



Brian Downs is fast earning a reputation as a Republican party wunderkind.

## Teen's passion for politics jets him to Republican friends in high places

By LEE SNIDER  
Editor

Sixteen-year old Brian Downs is redefining the meaning of the term "wunderkind."  
Downs doesn't have his driver's license yet, but that doesn't stop the Northville youth from making it to just about every Republican party function in the area.  
"We pick him up to make sure he gets to the meetings," said Linda Kurkechian, vice president of the Oakland County Young Republicans. "Everybody knows Brian, even the governor."

Indeed, every area Republican activist should know him, because while many other teens his age are spending their time rollerblading or dreaming about being like Michael Jordan, Downs is busy passing out campaign flyers, attending

party strategy sessions and reading political biographies.

Already, he has worked on the campaigns of district court judge candidate Terrance Jolly, Oakland County Prosecutor L. Brooks Patterson and Congressman Joe Knollenberg. In addition, he did volunteer work for John Engler and for the two Bush-Quayle campaigns. He even performed minor tasks for the Reagan-Bush 1984 ticket. He was all of 9 years old at the time.

But that's not all Downs can claim to his credit. Last year, he attended the Republican National Convention in Houston, and he has been featured on "Club Connect," a PBS program about teenage achievers. He also has submitted an application to become a Republican Congressional page.

"He's had quite a bit of excitement in his young life," Kurkechian added.

No doubt about it, there's been plenty of activity on a big scale for the young Downs, but perhaps nothing he's done to date matched the thrill he must have gotten Tuesday when he had a face-to-face meeting with former President Ronald Reagan.

"I probably won't ask him anything about policy," Downs said in an interview last week. "I'll probably ask him how government works and what I can do to further myself in the party."

Downs, a sophomore at Catholic Central High School in Redford, got the chance to fly out to Los Angeles to meet Reagan after the former president answered a flattering letter the youth sent to him.

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## Local businessmen to embark on Cuban medical expedition

Two Northville businessmen bound for one of the world's few remaining Communist countries have only the Gulf of Mexico and the U.S. government to cross.

The businessmen — Northville Lumber owner Stewart Oldford Sr. and restaurateur John Genitti — have joined forces with an ever-expanding nautical relief effort to Cuba. Organized by Key West publisher John J. Young, the April 18 relief effort aims to ship four and a half tons of basic medical supplies and nutritional supplements to the

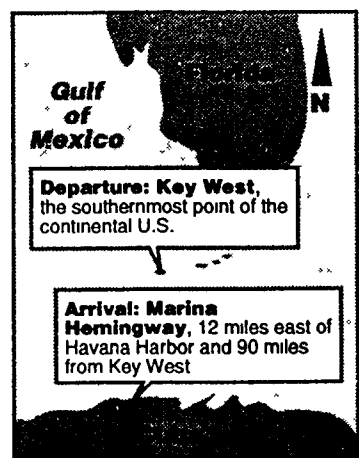
impoverished island nation.

Young said Tuesday that he already had rounded up 20-odd boats to use in transporting the supplies across the gulf. Oldford's 42-foot Grand Banks traveler, the Newfie Bullet, is among them.

But Young was still working Tuesday to obtain final permission for the trip from the U.S. government, which slapped an economic embargo against Cuba after Fidel Castro took power in 1959.

Part of the difficulty is that supplies keep arriving, and the final

### The route to Cuba



amount is not yet known. Young said, "We have accepted 1.5 million capsules of Vitamin D, and it just

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## Ma Bell splits locale with new code

Michigan Bell is trying to reach out and touch someone with the message that southeast Michigan's new area code — 810 — will take effect Dec. 1.

More than a million Bell customers received information packets over the weekend describing the change, while roughly 300,000 businesses will be sent printed materials with suggestions as to what can be done to prepare for the new area code.

The new code will be recognized beginning Dec. 1, but there will be a grace period until Aug. 10, 1994 during which customers will be able to use either 313 or 810 to reach people in the 810 area.

All parts of Northville and most of Northville Township will be included in the new area code. Phone numbers with 344, 347, 348, 349 and 380 prefixes will go with Oakland and Ma-

comb counties into the 810 area. Telephone numbers with 451, 453, 454, 455, 459, 416 and 420 exchanges will remain in the 313 area.

While most of Northville Township will join the city in making the switch to 810, a portion of the township between Five and Six Mile roads will stay with Plymouth in the old area code.

Michigan Bell officials are quick to point out that the new area code will only impact customers' dialing procedures and will have no effect on rates.

"If it was a local call before it will be a local call after; if it was a toll call before it will be a toll call after," said Bell director of public relations Marcia Buhl. "There will be no increased charges."

In addition, customers in the 313

areas of Northville Township and in Plymouth will be able to phone Northville prefixes without dialing "810" first. People calling from those locations will have to dial the area code, however, when trying to reach all other 810 exchanges.

"Within your community, you can dial on a seven-digit basis," Buhl said. "However, outside of the community, if they wanted to call someone in Farmington, for example, they'll have to dial the area code."

Michigan Bell has been studying the possibility of adding the new area code for a few years. The proliferation of fax machines, cellular phones, computer modems and pagers has contributed to a shortage of available numbers in the densely populated 313 area.

An eight-member task force was

## Lloyd, Faber slate seek to oust school veteran

By MICHELLE KAISER  
Staff Writer

It looks like there will be some competition for two Northville Board of Education seats in the June 14 annual school election.

Incumbent Jean Hansen will square off against challenger Steve Lloyd for a four-year seat. Joan Wadsworth and Deborah Faber will vie for a three-year position being vacated by board president Carol Rahimi, who is relocating to Illinois.

Lloyd said he and Faber will probably run as a slate.

A General Motors executive, Lloyd said he decided to run because he has watched the "community self-destruct with issues" as he sat from

the sidelines. He attends every school board meeting.

The issues Lloyd referred to were communications and financial and strategic planning.

"There's a sense of frustration with the community," he said. "They're not comfortable, they do not understand."

Lloyd said he feels the district should be open with the community, and Freedom of Information Act requests ought never be an issue.

"People will support you if they understand what you're trying to do," he said.

Lloyd said he is also interested in financial accountability.

The father of three, Lloyd has been active in the community, serving recently on the board for the high

school's swim club and getting involved in homeowner associations.

Hansen has been a member of the board of education for the past 12 years, serving as president three times.

Wadsworth currently serves as vice president of Advocates for Quality Education, a position she is planning to relinquish as the organization readies to elect a new board.

Faber, who was out of town on vacation at press time, could not be reached for comment.

The deadline for submission of petitions was 4 p.m. Monday. Candidates have until 4 p.m. today to withdraw their names from the race.

Members of the Northville Board of Education serve without compensation.

## Trustees lock horns over commission appointments

By SHARON CONDRON  
Staff Writer

There were two vacancies on the Northville Township planning commission up for consideration at the last Board of Trustees meeting, but trustees were far apart on who would fill one of the seats.

Township Supervisor Karen Baja said Bob Brennan's 12-month leave of absence and Charles DeLand's resignation created the two vacancies that have become the latest controversy among township trustees.

Baja was expected to make both appointments at last Thursday's meeting even though only one was on the agenda. That didn't happen. Instead she appointed — with grudging, full board support — Sue Vlangos to fill Brennan's 12-month seat.

Vlangos' appointment was approved Thursday 6-1 with Trustee Barbara O'Brien casting the lone dissenting vote.

The supervisor said she intended to recommend township resident Rebecca Connell to fill DeLand's term, but an afternoon telephone call from

Treasurer Rick Engelland nixed that idea.

Baja says Engelland called her Thursday afternoon before the board meeting to caution her about recommending Connell. She said he told her to have a second choice in mind because he knew she wouldn't have majority support for her recommendation.

"He told me I'd better have a back-up because I don't think you'll have support,"

When Baja asked the treasurer why she couldn't count on the board's backing, he said it was because Connell "had attacked a board member at public meeting. And I don't think she should be rewarded for that," Baja said Engelland advised her.

Engelland disagrees with Baja's assessment of the phone conversation. He said he called the supervisor Thursday to talk about three or four issues on Thursday night's agenda. The appointment was just one of the items on the list.

Contrary to what Baja says, Engelland claims he didn't poll the board

and never said she wouldn't have majority support for Connell's appointment. He said he may have talked with Trustee Mark Abbo about it, but he never called Trustees Barbara O'Brien or Russ Fogg about it.

"I didn't poll the board members. I talked with Mark (Abbo) about it. But we are good friends and we talk a lot," he said.

The treasurer said he may have supported Connell initially, but when she wrote and signed a letter that was read aloud at the Feb. 11 board meeting that "attacked" Trustee Barbara O'Brien, he lost respect for her.

"I wasn't in support of Rebecca Connell," Engelland said Tuesday, "because I don't think people should make personal attacks on other people. The tenor of that letter was not to attack someone's position on an issue, it was to attack Barbara O'Brien's character. And I think that was uncalled for."

"But I didn't know whether or not

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## Autry parks rumors of settlement

By SHARON CONDRON  
Staff Writer

Word on the street last week was that business owners from Highland Lakes Shopping Center and Woolly Bully's had settled their month-long parking dispute.

But talk to shopping center owner Thurman William Autry and you'll get a different story.

"We have not reached any agreement," Autry said Tuesday after being asked to confirm or deny the rumor that came from Township Trustee Russ Fogg at last Thursday's township board meeting. "I have not talked with him (Woolly Bully's owner Mark Roman), his attorney is out of town, and my attorney will have to reschedule our April 26 court date."

Autry said his attorney Jeffrey Meek has a federal case scheduled for the same day and that will take precedence over the parking dispute between Roman and him.

But while a third hearing in circuit court may be postponed, Autry is adamant that the dispute is nowhere near settled. He said he intends to

continue fighting Roman's alleged parking agreement in court.

Roman claims Autry verbally agreed last May to share a portion of his lot with him after most of the businesses in the shopping center close for the night. The restaurateur says he had a handshake agreement with the shopping center owner before Woolly Bully's opened in March.

Autry says differently, however, and intends to wage a court battle, even though he has seen some relief from the explosive parking situation in the last two weeks.

Two weeks ago, Autry installed a 600-foot fence on his lot line to keep Woolly Bully's patrons from parking in the center's lot. A few days later, at the township's request, he installed an 18-foot gate in the fence to provide fire department vehicles access to a hydrant.

Now he has security patrols patrolling the lot to ensure bar patrons don't spill over and park illegally in his lot.

"We have had two weekends of security people out to control the lot," Autry said Tuesday. "As long as we stand out here and guard it and

spend the money we can control it (the parking problem)."

Autry said he has absorbed all the expenses of fencing off the lot, paying for the appropriate signs and posting for security people to patrol on weekend evenings. Not including the attorney's bills which he has yet to see, Autry said he's shelled out nearly \$8,000 on the parking situation.

The shopping center owner said he paid about \$5,000 to erect the fence; \$1,000 for the gate; \$60 in no-parking signs; and \$756 in fees for two security guards two weekends ago and another \$460 for the same for Easter weekend hours.

"That's the kind of expense I'm running into to keep people out of my lot," Autry said. "It is costing me a lot of money to protect my own lot and my tenants."

"We did lose control of our parking lot for over a month," Autry said. "There are other commercial people in the neighborhood who don't want them parking in their lots either. So it isn't just me, it's several of the neighbors."

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## Community Calendar

TODAY, APRIL 15

**TOPS:** Take Off Pounds Sensibly for all ages meets at 9 a.m. at the Northville Area Senior Citizens Center, 215 W. Cady. For more information call 420-0569.

**NEW LIFE BIBLE STUDY:** A neighborhood non-denominational Bible study offers two different classes this year, "Discovering New Life" and New Testament studies. Classes run from 9:30-11:30 a.m. at the First United Methodist Church of Northville on Eight Mile at Taft. Baby-sitting provided. Newcomers welcome any time. For more information call Sybil at 349-0006 or Pam at 349-8699.

**NORTHVILLE ACTION COUNCIL MEETS:** The Northville Action Council meets at 7 p.m. at Northville City Hall, 215 W. Main.

**LEXINGTON COMMONSBOARD MEETS:** The Lexington Commons Homeowners Association Board of Directors meets at 7:30 p.m. in the Lexington Condo clubhouse. Everyone is invited.

**HISTORICAL SOCIETY BOARD MEETS:** The Northville Historical Society Board of Directors meets at 7:30 p.m. at the Cady Inn in Mill Race Historical Village.

**GREAT BOOKS DISCUSSION:** The Great Books Discussion Group meets from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. at the Livonia Civic Center Library, 32777 Five Mile. Tonight's discussion is on Oscar Wilde's *Picture of Dorian Gray*, and Virginia Woolf's *The New Dress*. For information and a reading list call Zo Chisnell at 349-3121.

FRIDAY, APRIL 16

**MEN'S BIBLE STUDY:** A non-denominational Bible Study Group will meet at 6 a.m. at the Northville Crossing Restaurant, located on Northville Road south of Seven Mile. For more information call Clayton Graham at 349-5515.

**OES:** Orient Chapter, No. 77, Order of the Eastern Star, meets at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic Temple at Main and Center.

SATURDAY, APRIL 17

**FREE SEEDLINGS:** In honor of Arbor Day, the Northville city and township beautification commissions will give away free tree seedlings at Fish Hatchery Park from 9 a.m. to noon. Proof of township or city residency will be required.

SUNDAY, APRIL 18

**RAISING KIDS ALONE:** This support group for single parents meets at 11 a.m. in room 10 of the First United Methodist Church of Northville. Public welcome. The facilitator is Carol Haveranek, MALLP, educator and psychologist.

**SINGLE PLACE BRUNCH:** Single Place will meet at 12:30 p.m. for brunch at Northville Crossing, Northville Road south of Seven Mile. The group is organized for the purpose of providing friendship, caring and sharing for all single adults. Everyone is welcome; just come in and ask for Single Place.

MONDAY, APRIL 19

**SENIOR BRIDGE GROUP:** Area seniors are invited to play bridge today and Wednesday from 12:15-3:30 p.m. at the Senior Center, located at 215 W. Cady St. in the Scout Building.

**SENIOR PINOCCHLE:** Area seniors are invited to play pinocchle today and Thursday from 12:30-4:30 p.m. at the Senior Center, located at 215 W. Cady St. in the Scout Building.

**KIWANIS:** Northville Kiwanis meets at 6:30 p.m. at VFW Post 4012, 438 S. Main St.

**MILL RACE QUESTORS:** The Mill Race Questors host a joint meeting with the Elmwood Station Questors at 7 p.m. The topic is "Flow Blue."

**MOTOR CITY SPEAK EASY TOASTMASTERS CLUB:** The Motor City Speak Easy Toastmasters Club of Northville meets from 7 to 9 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church, 777 W. Eight Mile. For more information call Barbara Wold at 464-4199. Visitors are welcome.

**NORTHVILLE MASONIC ORGANIZATION:** Northville Masons meet at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic Temple.

**CITY COUNCIL:** Northville City Council meets at 8 p.m. at city hall, 215 W. Main.

TUESDAY, APRIL 20

**CHAMBER BREAKFAST MEETING:** The Northville Community Chamber of Commerce holds a breakfast meeting at 7:30 a.m. at Ruffles Restaurant on Northville Road. Reservations (\$10 for members, \$12 for non-members) are requested. Call 349-7640 for more information.

**SENIOR VOLLEYBALL:** Area seniors are invited to play volleyball and other indoor sports at 9:30 a.m. at the Northville Community Center, 303 W. Main St. For more information call the center at 349-0203 or Karl Peters at 349-4140.

**ROTARY CLUB:** The Northville Rotary Club meets at noon at the First Presbyterian Church of Northville, 200 E. Main. Philip Klintworth will present "Submarines Under the Ice."

**ARTS COMMISSION:** Northville Arts Commission meets at 7:30 p.m. at Northville City Hall, 215 W. Main St.

**ACORD:** A Community Organization Recognizing Diversity meets at 7 p.m. at Northville High School. Everyone welcome.

**STORYTELLING AT THE LIBRARY:** Storyteller Linda Day will present folklore, scary stories, humor and audience participation for children and their families at the Northville Public Library at 7 p.m.

**MILL RACE WEAVERS:** The Mill Race Weavers Guild meets at 8 p.m. in the gothic cottage at Mill Race Historical Village, on Griswold north of Main.

**VFW:** The Veterans of Foreign Wars Northville Post 4012 meets at 8 p.m. at the Post Home, 438 S. Main St. Eligible veterans may call 981-3520 or 349-9828. New members welcome.

**EAGLES AUXILIARY:** The Fraternal Order of Eagles No. 2504 holds an auxiliary meeting at 8 p.m. at 113 S. Center. For more information call 349-2479.

**CITY PLANNERS:** The City of Northville Planning Commission meets at 8 p.m. at Northville City Hall, 215 W. Main St.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 21

**KIWANIS-EARLY BIRDS:** The Kiwanis Club of Northville-Early Birds meets at 7 a.m. at the Northville Senior Citizens Center, 215 W. Cady.

**FRIENDS OF THE LIBRARY MEET:** Friends of the Northville Public Library Board will meet at 9:30 a.m. in the library. Members welcome.

**WEIGHT WATCHERS:** Weight Watchers meet at 9:45 a.m. and 6 p.m. at the Northville Community Center, 303 W. Main. Doors open 45 minutes before scheduled meeting time. For more information call 1-800-487-4777.

**SILVER SPRINGS QUESTORS:** The Silver Springs Questors meet at 46268 Pickford; hostess is Diana Koenig and co-hostess is Gerry Schwallier. Marlene Costello will speak on Lalique, with a presentation of her collection.

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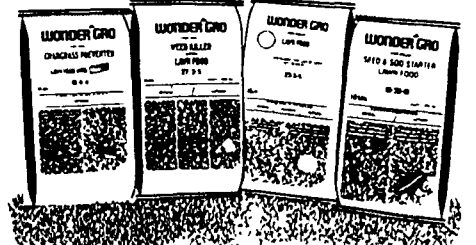
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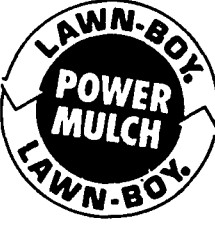
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**STORYTELLING AT THE LIBRARY:** Storyteller Linda Day will present folklore, scary stories, humor and audience participation for children and their families at the Northville Public Library at 7 p.m. April 20. Day brings an energetic and enthusiastic style to her performances, and has appeared at the National Story League Convention, Michigan State Fair, International Institute and the Ark, and is currently president of the Detroit Story League. No registration is necessary, so just come by and help celebrate National Story Week.

**EDUCATION CELEBRATION:** The Coordinating Council of Northville PTAs will host a family event celebrating education from 5 to 7 p.m. Wednesday, April 21, at Northville High School. Featured will be presentations of educational technology by students from each school in the district.

Teachers will also be present to answer questions. Opportunities will be available for students to demonstrate their skills on the computer. Refreshments will be served in the cafeteria. The entire community is invited as the PTA thanks all who support "excellence in education" for all students of Northville Public Schools.

**DRIVERS' ED CLASSES:** Applications for summer drivers' education classes are available in the Northville High School office. Two sessions will be offered: one June 21-July 16 and the other July 19-August 13. Applications must be returned to the office by Friday, May 14. Students must be 15 years of age by the first day of class.

**EASTER BREAK FUN:** Children 6 to 12 years old can spend a day during spring break hiking around Maybury pond, studying wildlife and wetlands ecology. Classes will be offered through tomorrow at \$5 per session per student. Call 347-0316 for information.

**ALTERNATIVE WORSHIP SERVICE:** St. Paul's Lutheran Church, 201 Elm, will offer a mid-week worship service on Wednesday evenings for people who can't make it to church on the weekends. The new service starts 7:30 p.m.

**TORNADO SAFETY TIPS AVAILABLE:** Northville City Police have information on tornado safety available outside the police station's information window. Residents should seek immediate shelter when they hear the city's warning siren, a three-minute blast that indicates a tornado has been sighted in the vicinity. Residents are advised to tune in to local radio and television stations for more information, but not to call local police unless they have an emergency.

Civil Defense sirens are tested for three minutes at 1 p.m. the first Saturday of every month.

**DIVORCE RECOVERY HELP:** Jireh Ministries at Northville Christian Assembly, 41355 Six Mile, is sponsoring a divorce recovery workshop for divorced and separated persons of all ages. The workshop will run on Fridays April 30-June 26. Registration is \$25 at the door, \$20 if completed by today. Call 348-9030.

**VETS SOUGHT:** The U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs is searching for thousands of veterans who may have been exposed to mustard gas while taking part in classified tests of protective equipment and ointments during World War II. Many may be eligible for VA benefits based on certain health conditions related to their exposure. Write: Office of Public Affairs, 810 Vermont N.W., Washington, D.C. 20420, or call 202-535-8165.

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# Six seek spot on Schoolcraft board

By MICHELLE KAISER  
Staff Writer

Five candidates are vying for two six-year terms on the Schoolcraft College Board of Trustees while two have filed for one four-year post.

Richard DeVries filed for both seats, and has until 4 p.m. today to withdraw from one. On Tuesday, he still hadn't decided which seat he would campaign for.

The election will be held June 14, the same date for voters to choose candidates for local boards of education.

For the six-year seat, newcomers Linda Chuhuran of Canton and Catherine Broadbent of Westland will challenge incumbents John Walsh of Livonia and Patricia Watson of Northville.

Northville resident Winifred Fraser, who was appointed to the board in January, has also thrown her hat into the ring.

Watson was appointed to the

board in October 1991 when trustee Wendell Smith vacated his seat to relocate out of state.

"I've really enjoyed my association with the college in terms of the role I have held as trustee for the last one-and-a-half years," Watson said. "I would like to continue to participate in terms of that involvement."

A clinical psychologist at Providence Hospital, Watson is also a consultant to the Salvation Army. She is a member of the League of Women Voters, the Northville Business and Professional Women's Club and the Michigan Psychological Association.

Fraser said she has always been involved in education, most recently as an eight-year member of the Western Michigan University Board of Trustees.

"This is a great opportunity for me to contribute to the community," she said.

Fraser said she could identify with the students at Schoolcraft because

she started college at a "non-traditional" age also.

In January, Fraser was granted the honorary title of trustee emerita in recognition of her outstanding service to Western Michigan University.

DeVries, a retired Livonia teacher, said running for a seat on the board is his next step in terms of his community involvement.

"This would just continue my community service idea," he said. "It would be just another addition on what my whole life is about from a community and professional point of view."

A heart attack over 10 years ago slowed his pace, but it hasn't stopped DeVries from being involved in groups such as the Optimists Club in Livonia. He retired last year after 30 years of teaching in the area.

Although Broadbent was in the running for one of the appointed positions in January, she didn't win. She did, however, commit to running for office by going through the appoint-

ment process.

"I feel Schoolcraft College is a fine institution and that the school districts it represents currently don't have a representative from the Westland area of the Livonia School District," she said in giving reasons for her bid.

Walsh and Chuhuran could not be reached for comment before press time.

The Schoolcraft district includes residents living in the Clarenceville, Garden City, Livonia, Northville, Plymouth-Canton and part of the Novi school districts.

Other trustees on the board include Mary Breen and Stephen Ragan, both of Plymouth, Michael Burley of Canton and Harry Greenleaf of Canton. The seats occupied by Breen, Greenleaf and Ragan will expire in 1995 while Burley's will be up in 1997.

Schoolcraft College trustee serves without compensation.

## Officials may consider lot split ordinance

By STEVE KELLMAN  
Staff Writer

Faced with a surge in applications from property owners wishing to split their lots, city officials have turned to the planning commission for a potential lot split ordinance.

City Manager Gary Word noted that the city's current ordinances are unclear as to which board or official hears or approves such requests. The current ordinance requires split lots to fall on a public or private road. Splitting one lot into two requires city manager approval, while splitting a

lot into more than two parcels requires approval from the city council.

"We have received an inordinate number of lot split requests this spring, and I am personally uncomfortable with the process," Word said. "We need a more definitive process for dealing with these things."

Planning Consultant Don Wortman added another concern that could be addressed in a lot split ordinance — whether private roads would be allowed to service such lots. He noted that other cities make a distinction between private roads and driveways, and only allow driveways

to serve one or two homes.

Wortman, who presented the planners with a draft lot split ordinance, noted that the commission needs to address two issues, the standards that would be allowed for split lots and the bodies that would hear the requests. City engineers at McNeely & Lincoln are already drafting engineering standards, he said.

Word and the commissioners each hesitated to take responsibility for the final decision.

"My feeling was that the buck should stop with the planning commission," Word said.

"I would defer to an elected body for the final decision," said Commissioner Rolland Stapleton. But he added that the commission should probably review the requests to monitor whether they comply with the city's master plan.

The commissioners eventually reached a consensus that they should review all lot split requests, and the council should provide final approval.

The draft ordinance still must be reviewed by the city attorney, and needs to be approved by the council before it takes effect.

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## Police News

# Weekend traffic stops net three drunk drivers

Township police issued several drunken driving violations over the weekend.

In the first incident, a 29-year-old Fowlerville woman was arrested for drunken driving. A township officer observed the woman's vehicle, a 1988 Corsica, traveling at excessive speed on Seven Mile Road at 2:12 a.m. last Friday. A radar check registered the vehicle's speed at 65 mph in the 45 mph zone.

The officer attempted to stop the vehicle west of Haggerty. However, the driver did not stop. The siren was then activated.

After the traffic stop was made, the driver told the officer she thought he was trying to stop the car in front of her. She also said she was coming from a local bar where she drank three shots and several drinks, according to police reports.

Her blood alcohol level was measured at .16 and .19 percent, reports stated. She was released at 10:30 a.m. on a \$100 cash bond.

In another incident, a 65-year-old man from Ypsilanti was stopped after a township officer noticed the man's vehicle drifting back and forth from the right lane to the left lane. A traffic stop was made on Seven Mile, just west of I-275 at 12:59 a.m. April 10.

The driver reportedly told police he had drunk a couple beers. He was asked to perform several sobriety tests and agreed to take a portable breath test, which registered his blood alcohol level at .13 percent, reports stated.

The man was arrested and transported to the police station. A breathalyzer registered his blood alcohol level at .15 and .16 percent, according to reports.

At 10 a.m., the driver was released on a \$50 cash bond.

In the third drunken driving incident, police received a tip about a possible drunk driver traveling on Seven Mile Road at 1:30 a.m. Sunday. Police located the car, a 1985 Porsche, traveling eastbound on Seven Mile Road.

According to reports, the car crossed from the right lane partially into the left before almost going off the right edge of the road. When pulling over for the traffic stop, the driver of the Porsche reportedly drove up over a curb.

The driver, a 32-year-old Royal Oak man, was asked to recite his alphabet. He stopped when he reached the letter "C," according to reports.

The man refused to take a portable breath test. He was arrested and also refused a breathalyzer test at the police station.

The man was allowed to contact his attorney several times, and later agreed to a breath test and a blood test. The breath test measured the man's blood alcohol level at .24 percent, reports stated.

The man was then taken to Providence Hospital in Novi for a blood test. While waiting for the results of his test, the man reportedly passed out while sitting in a chair in the emergency room.

The man was released by police at 11:30 a.m. after posting a \$200 cash bond.

**HIT AND RUN ACCIDENT:** Somebody backed into a car legally parked on Elk Street and left the scene April 10. According to a witness, the driver was a male in a beige-colored car who backed out of an Elk Street drive and

collided with the parked car. The man then reportedly pulled into another Elk Street drive, backed out again and proceeded westbound on Elk.

A township officer checked the address twice but the vehicle had not returned.

**WINDOW SMASHED:** The window in a rear door wall of a Cardene Way Court home was smashed between 10 p.m. April 10 and 9 a.m. April 11. There were no signs of forced entry.

The complainant told police several neighborhood children play in the area and could have accidentally broken the window. Damage was estimated at \$200.

**LARCENY AT MEIJER'S:** Township police were dispatched to Meijer's for a report of a larceny at

8:45 p.m. April 11.

Meijer loss prevention personnel told police two subjects were seen concealing liquor in their inside coat pockets. The items included a bottle of vodka valued at \$8.99 and a Southern Comfort cocktail valued at \$1.49.

One of the subjects, a juvenile, was issued a violation for larceny and was released to her father's custody. An 18-year-old was also released at the scene after receiving violations for larceny and contributing to the delinquency of a minor.

Citizens with information about the above incidents are urged to call Northville City Police at 349-1234 or Northville Township Police at 349-9400.

# Young Republican riding political fast-track

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"I wrote to him in July of '92," Downs said. "I would watch him on TV, and I just liked him a lot. He's really one of the reasons I got into it (politics)."

The letter must have struck a chord for the former president, as Downs was invited to spend 10 minutes of precious personal time with

the ex-commander-in-chief. Downs and his father, Bill, flew out to the west coast this week to meet with Reagan in his Los Angeles office.

Characteristically, Downs said he wouldn't shy away from asking Reagan for a letter of recommendation to bolster his chances of gaining appointment as a page. Pageships are highly competitive positions, but Downs has already obtained a re-

commendation from another GOP heavyweight: former President Gerald Ford. He has also been nominated for the post by Knollenberg.

Downs said he hasn't yet decided what career he'll pursue, but added he'll probably end up either in politics or business. The energetic B-student has sold 15,000 raffle tickets the last two years at Catholic Central, single-handedly earning a day off for his

schoolmates by selling in excess of 10,000 tickets during one sales stint.

"We got some compensation for selling them, so that helped," he noted.

Downs, who lives north of Eight Mile in Northville, is technically too young to be a member of the Oakland County Young Republicans, whose age range is 18-40. However, according to Kurkechian, Downs is consid-

ered an associate member without voting privileges.

"He's done more with the Young Republicans than half our members," she remarked.

In addition to his involvement with the Young Republicans, Downs is also chairman of the Michigan Teenage Republicans organization.

"Politics is worse than drugs once it gets inside your blood," he said.

"It's really addictive."

Downs' interest in politics was inspired by the activities of his sister, Kim, and the youth's passion, in turn, has influenced other family members.

"I really got involved in this last (presidential) campaign because of him," said Cheryl, his mother. "He's just made me more aware."



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# Project bridges lessons in math and cooperation

By MICHELLE KAISER  
Staff Writer

Some Meads Mill students will agree you sometimes have to cross a few bridges before you learn a lesson.

Students in Suzanne Omiatek's and Rosemary Stover's seventh grade math classes were recently judged on a bridge-building project.

"We felt it would make math a little more meaningful and realistic," Omiatek said.

The project provided lessons in geometry, design, dollar amounts, spatial configurations, problem-solving and cooperative learning, according to Omiatek.

Students worked in teams of five. Their first order of business was to form a company and assign duties of an accountant, project director, carpenter, architect and transportation supervisor.

Stove said the accountant was responsible for purchasing materials with the \$1.55 million allowance each team was given. Lumber (toothpicks) cost \$10,000 each, and the team had to purchase land (cardboard) and glue.

The project director was responsible for keeping a journal each day and the architect drew up the floor plans for the bridge.

Even Omiatek and Stover got into the act by trading their chalk for hard hats.

"We were called the superinten-

dents," Stover said. "We were responsible for checking to make sure they (the students) were on the job."

Bridges were judged on a point basis using the following criteria:

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- A cardboard truck was able to travel the length of the road.

The projects were judged by principal David Longridge, media specialist Robert Stover, Dr. Sharon Pernia and Omiatek and Stover. One of the bridges held 183 pounds before succumbing to the weight.

Students began the 10-day project by first studying different bridge types. They also had to make signs with their company's logo on it and write checks (supplied by the school's partner in business education Standard Federal).

"It was a great experience," Stover said of the first-year project. "I'll certainly do it again next year."



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Meads Mill Middle School seventh graders Keith Droz, Charles Fan and Greg last learned spacial relationship and problem solving from a bridge building exercise.

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# Parade to highlight young child month

By MICHELLE KAISER  
Staff Writer

An April 30 parade and concert will culminate the Early Childhood Center's celebration of the Month of the Young Child.

April has been designated as the Month of the Young Child in Michigan to call attention to the needs of young children, said Mary Kay Gallagher, Early Childhood specialist.

"I think the needs of young children in our society are often overlooked," Gallagher said. "To have a month to focus on young kids is im-

portant and helps us remember what we're here for."

A multitude of activities have been planned at Northville's Early Childhood Center to observe the special month.

Storytellers and a sock hop were held in early April while an ice cream social and a concert with Mary Kay Pryce are scheduled for after spring break.

