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FIFTY CENTS

Search for new manager is put into high gear

By SHARON CONDRON Staff Writer

The three appointed members of the township manager selection committee are busy preparing for their task of naming a new manager.

The township's deadline for accepting resumes is Friday, April 23. To date, Township Clerk Sue Hillebrand said she's received 21 resumes from prospective candidates who have answered the township's call to fill the post.

Hillebrand said she was relieved township trustees approved the manager selection committee members Thursday so the trio could start planning their course of action.

The clerk will join Trustee Mark Abbo and Northville Township resident Gary Sipple on the selection committee. Those three will make a recommendation to the full board after interviewing all the prospective candidates.

Hillebrand said Sipple was picked to serve from a short list of township residents who were interested in serving on township committees and commissions. She said she was pleased he volunteered because of the wealth of personnel experience he brings with him.

"He'll be a very strong addition and an asset for us," the clerk said Tuesday.

Sipple has a bachelor's degree and cess as open as possible.

has been an employee of General Motors for the past 26 years. There, he is actively involved in all facets of human resources and personnel matters.

Hillebrand said she was also surprised to learn of Abbo's extensive background in personnel. Until re-cently, she said she was unaware Abbo had spent years screening, interviewing and hiring job candidates for his department at Key Plastics, Inc., where he is a corporate controller.

"And Mark Abbo to my surprise has a lot of personnel background," Hillebrand said. "I didn't know how much he'd been involved with hiring people in his own department."

Hillebrand too has extensive experience in hiring practices. Prior to her election, she was a former personnel director for a medical supply company.

"I'm really pleased with the members of the committee," She said. "I just hope the selection process goes

At Thursday's meeting Trustee Barbara O'Brien asked that board members be allowed to see all of the resumes and not just those that make it to the short list or the final cut.

Hillebrand said the committee would respond to the trustees' requests and keep the selection pro-



Volunteer Don Hicks dumps a pail of brown trout into the Johnson Drain last week. The state Department of Natural Resources planted the fish at several junctures in the Rouge River, including three in the Northville area: Hatchery Park

stead of \$6. The Parent and Child rate classes are offered for 21/4 - to

\$1 fee.

on Seven Mile, Beck Road north of Six Mile and Five Mile west of Ridge Road. Five hundred fish were planted at each site. It was the second consecutive year of the DNR planting program.

School boundary issue taken off tonight's agenda

By MICHELLE KAISER Staff Writer

Don't expect Northville Board of Education officials to act on any school boundary plans at tonight's meeting.

the matter was earlier

"It's not a matter of trying to divert this, and no, there aren't any problems... We appreciate all the input we've received," Rezmierski said. We're just not in a position to do that (approve boundaries) with all the other stuff coming to us."

A special board meeting may be

Childhood program fees increased

By MICHELLE KAISER

Higher utility, custodial and food costs were reasons cited for the 4 to 7 percent price increases that will go into effect for programs at Northville Public Schools Early Childhood Center.

"Most of our budget is very fixed," Gallagher said. "It's not something we have a lot of leeway with."

The smallest increase is reflected in the center's Parent and Child progm which will now cost \$6.25 in-

program meets for an hour and a half

once a week and allows parents and

children to interact with each other

in a classroom setting. Children must be 20 months to 2% years old.

Preschool rates will increase by 50 cents. Two preschool programs are offered - two-day- or three-day-aweek programs. Both include indoor and outdoor play, mealtime, group time, free choice periods and rest or nap-time.

The highest increase in the new fee structure is a \$5 additional charge for parents who use the center's fulltime child care program. Parents who use the part-time (two- to four-day-aweek) program will pay an additional \$1 for child care.

In the child care program, 4-year-olds and 4- to 5-year-olds.

The program runs from 7 a.m. to 5:30

p.m. If a parent opts to pick up his or

her child at 6 p.m., there is an extra

Full-time Wondergarten rates will increase by \$3 and part-time Wondergarten will cost 75 cents more than it did last year.

Wondergarten is a half-day program designed for kindergarten children. Outdoor and indoor play and hands-on activities in art and science and music and language arts are encouraged. A Wondergarten plus Kids' Club is

also offered, which provides additional care beyond the kindergarten school hours. The Early Childhood Center's

ren to pursue interests before and af-

ter school. Full-time enrollment will

fers a place for elementary-age child- on need, she said.

programs will go up 25 cents each. the center at 344-8465.

increase by \$2.50 while part-time scholarships or increased fees, call

A full-day Kids' Club program is also available during the summer. Full-time enrollment will cost \$5 more than last year's \$105 fee. Parttime sessions will be offered for \$1 more than last year's charge.

Gallagher said, contrary to popular belief, the Early Childhood Center is a self-supporting program.

"A lot of people think the district is paying for this program," she said.

Gallagher also noted there is room in the center's budget for three scholarships for the pre-school program. Kids' Club, or latchkey, program of- The scholarships are awarded based

For more information about the



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slated for discussion and possible approval on April 19, the board is expected to table action on the 1993-94 school attendance boundaries.

"We have to understand this finance issue and how it's going to affect us," Supt. Leonard Rezmierski said, referring to the June 2 constitutional amendment ballot proposal for school finance reform and property tax relief.

called to act on the boundaries, or the board may take a look at the recommendations at its May 10 regular board meeting.

"It will be sometime within the next month, I'm sure," the superintendent said.

David Bolitho, assistant superintendent for administrative services,

Township goes along with third judgeship

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Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

Strut your stuff

Fourteen month old Casey Henahan reaches through the fence grating in an attempt to touch the chickens at the Maybury State Park farm.

By SHARON CONDRON Staff Writer

Northville Township has joined surrounding municipalities in supporting the addition of a third judge at the 35th District Court.

Township trustees passed a resolution backing the new court and judge last Thursday. Plymouth Township, the fifth and final community affected by the addition, followed suit Tuesday night. The cities of Canton, Plymouth and Northville all passed the same resolution in March.

35th District Court Judge James N. Garber, one of the two judges on the bench in the Plymouth court, said getting state lawmakers and local elected officials to approve the third jurist has been a long, lengthy process.

Garber said there have been three foiled attempts at getting the new judge since 1979, when he took the year." Plymouth bench. Since then there have been only been two judges in the court.

In 1986, the state court administrator, who reviews judicial staffing across Michigan, offered a third judge to the district based on the Judges' heavy caseloads. At that time Garber and Judge John E. MacDonald, the second judge in the district, turned the state's offer down.

Three years later, the court administrator made an identical offer with a guarantee for the new judge from state legislators. The two judges agreed, and began to petition the local communities for support.

Even though state lawmakers promised to add to the bench, the five communities weren't willing then to pay any more to build, operate and staff a third courtroom that year.

The state approved it but all the local units said, 'No, let's wait another year for a third year of revenues and spread the \$560,000 expense of building the court out over a three-year period,' " Garber said in explaining the communities' reluctance to support the resolutions.

In 1990, local municipalities had their purse stings loosened and they agreed to support a second resolution.

But this time it was the state's finances that threw a kink into the plan.

"Two years ago they all approved it," Garber said. "It passed through the House, but then the state Judiciary Committee said they weren't giving out any new judgeships that

So the communities' resolutions died for lack of support from state legislators. Now state and local officials are giving the idea a third hearing.

"We may be eligible now," Garber said of this latest attempt. "But the state wants to know if the five communities want it. Obviously we do, we've already built the court and staffed it with a visiting judge. And all five have adopted the resolution."

Garber said the district court needs the third court now more than ever because of the increase in the two judges' caseload.

"We are the second busiest court in Wayne County. We're second only said.

When Garber took the bench in 1979, the two judges heard 17,400 cases a year. In 1992, he and MacDonald heard that many cases by the end of May. By the end of last year. the number of cases jumped to 40,200, a 12- to 13-percent increase lem," he said. over 1991's total.

than double the state's average," the costs are minimal. judge said.

Aside from an increase in the

to 36th District Court in Detroit," he number of civil cases the judges are hearing in 35th District court, a state mandate for closing drunk driving and other civil cases has added to the "judicial stresses" at the courthouse.

"It's really been a combination of the increase in case load and time frames that has caused the prob-

The biggest concern for city and "We heard 40,200 cases last year township officials is the added cost of and the bulk of that has come to us maintaining a third court. But for within the last five years. That's more most, Garber assures residents the

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Community Calendar

TODAY, 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 PINOCHLE: Area seniors are invited to play pinochle 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 Riffles Restaurant on Northville Road. Reservations (\$10 for members, \$12 for nonmembers) 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

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 fami-

Boundaries to be given more study

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had originally planned to present the boundary options at a Feb. 8 board meeting. However, he delayed that after additional issues were raised at a Jan. 28 public hearing. Most of the questions dealt with the opening of Thornton Creek --- the district's new-est elementary building slated to open in September - and general district finances.

School officials, including Bolitho; administrative assistant for operations Tom Bailey: dispatcher Barb Strohmer; transportation foreman Jeff Wilson; maintenance foreman Bob Minch; personnel director Roy 11th grade: -8 to -3 Danley; and secretary Julie Charlet 12th grade: -16 to -11

lies 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 GUESTORS: The Silver Springs Questors meet at 46266 Pickford; hostess is Diana Koenig and co-hostess is Gerry Schwaller. Mariene Costello will speak on Lalique, with a presentation of her collection.

