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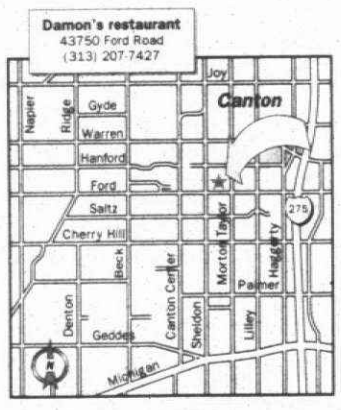
CANTON TOWN MEETING

Roads, public safety and the possible expansion of Willow Run Airport will be among the issues covered Thursday at a Canton Town Meeting co-sponsored by the Observer and radio station WXYT.

The live, two-hour broadcast begins at 10 a.m. from Damon's restaurant, 43750 Ford Road.

The program will be hosted by WXYT's Jimmy Barrett and co-hosted by Tedd Schneider, Canton Observer community editor. Scheduled guests are: Canton Supervisor Tom Yack, State Rep. Deborah Whyman, Plymouth-Canton Community Schools Superintendent Chuck Little and John Santomauro, Canton public safety director.

Those who wish to be a part of the audience Thursday should call Damon's, 207-7427, prior to the event.



Local road tax may return in '98

Canton's Blue Ribbon Road Committee has submitted its final report to the township board. It includes a timeline for a ballot proposal seeking a road millage next November. A similar proposal was defeated in 1995.

BY VALERIE OLANDER
STAFF WRITER

Canton residents could be faced with a ballot proposal for a road millage in November 1998.

A Blue Ribbon Road Committee submitted a final report to the Board of Trustees last week that included a timeline for a possible millage request. The committee has met biweekly since April to address the ongoing issue of roads.

"If we were to go to the voters with a millage, I think it would be important that the township board makes a commitment to the residents that they will continue using the dollars they already allocate to roads," said Blue Ribbon chair Jim Kosteva, a former state legislator.

According to the report, Canton has allocated $10 million over the last 10 years out of its own coffers to road improvements.

"We want to make sure the township doesn't fall into the lottery shell game," Kosteva said.

The report also stated that support of a dedicated millage or bond doesn't exist among residents right now.

By the summer of 1998, officials would be able to determine voter perception and the impact of the recent 4-cent gas tax hike in time for the November general election, the report said.

Other funding options recommended by the committee included designating weighmaster fines to improve township roads, since the increased truck traffic causes much of the damage; and using township dollars, in addition to DDA dollars, for improvements along Ford Road.

The Ford Road Task Force outlined numerous projects along the roadway in their strategic plan of 1994, however all of the projects were to be paid by the Downtown Development Authority. The committee suggested using "any available funds" to get the Ford Road projects completed.

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Private eye sniffs out career as investigator

Different Strokes

Labor Day, the first Monday in September, traditionally honors working people. In recognition of that, we've chosen to focus on a member of the community who has a job that is somewhat out of the ordinary. We also take a look at job trends from several angles.

- A University of Michigan researcher says higher education is still the ticket to the better incomes in Michigan's hot job market. /A5
- A Wayne State University researcher says social work is a hot job trend. /A5
- The jobs are "out there" – but they're going begging in Michigan. And they don't necessarily require a college degree, either, according to the Michigan Jobs Commission. /A5
- When it comes to "work" and "Michigan" these days, it's like the TV beer commercial says: It doesn't get much better than this. /A5

BY DIANE GALE ANDREASSI
SPECIAL WRITER

What you see private investigators do on TV and in the movies, "is really what we don't do," according to Rich Conway, a licensed private investigator and owner of Agent Investigations in Canton Township.

"If I did what a lot of people in the movies do with a nice chase scene and a shoot-out I'd be in jail," Conway said. "The way the law sees that stuff is reckless driving and manslaughter."

In fact, most of his work is done for insurance companies to check the validity of claims. That usually means following someone or studying their lifestyle. One case involved a couple who filed four separate claims against several different people represented by two insurance companies.

The couple claimed they were crippled and helpless. Conway learned they could do anything they wanted from cutting the grass to digging out a tree stump. He also learned that the husband had won a previous lawsuit that claimed that battery acid affected his brain and caused insanity; therefore, he couldn't testify in the current cases.

They were ordered to pay $50,000 in court costs. A lot of Conway's time in this case was spent in surveillance, which can "be exciting and it can be boring to sit in a car for 14 hours," Conway said. "If I do my job right no one will know I'm there."

You might say Conway is a cross between Sean Connery's James Bond and Peter Falk's Colombo characters.

That's about as much of a description Conway prefers. He usually starts his day about 6 a.m. leaving the office in his house in a quiet Canton neighborhood where he's lived in for 14 years. He immediately enters his other office in his car, which is loaded with five cameras, file cases and a stack of video tapes. Conway turns his car phone on, checks his videotape recorder and has up to two two-way radios on. "I'll meet another investigator and we'll conduct a surveillance," he said. "While nothing is going on I'll talk to another client who has paged me. I might pull out another file folder trying to find a witness for another case."

The people he's watching are usually guilty of what his client suspects. "My clients have pretty good instincts," he said. "When they ask me to do an investigation, 99 percent of the time the person they are skeptical about are misleading my client or exaggerating the circumstances."

On occasion, Conway takes spousal and custody cases. "If someone comes to me and says 'I think my spouse or boyfriend is fooling around,' I don't know when I've found a case that it wasn't true," he said.

"I usually tell people they don't need to spend the money for me to corroborate what they already know."

One spousal case that he did pursue, however, involved a wife who was convinced her husband was seeing another woman. "She was half-right, he was seeing someone, but it was a man," Conway said. "His wife

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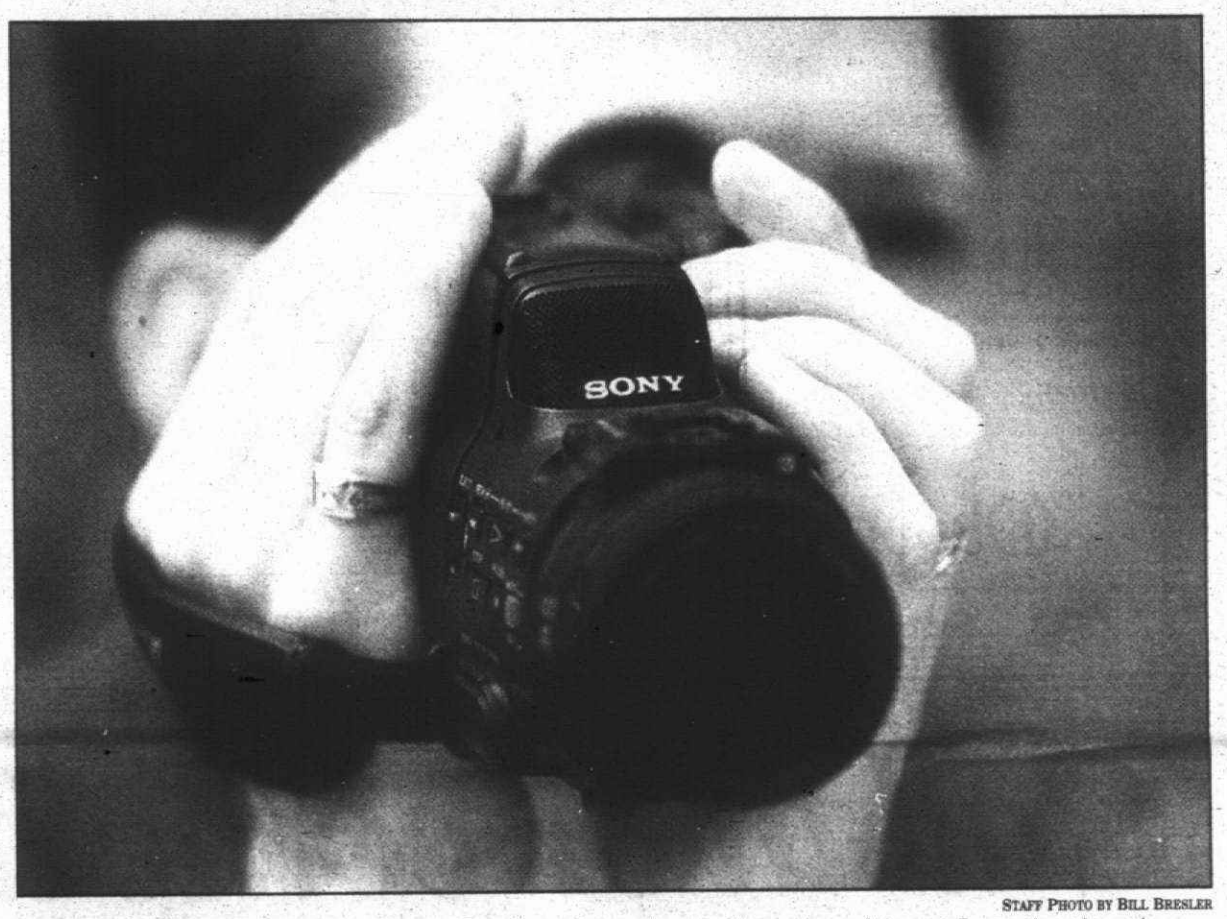

STAFF PHOTO BY BILL BRESLER

Private eye: *Rich Conway, a licensed private investigator, is owner of Agent Investigations in Canton Township.*

Former Superintendent 'Mike' Hoben dies at 73

BY JOANNE MALISZEWSKI
STAFF WRITER

If you knew him, you would say former Plymouth-Canton Community Schools Superintendent Mike Hoben was a softie.

"He was a man of steel on the outside, and a soft heart on the inside," said Elaine Kirchgatter, former school board trustee and Canton treasurer.

John "Mike" Hoben, 73, was found dead by friend and fellow golfer Jim Stevenson at his Plymouth Township home at 11:49 a.m. Friday.

Plymouth Township Acting Police Chief Robert Smith said Hoben died in his sleep, of natural causes.

Funeral services were incomplete Friday but will be handled by Schrader-Howell Funeral Home, Plymouth. He is survived by his daughter, Michelle, of Washington D.C. and his son, John, of Texas. He was preceded in death by two wives, both of whom died of breast cancer.

Friends were worried when Hoben didn't show up to play golf Wednesday. "We heard he had fallen off his exercise bike on Tuesday," said friend and former U.S. Congressman Carl Pursell.

Hoben was in a special program for diabetics at the University of Michigan. He was testing some new drugs, although it didn't help him much, Pursell said.

E.J. McClendon, former school board president, described his friend and colleague as a man of great integrity. "It simply reached into everything he did. He was so energetic. He worked a lot. If something needed to be done, he thought he would be the one to do it."

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John "Mike" Hoben

'Duct tape murder' defendant back for fourth trial

BY VALERIE OLANDER
STAFF WRITER

Manuel and Clara Mercado will again travel from their home in Cape Coral, Fla. this week to relive the horror of their daughter's July 15, 1984 murder through testimony in Wayne County Circuit Court.

On Tuesday, jury selection begins in an unprecedented fourth trial of a case that has become known as the "duct tape murder."

"I think the Michigan justice system should realize the predicament of the victims. Our daughter is gone. We are the victims now and they should accommodate our feelings," said Manuel Mercado, 71, during a telephone interview last week.

"I think it's time to think more of the victims' rights than the accused," he added.

It's been 13 years since the Mercados' 31-year-old daughter, Ella Maria Fisher, was killed by someone who bound her mouth and nose with duct tape and left her for dead in her Canton Township home. She died of oxygen deprivation five days later.

Her husband, Charles Roy Fisher, now 57, claimed intruders were responsible for the murder. The state — for the fourth time — is attempting to convict the microbiologist of killing his wife.

"Each time we go through this it brings everything back fresh to us," said Clara Mercado. "I thought he was guilty from the beginning."

A matter of guilt

Police and prosecutors also believed Fisher was responsible for his wife's murder, although it took months to collect enough evidence to arrest him.

Fisher was brought to trial for the first time in 1986. A jury found him guilty of first-degree murder, but on the day he was to be sentenced to life in prison, Wayne Circuit Judge Claudia House Morcom threw out the verdict. Morcom cited assistant prosecutor Doug Baker with misconduct for using evidence she had barred from testimony in his closing arguments.

In 1988 Fisher was sentenced to life in prison without the possibility of parole after a second jury found him

Please see FISHER TRIAL, A4

THE WEEK AHEAD

Local government: *Canton's Historic District Commission will convene a special meeting 6 p.m. Wednesday at the Travis House for an update on that restoration project. The regular meeting at the Cherry Hill School follows.*

MONDAY

Sounds: *The Ford Detroit Montreux Jazz Festival at Detroit's Hart Plaza features national headliners, Michigan artists, and outstanding high school and college bands. The event ends Monday.*

WEDNESDAY

Newcomers return: *The Canton Newcomers Club will hold its first meeting of the season 7 p.m.at the Sunflower Clubhouse, 45800 Hanford, west of Canton Center Road. The women's social, civic and charitable organization meets the first Wednesday of each month. Call 451-5426 for information.*

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Hoben *from page A1*

Hoben retired as superintendent after 23 years in June, 1994. He was succeeded by Superintendent Charles Little, who was unavailable for comment Friday.

Hoben came to the Plymouth-Canton district in 1955 as a high school math teacher and football and baseball coach. He also became a high school counselor, then assistant principal of guidance and counseling. In 1966, he was designated principal-elect of the new senior high school to be built in Centennial Educational Park.

Hoben's natural administrative talents continued to shine through. "He showed himself to be more skilled in administration than some of the principals he worked with," McClendon said, adding that Hoben's leadership and administrative skills were intuitive.

Hoben then agreed to take the job of assistant superintendent for three half-days a week. "He never got any extra money for that," McClendon added.

In June 1971, Hoben became assistant superintendent of education. By December, 1971, he was named acting superintendent when the school board discharged then-Superintendent James Rossman.

"There was hardly any room for discussion," McClendon said, referring to the school board's discussion to hire Hoben as the superintendent in 1972.

School officials immediately called to mind Hoben's knack for knowing what the future could bring. Recognizing the district's growth potential and the need to enter the computer world are considered Hoben's greatest achievements in the district.

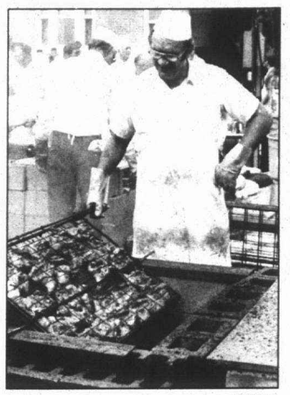
"He had four computers at his home. He was quite a whiz with all kinds of technology. He'd always have some kind of gadget, like schedulers and computers, in his pocket that he'd pull out. He was a lot of fun," Pursell said.

Hoben's fellow Rotarians were informed of his death at Friday's lunch meeting.

Former school board member and Rotarian David Artley, recalled his first meeting with Hoben.

Artley was a teen when he first met Hoben. Then a Belleville high school student, Artley was painting a Belleville "bee" on Plymouth school property when Hoben caught him, said Paul Sincock, Plymouth municipal services director, who attended Friday's Rotary lunch.

"He had indicated to Dave their paths would cross again, and they did," Sincock said.



FILE PHOTO

Familiar face: *Former Plymouth-Canton Community Schools Superintendent Mike Hoben was a fixture during the annual Fall Festival. Students, district staff and other festival goers could usually find him grilling chicken.*

Hoben volunteered for all Rotary service projects, and for years worked on the inside chicken barbecue pit - one of the most demanding jobs - at The Gathering during Fall Festival.

"He worked on that as long as I can remember," Sincock said." A couple of years ago they said, 'We'll move you off the pit and let you work someplace else.' He said he was going to work on that until he died."

Pursell and Hoben became friends while Hoben served as superintendent and Pursell served in the Michigan Senate and then on to Washington D.C. "I had him testify several times before Congress." said Pursell.

Hoben was an ex-officio member of the board of the Educational Excellence Foundation of the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools. "We've lost someone dedicated and committed," school board member Roland Thomas said. "He made one of the biggest impacts on the school district since it was founded in the 1830s."

Hoben, a 1949 graduate of Adrian College, was inducted to the Adrian College Sports Hall of Fame in 1971. He was Adrian's leading scorer in basketball as a senior.

Observer staff reporters Kevin Brown and Valerie Olander contributed to this story.

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Marching madness

Plymouth-Canton band gears up for season at annual camp

BY DIANE HANSON
SPECIAL WRITER

■ 'We're doing very demanding repertoire and, at the same time, it's going to be probably one of the most theatrical productions Plymouth's ever done.'

David McGrath,
Marching band director

The drums were sounding in the north woods of Leelanau County last week, but it wasn't the natives who were restless. It was the Plymouth-Canton Marching Band on the move at its annual band camp.

"It was an excellent week," said Patrick Ruddy, associate marching band director. "It's probably the best camp I've ever been to."

And that's saying a lot. This was Ruddy's eighth year at Camp Kohana with the musical marchers.

The 205-member band, under the direction of David McGrath and associates Amy Boerma and Ruddy, started tuning up for the fall season in June with the first of two, week-long mini-camps at the high school. The second mini-session was held in August right before the week in the Sleeping Bear Dunes area of the Leelanau Peninsula near Traverse City.

This year's program is a rendition of Maurice Sendak's book, "Where the Wild Things Are." The story is one of a mischievous 8-year-old, Max, who gets sent to his room without supper and imagines himself into a world of wild things where he is the king. From a "wild rumpus" to a ballad to music that is tense, exciting and fast, the band portrays the lyrical story with the aid of props, narration, and dance.

"We're doing very demanding repertoire and, at the same time, it's going to be probably one of the most theatrical productions Plymouth's ever done," explained McGrath. "It's a fun story. It's just a magical production. I think that the kids really relate to it and that's part of why they are working as hard as they are."

Steve McGuire, one of this year's drum majors, couldn't agree more. "Everybody worked really, really hard this week and got a lot done," said the Canton senior. "I think this will be the best show we've ever done. Everybody this week has worked harder than anybody has in my four years of being here."

Part of that might be attributed to the band's incredible energy according to Tom Wysocki, Plymouth-Canton Music Booster president and camp director. After 9-hour practice days, he said the teens still had enough energy left for dances and basketball. He said, "The kids have done a super job. They are full of energy."

Boerma agreed. She said that there were no discipline problems and that the student leadership was very positive. "It's been a good learning experience," she said.

According to Ruddy, the students appear to be learning fast. "The kids are working really hard," he said. "This is going to be extremely challenging. We are going to be marching at tempos that very few people even attempt," he admitted then added, "We are up to the challenge."

Parents, family and friends got their first taste of the new production on Saturday, Aug. 23, the last day of camp. The program will grow to an 11-minute presentation as the band practices every day after school and most of each Saturday. The show will be performed at five local competitions this year, as well as regional competition in Toledo, Ohio on Oct. 4, state championships at the Pontiac Silverdome on Oct. 25, and the Bands of America Grand National Championships in Indianapolis Nov. 13-15. Portions of the program will be played at Friday night home football games and at school functions.

Last year the award-winning band, with its performance of "The Road to Oz," swept first place in all Flight I local competitions, took second in regionals, first of 40 Michigan bands in the state championships and for the ninth consecutive year, placed among the top ten bands at the Bands of America national competition.

Additionally last year, the band captured the first-place trophy at the Fiesta Bowl National Band Championship held in Tempe, Ariz.

The band and boosters have drawn other national recognition. A reporter and photographer from "Education Week," a national weekly magazine for teachers and administrators, spent several days with the band and booster parents in preparation for a story that will appear in the Sept. 16 issue.

"They wanted to do a story on a model band program," said Wysocki. He said the Bands of America organization recommended four bands they felt fit that profile and the Plymouth-Canton band was chosen.

"Most everybody who is involved with this (band) is involved to the fullest extent that they can," noted Wysocki. "It's like a family effort by everybody."

DIANE HANSON

On the practice field: *Band members go through their routine during the August sessions at Camp Kohana in northern Michigan's Leelanau County.*

OBITUARIES

HERMINE BEHR

Mrs. Behr, 76, of Plymouth died Aug. 21.

Born on July 11, 1921 in Yugoslavia, Mrs. Behr was a seamstress with Del's Shoes and Apparel in Plymouth and Laphams in Northville.

She came to the Plymouth community in 1950 from Yugoslavia. She was a member of Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church in Northville. She loved to sew.

Survivors include her two daughters, Elizabeth (John) Zander, Dorothy (Leonard) Little; one son, Michael (Debra) Behr; seven grandchildren, Laura, Nancy, Elizabeth, Jordan, Nicole, and Jacob; three great-grandchildren, Terry, Shawn, and Andrew.

Services were held at the Schrader-Howell Funeral Home with the Rev. Fr. Stanley Tokarski officiating.

ELLEN VIRGINIA LAING

Mrs. Laing, 85, of Plymouth died Aug. 26.

Born on March 11, 1912 in Bay Port, Mich., Mrs. Laing was a registered nurse at Borman Hall (Detroit Jewish home for the aged) and Prentis Hall. She retired after more than 50 years of nursing service. She came to the Plymouth community in 1987. She was a member of the Plymouth Study Group and the swimming group at Schoolcraft College.

She was a volunteer for Health-A-Rama and her hobbies included knitting, gardening and swimming. Her biggest interest was the Dairy King on Main Street in Plymouth. She was known as the "Dairy King Grandma."

Survivors include her two sons, Thomas (Carol) Laing, Ronald (Christine) Laing; sone stepson, William (JoAnn) Laing; five grandchildren, Christina, Richard, Caryn, Sarah and Nathan; three step-grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; one sister, Dorothy Bogren; two sister-in-laws, Elaine Richmond, and Marion Delimater.

Services were held at the Schrader-Howell Funeral Home with the Rev. Dr. James Skimins officiating. Burial was at Grand Lawn Cemetery, Pigeon, Mich.

Memorials may be made to the Leader Dogs For the Blind.

ANTHONY N. DEMINK

Mr. DeMink, 83, of Westland (formerly of Harrison, Mich.) died Aug. 27.

Born on Sept. 13, 1913 in Detroit, Mr. DeMink was a truck driver. He was a long-time member of Knights of Columbus.

He was preceded in death by his late wife, Lillian DeMink and his brother, Harry DeMink.

Survivors include his two daughters, Norrene (Harry Jr.) Armstrong, Jacqueline (Walter) Garon; one son, James J. (Glema) DeMink; one brother, William DeMink; nine grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Services were held at St. John Neumann Catholic Church with the Rev. George Charnley officiating. Burial was at Hillcrest Cemetery, Greenwood Township, Mich.

Memorials may be made in mass offerings to St. John Neumann Catholic Church, 44800 Warren Rd., Canton 48187 or the Karmanos Cancer Institute (Plymouth region), 744 Wing , Plymouth 48170-9860; or the Michigan **Lupas Foundation**, 26202 Harper, St. Clair Shores 48081.

Road report *from page A1*

Resident Ed Lindow said as a member of the Blue Ribbon committee he "didn't find untapped resources like he was expecting to find."

Like other townships, Canton receives most of its road dollars from Wayne County, which is allocated funds from the state's gas tax. Cities get the money directly from the state.

Trustee Melissa McLaughlin said Canton is basically taxed twice because residents pay at the gas pumps and then, township dollars must be used for a 20-percent match with the county to get its roads repaired.

"We take picnic table money or tree planting money to match theirs while the guy in the Livonia just pays at the pumps," she said.

A number of suggestions for addressing congestion and the ill-fated condition of the roads were included in the report, which Treasurer Elaine Kirchgatter called "five and half pages of meat."

Some recommendations included:

■ Designating a committee of residents and staff to establish road improvement priorities.

■ Begin to form a long-range road improvement plan that includes every intersection and mile of the Canton road system.

■ Adopting amendments to the township's Master Land Use Plan that consider road issues when new developments are being reviewed by the planning staff and planning commission.

■ Seek a larger voice in Wayne County's priority setting process that is based on road conditions, accidents, traffic volume.

■ Review left turn signalization (or lack thereof). According to survey respondents the worst areas for congestion are intersections such as Ford and Lilley, Ford and Canton Center and Ford and Haggerty.

A $12 million bond issue for roads bombed with voters in 1995.

The committee is scheduled to reconvene in six months.

Investigator *from page A1*

was more surprised and confused, because it was a same-sex relationship."

Conway also rarely takes child custody cases. "Sometimes I'll take these cases just to add a little variety to my week," he added.

Once he did a cross country investigation of a mother who took her three children away from the father who had custody. Conway ended up giving the mother a pool cue stick in exchange for the children.

Conway caught up with the mom in a small town Nevada casino. "She worked in the casino and what her actual job was is sort of open to debate," Conway said. "She wanted to save face and she wanted something in exchange for the kids."

"You do see the seedier side of life," Conway added. "I spend a lot of time in neighborhoods that a lot of people wouldn't want to spend a lot of time. But you don't have to be down on your luck to try to make a scam insurance claim. I've investigated judges and other very professional people with healthy incomes. I investigated other private investigators who file claims of disability."

Listed in the Yellow Pages, Conway gets all kinds of calls from requests for personal protection to pleas about little green men who give off rays. He also gets calls to locate long lost family members.

"These calls will lead to significant cases, because it involves substantial profit for my efforts," he added.

Conway charges $48 an hour and 40 cents a mile. Most of his cases range between $1,600 and $5,000, but have gone anywhere between $200 to $10,000 or more depending on the case.

Conway has been sniffing out cases since 1982 after he worked for the Michigan State police as a uniformed officer and in the Inspector's General office. He says the two best things in his life happened to him there, because he met his wife and he was laid off – that's when he started working as a private investigator.

The downside of the job is the business aspect – paper work, making sure he follows licensing regulations and paying business taxes.

"If I could just be an investigator, which is what I like to do, that would be terrific," Conway said.

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Oakwood

Fisher trial *from page A1*

guilty of first-degree murder. He served nearly four years in jail when his conviction was overturned by the Michigan Supreme Court.

Fisher is currently in jail after a 1993 jury found him guilty of inciting perjury and attempting to obstruct justice by attempting to bribe two inmates at Jackson prison to confess to his wife's murder. The bribes were offered while he was incarcerated for the second conviction in 1988.

According to the testimony of Ricardo Bush, who was serving 10 years in Jackson for burglary, Fisher offered him $1,500 to confess to the murder.

Fisher told Bush he knocked out his wife, taped her mouth and nose, then sat down to drink a beer. When she woke up, he watched her as she slowly suffocated.

However, a murder conviction has yet to stick against Fisher despite three trials.

"It's time to put this to rest. With the obstruction of justice, it's really the fifth time for us to go through all this. Every time we hope it will be the last time," said Clara Mercado.

The third trial in 1996 ended in a mistrial after the jurors agreed he was guilty, but couldn't decide on first- or second-degree murder.

"He's like a cat with nine lives," said Clara.

Manuel, talking from a second phone piped in: "forty eight jurors have already found him guilty."

The fourth trial

Despite the obvious frustrations with the court system, the Mercados said they are pleased the Wayne County prosecutor's office hasn't given up on the case.

Assistant prosecutor Bob Donaldson will argue the case again. He was the prosecutor during the third trial. He is also the third prosecutor in 13 years assigned to the Fisher case.

"It will be fairly much the same trial, same witnesses," said Donaldson.

"Is there any startling new evidence? No."

As far as selecting a jury on Wednesday, Donaldson said, "thirty six jurors have heard this and they've all agreed he's guilty so I'm not concerned about how I select the next one. I just want one that pays attention to the facts."

Fisher declined an interview with the Canton Observer. He has been awaiting trial on the third floor of the old Wayne County jail. He was transferred there a few weeks ago from Saginaw Correctional Facility in preparation for his trial.

Detroit-based attorney Jim Kincaid did not return phone calls. Kincaid is the sixth public defender to represent Fisher.

The evidence

Prosecutors allege Fisher's possessiveness escalated into murder when he learned Ella Maria was to join a lover in Germany in two days. Fisher reportedly intercepted a letter from the lover and read numerous diary entries from his wife's journal, according to previous testimony.

Ella Maria allegedly began the affair with her 30-year-old first cousin, Javier Hurdado, during a trip to Bolivia. The letter said she planned to meet him in Berlin and then, return to Canton to divorce her husband.

Charles Fisher met Ella Maria at Radford Nursing School in Virginia. Charles taught a microbiology class. Ella was his student.

The couple married in 1979 after both left their respective spouses, traveling to such places as the Virgin Islands on Fisher's Fullbright Scholarship. In early 1984, they moved to Canton Township.

Fisher became director of microbiology at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Ann Arbor. Ella worked as nurse at Chelsea Community Hospital. She worked the late shift on July 15, 1984.

The alleged break-in

Awakened by noises in the house, Fisher told police he was confronted by an alleged burglar and hit over the head. Later he woke in his bedroom bound in duct tape, but was able to break free. His wife's body was on the living room floor with her head encased in duct tape. She was near death from suffocation.

Police became suspicious because evidence showed no signs of forced entry or burglary, no visible head injuries to Fisher or pressure marks from duct tape.

Fisher also was seen with two men in his red pickup truck, according to one witness. The truck was found abandoned near the Ambassador Bridge. The men have never been located.

A partial fingerprint found on a spool of duct tape also has some identification points consistent with the tip of Fisher's right thumb.

Ten days after Ella Maria's death, Charles Fisher ran a companion ad in a local newspaper promising "smiles, happiness, fantastic sex and devotion."

A woman who answered the ad testified in court saying she and Fisher talked of marriage until he was arrested for his wife's murder.

THE TRIALS OF CHARLES R. FISHER

Trial No. 1.

■ **Feb. 24 1986:** Charles Roy Fisher is found guilty of first-degree murder after a 2 1/2 month trial. Jurors deliberated for 2 1/2 days.

March 26, 1986: Fisher was expected to be sentenced to life behind bar... but Wayne County Circuit Court Judge Claudia House Morcom throws out the verdict against Fisher. Morcom cited misconduct by prosecutors and her own errors.

Fisher's attorney Daniel Burress successfully argued that the judge's order barring lawyers from raising objections during opening and closing arguments denied Fisher his right to a lawyer. The same order allowed Assistant Prosecutor Doug Baker to mention evidence in front of the jury that the judge previously barred.

Trial No. 2

■ **April 1, 1988:** Fisher is sentenced before Circuit Court Judge Thomas J. Foley to life imprisonment without possibility of parole for first-degree murder. He gave a 10- minute statement claiming his innocence. He was being persecuted "like Christ on the Cross," he said during the statement. It was Good Friday.

Fisher served four years in prison, but in 1991 the conviction was overturned by the state Supreme Court. The jury should not have been allowed to see Ella Fisher's diary, the court ruled.

Additional charges

■ **Jan 24, 1993:** Fisher is in Recorder's Court to seek dismissal of a pending third trial on grounds of double jeopardy (trying a person more than once for the same crime). There is no limit to the number of trials when a conviction is overturned on appeal. The judge rules that there will be a third trial.

The same day, Fisher was arrested on charges of inciting perjury and attempting to obstruct justice. While in Jackson prison pending the second trial, Fisher allegedly offered bribes to two inmates to confess to the killing. According to what one inmate told investigators, Fisher admitted to murdering his wife by knocking her out, taping her mouth and nose, and then drinking a beer as she suffocated. He was released on personal bond before Magistrate Izetta Bright. He was later convicted of the two charges and is serving time in Saginaw Correctional Facility.

Trial No. 3

■ **March 14, 1996:** A mistrial is declared before Wayne County Circuit Court Judge Cynthia Stephens. The 12 jurors deliberated for two weeks and couldn't agree on the degree of Fisher's guilt. Eleven claimed Fisher was guilty of second-degree murder while one favored a first-degree murder verdict.

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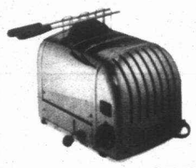

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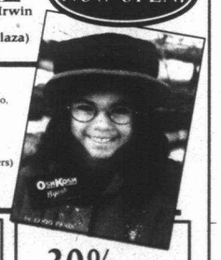

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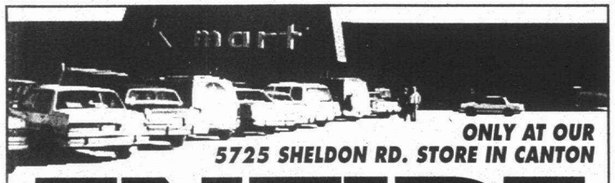

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Different Strokes

Help wanted sign is up in Michigan

BY RICHARD PEARL
STAFF WRITER

The jobs, as they might say on "The X-Files," are "out there" – but they're going begging in Michigan.

And they don't necessarily require a college degree, either, said Sheila Middaugh, information officer with the Michigan Jobs Commission.

"Young people think a college degree is the only way to a secure future, but that's not true anymore," she said.

The automotive suppliers, rather than the Big Three, "are becoming the place where the jobs are being generated," she said, and job requirements vary.

However, due to the auto industry's 20-year downturn (1972-92), high school students almost quit thinking of the industry for jobs, Middaugh said.

In fact, suppliers have been looking out of state to fill skilled trades positions.

Michigan companies also are working with government, local school boards and school counselors to find ways to aim students toward the industry.

Additionally, she said, "We are battling the 'vocational education' image, especially regarding the auto mechanic," said Middaugh. "That is really a white collar job today, because it is so computerized.

"A lot of young people don't know what goes into these jobs" and must be taught what auto industry jobs are available and the classes needed.

Middaugh cited three Detroit-area auto mechanics job listings offering from $10-15 per hour.

The latter, at Harrier Automotive on East Eight Mile Road in Detroit, had the most requirements: state-certified mechanic with tools, able to do electrical, heating, air conditioning, brakes, steering and suspension, fuel injection and tune-up.

The owner, John Harrier, offered a sobering note: he said 62 copies of his job listing were given out at the Michigan Employment Security Agency but no one applied.

A major problem, he said, is that, due to the increasing technological complexity of the work, a lot of mechanics "deserve more" money than is being paid today. But that would mean charging $100 per hour for labor alone and "the public won't pay it."

However, vehicles are becoming more high-tech "so the rates are going to go up," he predicted.

At present, he said, only "a couple" of top mechanics in metro Detroit earn $60,000 a year, and they're at dealerships.

Middaugh said that leaders from the auto industry and the plastics, publishing and wood products industries - the top industries in Michigan - have told the Jobs Commission their No. 1 priority now is finding good employees.

In response, the Jobs Commission has linked up electronically with a national computer resume service and is "actively recruiting nationally at the request of companies in Michigan," she said.

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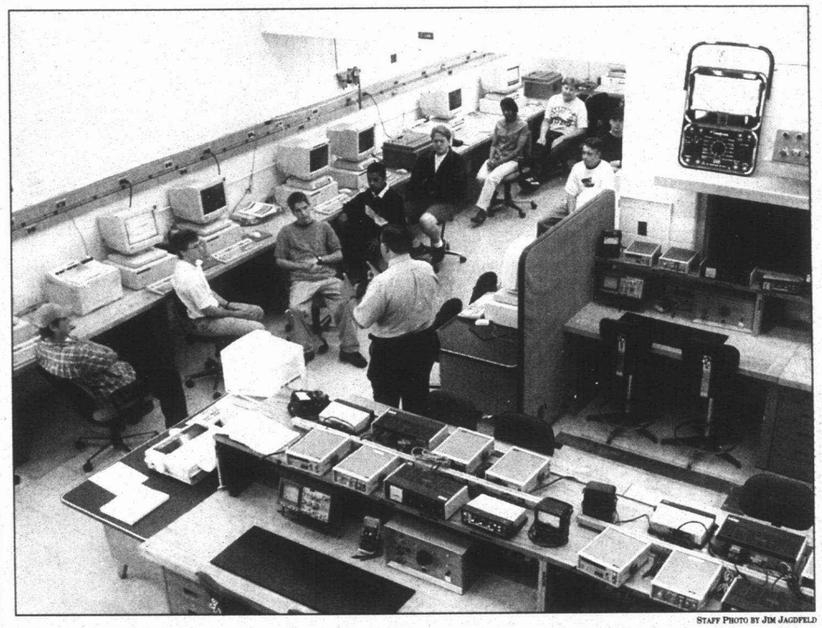
Sign of the times: *Many area businesses have posted the help wanted signs.*



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Higher education: *An electronics class is taught by Prof. William Schlick at Schoolcraft College.*

Education buys higher paying jobs

BY RICHARD PEARL
STAFF WRITER

Higher education is still, after 17 years, the ticket to better incomes in Michigan's hot job market.

Back in the late 1980s, it was assumed that all of the highly educated people in the workforce would collapse the wage rates, said Dr. Frank Stafford of the University of Michigan.

"But the big story continues to be," he said, that "the divergence (in incomes) between college graduates and people with less than a high school diploma continues.

"New technology is placing such a demand" on the marketplace "that salaries are still going up, while salaries of less educated people are going downward."

The economics professor, who is co-director of the National Science Foundation's Panel Study of Income Dynamics, said the most recent figures available, a head of household with less than a high school diploma has seen his mean income drop from $28,078 in 1989 to $25,094 in 1994.

His counterpart with more than a college degree, however, has seen his mean income rise from $71,525 to $82,646 for the same period.

Stafford, a researcher with U-M's Institute for Social Research, added that the huge rise in the stock market is due to "a lot of big gains in technological stocks. There's been a huge shift toward technologically based wealth and that's prompted technologically based returns" to people with higher education levels.

"Another huge thing is the extremely rapid educational migration of women in the last 15 years," he said, in which there has been "a rapid occupational migration of women to top jobs." This migration, he said, is faster in the United States than in European countries.

He noted, for example, that while women in nursing are earning extremely well, many who 10 or 15 years ago would have gone into nursing have become physicians, instead.

Stafford noted another change in today's job market as highlighted by the United Parcel Service strike: there is "a fragmentation of jobs into full and part time. Because of dual earners in households, a lot of people want part-time jobs. They want more flexibility in scheduling for both earners."

Furthermore, women in the United States are returning to work after bearing children faster than their European counterparts. "Low income women come back faster because they can't afford not to, and career women return because it's their careers.

"There's a tremendous time-pressure on young women with children today, and one of the things we're seeing is, they're getting less sleep."

On the other hand, people who are in their 50s and 60s and looking toward retirement in the United States are in better shape than their counterparts in Europe and better off than those fellow Americans 20 years younger, he said.

"The pre-retired U.S. generations are better prepared for retirement," said Stafford. "With the average retirement package including pensions, Social Security and privately accumulated wealth, the 50-to-60-year-olds in the U.S. look better than any such group in the last 50 years. The problem will be in the next 20 years."

Will the booming US economy continue?

"The 1990s look so far like the 1960s," the former chairman of the U-M Economics Department said. The '80s were a learning period in computer growth and technology, he said, and he feels that is what is going to carry the current growth beyond the traditional seven-year cycle, which would see a downturn in the fall of 1998.

Social work heats up as career path

There's something strange
In the neighborhood.
Who you gonna call?
GHOSTBUSTERS!

– "Ghostbusters" theme song

BY RICHARD PEARL
STAFF WRITER

Think of corporate downsizing, welfare reform and an aging population that needs jobs, not retirement, and it's easy to agree "there's something strange" - as in "unusual" or "unfamiliar" - happening in the ol' 'hood these days.

And who will you call? Not "ghostbusters," with their fanciful high-tech plasma guns, but professional social workers, whose broad training in the ways of modern, high-tech society not only enables them to help people deal with such problems, but puts them in one of the hottest of today's career fields.

So says Dr. Bruce Friedman, Wayne State University associate professor and coordinator of its School of Social Work baccalaureate program.

And he's not alone. For the past three years, the *U.S. News & World Report* magazine has included social work in its annual top-20 careers list.

Its most recent compilation (Oct. 28, 1996) cited six social-work areas - residential counselor, probation officer, managed-care, mental health, federal government and private practice - as key job fields. It cited 1995 annual salaries averaging $32,560 for residential counselors to $49,700 for independent private practitioners.

In many cases, said Friedman, "they are hiring at the bachelor of social work degree level," although the master's level is still very popular.

Social work is "an area that affects everybody's life at some time or another," the professor said, whether it's helping older people find jobs, making employable those coming off welfare, or aiding down-sized mid-level executives with big mortgages and private-school tuitions.

"The reality is - and this is just an assumption - we're looking at an economy where, even though it's improving, people are still looking over their shoulders because there's less job security," said Friedman.

"The question is," he said, "will there be sufficiently trained people" to help everyone cope?

The psychologist and the social worker differ, Friedman said, in that the former "looks primarily at the individual and how the person is functioning" while the social worker "looks at the individual and society and creates an intervention factor that addresses both."

"It's an intervention strategy that pulls in a whole variety of resources" from the community, he said.

In fact, social workers increasingly are involved in politics, he noted, citing Maryann Mahaffey, the Detroit City Council president and emeritus faculty member at WSU's School of Social Work, and U.S. Rep. Debbie Stabenow. Another nationally prominent social worker is U.S. Rep. Barbara Mikulski of Maryland.

"It's the nature of the education that provides" a perspective on both the individual and the environment, he said, and helps create interventions that can include changing laws.

He said physicians and the clergy increasingly are relying on social workers - physicians to help patients with bill-paying, prescriptions and recuperation and the clergy for help with parishioners' problems.

Friedman said Temple Israel of West Bloomfield, the state's largest Jewish congregation, recently hired its first on-staff social worker and other area denominations are considering it.

Social workers provide homecare for former mental institution and other such patients; assist family members in Michigan's "Families First" program, and help two-career families with the stresses of juggling career and family.

And they're in the court system, working to help people reconnect with their families, children and spouses and to deal with custody and paternity issues. "They're working with non-custodial fathers and how to get them to be involved with the lives of their offspring," Friedman said.

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– Dr. Bruce Friedman, WSU professor

Wanted: Workers with good basic skills

BY RICHARD PEARL
STAFF WRITER

When it comes to "work" and "Michigan" these days, it's like the TV beer commercial says: It doesn't get much better than this.

"This is a fabulous time to be in southeast Michigan, both from an employee and an employer standpoint," says Steve Armstrong, regional vice president for Troy-based Kelly Temporary Services Inc.

"The economy is expected to be robust for quite a while, and Detroit will soon be identified nationally as the new technical mecca," he says.

And the person who will most benefit from that Armstrong believes, is the one skilled at "multi-tasking."

"I don't think there's anybody in corporate America whose job has not broadened" in terms of responsibilities the last several years, he says, "and I think that trend will continue.

"The upshot is, people with good basic skills - good liberal arts skills - who can do multiple tasks and handle project-management well, those (people) will be successful in years to come."

While Detroit "will always have a strong manufacturing base," its technology base is rapidly growing, he says, driven by the Big Three automotive manufacturers and their tier one suppliers, who are increasingly found in the growing technology parks of Plymouth Township and Auburn Hills.

For workers, it means "people with good general skills are now and will be in demand" in both the engineering-design and information-technology services.

"More and more employers are looking for people with those core skills and will invest the training dollars to teach them a particular expertise.

"We (at Kelly) invest lots of training dollars in our applicants, both from a software standpoint and other course skills. If we get an applicant with the desire to succeed," the jobs are waiting, he says.

In fact, "A huge percentage of our business is temporary-to-fulltime," in which temps become full-time employees - "an interesting phenomenon," Armstrong calls it.

Furthermore, he notes, "evaluation is growing on both sides of the table" - employees are evaluating employers, with temps watching how managers treat regular employees, the turnover rate and opportunities for growth.

Employees today are given more latitude in their jobs "and this puts more of an onus on their skills," he says. "Their placement will be on their level of marketability, and the greater their skills, the more marketable they are.

"You couldn't ask for more than that," says Armstrong. "It puts a lot of folks in a great position. And it's a sign of optimism to people who are not so marketable, because they, too, can be if they add the skills to their repertoire."

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Jalyn Kennedy, a Kelly public relations specialist, says Internet recruiting has become an enormous asset, with a lot of technically and scientifically skilled people searching the Net for jobs.

Kelly, accessible via www.kellyservices.com, lets applicants know what it has available in other cities. And applicants can use the technology to leave their E-mail address for communications.

Kelly, third-largest temporary placement agency behind Manpower and Olsten, does business in 16 countries outside the United States. "A third of our business is outside the U.S.," Kennedy says.

MDA Telethon begins tonight on Fox 2

The Jerry Lewis MDA Labor Day Telethon, which begins tonight, marks 23 years of service to the Muscular Dystrophy Association by WJBK Fox 2.

The telethon starts at 10:30 p.m. and ends at 7:30 p.m. Labor Day.

Hosting the local segments of this year's event will be Fox 2 chief meteorologist Chris Edwards, news anchors Sherry Margolis, Alan Lee, Deena Centofanti, Kam Carman and sports anchor/reporter Frank Mallicoat.

They will be joined in the studio by WOMC morning drive host Dick Purtan and other local celebrities.

The national portion of the telethon will be hosted by Telethon Honorary National Chairman Jerry Lewis with support from Ed McMahon, Casey Kasem, Maureen McGovern and many others from the entertainment world, including a live excerpt from the Riverdance show.

In addition to the Telethon, Fox 2 took first place in the news category in the 18th annual Pat Weaver/MDA Broadcast Journalism Awards competition. The story, entitled "Brian Swica," focused on the day-to-day experience of a local young adult with muscular dystrophy, who participated as a co-host of last year's Telethon.

Fox 2 also took third place honors in the MDA Telethon profile category for the "Robert DeLeary Profile." DeLeary is a 33-year-old man with ALS, commonly known as Lou Gehrig's Disease.

WJBK has broadcast the MDA Telethon for 23 years.

Seedling sale continues

The Wayne County Soil Conservation District announces its annual fall tree seedling sale for 1997. Orders for planting stock will be accepted until Sept. 30. Seedling are tentatively scheduled for distribution on Friday, Oct. 17.

Planting stock available this fall includes Austrian pine, white pine, Colorado blue spruce, Norway spruce, misty blue spruce, concolor fir and Canaan fir.

New this fall the district is selling bulbs for naturalizing. The purpose of the district's tree program is to assist landowners in obtaining planting stock a low cost of reforestation, windbreaks, erosion control and wildlife habitat improvement.

