July 17, 2013, the following channels will no longer be available:

HD Showcase On Demand	Channel 297
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Bright House Networks utilizes a new digital video delivery technology known as Switched Digital Video (SDV). SDV is a robust bandwidth management system that makes it possible to offer more digital video programming services than before including new HD channels. To be able to offer more new video services, Bright House Networks will be moving some existing programming services to the new SDV system as well as adding new services on the SDV system.

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MYX	Channel 182	Digital Basic
CCTV News	Channel 183	Digital Basic
MNET	Channel 184	Digital Basic

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