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CIVIL AIR PATROL: Civil Air Patrol, Mustang Cadet Squadron, meets at 7 p.m. at the Northville VFW Post 4012, located at 438 S. Main St. Everyone over the age of 13 is encouraged to view the activities.

PARKS AND REC COMMISSION MEETS: The Northville Parks and Recreation Commission meets at 7:30 p.m. at the Community Center, 303 W. Main St.

ADVOCATES MEET: Advocates for Quality Education meets in the Northville High School Forum at 7:30 p.m. Members will hear the report of the Nominating Committee.

SINGLE PLACE: Single Place meets at 7:30 p.m. at First Presbyterian Church, 200 E. Main. Donation \$4. For more information call 349-0911.

ORDER OF ALHAMBRA: Order of Alhambra Manresa Caravan meets at 8 p.m. at Our Lady of Victory Church administration building.

THURSDAY, APRIL 22

CHAMBER BOARD: The Northville Community Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors meets at 7:30 a.m. today at the chamber office.

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

CHURCH RUMMAGE SALE: A rummage and bake sale will be held at the First Presbyterian Church, 200 E. Main St., from 9:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. The \$2 bag sale starts at 5 p.m.

LIVONIA REPUBLICAN WOMEN & WESTERN SUB-URBS: The Livonia Republican Women and Western Suburbs meets at the Mayflower Hotel in Plymouth from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. For more information or reservations, call 474-3088, or 459-0134.

NEW LIFE BIBLE STUDY: A neighborhood nondenominational 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

FRIDAY, APRIL 23

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

CHURCH GARAGE SALE: The First United Methodist Church, Eight Mile at Taft, will host a sale of clothes, toys, furniture and maternity wear, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Proceeds to benefit Detroit's homeless.

M.O.M. MEETS: M.O.M. (Meet Other Mothers) meets at the First Presbyterian Church, 201 Church St. in Plymouth from 9:30-11:30 a.m. M.O.M. is a support group for mothers which presents speakers and discussions on subjects of interest to mothers. Childcare provided for a nominal fee.

GRANDPARENTS RAISING GRANDCHILDREN: This support group meets at 7:30 p.m. in the Seven Mile/Haggerty area. For more information call Beth at 344-9241 or Kelly at 531-7782.

SATURDAY, APRIL 24

CHURCH GARAGE SALE: The First United Methodist Church, Eight Mile at Taft, will host a sale of clothes, toys, furniture and maternity wear, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Proceeds to benefit Detroit's homeless.

SUNDAY, APRIL 25

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

VFW APPRECIATION: The Northville VFW Post 4012 will hold its annual police and firefighter appreciation dinner at 3 p.m. in the clubroom of the VFW building at 438 S. Main. The officer of the year will be named at that time. A \$5 donation is requested. For details, call 421-7675.

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 26

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

BPW: Northville Business and Professional Women's Club will meet for social hour and networking at 6 p.m. followed by dinner at 6:30 p.m. at Genitti's restaurant. The program for the evening to be announced. For more information and reservations call Molly Kuclo at 348-1199.

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

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

"Community Calendar" items may be submitted to the newspaper office, 104 W. Main St., by mail or in person; or fax items to 349-1050. The deadline is 4 p.m. Monday for that Thursday's calendar or 4 p.m. Thursday for the following Monday's.

have been diligently working on the boundaries since learning that over 400 new homes are scheduled to be Third judge to be added at local court constructed within the Nine Mile cor-

According to Garber and North-

its operation and maintenance costs. The balance is returned to the respective communities.

said. "We generate more revenue

cause the court is a money maker, it has maintained a good relationship with the local units it serves.

Harrigan agrees with Garber, even though the percentage of revenues the township receives back from the court varies annually. The township finance director said last year the court returned more than 50 percent of the township's contribution from

In 1992 Northville Township police wrote \$500,000 worth of tickets. It got back 54 percent or \$271,588. City police wrote \$146,616 in tickets during the same time period and got back only \$35,179 in revenue.

Garber said the 35th District court is one of only two or three left in the state that produces revenue. Most of the others are an expense in their communities' budgets.



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ridor of the district.

Analysis in calculating growth pro-

jections, which recommends using categories in "most likely" and "high"

enroliments. In the next school year,

the district is projecting the following

increase ranges. The first number is

the most likely while the second

number represents a high projection:

• Kindergarten: -1 to 12

• Second grade: -34 to -29

• First grade: 18 to 26

• Third grade: 48 to 57

• Sixth grade: 36 to 44

• Seventh grade: -7 to -2

• Eighth grade: 30 to 36

• Ninth grade: 3 to 11 • 10th grade: 34 to 39

• Fourth grade: 16 to 24 • Fifth grade: 18 to 24

Continued from Page 1 The district used the Stanfred

> ville Township Finance Director Dwayne Harrigan, the court is funded through court, filing, and probation costs, fees and from traffic violations written in each of the supporting communities. A portion of all the revenue the court earns from

than we use."

"The court is self-funded," Garber

Gaber said the court has been a self-sufficient operation since 1984. Today, it has fewer employees than it

those fines and fees is used to cover did eight years ago. Garber said be- traffic violations.

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Cooke Middle School Odyssey of the Mind third-place finishers included Marty Lenardon, Warren Lin, Jeff Kruszewski, Ryan Wang and Jercmy Straub. Meads Mill standouts were Greg Last and Mike Ryzyi.



Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

Winchester first place winners were Katie Last, Julie Matusz, Julie McHugh, Mike Miller, Scott Paterson and Jessica Vartanian. Winner Stephen Selinsky is from Amerman.

Student problem solvers match wits in tourney

Winchester Elementary School's Odyssey of the Mind team placed first in a field of 21 teams at the regional competition held at Grosse Pointe North High School last month.

Team members Jessica Vartanian, Katie Last, Scott Paterson, Julie Matusz, Mike Miller, Greg McHugh and Stephen Selinsky participated in division one of the competition. The theme of their problem was "Which End Is Up?"

Odyssey of the Mind (OM) is an international problem-solving competition among students in kindergarten through college. Its purpose is to foster the development of creative thinking, problem-solving skills and team building and promote divergent thinking among young people.

OM was founded in New Jersey 15 years ago and began with only 28 New Jersey schools. Today, there are OM competitions held in 48 states and Washington, D.C., Canada, England, China, Japan, Germany, Poland, Hungary, Mexico, Russia, Venezuela and Australia.

Five problems are created each year by the International Odyssey of the Mind program. This year the five problems were: 1) "Pit stop." The team designed, built and drove a vehicle powered by a mechanical jack that traveled a course and made pit stops; 2) "Dinosaurs." The team created and presented a story about dinosaurs which included teammade dinosaurs. One or more of these dinosaurs had to appear to be alive and complete various tasks.; 3) "Classics . . . Old Man and the Sea Analogy." After reading Hemingway's classic, the team created an analogy of its interpretation of the story; 4) "Structure — Which end is up?" The team designed and built a balsa wood structure to balance and support as much weight as possible; 5) "Folk Tales." The team created a performance incorporating a teamoriginated folk tale that included two or more quotes from a given list.

Each team consists of five to seven team members with a volunteer facilitator coach. The Northville teams

started work on their solutions to the problems in October with weekly meetings which expanded to two to three meetings a week as the regional tournament drew closer. The sixmonth preparation is over in an eight-minute skit and after a stressful session behind closed doors where an unknown spontaneous problem is posed to the students.

The winning Winchester team had to design and construct a balsa wood structure, meeting certain specifications and weighing less than 18 grams. They also had to put together an eight minute skit that related to their problem.

A circus theme was chosen with tumbling clowns, jugglers, a strongman and props that were not always what they seemed to be. To the team, "which end is up" meant going in circles, blocks that would not stack and a hopscotch board that folded into a ball. The ball appeared to move on its own when, in fact, a team member was inside it. Those on the outside could not tell which end of the ball or

o the their teammate were up. The structure held 305 pounds be-

fore the strongman was able to break it. In addition, the team was required to solve a problem on the spur of the

to solve a problem on the spur of the moment. They had to imagine uses for a specific object and name as many uses as they could in two minutes. They were also judged on how humorous, unique or unusual those responses were.

This team went on to compete at the state competition Saturday at Central Michigan University. Results of the competition were not available as of press time.

All together. Northville had 13 teams competing in the regionals; 10 elementary teams, two middle school teams and one high school team. Those teams receiving recognition at the Region VIII awards ceremony were:

• Third place — Moraine Elementary, "Dinosaurs" division I team with George Dwelley and Lynn Elsesser, coaches; and team members Kourt-

ney Dwelley. Laura Elsesser, Maureen Melvin, Bryan Patton, Brent Swanson, Brian Thomas and Colleen Thompson.

• Third place — Cooke Middle School, "Which End Is Up? division II team with Dan Lenardon and George Kruszewski, coaches; and team members Marty Lenardon, Jeff Kruszewski, Greg Last, Warren Lin, Michael Ryzyi, Jeremy Straub and Ryan Wang.

• Fourth place — Moraine Elementary, "Which End Is Up?" division I team with Len Tedesco and Walter Kowalkowski, coaches; and team members Brian Tedesco, Laura Tedesco, Andy Kowalkowski, Deanna Kowalkowski, Brad Mullins and Sara Poletta.

 Fourth place — Meads Mill Middle School, "Classics . . ." division II team with Jay Cardinel and Marge Wisniewski, coaches; and team mebers Kristen Cardinel, Sarah Wisniewski, Heather Asterjou, Sarah Matusz, Sonal Prasad, Wendy Tao and Heather Wadowski.

