

# Council won't rescind Downs' refuse fee

By ROBERT JACKSON  
Staff Writer

The Northville City Council will not change its policy of charging Northville Downs for trash pickup despite the fact that the city has received approximately

\$350,000 annually from racetrack revenues since 1991.

At the same time city officials were apologetic for billing the racetrack late for trash pickup charges stemming from the 1995 race season, and will give the Downs

an additional 45 days to pay its bill of \$7,199.58.

Northville Downs owner Louis Carlo requested the opportunity to address the city council Tuesday to discuss the late billing, and the city policy of charging the

Downs and the Jackson Trotting Association for refuse service.

At the meeting City Manager Gary Word presented a council report on the Downs trash fees. The report states that in the fall of 1991, the city changed its policy

from a tax supported system to a "user-pay" system in order to reduce cost disparities between residential and commercial customers.

As a result, the city council reduced

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## Tough inspector

Jim Lynch of Troy looms over a working scale model of a Cessna 206 Stationair owned by radio-control enthusiast Fred Mazor of Southgate. More than 100 model airplanes participated in Air Show '95, held Sept. 2-3 at the mini air

strip at Five Mile near Napier in Northville Township. The show, sponsored by the Midwest R/C Society of Northville. Aerobatic demonstrations, displays and picnicking were all included.

Photo by AL WARD

# Man threatens court suit over faulty sidewalk

By ROBERT JACKSON  
Staff Writer

Sidewalk seems to be the buzzword these days for the city of Northville.

First, city councilman Chuck Keys launched an investigation into what he regarded as the shoddy workmanship of contractor J.D.S. Trucking, three weeks ago. That investigation resulted in city officials forcing the contractor to redo the defective sidewalks on Dorisa Court.

Last week Keys focused his attack on city consultant McNeely & Lincoln for allowing the sub-standard work to take place. A meeting Aug. 30 between Keys, City Manager Gary Word and McNeely & Lincoln President Bob Warner seemed to have smoothed out those wrinkles.

Now, as if city officials weren't already tired of all the problems plaguing the sidewalk project, resident Christopher Maloney has jumped into the fray with some complaints of his own.

In fact, he's ready to take the city to court.

"This has really got me upset. I'm tired of all the problems, and I'm tired of the city not doing anything to fix them," Maloney said.

Maloney thinks he has a right to be upset. When J.D.S. Trucking began removing the defective sidewalk in front of his mother's house on Dorisa Court they ripped apart a portion of the tree that sits in the front yard.

"That was bad enough, but then when they removed the sidewalk, they also removed a good portion of the grass," he said. "I just spend a lot of money and time having the

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-Christopher Maloney  
Northville resident

front yard re-sod, and now the grass is totally destroyed."

According to Public Works Director Jim Gallogly, J.D.S. Trucking work crews used backhoes to remove the defective sidewalk, and in the process of doing that drove across the city right-of-way portion of Maloney's lawn.

"You have to get the backhoe in there to remove the concrete and the equipment left tire marks in the lawn," Gallogly said. "As part of the clean-up the contractor has agreed to correct any damages."

Maloney said that he plans to take the city to court to recover the damages to the yard. He estimates it will cost about \$2,000 to repair the damage to the sod.

"I hold the city responsible in this, not necessarily the contractor," Maloney said. "The contractor is a young kid trying to make a name for himself. I think the city should not have hired him to do the work in the first place."

"I don't hold the contractor responsible for this. He's just trying to make a living," Maloney

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# Construction of library on schedule

By ROBERT JACKSON  
Staff Writer

The contractor charged with building the Northville District Library reports that construction continues to be on schedule.

According to the library project manager Stephen Ball, of George W. Auch Co., work on the underground watermain will begin this week, causing a temporary disruption in parking at the city police station, with four lines being connected from the street watermain to the building.

Ball told city council members Tuesday that the underground utility work commenced on

schedule and that the parking problem would be temporary.

"The police department will have as much access as possible [to the parking area]," he said. "Public parking in this area will be eliminated during the installation."

Ball also reported that the design of the sidewalk between the Recreation Center and the school had been modified at the request of the Recreation Department. Sidewalk work should also begin this week.

The approaches at Cady Street are nearing completion with no apparent disruption with the traffic flow at the school, according to Ball.

Concrete foundations are also approximately 85 percent complete, with the lower level walls about 30 percent complete, he said.

The construction was able to remain on schedule despite bad weather in early August that hampered the installation of storm sewers. Ball reported earlier to the council that despite the weather, workers were able to eliminate the water pooling problem and keep the project on schedule.

The construction company was also able to relocate the city's emergency generator and siren and accomplish the site demolition and excavation in less than a month.

# New blends with old in Festival program

By ROBERT JACKSON  
Staff Writer

Even though the Northville Victorian Festival is in its eighth year, festival goers will have plenty of new activities to enjoy.

That's because the community event, according to Northville Chamber of Commerce Executive Director Laurie Marrs, continues to strive for uniqueness.

"Where else but in Northville can

you find hundreds of people dressing in Victorian-era costume?" Marrs said. "That transformation continues to make this festival the most unique of any festival in Michigan, and it also makes for a fun and exciting weekend."



Marrs said that the festival will provide more entertainment this year because Northville businesses were generous in donating money for the weekend event.

"We wouldn't be able to pull this festival off without the generous donations provided by businesses," she said. "That, coupled with the residents and business people that donate so much of their time, is the reason the festival is suc-

cessful year after year."

Marrs said that this year, as in years past, there will be new activities and entertainment for young and old to enjoy. For the children, the "Doggies of the Wild West" will perform along Main Street Friday, Saturday and Sunday. The children's area will also feature pony rides and other assorted activities.

"We moved the children's enter-

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# Ward Church concept altered by planners

By RANDY COBLE  
Staff Writer

The plan remains the same - it's just that the parts have shuffled around a bit.

The Northville Township Planning Commission gave the green light to a modified Ward Church concept plan last week, clearing the way for formal site plan submission as early as October.

The change will move the proposed 240,000 square foot church slightly northwest of its old location on the 140-acre parcel Ward owns at the corner of Six Mile and Haggerty. That will mean the loss of some low and medium quality stands of trees in the northern section of the site.

The upside, however, is that it

allows Ward's thousands of parking spaces to be more evenly distributed around the church building and sets the parking further back from Six Mile Road. Members of the Township Board of Trustees asked the commission to see if things could be jockeyed around to do just that when they approved the original Ward plan earlier this summer.

The altered plan won approval and praise at the commission's Aug. 29 meeting.

"I think this is a vast improvement over what we've seen in the past," Commissioner Shirley Klokenga said.

That plan, approved by the board on July 27, calls for Ward to

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## Opening day downer

The look on senior Mustang Nathan Forney's face says it all. The Northville High School football team fought hard but couldn't overcome a bigger South Lyon squad, as the Mustangs dropped their first game of the season, 42-14. Turn to page 9-B for all the sports action.

## Community Calendar

Got an event you want people to know about? We'll be glad to include it in the Community Calendar. Just submit items to the newspaper office, 104 W. Main, Northville 48167, by mail or in person; or fax announcements to 349-1050. The deadline is 4 p.m. Monday for that Thursday's calendar.

### THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 7

**FARMERS MARKET:** The Northville Farmers Market runs from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the northwest corner of Center Street and Seven Mile Road. A variety of plants and fresh produce will be available.

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

**MILL RACE EMBROIDERERS:** The Mill Race chapter of the Embroiderers Guild of America meets at 7:30 p.m. at First United Methodist Church of Northville, 777 West Eight Mile Rd. For more information, contact President, Beverly Weidendorf at 474-6771.

**MUSIC BOOSTERS MEMBERSHIP MEETING:** The Northville High School Music Boosters invite music students, parents, community members and alumni to attend a general membership meeting at 7:30 p.m. in the high school Forum.

**MILL RACE QUESTERS:** The Mill Race Questers will meet at the home of Carol Doyle. It will be a combination business, show and tell, and craft meeting. For additional information call Lori Long at (313) 420-0267.

### FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

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

### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

**SINGLE PLACE SUNDAY MORNING GATHERING:** Single Place will meet from 10:10-10:45 a.m. in the library lounge at First Presbyterian Church, 200 E. Main. The gathering is open to single adults, regardless of church affiliation, for fellowship and learning. For more information call 349-0911.

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

**SINGLE PLACE BRUNCH:** Single Place will meet at 12:30 p.m. for brunch at Northville Crossing Restaurant, 18900 Northville Rd. 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.

**MILL RACE OPEN:** Mill Race Historical Village, on Griswold north of Main, will be open from 1 to 4 p.m. with trained docents offering tours.

### MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

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

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

Cady in the Scout Building.

**M.O.M.S. MEET:** Moms Offering Moms Support will hold a welcome brunch from 9:30-11:30 a.m. at First United Methodist Church of Northville, 777 W. Eight Mile. Come and learn what MOMS is all about. Child care is provided for a small fee.

**NORTHVILLE GARDEN CLUB:** The Northville branch of the Woman's National Farm and Garden Association meets at the home of Linda Lestock. Social Chair for the day is Charlotte Lenk. It is a guest day.

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

**ABWA:** The American Business Women's Association meets at Country Epicure restaurant, 42050 Grand River in Novi. Social hour starts at 6:30 p.m. Dinner is at 7 and the business meeting follows immediately thereafter.

For reservations call Betty Booher at (313)397-7708. For membership information call Bettie Johnson (810)960-9559.

**KINGS MILL WOMEN'S CLUB:** King's Mill Women's Club will meet in the clubhouse at 7 p.m. All women residents are invited to attend the meeting.

**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 Charisse Ryan at 420-2045. Visitors are welcome.

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

**NORTHVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION:** The Northville Board of Education meets at 7:30 p.m. at Old Village School.

**VIETNAM VETERANS:** The Plymouth/Canton Chapter No. 528 of the Vietnam Veterans of America meets at 7:30 p.m. at the Mayflower/L.L. Gamble VFW Post, 1426 S. Mill in Plymouth.

### TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

**WATERFORD BEND QUESTERS:** Waterford Bend Questers will hold its yearly organizational meeting at the home of Alva Holk at 11:30 a.m. The host will share her knowledge of hat pins. Jean Sheehan is co-hostess. Call 348-3275 for 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. For more information call the center at 349-0203 or Karl Peters at 349-4140.

**ROTARY:** The Northville Rotary Club meets at noon at the First Presbyterian Church of Northville, 200 E. Main.

**BEAUTIFICATION COMMISSION:** The City of Northville Beautification Commission meets at 7 p.m. in the Council Chambers of City Hall. Anyone with concerns or wishing to join may attend.

**ACORD:** A Community Organization Recognizing Diversity meets at 7 p.m. at Northville United Methodist Church, 777 Eight Mile Rd. Everyone is welcome.

**AAUW:** The American Association of University Women is holding an Autumn Buffet celebrating the Northville-Now AAUW's 20th birthday. Paula Blanchard, consultant, will speak on the Five Keys to Success.

The buffet will be held at the First United Methodist Church in Northville at 6:30 p.m.

For additional information about the AAUW, call Jane Spence at 380-0562.

**FRIENDS OF PARKS AND REC:** The Friends of the Northville Parks and Recreation Commission meet at 8 p.m. at the Rec Center, 303 W. Main. Call Steve Fecht, 344-9412 for more information.

**EAGLES:** The Fraternal Order of Eagles No. 2504 hold a men's meeting at 8 p.m., 113 S. Center. For more information, call 349-2479.

### WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

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

**YOUTH SERVICE FORUM:** The Northville Youth Service Forum meets at 9 a.m. at Northville City Hall, 215 W. Main.

**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.

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

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

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

**RECREATION COMMISSION:** The Northville Recreation Commission meets at 7:30 p.m. Call 349-0203 for location.

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**FALL STORYTIMES:** Preschool stories are for children 3 1/2 to 5 years old who are not yet in kindergarten. Registration begins Thursday, Sept. 7. Additional information regarding Sessions I and II is available at the library or by calling (810) 349-3020.

**TALES OF TERROR:** Storytellers from the Northville District Library will be sharing ghost stories as part of the Victorian Festival. Join them Sunday, Sept. 17 at 4 p.m. in the park at the corner of Wing and Cady Streets.

**QUILTS:** The Embroiderer's Guild is sharing examples of quilting and applique techniques taught by the guild in this month's display case. The Embroiderer's Guild meets at the First United Methodist Church.

**DECORATE THE PICTURE BOOK ROOM:** Help decorate the bulletin board in the picture book room. Draw your favorite character or scene from a favorite book. These will be used to brighten up the picture book room as we gear up for the new school year. Stop by the library for special drawing paper. This program will run until Sept. 15.

**LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES:** The board will be meeting Thursday, Sept. 14, at 7:30 p.m. in the City Council chambers. The agenda will be posted just outside the library door.

**SUNDAY HOURS:** Sunday hours resume on Sept. 10. In addition to the regular schedule, Monday through Thursday, 10 a.m.-9 p.m.; Friday and Saturday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. The library will be open Sunday from 1-5 p.m.

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## Stamp out hunger

1995 Novi-Northville CROP Walk organizers are hard at work coordinating the annual event to raise funds for the Church World Overseas Program, a hunger relief effort. Dave Black, Chuck Jacobs and Carol Ann Donnelly look over this year's recruitment materials during a recent registration drive. The walk is a 10-K affair beginning at Novi Meadows Middle School at 1:30 p.m. Oct. 1. Call Jacobs at 349-2652 or Black at 344-4464 to sign up. The target goal is \$22,000 and 375 walkers.

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# SEARS





Circus boy

Photo by AL WARD

An excited 10-year-old Sean White of South Lyon waves to Mom from atop "Viola," an 8,500 pound Asian elephant. Viola and her friends entertained at the Kelly Miller circus which set up tent in the Highland Lakes Shopping Center over the holiday weekend.

## Red Cross blood unit plans stops in Northville

The American Red Cross Bloodmobile is coming to town.

The mobile blood unit will visit First Church of the Nazarene, 21260 Haggerty, from 3-9 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 13. Blood donations will be taken in the fellowship hall of the church.

To make an appointment, call

348-5548.

Then on Saturday, Sept. 23, the bloodmobile will make a stop at Our Lady of Victory Church, 770 Thayer. Donations will be accepted from 8 a.m.-2 p.m. in the social hall of the church.

To make an appointment, call 348-3213.

# Housing construction down from same period of last year

Michigan 1995 housing project starts were down 1.4 percent from 1994 year-to-date totals. July housing project starts were down 16.8 percent from June.

"Both the year-to-date totals and the monthly comparisons may be down, but we remain optimistic," commented Bob Woodard, President of the Michigan Association of Home Builders. "May year-to-date totals were down 7.3 percent and June year-to-date totals were down 4.1 percent, we have actually gained ground. No one expected 1995 to compare with 1994. A difference of 1.4 percent is

actually encouraging."

Fixed-rate mortgages have started to come up a little, they reached 7.63 percent during the early part of July. They were 7.51 percent in June. Lumber prices have also started to increase. Lumber prices in July were \$339 per 1,000 board feet as compared to \$283 in June. But a year ago they were \$384.

The Michigan Association of Home Builders is comprised of more than 10,500 member companies, thus providing service to over 370,000 people in the home build-

ing/construction industry. MAHB also represents 36 local home builder associations throughout the state.

Oakland County - In July there were 469 new housing units as compared to 578 in June, a minus 18.9 percent change.

The value market in July was \$62.2 million and in June, \$82.1 million, a negative 24.2 percent change. In 1995 year-to-date, the number of units built was 4,266 as compared to 1994 at 3,955, an increase of 7.9 percent. The year-to-date 1995 value was \$488.7 million compared to the 1994

year-to-date value of \$487.1, a 0.3 percent change.

Total number of units built in Michigan for the month of July was 3,730 and in June, 4,381, a minus 14.9 percent change. The dollar value in July was \$371.6 million compared to \$446.7 million in June, a drop of 16.8 percent. Year-to-date for 1995 was 24,934 units and year-to-date in 1994 was 24,769, a 0.7 percent change. The year-to-date 1995 dollar value is \$2,485.1 million compared to year-to-date in 1994, \$2,425.2 million, a 2.5 percent change.

## Flight delays likely due to increased security

Increased security measures by the nation's airlines and at airports may cause additional congestion and delays for air travelers, according to AAA of Michigan.

"By taking a few simple precautions, air travelers can avoid most airport hassles and get their trips off to a good start," said Bill Best, AAA Travel Director.

AAA Travel Agency offers the following tips:

- Reconfirm your flight directly with the airline 24 to 48 hours prior to departure.
- Use public transportation or arrange to have someone drive you to the airport to avoid traffic and parking delays.

- Plan to arrive at the airport at least one hour prior to departure for domestic flights - at least two hours prior to international flights - to allow for increased security inspections.

- Make sure all luggage, both checked and carry-on, is tagged with the passenger's name. Identification should be placed both on the outside and inside of each piece of luggage.

- Never leave luggage unattended or under the watch of a stranger.

- Check your baggage claim stubs to make sure your luggage is

checked through to your final destination. Make sure to put the claim stubs in a safe location.

- Do not accept any item from a

stranger or carry any package with unknown contents.

- Upon arrival at your destination, go immediately to the bag-

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- Carry a photo ID at all times.

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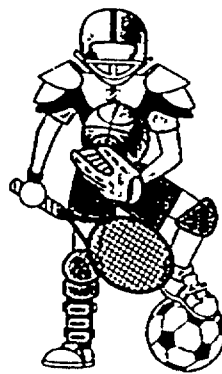
### SPORTS INJURY PREVENTION FOR THE YOUNG ATHLETE

Oakland Physical Therapy will be giving a free class for all coaches of physical education, school teams, parks and recreation teams, clubs and select teams, and parent volunteers.

The information provided in this class will describe valuable methods of preventing sports injuries especially in the young athlete and will include instruction in the most advanced and safest muscle stretching techniques.

The class format will include lecture, discussion, demonstration and practice of some of the techniques, so please dress comfortably.

This class will be taught by Frank Kava, M.S., P.T. and the Staff of Oakland Physical Therapy. Frank Kava is the Director of Oakland Physical Therapy and on faculty as Assistant Professor in the Physical Therapy Program at Oakland University.



**LOCATION:** Oakland Physical Therapy, P.C.  
Providence Park Medical Center  
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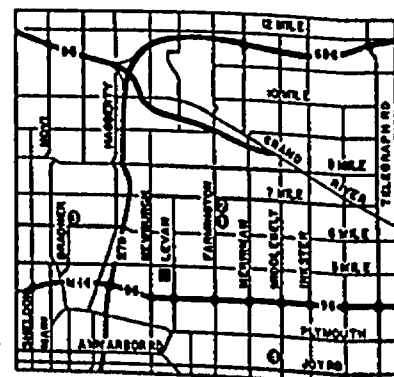
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Police News

# Telephone bomb threat turns out to be a hoax

Northville Township police responded to a bomb threat at Meijer on Sunday, one that fortunately turned out to be a hoax.

The store manager called police after received the telephoned threat, made by an unknown caller whom he described as sounding like a black female in her 30s. The caller claimed that a bomb had been planted in the women's department, then hung up.

Officers searched the area while Northville Township Fire Department officials stood in waiting in the parking lot. They found nothing.

Store detectives say the caller may have been the mother of a 15-year-old bagger they say was caught shoplifting the day before. Police are investigating.

**LARCENIES:** Township police arrested two people for shoplifting at Meijer last week.

A 32-year-old Farmington Hills woman was allegedly spotted by store detectives Sunday night stealing a \$20 pair of silver ear-

rings. She faces a Sept. 22 hearing in 35th District Court.

A 58-year-old Ann Arbor man was arrested Monday afternoon after store detectives told police they saw him steal a pint of alcohol and two packs of cigarettes worth \$10. He faces a hearing in 35th District Court on Sept. 22.

**OUIL:** A 32-year-old Ann Arbor man has a date in court because of his arrest in the early morning hours of Sept. 2. A township officer stopped the man's car on Seven Mile just over the border with Livonia after allegedly seeing it swerve up over the road curb and driving on the grass.

The man and his two passengers showed signs of significant intoxication, the officer indicated, the driver needing the help of one of them to lower his window. One of the passengers, a 26-year-old Ann Arbor man, passed out at the scene and had to be taken by ambulance to St. Mary's Hospital in Livonia for treatment for acute alcohol intoxication.

The driver, meanwhile, had allegedly failed field sobriety tests, was arrested and placed in the back of the officer's squad car. Twice during the ride to police headquarters he asked that the rear window be lowered and then vomited out of it.

He was held until he sobered up and released the next morning on bond.

**CELL TEL TAKEN:** Someone stole a Crestview Circle resident's car telephone recently. The victim, 44, told township police the theft had taken place between Aug. 19 and Sept. 2 while the car was parked in his driveway. The phone is valued at \$100.

**BIKE BURGLD:** Someone stole a Seven Mile resident's bicycle last Friday. The woman, 43, told police that the bike was taken out of her garage sometime between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. The investigating officer found the door pried open. The bike is valued at \$350.

Citizens with information on any of the above incidents are asked to call township police at 349-9400.

# Poll: More driver training needed

Michigan residents agree that young drivers need more training behind the wheel and support legislation creating a new licensing system, according to a recent statewide survey.

The findings were part of a poll of 600 respondents conducted Aug. 23-28. Legislation introduced earlier this year by state Rep. Dan Gustafson, R-Williamston, provided the basis for the survey questions.

"The poll results reinforce my convictions that teenage drivers need more practice on the road under parental supervision," Gustafson said. "We need to change the state's outdated system of licensing young drivers before more lives are lost."

Sixty-seven percent of those surveyed support more driver training for young people before they receive a license. In fact, almost one out of two said "much more" training should be required. Only 1 percent, or six of the 600 responding, thought the state should require less driver training.

Gustafson's legislation, House Bill 4763, would require 50 hours of driving including 10 hours at night for entry-level drivers. To enter Level I, participants must be 15 years old, pass a vision test, complete the first segment driver education course and have parental approval. The license would be valid any time a parent or legal guardian accompanies the driver.

"Driving is a skill which takes time and experience to perfect," Gustafson said. "Parents will have the opportunity to take an active role in their children's behind-the-wheel training."

"The result will be a reversal of the disproportionate number of traffic crashes among young people."

Gustafson pointed out that in 1993, drivers 17 and under accounted for only 3 percent of all licensed drivers but constituting 7.1 percent of crashes, 7.7 percent of injury crashes, and 6.2 percent of fatal accidents.


After completing Level I and passing a performance road test, 16-year-old drivers can enter Level II.

Licensees could drive from 5 a.m. to 11 p.m. with only one non-family member passenger. From 11 p.m. to 5 a.m., Level II drivers would have to be accompanied by a parent or guardian unless traveling to or from work.

"These restrictions will reduce the risk of accident and promote safe driving," Gustafson said. "Discouraging young people from driving during high-risk hours with a car full of friends will have a marked effect on accidents."

At age 17, drivers become eligible for Level III probationary licensing. Drivers must be crash and violation free for one year in Level II or have reached age 18. All previous restrictions are removed.

The House Transportation Committee has scheduled a hearing on House Bill 4763, Oct. 5 at 8:30 a.m. in Room 428 of the Capitol.



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<b>TROY</b> Tuesday, Sept. 19th 1 p.m. - 3 p.m. Troy Senior Center 525 E. Big Beaver (810) 524-3484	<b>PLYMOUTH/NORTHVILLE</b> Wednesday, Sept. 20th 1 p.m. - 3 p.m. Plymouth Cultural Center 325 Farmer Rd. (313) 455-6623	<b>ROCHESTER</b> Tuesday, Sept. 26th 1 p.m. - 3 p.m. Rochester Community House 815 Lusk (810) 540-8710	<b>WATERFORD</b> Thursday, Sept. 28th 1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. Waterford Senior Center 6455 Harper (810) 623-6500
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**October**

Dearborn-Fairlane ..... 10/10/95

W. Bloomfield ..... 10/12/95

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**November**

Grosse Pointe ..... 11/7/95

W. Bloomfield ..... 11/9/95

Dearborn-Fairlane ..... 11/14/95

Sterling Heights ..... 11/29/95

**December**

Dearborn-Fairlane ..... 12/5/95

W. Bloomfield ..... 12/7/95

Grosse Pointe ..... 12/12/95


Sterling Heights ..... 12/13/95

**Future Seminars:**

Thursday, Sept. 7  
W. Bloomfield, Conf. Rm. A

Tuesday, Sept. 12  
Fairlane, Reception Area

Wednesday, Sept. 27  
First Optometry Eye Center  
38487 10 Mile Rd., Farmington



## Fitness walks included in festival

This year's Victorian Festival won't be your usual sedentary affair, as two new programs for people interested in getting fit will be added to the event lineup.

On Saturday, Sept. 16, a Three-Mile Walk will be offered and registrations will be accepted for a month-long walking program.

Festivalgoers will have the opportunity to take part in a Three-Mile Fitness walk sponsored by the University of Michigan Health Center, M-Fit, Running Fit of Northville, and Northville Parks and Recreation. The walk will begin at 8:30 a.m. at the Northville Senior Center, 215 W. Cady.