On April 19, a school-wide recycling program will kick off, emphasizing that children can make a difference.

"We're working on empowering the

child — making sure they feel they have the opportunity to make a difference in the world," Gallagher said of the recycling venture. "They need to know their choices and decisions are important to us. Like with Earth Week, they need to learn that what they do now can make the world a better place for them."

The students will recycle plastic foam, aluminum, tin and Nos. 1 and 2 plastics, Gallagher said. Parent volunteers will transport the items to the Novi Recycling Center.

Probably the most exciting event of

the month, however, will be the third annual young children's parade. The event will last from roughly 5:45 to 6:30 p.m., April 30. Approximately 150 to 200 children will take part in the parade, which will begin at the small park behind the library and police station.

Parents will be invited to walk with their children behind the M.A.G.S. building east to Center Street, then, walking on the sidewalk, north on Center to Main Street, west on Main to Old Village School. There, the children will congregate in the gym-

nasium for a children's concert with musician Scott Free.

Next week, children will be decorating hats to wear in the parade.

"The kids just go nuts over it (the parade)," Gallagher said. "The parents like it, too, because it's a short thing they can do on a Friday evening."

Joining in the parade will be children from Northville's Cooperative Preschool, operated through the First Presbyterian Church of Northville.

## VFW to host ceremony

The Northville VFW Post 4012 and its auxiliary will sponsor its annual police and firefighter appreciation dinner Sunday, April 25.

The event will be held to honor the "Officer of the Year" from the Northville city and township police and fire departments and the Northville State Police Post.

The event will take place at 3 p.m. in the clubroom of the post at 438 S. Main. A donation of \$5 is requested.

It was 10 years ago that Carl Baker came up with the idea of showing appreciation to the area departments in the form of an awards dinner. A special program is planned for this, the 10th anniversary of the dinner.

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| 2. Do you go on eating binges for no apparent reason?                                    | <input type="checkbox"/>     | <input type="checkbox"/>    |
| 3. Do you have feelings of guilt and remorse after overeating?                           | <input type="checkbox"/>     | <input type="checkbox"/>    |
| 4. Do you give too much time and thought to food?                                        | <input type="checkbox"/>     | <input type="checkbox"/>    |
| 5. Is your weight affecting the way you live your life?                                  | <input type="checkbox"/>     | <input type="checkbox"/>    |
| 6. Do you use fasting, strenuous exercise, vomiting or laxatives to control your weight? | <input type="checkbox"/>     | <input type="checkbox"/>    |
| 7. Have you tried to diet for a week (or longer), only to fall short of your goal?       | <input type="checkbox"/>     | <input type="checkbox"/>    |

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# Meads Mill dedicates week for health education

By MICHELLE KAISER  
Staff Writer

"In what way can alcohol be good for you?"

"Do you have to be 21 in order to drink when you're at home?"

Those were just a sample of some of the questions seventh grade Meads Mill students asked a panel of three officials representing the health and law enforcement fields at an event April 7.

Dr. John Farrar, who runs several drug counseling centers including one in Northville; Charlie Stillec,

program coordinator for Northville High School's student assistance program; and Norm Harrington, a trooper with the Northville post of the Michigan State Police took part in the panel, one component to the week-long special health program.

On Monday, students listened to marathon runner and Northville native Doug Kurtis.

"He talked about fitness and what it did for him," Brenda Irish said.

Irish, a social studies teacher, helped coordinate the health education event, along with science teachers Norm Hannewald and Betty

Parker, math teachers Suzanne Omiatek and Rosemary Stover, and English teachers Shirley Klokkenka and Carol Jarocha.

On Tuesday of last week, representatives from the John Casablancas Modeling and Career Center spoke to students about proper dress and skin care.

And last Thursday, students toured the campus at Schoolcraft College, concentrating on the nutrition component of their health program by studying the culinary arts program at the college.

"It was all geared toward health,"

Irish said of the week-long activities. "Each one of the academic classes studied a portion in health, too. In math, they studied fitness by measuring heart rates by using aerobics and graphs. In English they studied nutrition and put on skits illustrating the different nutrients. In science they studied tobacco and its effects."

In social studies class, students discussed alcohol and drugs.

This is the third year Meads Mill has set aside one week to focus on health.

"The kids look forward to it," Irish said.

As far as the two questions asked of the panel: alcohol provides only limited benefits, and is not recommended, according to Ferrar. And it's illegal for parents to provide anyone under the age of 21 with alcohol whether or not the minor is at home, said Harrington.

"I knew where the liquor came from," Stillec said, referring to when he was a teenager. "I knew where the keys (to the liquor cabinet) were. You've got to make the decision on how you're going to let alcohol affect your life."

Ferrar also said there was a direct

relationship between alcoholism and the age at which one starts drinking socially.

"The earlier you start, the more likely you are to evolve into a drinking problem," the doctor said.

Irish said she thinks the students learned a lot from the panel, and from all of last week's activities.

"With teenagers it's sometimes hard to tell how much they're getting," she said. "But the discussions we've been having in social studies have been wonderful. . . . This was the first time with the panel idea. I think it was very successful."

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All interested persons are invited to attend. Verbal comments will be heard at the hearing and any written comments may be sent to the Department of Community Development, 45175 W. Ten Mile Rd., Novi, MI 48375 until 5:00 p.m. Wednesday, April 21, 1993.

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# Colleges might raise tuition in reaction to state

By TIM RICHARD  
Staff Writer

Michigan's 440,000 community college students will pay higher tuition — perhaps for reduced programming — if state budget trends continue.

"We're talking about a three-year freeze on programs," Schoolcraft College president Richard McDowell warned legislators studying Gov. John Engler's proposed two-year budget.

"There's an issue of access," McDowell said.

The educator term "access" means some middle class students may be unable to afford even the two-year colleges that pride themselves on being inexpensive and close to home.

Oakland Community College chancellor Patsy Fulton said her board is considering increasing tuition as much as 10 percent — \$4 a credit hour — on the current base of \$41.

McDowell's Schoolcraft, in northwestern Wayne County, is studying a \$3 increase to \$43.

Fulton said OCC gets only 24 percent of its operating funds from state aid, 37 percent from property taxes, and a hefty 39 percent from tuition.

The state's funding formula visualizes the 29 community colleges getting 50 percent from state aid, 25 percent from property taxes and 25 percent from tuition.

Why? What's going awry in Lansing? The presidents blamed:

■ Flat state aid. The college got \$233

million (adjusted) this year. Engler's two-year budget proposes \$233 million for 1994-95.

"We've never had such a prolonged (bad) period," said Jackson Community College president Clyde LeTarte. Members of the House and Senate appropriations panels listened especially carefully to LeTarte because he is the Republican nominee in a special House election to fill a vacancy.

■ Property tax caps. Last year the Legislature froze assessments. The new school reform proposal on the June 2 ballot would cap assessment growth but not college costs. It promises a 3 percent boost to kindergarten through 12th grade schools but nothing more to community colleges.

■ Retirement costs. State budgets have shifted more of these costs to

the colleges without providing matching dollars.

Fulton said OCC's costs rose by \$4.5 million from \$12.7 million in 1991 to \$17.2 million.

As employees leave, she said, at least half aren't being replaced.

Statewide, health care and retirement costs are rising \$10.4 million this year, according to Tom Bernthal of the Michigan Community College Association.

"There is a new mandated program without funding this year — we must report to each high school the academic status of each student," Bernthal said.

For nearly two decades, the state gave Wayne County Community College a subsidy on top of state aid because voters steadfastly refused to

levy a local property tax.

Only after the Legislature voted to cut the \$7.3 million subsidy did WCC voters approve a millage. WCC includes Detroit, the two Redford school districts, Wayne-Westland, the east side and downtown suburbs.

Engler wants to use the recovered \$7.3 million elsewhere in the state's \$8 billion budget. Community college leaders, however, say it should be spread around the two-year colleges.

But Ken LaSalle, WCC's vice president for administration, asked that his college be given \$2.3 million for one year only to cover "transition" costs. "There may be a cash flow problem" he said.

LaSalle said WCC had cleaned house by reducing the full-time workforce by 100, turning over six officials for prosecution, closing the

western campus near I-275, replacing all top administrators, meeting 143 of 144 audit recommendations and freezing salaries for three years.

But LaSalle was criticized by another president, Gerald Welch of Monroe, for claiming all of Wayne County as WCC's service area.

"There are three other community colleges in the county — Schoolcraft, Henry Ford and Highland Park," Welch said. "The problem (of WCC) is not unique to Wayne County. You should allocate the money equitably."

Sen. Harry Gast, R-St. Joseph, chair of the Senate subcommittee on community colleges, tended to agree. "I can assure you," the veteran lawmaker said dryly, "everyone's programs are the most important ones in the state."

## NOTICE

The Charter Township of Northville is accepting bids for towing services. Interested parties may acquire a Request for Proposal from the Northville Township Clerk's Office, 41600 Six Mile Road, Northville, Michigan 48167. Deadline for receiving proposals is April 29, 1993 at 4:30 p.m.

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CLERK

## NOTICE TO THE RESIDENTS OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE: The Northville Township Board of Trustees has adopted a new fee for reconnection to the solid waste collection to charge anybody \$30.00 to come back into the program after cancellation. These rates will take effect thirty days after publication.

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REQUEST FOR APPLICATIONS TO SERVE AS A MEMBER OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION OR THE BOARD OF REVIEW. The City Council is accepting applications for service as a member of the Planning Commission or the Board of Review. The deadline for receiving applications is May 15th. Should you not be able to meet the deadline, please call the City Clerk for further instructions. The Council will interview applicants during early June. Applications or additional information is available at the City Clerk's Office.

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AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE ZONING ORDINANCE BY AMENDING THE TEXT THEREOF.

PART I. The Charter Township of Northville Zoning Ordinance No. 94 as amended is hereby further amended by amending Article XVIII, GENERAL PROVISIONS, Section 18.13, OFF-STREET PARKING SPACE LAYOUT, STANDARDS, CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE TO READ AS FOLLOWS:

8 The entire parking area, including parking spaces and maneuvering lanes, required under this Section, shall be provided with asphalt or concrete surfacing in accordance with Chapter 80 — Design and Construction Standards of the Charter Township of Northville. The parking area shall be surrounded by concrete curb and gutter constructed in accordance with Township standards. The parking area shall be surfaced within one (1) year of the date the permit is issued. Time extensions due to earth settlement problems may be approved by the Zoning Board of Appeals.

Off-street parking areas shall be drained so as to dispose of all surface water accumulated in the parking area in such a way as to preclude drainage of water onto adjacent property toward buildings.

PART II. Conflicting Provisions Repealed

Any Ordinance or part of Ordinances in conflict herewith are repealed save that in all other respects Ordinance No. 94, as amended, is hereby ratified and reaffirmed.

PART III. Effective Date

The provisions of this ordinance shall be in full force and effective immediately upon publication.

PART IV. Adoption

This ordinance may be adopted by the Township Board of the Charter Township of Northville, pursuant to authority of Act No. 184, Public Acts of 1943, as amended at their next regular meeting.

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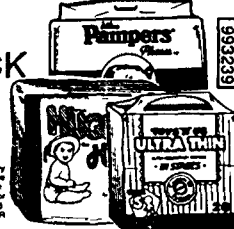
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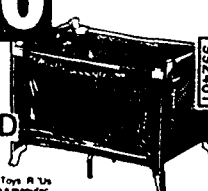
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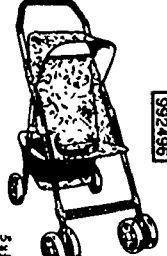


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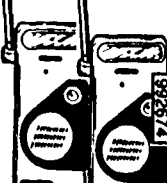


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# Four fill slots on ethics board

By SHARON CONDRON  
Staff Writer

Three residents and one employee have won the four slots on Northville Township's newly created ethics board.

Judith Favre, Leonard Kierszkowski, and Tony Wolf are the three residents who won three-, two-, and one-year terms, respectively, on the board. Fire Inspector Chris Campbell is the lone employee who will serve a one-year term on the enforcement board. They will join Township Supervisor Karen Baja on the five person board.

Favre is a Highland Lakes resident with bachelor's and master's degrees. She's a retired teacher. Kierszkowski is one of the authors of the new code. He is employed as a laboratory supervisor at Ford Motor Co. Wolf has been a Park Gardens resident since 1986. He holds a master's degree in architecture from University of Michigan. He has been the secretary of the Northville Township Building Authority since 1986 and is a member of his homeowners association.

The board will enforce the township's new ethics code which was

adopted by the board in December. The first order of business in front of the new board is to develop its by-laws, a complaint procedure, an investigative and reporting procedure, and an annual disclosure form that's intended to be completed by present and newly elected or appointed township citizens and employees.

As an advisory board, members will inform township employees, elected officials, contractors and public officers of potential conflicts of interest that fall under the umbrella of the new code.

## Senior Briefs

**"SENIOR" PROM:** The students, staff and parents of Cooke Middle School are inviting the Northville Area Senior Citizens to the third annual "Senior Prom" on Wednesday, May 5 at Cooke Middle School. The program begins at 4 p.m. and will continue until 6:30 p.m. Activities include entertainment, dinner and dancing. The students and staff are preparing the meals, which the students will serve. This is guaranteed to be a wonderful evening out. Even if you don't dance, come and enjoy the music and evening. There is no cost to seniors. Transportation will be provided upon request. Pick up time begins at 3:30 p.m. Reservations must be made for the meal and transportation. Please call 349-4140 for information or reservations.

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**TRIP TO SKATING SHOW:** The Northville Senior Citizen Center is providing transportation to see Brian Boltano, Torvill & Dean, Nancy Kerrigan and Peter Barna plus many more skaters perform at the Joe Louis Arena on Wednesday, May 12. Cost for the evening out is \$35.25 and includes round trip transportation, dinner stop (on your own), and seating in section 203-B Rows 2-4. Departure time is 5 p.m. from the Northville Parks and Recreation building. Pickup at your home is available upon request.

**OUTING TO FRANKENMUTH:** Join us on Thursday, May 13 as we head up to Frankenmuth to see the Manifest featuring Myron Floren from the Lawrence Welk Show, Al Nowak and his Edelweiss Orchestra and Linda Lee. Cost for the day's outing is \$36 and includes round trip transportation, full chicken dinner at the Bavarian Inn, admission to the show, and time for shopping in Frankenmuth, Bronner's and Manufacturers Marketplace.

## Mill Race Matters

Thanks to Jerry Miller, John and Lore Reeber, Thom and Maryann Barry, Bob and Beth Benson and all the others who worked on putting together a great Progressive Dinner. This column was promised a complete list of volunteers, but has not yet received it, so to those of you not mentioned, thanks as well. The decorations were spectacular and the food, as always, was great. Appetizers were served at the church and Cady Inn at Mill Race. Again, the list is incomplete, but dinners were served at the Gazlays, the Stuarts, the Crydermans, the Paynes, the Marenkos, and several others. For dessert the participants visited the Johnson, Miller and Field homes. Thanks to everyone for a great evening. Thanks also to Brickscape for the use of a fountain as part of the decoration for the dinner.

The Northville Historical Society also thanks Linda Romanenko and her employer Allied Signal for their matching gift donation. The Society also thanks Linda for pointing out our ability to receive matching gift donations. If your employer is a matching gift contributor consider this for future Mill Race Village, Northville Historical Society donations. It could greatly increase the organization's income at no additional cost to our membership.

Remember this weekend, Saturday, April 17, Pat Hibbard will hold a rose pruning clinic in the Yerkes Rose Garden from 1 to 3 p.m. There is no charge. Members and non-members are welcome. On the following Saturday, April 24, Mill Race docents will meet for their spring luncheon at noon in the Cady Inn. Docents are urged to call Ruth Crawford, 348-0498, for additional information. The luncheon is an opportunity for new members interested in becoming involved to get to know fellow members and longtime workers and to learn about docenting opportunities. Even non-members can volunteer to serve as Sunday afternoon docents throughout the village summer season. Docents usually work four or five Sundays each season. Call Ruth for more details.

The archives excerpt this week again comes

from the notes Jack Hoffman used to compile his book, *Northville, the First Hundred Years*. Unfortunately, some of the handwritten notes of Arch Yerkes are not decipherable.

"Mr. Curtis claimed to be world's best rifle shot and egg producer — gets on the street car — . . . slipped out on bad . . . fired from hip and put out . . . played on Cornell football team. He was a bragger about his kicking. M & L (Manus and Lochlin) bought Griswold farm. A major part of the lake (was located on the farm). S.W. Curtis, founder Detroit Legal News, (was earlier owner). His wife was a Shaw, her father bought it years earlier . . . in late twenties Silver Springs Subdivision. Curtis got it back and sold it to M & L. Mr. Curtis died in 1924. Daughter Katherine . . . alive . . . Mrs. aunt, Dr. Anna Shaw. When Shaw bought, moved part of house over to about where entrance to Highland Lakes is now located. Prior to Shaws it belonged to my grandfather Joseph (Yerkes who had) no occupation but farming. (The lake was originally) surrounded by tamarack trees. The south side of Eight Mile was gravel while the north side was clay so my grandfather nearby plowed all around house — got pine at Vassar. Wade spent winter and built wind-downs and door frames."

Next week's column will conclude Mr. Yerkes memories written late in his life.

## CALENDAR

**Friday, April 16**  
Wedding, Church..... private  
**Saturday, April 17**  
Rose Pruning Clinic, Rose Garden..... 1-3 p.m.  
**Sunday, April 18**  
Private, Church 2:30-4:30 p.m.  
**Thursday, April 22**  
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## Obituaries

### EDWARD M. OWENS

Edward M. Owens, 68, died April 5 at his residence in Algonac. He was born in Albany, Ky. on Oct. 5, 1924 to the late Maxie Owens and Mollie Owens.

Surviving Mr. Owens is his wife, Frances Owens of Algonac; his daughters Kathleen Owens of Plymouth; his son David E. Owens of Plymouth; his granddaughter Chelsea Gail Owens of Plymouth; his brother E. Keith Owens of Newport Beach, Calif.; his sister Lucille Dunnington of Newcastle, Ind.; and his sister Thelma Brown of Newcastle.

Mr. Owens was a resident of Northville from 1964 until 1988 when he moved to Algonac. Mr. Owens was a property manager for 25 years. He retired from Kiroo Realty in Troy in 1992. Prior to Kiroo Realty, Mr. Owens worked for Dayton-Hudson Properties and the Renaissance Center. Mr. Owens served in the U.S. Army in World War II.

Visitation was at the Northrop Funeral Home, April 7 from 5-8 p.m. and Thursday, April 8 from 2-8 p.m. Services were Friday at 10 a.m. at the

funeral home. The Rev. George Dunnington officiated. Memorials to the charity of choice would be appreciated.

### THOMAS N. McLAUGHLIN

Thomas N. McLaughlin, 64, of Northville died April 9 in his home. He was born April 1, 1929, in Highland Park to the late Martin H. McLaughlin and Irene Williams. His wife, Barbara J. McQuillen, survives him.

Surviving with his wife are their sons, Raymond S. of Wixom, Arthur M. of Royal Oak and Stephen T. of Northville.

Mr. McLaughlin lived most of his life in the area as an electrical engineer. He was a member of Masons Rubicon of Detroit, a past Commander Antler No. 334 Engineering Society of Detroit, a member of the Illuminating Society and KEK-Delta of Michigan.

A memorial service will be held Saturday, April 17, at Casterline Funeral Home at 2 p.m.

The family would appreciate memorials to the American Cancer

Foundation or Angela Hospice.

### CATHERINE O'BRIEN

Catherine O'Brien, 71, of Plymouth died April 7 in Plymouth. She was born Dec. 26, 1921, in Petrolia, Ont., Canada.

Surviving is her husband, Edward P. of Plymouth; her sons Michael of Plymouth, Kevin of Westland and Edward of Grosse Pointe Woods; her daughter Gail of Raleigh, N.C.; eight grandchildren, one great-grandchild; and her brother, Norman Moore of Plymouth.

She retired in 1971 as an accounting clerk at Bendix Aerospace in Ann Arbor. She also worked part time at the North Territorial Veterinary clinic and came to the Plymouth/Northville community 40 years ago. She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Northville and the Vivians-Farmington Elks.

Funeral services were April 9 at the Schrader Funeral Home, Plymouth. Memorials to the Arbor Hospice or the American Lung Association would be appreciated by the family.

### MARIAN LENORA BOURGON

Marian Lenora Bourgon, 75, of Northville, died April 11 in her daughter's home in Livonia of cancer. She was born July 13, 1917, in South Bend, Ind., to the late Walter Garfield Maurer and Pearl Virginia Crepeau. Her husband since 1936, Farmand R. Bourgon, preceded her in death in 1973.

She is survived by her children, Peggy Temple of Livonia, Richard W. Bourgon of Troy, J. Kenneth Bourgon of Livonia, and 11 grandchildren.

She lived in Livonia from 1945 to 1969, then moved to Northville. She was a secretary for the Livonia School District for 20 years. She was also active in the Rosedale Gardens Civic Association, was a member of St. Michael Church in Livonia and served as a volunteer at St. Mary Hospital.

Funeral services were April 14 at St. Colette Church, Livonia at 10 a.m. The Rev. Joseph Ferens officiated. Interment was at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Southfield.

A scripture service was held Tuesday, April 13, at 7:45 p.m. at Harry J. Will Funeral Home, Livonia.

## ACORD welcomes New Detroit guest

Vivian Buffington of New Detroit Inc. will be the guest speaker at the April 20 meeting of A Community Organization Recognizing Diversity (ACORD).

The meeting will be held at 7 p.m. in Northville High School. Signs will be posted indicating the meeting room. There is no charge for the event.

Buffington is the director of race relations for New Detroit. She will show a video tape called "True Colors," which provides visual images of what racial discrimination looks like.

A discussion will follow. New Detroit is the nation's oldest urban coalition. Formed in response to the riots of 1967, it is composed of representatives from business, religion, labor, education, government, and community organizations. The group advocates programs in the city of Detroit that help improve race relations and promote the development of various community entities.

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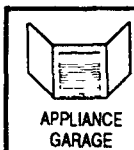
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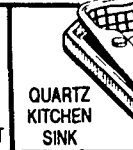
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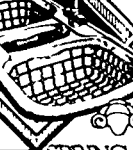
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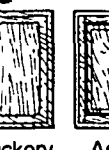
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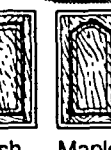
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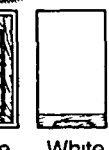
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# Trustees disagree over commission hopefuls

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there was any or enough support for the appointment. I didn't poll the board members to see."

Baja contends Connell's recommendation wasn't her own. She said Connell would have been the next likely choice for a planning commission seat if board members would have stuck to the recommendations they made in the winter. In late December and early January Baja said she asked each of the board members

to make recommendations to fill the 20-25 openings on township committees and commissions. Six of the seven board members responded to Baja's informal survey. Trustee Barbara O'Brien was the only trustee who failed to respond.

At that time, Connell was the top vote-getter among board members for the next available planning commission seat. She was overlooked earlier this year for a commission seat because of a legal stipulation that forced the board to appoint a

Zoning Board of Appeals representative to the planning commission.

But now that there were two open seats, Connell should have been the likely choice, according to Baja.

"The board members said back in December that Rebecca was their choice and now they don't want her?" Baja said. "I want these people to tell me why Rebecca is suddenly not qualified. Have her qualifications

changed since December of 1992?"

Baja said she believes Engelland's actions are just a continuation of the power struggle that exists between board members. She thinks Engelland opposes Connell because she and Baja are friends.

"Rebecca is a friend of mine," Baja said. "I encouraged her to run for a trustee's position. She's intelligent." Baja said she also took issue with

the notion that Connell's appointment was not challenged by any trustee at the board's last study session on March 25. She said that would have been the time for Engelland or anyone else on the board to question the appointment.

Engelland said he never meant to make this a public issue. He said he called her to avoid turning it into one. When asked if he would back the re-

commendation now, Engelland said Rebecca would be among the contenders.

"We have to look at all the resumes that have been turned in since December for commission appointments. There are some very strong ones there — Rebecca is one of them — but I would probably talk with Rebecca first before that issue comes up again."

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April 26. Northbound Middlebelt closes from Wick to Smith; I-94 is reduced to two lanes each direction plus an on/off ramp lane in each direction; all ramps from Middlebelt to I-94 are closed, and two ramps to I-94 from Merriman are closed. Most ramps and Middlebelt Road will reopen to traffic at the end of July.

August and September. Northbound Merriman is reduced to one lane north of I-94; the northbound Merriman to eastbound I-94 ramp is closed for two weeks (dates to be determined); the ramp from both southbound and northbound Middlebelt to westbound I-94 remains closed.

Late November to Spring, 1994. I-94 is opened to three lanes each direction plus ramp lanes; Merriman and Middlebelt Roads opened completely; all ramps fully opened for traffic.

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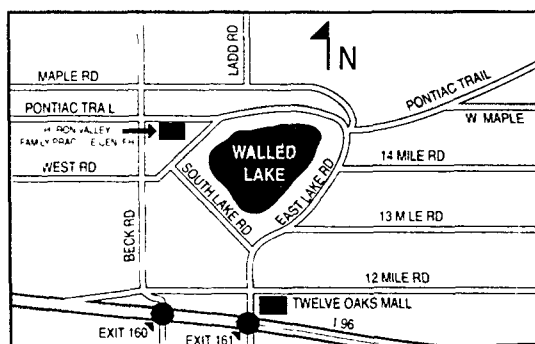
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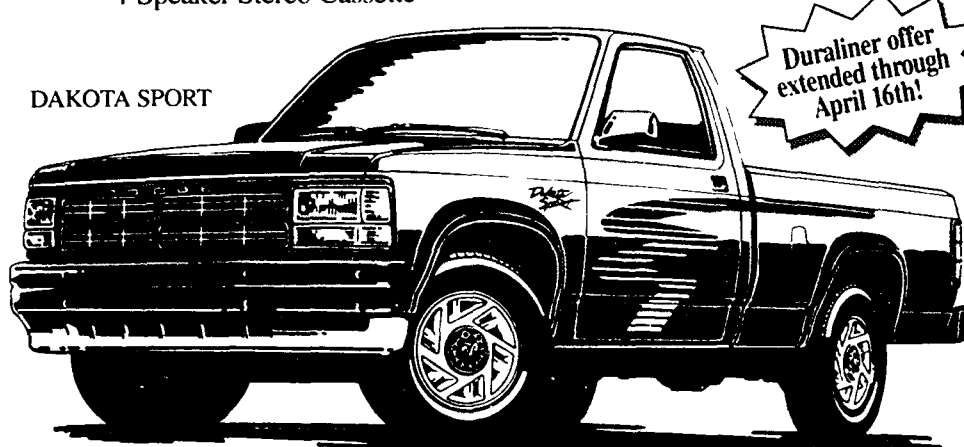
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# Committee seeks nominees for club honoring alumni

By MICHELLE KAISER  
Staff Writer

As principal of Northville High School, Thomas Johnson has a lot of tough decisions to make.

In his second year at Northville, he's realizing that one of his toughest decisions is selecting one person to be inducted into the district's Distinguished Alumni Club.

"My first year through it — being a part of the committee — was one of the neatest experiences," the principal said. "We have a number of people with tremendous backgrounds, who have graduated from here, who are just fascinating."

Last year, 12 graduates were candidates for the prestigious award. The competition was tough, but Velma Lewis Ward came out the winner.

A descendant of the Lewis family represented in Jack Hoffman's *Northville, The First Hundred Years*, Ward is a biochemist and anthropologist who graduated from Northville High School in 1949. She has a master of science degree in physiological chemistry from Wayne State University.

Ward has worked as a research assistant in the biochemistry of mental disease at the Lafayette Clinic in Detroit. She also served as assistant director of a Detroit area precollege engineering program and recently served as vice president of the Detroit chapter of the Association for Women in Science.

Nominees for this year's award will

be reviewed by a committee consisting of representatives from the student body, community, faculty, and central office and high school administration. Serving on last year's committee were Jean Couse, Bruce Turnbull, Jean Hansen, Patricia Dorrian-Sandbothe, Jack Wickens, Dolly McMaster, Barbara LeBoeuf, Chris Ford, Chris Johnson, three students and the principal himself.

"We'll go back and look at a number of things," Johnson said of the review process. "We'll look at the overall application, the contribution they've made to distinguish themselves or the contribution they've made to the community. We're looking for unique and distinguished things they've done in their life."

The Distinguished Alumni Club began a decade ago when David Bolitho, assistant superintendent for instructional services, was employed as the high school principal. He borrowed the idea from former superintendent George Bell, who in turn suggested the award from his days as a principal in the Wayne-Westland district.

The award will be presented during commencement June 11.

Nominations will be accepted through April 14. The review committee will meet in May to select a winner.

All letters of nomination should be sent to: Northville High School, Distinguished Alumni, 775 N. Center St., Northville, Mich., 48167.

# Businessmen aid in Cuban relief effort

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keeps growing and growing."

Young said he will allow U.S. customs agents to inspect all the supplies before the flotilla departs April 17 and 18, and he hopes that will satisfy the government.

"Do we have a license?" he said. "No. Do we expect any trouble? None whatsoever."

Oldford, who originally had planned on a simple boating and

fishing expedition to the island, admitted to a little trepidation about taking part in the flotilla. "Let's just hope that it works out," he said. "That's a lot of supplies."

Oldford's plans for the 90-mile crossing include landing at Marha Hemingway, just east of Havana. "Then we're going to work our way down the coast, probably easterly," he said. "There are several other ports along that northern shore of Cuba."

The Newfie Bullet and its seven-man crew will return to Key West the following week.

Editors Note: Reporter Steve Kellman plans to make the trip to Cuba aboard the Newfie Bullet and file an account of the trip upon his return.



Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

## Master minds

A team from Meads Mill Middle School placed fourth out of 28 middle schools in Michigan in the Knowledge Master Open. Team members include (in no particular order) Michael Addison, Kristen Cardinal, Matt Demmer, Collin Dow, Erin Hayden, Emily Howland, Jenni Kostrzowski, Kim Lang,

Shannon McBride, Sharon O'Brian, Mike Ryzyl, Lisa Scheich, Matt Schianser, Precious Shah, Bryan Shields and Thomas Sunberg. Cardinal received the highest score and serves as captain of the team.

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# Happy Spring!



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## Furry friend

The Easter Bunny aimed to please when he came to town last Saturday, but not everyone was overjoyed. Above, Nancy Naseradi positions her grandchildren, David and Samantha on Bunny's lap as Christopher Compo waits with camera poised. The visit was sponsored by the Jaycees and taking home raffle prizes

were Kala Ashlee, Michale Bennett, Nikki Goodling, Natasha Kaounas, Gina Marie Thomas, Daniel Rhodes, Jessica Rushlow and Brandon Compo. The lucky winner of the grand prize of a 10-speed bike from Town and Country Hardware was Daniel Rhodes.

## Free seedlings available for residents

All Northville city and township residents are invited to pick up free tree seedlings at Fish Hatchery Park on Saturday, April 17 between 9 a.m. and noon. A drivers license or other valid documentation will be needed to show residency.

The Northville city and township Beautification Committees are jointly sponsoring this project in honor of Arbor Day. The commissions hope that proper planting and maintenance of these trees by residents will help to reforest the local area and provide wildlife habitat. There will be six varieties available.

To ensure a successful planting, the commissions recommend that program participants "look before

they plant." Look up to make sure the tree will not become entangled with power lines, wires or eaves; look down to see what type of soil the tree will grow in and to see how wet or dry the site is; also look down to make sure the tree roots won't someday lift the sidewalks. City residents are reminded that trees cannot be planted between the sidewalk and the street.

Look around to determine the exposure of the site. Deciduous trees, those that lose their leaves in the fall, are best planted on the southeast, southwest or west side of the house to provide cooling shade in summer while allowing warming winter sunlight. Evergreens on the north can help block cold winter winds. Look

around to make sure the tree, when mature, won't shade a garden, block a scenic view, interfere with outdoor lighting, or encroach on a neighbor.

Be sure to protect young seedlings from water stress. One inch of rain a week is enough; otherwise you must provide the water. Protect seedlings from mowers or weed whips by either staking the tree or planting it in a special nursery bed. Try to assess the planting site before coming to Fish Hatchery Park to select the right tree for the right place.

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# RECORD OPINION

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## Our Opinion

### Hardball politics are out of place on board

The specter of political gamesmanship is rearing its head in Northville Township and it's not a pretty sight.