• Fifth place — Moraine Elementary, "Folk Tales," division I team with Jeri Johnson, Joanne Deutschendorf and Mary Craig, coaches; and team members Greg Johnson, Ryan Deutschendorf, Justin Craig, Lisa Dunny and Jenny Rosinski.

Since 1988, three Northville OM teams have made it all the way to the World Finals and did well to place in this contest that includes over a million students (regional through world finals).

In 1988, a Meads Mill Middle School team placed second at the University of Maryland in the technical problem "Gift of Flight."

In 1990, a Winchester-Amerman Elementary team placed second at Iowa State University in the technical problem "Structures in Harmony."

Also in 1990, the Winchester Elementary team placed first at Iowa State University in the technical problem "Recycle." They also won the coveted Ranatra Fusca award.

The world finals this year will be held June 3-5 at the University of Maryland.

Model students watched by hidden administrator

By MICHELLE KAISER Staff Writer

You never know when assistant principal Susan Meyer may be lurking around the corner, just ing somebody or a teacher," Meyer said of her "Caught Being Good" program.

Ten students from each school are selected monthly for the "Caught Being Good" program and receive a bumper sticker and a certificate in the school's colors. Grandma Betty's, a confectionery shop in downtown Northville, provides a \$1 gift certificate to winners, too. sored by the student councils of each school.

Students are nominated by five teams of teachers and support staff. Fifteen are selected to have their pictures placed in the front lobby of the school. Meads Mill cltizens also have their pictures placed in Standard Bank's Six Mile and Haggerty roads location. Standard is the school's business partner in education.

"(Students) are nominated no

PTA event will showcase students

The focus on this year's third annual "Education Celebration," sponsored by the Northville Coordinating Council of PTAs, will be the students of the district.

Students from each school in the district will be demonstrating their computer skills and capabilities while teachers will answer questions

at the wednesday, April 21, event scheduled from 5-7 p.m. Technology displays will be set up throughout Northville High School, including a technology showcase featured in the high school forum. Additional stations will also be available for individual students to show off their computer provess to their parents.

The Coordinating Council presents this annual event as a means of thanking all people who work together and support "Excellence in Education" for all students of the Northville Public School District. All members of the community are invited and encouraged to attend the two-hour open house.

waiting to catch you being ... good?

At both Cooke and Meads Mill middle schools, Meyer is rewarding people for being model students.

"It could be for kids doing something good for another kid, or finding and turning in money, or helpModel students are also recognized in the "Citizens of the Month" program, which is spon-

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for anything special they do, but for what they're supposed to be doing because they're basically good citizens," Meyer said.

Each of the school's student councils help pay for the project, buying the film and providing certificates to each winning student.

It's Spring Time Now...

Watch Out For Children On Bicycles





Police News

Lawn job is done on home while owner is away

A Whitehaven Court resident re- the time of the incident. ported a vehicle driving over a neighbor's lawn at 10:09 p.m. Wednesday. The resident told police the vehicle was a large blue Suburban-type vehicle with fog lights and a loud exhaust. The homeowners were out of town at

Meeting Agenda

NORTHVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION 7:30 p.m. Monday, April 19 Old Village School, 405 W. Main St.

1. Call to order

- 2. Pledge of allegiance
- 3. Roll call
- 4. Adoption of agenda
- 5. Citizen comments
- 6. Approval of minutes
- 7. Superintendent's report 8. Communications
- 9. Early Childhood program ac-

tivities, report and presentation 10. New hire - high school counselor

11. Tenure recommendations 12. Board policy considerations, revisions, first readings and adoptions (Policy 1120, school board meetings; Policy 1120.1, board study sessions; Policy 1160.5, board member attendance at conferences: Policy 1440, non-discrimination; Policy 5127.1, graduation requirements; Policy 5127.3, special education graduation requirements; and Policy 6145.21, complimentary passes to athletic contests.

13. Wayne County Tax Allocation Budget 1993-94 (Review and approval)

14. Closing of 1965 and 1985 debt funds

15. Meads Mill band trip to Chicago

16. Northville High School foreign language French-German trip

17. Appointment of deputy secretaries-board of education

18. Bill warrants and payroll

- 19. Added agenda items
- 20. Public hearing, questions 21. Questions, comments from
- board members
- 22. Adjournment

Back up information relating to agenda items is located at the secretary's table and is available for review prior to, or during, the meeting.

Agendas subject to change.

Read Our Classifieds for Spring Home

TWO-CAR COLLISION: No injuries were reported in a two-car accident at 4:53 p.m. Tuesday at Seven Mile and Valencia Court. According to reports, a 16-yearold Northville male driving a Chrysler driving while his license was valued at \$130. Lebaron made a left turn in front of a Chevy pickup driven by a 29-year-old Farmington Hills man.

The 16-year-old received a hazardous driving citation and the 29-yearold man also received a citation for suspended.

BIKE STOLEN: A 12-speed men's plainant told police six subjects in a bike was taken from a Farragut Court front porch between 11 p.m., April 9, and 8 a.m., April 10. The black bike is

MALICIOUS MISCHIEF: A comparking lot on Seven Mile Road toiletpapered vehicles after 10 p.m. April 12. There was no visible damage to

the vehicles, according to reports.

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



By STEVE KELLMAN Staff Writer

All Karen Morris wanted to do was earn a degree in occupational therapy and help put her daughter through college.

Instead, the 42-year-old Northville woman has found herself embroiled in a battle over her academic future, waged against an instructor accused of shoddy teaching methods and a program that students found lacking in basic equipment and supplies, run out of a classroom without enough chairs.

Morris enrolled in Schoolcraft's occupational therapy assistant program in 1990 and began taking classes that September. She said her problems with her primary instructor and the program's director, Nancy Vandewiele-Milligan, began soon thereafter when Vandewiele-Milligan directed the students to knit a sweater and provided little actual instruction on how to complete the task. Morris questioned her teaching methods and took her questions to the dean and assistant dean, she said, but nothing was done.

"I paid to take this class, I paid for her to teach me this, and I wasn't taught it." Morris said.

Vandewiele-Milligan left the school on maternity leave in February and remains on leave. When reached by phone, she declined comment and referred all questions to the college

Continuing problems with the program and its primary instructor drove 16 students, led by Morris, to sign a petition in November 1992 outlining their complaints. The twopage petition found fault with Vandewiele-Milligan's teaching style, absences from several classes, and lack of preparedness for others.

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As for the program, the students wrote that they received no hands-on computer experience as advertised in the course outline, were not given enough equipment for their clinical practice, and did not have chairs or tables in the classroom.

For Morris, and for other students she's talked with, the main issue is the quality of the education students

We just want the best education possible," she said. "We're all afraid that we're going to be put in these placements and given these caseloads, and we won't know what to do.'

According to Jim Walling, assistant dean of college centers, those complaints have since been addressed and the students informed of the results.

We've had three subsequent meetings in which a statement was read to them," he said. "They were apprised and provided with a copy of that statement, and all of the matters that they raised, as far as I know,

over for Nancy Vandewiele-Milligan

post suddenly in February, Morris

with, since discovering in January

thirds of the way through the semes-ter, she was switched from one clinical setting to another, ending up at the Stepping Stone rehabilitation program in Warren. She was placed under the supervision of Lavon Hamilton, herself a recent occupational therapy assistant graduate with no

from Hamilton for her subsequent failing grade. "Nothing was said to me about what my requirements were as a student, what I should be doing,"

milton telling her at the end of the 14-week course that her grade on the Stepping Stone evaluation was a passing one. "The clinical instructor told me I passed, and then this Nancy

Vandewiele said I didn't," she said. Hamilton denied telling Morris that she had passed the course and added that she did not even know what her evaluation score translated into on the Schoolcraft College grading scale.

"I didn't know how their grading system was," she said. "I said I didn't know if this was a passing mark or a failing mark."

Hamilton also asserted that Morris' grade did not change dramatically between the first and second haives of the placement. "It wasn't that much of a difference from the hospital to here," she said. "It wasn't a good grade then, and it still, at the end, it was, I would say, two to three points difference."

In fact, Morris received 89 points out of a possible 115 at Children's Hospital, and only 60 points at Stepping Stone. While the 89-point grade translated into a B, the 60-point mark produced a 1.9 grade, just shy of the 2.0 needed for passing. Unfor-tunately for Morris, Vandewiele did not count mid-term placement evaluations toward her students' final grades.

Hamilton also discovered firsthand the friction between Morris and Vandewiele-Milligan when she called the program director to ask how to handle Morris' absence from two days of fieldwork.

When she told Vandewiele-Milligan of Morris' absences, Hamilton said, the instructor "gave me a little insight on Karen and she said that she'd back me 100 percent (if Hamilton chose to flunk Morris in the placement)... She said 'Everything that you're telling me is not a sur-prise, because I know her very well."

But Hamilton decided to give Morris a chance to make up the missed days and evaluate her then.

Morris appealed the subsequent failing grade, and is halfway through the school's seven-step appeals procedure. Along the way, she has run into more frustration at the hands of the school's administrators.

She said she first took her complaints over the grade to Dean Walling Jan. 18, but had to wait two months before Walling advised her that he could not change her grade and recommended she proceed to the next step.