The measured, timed walk will take participants through scenic

downtown Northville. Water along the course and refreshments at the finish line will be provided. Participants will also receive a T-shirt.

Registrations for the second health-related event, the Michigan Lighthouse Tour, will be available at the walk site.

The Lighthouse Tour is a walking and exercise incentive program designed and initiated by M-Fit, U of M Health Centers, Running Fit and the Northville Parks and Recreation Department. It is meant to motivate citizens to walk at least three times a week for four weeks.

There are incentive gifts as each weekly goal is attained and a final drawing for prizes for those who complete all four

weeks. Progress monitoring and the gift drawing will take place at Running Fit in Northville.

The contest takes place from Sept. 16-Oct. 20. You must read the lighthouse tour packet and sign up for the program at Running Fit in Northville or the Northville Parks and Recreation Department any time until Sept. 22 or sign up at the kick-off walk. There is no charge to participate in the Michigan Lighthouse Tour.

Preregister for the walk by Sept. 5 for \$8 or register the day of the walk from 7:30-8:15 a.m. at the Northville Senior Center for \$10. Applications are available at Northville Parks and Recreation and Running Fit.

For more information call Running Fit at (810) 380-3338.

## City manager granted pay raise

By ROBERT JACKSON  
Staff Writer

The Northville City Council has approved a new compensation package for City Manager Gary Word that includes a pay increase.

The council voted unanimously to approve the package, which calls for a 4 percent salary adjustment - retroactive to July 1. With the increase Word will earn \$65,858.

Also included in the compensa-

tion package is a written agreement of employment to be considered within six months, membership to a local service club, paid registration to the National City Manager's Conference, service credit of one year with the Municipal Employees Retirement System (MERS) for previous service in Gladstone, Missouri, and consideration for purchase of additional service credits from MERS.

According to Assistant City Man-

ager Nickie Bateson, MERS credit is based on length of service by a municipal employee. The city paid \$658 to purchase the one year MERS credit for Word's prior service in Gladstone.

The 4 percent pay increase was in line with the increase given other city administrators and union employees. City administrators received their new compensation packages after council approval in July.

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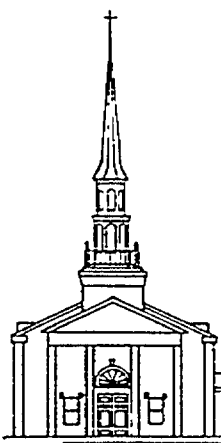
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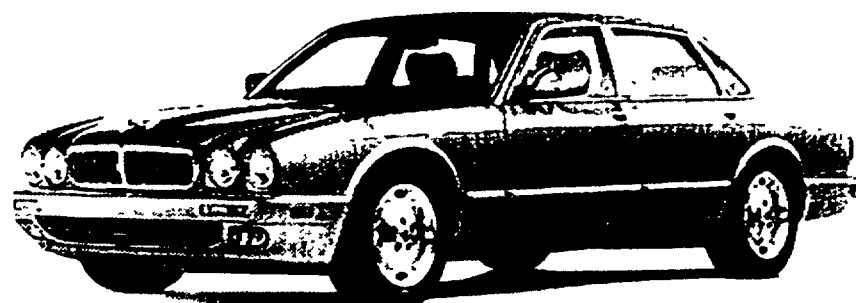
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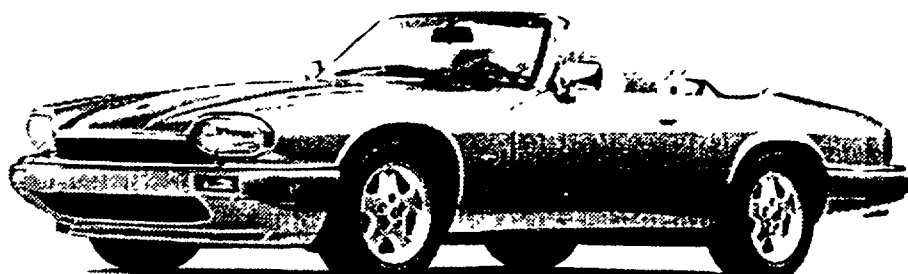


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## Education Notes

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The show will feature a variety of hand-made arts and crafts including pottery, jewelry, paintings, textiles and woodworking.

Booth space measuring 9 feet by 6 feet with two chairs and one 6 foot or 8 foot table is available for \$45. Booths with electricity are limited and an additional \$5. Exhibitors may purchase up to three spaces and sell their work for one of the two days. There will be different exhibitors each day.

For an application or information, call (313) 591-5127. Madonna University is located at I-96 and Levan Road in Livonia.

• Beginning this fall, a team of 18 teachers and six administrators from local school districts and six Madonna University faculty members will meet monthly to strengthen and enrich the teaching of humanities in K-12 schools.

The project, entitled "Bridging the Gap between

Knowing and Teaching in the Humanities," has received support from The National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) which will provide Madonna University \$172,000 in funding. School districts participating in this new undertaking are not yet finalized but so far include Plymouth-Canton, Novi, Grosse Pointe and Livonia.

"We are all partners in education," said Dr. Richard Sax, dean of Madonna's College of Arts and Humanities and project coordinator.

Professional development opportunities for K-12 humanities teachers include 12 humanities colloquia scheduled over the next two years. This fall, Bert Hornbeck from Bellarmine College will lecture on Charles Dickens' novel, *Hard Times*, and, next March world-renowned novelist Chaim Potok will read from his novel, *My Name Is Asher Lev*.

Two two-week summer institutes will be held beginning in summer 1996. "Hearing Other Voices in American Culture: Multiculturalism and What We Teach," will examine the relationship between commonly taught texts and figures in K-12 schools. The summer 1997 institute, "Hearing Voices Across Borders: Internationalization and What We Teach," will explore texts from different international cultures.

## St. Mary plans benefit bash

Jazz flutist Alexander Zonjic and his ensemble will give an encore performance as the headliner for St. Mary Hospital's third annual benefit "Hollywood Nights III," to be held Thursday, Oct. 19, at Laurel Manor Banquet and Conference Center in Livonia.

Other musical entertainment will be provided by Johnny Trudell and his All Star Orchestra with the vocal stylings of Sandra Mandella and Sam Locricchio (formerly of Lorio).

The event will also feature Hollywood look-alikes and a fashion

show by Jacobson's.

Marilyn Turner will return as Celebrity Hostess.

Proceeds from the benefit will go to Project SMILE (St. Mary Mother and Infant and Loving Care Enterprise), a fund-raising organization established to support women's, infants' and children's health care services at the Livonia hospital.

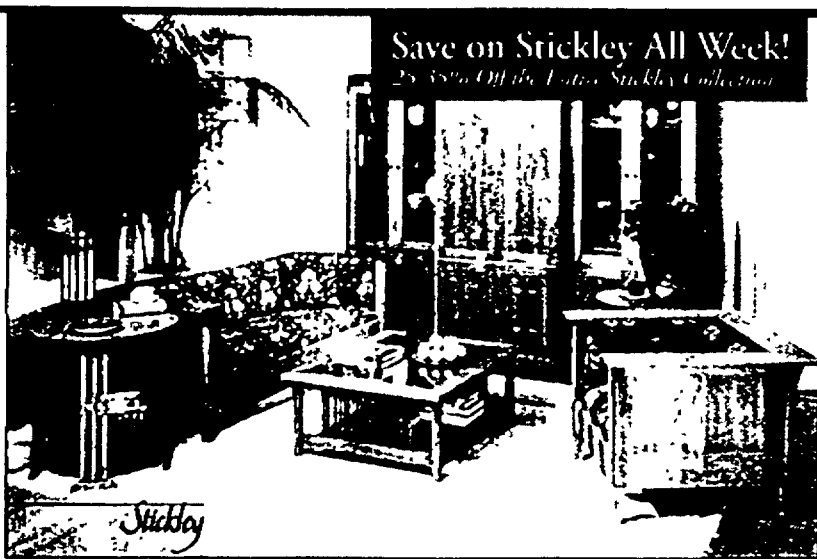
Tickets are now available through the St. Mary Hospital Foundation office. VIP tickets are \$75 for individual tickets or \$750 for a table of 10 people. VIP ticket holders receive VIP section seating,

dinner, the show and admission to the After-Glo reception.

Guest tickets are \$35 for individual tickets or tables of 10 people for \$350. Guest ticket holders are entitled to guest section seating, dinner and the show. Doors will open at 5:30 p.m. with dinner beginning at 7 p.m.

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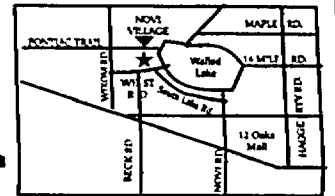
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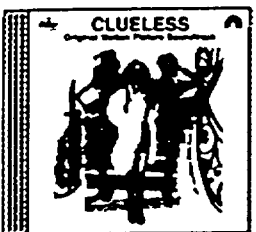


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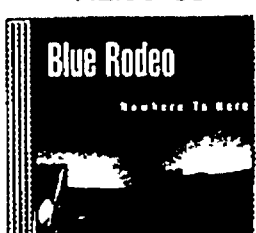
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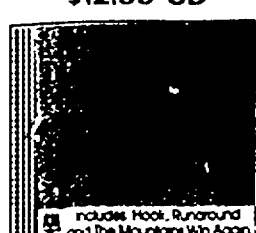
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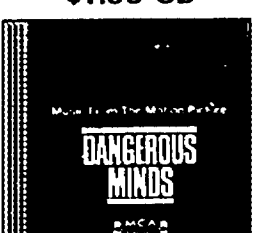
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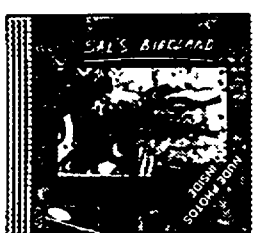
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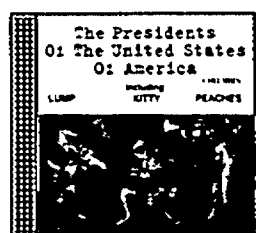


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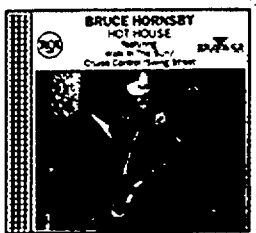
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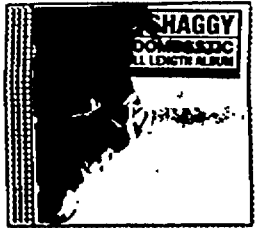
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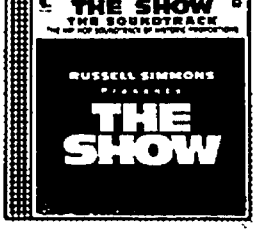
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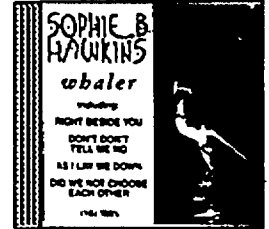


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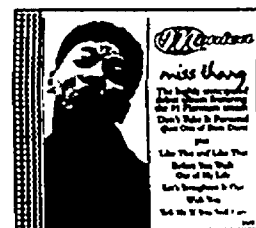
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# Northville native uproots, calls Norse country home

## Finds career, comfort in Sweden

By ROBERT JACKSON  
Staff Writer

At 32-years-old, Kelly Jamleson has learned one of life's most important lessons - quality over quantity.

It took leaving the familiar surroundings of Northville and southeastern Michigan and traveling to Europe for Jamleson, the daughter of Northville residents Ed and Margaret Jamleson, to find personal and professional contentment in her life.

"I'm quite happy with who I am and what I am doing," she said. "I've found that the quality in your life - your health, family, friends - is what's most important. Not what you own or what you do for a living."

Kelly's odyssey began at 17 when she traveled to Sweden as a summer exchange student. Once there, she didn't want to leave.

"I decided that I would like to stay for my senior year and take advantage of this opportunity," she said. "At first my parents were concerned. They didn't think it was a good idea."

After a quick trip to Sweden by Ed, Kelly was allowed to stay and

complete her senior year. The experience had a profound effect on Kelly and stayed with her even after she returned to America to begin college at Michigan State University.

"It didn't matter what I was doing. Sweden was always in the back of my mind," she said.

It only took one year after graduating from MSU with a marketing degree for her to return to Sweden.

"I figured that I had to take the chance," she said. "I remember saying to myself, 'If I don't do it now, I never will,'" she said.

The first year wasn't easy. Jamleson recalled. She started as a sales associate for a company based in Stockholm - a job, she said, that built up her confidence.

"That first year wasn't easy at all," she said.

"It was slow at the beginning, but I kept at it."