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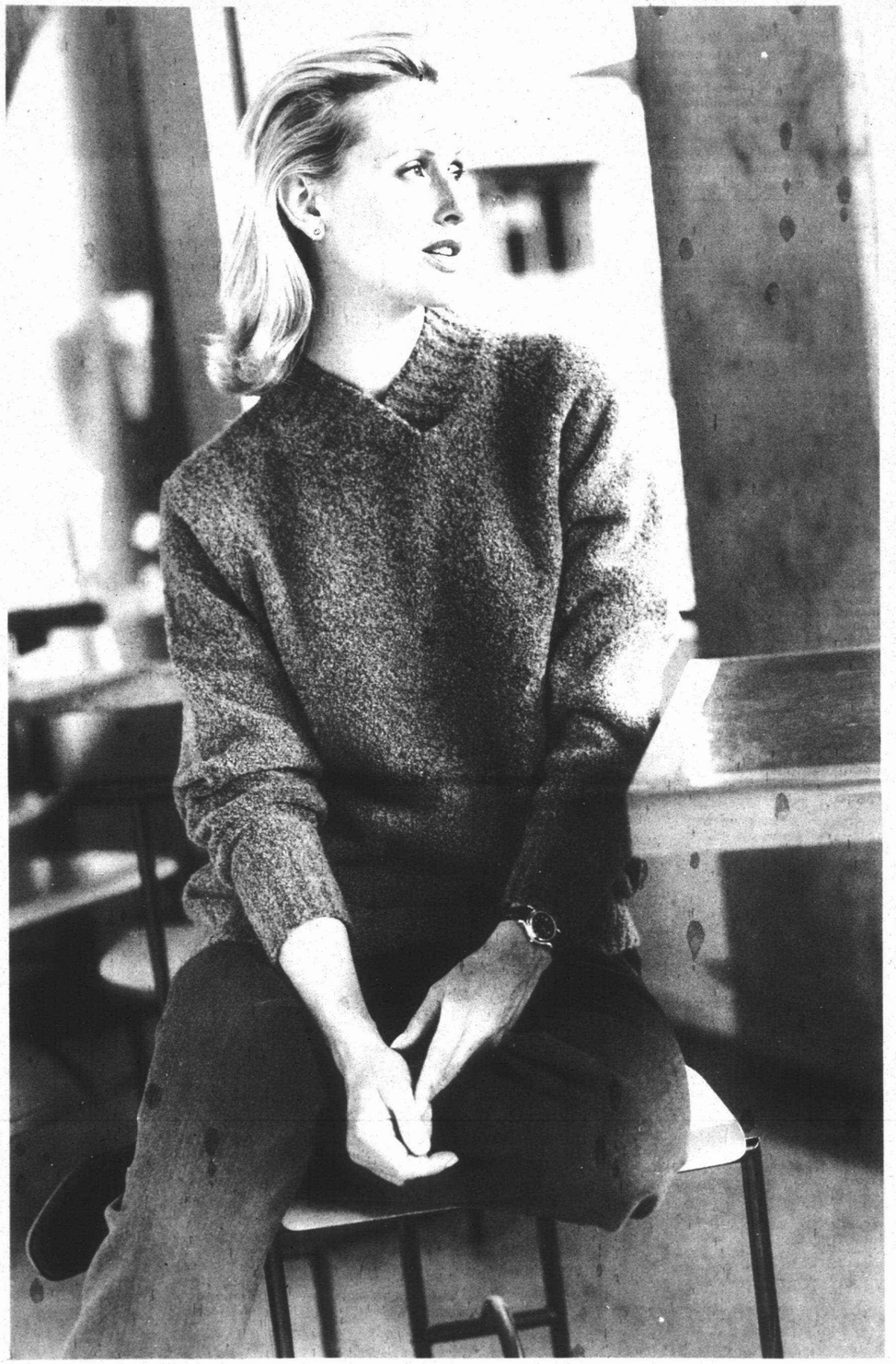

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Canton, Plymouth grow, while older suburbs decline

BY TIM RICHARD
STAFF WRITER

■ As usual, the population growth is uneven. Detroit continues to be the big loser, falling below one million, and has been joined by Redford Township, Livonia, Garden City, Wayne, Dearborn Heights and the downriver suburbs.

After decades of stagnation and outflow of people, southeastern Michigan's population has risen 127,000 since 1990, particularly in the northern and western suburbs.

As usual, the population growth is uneven. Detroit continues to be the big loser, falling below one million, and has been joined by Redford Township, Livonia, Garden City, Wayne, Dearborn Heights and the downriver suburbs.

In Oakland County, the growth area has shifted from Farmington Hills and Troy to the two northern and two western tiers of townships: Oakland, Orion, Independence, Springfield, White Lake, Commerce and Novi. Numerically, Oakland is the biggest gainer, with 90,500 of the 127,000 new people.

Percentagewise, Livingston County is the growth hot spot of the seven-county region, gaining 19.5 percent in population since the 1990 census.

The figures were published by SEMCOG, the Southeast Michigan Council of Governments, a planning agency for the seven-county region of Wayne, Oakland, Macomb, Livingston, Washtenaw, St. Clair and Monroe. They are dated July 1, 1996, and reflect a year's delay in compiling building statistics from hundreds of cities and townships.

Although many units, such as Livonia, lost population, they continued to gain housing units as family size continued to shrink. The region's population grew 2.7 percent and household growth rose 5.7 percent during the 1990s.

Here are samples of growth in Wayne County:

■ Huron Township, south of Metropolitan Airport, was the boom area, growing 18.1 percent to 2,337 in population and 25.2 percent in housing units to 4,398.

■ Canton Township was third, growing 17.1 percent in population to 66,766 and 21 percent in housing units to 23,642.

■ Garden City shrank 4.2 percent to 30,503 as housing units rose 1.1 percent to 11,341.

■ Livonia continued as the fifth largest city in the region (behind Detroit, Warren, Sterling Heights and Ann Arbor). Its population slipped 1.5 percent to 99,373. Housing units grew 4 percent to 37,361.

■ The Wayne County segment of the city of Northville was almost level at 0.4 percent population growth to 2,871, but housing units grew 7.9 percent to 1,251. The Oakland County portion of Northville grew 4.1 percent to 3,503 in population and 4.6 percent in housing units to 1,286.

■ Northville Township was second biggest gainer in the county, showing 16.6 percent population growth to 20,192 and a 24.3 percent growth in housing units to 7,634.

■ The city of Plymouth, one of the older units in the county, slipped 3.4 percent in population to 9,240 but grew 2.8 percent in housing units to 4,385.

■ Plymouth Township grew 8.4 percent to 25,645 in population and 12.3 percent in housing units to 9,903.

■ Redford Township fell 4.6 percent in population to 51,871 but grew 1.1 percent in housing units to 20,346.

■ Westland, a housing boom area in the 1960s through 1980s, saw population rise a scant 2 percent to 86,374 and housing units 7.6 percent to 35,615.

Detroit slid 4.2 percent, falling below the magic mark of one million to 985,074. Many state law classifications and federal aid programs are based on population. If the population stays below one million in the 2000 census, Detroit's political position will slide.

Madonna hosts anniversary party

Madonna University's throwing a part and the public is invited.

Celebrating its 50th anniversary this year, Madonna is opening its doors for everyone to come and join the fun from 1-4 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 27 in the Activities Center on the Madonna campus, corner of Schoolcraft and Levan roads in Livonia.

The celebration will include live entertainment, dancing and fashions of the decade, karaoke and an appearance by an Elvis look alike. Food and refreshments will be available along with a classic car show.

A children's entertainment corner will feature clowns, a magician and theater group. Fifty decorated cakes will be judged for their appropriateness to the anniversary them by Dennis Neubacher of WXYZ-TV and Linda Lanci of WNIC -100.3 FM. Prizes will be awarded and blue and gold balloons will be launched. A liturgy will follow at 4 p.m. in Kresge Hall for those who wish to attend.

For more information, call (313) 432-5741.

Toastmasters offer 6-week workshop

The Motor City Singles and Dearborn Dynamic Toastmasters clubs will present a six-week communication workshop beginning Friday, Sept. 5.

The six-week program meets 6:30-8:30 p.m. in the Ram's Horn Restaurant, Plymouth Road at Telegraph in Redford Township.

The hands-on program is open to everyone, age 18 and older. Cost is $25 per person. Workbook is included (meals are not included).

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Elderwise will launch fall program

Elderwise will kick off its fall program 1-3 p.m. Wednesday in the Senior Health Building in the St. Joseph Mercy Hospital/McAuley Complex, 5361 McAuley Drive, Ann Arbor.

A presentation on upcoming programs will be featured.

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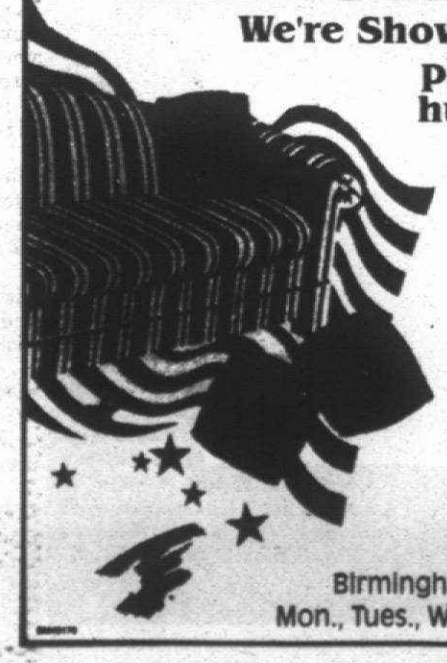

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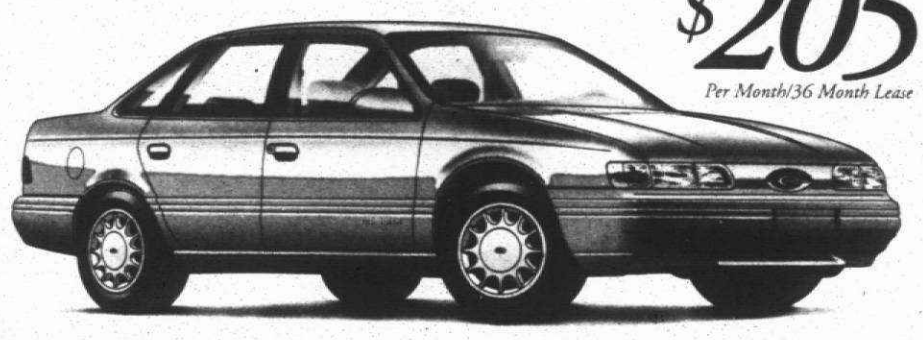

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HOME SENSE

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Take a scientific look at vegetables

The food scientist in all of us wants to know the "whys and hows" of vegetable storage and cooking so they retain their wholesome nutrients. Hopefully, some of the following questions and answers will be helpful and satisfy the food scientist in you.

■ ***Q: I bought red cabbage and when cooked, it turned blue-purple, what happened?***

■ A: Anthocyanin is the principle compound in red cabbage. Acid turns it red, and alkali turns it bluish purple. Red cabbage has a high acid content. When it's cooked too long, the alkali becomes predominant, and makes the cabbage bluish purple. The harder the water, the more cabbage discolors.

■ ***Q: Why shouldn't I serve cold tomatoes?***

■ A: You can serve tomatoes cold, but they won't be as tasty or aromatic. Store tomatoes at room temperature; they'll be juicier, and more flavorful.

■ ***Q: What factors affect the cooking time of vegetables?***

■ A: The acid in the vegetable slows the cooking process. The size of the vegetable pieces, cooking method, and degree of heat all affect cooking times.

■ ***Q: When boiling or simmering vegetables should the pot be covered or uncovered?***

■ A: When you cover a cooking pot, the nutrients are not boiled out into the air. A covered pot cooks at a higher temperature so the vegetables cook more quickly. The only advantage to cooking them without a lid is the green vegetables retain their vivid green color better.

■ ***Q: Why do boiled white onions or potatoes turn yellow?***

■ A: This is due to the pigment flavone. After prolonged heat, a brownish-yellow tint develops. If your water is hard, add a touch of cream of tartar or lemon juice to keep these vegetables white.

■ ***Q: How long can I store corn on the cob in the refrigerator?***

■ A: There is an old adage that says, "don't pick the corn until a pot of water is boiling," There is a chemical reaction that converts the sugar into starch after the corn has been picked. The sweetness of the corn decreases very quickly. Use corn as soon as possible if you want the fresh sweet flavor.

■ ***Q: How much water should I use to cook vegetables?***

■ A: Use a minimal amount of liquid or none at all. Rules to keep in mind for nutrient retention is to use a minimal amount of water, a covered pot and use the shortest cooking time. Steaming and microwaving save most of the nutrients with no water. Cooking vegetables whole, instead of cut up into small pieces, helps retain nutrients.

■ ***Q: Does asparagus have to be refrigerated?***

■ A: Asparagus should be refrigerated. The longer asparagus is left at room temperature the tougher and stringier the stalks become. At room temperature asparagus loses about half its vitamin C content.

■ ***Q: Why does garlic turn bitter when I saute it?***

■ A: Garlic doesn't take very long to cook. If garlic is turning bitter, you have scorched or burned it. Shorten the sauteeing time, or lower the temperature of the burner. Low-simmered garlic has a mild flavor.

■ ***Q: What do I do with "new" potatoes?***

■ A: Round reds are commonly sold as "new" potatoes. New potatoes have less moisture and less starch so they absorb less cooking water. They are less likely to fall apart when you're making potato salad.

Lois M. Thieleke of Birmingham is an extension home economist for the Michigan State University Extension – Oakland County. For answers to food questions, call the food and nutrition hot line, (248) 858-0904.

LOOKING AHEAD

What to watch for in Taste next week:

■ Focus on Wine

■ Vegetarian back-to-school lunches

Pack treats for your smart cookies

BY STAFF WRITER KEELY WYGONIK

Offer someone a cookie, and watch their face light up. Cookies are just another word for comfort, and something kids look forward to in lunch boxes, and after school.

We did some homework, and here's how the cookie crumbles. The word cookie, is from the Dutch koekje, "little cake," and first appeared in print in 1703, writes John F. Mariani in "The Dictionary of American Food and Drink," (Hearst Books, New York, 1994). "In America the cookie has long been a favorite snack food since the Dutch made cookies popular in their early settlements."

Fig Newtons, the third best-selling cookie in America, arrived on the snack scene in 1895. Irena Chalmers, author of "The Great Food Almanac: A Feast of Food Facts From A to Z," (Collins Publishers San Francisco, 1994), reports Fig Newtons were "created in Cambridgeport, Mass., but the makers wanted to name it for some nearby town, and thought seriously about calling it the 'Fig Shrewsbury,' before Newton got the nod."

Ruth Wakefield, owner of the Toll House Inn near Whitman, Mass., added chocolate chips to her butter cookies in 1930 and was so pleased with the result that she sent the recipe to the Nestle Co. "The company printed her recipe on the wrapper of their large semi-sweet chocolate bar," writes Chalmers, "calling it the Toll House cookie. Everybody started making chocolate chip cookies like crazy, and Ruth Wakefield won a lifetime supply of Nestle's chocolate."

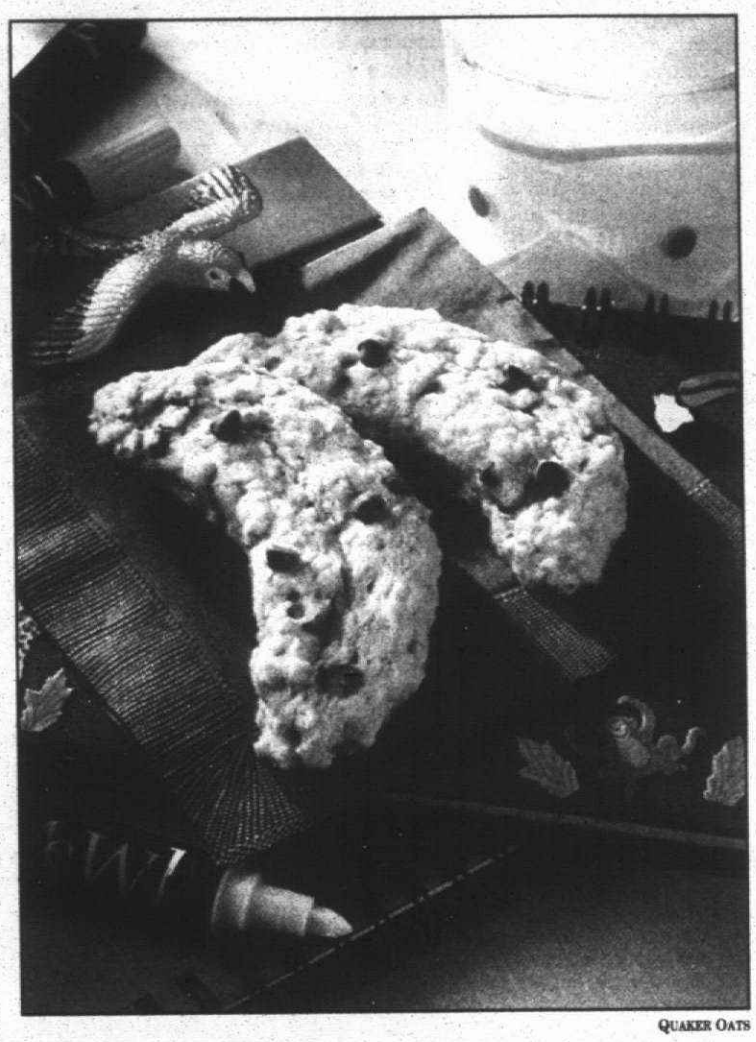
Nabisco Biscuit Co. introduced animal crackers in 1902, and they became a big hit. "Hydrox Cookies have been on the market since, Jan. 1, 1910," reports Mariani, but Nabisco's Oreo, first "sold to a grocer named S.C. Thuesen on March 6, 1912, have been far more successful."

Oatmeal cookies also occupy a beloved spot in America's cookie jars.

Cookie historians at the Quaker Oats Co. believe the first sweet oatmeal cookie was introduced sometime between 1910 and 1917. In 1943, American families munched on Mary Alden's Favorite Oatmeal Cookies while listening to Roosevelt's Fireside Chats. Mary Alden was a fictitious person that Quaker used from time to time in the '40s and '50s.

Oat Cakes, introduced in 1908, tasted more like a hearty cracker than a cookie, and was the first oatmeal cookie recipe to appear on the Quaker Oats package.

In the 1950s, an advertising agency decided that the space on the Quaker Oats package would be better used for advertising than for cookie recipes. Once the cookie recipes were removed, letters of protest and angry phone calls poured in, and cookie recipes were immediately returned to the package.



QUAKER OATS

Clever cookies: *Kids are sure to go bananas over Jungle Joe's Banana Cookies. Shaped to look like real bananas, these banana -chocolate chip oatmeal cookies are almost as fun to make as they are to eat.*

This fall, Quaker Oats, which is celebrating its 120th anniversary this year, introduced Jungle Joe's Banana Cookies. The ingredients are mixed together, transferred to a food storage bag with one corner snipped off, and squeezed onto cookie sheets into banana shapes.

Other kid-pleasing cookie ideas perfect for lunch boxes and after-school snacks are available on the Quaker Oatmeal website at http://www.quakeroatmeal.com and in a free brochure.

To receive a copy of the oatmeal cookie celebrations brochure, send your name and complete address to: Celebrations, P.O. Box 487, Dept. N, Chicago, IL 60690-0487. Allow four to six weeks for delivery.

See recipes inside.

How the cookie crumbles

Here are some tips from "Pillsbury: The Complete Book of Baking" (Viking, Pequin Books USA Inc, New York, 1993).

■ Use either margarine or butter interchangeably in most recipes. They give cookies good flavor and crisp texture. Solid vegetable shortening, used in some recipes, makes a crunchier cookie. Tub, soft, whipped, liquid or reduced-fat or -calorie butters or margarine should not be used because the additional air and water in them may result in thick, fat cookies.

■ Heat the oven 10 to 15 minutes before baking cookies.

■ Use shiny aluminum pans and cookie sheets. They will brown cookies lightly and evenly. Dark cookie sheets may absorb heat and cause cookies to overbrown on the bottom. If you use insulated cookie sheets, remember that cookies will not brown as much on the bottom and they may take slightly longer to bake.

■ Grease pans and cookie sheets with shortening. If the recipe calls for the pans or sheets to be greased, shortening works best. Butter tends to brown too quickly and oils or spray-on coatings can sometimes cause sticking.

■ Place dough on cool cookie sheets. This will prevent the dough from melting and spreading before baking. Space them carefully to avoid unattractive run-together cookies.

■ Leave at least 2 inches around all sides of the cookie sheets or pans in the oven. This allows the hot air to circulate properly. For best results, bake only 1 sheet or pan of cookies at a time on the center rack of the oven.

■ Cookies are done when they are firmly set or browned according to recipe directions. When you touch them lightly with your finger, almost no imprint will remain.

■ Cool cookies or pans of bars on wire racks. Place cookies in a single layer so that air can circulate around them. Steam from the cooling cookies evaporates and prevents them from becoming soggy.

Build a better beef sandwich with sweet & sour cabbage

BY KEELY WYGONIK
STAFF WRITER

Richard Gerst of Sterling Heights and his wife have two daughters, ages 13 and 15, but because Richard, an engineer gets home from work first, he does most of the cooking. His wife cooks on weekends.

"I enjoy trying to come up with something different," said Gerst who won the $75 first prize in the "Build A Better Beef Sandwich," contest sponsored by the Michigan Beef Industry Commission, at the Michigan State Fair Sunday, Aug. 24.

Gerst's Oktoberfest Sandwich also won the $30 People's Choice Award decided by the audience.

"I was very thrilled," he said. "I tried making the sandwich with sauerkraut, but my daughters didn't like it."

Made with only eight ingredients, Gerst's Oktoberfest Sandwich, inspired by his German heritage, is a satisfying supper in a hurry. "We're always short on time," said Gerst explaining why the sandwich is one of his favorites.

Last year's winner, Sister Nancy Fearon, co-director of Neighborhood Artisans, a job training program which serves the metro Detroit area, judged the contest with me.

Contest winners: *Richard Gerst (center) won first prize in the Build A Better Beef Sandwich Contest. Alan Reid (left) placed second, and Shelia Dill third.*

"As a former contestant I was stunned, because the recipe was so simple," said Fearon. "When you read the recipe, you say to yourself, 'this is going nowhere,' until you put your mouth around it. It's a winner. You won't believe it, it's delicious."

Like Fearon I was skeptical, too, but the sauce, a spicy combination of horseradish and lite mayonnaise, seasoned with allspice, salt and pepper complements the sweet and sour red cabbage and deli roast beef.

Alan Reid of Detroit won the $50 second-place award for his Beef Sandwich with Onion, Tomato and Arugula Relish. Shelia Dill of Utica placed third, and received $25 for her Marinated Beef Pocket.

Entries were judged on recipe, originality, appearance, and ease of preparation.

Sally Sibthorpe of Rochester Hills was among the contestants. "We're all friends, most of us enter contests year after year. The only time we see each other is at the fair," she said. "It's fun. We all like to cook a lot, but it's more fun when you're doing something creative. The contests are a validation of our ability to cook, and the prize money's nice too."

Sibthorpe has been entering cooking contests at the Michigan State Fair for the past 12 years. She entered her Spicy "Steak" Sandwich in the Build a Better Beef Sandwich contest.

"It's better served hot and made with thinly sliced grilled steak," she said. "It's topped with a fresh garden relish that's also good on omelettes."

Gerst and Sibthorpe have competed against each other before. "We have a little group and try to out do each other," said Gerst. "But we have become close friends; it's enjoyable."

"We compete, and cheer each other on," added Sibthorpe. "We have fun, sit and gab, and get to know each other's family."

See recipes inside.

Build a better sandwich with these beefy ideas

See related story on Taste front.

THE OKTOBERFEST SANDWICH

Richard Gerst took first prize in the Build a Better Beef Sandwich Contest with this recipe.

4 ounces deli beef
3 tbs. lite mayonnaise
1/8 tsp. allspice
2 tbs. horseradish
1/3 cup pressed Sweet & sour red cabbage
Pita bread
Salt and pepper to taste

Mix mayonnaise, allspice and horseradish well. Spread mixture on pita bread. Layer 4 oz.

Deli beef on mixture. Spread red cabbage on beef. Add salt and pepper to taste. Roll up pita bread, cut in half and secure with toothpicks.

BEEF SANDWICH WITH ONION, TOMATO & ARUGUAL RELISH

This is Alan Reid's second place sandwich.

4 croissants
16 oz. Roast beef sliced (4 oz./sandwich)
2 medium onion
4 tbs. olive oil
1 1/3 cups tomatoes, seeded & chopped
3/4 cup arugula, chopped
2 tsp. balsamic vinegar
2 tsp. rice vinegar

Heat oven 450. Grease baking pan. Arrange onions on pan and drizzle with 2 tbs. olive oil. Bake until golden brown and tender. Turing occasionally about 30 minutes. Cool and chop.

Mix onions, tomatoes and arugula in bowls. Whisk vinegars and remaining olive oil. Add onion mixture and toss to coat. Season with salt and pepper. Cover and chill for at least two hours.

Slice croissants. Place beef on croissant bottom. Place some of the relish on top. (Makes four sandwiches.)

MARINATED BEEF POCKET

Shelia Dill took third place with this sandwich.

8 oz. deli sliced roast beef, silvered
1 cup sliced fresh mushrooms
1 15 oz can Garbanzo beans, rinsed & drained
1/4 cup minced celery
2 tbs. minced sweet red peppers
1/4 cup of frozen pea pods, thawed

Combine all ingredients and cover with following dressing and marinate.

Blend dressing:

1/2 cup grated carrot
1/2 cup minced green onion
1/2 cup red wine vinegar
1/2 c vegetable oil
1/8 tsp. dry mustard
dash garlic powder
1 tbs. parsley

To assemble:

Split pocket in pita bread. Line with bibb lettuce. Drain excess dressing from filling and put in pocket.

SPICY STEAK SANDWICH

Sally Sibthorpe of Rochester submitted this sandwich to the State Fair contest.

1/2 lb. thinly sliced roast beef
1/4 cup steak sauce
1 small tomato, diced
1 jalapeno pepper, finely chopped
2 tbs. finely chopped red onion
1 tbs. finely chopped cilantro
1 small clove garlic, minced
1 tbs. fresh lime juice
2 French oblong buns, split lengthwise

Mix steak sauce. Marinate meat for five minutes in this mixture. Mix remaining ingredients. Divide meat in half, and place on the two buns. Top each with half of the vegetable mixture. (Serves two)

Tips from experts on enjoying rice

(NAPS) – Looking for a quick and easy way to wrap up leftover rice? Try a recipe for the latest food trend, the wrap.

Tasty, nutritious cooked rice keeps for one week in the refrigerator and six months in the freezer, so it makes sense to cook it in quantity.

Because of its neutral flavor, the economical grain can be used in a variety of recipes. Grown in the U.S.A., rice really excels in this South of the Border recipe for Taco Rico Wraps.

TACO RICO WRAPS

1 lb. lean ground turkey or beef
1 jar (16 oz.) prepared chunky salsa
3 cups cooked rice
1 can (11 oz.) corn, drained
1 cup (4 oz.) shredded Monterey Jack cheese
6 Burrito-size flour tortillas, warmed

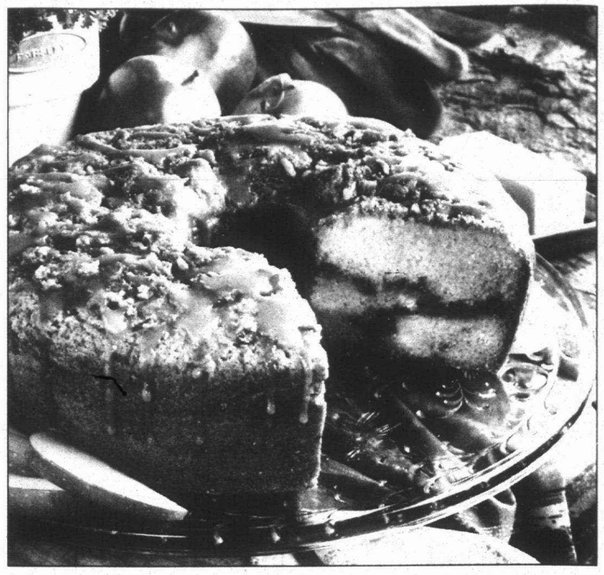
Brown turkey in large nonstick skillet over medium-high heat; drain fat and liquid, if necessary. Stir in salsa, rice and corn. Cook over medium heat, covered, for 5 to 10 minutes or until no liquid remains. Spoon 1/3 cup mixture into each tortilla, top with about one tablespoon cheese. Roll up; serve.

Makes 6 servings.

Each serving provides: 698 calories, 33 g. protein, 21 g. fat, 93 g. carbohydrate, 5 g. dietary fiber, 73 mg. cholesterol and 976 mg. sodium.

For more rice recipe ideas, check out the "Have a Rice Day Cafe" (www. usarice. com), the USA Rice Federation's Web site.

For a free copy of "Taco Rico Wraps," send a self-addressed, stamped, business size envelope to: Rice N' Ready Recipes, c/o USA Rice, P.O. Box 740121, Houston, Texas 77274.



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Delightful: *Your grandparents will love Beverly Garland's Buttery Apple Pound Cake.*

Celebrate grandparents day with this tasty pound cake

From baking to biking, today's grandmas remain young at heart.

According to a recent survey by the American Dairy Association, many grandmothers are juggling more activities than their own mothers or grandmothers, proving that age doesn't have to slow you down.

The ADA's sampling of US grandmothers between the ages of 40 and 70 shows that many spend their free time getting some form of exercise like walking, hiking, swimming, golfing and more. Others remain active in careers or civic projects while still meeting the demands of home and family.

But while times and grandmas have changed, these modern women still stick to good old-fashioned basics like spending time with family, and cooking and baking.

Today's Grandmas mix old and new

Television actresses an dairy industry spokesperson Beverly Garland typifies the "grandma of the '90s," combining a zest for life with a long-standing appreciation of family and traditions. This attitude also is reflected in Garland's approach to cooking, which frequently mixes "tried and true" dishes with different ingredients and quick, tasty shortcuts.

"No matter how busy I am, I always find time to bake something special when my grandchildren come to visit, just as my grandmother did for me," said Garland, best known for her roles in "My Three Sons" and "Scarecrow and Mrs. King," and a real-life grandmother of six.

"Often I vary many of my old recipes, but I would never stray from the one ingredient that brings out the best in any of the flavors I use – real butter. And when I cook and bake, my family deserves only the best," she said.

Garland jazzes up family favorites

One favorite in Garland's family is her "Buttery Apple Pound Cake." Make it to honor your grandparents on Grandparent's Day Sept. 7.

Topped with a toasted butter and brown sugar glaze, it's an old-fashioned cake with a modern twist – an apple pecan filling. Room temperature or warm from the oven, this light and spongy cake is perfect paired with an ice-cold glass of milk for dessert, or the next morning with a cup of coffee for breakfast.

BEVERLY GARLAND'S BUTTERY APPLE POUND CAKE

1/3 cup each: light brown sugar and chopped, toasted pecans
1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
1 teaspoon ground nutmeg
1-1/2 cups granulated sugar
3/4 cup (1-1/2 sticks) butter, softened
3 eggs
1-1/2 teaspoon each: baking powder and baking soda
1/2 teaspoon salt
1-1/2 cups regular or reduced fat sour cream
1-1/2 cups peeled, thinly sliced apple

Toasted Butter, Brown Sugar Glaze

2 tablespoons butter
1/2 cup light brown sugar
2 tablespoons milk
1/2 teaspoon vanilla

Preheat oven to 350. Combine brown sugar, pecans, cinnamon and nutmeg; set aside. Cream butter with electric mixer until smooth. Gradually beat in sugar mixture. Beat in eggs and vanilla. Combine flour, baking soda and salt. Alternate adding sour cream and dry ingredients to butter mixture, beating well after each addition.

Spoon 1/2 of the batter into well-buttered and floured 12-cup bundt pan or 10-inch tube pan. Arrange apple slices on batter. Spoon 1/2 of the brown sugar mixture over apples and press lightly into batter. Spoon remaining batter over apple mixture. Sprinkle top with remaining brown sugar mixture. Bake 60 to 70 minutes or until a wooden toothpick inserted in the center comes out clean. Remove from oven. Cool on wire rack 15 minutes. Gently loosen cake from pan with sharp knife. Invert onto cooling rack. Serve slightly warm if desired.

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Here's how the cookies crumble

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TROPICAL RAIN FOREST OATMEAL BARS

1 cup (2 sticks) margarine or butter, softened
1-1/2 cups firmly packed brown sugar
2 eggs
1 teaspoon vanilla
1-1/2 cups all-purpose flour
1 teaspoon baking soda
1/2 teaspoon salt (optional)
2 cups Quaker oats (quick or old fashioned, uncooked)
1 cup diced dried pineapple (about 6 ounces) or other dried fruit or semisweet chocolate chips or peanut butter flavor chips
1/2 cup shredded coconut
1/2 cup chopped cashews, peanuts, pecans or walnuts

Heat oven to 350 degrees. Lightly spray 13 by 9-inch baking pan with cooking spray. Beat margarine and sugar until creamy. Add eggs and vanilla; beat well. Add combined flour, baking soda and salt; mix well. Stir in oats, pineapple, coconut and cashews; mix well. Press dough evenly onto bottom of baking pan. Bake 30 to 35 minutes or until golden brown. Cool completely on wire rack. Cut into bars. Store tightly covered or wrap airtight and freeze. Makes 32 bars.

Recipe from the Quaker Oats Company.

CHOCOLATE CHIP YOGURT COOKIES

1/2 cup sugar
1/2 cup firmly packed brown sugar
1/4 cup margarine or butter, softened
1/4 cup shortening
1/2 cup nonfat plain yogurt
1-1/2 teaspoons vanilla
1-3/4 cups all purpose flour
1/2 teaspoon baking soda
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup miniature semisweet chocolate chips or carob chips

Heat oven to 375 degrees. In large bowl, beat sugar, brown sugar, margarine and shortening until light and fluffy. Add yogurt and vanilla; blend well. Stir in flour, baking soda and salt; mix well. Stir in chocolate chips. Drop dough by rounded teaspoonfuls (2 inches apart) onto ungreased cookie sheets. Bake for 8 to 12 minutes or until light golden brown. Cool 1 minute; remove from cookie sheets. Makes 3 dozen cookies.

Recipe from Pillsbury Healthy-Baking (Viking, 1994)

CARROT FRUIT JUMBLES

2-1/2 cups all purpose flour
1 teaspoon baking soda
1/2 teaspoon baking powder
1/2 teaspoon ground cloves
2 teaspoons ground cinnamon
1/4 teaspoon salt
1 cup quick oats (not instant)
3/4 cup dark brown sugar, packed
3/4 cup white sugar
1 cup salted butter, softened
2 large eggs
2 teaspoons pure vanilla extract
2 cups grated carrot (2 or 3 medium carrots)
1/2 cup crushed pineapple, drained
1 cup (4 ounces) chopped walnuts

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. In a medium bowl combine flour, soda, baking powder, cloves, cinnamon, salt, and oats. Mix well with a wire whisk and set aside. In a large bowl with an electric mixer, blend sugars. Add butter and mix to form a grainy paste. Scrape down sides of bowl.

Add eggs and vanilla, and beat at medium speed until light and fluffy. Add carrots, pineapple and nuts, and blend until just combined. Do not over mix. Add flour mixture and blend at low speed until just combined. Do not over mix.

Drop by rounded teaspoons onto ungreased baking sheets, 1-1/2 inches apart. Bake 13-15 minutes, taking care not to brown cookies. Immediately transfer cookies with a spatula to a cool, flat surface. Makes 4 dozen.

Recipe from Mrs. Fields Cookie Book (Time-Life Books, 1992)

TORTILLA CHIPPER WITH FRUIT SALSA

1 cup butter
2-1/4 cups sugar
2 eggs
3 cups flour
1 cup cornmeal
1 teaspoon vanilla
2 tablespoons cinnamon sugar

Cream butter and sugar until light and fluffy. Beat in eggs, mixing well. Stir into flour and cornmeal. Chill dough thoroughly.

Roll dough very thin and cut into 2-1/2 inch triangles with a knife. Place cookies 1/2 inch apart on an ungreased cookie sheet. Sprinkle a pinch of cinnamon sugar over the top of each cookie. Bake at 375 degrees for about 5 minutes. Remove from pan while hot. Makes 12 dozen.

Salsa

Combine 1 box frozen strawberries, defrosted, 2 chopped kiwis and 1/2 cup chopped watermelon. Serve with Chippers.

Sally Sibthorpe of Rochester Hills was the second prize winner in the Land O'Lakes Cookie Recipe Contest at the Michigan State Fair.

How to serve a perfect brunch

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

■ Visualization is the key to planning a successful brunch. If you can begin the process a few weeks before the event, all the better.

■ Decide on overall mood. Is it to be formal or informal? Sit-down or buffet?

■ Think about the menu. Generally speaking, the best buffet foods are those that are delicious and attractive at a wide range of temperatures, from hot to room temperature.

■ Do what you can in advance. Don't let evenings and weekends slip by without chipping away at the menu. Even 15 or 30 minutes can be useful for toasting or chopping nuts, preparing a vinaigrette, or precooking and freezing certain brunch foods.

Making it all go smoothly

■ If you're planning a buffet-style brunch, visualize where your food, drinks and table settings can be placed without creating bottlenecks. Consider moving furniture around a bit to encourage comfortable conversation areas for small groups.

■ If there are young children in the house, setting the table ahead of time is a bit impractical. But the centerpiece can be done ahead if you work with dried flowers (leave room in the arrangement to add a few exotic fresh flowers at the last moment). The tablecloth and napkins can be pressed and ready to go days ahead. If your linen supply is limited, don't overlook the beautiful variety of paper napkins available these days. The night before, take out the plates and silverware and set them on the counter.

■ Even for daytime affairs, candles contribute to a warmly festive atmosphere.

■ Music is an important element of any party, and one that can certainly be arranged early in the planning stage.

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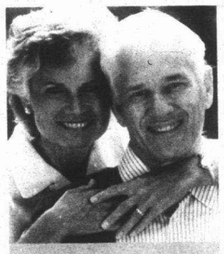

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Time to store summer's toys

Sure, there's such a thing as Indian Summer, and personally, I hope we have one this year.

But before you know it, it will be time to send patio furniture, beach toys, gardening tools and other such things into hibernation for the winter.

What are some ways of storing that stuff neatly? And what kind of special care do lawn furniture and kiddy pools need to make sure they're ready to use again next year?

Gerry Visel, owner of **Cornwell Pool & Patio** in **Plymouth** and **Ann Arbor**, said it's best to store lawn furniture – especially the cushions – indoors if you can. But if you don't have the room, then you should at least cover the furniture to protect it from the elements.

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Covering outdoor furniture with a tarp is OK, but if you want something better looking, invest in covers made especially for patio furniture, Visel said. Cornwell Pool and Patio has them in a wide range of sizes and colors.

Prices range from about $17 for a low-back chair cover to about $24 for a table cover, to about $79 for a cover that encloses a table and four chairs.

I also found barbecue grill and patio furniture covers at the **Sears** in **Livonia** recently. The nylon-lined, vinyl covers were manufactured by **Char-Broil** and **Kenmore**.

Prices ranged from about $10.49 for a zippered patio umbrella cover, to $13.99 for a 48-inch-diameter table cover, to $25.89 for a glider cover. Grill covers were $15.99 to $25.99. Those are sale prices, but a salesperson told me that the sale runs through the end of the season.

Buckets and brushes

Before storing patio furniture or kiddy pools, be sure to clean them, Visel said. Don't forget to clean the cracks of cushions, because leaves and other organic material tend to hide there and they'll rot over the winter, he added.

Make sure the items are thoroughly dry, to prevent mold and mildew. It's also a good idea to wax metal furniture if it's going to be stored outdoors, to prevent rust. Cornwell Pool & Patio sells spray-on wax for patio furniture, but car wax works, too, Visel said.

Mice like to chew apart cushions and pool liners for their nests and they love dark places – like beneath patio furniture covers – so it's best to store those items indoors, he said.

If you must store them outdoors or in a shed or garage that isn't rodent-proof, then place them in sealed containers, he said. Jumbo, lidded, plastic containers or garbage cans will do (just make sure they don't wind up by the curb on trash day!)

Don't store cushions or pools in cardboard boxes or plastic bags, because mice will chew through those, too, Visel said.

Here are more storage ideas:

• **Kmart, Sears, Home Depot** and many other stores carry round, plastic, 18-gallon utility tubs, featuring rope or woven-strap handles, for about $7.99. They're great for storing outdoor toys (kiddy lawn mowers, sand toys, etc.) and sports equipment.

• For more sophisticated storage space, consider investing in plastic resin cabinets, armoires and shelving units, made by companies like **Rubbermaid** and **Workforce.** They're supposed to be very easy to put together (the pieces just snap in place), and they resist corrosion. Some of the cabinets can be locked.

Rubbermaid cabinets ranged from $39.99 to $99 at the **Kmart** in **Westland**, and Workforce cabinets were about $59 at the **Home Depot** in **Redford**.

• Small gardening things, like gloves, trowels, snips, seed packets, etc., fit nicely into the **Bucket Boss Brand Pro Stacker System**, available at Sears for $24.99. The kit includes a five-gallon bucket, a tool organizer belt that straps around the outside of the bucket, two compartmentalized shelves that fit inside the bucket, and a lid that doubles as a seat. It's a good organizer for many things, not just gardening.

• **Home Depot** carries wall-mounted bicycle racks, but I'm not sure for how long. The ones that I found there were on clearance, for $8.92 each.

The steel racks are covered with a white epoxy finish, and each unit holds two bicycles and helmets. They're made by **Lee/Rowan**.

Neiman Marcus marks 90th year in retail

"Good taste, like education, simply opens new opportunities for the enjoyment of life." – Stanley Marcus, in Quest for the Best.

Legendary luxury retailer Neiman Marcus, celebrates its 90th anniversary Sept. 10 by hosting special events at the 5-year-old Somerset Collection store in Troy.

BY SUSAN DEMAGGIO
EDITOR

"Offer the finest merchandise in the world and provide personal service that exceeds expectations."

With this business plan, Hebert Marcus, his sister Carrie Marcus Neiman and her husband A.L. Neiman, opened a store in downtown Dallas on Sept. 10, 1907 "to bring fashionable ready-to-wear" to the prairie town "flush with cotton, banking and the whirr of eight railroads running through it."

Ninety years later, with the Neiman's four sons carrying on the tradition, the specialty stores number 30, stretched across the country in markets where affluence can afford cashmere and silk, and labels like Armani and Escada.

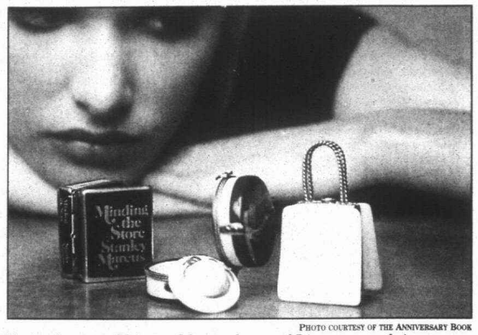
In 1992, the Detroit-area became one of those markets when Neiman Marcus opened a tri-level store in the former Bonwitt Teller site at the Somerset Collection South in Troy.

Store manager Michael Lorenz (a Neiman Marcus exec who arrived in April to take over for Barbara McClure who left to spend more time with her family) said the Troy store is among the retailer's top producing.

"I can't relate any sales figures and we don't rank our stores. But, I will tell you that we have three classes of stores, A, B and C. And the Troy store is definitely in the A class," he said.

Lorenz reported that for the fiscal year ending July 31, 1997, Neiman Marcus as a whole, saw sales increase 10-percent over 1996.

"In Detroit you have two kinds of Neiman Marcus shopper," he explained.



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Rochard *creates Neiman Marcus boxes of Limoge porcelain.*

"The first, is the classic, sophisticated customer who is usually an auto executive or a business owner. Company dress codes restrict the kind of apparel they buy, but they look for quality and tradition in their choices. The second, is more fashion forward. They follow the fashion out of New York, and at the high-end buy Giorgio Armani's Black Label."

Lorenz, a native of Wisconsin, was recruited out of college by Neiman Marcus to become a buyer. He now lives in Oakland Township with his wife Joan, and two young daughters. After working in the South and on the East Coast, he was anxious to return to the Midwest.

"My charges are tri-fold," he said. "To bring the new and most important resources Neiman Marcus and manufacturers have to offer to this store (We have, or are about to launch, the Brioni men's line, Jil Sander, Prada ready-to-wear, and Issey Miyake); to take our service to an even higher level; and to expand our marketing program."

Lorenz said he believes in "friendly democratic service," where sales associates treat all customers with the same level of respect and courtesy, instead of judging them based on appearance.

"These days, if you turn you back on someone in jeans and a T-shirt, you are probably making a costly error," he grinned.

Neiman Marcus 90th anniversary events:

•**Sept. 12:** *Christmas Glories Shop* opens on Level One.
•**Sept. 13:** The store hosts the Humane Society benefit, *Paws for Celebration*, beginning at 6:30 p.m. The annual *Art of Fashion* runway show will be presented in the parking lot tent.
•**Sept. 21:** The store hosts a benefit for the Jewish Ensemble Theatre, *Crimes of Fashion*, a shopping/scavenger hunt, beginning at 6:30 p.m.
•**Now:** The 200-page anniversary issue of "the book" is available, $10.
•**Soon**, A special edition of Neiman Marcus's fall *Art of Fashion*, will be mailed to an additional 1,000 area customers. This year, the magazine salutes 90 years of fashion history through the paintings of Ruber Alterio.

Shirt designer loves tailoring for women

BY SUSAN DEMAGGIO
EDITOR

BEHIND THE LABEL

Ladies, if fine tailoring, exquisite fabrics, and European traditions matter to you, then why don't you own a Craig Taylor shirt?

Does the $140 to $295 price tag put you off?

Then think again, urged Taylor on a recent visit to Neiman Marcus to promote his work. "As my Danish mother often said, 'When you buy quality, you only cry once. . . only when you pay for it, not when you wear it."

New York-native Taylor, 37, graduated from the Art Center College of Design in California, the third son of a Danish mother and American father, both artists. He spent summers in Denmark where he and his brothers gained an appreciation for Old World quality and a practical philosophy towards life.

As a designer of Citrons and Peugeots in France, he used his weekends to study shirtmaking from the old tailors in the shops along Jermyn Street in London.

Applying his insights as an architect and auto designer, he taught himself to sew by taking apart and restitching his own shirts.

"I caught on quickly," he said. "It was like I was sewing my whole life." He practiced the tailoring techniques of the masters, loaded up on two-fold Egyptian cottons woven in Italian, Swiss and English mills, and then returned to the U.S. determined to launch a line of luxury mens shirts in the Old World style.

"But I sat on the idea for 10 years from 1981 until 1991 while I designed speed boats, buildings, mall pretzel kiosks, espresso machines, bathrooms for fancy restaurants," he laughed. "And when I finally got around to making my shirts, I found that guys wouldn't pay the prices I charged to make these shirts. Most men I knew, did the Brooks Brothers thing. They loaded up on a year's worth of shirts during the $39.99 sale and were done with it. Surprisingly, it was women who bought my designs."

Women were an eager niche market, Taylor explained. They were already sold on the "romance" of wearing a man's shirt from movies like Breakfast at Tiffany's and It Happened One Night. And they appreciated all the custom tailoring Taylor put into his shirts.

Details like fuse-lined collars and cuffs, removable collar stays, split-back bias-cut yokes that give when you reach, side seam gussets, 20-stitches per inch to produce durable high quality seams, stripes that match at the shoulders, yoke and cuff lines, real mother-of-pearl buttons - virtual couture art that in the Pauline Tregere tradition, "Looks as good on the inside as it does on the outside," said Taylor.

Taylor launched his company by placing $19,000 ads in fashion magazines like Vogue and Mirabella. He personally took the phone orders that followed, at all hours of the day and night.

"I'd have long conversations with customers who were surprised to reach the designer himself. So I learned first hand what my customers needed and wanted to buy."

Taylor mailed his shirt orders from his Soho apartment, packaging the product in matching tissue, box and bag, and enclosing a hanger.

"That's the Old World touch," he smiled. "Exchange in abundance. My philosophy is to know what the customer expects and deliver 10-times that."

When he couldn't find an American manufacturing company that would take the time to sew all the details into the shirts that he required, Taylor opened his own manufacturing plant to insure that his standards were met.