School policy calls for Step II appeals to be addressed within 10 working days unless both the instructor and student agree, in writing, to an extension. Morris said she received no such extension request and did not grant one.

While Schoolcraft's appeals process calls for Step III appeals to be handled by the dean of instruction, Morris was referred to the dean of college centers, Dr. Edwynna Dansby. At a March 19 meeting with Dean Dansby, Morris said, she was given the opportunity to repeat the

15-week clinical placement at no charge next fall.

For the 42-year-old divorced mother, that solution holds little promise. "I can't afford to take another year," she said. "My daughter needs my help now."

Both Dansby and Walling insist the school is following its appeals process and invited Morris to proceed to Step IV. The Step IV hearing took place Thursday, but the hearing panel's recommendation was not immediately available.

"To my knowledge, not only has the procedure been followed but the college has gone way beyond what would normally be expected to accommodate this person," Walling said.

Dean Dansby also defends Vandewiele-Milligan's tenure despite the complaints of her students.

"Nancy Vandewiele-Milligan has been performing her job appropriately," she said. "This is the first time that I can recall that we've been involved in this situation (a student petition).

But school officials are reluctant to talk about Vandewiele-Milligan's future with the school. When asked about the students' complaints against her. Walling said "That matter has already been resolved, and there is . . . a right to privacy on that matter, because that involved an instructor." When asked how the matter was resolved, he said "I am not at liberty to say.

Walling also refused to say whether Vandewiele-Milligan would be returning to Schoolcraft as director of the occupational therapy program, and referred questions about her status to the school's labor relations board.

are receiving.

have been addressed.

Morris begs to differ. "We haven't gotten a written statement," she said. "So far, all we got was the table and chairs, and they named an interim director to take

when she was gone. Other than that, nothing's been done." When Vandewiele-Milligan left her

added, her two classes were simply cancelled for three weeks until the school found a replacement instructor.

But Morris had more problems than an absent instructor to contend that she had failed a 14-week clinical assignment at Children's Hospital in Detroit the previous semester. Two-

experience teaching other students. Morris blames a lack of feedback

she said. Even so, the student recalled Ha-



NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Novi City Council has adopted Ordinance No. 93-80 03, an Ordinance to amend the definitions of "Floodway" and "Structure" within Section 12-94 of the Novi Code of Ordinances, to add definitons of "Flood Ha zard Area." "Floodplain, "Manufactured Home, "Manufactured Home Park and Sub-division," "New Manufactured Home Park and Subdivision," "Recreational Vehicle" and "Substantial Improvement" to said Section 12-94, and to amend Sections 12-96 and 12-132 of the Novi Code of Ordinances, to revise the Flood Damage Prevention Regulations within the City of Novi. This Ordinance was declared to be an emergency ordinance which is immedi

CITY OF NORTHVILLE

Public Meeting Notice Citizens District Council Wednesday, April 28, 1993 — 7.30 p.m Main Centre Building

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City Clerk

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NOTICE OF ADOPTION

ORDINANCE 93-80.03

ately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety. It shall be come effective immediately upon adoption. The Ordinance was adopted on April 12, available for public use and inspection at the Office of the City Clerk during regular of fice hours

GERALDINE STIPP, CITY CLERK



Community Newspaper Again

That's right, again. For the second consecutive year the Michigan Press Association bestowed its prestigious 'Michigan's Best' Award on the Northville Record in its 1992 Better Newspaper Contest. (For weekly newspapers with 5,000 to 15,000 circulation). And we're even prouder to be a two-time winner of the 'Michigan's Best' award than we were the first time we received the honor in the 1991 Better Newspaper Contest. And here's another thing that hasn't changed. Our greatest satisfaction continues to come from being an integral part of the Northville community... giving you the type of newspaper you want and need. In other words, we're proud to be your hometown paper.

The Northville Record



RECORD **OPINION**

Rick Byme



Our Opinion

Search for manager looks to be on course

Northville Township officials appear to be headed in the right direction in their search for a township manager. A qualified, three-person selection committee has been appointed to interview candidates and is accepting applications for the post through Friday. So far, 21 persons have applied.

The committee is made up of Clerk ue Hillebrand, Trustee Mark Abbo and township resident Gary Sipple. All three have extensive backgrounds in human resource management, and appear to be well suited to the task of advising the Board of Trustees, the body which will make the final decision on whom to hire. Hillebrand has said she would help faciltate communication between the committee and the board, and promised to keep the selection process as open as possible.

So far so good. Ever since trustees ame to their senses and dropped the idea of studying the possibility of upgrading the supervisor's position to a full-time post, the board has given the appearance of greater cooperation on



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this and other matters. The board is by no means unified and mimic voting still tends to compromise the quality of some decisions; but, without the divisive issue of how the township government should be constituted at its highest levels, fewer personal charges are being hurled back and forth.

Our hope is that the process will continue to run smoothly and that the township will soon have a competent, qualified individual directing the daily affairs of the municipality. The presence of an executive at township hall should bring a coherence to the township that at times has been conspicuously absent since trustees have tried to go it alone.

Movin' on up. once again



munities which some affectionately refer to as No-ville. Not that I'm all that misty-eyed about leaving No-ville. Yeah, it was nice living at Wood-

My mailing address always was

Northville, even though my former

home at Woodland Glen Apart-

ments was technically in Novi.

However, I lived in that never-never

land that straddled the two com-

land Glen where rental agents Angela, Andrea and Amy always greeted you with smiling faces (even when they found out that I forgot to clean the refrigerator when I moved out).

week.

But look at it this way. I won't have to drive on Eight Mile anymore, a fact which a half-dozen loyal readers have already pointed out to me.

No, I mean I really moved to Northville. Downtown Northville. The-place-with-sidewalks Northville.

I'll spare you the mindless musings about what a cute and quaint place Northville is to live because, to be honest, quaint doesn't really appeal to me. I like high tech and contemporary.

Now, move me to downtown Toronto or Vancouver or Seattle, and then I'll really wax poetic.

Let's be real here. The place was nice and clean, the rent was cheap and they didn't mind my cat, Walter.

If I'm sounding a little curmudgeonly, well, it's because

I just moved to Northville last moving will do that to you.

Oh, I'm sure the feeling will subside, but as I sit in what will eventually be my bedroom (if I can ever get my bed together and shove everything back under it where it belongs), trying to decide which of the three boxes marked "bathroom" contains my razor so that I can shave after three days of living out of a suitcase, I just may realize what a thrill it is to move to a new home.

But right now I'm still trying to forget about how we struggled to get my sofa in the door of the new place, and discovered that it would have been easier to round the Horn of Africa. When you start talking about things like removing caulking to take out a picture window in the living room through which we would presumably pass said sofa -- you begin to appreciate the advantages of staying put.

When you think everything you own might fit in 25 garbage bags, and then you throw out that many without even making a dent in what has to be moved, you begin to appreciate why people torch their own homes for the insurance. It's so they'll have less stuff to move.

When your girlfriend calls your stuff "crap," and you still think of your crap as "stuff," you start to think about finding a place where you can keep all the stuff you want, even if it is just crap.

When you start to pick and choose your friends on the basis of whether or not they own a pickup truck, you know you've moved too many times. You begin to realize just why the phrase "putting down roots" has become a cliche.

I've made up my mind. This is the last time I'm doing this. Rats!! I mean second to last.

Third judge is needed to handle large load

Northville Township trustees have oined their counterparts in the communities of the other 35th district court areas and voted to approve the establishment of a third judgeship for the court. With all five municipalities — the cities of Northville and Plymouth and the townships of Northville, Plymouth and Canton — opting for the third jurist, the ball is now in the state's court to give official approval.

It is obvious that an additional judge is needed to handle the caseload of the 35th district court, the second busiest in Wayne County. In 1979, 17,400 cases were heard by the court; last year, the court decided that same number of cases by the end of May, the fifth month of the year. The court's caseload increased 12 to 13 percent between 1991 and 1992 alone.

Providing adequate staff levels at a courthouse is more than a matter of mere convenience for lawyers and their clients. It is an essential component in ensuring the quality of justice and in upholding the principal of a fair and speedy trial.

We call upon state officials to ask expeditiously in approving the request for a third judge at 35th distict court, and we hold out hope that the issue won't get lost in the state's formidible bureaucractic labyrinth. Some needs are obvious and should be attended to quickly, even by institutions where slowness and inefficency are the norm.



It's a sure sign spring's arrived when you spot youngsters on the merry-go-round at Mayberry.

Another look at teacher pay

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teachers."

wrote that teacher salaries are out of line with the private sector.

We've been writing about teacher salaries a lot lately. And, as might be expected, the topic has prompted a lot of response.

In fact, The Novi News, the Northville Record's sister publication, has even conducted a survey, asking readers, among other things, if they think teacher salaries are too high, too low or about right.

It's important to note that the survey was totally unscientific. We

just plopped it in the paper and let anybody who felt like it respond.

'A sign of spring'

Phil Jerome

As you might expect, some of the response -- we had no way of telling how many - came from teachers.

In addition to responding to our questions, readers also were invited to send along comments, which we published right next to the survey results.

The responses made interesting reading. As I said, there was no way of telling the professions of those who responded unless they told us. But I spotted letters from several individuals who I knew were teachers, including a former president of the Novi Education Association.

Needless to say, those letters strongly supported higher wages for teachers.