For the next eight years Jamleson worked hard in several marketing positions, and even completed her master's degree in marketing management and economics. Although she had become quite successful in Sweden, Jamleson began to think of home,

and in 1994 she returned to Michigan to work as the marketing manager for the World Cup Soccer Tournament.

"It was a wonderful opportunity for me, and it afforded me the chance to see if I could make a go of it here in the United States," she said. "But after all the years away, I found there was a cultural difference and I had a hard time adjusting to the lifestyle."

Ironically, her work at the World Cup opened yet another door for Jamleson. The opportunity would take her back across the Atlantic ocean to Sweden.

A visiting delegation representing the organization that would host the 1995 Athletic World Championships in Goteborg, Sweden, was so impressed with Jamleson's work at the World Cup that they offered her a job as marketing projects manager.

It didn't take Jamleson long to make her decision.

"I really thought that moving back to the United States would be permanent, but inside I knew I couldn't live in Michigan because I had changed and my views had changed," Jamleson said. "So when I was offered the job in Goteborg, I knew that Sweden was where I really wanted to be."



Submitted photo

Northville resident Ed Jamleson, right, and daughter Kelly had a chance to visit with Juan Antonia Samaranch, president of the International Olympic Committee, during the World Games in Goteborg, Sweden, earlier this summer.

"It's not that I don't like America. There are quite a few things that I miss about home," she added. "I miss my family and the things like Thanksgiving and Halloween. Things that have been traditional in my life."

Although she is comfortable with her life in Sweden, Jamleson believes that her future is not necessarily tied to that country. "I don't know where I'll be five years from now. I see myself on this side of the Atlantic," she said.

"But there is so much I want to do in the future - a house, family - that it's difficult for me to say."

"I do know this much," she concluded. "I want to focus on quality in my life. That's most important to me."

## M.O.M.S.

### welcome members

Mom's Offering Mom's Support (M.O.M.S.) kicks off its 1995 fall schedule Monday, Sept. 11, 9:30-11:30 a.m., at the First United Methodist Church Northville, Eight Mile and Taft Road.

The theme is a "welcome back" brunch. All are welcome.

M.O.M.S. is a support group for mothers providing opportunities for mothers to talk, compare experiences and learn together. The group also conducts outreach projects to help mothers and children in need.

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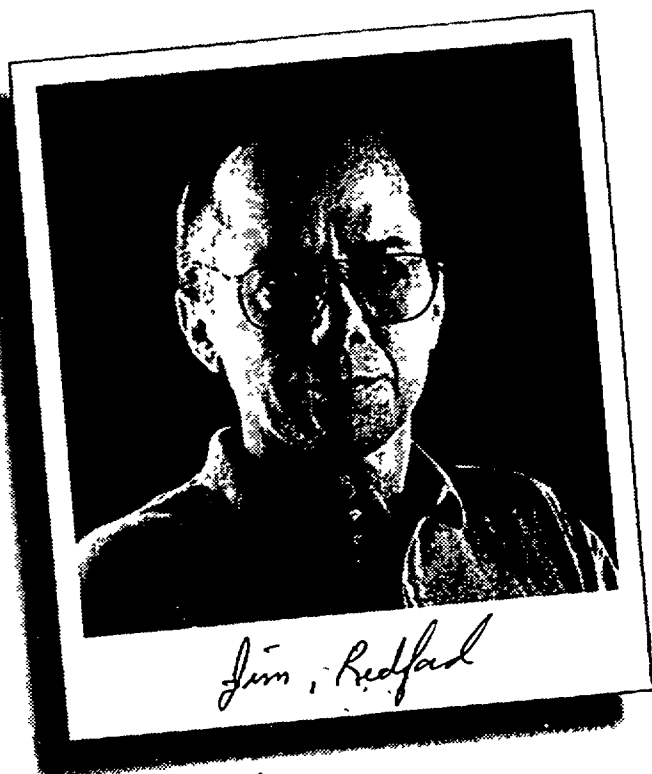
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## Obituaries

### BLAZ ZANDER

Blaz Zander died Aug. 31, 1995, at his residence in Salem Township. He was 88.

Mr. Zander was born in Kutina, Croatia, on Feb. 16, 1907. He moved to Salem Township in 1980 from Plymouth.

Mr. Zander retired from Western Electric Telephone Co. He also was a cooper maker and carpenter.

Surviving are his wife, Marica of Salem Township; sons, Branko of Novi, Nicholas of Brighton, and John of Plymouth; daughter, Lubica Basnec of Northville; 10 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Services were held Saturday, Sept. 2, at Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church with Fr. Todd Lajiness officiating. Interment was at Salem-Walker Cemetery in Salem Township.

Arrangements were made by the Northrop-Sassaman Funeral Home in Northville.

### ROY C. JEPSON

Roy C. Jepson died Aug. 31, 1995, in the Venoy Continued Care Center in Wayne. He was 94.

Mr. Jepson was born on Sept. 19, 1900, in Hancock. He was a former resident of Brighton.

Before retirement, he was a mill operator with the Detroit Broach

and Machine Co.

His survivors are sons Carl of Northville, and Norm of Warren; sister, Effie Ericsson of Silver Springs, Md.; and two grandchildren, Carl and Darlene Jepson.

A graveside service was held Saturday, Sept. 2, in Glen Eden Cemetery, Livonia. The Rev. Garth Van Cura from Bethesda Christian Church officiated.

Arrangements were conducted by the Northrop-Sassaman Funeral Home, Northville.

### HAROLD G. CARROW JR.

Harold G. (Bud) Carrow Jr. died at his residence in Northville on Sept. 3, 1995. He was 69 and a resident of Northville since 1969.

Mr. Carrow was a systems analyst for Ford Motor Co. National Parts Depot in Livonia. He was employed by Ford for 34 years. He was a graduate of Eastern Michigan University and served in the U.S. Army during World War II and the Korean conflict.

An avid builder of remote control planes, he was one of the founders of the Flying Pilgrims remote control airplane club.

Surviving are his wife, Ann of Northville; daughters, Cynthia (James) Kavanaugh of Westland and Sandra (Scott) Schroeder of Livonia; sisters, Patricia Perosak of Howell and Beryl Carrow of

New Hudson; and five grandchildren.

A service was held Wednesday, Sept. 6 in the Northrop-Sassaman Funeral Home in Northville. The Rev. Ruth Billington from Rosedale Gardens Presbyterian Church officiated at the service. Interment was in Rural Hill Cemetery, Northville.

### FRED M. BANNATZ

Fred M. Bannatz of Novi died Aug. 28, 1995, at his home. He was 61. Mr. Bannatz was born in Detroit on Oct. 17, 1933, to the late Alfred and Genevieve (Morgan) Bannatz.

Mr. Bannatz spent most of his life in the Novi area and was a millwright at Michigan Seamless Tube.

Survivors include his wife, Mary (Fawcett); daughter, Karen Blake of Livonia; sons, Frederick Louis of Milford and Robert Allen of Ohio; sisters, Betty Rinadi of St. Clair Shores and Nancy McOsler of Colorado; brother, David of California; and seven grandchildren.

A service was held Friday, Sept. 1, at Casterline Funeral Home in Northville with Pastor Mike Heusel, New Horizon, Novi Town Center, officiating.

Interment was at Rural Hill

Cemetery in Northville.

At the request of the family, memorials may be sent to New Horizon, Novi Town Center, Novi.

### LEONARD GRUNEWALD

Leonard Grunewald died peacefully Sept. 2, 1995, in his Northville home. He was 74.

Mr. Grunewald was born Sept. 6, 1920, in Detroit. A loving husband, father and grandfather, he is fondly remembered around Plymouth as the "fudge man."

His personal recipe for hand made fudge resulted in the establishment of Grunewald's House of Fudge in Plymouth and at the Gibraltar Trade Center in Taylor.

He frequently brought a smile to patrons as he visited around town with his bag of samples.

He was especially enamored of children and delighted in showing them how to make fudge.

Mr. Grunewald is survived by his wife, Peggy; his three grandchildren, Dennis, David and Darla; and his granddaughter Stephanie.

Memorial services will be held at 3 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 9, at Unity of Livonia Church, 28660 Five Mile Road.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be directed to the deceased's wife, Peggy.

# Novi bike fest is charity benefit for St. Jude's

A Bicycle Safety Workshop and Bike-A-Thon benefiting St. Jude's Children's Research Hospital will be held Saturday, Sept. 16, at the Novi Civic Center from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. The theme for the day is "Wheels for Life, Yours and Theirs."

The workshop will include bike identification etching, registration information, films and demonstrations on bike safety, safety helmets, and much more. This is free to the public and is being organized by members of Boy Scout Troop No. 407 of Novi.

The Bike-A-Thon will be running concurrently, following a two-mile course around the Civic Center and through an adjoining subdivision. Barricades, course markers and spotters will be placed along the course to guide the riders as they continue to circle the route, piling up the miles to aid the children treated at St. Jude's Hospital.

The bikers may ride then donate, or may secure sponsors the miles they ride.

St. Jude's Hospital was founded

by entertainer, Danny Thomas. It is a unique institution where researchers and physicians work side-by-side to battle catastrophic diseases that afflict children. St. Jude is non-sectarian, interracial, and covers all costs of care for all patients beyond those reimbursed by insurance. Admission to the hospital is based on physician referral and determination that the illness is under study at St. Jude Hospital. No child has ever been turned away because of an inability to pay. Currently, these life-saving programs cost over \$323,000 a day. These funds come primarily from public contributions such as this Bike-A-Thon. In Michigan 128 children have been treated at St. Jude.

The Bike-A-Thon is also being presented by members and friends of Boy Scout Troop No. 407. They are asking for donations of door prizes and refreshments for the riders.

For more information about either event, or where to pick up sign-up slips, call 344-2504.

# State program aims to recruit workers for resorts

Seasonal workers in the hospitality industry have an opportunity to work throughout the year at resorts in other states thanks to a cooperative program offered through the Michigan Employment Security Commission (MESC) said agency director F. Robert Edwards.

Sept. 11 marks the beginning of

"Follow the Sun," the program which recruits those working at Michigan resorts to work during the winter at resorts in Colorado, Utah and Florida, and return to Michigan to work the following season.

Follow the Sun is an extension of MESC's efforts to recruit Michi-

gan workers for resorts on Mackinac Island during Michigan's tourism season.

The program will be held Sept. 11-14 on Mackinac Island at the Community Hall from 10 a.m.-6 p.m. on Monday, and 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Tuesday through Thursday.

This program is an excellent

way for seasonal workers to be employed year-round and get started on a career in the hospitality industry," said Edwards.

Employers will be interviewing to fill positions for housekeepers, bartenders, kitchen helpers, ski assistants and more. Although the recruiting will be held primarily

among those currently working on Mackinac Island, others with at least three months of hospitality experience are encouraged to interview. The jobs will last from November through April.

For more information on Follow the Sun, call Judith Ezop at (616) 347-5150.

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## HEALTH NOTE

by Dennis E. Engerer, P.T.

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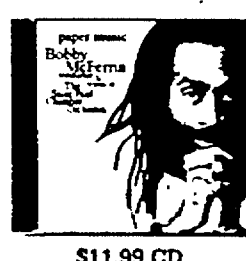
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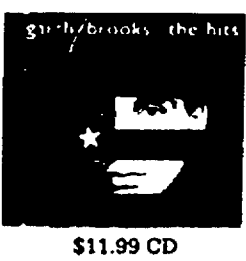
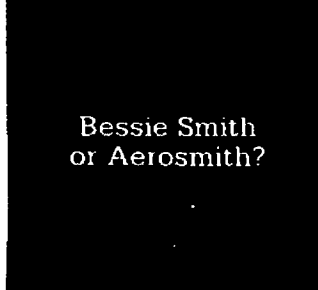
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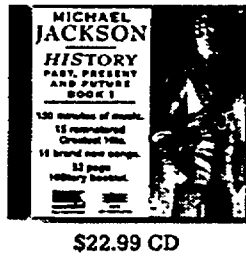
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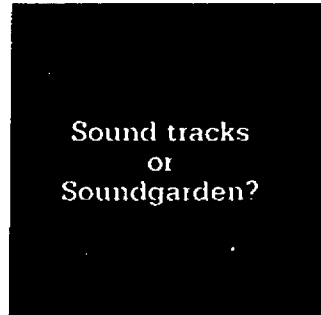
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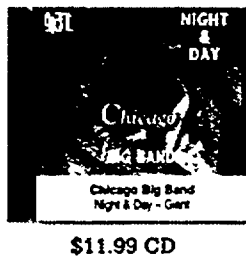
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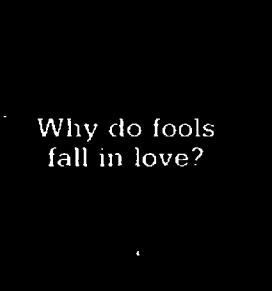
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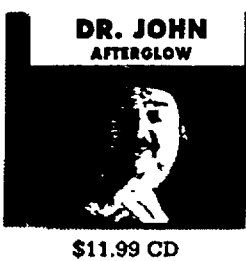
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### Library Lines

**NEW ENTRANCE:** The Wing Street entrance is open for public use. Parking on the west side of Wing Street is now available and will continue throughout the construction period of the new library.