In three years, Craig Taylor has watched sales grow from $900,000 to $2-million, to an expected $3-million in 1997. He travels "about 210 days a year" promoting his product and buying and designing fabric in Europe. His business dedication has left him little time for a personal life, but the bachelor said he looks forward to having a family some day.

"In the Spring, I'll debut a couture line of shirts priced from $275 to $500 that will be sold in the designer departments of high-end department stores and boutiques. They tell me I'll do quite well, near Escada and Chanel shirts priced from $500 to $1,200."

Craig Taylor

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ADDED ATTRACTIONS

SUNDAY, AUG. 31

Princess Di gown on display
As part of a 10-cities tour to promote the Romance Classics cable channel (debuting Jan. 1, a division of American Movie Classics), the mall hosts a visit by a gown once-owned by Princess Di and recently purchased by channel executives at the charity auction.
See the pale, blue silk Catherine Walker original inspired by Grace Kelly's evening gown in *To Catch A Thief*, Diana wore it at Cannes in 1987 and to the London opening of *Miss Saigon* in 1989.
Shoppers can register to win a Romance Classics sweepstakes contest for one of Diana's gowns plus $20,000 in cash. Prince Charming will be on hand from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. to try a glass slipper on guests, the local winner receives a made-to-measure dress and $1,000 cash prize.
Oakland Mall. 14 Mile / John R. Troy.
(248) 585-6000.

MONDAY, SEPT. 1 LABOR DAY

Holiday hours
Most stores and shopping centers have limited holiday hours today. Call before you go.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 3

Antique/Collectibles Show
Mall-wide exhibition and sale through Sept. 7. Browse through art and pattern glass, movie posters, comic books, toy trains, pocket watches, military items, furniture, coins, stamps and plates. Crystal and glass repair service by Charles Laurent.
Livonia Mall. Seven Mile / Middlebelt.
(248) 476-1160.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 4

Concert Series
Bring a picnic supper, lawn chairs or a blanket to enjoy a free concert by The Executive Big Band of Birmingham, 7:30 p.m. Last of the summer.
Shain Park. Bates / Townsend. Birmingham.
(248) 433-3550.

Designer visits
Jewelry designer Stephen Dweck meets Neiman Marcus shoppers, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Main floor. His fall collection "envelopes citrine with silver and gold."
Somerset Collection South.
Big Beaver / Coolidge. Troy.
(248) 643-3300

Gallery crawl
Downtown Rochester galleries host their 10th annual Gallery Crawl, 6-10 p.m. throughout the 17 emporiums. Guests who visit all 17 shops within the four-hour period can enter a drawing to win a $150 certificate from the gallery of their choice. Horse and buggy rides.
Main Street. Rochester.
(248) 652-2262.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 6

Farmer's Markets
Both downtown Plymouth and Farmington offer fresh produce, bakery goods, flowers and herbs, plus much more through Oct. 25. Hot coffee and cold lemonade in Plymouth's gathering across from Kellogg Park.
Ann Arbor Trail / Main. (313) 453-1540.
Farmington. Grand River / east of Farmington.

Star gazers party
The Ford Amateur Astronomy Club and The Nature Company present the 5th Annual Island Lake Star Party. Educational presentations, refreshments, telescopes on display for testing and trading, prizes, FAAC college scholarship applications. 6 p.m. until dark. Event is free, but state park has $4 vehicle fee to enter. Last year, 3,500 people attended the event. Great family fun.
Island Lake State Park. Brighton.
I-96 west to Kensington Road, exit 151.
(248) 649-3433.

Magic School Bus event
Ms. Frizzle takes children on a "Wild Ride-Certified" at 4:30 and 6:30 p.m. on the Fountain Court stage. Audience participation makes this musical fun. . . and free!
Fairlane Town Center. Michigan / Hubbard.
Dearborn. (313) 593-1370.

Art in the Park
Common Ground's 23rd annual Art in the Park features the work of 158 artists from 28 states through Sept. 7 beginning at 10 a.m. each day.
Shain Park. Bates / Merrill. Birmingham.
(248) 456-8150.

Story hour with Arthur
The famous aardvark with the eyeglasses and red bow tie, reads one of his adventures at Neiman Marcus, noon to 2 p.m. in the Children's Department.
Somerset Collection South.
Big Beaver / Coolidge. Troy.
(248) 643-3300.

SUNDAY, SEPT. 7

Swap and Shop
Westland Chamber hosts annual Car Show and Swap Meet behind city hall 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Trophies, door prizes, dash plaques, games for kids and adults. Entries accepted in 18 classes of cars and trucks.
Central City Park. Ford / Central City Parkway.
(313) 326-7222.

Baby Day
Target stores hosts newborn information/products to promote baby shower registry Lullaby Club. New registrants get free gift bag filled with infant essentials, first come/first serve basis.

Where can I find?

This feature is dedicated to helping readers locate sources for hard-to-find items in the marketplace. If you've seen any of the items in your retail travels (or basement) please call Malls & Mainstreets at (248) 901-2567. Just leave a message and your phone number (slowly and clearly, please!) and each Sunday we'll print taller solutions and new quests.

What we found:

• Oops! We published an incorrect number for the Fuller Brush catalog *Home Trends*, that has the **dish washing scrub brushes** 3 for $9.95. Apologies to the New York florist who fielded dozens of wayward calls! The correct number is 1-800-522-0499.

• Several callers said that bean bags are actually filled with polystyrene pellets that are sold at **Minnesota Fabrics** and through the **JC Penney catalog** 1-800-222-6161, 2 cubic feet for $10.99.

• More callers said **Zena** brand jeans are sold at **Sam's Club Warehouse** in Westland, **Winkleman's, Target** and through the **Chadwick's of Boston** catalog 1-800-525-6650.

• Attorney "Don" called to report a good source for gifts for lawyers. The catalog *For Council*, 1-800-637-0098, has the scales of justice, T-shirts and much more.

• Josie Baker at the **Kmart** in Garden City said she has several barrister-style book cases in stock.

• **St. Ives Swiss Formula vanilla body wash** has been spotted at **Danny's Markets** and **F & M**.

• **Superhero bathroom accessories,** especially items in bright red, are available at **Target** stores, according to one caller.

• **Beeman's chewing gum** was spotted on shelves at **Merchant of Vino, F&M,** some dollar stores and a gas station at Seven Mile and Newburg.

• A reader spotted **Black and Decker food processors** at **Target.**

• Replacement parts for many electric appliances, including the **Faberware crockpot,** can be found at **McNichols Electric** on Park Place in Dearborn. (313) 342-6070.

Still searching for:

• **A plaque** with six hooks that reads "Look who's in the doghouse now," for Mary of Farmington.

• A copy of the **U.S. Guide to Nutritive Values** published by the Dept. of Agriculture. It went out of print in 1995 according to Ginny. She wants a copy for her mother who has begun dialysis. "It listed the minerals and vitamin properties of foods," she said.

• Some old Dick and Jane primers for Josie who wants to teach her grandmother how to read.

• A place to buy a **cassette tape** of the musical ***Grease*** for Kathy.

• **Touche cologne** by Jovan for Ginny Jacobs of Livonia.

• A copy of the book ***Honta Yo, an American Saga*** by Ruth B.B. Hill for Lois Dawson.

• A copy of the film ***King Creole*** starring Elvis for Kevin.

• A copy of ***The Life and Times of Johnny Appleseed*** for Suzanna Shipley of Huntington Woods. "My uncle is a descendent and I want to locate this out-of-print book for him," she said.

• A grocer or market in the Birmingham-area that sells **canned goods without sodium** for Sarah Zusman.

• A copy of the children's book ***Brave Little Indian***, for Nancy Torossian of Plymouth. Published by Holt, Rinehart and Winston.

• A tape of **Eddie Money's *Nothing To Lose*** for Bridget. "Mine broke and I'm lost without it," she said.

• **A railroad telephone,** shaped like an engine. It "toots" when the phone rings, for Betty Oldaker of Garden City.

• Little **glass wind chimes**, very inexpensive, in geometric shapes, with a small little tinkle sound, for Toni of Livonia.

• An old **Mary Proctor ironing board cover** for Ginger. "I bought this decades ago at Hudson's," she said.

• A store that sells **men's garters** for Mrs. Smith.

• **A bar of Lowilla facial soap** for sensitive skin for Gert of Southfield.

• A retailer that still sells **DARE perfume** by Revlon for Lauren Cohen.

• **Napkin rings** with a Christmas Tree by **Spode** for Lori Rose of Canton.

• A place to buy **Coty Lipsticks** for Charlotte Syversen, specifically #24.

• Who still sells **sterling silver keys** that wind up the toothpaste tubes for a reader. "Tiffany's used to make them," she said.

• Where can **videos** of the 1980's **A-Team** television series be purchased for a Mom in Canton, searching for them for her son.

• An **eelskin wallet** that has a zipper in the middle compartment about 7" x 4" for May Perry.

• A store that sells **Pirelli rubber gloves** for Dean. "We used to get them at Lechter's or Bed, Bath and Beyond, but they're not there anymore," he said. "They were very durable and well-priced."

• A **children's book** from the 40's-50's about a lost deer named BoBo for Lauren Holmes.

• **Arena goggles.**

• A shop that sells **folding high chairs.**

• A **recording** of "Someone who believes in you" from the soundtrack *Date With An Angel* for Cindy of Canton.

• A place to buy **men's all-cotton white socks** with black legs and white feet for Rachel.

• An outlet for **Polly Flanders dresses** for Mary Ann. "The Birch Run store has closed," she said.

• After-bath **moisturizer,** fragranced with Lily of the Valley by Perlier for Mary.

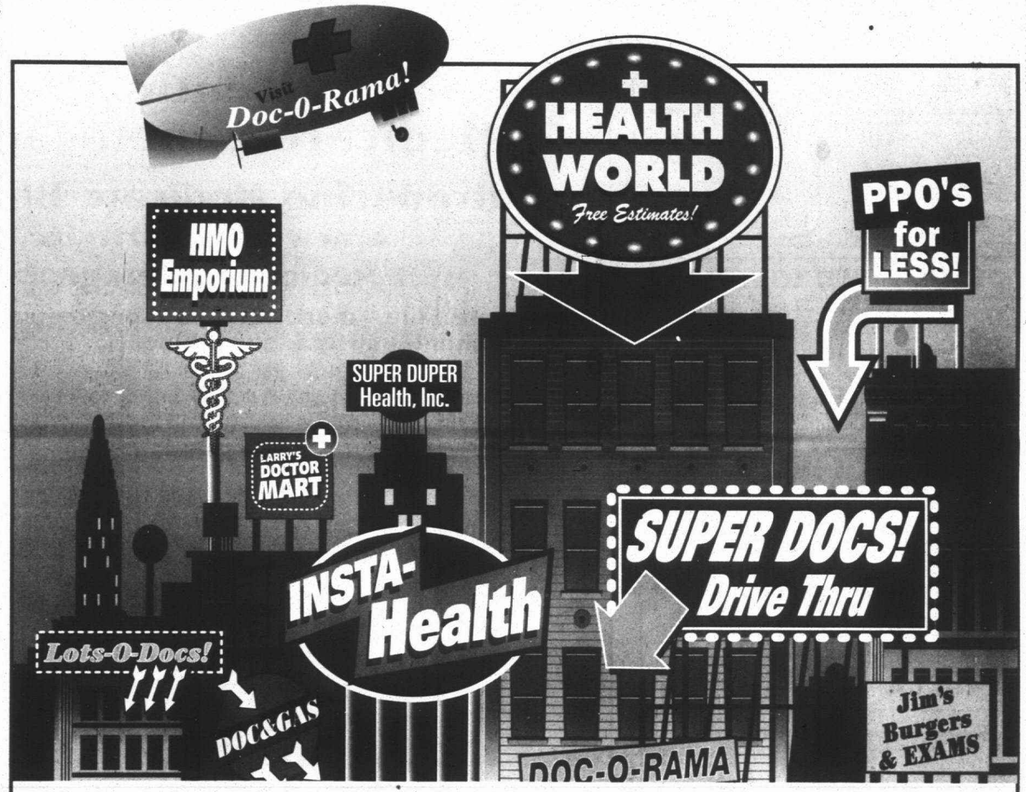
• A copy of the 1950's book **Behind The Green Door** for Toni of Livonia.

• Some **Jungle Gardenia** perfume and a **Mary Hartline** doll by Mattel from the 1950's. "I'll trade my silver fox fur jacket for the doll," said caller Gloria McDonald.

• **Clove gum** *and* a **Daily Aide Journal** (she got one from ***Woolworth's*** for the past 20 years and it's no more) for Margaret Callahan of Livonia.

New for now: *Salon Bellissima's Jackie Zbikowski created these styles for day-into-evening. The West Bloomfield salon boasts 13 stylists who specialize in progressive color and hair designs. Why not try adding a new twist of color and some layers to your look for fall?*

Flip for Fall



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Jacobson's extends hours

Beginning Sept. 2, all Jacobson's department stores will extend their business hours remaining open until 9 p.m. Jacobson's will continue Sunday hours from noon to 5 p.m.

Target collects used books

Now through Sept. 6, all Target stores will feature collection bins for shoppers to drop off new and like-new books for family literacy programs in Target-store markets nationwide. Target partnered with Wishbone, a popular PBS show canine to promote back-to-school shopping and is calling this drive the "Donate A Classic Tail - Target/Wishbone National Book Drive."

Neiman Marcus hosts Humane Society gala

Tickets are available for the Michigan Humane Society benefit, "PAWS for Celebration," Saturday, Sept. 13, hosted at the Neiman Marcus store in Somerset Collection South, Troy.

The event will include dinner, dancing and entertainment. It will feature Ed McMahon, Frankie Valli and the Four Seasons, and a fashion show presenting the latest from the country's top designers including Pam McMahon.

The event also includes a live auction of items including a portrait by the Russian artist Serguei Timtchenko, and "humane" art works created exclusively by students of the Center for Creative Studies in Detroit.

Ed McMahon

Guests will partake of a strolling dinner with cuisine from more than 20 Detroit-area restaurants and enjoy dancing to the music of Jerry Fenby.

Ticket prices: $300 for Humane Society Benefactors for all evening festivities including a special cocktail reception and VIP loge seating for the fashion show, art auction and entertainment extravaganza.

$175 for Humane Society Patrons for all evening festivities including a special cocktail reception and theater style seating for the fashion show, art auction and entertainment extravaganza.

$75 for Humane Society Friends for dinner, dancing and limited seating and standing room for the Frankie Valli show.

Festivities begin at 6 p.m. until midnight for Benefactors and Patrons; 8:30 p.m. until midnight for Friends.

For more information contact the Michigan Humane Society at (313) 872-3400.

Retailers report strong sales

Michigan retail sales rebounded in July as summer promotions helped produce some of the best numbers of the year.

Overall, 52 percent of the state's retailers reported increased year-to-year sales for July – the strongest monthly showing of 1997 and a 7 percent increase from June, according to the Michigan Retail Index, a joint project of the Michigan Retailers Association and the Chicago Federal Reserve Bank.

Another 15 percent reported no change, while 33 percent saw sales decline.

Jewelers led the state's retail industry, with 65 percent reporting sales increases. They were followed by gift retailers at 61 percent.

Beauty Bash '97 benefit promises style and service

Beauty Bash '97, A Celebration of Style at the Novi Expo Center Sept. 13 and 14 doubles as a benefit for the St. Vincent Sarah Fisher Center.

Sponsored by Nailco Salon Marketplace, the event brings the professional world of beauty to the general public for the first time. During this weekend of glamour, never-before-available-to-the-public salon, spa and lifestyle products will be on display in a colossal, trade show-like setting.

Guests will receive mini salon services, and have the opportunity to purchase products. There will be a grand prize drawing and fashion shows throughout the weekend.

Among the highlights are guest appearances by "Soap Opera of The Year" Tony Geary, Maurice Benard and Steve Burton. In addition, guests will have the opportunity to witness the artistry of John Charles, J. Charles Elliot, Anthony Gattuso, John Immekus, Ted Mentry and Derrick Zeno, the industry's top hair stylists

Guests will view the "1997 Hairco Michigan Hairstylist of The Year" competition, a hair styling contest featuring several finalists from around the state.

Local celebrities will take part in judging the contest, which includes a "free-style" contest with makeovers performed on volunteers from the audience.

Tickets for Beauty Bash are $7, with a portion of the proceeds going to the St. Vincent Sarah Fisher Center, an organization that helps women and children in crisis. Tickets are available at all TicketMaster locations. Call the Beauty Bash hotline at 1-800-942-9450 for more information.

Bridal Show, Sept. 7

Brides-To-Be, Inc. hosts one of its annual vendor shows for couples planning a wedding, Sunday, Sept. 7 at the Hyatt Regency in Fairlane Town Center, Dearborn.

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ARTISTIC EXPRESSIONS

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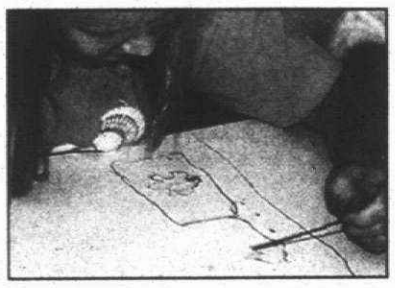
Children express themselves

It was a fruitful summer for the nearly 300 children who attended Summer Art Camp at D & M Studio's Once Upon An Easel. The Egyptian artifacts, weaving, mummy cases, and papyrus paintings created by the students remain on exhibit in the Children's Gallery Review through Sept. 8 in the art studio at 8691 North Lilley Road and Joy in Canton.

The art show consists of works created during D & M Studio's art camps, held in partnership with Plymouth Parks and Recreation, Summit on the Park in Canton, and the Bailey Center in Westland.



Children's art: *D & M Studio's summer art camp was a good place for kids to stretch their imaginations while having fun.*

Sharon Dillenbeck, a Canton artist and owner of D & M Studio, founded the camps seven years ago to encourage creativity in summer. The rest of the year, Dillenbeck teaches art at Our Lady of Victory School in Northville.

Daughters Kristen and Erin assisted camp instructors, working with the children ages 4 to 16. Kristen, a 10th grader at Plymouth Salem High School, organized the painting of an Egyptian theme wall mural. Two at a time, she encouraged kids to brush color onto the plain white wall.

"The teens painted up at the top and the preschoolers painted the snakes and Egyptian dancers at the bottom," said Kristen, 14. "I thought it was pretty cool to see how many talented kids there were. When I was that age, I loved the chance to write on the wall."

As one of the camp aids, 12-year-old Erin helped children airbrush, carve clay, and make paper from hand towels, torn paper, water, and glue by operating the blender.

"I liked getting to know the kids better," said Erin, a Lowell Middle School student. "I liked everything we did but especially airbrushing because I'd never done it before and it was really fun."

Egyptian traditions

Camp projects taught students about daily life in Egypt. To make artifacts resembling ceramic bowls, children mixed together saw dust, flour, white glue, and salt. Erin especially liked crafting a cow mummy case from an egg carton. It's authentic right down to the cow mummy wrapped up inside.

"We wanted kids to learn about Egyptian traditions, how they used to bury royalty with their animals," said Dillenbeck. "We also taught them how to draw by breaking down what they see into basic shapes."

Katy Tucci liked being a camp aid this summer because it allowed her to help preschool age children. The 12-year-old Plymouth resident attends Lowell with Erin.

"Some of the kids were 3-years-old," said Tucci. "It's fun to work with little kids because some of them have no clue of what to do. You show them, and then they can do it themselves."

Hannah Clements, at age 7, already knew a great deal about art before attending her first camp. She's taken classes at D & M Studio before. A second grader at Smith Elementary in Plymouth, Hannah will continue studies this fall, exploring cartooning and art in general during twice weekly classes. The fall session begins Sept. 15.

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Make a day of enjoying art

Fall Art Festivals

■ **Art on the Green**, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday, Sept. 1, Franklin Village Green, west of Franklin Road between 13 and 14 Mile Roads, Admission free, (248) 626-6514. – 17th annual show exhibits 74 artists including two from England and one from the Czech Republic, live entertainment. Presented by the Franklin Arts Council with proceeds returned to the community for supplementary art programs.

■ **Art in the Park in Birmingham**, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 6, until 5 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 7, Shain Park, (north of Merrill, east of Bates), downtown Birmingham. Admission free, (248) 456-8150. – The 23rd annual fair spotlighting 158 artists from U.S., Canada and England, children's art area, live jazz, reggae and Andean music, benefits Common Ground.

■ **Plymouth Community Arts Council's Artist and Craftsmen Show**, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 6, noon to 5 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 7, Central Middle School, (Church and Main Street), downtown Plymouth. Admission $2 donation adults, $1 seniors/students, children under 12 free, (313) 416-4ART. – Celebrating its 26th year, the indoor show features more than 100 artists and craftsmen. Proceeds fund arts council programs in the community.

■ **Art & Apples in Rochester**, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 6, and until 5 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 7, Rochester Municipal Park, north of University/Walton (between Main Street and Ludlow), downtown Rochester. Admission $3, children 12 and under and seniors 65 and older, free, (248) 651-4110. Free shuttle service from Rochester High School, University and Livernois and Sanyo International Machine Corporation, Rochester Road at Avon. Shuttle hours: 9:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Saturday, and until 5:30 p.m. Sunday. – Founded 32 years ago, the festival, presented by Paint Creek Center for the Arts, boasts 300 artists, live entertainment, children's art activities and "Installments IV," a temporary exhibition of outdoor sculpture around the park pond. Proceeds benefit programs at the nonprofit Paint Creek Center for the Arts and park improvements in the city of Rochester.

Related activity: 11th annual "Celebrate Michigan Artists" fine art exhibition at Paint Creek Center for the Arts, 407 Pine Street. Hours: 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 6. Free.

Fall family fun: *Art festivals in Rochester (pictured), Franklin, Plymouth, and Birmingham offer one last chance to enjoy the outdoors.*

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN
STAFF WRITER

Four of the best art shows (Art on the Green, Art & Apples, Art in the Park, and the Plymouth Community Arts Council's Artists and Craftsmen Show) occur the first week in September.

Why not map out a route and visit all of them? Stop at one of the cider mills in Franklin, Rochester or Plymouth. Take your family and celebrate fall's arrival by making a day of it. Fall is a good time to start your holiday shopping, and you'll find lots of thoughtful, one-of-a-kind gifts at the festivals.

Plymouth Community Arts Council's is held during Fall Festival where a smorgasbord of food concessions offers something for every taste, all to benefit nonprofit organizations in the community.

The indoor show (celebrating its 26th year Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 6-7 in Plymouth) features more than 100 artists and craftsmen. Proceeds fund arts council programs in the community including classes, scholarships for teachers and students, a picture program in Plymouth-Canton elementary schools, children's theater program, and the Music in the Park series.

"Being a juried show makes it possible to maintain quality," said chairperson Carolyn Simons. "This year we have an excellent wood sculptor and it's always exciting to see what the new Santas will look like."

Animal lovers will cherish Marlene DeFoor's hand-painted ornaments bearing favorite cat and dog breeds. While DeFoor tries to stock every breed at shows, customers may commission the Livonia artist to paint ornaments featuring an English Setter or Irish Wolfhound in time for the holidays. Popular breed portraits and full body studies of Golden Retrievers, German Shepherds and Weimaraners are usually on hand. Want to learn to paint your own Collie on an ornament? DeFoor teaches the art at Art Store & More in Livonia.

"I try to keep as big an inventory of the different breeds, but there's always someone who comes along and wants a Portuguese Water Dog," said DeFoor. "I found there are a lot people who will buy two of them at a time: one for themselves and one as a gift for a friend."

DeFoor places puppies and smaller dogs in a red Christmas stocking and tops the bulb with a red or green bow. Her library contains reference for all breeds so she is able to accurately depict a Chow right down to the blue tongue. DeFoor knows the important place a pet can have in someone's life and that's why she offers owners the option of personalizing ornaments with their dog's or cat's name. The bright spot in DeFoor's life is an 8-year-old Sheltie named Kip.

"I love to paint these because I love dogs," said DeFoor. "I don't have enough years in my life to have every breed of dog."

Pottery potpourri: *(Above and two below) Zabel Belian crafts functional and decorative pottery with a painter's eye.*

DeFoor graduated from West Liberty College in West Virginia with an art education degree, and taught art several years before moving to Michigan more than 25 years ago. She began painting ornaments 15 years ago because it allowed her to stay home and care for her 26-year-old son, Bill, who has a form of muscular dystrophy. For the last three years, painting helped DeFoor take her mind off her husband Bill's lengthy illness and death from melanoma 18 months ago.

In addition to animal ornaments, DeFoor will have bulbs featuring infants in cradles, and boy and girl children of different ethnic backgrounds dressed as angels.

"These are really popular as gifts for showers," said DeFoor.

Bloomfield Hills artist Zabel Belian will bring a vast array of functional and decorative ceramics to the Plymouth show. Belian was a painter before becoming a potter, so her ceramics bear traces of the two-dimensional medium. Off white and colorful glazes and the deep rich colors and metallic of raku give customers a choice of palettes.

"I like to color pots because I like to paint," said Belian, "I do a variety because different people and different areas have different tastes. Close to Christmas people buy a lot of raku."

Born in Ethiopia, Belian grew up in Lebanon and moved to the United States more than 25 years ago. Unable to find potters to show in her and husband Garabed's Belian Art Center, Zabel began taking classes to learn the craft 10 years ago. Now, she teaches weekly classes in ceramics and watercolor at the Troy gallery.

"Art is my life, all day long," said Belian.

Other local artists in the Plymouth show are David Geistler, Garden City, wood carvings of birds; Katherine Biggs, Westland, sterling silver, glass and beaded jewelry; Jan Cunningham, Redford, diamond cut

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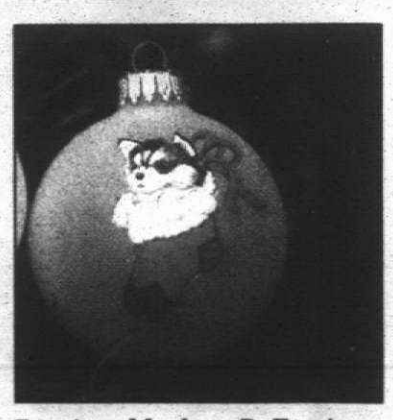

Top dog: *Marlene DeFoor's hand-painted ornaments featuring dogs, cats and children make purr-fect holiday and shower gifts.*

MUSIC

Vermeer Quartet opens Chamber Music Society's season

Featured performers: *Chamber Music Society of Detroit will present the Netherlands Wind Ensemble on Nov. 2 at Detroit Opera House.*

BY FRANK PROVENZANO
STAFF WRITER

The most memorable live performances of chamber music aren't sold-out concerts. Rather it's when the undulating harmony inspires an emotional revelation. Whether played in a small venue or great hall, the most poignant concerts create an intimacy among composer, performers and audience.

Since 1969, few other string quartets have consistently captured the subtleties and exact timing of two violins, viola and cello as the Vermeer Quartet.

The Chicago-based interpretational virtuosos open the Chamber Music Society of Detroit's 1997-98 season. Next Sunday's melodic confessions include the sorrowful and joyful quartet compositions of Beethoven, Mendelssohn and Bartok.

Now in its 53rd season, the Chamber Music Society has built an international reputation for attracting up-and-coming as well as established stars of the chamber music circuit.

Past individual performers represent a Who's Who of the music world, including Itzhak Perlman, Yo-Yo Ma, Seiji Ozawa, James Galway, Jean-Pierre Rampal, Alicia De Larrocha and Midori.

Meanwhile, the Chamber Music Society has also attracted upper-echelon groups including the Guarneri String Quartet, the Beaux Arts Trio, the Julliard String Quartet, Academy of St. Martin-in-the-Fields and the legendary Cleveland Quartet.

After the last few seasons scheduling concerts at Orchestra Hall and the Macomb Center for Performing Arts, the Chamber Music Society has turned to the Detroit

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What: Vermeer Quartet presented by the Chamber Music Society of Detroit
When: 8 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 6
Where: Detroit Opera House, 1526 Broadway (at the corner of Madison in Grand Circus Park across from the Detroit Athletic Club).
Program: Beethoven's Quartet in F major, Opus 18, No. 1; Bartok's Quartet No. 5; and Mendelssohn's Quartet in A minor, Opus 13.
Tickets: $5-$39, (313) 961-3500

Chamber Music Society of Detroit's 1997-98 Schedule

■ **Amici Sextet** – 8 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 28, Orchestra Hall
■ **Netherlands Wind Ensemble** – 8 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 2, Detroit Opera House
■ **Beaux Arts Trio** – 8 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 17, Orchestra Hall
■ **Brentano String Quartet with Paul Katz, Cello** – 8 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 8, Orchestra hall
■ **Borodin String Quartet** – 8 p.m. Wed., March 18, Orchestra Hall
■ **Tokyo String Quartet** – 8 p.m. Monday, April 6, Orchestra Hall
■ **Kalichstein-Laredo-Robinson Trio** – 8 p.m. Saturday, May 2, Orchestra Hall
■ **Yefim Bronfman, Piano** – 8 p.m. Tuesday, May 19, Orchestra Hall

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Opera House for two of its nine performances.

"It's important statement to be in the city of Detroit," said Lois R. Beznos, president of the Chamber Music Society.

"Mayor Archer has attended our concerts for two years and even appears in our brochure," said Beznos of Franklin, a former literature and art history instructor at Wayne State University.

Most of the 50 board members and subscribers of the Farmington Hills-based Chamber Music Society reside in the suburbs. Although they boast one of the highest subscriber bases of a chamber music presenter in the country, the actual number of concertgoers is relatively small, from 600-1,800.

But Beznos hopes increase ticket sales for the Detroit Symphony Orchestra and the Michigan Opera Theatre will translate into broader appreciation for chamber music.

"Quality chamber music is like conversation, it's back and forth and emotionally accessible," she said

Another watershed

The Chamber Music Society's nine-concert season is more than any other music organization operating without a permanent home in the region. With their impressive schedule, international prestige and five-decade longevity just may make the Chamber Music Society one of the best-kept secrets in the region.

Ironically, they've played a central role in sustaining performances of musical masterworks during much of their 53 years as one of the oldest chamber music organizations in the country.

Twenty-two years ago, for instance, the Chamber Music Society was one of the first musical organizations to commit to what was then the newly renovated performance space along Woodward Avenue in Detroit, Orchestra Hall. At the time, the DSO was performing at Ford Auditorium on Jefferson Avenue.

Shortly after it was founded by Karl Haas, the Chamber Music Society presented the prêmiers of works by influential 20th-century composers Ernest Bloch, Sergei Prokofiev and Heitor Villa-Lobos. On its tenth anniversary, it presented a commissioned work by Samuel Barber, whose 1930s composition, "Adagio for Strings," is considered among the greatest American works

Yet it wasn't until the late 1980s that the Chamber Music Society began to look like more traditional musical organizations. When Beznos assumed the chair of the Chamber Music Society in 1987 she established regular meetings, subcommittees of the board and a fund raising strategy aimed at attracting corporate philanthropy and increasing donations.

"When we moved into Orchestra Hall in the mid 1970s and then when Lois took charge in the late 1980s were watershed moments," said Harry Francis, Chamber Society board member. "And this season, expanding to the Detroit Opera is another watershed."

While there may be a perceived competition with the DSO, MOT and other musical groups such as the Lyric Chamber Ensemble of Southfield, Francis believes that when one group succeeds there's a rainmaker effect.

"The more classical groups succeed, the more it feeds the broader music community," he said.

Premiers and prestige

The Chamber Music Society's upcoming season offers some well-known names, such as the Tokyo String Quartet, and the Beaux Arts Trio, featuring original member Malcolm Pressler.

There will also be a few premiers, including a piece by Paul Termos and another by Kevin Volans performed by the Netherlands Wind Ensemble. Overall, the season offers an international mix of performers and varied interpretations of chamber music.

And as a testament to the Chamber Music Society's reputation as a leading international presenter, it was chosen as one of eight organizations to present the winner of the Cleveland Quartet award given to "exciting young, up-and-coming groups."

The biennial winner is the Brentano String Quartet, former Julliard School students, who'll perform Feb. 8 at Orchestra Hall.

"After people have come to a concert, we've found that they're likely to come back," said Beznos.

Perhaps one revelation isn't enough.

Perfect timing: *The Vermeer Quartet performs Beethoven, Mendelssohn and Bartok at the Music Society of Detroit's opening concert.The concert will be held at the Detroit Opera House*

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"Hannah loves art; she lives for art," said Carol Clements, Hannah's mother. "The studio is her second home. The camp was an opportunity for her to meet her friends and do art. She really enjoyed it."

Rick Purzer, a senior at Plymouth Canton High School, didn't attend the camps but learned about them during his many trips to the studio to purchase canvasses for the acrylic portraits he paints.

"I'd known of the Egyptian show at the DIA and saw what the kids were doing at the camps," said Purzer. "I was looking for a subject to work on when I saw the Egyptian mural."

Purzer's portrait of King Tut's "Death Mask in Gold" is now on consignment at D & M Studio where it's displayed in the window.

Born artists

Growing up Kristen and Erin were exposed to the art classes and camps at D & M Studio, originally located in Plymouth's Old Village. When they weren't dabbling in paint, the two were posing in dance costumes for their mother's paintings. Besides helping at the studio during the summer, every Friday, Saturday and Sunday evening, the artistic duo earns money as face painters at Red Lobster in Westland.

"We've been doing art since when we were babies," said Kristen. "Eventually, I'd like to teach and take over my mom's business when she retires."

Hours for viewing the children's art show are 9:30 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday and Thursday, until 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, until 7 p.m. Wednesday and Friday, and 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday.

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Summer camp: *Last year's children's art show featured dozens of colorful animals.*

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pewter; Marianne Akers, Livonia, soft sculpture Santas, boo kids and other holiday themes; William Buesching, Livonia, antique tin; Nancy Lenski, Plymouth, painted wood items; Lorrie Boxberger, Plymouth, custom-made children's clothes; Leonard Kutschman, Southfield, wood toys and doll furniture; Sharon Dillenbeck, Canton, painting, and Hugh Burley, Ann Arbor, oils.

"It's a real community event without the hysteria of the big shows," said Plymouth artist Tom LeGault. "It's more laid back with the kids going back to school and the fast paced summer over, it's a nice time for family fun."

Until recently, fair-goers flocked to LeGault's booth for realistic paintings of northern Michigan landscapes and lighthouses. At Art on the Lake in Troy on Aug. 24, customers found it hard to resist LeGault's new series of impressionistic landscapes and water scenes. Earlier this summer, LeGault spent time in Glen Arbor photographing the inspiring scenery.

"The new line is real flowing, freer, more painterly," said LeGault. "I'm thrilled to death that people like it."

Showing Around Town

Other artists not to be missed at the fall shows are Tom Hale and George Landino at Art on the Green in Franklin Sept. 1. Landino, a West Bloomfield folk artist, crafts whimsical three dimensional sculpture and boxes in wood. Hale creates paintings of classic cars, sometimes incorporating flowers in the reflections and backgrounds.

Landino also exhibits at Art in the Park in Birmingham, Hale at Art & Apples in Rochester. Walt Cole, Redford, will exhibit wood turned vessels at Art in the Park. William Thayer, Redford, displays photography in Art on the Green and Art & Apples.

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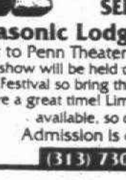

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Noteworthy

Gallery exhibits, art shows, classical concerts

MAKING CONTACT: *Please submit items for publication to Frank Provenzano, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 805 E. Maple, Birmingham, MI 48009, or fax (248) 644-1314.*

Stark remembrances: *New works of Richard Kozlow explore the haunting imagery of the Holocaust. A series of black and white paintings and bronze sculptures are currently shown at the Janice Charach Epstein Gallery in the Jewish Community Center, 6600 W. Maple Road, West Bloomfield. Hours: 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Sunday; 11 a.m.-6 p.m. Monday-Thursday; (248) 661-7641.*

AUDITIONS/ CALL FOR ENTRIES

ANN ARBOR SYMPHONY AUDITIONS
Positions: section violin, section viola, section bass, third flute/piccolo, principal clarinet, principal trumpet, section percussion. Auditions for the percussion opening will be held Saturday, Sept. 6. Auditions for other position will be held Sept. 4,5,7. (313) 994-4801.

STAGECRAFTERS
Auditions for Stagecrafters' production of Christopher Durang's "Beyond Therapy" 7 p.m. Monday, Sept. 8. Registration begins at 6 p.m. Roles for four men and two women. Come prepared with a joke or humorous story no longer than two minutes, and photo. Show dates Oct. 24-Nov. 2. 415 S. Lafayette, Royal Oak; (248) 541-8027.

CHRISTMAS EXHIBIT
Shaiwassee Arts Center is seeking artists for 9th annual "Christmas at the Center," November 8-December 30. Entry deadline: Tuesday, Sept. 30. 206 Curwood Castle Drive, Owosso. Or call (517) 723-8354, 1-5 p.m. Tuesday-Sunday.

ANN ARBOR BALLET THEATRE
Sunday, Sept. 7 auditions for annual presentation of the "Nutcracker Ballet," scheduled for Dec. 19-21. Ages 9-11: noon; ages 12-14: 1:45 p.m.; over 15: 3:45 p.m. For information, (313) 668-1001.

YOUNG ARTISTS
77th annual Detroit Festival of the arts is looking for artists aged 8-18 to participate in the festival's Youth Artists' Market, Sept. 20-21. Prospective artists may sell their collection of drawings, paintings, sculpture and jewelry. Entry fee: $8. For applications and information, (313) 577-5088.

ART BANNER COMPETITION
Second annual art banner competition sponsored by the Detroit Festival of the Arts open to individuals, school groups and art professionals. Prize categories: professional, general and youth. Banners should be 72" in height and constructed with weather resistant fabric. Further guidelines available by calling (313) 577-5088.

GM EMPLOYEES' CHORUS
New members for 1997-98 season. Practices begin 6:45 p.m. Monday, Sept. 8, Warren Woods Middle School at 12 Mile and Schoenherr. (248) 447-2319.

LATINO ARTISTS
Swann Gallery is seeking Latino artists for its "Latinos Out of Bounds" exhibit, Sept. 5-Oct. 5, 1997. Contact Therese Swann, Anne Mugan, Violet Purcell, (313) 965-4826.

LIVONIA CIVIC CHORUS
7:30 p.m. Tuesdays, Sept. 9, 16 & 23, Frost Middle School on Stark Road, between I-96 and Lyndon, Livonia. Membership not restricted to Livonia residents. Sight-reading not a requirement. Call Dick or Ann Ruel, (13) 525-1447.

BEL CANTO CHORAL SOCIETY
Open to women who read music. Rehearsals on Monday evenings, Sept.-June. Auditions scheduled by appointment for 1997-98 season. (248) 642-321.

PLYMOUTH-CANTON BALLET CO.
Open auditions for dancers. Fee: $5. Company will perform "The Nutcracker" in mid December. 41333 Southwind, Canton; (313) 397-8828.

CLASSES & WORKSHOPS

PIANO PROGRAM AT SCHOOLCRAFT
Piano Academy classes 60-minute group lesson and 30-minute private lesson. Fee: $450. 18600 Haggerty Road, Livonia; (313) 462-4400.

BALLET & JAZZ
Classes in pre-ballet, classical ballet and jazz. Fall term begins Monday, Sept. 8-Jan. 22. Classes offered Monday-Friday. The Community House; (248) 644-5823.

FAR CONSERVATORY CLASSES
Far Conservatory of Therapeutic and Performing Arts registration for fall term. Classes begin Friday, Sept. 12. 1669 W. Maple road; Birmingham; (248) 646-3347.

SOUTHFIELD'S CULTURAL ARTS CLASSES
Eleven new classes in bead making, painting, drawing, glass, fabric and special lecture series on the art and architecture of ancient Egypt. Classes begin Sept. 8 at the Southfield Centre for the Arts. To register, (248) 424-9022.

FARMINGTON ARTISTS CLUB
7 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 10. Guest speaker Karen Halpern. Farmington Community Library on 12 Mile Road, Farmington Hills; (248) 478-9243.

PCCA FALL CLASSES
Paint Creek Center for the Arts fall classes begin Sept. 15. Classes from 4 years old and up. 407 Pine Street, Rochester. To register, (248) 651-4110.

PLYMOUTH COMMUNITY ARTS COUNCIL
Art, music, theater classes begin week of Sept. 22. Classes from $40 for all ages. Registration opens Sept. 2. 774 N. Sheldon, Plymouth; (313-416-4278.

MS. MELONIE'S SCHOOL FOR PERFORMING ARTS
Classes begin Sept. 15, open for students ages 3 and up. 543 main Street, Ste. 210, Rochester; (248) 783-7279.

PAPERMAKING
10 a.m.-noon Saturday, Sept. 20, "Handmade Papermaking Workshop" by Fran Krempasky in the Marcotte Room, Southfield Library, 26000 Evergreen; (248) 948-0460.

PAULA WAGER'S ART STUDIO
Classes in graphite, colored pencil, pastel, watercolor, gouache, acrylic and oil. All ages. Classes are on-going. 3316 Greenlawn Avenue, Commerce Township; (248) 363-6326.

CLASSICAL

ANNIVERSARY OF ARMENIAN INDEPENDENCE
6 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 14 featuring The Musical Theater Ensemble of Armenia directed by Artur Grigorian. Southfield Center for the Performing Arts, 24350 Southfield Road, Southfield. Tickets: $20, adults; $5, children under 14; (248) 552-8975/(248) 642-7950.

BRUNCH WITH BACH
Concerts through February at the Detroit Institute of Arts. Sept. 14 – Notre Dame Trio performs music of Martinu and Schubert. Tickets: $21, adults; $10, children (5-12); (313) 833-4005. 5200 Woodward Ave., Detroit.

JAZZ & POP

CHRISTIAN MUSIC
7:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 6 the Orchard lake Music Series presents Living Truth, a Christina music group. 5171 Commerce Road, Orchard Lake; (248) 682-0730.

ZONJIC & JAMES JAM
2 p.m.-7 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 7 classical jazz flutist Alexander Zonjic and jazz pianist Bob James headline "Jazz on the Lake." St. Mary's College at Orchard Lake, 3535 Indian Trail, Orchard Lake; (248) 683-0521.

THE UNITY OF LIVONIA
6 p.m. Saturday, September 13, an evening of music, fun and live entertainment with Patti Jarosz. 28660 Five Mile Road, Livonia; (313) 421-1760.

GALLERY OPENINGS & RECEPTIONS

DYANSEN FINE ART AUCTION
Paintings, prints, objects of art and fine posters will be auctioned 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 3 at The Townsend Hotel, 100 Townsend Street, Birmingham; (800) 234-3504.

LEMBERG GALLERY
New works by gallery artists, including Ed Fraga, Will Mentor, Jennifer Reeves, Robert Schefman, Tony Scherman and Michele Zalopany. Runs Sept. 4-20. 538 N. Old Woodward Avenue, Birmingham; (248) 642-6623.

GALLERY CRAWL
10th annual Rochester gallery tour, including 17 stops. 6 p.m.-10 p.m. Friday, September 5. Buggy rides available. (248) 652-2262.

COMMUNITY ART GALLERY
5 p.m. Friday, Sept. 5 Wayne State Faculty Exhibit. Through October 3. 5400 Gullen Mall, on WSU campus; (313) 577-2423.

UZELAC GALLERY
7 p.m. Friday, Sept. 5 "Seal Life Forms," sculptural paintings of Lyn Parker. Through Sept. 27. Oakland Arts building, 7 N. Saginaw, Pontiac; (248) 332-5257.

SYBARIS GALLERY
5 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 13 "The Dream House: Exploration on Ornament and Pop Culture" by Beth Katleman, and "Parameters to Parallels," works by Laurie Hall. Through Oct. 18. 202 E. Third Street, Royal Oak; (248) 544-3388.

ON-GOING EXHIBITS

5TH AVENUE BILLIARDS
Through Aug. 31 – Album covers and photos from Motown's heyday. 215 W. Fifth Avenue, Royal Oak; (248) 855-6777.

C POP GALLERY
Through Aug. 31 – "Pugilists of Pop," featuring Royal Oak artists Rachel Reed and Kristina Lenhard 7:30 p.m. Saturday, July 26. 515 S. Lafayette, Suite D, Royal Oak; (248) 398-4372.

CRANBROOK ACADEMY OF ART ARTISTS
Through Aug. 31 – Featuring art work of recent graduates, 1221 N. Woodward, Bloomfield Hills; (248) 645-3323.

CRANBROOK ART MUSEUM
Through Aug. 31 – "Far from Home: New Definitions of Domestic Living," Michigan-based artists and architects explore the notion of home. Hours: Wednesday, Friday, Saturday , 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Thursday, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.; Sun., noon to 5 p.m. 1221 N. Woodward, Bloomfield Hills, (248) 645-3323.

MATRIX GALLERY
Through Aug. 31 – "Hair: The Lines Between" by Angela Taylor. An investigation of hair as a subject and object. 212 Miller Avenue, Ann Arbor; (313) 663-7775.

THE POSA GALLERY
Through Aug. 31 – Two women show, featuring Patty Auerback and Sue Zielinski. Summit Mall in Waterford. (248) 683-8142.

SUMMER FLORAL ART SHOW
Through Aug. 31 – Six watercolorists at the Plymouth Community Arts Council. Artists include Marjorie Chellstorp, Johnnie Crosby, Joanne Porter, Kay Rowe, Mary Stephenson and Donna Vogelheim. Hours: 9 a.m. to noon Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday; 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Wednesday, 774 Sheldon Road, Plymouth, (313) 455-4681.

SWANN GALLERY
Through Aug. 31 – "Feelings of Beauty in My World," paintings by Paula Wager. 1250 Library Street, Detroit; (313) 965-4826.

REVOLUTION
Through Sept. 2 – "Summer Rose," by Rose DeSloover's paintings. 23257 Woodward Avenue, Ferndale; (248) 541-3444.

JANICE CHARACH EPSTEIN GALLERY
Through September 11 – "Black & White & Bronze," new works by Richard Kozlow. Jewish Community Center, 6600 W. Maple Road, West Bloomfield; (248) 661-7641.

OUTDOOR SCULPTURE
Through Sept. 12 – "Installations IV" in Rochester Municipal Park, including work of Robert Bielat, John Piet and Shawn Skabelund.

SCULPTURE PONTIAC '97
Through Sept. 12 – Multi-site exhibit of indoor/outdoor sculpture throughout downtown Pontiac by 64 artists. Opening reception 6 p.m. Friday, August 1 at Creative Arts Center, 47 Williams between Pike and Lawrence streets.

SOUTHFIELD CENTRE FOR THE ARTS
Through Sept. 12 – Collection of work by area artist Carole Master. 24350 Southfield Road, just south of 10 Mile Road, Southfield; (248) 424-9022.

BOOK BEAT
Through Sept. 13 – "The End is Here: Visionary Artists at the End of Time," featuring Duchamp, Masson, Brecht and many others. 26010 Greenfield Road, Oak Park; (248) 968-1190.

SUSANNE HILBERRY GALLERY
Through September 13 – "Salient Green," an exhibit featuring works by many familiar gallery artists who composed work related to Summer. 555 S. Woodward, Birmingham; (248) 642-8250.

ROBERT KIDD GALLERY
Through Sept. 17 – "Colors of Summer, a group show of paintings, sculpture and glass. 107 Townsend Street, Birmingham; (248) 642-3909.