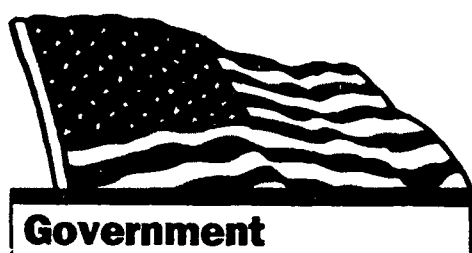
A few months ago, elected officials were asked to list their preferences for appointments to the various township commissions and committees and Rebecca Connell emerged as the top candidate to fill the next available opening on the planning commission. Connell ran unsuccessfully for the township board last November, and is generally regarded as a qualified, informed member of the community.

But now that the time has come to fill a vacancy on the commission, things have changed. Connell, of course, isn't any less qualified now than she was around the beginning of the year, but she is saddled with some political baggage she didn't have before.

Back in February, a friend of Connell's went before trustees during the public participation portion of the board's regular monthly meeting and read from a statement Connell had written. She said in no uncertain terms that she was appalled at the unprofessional conduct of Trustee Barbara O'Brien and called for an end to the in-fighting that was blocking constructive action. Supervisor Karen Baja allowed Connell's friend to continue for a minute or two, then thought better of it and put an end to the speech. The supervisor said the issue would be best left to a more private discussion.

Baja's decision to stop the speech spared O'Brien further embarrassment but came too late to save Connell from accumulating political demerit points. The die was cast — she had made enemies of O'Brien and the trustee's allies on the board.

Last week, Baja was considering submitting Connell's name for appointment to the planning commission until treasurer Rick Engelland advised her in a phone conversation not to bother. Engelland had talked to another board member and found that Connell was unofficially persona non grata. There probably



would not be enough votes in her favor to gain her the appointment.

The political payback is routinely used on big stakes bodies like the state Legislature, the Chicago City Council and, of course, the Congress, but it is reasonable to hold out the hope that local governments will be able to operate free of its constraints. The negative influence of personality conflicts is particularly unseemly at the local level, where citizens ostensibly run for office out of a desire to bring modest improvement to the life of the community. On part-time and volunteer boards where the rate of remuneration (when there is one) doesn't begin to compensate people for their time and energy, what other motivation can there be?

But, instead of voting for the person they themselves named as the best qualified to serve, a majority of trustees chose to play political tit-for-tat and turn their noses up at Connell. The issue of appointing someone to fill the unexpired term of former planning commissioner Charles DeLand was not dealt with at the last Board of Trustees meeting.

It is our hope that trustees will be able to rise above the narrowness of payback voting and act on their convictions. If Connell isn't named to the planning commission it won't be the end of the world, but a sorry precedent will have been set. The door will have been opened to the formation of cliques and the practice of casting votes to reward friends and punish enemies. And there would be no excuse for that. After all, this isn't Lansing.

Lee Snider

### There's just no accounting



April Fool's Day fell on a Thursday this year, one of the days of the week when *The Northville Record* is published. The coincidence was too much for our energetic editorial staff to overlook, and Our Town editor Sharon Condron took the lead in preparing a mock front page that featured some clever story parodies.

There were articles saying that a gigantic dome was going to be built over the city's central business district and that the Victorian Festival was going to be turned into a big hippie celebration. There were also stories claiming that Woolly Bully's was going to set up its corporate headquarters on 923 acres of land in Northville Township and that a new lottery game would allow gamblers to wager on almost anything, including the outcome of the Sunday night movie.

It was all in fun, of course, and we did our best to make sure no one would take the page 9-B spread for the real thing. At the top of the page, we placed the Wayne's World interjection "Not" in front of the familiar *Record* banner and at the bottom we ran a reverse headline exclaiming "HA-HA, APRIL FOOLS!" in a type size that normally would be reserved for the coming of Armageddon.

In addition, there was an index box with such entries as "misguided views" and "false information." Finally, there were the stories themselves, which were obviously satirical and complete with plays on officials' names: City Manager Gary Word became Gary Wordy, and the state lottery commissioner was identified as Ivana Bet.

Nevertheless, in spite of all the precautions, the inevitable

occurred. Yes, indeed, some people failed to detect the humorous tone of the articles and became convinced that official Northville had flipped its collective wig. I'm told almost two dozen people called the Chamber of Commerce to protest the outrageous developments they had read about in the local newspaper. One older woman called me and was so shaken by the phony stories that she was unable to calm herself even after she realized the whole thing was meant as a joke.

Probably the best known case of mass hysteria from mock reportage was caused by *The War of the Worlds*, the 1938 radio play that depicted an invasion of the planet by crazed Martian aggressors. Thousands of people were said to have been panicked by the broadcast, but considering the conditions and the times, it's a wonder the U.S. military wasn't ordered into an immediate mobilization. No disclaimers were used during the program, which was full of dramatic "eyewitness" accounts of the horrific happening. What's more, people back then were much less sophisticated about what they read and heard. The unfathomable power of the information media commanded automatic, unquestioned credulity among members of the consuming public.

Ever since *The War of the Worlds* caused widespread alarm, producers of realistic drama programs have taken great pains to avoid misunderstanding. Remember how regular written reminders, called crawlers, ran across the bottom of your screen during the airing of *The Day After*? That was just in case people got the idea that what they were seeing was, in fact, a nuclear holocaust being shown, with occasional commercial interruption, on prime time TV.

I suppose the hopeless naivete of some people is something that will always be with us, no matter how advanced we become. It's hard to understand sometimes, but it sure helps explain the appeal of oddballs like David Koresh.

## Bryan Mitchell/Moments



### 'Stroller heaven'

Youngsters abandoned their strollers in great numbers to sit on Mom or Dad's shoulders to see Mickey Mouse.

Tim Richard

### Even criminals need sunshine



The customer was very dissatisfied. He had ordered a videotape.

The vendor gave him a long story about why it was unavailable. Finally, the vendor said it was available, for \$78. The customer paid, but never saw his videotape and never got back his \$78.

Sounds like a nightmare version of an ordinary consumer problem. Well, the vendor was the law enforcement system in Detroit. The videotape was of an interrogation. The very dissatisfied customer was an inhabitant of the Charles Egeler Facility, Jackson — in other words, a guest of the Michigan Department of Corrections.

He was in my audience Saturday when I spoke about the state Freedom of Information Act.

FOIA is a law that applies to "all persons." You don't have to be a white male adult, an adult, or even a citizen to make a FOIA request. A 12-year-old Mexican illegal has the same rights under FOIA as the Wayne County prosecutor, who once had to use the act to pry evidence from a certain mayor.

I'm not an attorney and don't file FOIA lawsuits. The Michigan FOI Committee does stock copies of the law and major court decisions. We encourage people to exercise their rights under Michigan's twin "sunshine laws," FOIA and the Open Meetings Act.

The inmates were upset over a ruling against David DeScorcy, who sued the Department of Corrections and its library. DeScorcy wanted to inspect final orders in prison discipline cases and their supporting records.

But the State Court of Appeals held that the Legislature had removed disciplinary hearings from the Administrative Procedures Act, thus removing those hearings from the definition of "contested cases" for purposes of the FOIA.

Inmates can't learn the underlying reasoning, just the final order. They want to know why, when four men have done the same thing, one gets off, one gets five days discipline, and so on. Does personal favoritism have anything to do with it? Or maybe race? It's an official secret.

Inmates are worried about the fellows in the next bunk, or serving food on the chowline, who might have AIDS. They can't find out.

They grouse over having to pay the state 20 cents a page for FOIA requests.

At the State Law Library, one floor below the Michigan Supreme Court in Lansing, I pay 10 cents a page for copying. Most libraries charge 10 cents. Some commercial copiers are even cheaper.

At that, prison inmates are better off than people requesting information from the Livonia Police Department, which charges \$5 for the first and \$2 for the second page. Police in Farmington Hills charge \$3 for the first page.

A black inmate wanted to know how juries were selected in an outstate county. The county seat city has a large black neighborhood, but somehow his jurors came from the white population of the surrounding townships.

The prosecutor wrote him that the jury selection process was "exempt" under FOIA. The inmate smelled a rat.

The inmate smelled right. I had discussed jury selection with the clerk of the county. Yes, indeed, he did put older white township residents on the jury panel because they were looking for something to do and needed a bit of extra cash.

Some friends think I'm nuts for being nice to inmates.

It's not Liberalism. I learned my lesson. When authoritarian government intends to shaft people, it starts with minorities like inmates, high school newspaper editors, Gypsies and Jews. To protect the suburban white middle class, we have to protect other groups first.

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## Letters

## Dirt road residents oppose editorial

To the Editor:

When I first came into the Northville area there were many miles of dirt roads in the city as well as township.

The area consisted of dairy farms, apple orchards and gravel pits. If you wanted to live in the area you probably bought on a dirt road as I did or not at all. Who would have ever thought that the farms and gravel pits would one day be turned into condos, apartments, cluster houses and subdivisions?

I've seen gravel trucks going through the city from Eight Mile to Sheldon, which was also a dirt road. When the truck traffic became a problem they were rerouted to other roads, such as Beck. Now that Beck has been paved and now heavily traveled, the overflow now uses other roads (dirt roads) causing more dust than ever before.

Had people not bought in Northville and Northville Township years ago on dirt roads, what would the population be today?

Years ago road oil was put down on the dirt roads once a year. There was no dust problem then, as there was no traffic to speak of.

We who live on dirt roads put up with a lot of mud and don't complain. Our roads are the last to have snow removal if any at all. Can you remember the last time you saw a salt truck going down a dirt road except to turn around or go cross country?

The article written in Monday's paper by the editor wasn't written by someone who even lives in the area of concern.

R.L.L.

## Clinton's plans are socialistic

To the Editor:

I just wanted to tell you and your readers that as far as I am concerned the Clinton Administration is leading this country down the primrose path to socialism and it stinks.

As the Federal Government discovers ever more creative ways to confiscate the nation's private wealth, it is dramatically expanding the definition of what is income. The Treasury Department, in a trend that began in the mid-1980s, wants to replace adjusted gross income with something called "Family Economic Income." When President Clinton used this new accounting trick to calculate the effects of his tax increases, there was an uproar, largely in response to the publicity Rush Limbaugh gave it on his program. But once it became clear that families wouldn't be taxed on the new definition of income the outcry subsided.

This represents a false calm. The treasury does indeed plan to expand the definition of income a little at a time, until the new statistic of "Family Economic Income" can be used. It's a way of dramatically raising taxes without having to admit to doing so.

Besides wages, interest, dividends and tips, here's what the new definition includes: 1. The assumed rental value of a family-owned home (that is you would pay tax on the income you would have received if you rented your home); 2. Tax deductions claimed for IRA contributions; 3. The annual increase in the value of life insurance policies and pensions; 4. Tax-exempt interest; 5. The health and life insurance premiums, and other fringe benefits provided by employer.

As you can see there is great cause for concern. If you are a productive individual the Clinton Administration is coming after you. It is coming to the point that you will have your paycheck directly deposited into Uncle Bill's wallet and he will give you an allowance to live on in poverty.

I wonder how long it will take for the American people to reject the socialistic agenda and throw the Liberal Democrats and Statist Republicans out of office and call for the economic policies of laissez-faire capitalism to be adopted that made this country great for the first 140 years of its history. I hope that for our sake the new bumper sticker that reads "Clinton, Gore gone in four," will become a reality in 1996.

Harry Lutz

## Service at library is poor

To the Editor:

It is with great sadness that I write to add my two-cents on the proposed library issue. I believe the drop in Northville's circulation is due to the poor attitude of our local librarians. Rather than expand our facility, why don't we send our li-

brarians to a customer service seminar?

I can't remember the last time I was greeted with a hello, good afternoon or good-bye. I have been at the library five minutes before closing time and they have been closed. I have seen small children scolded for asking questions and adults treated rather abruptly. There is something about a library that is somewhat intimidating and people don't tend to speak up.

The director chooses to ignore obvious problems—a minor one is sloppy attire.

We should strive to encourage our youth to read and love books. My happiest hours are spent reading. I am glad I don't have to ask our librarians for help. If I need a book I go to Northville. If I need help I go to Novi.

Constance J. Conder

## Land owners to pay share

To the Editor:

In response to the article in *The Northville Record* of March 18, "Businesses get grant for Gerald upgrading," some important facts missing from this article were:

1. The \$532,138 grant will only pay for a portion of the work.  
2. All the property owners on Gerald Avenue, except the City of Northville, are paying a total of \$177,400 towards these road improvements.

3. Most important, let's give credit where credit is due. This grant was secured by many hours of research and work performed by township employee Maureen Oslecki, township Trustee Russ Fogg, and Highland Lakes property manager Ray Thompson. Thank you for a job well done.

Ray Krusinski

## Give credit on grant acquisition

To the Editor:

In response to article in *The Northville Record* of March 18, "Businesses get grant for Gerald upgrading," Some important facts missing from this article were:

● 1. The \$532,138 grant will only pay for a portion of the work.  
● 2. All the property owners on Gerald Avenue, except the City of Northville, are paying a total of \$177,400 towards these road improvements.

● 3. Most important, let's give credit where credit is due. This grant was secured by many hours of research and work performed by Township employee Maureen Oslecki, Township Trustee Russ Fogg and Highland Lakes Property Manager Ray Thompson. Thank you for a job well done.

Ray Krusinski

## Bunny visit was big hit with kids

To the Editor:

The visit with the Easter Bunny was a "hopping" success! Over 400 children had a chance to personally meet our fluffy friend. Every child walked away with a candy-filled egg, a prize, a helium-filled balloon, and of course, a smile! The Easter Bunny wants to acknowledge and thank the sponsors of this special event. In all, there was a total of 55 sponsors for this event—a tremendous showing of community spirit and generosity. I hope those who enjoyed the Easter Bunny's arrival realize that this event is only possible because there are merchants and organizations that care about the children of our community.

Visit With the Easter Bunny sponsors were: American Speedy Printing, Anne's Crafts, Anne's Fabrics, Arbor Drugs, Baby Baby, Bookstall on the Main, Border Cantina, Brickscape Gardens, Cap-N-Cork, Center Street Cafe, Crawford's Bakery Connection, Custard Time, Domino's Pizza, Northville, Fleet Feet Sports, Genitti's Hole-in-the-Wall, Goldsmith Galleries, Great American Pizza, Highland Lakes Florist, IV Seasons Flowers, Joe's Sport Shop, Joseph's Coney Island, Juan Carlo's, Little Caesars, Leisure Time Pet Center, Long's Fancy Bath Boutique, MacKinnon's Restaurant, Marquis Theatre, McDonald's Six Mile/Haggerty, Michigan Made Inc., New Wing Hing, Northville Jewelers, Northville Pharmacy & Old Fashioned Soda Fountain, Northville Public Schools, Northville Township Po-

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I thank you for your assistance in bringing the magic and the splendor of the Easter Bunny to Northville's children.

Nancy Werth

## Officials must be accountable

To the Editor:

I would like to clarify and expand upon some of the points raised in *The Northville Record* article regarding my FOIA requests to the Northville Public Schools (NPS), as well as my motives.

First, let's remember that in these days of fiscal restraint, every dollar spent frivolously by the NPS administration is one less dollar spent on students in the classroom, and ultimately one more dollar that has to be paid by all of us.

Second, the NPS administration is employed by us, the community. They are accountable to us for their actions on the job, whether it's praise for good performance or criticism for employing an alleged child molester.

Third, Michigan law requires the NPS to respond within five business days to every request for information, written or verbal.

When Superintendent Rezmierski told me last fall that the content of the *School News* was based on adopted policies and established programs, I asked to see a copy of the policies. It wasn't until several weeks beyond the FOIA-mandated deadline that he admitted that there are no such policies.

In your article, Rezmierski claimed that the questionable expense report on Robert Faber "was a savings to us," when in fact, five days parking at US Park is 37 percent less than the additional mileage we reimbursed. Rezmierski said the reimbursement was made from Brighton rather than Northville because of an administrative directive. When FOIA'd for a copy of the directive, he admitted that it, too, does not exist.

William Hamilton went to a conference in Dallas last October. For seven weeks now, Rezmierski has refused to tell me the relevance of this trip to Hamilton's job description, even though he promised an answer by March 12. Documents show: Hamilton stayed at a hotel booked by conference promoters, not his secretary, that cost the children of Northville \$180 more than the Best Western next door; airfare for his personal trip to Tucson cost the children of Northville an additional \$140 over the Dallas airfare alone. And don't believe we saved \$200 because he took vacation time and stayed over Saturday. The primary portion of Hamilton's trip was the five day family visit in Tucson, followed by a two and a half day conference in Dallas. Using NPS logic to determine "savings," perhaps if we paid for a few more personal trips, we could "save" enough money to rehire the laid off teachers.

I don't expect administrative activity to cease, but on behalf of the children and the community, I do expect accountability. When my queries are ignored, or answered with evasive double talk, I become suspicious.

Robert Barnard

(Editor's note: Documents from the Washington Area Travel Service indicate that the Tucson portion of Hamilton's trip to the southwest lowered the cost of the trip from \$551 to \$340.)

## Educational reform needed

To the Editor:

Mr. Hoffman and the rest of the educational establishment appear sensitive to the phrase "real world." To salaried professionals who have experienced corporate cultural reformation brought about by intense competitive market pressures, "real world" implies:

● Base compensation determined by market forces for each specific position (Remember supply and demand?)  
● Raises based on individual per-

formance (no COLA).

● Progression is individually earned (i.e. not automatic) and a master's degree guarantees nothing (Individual performance must be enhanced.)

● Raises are not handed out before the budget is known and the budget directly relates to the quality of the product.

● Unproductive individuals who abuse the system are purged regardless of corporate economic health.

● Layoffs based on individual performance rather than seniority.

● Ever-increasing contributions toward health care (Co-pays, etc.)  
● Fewer highly paid administrative positions (via the empowerment of working level employees.)

Perhaps the educational establishment is sensitive to the phrase "real world" because their obsolete Soviet-style system bears no resemblance to it. High priced lobbyists, catchy slogans and public relations campaigns promoting self-interests are not going to change this basic truth.

Respect can't be forced on the public, it must be earned. Reforming the educational system to resemble the "real world" would create an environment where respect could be earned, on an individual basis, through exceptional effort. If the educational establishment will not reform itself the voters will do it by removing school board officials who are sympathetic to the status quo (Usually these are members of the educational establishment) refusing millage increases and support schools of choice.

Ronald D. Valo

## Road palliative should be paid for

To the Editor:

You really should get your facts straight before you slam honest taxpayers in Northville Township, (your editorial, March 29). When I moved onto Meade Street, a secondary, dirt road, the township was paying for road palliative. Therefore it's not like "I knew what I was in for." I suppose you're tired of your news columns being filled repeatedly with such boring material, but the issue in Northville Township is not as cut and dry as simple special assessment districts. I have solicited the 51 percent of signatures necessary to seal the deal for palliative assessment.

It is true that the country pays for palliative of all "primary" dirt roads in the township; therefore, do you have an objection to your tax dollars being used for this purpose? You didn't mention that. Maybe you didn't realize the difference.

I also urge you to dig through back issues of *The Record* and discover for yourself how township residents of secondary dirt roads found out that palliative had been discontinued (cough, cough.) Special assessment districts are a feasible solution but such an alternative should have been introduced long before the services were discontinued.

You really touched on a sore spot with your editorial, not because we are too cheap to pay for the service. At this point most are too leary of the governmental, administrative bodies to trust them to appropriate the assessments for our best interests.

Julie Fountain

## Road charge idea unfair

To the Editor:

I wish to disagree with your editorial concerning the application of chloride to dirt roads in Northville Township. Must we assume that since you live on a paved road you never have the occasion to travel any of the unpaved roads? This is the same mentality (held by a few) regarding the payment of school taxes when you have no children in the school system.

If the dirt roads were used exclusively by "dirt road residents" you might have an argument, but since this is not the case, where is your justification? Our road is probably more heavily traveled than a majority of the paved township roads and it seems proper that the upkeep is a shared expense. We get little enough return for our tax dollars (no water, no sewers). Should we pay additional dollars so you won't get your car dusty when you drive through?

Think about it!

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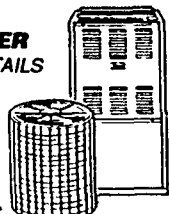


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# Forensics team talks its way to national finals

By MICHELLE KAISER  
Staff Writer

Thinking that his forensics team tournament was on a Saturday, Jeff Schroder knew he was in trouble when his teammate Matt Cowles walked into sociology class wearing a suit Friday, March 12.

"I looked at the heavens and said, 'Oh my God, there's a tournament today,'" Schroder said.

The high school senior raced home to change his clothes and met up with the rest of the team at Birmingham Groves High School where the tournament was being held.

"I didn't have time to get my magazine clippings I had collected," Schroder said.

"Everyone shows up with a ton of information and Jeff shows up with a blank pad of paper," Cowles laughed.

He also showed up in white socks and tennis shoes. In true team spirit, Cowles gave his dark socks and dress shoes to Schroder so he could look presentable during his presentation.

In the end, it paid off, as Schroder took second place overall in the extemporaneous category, which requires students to answer questions about national and international issues. A student has three choices of questions per round and has 30 minutes to prepare before giving a five to seven minute explanation of his question. Students are allowed to use note cards but there are limitations.

"It's very strict," Schroder said. "You can't have more than 50 words on a note card."

Since he wasn't prepared for the tournament, Schroder delivered his speech without any aides.

"Jeff was absolutely amazing that

day," said Cheryl Gazley, the coach of the Northville High School forensics team.

Schroder was afraid he would be asked a question he didn't know anything about, but relaxed when he opted to answer the question. "What steps should the U.S. take to rid the trade deficit with Japan?"

Coming back with a first place finish was Cowles, a sophomore who was using the tournament as his last chance to qualify for the national competition scheduled during Memorial Day weekend in Boca Raton, La.

"I had started the season in January doing extemporaneous with Jeff," Cowles said. "We had fun, but my scores were terrible."

So the Sunday before the Birmingham Groves tournament, Cowles changed his mind and entered the declamation category. In this category, a student memorizes a speech and presents it the way he thinks the author would have given it.

Cowles said his mother had been encouraging him to give the speech she had presented while a member of her high school's forensics team. The speech was entitled "Berlin War" by Marvin Rapp.

Cowles' mother went to the state finals with her rendition of the speech and her son is now going to the national competition with his performance of the same work.

Junior Jennie McCormick is also going to the national meet with her original oratorical entry, which requires students to write a speech based on fact. Her topic was airplane safety.

She said she put an enormous

amount of research into her speech, which lasts less than 10 minutes and is given from memory.

McCormick said there is always the fear of forgetting your speech and she did forget part of her's once, but winged it.

"I made part of it up," she admitted.

It's not surprising she forgot a couple of paragraphs as she changed her category entry, too, not long before the national qualifier. Previously, McCormick had been competing in the broadcast category where students receive news copy a half hour before they are required to deliver a five minute script. Contestants also write an impromptu one minute editorial.

"It's pretty much like TV broadcasting," Gazley said.

Kathy Smith, a sophomore, also competed in the declamation category. She gave a speech given by Socrates just before he died. Smith placed fifth, earning her a trip to the national competition.

Smith also was a winner in the Northville-Nowi Optimists Club Oratorical contest. She will advance to the regional competition with the speech she authored titled "I Can Make A Difference."

Since the millage defeat last year prompted school officials to adopt a "pay to participate" program, membership in the forensics team has been cut in half. Gazley said since the \$100 fee was imposed, the team of usually 30 students has dwindled to about 15 "solid" members.

"We probably would have had more kids participating if they didn't have to pay," she said. "... Before it

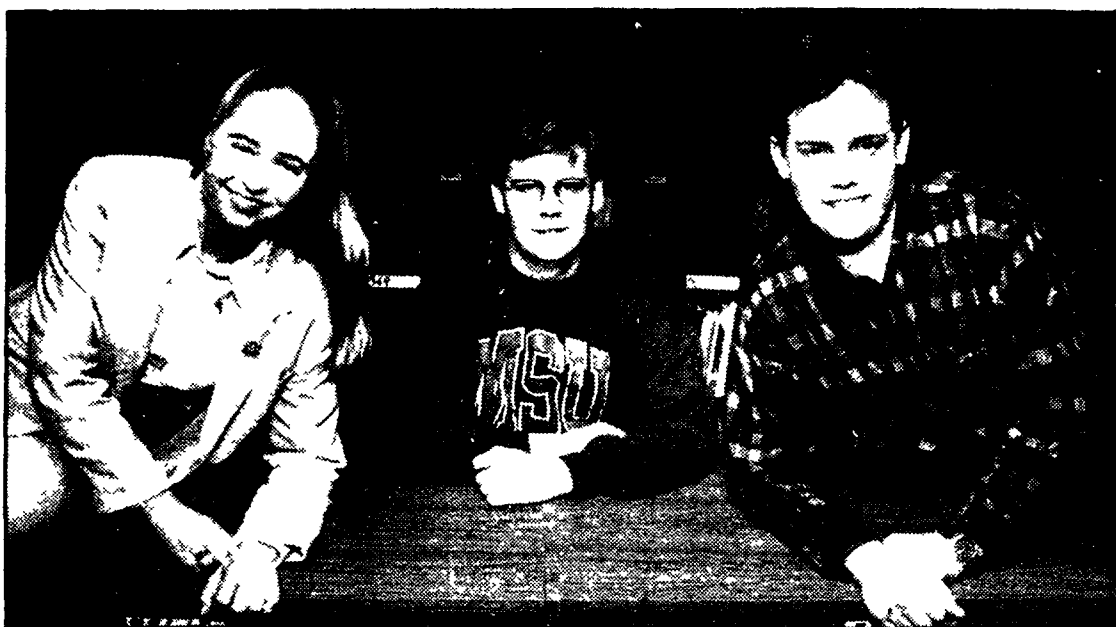


Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

Competing successfully as Northville High School forensic team members were Kathy Smith, Jeff Schroder and Matt Cowles.

(the team) was open to everyone, and I took everyone because everyone can learn from this experience."

Gazley, a substitute teacher at the high school, has been coaching the forensics team for the past five years. Retired high school teacher Pat Dorrian-Sandbothe was the former coach of the team.

"(High school assistant principal) Ralph Redmond came up to me and asked me if I would be interested in taking the team over," Gazley said. "I was really kind of flattered."

Gazley has a bachelor's degree in

forensics and has currently half the requirements for her master's degree.

"The kids have grown so much in maturity and self-esteem," the coach said. "I'm so proud of them."

The students are equally proud of Gazley.

"I couldn't seem to give a good speech," Schroder said. "She's the one who made me successful."

Schroder pointed to a pole in the library. "See that pole over there?" he

asked. "I used to have a problem with rocking back and forth. She (Gazley) tied me to that pole. I don't rock back and forth anymore."

Once before a competition, Smith brought her entire wardrobe to Gazley's house so she could help Smith pick out an appropriate outfit for an upcoming competition.

"If it hadn't been for her, I don't think I would have done it," McCormick said. "She cares about each individual on the team."

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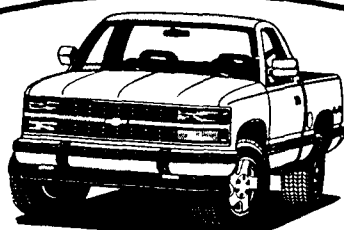
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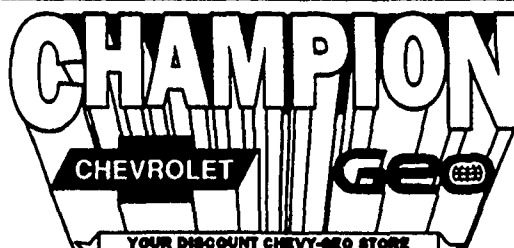
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## Where the little ones play



By CRISTINA FERRIER  
Staff Writer

Novi, MI 48375  
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**I**t takes a special kind of person to work with children all day long.

People who succeed in the daycare field are those with a special kind of compassion, a truckload of patience, and a sense of fun.

Take Nancy Hanson, for example. She runs Nancy's Pumpkin Patch, a licensed home child care center for up to six children in her Novi home.

When she first began her daycare program four years ago, she didn't know it would turn into a career. At that time she was going through a divorce and wanted to stay home with her three young children to help them through a difficult period.

"I decided to give up my career as a legal secretary and stay home," she explained. It was a decision that led her into a new field that she finds more rewarding than she ever imagined.

Now that her own children are old enough to be in school, she still takes in children during the day and "they really love it too. This is like a home for them. We do projects, and today we went to the park. We do lots of outdoor things like fly kites, visit farms, things like that."

Sure, sometimes she misses the days when she spent her time working with other adults. But it's a trade-off, she said.

"I don't miss the office, or the drive, and the parents do come in and talk to me so I'm not without adult contact."

"When I was in the law firm, this is more work, but the rewards are great. When a kid gives you a hug, or when they say they want to go to Nancy's place, it makes me feel great."

Some people, it seems, are cut out for the business of working with children and others are not. The field has a fairly high turnover rate.

Lisa Williams, director of Rainbow Rascals Learning Center in Northville, said there have been a few instances where people came in to work there and decided after only a few days that they are not cut out for that type of work.

"Some people start here, and then they realize it's not for them," she said. "And that's good because we don't want anyone who looks at this as just a job."

"You have to be very caring and loving. You have to give those hugs and kiss those boo-boos."

Williams, like Hanson, finds her work with children to be very rewarding. She does not teach the classes herself, but often steps in to assist with child care duties.

"You have to be able to enjoy children and be ready to deal with their basic needs," she said. "But it's fun. If you enjoy children in life, you definitely can enjoy working with children."

Hanson agreed that the work is a challenge.

"People tell me they don't know how I do it," she confessed. "They say 'You must have a lot of patience.' 'I think God gives people like us something special.'"

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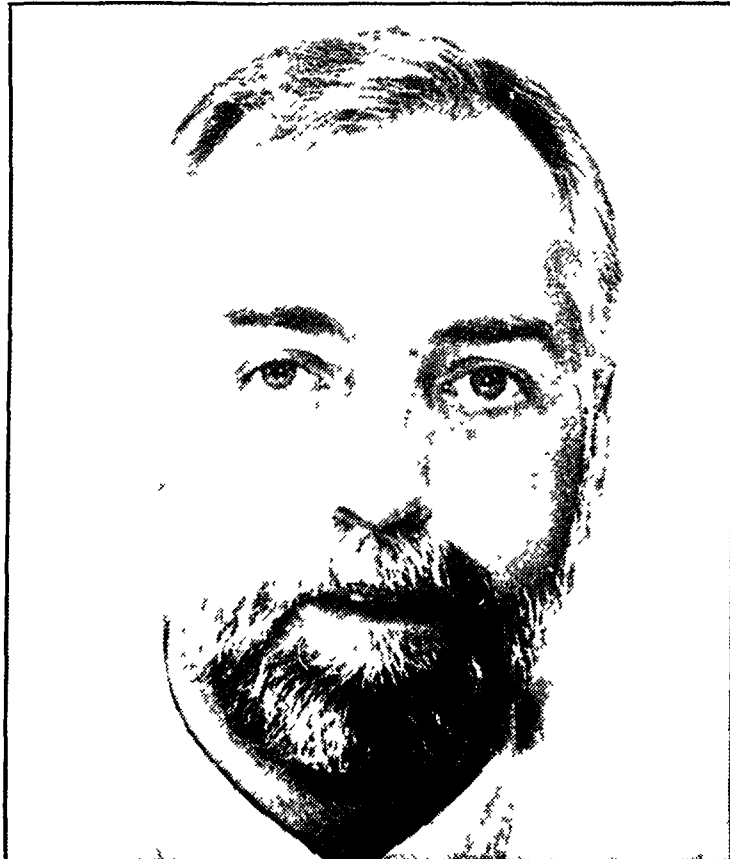
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And that's why for four years he has been on the Northville Historic District Commission.

As a member of the Historic District Commission, he meets with five others once a month to decide on half a dozen cases, predominantly residential (remodeling of old structures or building of new ones) that have been brought forward for review.

Maybe it's a matter of color of roof, siding, brick or window trim. Or, on a matter of adding on to an existing building, is the character of the trim and the windows the same as the original?

Exterior lighting fixtures and commercial signs on business buildings also have to be passed on.

Commission members are notified about petitions before each meeting so they look at the sites and become acquainted with them when the

owner, designer, or architect comes for a hearing.