**FALL STORYTIMES:** Preschool stories are for children 3 1/2 to 5 years old who are not yet in kindergarten. Registration begins Thursday, Sept. 7. Additional information regarding Sessions I and II is available at the library or by calling (810) 349-3020.

**TALES OF TERROR:** Storytellers from the Northville District Library will be sharing ghost stories as part of the Victorian Festival. Join them Sunday, Sept. 17 at 4 p.m. in the park at the corner of Wing and Cady Streets.

**QUILTS:** The Embroiderer's Guild is sharing examples of quilting and applique techniques taught by the guild in this month's display case. The Embroiderer's Guild meets at the First United Methodist Church.

**DECORATE THE PICTURE BOOK ROOM:** Help decorate the bulletin board in the picture book room. Draw your favorite character or scene from a favorite book. These will be used to brighten up the picture book room as we gear up for the new school year.

Stop by the library for special drawing paper. This program will run until Sept. 15.

**LIBRARY BOARD OF TRUSTEES:** The board will be meeting Thursday, Sept. 14, at 7:30 p.m. in the City Council chambers. The agenda will be posted just outside the library door.

**SUNDAY HOURS:** Sunday hours resume on Sept. 10. In addition to the regular schedule, Monday through Thursday, 10 a.m.-9 p.m.; Friday and Saturday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m. The library will be open Sunday from 1-5 p.m.

The Northville District Library is currently located at 215 W. Main St. For information on all programs and services, call (810) 349-3020.

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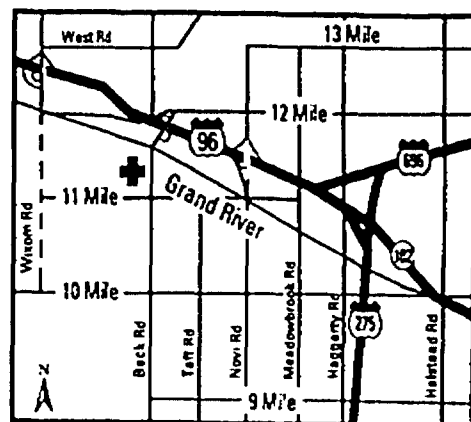
Since that exit is the one many patients and visitors to Providence Medical Center-Providence Park use, the Providence staff would like to suggest the following alternate routes for your convenience.

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# Does this column need fixing?

It's time to evaluate.

I've been working for the Northville Record for 90 days now, and very soon - possibly this week - my 90 day review will take place. For those of you who didn't read Lee Snider's column on the editorial page last week - and of course, for those of you who did - my trusty editor intimated that I might have come up with the Talk of the Week concept as a form of job security.

Heck, I didn't realize the column had that great of a following.

Anyway, let's assume for the moment that the Record retains my services as staff reporter - I hate to assume, but for the sake of argument, I'll chance it. The question I need to then ask is, how do you, the reader, feel about this column?

It's a fair question to ask. I mean, if I'm going to be reviewed for my performance, it's only fair that Talk of the Week is reviewed as well. Is it readable? Does it provide pertinent information? Is it entertaining?

Most of all, is it worth continuing?

You be the judge.

What I want is constructive criticism. Is there anything you'd change? Anything you'd include or exclude? Would you change the format? Is it too long or too short? Comment on anything and everything. The sky's the limit. This is your chance to directly effect what you read in your newspaper. You can be as objective or subjective as you want.

Don't worry, I don't bruise easily.

With that said, you can contact me directly by calling 349-1700. I'll return all calls. If you'd like to drop me a line, our address is 104 W. Main Street, Northville, 48167.

We'll set a deadline of Sept. 15 - that's the official 90 day anniversary of the column - and I'll print as many of your comments as I possibly can in the Sept. 21 edition.

Once again, thanks for your interest!

**OKAY LET'S GET THIS SHOW** on the road. This week's humble offering is much more enjoyable than the left over barbecue you ate at that Labor Day picnic. Not included in the picnic basket is any mention of school administrators or union negotiators - I'm a bit miffed with the two parties at the moment. Nor will we mention the words "off the record," or "confidential source."

We will, however, get the right phone number, ask for talented volunteers, and travel to Sweden - bring your snow skis.

So, ladies and gentlemen, with Queen Victoria's arrival a scant eight days away, it's time for the totally timeless tirade of Talk of the

## NORTHVILLE TALK OF THE WEEK

By Robert Jackson



Week.

**CAN YOU CANOE?** I'm happy to report that plans are now under way to restore canoeing on the Middle Rouge River from Newburgh to Farmington Road. According to Rene Pips of the Wayne County Department of Public Services, in order for recreational canoeing to become a reality Wayne County will begin the clearing of 40 logjams in 40 days. The project began Tuesday, east of Newburgh Dam.

According to Pips, this will be the first time canoeing will return to the Rouge River since World War II.

The cooperative effort between Wayne County Parks, Department of Environment, Alternative Workforce and Western Wayne County Communities will result in providing a water-based resource on the river.

**GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP:** Cathy Clough, director of Bereavement Services at Arbor Hospice, gave me a call the other day to pass on that a grief support series, helping people deal with anger, guilt and other emotions that often accompany grief, will begin this month.

Clough, who has been facilitating grief support groups for 10 years, said the group is sponsored by Northrop-Sassaman Funeral Home of Northville and Arbor Hospice. The group will meet six consecutive Thursday evenings, beginning Sept. 14, from 7 to 8:30 p.m.

If you want information on the group, please call Cathy at 1-800-783-5764.

**PETS POSTSCRIPT:** I don't know what happened to my vision last week, but I could have sworn that the number to call for Pet-A-Pet was correct.

Unfortunately, Cathy Totzkay called to tell me I goofed.

I'll provide the correct number at the end of this entry, but I wanted to state my case again for this wonderful organization.

For the past nine years, the Pet-A-Pet club has been bringing volunteers and their family

pets together with people who can benefit from the special attention an animal can give.

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The club is currently seeking volunteers to visit Old Village School and Star Manor in Northville.

Volunteers must bring their own pets, and pets must be friendly, well behaved and have current vaccination records.

Visits are scheduled once a month and last about one hour.

If you're interested contact Cathy Totzkay at 349-7185. This is the correct number - I promise.

Cathy, sorry about the mixup, and thanks for your call.

**SWEDEN CALLING:** You might have noticed the feature story on Kelly Jamieson in the front section of your newspaper.

The article talks about Kelly's travels since leaving Northville about 12 years ago. What the article didn't mention was how proud father Ed Jamieson is of his daughter. We might not have even learned of the story had it not been for Ed, who happened to mention Kelly's exploits overseas.

Once we told him we were interested in interviewing his daughter, it wasn't more than a few days later that Kelly gave us a call, direct from Goteborg, Sweden. It was a pleasure talking with the former Northville High School student, who is indeed enjoying life in Sweden.

Ed, you have every right to be a proud father, and thanks for the tip!

**TALENTED PEOPLE WANTED:** Talked with Marlene Kunz of Northville Civic Concern this week - she's one of my favorite people to visit with - and she wanted to provide me with an update on the Victorian Common Folk Benefit taking place Sept. 17.

The event, sponsored by Genitt's Hole in the Wall, is scheduled for 5-8 p.m.

The benefit, which will cost \$25 per person, will include dinner and live entertainment - in the form of a talent show. Proceeds from the event will go to Northville Civic Concern.

Marlene said tickets will be available at Genitt's Hole in the Wall. She also wanted to remind people that there will be a variety of prizes offered for the talent show, so all of you talented people should rush to sign up to take part in the festivities.

## Mill Race Matters

One week remains before one of the highlights of this community's year. The eighth annual Victorian Festival begins Friday, Sept. 15, and continues through Sunday, Sept. 17.

The event starts Friday evening with a costumed parade through town. As always members of the Northville Historical Society will join to march together in the parade. Costumes need not be authentic, but should convey the image of Victorian style.

The Victorian era lasted from 1837 until 1901 so it encompasses a variety of clothing styles and types. The style of clothing usually associated with the Victorians comes from the end of the period, the era often labeled the Gay Nineties.

By 1835, Michigan was no longer part of the Northwest Territory or the nation's early west. The region drew near to becoming the country's 26th state which occurred on Jan. 1, 1837.

The village of Northville had obtained the name it retains today. A cluster of small businesses congregated at the corner of Main and Center. Business owners and others began building homes in the vicinity of the village. The area, at that time, served as a focus for the surrounding farmland and even those in town grew crops and kept animals.

When the first village council developed laws over 30 years later it was necessary to outlaw the free range habits of numerous family livestock and pets. Between 1835 and 1869, apparently, animals had the same rights to roam free given to citizens.

In all likelihood in 1835 the scattered cabins and cottages of the community would have been surrounded by dense, virgin timberlands. Thirty years later most of the woodland in the vicinity had been cut down and the town itself was much more settled.

An 1860 map of the downtown area includes a business directory which lists two hotel proprietors, dry goods merchants, cobblers, blacksmiths, liveries and other businesses of the day. That map shows a northern boundary near Randolph, a southern boundary below Cady, an eastern boundary beyond Griswold and a western boundary beyond Linden.

Building structures are located throughout the village and number more than 100. A copy of this map can be found in Laura Smyth Hixson's *Early Northville* available from the Historical Society and from Bookstall on the Main for \$5.

On Sunday, Sept. 17, Victorian Festival activities focus on Mill Race Village as residents and visitors join to celebrate an old-fashioned Sunday afternoon. The day's events will include: crafters, docents to discuss each building, children's games, the community's annual Duck Race, hat judging contests and entertainment.

Mill Race Village will be open Saturday, Sept. 16, from 11 a.m. until 3 p.m. and Sunday, Sept. 17, from 11 a.m. until 4 p.m. to accommodate Festival guests.

Two weeks later on Friday, Sept. 29, and Saturday, Sept. 30, the Northville Historical Society holds its biggest fund-raiser of the year. This 26th annual Tivoli Fair will be held at Northville Downs. It features juried arts and crafts merchants who provide their wares from 10 a.m. until 8 p.m. on Friday and from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. on Saturday.

There is a \$3 admission charge. Baby strollers are not permitted.

### CALENDAR

**Sunday, Sept. 10**  
Village Open..... 1-4 p.m.  
**Tuesday, Sept. 12**  
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**Wednesday, Sept. 13**  
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## Senior Briefs

**MONET EXHIBIT IN CHICAGO:** The Northville and Plymouth Senior Citizen Centers have arranged a trip to Chicago, Ill., to see the Monet exhibit.

This three-day and two-night trip will take place on Nov. 1. The cost per person is \$245 (double occupancy). Included are: Two nights lodging at the Palmer House, admission to the Monet exhibit, wine and cheese reception, round trip transportation via deluxe restroom-equipped Bianco Motor Coach, shopping transportation to the Water Tower Mall, coffee and donut service.

The trip is completely escorted by Northville and Plymouth senior leaders. A \$50 per person deposit is required to sign up. Spaces are limited. Call 349-4140 for reservations. Departure time is 7 a.m.

**SPECTACULAR SOUTH BEND:** This one-day trip to South Bend, Ind., will take place on Thursday, Sept. 14. The cost per person is \$45 (resident) and \$46 (non-resident).

Included will be: Round trip transportation via Bianco deluxe motorcoach, Studebaker National Museum, lunch at the Studebaker mansion, and a

University of Notre Dame campus tour. Departure time is 6:30 a.m.

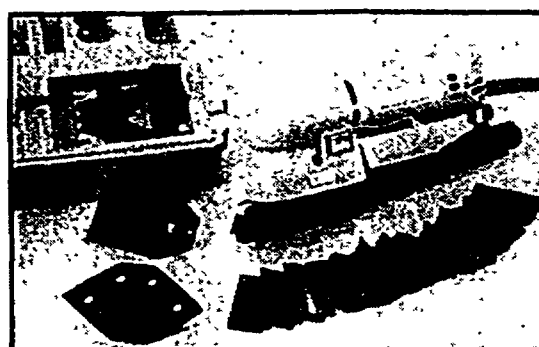
**NORTHVILLE/PLYMOUTH "SENIORFEST":** This year's "SeniorFest" will take place on Wednesday, Sept. 13 at Gunsolly Mill, located on Hines Drive (south of Wilcox Road), from 11 a.m.-3 p.m. The cost is \$1 for Northville, Northville Township and city of Plymouth residents, \$2 for non-residents.