DONNA JACOBS GALLERY
Through Sept. 20 – "A Sojourn in Egypt," artifacts from 1320 B.C., and prints from early 1800s. 574 N. Woodward, Second Floor, Birmingham; (248) 540-1600.

WEARLEY STUDIO GALLERY
Through Sept. 20 – "Commemorative Objects" by Mary Douglas. Metalsmithing, woodworking and paintings. 1719 W. 14 Mile Road, Royal Oak; (248) 549-3016.

URBAN PARK
Through Sept. 22 – New Works by Ray Rohr. 508 Monroe, Greektown/Detroit; (313) 963-5445.

B'HAM UNITARIAN CHURCH
Through Sept. 26 – Realistic paintings by Dodi Sikevitz. 651 Woodward Ave., Bloomfield Hills; (248) 647-2380.

CELEBRATE MICHIGAN ARTISTS
Through Sept. 26 – 11th annual exhibit organized by the Paint Creek Center for the Arts. 407 Pine Street, Rochester; (248) 651-4110.

OAKLAND SOCIETY OF ARTISTS
Through Sept. 30 – Summer 1997 Exhibit at the Oakland County Galleria. Hours: 9 a.m.-5 p.m., Monday-Friday. Second floor, Executive Office Building, 1200 N. Telegraph Road; (248) 683-8142.

ANN ARBOR ART CENTER
Through Oct. 5 – "Margins, Edges and Environments," works by Jay Constantine and Douglas Bulka. 117 W. Liberty, Ann Arbor; (313) 994-8004.

SWORDS INTO PLOWSHARES PEACE CENTER AND GALLERY
Through Oct. 10 – Georges Rouault's "Miserere" series, July 11, 33 E. Adams on Grand Circus Park, Detroit. Continues through Oct. 10, hours 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, (313) 963-7575.

THE MUSEUM OF CONTEMPORARY ART
Through Nov. 1 – "The Wrong Show," recent social and political art gone awry. 23 W. Lawrence Street, Pontiac; (248) 334-6038.

MUSEUMS

MUSEUM OF AFRICAN-AMERICAN HISTORY
Through Sept. 7 – "Africa: One Continent. Many Worlds," 315 E. Warren, Detroit. Museum hours 9:30 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesdays-Sundays. $3 adults; $2 children younger than 12. (313) 494-5853.

DETROIT HISTORICAL MUSEUM
"The Feminine Touch: Women in Ceramics," a collection of more than 100 pieces of ceramic pottery from 18th-20th centuries. Hours: 9:30 a.m.-5 p.m., Wednesday-Friday; 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday-Sunday. Admission: $3, adults; $1.50, seniors; free, children under 12. 5401 Woodward (at Kirby), Detroit; (313) 640-1962.

DIA'S FABULOUS MONSTERS
Through Nov. 2 – "Fabulous Monsters: Fantasy Marionettes from the Paul McPharlin Collection, an exhibit of marionettes and rod puppets. Hours: 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Wednesdays-Fridays; 11 a.m.-5 p.m. weekends.

DIA'S "SPLENDORS OF ANCIENT EGYPT"
Through Jan. 4 – Mummies, pyramids and mysteries of Egypt. Detroit Institute of Arts, 5200 Woodward, Detroit. (313) 833-7900.

DETROIT SCIENCE CENTER
"Special Effects," an IMAX film about special effects and how movies like "Star Wars" and "Independence Day" were done, hourly 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Mondays-Fridays, hourly 11 a.m.-3 p.m., and 5 p.m. Saturdays, 1 p.m. 2, p.m. 3 p.m. and 5 p.m. Sundays; "Titanica," an IMAX film about the Canadian-American-Russian expedition team set out to explore the Titanic, 4 p.m. Saturdays; "Destiny in Space," another IMAX film, 10 a.m. Saturdays, and 4 p.m. Sundays, Detroit Science Center in the University Cultural Center, 5020 John R St., Detroit. Museum admission $6.75 adults; $4.75 for students and senior citizens. (313) 577-8400.

HENRY FORD MUSEUM & GREENFIELD VILLAGE
"Celebration of Emancipation," commemorative look into the lives of African-Americans in US history. Greenfield Village, 20900 Oakwood Boulevard, Dearborn. $12.50 adults; $11.50 seniors 62 and older; $6.25 children ages 5-12; Free for children younger than 5. Admission to the village and museum is separate. Combination tickets (unlimited access to both sites for two consecutive days) $22 adults, $11 children ages 5-12. (313) 271-1620.

U OF M MUSEUM OF ART
Through Sept. 28 – "Through the Looking Glass: Sculpture by Fred Sandback;" opens Sept. 7 – Sepphoris in Galilee: Crosscurrents of Culture; opens Sept. 13 – The Body (Un) Veiled: Boundaries of the Figure in Early Modern Europe. 525 S. State St., Ann Arbor; (313) 764-0395.

ART FAIRS/FESTIVALS

ART ON THE GREEN
17th annual Franklin art festival 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Monday, Sept. 1. Juried fine arts show of 75 international and Michigan artists. Franklin Road between 13 and 14 Mile Road. (248) 626-6514.

ARTS & APPLES
32nd Arts & Apples Festival presented by the nonprofit Paint Creek Center for the Arts, Saturday-Sunday, Sept. 6-7 at Municipal Park, downtown Rochester. Featuring 300 artists, entertainment children's art activities. 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Saturday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Sunday. Admission: $3; (248) 651-4110.

COMMON GROUND
Annual "Art in the Park" Saturday-Sunday, Sept. 6-7 on the grounds of Shain Park in downtown Birmingham. Basketry, ceramics, drawing, fibers, glass, jewelry, painting, photography, printmaking, sculpture and wood. More than 160 artists from 28 states. Proceeds go to community service programs at Common Ground. Hours: 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Saturday; 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Sunday. Shain Park, Birmingham, between Brown and Maple streets, west of Woodward Avenue.

PLYMOUTH ART COUNCIL
26th annual "Artists and Craftsmen Show" 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Saturday, noon-5 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 6-7. Central Middle School at Church and Main Streets, downtown Plymouth. Donation: $2, adults; $1, seniors; students and children under 12 free. (313) 416-4ART.

AUTUMN CELEBRATION
10th annual Autumnfest 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Sunday, September 7. A rural festival of food, entertainment, petting farm, kid's fun tent and hay rides. Free shuttle bus to farm site. Admission free. 25630 Evergreen Road, just south of the Southfield Civic Center. (248) 354-9603.

BENEFITS

RIVERBOAT REGATTA
5:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 4 fund raiser for the arts. Cruise the Detroit River with some of the areas cultural ambassadors: Kimberly Camp of the Museum of African American History, David DiChiera of the Michigan Opera House and others. Stroh Riverplace Dock at the end of Jos. Campau off of E. Jefferson, Detroit.

GOODWILL
7:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 5 silent auction of art made from items purchased at local Goodwill stores. Tickets: $25. Lawrence Street Gallery, Pontiac.

LECTURE & MEETING

JOHN GUINN, MUSIC CRITIC
Lecture series as preview to chamber music concerts at the Detroit Opera House and Orchestra Hall. First lecture previews Vermeer Quartet performance of Bartok, 3 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 31. The Community House, 380 S. Bates Street, Birmingham; (248) 644-5832.

MANUSCRIPT DEADLINE
Oct. 1 deadline for manuscripts and poetry for critique by Detroit Women Writers for the 36th Annual Writers' Conference, Oct. 17-18 at Oakland University. Fee: $48 for individual critique, $38 for workshop critique. Both critiques conducted Friday, October 18. Submission guidelines, (248) 370-3125.

FARMINGTON ARTISTS CLUB
Every Saturday in Heritage Park, near Spicer House and Visitor Center on Farmington Road, north of 10 Mile. Free. Bring own materials. (248) 661-5291.

VOLUNTEERS

ARTS & APPLES FESTIVAL
The Paint Creek Center for the Arts seeks volunteers for its annual Art & Apples Festival, Sept. 6-7 in Rochester Municipal Park. Volunteers are needed 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 6 and 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 7. Duties: collect admissions, distribute programs, sell T-shirts, help with children's art activities. Call (248) 651-4110.

DETROIT FESTIVAL OF THE ARTS
Work three days of festival with a minimum of four hours/day at art festival held in Detroit's Cultural Center, Sept. 19-21. Call (313) 577-5088.

ART GALLERY, STORES

THE ANDERSON GALLERY
Distinctive textiles and fiber art. Oakland Arts Building, 7 N. Saginaw in Pontiac; (248) 335-4611.

THE ANDY SHARKEY GALLERY
Exhibit of Michigan artists, featuring pottery, ceramics, wood, glass, silks, dolls, children's clothing and jewelry. 204 W. Fifth, east of Washington in Royal Oak (248) 546-6770.

THE ART EXPERIENCE
New experimental studio offers classes, workshops and support groups, and art and creative therapies by appointment. 17 W. Lawrence, Pontiac; (248) 332-3920.

ART LEADERS
Over 3,000 works of fine art. Contemporary to traditional. 33216 W. 14 Mile Road at Farmington Road; (248) 539-0260.

THE ARTIST'S OUTLET
Featuring artists' visions of Utopia. 17627 E. Nine Mile, Eastpointe; (248) 777-6985.

ANIMAL ODYSSEY
Animals of the wild portrayed stained glass by Plymouth artist Jenna. 971 N. Mill, Plymouth; (313) 453-5764.

ARCHIVES A.D.
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ART LOFT
Functional art and gifts. 203 E. Maple, Birmingham; (248) 647-4007.

ARTISTIC EXPRESSIONS
Silk and dried flora in unusual containers. Adams Plaza at 725 S. Adams, Birmingham; (248) 644-8349.

ARTQUEST GALLERY
Contemporary works of art for the home. Gift certificates and bridal registry available. 185 N. Woodward, Birmingham; (248) 540-2484.

ARTSPACE II
Specialists in reselling fine art works and antiques; historic Pewabic tiles, African artifacts, and unusual lamps for the home. 303 E. Maple, Birmingham; (248) 258-1540.

ATRIUM GALLERY
"Products of the Glory," a glass exhibit. 109 N. Center, Northville; (248) 349-4131.

AVENUE GALLERY
Michigan's only gallery showing exclusively Thomas Kinkade, including limited edition canvas lithographs. 167 N. Woodward, Birmingham, (248) 594-7600.

BRIDGE STREET GALLERY
Alaskan art and designer glass. Seeking new artists of all mediums. Call or write for an appointment. Slides and resumes aren't required but welcome. 208 N. Bridge, Linden 48451; (248) 735-1393.

CLARKSTON FINE ARTS GALLERY
Florals and collage by Ruth Allen, oil paintings by Julie Smith, sculpture by Linda Smith, pottery by Joanie Ugelo. 7151 N. Main, Clarkston; (248) 525-8439.

CLIQUE GALLERY
The gallery of Eve and Elaine Redmond features photography. 200 W. Fifth, Royal Oak (248) 545-2200.

COLANGELO'S RESTAURANT
Supporting Pontiac arts explosion by featuring artists from the Lawrence Street Gallery. 2 N. Saginaw at Pike, Pontiac; (248) 334-2275.

CONCEPTS GALLERY
Specializes in African-American Art, open edition lithographs, custom framing. 21766 W. 11 Mile Road, Harvard Row Mall, Southfield; (248) 357-2763.

COWBOY TRADER
Wild West gallery offers cowboy and Indian antiques and collectibles, including saddles and chaps. Western art, Navaho rugs, Plains Indian artifacts, turquoise and silver jewelry, books and rare photos and antique firearms. 251 Merrill, Suite 209, Birmingham; (248) 647-8833.

CRIMSON ROSE ANTIQUES
Specialize in Victorian, Edwardian, Art Noveau and Art Deco. 251 Merrill Street, Ste. 205, Birmingham; (248) 203-2950.

DANCING EYE GALLERY
Decorative and functional tiles at 150 N. Center Street, Suite A in downtown Northville; (248) 449-7086.

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Selection of tin toys, blown glass, mini tea sets, funky pajamas and ceramics. 206 W. 11 Mile, Royal Oak; (248) 543-7372.

DE GRIMME GALLERY
Large collection of European oil paintings, lamps and chandeliers, 1700 Stutz Dr., Ste. 102A, Troy; (248) 649-4664.

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Folk art of Latin America, including high-fire ceramics and dinnerware from Mexico, handcrafted "oil drum art" from Haiti, earrings and jewelry from Peru and Mexico, colorful "arpillera" tapestries from Chile. 210 W. Sixth, Royal Oak; (248) 542-5856.

EUROPA ART GALLERY
Original oils, pastel, drawings and sculptures of European and American artists. 6335 Orchard Lake Road, West Bloomfield; (248) 855-2160.

FAITH GALLERY
A photographic exhibit of Michelangelo continues at 315 Center, Royal Oak; (248) 541-3979.

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*LEAVE IT TO BEAVER (PG)

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HERCULES (G)
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Showcase Pontiac 6-12
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CONSPIRACY THEORY (R)
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Star Rochester Hills
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G.I. JANE (R)
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LEAVE IT TO BEAVER (PG)
SUN-MON 10:40, 12:30, 2:20, 4:10, 6:00, TUE-THUR 12:30, 2:15, 4:00,

MIMIC (R)
A SMILE LIKE YOURS (R)
COPLAND (R)
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NP MIMIC (R)
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AIR BUD (R)
CONTACT (PG)
MEN IN BLACK (PG13)
HERCULES (G)
SPAWN (PG13)
AIR FORCE ONE (R)
NP EXCESS BAGGAGE (PG13)
NP SHE S SO LOVELY (R)
NP HOODLUM (R)
NP G.I. JANE (R)
COP LAND (R)
CONSPIRACY THEORY (R)
AIR FORCE ONE (R)
CONTACT (PG)

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Winchester Mall
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No one under age 6 admitted for PG13 & R rated films after 6 pm
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NO VIP TICKETS
NP A SMILE LIKE YOURS (R)
12:45, 3:20, 5:30, 7:40, 10:00
NO VIP TICKETS
NP LEAVE IT TO BEAVER (PG)
11:00, 1:00, 3:00, 5:00, 7:00, 9:00
NO VIP TICKETS
NP MONEY TALKS (R)
11:30, 1:30, 3:30, 5:30, 7:30, 9:30
NO VIP TICKETS
NP MIMIC (R)
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NO VIP TICKETS
AIR BUD (PG)
GEORGE OF THE JUNGLE (PG)
EVENT HORIZON (R)
HERCULES (G)
MEN IN BLACK (PG13)
PICTURE PERFECT (PG13)
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A SMILE LIKE YOURS (R) NV
COPLAND (R) NV
GEORGE OF THE JUNGLE (PG)
EVENT HORIZON (R)
MEN IN BLACK (PG13)
GOOD BURGER(PG) NV
AIR FORCE ONE (R) NV
HERCULES (G)
PICTURE PERFECT (PG13) NV
PIPPY LONGSTOCKINGS (G)
MASTERMINDS (PG13) NV
FACE OFF (R)

United Artists Oakland
Bargain Matinees Daily
All Times Sun.-Thurs.
810.585.7041

EXCESS BAGGAGE (PG13) NV
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G.I. JANE (R) NV
MONEY TALKS (R) NV
AIR FORCE ONE (R) (NV)

United Artists 12 Oaks
Inside Twelve Oaks Mall
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All Times Sun.-Thurs.

HOODLUM (R) NV
MIMIC (R) NV
SMILE LIKE YOURS (R) NV
AIR FORCE ONE (R) NV
EVENT HORIZON (R) NV
MASTERMINDS (PG13) NV

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All Times Sun.-Thurs.

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GI JANE (R) NV
MIMIC (R) NV
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ULEE'S GOLD
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12:30, 2:40, 5:00, 7:30, 9:55
NP EXCESS BAGGAGE (PG13)
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NP A SMILE LIKE YOURS (R)
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NP G.I. JANE (R)
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NP MIMIC (R)
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NP COP LAND (R)
12:35, 2:55, 5:15, 7:40, 10:00
CONSPIRACY THEORY (R)
12:50, 3:45, 6:40, 9:30
PICTURE PERFECT (PG13)
3:05, 7:40
AIR FORCE ONE (R)
1:30, 4:10, 6:50, 9:25

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CON AIR (R)
DAILY AT 7:15, 9:50
BUDDY (PG)
SUN. & MON. 1:00, 2:00, 5:00
TUES.-THURS. 2:00, 5:00
FREE WILLY 3: THE RESCUE (PG)
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DAILY AT 1:15, 3:15, 5:15 @ $1.25, 7:15, 9:15
GI JANE (R)
DAILY AT 1:50, 4:30, 6:55, 9:35
LEAVE IT TO BEAVER (PG)
DAILY AT 1:40, 4:20, 7:00, 9:40
MIMIC (R)
DAILY AT 1:00, 4:40, 7:30, 10:05
A SMILE LIKE YOURS (R)
DAILY AT 1:30, 4:50, 7:40, 10:10
COPLAND (R)
DAILY AT 1:10, 4:30, 7:20, 9:45
EVENT HORIZON (R)
DAILY AT 1:35, 4:15, 7:10, 9:50
CONSPIRACY THEORY (R)
DAILY AT 1:25, 4:00, 7:00, 9:30
AIR FORCE ONE(R)
DAILY AT 1:05, 4:45, 7:35, 10:00
GEORGE OF THE JUNGLE (PG)
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THE DAYTRIPPERS (N/R)
2:00, 7:30, 9:50
MRS. BROWN (PG)
1:30, 4:00, 7:15 (EXCEPT 9:45, 9:45)
PONETTE (N/R)
11:30, (SUNDAY ONLY) 4:30
ULEE'S GOLD
11:25 (SUNDAY ONLY)
BOX OF MOONLIGHT (R)
11:20 (SUNDAY ONLY)

Now showing...

BOOKS

Former teacher writes book about childhood's happy times

The Cornerstone
By Karen Elizabeth Bush
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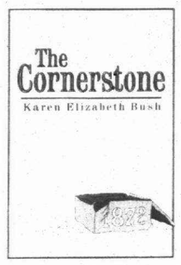
BY HUGH GALLAGHER
STAFF WRITER



When the aging Hendersonville School is about to be demolished, the children are devastated. Inspired by archeologists at a local Indian gravesite, a group of children rescue the school's cornerstone from the demolition and find a time capsule inside.

The time capsule has some special adventures meant just for the children of the community.

This is the basic story of Rochester writer Karen Elizabeth Bush's children's book. It was a book started 20 years ago as a remembrance of her students in Howell but completed, in part, as an antidote to the current trend of horror stories popularized by R.L. Stein.

"I had just quit teaching and hadn't expected to quit and I missed the kids," said Bush. "I started thinking about them and wrote some chapters. I put it away and left it for years and years. It was an unfinished project that I had to get back to."

Bush, 56, had taught for about 12 years at schools in Warren, Avondale and Howell and for a year at Michigan State University following her graduate studies. In 1975, after nine years in Howell, she quit, unhappy with new trends in education.

Bush is not happy with current trends in children's literature. She allows that R.L. Stein's books are well written, but ...

"He's part of a genre, and he's not the only one, a trend to make things sensational and desensitize the populace. Books are more and more violent and it starts with R.L. Stein," she said. "I object to the trend he sets."

Bush's book is about adventures without violence or grimness. The children are 9- and 10-year-olds who freely wander their small town and meet people of all ages, from the archeologists, to friendly construction workers to a sweet elderly lady with the key to their adventure. The children, led by girls named George and Pickle, are bright, polite and curious about the world around them. The book includes some interesting side stories about Tiger great Ty Cobb and outlaw John Wesley Hardin.

Bush's simple line drawings illustrate the story ("I didn't think I could trust someone else to draw the characters the way I wanted them.")

"Childhood is the happiest time in the whole world," Bush said.

It is adults who often create unhappiness in children, she said, with their talk about not adjusting and the pressures of school. Her books take a different approach.

"There is a need for books that talk about the way things should be and can be," she said. "My kids have normal conflicts, like the one has a mother who works and doesn't have enough time for her, but she loves her mother and it's all right. It's not a perfect world but a happy world."

Bush's years in Howell were the model for her characters and partly for the setting, though she says everywhere she's been in Michigan is in the story. The children also have real life models.

"There was a George and a Pickle. In their physical appearance, nicknames and intelligence they are the same as in the book but not in anything else," she said.

Bush says in a note at the end of her book that the elderly Miss Miriam is a little bit her.

"She keeps things she's interested in around her. That's very much from me. The bicycle is mine. And when I'm as old as my mother and aunts I will be climbing out on my roof to watch fireworks (as Miss Miriam does)," she said.

She said she doesn't have the courage Miss Miriam has to provide an open house for young people though she would like to. The rural setting of "The Cornerstone" allows characters to do things they can't or wouldn't do in our suburban communities.

"It was easy to give my children the independence to do things they do in the story and it would be harder in a larger city. I think when you grow up in the canned environment we put our children into today, where they are overprotected, they lose the ability to explore on their own," Bush said.

Bush recently started her own business, Lexicon Services in Rochester. The company offers business and technical writing, training and presentation services.

"The Cornerstone" is available through Dorrance by calling 1-800-788-7654 or on Amazon.com, the on-line book store. Bush said she is trying to find a distributor to put the book in local bookstores.

Karen Elizabeth Bush will sign copies of "The Cornerstone," 7:30 p.m. Monday, Sept. 15, at the Rochester Hills Borders, 1122 South Rochester Road, at Winchester Mall.

'Ernie Pyle's War' draws vivid portrait of war correspondent

Ernie Pyle's War
By James Tobin
(The Free Press, 1997, $25)

ESTHER LITTMANN

Only six years ago, Americans sat glued to their TVs as they watched the Gulf War unfold before their eyes. Each day dramatic reports accompanied vivid images of exotic lands and desert warfare.

But World War II was different. No pictures of fighting soldiers or fleeing refugees appeared on the TV screen. To protect the troops, military censorship limited the "public's right to know," extending even to the number of casualties during a given battle. Under such conditions, American civilians were hard put to identify with a war thousands of miles away, in places they had never seen and whose names they could barely pronounce. Many might have felt unmotivated to make personal sacrifices had it not been for the eloquence of one man.

In a biography entitled "Ernie Pyle's War," prize-winning reporter of the Detroit News James Tobin provides a richly drawn portrait of a man who was America's "eyewitness to World War II."

A small, frail and self-effacing Midwesterner, Pyle was nevertheless driven by wanderlust and ambition to exceed the limitations of his boyhood home on the Indiana prairie. He spent seven years as a depression-era "roving reporter," and 1942-1945 as foreign correspondent, first in Great Britain, then in North Africa and Europe, and finally in the Pacific.

Pyle's goal, writes Tobin, was to combat complacency by making people back home see what he was seeing and feel what he was feeling. To that end, he lived and traveled with the infantry, sharing food, lodging, and impending danger with them. Although he had ready access to military brass, Pyle was an egalitarian by nature, preferring the company of weary foot-soldiers, the "mud-frost-rain-and-wind boys," as he called them, ordinary men who faced extraordinary circumstances yet triumphed through sheer will power and perseverance.

"Even in the midst of death," writes Tobin, Ernie Pyle affirmed life, "offering his readers a modern myth, a way of seeing the chaos and misery that allowed them to make sense of it."

Pyle's ability to convert what he saw and heard into compelling "miniature narratives," with enough detail and drama to keep his readers informed and interested made him the "most popular correspondent in America," according to the London press. During the war years, everyone read Ernie Pyle. His column appeared in 146 newspapers throughout the States. He won the Pulitzer Prize, wrote a book entitled "Here Is Your War," and met with then 28-year-old Arthur Miller to discuss the screenplay of a movie about his life, later released as "The Story of G.I. Joe."

When Pyle died on Okinawa on April 18, 1945, Americans felt as though they had lost a teacher and a friend. President Truman acknowledged Pyle's contributions by recognizing the country's double loss, first of Roosevelt and then of its favorite journalist. Both died within six days of each other.

Tobin began his research on Ernie Pyle while still a doctoral student of history at the University of Michigan. In his finished work, the author combines scholarship, professionalism, and sensitivity to reveal a complex individual who, despite the dehumanizing effect of war, worked to uphold the values of decency and integrity.

Photographs and excerpts from Pyle's writing enrich an already abundant text. "Ernie Pyle's War" is available at Border's Book Store, where the author appeared last month.

Esther Littmann is a resident of Bloomfield Township. She is a private tutor with Una Dworkin and Associates. You can leave her a message from a touch-tone phone at (313) 953-2047, mailbox number 1893. Her fax number is (810) 644-1314.

BOOK HAPPENINGS

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BORDERS (BIRMINGHAM)
Gillian Helfgott discusses and signs copies of book "Love You to Bits & Pieces," the true story that inspired the movie "Shine." Her husband, Australian pianist David Helfgott, went through childhood as a musical prodigy, then a tormenting mental breakdown and finally a triumphant recovery. 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 6; Make Grandparents Day Cards, 1 pm. Sunday, Sept. 7 at the store, 31150 Southfield Road, Birmingham. (810)644-1515.

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Story time features "The Mouse Bride," by Joy Cowley, 10 a.m. Monday, Sept. 1, and 7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 2; Elizabeth McCracken's "The Giant's House" is the topic of the Fiction Reading Group, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 4; at the store, 6800 Orchard Lake Road, West Bloomfield. (810) 626-6804.

FINE ARTS

Exhibition digs up multicultural milieu

■ 'Sepphoris in Galilee: Crosscurrents of Culture' propels the viewer back in time and to a distant land where, for centuries, three distinct cultures coexisted in relative harmony.

The University of Michigan Museum of Art and the Kelsey Museum of Archaeology join forces to bring a fascinating exhibit, rich in history and artistry to Ann Arbor Sept. 7 to Dec. 14.

A public lecture and opening will be held 3 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 7 in Angell Hall Auditorium A, 435 South State Street. Exhibition co-curator Eric Meyers of Duke University will speak on "Sepphoris in Galilee: New Discoveries and Interpretations," and from 4-6:30 p.m. the exhibitions will be open to the public.

Admission is free.

"Sepphoris in Galilee: Crosscurrents of Culture" propels the viewer back in time and to a distant land where, for centuries, three distinct cultures coexisted in relative harmony. Praised by Josephus Flavius as "the ornament of all Galilee," Sepphoris was home to Jews, pagans and Christians. Its excavation has yielded valuable insight into an extraordinary cultural milieu in which the Jewish academy flourished as Christianity took root throughout Galilee.

Organized by the North Carolina Museum of Art in consultation with site archaeologists and the Israel Antiquities Authority, the exhibition displays more than 135 artifacts from the archaeological site of Sepphoris and the surrounding region of Galilee. Sepphoris (called Zippori in Hebrew) was, in the Roman period, a thriving provincial capital where Jews, pagans, and later Christians coexisted in relative harmony. In the Roman and Byzantine periods, Sepphoris was a leading center of Jewish scholarship and culture. Because the city is only four miles north of Nazareth, where Jesus lived, Sepphoris also offers valuable insight into the cultural milieu in which Christianity was born. The Arab and Crusader periods also left their traces at Sepphoris. Included are eight bronze coins, oil lamps decorated with the head of the pagan sun god Helios, a Menorah, and a cross. Throughout the exhibitions, which are housed in both museums, maps, videos, photo murals, and three-dimensional models of buildings help viewers envision the artifacts in their original contexts.

The earliest excavations of Sepphoris were conducted by Leroy Waterman of the University of Michigan in 1931. Archival photographs, excavation notebooks, and artifacts from the Waterman excavations on display at the Kelsey Museum highlight the university's exploration of Sepphoris and give visitors a glimpse of early 20th century archaeology in the Middle East.

A video program on the excavations at Sepphoris and interactive computer stations on various aspects of the city and its archaeological treasures accompany the exhibition.

A fully illustrated catalogue, published by the North Carolina Museum of Art, is available at both museums for $30 (soft cover).

The University of Michigan Museum of Art is at 525 South State Street, The Kelsey Museum of Archaeology at 434 South State Street. Exhibition hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday, until 9 p.m. Thursday, and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday. For more information, call (313) 764-0395/763-9304.

Native West Gallery features sculptor

Meet John Kessler, an award-winning sculptor, and watch as he carves his lava rock art works Sept. 26-28 at Native West Gallery, 863 W. Ann Arbor Trail, Plymouth.

Kessler's appearance coincides with the Plymouth is Artrageous Art Walk Weekend featuring more than a dozen businesses. Hours are 7-10 p.m. Friday, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday.

The strength and sheer texture of Kessler's sculptures bring to life some of North America's most loved and all too rarely seen wildlife.

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Kessler began sculpting at age 27 and now devotes all of his time to his art.

His Shawnee heritage is reflected not only in his sculptures but also in his collection of "Peace Pipe" designs which will also be featured. Kessler has exhibited the wildlife sculptures at art shows from New York to New Mexico and at art galleries nationwide.

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SCULPTURE SOUGHT

Venus Bronze Works is coordinating the call for entries, inviting sculptors residing in Michigan to participate in a competition to create a site-specific, lifesize (or slightly larger) figurative sculpture of a Wyandotte Indian family.

Deadline for submission is Oct. 15.

The project budget is $50,000 to $100,000. Completion date is April, 2000.

Submissions should include a resume, a minimum of 10 labeled slides of previous work (these should be in a slide sleeve, with self-addressed stamped envelope for return).

Three semi-finalists will be asked to make a site visit prior to presentation of a detailed proposal, which would include a maquette and an outline of project costs. The semi-finalists will be compensated in the amount of $1500.

"We'd like to get the best sculptors around town to enter," said Giorgio Gikas, project manager.

For more information, call Gikas at (313) 891-5151.

WRITING SERIES

In response to many requests, beginning Sept. 2 the Alfred Noble Library is presenting Victoria Diaz, in a series of three programs designed to interest adult who would like to learn or improve their professional writing skills.

Sessions take place 7-8:30 p.m. Tuesdays, Sept. 2, 16 and 30 at the library located at 32901 Plymouth Road in Livonia.

Diaz, a well-known author and reviewer, is a book columnist for the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers. Topics include creating a professional manuscript, getting published, marketing tips, writing exercises and assignments, and critiques of students works.

To register or for more information, call (313) 421-6600.

PAINTER'S POTPOURRI

The Village Painters will hold their second annual Painter's Potpourri Art Show and Craft Sale Sept. 12-13 at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer in Plymouth.

Hours are 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Friday and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday.

Admission is $1. For more information, call (313) 425-8713.

CONTEMPORARY COMMENTARY

World renowned artists Nancy Spero and Leon Golub open Detroit's newest gallery, the Elaine L. Jacob Gallery, with an exhibition titled "Contemporaries" Sept. 13. The show continues through Nov. 26 at 4841 Cass Street on the campus of Wayne State University. Call (313) 577-2423.

The exhibition has been made possible with assistance from the W. Hawkins Ferry Endowment Fund and the Detroit Institute of Arts' 20th century art department. An artists' lecture will be held 2 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 13 in the DIA's Lecture Hall. Free with museum admission. An opening reception follows at the gallery 4-7 p.m.

Spero and Golub are known nationally and internationally for their expressive figures and powerful images, and for their commitment to representing the important issues of their times. A central figure in feminist interventions in the arts, Spero critiques the representation of women with images from art history, mythology and mass media. These images are combined to produce subtle, delicate, and yet powerful works of art. Golub's monumental paintings serve as disturbing settings in which gestures and grimaces make vivid the psychology of dominance, violence, masculinity, and fear. Paintings selected for "Contemporaries" exemplify the psychological impact of Golub's work.

Hours are 10:30 a.m. to 7 p.m. Tuesday to Friday and 11 a.m. to 5 p.m., Saturday.

FESTIVAL OF ARTS

The 11th annual Detroit Festival of the Arts takes place Friday-Sunday, Sept. 19-21 within the 15-block area in the University Cultural Center.

Featuring more than 130 visual artists, three stages of international, national and local performing artists, a Children's Fair, Literary Festival, ethnic food, parades, and carriage rides, this multicultural arts extravaganza should not be missed.

For more information, call (313) 577-5088.

OPENING RECEPTION

Watercolors by Sharon DeAlexandris will be featured through Oct. 5 at the Atrium Gallery, 109 North Center, Northville.

An opening reception to meet the artist takes place 5-7 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 20. DeAlexandris' paintings were done on location in northern Michigan, Mexico and the Caribbean.

Gallery hours are 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday, until 8 p.m. Friday and 5 p.m. Saturday, and noon to 4 p.m. Sunday. Call (248) 349-4131.

FALL CLASSES

The Plymouth Community Arts Council begins classes in art, music and theater the week of Sept. 22 at the Joanne Winkleman Hulce Center for the Arts, 774 North Sheldon at Junction in Plymouth.

Costs for the eight-week term begins at $40. Classes are available for all ages and art mediums.

For more information or a brochure, call the arts council at (313) 416-4ART.

Also of note:

Whistle Stop Players, the children's theater group, will hold auditions for the musical "Babes in Toyland" Sept. 16-18 at the arts council. Needed are 60 actors/singers dancers for speaking parts, solos, a flock of little sheep, and an army of dancing toy soldiers. Rehearsals on Sundays and/or Thursdays 6-8 p.m. for performances Dec. 5-7 and school tour Dec. 8-18.

Participation fee upon casting is $100 for PCAC members, $125 nonmembers.

LOCAL ARTIST SHOWS

Livonia watercolorist Elbert Weber will display his paintings Sept. 9 to Oct. 5 in the Main Gallery of the Shiawassee Arts Center, 206 Curwood Castle Drive, Owosso. Call (517) 723-8354.

Meet the artist at an opening reception 2-4 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 14.

Weber studied art at the Art Center College of Design in Pasadena, California, Purdue University and Indiana University. His paintings are in private collections throughout the U.S. as well as Brazil, Canada, Scotland, and New Zealand.

While viewing works of his contemporaries in museums and exhibitions feeds Weber's need to paint and draw, he also finds inspiration in the natural world around him.

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Helfgott World Tour: genius, entertainment or hype?

BY FRANK PROVENZANO
STAFF WRITER

It only seemed inevitable that pop music entrepreneurship and obsession with celebrity status would enter American concert halls.

With a twist of P.T. Barnum and a dash of so-called legitimacy found in internationally prestigious venues, the David Helfgott World Tour is everything but what it claims to be, according to nearly every music critic who's heard the pianist.

This upcoming Sunday, a metro Detroit audience will see and hear for themselves if the Helfgott tour is a showcase for a piano genius, or perhaps more hype than virtuosity.

Helfgott, the inspiration for the critically acclaimed 1996 film, "Shine," has captured the hearts of movie audiences worldwide for his heroic battle to overcome a repressive childhood and 12 years in mental institutions.

But his long journey back to recital halls for the former prodigy, some contend, may have been his best performance.

The classical music industry can be a harsh place. Just ask Vladimir Horowitz, indisputably one of the 20th-century's greatest pianists, who had to take time off from touring because of fragile nerves.

Helfgott and his Australian promoters will settle into the august Detroit Opera House for a concert featuring the compositions of Chopin, Liszt, Mendelssohn, and, of course, Rachmaninoff, whose demanding third concerto proved to be an unconquerable behemoth for the young Helfgott prior to his much-publicized mental breakdown.

Unfortunately, based on even the kindest critic's assessment, Helfgott has yet to master the piece that resounds with the tempestuous sounds of a mid Atlantic hurricane. And for that matter, Helfgott's erratic playing and eccentric on-stage behavior have been called more of a spectacle than spectacular.

Based on reviews of other concerts on the tour and the frenetic, uneven playing on his recent CD, "Brilliantissimo," Saturday's performance will look and sound more like a gathering for those who respect Helfgott's grit, humor and forbearance more than his musical interpretative skills.

Clearly, this isn't like the long-awaited Horowitz return to the stage after a 12-year absence. Nor does it engender the anticipation of Van Cliburn's performances after he won the 1958 Tchaikovsky Competition in Moscow.

At its best, the Helfgott tour offers a collective catharsis for those who share painful child rearing experiences and appreciate the pianist's bizarre ways. Helfgott has been known to stop during a piece and stand to accept applause. He also effusively shakes hands and hugs anyone in his path.

At its worst, however, the tour is a voyeuristic enterprise whereby mental illness is served up as entertainment. Yet another cynical attempt to disguise celebrity as great musicianship.

In a classical music industry suffering from decreasing recording sales and attendance, the Helfgott tour can also be called by another name: show business.

The Shine Tour

What: The Shine Tour, featuring pianist David Helfgott, presented by International Concert Attractions

When: 7 p.m. Sunday, September 7

Where: Detroit Opera House, 1526 Broadway (at the corner of Madison Avenue near Grand Circus Park)

Tickets: $30-$75; (248) 64-6666

Upcoming performances at the Detroit Opera House – Sept. 20-Oct. 5: "Aida"; Oct. 18-26: "The Magic Flute"; April 18-26: "Manon"; May 9-17: "The Elixir of Love"; May 30-June 14: "Porgy & Bess." The Chrysler Dance Series – Oct. 9-12: "Dracula": Feb. 5-8: "Giselle"; April 2-5: "Alvin Ailey."

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Canton Project Arts extends deadlines

Fine art works in all mediums are still being sought for the fifth annual Canton Project Arts exhibition Oct. 18-24 at Summit on the Park in Canton Township. The deadline for entries has been extended to Sept. 4.

A total of $1,500 in cash will be awarded for Best of Show, Second and Third Place, and four Merit Awards.

Juror for the show is Jean Marie McKnight, who has exhibited work in invitationals at the Cranbrook Academy of Art, Marygrove College, Stocker Gallery in Ohio, and in more than 20 one-woman shows. McKnight has won awards from the State Fair Fine Arts and Michigan Fine Arts Exhibition, and the Hallmark National Design Competition. Her work is in numerous private and public collections throughout the U.S.

Also of note:

Canton Project Arts is still looking for volunteers to help coordinate the exhibition. Artists as well as art lovers, business owners and patrons are invited to play a part in executing the show, which is well on its way to building a reputation as a fine arts exhibition in the league of Our Town in Birmingham. There are a variety of ways for volunteers to be involved from developing and maintaining a database of Canton Project Arts membership to hosting the exhibition and installing the art works.

For more information about volunteering or entering the exhibition, call Kathleen Salla at (313) 397-6450.

DSO opens with masters

The Detroit Symphony Orchestra opens its 1997-98 season Thursday, Sept. 11, with a program of works by Beethoven, Mozart and Brahms at Orchestra Hall in Detroit.

The concert will feature guest conductor Jerzy Semkow with guest pianist, Helen Huang. Concerts will be presented 8 p.m. Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Sept. 11-13. For ticket and season subscriber information, call: (313) 962-1000.

TRAVEL

Colorado visitors find they're on top of the world

BY DOUG JOHNSON
SPECIAL WRITER

Our house with the big picture window sat up near Ridge Road facing Colorado's Front Range, the string of snow-covered peaks every Denverite points out to the first-time visitor.

My dad was sent to Denver by the Army doctors for the clean air. Now a rusty orange cloud often hangs in the air as the mountains trap pollution over Denver.

The city's founder was right in 1859 when he said everyone would be flocking to Denver for "fine air, good water, and everything to make a man happy."

Many people think too many people have come to Colorado. Growth is the big issue here.

But get away from the Front Range cities and the air clears, the traffic disappears and the scenery beckons. Here are some favorite places:

Take US 285 from Denver through Morrison, up to Evergreen, to Bailey then up Kenosha Pass. Stop at the top and look out at a quintessential western valley, South Park. Cattle graze in the distance, and sun blinks off steep tin roofs of ranch homes. If the weather has been kind the valley will be a rich green. Drive across the valley and visit the mining town of Fairplay.

At Fairplay, the South Park City Museum is a collection of period buildings. They provide a great cross section of early Colorado history. Also in and around Fairplay you can see the remains of placer mining.

Drive to Buena Vista and then Salida. Many people like the white water rafting out of Salida on the Arkansas.

Continue the drive into Gunnison and beyond along Blue Mesa Lake created by the damming of the Gunnison River. The beautiful terrain here is varied and unlike any other in the state. You could stay in Montrose (plenty of motels), then the next day venture back up the road and into the Black Canyon of the Gunnison, a national monument with views of a 12 mile, 2,700-foot canyon cut in granite.

Montrose is a jumping off point for southwestern Colorado and some of the state's most beautiful landscapes.

Drive into Ouray and take one of the jeep tours into the San Juan Mountains with a guide or rent your own jeep. This is a don't miss; the Ouray area jeep trips are the best in the west. They are not for the faint-hearted but do offer Colorado high country experiences without the arduousness of hiking or backpacking.

Back on paved roads you will travel along the "Million Dollar Highway," arguably Colorado's most beautiful mountain road, on into Silverton and then Durango.

In Durango, you will be faced with a traveler's dilemma: do I spend a day taking the narrow gauge railroad trip from Durango to Silverton or move on?

Take the trip.

The Durango to Silverton train ride follows a true wilderness river, the Las Animas, out of Durango and up to the mining town of Silverton. You stop for lunch, and then return to Durango by dinner. The trip is pricey but worth the cost. As you hug sheer canyon walls inside Victorian train cars pulled by coal-fired locomotives, you realize how far you've come from Denver.

For dinner, try the Bar-D Chuckwagon – dining is al fresco and entertainment is pure cowboy.

West from Durango you can visit Mesa Verde National Park to see cliff dwellings.

Also, from here you can drive to Telluride along "Rio Dolores," but it is hardly a river of sorrows.

Telluride is in a box canyon, and a lovely waterfall can be seen from the main street. You need four-wheel drive to get from here back to Ouray.

Now you can return to Montrose and go up on Grand Mesa on Colorado 85 for yet another different view of the state. Another way out of Telluride is up state route 145. Either way you end up on Interstate 70 and are ready to go to Grand Junction and then Utah, or back toward Denver.

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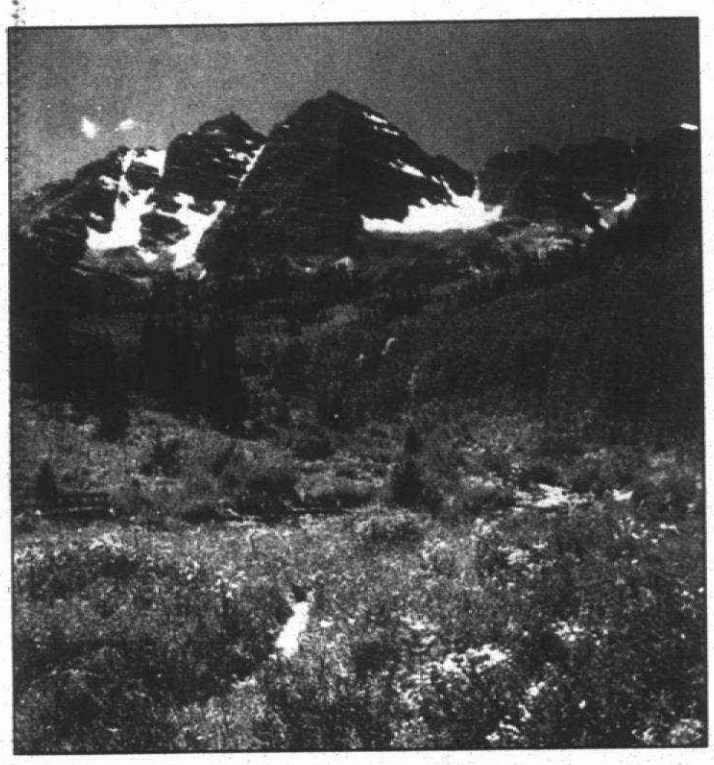
Rafters: *A boatload of whitewater rafters move through a calm section of the Colorado River in Glenwood Canyon.*



Maroon Bells: *This popular mountain hiking area near Aspen is currently accessible only by shuttle leaving downtown Aspen. The mountains are sometimes called "The Deadly Bells" because they make for dangerous climbing.*

The construction of I-70 changed the state for all time. It used to take my dad about an hour to get to Idaho Springs from our home south of Denver, especially if you got behind a slow truck. Now it takes a few minutes.

As you come in from Grand Junction you'll come to Glenwood Springs, noted for its hot spring-fed swimming pool.

Glenwood is also the jumping off point for Aspen and Snowmass ski areas. Aspen is an expensive place, even in the summer. We were able to stay at Snowmass last summer for $45 in one of the ski lodges.

One of the most photographed places in the American West is the Maroon Bells, up a short stretch of road near Aspen. Unfortunately it is so busy that they are restricting regular car traffic during the day and you must take a shuttle bus to the area from downtown Aspen. Even with that inconvenience, this is a wonderful spot, especially for photographers and hikers.

When you get back on I-70, you will go east through Glenwood Canyon. The 12-mile stretch was the last part of this interstate to be finished.

Environmentalists weren't happy that the freeway went through the canyon. Why did we have save east-west truckers 15 minutes? But the route was finished in 1993, cost about $500 million and squeezes through a narrow chasm along the Colorado River.

The road here is an engineering marvel and includes bridges, tunnels and sections of road cantilevered on top of each other.

From here you travel into Vail (where the famous Back Bowls make skiers salivate) and then through the Eisenhower Tunnel and into Silver Plume and Georgetown.

There are hundred of other things to see in Colorado from the incredibly remote Dinosaur National Monument to Colorado Springs and the Pikes Peak area which inspired "purple mountain majesties" in the hymn "America the Beautiful."

My father's favorite trip for first-time visitors was a drive up to Loveland, west into Big Thompson Canyon where the river rumbles alongside the road and sheer canyon walls block out the daylight. We would stop in Estes Park for lunch, then go into Rocky Mountain National Park up on Trail Ridge Road, four treeless miles of which are above 12,000 feet, with clear views a hundred miles in all directions. It would be 95 in Denver and on Trail Ridge it would be spitting snow, a 60-degree difference.

No one had to explain or say anything.

You were on top of the world.

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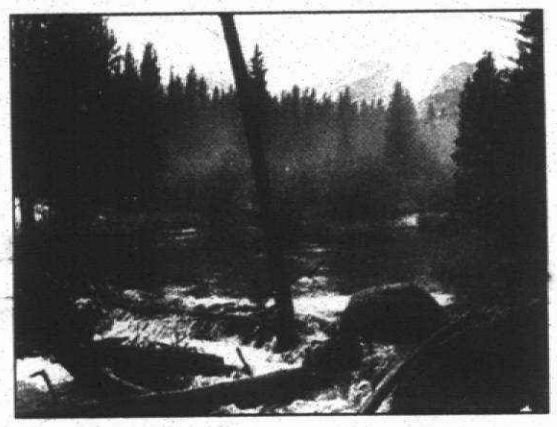

Overflowing: *A mountain stream overflows a beaver dam in Rocky Mountain National Park.*

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SOUTHFIELD BOOKS TOURS

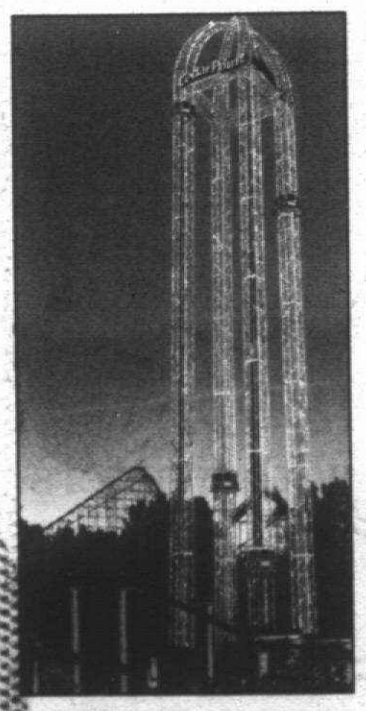
City of Southfield is offering four special tour events. On Friday,Oct. 10, a one-day excursion to the Detroit Institute of Arts will view the "Splendors of Egypt" collection. Round-trip transportation, admission to the DIA and the exhibit, audio equipment and lunch at the Whitney are included in this escorted tour for $77 a person.