Why is the commission so much concerned? It's state law. When Northville applied in 1972 for permission to have a certain locality designated a historical district, it assumed the responsibility of conforming to state regulations. And one regulation was that the city must have a Historic District Commission to review building plans.

Walter Coponen located in Northville in 1971, he said, because he liked the community, and he applied for membership on the Commission because he loves the building business and felt he could make a contribution.

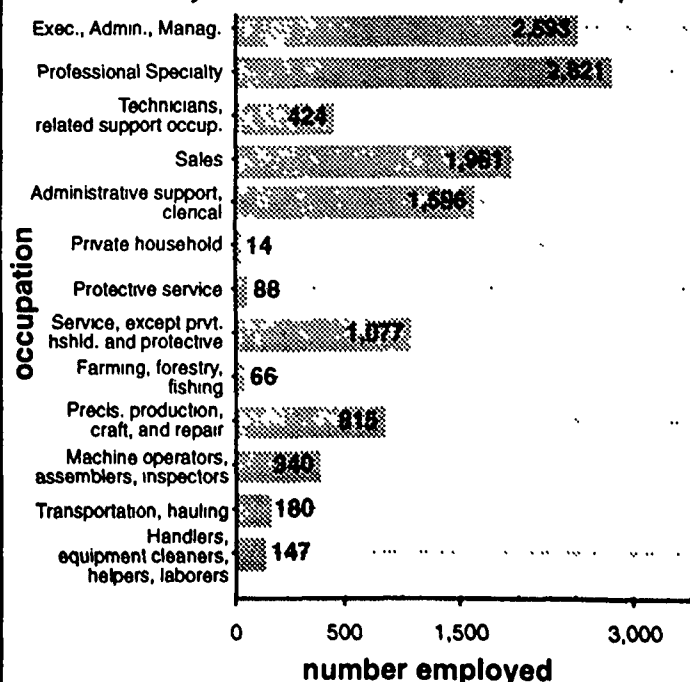
There is a vacancy on the commission and Coponen said he'd like to see a builder or an architect fill it.

Whether interested in the vacancy or not, you are invited to attend a meeting of the commission on the third Wednesday of the month at 8 p.m. at the City Hall.

### It's A Fact

#### Occupation

There are 12,122 persons 16 and over employed in the City of Northville and Northville Township.



## In Our Town

# Town Hall seeks beneficiaries for 1994

Northville's Town Hall ended its 1992-93 lecture series last Monday with guest speaker Jerry Hodak. But as another exciting series ends, Town Hall planners are looking forward to next year's headliners.

For its 33rd season, Town Hall will welcome soap opera star Eileen Fulton, White House hostess Allison LaLand, U-M business professor Paul McCracken and former Detroit Tiger turned radio show host Denny McLain.

But before the 33rd season comes, Town Hall is asking to hear from organizations that wish to benefit from Town Hall charitable donations. Town Hall Board of Awards are asking organizations from Plymouth, Farmington, Novi, Livonia, and South Lyon as well as Northville who want to be considered to submit applications now.

Organizations are urged to apply in writing to Northville Town Hall, Box 93, Northville, 48167.

### Mother's Club picnic

To mark the end of the year, the Northville Mother's Club will be hosting a spring picnic Monday May 3.

The picnic will also serve to mark the end of the Club's festivities. It will be held at 6:30 p.m. at the home of Roxanne Casterline.

### NYA Volunteer

### Recognition Reception

On Monday, April 19 the Northville Youth Assistance will be hosting its sixth annual Volunteer Recognition Reception at the Rose Cottage Banquet House and Restaurant.

### Duck dinner designated

The Northville Meadowbrook Area Chapter of Ducks Unlimited is planning its sixth annual dinner party and auction, slated for Thursday, April 29.

Tickets are already on sale. The schedule for the benefit includes cocktails from 5:30 to 7 p.m.; dinner from 7 to 8; and an auction from 8:30 to 10. There will be a cash bar.

The evening includes a live and silent auction, with various prizes of particular interest to people who enjoy the outdoors.

For tickets, contact chairman Fred Borchert at 348-7195 or treasurer

Tim Glock at 347-4277. Or purchase tickets at Northville Camera & Video, 117 E. Main, 349-0105.

Ducks Unlimited is a national organization of duck hunters and outdoors people which buys land to help preserve the duck population.

### Lunch Bunch

### comes to town

The Lunch Bunch performers are bringing their act to Genitti's Hole-In-The-Wall restaurant for Saturday performances of *My Emperor's New Clothes*.

Lunch Bunch is a theater group affiliated with the University of Detroit-Mercy Theatre group. Dr. Arthur Beer, the assistant director of the theater department at U-D Mercy is starring in the play. Beer is an award-winning actor and director and his achievements on stage have been recognized by reviewers at *The Detroit News* and *Detroit Free Press*. The show opened on Genitti's stage April 3 at 1 p.m. and runs on Saturdays through May 15.

Tickets are \$6 and lunch is an additional \$2.

For reservations and ticket information call 349-0522 or 264-2611.

### Northville Newcomers

It's a busy month once again for the Northville Newcomers. The Newcomers took in three new members this past month. Those three will join in on all the fun planned for the month.

Topping off the month is the club's annual Spring Luncheon. The luncheon will be held Monday, April 26, from 12:30 to 3 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church in Northville. At the meeting, new board members will be announced and the Newcomers will announce guest speaker Ronnie Cambra from the Kitchen Witch in downtown Northville.

Cambra will be telling audience members what to do with all of those glorious gastronomical gadgets tucked in the back of your kitchen drawers.

Newcomers are also busy planning for upcoming events in May. The club is planning its annual May Day progressive dinner for Saturday, May 1. The dinner kicks off at 6 p.m. and features a tasty menu of appetizers,



Northville Town Hall publicity person Sue Korte listens to Jerry Hodak along with other Town Hall organizers at Monday's lecture.

entrees and desserts. The price per couple is \$30. Reservations are required.

May will also feature a calendar of spring events. Annual golf outings and leagues for couples and ladies will tee off early in May. And the couples' Road Rally is set for May 22.

For more information about the Newcomers call Catherine Rabahy at 420-0125.

### Divorce Recovery

### Seminar

Jireh Ministries, the Single Adult Ministry at the Northville Christian Assembly is organizing an eight-week Divorce Recovery Seminar starting April 30.

Dave Carpenter will be facilitating the seminar which will take place Friday nights (with the exception of May 14) from 7-9 p.m. Child care will be provided.

Participants wanting to advance register must do so by April 5. The cost for advance registration is \$20. After that, cost at the door is \$25.

The seminar will deal with self-esteem, anger and depression, letting go of the past, co-dependency, single parenting, and personal freedom.

Child care will be provided. For more information call 348-9030.

### Single Place presents

Single Place Ministries of the First Presbyterian Church has a list of events planned this month.

In four separate sessions, Dr. Joe Bavonese and Shirley Grochok will be speaking as part of Single Place's Opportunity for Growth workshop series on "Healthy Relationships Through Skillful Dating." The seminar will run April 15, 22 and 29 and May 6. Single Place is seeking a \$28 donation requested for that seminar.

April 21 is the opening night of a five part series in a Grief Recovery Workshop. This workshop will be held at 7:30 p.m. on five consecutive Wednesday evenings, starting April 21 and ending May 19. The workshop costs \$30.

For more information on any of Single Place events call the Single Place office at 349-0911.

### Stories wanted

Do you know of a local resident who's done something interesting or has celebrated something special lately? If so, call Sharon Condon at 349-1700.

# Day care providers open doors to tots

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## On Campus

**ROBIN D. McDUFFIE** of Northville received a bachelor of science degree in business, with a major in accounting and a minor in international business, from Miami University in Oxford, Ohio, Dec. 18.

She was also named to the dean's list for the fall winter semester.

# CHURCH DIRECTORY

For information regarding rates for church listings call The Northville Record or Novi News 349-1700

**WALLED LAKE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Roger  
309 Market St. 224-2483  
(behind First of America Bank off Pontiac Trail Rd.)  
Wed. 10:00 a.m. Women's Bible Study  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship  
Nursery Available All Welcome

**ST. JOHN LUTHERAN FARMINGTON**  
23225 Gile Road, 3 Bks. S. of Grand River  
3 Bks. W. of Farmington Road  
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Sunday 8:30 & 11 a.m. (Nursery)  
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474-0684  
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**GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
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Sunday Worship 8 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.  
David A. Grundner, Pastor - 349-0565  
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**FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST**  
1100 W. Ann Arbor Trail  
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Sunday Worship, 10:30 a.m.  
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Wednesday Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

**NORTHVILLE CHRISTIAN ASSEMBLY**  
41355 Six Mile Road  
Northville 48167  
Sunday School 9:45-10:55  
Sunday Worship 8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.  
Pastor Chris T. Buchanan, Pastor  
Northville Christian School  
Preschool & K-8  
348-9031

**NOVI UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
41671 W. Ten Mile - Meadowbrook  
349-2652 (24 hrs.)  
Sunday Worship 8:30 a.m.  
Nursery Care Available  
Charles R. Jacobs, Pastor  
Church School 9:15 a.m.

**MEADOWBROOK CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH**  
21355 Meadowbrook Rd. Novi at 8 1/2 Mile  
Morning Worship 10 a.m.  
Church School 9:45 a.m.  
348-7757  
Minister, Rev. E. Neil Hunt  
Minister of Music, Ray Ferguson

**CHURCH OF THE HOLY CROSS EPISCOPAL**  
10 Mile between Taft & Beck, Novi  
Phone 349-1175  
7:45 a.m. Holy Eucharist  
11:00 Holy Eucharist  
The Rev. Leslie F. Harding  
11:00 a.m. Sunday School

**WARD EVANGELICAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
17000 Farmington  
Livonia 422-1150  
Rev. Mark A. Brewer, Senior Pastor  
Identical Services 8:00-9:15 10:45am 12:05pm  
Sunday School & Nursery Provided  
7:00 p.m. evening service  
Service Broadcast 11:00am WJLW - AM 1030

**ST. JAMES ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH NOVI**  
Weekend liturgies held in Parkview Elementary School (1 1/2 mile west of Taft Rd.)  
Saturday 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday 9:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.  
Reverend James F. Cronk, Pastor  
Parish office 347-7778

**CHURCH OF THE HOLY FAMILY**  
24505 Meadowbrook Rd., Novi, MI 48375  
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8:45 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 12:15 p.m.  
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Father Jerome Slowinski, Assoc. Pastor  
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Rev. Martin Ankrum, Minister of Youth & Church School

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Farmington Hills, Michigan  
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Bible Class - Tuesday - 7:30 p.m.  
Song Services - Last Sunday of month - 7:00 p.m.

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High & Elm Streets, Northville (behind Hardee's)  
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L. Kline, Associate Pastor  
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Sunday Worship 8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday School & Bible Classes 9:45 a.m.  
Wednesday Worship 7:30 p.m.

**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF NORTHVILLE**  
349-2652 (24 hrs.)  
Dr. Douglas Vernon  
Rev. Thomas M. Beagan  
Rev. Arthur L. Spafford  
Sunday, Worship Service, 9:00 and 11 am.  
Sunday School, (K-8) 11 am; Nursery, 9:00 & 11 am.

**ORCHARD HILLS BAPTIST CHURCH**  
23455 Novi Rd. (between 9 & 10 Mile)  
Bible Study For All Ages 9:45 a.m.  
Worship Services at 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.  
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Kenneth Stevens, Pastor  
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Pastor's Home Number 349-3516

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349-3477 349-3647

**SAINT JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
574 S. Sheldon Road, Plymouth - 453-0190  
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# Hodak: More news is good news

By SHARON CONDRON  
Staff Writer

After 27 years of being a weatherman, Jerry Hodak could care less about the weather now.

"I was a weatherman but I don't want to talk about that anymore," Hodak said jokingly at Monday's Town Hall.

The former weatherman turned co-anchor was the last speaker in the four-part Town Hall 1992-93 lecture series. His discussion focused on his career and the evolution of television news.

After 15 years with Detroit's ABC affiliate Channel 7, Hodak traded his late night weather maps for a co-anchor's seat on a new morning news show on WJBK-TV.

Hodak's *Eyewitness Morning* airs weekdays from 7-9 a.m. on Channel 7. It's a news and feature show that gives Detroit viewers news they can use, Hodak said.

"It has been a big change," he said about his new work schedule. "I'm getting up at the time I used to be going to bed and I'm coming home when I used to be leaving for work."

But in spite of the reversal of hours, Hodak said he's enjoyed his short tenure with Channel 2 since his show first aired six months ago. It's been a long time coming, and a co-anchorship the veteran reporter was willing to jump at.

For years Hodak said he'd been wanting and waiting for a change from the daily grind of weather reports. This was his break and an opportunity to take a look back on the strides the news industry's made as a whole.

On Monday, Hodak took his speaking engagement as an opportunity to share his experiences as a newsman with Town Hall patrons.

In 1965 when he started as a weatherman in Detroit, Hodak said networks carried shorter newscasts without any foreign correspondents or live broadcasts.

"We had no reports from Rome or Paris," he said. "There was little in the way of moving pictures in the early days."

Two years before Hodak debuted on camera, the networks

were moving ahead and thirsting for a longer broadcast. He said CBS was the leader in expanding nightly news casts from 15 to 30 minute shows.

It was Walter Cronkite who anchored CBS' first extended broadcast with an interview with President John F. Kennedy. That interview aired two months before the 35th president was assassinated.

"The next step was a quantum leap," Hodak remembered. "We had 'round the clock coverage."

The assassination prompted networks to provide 24-hour, uninterrupted coverage of the incident and the events that followed. For four days, news hounds kept Americans in touch with Washington.

Coverage of Kennedy's untimely death gave birth to new ideas. By the mid 1960s television cameramen and network news crews were bolder than ever. They dared to do whatever it would take to bring the news home to viewers. Coverage of the Vietnam War was no exception. Television news crews planted themselves in the Vietnam killing fields to actually bring the war into the homes of Americans.

"It was the first time Americans watched a war unfold right before their eyes every night in their own living rooms," Hodak said.

As audiences across the nation began to demand more, the networks delivered. They added reporters, photographers and cameramen and women to their staffs in an effort to satisfy the 1970s' insatiable appetite for news.

Technological advancements in camera equipment and in mass communication made live broadcasts possible from virtually every nook and cranny of the world, Hodak explained.

At home and abroad satellite broadcasts allowed networks to share live interviews with their affiliates in countless cities across the nation and across international borders.

"Technology has made it possible for us to go live anywhere at anytime," Hodak said.

By the late 1970s Americans



Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

## Jerry Hodak

viewers were watching more television news than ever before. Night time and morning newscasts blossomed into one- and two-hour long productions.

"It was double the pleasure, double the fun, and double the revenues," he said.

And as the local stations grew and gained in profits, news editors could afford to send their own crews out of state to cover news events that had local ties. It pitted the networks against the local stations and forced them to compete one-on-one.

But for all the hoopla of the '70s and for all the advances in television news broadcasts, the '80s followed with a tightening of the reins. One by one the networks began to downsize their operations. Quality suffered as staffs were cut and salaries trimmed. The recession trickled down to the local stations as well. Before long all three networks and their local affiliates were on the market. All were sold

within a five-year period.

"The bloom of television news was off the rose," he said.

Nowadays the industry is making its own comeback, Hodak said. Even though network veteran reporters are still scrambling to keep their positions, they're trying new things. They're creeping into prime time with shows like *Prime Time Live*, *20/20*, *Date Line*, and *60 Minutes*. They are also attempting to breathe life and personality into their reports with more features about everyday Americans.

Morning news shows are becoming more popular as viewers sleep through nightly newscasts and wake earlier to catch the latest news at daybreak.

"Fewer viewers are watching the late night news and more are watching the morning shows," Hodak said optimistically. "Our audiences are going to bed earlier and getting up earlier and they want to get caught up on the news then. There's a real appetite for news in the morning."

## PTA News/Northville High School

Congratulations to the cast and crew of *Grease*. The tireless hours of practice paid off with four wonderful performances. The high school faculty and the community are proud of the work our students have done to provide us with such entertainment.

May 14 is senior prom night this year. The prom will be held at the Radisson on the Lake in Ypsilanti from 6:30 p.m. to midnight. We wish a safe and happy prom.

Michelle Fetterman, Anya Gurski, Emily Kniebes, Parag Parikh, Ellen Song, Kimberly Woody, and Julie Zwiesler are the 1993 Northville High School valedictorians.

Valerie Bassin is the 1993 Northville High School salutatorian.

Matt Cowles, Tom Fleming, Jenny McCormick, Jeff Schroder, and Kathy Smith qualified to attend the National Forensics Meet in Boca Raton, Fla.

Jeff Nield and Ian Switalski have earned the Boy Scout Eagle award.

The singers who participated in the District Solo Ensemble all received a number one rating. Soloists were Valerie Bassin, Stacey Nield, Angie Putman and Mike Rowe. Other participants were the members of Four Seniors, Major 7th, Northville Singers, Concert Choir and Girls' Ensemble. All the singers are now eligible to go on to the state level festival.

Betsy Gengler scored 96 percent on the American Association of Teachers of German's National German exam. Betsy has qualified for an all-expense paid trip abroad this summer. Good luck, Betsy.

The winners of the Western Michigan Manuscript Day Competition are: Eric Allenspach, Angela Baca, Tim Beemer, Brad Borgia, Nick Bowersox, Laura Brown, Allison Bullock, Brian Buser, Sara Cannistraro, Thomas Chicoine, Shea Collins, Kristin Domeracki, Nikole Ebel, Elizabeth Ganfield, Anya Gurski, Marla Hackett, Amanda Hallberg, Katrina Heckemeyer, Kelly Hough, Kelly Kearney, Andrew Knight, Katie Leigh Kohl, David Licata, Molly Lynch, Kristina Martichuski, Roger Mills, Vivek Mohta, Stacey L. Nield, James E. Orr, Jason Petrie, Steven Pheley, Yvonne Sampson, Jennifer Sekerka, Katherine Smith, Janet Swanson, Amy Thelen, Bernie Tomsa, and Karlynn Veres.

Tanya Williams became an American citizen on Monday, March 15. Tanya was born in Canada but is now

a naturalized American. Congratulations, Tanya!

The winner of the 1993 Northville Mother's Club Telephone Directory Cover Design is Jeffrey Kinnelly. Check out your NHS catalogue—Jeff also completed many illustrations and designs within it.

Stephanie Clonca will represent NHS at the Eastern Michigan University Art Exhibition entitled *Students of Students*. The exhibition runs from April 7 until April 23 at the Ford Gallery — EMU.

Mr. Balcoff continues to do an outstanding job in encouraging our students to compete both on a state level and national level in the areas of art. A number of Northville High students competed at the recent Scholastic Art Awards held at the Summit Mall in Pontiac and brought recognition to themselves as well as their school. They are Stephanie Clonca, Gold Key (Mixed Media); and Jeffrey Kinnelly, Gold Key.

Congratulations to David Eckerly and Max Sprauer who will be Northville High School's representatives for the National Council of Teachers of English Achievement Awards in Writing 1993. All together, eight students submitted samples of their best writing and then took a qualifying impromptu essay: Stephanie Clonca, David Eckerly, Brian Fowler, Tom Murphy, Mark Fagnani, Elizabeth Rivard, and Max Sprauer. These juniors were nominated by their English teachers.

Kristine Arnold has been chosen one of seven winners for the Michigan High School Athletic Association's Scholar-Athlete Award for the spring sports season. She will receive a \$1,000 scholarship presented by Farm Bureau Insurance.

Harambee, the group which means "Pulling Together," stated their Mission: To promote the awareness and understanding of the cultural diversity that exists within Northville High School and the community.

Goals: To provide displays, activities and educational materials to promote cultural understanding.

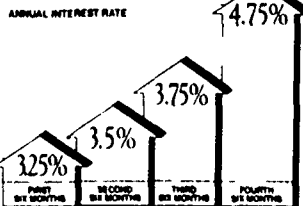
The Harambee Organization under the leadership of Monica Richards is responsible for the display case presentation celebrating Martin Luther King's birthday and the display case featuring February as Black History Month. We appreciate the time, involvement and interest of this organization's group members.

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## Wedding



Christine & Jeffrey Michael Kangas

Christine Ann Kulha, daughter of Frank and Sue Kulha of Northville, was joined in marriage to Jeffrey Michael Kangas of Wixom, son of James and Charlene Kangas of L'Anse, on July 31, 1992.

The double ring ceremony was held at St. Kenneth's Church in Plymouth.

The bride wore an ivory satin Victorian gown elaborately trimmed with lace and pearls. Her headpiece was made up of sprigs of glistening tiny pearls accented in the back with two puffs and a short veil. She wore her grandmother's pearls. Her bouquet was a cascade of ivory cymbidium orchids, white dendrobium orchids and ivory sweetheart roses.

Lisa Kulha, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Carol Kulha, sister of the bride from Santa Monica, Calif.; Kristen Kraft and Stacey Kangas,

sisters of the groom; Caty Stus and Linda Durandetto, cousins of the bride; and Dana Sullivan, a roommate from college. They wore silk cerise taffeta tea length gowns with sweetheart necklines. They carried teardrop bouquets of stargazer lilies, purple lisianthus and pink carnations.

Marissa Kulha and Melissa Rivard, nieces of the bride, were flower girls. They were dressed in ivory chanting with puffed sleeves and wide collars trimmed in lace applique and pearls.

Scott Mitchell, fraternity brother of the groom, was the best man with ushers John Finkany; James Kulha, brother of the bride; Michael Leimbach; Robert Kraft, brother-in-law of the groom; Brian Lindbloom; and Michael Bourdo. David Rivard, nephew of the bride, and Nicholas Kangas were ringbearers.

## Engagement



Laura Lee/Robert Orlowski

Laura Jeanne Lee of Detroit, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William R. Lee of Detroit, is engaged to marry Robert Henry Orlowski, Jr. of Northville, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Orlowski, Sr. of Northville.

Laura graduated from Bishop Gallagher High School in 1987 and went on to graduate from Wayne State University in 1991 with a bachelor of arts degree in public relations. She is employed as a public relations coordinator at CME-KHBB Advertising in Southfield.

Robert graduated from Detroit

Catholic Central High School in 1983, received his bachelor of arts degree from the University of Michigan in economics. He went on to Wayne State University Law School where he received his juris doctorate in 1990. He is an associate at Lacey and Jones in Birmingham.

The couple was introduced through a friend of the bride, who also happens to be the groom's cousin.

An Oct. 2 wedding has been planned at Our Lady Queen of Peace Church in Harper Woods.



Rita McKay/Stephen Ross

Rita Louise McKay, daughter of Barbara A. McKay of Holly, and Stephen Edward Ross, son of Peter and Karen Ross of Northville, announce their engagement.

Rita graduated in 1984 from Flint Powers High School and went on to Michigan State where she earned her degree in food systems, economics and management in 1988. She is em-

ployed by Digital Audio Disc Corp., Sony, as a supervisor.

Stephen, a 1982 Northville High School graduate, attended Michigan State University. He is employed by Loral Aerospace Corp. as a systems administrator.

A June 16 wedding has been planned.

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# RECORD DIVERSIONS

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THURSDAY  
April 15, 1993



Sharon Condon,  
Feature Writer 349-1700

## Time- honored play at Genitti's

Genitti's Hole-In-The-Wall and the Samuel H. Little Theatre present the Lunch Bunch Players in their critically acclaimed production of *My Emperor's New Clothes*. Saturday matinee performances continue through Saturday, May 8.

This musical version of the children's classic, adapted by Larry Shue, transcends age and appeals to children and adults alike. Premiering in 1991 to critical acclaim at Ferndale's Magic Bag Theater, the Players' production is a clever adaptation of the familiar tale.

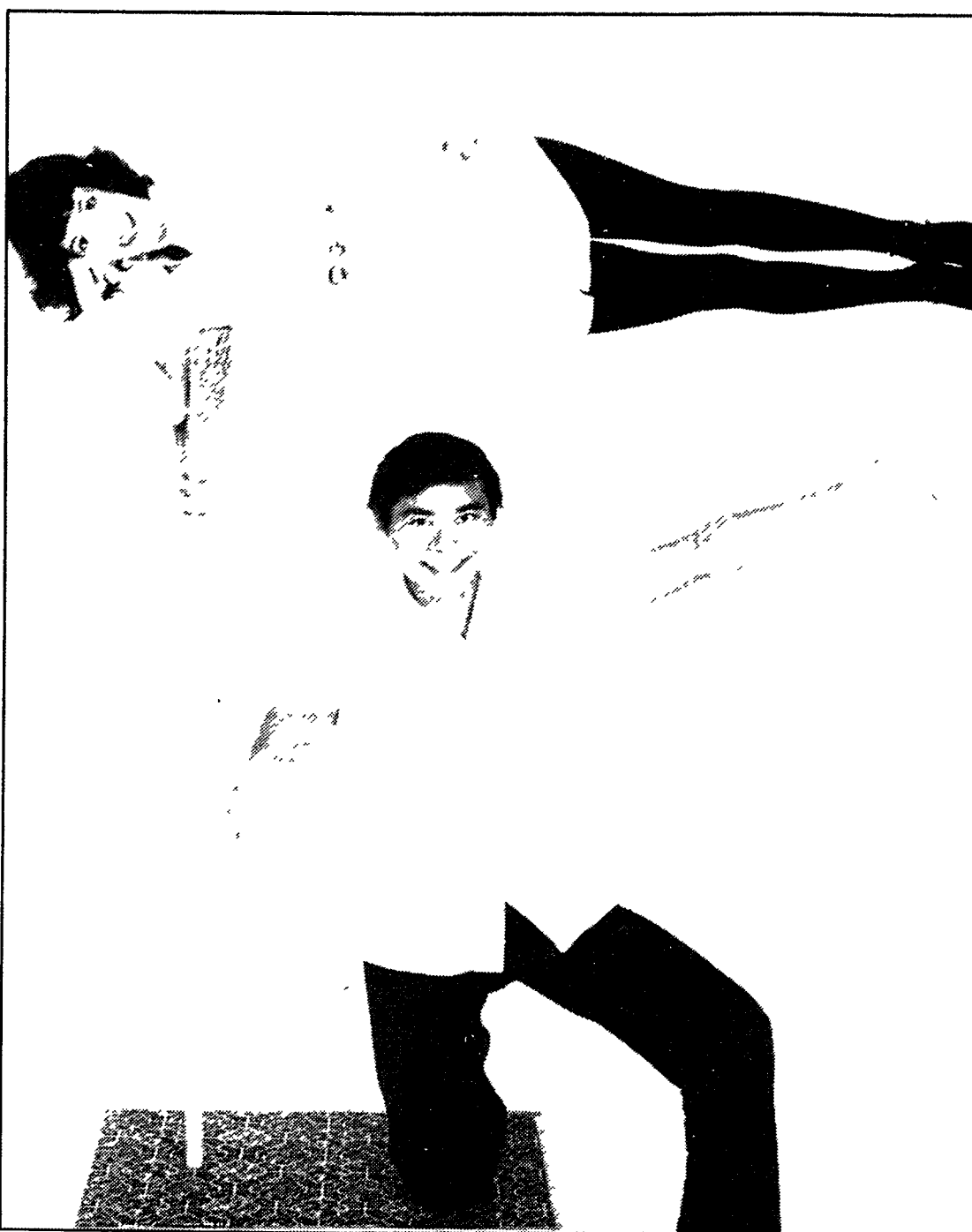
Dr. Arthur J. Beer, who stars in the role of the emperor, is also director of the production. Dr. Beer's credentials currently include a position as associate director of the Theater Company of the University of Detroit Mercy. He is also a member of Actors Equity and the Screen Actors Guild, and has received both the Best Actor and Best Director awards from *The Detroit Free Press*, *The Detroit News* and *Detroit Monthly* magazine.

Other cast members include Chris Berner as Pony and Greg Trzaskoma as Clodney, sidekick to the villainous Skreech, played by Ryan Jones. Also in the cast is Kelly Bozek as the Princess. Berner and Trzaskoma are both members of the BFA theatre program at U of D Mercy. Bozek and Jones have appeared in many professional productions.

Others in the cast include Andrew and Maggie Keenan-Boglar, and their father Rory in his stage debut; Jennie Florkowski and her mother Nancy; MSU theatre graduate Alison Reiter; Darren Pierson; and Brady Ellison in the pivotal role of Scout.

All performances are at 1 p.m. Lunch is available at Genitti's Hole-In-The-Wall for \$2 at noon. Tickets are \$6 for children and \$8 for adults. Special group rates are available.

For more information or reservations, call Genitti's at 349-0522 or Bradley Productions at 380-9999.



## Magic with Ming

Ming the Magnificent and Barbara, otherwise known as Ming and Barbara Louie of Northville, will participate in the Detroit Public Library's Children's Easter Festival Friday, April 16, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Exotic mysteries of the Far East will be joined with modern illusions to cre-

ate a show that will delight audiences of all ages. The free programs will be held in the Friends Auditorium of the Detroit Public Library, at 5201 Woodward in Detroit. For more information, call the Children's Department at 833-4029.

## Entertainment Listings

### Special Events

**ATRIUM GALLERY:** In April, in honor of Michigan Glass Month, the work of Birmingham glass-blower Stan Megdall will be featured at the Atrium Gallery. Megdall creates rainbow-colored, tortoise shell or "sea foam wrap" perfume bottles, vases and bowls.

April 27 will be "for the birds," as Northville artist Bill Thelan will present his new line of steel bird sculptures for the yard and Millford artist Dee Segula will show her artistically appointed bird houses. You can meet them from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

The gallery is located at 109 N. Center St. in Northville. Gallery hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Saturday; and Sunday from noon to 4 p.m. For more information call 349-4131.

### Kid Stuff

### Theater

**TOP OFFICIAL EXPOSED:** The popular musical version of an old classic *My Emperor's New Clothes*, will be revived by the Lunch Box Players during April and May at the Samuel H. Little Theater in Northville.

The show will be presented each Saturday until it closes on May 8. Performances are at 1 p.m. with lunch available next door at Genitti's Hole-In-The-Wall Restaurant. Tickets are \$6 for children, \$8 for adults and it's just \$2 for lunch. Group rates available.

For information, call 349-0522 or 264-2611.

**WHO DUNNITS AND HIGH C's:** Genitti's Hole-In-The-Wall Restaurant continues to present its Murder Mystery and Verdi Opera Dinner Theatre performances.

Genitti's has three different production companies performing three different Murder Mystery Dinner Theatres every Friday evening at 7:30 p.m. Reservations are required. Special performances of the Murder Mystery Dinner Theatre are available.

The restaurant is now featuring *The Soap Opera Murders*. Soap stars are dying off as the program "The Tears of Our Life" is being filmed.

As the crime unfolds during the performance, the guests try to discover who "committed the murder" through clues given out by cast members. Audience members are asked to perform roles in the play. Gifts are awarded to those who correctly guess the identity of the murderer.

The "Verdi Opera Dinner Theatre" is scheduled the third Thursday of every month at 7:30 p.m. All arias are performed by the Verdi Opera Theatre of Michigan. Special performances are available for large groups. Reservations are required.

Genitti's "Hole-in-the-Wall" restaurant is located in downtown Northville at 108 E. Main St. just east of Center Street (Sheldon Road). The Murder Mystery Dinner Theatre and the Verdi Opera Dinner Theatre including the seven-course dinner costs \$29.95 per person (including tax and tip).

Phone 349-0522 or fax 349-4641 for reservations. Group rates are available.

### Music

**STARTING GATE:** The Starting Gate Saloon offers live music every Friday and Saturday night from 9 p.m. to 1:30 a.m.

The Starting Gate is located at 135 N. Center St. in downtown Northville.

**HOTEL BARONETTE:** Pianists Anthony Lang and James Jewhurst play every Tuesday through Saturday from 7-11 p.m. in the Tara Lounge, in the Hotel Baronette at Twelve Oaks Mall.

The entertainment is provided for patrons of Tara restaurant and lounge.

**MR. B'S FARM:** Mr. B's Farm, on Novi Road north of Ten Mile, presents live music all week with no cover charge.

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**ANTHONY'S NIGHTCLUB:** Anthony's provides a steady diet of entertainment, both musical and comedy. For information, call Anthony's at 348-5000.

**NOVI HILTON:** Whispers Lounge, in the Novi Hilton, is open Tuesday through Saturday, 8 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Live entertainment from 9 p.m. to 1:30 a.m.

Monday evening is Jazz Monday from 9 p.m. to midnight.