Included will be: Lunch of pasties, hot dogs, chips, pop, coleslaw, potato salad, baked beans, entertainment featuring a "mini-game-show," psychic readings and Hawaiian dancer, door prizes and many other activities.

This picnic is sponsored by the Northville and Plymouth senior citizen center and their respective communities, as well as the support of local businesses from these communities.

If you are a business owner and are interested in donating or sponsoring this event, please feel free to contact either Northville (349-4140) or Plymouth (455-6620) senior centers. Reservations are not necessary. Transportation will be available.

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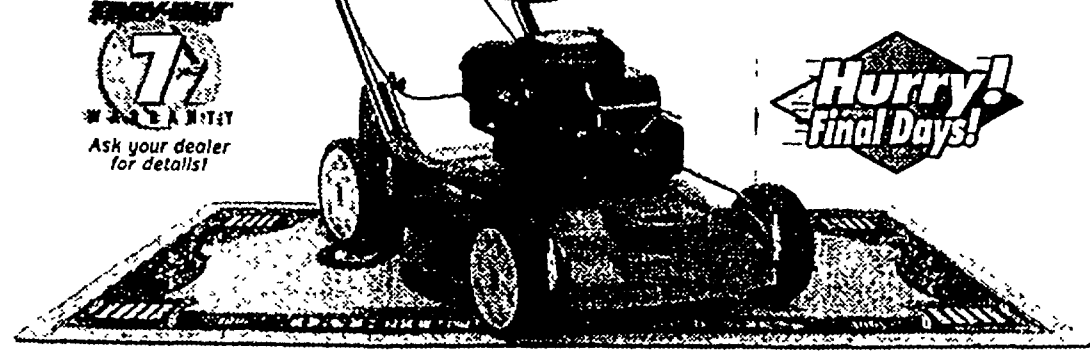
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# Proposals for state funding of courts floated

By TIM RICHARD  
Staff Writer

One burner on the court reform stove was turned off Aug. 23 when the Michigan Supreme Court ruled against local governments that had sued for state funding of their trial courts.

But other burners are still generating heat in favor of state funding — heavy workloads in some courts, the outstate versus Detroit brawl, and a governor who holes tight purse strings.

"We lost all clout," said Douglas Van Essen, the Grand Rapids attorney who handled the appeal for the plaintiffs — the Michigan Association of Counties. His was the most pessimistic reaction to the high court ruling.

"We may end up doing it (state funding) anyway," said Sen. Robert Geake, R-Northville, who serves on both the Judiciary and Appropriations committees. "There is a lot of interest in state-funded courts."

At issue is the way state government picks up 30 percent of the tab for Wayne County trial courts versus 20 percent for the other 82 counties.

Meanwhile, Gov. John Engler has used veto threats to block the creation of new judgeships in Oakland County, the Farmington district, and 35th District Court in Plymouth until court reorganization has been completed.

Historically, 35th District Court, which serves Northville and Northville Township among other communities, has operated at a surplus and shares revenue with its individual control units. Last year the court returned \$197,324

to the township and \$28,963 to the city.

Thirty-fifth District Judge John MacDonald said the reform measures under discussion in Lansing might undercut his court's surplus by redistributing the funds the court generates, but could still prove beneficial to the state.

"Courts are meant to serve the public and if you look at the big picture, and not just parochial interests, it's probably needed," he said. "Court reform is probably necessary."

But state Rep. Gerald Law, R-Plymouth, said the local 35th District Court is a money-maker that communities in Northville, Plymouth and Canton don't want to surrender to state aid and control. "It makes a \$1.3 million profit. The locals use that money," said Law.

The best known plan is one backed by State Bar leaders: a single "trial court" with state funding and new districts, to replace circuit, recorder's, probate and district courts.

Geake said a GOP Senate task force would issue a court reform recommendation before the party's Mackinac Island conference Sept. 22.

Attorney Thomas Klenbaum predicted "a showdown" on state funding despite the Supreme Court decision. "What if counties decide not to fund a court and shut it down? Is the Supreme Court saying 'we can't enforce that either?'" said Klenbaum, a Franklin Village resident and president-elect of the State Bar of Michigan.

Sen. David Honigman, R-West

"There is a lot of interest in state-funded courts."

—State Sen.  
Robert Geake

Bloomfield, said, "We've always claimed the state ought to, as a matter of policy, fund all the courts. I like the idea: Justice is supposed to be equal. Before my time, a promise was made that state funding would be made available."

Like Klenbaum, Honigman also fears outstate counties and local units could get sore at Wayne's favored treatment and cut out funds for their local courts.

But some in Oakland and western Wayne counties say their areas are better off without state funding and its Siamese twin, state control.

"I'm prejudiced against a state takeover," said Oakland Circuit Judge Gene Schnelz, "because we're so well treated in Oakland County. We're not on a luxury gravy train."

"Since Brooks Patterson became county executive, we've gone from no computers to where we (judges) all have personal computers. I can write up my notes from the bench and create a file. Our bunch is

unanimously opposed to a state takeover because we've got it so good. Down in Wayne County (with state funding), they have trouble getting pencils."

Statewide, district courts in a recent year spent \$150 million and collected \$125 million in fines and fees, recovering 83 percent of their costs. Other district courts broke even, while others ran at a loss.

Said Law, a member of the House Judiciary Committee and former township official: "Show me a district court that isn't in the black, and I'll show you one that isn't well managed."

In other courts, however, the situation is different. Circuit courts (the state's general trial courts) generate revenue to cover only 11 percent of their costs. Probate courts cover only 7 percent of their costs.

"Right now, I'm sharing all my school tax money (under Proposal A) with the rest of the state," said Law. "I don't want to share my court money, too."

Law agreed with the high court

and rejected the argument that the state has a duty to fund all lower courts. "It's just a statutory thing. It (the state) hasn't fully funded revenue sharing or (aid to cities with) horse racing tracks. It (the high court ruling) doesn't surprise me."

Trial courts cost a total of about \$509 million a year to run. A full state takeover of funding would run an estimated \$250 million, perhaps more.

The argument started almost as soon as the Legislature in 1980 passed a law heavily funding Wayne County and Detroit courts.

The stated intention was to phase in state funding for the Wayne suburbs and the other 82 counties over five years. In the deep recession that followed, state funding never advanced.

In 1988 angry outstate politicians — 76 counties, 46 cities, 11 townships and one village — filed suit against state government in the Court of Claims. Van Essen's clients won partial victories in the Court of Claims (Ingham Circuit Court) and the Court of Appeals. But the Supreme Court reversed them.

## CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE BOARD OF TRUSTEES CLOSED MEETING — SYNOPSIS

Date: Thursday, August 17, 1995  
Time: 7:30 p.m.  
Place: 41600 Six Mile Road

1. Call to Order. Supervisor Baja called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.  
2. Roll Call. Present: Karen Baja, Supervisor, Sue A. Hillebrand, Clerk, Rick Engelland, Treasurer, Mark Abbo, Trustee, Gini Britton, Trustee, Russ Fogg, Trustee, Barbara Strong O'Brien, Trustee. Also Present: Kelly Kruse, Brian Cardaccia, Chip Snider, Tami Hanlin, James Tamm, Fred Lucas, Eunice Switzer. Moved and supported to close the meeting of August 17, 1995 to discuss on-going litigation. Those are Onusko vs the Township and also Rosselle vs Northville township and Holloway vs. Northville Township. We are going into the closed session for the purpose of discussing settlement and in particular because discussing in an open session would have the potential for having a negative financial impact upon the Township. Roll Call Vote: Motion carried. Moved and supported to remove item number 4 from the agenda — On going labor negotiations. Roll Call Vote: Motion carried.  
3. On-Going Litigation.  
4. On-Going Labor Negotiations — removed from agenda.  
5. Adjournment. Moved and supported to adjourn closed session. Motion carried. Closed session adjourned at 10:27 p.m. THIS IS A SYNOPSIS. A TRUE AND COMPLETE copy is on file at the Northville Township Clerk's Office, 41600 Six Mile Road, Northville, Michigan 48167.  
SUE A. HILLEBRAND, CLERK

## CITY OF NORTHVILLE PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE PROPOSED REPROGRAMMING OF OAKLAND COUNTY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT FUNDS

Notice is hereby given that the City of Northville City Council will hold a public hearing on Monday, September 18, 1995 at 7:30 p.m. in the Council Room of the Municipal Building, 215 W. Main St. to receive public input on the proposed reprogramming of 1990, 1992 and 1993 Oakland County Community Development Block Grant Funds. Total funds available for reprogramming \$6,646,111. Proposed use of the funds include barrier free renovation of the restroom facility at the City of Northville Public Works Department, 650 Doherty Drive.

TRACI JOHNSON, DIRECTOR OF PARKS AND RECREATION (9-7-95 NR)

## COUNTY OF WAYNE COMBINED NOTIFICATION FOR: NOTICE OF FINDING OF NO SIGNIFICANT IMPACT ON THE ENVIRONMENT AND NOTICE OF INTENT TO REQUEST RELEASE OF FUNDS

County of Wayne, 600 Randolph Street, Detroit, Michigan 48226  
TO ALL INTERESTED AGENCIES, GROUPS AND PERSONS:

On or about Sept. 25, 1995, the above-named County will request the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development to release federal funds under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974 (PL 93-383) for the following project(s) accordingly:

1. PROJECT: Purchase of Defibrillators  
LOCATION: 215 W. Main Street  
PURPOSE: To be used for emergency resuscitation  
COST: \$8,000

2. It has been determined that such request for release of funds will not constitute an action significantly affecting the quality of the human environment and, accordingly, the County of Wayne has decided not to prepare an Environmental Impact Statement under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969 (PL 91-190). The reasons for such decision not to prepare such a statement are as follows:

No significant impact was found as a result of the environmental assessment. An Environmental Review Record respecting the above project has been made by the County of Wayne which documents the environmental review of the project and more fully sets forth the reasons why such Statement is not required. This Environmental Review Record is on file at the above address and is available for public examination and copying, upon request, at the office of Parks & Recreation, 303 W. Main Street, Northville, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. No further environmental review of such project is proposed to be conducted, prior to the request for release of federal funds.

All interested agencies, groups and persons disagreeing with this decision are invited to submit written comments for consideration by the County of Wayne to the office of the undersigned. Such written comments should be received at L-13 Wayne County Building, 600 Randolph, Detroit, Michigan 48226 on or before Sept. 22, 1995. All such comments so received will be considered and the County will not request the release of federal funds or take administrative action on the within project prior to the date specified in the preceding sentence.

3. CERTIFICATION: The County of Wayne will undertake the project described above with Block Grant Funds from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) under Title I of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1974. The County of Wayne is certifying to HUD that the County of Wayne and Executive Edward H. McNamara, in his capacity as County Executive, consent to accept the jurisdiction of the federal courts if an action is brought to enforce responsibilities in relation to environmental reviews, decision-making, and action and that these responsibilities have been satisfied. The legal effect of the certification is that upon its approval, the County of Wayne may use the Block Grant funds, and HUD will have satisfied its responsibilities under the National Environmental Policy Act of 1969. HUD will accept an objection to its approval of the release of funds and acceptance of the certification only if it is on one of the following bases:

a) That the certification was not in fact executed by the Chief Executive Officer of the applicant; or  
b) That the applicant's environmental review record for the project indicates omission of a required decision, finding or step applicable to the project in the environmental review process.

Objections must be prepared and submitted in accordance with the required procedure (24 CFR Part 58) and may be addressed to HUD at: McNamara Building — 17th Floor, 477 Michigan Avenue, Detroit, Michigan 48226. Objections to the release of funds on the basis other than those stated above will not be considered by HUD. No objection received after Oct. 10, 1995 will be considered by HUD.

EDWARD H. MCNAMARA, COUNTY EXECUTIVE COUNTY OF WAYNE (9-7-95 NR)

## NOTICE — CITY OF NOVI REQUEST FOR BIDS CONSTRUCTION OF ONE (1) INTERIOR OFFICE SPACE

The City of Novi will receive sealed bids from Contractors for the Construction of One (1) Interior Office Space according to the specifications of the City of Novi. Bids will be received until 3:00 p.m. prevailing eastern time, Tuesday, September 19, 1995, at which time proposals will be opened and read. Bids shall be addressed as follows:

CITY OF NOVI  
CAROL J. KALINOVIK, PURCHASING DIRECTOR  
45175 W. Ten Mile Rd.  
Novi, MI 48375-3024

All bids must be signed by a legally authorized agent of the bidding firm. ENVELOPES MUST BE PLAINLY MARKED "INTERIOR OFFICE CONSTRUCTION" AND MUST BEAR THE NAME OF THE BIDDER.