On Nov. 6-8, a trip to Chicago will feature a visit to the "Impressions of an Age" exhibit at the Art Institute of Chicago featuring the portraiture of Pierre-Auguste Renoir. This 3-day, 2-night tour includes round-trip, motor coach transportation, lodging at the Palmer House, admission to the museum and exhibit, some meals, gratuities and taxes at $478 per person based on double occupancy.

On Wednesday, Dec. 3, a trip to the Fox Theatre in Detroit will feature "Radio City Christmas Spectacular" with the world-famous Rockettes. The $89 price includes seating in the first 26 rows of the theater, round-trip transportation, lunch at Carl's Chop House and all admissions, taxes and gratuities.

On Friday, March 6, Southfield Tours offers a trip to the Masonic for "Riverdance." The $109 cost includes round-trip transportation, dinner at Carl's Chop House, admission and all gratuities and taxes.

For information on these tours, call (248)424-9043.



Power Tower: *The latest Cedar Point thrill ride will blast off in May with four towers, two blasting up and two blasting down.*

POWER TOWER

Cedar Point amusement park in Sandusky, Ohio, will introduce a new thrill ride, Power Tower, beginning in May, 1998. The massive 300-foot tall Power Tower will consist of four 240-foot-tall towers topped with connecting arches. Two of the towers will blast riders up its structure, while two will thrust riders down – all in 3 seconds at more than 50 mph. Power Tower will accommodate 48 riders at a time, 12 on each of the four steel towers, seated in groups of four or two. Riders will sit in outward-facing seats with their backs to the towers. Over-the-shoulder harnesses will secure passengers in open-air seats, which will leave their legs dangling freely in the air. Riders will be able to choose between blasting up or down the tower, each ride offering a different sensation. Power Tower was developed by S&S Sports Power Inc. and will be able to accommodate 1,700 riders an hour.

ART TOUR

Berkley Tours and Travel is offering a one-day trip to the Midland-Saginaw area. The tour includes a visit to the Alden Dow home and studio, the Dow gardens and the Hall of Ideas followed by a city tour. Following lunch the tour will visit the Marshall Fredericks Sculpture Gallery on the campus of the University of Saginaw. The tour will end with an elegant dinner at the Montague Inn, a beautiful Georgian style mansion dating from the early 1900s. For more details, call Elaine Barnett at (248)559-8620.

FALL IN BOYNE COUNTRY

Cyclists can ride through the tunnel of trees along M-119 during the annual shoreline bike tour Saturday, Sept. 6, with starting point at the Birchwood Inn, Harbor Springs. A fee includes refreshments, a barbecue and pool party. Call 1-800-530-9955.

Another Boyne Country event is the Taste of Harbor Springs Sept. 20 at the city's waterfront. Taste of Harbor Springs showcases many area restaurants, microbrewries and wineries. Call 1-616-526-7999.

From mid-September through mid-October is peak fall color time in Boyne. Call 1-800-845-2828 for free information on fall color tours.

BACKPACKING CLASSES

The School of Outdoor Leadership Adventure and Recreation will offer a backpacking class (5:45 to 8:45 p.m.) on five successive Wednesdays beginning on Sept. 3. An overnight trip to Pinckney Recreation Area is set for Sept. 20-21; a Picture Rocks trip will be held Oct. 3-5. Classes are in Farmington; call Carol McCririe at 1-810-229-5232.

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OBSERVER SPORTS SCENE

Soccer champs

The Canton Conquest, an under-11 girls select soccer team, made their trip to the Northwest Ohio Soccer Tournament Aug. 15-17 a successful one, finishing first place in their division.

The Conquest won all four of their matches without allowing a goal.

Team members are Brittany Armstrong, Erica Arndt, Kristen Boylan, Brittany Cervi, Lisa Ealy, Taylor Foley, Amy Gizicki, Andrea Johnson, Kelly Lepper, Megan McMullen, Katie Polera, Molly Priebe, Katie Raker and Ashley Smith. The team is coached by John Johnson and Rich Priebe.

Softball standouts

The Plymouth-Canton Thunderbirds 12-and-under girls fast pitch softball team placed second in both the USSSA State Fast Pitch Tournament and the Western Wayne County Fast Pitch League, compiling a 9-5 record in the latter.

Team members are Dayna Allen, Tina Commiskey, Meghan Depp, Katie Gietl, Amy Heberholz, Michelle Jurcak, Beth Nolan, Alison, Proodian, Michelle Roelofs, Sarah Shelton, Sarah Shumaker and Amy Tremonti. The team is coached by Fran Jurcak, Kevin Depp, Bob Proodian and Don Shumaker.

Hoops runners-up

The Sharks, a team consisting of David Neu and Greg Calabrese of Canton and Andrew Cortellini and Kyle Price of Plymouth, made their mark in the basketball world.

The foursome teamed to finish second in the 10-year-old boys division at the Street Hoops USA 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament, held at Schoolcraft College Aug. 24.

Hole-on-one

Kevin **Skyner, of Wixom**, got his first-ever ace on the fifth hole at Fellows Creek Golf Course Aug. 14.

Skyner used a nine-iron to knock down his hole-in-one on the 127-yard hole. Skyner, 35, shot 38 for his nine-hole round.

PCJBA registration

The Plymouth-Canton Junior Basketball Association will have registration for its third-through-eighth grade boys and girls teams Sept. 4 and Sept. 9, from 6:30-8:30 p.m. at East Middle School.

All students within the Plymouth-Canton School District are eligible.

Rules include tryouts, to equalize teams, and a guarantee that all players will play in part of every game with no player playing in all of it. The season will consist of 10 games plus the tournament, with players keeping their jerseys.

Any parents interested in coaching, and any high school students interested in being referees, should register at the same time.

Registration dates for PCJBA teams in ninth-through-12th grades will be announced later.

Fall softball leagues

•A men's fall softball league is now being formed by the Canton Parks and Recreation Services.

There are no residency requirements.

Play begins Tuesday, Sept. 9 and continues for five weeks, each team playing five double-headers. There will be two six-team leagues, one playing on Tuesdays and Wednesdays and the other on Wednesdays and Thursdays. All games will be at Heritage Park.

Cost is $200 per team (which includes game balls) plus a $15 fee per team per game for umpire fees, paid directly to the umpires.

Registration begins Monday at the Summit on the Park office. For more information, call (313) 397-5110.

(The Parks and Recreation offices will be closed Aug. 25 through Sept. 1).

•Canton Softball Center is now accepting applications for its fall softball season, which begins Sept. 9. Team registration is $395 plus umpire fees for a 12-game season, featuring all double-headers (six playing dates). Game balls, USSSA registration and first and second place sponsor awards are included.

Call (313) 483-5600, ext. 2 or 3, for further information.

Football time again!

Potential there for Rocks

BY C.J. RISAK
SPORTS EDITOR

A year ago at this time, Plymouth Salem football coach Tom Moshimer predicted disaster.

He looked at his team, which was few in number, small in size and not overly talented, and wondered secretly if this might end up being his first winless season.

Not the best way to start the year.

That Rocks' squad ended up narrowly missing the Class AA state playoffs, finishing with a 6-3 record.

"Everything went well for us last year, starting with our opener at Belleville," Moshimer said. "The kids all played to their potential."

Things will be different for the Rocks this season — well, at least in some respects.

There are more players on the varsity (39) than last season (32). And there is a fair amount of talent.

But there is also a fair amount of inexperience, particularly on offense, where Moshimer must replace quarterback Nate Gray and just about everyone else.

"On defense, we're OK," the long-time Salem coach said. "That's where our strength is. As our offensive line comes along, our offense will get better.

"We do have great balance at running back. We'll probably have five or six kids who'll be pretty close in yardage. Several kids are going to get a chance."

Since Moshimer-coached teams run the ball, having a lot of runners to choose from is a blessing. It would also make Tony Bernhardt's job as quarterback a bit easier.

Bernhardt, a 6-foot-3, 175-pound senior and one of four captains, did play defensive back last season, but didn't get much work offensively. That could pretty much sum it up for all of the offense.

The other captains, all seniors, are running back/defensive back Charlie Schmidt (5-8, 160); fullback/middle linebacker Brett Burleson (6-0, 180); and split end/free safety Jeff McKian.

"If we have a top running back, it would probably be Charlie," Moshimer said.

Schmidt, Bernhardt, Burleson, McKian and senior defensive end/tight end Teono Wilson (6-4, 195) are the players Moshimer thinks could have breakthrough seasons. "They all have a chance to have a great year," he said.

Wilson's forte is at defensive end; he'll share tight end duties with senior Alan Hodge (6-1, 180) and junior Eric Peterson (6-2, 220).

The other offensive backs — and as Moshimer said, there are plenty of them — are senior Jason Reed (5-11, 205); senior Jason Jones (6-0, 165); junior David Clemons (5-11, 175); and sophomores Jason Lukasik (6-0, 160), Andy Kocoloski (5-9, 150) and Archie Kinney (5-4, 140). Both Hodge and Peterson figure to back-up Burleson at fullback.

On the offensive line, Moshimer has plenty to choose from: seniors Brad Schopieray (5-11, 210), Karl Brandenburg (6-3, 265), John Hoskins (6-4, 195) and Bill Petersen (5-9, 235); and juniors Rob Welch (5-11, 180), Joe Tebben (5-11, 175), Chad Stidham (6-1, 205), Gordon Perrin (6-5, 195), Bill Samczyk (5-10, 190), Robert Drabicki (6-0, 140), Corey Helchowski (5-11, 155) and Richie Cieslak (6-3, 245).

Of the group, only Schopieray and Petersen have starting experience — which, Moshimer said, guarantees nothing.

At present, McKian will share split end duties with Kevin Conte, a 5-10, 155-pound senior who will also play defensive back. Junior Charlie Fisher (5-9, 140) will also see action.

Many of the aforementioned

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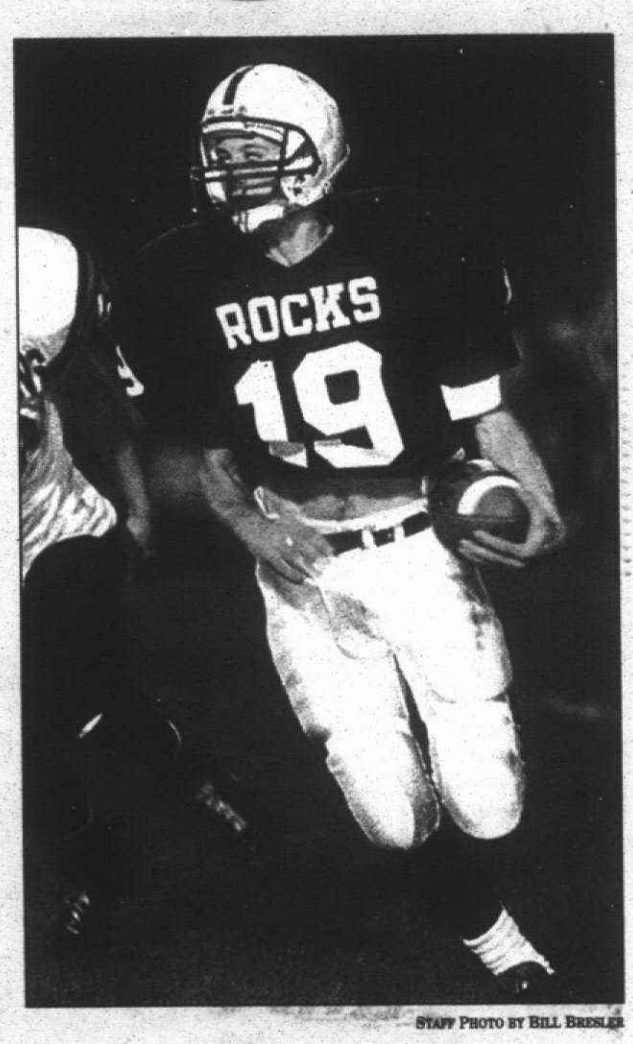

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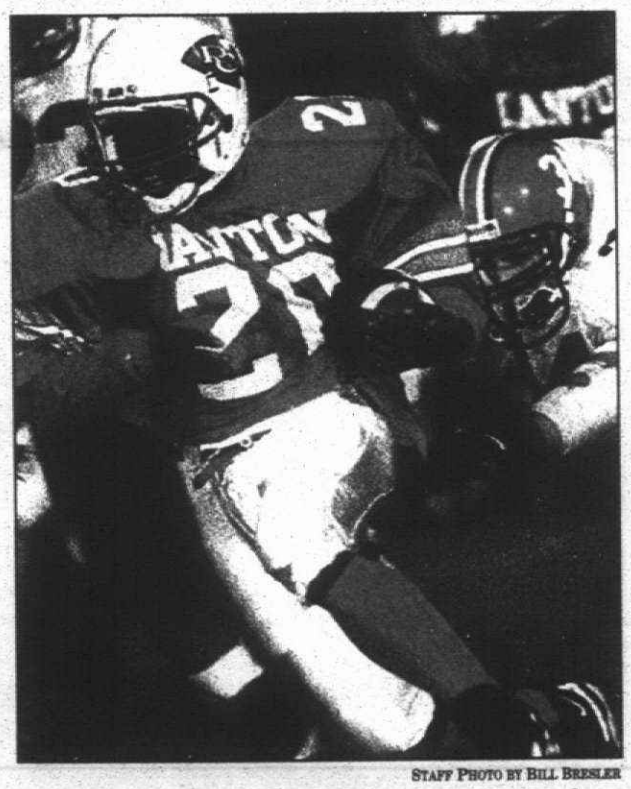
Taking over: *Tony Bernhardt becomes the quarterback for Salem, assuming the position filled by Nate Gray for the past two seasons.*



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Runner returns: *Kwaku Dankwa got plenty of experience running the ball last season for Canton, and it'll come in handy this season.*

Chiefs will face the best

BY C.J. RISAK
SPORTS EDITOR

One could say that Plymouth Canton's football team has a tough road to follow. And that would be accurate.

Problem is, it's as tough for the Chiefs at home as it is on that road. And they're going to tackle this imposing task with a new "navigator."

Gone from last year's 4-5 team is one of the school's best players ever: quarterback/defensive back/punt returner Rob Johnson, who's now playing at Northwestern University.

The rest of the offensive backfield is experienced, but the line has just one returning starter in senior Brian Sinischko, a 6-foot-3, 235-pound tackle.

The defense is in about the same shape. Coach Bob Khoenle has some talented players, but few of them have much varsity experience.

A lineup like that could use some time to develop, right? Well, this one won't get any.

Canton has the toughest first-half-of-the-season schedule in the Western Lakes Activities Association, if not the state.

The Chiefs open on the road at Monroe, then return home for the next two Fridays — against defending Class AA state champion Walled Lake Western and Class AA playoff qualifier Westland John Glenn.

It actually gets easier in week No. 4, with a game at Northville. For the fifth week, Canton gets to return home for Homecoming — against Class A finalist Farmington Harrison.

"Everyone looks at it now and says, 'What a tough schedule,' " Khoenle said. "But these are games we play every year.

"It is a tough schedule, though."

And although the Canton coach was accurate in assessing his team's '97 schedule, there was one rather notable oversight: The Chiefs play one game a year against a WLAA Lakes Division team (other than Plymouth Salem).

This year they drew John Glenn, a team that annually challenges Harrison for the WLAA crown and (like Harrison) is a regular in the state tournament.

And in case that isn't bad enough: The last time these two teams played was in the 1990 state playoffs (the only time Canton has made the trip), and Canton won.

You think John Glenn coach Chuck Gordon won't mention that to his squad?

"I know our team will overall be better this year than last year," Khoenle predicted. "But our record might not be."

A lot will depend on how quickly the line, and quarterback Eric Frazer, develop. A senior, Frazer is 6-1, 185, and is a good passer and a decent runner.

Nick Allen, a 6-1, 220-pound

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Salem wears down Adams; PCA trounces Agape for title

Plymouth Salem girls basketball coach Fred Thomann got about what he expected from his team in its season-opener Thursday against visiting Rochester Adams.

And it resulted in a 53-34 victory for the Rocks.

It didn't come easily, and it certainly wasn't as lopsided as the final score might indicate. Salem trailed by two (13-11) after one quarter; the Rocks rebounded to lead at the half, but only by three (23-20).

"We did a really nice job of working through the game," said Thomann. "And we had a really outstanding fourth quarter."

Salem doubled its lead in the third quarter, outpointing Adams 13-10 to take a 36-30 lead into the fourth period. The Rocks made certain their advantage would hold up by bouncing the Highlanders 17-4 over the last eight minutes.

"Our two veterans were really solid tonight," said Thomann.

He was referring to senior Amanda Abraham and junior Andrea Pruett, who combined for 39 points and 17 rebounds. Abraham accounted for 21 of those points and 10 boards; Pruett scored 18 and had seven rebounds.

The road doesn't get any easier for Salem. On Saturday, they play at Class B powerhouse Redford Bishop Borgess.

PCA 64, Agape 23: The final of the season-opening Plymouth Christian Academy Tournament proved not much of a challenge to the host team Thursday.

The Eagles rolled to a 14-2 advantage after one quarter and increased it to 29-6 at halftime to improve their record to 2-0.

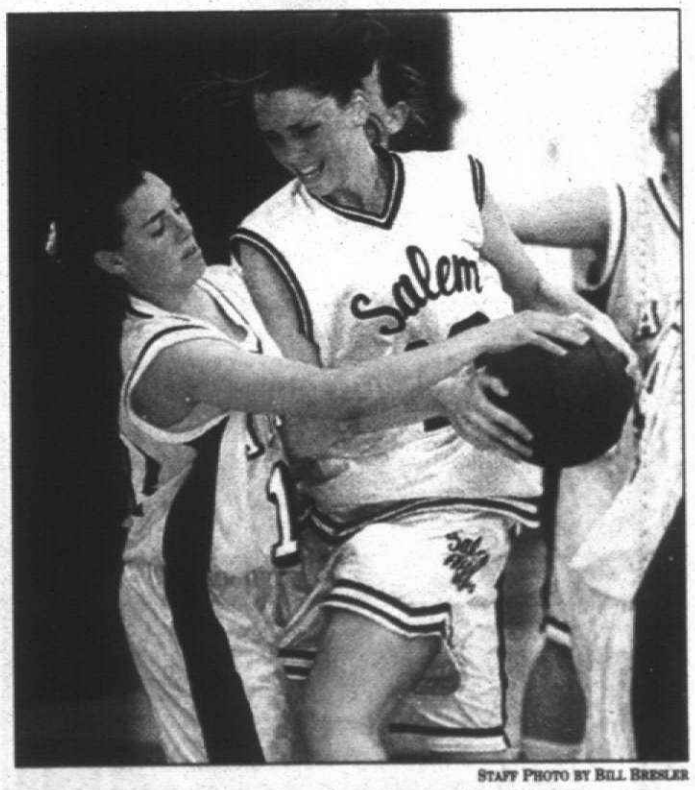
Last Monday, PCA opened its tournament run with a 51-31 win over Taylor Light and Life Academy.

In the victory over Canton Agape Christian in Thursday's final, PCA got superb performances from junior forward Liz Pugno, with 32 points, 12 rebounds and seven steals, and junior center Jenny Setherland, with 12 points and 11 boards. Senior point guard Amanda Clark added four points and seven assists.

Agape, a 43-25 winner over Zoe Christian in the tournament semifinals, was paced by Kim Ther with 12 points.

In PCA's triumph over Light and Life, Pugno again led the way with 19 points. Clark had six points and seven assists. Light and Life was topped by Maureen Miller with 18 points.

PCA plays at Dexter Tuesday.



STAFF PHOTO BY BILL BRESLER

Great start: *Salem's Andrea Pruett (with ball) got her season off to a fast start, riddling Rochester Adams for 18 points.*

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fullback who was an all-Western Division linebacker last season, will be looked to to take a lot of the pressure off the passing game. "He didn't do too much on offense (in '96), but he has the size, speed and temperament to do it," said Khoenle.

"We're going to run Allen and go from there."

There are other weapons Frazer will be able to utilize. Both wingbacks, seniors Bryon Miller (5-10, 165) and Kwaku Dankwa (5-11, 175), are experienced. Miller was all-division last season, and Dankwa has excellent speed.

Then there's sophomore Clinton Harris (6-1, 180) at wide receiver, a "very good athlete with tremendous hands and a great break on the ball." Harris will play, perhaps both on offense and in the defensive backfield, and he appears to be Johnson's heir apparent on kick returns.

Frazer and the running backs might have to do some scrambling, at least early in the season, due to the line's inexperience. The size is pretty good, however.

Joining Sinischko, the lone returnee, are 6-3, 245-pound senior Kevin Mroczka at tackle; 6-3, 245-pound junior Kevin Chapman at guard; 6-3, 215-pound senior Kevin Keil at center; and either 6-0, 210-pound senior Kelly Welsh or 6-0, 215-pound senior Greg Giniel at the other guard. Senior Casey McCusker, 6-1 and 185, figures to be at tight end.

The defense is in much the same situation. Khoenle likes to two-platoon as much as possible, although perhaps three of his players may play both ways.

Mroczka and Chapman are two that could, playing defensive line as well. Other defensive linemen are Alex Meixner, a 6-3, 220-pound senior; Corey Reardon, a 5-11, 210-pound senior; Larry Bostain, a 6-0, 215-pound senior; and Brian Lake, a 6-1, 205-pound senior.

Only Bostain has much varsity experience in that group, according to Khoenle.

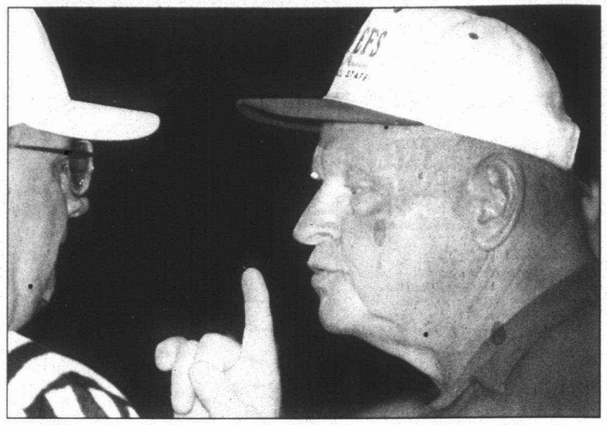
At linebacker, there's Allen; Pete Holland, a 5-10, 180-pound junior; and Tom Mazur, a 5-11, 195-pound junior.

The defensive backfield figures to feature four seniors and a sophomore (Harris). Brian Musser, 5-11, 160, is a team co-captain; he'll be joined by Larry Anderson (6-0, 185), Alex Meissner (6-1, 195) and Glenn Heinrich (5-9, 155).

"These are good kids and good athletes," summarized Khoenle. "But there's not a lot of experience. That's the biggest thing we have to contend with.

"We're going to have to play good defense, get good field position — and we have to score."

Perhaps the best way to judge this team will be to see how they react during those first five weeks. A winning record against a schedule like that would be more than commendable.



A tough road ahead: *Canton coach Bob Khoenle is well aware how tough the start of the season will be.*

One and only: *Since Salem opened its doors, one man has coached its football team — Tom Moshimer.*

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got their varsity experience on defense, and they'll play there again. In fact, Moshimer plans to shuttle players at just about every position, offensively and defensively.

Stidham, Samczyk, Crutchfield and Wilson figure to start on the defensive line, with Perrin and junior Thomas Foor (5-11, 270) adding support.

Peterson and Burleson will be inside linebackers, with Lukasik, Jones, Hodge, Helchowski, Welch and junior Chad Schroeder (6-2, 170) as other linebacker possibilities.

The defensive backfield is equally populated. Reed, Clemons, Conte, Schmidt, McKian and sophomore Matt Fair (5-11, 160), who will also back up Bernhardt at quarterback.

The schedule isn't easy, but as Moshimer would point out, it never is. The Rocks open at home against Belleville, which was state-ranked entering last season until the upset against Salem.

The big test, according to Moshimer, will come early: Sept. 19 at Walled Lake Central, Salem's first Western Lakes Activities Association Lakes Division game.

"Realistically, in our division it should be (Westland) John Glenn and Walled Lake Central, and then Livonia Stevenson," the Salem coach said in estimating his toughest rivals. "If we can beat them, well, the rest of our schedule other than Glenn won't be any tougher.

"We're looking to be in the hunt. I always tell our kids, 'Respect everybody, but don't fear anybody.'"

After what the Rocks did last season, with what would appear to have been a lesser team in numbers and talent, it would be wise for their opponents to follow Moshimer's advice, too.

THE WEEK AHEAD

PREP FOOTBALL

Friday, Sept. 5
Borgess at Ecorse, 4:30 p.m.
Churchill at Redford Union, 7 p.m.
Lincoln Park at Franklin, 7:30 p.m.
Dearborn at Stevenson, 7:30 p.m.
Mackenzie at John Glenn, 7:30 p.m.
Canton at Monroe, 7:30 p.m.
Belleville at Salem, 7:30 p.m.
Wayne at Adrian, 7:30 p.m.
Crestwood at Garden City, 7:30 p.m.
Liggett at Clarenceville, 7:30 p.m.
St. Agatha vs. Holy Redeemer at Hamtramck Keyworth, 7:30 p.m.

Saturday, Sept. 6
Taylor Kennedy at Thurston, noon,
Novi at Farmington, 1 p.m.
Hartland at N. Farmington, 1 p.m.
Oxford at Harrison, 1 p.m.
Redford CC vs. Det. Pershing at Pontiac Silverdome, 7 p.m.

GIRLS BASKETBALL

Tuesday, Sept. 2
Ecorse at Clarenceville, 5 p.m.
Stevenson at Lakeland, 7 p.m.
Thurston at John Glenn, 7 p.m.
Garden City at Romulus, 7 p.m.
W. Bloom. at Farmington, 7 p.m.
Andover at N. Farmington, 7 p.m.
Lahser at Harrison, 7 p.m.
Flint N'western at Ladywood, 7 p.m.
Borgess at Flint Northern, 7 p.m.
Ply. Christian at Dexter, 7 p.m.

Wednesday, Sept. 3
Greater Life at St. Agatha, 5 p.m.

Thursday, Sept. 4
Clarenceville at Det. Urban, 5 p.m.
St. Agatha at Warren Zoe, 7 p.m.
Redford Union at Churchill, 7 p.m.
Trenton at Franklin, 7 p.m.
Thurston at Stevenson, 7 p.m.
Farmington at S. Lyon, 7 p.m.
Brighton at N. Farmington, 7 p.m.
Harrison at Novi, 7 p.m.
Taylor Truman at Wayne, 7 p.m.

(Mercy Hoops Classic)
St. Joseph vs. Canton, 5:30 p.m.
A.A. Pioneer vs. Mercy, 7 p.m.

Friday, Sept. 5
Ply. Christ. at Det. Academy, 6 p.m.
Huron Valley vs. Mount Carmel at Marshall Jr. High, 7 p.m.

Saturday, Sept. 6
Borgess at Salem, 6 p.m.
Wayne at Romulus Tip-Off, 7 p.m.
Mercy Hoops Classic, 5:30 & 7 p.m.

BOYS SOCCER

Tuesday, Sept. 2
A.A. Pioneer at Redford CC, 4 p.m.
Huron Valley at Inter-City, 4:30 p.m.
Luth. Westland vs. Ply. Christian at Haggerty Field, 4:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Sept. 3
Redford CC at Edsel Ford, 4 p.m.
Chadsey at Wayne, 4 p.m.
John Glenn at Harrison, 5:30 p.m.
Farmington at N. Farm., 5:30 p.m.
Churchill at Stevenson, 7 p.m.
Northville at Franklin, 7 p.m.
W.L. Central at Salem, 7 p.m.
Woodhaven at Garden City, 7 p.m.

Thursday, Sept. 4
Agape at Macomb Preseason, TBA.
Ply. Christian vs. Baptist Park at Haggerty Field, 4:30 p.m.

Friday, Sept. 5
Agape at Macomb Preseason, TBA.
U-D Jesuit at Redford CC, 4 p.m.
Carlson at Luth. Westland, 4 p.m.
Belleville at John Glenn, 4 p.m.
Redford Union at Farmington, 4 p.m.
Wayne at Taylor Kennedy, 4 p.m.
C'ville at Ply. Christian, 4:30 p.m.
Crestwood at Franklin, 7 p.m.

Saturday, Sept. 6
Macomb at Agape Preseason, TBA.
Churchill at Rochester, 11 a.m.
N. Farm. at W. Bloom., 12:30 p.m.
Brighton at Canton, 1 p.m.

MEN'S COLLEGE SOCCER

Monday, Sept. 1
Madonna at Point Loma (Calif.), 3 p.m.

Tuesday, Sept. 2
Madonna vs. UC-San Diego, 7 p.m.

Friday, Sept. 5
Madonna vs. Michigan Club Team at Ladywood H.S., 5 p.m.

Saturday, Sept. 6
Schoolcraft at Lakeland, 1 p.m.

WOMEN'S COLLEGE SOCCER

Monday, Sept. 1
Monroe (N.Y.) at Schoolcraft, 11 a.m.

Saturday, Sept. 6
(College of DuPage III. Tourney)
Schoolcraft vs. Meramec , 11 a.m.

Saturday, Sept. 7
(College of DuPage Tourney)
S'craft vs. Florrisant Valley, 11 a.m.

WOMEN'S COLLEGE VOLLEYBALL

Friday-Saturday, Sept. 5-6
Madonna Univ. Invitational, TBA.

TBA — time to be announced.

SPORTS ROUNDUP

Softball tryouts

The Compuware Girls Fastpitch Softball Club will be holding tryouts for the 1998 summer season on Sept. 13, 14 and 20 at Shell Park in Waterford.

The club fields several teams ages 8-18. Players from all areas are encouraged to try out, which requires no fee.

Shell Park is located on Dixie Hwy. between Williams Lake and Hatchery Roads.

For additional information call (248) 666-1492 or (248) 625-7383.

Firearms classes

•The Livonia Parks and Recreation Sportsman's Club will hold a hunter's safety class for all new hunters (born after Jan. 1, 1960 or later who have not had a previous hunting license from 7-10 p.m. Friday, Sept. 12 and 8 a.m.-6p.m. Saturday, Sept. 13 at the Shelden Senior Center, 10800 Farmington Road (south of Plymouth Road).

You must be 11½ years-old.

Attendance is required both days. The cost is $10. (Participants are asked to bring their lunch on Saturday, but a soft drink is provided.

Pre-registration will be at the Recreation Department.

For more information, call (313) 466-2410.

•A junior rifle marksmanship training class for youths ages 12-18will be from 7:30-9:30 p.m. Tuesday-Wednesday, Sept. 2-3 and 9-11:30 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 6 and 13 at Eddie Edgar Arena, Lyndon at Stark.

Registration is scheduled for 7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 2 at Edgar. (You must attend all classes.)

The fee is $40 per person for four classes with use of targets, ammunition and club target rifles. The course is open to teens who want to learn competitive skills. Students will also receive lessons in firearms safety, gun handling and recreation indoor target shooting.

For more information, call (313) 535-7545.

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Wayne scorers: Chad Campbell, 42; Greg Baracy, 47; Jessie Trudell and Branden Jamison, 50 each.

Dual meet records: Glenn, 1-0; Wayne, 0-1.

ANN ARBOR HURON 205
LIVONIA STEVENSON 222
Aug. 28 at Leslie Park

Huron scorers: A. Walton, 39 (medalist); M. Daniels, 40; J. Delancey and B. Tucker, 41 each; C. Stein, 44; K. Folske, 45.

Stevenson scorers: Tim Vanecek, 42; Kevin Yuhasz, 43; Matt Combs, 44; Jeff Lang, 45; Roy Rabe, 48; Tim Collins, 49.

Dual meet records: Huron, 1-0; Stevenson, 0-1.

Look to the Observer for all the local sports

Crusaders will have a whole new cast

BY C.J. RISAK
SPORTS EDITOR

It must be nice for Madonna University volleyball coach Jerry Abraham to look up and see Julie Martin (from Livonia Stevenson) and Kelly McCausland (from Redford Union) on the court with his team, once again.

It would be nicer if they were still playing, though.

Alas, the two former NAIA All-Americans are relegated to graduate assistant roles with the Lady Crusaders. Combine the loss of those two middle hitters with setter Meg Paris and outside hitter Heather Steinhelper, and Abraham has a lot of holes to fill.

His recruiting may have found some answers to those problems. Question is, how soon before they surface?

MADONNA

"Am I going to miss them?" was Abraham's rhetorical question. "Yes. So let's move on."

And he did, without further ado. When one gets a recruiting class like his, perhaps there's reason for optimism.

That class begins in the area of greatest need: middle hitter. That's where Brandy Malewski, 5-foot-11from Redford Thurston, is expected to take over. "She's doing a fantastic job," said Abraham. "Her best asset is that she's very fast and she makes great adjustments at the net.

"I compare her to Kelly when she was a freshman. She can hit from anywhere on the floor and she blocks well. She's very versatile. We're going to depend on her big-time."

At the other middle hitter spot, Abraham is looking at several other players: Rayna Vert, a 5-11 junior who transferred from Kellogg CC; Paula Dombrowski, a 5-10 junior from Plymouth Salem and Henry Ford CC who has "improved a lot since last year"; and Kelly Artymovich, a 6-1 freshman who has progressed "a lot further than I thought at this point."

No, Madonna won't be as tough inside as last season, when it compiled a 52-6 record and advanced to the NAIA Championships. Abraham will count on balance from his front row players to fill the gap created by the loss of McCausland and Martin.

He does, however, have experience at outside hitter in 5-9 junior Karin Sisung, a two-year starter; 5-8 senior Erin Gregoire (the team's only upper classman), a three-year starter and "probably the team's best passer" and defensive specialist; 5-11 junior Nicole Scharrer, who is experienced but has had two knee surgeries; and 5-10 junior Vicki Toth (from Redford Union), another player attempting to come back from a knee injury who will fill a variety of roles.

Erin Cunningham, a 5-9 freshman, could break into the starting lineup.

Deanne Helsom, a 5-7 sophomore, takes over for Paris at setter. "She has the skills to do it, she just needs the experience," said Abraham.

Others who figure to see extensive action are Stephanie Uballe, a 6-1 sophomore middle hitter, and Jennifer Russell, a 5-7 junior defensive specialist and one of the team's better passers.

"This is a very talented team with a lot of depth at every position," said Abraham. "We'll have to wait and see how fast we come together.

"We're not going to be where we left off last year. But I don't expect to be there anyway. We're going to be very good — sometime. We're a little bit of experience away from being very strong."

How quickly they attain that experience will go a long way toward determining the success of their season.

Ocelot spikers seek a repeat

BY C.J. RISAK
SPORTS EDITOR

There's only one thing that can be expected from a Tom Teeters-coached volleyball team, and that's success.

Nothing is ever ordinary on a Teeters team, and his Schoolcraft College squad this year will certainly follow that path — perhaps back towards NJCAA stardom.

Mind you, Teeters isn't saying anything like that. But one cursory examination of his roster would raise any SC fan's expectations.

The Lady Ocelots have two players who stand 5-foot-5; they have two more that are 5-6. The other seven are 5-9 or better, five of those 5-10 or more.

That's big by Teeters' standards. He usually goes after players, regardless of size; what's scary (at least to his opponents) is that he insists he hasn't changed his recruiting policy.

That means he has a team that's both big and athletic. And that should frighten any of his opponents.

"Blocking, hitting and setting," was how Teeters analyzed his team's strengths. "Our weakness could be in serving. But we're working on developing some of those, and by the end of the season we could have some decent jumpservers."

Oh-oh.

SCHOOLCRAFT

SC is well stocked, certainly. There are four returnees: Mindy Sullivan, a 5-6 outside hitter from Livonia Churchill who figures to play all-around, but who's strength is on the left side; Sarah Gregorson, a 6-foot middle hitter who can fill any of the front row positions; Amber Wells, a 5-5 defensive specialist/setter from Plymouth Canton who Teeters called "our most improved player"; and Kimberly Washnock, a 5-10 outside hitter from Farmington who is a "surprise — she's improved her right side attack, and she had a good block."

The best of the new recruits is 5-10 outside hitter Megan McGinty (Churchill). "She's another in a long line of outstanding players to come out of Churchill," said Teeters. "She's very versatile. She'll be one of our primary passers and a back-row hitter."

The latter — back-row hitting — could become one of SC's biggest weapons this season. McGinty, Gregorson, Sullivan and Wells have shown a propensity for it.

Another key addition is Stacey Campain, a 5-9 setter who will is becoming readjusted to that position. Ambidextrous and versatile, Campain hasn't had a lot of experience at the position, but Teeters — who has converted all sorts prep stars into setters — thinks she could adapt as well as any of her predecessors.

"She shows ability, she works hard and she has a good touch for most of our players," he said.

Others to watch include Janet Hinz, a 5-6 defensive specialist who graduated a dozen years ago from Pinckney and has been coaching there the past few years; Zoe Michaelis, a 6-2 middle hitter with great jumping ability who played for Hinz at Pinckney, and figures to be a starter at SC; Melissa Plave, a 5-10 outside hitter with good defensive skills and a good serve; Jennifer Smith (Westland John Glenn), a 5-5 defensive specialist with a good serve; and Donna Logsdon (Plymouth Canton), a 5-9 outside hitter who could be an all-around contributor once she develops.

A 33-12 team a year ago that shared the NJCAA's Region 12 Eastern Conference title with Mott CC, each at 8-2, SC will be searching for its 12th conference crown in 14 years.

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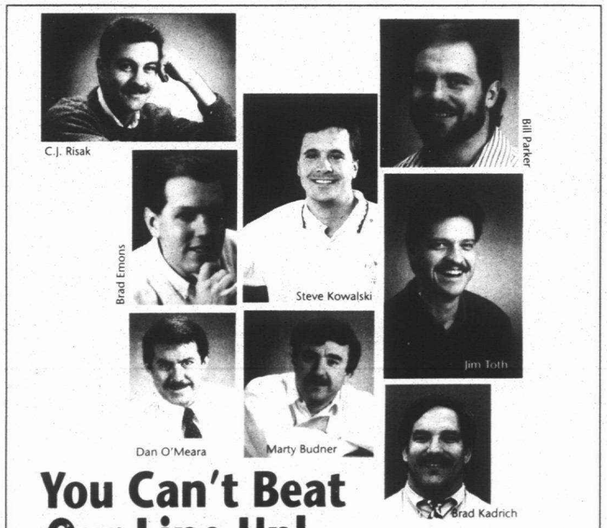

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HIKING AND CAMPING WITH KIDS
REI staff members will address the special needs of children in the outdoor during this class, which begins at 3 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 6, at REI in the Northville Center at Haggerty and Six Mile.

HUNTER SAFETY
The Livonia Parks and Recreation Sportsmen's Club will hold a two-day hunter's safety class on Friday and Saturday, Sept. 12-13, at the Sheldon Senior Center. Cost is $10, participants must attend both sessions and preregistration is required. Call (313) 466-2410 for more information.

MORE HUNTER SAFETY
The Wayne County Sportsmen's Club in Romulus will offer three two-day Michigan DNR Hunter Education Classes. The dates for the classes are Oct. 11-12, and Nov. 1-2. Preregistration is required and begins Sept. 10 . Call (313) 532-0285 for more information.

DUCK, GOOSE CALLING
Lymann Burgess will offer two, two-hour seminars on duck and goose calling on Saturday, Sept. 20, and Monday, Sept. 29. Cost is $20 and the classes will be held at the Orchard Lake Middle School. The classes are held in cooperation with the West Bloomfield Community Education. Call (248) 539-290 for more information.

BUTTERFLIES AND MOTHS
Ages five and older will learn about butterflies and moths during this program, which begins at 10 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 13, at the E.L. Johnson Nature Center in Bloomfield Hills. Call (248) 339-3497 for more information.

SHOWS

WOODS-N-WATER
The 11th annual Woods-N-Water News Outdoor Weekend will be held Sept. 5-7 at the Lapeer County Fairgrounds in Imlay City. The show features seminars (deer calling, where the big bucks are, bird hunting, bear hunting and more), over 125 exhibitors, a live trophy deer show, wild game cooking school, a puppy mart, camp chili cookoff, shooting demonstrations, a 3D archery course and much more. Tickets are just $5 and children 12 and under will be admitted free. The Lapeer County Fairgrounds is located on M-53, just north of I-69.

SEASONS/DATES

GOOSE
An early Canada Goose season runs Sept. 1-15 in the Lower Peninsula and Sept. 1-10 in the Upper Peninsula. Check the early September Canada Goose Season Michigan Hunting Guide for restrictions.

BEAR
The 1997 bear season begins Sept. 10.

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JUNIOR OLYMPICS
The Oakland County Sportsman Club in Clarkston offers a Junior Olympic Archery Development Program beginning at 1 p.m. on Sundays. Call (810) 623-0444 for more information.

BROADHEAD SHOOT
Royal Oak Archers will hold a broadhead shoot beginning at 9 a.m. Sunday, Aug. 31, on its walk-through course in Lake Orion. Call (248) 693-9799 or (810) 693-1369 for more information.

HOLIDAY 3D
Detroit Archers will host a Holiday 3D shoot beginning at 9 a.m. Monday, Sept. 1, on its walk-through course in West Bloomfield. Call (248) 664-9610 or (313) 835-2110 for more information.

3D JAMBOREE
Detroit Archers will hold its annual 3D Jamboree beginning at 9 a.m. each day on Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 6-7, on its walk-through course in West Bloomfield. Call (248) 661-9610 or (313) 835-2110 for more information.

BOWHUNTER JAMBOREE
The Oakland County Sportsman Club will hold its annual Bowhunter jamboree beginning at 9 a.m. each day on saturday and Sunday, Sept. 13-14, in Clarkston. Call (248) 623-0444 for more information.

INDOOR LEAGUES
Indoor leagues are forming at Red Oaks Archery in Metamora. Red Oaks features a Dart Tunnel, an indoor 3D range with a moving buck, and a standard target range. Call (810) 628-1661 for more information.

TOURNAMENTS

OAKLAND BASS MASTERS
Oakland Bass Masters will hold a 50-boat open tournament on Sunday, Sept. 7, on Lake Orion and another on Sunday, Oct. 12, on Pontiac Lake. Call Roy Randolph at (810) 542-5254 for more information.

OPERATION BASS
The final Michigan Division events on the Operation Bass Tournament Trail is Sept. 7 on the Detroit River. The entry deadline is Aug. 27 but late entries will be accepted with a late fee. Call (502) 362-8110 for more information.

MICHIGAN DUCK HUNTERS
The Michigan Duck Hunters Tournament celebrates its 50th anniversary on Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 6-7, at the Pointe Mouillee State Game Area in Brownstown. Call (313) 379-9902 or (313) 379-9692 for more information.

OUTDOOR CLUBS

SOLAR
The School for Outdoor Leadership, Adventure and Recreation, a non-profit organization interested in promoting the appreciation of outdoor activities, meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month at the Colony Hall in Southfield. Call (248) 988-6658 for more information.

FISHING CLUBS

METRO-WEST STEELHEADERS
Metro-West Steelheaders meets at 7:30 p.m. on the first Tuesday of each month in the cafeteria at Garden City High School. Call (313) 420-4481 for more information.

MICHIGAN FLY FISHING
The Michigan Fly Fishing Club meets at 7 p.m. the first and third Wednesdays of each month at Livonia Clarenceville Junior High School. Call (810) 478-1494 for more information.

FOUR SEASONS
The Four Seasons Fishing Club meets 7:30 p.m. the first Wednesday of each month at the Senior Citizen's Center in the Livonia Civic Center. Mike Thomas, DNR fisheries biologist at the Mt. Clemens office, will be the guest speaker at the Sept. 3 meeting. Call Jim Kudej at (313) 591-0843 for more information.

FISHING BUDDYS
Fishing Buddys Fishing Club meets monthly in Rochester Hills. Call (810) 656-0556 for more information.

BASS ASSOCIATION
The Downriver Bass Association, a non-tournament bass club, meets the fourth Tuesday of every month at the Dearborn Civic Center. Call (313) 676-2863 for more information.

SHOOTING RANGES

BALD MOUNTAIN
Bald Mountain Recreation Area in Lake Orion has shotgun, rifle, pistol, and archery shooting facilities. Range hours are 10 a.m. to sunset, Wednesdays, Saturdays and Sundays. Bald Mountain is located at 1330 Greenshield Rd. (three miles north of the Palace of Auburn Hills). Call (810) 814-9193 for more information.

PONTIAC LAKE
Pontiac Lake Recreation Area in Waterford has rifle, pistol, shotgun, shotgun and archery ranges. Range hours are 10 a.m.-5 p.m. on Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays. Pontiac Lake Recreation Area is located at 7800 Gale Rd. Call (810) 666-1020 for more information.

ORTONVILLE RECREATION
Ortonville Recreation Area in Ortonville has rifle, pistol and shotgun shooting facilities. Range hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays. The Ortonville Recreation Area is located at 5779 Hadley Rd. Call (810) 693-6767 for more information.

POINTE MOUILLEE
Pointe Mouillee State Game Area in Rockwood has rifle, pistol and shotgun shooting facilities. Range hours are 10 a.m.-6 p.m. daily. Pointe Mouillee State Game Area is located at 37205 Mouillee Road. Call (313) 379-3820 for more information.

METROPARKS

METROPARK REQUIREMENTS
Most Metropark programs are free while some require a nominal fee. Advanced registration and a motor vehicle permit are required for all programs. Call the respective parks, toll free: Stony Creek, 1-800-477-7756; Indian Springs, 1-800-477-3192; Kensington, 1-800-477-3178.

Animal Tales
Roast marshmallows around a campfire while listening to tall tales and legends about Michigan animals during this program, which begins at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 5, at Indian Springs.

TOT LOT
A half-hour nature program for tots on a surprise topic begins at 1 p.m. every Sunday at Indian Springs.

STATE PARKS

STATE PARK REQUIREMENTS
Maybury State Park, Proud Lake Recreation Area, Bald Mountain Recreation Area, Highland Recreation Area and Island Lake Recreation Area offer nature interpretive programs throughout the year. A state park motor vehicle permit is required for entry into all state parks and state recreation areas. For registration and additional information on the programs at Maybury call (810) 349-8390. For programs at Bald Mountain call (810) 693-6767. For programs at Proud Lake and Highland call (810) 685-2433. For programs at Island Lake call (810) 229-7067.

JUNIOR RANGERS
They fly, hunt, crawl and swim. Discover the importance of some amazing creatures during this program, which will be offered Saturday at Island Lake.

FISHING IN THE PARKS
Learn how to cast your line and bait your hook during this program, which begins at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday at Island Lake.