One individual, a teacher, wrote that "most individuals in business and industry with comparable levels of education and experience earn incomes that far exceed those of

Another individual, I don't know what they did for a living,

It occurred to me while reading those divergent opinions that the crux of the problem lies therein.

I believe that teachers truly believe they are underpaid in comparison with those of us in the private sector. But, it occurs to me that people in the private sector know the opposite to be true.

My perspective is fairly limited. I can equate teacher salaries to what I make in the private sector. I know that a teacher with eight years' experience makes more than I do, and I have a supervisory position and have been employed by this company almost 22 years.

At the same time, I acknowledge that journalism is a relatively low-paying profession. You do it because you love it. and I love it - I would have no other job.

My other point of reference is the salary of my wife, a public sector employee. She is associate director of the Social Services Department at Northville Regional Psychiatric Hospital. She has worked for the state for almost 26 years. And she makes less than a teacher with 10 years' experience.

And I also know that MSWs who work for the state generally make more than they could make in the private sector.

I also know the median household income in Novi is just under \$50,000 and the median household income in Northville is just over \$50,000.

Two more facts: If you have a combined household income of \$75,000 your income is in the top 10 percent in the country; if it's \$100,000 you're in the top 4 percent of the country.

When I put all these things together, I am convinced more than ever that teachers are very well paid. The problem, I suspect, is that they have no idea what private sector pay is and do not appreciate how well compensated they really are.

In Defense of a Little Virginity a message from Focus on the Family

The federal government has spent almost \$3 billion of our taxes since 1970 to promote contraceptives and 'safe sex" among our teenagers. Isn't it time we asked, What have we gotten for our money? These are the facts:

• The federal Centers for Disease Control estimate that there are now 1 million cases of HIV infection nationwide.

• 1 in 100 students coming to the University of Texas health center now carries the deadly virus.2

• The rate of heterosexual HIV transmission has increased 44% since September 1989.3

· Sexually transmitted diseases (STDs) infect 3 million teenagers annually.

• 63% of all STD cases occur among persons less than 25 years of age."

· 1 million new cases of pelvic inflammatory disease occur annually."

 1.3 million new cases of gonorrhea occur annually7; strains of gonorrhea have developed that are resistant to penicillin.

· Syphilis is at a 40-year high, with 134,000 new infections per year.³

• 500,000 new cases of herpes occur annually9; it is estimated that 16.4% of the U.S. population ages 15-74 is infected, totaling more than 25 million Americans --- among certain groups, the infection rate is as high as 60%.

 4 million cases of chlamydia occur annually"; 10-30% of 15- to 19-yearolds are infected.12

 There are now 24 million cases of human papilloma virus (HPV), with a higher prevalence among teens.¹³

To date, over 20 different and dangerous sexually transmitted diseases are rampant among the young. Add to that the problems associated with promiscuous behavior: infertility. abortions and infected newborns. The cost of this epidemic is staggering, both

Why, apart from moral considerations, do you think teenagers should be taught to abstain from sex until marriage?

No other approach to the epidemic of sexually transmitted diseases will work. The so-called "safe-sex" solution is a disaster in the making. Condoms can fail at least 15.7 percent of the time annually in preventing pregnancy.14 They fail 36.3 percent of the time annually in preventing pregnancy among young, unmarried minority women.¹⁵ In a study of homosexual men, the *British Medical* Journal reported the failure rate due to slippage and breakage to be 26 percent.16 Given these findings, it is obvious why we have a word for people who rely on condoms as a means of birth control. We call them . . .

Remembering that a woman can conceive only one or two days per month, we can only guess how high the failure rate for condoms must be in preventing disease, which can be transmitted 365 days per year! If the devices are not used properly, or if they slip just once, viruses and bacteria are exchanged and the disease process begins. One mistake after 500 "protected" episodes is all it takes to contract a sexually transmitted disease. The damage is done in a single moment when rational thought is overridden by passion.

"parents"

Those who would depend on so insecure a method must use it properly on every occasion, and even then a high failure rate is brought about by factors beyond their control. The young victim who is told by his elders that this little latex device is "safe" may not know he is risking lifelong pain and even death for so brief a window of pleasure. What a burden to place on an immature mind and body!

Then we must recognize that there are other differences between pregnancy prevention and disease prevention. HIV is 1/25th the width of sperm,¹⁷ and can pass easily through even the smallest gaps in condoms. Researchers studying surgical gloves made out of latex, the same material in condoms, found "channels of 5 microns that penetrated the entire thickness of the glove."¹⁸ HIV measures .1 microns.¹⁹ Given these findings, what rational, informed person would trust his or her very life to such flimsy armor?

This surely explains why not one of 800 sexologists at a conference a few years ago raised a hand when asked if they would trust a thin rubber sheath to protect them during intercourse with a known HIV-infected person.20 Who could blame them? They're not crazy, after all. And yet they're perfectly willing to tell our kids that "safe sex" is within reach and that they can sleep around with impunity.

intercourse for a full year, on average, before starting any kind of contraception.²¹ That is the success ratio of the experts who call abstinence "unrealistic" and "unworkable."

Even if we spent another \$50 billion to promote condom usage, most teenagers would still not use them consistently and properly. The nature of human beings and the passion of the act simply do not lend themselves to a disciplined response in young romantics.

But if you knew a teenager was going to have intercourse, wouldn't you teach him or her about proper condom usage?

No, because that approach has an unintended consequence. The process of recommending condom usage to

teenagers inevitably conveys five dangerous ideas: (1) that "safe sex" is achievable; (2) that everybody is doing it; (3) that responsible adults expect them to do it; (4) that it's a good thing; and (5) that their peers know they know these things, breeding promiscuity. Those are very destructive messages to give our kids. Furthermore, Planned Parenthood's own data show

that the number one reason teenagers engage in intercourse is peer pressure!²⁴ Therefore. anything we do to imply that "everybody is doing it" results in more . . . not fewer . . . people who give the game a try. Condom distribution programs do not reduce the number of kids exposed to disease . . . they radically increase it!

Want proof of that fact? Since the federal government began its major contraception program in 1970, unwed pregnancies have increased 87 percent among 15- to 19-year-olds.25 Likewise, abortions among teens rose 67 percent;26 unwed births went up 61 percent.27 And venereal disease has infected a generation of young people. Nice job, sex counselors. Good thinking, senators and congressmen. Nice nap, America.

Having made a blunder that now threatens the human family, one would think the designers would be backtracking and apologizing for their miscalculations. Instead, they continue to lobby Congress and corporate America for more money. Given the misinformation extant on this subject, they'll probably get it.

But if you were a parent and knew that your son or daughter was having sex, wouldn't you rather he or she used a condom?

A few years ago in Lexington, Ky., a youth event was held that featured no sports contest, no rock groups—just an ex-convict named Harold Morris talking about abstinence, among other subjects. The coliseum seated 18,000 people, but 26,000 teenagers showed up! Eventually, more than 2,000 stood outside the packed auditorium and listened over a hastily prepared public address system. Who says kids won't listen to this time-honored message?

Even teens who have been sexually active can choose to stop. This is often called "secondary virginity," a good concept that conveys the idea that kids can start over. One young girl recently wrote Ann Landers to say she wished she had kept her virginity, signing the letter, "Sorry I didn't and wish I could take it back." As responsible adults we need to tell her that even though she can't go back, she can go forward. She can regain her self-respect and protect her health, because it's never too late to start saying "no" to premarital sex.

Even though the safe-sex advocates predominate in educational circles, are there no positive examples of abstinencebased programs for kids?

Thankfully, some excellent programs have been developed. Spokane-based Teen-Aid and Chicago's Southwest Parents Committee are good examples. So are Next Generation in Maryland, Choices in California and Respect Inc. in Illinois. Other curricula such as Facing Reality: Sex Respect; Me, My World, My Future; Reasonable Reasons to Wait; Sex, Love & Choices; F.A.C.T.S. etc., are all abstinence-themed programs to help kids make good sexual decisions.

A good curriculum for inner-city youth is Elayne Bennett's Best Friends Program. This successful "mentoring" project helps adolescents in Washington, D.C. graduate from high school and remain abstinent. In five years, not one female has become pregnant while in the **Best Friends Program**

Establishing and nurturing abstinence ideas with kids, however, can be like spitting into the wind. Not because they won't listen, because most will. But proabstinence messages are drowned out in a sea of toxic teen-sex-isinevitable-use-acondom propaganda from safe-sex' ofessional

Of course, the beautiful young actors in those steamy dramas never faced any consequences for their sexual indulgence. No one ever came down with herpes, or syphilis, or chlamydia, or pelvic inflammatory disease, or infertility, or AIDS, or genital warts, or cervical cancer. No patients were ever told by a physician that there was no cure for their disease or that they

would have to deal with the pain for the rest of their lives. No one ever heard that genital cancers associated with the human papilloma virus (HPV) kill more women than AIDS," or that strains of gonorrhea are now resistant to penicillin.³¹

> No, there was no downside. It all looked like so much fun. But what a price we are paying now for the lies we have been told

The government has also contributed to this crisis and continues to exacerbate the problem. For example, a current brochure from the federal Centers for Disease Control and the City of New York is entitled, "Teens Have the Right," and is apparently intended to free adolescents from adult authority. Inside are the six declarations that make up a "Teenager's Bill of Rights," as follows:

• I have the right to think for myself. · I have the right to decide whether to have sex and who[m] to have it with.

• I have the right to use protection when I have sex.