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**VICTOR'S:** Where can you find an active Hammond organ, great music and good food? Answer: Victor's of Novi. Call 349-1438 ahead to find out if nostalgic Connie Mallett will be on keyboard.

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**COUNTRY EPICURE:** A jazz duo featuring pianist Wilbert Peagler is now performing at the Country Epicure Restaurant, Wednesdays and Thursdays.

On Friday and Saturday, the entertainment at the Country Epicure is a jazz quartet, featuring some of Detroit's finest vocalists.

Country Epicure is located at 42050 Grand River between Meadowbrook and Novi roads. For more information call, 349-7770.

**HOME, SWEET HOME:** Live jazz every Wednesday from 8-11 p.m. is on the menu at Home Sweet Home restaurant, on Nine Mile just east of Novi Road.

Performances are by the Buddy Budson Band with featured vocalist Eric Brandon. Often local jazz stars like Ursula Walker and Marcus Belgrave sit in as well.

There is no additional charge for the performances. For more information, call the restaurant at 347-0095.

### Nearby

**PCC TO PERFORM:** The Plymouth Community Chorus will present its spring 1993 concert, "Beat Seat in the House," at 8 p.m. Saturday April 24 and 4 p.m. Sunday, April 25 at Plymouth Salem High School. The 124-voice ensemble will perform selections from *West Side Story*, *Les Miserables*, *Beauty and the Beast*, *Aladdin* and *Phantom of the Opera*. Tickets are available at the offices of *The Northville Record/Novi News*.

Dearborn Music on Ford in Canton, Agape Booksellers in Canton, and Sideways on Forest in Plymouth. Call 455-4080 for information.

**DANCE COLLECTIVE:** Evening classes in Modern Dance, Ballet, Jazz for adults and Thursday afternoon classes in Creative Dance and Jazz for Children will be offered for six weeks at the Royal Oak Campus of Oakland Community College. An emphasis will be placed on the creative as well as the technical aspects as dance as a communicative art form. The deadline for registration will be April 30. The instructors are all members of the Detroit Dance Collective, including Bruce Rabey, Kay Davis, David Gusman and Janet Clayton. Registrations are now being taken. For more information, call 544-5550.

**Zonjic & Friends** The jazz quintet Alexander Zonjic & Friends will kick off a new concert series at Oakland Community College's Royal Oak Campus. Zonjic, an internationally-acclaimed flutist, will perform with a quintet of keyboard and percussion accompanists Friday, April 16. The concert is the first in the new "Sensational Senses — An Evening of Taste & Sound" series presented by the college and the Royal Oak Restaurant Association. Throughout the year, the series will feature a number of performances complemented by a unique dining experience in the downtown Royal Oak restaurant district. The performance begins at 8 p.m. in the Jones Johnson Theater of the Royal Oak Campus, located at 739 S. Washington. Tickets are \$10 for adults and \$8 for senior citizens and students. Tickets may be purchased at the Student Activities/Theater office on campus or by mail. For information, call 544-4903 or 544-5551.

### Art

**GATE VI GALLERY:** The Gate VI Gallery is located in the atrium of the Novi Civic Center, 45175 W. Ten Mile.

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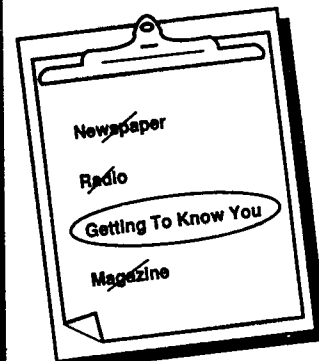
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# RECORD TRAVEL

**6B**  
THURSDAY  
April 15, 1993

**Q&A**

By WILLIAM T. TOMICKI  
New York Times Travel Syndicate

**Q. I am interested in taking my family on a whitewater-rafting adventure this summer. Are there any companies which offer two-for-one rates?**

A. Idaho Afloat is now offering a special family discount which allows two children to enjoy a whitewater-rafting trip for the price of one.

The luxurious four-day trips down the Salmon River depart July 14 and July 21 and allow guests to enjoy the exhilarating rapids by day and relaxing campsites by night.

All meals are prepared by the guides and are served in a dining area with tables and lawn chairs. In addition, Idaho Afloat carries a large "playground bag" filled with toys and games to keep children of all ages entertained.

The trip costs \$800 per person, which includes accommodations, meals, activities and ground transportation. Airfare is additional.

For more information write to Idaho Afloat, P.O. Box 542, Grangeville, Idaho 83530; or call (303) 221-4094.

**Q. My son is studying about the life of Gen. George Patton. Where can we take him to learn more about this dynamic military man?**

A. The Patton Museum of Cavalry and Armor is located in Fort Knox, Ky., and was named in honor of Gen. George Patton. The museum houses U.S. and foreign armored equipment, weapons, art and uniforms. Also on display are mementoes of Patton's military career as well as the sedan in which he was riding when he was fatally injured in a collision with a truck in 1945.

A 10-by-12 foot section of the Berlin Wall can also be seen here. Admission is free. For more information call (502) 624-3812.

**Q. I understand that environmental concerns are now being taken into consideration by the hotel industry. Is there a hotel or resort that accommodates nature and ecology enthusiasts? If so, what activities does it offer?**

A. Hilton International is constructing its first ecotourism resort on 50 acres of mountains and rain forests in Malaysia.

The Batang Ai Longhouse Resort will enable guests to explore nature's beauty in a controlled setting and be located on Batang Ai Lake in the Borneo state of Sarawak.

The building will be modeled after the traditional timber longhouse structure of the region's native Iban tribes. Guests will enjoy such recreational activities as canoeing, swimming, fishing, jungle trekking and longboat excursions to the Batang Ai National Park.

In addition, they will be able to visit authentic longhouse communities and cultural performances.

All activities are designed to support nature tourism and preserve the region's cultural heritage. The resort is located near the Lanjak Entimau Wildlife Sanctuary, the main habitat of Sarawak's endangered orangutan species.

The resort is scheduled to open in the fall of 1994 to coincide with "Visit Malaysia Year 1994." For further information contact Hilton International at (212) 820-1700.

Readers are invited to submit questions to William Tomicki, P.O. Box 5148, Santa Barbara, Calif. 93150. Although he cannot answer each query individually, selected questions will be included in his column. Mr. Tomicki, who logs over 150,000 miles each year, is the publisher of *ENTREE*, a travel newsletter.

## A city of extraordinary history

### Residents and tourists are beginning to rediscover Mexico City's charms

By TIM GOLDEN  
New York Times Travel Syndicate

For decades now Mexico City has been afflicted by unsavory, centrifugal forces: Traffic and noxious smog, noise and sundry chaos forced people from its center.

One ventured downtown because one had to, went the thinking of those citizens who didn't, and one did so at the risk of nausea, neurosis or worse. Beneath the brownish haze of pollution, however, Mexicans have begun to rediscover the center of a city that has an extraordinary history.

Young artists and bohemians have moved into some of the decrepit colonial buildings, and a few wealthier residents have taken to restoring others.

Politicians and power-bureaucrats have made the center's old restaurants fashionable again, and its museums and theaters are busier and busier. Like the city's broader transition from an industrial economy to one focused more on services, the changes at its heart are incipient.

The streets are still clogged like bad arteries, and even though the authorities take pollution problems seriously, their only hope is to reduce the rate at which they grow worse.

More and more *chilangos*, as its residents are called, seem willing to suspend their despair.

At the end of the winter, when the nights begin to warm and the worst of the smog to lift, they even celebrate. Momentarily, the sea of street vendors and Volkswagens seems to part and a 100-block landscape of Baroque churches, 16th-, 17th- and 18th-century administrative buildings and elegant old homes comes into relief.

#### WHAT TO SEE

After being closed for renovations for nearly two years, the Frida Kahlo Museum is scheduled to reopen in April.

Kahlo was born and lived most of her life in the Spanish-style house, which contains a sampling of her work and sketches.

The museum, at 247 Calle Londres in Coyoacan, will be open from 10 p.m. through 6 p.m., Tuesday through Sunday. Admission will cost \$3.

Nearby, the monument devoted to Frida's husband, the Diego Rivera Studio Museum, at Altavista and Diego Rivera streets in San Angel, focuses on the artist's life. It is open Tuesday to Sunday, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Admission is \$2.30.

To see some of Rivera's most famous murals, one need only go to the

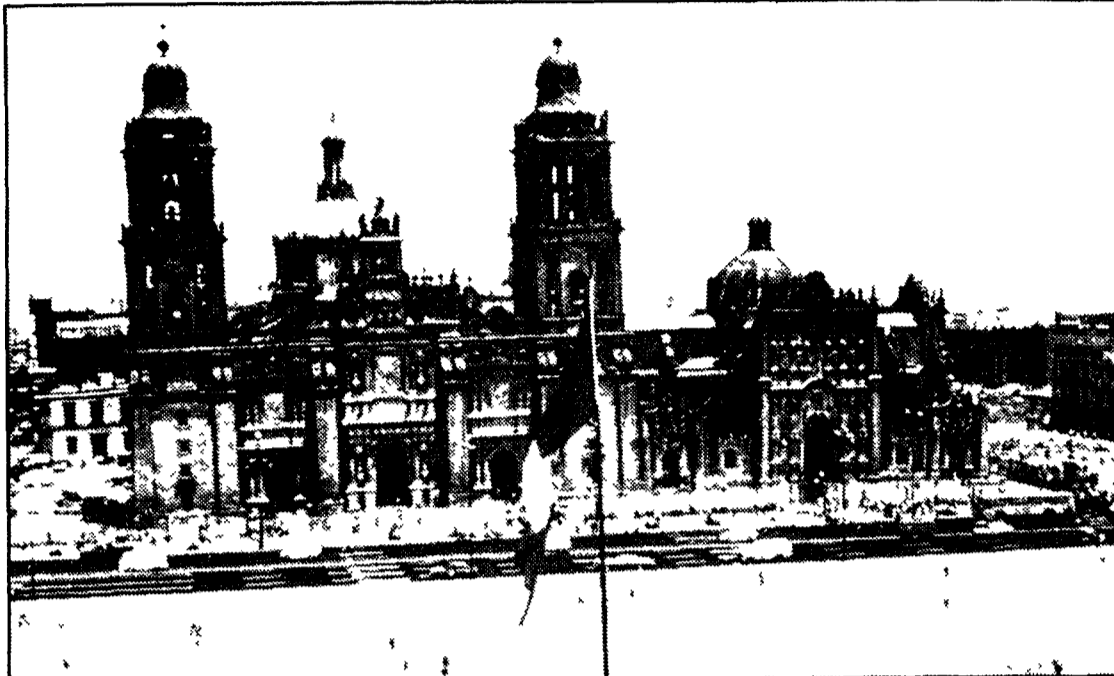


Photo courtesy of the Mexican Government Tourist Office

The baroque-style Metropolitan Cathedral in Mexico City dominates zocalo, today the second largest public square in the world after Moscow's Red Square.

National Palace, where his rendering of Mexican history covers some of the walls. The building is open daily from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Admission is free.

Nearby, is the Templo Mayor, an Aztec temple that city workers found while digging ditches for electrical cables in 1978. An adjacent museum filled with Aztec artifacts traces the history of the site. Open Tuesday to Sunday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

The Alameda, filled with trees, is the city center's other grand plaza. At its eastern corner sits the white marble Palacio de Bellas Artes, completed in 1934.

The lobby contains works by Rivera, Siqueiros, Orozco and Rufino Tamayo. Open Tuesday to Sunday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Admission is free.

Just down the Paseo de la Reforma, Chapultepec Park, 550 acres of park and woodlands, is home to some of the city's best museums. The National Museum of Anthropology, with its overwhelming collection of pre-Hispanic artifacts, is open Tuesday to Saturday, 9 a.m. to 7 p.m.; Sunday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Admission is \$4.25.

A few blocks away the Rufino Tamayo Museum displays the artist's personal collection Tuesday to Sunday, 10 a.m. to 5:45 p.m. Admission is \$3.25; free on Sundays.

#### WHERE TO STAY

The Galeria Plaza, 195 Hamburgo,

(800) 228-3000, fax 207-5867, in the Zona Rosa, is run by the Westin Chain, which also operates the luxurious Camino Real.

The Galeria is smaller and more modest, but with a similar quality of service. Double rooms cost \$146 on weekdays; \$130 on weekends.

Budget: The 150-room Maria Cristina, 31 Calle Rio Lerma, 566-9688, fax 566-9194, has long been a favorite of budget travelers. It has a pleasant outdoor garden and a courtyard. Double rooms are \$55.

Near the Zocalo is the Hotel Capitol, 12 Uruguay, 518-1750, fax 521-1149, whose 75 rooms, all with private baths, surround an atrium. Double rooms with one bed cost \$32.70.

Luxury: With its yellow-and-pink walls, the Camino Real, 700 Avenida Mariano Escobedo, (800) 228-3000, fax 250-6897 is the only luxury hotel in the city that has the feel of a place removed from the hubbub.

Low and sprawling, it has three swimming pools, a Tamayo mural in the lobby and some of Mexico's finest French food at Fouquet's, a branch of the Paris restaurant. It is within walking distance of Chapultepec Park. Double rooms are \$195; \$110 on weekends.

Closer to the center, the towering Maria Isabel Sheraton, 325 Paseo de la Reforma, (800) 325-3535, fax 207-6370, overlooks the gilded Angel

of Independence monument. Double rooms are \$235 on weekdays, \$108 on weekends.

#### WHERE TO EAT

While the quality of Mexico City's restaurants has improved in recent years, "international" fare casts a wide influence even in some of the most traditional Mexican restaurants. At the edge of the Alameda, at 85 Avenida de Hidalgo, the Best Western Hotel de Cortes, 518-2182, occupies a building that lodged Mexico's 16th-century Augustinian friars.

The restaurant serves unremarkable Mexican food on a quite remarkable stone patio. A breakfast of pancakes or *enchiladas de mole* costs about \$15 for two, a lunch or dinner, which might include white fish with almonds or Caesar salad costs about \$3 for two.

After closing for two years, Prendes, at 10 Avenida 16 de Septiembre, 512-7517, reopened in 1989 and has regained its reputation as a downtown haunt of the powerful and the political.

The menu is very Mexican, if not the sort of Mexican that tourists might think of: oysters, ceviche, cream-of-corn-and-black-corn-fungus soup.

But one comes for the ambience as much as the food: the black-lacquered chairs, the murals of for-

mer patrons such as Diego Rivera and Frida Kahlo. Lunch, the only meal served, costs about \$75 for two with wine.

More imaginative Mexican cuisine can be found at Los Irabien, at 45 Avenida de la Paz, 660-0876, in San Angel. The menu includes such "nueva cocina" inventions as stuffed cactus leaves and *huilacoche* (corn fungus) crepes. Dinner for two with wine costs about \$85.

The Bar La Opera, at 10 Cinco de Mayo, 512-8959, two blocks from Bellas Artes, is another old favorite. The prominent hole on the ceiling was supposedly left by one of the revolutionary Pancho Villa's bullets.

As usual, the atmosphere outdoes the food, but the *cabrito*, or barbecued goat and the roast pig have their fans. Dinner for two costs \$60 with wine.

The Restaurante Vasco, 6 Madero, 512-0613, one block from the Bellas Artes palace, is open for lunch only. Its *comidas corridas*, or prix fixe menus, feature hearty Spanish dishes such as *fabada asturiana*, a bean-potato-and-sausage stew, and cost about \$9.

Most restaurants are open for lunch from 1 p.m. until about 5 p.m. Dinner is generally served from about 7 p.m. to 11 p.m.

#### WHERE TO SHOP

The most popular shopping area for tourists is the Zona Rosa, a grid of streets and pedestrian malls filled with restaurants, galleries and boutiques.

Many leading silversmiths from Taxco have branches there, including Tane, 70 Calle Ambers, where a pair of earrings costs \$100 or more.

The Polanco area, north of Chapultepec Park, has recently sprouted hundreds of shops and restaurants. Talavera de Puebla Uriarte, 95 Emilio Castelar, sells finely painted ceramics, costing about \$60 for a large serving dish and \$300 for a vase.

The largest selection of traditional handicrafts are found in the half-dozen downtown artisan markets where bargaining is expected.

The Ciudadela Handicraft Market, on Calle Balderas between Ayuntamiento and Donde, houses hundreds of glassed-in craft shops. Most are open daily from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

While the market has its share of marble chess sets and Aztec calendars, it also has high-quality weavings and jewelry.

The Mexican government runs its own traditional art shops, called Fonart stores, that sell jewelry, pottery, furniture and clothing. Silver rings cost about \$15. Smaller Indian tapestries cost about \$90.

## Virginia's a joy for Colonial and Civil War buffs

By GENE and ADELE MALOTT  
New York Times Travel Syndicate

The recent opening of the Monitor-Merrimac Memorial Bridge-Tunnel has helped turn Tidewater Virginia into a popular vacation destination for mature travelers.

The bridge-tunnel, which crosses the Hampton Roads harbor, has alleviated some of the area's traffic congestion and made it easier for tourists to visit two of its most interesting cities — Norfolk and Hampton — during one long-weekend trip.

There is plenty to see and do in both places.

Colonial and Civil War buffs will want to visit the numerous forts, battle sites and museums in the area.

One of the most popular attractions is Hampton's sprawling Fort Monroe, which is still an active Army post. Fort Monroe is the largest stone fort ever built in America and is the only moated fortress in active use.

In the early 1830s young Robert E. Lee, fresh out of West Point, helped build the moat and strengthen the fort's emplacements.

During the Civil War, Union soldiers at Fort Monroe had a clear view of the battle between two ironclads — the Monitor and the Merrimac.

Today visitors can stroll the ramparts where Lincoln watched his troops retake Norfolk from its Confederate occupiers.

They can also explore the Casemate Museum, which is actually a series of caverns originally built to hold the fort's guns.

The cell where Jefferson Davis was imprisoned after the war is one of the museum's more popular attractions.

Admission to the fort is free. For more information, call (804) 727-3391.

Former sailors who put in tours of duty at Norfolk, the world's largest

naval station, will find lots of nostalgia at the Norfolk Naval Base.

One of the best ways to begin a tour of the naval station is with a cruise on Norfolk's historic harbor. During a recent visit we boarded the Miss Hampton II at the Visitor Center dock in downtown Hampton for a three-hour tour that included views of the naval-base docks, where about 50 ships were tied up.

Such a cruise offers a good preview of the vast array of naval firepower that can be seen close up during a shore tour.

Our tour narrator, William Hackworth, knew something about almost every ship in the harbor, including what job she performed and where she had been stationed in recent months.

Miss Hampton II operates twice daily in summer months, once daily the rest of the year. The fare is \$12 for adults, \$10 for those over 60 and \$6 for children age 6 through 12. There is no charge for children under age 6. Call (804) 727-1102 for further information.

Cruises aboard the Carrie B (804-393-4735) and the Spirit of Norfolk (804-627-7771) are also available.

The land portion of a visit to the base begins at the Waterside Visitor Center in downtown Norfolk. Here tourists board buses for the hour-and-a-half base tour, narrated by a military guide.

Highlights of the tour include the Hampton Roads Naval Museum, Naval Air Station Norfolk and the Admiral's Row housing section.

Bus fare is \$4.50 for adults, \$2.25 for children and those over 60. For more information, call (804) 444-7955 or (804) 627-9291.

In addition to the official base tour, two of the ships in the harbor hold open houses every weekend. Those who served on military ships during

World War II will feel right at home when they climb aboard.

Despite the addition of nuclear engines, computer technology and space-age weapons, ships haven't changed much in the last 50 years. The interiors are still gray, cramped and steep and the smell of diesel fuel still fills the air.

For more information on ship visits, call (804) 444-7955.

While the tour of the naval station and ships will probably be the highlight of your stay in the Norfolk/Hampton area, World War II buffs will also want to visit the Douglas MacArthur Memorial in downtown Norfolk.

Here is a thorough presentation of the career of Gen. Douglas MacArthur — from his World War I service and first tour of duty in the Philippines, through World War II and his years in Japan.

Included is the general's military analysis of the Korean War and what went wrong.

The general is entombed in the memorial's central rotunda.

Admission to the memorial is free. For more information call (804) 441-2965.

The Virginia Air and Space Center, which opened in April, is another popular attraction.

This facility in Hampton serves as the official visitors' center for the NASA Langley Research Center and houses memorabilia from the United States' space program.

On display is the Apollo 12 Command Module that traveled to the moon and a replica of the Lunar Orbiter, which mapped the moon's surface.

Visitors can also see vintage flying machines — including the Langley Aerodrome, which predates the Wright Brothers' biplanes.

The center has a specially designed IMAX theater which features a five-story-high, curved projection

screen. The theater is now showing "To Fly," a film that simulates the flight of birds and various aircraft.

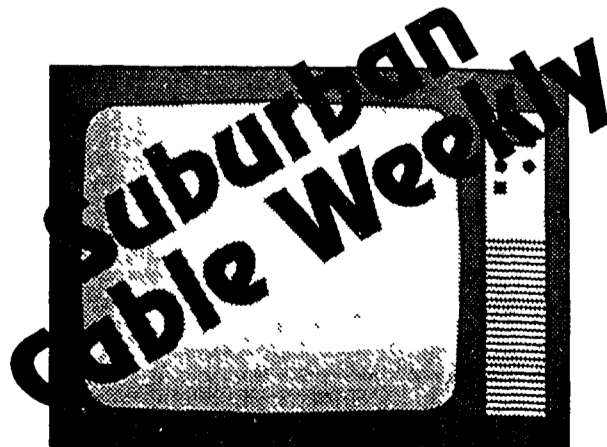
The Air and Space Center is also a good place to take grandchildren. They'll have fun operating the center's Spy Camera and pushing the buttons at the Rocket Launch exhibit.

Admission is \$6 for adults, \$5.50 for those over 55 and \$4.25 for children. The price includes admission to

the IMAX theater.

For additional information about Norfolk, write to the Norfolk Convention & Visitors Bureau, 236 E. Plume St., Norfolk, Va. 23510. Or call (800) 368-3097.

For information on Hampton's historic sights and attractions, write to Hampton Conventions & Tourism, 2 Eaton St., Hampton, Va. 23669. Or call (800) 487-8778.



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## Mustangs nip Redford Union 5-4 in first game

By SCOTT DANIEL  
Sports Editor

Ryan Kelley singled home Danny Walsh in the top of the sixth inning to give the Mustang baseball team a 5-4 opening day victory over Redford Union April 7.

Walsh led off the inning with a base hit and then swiped second. With two out and the senior still at second, Kelley lashed a single to left and made ace hurler Steve Christenson a winner.

Northville coach Tim Cain was pleased with his team's first effort of the spring.

"It wasn't too bad," he said. "We didn't make many mental mistakes and our fielding was excellent. We ate up about everything."

As in every other level of baseball, Cain said good pitching and solid glove work makes the difference.

"Defense wins ballgames in high school," he said.

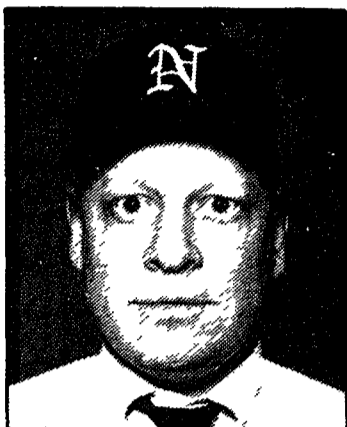
Christenson started and pitched three shutout innings for the victory. Jason Mavel pitched the seventh and got his first save.

"I wish we didn't have the big spring break," Cain said. "We were on a roll."

Northville scored the game's first run in the third inning.

Walsh, who had three hits, led off with a single and stole second base. He scored on a pop fly double by catcher Chuck Apligan.

The Mustangs went up 4-0 the



TIM CAIN

next inning. With one out, designated hitter Mavel was hit by a pitch. He moved to second on a throwing error by the Redford Union pitcher.

Runners were on first and third after Neil Yaele struck out but reached first on an error by the catcher. After Yaele stole second, Walsh tripled in both runners. Apligan got Walsh in with a single.

Senior Joe Staknis relieved Christenson in the fourth. He allowed a hit and a walk, but no runs.

"I was pleasantly surprised at how well he did," Cain said of his pitcher, who is battling a blood vessel disorder.

Redford Union got on the scoreboard in the bottom of the fifth. Jeff



NEIL YAELE

Luterek came in to pitch for the Mustangs and allowed a home run to the first Panther batter.

Good defense got the junior out of further trouble. With runners on first and third and two out, Redford Union attempted a double steal. Second baseman Yaele cut off Apligan's throw and fired back to the catcher to nail the runner at the plate.

"That was a big play," Cain said. "They had a rally going."

Kelley's sixth inning single proved to be the winning run. Redford Union added a single run in the sixth and two in the bottom of the seventh.

"They've come a long way," Cain said of the Panther program. "They seem to get better every year."



FILE PHOTO

Kevin Shaw played left field for the Mustangs in their opener.

Walsh was the offensive catalyst. Besides his three hits, he had a pair of runs batted in and stolen bases.

Mavel reached base four times and shortstop Eric Shaw had one hit. Cain said his team hit a couple of

balls that would have been home runs in Northville. But the Redford Union field is without a fence.

## Tracksters beat Farmington 69-59 to start season

By SCOTT DANIEL  
Sports Editor

Despite a couple of costly mistakes, the Mustang girls track team opened its 1993 campaign with a 69-59 victory over visiting Farmington April 7.

Northville was disqualified in both the 800- and 1,600-meter relay events because of failed hand-offs. According to coach Ann Turnbull, her team didn't let those miscues stand in the way of knocking off the Falcons.

"It won't happen again," she said of the disqualifications. "My girls were kind of high-strung. But they went out to win."

The Mustangs were scheduled to open the season April

1 against Novi. That meet was cancelled because of poor weather and has been rescheduled for April 20.

Turnbull said she was happy to get the season under way, especially with a win. She described the victory as a team effort but pointed to one crucial area for Northville's success.

"Our sprinters were a lot stronger than (Farmington's)," Turnbull commented.

Indeed, Northville won every sprinting event. In the 100-meter dash, Carrie Dalziel took first for the Mustangs with a time of 13.5. She came back to win the 200 in 29.20 while teammate Wendy Forster was second in 30.5. A mistake by officials added 10 meters to that event.

Adrienne Browne took the 400-meter run in 1:05.7. The team of Dalziel, Melannie Hulmer, Katie Rompel and Forster won the 400-meter relay in 55.6.

Northville also did well in the field events.

Forster placed first in the long jump. A state qualifier last year, the senior leaped 16-1/4. Alana Bradley was second for Northville with a jump of 14-5.

In the high jump, Tammy Cook started the season strong by clearing 4-10. That tied her personal best and was good for first place.

"I think she will be over 5 feet this year," Turnbull said. The Mustangs took first in the shot put and discus as well.

Christine Werda's 26-4/4 was tops in the shot. Jenny

Sekerka had a winning discus throw of 77-10. Michelle Fetterman was third with a toss of 71-5.

Sara Kolb was the winner of the 110-meter high hurdles in 17.8. Bradley was second in 18.7.

The 3,200-meter relay team handled its baton exchanges without flaw and won in 10:56.30. Rachel Liedel, Monica Nayakwadi, Michelle Splan and Laura Brown comprised that team.

Splan came back to take the 3,200-meter run in 13:34.90.

Besides removing some butterflies, Turnbull said the meet gave her an indication of how to plan her lineup for the rest of the season.

"We know what to work on before the next meet," she added.

## Northville whips WLAA's Falcons

By SCOTT DANIEL  
Sports Editor

A belated start to the 1993 season turned out better than Dennis Faletti thought it would April 7 as the Mustang track team easily defeated Farmington 82-55.

Northville High was set to open the spring campaign a week earlier against Baseline rival Novi. When mother nature forced postponement of that meet, the coach wasn't sure what to expect against the Falcons.

"I thought it would be a little closer," Faletti said. "We exceeded a little bit of what I thought we'd do in both performance and score."

Though he'd only held a few outdoor practices before the meet, Faletti said he will now be able to evaluate his team and determine what areas need work.

"It was a learning experience for the kids and me," he said.

One area Faletti won't have to worry about is the discus. Junior John Gatti won the event against Farmington with an impressive throw of 138-9. Mark McDonald was third with a toss of 105-7.

Gatti took no prisoners in the shot put, either. He won with a throw of 46-4, while Rob Subotich was second with a 41-10.

"I think he's getting better at technique," Faletti said of Gatti. "He's stronger and older and knows what to expect now."

Rob Tune cleared 5-10 to take second in the high jump.

"It's a great jump for a freshman," Faletti commented.

Northville took a second in the long jump. Chris Gomersoll leaped 18-6.

In the pole vault, Bo Fowler was second as he cleared 9-0. Jason Petrie was third with a vault of 8-6.

A time of 18.9 got senior Justin Lankes a third-place finish in the 110-meter high hurdles.

The Mustangs were able to sweep the 100-meter dash. Brian Dogonski got the top spot with a time of 11.6. Rick King was second in 11.84 and Gomersoll third in 11.9.

"Considering the breeze they were



JOHN GATTI

running into," Faletti said, "those are some good times."

In the 800-meter relay, Bob Oiler, Farb Nivi, Bryan Kelley and Subotich were winners in 1:36.10.

Faletti said his relay teams aren't set. In fact, he said, he often juggles lineups throughout the season depending on who is running well.

Eric Goerke placed third in the 1,600-meter run in 5:00. The relay team of Oiler, Nivi, King and Dogonski won the 400-meter in 45.9.

Subotich won the individual 400-meter run in 53.60. Marc Golden was second in 54.20.

In the 300-meter hurdles, Lankes was the winner in 43.6. Todd Zayti took another first for Northville in the 800-meter run with a time of 2:09.10. Matt Hamister was second in 2:13.80.

The Mustangs swept the 200-meter run. King was first in 24.2. Gomersoll was second with a time of 24.4 and Dogonski was third in 24.6.

Goerke had a personal best time in the 3,200-meter run. He finished in 10:45.60.

Northville closed the meet by winning the 1,600-meter relay. Lankes, Petrie, Golden and Zayti finished in 3:44.30.

Faletti said he was happy to get a meet under his belt.

"It's a confidence builder for the new people," he said.



FILE PHOTO

Bo Fowler will see action in several events for Northville this spring including a race or two.

## Mustangs return to action next week

They're back.

After a week of Florida sun or just relaxing around Northville, all of the high school teams spring into action next week. From Western Lakes Activities Association battles to border wars with Novi, the remainder of the school year promises plenty of excitement for Mustang supporters.

The tennis team opens the season on the road against Livonia Churchill Monday at 4 p.m. The rest of Northville's week will be highlighted by a Tuesday match against the Wildcats, at home starting at 4 p.m.

Bob Paul's soccer squad (0-0-1) plays the Kensington Valley Conference's South Lyon Monday. The contest will be on the road starting at 5:30 p.m. The kickers also face Livonia Stevenson Wednesday on the road and North Farmington at home next week. Both games start at 7 p.m.

The baseball team (1-0) plays just one game. The Mustangs play at North Farmington a week from today starting at 4 p.m.

The schedule is heavier for the track squads. A make-up meet will be held with Novi Tuesday. Northville will take on conference rival Livonia Franklin Thursday, which will be on the road for the boys and at home for the girls. The Mustangs head north of the border for the Novi Relays April 24.

Northville opens the softball season against the Wildcats Monday on the road (4 p.m.). The home opener will be Thursday against North Farmington at 4 p.m.

Trish Waldecker's golf team hits the ground running. The Mustangs open the season at home against Ladywood Monday. Other matches will include Livonia Stevenson Tuesday, Walled Lake Western Thursday and Ann Arbor Pioneer on Friday.



Emily Lawrence fights a Livonia Churchill player for the ball last week.

Photo by JON FREILICH

## Scott Daniel

# Nerves show in kickers' season opener



It was opening night for Northville High School soccer.

The uniforms were neat, clean and probably freshly pressed. Shoes were laced extra tight. Water bottles were fully operational. Equipment bags, filled with God knows what, were placed neatly behind the bench in numerical order.

I've been to and seen dozens of first games from junior high school to professional teams. Heck, I was even at Tiger Stadium in 1985, the year after Detroit won the World Series.

The Mustangs' April 7 opener didn't match the buzz in the air that day at the stadium. But, believe me, there was plenty of excitement to go around.

Parents were nervous. Players looked uptight. Even mild-mannered coach Bob Paul was pacing the sideline at Livonia Churchill before the game.