WHISPERING WILLOWS
OBSERVER & ECCENTRIC

MEN'S GOLF TOURNAMENT

- Men's 36-hole medal play: Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 27 & 28.
- Entry fee $80. Maximum handicap 36.
- Entries close at 6 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 21.
- For pairings and starting times call (248) 476-4493 after noon Thursday, Sept. 25.
- Rain make-up dates: Oct. 4 & 5.
- Entries will be open to the first 200 golfers.

Name
Address
City
Phone Handicap Cart?

- U. S. G. A. index or ten 18-hole score cards are required (as of deadline date).
- Send entry blank with check (no cash) payable to tournament director:

Gary Whitener
Whispering Willows Golf Course
20500 Newburgh, Livonia MI 48152

- Pairings will be made by the tournament committee. No requests for individual pairings will be taken. No changes will be made.
- Open to all residents of Livonia, Plymouth, Plymouth Township, Canton, Garden City, Westland, Redford Twp., Farmington, Farmington Hills, Southfield, Lathrup Village, Birmingham, West Bloomfield, Beverly Hills, Orchard Lake, Troy, Rochester, Rochester Hills, Walled Lake, Oxford, Lake Orion, Clarkston, Auburn Hills, Bingham Farms and Franklin

PUBLIC NOTICE

On August 15, 1997, an application was filed with the Federal Communications Commission for consent to the assignment of license of WCAR (AM), Livonia, Michigan, from WCAR-AM, Inc. to Global Broadcasting Company, Inc.

The officers, directors and shareholders of WCAR-AM, Inc. are:
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Copies of the application, any amendments, and related materials are on file and available for inspection by members of the public during regular business hours at WCAR (FM), whose business address is 32500 Parklane Street, Garden City, Michigan 48135.

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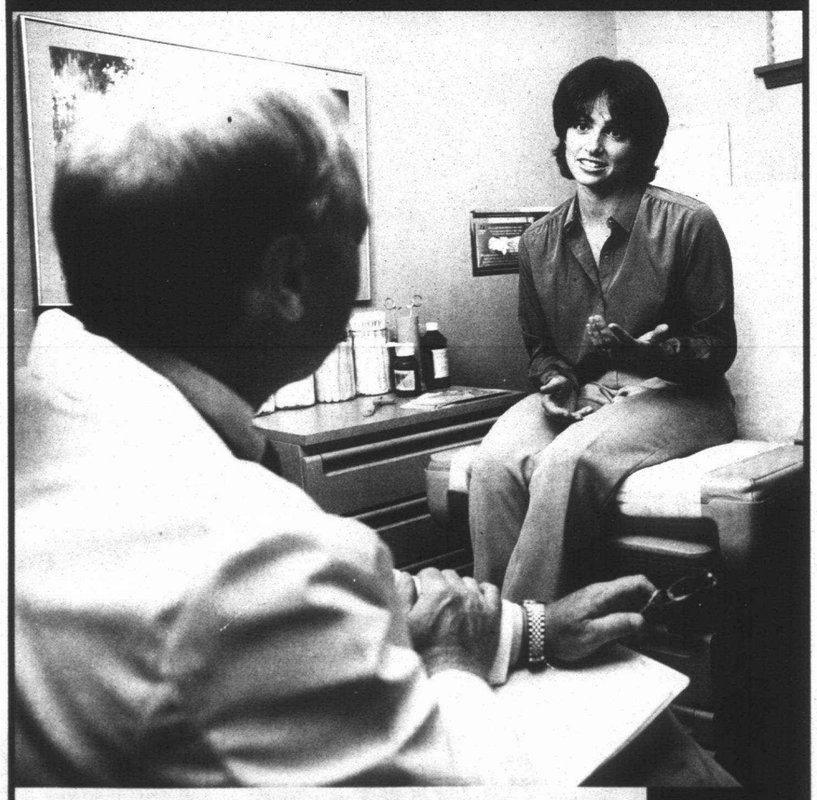

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RECREATION

NATURE NOTES

TIM NOWICKI

The other day I got some agrimony seeds stuck on my socks and I remembered that it was burdock, a similar seed head that was the inspiration for Velcro.

Small hooks on the seed head attach to woolly material and are dispersed to areas away from the parent plant. It was this natural material that was the inspiration for what is now a multi-million dollar business.

The natural world has had many millions of years to experiment with new and different ways of doing things. If we could duplicate these processes we could accomplish many operations much more efficiently.

There is a new movement in farming that duplicates the natural plants that are grown in a particular area. Farmers are not growing what they want anywhere they want to, they are analyzing the soil and naturally occurring plants and then duplicating the natural composition of this area.

That means they are not just planting one crop in a field, several crops are planted and then harvested at the appropriate time.

By following a natural progression of plant growth, weed control is eliminated, fertilizers are not needed, plowing is not necessary and planting is not necessary because they are using perennial plants instead of the annual typically used in farming.

Scientists are currently exploring the adhesive abilities of bivales, or clam-like animals. Some of these animals are able to stick to anything while surrounded by salt water.

No man-made adhesive can do such a thing as well as this adhesive. By examining the chemicals and processes these animals use scientists are unraveling this mystery.

"Simple" spider silk is stronger than any man-made material of comparable size. One feature that is particularly appealing is that it stretches a great deal. If the qualities of spider silk could be duplicated and then woven into material it could be used for bullet-proof vests, suspension bridge supports and cables on aircraft carriers that stop incoming aircraft.

These and many more subjects are currently under study in an effort to develop more earth-friendly ways to survive.

Tim Nowicki is a naturalist at Independence Oaks County Park in Oakland County. He lives in Livonia.

TEN PIN ALLEY

AL HARRISON

Tiger Woods should have been a bowler instead of a golfer.

Sports pages were filled during the week with more stories about Tiger Woods and all that he has done single-handedly for golf.

Why couldn't his dad have given him a toy plastic bowling set instead of little golf clubs? If the reports are true, Woods popularity and fan support has brought an extra $650 million to the golfing industry.

Is there a great young bowler out there somewhere who could become bowlings counterpart, someone with loads of talent and charisma?

Someone who could attract huge audiences on television and land large corporate sponsors? Perhaps some of our own local bowling talent could someday reach these lofty heights, some rising young star like Tamika Glenn of Farmington or Vernon Peterson of Dearborn Heights.

They are the reigning Queen and King of greater Detroit's bowlers.

This area has produced many bowling superstars in the past, but few have shown this much while so young. Any endorsements out there? Hou about you. Nike or Reebok, are you paying any attention? You really should.

•The Detroit Bowling Expo '97 took place a week ago at the Gibraltar Trade Center. As in the past, there were many good deals for bargain hunters, plus lots of good information as to what is happening at various tournaments, and leagues.

Several manufactures are displaying their new products, including Brunswick with a factory display, Storm Products, Track, Inc., Ballistic Bowling Balls and others were touting new balls (what, again?).

Dick Ritger also was on hand demonstrating what goes on at his world-renowned bowling camps. Brunswick has expanded on the popular "Zone" balls with some newer versions. Track is introducing the "Triton Heat" ball to go with their line of "Synergy" and "Sensor" reactive balls.

Detroit's own Pro Bowling superstar John Mazza was on hand showing the Track line of balls and equipment.

Storm Products made the scene with their new "Meteor" and "Blue Thunder" balls to complement the already successful lineup of Lightning, Pacific, Forest Firestorm, Tropical Storm and a unique ball called the Spare, and designed strictly for just shooting spares.

Ballistic Ball Company is a local area firm which is producing its first ball, the "Boomerang" said to have an unusually high hook potential and a 5-plus track flare for a new entrant in the high performance category.

One accessory item that caught my eye was a spritzer bottle called "Super Slide," a product designed to produce a more controlled slide on your delivery.

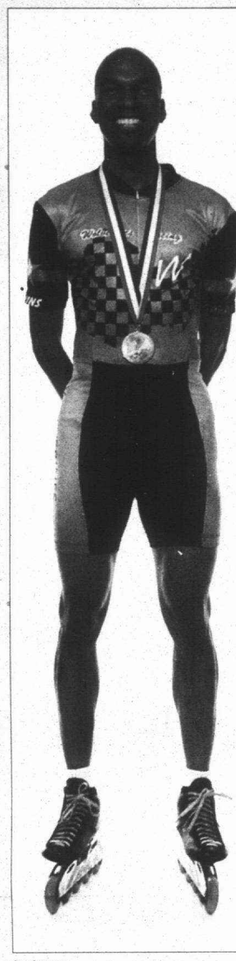
It is very new on the market, a product of Today's Solutions, the makers of "Rev-it" ball cleaning kits.

The Alley Katz were back on display, as this convenient, disposable ball cleaner has caught on, and gaining in popularity.

I think I learned something by just listening to and watching Dick Ritger, demonstrating his teaching methods, and best of all I came home with a nice souvenir, another bowling necktie.

Al Harrison covers the western Wayne County bowling scene for the Observer.

From success, a career is built


Jay Ingrum

BY C.J. RISAK
SPORTS EDITOR

Some things you just can't control.

It starts out as something fun to do. Next thing you know, you're watching some guy gliding his way on ice towards glory unequaled by anyone.

And you're infected. Now it's a sport, this roller skating thing, a path towards that same kind of fame.

"I was roller skating back then," Jay Ingrum said, recalling his days at Livonia Churchill HS. Then he witnessed Eric Heiden win five gold medals in ice speed skating at the 1980 Lake Placid Winter Olympics.

"That's how I really got interested in speed skating. I always planned on getting on the ice, but it never transpired."

It may yet — at least Ingrum is planning on it still — but for now the former Livonia resident will have to be satisfied with yet another gold medal-winning performance at the U.S. Speed Roller Skating Championships Aug. 17-20 in Pensacola, Fla.

It was the fourth-consecutive title for Ingrum in the Classic Men's Division (ages 27-35) in inline skating. The title is decided by performances in three races: 500 meters, 1,000 meters and 2,000 meters.

Ingrum's best race is usually the 500. Going into this year's competition, he had won that sprint at the championships four-straight years. But a pulled hip flexor muscle in July interfered with his training; when he dropped to a fourth-place finish in the 500, he considered withdrawing from the competition.

He decided to continue, and it proved a wise choice. Ingrum won both the 1,000 and 2,000 races to successfully defend his crown.

He's 32 now. He has given serious thought to giving up the sport on several occasions to pursue his career as a free-lance artist.

"I wanted to get out of it, but Robb (Dunn, his coach) keeps asking me to coach with him," Ingrum explained.

Success is difficult to leave behind. For Ingrum, the problem is — he keeps winning.

Even when he switches disciplines, from quad skates (four wheels) to inline, success pursues him. Such a change was not easy to make, either.

"Inlines are more technique, quads are more power," Ingrum explained. "A lot of people call me the technique guru. My style is more toward technique."

That did make the switch easier for him. It also helps explain why he cannot escape his sport — his obsession with technique makes him a natural coach.

And coaching, Ingrum said, means skating with your students. Which means working out.

Ingrum is on skates coaching and training anywhere between 12 and 24 hours per week on the indoor track. Not included in that number are the eight-to-12 hours a week spent skating outdoors, nor the two-to-eight hours bicycling.

"I would say everyone on our (Great Skate Wolverines) team is an elite athlete," he said. "It takes a lot to get to the level our team is at."

So what goals could he have remaining?

There are some. Ingrum still plans to train for ice speed skating. That may depend on his financial situation; if he can find enough sponsors, he'll be able to train properly.

"I'll have to see what happens," Ingrum said.

There are other considerations. For one thing, he'll be attending a coach's clinic at the Olympic Training Center in Colorado Springs from Sept. 25-30.

And he plans to go with Dunn to the World Speed Skating Championships Nov. 1-9 in Mar Del Plata, Argentina, both as unofficial coaches, accompanying four members of the Wolverine team who are competing in the Juniors (among them, Charlie Craven of Plymouth).

The hope remains that roller speed skating will become an Olympic sport soon. "When it will get there, I don't know," Ingrum said. "But it will.

"My goal is to be a World Team coach, and hopefully be an Olympic Team coach when it becomes an Olympic sport."

No, this speed skating thing is more than just a fun thing to do for Ingrum. "People ask me how I can devote so much time to it," he said. "For me, it's not that hard. It's always been a part of my life.

"I guess the easy thing to say is, it is my life. It would be kind of weird if I didn't skate."

ON THE RUN

BRAD EMONS

I like to call it the Bobby Crim de-la Crim.

And it certainly brings out the best runners in the state, the midwest and around the world.

The 21st annual 10-mile road race through the streets of Flint (held Aug. 23) definitely puts a cap on the summer season.

And conditions couldn't have been more perfect, blue skies, sunny, no wind and an ideal 50 degrees for the 8 a.m. start.

This year the series of races drew a total of 14,760 entrants, a drop from last year's record turnout of 15,182.

The festive event also included competitive 8-kilometer and 5K runs, along with an 8K race-walk, 8K and 5K walks, one-miler and Teddy Bear Trot.

Moroccan Brahim Lahlifi broke the Kenyan three-year domination in the 10-miler with a time of 45:45, sixth on the world all-time record books and second best overall in the Crim

(The race is named after the former speaker of the State House of Representatives).

Lahlifi won $6,000 for his efforts, while 28-year-old Hellen Kimaiyo-Kipkoskei took the women's first-place check of $6,000, clocking a 53:54.

As for local finishers, several performances were noteworthy:

■ Former Livonia Stevenson High runner Doug Kurtis, who leads the world in sub 2:20 marathon times, took third in the men's masters (40-and-over) with a time 52:13 (first in the men's 45-49 age group) to go along with a $500 third place masters check. The Northville resident, who ironically has come close, but never won a Crim, is expected to hang up his racing flats at the end of the year.

■ New Plymouth resident Ann Boyd, who recently returned from a half-marathon in San Diego, was second among Michigan women with a time 58:54, earning $800.

■ Livonian Pat Bagley, who was recently second in the San Francisco Marathon, was 10th among Michigan women with a time of 1:03:18. She was 21st overall among women.

■ Former Westland resident Kim Delaney, who now resides in Charlotte, N.C., was 25th overall among Michigan women in 1:04:05.

■ In Males 16-19, Stevenson High senior Rob Block, an All-Observer first-team performer in track and cross country, finished second behind Highland's Kory Kramer in 55:06. Block was 55th overall among men.

■ Canton's Becky Wolfrom was fifth in Females 16-19 (1:15:18).

■ Julie Hecksel, a 35-year-old from Livonia, won the women's 8K racewalk in 45:38 (she was third overall). Heckwas third in 1995 and second in 1996. The race attracted 93 entrants, 54 of whom were disqualified for various violations.

■ I also have to give a plug to my Great Lakes Relay teammate Larry Wojcik of Dearborn Heights, who runs out of the Livonia YMCA's Heart and Sole Running Club. Larry was ninth in Males 45-49 with a time of 1:01:39.

■ And just for the record, this was my fourth Crim and second best time overall in Flint (1:10:27). But my 7:02 pace won't get me in the (yellow) seeded area next year, although you can still qualify next year by posting a 7-minute pace or better in a certified 10K run between now and next year.

But overall, it was a very enjoyable day.

Upcoming races

Here are some dates and races this month to put on your calendar:

■ **Saturday, Sept. 6** – Dances with Dirt (call 810-380-3338); Motor City Shakdown (call 313-393-2610); also, Flate Rock Riverfest '97 (call 313-782-3488);

■ **Saturday, Sept. 13** – Kensington Challenge (call 248-360-3314);

■ **Sunday, Sept. 14** – Windsor-Detroit International Terry Fox Run (write Karmanos Cancer Institute, 18831 W. 12 Mile Road, Lathrup Village, Mi. 48076-2558.

■ **Saturday, Sept. 20** – Bars Hoppin' 8K (call 810-486-1824);

■ **Sunday, Sept. 21** – Birmingham Lions Run for the Blind (call 248-354-1177).

■ **Sunday, Sept. 28** – The Islant Road Runners of Grosse Ile will hold a 20-mile training run at Willow Metropark (meet at the pool area parking lot).

The 20-milers will start at 8:30 a.m. and the 10-milers can join at 10 a.m. There is no registration fee. Self-serve water and Gatorade will be provided on the course (call 313-336-1510).

Cobras 2nd in junior baseball

The 16-and-under NFWB Michigan Cobras returned from the Junior Olympic national championships with one victory, a 16-10 win over the Iowa Aces.

Although the Cobras did not advance, they were competitive in losses to the San Antonio Missions (4-2), New Jersey Outlaws (7-5), Kentucky Colonels (5-2) and South Carolina PITT (7-5).

Unlike their opponents, who draw players from across their entire states, the Cobras get 75 percent of their talent from the immediate Farmington Hills and West Bloomfield communities, according to NFWB manager Bob Sopo.

"The New England team, for example, conducted tryouts and selected the team from three New England states," he said. "Our competitive performance compliments the NFWB youth baseball organization."

Sopo added Gov. John Engler issued individual certificates of commendation to the NFWB players, coaching staff and league president Al Ludwig.

The Cobras won the state championship three of the last four years, and in 1995, finished fourth nationally.

NFWB's Michael Sopo and Josh Gad-Harf received honorable mention certificates in the Junior Olympic tournament in Charlotte, N.C.

Sopo, a West Bloomfield resident and student at Orchard Lake St. Mary's High School, compiled a .550 batting average and had the fifth-highest average in the tournament.

Gad-Harf, who attends West Bloomfield High School, was recognized for his three home runs. Also hitting homers for the Cobras were John Gresehover, Brad McCloskey and Craig Sopo.

Other members of the team are Dan Duffey, Joe Morris, Tim Andrzejak, Andrew Todd, Mark Richards, Jay Melvin, John Pickell, Mike Barrett, Tim Clouse and Wellington Andrees.

BASEBALL TRYOUTS

SFBI baseball tryouts

South Farmington Baseball Inc. will haveLittle Caesars tryouts from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 6, at Founders Park.

Tryouts for ages 9 and 10 will be on field No. 1; ages 11, 12 and 13 on field Nos. 1, 2 and 3; ages 14, 15, 16 17 and older on field Nos. 5, 6 and 7.

For more information call Greg Anderson at (248) 477-5096.

Rams baseball tryout

The Michigan Rams 10-under baseball team is having tryouts 11 to 1 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 6 at Manning Park in Redford Township (Glendale, two blocks east of Beech Daly Road). For more information, call coach Mark Falvo, formerly of Dearborn Divine Child and now at Henry Ford Community College, at (313) 537-3449.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, PROBATE COURT OF WAYNE, No. 97-575,663-IE

CLAIMS NOTICE
Independent Probate

Estate of VIRGINIA M. BENEDICT, Deceased Social Security No. 362-01-3429

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

Your interest in the estate may be barred or affected by the following:

The decedent, whose last know address was 30408 Grandon, Livonia, Michigan 48150, died on March 8, 1997. An instrument dated December 1, 1960 has been admitted as the will of the deceased.

Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to the independent personal representative, Ronald J. Benedict, 1412 Big Oak Drive, Hersey, Michigan 49639 or to both the independent personal representative and the Wayne County Probate Court, 1305 City-County Bldg., 2 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Michigan 48226, within 4 months of the date of publication of this notice. Notice is further given that the estate will be thereafter assigned and distributed to the persons entitled to it.

Attorney for petitioner: ROCK & BORGELT, P.C., Robert C. Hall (P-34400), 24500 Ford Road, Dearborn, Michigan 48127, 313-274-4064.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, PROBATE COURT OF WAYNE, No. 97-579, 849-IE

CLAIMS NOTICE
Independent Probate

Estate of RONALD GERALD TEPER, deceased, Social Security No. 369-40-2099

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

Your interest in the estate may be barred or affected by the following:

The decedent, whose last know address was 38245 North RickhamCourt, Westland, Michigan 48186, died April 21, 1997. An instrument dated April 9, 1997 has been admitted as the will of the deceased.

Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to the independent personal representative, Audrey Ann Teper, 38245 North Rickham Court, Westland, Michigan 48186, or to both the independent personal representative and the Wayne County Probate Court, 1305 City-County Bldg., 2 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Michigan 48226, within 4 months of the date of publication of this notice. Notice is further given that the estate will be thereafter assigned and distributed to the persons entitled to it.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, PROBATE COURT OF WAYNE, No. 97-577,678-IE

CLAIMS NOTICE
Independent Probate

Estate of HUGH HUE YEE, a/k/a/ HUGH SUEY YEE, deceased, Social Security No. 380-42-7966

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS:

Your interest in the estate may be barred or affected by the following:

The decedent, whose last know address was 47189 N. Pointe Drive, Canton Township, Michigan, 48187, died April 2, 1997.

Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate will be forever barred unless presented to the independent personal representativ, Lisa L. S. Yee, 47189 N. Pointe Drive, Canton Township, Michigan 48187, or to both the independent personal representative and the Wayne County Probate Court, 1305 City-County Bldg., 2 Woodward Ave., Detroit, Michigan 48226, within 4 months of the date of publication of this notice. Notice is further given that the estate will be thereafter assigned and distributed to the persons entitled to it.

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PLYMOUTH
STOW & GO SELF STORAGE
AUCTION NOTICE

Pursuant to state law, Notice is here by given that a public auction will be held at Stow & Go Self Storage, 41999 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth, MI on 10/3/97 at 10:00 a.m., on past due tenants listed below. The entire contents of the following units will be auctioned and sold to the highest bidder on each unit. Cash Only:

Unit #715-KAREN FERNANDEZ OF 580 STARKWEATHER APT. 28, PLYMOUTH, MI 48170 bags of clothes, bedroom set (full), ent. center, table & chairs, approx. 12 boxes, other misc.

Unit #560-ROBERT DEVYAK OF 272 W. LIBERTY ST. #202, PLYMOUTH, MI 48170 2 fish tanks, stand, bed spreads, office files approx. 60 boxes, patio table, blinds, fireplace grate, other misc.

Unit #457-ROBERT COOMBS OF 3648 BUCKINGHAM, BERKLEY, MI 48072 couch, love seat, chair, misc car parts, 15 wheels & tires, storage cabinet, 2 file cabinets, cordless phone, exercise equipment, 2 wicker chairs, bike, desk, 2 chairs, picture, shelf, misc. boxes, car phone, box of books, other misc.

Unit #226-RICHARD ZARKOWSKI OF 14016 S.W. 91ST TERRACE, MIAMI, FL 33186 weed trimmer, shop vac, mt. bike, snow shovel, small round table, weight bench & acc., rugs, tool box, t.v., ladder, misc. boxes, 2 tripods, rocking chair, other misc.

Unit #B06-DAVID CAMFIELD OF 1600 N. TERRITORIAL #2, PLYMOUTH, MI 48170 small fridge, small table, bar bells, 7 boxes of office files, bike pump, card file, other misc.

Unit #359-DONALD TUCKER OF 302 MAPLE ST. #4, PLYMOUTH, MI 48170 full mattress, twin mattress, microwave, fan, vacuum, 3 end tables, dresser, couch, bookcase, small t.v., VCR, broom, bat, clothes, 4 chairs, 5 milk crates, bucket, 17 boxes, boots, other misc.

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Don't pick remodeler by price

Many homeowners think nothing of shelling out tens of thousands of dollars and opening up their homes to a remodeler whom they have selected A remodeling project is not a life-threatening emergency, but it could have a substantive effect on the family's well-being and financial health. Many factors other than price need to be considered before the best contractor for a specific project is found.

A common tactic is to solicit three remodelers for bids. The homeowner will often throw out the high and the low and take the middle, confident the risk is minimized by dropping both extremes. Price drives the selection. As an afterthought the homeowner may check the remodeler's reputation, references and insurance and licensing documentation.

"No job interview begins by negotiating salary, and hiring a contractor should be no different," said David Kellett Sr., executive committee member of the Building Industry Association of Southeastern Michigan Remodelers Council and president of Kellett Construction Co. in Bloomfield Hills. "Before you get to compensation, you want to be sure you have a qualified applicant."

One of the first things to check is references. Talk with people who have hired the remodeler to do jobs similar to yours. A beautifully remodeled kitchen or bath sheds little light on the remodeler's ability to add a second story to your home.

Ask the references if they had any problems with the quality, payment schedule, employees or completion time. The most telltale question you can ask a reference is, "Would you hire this contractor again?" Some people will be hesitant to make negative comments, but the enthusiasm in the answer can usually tell you everything you need to know.

After you've talked with the references, take a look at the work. Check the quality of the craftsmanship and materials, overall aesthetics, creativity and how the project blends in with the rest of the house.

Verify the remodeler's licensing and insurance documentation. If you hire a remodeler who doesn't carry worker's compensation insurance and one of the employees falls off your roof,

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Rolling terrain home to Hilltop Estates

Guido Grassi, a Rochester Hills residential builder, took on a challenging task with his first development effort, Hilltop Estates in Independence Township.

The 80-acre parcel, one of the highest in Oakland County just a short drive from Pine Knob, has a rolling terrain with plenty of large trees.

The result is a platted subdivision of 42 lots of at least an acre in size offering seclusion and a great view of nature and wildlife.

"It's a very unique piece of property, very hilly, all wooded," said Grassi, exclusive builder at Hilltop Estates. "It's away from the main road but only a couple of minutes from I-75."

"The site itself is unduplicated," added Robert Pizarek, a Realtor with Snyder, Kinney, Bennett & Keating and sales representative for the community. "It's so different from anything else on the market: You go outside and the only thing you hear is wind going through trees.

"Privacy and quiet are big selling features," Pizarek said. "Why go on vacation when you can go home? It's very private but close and accessible to things you need."

A seven-acre natural park area and eight small drainage retention ponds are planned for the site.

Lots in the initial phase range in price from $75,000 to $100,000. Grassi, a custom builder, figures on construction costs of $100 per square foot, $107 per square foot for ranches.

Grassi has borrowed from floor plans that proved popular in Bloomfield Township for Hilltop Estates. Yet, he's willing to make adjustments. To date, those have included extending kitchens, adding windows and combining elements of different exterior elevations.

"I have one home in here I'm building from their own plan," Grassi said.

Four floor plans – two colonials, a story-and-a-half with first-floor master suite and a ranch – are among the basic offerings.

They range in price from $251,450 for a ranch of 2,350 square feet with three bedrooms and 2-1/2 baths to $330,000 for a colonial of 3,300 square feet with four bedrooms, two full baths and two half baths.

Those prices are construction only and don't include the lot or landscaping.

A three-car garage, fireplace, first-floor laundry, basement, jet tub in master suite, cooktop, range, microwave, dishwasher and a $2,000 light fixture allowance are included in all plans at base price.

Grassi has built his largest plan as the sales model.

Hilltop Estates: *Guido Grassi will build colonials like this with four bedrooms, two full baths, two half baths, living room, dining room, library and family room for $100 per square foot. Lots run $75,000 to $100,000 in the initial building phase.*

The colonial features a covered porch with a pair of coat closets on either side of the front door and a two-story foyer.

The main living area includes a living room, library, great room with two-story ceiling, dining room, butler's pantry and kitchen/ nook with island.

One half-bath is off the foyer, another near the laundry off the garage pedestrian entrance. A pantry, broom closet and coat closet are also grouped near the kitchen. The laundry contains a drip-dry mop sink.

The luxury master with pan ceiling contains a separate tub and shower, two separate vanities – one with a sitting area – a pair of walk-in closets and a compartmentalized commode.

Three other bedrooms and a second bath are upstairs.

"A lot of glass lets in a lot of light giving you a spacious feeling," Pizarek said. "They (visitors) are really pleased, and all comment on quality, that it's a well-built, pretty house."

"It's a very open home. That's what people like," Grassi said.

Base price of the plan is $330,000, the model as is with upgrades, the lot and landscaping about $449,000.

Brick, stone and wood siding are the only exterior materials allowed.

Some buyers at Hilltop Estates have built previously; others have owned several houses but never experienced building new up to now. Many prospects have children in tow, and a good number of corporate transferees are coming in to look.

Eight lots with a grade rising well above and fronting on a small, private lake (Walters Lake) will be offered in the second phase of development. There is no public lake access for other lots at the site.

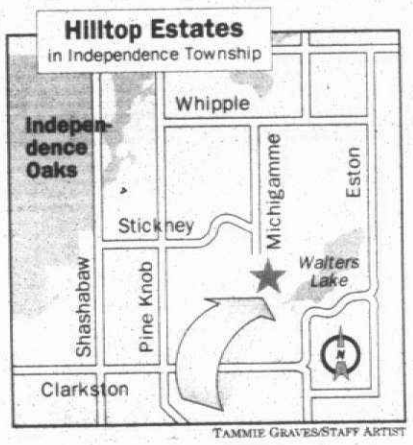
Hilltop Estates is serviced by individual wells and septic systems. The community is within the Clarkston school boundaries. There won't be sidewalks.

The annual property tax rate is estimated at $29.83 per $1,000 of state equalized valuation, half of market value. That means the owners of a $350,000 house there would pay about $5,200 the first year.

An annual fee of $200 per lot per year to maintain entrances and common areas has been discussed but not finalized.

John and Joni Cardiero plan to customize the model plan for their home.

"After we saw the Hilltop Estates area, we kept going back there," John said. "To us, there's no prettier setting



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around. Minimum one acre properties, heavily wooded – that's exactly what we were looking for.

"We like the openness of the house," Cardiero said. "Quality of workmanship, in our opinion, was great. They (Pizarek, Grassi) have been very cooperative. The experience has been extremely positive."

The sales model at Hilltop Estates, (248) 393-2820, is open 1-5 p.m. Wednesdays, Saturdays and Sundays.

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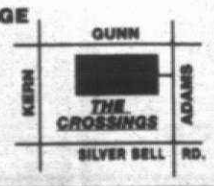

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Q. Our vinyl floor is separating at the seams in some areas. What's the best way of repairing this condition?

A. You can close simple tears and separated seams in vinyl flooring by buying an inexpensive seam sealing kit. Make sure it's the same brand as your vinyl. In some cases you'll need to reglue the vinyl to the floor. While this is easy enough to do, it's usually not required. In any case, you simply apply a little flooring mastic to the undersides of the separated vinyl and press it back in place. To keep it there while it dries, set several books or a brick on the seam or tear for a day or so.

With the vinyl stuck firmly in place, insert the applicator tip of the sealer bottle into the seam or tear, and pull it along until the entire seam or tear has a coating of sealer. Then, allow it to dry completely before resuming traffic in that area.

Q. My husband and I have a running argument about a register in our bedroom. We don't heat our bedroom in the winter, so he covers up the return air register with tape. I say that the tape stops the removal of cold air from our room. He says if the hot air is shut off, the return air register should also be shut off. Which is the correct answer?

A. I agree with you, but it depends on what your husband is trying to accomplish. By sealing off the return register, he is isolating your bedroom from the central heating system, especially if the bedroom door is kept closed. Unless you keep a window open in your bedroom for air circulation, sealing the return register will result in the room's air becoming stagnant. The lack of air exchange can cause some discomfort, especially if someone smokes in the room.

By not sealing the return register, there will be air circulation within the room. The return air will create a negative pressure in the bedroom. In turn, this causes the air in the house to migrate into the room through the door opening or under the crack of a closed door.

The extent to which sealing the return register will reduce your fuel consumption is difficult to determine. We would assume that the effect is relatively minor.

Q. I am considering installing an electric attic fan in my roof. I've been told that because I only have small openings in the gable ends of my house, I'll need more ventilating holes for the fan to work properly. How much venting is needed for the turbine vents which are turned by the wind? Would this be a better solution to my problem?

A. The FHA Minimum Property Standards require that 1/150 of the ceiling area be free ventilating area. A 20-by-30-foot ceiling equals 600 square feet. Multiplied by 1/150, that equals 4 square feet of vents.

You can reduce this to 1/300 of the ceiling area if 50 percent of the ventilators are in the upper portion of the roof. They must be at least 3 feet above the eave or cornice vents. You can also reduce the square footage area by the same amount if there is a vapor barrier not exceeding 1 perm on the warm side of the ceiling.

An electric powered fan will move air more effectively than a wind turbine.

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you could be liable for the medical bills and lost wages.

One indication of a professional remodeler is membership in a national trade association such as the National Association of Home Builders' Remodelers Council.

Another indication of professionalism is indicated by the type of warranty offered. Most remodelers offer some sort of a warranty. But remember, a warranty is only as good as the company backing it.

Once you have done your homework and feel confident the remodeler has been in business long enough to have developed a proven record of quality and service, then it's time to discuss the project's details and price.

As with most job applicants, the decision may very well come down to feeling comfortable with the remodeler and being able to communicate. The remodeler will be spending many hours in your home, so it's important that you feel comfortable with him or her from the outset. Your should be able to work together, combining your ideas and the remodeler's expertise, to turn the vision into a final product.

When you are buying a new car, you're buying a product, can see what it looks like, and test drive it to see how it feels. With a remodeling project, you're buying a concept and don't see the finished product until well after the contract is signed.

This is the reason bid shopping works for automobiles but not for remodeling projects. You can ask three dealers to price a specific make and model car, and can be fairly certain you are comparing like products. But with remodeling, the products could differ significantly. There can be many reasons for a low-ball bid, including shoddy materials, poor craftsmanship, inadequate safety precautions and lack of insurance and licensing. Or, if you're really unlucky, the low price may be from an inexperienced remodeler who's never done a job like yours before and realizes halfway into the project he has money problems on your job and has the impossible job of making up his lost profit.

When you've selected a remodeler to ask for a bid, make sure the bid and eventual contract are as thorough as possible, including material brand names and models, cost, payment schedule, procedure for change orders and warranty information.

"If you like the contractor and are confident with the work, but the bid is beyond your budget, all hope is not lost," added Kellett. "Ask what can be scaled down to meet your budget." It very well could be something minor, such as using quality stock cabinets instead of custom-designed ones, or selecting a different style of tiling, counter top or trim.

Quality is never cheap, and good research may seem like a headache, but it is more likely to lead you to satisfaction with the changes made to your home.

–By Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants

Spare plants are disaster insurance

By James E. Walters
Special Writer

A few spare plants are good insurance against disasters, even if they are never used. Without such precautions the general law is: if something can go wrong, it will.

Nothing expensive or elaborate is required.

Often an adequate reserve will be available by simply not planting everything at once in the landscape and keeping one or two in a sheltered container.

If nothing happens, the extras will provide a supplemental display.

But if the neighbor's dog digs up the middle of the flower bed or if the center shrub of a row dies despite your best efforts, the spares will be available for a scarcely noticeable fix.

There are a dozen each of red, purple, white and yellow mums ready for beds designed to hold 10 plants of the same color.

The theory for a massed display of same-colored flowers is that it is visually more pleasing than a kaleidoscope since too many colors produce a disorganized picture, just as do a few of this plant and a few of that one.

While the mums seem perfect, the theory for two "extra" plants is that if something happens to the originals, they should provide enough insurance to maintain the planting scheme. All will be about the same size.

If nothing happens to the originals, the extras can be grown in containers for casual displays.

Because of the expense, such insurance is not always feasible for every plant installed in the landscape.

But it still is a good precaution if you plan, say, a hedge of same-size greenery or a grouping of same-type trees.

A casual look at your local nursery will show that most plants can flourish for some time in containers. This will vary by type, of course, and will be more true of shrubs and trees than flowers, which tend to fill containers quickly.

But, when buying, say, several six-packs of flowers for a quick display, it will take only one small disaster to make you happy about not planting all 12 the first time.

As for masses of colors, experiment first on a small scale. Adjustments are simplified by using containers of flowers which can be moved easily to seek a desired effect before you make a permanent installation.

A color wheel helps see colors as warm, cool, complementary, harmonious and contrasting, creating the mood you desire.

On the wheel, the primary colors of yellow, blue and red are spaced evenly and appear in triangles opposite each other. The secondary colors develop from combining the primary ones: green from yellow and blue; orange, from yellow and red; purple, from blue and red.

The "warm" colors make up half of the wheel and are arranged: red, red-orange, orange, yellow-orange, yellow and yellow-green. The "cool" colors are arranged: green, blue-green, blue, blue-purple, purple and red-purple, with red-purple adjacent to red.

Such designations may sound arbitrary or confusing, but they help avoid disappointments by simplifying the choices.

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MEDICAL BRIEFS

Cancer treatment

As part of a nationwide clinical trial, Henry Ford Hospital has tested a new cancer-fighting drug, which is pending U.S. Food and Drug Administration approval. The drug has been highly effective in destroying cancerous cells in patients with non-Hodgkin's B-cell lymphoma.

The drug, Rituxan, was unanimously recommended for marketing clearance last month by an FDA advisory committee and, later this year, is expected to be approved by the FDA. It uses special, laboratory-produced disease fighters, called monoclonal antibodies, to fight cancer, even in the late stages of the disease.

Henry Ford Hospital was the only study site in Michigan.

Researchers tested Rituxan on patients with non-Hodgkin's B-cell lymphoma, a cancer that affects the immune system. During the trial, the drug demonstrated a clear ability to destroy cancer cells.

"Rituxan has a unique mode of action whereby it attaches to the individual malignant cells so they can be destroyed and removed from the body by the immune system," said Dr. Nalini Janakiraman, M.D., principal investigator of the study at Henry Ford Hospital. "This could prove to be the 'magic bullet' that patients have been waiting for.

"This is a major break-though in cancer care," Janakiraman added. "If other monoclonal antibodies prove as safe and effective as Rituxan, we could be witnessing a revolution in the treatment of cancer."

In the study, Rituxan was administered in four infusions over a 22-day period. This compares to four to six months of chemotherapy as in most conventional treatments of non-Hodgkin's lymphoma.

Of the 151 volunteers participating in the nationwide research study, 76 patients experienced significant tumor shrinkage. Nine months later, 46 percent of those patients were still in remission.

Janakiraman said the drug showed minimal side effects when used alone. "The side effects that did occur, which included chills and fever, were limited in duration and decreased significantly after the first few treatments. These side effects are not significant compared to the side effects of chemotherapy, which we would otherwise use."

New voice

Patients with voice and resonance disorders will soon be singing the praises of Providence Hospital's new Voice and Communication Center in Southfield. The center will provide comprehensive medical, vocal and speech analysis for children and adults.

The Voice and Communication Center is designed to benefit the individual by providing a team approach to the diagnosis and treatment of voice disorders. The multidisciplinary team, including physicians, a speech therapist, a voice coach and the patient, will all participate in patient care.

Teachers, clergy, lawyers, sales professionals, actors and others who regularly use their voice are at risk for voice problems caused by strain, overuse or misuse. The new center provides technology for the diagnosis and care of these voice difficulties, as well as treating children and adults with developmental abnormalities.

"The Voice and Communication Center is a natural extension of Providence Hospital's Institute for Craniofacial and Reconstructive Surgery, the Michigan Institute for Sleep Medicine and the Providence Cancer Center, providing complete multidisciplinary medical and surgical care at one location," said Dr. Jeffrey S. Weingarten, M.D., director of the center.

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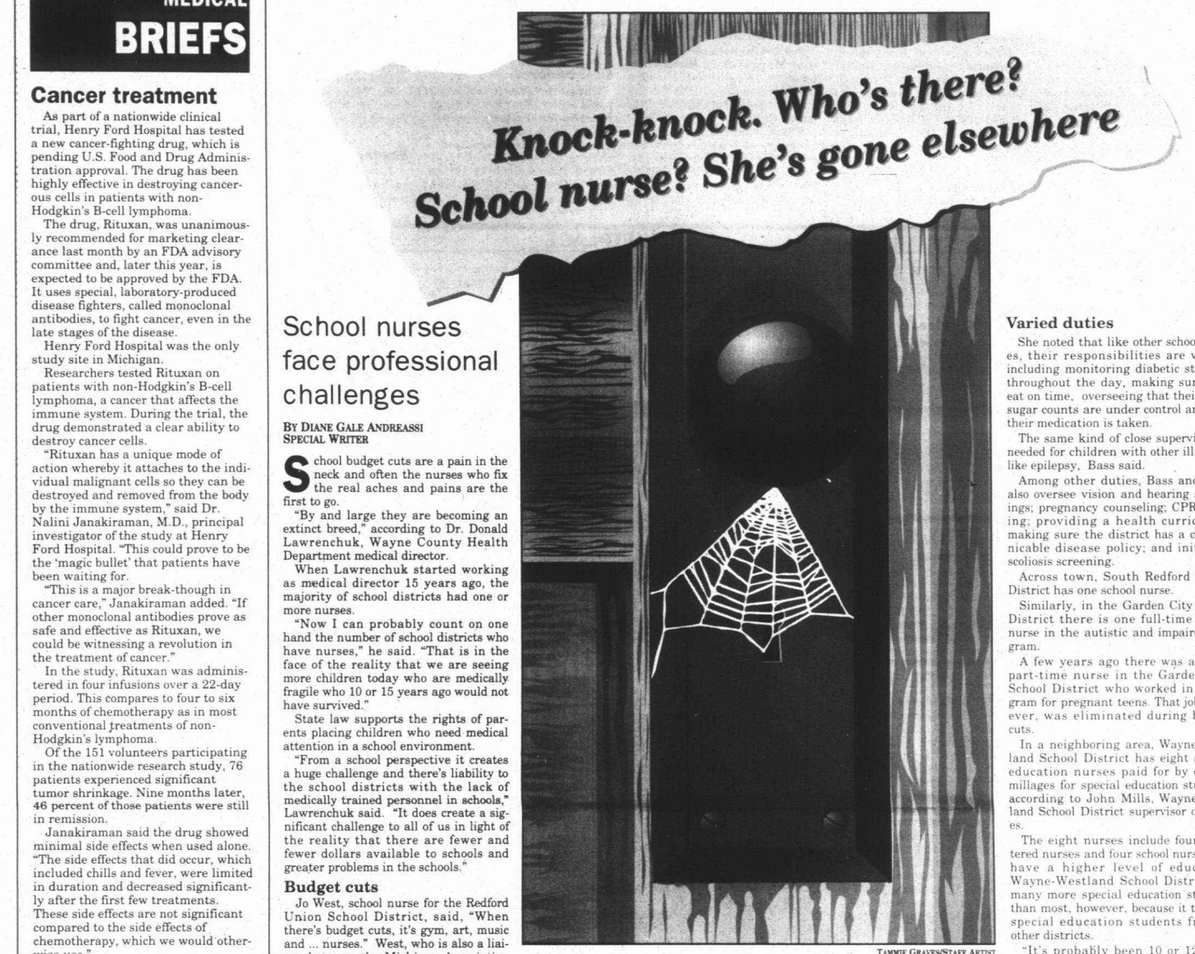

School nurses face professional challenges

By Diane Gale Andreassi
Special Writer

School budget cuts are a pain in the neck and often the nurses who fix the real aches and pains are the first to go.

"By and large they are becoming an extinct breed," according to Dr. Donald Lawrenchuk, Wayne County Health Department medical director.

When Lawrenchuk started working as medical director 15 years ago, the majority of school districts had one or more nurses.

"Now I can probably count on one hand the number of school districts who have nurses," he said. "That is in the face of the reality that we are seeing more children today who are medically fragile who 10 or 15 years ago would not have survived."

State law supports the rights of parents placing children who need medical attention in a school environment.

"From a school perspective it creates a huge challenge and there's liability to the school districts with the lack of medically trained personnel in schools," Lawrenchuk said. "It does create a significant challenge to all of us in light of the reality that there are fewer and fewer dollars available to schools and greater problems in the schools."

Budget cuts

Jo West, school nurse for the Redford Union School District, said, "When there's budget cuts, it's gym, art, music and ... nurses." West, who is also a liaison between the Michigan Association of School Nurses and the Michigan Education Association, said school nurses in Michigan and throughout the nation are working to initiate laws requiring nurses in every district. A handful of states already have mandates in place.

Locally, Lawrenchuk and other medical experts are trying to address the problem with a manual designed to help school employees deal with issues that arise.

The manual targets the most commonly asked medical questions in schools and was developed by Lawrenchuk's department along with members of area school districts and representatives from the Regional Educational Service Agency, which is the old Wayne County Intermediate School District.

The manual has been adopted by schools throughout the state and even the nation, Lawrenchuk added.

"We tried to address everything from A to Z," he said. "This manual is not an effort to replace the school nurse. It's a way of helping schools deal with the reality of the situation when a child comes to school and has to take 20 different medications in a day and brings a shopping bag with medication and gives it to the teacher."

Oftentimes, especially in school districts that don't have nurses, the school secretaries are responsible for distributing medications. Many times they are trained in CPR and other basic medical techniques.

Other very sick kids, however, need catheterization care and attention that requires extensive medical knowledge. These situations are handled on a case by case basis.

"Most schools have people who are designated to be a first aid responder in a life and death situation," Lawrenchuk said. "Most are secretaries and not medics. This is a serious concern that certainly needs to be addressed and the health manual is certainly not the answer. I just shudder to think what goes on on a daily basis."

Some school districts, however, have a considerable nursing staff, at least compared to other communities. The Plymouth-Canton School District, for instance, has four full-time and one part-time nurse to rotate around the district that includes some 15,700 students, according to Terry Wood, Plymouth-Canton School District communications specialist.

Redford Union also has more school nurses than most communities. Two full-time nurses, West and Carol Bass, service between 6,000 and 8,000 students.

"Many people think there's a school nurse in every school," West said.

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Varied duties

She noted that like other school nurses, their responsibilities are varied, including monitoring diabetic students throughout the day, making sure they eat on time, overseeing that their blood sugar counts are under control and that their medication is taken.

The same kind of close supervision is needed for children with other illnesses, like epilepsy, Bass said.

Among other duties, Bass and West also oversee vision and hearing screenings; pregnancy counseling; CPR training; providing a health curriculum; making sure the district has a communicable disease policy; and initiating scoliosis screening.

Across town, South Redford School District has one school nurse.

Similarly, in the Garden City School District there is one full-time school nurse in the autistic and impaired program.

A few years ago there was another part-time nurse in the Garden City School District who worked in a program for pregnant teens. That job, however, was eliminated during budget cuts.

In a neighboring area, Wayne-Westland School District has eight special education nurses paid for by county millages for special education students, according to John Mills, Wayne-Westland School District supervisor of nurses.

The eight nurses include four registered nurses and four school nurses who have a higher level of education. Wayne-Westland School District has many more special education students than most, however, because it takes in special education students from 10 other districts.

"It's probably been 10 or 12 years since the district employed nurses for the general population," Mills said.

A decade ago Wayne-Westland had nine full-time school nurses who served all of the health care needs in the schools. The nurses assigned to the special education students in Wayne-Westland do, however, give emergency care to other students.

Meanwhile, the Livonia School District doesn't have any school nurses on staff, according to Jay Young, Livonia School District director of community services. However, school secretaries are trained in first aid.

"We have trained the secretaries to handle most basic incidences," he said. "It's primarily a financial item. There is a cost attended to that."

The district, does however, hire nurse consultants on a contractual basis for special needs of individual students, training staff and providing informational services, Young said.

Help available for handling job stress

Despite the recent declining trend in unemployment figures, many Americans continue to feel vulnerable when it comes to a sense of job security. While corporate profits and employment levels are up, today more Americans are working on a contractual or temporary basis, while still others find themselves waiting anxiously for the next "downsizing" to occur.

Even when they do have job security, many American workers feel stuck in monotonous jobs or are required to work more extended hours, often taking time away from important family relationships.

Such factors often leave workers feeling out of control. They contribute to the very real experience of job-related stress. As part of Psychology Awareness Month, the Michigan Psychological Association is making an effort to inform workers that psychologists are specially trained to help them deal with workplace stress.

According to a recent survey by the American Psychological Association, 47 percent of Americans do not know when it would be appropriate to see a mental health professional, and 68 percent say they do not know how they should go about seeking professional help if they think they do need it.