• I have the right to buy and use condoms.

• I have the right to express myself. • I have the right to ask for help if I need it.

Under this final item (the right to ask for help) is a list of organizations and phone numbers that readers are encouraged to call. The philosophy that governs several of the organizations includes presenting homosexuality as an acceptable life style and vigorous promotion of a teen's right to sexual expression.

Your tax dollars at work!

Surely there are other Americans who recognize the danger now threatening a generation of our best and brightest. It is time to speak up for an old-fashioned value called virginity. Now, more than ever, virtue is a necessity.

If you agree with Focus on the Family that it is time for a new approach to adolescent sexuality, tear out this ad and save it. Take it to your next school board meeting. Send it to your congressman or senator. Distribute copies to the PTA. And by all means, share it with your teenagers. Begin to promote abstinence before marriage as the only healthy way to survive this worldwide epidemic.

in human suffering and in expense to society; yet epidemiologists tell us we've only seen the beginning.

Incredibly, the "safe-sex" gurus and condom promoters who got us into this mess are still determining our policy regarding adolescent sexuality. Their ideas have failed, and it is time to rethink their bankrupt policies.

How long has it been since you've heard anyone tell teenagers why it is to their advantage to remain virgins until married? The facts are being withheld from them, with tragic consequences. Unless we come to terms with the sickness that stalks a generation of Americans, teen promiscuity will continue, and millions of kids . . . thinking they are protected . . . will suffer for the rest of their lives Many will die of AIDS.

There is only one safe way to remain healthy in the midst of a sexual revolution. It is to abstain from intercourse until marriage, and then wed and be faithful to an uninfected partner. It is a concept that was widely endorsed in society until the 1960s. Since then, a "better idea" has come along ... one that now threatens the entire human family.

Inevitable questions are raised whenever abstinence is proposed. It's time we gave some clear answers:

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There is only one way to protect ourselves from the deadly diseases that lie in wait. It is abstinence before marriage, then marriage and mutual fidelity for life to an uninfected partner. Anything less is potentially suicidal

That position is simply NOT realistic today. It's an unworkable solution: Kids will NOT implement it.

Some will. Some won't. It's still the only answer. But let's talk about an "unworkable solution" of the first order. Since 1970, the federal government has spent nearly \$3 billion to promote contraception and "safe sex." This year alone, 450 million of your tax dollars will go down that drain!21 (Compared with less than \$8 million for abstinence programs, which Sen. Teddy Kennedy and company have sought repeatedly to eliminate altogether.) Isn't it time we ask what we've gotten for our money? After 22 years and nearly \$3 billion, some 58 percent of teenage girls under 18 still did not use contraception during their first intercourse.22 Furthermore, teenagers tend to keep having unprotected

How much risk is acceptable when you're talking about your teenager's life? One study of married couples in which one partner was infected with HIV found that 17% of the partners using condoms for protection still caught the virus within a year and a half.²⁸ Telling our teens to "reduce their risk" to one in six (17%) is not much better than advocating Russian roulette. Both are fatal, eventually. The difference is that with a gun, death is quicker. Suppose your son or daughter were joining an 18-month skydiving club of six members. If you knew that one of their parachutes would definitely fail, would you recommend that they simply buckle the chutes tighter? Certainly not. You would say, "Please don't jump. Your life is at stake!" How could a loving parent do less?

Kids won't listen to the abstinence message. You're just wasting your breath to try to sell them a notion like that.

It is a popular myth that teenagers are incapable of understanding that it is in their best interest to save themselves until marriage. Almost 65 percent of all high school females under 18 are virgins.²



responsibility on those who have told adolescents that sexual expression is their right as long as they do it "properly." Who else has contributed to the epidemic?

The entertainment industry must certainly share the blame, including television producers. It is interesting in this context that all four networks and the cable television entities are wringing their hands about this terrible epidemic of AIDS. They profess to be very concerned about those who are infected with sexually transmitted diseases, and perhaps they are sincere. However, TV executives and movie moguls have contributed mightily to the existence of this plague. For decades, they have depicted teens and young adults climbing in and out of each other's beds like so many sexual robots. Only the nerds were shown to be chaste, and they were too stupid or ugly to find partners.

Please use the coupon below to obtain a valuable booklet on abstinence. There is no charge for it. However, your support is requested for an upcoming TV program for teenagers on this important topic. Your comments are also solicited.



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Keely Wygonik

It's a good morning when it starts out with pancakes

Pancakes are one of the few things my father didn't mess up when he cooked Sunday breakfast. Our dog Daisy liked it when dad cooked too, because whenever he made a mistake, she was standing by to eat the evidence.

Kids of all ages love pancakes. They're quick, easy, and with a few creative touches, are perfect for a casual or late dinner.

In her newly published cookbook "Pancakes and Waffles," (HarperCollins: Feb. 26, 1993; \$12.50/hardcover) Elizabeth Alston explains new ways to make these family favorites. Making pancakes from scratch isn't much harder than adding eggs and milk to a mix. All it

takes is a little extra planning and organization. Alston, food editor of Woman's Day and author of "Muffins, Biscuits and Scones," "Break-fast with Friends," and "Tea Breads and Coffeecakes," shares a generous baker's dozen of recipes for breakfast cakes (with both foodprocessor and by-hand directions).

She also flips a batch of good ideas off the griddle for light meals including Polenta Pancake with Greens and Ham; Vermont Baked Cheddar and Apple Pancake, and Carrot and Sweet Potato Pancakes.

In the introduction, Alston shares helpful tips for making and storing pancakes, waffles and crepes. Here's one for cooks with very little time - "Most pancakes and waffles freeze beautifully and it's great to have a supply on hand. Freeze them with pieces of wax paper between so you can easily remove as many as you need. Store in an airtight container or zipclosure plastic bag. Reheat pancakes on a cookie sheet, waffles directly on the oven rack (or cooling rack) for 5 to 6 minutes at 200 degrees F. There's no need to defrost them first."

A chapter is also devoted to syrups, sauces and toppings that will make your pancakes and waffles extra special. Here's a recipe from the book.

SUPER SIMPLE BAKED PANCAKE

2 large eggs ½ cup milk

- ½ cup all-purpose flour
- ¼ teaspoon salt
- Few grains of ground nutmeg

1 tablespoon mild olive or vegetable oil (olive oil tastes best here)

Equipment: An ovenproof skillet 9 to 10 inches across the bottom, or a 9-inch glass or metal pie pan or an 11- by 7-inch baking dish. Heat the oven to 450 degrees F.

Food processor or blender method: Process the eggs, milk, flour, salt and nutmeg to make smooth batter.

By hand: Put the eggs and milk into a medium-sized bowl. Beat with a wire whisk or electric mixer to blend well. Beat in the flour, salt, and nutmeg. If tiny lumps of flour remain visible, it's no problem.

The Elegance of Oysters Shellfish found in a multitude of waters By CHARLES BRITTON

Copley News Service

Right now we're in the height of the oyster season, when cold waters in the Northern Hemisphere growing regions mean that the shellfish are at their peak and that the hazards of bacterial contamination, unfortunately a chronic problem with seafood, particularly when consumed raw, is least likely.

Although the Pacuic Coast does have its particular varieties, these have long since been depleted so that almost all the oysters grown from there are cultivated. The oposite is true on the East and Gulf coasts, where most oysters are taken in the wild.

Many people feel more secure about eating cultivated oysters, because the farms can be kept under closer supervision by health authorities. Like all shellfish, oysters filter food from the environment. Where the creatures are kept coraled, so to speak, conditions can be closely monitored.

Another reason for avoiding oysters in the warmer months is that the creatures are less desirable from a gustatory viewpoint. Fine oysters often are described as "fat," a trait noted by those two most famous oyster-fanciers of literature, Louis Carroll's Walrus and Carpenter. The fat is glycogen, Jeff Daniels, presi-dent of the Seattle-based Marinelli Shelf-

fish Co., explained.

"This is what gives oysters their sweet flavor," he said. "In the summer, their effort turns from producing glycogen to making gametes. They turn 'milky' and in the early fall, they 'spawn out' and the meat becomes translucent. Then they begin to eat and grow fat again."

Fat, however, is a relative term. Even oysters in their prime are lean as most flesh foods go, 4 to 5 percent fat by calories. As an extra bonus, you might find a pearl inside an oyster served to you. If you do, it belongs to you, but it won't be of gem quality. Fine pearls are produced by certain species of tropical oysters and freshwater mussels.

The same rule does not apply at all in the Southern Hemisphere, where the seasons are reversed with resepct to the Northern Hemisphere. During North America's off-season, Marinelli imports oysters from such sities as the Cormandel Bay, New Zealand, and Chiloe Island. s from some very cold loca tions in the Canadian Maritime Providences. Even the most avid contemporary consumer of oysters must look like something of a piker compared to our greatgrandparents. Toward the end of the 19th century, oysters were a staple in the great cities of the Eastern Seaboard and the Gulf Coast. In New York, customers needn't have bothered to go into the town's many oyster bars; people ate oysters from pushcarts in the street. In this era, the typical American put away some 600 oysters per year, an astonishing figure when you consider that average factors in rural residents who presumably rarely saw seafood. Those were the days when a few dozen of the bivalves counted as a light appetizer.



Elegant oysters are turning up in more inspired dishes.

Heat the oil in the skillet, pie pan or baking dish in the oven for 5 minutes. When very hot, pour in the batter.