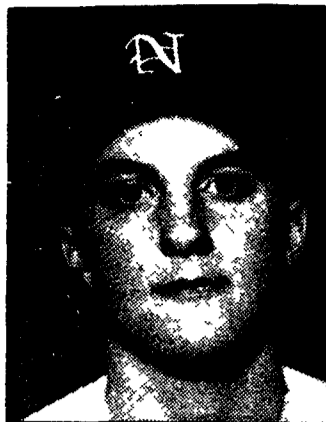
And who can blame any of them for being a little tense? All of these preseason jitters should

have been erased days before against Troy Athens. But Northville's first two games were wiped out because of a four-letter word that starts with an s.

As if all that anticipation wasn't enough, the contest was delayed for a half-hour because of a

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## Mustangs of the Week



DANNY WALSH



TAMMY COOK

**DANNY WALSH:** Walsh was the offensive catalyst for Northville in the diamond opener against Redford Union. The senior had three hits, a pair of runs batted in and stolen bases. Walsh plays centerfield for the Mustangs.

**TAMMY COOK:** In the high jump, Cook started the season strong by clearing 4-10. That tied her personal best and was good for first place.

## Fitness Briefs

**STEP BENCH, AEROBICS AND TONING:** New Attitude Aerobics and Northville Parks and Recreation offer year-round fitness classes, for men and women, mornings and evenings, seven days a week. Programs include step bench, high and low impact aerobics, low impact fatburner aerobics, and early bird (6 a.m.) workouts. Classes are designed with everyone in mind, all ages and levels of fitness, beginners to advanced. Special features include: "flexible scheduling" (mix and match classes from week to week), child care, personalized instruction, and nationally certified instructors. For more information call 348-3120 or 349-0203.

**JAZZERCISE:** Jazzercise is now in Northville. Evening classes start soon at the Plaza Dance Company in the Northville Plaza Mall on Seven Mile Road. Babysitting is available. For more information call Dawn at 347-3335.

**YOGA CLASSES IN NORTHVILLE:** Yoga classes are being held at the Northville American Legion Hall this spring from March 15 to May 20. Taught by Diane Siegel-DiVita, yoga effectively trains the body to develop strength, flexibility and balance. Classes will be held Mondays and Thursdays from 7:15-8:45 p.m. at a cost of \$45 or both days for \$85. For more information call 344-0928.

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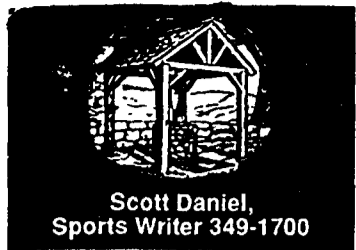
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## Theater group set to perform

Looking for a cultural experience for the family next weekend? Look no further. Here's one of Novi's best kept secrets.

Novi Youth Theatre's Performance Plus presents its Spring production, "A One-Act Festival" consisting of four one-act plays from the works of Kurt Vonnegut Jr., William Faulkner, Susan Glaspell and D.H. Lawrence. Performances are at the Novi Civic Center Friday, April 23, at 8 p.m. and Saturday, April 24, at 2 p.m. and 8 p.m.

The students involved in Performance Plus have worked long and hard to make each and every production a first-class experience, from promotion, set design, costumes and make-up to their actual performances. And their efforts did not go unnoticed because the Michigan Recreation and Park Association (MRPA) awarded Novi's Youth Theatre with this year's Innovative Rec Programming Award.

This innovative program is the brainchild of Novi resident Linda



The Crucible has already been performed by the Novi theater group.

Wickert. She is the guiding force of Performance Plus and the true reason for its success. Wickert's educational approach to the theatre offers "theatre experience" to each individual beyond the memorization of lines. Performance Plus students have already performed in *Picnic at Hanging Rock*, *Alice in Wonderland* and *The Crucible*.

"Anyone fortunate enough to see our last performance of *The Crucible* knows what a wonderful program Novi has," Wickert said. "I received letters from professionals on our tremendous performance of *The Crucible*. It is a play not usually attempted by 12- to 18-year-old students."

Bring your family and friends to

check out the Novi Youth Theatre's Performance Plus. You won't be disappointed and hopefully this is one secret that won't be kept.

Tickets can be purchased now at the Novi Civic Center, Parks and Recreation Department. Advance Tickets: \$6 adults, \$4 seniors and children under 12. Tickets at the door: \$7 and \$5.

## Michael Bayerl/Health

# Testicular cancer found in young men



It's easy for young people to forget that they may develop cancer. Young men in particular should know that cancer of the testicles, although rare, is the most common cancer in men ages 20 to 34. It can occur as early as age 15.

The testicles are the two oval organs located below the penis in the scrotum. They make sperm and produce the male hormone testosterone. Men who have a close relative like a brother, father or grandfather who had testicular cancer, and men who had an undescended testicle as a child are at higher risk for testicular cancer. However, in most men with testicular cancer no apparent risk is found. Therefore, all men over 14 are considered to be at risk for this cancer.

Once a fatal disease, testicular cancer can now be cured up to 97 percent of the time. This high cure rate is a result of improved treatments and early detection through self-examination. Every man over the age of 14

should do a monthly self-examination. A self-examination may also detect other testicular diseases such as infections. Currently, there is no proven way to prevent testicular cancer.

The best time to examine the testicles is during a warm bath or shower. This relaxes the scrotum and provides privacy.

Begin by standing in front of the mirror and check for different sizes of the testicle, and for abnormalities of the scrotal and penile skin. The testicles will normally sit at different heights in the scrotum. Size or shape differences are really the most important. Most skin abnormalities are not cancer. Any problems should be evaluated by a physician.

Next, examine one testicle by gently rolling it between the thumb and first three fingers. Normal testicles should be smooth, oval, slightly tender, and move freely in the scrotum. Make note of any irregular bumps. Often, cancers are firm, painless nodules about the size of a pea.

Now examine the epididymis the same way as the testicle. This is a cord-like structure found on one side of the testicle, most often the back or top side. This is where sperm is stored. It is important to identify what this feels like so it is not confused with an abnormal bump. The best way to assure you have correctly identified the epididymis is to note that it is connected to

the testicle and spermatic cord. The spermatic cord is a soft, tubular structure running from the epididymis to the top of the scrotum. It contains the vas deferens, which is the tube that carries sperm from the testicle to the penis, and arteries and veins. Remember to also note any bumps or painful areas when examining the epididymis and spermatic cord.

Complete the exam by repeating the above steps with the other testicle, epididymis, and spermatic cord. Examining the second testicle helps identify abnormalities because both sides should feel about the same. This will also help identify the epididymis because there is one on both sides and cancers usually occur on only one side. Also note that a simple difference in size or shape without an obvious bump on either side is a significant observation.

Your physician should examine the testicles as part of a routine examination and can teach you how to perform a testicular exam properly. If you should find any abnormalities during a monthly testicular exam, visit your physician immediately.

For additional information, contact your doctor, or call the Cancer Information Service of the National Cancer Institute at 1-800-4-CANCER.

## Recreation Briefs

# High school looks for basketball coach

**COACHING VACANCY:** Northville High School is accepting applications for the position of girls varsity head basketball coach. Those interested should contact athletic director Dennis Colligan at 344-8403.

**FALL SOCCER REGISTRATION:** Registration for the 1993 fall soccer program will be held at the Northville Community Center in downtown Northville June 5 and June 12 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. The registration dates that are published in the Northville Parks and Recreation spring and summer brochures are incorrect. Please make a note of the correct dates. For more information, contact the Northville Parks and Recreation Department at 349-0203.

**CLASS REGISTRATION:** Spring class registration for Northville Parks and Recreation has begun. Registrations are being accepted Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Rec Department, 303 W. Main, Northville. For information regarding classes and registration contact the department at 349-0203.

**BOWLING DAY:** Why sit at home on your day off from school? The Northville Parks and Recreation Department wants to give you and your friends a chance to go bowling on April 16 from 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.

Participants will meet at the Novi Bowl and Recreation Center. The event is open to children 5-14 for a cost of \$8 per person. The day will include two hours of bowling, an orientation session, shoe rental, pizza, pop and chips. For more information call 349-0203.

**ADULT SOFTBALL:** Northville Parks and Recreation is accepting registrations for adult softball leagues. Women's and co-ed leagues are now forming. The cost is \$250 per team (co-ed teams \$255), non-resident fees and umpire fees extra. The women's league plays Tuesdays and Thursdays, and the co-ed league plays Sunday afternoons. Teams may register Monday through Friday. For more information contact the department at 349-0203.

**LIVING SCIENCE FOUNDATION CAMP:** The Northville Parks and Recreation department is proud to present the Living Science Foundation Camp. This program offers a unique learning experience through hands-on activities. Come face to face with exotic animals that include an eight-foot snake, exotic birds, reptiles and other animals from around the world. Materials for all experiments, crafts and snacks will be provided. Campers should wear comfortable indoor and outdoor clothing and

bring a sack lunch each day. The camps run from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. for a cost of \$45 per camp. Camps are held on April 15 and 16. For more information call 349-0203.

**VOLLEYBALL:** The Northville Parks and Recreation department will be holding men's, women's and coed volleyball leagues this spring. Registration deadline is April 21 and a mandatory manager's meeting will be held April 28. For more information call 349-0203.

**UMPIRES NEEDED:** Northville residents interested in umpiring high school and summer league baseball should contact the Wayne-Oakland Balls and Strikes Association through Matt Burnash at (313) 532-8986 or (313) 328-0478. You must be at least 18 years old.

**SOCCER:** Girls premier soccer players who have no team to play for in the spring '93 season, call Tom Coyne at 427-3338. For players with a birthdate of Aug. 1, 1976 and younger who have no team to play with, Linda Hamilton, USA Women's National Team, and Tom Coyne, USYS National Championship, will provide an opportunity for girls premier soccer players to train and compete this spring season.

**JUNIOR BASEBALL:** Northville Junior Baseball is accepting applications for house and travel league coaches for the 1993 season. Applications are available at Northville Parks and Recreation, located at 303 W. Main St. Returning coaches also need to complete a coaching application. For further information, call 349-0203.

**ATHLETIC FAMILY PASSES:** Northville High School passes are available by contacting Sue Christenson. This year's passes are \$45 and are good for admission to all home high school athletic events. Make checks payable to Northville Athletic Boosters along with the names of family members and return addresses. To contact Sue Christenson, call 349-7933, or write to 42153 Westmeath Ct., Northville, Mich. 48167.

**HANDBALL, RACQUETBALL, PADDLEBALL:** If you enjoy handball, racquetball or paddleball, open court time is being offered by Schoolcraft College. Courts can be scheduled for doubles play. Gloves, paddles, racquets, balls and lockers are furnished.

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## REAL ESTATE

### New structures are being framed with steel

By James M. Woodard  
Copley News Service

A home or other building is no stronger than its frame. And the strongest, most durable frame material is steel. That's why an increasing number of new structures are being framed with steel, as opposed to the more conventional wood frames.

For example, one current "steel framing" project now on the drawing boards in California includes two barns and a residence. The buildings will be built this year, all

framed with steel.

"I've compared the use of wood vs. steel framing from every perspective," said Brian Larson, an architect. "There will never be a termite problem with my frames and each frame element will be precisely cut to specifications—no waste of material or time."

Larson also noted that steel frames cannot contribute to a fire. And steel is an 80 percent recyclable material.

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## HOME DESIGNS



### The Henning is straight and pure country living

By James McAlexander  
Copley News Service

A wide, wraparound railed porch adds a touch of nostalgia to the country/ranch-style Henning. Hang an old-fashioned porch swing here and bring on the chilled lemonade.

Soft, natural light from four skylights illuminates the large 19-by-17-foot family room at the core of this medium-size home. Not that this would be a dark space without them. Wide expanses of glass on three sides add brightness, giving the area the feeling of wide-open spaces.

A country kitchen with a wide work island is located at the opposite end. Although the area to the right of the kitchen is designated as an eating nook, some families might prefer to place their informal eating area under the skylights and close to the fireplace.

Other features in the kitchen include a walk-in pantry, a Lazy Susan in the corner cupboard and a dishwasher that faces into the family room.

French doors in both the dining

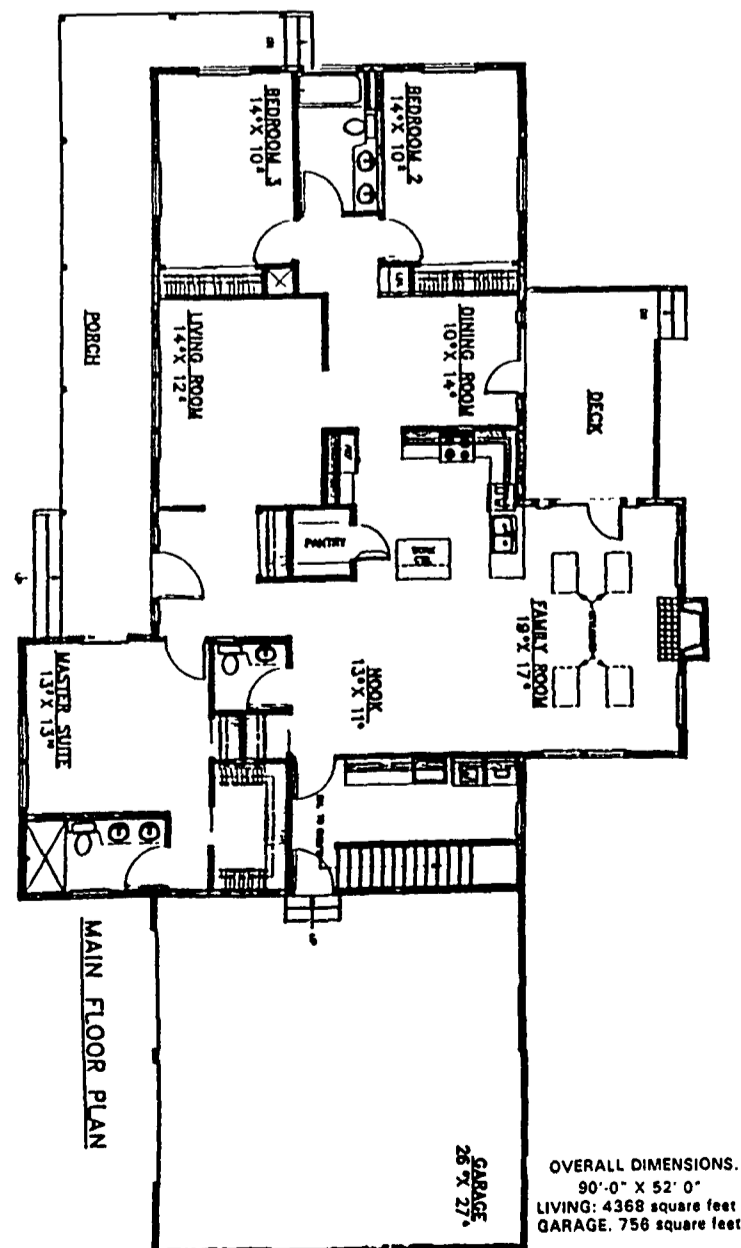
room and family room open onto a small deck.

The master suite is close to the front entry and isolated from the other two bedrooms for added privacy. In addition to a large walk-in closet, it has a smaller cedar-lined closet for protection from moths and a private bathroom with twin vanities.

Twin basins in the bathroom shared by the other two bedrooms will help ease early-morning competition for mirrors, especially if teen-agers occupy the home.

The utility room is equally convenient to the kitchen and the two-car garage, allowing for wash-up after working outside. Although the utility room is not designed with a door to the back yard, this situation could be remedied by simply substituting a door for a window.

For a study plan of the Henning (100-39) send \$7.50 to Landmark Designs, c/o HomeTown Newspapers, 323 E. Grand River Ave., Howell, MI 48843. (Be sure to specify plan name and number when ordering.)



It's been getting a lot of attention lately because levels of it have been detected in schools throughout the United States, but radon can be a threat in homes as well. Radon is a naturally occurring gas produced by the breakdown of uranium in soil, rock and water. Radon is estimated to cause many thousands of lung cancer deaths each year. The Surgeon General has warned that exposure to radon is the second leading cause of lung cancer in the United States.

Nearly one out of every 15 homes in the United States is estimated to have elevated radon levels, according to "A Citizen's Guide to Radon." The guide is published by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services and the U.S. Public Health Service. Copies of the guide are available at the Livingston County Health Department.

In southeast Michigan, there are pockets of uranium that were left behind by the glaciers, so there may be problems with radon in some area homes, according to Mark Doyle of the Livingston County Health Department. Doyle added that just because there is ura-

nium in the area, that doesn't mean that all of the homes in one area will be threatened by radon. The problem is usually very localized, he said.

"It's very house-specific," he said. "You can't look to one street or one neighborhood and say there's a problem."

Radon moves up through the ground and into the air in a building through cracks and other holes in the foundation, Doyle said. The structure traps the radon and allows it to build up, and this is where the problems start.

It doesn't matter whether a home is old or new. Also, it doesn't matter whether a home has a basement, a crawl-space, or has no basement, radon can still be a problem.

So, how do you find out if there are high levels of radon in your home?

"The only way you can find out if you have a problem is if you test," Doyle said.

Doyle said that it is fairly simple to

accurately test a home for radon. Many area stores carry radon test kits that include a charcoal canister that may be placed in the basement of the home for a certain amount of time. Then the canister is sealed and mailed to a laboratory for analysis.

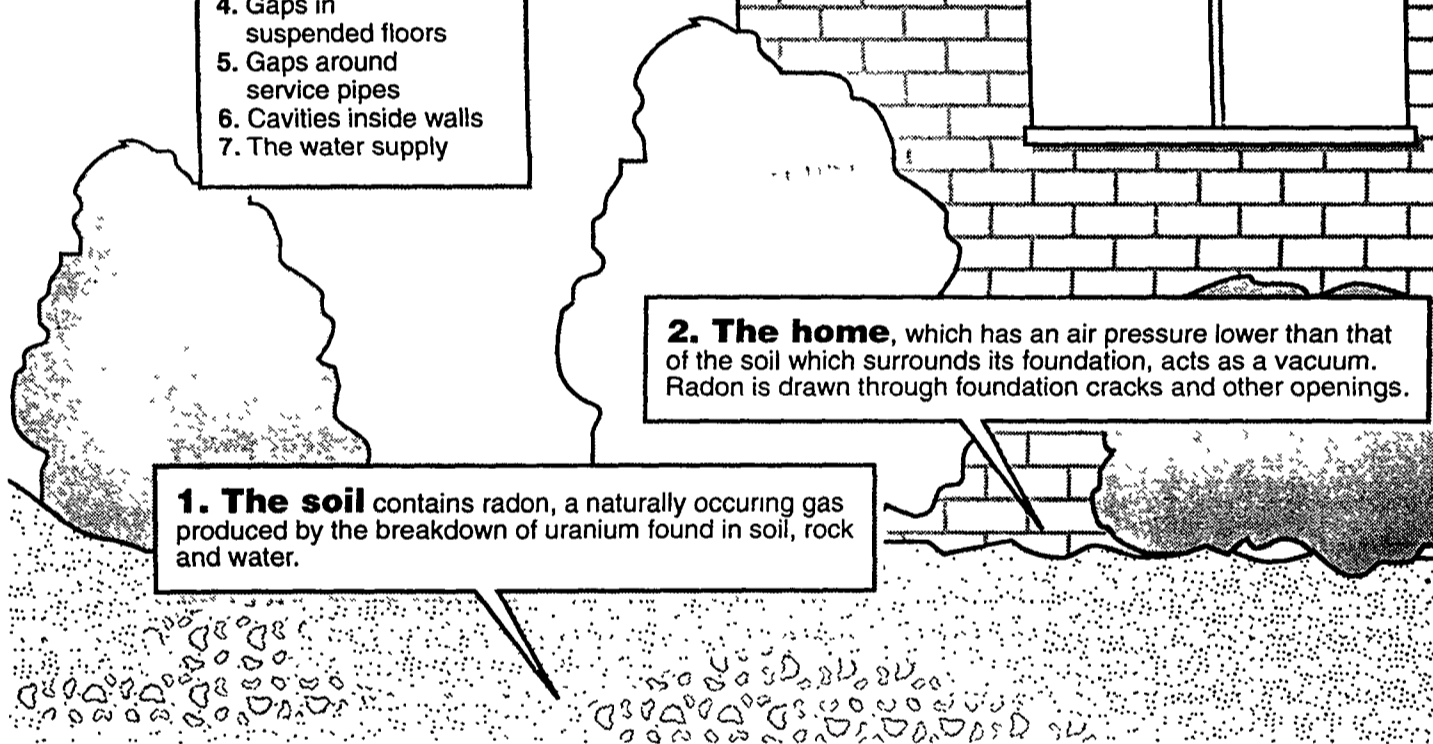
"That's a fairly reliable testing method," he said.

The highest levels will register in  
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### How radon enters the home

#### Radon enters the home through:

1. Cracks in solid floors
2. Construction joints
3. Cracks in walls
4. Gaps in suspended floors
5. Gaps around service pipes
6. Cavities inside walls
7. The water supply



Graphic By JUANITA LITTLE

## Plants, birds and bees

By C.Z. Guest  
Copley News Service

### GARDENING

In the plant kingdom, it takes not only two to tango but sometimes three. Gardeners, therefore, must often get into the pollination act.

Over the millennia, we have cross-pollinated all different kinds of plants (trees, vegetables, flowers and grains). For instance, grains, which have become our major food supply, now have larger seeds and larger varieties than our ancestral varieties, thanks to plant breeders, the result of never-ending, careful cross-breeding and selection.

Flowers are another rich source for plant breeding. You may not be aware that there is a great deal of hanky-panky going on among all the flowers and all their pollinators. The birds, bees and insects play the role of "messenger," carrying the pollen from one flower to another, the most ingenious role in nature.

Pollinators also include butterflies and small mammals, such as lemurs in Madagascar, small rodents in Africa and opossums in Australia. The role of messenger is essential. Without the messenger, the world would be without diversity, without seed.

The creatures who carry out

pollination have their reward, too. For instance, bees and birds get flower nectar that they use as food and a certain portion of the pollen, as well.

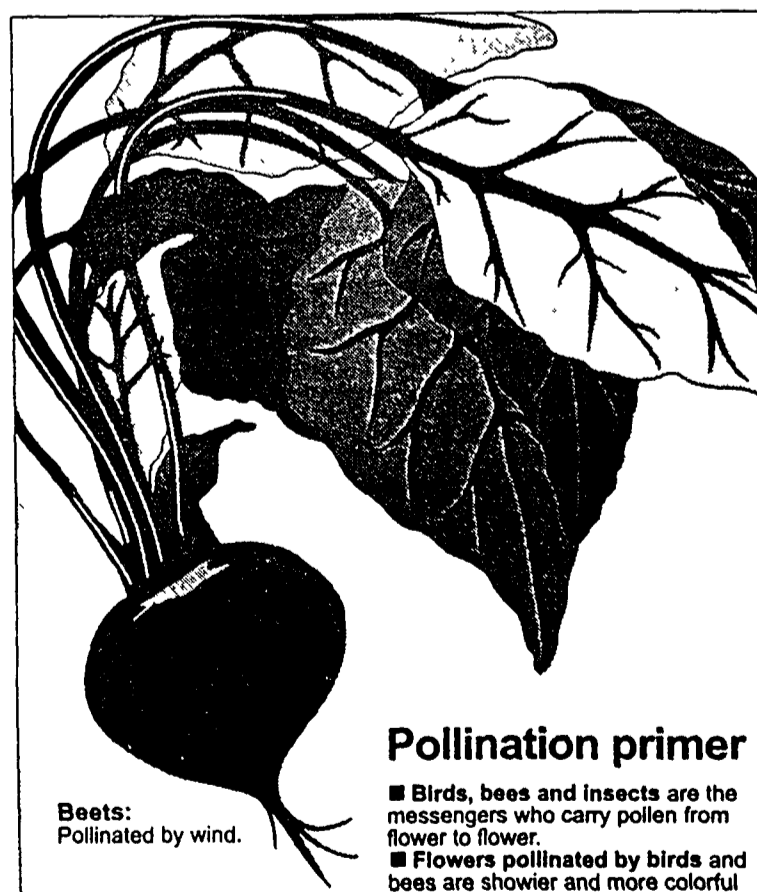
In order for a flower to be able to attract the animal or insect that pollinates it, the flower must have a specific odor or color. In other words, a pattern that directs the insect to the flower center, where the sex parts and the nectar are located.

Many insects have vision that is shifted (as compared to ours) with respect to the portion of the light spectrum they can see. They do not see red but can see ultraviolet, which we unfortunately cannot.

Flowers pollinated by bees and birds are usually showy and colorful and, of course, can be very complicated.

Some orchids even go so far to duplicate the shape of the insect that pollinates them! The insect comes to the flower believing it is going to mate with another insect like itself but, lo and behold, unexpected results occur: orchid seeds!

Often, the relationship between flower and its pollinator is very specific. The yucca and the yucca moth, for



Beets:  
Pollinated by wind.

### Pollination primer

- Birds, bees and insects are the messengers who carry pollen from flower to flower.
- Flowers pollinated by birds and bees are showier and more colorful than those pollinated by insects.
- Some plants and pollinators have a specific relationship; only a yucca moth can pollinate a yucca plant.
- All cereal grains and grasses are pollinated by wind. So are spinach, beets and rhubarb.

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# 'Steeling' new structures

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In addition to his architecture practice, Larson raises avocado trees and fine horses, thus his need for barns. The new contemporary style residence will be home for the Larson family, including five children.

Jack Sorenson, a real estate developer, is seriously considering the use of steel framing for his new 62-home residential development.

"I particularly like the idea of no warping, twisting or rotting of the frames," Sorenson said. "That's what steel delivers. And, of course, termites hate steel. It should also reduce my fire insurance premiums. I'm still looking into that possibility."

A key reason for the increasing use of steel framing is the rising cost and declining quality of lumber, according to Jerry Hughes, president of Anaco Building Systems, a steel supplying company established two years ago. Another jump in lumber prices is expected soon, he said.

"My phone has been ringing more and more in recent weeks. People are definitely becoming more interested in using steel framing for new buildings," Hughes said.

Another motivating factor for using steel is its effectiveness in resisting damage during earthquakes. That's an important consideration in earthquake-prone areas. But other advantages make steel an increasingly attractive framing material throughout the country.

Nearly 95 percent of new homes being built in the United States still use wood framing. But with prices or wood rising and a strong educational campaign being launched by the American Iron and Steel Institute (the industry's trade association), the proportion of steel-framed new homes is bound to increase significantly.

## Q. To what extent have lumber prices increased?

A. Lumber prices have risen 85 percent since last October. President Clinton proposed that

Congress take action to stop the sharply rising lumber cost trend. The National Association of Home Builders endorsed the proposal.

## Q. Are government fees that real estate developers must pay still rising, or are they declining due to the recession?

A. Generally, state and local governments continued to increase the cost of real estate development during the past couple of years despite the recession. It seems to be the easiest way for politicians to generate funds for certain projects without harming their political careers.

"Many governments exact fees from developers, rather than tax their constituents," said Phillip Nicholson, senior partner of Cox, Castle & Nicholson, a national law firm. "It now appears that the cost of real estate development will be further increased by new federal legislation."

Many people don't understand that developer fees charged by local, state and federal governments must be passed along to unit buyers. In many cases these are home buyers, and the growing fees translate into higher prices and larger monthly payments. Therefore, it makes it more difficult to qualify for financing.

## Q. How is the baby-boom generation now impacting the home sale market?

A. As the baby-boom population grows older, people in that age group will continue to buy homes, resulting in steady sales and stable home values throughout the next decade, according to a recently concluded study sponsored by the Herbert U. Nelson memorial fund of the National Association of Realtors.

The study refutes reports predicting home purchases by baby boomers will taper off as the generation grows older, thus forcing real home prices to decline.

Questions may be used in future columns; personal responses should not be expected. Send inquiries to James M. Woodard, Copley News Service, P.O. Box 190, San Diego, CA 92112-0190.

# The secret life of plants, birds and bees

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instance, are a marvelous example of this. Only the dusty little yucca moth can pollinate the yucca and perpetuate its life cycle. What a responsibility!

The moth is completely dependent on the yucca; both need each other for survival: she lays her eggs in the flower and when the eggs hatch, the larvae feed off the yucca seed. Often, you can see the neat holes through the seeds made by the larvae en route to the outside world. But, of course, they do not destroy all the seed.

Most of the world's food supply is dependent on wind. God only knows what reward the wind receives in return for its

pollinating services.

The wind carries the pollen of all the cereal grains and grasses that are our staples: wheat, corn, oats and rice. Other wind-pollinated vegetables are beets, spinach and rhubarb.

Plants pollinated by wind have small, inconspicuous flowers since their perpetuation depends on the chance of a breeze rather than enticement or attraction.

Willows also are pollinated by wind, and in the spring the difference between a male and female tree is obvious even at a distance. The female tree is greenish while the male tree has a yellowish cast from all the millions of tiny yellow pollen grains.

Bringing together two plants

from the same species is called "crossing." Bringing together two plants of different species is called "hybridizing."

Selection is a major part of plant breeding. Watch carefully the growing habits of the plant types you wish for breeding: vigor, seedling, vegetation, appearance, time until bloom and blooming character.

All this can be accomplished by selection and then selection must take place among the offspring.

C.Z. Guest is a gardening authority whose work appears in *House and Garden* and author of numerous books and videos, including "5 Seasons of Gardening" (Little, Brown and Co.)

# Radon inspection begins at home

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the winter months, Doyle said. There are two reasons for the higher levels, he explained.

The air pressure inside a home is usually lower than the pressure in the soil around the home's foundation. With the difference in pressure, the house acts as a vacuum, drawing radon in through foundation cracks and other openings. In the winter months, the heating system draws more of the radon into the home, Doyle said. Also, there is less ventilation in the winter, and this

allows the radon to build up as well, Doyle said.

If the test shows higher than normal levels of radon in the home, there are a number of options for the homeowner, Doyle said.

First, the homeowner should seal any cracks in the foundation or walls and put a cover over the sump pump if there is no cover, he said.


"That's probably the cheapest route," he said.

If the basement is constructed with cinder blocks, the hollow core of the blocks should also be sealed,

he said.

If there are still high levels of radon, then the homeowner should contact a radon remediation contractor. The telephone directory usually has a listing for radon remediation contractors. Consumers interested in finding qualified remediation contractors may want to contact the University of Michigan Radon Resource and Training Center.

Those who would like more information on radon may contact the Livingston County Health Department at 546-9850.



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# Chair is pre-Civil War and an impossible style

By James G. McCollam  
Copley News Service

## ANTIQUES

Q. The enclosed picture is of a chair that originally was one of a set of six or eight dining room chairs, that has been in our family since before the Civil War; we still have three of them.

We would like to know who made this style and in what city were they made.

A. This chair would be classified as transitional between Empire and Victorian. It was made in the 1850-1870 period and would probably sell for \$175 to \$200 each.

It is virtually impossible to tell in what city unmarked furniture was made.

Q. The attached mark is on the back of a 10-inch ironstone plate. It is decorated with a floral design of blue and red with gold trim.

What can you tell me about the origin and value of my plate?

A. The mark you provided was used by Job Meigh & Son in Hanley, England, between 1812 and 1835. "Vintage" is the name of the pattern. The value would be in the \$40 to \$50 range.

Q. What can you tell me about my father's straight razor? It is marked "Keen Kutter No. K-15."

and has a black plastic (?) handle; it is in its original box.

A. Your razor was made in the early 1900s and might sell in the \$25 to \$35 range.

Q. I have a porcelain creamer and sugar bowl decorated with flowers and vine with gold trim. They are marked on the bottom "Occupied Japan."

Can you tell me when they were made and the value?

A. Everything made in Japan after World War II was marked "Occupied Japan." The policy was in effect from 1945 to 1952.

Your creamer and sugar bowl would probably sell for \$35 to \$45.

Q. Please tell me what you can about my 18-inch platter that is marked "Scinde" and "Henry Alcock." It has an all-blue floral design that appears to bleed into the white background.

I would guess that it is earthenware—not porcelain.

A. Your guess is correct. This is Flow Blue, a style that was popular from the early 19th century to the early 20th century.

"Scinde" is the name of the pattern; Alcock is the maker.

Platters like this are currently selling for as much as \$400 in good condition.

A. This dates back to the early 1900s, and would probably sell for about \$25 to \$35.

Letters with picture(s) are welcome and may be answered in the column. We cannot reply personally or return pictures. Address your letters to James G. McCollam, P.O. Box 1087, Notre Dame, IN 46556.