"What many people don't realize is that they can often change their own behavior or attitude, so that workplace stress doesn't get to them so much," said Arthur Lewandowski, Ph.D., president of the Michigan Psychological Association. "But when they feel so out of control, it's hard for people to realize that they do have some power and some choices. That's when a psychologist can help."

Many people simply live with this stress, because they are unaware that a trained professional can help them. These "stressed out" workers often suffer sleepless nights, headaches, increasing conflict with family members or coworkers, and other potentially self-destructive behaviors as a result.

According to national studies, corporations lose about 16 days annually in productivity per worker due to stress, anxiety and depression. These emotional problems are often more debilitating than many serious physical illnesses.

Furthermore, people's psychological health strongly impacts their physical health. Fifty to 70 percent of usual visits to primary care physicians are for medical complaints that stem from psychological factors. Anxiety and depression are among the six most common conditions seen in family practice.

Today, many psychologists use problem-solving, outcome-oriented approaches especially suited to helping people cope with work-related stress. When helping people deal with these issues, psychologists may provide concrete, practical assistance in three areas.

First, psychologists can help their clients perform a "reality check" regarding their job-related anxieties.

Second, psychologists can help people facing job dissatisfaction or insecurity come up with alternative plans of action. They can help their clients develop other employment options or financial strategies that will serve as safety nets in case the feared job loss becomes a reality.

Third, psychologists can help clients understand and manage their feelings about job dissatisfaction and/or insecurity.

For referral to a psychologist, call 1-88-270-9070.

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WAYNE BUSINESS & Finance

BUSINESS PEOPLE

This column highlights promotions, transfers, hirings and other key personnel moves within the suburban business community. Send a brief biographical summary, including the towns of residence and employment and a black-and-white photo, if desired, to: Business People, Observer Business Page, Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. Our fax number is (313) 591-7279.

Bank appointment

Peoples State Bank announced that **William S. Graham** has been appointed vice president/operations manager for the bank's newly established Plymouth region. The announcement was made by Robert L. Cole, president and chief executive officer.

Graham, whose most recent noteworthy position was finance director for the city of Plymouth, also brings with him over 21 years of banking experience gained at First of America Bank and Comerica Bank, primarily in western Wayne County communities.

A Plymouth resident and an active member of numerous civic and municipal organizations, including the Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce, Graham is a graduate of Hillsdale College.

Slezak named

Peoples State Bank announced that **Margaret E. Slezak** has been appointed vice president/senior lender for the bank's newly established Plymouth region.

Slezak, who brings more than 20 years of financial service experience in the Plymouth area, arrived at Peoples State Bank from First of American Bank, where most recently she served as vice president/commercial loan officer. Slezak is a longtime Plymouth resident, former president of the Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce, and remains active in various community organizations.

CEO honored

One of the Detroit area's most prominent business persons, **Florine Mark Ross**, president and chief executive officer of Weight Watchers Group, Inc. will be honored by the Israel Cancer Association (CA), Michigan branch, at ICA's annual fund-raising dinner Sept. 28, at Adat Shalom Synagogue on Middlebelt south of Northwestern Highway in Farmington Hills.

"Florine Mark Ross is a very unique individual who not only built a very successful business but who has given so much of herself to the community," said Mel Kepes, ICA Michigan branch president.

Ms. Mark Ross and her husband, Dr. Bill Ross, live in Farmington Hills, Michigan.

Engineers awarded

Joseph Khanuja, advanced technology development engineer, and **Fred Gerometta**, product engineer, Ford Motor Company, Livonia, accepted a Grand Prize award in the 1997 International Powder metallurgy Part-of-the-Year Design Competition. The award was given for a torque converter turbine hub used in a Ford transmission.

Khanuja accepted the award for his company at the 1997 International Conference on Powder Metallurgy & Particulate Materials in Chicago, Ill. Made from steel powder by Chicago Powdered Metals Co., the complex hub provided significant cost savings to Ford. It is made by a new process called warm compacting.

MARKETPLACE

Marketplace features a glimpse of suburban business news and notes, including corporate name changes, new products, office openings, new affiliations, new positions, mergers, acquisitions and new ways of doing business. Items for Marketplace should be submitted to Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. The fax number is (313) 591-7279.

Business relocates

Ettelle Personnel Services recently relocated to their third address due to an increasing customer/clientele base, since owner **Michelle McKindles** opened the business in April, 1996. In the personnel service industry since 1989, McKindles temporary employment agency services more than 45 companies in the Plymouth, Livonia, Redford, Canton, Inkster and Romulus area with a strong majority of their business relating to light industrial and clerical positions.

Individuals looking to be placed in a temporary or permanent position are required to fill out an application followed by an evaluation of their skills and qualifications. McKindles, 26, said due to the small size of her agency, employers can expect more personal service and attention compared to larger, national temporary service providers.

The Redford-based company is willing to work with a business to fulfill their temporary or full-time employee demands whether the need is for one or several.

For more information about Ettelle Personnel Services, please call (313) 937-5627 from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

If you are seeking employment and would like an application, visit the Redford office at 27104 Plymouth Road.

BUSINESS DATEBOOK

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WED, SEPT. 3

OVERVIEW
The Michigan Manufacturing Technology Center will offer a seminar, "TE Supplement Overview," 8 a.m. to noon at Schoolcraft College in Livonia. Price is $135. For reservations, call Barbara Bartolatz, 1-800-292-4484, Ext. 4165.

BUSINESS NETWORK
Business Network International, Laurel Park Chapter, will meet 7-8:30 a.m. at Richard's Restaurant, Plymouth and Newburgh roads in Livonia. For more information, call (313) 844-3432.

THURS, SEPT. 4

MAINTENANCE
The Michigan Manufacturing Technology Center will offer a seminar, "Preventive Maintenance Management," 8 a.m. to noon at Schoolcraft College in Livonia. Price is $105. For reservations, call Barbara Bartolatz, 1-800-292-4484, Ext. 4165.

FRI, SEPT. 5

BUSINESS NETWORK
Business Network International, Livonia Chapter, will meet 7-8:30 a.m. at Senate Koney Island, on Plymouth Road near Stark in Livonia. For more information, call (313) 844-3432.

TUES, SEPT. 9

DESKTOP PUBLISHING SEMINAR
The Women Business Owners of Southeastern Michigan (WBO) will feature Wendy Everett, in a program titled, "Looking Good in Print: Desktop Publishing for your Small Business." She owns Publitech, a service which provides practical graphic design solutions for effective print communication. Attendees are encouraged to bring their questions and any job dilemmas. The meeting takes place on the first floor of the 777 Building on Eisenhower at State Street in Ann Arbor. Mixer begins at 6:30 p.m. the program follows at 7 p.m. The fee is $10 for non-members and free to members. Reservations are required, (313) 944-2133.

GMI SYMPOSIUM
Detroit-area executives will be providing their expertise in "Leadership & the Quality Revolution" at the eighth annual GMI Engineering & Management Institute Industry Symposium. The symposium will be held on the Flint college's campus. As its name implies, the one-day symposium will deal with quality issues and effective leadership styles. Scheduled to speak are: Dr. Carol O'Connor, director of management at William Beaumont Hospital; Joseph Anderson Jr. chairman and CEO of Chivas Products Ltd.; Gino J. Giocondi, retired Chrysler vice president; and Ludvick F. Koci, president and CEO of Detroit Diesel Corporation. For additional conference information call (810) 762-9893 or fax inquires to (810) 762-9935. The individual registration fee is $50.

WED, SEPT. 10

BUSINESS NETWORK
Business Network International, Livonia Chapter, will meet 7-8:30 a.m. at Laurel Park Chapter, Richards Restaurant, Plymouth Road & Newburgh. For more information, call (313) 844-3432.

ACTIVITY-BASED
The Michigan Manufacturing Technology Center will offer a seminar, "Activity-Based Costing," 8 a.m. to noon at Schoolcraft College in Livonia. Price is $105. For reservations, call Barbara Bartolatz, 1-800-292-4484, Ext. 4165.

FINANCIAL PLANNING
A free seminar, "Financial Planning Solutions for Long-Term Care," will be presented by Comprehensive Financial Planning Corp. at the Farmington Hills Library, 32737 W. 12 Mile, between Orchard Lake and Farmington roads. Sessions will be 10-11:30 a.m. and 3:30-5 p.m., with registration at 9:30 a.m. and 3 p.m. For information or to register, call 1-800-598-7834.

SEPT. 10-11

QUALITY PLANNING
The Michigan Manufacturing Technology Center will offer a seminar, "Advanced Quality Planning for TE," 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the Industrial Technology Institute, Ann Arbor. Price is $575. For reservations, call Barbara Bartolatz, 1-800-292-4484, Ext. 4165.

SAT, SEPT. 13

DCOM COMPUTER CLUB
The DCOM Computer Club of Dearborn has scheduled their next meeting to begin at 7 p.m. at the Bryant Library, 22100 Michigan Ave., West Dearborn. The topic will be: Multimedia Photography.

SEPT. 15-19

QUALITY MANAGEMENT
The Michigan Manufacturing Technology Center will offer a seminar, "Quality Management Systems Auditor Training," 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. (ending time varies) at the Industrial Technology Institute, Ann Arbor. Price is $1,350. For reservations, call Barbara Bartolatz, 1-800-292-4484, Ext. 4165.

MON, SEPT. 15

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CONFERENCE
Economic Development Conference, sponsored by the Wayne County Commission. Aimed at small, minority and women-owned businesses to learn how to receive bid packages and certification for major projects, including the new stadia and Metropolitan Airport Expansion. 9 a.m. to noon, University of Detroit/Mercy, Ward Conference Center, 8200 W. Outer Drive at Southfield. Registration required. Call (313) 224-0850.

TUES, SEPT. 16

CAREER WOMEN
The National Association of Career Women-West Suburban Chapter will meet for a luncheon 11:45 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Ernesto's, 41661 Plymouth Road, Plymouth. Deborah M. Herdegen, vice president at NBD Bank, will discuss "The Importance of a Business Plan." For information on the meeting or membership, call (313) 453-1706 or (313) 454-4544.

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HEALTH News

MEDICAL NEWSMAKERS

Items for Medical Newsmakers are welcome from throughout the Observer area. Items should be submitted to Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. Our fax number is (313) 591-7279.

VP elected

Gerald A. Robinson, D.O., a board-certified osteopathic clinical neurologist, was named third vice-president of the American Osteopathic Association (AOA), during their recent business meeting in Chicago.

Robbins has been on staff at Garden City Osteopathic Hospital, since 1983, and is licensed to practice medicine in Michigan and Missouri. He received his B.S. degree from the City College of New York in 1967, and his D.O. (Doctor of Osteopathic Medicine) degree from the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine in 1971. His work has also been published in the Michigan Osteopathic Journal.

Robbins belongs to numerous organizations including the American Academy of Neurology; Michigan Neurological Association, Wayne County Osteopathic Association and Michigan Association of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons (MAOP&S).

Heading program

Dr. Edward Philbin III, M.D., of Plymouth has been appointed medical director of the Heart Failure and Heart Transplant Program at Henry Ford Hospital.

In his new role, Philbin manages the care of patients with heart failure and oversees the hospital's heart transplantation staff. He also is involved in clinical research trials, including studies on congestive heart failure and cardiovascular fitness.

Philbin is a fellow of the American College of Cardiology and serves on the Cardiopulmonary and Critical Care Scientific Council of the American Heart Association.

He earned his medical degree from the New Jersey Medical School in Newark and completed an internship and residency at St. Elizabeth's Hospital in Boston. He also completed fellowships at Brigham & Women's Hospital and West Roxbury VA Medical Center, both in Boston, Mass.

Philbin comes to Henry Ford Hospital from a fellowship at Harvard Medical School. There, he was a clinical and research fellow at Massachusetts General Hospital's heart failure and transplantation service.

New position

Dr. James Andonian, M.D., has joined St. Joseph Mercy Health System as medical director for Business Health Services at Maple Health Building in Ann Arbor. He comes to St. Joseph Mercy from Ford Motor Company, where he served as the chief physician of Occupational Medicine for the Research and Engineering Center.

As medical director at the Maple Health Building, Andonian's responsibilities will include ensuring that area employers and employees receive high-quality occupational health services, from prevention to rehabilitation.

Andonian is board-certified by the American Board of Preventive Medicine and is a Diplomate of the National Board of Medical Examiners.

Andonian is the immediate past president of the Michigan Occupational and Environmental Medical Association and is a member of other professional organizations as well, including the Detroit Occupational Physician's Association (a past president), American Medical Association and the Michigan State Medical Society. He has authored and reviewed numerous publications.

Andonian lives in Plymouth with his wife and two sons.

At St. Mary

Dr. Vinaya Gavini, M.D., of Bloomfield Hills has joined the medical staff of St. Mary Hospital in Livonia. Gavini is board-certified in pediatrics.

He received his medical degree from S.V. Medical College in India and served his residency at Mt. Carmel Mercy Hospital in Detroit.He is a member of the American Medical Association, American Academy of Pediatrics, Michigan Medical Society and Wayne County Medical Society.

Gavini's office is in Dearborn Heights.

Joins hospital

Dr. Pramilla Sinha, M.D., of Farmington Hills has joined the medical staff of St. Mary Hospital in Livonia. She is board-certified in obstetrics and gynecology.

Sinha received her medical degree from Patiala College in India and served her residency at Highland Park Center Hospital.

Sinha's office is in Dearborn.

Internist

Dr. Roy Misirliyan, M.D., of Southfield has joined the medical staff of St. Mary Hospital in Livonia. Misirliyan is board-certified in internal medicine.

He received his medical degree and served his residency at Wayne State University. He is a member of the American College of Cardiologists.

Misirliyan's office is at 14555 Levan, Suite 203, Livonia.

MEDICAL DATEBOOK

Items for Medical Datebook are welcome from all hospitals, physicians, companies and residents active in the Observer-area medical community. Items should be typed or legibly written and sent to: Medical Datebook, c/o The Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft Road, Livonia, 48150 or faxed to (313) 591-7279.

TUES, SEPT. 2

EATING DISORDERS
A new support group at Garden City Hospital for persons recovering from an eating disorder, or for persons in need of peer support, is forming. For both men and women; meeting at 6:30 p.m.; call 458-3395.

WED, SEPT. 3

CHILD, INFANT CPR
Infant/child resuscitation and obstructed airway techniques taught in 3-hour class at Garden City Hospital; class approved by American Heart Association. Call to register 458-4330.

CANCER SUPPORT GROUP
"Focus on Living," a self-help cancer group for patients and their families meets today from 7 to 8:30 p.m. in the auditorium at St. Mary Hospital. No registration needed; co-sponsored by the American Cancer Association; call 1-(800) 494-1650 for details.

THURS, SEPT. 4

DYSLEXIA
The Scientific Learning Corporation and the Michigan Dyslexia Institute/Dyslexia Association of America will hold "Internet and CD-ROM-Based Training for Specialized Language Educators and Speech Pathologists" 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. at the Novi Hilton, on Haggerty north of Eight Mile. For information, call (415) 296-1470.

CHILDBIRTH EDUCATION
A six-week course begins today at Garden City Hospital at 7 p.m. providing information on pregnancy, labor, delivery, and newborn care. Also available on Sept. 8. (6 p.m.). Register early in pregnancy at 458-4330.

SAT, SEPT. 6

WHOLE VILLAGE
"It Takes a Whole Village: A Health Conference for African-American Men and Women" will be held all day at the Westin Hotel in Detroit. It is presented by Blue Cross/Blue Shield and The Wellness Plan. Topics will include heart disease and stroke, hypertension, nutrition, exercise and smoking cessation. Ruby Dee and Ossie Davis will be the keynote speakers. Ed Gordon will give the welcoming address. For registration information, call the American Heart Association at 1-800-968-1793, Ext. 851.

SUN, SEPT. 7

HEALTH ROUND TABLE
U. S. Representative Lynn N. Rivers will host an informal Round Table discussion on "Children's Health Care: First Step to Universal Health Care?" from 2 to 3:30 p.m. at Johnny Pasta's Coney Island, located at 62 Ecorse Road in Ypsilanti. To kick-start the discussion Rep. Rivers has prepared an in-depth packet of information on social security issues that is available in advance. If you are interested in obtaining this information, please call Michelle Robbins, of her staff at (313) 741-4210 or 722-1411.

MON, SEPT. 8

OHOHO GOLF BENEFIT
Oakwood Healthcare System is sponsoring its 10th annual Oakwood Healthcare Open Heart Open (OHOHO) at the Dearborn Country Club. Entry fee is $200 for those who have had open heart surgery and $250 for those who have not had open heart surgery. The golf package includes 18 holes of golf with cart, lunch and dinner. All proceeds from the OHOHO will benefit Oakwood's Cardiology Center of Excellence. For more information or sponsorship opportunities call, (313) 791-1234.

STOP SMOKING
St. Mary Hospital offers a smoke-free living class from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Mondays and Thursdays, today through Sept. 18 in Pavilion Conference Room A. The two-week, four-session program helps individuals quit smoking. Fee is $25; call (313) 655-2922.

DIABETES EDUCATION
Garden City Hospital offers a five-week series on helping you "Live Well With Diabetes." A physician referral is required for program, certified by the Michigan Department of Health. Classes begin today and also tomorrow (Sept. 9).

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MEMORY
ElderMed at Botsford will present "Enhancing Your Memory" 9:30-11:30 a.m. at Botsford General Hospital's 2 East A Conference Room, 28050 Grand River Ave., Farmington Hills. Price is $38 for members, $45 for non-members. It will be presented by Sandy Baumann, ElderMed manager, and will include the workbook "Improving Your Memory." Advance registration is required. To register, call (248) 471-8020.

TUES., SEPT. 9

CANCER EDUCATION
"I Can Cope," a six week program begins today at St. Mary Hospital, Livonia, meeting once a week for two hours, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. in the auditorium. The program is designed to help newly-diagnosed cancer patients take an active role in their treatment and recovery; sponsored by the American Cancer Society; register at (313) 655-2922. Continues through Oct. 14.

MOMS' FITNESS
The Perinatal Education Program of Garden City Hospital and the Wayne Westland YMCA meets from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. starting today, as well as on Sept. 11. The alternating land and water exercise program is designed for needs of pregnant and postpartum women and continues until the child is six months old. Doctor's referral requested; call 458-4330.

LIVING WITH DIABETES
St. Mary Hospital offers an eight-class series from 1 to 3 p.m., "Taking Charge of Living With Diabetes," today and subsequent Tuesdays and Thursday through Oct. 2. in the Pavilion Conference Room B. The class fee is $75; 18 an older only. Must register by Sept. 2 at (313) 655-2922.

WED, SEPT. 10

WEIGHT MANAGEMENT
"LifeSteps," a weight management class, can help you achieve your weight loss goal. Taught by registered dietitian Linda DeVore. Today's class for orientation purposes meets at 7 p.m. Call (313) 655-8600.

LUPUS CHAPTER
The Northwest Suburban Lupus Chapter will hold its current meeting: Sept. 10, at 7:30 p.m. at the Farmington Library, conference room, 23500 Liberty Street in Farmington. One block west of Farmington Road and one block south of Grand River. Scheduled meetings for the remainder of the year includes: Oct. 7; Nov. 24; Jan. 12; Mar. 12; Apr. 30; and June. 4. The statewide meeting is Sunday, May 3, 1998.

BREASTFEEDING
A class will meet 6 p.m. at Garden City Hospital, 6245 Inkster. It will offer information to prospective parents on positive aspects of breastfeeding. For registration information, call (313) 458-4330.

ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT
A support group for family members, friends and caregivers of those with Alzheimer's or related disorders will meet 7 p.m. in Classroom No. 1 of the Garden City Hospital Medical Office Building. The group, offered free of charge, is sponsored by the Alzheimer's Disease Association. For information, call (313) 458-4330.

THURS, SEPT. 11

PRE-POST NATAL EXERCISE
Marian Women's Center at St. Mary Hospital offers a six-week class for 90 minutes once a week and is designed to promote fitness before and after delivery, meeting 6 to 7:30 p.m. in the hospital's auditorium. Cost is $35 per person; call (313) 655-1100. Continues through Oct. 16.

AIDS CLASSES
St. Mary Hospital offers a premarital AIDS class from 7 to 8 p.m. Registration is required. AIDS class is currently mandatory for anyone wishing to marry in Michigan. Certificate at end of class is good for 60 days; $15 individual, $25 per couple fee. Call (313) 655-1100.

FOCUS ON LIVING
The Focus on Living cancer support group will meet with a nurse-facilitator to share concerns. The session will be in the Garden City Hospital Medical Office Building. There is no charge. For information, call (313) 458-3311.

SAT, SEPT. 13

GREAT EXPECTATIONS
A class for those who are expecting or thinking of having a baby will be held 8:30 a.m. to 1:45 p.m. at Botsford General Hospital, 28050 Grand River Ave., Farmington Hills. Sessions of "Great Expectations" will cover a variety of topics and will be presented by a physician, psychologist and maternal child health nurse. Price is $15 per person. Advance registration is required. To register, call (248) 477-6100.

PROSTATE SCREENING
A free screening for prostate cancer will be held 9 a.m. to noon at Mission Health Medical Center, Livonia. For information, call 1-800-341-0801.

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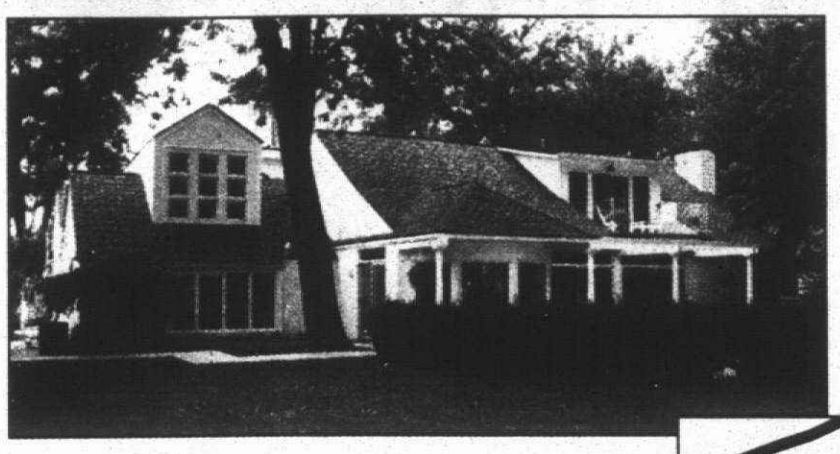

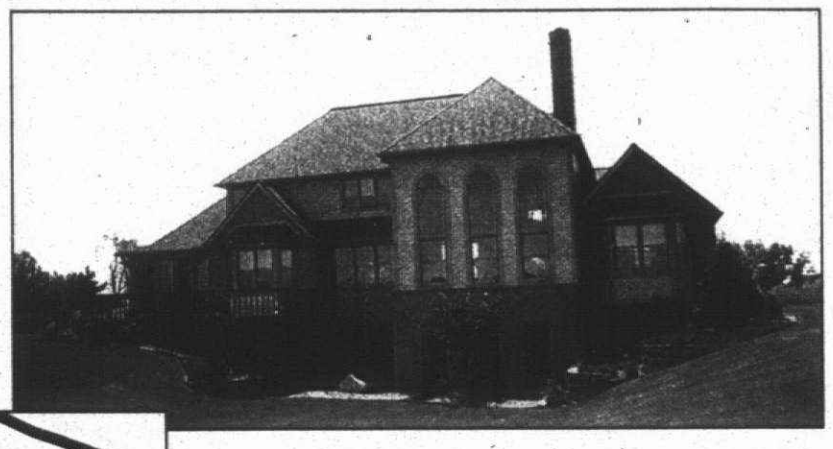

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309 Clarkston

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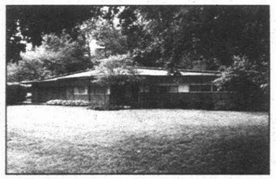

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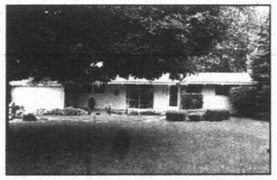

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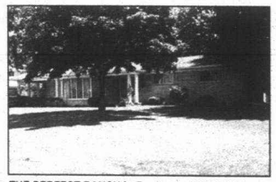

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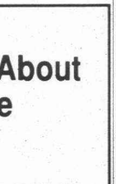

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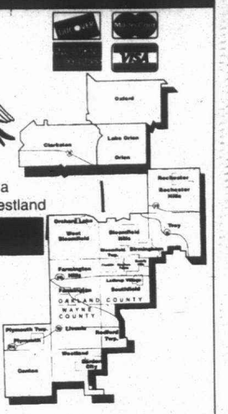

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334 Plymouth

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(British)
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348 Wixom/Walled Lake/Commerce

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349 Ypsilanti/Belleville

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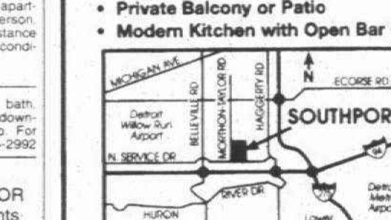

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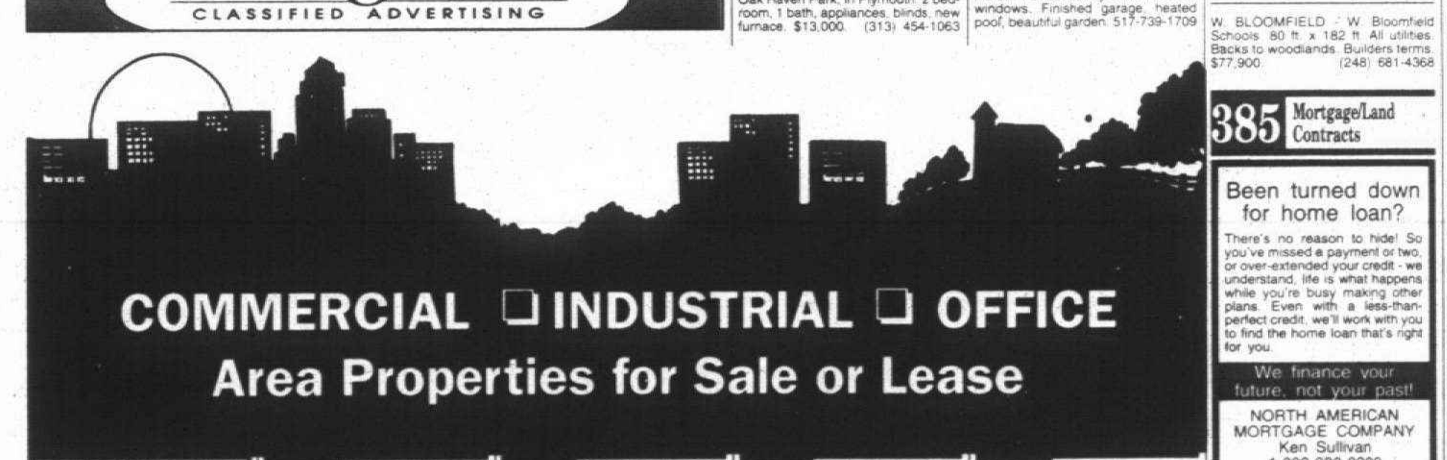

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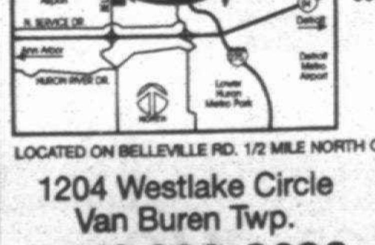

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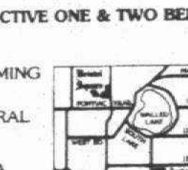

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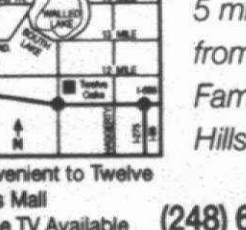

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Millpointe of Holly

Buyers looking for quality, value and excitement should be sure to check out Millpointe of Holly, Crosswinds Communities' newest single family home community.

This outstanding new community offers a different approach for the new home buyer that has proven quite popular in similar Crosswinds' development's.

In a manner of speaking, Millpointe of Holly, located three miles west of I-75 at the Grange Hall Road Exit #101, offers a "package deal" that combines the cost of the lot and the home. Buyers choose among five home styles which includes a ranch, two colonials and two bi-levels, all of which have attached two-car garages.

Although the homes are site condos, the buyer owns the lot and the homes. Crosswinds developed the 65-acre parcel as a site condominium development primarily to expedite the platting process and, in turn, keep the cost of the lots down.

Don Barrera, sales representative for Millpointe of Holly, stresses how easy it is to become a homeowner here.

"During the building process, $100 takes the lot off the market," says Barrera. "Then we have them (the purchasers) back in a week or week and a half to do the actual purchase agreement. At that time we need an additional $2,400. That's all we need through the building process."

Construction draws, which are common during construction, are not required at Millpointe. In addition, that $2,500 goes toward the down payment on the mortgage at closing.

"This helps people who sometimes aren't able to build custom homes because of draws... people can actually build these homes and not put a lot of money up front," says Barrera.

Home prices start at $94,990 for an 950-square foot, two-bedroom bi-level and go up to $134,980 for a 1,900-square foot, four-bedroom colonial.

In addition to the affordable costs, Barrera believes that Millpointe's quick access will prove to be another powerful draw. The community is only 25 minutes from the Chrysler Tech Center.

For more information on Millpointe of Holly, please call (810) 634-0044.

- **Millpointe of Holly is a single-family home community located a half-mile north of Grange Hall Road and three miles west of I-75.**
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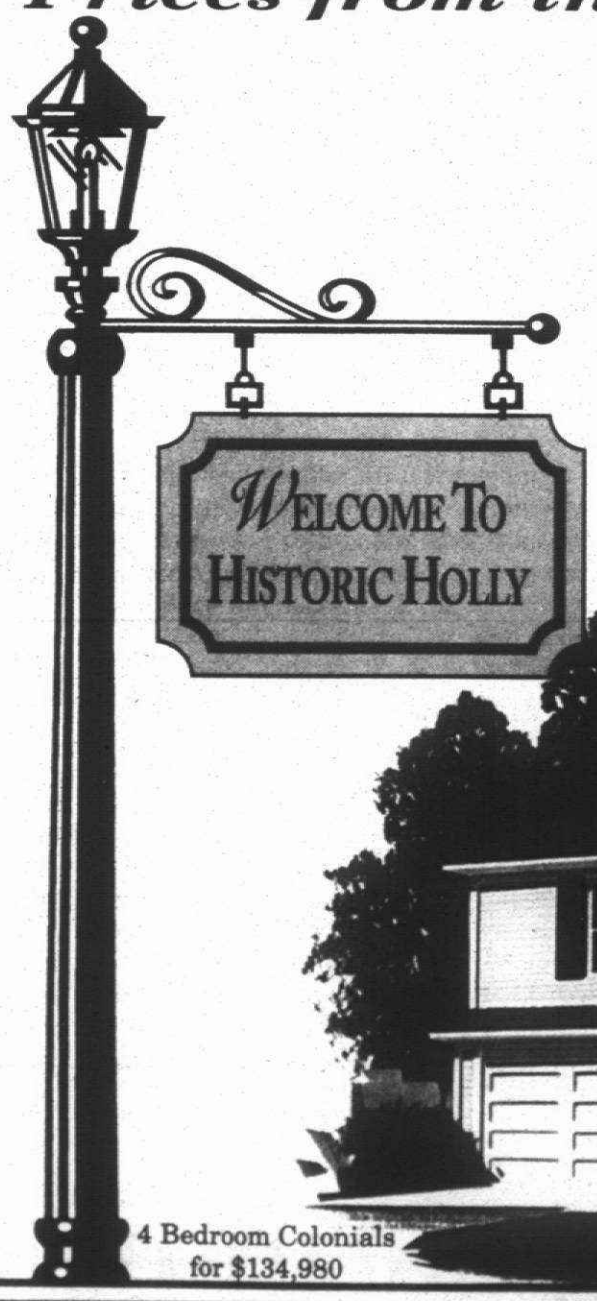

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Is your resume ready to be scanned?

By Sheryl Silver, Career Source

These days, a machine often "reads" your resume before a person does. As more companies turn to information technology to help manage the resumes they receive, it's not uncommon for your resume to be scanned into a computer and stored in a company;s database before it's ever read by a recruiter,or hiring manager. What implications does this trend have for resume design?

Roger Snelling, employment manager for Litton PRC in McLean, Va., offers some insights. "In terms of content, searchable databases are able to pull out matches for positions based on keywords," explains Snelling. "For an administrative assistant position, for example, if Microsoft Word and WordPerfect experience are required, the database will recognize and retrieve the resumes that include those words."

With this "keyword" factor in mind, Snelling says, "People should list all the software and specific technical skills with which they have a good working knowledge."

Helen Lee, director of recruitment services for Southern California Kaiser Permanete, agrees and stresses the importance of being specific when describing computer skills. "Instead of saying you're 'computer literate'. it's better to say 'familiar with Microsoft Word and Lotus 1-2-3,'" says Lee. The same principle applies to other types of skills. "Instead of saying 'imaging professional,' be specific and say 'ultrasound technician' if that's the aspect of imaging in which you're skilled," she says. "Use the jargon or acronyms specific to your industry or occupation."

It's especially important to reflect any skills outlined as requirements by a company's recruitment ad. "Take care to read the job descriptions in an ad and be sure to use the same words if you have those skills," says Lee.

The size and style of type used can also make a difference when resumes are scanned. According to Snelling, "Italized or script type fonts are not good because they can cause some character recognition problems." Lee agrees. "When it comes to fonts, the simpler, the better," she says.

Which fonts are best? Snelling says, "They say Courier 1`0 is one of the easiest to read." Lee says Kaiser Permanente also recommends Helvetica, Futura, Optima, Univers, and Palatino. "Type size should be between 10 and 14 point," she adds.

Print quality counts too., Don't send a copy of a copy of a copy. "Every generation removed from the original degrades the quality of the print and makes the resume harder to scan," says Ann Nguygen, RIS (Resume Information System) administrator and recruiter at the corporate headquarters of BDM International.

Faxed resumes can also be problematic. "We sometimes don't scan faxed resumes at all because they produce so many (character recognition) errors," says Nguyen. Lee says the technology Kaiser uses is able to work with faxed resumes, but, she says, "If someone uses a poor quality fax machine to transmit their resume, it will effect the image and make it difficult to scan."

To get the best results, Nguyen says, "People should either e-mail their resumes as ASCII files embedded in the e-mail itself or send an original paper copy by mail." If you opt to send paper, "Use only white or off-white," advises Lee. "No marble finish or grey paper. They don't scan well."

One aspect of resume writing that hasn't been impacted by scanning technology is length. The old rules still apply. "The shorter the better," says Snelling. In actual practice, that means one or two pages. "Sometimes only one page can do a disservice to someone with more extensive experience," he says.

Why are employers turning to this technology? It's a major time saver. "We get close to 1,000 resumes a week. We scan 42,000 a year," says Snelling. "This technology enables us to take that 42,000 resumes and narrow the needle in the haystack down very quickly to find the best possible matches for each open requirement."

The process also speeds the candidate review and response process which can be crucial, particularly in today's competitive information technology (IT) job market. "If you don't get back to a good candidate in a couple of days today, they may already be gone," says Snelling.

Lee says the technology also benefits applicants by providing increased visibility for their resumes. "In the past, we had to rely on recruiters sharing the resumes they had if they didn't hire someone," says Lee. "Now, all our recruiters and hiring managers have access to the resumes stored in the database. If one recruiter can't use a candidate, others might be able to."

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Work Wise®: Influence Change at Work

By Mildred L. Culp, Passage Media

You may not think so, but you do have the power to make change where you work. Don't wait for others to create it. Propose specific changes to your boss with the benefits they'll bring, and circulate more in the company to identify where others could benefit from your ideas. Still skeptical about pulling it off? You can find models of change-makers to emulate close at hand.

Career Horizons surveyed its more than 530 temporary and permanent placement agencies specializing in general supplemental staffing, with a total workforce of over 2.5 million, and found some good news. Worker productivity is up, said 54% of respondents. They further note that employees average about 45 hours each year in training.

Clearly, these statistics reflect the fact that not all company change comes from senior management. Employees at all levels are also having an impact on the direction of organizations by increasing productivity and increasing their ability to contribute through training.

Creating Change without Making Waves

If you have a job that allows you to effect major change, then do. If you're not, you can still make changes. You just have to be more subtle.

Practice. First, try new ideas on your manager whenever they seem reasonable. Show him how those changes will benefit him. Will productivity or effectiveness increase? Will he look better to the rest of the company?

When your ideas are rejected, don't take the rejection personally. You aren't privy to all of the information your manager has. Assume the attitude of a salesperson: One "no" gets you closer to a "yes."

Second, expand your sphere of influence by helping managers do their jobs better. You'll win friends! When you're involved in a project, even if you're not in charge of it, you can put your stamp on it in one way or another. Not involved? Then you're choosing not to influence. Finally, ask questions of everyone, and listen carefully to their responses. Learn what people need. This kind of research will increase your ability to effect change around the organization, whatever its size.

Changes Senior Managers Initiate

Working more effectively helps managers implement change. They're supposed to be good communicators, because, according to Adlor Chaudier, a consultant at Runzheimer International, a management consulting firm, "The average manager spends 80% of his/her time communicating...10% writing, 15% reading, 25% listening and 30% speaking.." With this much communicating, managers are doing a better job of managing.

Improved communication influences productivity. Perhaps employees aren't just working harder, but working smarter. While you can assure yourself that if productivity is up in your company, and you may have contributed to it, look outside your job description. Did your boss directly or indirectly give you hints on how to do things better? You might do the same for other workers.

Sometimes you may not realize how much you're learning by working with a particular manager, and how that person is effecting change. Every time you have dealings with him, you have a chance to gain more perspective on your work, on company goals, on your future. When you see someone else in action, you can learn. For example, if you're a very direct communicator, you may sometimes seem abrupt or blunt. Just having telephone or face-to-face conversations with someone who isn't can open you up to the fine art of diplomacy.

Can you give a manager credit for results from the training you get while you're working in his department? The 45 hours cited represents more than eight days away from your desk, and, sometimes, substantial training fees. It's true that you're the one who sits in on the training, that you're the one who has to compensate for time invested in training when you face a desk piled high with new mail and projects. But your boss is sponsoring your absence.

Good managers know that they can't credit themselves with results brought by individual employees. But you can credit them with some direction.

Influence change in your workplace by learning from others and suggesting workable ideas benefiting your boss and others around the company. Give others credit for their part in the change.

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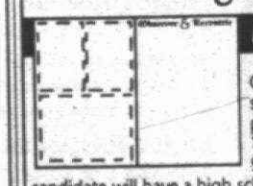

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By Lindsey Novak
Tribune Media

Can you remember the last time you told people about your job with a smile on your face? Or is it easier to recall the last time you complained to someone about work? Everyone knows someone who hates going to work, either because the job is boring and offers no challenges, the co-workers are petty, unethical or back-biting, or the company, despite compensating its employees well, works them to the bone.

Every morning, thousands of people arrive at work with the sinking feeling they are wasting yet another precious day that can never be replaced. In fact, your body starts reacting negatively to stress within 20 minutes of your negative thoughts and feelings, according to Beth Evard, a Wadsworth, Ill.-based corporate psychologist.

And, according to Tom Welch, author of "Work Happy, Live Healthy" (Rhodes & Easton, $14.95), about 85 percent of the workforce is disillusioned with their jobs and nearly 50 percent suffer from physical or emotional burnout symptoms.

But not one reader - who wrote to say she loves her job. After becoming frustrated in her last job because of incompetent management, she took a long, hard look at what type of job would make her happy. She wanted out of her job more than anything, but realized that if she didn't analyze what she needed and wanted, she might wind up changing jobs only to move into another lion's den.

She narrowed down her requirements and decided she would only consider a large public company with a corporate culture of respect and empowerment in dealing with its employees.

Recruiters called with many possibilities, but if the company didn't fit the bill, she refused the interview. it took her nearly two years to find her dream job. Although it was awful sticking it out in the job she disliked, she proved it could be done. People can find their dream jobs if they define their objectives and refuse to settle for less.

Welch agrees. In his book, he guides people through a process that can lead them to jobs that make them feel good about themselves and what they do. "When you combine your talents, skills and traits, you will begin to understand your uniqueness," Welch writes.

He recommends seven steps to self-discovery. Each is a practical exercise to help you get in touch with who you are, what you can do and what you have to offer a company. He also addresses the fears that keep people from changing. Once you pool your talents, skills and personality traits together, you can start on your job search to happiness.

Another reader says he was fired because he showed a lack of enthusiasm. "Maybe it's me, but doing janitor work when I was hired to be a quality control inspector doesn't bring a smile to my face. I did the work to the best of my ability without giving the supervisor any trouble, but I guess that really didn't mean anything to him in the end."

Working in the wrong job is hard to tolerate, but what's worse is that over the long haul, it destroys one's mental and physical health. Some people are able to play the game until the right job comes along, but not everyone can.

Don't wait until you blow a fuse to change jobs. But, perhaps just as importantly, don't change jobs just to change.

Having problems on the job? Write to Lindsey Novak in care of Tribute Media Services, Inc., 435 N. Michigan Ave., Suite 1500, Chicago, Ill. 60611. She can also be contacted at AtWorkbyLN@AOL.com

Keep home office clean and critter-free

By Alice Bredin,
Tribune Media

A few weeks ago I had a client and some staff members over to lunch in my home office. The food was prepared ahead of time, the drinks were chilled and ready to serve and the table perfectly set. My assistant, Linda, helped me serve the food and move the dishes off the table when we were done. All in all, everything ran smoothly.

Until the mouse appeared.

We have had mice in our apartment since we moved in three months ago and, despite repeated efforts to get rid of them, we still see one or two occasionally. Our landlord and exterminator have promised the measures we are taking to get rid of the mice will pay off soon.

Shortly after we finished lunch, the mouse stuck its head out of the wall and ran from one counter to the other in the kitchen, attracted no doubt by the remains of lunch on the plates on the counter.

Luckily, just a moment before, I had moved everyone into the other room to continue our meeting. Linda was the only one to see it. However, it was a close call, and if the mouse had made its appearance during lunch, it would have made a bad impression on everyone present.

The experience made me realize I should be more careful about what condition the home office is in before clients come over. in retrospect, I should have waited until we had been mouse-free for a few months before I had any client over.

My near calamity taught me that you have to be very careful before you have clients over to your home office. "Careful" in this situation means making sure the conditions in your home do not impinge on your office.

This is particularly important when you are entertaining people who are not used to the home-office concept. Regardless of who you bring to your home office, people will feel more comfortable doing business in a professional environment.

This doesn't mean you have to clear your house of all pictures, artifacts, art work and other items that make it warm and homelike, but you do need to make sure your version of the scampering mouse is out of the way.

Some of the items you should avoid:

•Kids toys: If you have children, make sure you move their toys out of the way before clients come over. People who visit your home office, particularly people who don't work in home offices, don't want to be exposed to too much of your personal life.

•A walk through your entire house: Chart a course to your office that doesn't take your guests through the entire house. If you have the choice of a front entrance or a doorway that leads into the kitchen, choose the front entrance.

•Animals: Even pet lovers may not love your pet in your home office. People's work clothes may be easily damaged by dog claws or cat hair, so keep pets confined when clients or customers visit.

•Home smells: Avoid the smell of laundry in the dryer, burnt toast, spaghetti sauce on the stove top or any other smell that suggests home to your visitors. People who are uneasy about the home-office concept want to have the office part of the combination emphasized as much as possible.

Some other problems that may trip you up:

Answering machines that have the volume turned up so guests can hear your messages; deliveries of home items such as couches or groceries or shrubs for the garden; dry cleaning sitting out waiting to be taken to the cleaners; and interruptions from neighbors or kids.