The City reserves the right to accept any or all alternative proposals and award the contract to other than the lowest bidder, to waive any irregularities or informalities or both; to reject any or all proposals; and in general to make the award of the contract in any manner deemed by the City, in its sole discretion, to be in the best interest of the City of Novi.

CAROL J. KALINOVIK, PURCHASING DIRECTOR 347-0446 (9-7-95 NR, NN)

## ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS SHERRIE LANE & JEFFERY DRIVE ROAD IMPROVEMENT PROJECT CITY OF NORTHVILLE OAKLAND AND WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN

Sealed proposals will be received by the City of Northville, Oakland and Wayne County, Michigan, for the Sherrie Lane & Jeffery Drive Road Improvement Project. Proposals must be submitted to the office of the City Clerk located in the City Hall, 215 W. Main, Northville, Michigan 48167, at or before 1:30 p.m., local prevailing time, on September 13, 1995, at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted for the complete furnishing of all labor, materials, and equipment for the construction of the below listed principal items of work and approximate quantities:

6" Edge Drain	2,500 L.F.
Pavement Stabilization (grout mix)	2,000 S.Y.
Joint & Crack Sealing	5,280 L.F.
Remove/place 7" Concrete Pavement	700 S.Y.
Remove/place 6" Concrete Driveway	5,200 S.F.
3" Top Soil & Sod	5,000 S.Y.
Rebuild Structure, 0-2'	20 EA

and miscellaneous related items of work according to plans and specifications prepared by McNeely & Lincoln Associates, Inc.

Plans, specifications and other bidding documents may be examined at the office of the City Clerk or at the office of the Engineer, McNeely & Lincoln Associates, Inc., 459 East Cady Street, Northville, Michigan 48167.

CALL 313-349-3200 TO RESERVE A SET OF BIDDING DOCUMENTS.

Bidding documents may be obtained on or after September 5, 1995 from the Engineer upon payment of a non-refundable fee of \$40.00 per set. Documents will be mailed to prospective bidders upon request, accompanied by an additional mailing fee of \$5.00 per set, non-refundable. No bidding documents will be mailed or otherwise sent to a prospective bidder during the two (2) day period preceding the bid due date.

A Bid Bond, and Labor, Material and Performance Bonds will be required.

Each proposal must be submitted in duplicate on Proposal Forms provided by McNeely & Lincoln Associates, Inc. with the bidding documents. Proposals shall be delivered to the office of the City Clerk in opaque envelopes with "Sherrie Lane & Jeffery Drive Road Improvement Project" written in the lower left-hand corner. Along with the proposals forms, bidders shall include all information requested in Section 1.03.10, "Bidders Qualifications" of the contract documents.

The City of Northville reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to waive any informality or irregularity in any proposal in the interest of the City.

CITY OF NORTHVILLE, DELPHINE GUTOWSKI, CITY CLERK (9-7-95 NR)

## CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE BOARD OF TRUSTEES SPECIAL MEETING

Date: Thursday, August 17, 1995  
Time: 7:30 p.m.  
Place: 41600 Six Mile Road

1. Call to Order. Supervisor Karen Baja called the Special Meeting to order at 9:30 p.m.

2. Roll Call. Present: Karen Baja, Supervisor, Sue A. Hillebrand, Clerk, Rick Engelland, Treasurer, Mark Abbo, Trustee, Gini Britton, Trustee, Russ Fogg, Trustee, Barbara Strong O'Brien, Trustee. Also Present: The press and 3 visitors. Moved and supported to amend the agenda to add item 2 (a) On going Litigation Recommendation. Roll Call Vote: Motion carried.

2. a. On going Litigation Recommendation. Moved and supported Mr. Lucas asked for direction, he received it and we give him authority to act on the direction he was given. Roll Call Vote: Motion carried.

3. Appointments: a. Planning Commission — Three Years. 1. Appointment Expiring 12/1/95 — Mark King. 2. Appointment Expiring 12/1/98 — Philip Wargelin. 3. Liaison from the Zoning Board of Appeals Expiring 2/13/96 Karen Woodside. Moved and supported to appoint Mr. Mark King to Planning Commission Appointment expiring 12/1/95. Roll Call Vote: Motion carried. b. Zoning Board of Appeals — Three Years. 1. Appointment Expiring 12/1/95 — Karen Woodside. Moved and supported to appoint Karen Woodside to the Zoning Board of Appeals Term expiring 12/1/95. Roll Call Vote: Motion carried. c. Building Department Board of Appeals — Five Years. 1. Appointment Expiring 7/13/2000 — Blake Couse. Moved and supported that item 3 of 1 Building Department Board of Appeals appointment expiring 7/13/2000 Blake Couse. Roll Call Vote: Motion carried. d. Building Authority — Three Years. 1. Appointment Expiring 6/30/98 — Tony Wolf. Moved and supported item 3 (d) 1 Building Authority Three year term for reappointment for Tony Wolf Expiring 6/30/98. Roll Call Vote: Motion carried.

4. Public Comments — None.

5. Adjournment. Moved and supported to adjourn the Special Meeting. Motion carried. Special Meeting adjourned at 9:55 p.m. THIS IS A SYNOPSIS. A TRUE AND COMPLETE COPY may be obtained at the Northville Township Clerk's Office, 41600 Six Mile Road, Northville, Michigan 48167.

SUE A. HILLEBRAND, CLERK (9-7-95 NR)

## ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS MILL RACE VILLAGE CHURCH BARRIER FREE RENOVATION CITY OF NORTHVILLE OAKLAND AND WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN

Sealed proposals will be received by the City of Northville, Oakland and Wayne County, Michigan, for construction of the Mill Race Village Barrier Free Renovation. Proposals must be submitted to the office of the City Clerk located in the Northville City Hall, 215 West Main Street, Northville, Michigan 48167, at or before 11:00 a.m., local prevailing time, on Thursday, Sept. 21, 1995, at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Proposals shall be submitted for the furnishing of all labor, materials, and equipment for the complete installation of a barrier free access entrance to the Mill Race Village Church. Principal items of work include:

Brick Pavers on Prepared Subbase	424 SF
Construct Wood Stairway and Landing	1 EA
Furnish and Install Vertical Lift, Complete	1 LSUM
Install Access Door, Complete	1 LSUM

and miscellaneous related items of work according to the plans and specifications prepared by McNeely & Lincoln Associates, Inc., 459 East Cady, Northville, Michigan 48167.

All contract documents are on file and may be examined at the office of the City Clerk or at the office of the Engineer, McNeely & Lincoln Associates, Inc., 459 East Cady Street, Northville, Michigan 48167.

CALL 313-349-3200 TO RESERVE A SET OF BIDDING DOCUMENTS.

Bidding documents may be obtained from the Engineer upon payment of a non-refundable fee of \$25.00 per set. Documents will be mailed to prospective bidders upon request, accompanied by an additional mailing fee of \$5.00 per set, non-refundable. No bidding documents will be mailed or otherwise sent to a prospective bidder during the four (4) day period preceding the bid due date.

A Bid Bond and Labor, Material and Performance Bonds will be required.

Each proposal must be submitted in duplicate on Proposal Forms provided by McNeely & Lincoln Associates, Inc. with the bidding documents. Proposals shall be delivered to the office of the City Clerk in opaque envelopes with "Mill Race Village Barrier Free Renovation" written in the lower left corner.

Attention is called to the fact that not less than minimum salaries and wages as set forth in the Contract Documents must be paid on this project and that the Contractor must ensure that employees and applicants for employment are not discriminated against because of their race, color, religion, sex or national origin, in accordance with Executive Order 11246 Equal Employment Opportunity and Notice of Requirement for Affirmative Action to ensure Equal Employment Opportunity.

The Contractor must comply with the Davis-Bacon Act, July 2, 1964 (Title 40 USC 276a), the Equal Employment Opportunity Act, September 28, 1965 No. 11246, all United States Department of Labor Regulations and Standards Title 29, 1, 3, and 5, and Title 18, USC, Section 874, known as "Anti-Kickback Act," and the Federal Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970.

Each contract or agreement receiving financial assistance in excess of \$10,000 from Oakland County Community Development Block Grant Funds is required to comply with the requirements of Section 3 of the Housing and Urban Development Act of 1968, as amended, 12 U.S.C. 1701 u.

Section 3 requires that to the greatest extent feasible, training and employment opportunities arising out of a project assisted under a program providing direct federal financial assistance from HUD to be given to lower income residents of the project area and, where appropriate, contracts for work in connection with the project be awarded to business concerns which are located in or owned in substantial part by persons residing in the area of the project.

A mandatory site inspection walk through has been scheduled for Tuesday, Sept. 19, 1995, at 10:00 a.m., Mill Race Church, 100 Griswold, Northville, MI 48167.

The City of Northville reserves the right to reject any or all proposals and to waive any informality or irregularity in any proposal in the interest of the City.

CITY OF NORTHVILLE, DELPHINE GUTOWSKI, CITY CLERK (9-7-95 NR)

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# Downs' fee remains in place

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the operating levy by 1.5 mills during the transition from a tax financed refuse pickup system to a user-pay system," Word said in his report. "Since this time, all residential and commercial customers have been billed for refuse services on the basis of each customer's actual use."

Northville Downs and JTA are billed only for the pickup generated at the rate in the current contract that the city has with its refuse pickup provider, according to Word.

Word also stated that the Downs and JTA have paid their previous bills in a timely fashion, and he acknowledged the late invoicing for the 1995 season.

"This lag occurred during the transition of public works directors," Word said. "It is regrettable and should not happen again."

Mayor Chris Johnson agreed. "I'm apologizing for the lateness of the notice, and I don't think extending the payment period for 45 days is unreasonable," Johnson said.

Word said that when the city changed its refuse policy officials

attempted to determine what the impact would be on Northville Downs.

"At the time (Northville Downs) felt the city should arrange for refuse service at no cost to the Downs because the city was receiving part-mutual tax revenue from the Downs through the state," Word said. "It was contended that this service should be provided in the same manner that police service is provided."

Of the approximately \$350,000 the city receives from the state, a little over \$100,000 pays for police services at Northville Downs during the racing season. Prior to 1991, refuse fees were also taken from the part-mutual tax revenue.

Johnson reminded council members that it was also in 1991 that the state decided to return only a portion of the part-mutual handle - which averaged about \$800,000 at the time.

"I think that we need to see what the state is going to do in regards to this revenue before we change our current billing policy in regards to Northville Downs," Johnson said. "I think this is something we should revisit at a later date when those decisions

have been made."

City Councilman Chuck Keys disagreed, stating that whether the amount is \$800,000 or \$300,000, the Downs should not be charged for refuse services. "I maintain that we are still receiving money from the state. It may not be the \$800,000 we are used to, but the fact remains we still get \$350,000 to \$400,000 in extra revenue each year," he said.

Northville Downs has been billed \$21,866 for refuse services over the past three years, according to city statistics. Jackson Trotting Association has been billed \$15,554 for the same period. JTA uses Northville Downs for its race season, which lasts about two months.

Word said other factors need to be considered in evaluating a change of policy by the city. He said that since the change to a user pay system, Northville Downs and JTA have been billed an amount equal to what the city was billed by the refuse service provider. He also reported that the cost of the refuse service is most likely less than what the Downs and JTA could obtain through private contracting.

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-Northville Mayor  
Chris Johnson

Word also admitted in his report that a total loss of racetrack revenue would have a "detrimental effect" on the city. "Therefore, efforts to assist the racetrack might lend itself to preserving the industry and thus the racetrack funds that the city has continued to enjoy," he said.

Despite that fact, however, Word recommended that the council not change its current policy.

"While Northville Downs has been a good corporate citizen for many years, a review of the practices of other communities and the argument that the racetrack should be treated uniquely does not warrant a change of policy at this time," he said.

## Local magician is first of her kind at specialty

Lisa Timco of Northville has always loved the art of magic. In 1993 she began serious study in her specialty - close-up magic. Learning from some of the nation's best, Timco made history this year by becoming the first woman ever to compete in close-up magic at Michigan's magic competition.

With her outgoing personality and abundance of energy, Timco always has something up her sleeve for everyone.

Proud to be a member of the Society of American Magicians and representing 3 percent of the female magicians in the world, Timco is fast becoming one of

Detroit's favorite magicians.

Timco frequently performs at America's Pizza Cafe in Royal Oak and Little Caesars Italiano in Dearborn. She has provided close-up magic for the American Cancer Society's 1994 black tie fund-raiser and Catherine McCauley's Health Center's Big Top Gala.

The public is invited to watch Timco in action on Sept. 11 at 7:30 p.m. when she performs in the atrium of the Novi Civic Center on Ten Mile Road just east of Taft Road prior to the Novi City Council meeting. The performance is free.

For further information, contact the Novi Arts Council, 347-0400.