Bake uncovered 18 to 20 minutes without opening the oven door, until the pancake is puffed and crisp around the edges and golden brown in the middle. Cut in wedges to serve. Makes 1 large pancake, enough for 2 to 4 portions. Serve with syrup or fruit.

Tip: It's important that the oven be hot enough so the pancake develops high, crisp edges with a popover-like middle.

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Pollution and excessive exploitation put an end to that, but what the oyster has lost in familiarity, it has gained in elegance. Today, many upscale restaurants offer oysters on the half-shell, and some keep a selection on hand.

Such establishments present an opportunity to try the astonishing range of flavors to be found.

"I'm still running across people who didn't know that there is more than one kind of ovster." Daniels said.

In fact, there are several species, and with wine grapes, the specific place of origin has much to do with the taste. A distance of a few hundred yards from one ovster bed to another can make a substantial difference.

As a case in point, a pestilence wiped out much of the famous variety grown around Marennes, France. These were replaced by a type from Canada, but connoiseurs said the taste was much the same as the originals.

For true oyster fanciers, the less preparation, the better. Most oysters are consumed on the half shell, raw. Yes, they're altve.

In this country, a plate of raw oysters typically is accompanied by slices of lemon (so far, so good), hot-pepper sauce and a tomato-based cocktail sauce that in many cases is little else than ketchup.

They arrange matters better in France. Throughout that country, you see restaurants offering oyster tastings, degustation de huitres, which does not mean "The oysters are disgusting." The typical accompaniment would be lemon, a loaf of light brown bread, unsalted butter and, of course, a crisp white wine, a Muscdet, say, or perhaps a Graves. At most, the kitchen might add a Sauce Mignonette.

In England, another oyster-eating

country, the requirements are much the same

"A loaf of bread" the Walrus said,/"is what we chiefly need. Pepper and vinegar besides/are very good indeed." In the South of France, another oyster-

eating custom pertains --- cold oysters on the half shell with hot grilled sausages. Serve this with plenty of crusty bread and salad to follow. The combination illustrates the interesting affinity of oysters and meat, a fact exploited in this country by their frequent use in poultry stuffings.

Then there's the curious story related by the great American writer H.L. Mencken. At a New York restaurant in the early '20s, he played host to the eccentric Lord Dunsany, once noted for his tales of the macabre. Dunsany said he had always

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Chef Mary Brady

Eatery shows up its rivals with fine service



is almost good enough for us to pull out the deck paraphernalia at the restaurant. We hope to be up and running within the next few weeks. If you remem-

The weather afternoon we were compelled to check out of the hotel several hours before returning to the airport. So, we decided to "do lunch" and picked an oceanfront bar named Woody's. Our choice was no accident as my brother Bud was staying in some condos next to this place and had been raving about it for days.

Close your eyes and picture a neat little bar that has roll down awnings for walls, is right on the Intercoastal Waterway, 50 feet from the ocean and surrounded by sun and the fresh smell of salt water. That's Woody's.

And the food wasn't bad either. Smoked Amber Jack fritters, a grouper sandwich and dream of dreams, charcoal grilled hot dogs. An on-the-verge of burnt dog bursting from its skin. I'm not an advocate of hot dogs, being somewhat aware of what goes into the mix. But, I saw one go by and just couldn't resist.

It brought back memories of a place called Ted's in Buffalo. Ted's is a fast food hot dog joint that cooks everything but the fries on a grill fueled with charcoal. Some poor soul actually has the job of stoking and refilling these grills for a living. All day, evervday. Hot work. Anyway, I had to get a dog and enjoyed it thoroughly.

The waitresses were dressed casually in running shorts and tee shirts with the Woody's logo. The service was way above any that we had received to that point. Our waitress was on the ball getting us whatever needed in a timely fashion.

Speaking generally, the servers in Florida are very laid back. There is no sense of urgency. None. Zero. Zip. Poor service was the norm, maybe because of the transient nature of the clientele.

Granted it shouldn't matter. I think the why-bother-because-I'll-never-see-you again syndrome prevails. Also, people tend to tip more when on vacation due to the joviality of the moment. In one restaurant a 15 percent gratuity was automatically added to the bill. This doesn't bother me if the service warrants. Once again, it did not.

I'm reminded of the European custom of adding the tip. It is done everywhere and everywhere the service far excels any that I've had in this country. Americans eat too fast, do not enjoy their food or appreciate the joy of relaxing while eating. Dining sould be a pleasure, not a chore. A meal is

not meant to be scarfed down in a few giant bites

Woody's was a great experience. The unpretentious atmosphere, great service, and fun menu made for a wonderful last repast before returning to reality. And, the best part was saved for the end.

All during our visit to St. Pete everyone saw the dolphins except me. I've had dreams of swimming wth a school of these gentle creatures since I was a child. Just grabbing on and going for a ride.

Well, as an imminent departure grew nearer I saw a fin cut the surface of the water. Then another. A frolicking pair of dolphins had given us the honor of a "goodbve.'

ber, the area is covered so as

long as it is warm we can serve outside. With one summer behind us, this season should go without a hitch.

While in Florida I was reminded how pleasant it is to sit outside to eat. Our last

The Refrigerator Door

AUTHOR APPEARS AT TWELVE OAKS: Acclaimed cook and cookbook author, Cornelius O'Donnell, will be appearing at Hudson's Twelve Oaks in Novi on Wednesday, April 28, from 6-8 p.m. Known as the "kitchen magician," he will be demonstrating his kitchen magic and signing copies of his new cookbook, Designed for Living. His previous book won a prestigious Testmaker Award, and his new book promises to be the prototype cookbook for the '90s. This is the book for the way we eat, live and entertain today.

Cornelius studied under the late James Beard, has traveled throughout the United States, Europe and the Far East demonstrating and teaching cooking, and is a long time spokesperson for the Consumer Product Division of Corning Inc.

FRANKENMUTH COOK-OFF: Competition is cookin' in Frankenmuth where 32 finalists will compete in the Bavarian Inn Lodge's Seventh Annual Cook Off, April 26.

The Cook Off events begin with the meat and poulty competition at 9 a.m. followed by the dessert competition at 2 p.m. All contestants will prepare their recipes live in the Lodge's River Rooms.

Contestants will vie for a grand prize deluxe weekend for two at the Bavarian Inn Lodge plus a \$300 shopping spree. First place winners in each category will receive a deluxe weekend for two; first runners up will win a one-night lodging prize; and second place winners will be awarded a \$50 glft certificate.

All finalists will receive two tickets for Sunday brunch at the Bavarian Inn Lodge.

This year's finalists were selected from a total of over 300 recipes submitted by contestants from Michigan, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Illinois, and Canada. Contest judges Dorothy Zehnder, co-owner of the Frankenmuth Baverian Inn Restaurant, and her sister Edna Hegenauer, along with Pat Bierlein will determine the winners based on originality, flavor, texture and appearance.

Admission to the Cook Off is free and guests can sample the prize winning recipes following each contest. There will also be continuous culinary demonstrations by the Bavarian Inn staff throughout the day.

Guests can arrive early and take advantage of the Lodge's special overnight Cook Off package. A Cook Off luncheon will also be available in the Lodge's Restaurant featuring prize winning dishes from previous competitions.

For overnight reservations or more information call the Bavarian Inn Lodge at (517) 625-2651.

LES AUTEURS CLASSES: The Les Saisons/Les Auteurs School of Cooking will present the following classes during the month of April:

April 20, Best Recipes of Madisons with Chef Dave Rice and Chef Ralph Macioce of Les Auteurs; April 24, Classical Italian, with Chef Michael Berrend of Les Auteurs; April 27, The Fresh Cuisine of Kyla's with Chef Brian Gallagher of Kyla's.

Classes are \$25 each, or \$65 for a series of three. All recipes, tastings, and a glass of wine are included in the fee. Call (313) 545-3400 for more information.

KITCHEN GLAMOR CLASSES: Novi's Kitchen Glamor store hosts a series of drop-in classes Tuesdays at 1 p.m. and 7 p.m. during the next several weeks. The fee for most of the classes is \$3.

With all of the classes, recipes are provided free, and there will be small portion tasting. Everyone is welcome.

Kitchen Glamor is located in the Novi Town Center. Call 380-8600 for more information.

OLIVE OIL HOTLINE: If you've ever wondered about the "heart-healthy" benefits of olive oil, call the International Olive Oil Council hot line. The hot line is open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday, Eastern time. Call 1-800-232-6548.

AMERICAN HARVEST OPEN: Schoolcraft College's American Harvest Restaurant is open for weekday lunches for only a couple more weeks. The on-campus restaurant, which features gourmet specialties prepared by Schoolcraft's Master Chefs and Culinary Arts students, is open to the public from 11:45 a.m. to 1:15 p.m. Friday's meal is a buffet. Cost is \$8.25 per person. For more information, call 462-4488.

KNOW THE FOOD PYRAMID: Want to know what you should eat to stay healthy? "The Food Guide Pyramid, beyond the Basic Four," a new brochure, helps answer this question. The brochure condenses the information from the U.S. Department of Agriculture's (USDA) booklet "The Food Guide Pyramid" and features the new food guide graphic on the elements of a healthy diet.

The brochure was developed by the Food Marketing Institute in cooperation with the USDA. For a copy: send a check or money order for \$1 payable to the Superintendent of Documents, to Consumer Information Center, Department 159-Y, Pueblo, Colo, 81009.