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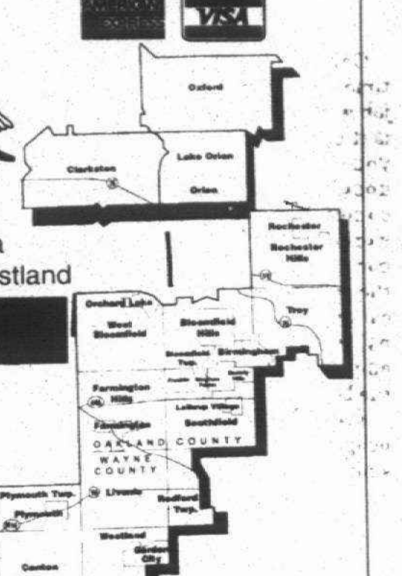

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ATTRACTIVE DOCTOR Never married, early 30s, WF, slim/trim, passionate, sincere, honest, loves travel, golf, tennis, and gardening, seeks intelligent, emotionally and financially secure gentleman, interested in friendship, commitment/family. ☎5190

LOOKING FOR MR. RIGHT SWF, 41, petite, blonde, single parent of one, seeks marriage-minded male, 42-46, that knows how to treat a lady. Must be honest and loyal. Give me a call. ☎5633

UNCHAINED MELODY Slim, attractive DWPF, 50, N/S, seeks S/DWPM, 45-55, 5'8"+, H/W proportionate, for C&W dancing, rollerblading, and companionship. ☎5636

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GARDEN CITY GAL DW mom, 43, 5'6", plus size, witty, shy and romantic, enjoys gardening, comedy clubs, quiet times. Let's talk! N/S, N/D, N/Drugs. ☎5614

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ATTRACTIVE FUN-LOVING Fit, active, professional SWF, 40, 5'7", enjoys golf, tennis, travel, etc. In search of active professional, relationship-minded individual, SWM, 35-45, N/S. ☎5547

SMART MOUTH FEMALE 40s, petite, attractive, looks calm, scares easy. Nice truck, no property. Seeking 35+, tall, attractive, patient working guy. Friends first. No professionals, smokers, drinkers, overweight or Momma's boys. Salesmen ok. ☎5552

LOOKING FOR A FRIEND Tall slim (young 50) N/S, social drinker, professional likes golf, cross-country skiing, dining out, travel, would like to meet male with similar interests. Children ok. ☎5557

ARE YOU FOR ME? SWF 37, 5'3", 135lbs, fairly attractive, seeks WM, 36-55, to be honest, caring, loving, sincere, and marriage-minded, for happiness together. Must be financially secure. ☎5511

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ATTRACTIVE ASIAN Non-smoking AF, 36, seeks attractive, health-conscious, dependent-free WM, 30-40, 5'9"+, for casual dating, possible LTR. ☎5378

STILL LOOKING SWF, 28, 5'3", brown/hazel, seeks a SWM, 28-33, for a possible relationship. I enjoy dining, dancing, quiet evenings, and more. If you're commitment minded, let's talk! ☎5286

NEW TO THIS, ARE YOU? Humorous SWPF, 32, 5'7", physically fit, enjoys golfing, cooking, going up North, boating, amusement parks. Seeking humorous, trustworthy, sensitive, Catholic SWPM, 29-36, 5'10"+, physically fit, N/S, for friendship first. Plymouth/Novi area. ☎5293

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FORMER VOCALIST Attractive SWF, 47, non-smoker, no children, seeks professional white gentleman, 45-55, N/S, business type preferred, for friendship first. ☎5278

ARE YOU OUT THERE? Attractive SWF, early 40s/looks early 30s, blonde/blue, 5'1", H/W proportionate, N/S, enjoys dining out, music, videos, and rollerblading. Seeking nice-looking SWPM, 35-45, sincere, must like children, for LTR. Northville area. ☎5291

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WANTED: Partner and best friend for committed relationship with petite blonde, 40s, 5'5", 118lbs, who loves life, boating, tennis, golf, and flying. Seeking a soulmate who is a successful, college-educated professional, 45-58. ☎5146

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CURVY CONTOURS DWF, 40-something, copper-colored hair, N/S, social drinker, seeks gentleman, 6'+, for romantic dinners, weekend travel. Friendship first, possible LTR. ☎5568

KIND-HEARTED DWF, 40, auburn/green, 5'5", 120lbs, N/S, no dependents, attractive, caring, enjoys movies, old cars, nature, antiques, art fairs. Seeking tall, fit WPM, 36-43, N/S, N/Drugs. ☎5454

SLEEPLESS IN LIVONIA DWF, 41, 5'5", blonde/hazel, full-figured, mom of two, N/D, N/S, enjoys dancing, playing cards, movies, easy listening music. Seeking tall, romantic, caring, trusting SM, 40-45. ☎5455

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IS IT YOU? Attractive French-Canadian, American-born female, speaks French, good sense of humor, enjoys outdoor activities, gardening, good food, travel. Seeking companion to relax and chat, and speak French with. ☎5420

I'VE GOT WHAT IT TAKES Attractive, slender, intelligent, refined, affectionate, humorous JF, 54, blonde/green, 5'5", seeks classy gent, who is sweet, intelligent, honest, polite, for a real relationship. ☎5421

VERY ATTRACTIVE SWF, 40, 5'7", 115lbs. I'm selective, successful, and honest. I don't smoke or drink, and have no dependents. Seeking the same qualities in a trim, tall, 38-48 year old SWM. ☎5360

LOOKING FOR YOU Attractive, full-figured SWF, brown/green, enjoys fireplaces, up North, being together. Seeking attractive S/DWM, 40-52, who is loving, kind and needs a good woman. ☎5362

TALL SLENDER BLONDE Catch your attention? Actually I'm more like Rosie with red hair. DWF, 39, good sense of humor, like to do just about everything, but tired of doing it alone. Looking for a LTR, possible marriage. ☎5370

HAPPILY EVER AFTER? SWF, 40, attractive, intelligent, who's spent enough lonely weekends to last two lifetimes, if you are SWM, 50+, N/S, who is extremely generous with time, attention, and affection, let's talk. ☎5233

MOTORCYCLE? Love Harley men, it must be something in the jeans! Romantic, passionate brunette, early 40s. Business owner, works out regularly, looking for strong, silent type. North Oakland. ☎5234

WHERE ARE YOU? SWF, 25, brown/blue, employed and educated, seeks SWM, 25-35, who is financially secure and enjoys going out, along with quiet evenings at home. ☎5238

SOMEONE SPECIAL Widowed WM, 70, 5'5", 150lbs, very active, good listener, movies, long walks, lots of affection, seeks someone to spoil, 65-70. ☎5264

NAVEL RING+BLUE LIPSTICK Unconventional, attractive SWF, 24, 5'10", 120lbs, blonde/hazel, N/S, N/D, loves music. You: 21-27, no drugs, tall, into body piercing, attractive, honest, wants friendship, possible committed LTR. Mohawk a plus! ☎5267

OLD-FASHIONED VALUES Attractive, full-figured, down-to-earth DWF, 44, 5'5", with three children, old fashioned values, great sense of humor. Seeking S/DWM, 44-55, N/S, to spend the rest of my life with. ☎5275

FEISTY BLUE-EYED BLONDE Stylish, active SWF, 20, 5'10, 130lbs, N/S, enjoys traveling, cars and having fun. Seeking tall, SWM, 20-25, with a good sense of humor for friendship, and summer fun. ☎5288

ENTICING Intelligent, outgoing, very attractive SBF, enjoys working out, movies, stimulating conversation. Looking for very intelligent, well-rounded SBM, 27-39, who's pleasing to the eye, to share friendship, possible relationship. ☎5294

THE BEST IS YET TO COME Romantic, attractive, caring SBF loves music, St. Lucia in December, stimulating conversation with an intelligent, tall gentleman, race unimportant, 50-60. Great future with the right person. I'm the one. ☎4969

DOWN-TO-EARTH DWF, 44, 5'1", 155lbs, N/S, mother of two, employed, affectionate, romantic, and caring, likes camping, movies, music, art, antiques, almost all sports. Seeking WM with similar interests, for possible LTR. ☎4971

ALWAYS IN MY DREAMS I know I've seen you before. You are over 50, degreed, enjoy theater, dining, quality times and long for a lasting relationship. The timing was not right. Now it is. ☎5084

THIS IS IT Totally attractive, inside and out, 44, 5'7", sandy brown/hazel, wants caring relationship with marriage-minded male, 43-53, good sense of humor required. ☎4895

PLYMOUTH PAL SWF, 5'7", blonde/brown, N/S, no dependents, very fit and attractive, lives in downtown Plymouth. Seeking fit SM, 47-57, to do fun things with. ☎5047

NAUGHTY BUT NICE Very outgoing SWF, 24, 5'7", medium build, brown/blue, humorous, affectionate, enjoys hockey, outdoors, conversation. Seeking SWM, 24-34, sense of humor, spontaneous, loves life. Kids ok. ☎5052

BLONDES HAVE MORE FUN SWF, 27, 5'10", well-built, blonde/hazel, kind of shy, funny, likes kids, easygoing, enjoys boating, motorcycles, auto-racing, and animals. Seeking tall SWM, 26-36, medium build, with similar interests. Kids ok. ☎5053

A NEW START Caring, understanding, intelligent SBF, 41, 5'6", full-figured, social drinker, enjoys movies, long drives, and horseback riding. Seeking employed, intelligent, honest S/DM with similar interests, age/race open, for friendship first. N/S preferred. ☎5093

PASSION, SPICE, BLONDE Fun-loving, attractive, full-figured DWPF, mid-40s, smoker, social drinker enjoys dining, movies, music, concerts, comedy clubs, travel, riding motorcycles. Seeking S/DWM, 40-54, 5'8"+, who is looking for a monogamous LTR. ☎5169

LOOKING FOR SOULMATE SBF, 48, 5'4", 180lbs, social drinker, attractive, affectionate, enjoys dining, movies, jazz, quiet evenings, works too hard. Help! Seeking counterpart to cuddle, hold hands, and share life's pleasures. ☎5181

ROMANTIC GENTLEMAN SOUGHT Very attractive SWPF 40, 5'7", slim, romantic, compassionate, seeks attractive gentleman, 38-48, with similar characteristics, to share time with, leading to happily ever after. ☎5189

WHERE ARE YOU? Easygoing, petite SF, 47, positive attitude, N/S, N/D, enjoys sunsets, weekend getaways, summer. Seeking warm-hearted, communicative, passionate SWM, 45-52, to share hopes and dreams. ☎5141

YOUNG AT HEART SF, 45, petite to medium build, looking for that special SWM, 39-49, 5'9"-6', enjoys children, animals, camping, golfing, hockey, walks, music, for friendship, maybe more. ☎5142

MEN SEEKING WOMEN

ROMANTIC WARRIOR College-educated, athletic, adventurous, creative, attractive SBM, 32, 5'7", enjoys getaway weekends, dancing, romancing, jazz, martial arts, open-minded. Seeking fit, witty SWF, 20-40, for possible relationship. ☎5661

EMILIO ESTEVEZ... look-alike. Turned over age 35, low-miles, runs great, one horsepower, no luggage rack, will take best lady. West side. ☎5638

LOOKING FOR THE ONE Caring, passionate, fun, lovely Caucasian gentleman, 35, N/S, enjoys outdoor activities, the lake, dancing, music, weekend car trips. Seeking SWF, N/S, medium/full-figured, who is loving and good-hearted. Age open. ☎5667

A YOUNG ROBERT REDFORD SM, 5'10", 165lbs, blond hair, home-owner, self-employed, loves the outdoors, boating, skiing, hiking, picnics, working out, traveling. Seeking tall female. Must work-out, have a sense of humor and be employed. ☎5604

ADVENTUROUS PROFESSIONAL Handsome, athletic, SWM, 31, 5'11", 175lbs, enjoys golf, working out, road trips. Seeking athletic SWF, 25-32, N/S, who is driven to obtain her goals, for friendship/possible LTR. ☎5563

WAITING FOR A GIRL LIKE YOU Nice-looking, professional DWM, 38,5'7", black/blue, 5'7", financially secure, good build, humorous, loyal, romantic. Seeking pretty, easygoing, affectionate, caring lady, for quality relationship. ☎5462

DOES YOUR DEMURE... appearance, mask your kind, sensual self? SWPM, 38, 6', 190lbs, sincere, thoughtful, enjoys family times/week-end-getaways. Seeking a slender, trim, warm, sincere, romantic SWF for LTR. Age unimportant. Attitude is! ☎5418

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PASSIONATE, HANDSOME, FUN SWPM, 35, 5'9", 155lbs, health-conscious, builder/developer, enjoys outdoors, skiing, volleyball, dining, travel, adventure. Compatible with warm-hearted, real people, good values. Seeking SWF, 27-35, -5'9". N/S, active, fit, intelligent. ☎5542

SINGLE DAD 36 year-old single dad, fun-loving, responsible, attractive, affectionate. Enjoys bicycling, quiet times and hockey. Seeking petite/slim SWF, 25-42, who is ready for a relationship. ☎5555

SEEKING TRUE LOVE Handsome, mature, honest, romantic, sincere, athletic SWM, 24, 5'11". Enjoys sunsets, moonlit walks, outdoors, music, biking. Seeking pretty, slender, affectionate SWF, 18-28, to talk, walk, and journey through life with. ☎5639

MY IDEAL WOMEN ...is SWF, 38-48, medium built/full-figured proportionate, who's romantic, loving, enjoys the outdoors. If this is you, call me: SWM, 35, N/S, smart, sincere, handsome, fun, ready for a good time. ☎5449

IVORY SEEKS EBONY Attractive, slim, affectionate WM, late 40s, intelligent, outgoing, humorous, sincere, seeks similar black female for occasional LTR. ☎5634

PICTURE PERFECT Is a romantic comedy type relationship possible? SWM, 40, handsome, humorous, playfully hip, enjoys the interplay of romance, hilarity. Seeks to tickle the fancy of WF equivalent. ☎5654

ON THE GO Young WPM, 48, 5'10", handsome, large frame, dances often, has handicap of 6 golfing. Seeking attractive WF, 35-55, comfortable in jeans or formal gown at private country club. ☎5602

VERY LOVING MAN Very handsome, caring gentleman, looking to share life with a kind woman. I'm sure I can bring joy into your life. ☎5613

PLYMOUTH COMMITMENTS Handsome DWPM, 49, 5'11", 170lbs, Catholic, positive can-do attitude, sincere, enjoys outdoor activities, theater, travel. Seeking attractive, active, physically fit, financially secure, professional S/DWF, 40-49, with similar interest, for LTR. ☎5559

A GOOD CATCH attractive, SWM, 39, 5'8", blond/blue, 160lbs. Enjoys dining out, movies or quiet nights at home. I have no children. Seeking attractive female, height/weight proportionate, for casual or LTR. ☎5644

NO GAMES SM, 5'9", 220lbs, easygoing, truck driver, enjoys dancing, barbecues, friends. Seeking loving, caring SF, 45-50, spontaneous, H/W proportionate, for LTR. ☎5649

HAS ALMOST EVERYTHING: success, good looks, warm heart. Athletic SWM, 42, great communicator, seeks intelligent, attractive S/DWF, for special relationship, possible LTR. Age open. ☎5650

ITALIAN STALLION SWM, 44, 6', attractive, muscular, very active, financially secure. Seeking attractive, fit female, 45 or under, for possible relationship. ☎5657

SWM, OVER 60 Wanted: female, 50-60, light drinker/smoker ok, who enjoys boating and camping. Can talk over coffee. ☎5663

SWM, 30 Construction worker, 6', 195lbs, have one daughter. Seeking Ms Right, SWF, 25-35, to share life with. If you like romance and having fun too, you and I could make a love connection. ☎5666

HANDSOME ENGINEER Young-looking DWM, 53, 6'1", 195lbs, N/S, graduate degreed (MBA), excellent health/physical condition, ex-Marine. Seeking very attractive woman, shapely, with great legs, friendly, someone special for permanent relationship. ☎5516

KIND-HEARTED SBM, 42, 5'7", 170lbs, with a medium build, easygoing, knows how to treat a lady. Seeking a S/DWF, 18-50, for friendship and fun. ☎5518

VEGETARIAN SWM, 49, 5'11", N/S, no dependents, financially secure, physically fit, seek SWF, 30s to early 40s, N/S, with same qualities, who is very health-conscious, and a vegetarian. ☎5607

HAKUNA MATADA Affectionate, compassionate SM, 46, 6'2", 270lbs, enjoys the outdoors, golfing, and quiet evenings at home. Seeking slender female, 25-45, for dating and possible relationship. ☎5609

CURIOUS GEORGE Very attractive SWM, 29, 6'1", 190lbs, likes bike riding, movies, concerts, dining, hockey. Seeking attractive SWF, 25-35, with similar interests, who is honest and likes to laugh. For LTR. ☎5610

HANDSOME, KIND TEACHER DWM, 44, 6', 200lbs, teacher, full-time dad, loves guitar, outdoors, family cottage in northern Michigan. Seeking SF for serious, loving relationship. N/S, social drinker. ☎5615

SANDY HAIR, BLUE EYES Trim, somewhat rugged SWM, 35, 5'11", good-looking, would appreciate a nice, sweet, trim gal who enjoys outdoor activities, lakes, woods and back roads on motorcycle or working around home, garden. Kids ok. ☎5643

CALL MY DAD Warm, kind, sensitive, down-to-earth DWPM, 38, 5'9", Catholic, brown/hazel, custodial parent of two, social drinker, enjoys movies, cooking, candlelight dinners, Cedar Point, camping, socializing. Seeking DWF with kids, for companionship, monogamous relationship. ☎5651

HONEST, ROMANTIC SWPM, 33, 6'2", medium build, black /brown, enjoys working out, camping, music, travel. Seeking SWF, 21-38, for dating, possible LTR. ☎5653

FINANCIALLY SECURE Retired SBCM, 38, 6', enjoys sports, movies, quiet evenings, travel. Seeking SF, with similar interests, for LTR, possible marriage. ☎5658

SENSUAL, PASSIONATE, TALL Well-built, intelligent, athletic, funny SWM, early 30s, 6'3", 200lbs, seeks sensual, passionate, attractive, intelligent, kind-hearted woman, for good times, romance together. ☎5564

VERY NICE I AM Lebanese immigrant, 41, looking to meet a Chinese woman. If you are over 30, intelligent, individualistic, and want Mr. Right, call me, I'm sincere. ☎5554

KNIGHT SEEKS PRINCESS Tall, handsome, intelligent DWM, 40, 6'2", 185lbs, sensitive, caring, affectionate, respectful, and sensuous, seeks beautiful princess for romance/relationship. ☎5566

TALL GENTLEMAN Humorous SWM, 36, 6'4", 245lbs, attractive. Seeking SWF, 27-40, who's attractive, enjoys comedies, movies, walking, or just fun. Plymouth area. ☎5451

COWGIRL WANTED SWPM, 30, 5'9", 165lbs, N/S, loves the country, life, in my backyard, horses, outdoors, and country music. Seeking down-to-earth SWF. N. Oakland. ☎5453

ARE YOU READY? Professional SWM, 29, 6'3", 190lbs, loves outdoors, weekends inside, watching a movie, snuggling on the couch. Seeking a nice woman to share life with. You wont regret contacting me. ☎5469

VEGETARIAN? Good-looking DWM, 34, 5'8", brown/blue, no dependents, N/S, aircraft mechanic, enjoys animals, sports, music, art, travel, and casinos. Seeking attractive female 24-34, with similar interests. ☎5477

KRIS DRAPER LOOK-A-LIKE SWM, 33, 5'9", 150lbs, light brown/light blue, great sense of humor, enjoys hockey, football, volleyball, boating, travel, outdoors. Seeking SWF with same interests, for possible LTR. ☎5332

DISTINGUISHED GENTLEMAN White business broker, 6'3", 220lbs, 40s, brown/blue, LTU graduate, N/S, N/D, honest, trustworthy, desires white, N/S, attractive, happy, healthy lady, 30-50, 5'6"-6', size 6-12, enjoys water sports, movies, theater, dining, travel, fun. ☎5551

LOOKING FOR A GREAT TIME? So am I. Fun-loving SWM, 24, blond/blue, enjoys exotic foods, animals, loves photography, very creative, spontaneous. Seeks fun-loving SWF, 21-26, who loves to cuddle and is very lovable. ☎5541

WILL CHERISH DM, 47, looking for best friend and possibly more. If you are seeking the same, let's talk! ☎5544

ROMANTICIST Handsome SBPM, 45, sense of humor, affectionate, 5'10", 180lbs, college degree, seeks medium to full-figured, fun-loving, romantic SWPF, 35-50. ☎5546

ADVENTURESOME GUY DWPM, 27, 6', 200lbs, brown/blue, romantic, physically fit, enjoys all water sports, outdoors. Seeking S/DF, 21-30, WPF, N/S, to enjoys all things this area has to offer. ☎5558

NO HEAD GAMES DWM, 48, looks younger, seeks special someone to share joys of life. Why not respond. What do you have to lose? ☎5560

ROMANTIC Intelligent, attractive SWPM, N/S, 45, 6'1", 195lbs, financially secure, enjoys staying in shape, water sports, travel, theater, dining out. Seeking intelligent, trim, attractive female, for possible LTR. ☎5561

IT'S A FAMILY AFFAIR Warm, kind, caring SWM, 43, seeks slender SWF, 20's, with a family that's looking for a good man to take care of them. ☎5562

HI! DWM, late 50s, 5'9", 160lbs, smoker, emotionally/financially secure, enjoys real conversation, outdoor activities, simple things in life, dining in/out. Seeking best friend, possibly more. Novi area. ☎5515

LOVES ROLLERBLADING Fun, handsome, outgoing, athletic SWM, 21, 5'11", enjoys summertime, cycling, movies, working out, rollerblading at Kensington/Metro Beach, seeks sincere, fit, attractive SWF, 18-25, for friendship, summer fun, maybe more. ☎5670

ATHLETIC & ROMANTIC Handsome, intelligent, honest SWM, 25, with cool personality, enjoys writing, the outdoors, mountain biking. Seeking slim, attractive, lively, athletic SWF, 20-28, caring, sincere, basic all-around sweetheart. ☎5458

AGED TO PERFECTION? Is older better? Show me! SWM, 39, handsome and entertaining with integrity and style, seeks attractive, sincere, lovable WF, 40-50. ☎5464

CREATIVE MUSICIAN Good-looking SWM, 23, dark/green, unique, romantic, open, communicative, athletic, clean-cut, deep-thinking, song writer/drummer. Seeking pretty, slender, creative, spontaneous, sweet SWF, 18-32, who also loves music. ☎5660

MISSING SOMEONE SPECIAL? Handsome, romantic, athletic, big-hearted SWM, 23, 5'11", clean-cut, dark-haired, seeks slender, active WF, beautiful inside/outside and is missing someone special in her life. Age unimportant. ☎5545

I LOVE OLDER WOMEN! Handsome, romantic, athletic, confident, passionate, clean-cut SWM, 24, 6', dark hair. Seeking attractive, slender, caring, active, sexy WF, 25-45, for heavenly friendship/relationship, that will keep you smiling. ☎5556

DYNAMIC MAN Unique, sincere, romantic DWM, 50, 5'10", seeks honest woman, with sense of humor, for dining, dancing, plays, traveling. Seeking special friend to share summer activities and time together. ☎5565

YOUR SUMMER SURPRISE! just might be this most enjoyable SWM, 42, handsome, intelligent, creative, energetic, enjoys boating, short trips, bicycling, festivals, etc. Seeking fun, attractive woman. ☎5473

NICE CHRISTIAN GUY SWM, 27, honest, sincere, hard-working, financially secure, likes walking, movies, travel, strong moral values. Seeking friend first, possible LTR. ☎5478

RED WINGS RULE!! The Stanley Cup is ours! Handsome, outgoing, athletic SWM, 24, loves sports, rollerblading, music, movies, romance, outdoors. Seeking attractive, athletic, slender, outspoken SWF, 18-28, for friendship, summer fun, maybe more. ☎5480

FRIENDS AND LOVERS DWM, 52, 5'10", 195lbs, handsome, N/S, N/D, loves good conversation, music, reading, traveling, walking, and quiet times at home. Seeking attractive W/AF, 35-50, H/W proportionate. ☎5327

DARE 2 BE DIFFERENT Good-looking, thoughtful, caring, affectionate, honest WM, 50, 5'7", 180lbs, enjoys dining out, movies, travel, warm vacations, holding hands, long walks. Seeking petite/medium-sized, warm, caring woman, 35-50, for LTR/monogamous relationship. ☎5637

ROMANTIC Sensitive, considerate DWM, 57, N/S, N/D, interests vary from family activities to craft shows, country music to dancing, cookouts etc. Desires to meet special white lady, 40-55, who is marriage-minded. ☎5640

MASCULINE, MUSCULAR, SEXY SWPM, 44, 6'1", 195lbs, enjoys music, sports, fishing, bowling, dancing. Seeking slim, sexy SF, 25-45, with same interests, for friendship, maybe more. ☎5655

LIVONIA ROMANTIC SWM, 53, secure, likes movies, sports, travel, dining, quiet times. Seeking SWF, 43-50, N/S, N/D, for companionship to LTR. ☎5659

KIND & THOUGHTFUL SWPM, 49, successful, educated with a positive attitude, seeks beautiful petite SA/BF, N/S, 22-32, for dining, travel, quality time, possible LTR. ☎5548

HELP ME ARREST THE BLUES This cop is searching for a partner. WM, 43, 6'2", in great shape, seeks fit, H/W proportionate SF, N/S, partner. Are you up to working nights with me? ☎5553

THE ULTIMATE MAN Extremely attractive, romantic, honest, passionate, sexy SWM, 24, 6', great kisser, seeks slender, attractive, active SWF. Age unimportant. If you like being swept off your feet, give me a call. ☎5569

RELATE, THEN IT'S A DATE! Slim, sensual, taurus, spiritual SJM, 44, 5'9", 155lbs. Seeking relationship-oriented SWF, soulmate, 33-43, who enjoys boating, beach walks, volleyball, movies, art fairs, dancing, coffee houses, ethnic dining. ☎5448

LOOKING FOR "THE ONE" Attractive, never married WM, 43, 5'10", 165lbs, blond/blue, Catholic, degreed, N/S, humorous, honest. Appreciates class/style, walks, fire signs, music, small towns. ☎5450

ONE DAY AT A TIME Honest, caring, romantic SWM, 42, 5'6", enjoys golf, boating, movies, walks, moonlight boat rides. N/S, N/D. Seeking spiritual SF with similar interests, for summer fun. ☎5456

BIG BAD WOLF TURNED PUPPY DOG Looking for Riding Hood. How does the story go? Me: SWM, mid-20s, bored. You: SWF, medium build. I'm sweeter than the average wolf. Meet me in the woods. ☎5457

MOTORCYCLIST SWPM, 40, 5'11", 165lbs, N/S, enjoys boating, scuba diving, biking, and music. Shy at first, seeks woman, 30-40, to share life's experiences with. H/W proportionate, N/S, let's do dinner. ☎5459

LIFETIME PARTNER WANTED Kind, caring DWPM, 52, 5'7", 190lbs, husky build, searches for average-looking DWF, 40-50, medium build, Western Wayne County area, who believes old-fashioned values. ☎5460

HEART OF GOLD Good-looking, mature SWM, 24, 5'11", romantic, communicative, enjoys outdoors, music, sports, biking, running. Seeking slender, family-oriented, faithful, attractive SWF, 20-30, for friendship first, and possible infinite happiness. ☎5461

SINGLE HUNK Tom Cruise, Charlie Sheen look-alike, 29, brown/brown, medium build, financially secure, loves to boat, etc. Seeking attractive female, 18-35, for fun and maybe more. ☎5463

HOT AUGUST NIGHTS They don't have to be. This captain seeks mate for fun and adventure. SM, 48, seeks LTR with slender, attractive, soulmate. Call for details. ☎5465

COOKING FOR ONE! Or dinner reservations for two? Charming, sociable SWM, 40. Enjoys the art of romantic dining adventures. Seeks lovely lady for this, and more. ☎5466

STRAIGHTEDGE Cute, funny SWM, 25, enjoys skate-boarding, rollerblading, music (70s rock, punk, ska). Seeking SWF, 18-27, to hang with, maybe more. Is this what it takes to meet other straightedge people? ☎5467

DIVORCED, WIDOWED, SINGLE? Help male lends support! SWM, 42, intelligent, caring, fine-looking, enjoys outdoor concerts, picnics, chocolates. Seeking motivated WF companion. ☎5468

LOOKING FOR MRS. RIGHT SWM, 59, 5'5", 156lbs, enjoys movies, theater, dining out, dancing, and quiet evenings at home. Seeking petite S/DWF, 55-60, for possible relationship. ☎5472

WATER, FIRE, SNOW Attractive, active, sensitive, romantic DWPM, 47, 6', N/S, youthful, slender, enjoys skiing of all types, tennis, biking, jogging, swimming, hiking, movies, dancing, sunsets, music. Seeking similar S/DWF, 35-45, for friendship/LTR. ☎5474

DREAM MAKER Handsome, stylish BM, 30, seeks thick, healthy WF, 135-175lbs, who enjoys music, movies, concerts, picnics, and cuddling. ☎5476

ARCHITECTURAL DESIGNER Good-looking WM, 52, 6'2", 185lbs, never married, family-oriented, great sense of humor, currently building lake-front home. Seeking attractive, slender, compassionate WF, 30-40, to share it with. ☎5479

LOVE TO DANCE SWM, young 51, like C&W, ballroom, and swing dance. Seeking slender, calm, easygoing lady, 5'1" to 5'5", with a good sense of rhythm, who enjoys dancing, for a serious LTR. ☎5333

WIDOWER Widowed WM, 58, successful CPA, seeks an attractive, slender WF for companionship, for starters. I don't believe you will be disappointed by my personality, appearance, or interests. ☎5422

TAKE A CHANCE SWPM, 41, 5'8", fit, dependent-free Catholic, communicative, humorous, introspective and more, enjoys bicycling, jogging, eclectic taste in music/movies. Seeking trim, educated, emotionally available SWF, 30-40, to share happy, healthy relationship. ☎5482

A GENTLEMAN SWPM, 41, of Middle East descent, liberal, accepting mind, seeks a proportional, non-materialistic lady, 30-41. ☎5358

CHRISTIAN GENTLEMAN Mature, kind, honest, sensitive, attractive, Catholic SWM, 24, enjoys nature, biking, outdoors, animals, music. Seeking honest, communicative, active SWF, for close friendship, possibly more. Age and denomination unimportant. ☎5361

OVER 60 Wanted: female, 50-60, light drinker/smoker ok, who enjoys boating and camping. Can talk over coffee. ☎5364

AND AN EASY TOUCH Do you want a man with slow hands who will spend some time? Nice looking, 40+, DWM, 5'9", 165lbs, passionate, financially/emotionally secure, seeks assertive woman, for uncomplicated relationship. Smoker ok. ☎5367

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CUTE BUTT Down-to-earth DWM seeks kind hearted lady, who still values family, and enjoys flowers, will answer all calls. ☎5373

JAZZED & AVAILABLE Friendly, outgoing DBM, 42, 5'7", 190lbs, black/brown, father of two boys, enjoys sports, movies, fine dining, and family activities. Seeking S/DF, 29-37, with similar interests, for dating/possible LTR. Race unimportant. ☎5376

OLD-FASHIONED ROMANCE Affectionate, romantic, 47 DWM, 5'10", 175lbs, good-looking, enjoys dancing, movies, walks, and sports, seeks petite/medium build attractive lady, race/age unimportant, for LTR or marriage. ☎5232

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OPEN YOUR EYES! SWPM, 41, 5'8", fit, dependent-less, Catholic, communicative, humorous, introspective and more, enjoys bicycling, jogging, eclectic taste in music/movies. Seeking trim, educated, emotionally available SWF, 30-40, to share happy, healthy relationship. ☎5482

SPORTS & INTERESTS

HORSE LOVER SWM, 45, seeks partner for harness race horse. ☎5517

SHARE INTERESTS Male, 36, N/S, enjoys chess, golf, spectator sports, cards, seeks male with common interests for friendship. Canton area. ☎4932

LET'S TEE IT UP Pretty, independent, slender, good golfer seeks handsome, trim, gentleman golf partner, young 50s, for tournament play. Let's exchange rounds of golf, your club or mine? ☎5356

GOLFER WANNA' BE SWF, N/S, good-looking, clumsy, non-athletic, seeks, SWM, N/S, 40-50, good looking, non-clumsy, athletic golfer, to give pointers on how to play the game. ☎5182

SENIORS

OVER 50? Young WM would like to meet you for coffee and conversation. I'm 6'2", 160lbs, affectionate and fun. Will answer all responses. ☎4973

PHONE PALS Livonia senior, WF, interested in senior phone pals, for friends to talk to. I'm Catholic and I love pets and friendly people. All calls will be returned. ☎4967

GET UP AND GO! DWF, attractive, slim, intelligent, down-to-earth, 56, smoker, reading, dining out, plays. Seeking man, 5'8"+, N/Drugs, N/D, no couch potatoes, no games. ☎5363

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FABRICATORS Prototype Fabricators for dayshift positions. Should be familiar with blueprints, welding, and basic machine operations. Full or part-time. Send or fax resume to: T.A.G.-CO. 12685 ARNOLD REDFORD, MI 48239 FAX: (313) 532-1316

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Winnebago Adventurer offers quite an adventure

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Avanti NewsFeatures Senior Editor Anne Fracassa, who usually writes this test-drive column for the Observer & Eccentric newspapers, is taking the week off to put a built-in pool in her backyard. While she dives into that task, Avanti test driver Marty Majchrzak wades into this week's wheels: a Winnebago Adventurer motor home.

The interior of the Adventurer is very nice and is stocked with quality appliances such as Magic Chef (microwave), Norcold (fridge), Wedgwood (stove) and Coleman (central air conditioning).

By Marty Majchrzak
Avanti NewsFeatures

The 1997 Winnebago Adventurer motor home was quite an adventure for me and my family.

It broke down six times on our 1,143-mile trip from Detroit to Wisconsin and back, mostly because the Ford transmission that ran it kept malfunctioning.

So here I am, hundreds of miles from home with my wife Donna and three kids, and the thing breaks down. It's almost dark, we're in the middle of nowhere and help is hardly a phone call away because it's late on a Sunday afternoon and everything is closed.

Fortunately, my boss answers phone calls on the weekend.

The short version of this story is that everything eventually worked out. Nobody died, and the Adventurer somehow managed to get us home. But when it first started coughing and sputtering and begging me to pull over, I wasn't so sure I would ever want to test another motor home again.

I've since gotten over it.

At first, the Adventurer's size overwhelmed me. I was worried about how big it was and made a special effort to be careful not to hit anything.

When I shoved off from the pickup point, I found out almost right away that the speedometer and cruise control on our 32-footer were not working. The Winnebago dealer in Michigan who prepped the Adventurer for this test knew about the defects but figured it wouldn't make a big difference to us. With all the other problems, he was probably right.

We had to gas up right away since there was hardly any fuel in our tester. It cost us an average of $97.25 each time we needed to fill the near-empty 75-gallon tank.

It would have been nice to drive a defect-free Adventurer. On paper, it looks good, with standard equipment that includes air conditioning, power-assisted heated mirrors, intermittent wipers, tilt wheel, cruise control, a welded on trailer-hitch receiver, an electric entrance door-step, couch bed, lounge table, lounge chair with dinette, three-burner gas range, refrigerator/freezer, touch-control microwave oven, 35,000 btu furnace, queen bed, adjustable driver and passenger seating with reclining backs and lumbar support, map light, AM/FM stereo with cassette, fire extinguisher, smoke detector, floor mats and, of course, a privacy curtain for the shower.

Sitting behind the wheel of this luxury cruiser, you're in complete control of all of its functions: The auxiliary battery controls, which let you flush the toilet while you drive, among other things; the generator controls, which run the central air-conditioning unit; the rear heater; and the auxiliary startup, which powers the motor home if its main battery goes dead.

The interior of the Adventurer is very nice and is stocked with quality appliances such as Magic Chef (microwave), Norcold (fridge), Wedgwood (stove) and Coleman (central air conditioning).

Safety features on the inside include a carbon-monoxide detector, which will tell you about any exhaust fumes, and a smoke alarm and fire extinguisher. These devices are great if you have your family along because you worry when you're carrying 75 gallons of gas and 80 pounds of propane.

Winnebago has paid special attention to lighting in the Adventurer. Ample lighting is everywhere, no matter where you stand or sit. I went outside to empty the holding tanks and there's even lighting inside and outside the holding-tank compartment.

The Adventurer has more than enough storage space for full-time living, or for a lengthy vacation. In all, it has 162 cubic feet of exterior storage. Compartment doors are fully weather protected and hinged with

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gas-lift cylinders for easy loading. That means when you pop a door open you don't have to lift it up — the cylinders do all of the work.

The motor home has a message center near the bathroom that uses a switch to tell you your holding tank's capacities, battery conditions and whether your pilot light for the hot water is lit. It also has an automatic converter switch that lets you run the refrigerator on gas or electric power.

Winnebago uses words like "built to last," or "meets high standards," but the Adventurer we tested fell short of those claims.

Now, about those breakdowns: Just outside of Chicago, we conked out after going through a toll booth as the Adventurer accelerated to highway speed. The trans slipped into neutral at about 60 and slowed down from there.

We pulled off the road in Alsip, Ill., which could very well be a great place to live but did not look like a place I wanted to visit in the dark on a Sunday while my broken-down motor home sat on the side of the road with my wife and three kids inside.

A seven-hour trip in the Adventurer took us 11 hours, partly because we had to keep pulling over to cool off the transmission. Winnebago's 1-800 "fix me" number took me to a Ford Motor Co. "adviser" who advised me he couldn't fix my unit as it sat broken down on the side of the road in the dark hundreds of miles from my home with my wife and three kids inside.

Are we having fun yet?

The Ford guy told me the Adventurer would have to be towed to the nearest dealer for repairs if we couldn't figure things out, and that we would have to get a room for the night at our expense while waiting for our motor home to be fixed.

After checking the transmission fluid and looking underneath the vehicle in search of problems, I somehow got it started about a half hour later. Everything had cooled off by then and we were on our way.

Now I am traveling down the road with no speedometer, no cruise control and a trans that's slipping in and out of overdrive and third gear. And, to make me even more nervous, the automatic overdrive light on the gearshift lever is blinking off.

I'm thinking: What is with the overdrive switch on the gearshift lever? It makes me take my eyes off the road to see if I'm in overdrive or not. The only way I can tell is to listen for the gears to change.

Let's stop for a second and send a memo to Ford: Dear Ford ... Please consider putting the overdrive switch on the dash just below the top of the dash so we do not have to take our eyes off the road that far. How about an on/off switch on the dash like your competitor, Chrysler Corp.?

OK, back to our movie: We managed to get to our destination in Wisconsin a few hundred miles later with only a handful of hassles. We had similar problems with the transmission on the way back, but, being veterans now, we were calmer the fourth, fifth, and sixth time the trans pooped out.

Our Adventurer was not equipped with a VCR, so there was no television for passengers to watch during the test. You can turn the power on but you just get fuzz. You have to have the aerial up to watch TV, but you can't put the aerial up because you'll rip it off if you go under an overpass.

I have five in my family and they got pretty restless with being on the road for 11 hours stopping and going without a working TV.

The television in the unit is an Audiovox, which ain't exactly the Cadillac of TVs. For the $74,000 that an Adventurer will cost you, Winnebago should add a VCR, upgrade the AM/FM stereo system and put in a TV that will operate while the vehicle is moving.

Our main objective after driving hundreds of miles that first night was to get hooked up at our Wisconsin Dells destination and take showers. This beast proved easy to handle, backing into its appointed parking space like a dream. After hooking up water and electricity and cable television, we had tons of hot water to shower five people.

Taking a shower in the Adventurer is not like taking a shower at home. It's more cramped. You can't just turn the water on like you can at home.

You have to wet yourself down, shut the water off, soap up and then rinse yourself off. The reason for that is the small water tank. If you were to let the shower keep running, you'd run out of water after two people were through. That's fine, if you don't like the other three people with you on your trip.

Sleeping conditions were OK with the master bedroom having a queen bed, which was very firm (wink, wink). The kitchen table and couch each folded down to sleep two.

While Winnebago bills the Adventurer as sleeping six, four would be more comfortable than six.

While the motor home was parked, it served us well. All of its functions, except for its transmission, worked fine during our weeklong test.

I had some trouble with the outside awnings at first, but was able to take care of that problem. The awnings are called Faulker fold-downs, and they provide shade by the front door.

The last morning of our test was cold, so I turned on the heat to get the chill out. I set the thermostat at 72 and turned the system switch to heat.

The furnace came on and was blowing hot air, but the motor home soon filled up with smoke, setting off the smoke alarm. Everybody had been sleeping, too!

On the way back to Detroit, after a few delays, I drove five hours without a problem. Then, a mile from home, the transmission acted up again.

It was an adventure I could have lived without.

Write Marty Majchrzak online with your favorite vacation on wheels story at avanti1054@aol.com.

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RECEPTIONIST
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RECEPTIONISTS NEEDED - for Troy hair salon. Must be flexible for days, nights & Sat. $5 to start. Some benefits (no health). Call (248) 680-1110.

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RECEPTIONIST Seeking a person with excellent communication skills and phone etiquette for reception/switchboard, light computer work and general office duties. One to two years' switchboard experience required; computer/word processing experience preferable. Send resume with cover letter & salary requirements to: Area Agency on Aging 1-B, Attn: Human Resources Coordinator - Job #306, 29100 Northwestern Hwy., Ste. 400, Southfield, MI 48304. An EOE/AA Employer

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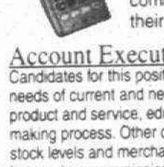
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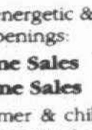

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526 Help Wanted-Couples

APARTMENT MANAGER COUPLE
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537 Childcare/Babysitting Services

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538 Childcare Needed

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AFTER SCHOOL Care - 3-6:15 pm for 8 & 11 yr. olds in our home near 13/ Lahser. Non smoker, references. Must have own transportation. $10/hr. Eves/ weekends: 248-644-2094

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CHILDCARE IN our Novi home. Mon-Fri 2:30 p.m.-7:00 p.m.. Must have car. Good rates, paid vacation. (810) 349-4606

CHILD CARE - Mature, dependable person before & after school in my Livonia home. Transportation, references. After 5pm. (313) 591-0154

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CHILD CARE needed in my Plymouth home, 2-3 days/wk. for 3 children, 2-5:30pm. Own transportation, references required. 313-420-2661

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NANNY
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COMMERCE TWP. Communitywide Sale at: The Preserve on Sept. 4th-6th, 9am-4pm. Located on the southside of Commerce Rd. between Bogie Lake & Carey Rds.

FARMINGTON Hills-21761 Cass, S/9, W/Farmington, Thurs-Sat, 8-5. Toys-kids clothes-air conditioners etc

FARMINGTON HILLS - Strathmore Subdivision Garage Sale. Thur-Sat., 9-4. 13 & Haggerty.

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TROY SEPT. 4, 5, 10 to 5, 2792 Quincy, between John R. & Dequindre, 17 & 18 Mile. Furniture, appliances, good clothing, bedding

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CANTON - Huge, Sept. 3-6, 9-5, 234 Cornell, Lexington Square Sub., S. of Cherryhill E. of Sheldon

CANTON: SEPT. 4-5, 8:30-3. 7543 Kingsbridge in Windsor Park. Baby equipment/toys. Low priced items.

CANTON - Wed, Thur, Fri./9:30 to 3. 1456 Ledgewood Dr., W. of Lilley, N. of Palmer. Baby items & misc.

GARDEN CITY - Moving Sale! Inside - Rain or Shine-Everything Must Go! Sept. 3-4, 10-6 5725 Harrison E. of Middlebelt/off of Ford.

GARDEN CITY - Sat.-Mon., 8-6, 28945 Sheridan, E. of Middlebelt, S. of Ford Rd. Everything Must Go!

LIVONIA - 4 Family Garage/Estate Sale! Furniture, housewares, electronics, Pfaltzgraff Yorktowne dishes/accessories, childrens clothes, yard equipment, baby items, antiques, misc! 18714 Comstock, 1 blk S of 7/1 blk W of Levan: 9/ 4-6, 9-4pm

LIVONIA: FURNITURE plus lots more. Sept 3-6, 9-5. 29701 Oakview. W of Middlebelt/S of Lyndon

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LIVONIA - Sub Sale. Sept. 3, 4, 5 & 6, 10 to 5. N. of Schoolcraft, E. of Levan, off Martin. Loads of misc.

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LIVONIA - Wed. thru Sun. 10-6. Misc. household, furniture, electric, computer items. 15507 Nola Circle, near Hix & 5 Mile

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PLYMOUTH: 820 Harding, S. of Ann Arbor Tr., E. of Main. Sept. 5-6, 9-5pm; Sept. 7, 11-3pm. Furniture, household, antiques, misc. items.

PLYMOUTH: MULT Family sale. Sept 6. 9-5. 10001 Canton Center Rd. Between Ann Arbor Rd & Ann Arbor Trail. Clothes, toys, & misc.

PLYMOUTH: SEPT. 4-6, 10a-6p. Clothes, household, more. 40961 Ann Arbor Tr / W of Haggerty.

PLYMOUTH - Sept. 4-5, 9-4. 10525 JoAnn. Luggage, golf & garden equipment, many misc. household items priced to sell.

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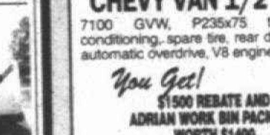

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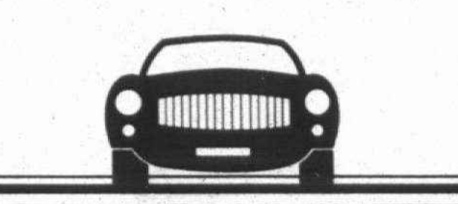

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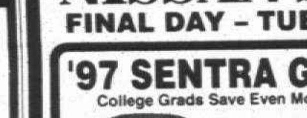

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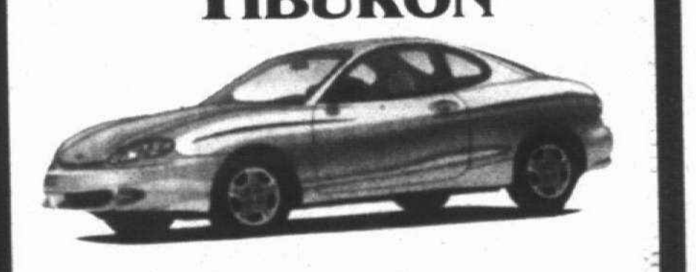

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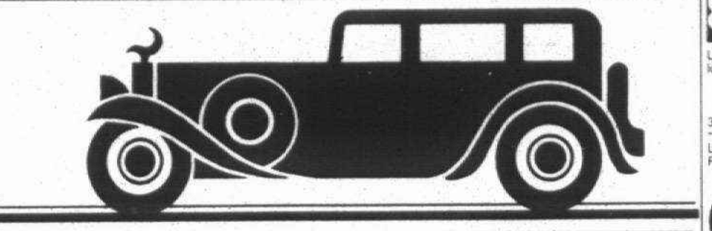

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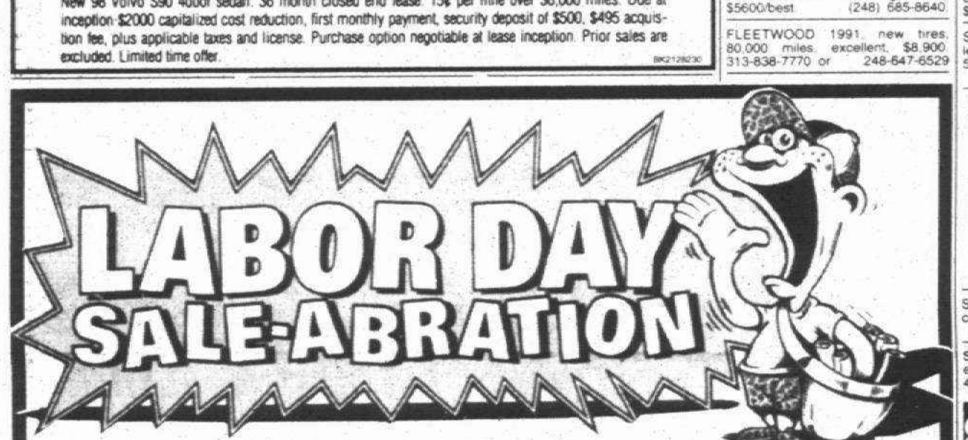

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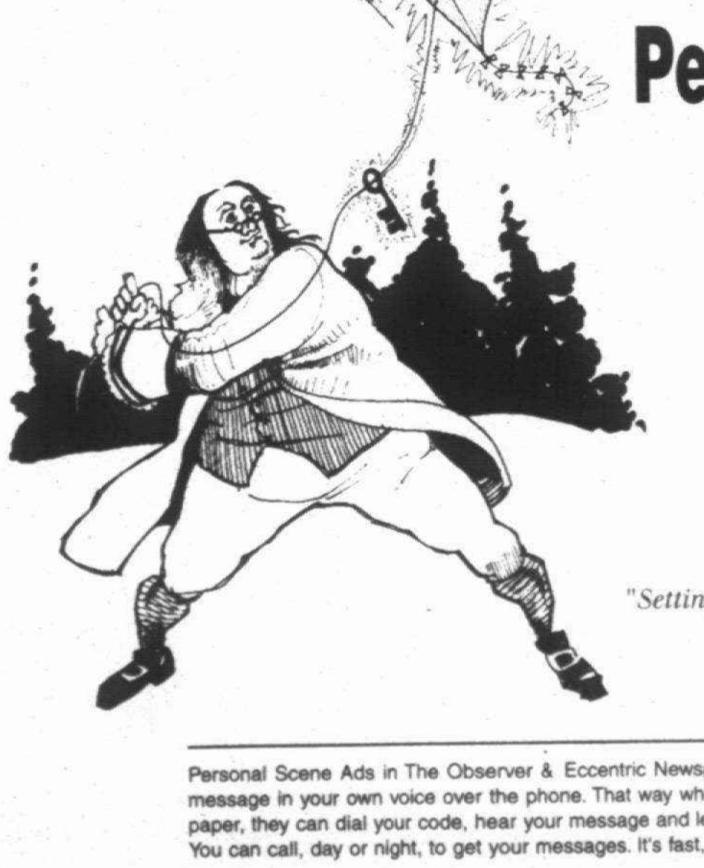

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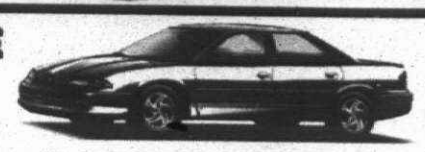

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