This transitional chair was made between 1850 and 1870 and could sell for \$175 to \$200.

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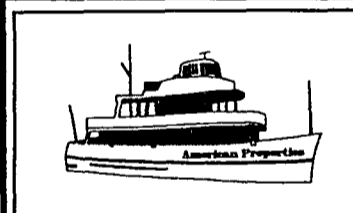
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NORTHFIELD Township. 38 acres, will divide. 20 acres of woods, ravine, stream. Land contract. (313)437-1174

NORTH Terminal and US 23 area. Several wooded, rolling, park parcels. Owner, broker, builder. (313)663-4886.

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WEBSTER Township. Two 225 acre parcels. Parked, land contract terms. (313)437-1174.

WHITMORE LAKE area. Lot 90x100, possible terms. \$17,900. Call Nelson & York, Inc. Realtors, (313)449-4466.

## 032 Out of State Property

SPARTA, Tennessee. 3 br., 2 baths, 16 acres, barn, workshop \$65,000 (615)738-2767.

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## 034 Income Property

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**SUNDAY, APRIL 18**  
1:00 - 4:00PM  
2830 Parkway Place  
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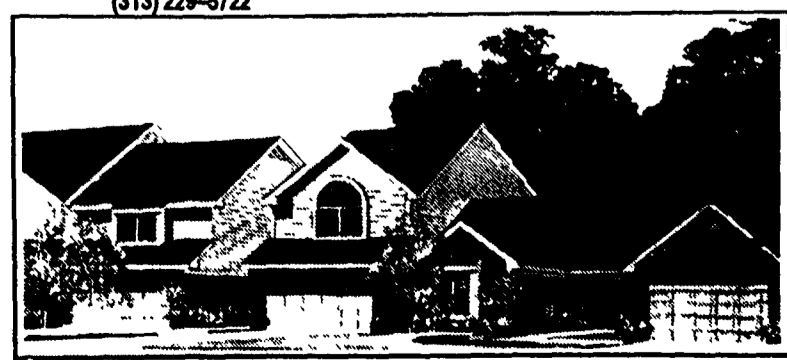
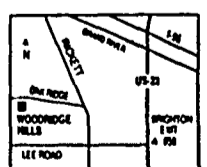
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WHITMORE LAKE. Open house by owner, April 17, 11am-4pm. Northfield Estates, Lot 461. 1988 deluxe double wide, 28x64. Or call (313) 449-517.

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**046** Fenton

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**048** Fowlerville

BY owner. 3 br., 1 1/2 story, in the city. Completely remodeled: new furnace, new roof. \$68,500. (517) 223-0183.

**WILDLIFE LOVERS' PARADISE**, 1550 s.f. walk-out ranch, 5 bedrooms, 3 baths, open floor plan w/circular fireplace in Great room, 20 acres makes this the perfect mini farm. PRICE REDUCED to \*112,000 K234

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**050** Hartland

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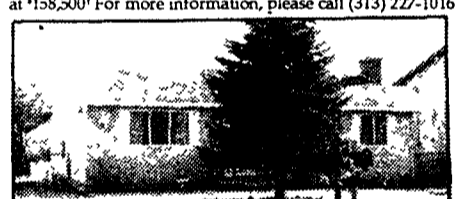
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# The kids menu is a ViewMaster at Shield's Pizza

By RICK BYRNE  
Copy Editor

There's a new dimension to family dining at Shield's Restaurant Bar & Pizzeria in Novi.

Shield's, home of the award-winning, deep-dish, Sicilian-style pizza has added a kiddie menu that is presented to youngsters on the famous three-dimensional View-Master camera.

The View-Master, a popular child's toy for nearly 30 years, is presented to the child while adults are given Shield's regular menu. Pictures of the five entrees and two desserts on the kiddie menu appear in the viewfinder, accompanied by a furry costumed critter.

From the not-so-ferocious lion and tiger to a cuddly koala and hip-hopping bunny, the stars of Shield's kiddie menu were chosen to be entertaining for customers between the ages of 3 and 10.

According to Manager Jeanette Russell, the new idea has received rave reviews from the toughest of critics.

"A lot of parents are really happy with it," Russell said. "And the kids enjoy going through it and ordering."

Shield's owners decided that adding a kiddie menu would help attract families to the restaurant. But they also needed a unique way to keep the kids occupied until

mealtime.

"Children greatly influence families' choice in restaurants," said Lee Moraitis, vice president and corporate director of operations for Shield's. "In 1990, the NRA/Gallup Poll showed that children between the ages of 6 and 12 are very influential in decisions to eat out. In fact, 48 percent of the parents polled with toddlers under age 6 said their children specifically request a favorite restaurant, and that's precisely where the families dine."

"It can be difficult for parents to keep small children happily occupied before the food arrives," Moraitis continued. "The View-Master camera has always been popular among children. We selected this toy as the subject of our kiddie menu because of its tremendous ability to engage children's interest."

In addition, the kiddie menu is printed on a placemat for the young'uns. The placemat is loaded with games, puzzles and pictures for them to color with crayons provided by Shield's.

Small-fry customers can enjoy children's portions of Shield's famous deep-dish pizza, nachos, spaghetti, chicken strips, grilled cheese and chips, apple cobbler, and hot fudge sundae. This View-Master kiddie menu is available at Shield's four locations: Novi, Southfield, Sterling Heights and Troy.



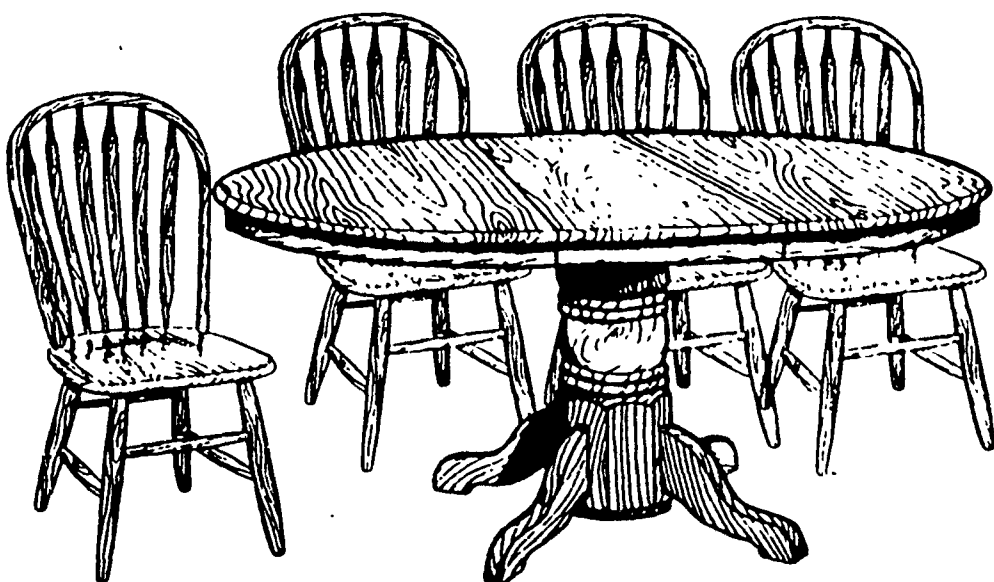
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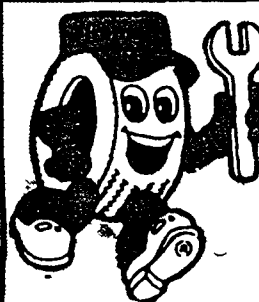
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"Just be cautious," advised Michael Kelly, director of public information at the Michigan Credit Union League. "Consumers tend to spend more when they use credit. If you are used to going to the grocery store with a list of items, continue to shop by sticking to your list. Also, have a certain dollar amount that you plan to spend, and not exceed, if you'll be changing your grocery bill. It would be very easy to go through each shopping aisle and fill your cart with more than you need, knowing you're going to charge it."

Credit card acceptance in grocery store check out lines is likely to continue in popularity as supermarket

chains try to offer more convenience for their shoppers and hope to win sales from the added service. Remain a smart shopper with the following tips:

- Log your credit card purchases like checks. Keep a register for your charges so that you can keep track of each amount you make.
- Clip coupons and shop with them. Seek out grocery stores which offer special "double coupon" days. You'll be surprised how much money you can save.
- Don't buy an item just because you have a coupon for it, and don't assume an item is a bargain just because it's on sale.
- Compare brands for the lowest price offered for the same item. Items are easy to compare, just check the ingredients if you're not sure.
- Consider trying generic paper products, toiletries, canned goods, etc. If you don't like them you can always go back to your regular brand.
- Make sure the credit card you carry best suits your needs. If you pay off your balance each billing cycle, look for a card with a grace period and no annual fee. If you roll over part of your balance due from month to month, make sure to use a card with a low annual percentage rate. It's worth noting that credit unions maintain low credit card interest rates.
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# Lessons to learn from tax stories

## Money Management

To avoid being an April fool this tax season, the Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants urges you to take note of these tax stories. You may just learn some valuable lessons that can save you tax dollars and prevent you from running into trouble with the IRS.

### IRS doesn't pay for housekeeping

The pressures of working and raising children doesn't allow you to claim a tax deduction for hiring someone to clean your home. Brian and Suzanne Knutson, who both work full-time, learned this during appearances before the Tax Court.

Brian, an accountant, and Suzanne, a teacher, have three children. They contracted with a cleaning service to have their home cleaned on a weekly basis and included their payments to the cleaning service in computing the child care credit on their tax return.

The IRS disallowed the credit to the extent that it was based on payments to the cleaning service. That's because qualified child care expenses are limited to those that enable parents to be gainfully em-

ployed. Although Brian testified that he and his wife were too busy with the children, their jobs and household improvement projects to clean the house, the Tax Court sided with the IRS. The housekeeping expenses did not enable these taxpayers to be gainfully employed, but merely made their lives easier. (Brian Knutson, TC Memo 1990-440)

### Recording helps cocktail waitress ward off IRS

Suspecting that staff at an Atlantic City casino were not reporting tip income, the IRS watched cocktail servers from 1980 through 1990 and developed statistics on average tip income. It then used these statistics to pursue possible tax evaders. One person the IRS tried to ensure was Judith Krause, a cocktail waitress who reports \$6,473 in tips for one tax year. Using its statistics as a guide, the IRS claimed that she failed to report \$5,852 of additional tip income. Krause fought the IRS. Her de-

fense? A daily log of tips that she regularly submitted to her employer. The Tax Court ruled that her records more accurately reflected her income than the IRS statistics and the IRS claim against her was dismissed. (Krause, TC Memo, 1992-270)

### To claim head of household status, keep spouse out

Even if you are separated and maintain the principal home for your children, you may not be able to claim head of household status if you allow your spouse to spend the night during the last six months of the year. Laura Hopkins, a divorced mother of two, found this out during a tax audit.

Although Ms. Hopkins and her husband were not living together in June of 1987, she allowed him to occasionally spend the night while he was looking for an apartment. Despite the fact that she was the sole support for her children, the IRS and Tax Court denied her the head of

household status on the premise that her husband lived with her during part of the year. (Hopkins, TC Memo 1992-326)

### When it pays to fight the IRS

Even if you have been found guilty of tax deficiencies, it doesn't mean you owe the IRS penalty payments—or that you must pay for unnecessary legal fees. Take the case of Dennis and Kathleen Heasley. Although they did not challenge the IRS' contention that they owed over \$10,000 in tax shelter deductions and \$20,000 in investment credit claim, they felt the IRS was unjustified in charging them penalties totaling \$7,420. They had limited education and investment experience and had relied on the advice of a financial consultant.

The Fifth Circuit Court agreed with them and said the penalties were not justified or should have been waived by the IRS. What's more, the Circuit Court enabled them to recover more than \$7,000 of court costs and attorney fees which the Heasleys incurred while disputing the IRS penalties. (Heasley, CA-5 7/20/92)

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**PAT OGINSKI**, a career VA employee, has been named Chief of Prosthetics Service at the Asheville VA Medical Center (VAMC).

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Oginski is a U.S. Army disabled veteran. She previously served as Prosthetic Staff Representative at the Batavia, New York VAMC. Her career with VA began in 1985 at the Portland, Oregon VAMC where she worked as orthotist-prosthetist. She received her training in Prosthetic Management at the Salt Lake City, Utah VAMC.

A native of Northville, Oginski attended the College of Charleston in South Carolina and earned her Associates of Arts degree from Trident Technical College there. She then studied orthotics and prosthetics in a hands-on environment at Northeast Metro Tech Institute in White Bear Lake, Minnesota where she finished at the top of her class.

Oginski is the first vocational rehabilitation student and the first woman VA has trained in the orthotics-prosthetics program.

**TODD D. KNICKERBOKER**, a registered representative of Edward D. Jones and Company, has been named to The Leader board of Xerox Life. Todd D. Knickerbocker, who has offices at 555 Seven Mile, Northville, has been a representative of Edward D. Jones for five years.

Membership in the Leader Board is conferred by Xerox Life upon its top producers. Xerox Life creates market-sensitive annuity and life insurance products designed to be sold primarily by security firms. Xerox Life is part of Xerox Financial Services, Incorporated, a wholly-owned subsidiary of Xerox Corporation.

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Martin says she works independently or in conjunction with designers and decorators. She has several years of picture framing experience in area galleries and is a graduate of the Larson-Juhl framing school in Chicago.

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**JACK MACLACHLAN**, president of D&N Bank of South Lyon, announced the re-entrance of D&N Bank into the investment property mortgage market.

Effective immediately, D&N Bank is offering mortgages on one to four family non-owner-occupied residential housing. Previously the bank was only financing owner-occupied housing. MacLachlan also noted that the bank has a full line of mortgage products available and is making mortgages throughout the Michigan market area.

D&N Bank, fsb, has 29 full service banking offices, and eight agency offices throughout Michigan's Upper Peninsula and mid-Michigan. It is the third largest savings bank in Michigan based on asset size, and is the sole subsidiary of D&N Financial Corp., whose stock is traded over-the-counter and is quoted on the NASDAQ National Market System under the symbol DNFC.

More than 86 **DETROIT EDISON ENGINEERS** in February shared their enthusiasm for energy and helped enliven math and science studies for students at Wylie Middle School and hundreds of other Southeastern Michigan youngsters. The Detroit Edison engineers joined 30,000 engineers nationwide heading back to classrooms to mark National Engineers Week, Feb. 14-20.

Detroit Edison's **RONALD J. GERKEN** of South Lyon spoke Feb. 17 at Wylie Middle School as part of the engineers' annual student outreach effort, Discover "E." Gerken discussed how engineering relates to energy development and how students can prepare for engineering careers.

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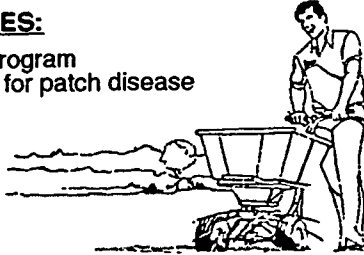
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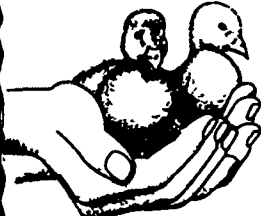


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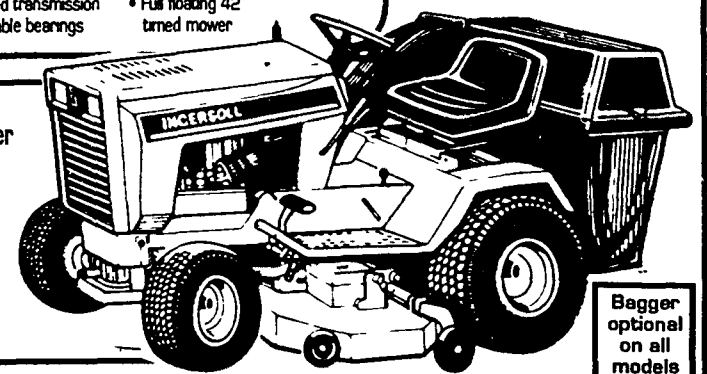


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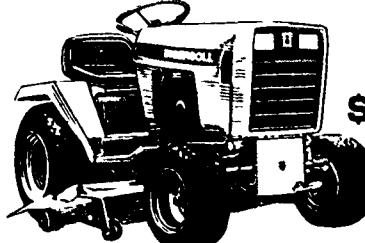
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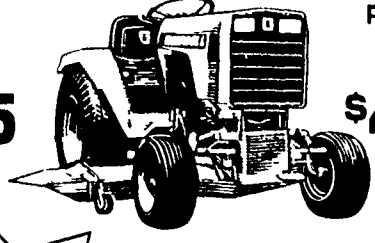
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## Business Briefs

Recently **JEAN FAGAN** was appointed to the Ypsilanti Chamber of Commerce as Vice Chair of the Business Enterprise Division. The division functions to increase the economic vitality of the Ypsilanti area and its small business community. It provides services, educational opportunities, and support to small business members, through special events and networking opportunities for the "small" business members of the Chamber. She also serves on the Executive Committee of the Board.

Jean and her husband Tom are entering the thirteenth year of their successful cleaning and restoration business. They both are also actively involved in many community and civic projects.

**USMAINTENANCE CORPORATION** announced recently that its \$2.8 million janitorial services contracts has been renewed at Gateway Center in downtown Pittsburg, and credits the award to its propriety Compass technology.

Compass is a computerized housekeeping management system that USMaintenance has been developing for several years. With this award, Gateway Center has become the third giant office complex this year to sign up or renew its commitment to USMaintenance's Compass-based services. The others are USX Tower in Pittsburg and the world headquarters of Sherwin Williams in Cleveland. The three contracts are valued at \$6.3 million per year.

"This renewal marks the seventh consecutive year that we have been chosen to handle Gateway's janitorial services," said USMaintenance's chairman and founder Rick Brenner, "and without reservation, it's the most satisfying. When the Gateway people looked at our Compass technology in 1986 it was only partially developed and not yet proven in the field. They took a chance with us because they wanted to offer new and improved services to their tenants. This year's renewal is so satisfying because it's a living testimonial that the system really works, and is providing tangible benefits."

USMaintenance has been a leader in computer-based housekeeping management technology since 1981 when it introduced its widely used janitorial workloading system named Easyload. In 1983 USMaintenance established a full-time research and development department, with a mandate to develop an improved system for managing housekeeping in skyscraper buildings.

"As I traveled the country," said Brenner, "giving seminars in computer workloading, I discovered that in the vast majority of skyscrapers — million square foot buildings — cleaning was managed with the same seat of the pants method as we find pervasive in small buildings. But unlike smaller buildings, where long hours and a good ethic can often mask a supervisor's lack of formal planning skills, the logistics of a million square foot building make it impossible. It's simply too big to keep it all in your head."

USMaintenance's Compass system tracks periodic cleaning tasks — those that are done less often than daily — room by room. Each day, a scheduling program is run, to determine which tasks are due for that night. A major feature of the system is that the database is updated daily with the tasks that were actually completed the previous night, whether there's 5,000 rooms or 50,000 rooms in the database — it's always accurate and up-to-date. Task cards are printed and distributed to the cleaners each night, telling them which rooms have tasks due. Cleaners mark the cards as each task is done and turn the cards in at the end of their shift. The cards are scanned electronically, the database is updated, and scheduling is run for the following night. Other Compass systems manage inspectors, service complaints, project tasks, workorders and employee training.



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Headquartered in Southfield, Mich., USMaintenance cleans approximately 25,000,000 square feet each night with 1,500 employees in Detroit, Cleveland, Pittsburg and Louisville.

**JAMEY KRAMER** of Novi has joined the Coldwell Banker Schweitzer Real Estate office in Northville. Kramer joined the office Dec. 4 and has over \$1,240,000 in listings year to date. He also completed Coldwell Banker's residential training systems.

Before joining Coldwell Banker Schweitzer Real Estate, Kramer had been in professional selling for nine years. He is a graduate of North Farmington High School, Oakland Community College and the United States Marine Corps.



JEAN FAGAN

Coldwell Banker Schweitzer Real Estate is the number one real estate office in Novi and Northville.

Now open in Hartland is **COMMAND AIR SERVICE**, an air charter service for both passengers and freight. The new service is available seven days a week, 24 hours a day, announced president John Edward Vasko.

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**F.J. FISHER ADVERTISING** has been selected for inclusion in two national design annuals. The Livonia agency is under the creative direction of Milford resident Frank Fisher II.

"Art Direction" Magazine will include a corporate identity project created by F.J. Fisher Advertising in the upcoming "Creativity 22" Annual. The project was completed for Aventura Ltd., an upscale home furnishing company located in Plymouth. "Art Direction" Magazine judges and produces an International Hard Cover Annual.

Fisher also accepted two awards from "American Corporate Identity" for design work done for Taurus Construction Inc., located in Novi.

From all entries, only 755 pieces were chosen for inclusion in the Annual Hardbound Book which is published by Art Direction of New York City, the nation's largest publisher of design and graphics books. The book is distributed to more than 30 countries worldwide.

This was not the first time American Corporate Identity took notice of F.J. Fisher Advertising's work. In 1990 the publication selected work produced for Oak Hollow, a Milford community developed by Grissim Development Company.

"We are excited to be chosen once again for this honor and inclusion within such a prestigious publication," said F.J. Fisher Advertising, president. Fisher also stated, "We are pleased for our clients, the recognition and their confidence in us to produce their Corporate ID Program."

F.J. Fisher Advertising, Inc. is a full service Marketing Communications organization headquartered in Livonia with offices in Clawson and Lancaster, Penn.

**HUNGRY HOWIE'S PIZZA AND SUBS, INC.** has opened a new store in South Lyon, announces Steven E. Jackson, president of the Livonia-based company. The store, owned and operated by franchisee David Plait, is located at 226 Lafayette. Plait also owns stores in Brighton and Ypsilanti.

Hungry Howie's Pizza & Subs Inc. is the 13th-largest carry-out/delivery, two-for-one pizza franchise operation in the United States (Pizza Today/1992). Hungry Howie's has over 230 store locations in California, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Michigan, Nevada, North Carolina, Ohio and South Carolina. The company's first international location in Windsor, Ontario opened in January 1993.

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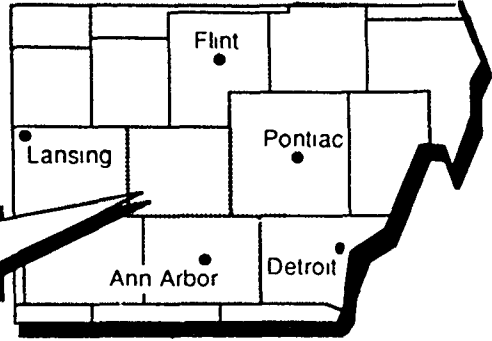
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**FLEA MARKET**  
April 17th  
10 am - 4 pm  
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Hamburg VFW Hall  
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## 015 Lost

30 LB. Black male dog, 4-1-93, Spencer & VanAmberg Rds. (313)229-2730.  
APRIL 5, Northville, ladies gold pinky ring. (313)349-1864.  
BEAGLE, male, Lemon & white. N. Fowlerville area. Loving pet. Reward. (517)223-7243.  
ENGLISH Setter male, near Colchester, black left eye, April 5, reward. (517)546-6724  
GOLDEN Lab, light gold, large female, friendly, Ten Mile & Duxbury area. (313)437-2325.  
LADIES ring, blue stone, 4-4-93, West Oaks II Novi area. (313)685-8803  
MALE Beagle, tricolor, neutered, lost seen Back & Chilton 4-3-93. Reward. (517)223-7243.  
MALE Beagle, M-36 & McGregor Rd. area. (313)878-2338, (313)632-6208  
SHELTIE mix, black w/brown female. Lake Chemung area. (517)548-4116  
SHEPHERD/Husky male, black, Colchester area. (517)546-6567.  
SMALL black female cat. Pregnant. Petysville/M-36 area. (313)878-3844  
TRI-COLOR Collie, male, Killbuck Rd. & Gregory Rd area. (517)223-3513. Reward.

## 016 Found

BLACK cat, brown tint around ears. Female. Chester/Hagadorn area. (313)437-9187  
BLACK cat, male. Maxfield Lake area. (313)632-5924, leave message.  
COCO colored Lab, male. Housebroken, well-trained. 3/31. (313)827-8202 (313)887-9249

DOG, medium, brown, w/white chest, 4/10, near Marr and Oakgrove. (517)546-4659.  
FEMALE Beagle, 8 mile pontiac Tr. area. April 7, (313)437-6988.  
LARGE black dog, wearing green collar. Fleming/Allen Rds. (517)223-3111  
MALE beagle, Argentine/Faussett Rds. (517)546-8405  
ORANGE male cat, blue eyes, 44, Pinckney. (313)878-2380  
SHEPHERD/Collie mix, male, 1 yr. old. Nine Mile & Haggerty. (313)349-4083.  
YOUNG black & white cat w/partial tail (517)548-3863.

## 100 Arts & Crafts

1 DAY ONLY! HOMESPUN TRADITIONS COUNTRY CRAFT SHOW SAT, APRIL 17, 10am-5pm  
Oakland Community College, Orchard Ridge Campus, 1696 & Orchard Lake Rd., Farmington Hills. Lunch available. No strollers please. \$2.00 admission. Information, (313)462-4096.  
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## 101 Antiques

1890-1900 SOLID Oak drop leaf table, \$400, 1880's ladies' table, all original, \$165 (313)344-9412, evenings  
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ANN ARBOR Antiques Market - The Brusher Show. Sunday, April 18, 6am-4pm. 5055 Ann Arbor Saline Road, Ext. 175 off I-94. Over 350 dealers in quality antiques and select collectibles. Admission \$4. Third Sundays, 25th season. The original!!! Ann Arbor Antiques Market. Opens 25th Season Sunday, April 18 This 25th season is special with lots of fresh merchandise and many dealers new to the Midwest and Ann Arbor. Among those dealers are Lee & Roxanne Bernard, Jackson, MI with Ironstone, Flow Blue, Mulberry, Holiday, Striped Monks, Dolls including Marotte Am3200 beagle doll head on music box. Kit Carter, Louisville, KY. Holiday w/lot of Santos, Toys, Paper, Gryphons, Nest, Kalamazoo, MI English Sterling Silver, Fred Koester, Webster, NY finished furniture: Sandy Ann Longing McCay, Spencerville, Ind. quilts & country furniture: Proteus, South Bend, Ind. English Porcelain, Early Staffordshire, 19th C. Pa. antiques including hardware, Sheraton Mahogany stand w/rope twist legs 2 drawers, original finish &

hardware: Scotia Antiques, Chillicothe, Ohio Shaker including Sampler 1836; Flow Blue; Royd Rodell, Dallas, TX rare Prints & Maps; M. Smith, Warren, MI. wonderful small collection Victorian Paper Mache; Solomon Suchard, Shaker Heights, Ohio French Faience including over 200 pieces Quimper, Moustiers, Nevers, Sinceny, Rouen, also some very large pieces Dutch Delft. Somewhere in Time, Grand Rapids, MI. 12 Disc Players including Regina, Polophone, Cyphona, several Cylinder music boxes w/combinations, bells, drums: Done Stotz, Grosse Ile, MI. outstanding pair Wedding Ring Hoop Scraper Candelsticks 14". Stone Merchant, Saratoga Springs, N. Y. museum quality clocks over 30 including Wall, Mantel, Qg. also repair: Black Manny Wherryg several Bird Houses: Chestnut Oaks, Hudson, Ohio Shaker collection including Spinning Wheel Sr. Al Alford Me: large grain measure signed Sabbath Bay lake, wooden rack; clothes hangers; straw bonnet; smalls: Elizabeth French, Carysburg, Ohio 4 Davis cake chairs c1850; 2 ea. 3' Indian Dolls c1820; pr. "Snookum" Dolls c1850; Delach, Columbus, Ohio. Great finds always: Tony Dillon, Winesville Ohio, just back from France with Quimper, Lyle Dner, Waukesha, Wis. collection over 50 wonderful sewing items: Peg Durkin, Grosse Pointe, MI. Quimper: Early Staffordshire Cow Creamers, Engl. 19th century watercolors; Naissea glass figurines 19th Century; Susan Engley, Kent, Ct. collection Pharmacy items, including scales, measures, medicine & poison bottles, collection NE Railroad Lanterns: Feathers, Dayton, Ohio poster Wright Brothers "Home Celebration" 1909 extremely rare: Flow Blue Shoppers, Birmingham, AL over 500 pieces Flow Blue including Jardinerie w/matching pedestal also Pattern Matching Service: Charles Frazho, St. Clair Shores, MI., sewing stand Sheraton chert w/venetian heart shell mid 19th century; Ohio flat cupboard 12 panes curly maple door fronts early 19th century; Gray Heron, Atlanta, Ga. over 4000 antique prints 15th thru 19th century: Jeff Gordon, Bowling, Green, Ohio large figure Apache tray, mint cond c1860: Connie Hackman, Carmel, Ind. over 50 quilts including Indigo blue & white "Stars" c1900 nice quilting: Double Wedding Ring w/unusual pieced zig-zag border unlabeled Bruce & Loreta Heals, Dads Folie, Gibsonville, NC over 1000 Chocolate & Ice Cream Molds including many large pieces including 3' rabbit. Lannis Horst, Northville, MI. very unusual Wellington oak chest w/venetian graduated drawers & locking plaster, wonderful cond. Mark Loesel, Ann Arbor. Hardw. wear specialist w/hundreds of completely restored & ready to use pieces including steel door locks, entry locks, knobs, hinges, Marlton Locks, Fenton, MI. decorative Sheraton, boat & Furniture Models: Doramas, Furnishings in honest pant Ann Mane O'Neil, Duxbury, Ma. 75 100 piece Quimper including scallop shell plates & vase: Jeff Orsman, Archbold, Ohio polished Brass including Fire Related, Copper, Aluminum including Coke crates c1940, Custom Polishing, Marica Petrella, Birmingham, MI. pine

## 102 Auctions

**AUCTION**  
(Local Hobby Center closing after 28 years in business)  
206 S. MICHIGAN AVE  
HOWELL, MI  
SAT APRIL 17th 11:00AM  
Five 6ft. display cases, radio controlled units, models of cars, trucks, airplanes and etc., H.O. scale trains, H.O. scale cars, airplane engines, engine starters, battery chargers, Rockets, chemicals, quantity of model paint, Balza wood, hobby hardware, radio controlled models, parts for R.C. cars, X-Acra, Dremel, 30 drawer case of engine parts value over \$4000 (minimum bid \$1,500.00), Futker D-19 5th scale (minimum bid \$800.00), Tyco, craft books & supplies, miniature, quantity of craft supplies, glue, Dolls & parts and lots more. Advertised items subject to prior sale  
Owner Don Vaglahan  
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**ACROSS**

1 Con games  
10 —Lama  
14 Make a basket  
19 One of the archangels  
20 Steak order  
21 Long-legged bird  
22 Alan and Barbara  
23 Voracious  
24 Polynesian demon god  
25 Antenna shape, nowadays  
26 Man and Whist  
27 Phantom's ballcock  
28 Playing marble  
29 Left-hand page  
30 Tantalize  
31 Quet —  
34 Actor Stern of "Home Alone"  
36 Wood for baseball bats  
39 Rosary  
40 Aspiring author's pile  
42 Spartan queen  
43 Pay — view  
46 Showed

**DOWN**

2 Scorn or denison  
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8 Steak order  
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# 165 Dental

**FULL TIME DENTAL ASSISTANT** for family dental practice in Pinckney. Experienced only. Send resume to: POB 427, Pinckney MI 48169.

**OUR** orthodontic practice is searching for an orthodontic assistant to join our team. If you are an enthusiastic and highly motivated person with orthodontic experience and interested in personal growth, this is a unique career opportunity. Full and part-time positions available. Please call, (313)344-8400.

**DENTAL** assistant for Milford family practice, friendly individual with chair side knowledge (313)684-6085

**HOME HEALTH AIDES** Certified and or experienced. Excellent pay & benefits. **FAMILY HOME CARE.** (313)229-5683, (313)455-5683

**CERTIFIED** nurses aid for midnight shift to work with traumatically brain injured. Apply at: Summerwood Center, 10299 Grand River, STE P, Brighton Between 9-4pm

**NEEDED RN/LPN** on call, all shifts. Apply at: West Hickory Haven, 3310 W. Commerce Rd, Milford, 9:30am to 3:30pm. (313)685-1400

**RN** Experienced in Home Care. Full time position to provide home care. Excellent pay and benefits. Family Nurse Care. (313)229-0300.

