

POLICE BRIEFS

Car Accident

No one was injured after a 23-year-old Oak Park man failed to yield to traffic on Haggerty Road Dec. 13. According to reports, the driver disobeyed the flashing red light while turning left onto southbound Haggerty Road from Eight Mile Road.

Police said the driver had a suspended drivers license and was arrested for driving while license is suspended. He was also cited for failure to yield and given a Dec. 29 court date at the 35th District Court in Plymouth. The man was advised not to drive until his license was valid.



Photo by TRACY MISHLER/NORTHVILLE RECORD

Mail found

A 47-year-old Northville Township man called police after finding several piles of mail in a parking lot near the Hampton Inn, off Haggerty Road. According to reports, the man used rubber gloves to pick the mail up and place in a plastic bag. The man told police he found more mail in a small trash can at the northeast corner of the hotel. According to reports, the mail was taken from a group of 19 mailboxes at the entrance of the Golfview subdivision. Police notified the Northville Township Post Office, and the mail was turned over to the United States Postal Inspection Service who will continue the investigation.

Broken windows

A 43-year-old Northville Township woman called police

Baseline bash!

A 25-year-old Rochester Hills woman was treated and released from the hospital Monday following a car accident on eastbound Eight Mile and Novi Street. The woman was a passenger in a silver Nissan attempting to turn left from westbound Eight Mile Road onto Novi Street when it struck a Ford Ranger, according to police. Police said the 23-year-old driving the Nissan was cited for failure to yield, and the 27-year-old male driving the Ranger was arrested for driving on a revoked license.

after returning from vacation to find holes in her home office windows. According to reports, police found aluminum pellets from a BB gun outside the window. Police questioned several neighbors, who claimed they saw nothing suspicious while the family was away. The case remains open.

broke out between two Detroit women over \$17,000. According to reports, the victim, a 48-year-old Detroit woman, owed the suspect, a 34-year-old Detroit woman, money from a property sale. The victim told police she was trying to leave the store when the suspect grabbed her arm and pushed her to the ground. Police arrested the suspect for assault and battery. She was given a Dec. 29 court date at the 35th District Court in Plymouth.

Fighting at Farmer Jack

Police were called to Farmer Jack on Haggerty Road after a fight

Stolen meat

Police were called to Meijer on Haggerty Road after store officials noticed a \$194 sale of meat voided from a cash register. According to reports, the cashier who made the transaction gave the meat to her mother. The cashier was arrested and cited for retail fraud. She was given a Dec. 29 court date at the 35th District Court in Plymouth.

Domestic violence

A 30-year-old Pontiac woman called police after her boyfriend, a 26-year-old Northville Township man, allegedly punched her. According to reports, the two were arguing about whether the man had been faithful to her. Police were concerned for the woman's three-year-old child, who was also visiting in the apartment. The man was arrested. But according to police, the Wayne County prosecutor's office denied a warrant to charge the man for domestic violence because the victim was uncooperative. The man was released, and the case was closed.

Stolen backpack

Police were called to Northville High School after a 15-year-old student had his backpack stolen. According to reports, the student left his backpack in the classroom while at lunch and when he returned his backpack was gone. Police said two other backpacks were also missing. The case was closed due to lack of investigative leads.

OBITUARIES



DANIEL P. NIELSEN

The funeral mass for Daniel P. Nielsen of Crystal Lake, IL, was held on Friday December 16, 2006 at 10:00 AM at St. Thomas the Apostle Church in Crystal Lake, IL. Msgr. Daniel Hermes officiating interment at the Crystal Lake Memorial Park in Crystal Lake. He was born in Detroit, MI on August 31, 1965 the son of Dennis and Sandra (Lyons) Nielsen. He worked at the Golf Course of Illinois as a superintendent and belonged to the Midwest Association of Golf Course Superintendents. Daniel loved sports, especially baseball, and he played in the minor leagues in the Pittsburgh Pirates organization. Daniel passed away December 12, 2005 after a short battle with Pancreatic cancer. Survivors include his wife, Kira Nielsen nee Galioto; two sons, Tyler and Travis Nielsen; two stepsons, Zach and Nick Siedlecki; his parents, Dennis and Sandra Nielsen; a brother, Michael Nielsen, and his mother-in-law, Maridy Galioto; and brothers-in-law, Brien (Jennifer) Galioto, and Marcus Galioto and many aunts & uncles. Arrangements by Skaja Bachmann Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers memorials to the Pancreatic Cancer Action Network (PanCan), 2141 Rosecrans Ave. Suite 7000 El Segundo, CA 90245 or masses appreciated. Funeral information 815-455-2233.

BARBARA J. SPES

Age 71, of Northville, passed away Dec. 19. She is survived by her loving sisters Evelyn V. Garner and Charlene Priest. Private family services will be held. Arrangements entrusted to Casterline Funeral Home, Inc.

BETTY JANE SCHRADER

Age 89, of Traverse City, and formerly of Northville, died Tuesday, December 13, 2005 at Munson Medical Center. She was the widow of Nelson Schrader, Jr. Survivors include her children, Nelson (Diane) Schrader, III, of Traverse City, Sarah (Wade) Deal of Onekema and 4 grandchildren. Memorial services will be held at a later time. Memorial contributions in Betty's name may be directed to The National Kidney Foundation. The family is being served by the Reynolds-Jonkhoff Funeral Home of Traverse City.

OBITUARY POLICY

The first seven lines of an obituary are published free of charge. After that, there is a fee of \$3 a line. Pictures may be published for \$25.

*Deadline for obituaries is Tuesday at 10:00 a.m. for publication in Thursday's newspaper.

For more information, call 888-999-1288, or contact your funeral home.

*Holiday deadlines are subject to change.

TOWNSHIP BRIEFS

Graduation

The newest Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) members were honored at the Northville Township Board of Trustees meeting last Thursday for completing the basic training program that began in October and ended in November.

Community Emergency Response volunteers are now on an emergency call out list in the event of a natural disaster, major event or any support to police and fire operations.

The next basic CERT training class will start at 7 p.m. Jan. 25. Interested volunteers can download

an application at twp.northville.mi.us/cert.htm or call Detective, Sgt. Matthew Mayes or Samantha Bowlin at (248) 349-9400.

Holiday trash pickup

Northville Township trash collector Painter & Ruthenberg will observe the Christmas holiday Monday, Dec. 26 and the New Years holiday on Monday, Jan. 2. Trash pickup for those weeks will be delayed one day.

Closed

Township Hall will be closed Dec. 23-27 for the Christmas Holiday.

Polar Bear Plunge

The Kiwanis Polar Bear Plunge along with the Northville Chamber Fire and Ice Festival will take place noon, Jan. 28. There will also be a pre-costume parade from the Water Wheel Health Club to the plunge site at 11:45 a.m. Registration begins at 10 a.m. and a post-plunge party will follow. For more information, contact John Miller at (248) 596-9193.



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New Year's Day Service Sunday, January 1, one service at 10:30 AM



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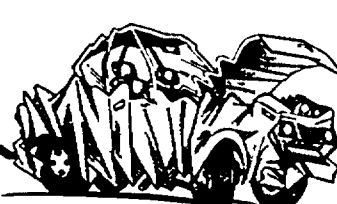
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