Restaurant ready to reprise repast

It was a performance worthy of a few curtain calls, so celebrated Northville restaurateur Tom MacKinnon will give an encore presentation of the dinner he prepared for President Bill Clinton's Town Meeting last February.

On Sunday, April 25, from 3:15-6 p.m., Mackinnon's Restaurant at 126 E. Main St. will recreate that auspicious evening's sumptuous menu, with help from Premier Cellars. Eleven different wines from around the world will be selected Dinner.

Limited seating is available, so reservations are required. Cost of the meal is \$40.

A reception beginning at 3:15 will feature salmon and spinach terrine, goose liver pate, stuffed crown mushrooms and an assortment of fresh

fruits and cheeses. The first course consists of puff pastry violins

and saxophones stuffed with morel mushroom

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to accompany this Commemorative Presidential mousse. Next will follow petite beef wellingtons and Michigan meat pies.

> The main course will be an apple-stuffed majlard duck breast, and dessert will be the Presidential Torte.

For a grand finale, Premier Cellars will present its 1990 Bockenheimer Schlossberg Trockenbeerenauslese.

Call toll free 1-800-776-1010 for reservations.

Yields 4 servings

Oysters find more ambitious dishes

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heard of the local oysters, so Mencken ordered a platter.

His lordship promptly dumped the contents of a sugar bowl over the shellfish and proceeded to eat them all.

"Excellent," he pronounced. "But I wouldn't have been as sure of them without the sugar."

The Hangtown Fry was invented in Hangtown, Calif., when a miner who struck it rich entered a hotel and told the chief to make a dish with the most expensive ingredients he had. The result was a saute of eggs, bacon and oysters. To make at home, add crumbled bacon bits and fried oysters to a flat omlet and serve in wedges as a fritata.

These are the among the oyster varieties that you're apt to find this time of year. All are cultivated:

Belon: The most famous European oyster, grown in a number of locations from Humboldt Bay in California to Fanny Bay in British Columbia. Very firm texture, slightly salty, distinctive metallic aftertaste; strong in flavor.

Chincoteague: Virginia offshore waters. Prized salty flavor.

Dabob Bay: Northern Puget Sound, Wash. Small, delicate, fruity flavor. Samish Bay is similar.

Denman Island: British Columbia. Delicate flavor some liken to watermelon, fairly salty, tender.

Eagle Creek: Near the Hood Canal, Wash. Crunchy texture, sweet, fairly salty.

Fanny Bay: British Columbia. Raised from the same seed as Portuguese oyster, popular in Europe. Very salty, plump, cucumber aftertaste.

Goose Point: Willipa Bay, Wash. Ample fresh water makes for mild flavor.

Hama Hama: The Hood Canal reg-

ion of Washington. An intertidal oys-ter, delicate, mild, with a fruity aftertaste. Jorstead and Skomish are similar.

Hog Island: Tomales Bay, Calif. Plump, salty, smoky-sweet.

Indian Island: Northern Puget Sound, Wash. Plump, salty, sweet, cucumber finish.

Kumamoto: Originally from Kyushu, Japan, now grown in Northern California through Washington. Rich, buttery slightly salty.

This dish was invented in New Orleans back in 1899 because the combination of oysters, green vegetables and white wine was said to be as rich as John D. Rockefeller, then one of the wealthiest men in the world. The hint of licorice flavor is classic to the dish.

OYSTERS ROCKEFELLER

¼ cup chopped shallots or scallions

1/4 cup finely chopped celery 1 teaspoon finely chopped chervil, if available

% cup chopped fennel

- 1/2 cup chopped parsley
- 1 cup (2 sticks) butter 2 cups watercress
- % cup bread crumbs

Salt, pepper to taste

Cayenne pepper 2 dozen ovsters

Rock salt to steady oysters

Saute scallions, celery and herbs in 3 tablespoons of butter for 3 minutes. Add watercress and let it wilt. Scrape out into blender, add liqueur and blend 1 minute. Blend with crumbs and remaining butter. Season well with salt and pepper and cayenne.

Arrange oysters on beds of rock salt and metal containers that can be carried to table. Dampen salt ever so lightly. Spoon out one good teaspoon

full of mixture on each oyster. Bake at 450 degrees for about four minutes, or just long enough for oysters and sauce to heat through.

Yields 4 servings. BAKED OYSTERS

WITH CILANTRO PESTO

24 oysters

- 1 cup Japanese Bread Crumbs 2 tablespoons clarified butter
 - cup chopped parsley
 - cup peeled garlic cloves
- 1 cup roasted, peeled and seeded
- poblano chilies 1 cup toasted pine nuts
- 1/2 cup extra-virgin olive oil 1 medium-sized bunch cilantro, leaves only.
- 2 ½ cups fresh spinach leaves 1/4 cup finely grated Pecorino Romano cheese

½ cup grated Swiss cheese ¼ teaspoon salt Rock salt for serving

Limes for garnish

Shuck oysters, detach from bottom shell and set aside (in shells). For bread-crumb topping, mix Japanese bread crumbs, clarified btter and chopped parsley. Set aside.

Make cilantro pesto. In food processor, combine garlic, poblanos, pine nuts and olive oil. Processuntil smooth. Then add cilantro, spinach, Pecorino Romano and Swiss cheese and satl. Process again util smooth.

Taste for seasoning and set aside. Top each oyster with 1 to 2 tablespoons of pesto, depending on size of oyster. Sprinkle about one teaspoon of bread crumbs in each oyster.

Bake in preheated 450 Foven until topping is bubbly and lightly browned. Oysters should be just warmed, not shrivele.d Serve on bed of rock salt if you like. Garnish with fresh lime wedges.

coarser than store or homemade ones and give the oyster garnish a crispier finish. They can be found in many Asian markets; many chefs use Panko brand.

Note: Japanese bread crumbs are

Clarified butter is recommended for cooking at high temperatures because the milk solids have been removed, and the butter does not burn as easily. To clarify butter, melt unsalted butter slowly, skimming off any foam that forms, then skim the clear butter off the top. Discard the milky residue.

Poblano chilies can vary widely in heat; taste and adjust to your preferences.

OYSTER SOUP

1 quart chicken stock

5 pints shucked oysters, drained, liquor reserved

1/2 cup chopped shallots

1/2 teaspoon hot red pepper sauce 2½ tablespons kosher salt Pepper to taste

1 cup coarsely chopped flat-leaf parsley

1 cupo thinly sliced scallions, green part only 3 tablespoons fresh lemon juice

Bring stock and oyster liquor to boil with shallots. Lower heat and simmer 20 minutes. Then add hot pepper sauce, salt and pepper. Cook

another 5 minutes. Add parsley and scallion greens, immediately followed by oysters.

Bring back to boil and cook for 1 minute. Do not cook longer or you will toughen oysters. Add lemon juice. You can prepare soup ahead, right up to the point when oysters are added

Yields 6 to 8 servings.





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Netters ready for tennis battle with border rival

By SCOTT DANIEL Sports Editor

Northville and Novi high schools renew their rivalry tomorrow with what could be a *real* baseline battle.

The two border communities meet on the Mustangs' tennis court beginning at 4 p.m. Northville coach Dick Norton is confident of a victory.

"I don't forsee much of a problem with our singles," he said. "Our doubles teams are an unknown quantity. though."

Novi coach Scott Davis pulled no punches, saying Northville should be the favorite. But with a little luck, he added, his team might be able to sur-

prise the Mustangs. "I think our doubles teams will give them some problems," Davis said.

The Wildcats will have one advantage heading into Tuesday's meeting. Novi has played two matches, wins over Howell and Hartland, while Northville is scheduled for its first action today against Livonia Churchill. Norton said Novi's program is on

the rise. "They won their conference last year," he said. "That's a step up for them.

Both schools won conference championships a year ago. Norton said he wants a solid showing tomor-

"I don't foresee much of a problem with our singles. Our doubles teams are an unknown quantity, though."

> **DICK NORTON** Tennis coach

row because the two schools could meet again in state regional competition.

As for Tuesday's match. Novi will face an uphill battle in singles competition.

Mark Schwagle, perhaps the state's best player, occupies the No. 1 slot for Northville. Brennan Sicks will draw that tough assignment.

Jeff Thrush gets the call at No. 2 singles for the Cats. He will play Matt Schwagle.

Brad Smith is Northville's regular No. 3 man. Norton said Smith has been suffering from back spasms as of late. If he can't go, Nick McCreedy will move up a spot and play Aaron Hitchcock.

Novi's Nick Frederick will play at the last singles spot. Norton said he wasn't sure who he would use if McCreedy moves up.

In doubles, John Schneeman and

Hessal VanDermaten will be the likely No. 1 choices for Novi. The Mustangs will counter with Ryan Moak and Eric Allenspach.

Jeff Woolfal and Sanjay Nayakwadi will take the court at second doubles for Northville while the 'Cats will likely go with Curt Speerschneider and Rich Vandermass. The third match will pit Roberts Kukainis and Matt Telepo against Jon Crince and Rae Swarez.

The final doubles spot was "up in the air," Norton said. Bryan Russell, Nik Srinivasan, Vivek Mohta and Nate Connell, among others, could see action. For Novi, No. 4 doubles could be Phil Uberman and Kirk Baeten.

"We beat them 6-1 last year," Norton said. "A lot will depend (this year) on how well our doubles teams play."



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