# 166 Medical

**LPNs, RNs, HHAs**

Visiting Care, the home health care agency affiliated with the UMMC and the VNA-HV, has immediate openings for qualified professionals in Livingston County and its surrounding areas. Variety of specialty cases/shfts available. Large demand for high tech, pediatric and midnigh nurses and for HHAs with flexible schedules. Call today (313)229-0320, (313)344-0234, (313)930-0050

## RN or LPN

2 positions available for departments of ENT and Internal Medicine. Experience required. If interested please send resume to:

**Recruiter/RN/LPN**  
DMC Health Care Centers  
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Novi, MI 48377

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## HOSPICE HOME HEALTH AIDE

Looking for a home health aide position in Livingston County that offers flexibility? Livingston Community Hospice has the part-time position for you providing direct personal care to hospice patients in their homes. This is an added position to assist our solid HHA team. Interested applicants may call (517)548-4344 or apply at 317 Fowler St., Howell. Between 8am-4pm

**BOOKKEEPER** for Medicare certified home health agency. Knowledgeable in payroll, billing, taxes, computers. Excellent growth potential for sharp individual. Excellent pay. Family Nurse Care. (313)229-0300.

**CHARGE** Nurses needed PM & midnigh shifts. Please apply at Medidodge of Howell, 1333 W. Grand River, Howell, MI 48843 or call (517)548-1900

**LPN/HOME HEALTH AIDE**  
West Oakland Hospice seeks person to provide direct personal care to hospice patients in their homes, part-time days/potential for full time, Milford/South Lyon area. (313)684-1540 or send resume to: 801 E. Commerce, Milford, MI 48361.

**LPN or RN.** Full time days. Special home care program. 1 patient quality care responsibility, rehab work, no stress, consistent schedule, competitive pay. Confidential interview Brighton (313)227-5456

**NURSE** Aide positions available, all 3 shifts. Please apply at Medidodge of Howell, 1333 W. Grand River, Howell, MI 48843 or call (517)548-1900.

**RN or LPN,** full or part-time. Home care with 1 patient. (313)227-5456.

## PHYSICAL THERAPY AIDE

Full time position. Varied case load with orthopedic emphasis. Experience in health care setting preferred. Send resume to:

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**REGISTERED** occupational therapist for extended care in Howell area. Full & part-time positions. Call (313)676-5006.

**RN, QA SUPERVISOR** for home care agency in Brighton. Home communication & home care skills required. Salary commensurate with experience. Exc. pay & benefits. Family Nurse Care. (313)229-5683, (313)455-5683.

**LPNS. WE NEED YOU!** Earn up to \$20/hr. Home care visits. **FAMILY NURSE CARE.** (313)229-5683, (313)455-5683.

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**RN WEST OAKLAND HOSPICE**  
Full/part-time positions

WOH has openings for RNs. Positions offer flexible hours and limited on call requirement, with an opportunity to utilize nursing skills in patients homes. To learn more about opportunities with this expanding organization, send resume to: WOH, 801 E. Commerce, Milford, MI 48361 or phone (313)684-1540

# 168 Office/Clerical

**ACCOUNTING** Clerk position for Accounts Receivable, Accounts Payable. (517)546-6571.

**ASSISTANT PAYROLL/DATA ENTRY CLERK.** Detail oriented entry level operations clerk possessing skills in accuracy, organization & communication. Proficient in math, data entry, knowledge in computers a plus. Associate degree preferred. Send resume to Personnel, PO Box 360, Novi MI 48376-0360

**ENTRY** level sales position. Base plus commission. Full time. Call (313)227-4884. E.O.E.

**EXECUTIVE** Assistant. Full time, self-starter, able to work in busy office atmosphere. Excellent organization, communication and writing skills essential. Must be computer proficient. Send resume and salary requirements to: Box 3866, c/o The Brighton Argus, 113 E. Grand River, Brighton MI 48116.

**GENERAL** clerical persons needed for data entry, word processing and light typing. Work available in Brighton and Ann Arbor areas. Call asap (313)227-4868. E.O.E.

## CLERK

needed in our Ad Placement Department to input advertising insertion orders into a computer system for dummyming of newspaper pages for editorial and composing departments. This person must be able to work under pressure and pay attention to detail. It will be necessary to maintain a high degree of accuracy as all material is input directly in the computer terminal with the potential for compounding errors between departments. Must be an accurate typist and have a high school diploma or equivalent. Position is considered part-time but generally close to 40 hours per week. Benefit package after 520 hour probationary period. Smoke free environment. No phone calls, apply:

HomeTown Newspapers  
323 E. Grand River Avenue  
Howell, MI 48843

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**A TELEPHONE** receptionist/typist. Part-time. Fast paced office. Micro-soft. (313)454-5402

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Filing the position of full time cashier, light typing and good general math skills required. Exp. very helpful. Benefits offered. Hours needed: 9am-6pm, M-F. Apply at: Waldoecker Pontiac Buick, 7885 W. Grand River, Brighton.

**GENERAL** office. Mature girl Friday, part-time 10 hrs. a week, needs to be flexible. Wicrom. Call Don at (313)960-0900.

**GENERAL** office skill plus some accounting. (517)546-6571.

## DATA ENTRY

Full & part-time positions available in Southfield. Hours between 11:30am. & 8pm. Customer service background a plus. Exc. working conditions. Please submit resume to: Data Entry Supervisor, P.O. Box 2020, Southfield, MI. 48037-2020. E.O.E.

**GENERAL** Office sales assistant, typing skills and computer exp. needed, mature and dependable. competitive wages and benefits. Apply in person, Mon-Thurs 9-3: American Chemical Technologies Inc., 46915 Liberty Dr., Wixom. (313)624-1550

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## SECRETARY TO PRESIDENT

Newspaper publishing company located in Livonia seeks an experienced and confidential executive secretary, with minimum 5 years' experience including Wordperfect 5.1 and Lotus systems. Ideal candidate will have a proven record in office administration and supervision of work flow. Maturity, poise and strong interpersonal skills essential. Candidates must be non-smokers. We offer an excellent working environment, competitive salary, and comprehensive benefit program.

Please mail confidential resume, including salary requirement and references to: Employment Department, Suburban Communications Corporation, 36251 Schoolcraft Road, Livonia MI 48150. (no phone inquiries)

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## PART-TIME CLERICAL HELP

Manufacturing firm located in Whitmore Lake is looking for part time clerical help- 20-25 hours per week. Must be able to answer telephones, perform word processing operations, greet visitors and provide general information. Minimum typing speed of 40 wpm required. Flexible hours required, including some weekend work. Great job for third or fourth year high school student entering co-op program in the fall. Apply in person to the Human Resources Department:

**R&B MANUFACTURING CO.**  
7495 E. M-36  
HAMBURG, MI 48139  
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**PART-time** person to do general office & accounts payable. Experienced only, non-smoker. (313)685-8833

**OFFICE** Assistant, temporary position, 20 hrs./wk. Self-starter, detail person with ability to work well with others. Send resume to: Box 3865, c/o The Brighton Argus, 113 E. Grand River, Brighton MI 48116.

**OFFICE MANAGER WANTED.** Small business needs qualified person with experience in accounts payable/receivable, collections, word processing & general office skills. Please send resume with pay requirements to: Personnel, 10188 Industrial Dr., Whitmore Lake MI 48189

**OUTPATIENT** mental health/substance abuse clinic seeks entry level receptionist secretary. Afternoons and Saturdays. Call (313)684-6400.

## SALES DEPT. SECRETARY

Immediate opening in Southfield with a division of a Fortune 500 company. Requirements include exc. telephone skills, PC exp. including spreadsheet, dictaphone, as well as good filing and organizational ability. Exc. working conditions and benefit package. Please submit resume to: P.O. Box 2020, Southfield, MI, 48037-2020. E.O.E.

**SECRETARY** Needed. Front desk & some computer exp. required. No phone calls please. Apply in person: J & P Printing, 23200 Pontiac Trail, South Lyon MI, 48037-2020. E.O.E.

**SECRETARY.** Part-time. Entry level. Good typing skills. Knowledge of computer software. (313)437-8320.

**SECRETARY** - permanent part-time person to work 2 to 2 1/2 days per week. The days and time may vary. Word Perfect or similar computer experience required. Maturity, reliability and ability to get along with others is important. Downtown Brighton location. Send resume to Box 3870 c/o Brighton Argus, 113 E. Grand River, Brighton, MI 48116.

**SECRETARY**  
Reliable - Take charge individual for 1-person office. computer experience necessary. Full or part-time - flexible hours. Wixom area. Call Mr. Olsen (313)390-8960.

**SMALL** corporation seeking person with exc. IBM or Macintosh skills & good secretarial capabilities. 20-30 hours per week. Send resume qualifications to: P.O. Box 190, Hamburg, MI 48139.

**SMALL** Office needs "take charge talent." Overtime a necessity. (517)546-3982

**TELEPHONE** Collector. Full time and part-time positions with long term potential. Experiences medical collectors preferred. Salary plus bonus. Get in on the ground floor of a new agency. Lots of opportunity. Send resume to: D.R.M., Attn: Ron Doster, 1969 W. Stadium Blvd. Ste. 212, Ann Arbor MI 48103. Include salary expectations.

**TOP** notch secretaries, long term immediate positions. Word processing experience needed. positions located in Western Wayne County. Call immediately for an appointment Livonia Manpower, (313)426-0024

## TYPIST

182-bed skilled nursing/rehabilitation facility is seeking a highly motivated and capable individual for multiple tasks including typing and answering a switchboard. Experience in computers and excellent typing skills are a must.

We offer a competitive wage scale with benefits including health/dental, 401k and more. Send resume to Kim Martin-Smith, Administrative Assistant.

Greenery Healthcare Center  
3003 West Grand River Ave.  
Howell MI 48843  
EOE

# 169 Help Wanted Part-Time

A part-time job cleaning offices. Must be available eves. & Sat. afternoons. \$6.50/hr. plus bonus to start. Brighton, Highland areas. (313)532-7070.

**BARTENDER** for private club, experienced, must be flexible. Please send resume to: P.O. Box 301, Hamburg, MI, 48139.

**BOOKKEEPER/Receptionist**, 15 to 20 hrs. per week. Typing and computer exp. required. Automotive knowledge helpful. (313)227-2808

**BOOKKEEPER** - computer experience helpful. Ask for Bob. (517)546-2958.

**DAIRY** Farm, part-time help needed. Mostly feeding. Fowlerville. (517)521-3788 moms.

**DANCERS** needed. (517)546-5738.

**DIRECT** care staff needed for group home in Hartland. \$6 per hr. to start. (313)632-5625, days

**EXPERIENCED** handyman needed, flexible hours, professional carpentry experience necessary. (313)349-8127.

**GENERAL** home & yard maintenance. 6-10hrs./wk. (Spring-Fall). Mt. Brighton area. Good for college/high school student. (313)229-8233.

**JANITORIAL** Evenings, 15 hours a week. New Hudson area. \$6 an hour. Experience preferred. Great for college student or retiree. (313)981-3541.

**LAWN** Care. Mechanical ability. Ideal for high school type. Advancement (517)546-3992

**MATURE** individual for Miracle Ear office in Novi. Telemarketing & light clerical. 15-20 hrs. per week. Flexible. (313)344-0470

**MATURE**, reliable people in the Hartland/Highland/Milford areas, needed for residential cleaning Mon.-Fri., 9am-3pm. Call, Maud in Michigan, (313)227-1440.

**NEWSPAPER MOTOR ROUTE**  
PART-TIME  
EARN EXTRA \$\$\$

The Lansing State Journal is taking applications for an established motor route in the Williamston/Howell area. The route has a stable monthly commission plus car allowance. Hrs. approx. 3:30am-6:30am daily & Sunday. You must live in the Williamston/Howell area. For more information contact Linda Argue at (517)377-1215 or 1-800-234-1719.

**PART-time** retail or lab optical help. Will train right person who can work well with a team. Flexible hours, competitive wages. (313)964-6464

**PART-time** substitute driver for newspaper delivery, Hartland/Howell area. Cash paid. (313)486-1194

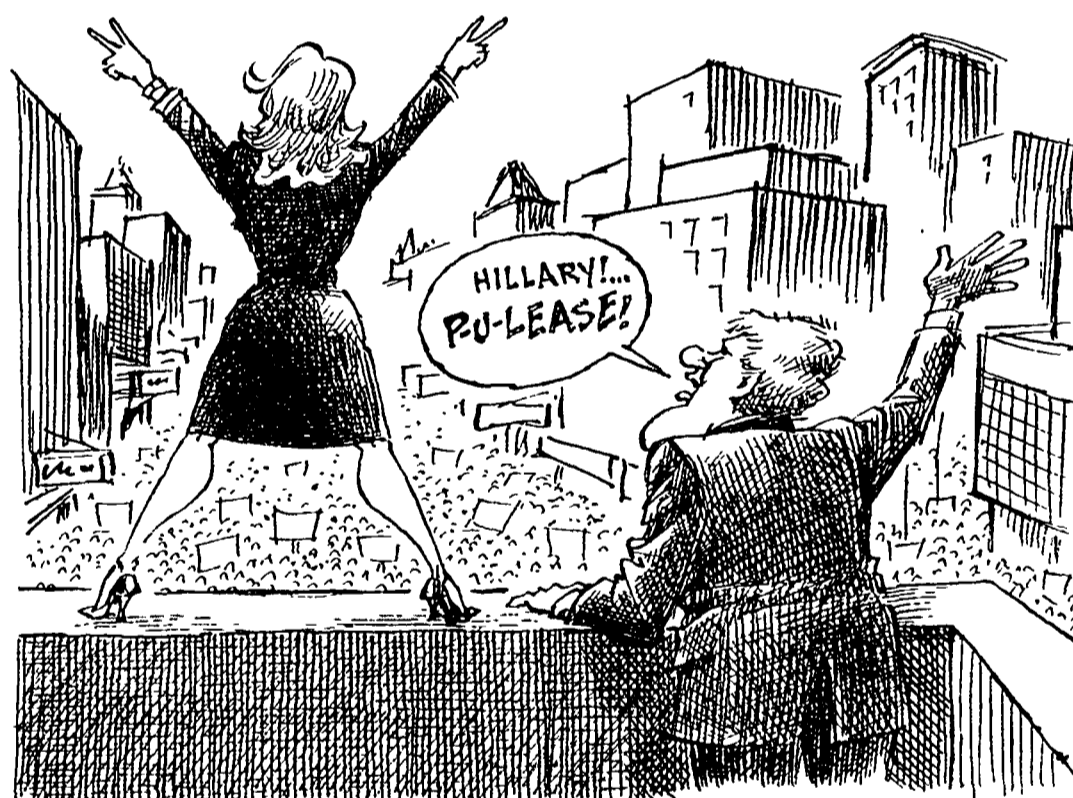
**PRINT** shop apprentice, part-time. Press, bindery, photocopy, camera. Leads to full time, w/bonus, fringes. Graphic arts training or experience a plus. PrintWorks, Farmington Hills, (313)488-0886.

**RELIABLE** people to clean homes, Fridays and 1 or 2 days per week, physical labor involved. Must have dependable vehicle. \$6.00 per hr. (313)437-4720.

**RETIREE**, 3 days/wk. Must live in city of Howell or very close. Outside work. (517)546-9527.

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## 169 Help Wanted Part-Time

**SWIM** instructor for Summer months. Must be 18, have current WSI or YSI, life guarding, CPR and first aid transportation necessary. Contact Mrs. Murphy at the Huron Valley YMCA. (313)685-3020

**TELEMARKETING**, computer & office skills a plus, phone skills essential. (313)684-1001

The Livingston County Unit of The American Cancer Society seeks part-time Administrative Assistant to work in the Howell office 15 hours per week. Must be able to work independently. Word Perfect 5.1 required. Must be reliable, organized and detail oriented. Send resume with cover letter to The American Cancer Society, 107 N. Michigan, Howell, MI 48843. No phone calls please.

## 170 Help Wanted General

100 PEOPLE to lose weight now. No wallpaper needed. 100% natural, guaranteed. New, just patented. (313)979-9292

**ACCEPTING** applications for landscaping and lawn maintenance crews. Call (517)546-5476 after 6pm.

**ACCOUNTING/finance**, 240K. Call ProService, (313)733-5774

**ACCOUNTS** management. Experience preferred. Chauffeurs license. Liberty Rent to Own.

**AFTERNOON** shift workers needed. High School diploma a plus. (517)546-0545

A growing company is looking for someone to do full time office/clerical work. Must be able to type over 60wpm. Duties include: filing, answering phones and taking messages along with other clerical work as required. Please apply at: 44700 Grand River, Novi, MI.

**\$8-10/Hr.** Aluminum insulated awnings, patio enclosures, needs someone dependable, sincere, willing to work and experienced. Howell area. Call Joe after 6pm, (313)922-5162.

**AN** outdoor person. Rugged individual, overtime, mechanical ability required. (517)546-3992.

**APPLICATIONS** for warehouse and production positions are now being taken at a Brighton area window and door manufacturer. Competitive wages and benefits with good opportunity for advancement. Apply in person: 5936 Ford Ct., Brighton MI. (313)227-4900.

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**ARE** you looking for a challenging career? Brighton area group home looking for part-time morning staff, 6am to 10am, 6am to 2pm every other weekend. Must have high school diploma or GED, be 18 yrs or older, valid Michigan drivers license, \$5.30 per hour to start. If interested call between 8-3pm (313)227-8915.

**ASPHALT** workers needed, laborers, truck drivers must have CDL. (517)548-2162

**ASSEMBLERS** needed for all shifts, full time, (517)546-0545.

**ASSEMBLERS** and Packagers needed for days and afternoons. Call (313)227-4866. EOE

## ASSEMBLERS MACHINE OPERATORS

Work is now available in Brighton, Whitmore Lake and Howell for 3 shifts. Competitive pay, Holiday & bonus plans.

**ADIA** (313)227-1218

**ASSEMBLY** Harness/Electronic Benefits plus 4 day work week. Full or part-time Wixom area. Call Mr. Drake (313)980-8960.

**ASSISTANT** Manager full time for a modern video store in Novi. (313)855-2979 after 6pm.

**ATTENTION**, ideal for housewives or handicapped people who cannot get out to work. Work part-time from your home calling for Purple Heart. Call 9am-5pm. Mon. thru Fri. (313)728-4572.

## Brighton Honda

Is seeking a fulltime detailer/porter various miscellaneous duties, will be required. Experience not a must but helps, must have valid drivers license apply in person Monday thru Friday, 8am to 6pm

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## SUMMER WORK

Due to 1993 expansion we now have some immediate full/part time openings

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**ATTENTION** dependable employee(s)! We have light industrial and factory positions open now, all shifts, male or female. Apply today. Employees Unlimited, (517)548-5781.

**AUTO** body painter's helper, must have some experience. MC Auto, (313)227-2211.

**AUTO** detailer/cleaner needed, (313)227-0990

## AUTOMOTIVE

Expanding Goodyear dealer looking for experienced personnel. Service & Tire Sales Technicians General Service Technicians Salary guarantee plus commissions and benefits. Contact Tom or Arnie, (313)624-2700.

## AUTOMOTIVE

**TIRE** installers for hard-working career oriented individuals. Must desire to move up to sales or mechanic's trainee positions. Must have valid driver's license. \$300 per week plus benefits. BELLE TIRE, in our 70th year, call Novi at (313)348-4348. EOE.

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**BRIGHTON** area group home looking for a part-time night person. 10pm-5am. Starting wage \$5.30/hr. Must be 18 yrs. of age or older, have a high school diploma or GED, valid Michigan drivers license. If interested call between 8-3pm (313)227-8915

**BRIGHTON** area Janitorial service. No exp. necessary. Afternoons. Call from 9am-5pm Mon-Fri. (313)227-1656

## BUSINESS EXECUTIVES

Our company is searching for the best management in the region to staff our newly acquired office in this area. If you have extensive management experience, the ability to train, recruit, manage and support a national/international sales organization, please forward resume, P.O. Box 237, Novi, MI 48376.

**CARPENTERS**, nail gunners and lumber carriers needed. (517)223-3408, after 7pm.

**CARRIER** needed for porch delivery of the Monday Green Sheet in the following Pinckney areas: Creston, Rushside, Vanhook, Country Club. Call (517)546-4809.

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## EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT

A manufacturing company is in need of an experienced Executive Assistant to the President. Must have good organizational skills, attention to detail and be able and willing to handle many activities at the same time. These various projects would interface with all departments of the corporation.

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Office of the President  
Rex Roto Corporation  
P. O. Box 980  
Fowlerville, MI 48836

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## SHEET METAL FABRICATOR/WELDER

We have a second shift opening for a sheet metal fabricator. One to three years of experience is required. The position offers variety, challenge and opportunities to be innovative.

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Attention: Tooling - Shop coordinator

## DIRECT CARE STAFF

Full and part-time positions available in community group homes in Brighton area. Qualifications include: 18 yrs. or older, High School Diploma/GED and valid drivers license. Benefit package offered to full time employees. Call (313)610-6578 for interview

**DIRECT** care workers for group home in Milford. Afternoon & midnight shifts available. MOPC training helpful, or will train. \$5.25-5.75/hr. Call Duane at (313)684-2159 or Rita at (313)477-5209

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**C.N.C. MACHINING** Looking for a dependable person to run vertical machining center. Set-up, print reading, tools, etc. Day shift, overtime, Walled Lake area. Call (313)624-2410 or apply at 1824 Haggerty Rd., Walled Lake.

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**COSMETOLOGIST** needed. Apply: Hair By Choice, 147 N. Howell, Pinckney or call (313)878-9333

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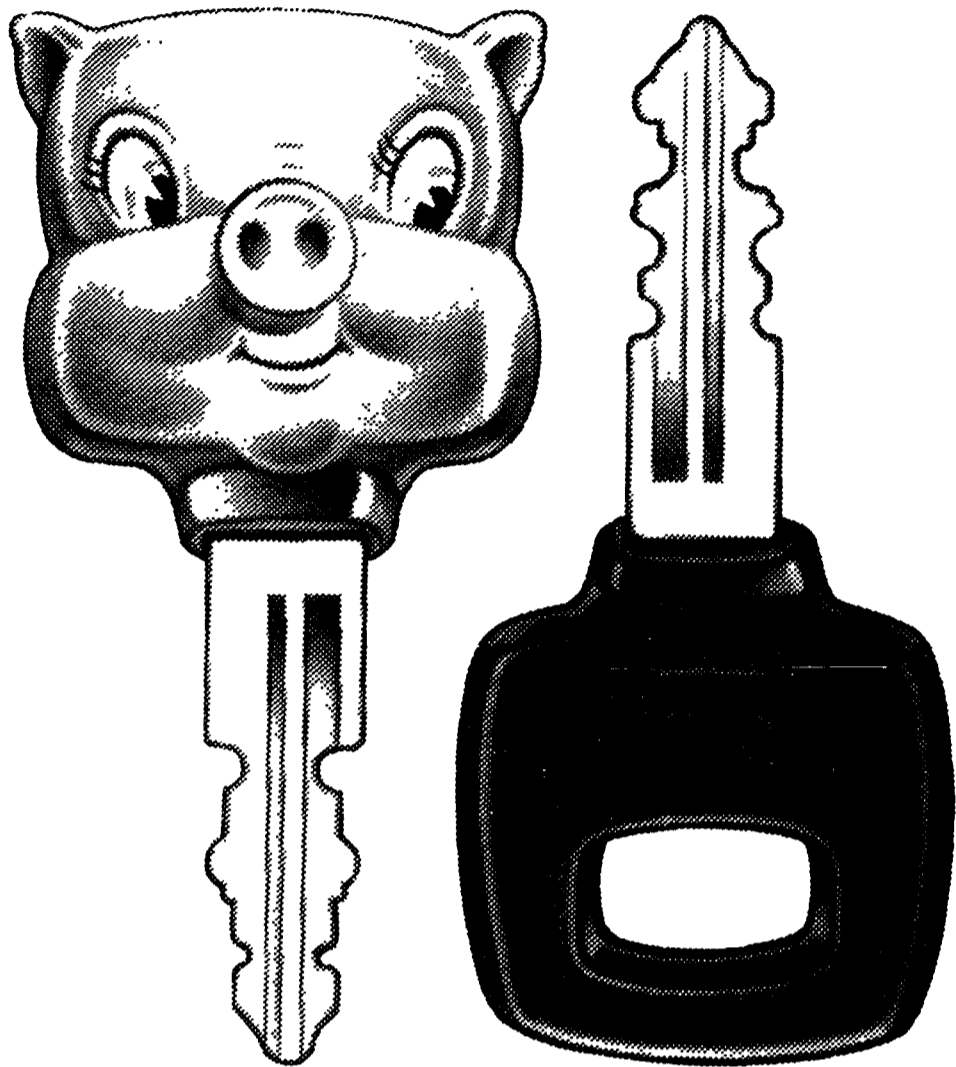
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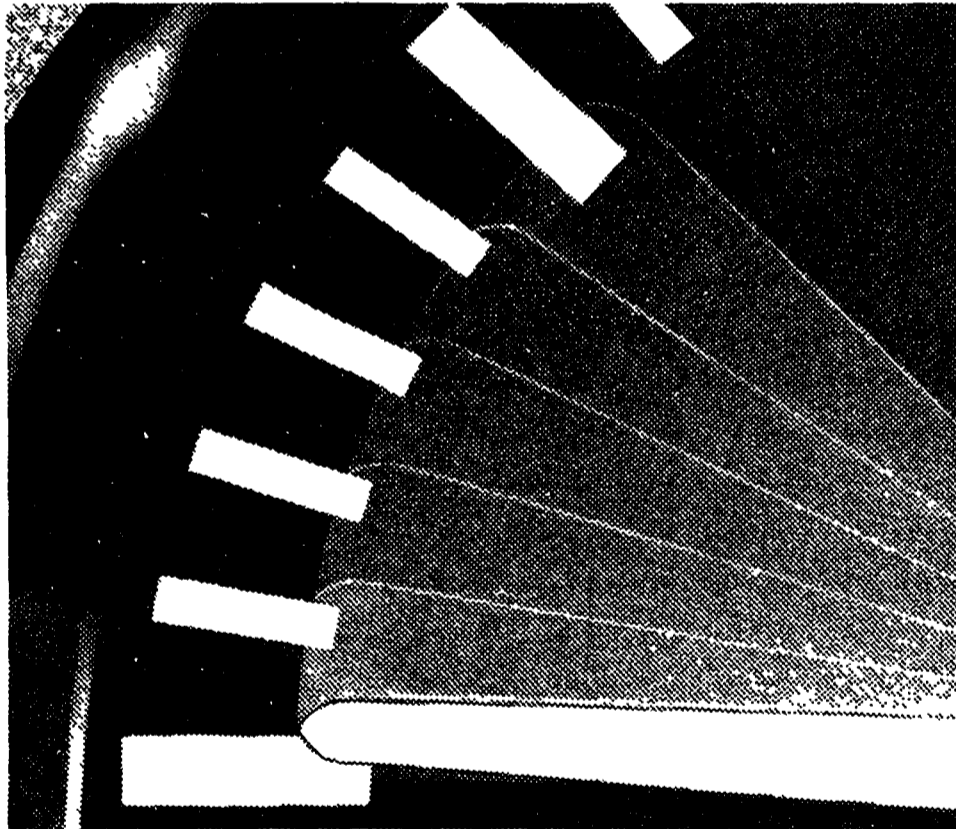
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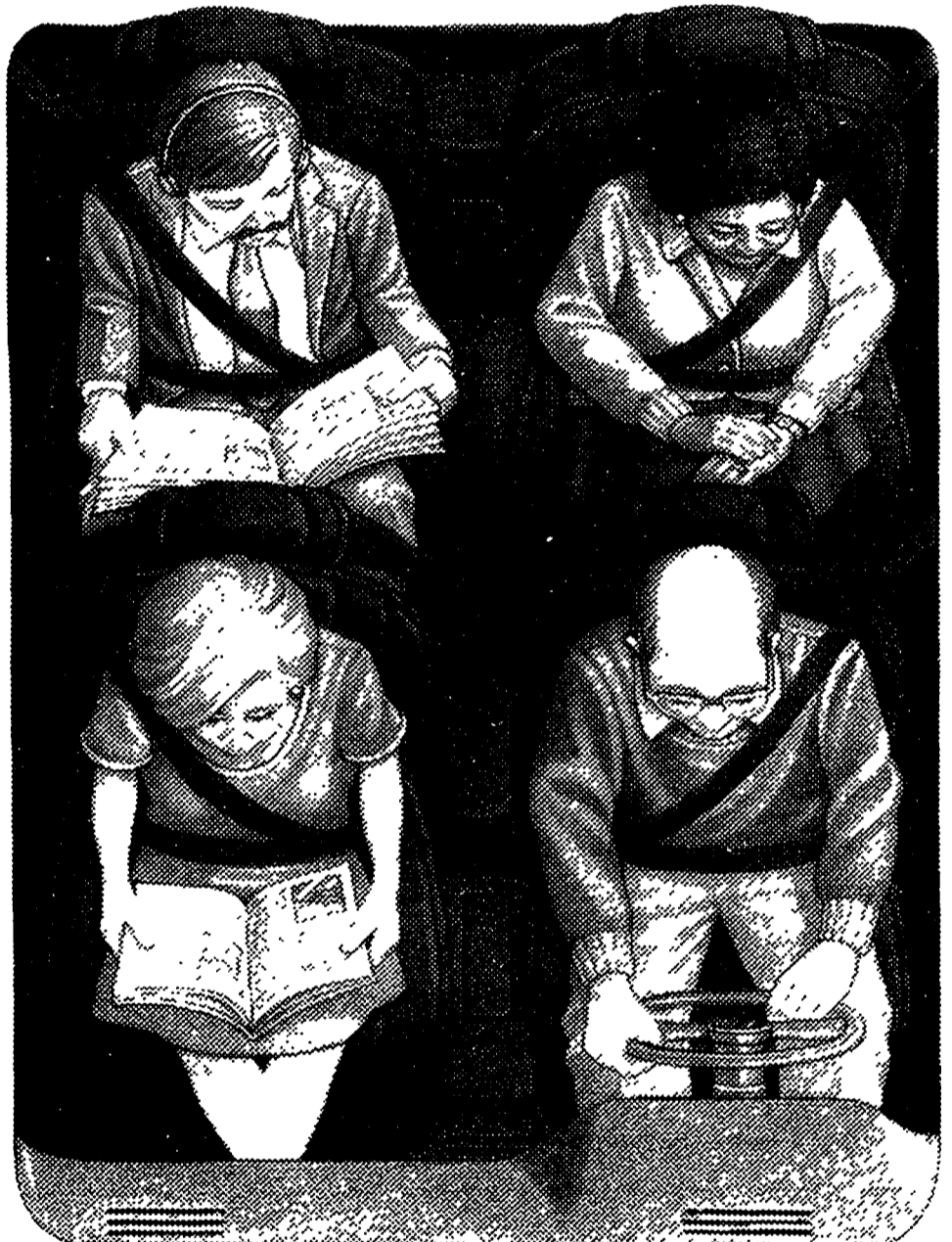
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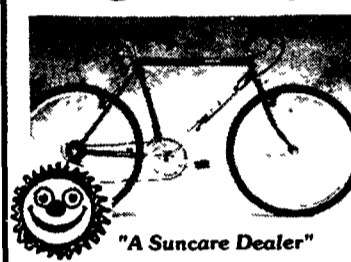
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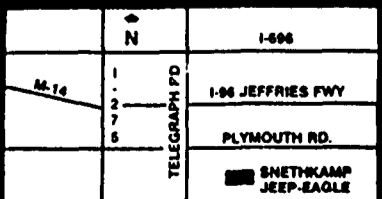
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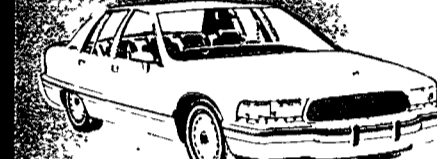
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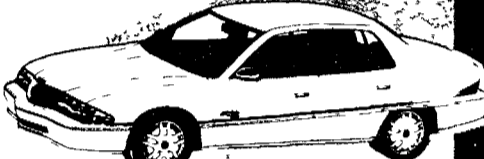
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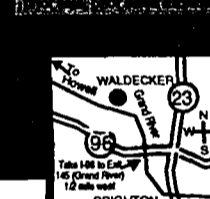
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