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# Many new offerings coming to annual Victorian Festival

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tainment to Main Street to get more kids involved in the festival," Marrs said. "It's great to see the kids dress up in period costume parading through the streets."

The Doggles of the Wild West will perform 7:30-8:30 p.m. on Friday. Saturday they are scheduled to perform from noon to 1 p.m., 2 to 3 p.m., and 4 to 5 p.m. Sunday shows take place at noon-1 p.m., 2:30-3:30 p.m., and 4:30-5:30 p.m.

Also new for the festival this year will be the Common Folk Benefit, hosted by Genitt's Hole in the Wall. Tickets to the benefit are \$25 and can be purchased at Genitt's. The benefit will start at 5 p.m. and end at 8 p.m., and will feature a talent show.

All proceeds from the benefit will be given to Northville Civic Concern.

Prizes for the talent show include a first prize of a \$500 Savings Bond, donated by Simkins & Simkins. Other busi-

nesses have donated prizes and in kind donations, according to Marlene Kunz, director of Civic Concern. "We're looking forward to a wonderful turnout, and it's great to see so many businesses and residents donating time and money to this cause," she said.

Another new event this year is the Victorian Festival Home Tour scheduled for Sept. 16, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Of course the Victorian Festival wouldn't be complete without the parade and the Victorian Ball. The parade is slated to wind its way through Northville at 6:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 15.

This year, as in years past, local restaurants will cater the event. Glenn Morningstar and the Ruff Water String Band - playing original period instruments - will provide the entertainment and music for the dancing portion of the evening. Morningstar, Marrs said, acts as the contra-dancing caller, and his easy going style plays well with festival goers.

"He's great at instructing peo-

ple on the period dancing," she said. "He makes the evening a whole lot of fun."

Marrs said people attending the ball will again park in the MAGS parking lot and will ride to the recreation center in horse drawn carriages.

"It's really a spectacular thing to see," she said. "It always reminds me of the Academy Awards with people lined up taking pictures of the people arriving in the carriages."

The event is scheduled to begin at 7:30 p.m. The Chamber of Commerce is selling tickets for the ball.

"This is not like any other festival you'll find around the state. It's a gathering of the entire community," Marrs said. "Some people start preparing six months in advance for this, getting their costumes ready. It's just an exciting time in Northville."

For additional information regarding the Victorian Festival contact the Chamber of Commerce, 349-7640.

# Ward concept plan undergoes changes

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share space with a 280,000 square foot shopping center and 4,000 parking spaces. As big as that sounds, however, more than 84 of the 140 acres will be used for landscaping, berming, preserved open space or ball fields and tennis courts.

Some on the board and the commission - particularly Mark Abbo, who sits on both - expressed concerns at the time, however, about the position of the church on the site. Abbo said he feared that the building might be too imposing at its proposed spot for those traveling along Six Mile. Instead, he proposed moving the church northward on the parcel and moving green space or recreational areas to the south.

That led to the board's motion and weeks of talks between the township's and Ward's planning

consultants. They decided that moving the church straight north would encroach too much on some high-quality woodlands in the northwest zone of the site. In addition, Ward officials weren't in favor of putting softball diamonds to the south of the building.

"That's just plain unacceptable to us," Ward member Bill Johnson told the commission. "We don't want ball fields or a large parking lot in our front yard."

Instead, Ward will now sit back more than 600 feet from Six Mile. Landscaping, including berms, are planned to help hide the buildings and parking lots on the site from

Six Mile as well.

The other advantage of the plan - better parking distribution - will help quell the concerns of those who had misgivings about the 2,500 space "asphalt sea" that was slated to sit behind the church in the original plan. The modified plan breaks the parking up into six separate lots, putting nearly 750 spaces on the eastern side of the church in two lots.

Ward officials said they're shooting for the commission's October meeting to present a formal site plan. If and when one is approved they estimate construction will take about 14 months.

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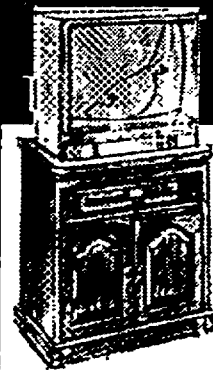
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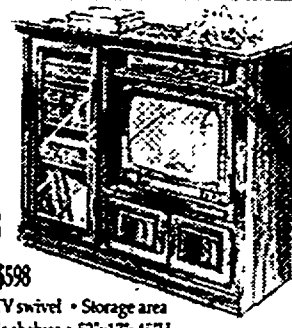
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Northville resident Chris Maloney inspects the damage done to this yard by work in his neighborhood. Maloney plans to take the city to court to recover his losses.

## Resident considers legal action due to sidewalk construction

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added. "He's just caught in the middle. The city needs to admit they made the mistake."

The damage to Maloney's grass is limited to the curb lawn, which sits between the street and the sidewalk and is public right-of-way, according to Gallogly.

Gallogly and city consultant Bob

Warner of McNeely & Lincoln met with Maloney last weekend to discuss possible remedies to the problem. "We met with Mr. Maloney and tried to assure him that the contractor would correct the damage," he said.

Maloney, however, believes the only way to settle the dispute is through the courts.

"I'm planning to file against the

city sometime this week," he said. "They need to know that I'm serious about this. I know how Northville operates. They're notorious for shoveling stuff off on the little guy."

"They think the citizens are ignorant," he added. "What I want is very simple. I want my lawn and sidewalk fixed, and I want the city to admit they made a mistake."

## Maybury State Park News

**PARK HOURS:** Maybury State Park is open daily from 8 a.m. until 10 p.m. Farm hours are 8 a.m.-5 p.m. daily. A state park motor vehicle permit is required for entry to the park.

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**SEPTEMBER BIRD HIKE:** Early fall migration has begun! Some of our summer residents have already left for warmer climates, and birds that nest farther north have just begun passing through.

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## New PTA officers named

The new school year is under way and the various PTA organizations in the Northville Public School District are preparing to begin their meetings.

Here is a list of who's who among the different PTAs in the district.

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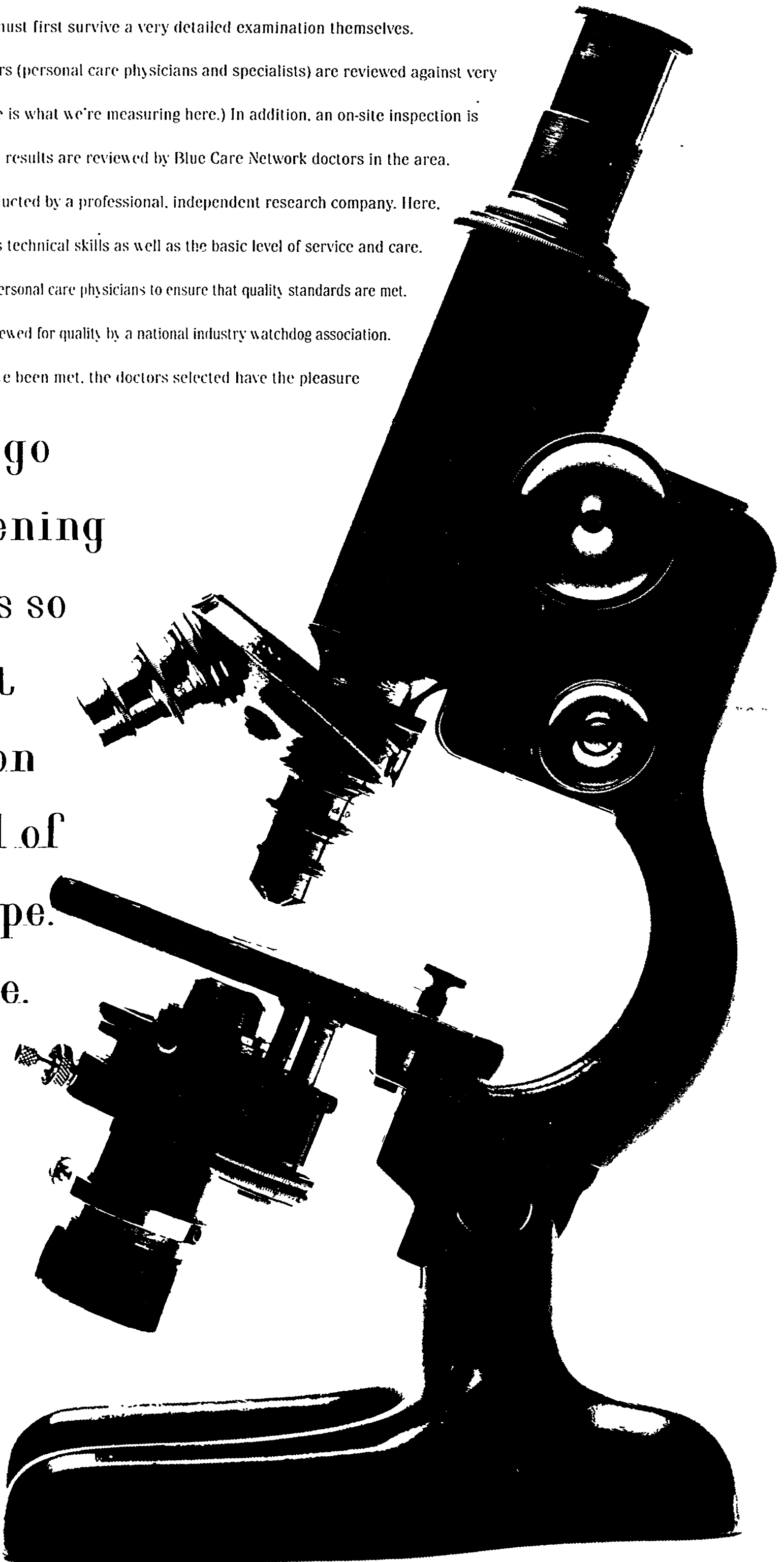
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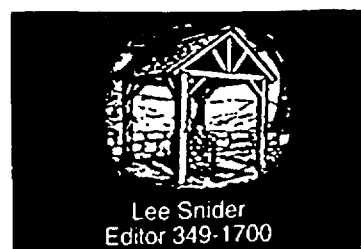
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## Our Opinion

### City project slowed by casual approach

Northville city officials have an obligation to seek answers to a number of questions about the sidewalk project now under way in the Cabbagetown and Northville Heights neighborhoods.

The project is a serious mess, with contractor J.D.S. Trucking performing what can only be called shoddy work. The poured concrete in some areas of the project was bubbling, cracking and pitting, and segments of sidewalk were unevenly placed.

In addition, debris and powder residue from removed concrete was left to litter the area.

Understandably, residents complained.

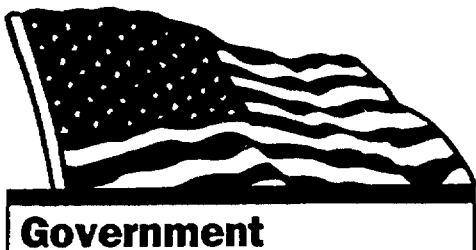
Fortunately, city council member Chuck Keys brought the problem to light and the contractor has agreed to make good. McNeely & Lincoln, the consulting firm which recommended J.D.S. and is performing inspection services on the project, has agreed not to bill the city for the work done to date.

Though one vocal resident is unhappy with the repairs now in progress, there's hope the project will get back on track and be completed with no additional cost to the taxpayers.

Even if the ending is ultimately a happy one, however, city officials must try to ascertain what went wrong.

We suggest they pose the following questions in their analyses:

1) Why was J.D.S. Trucking retained as the contractor? By all accounts, this is a young firm that lacks experience. While it's true McNeely Lincoln recommended them, the selection can't be regarded as a wise one. Is the city in the habit of accepting McNeely's recommendations uncritically?



2) According to McNeely Lincoln's own observation reports, an inspector was on site for only 36 of the 67 hours of the project's early stages. With the city paying McNeely \$250 a day for inspection work, it deserves better than a half-time vendor. And with the contractor an unproven commodity, the need for watchful oversight was even greater.

3) If McNeely was inspecting as it should have been, why did it allow the completion of substandard work? If an inspector was on site for 36 hours, he or she must have done a lot of leisure reading. The flaws in the construction were plainly visible even to an untrained eye. Was the city paying \$250 a day for an inspector who was asleep at the wheel?

Given the nature of these questions, it is difficult to avoid the conclusion that this project has been hampered by laxness. And if corners were cut in this case, we have to wonder, along with council member Keys, whether other projects suffer similar treatment.

It is easy to drop your guard when working with familiar vendors who know the routine, as McNeely Lincoln does in dealing with the city. But there are obvious drawbacks to a liberal delegation of responsibilities. This bad experience with an unknown contractor is one of them.

## Resident heretic gets irksome

Tenacious letter writer Alfred Galli is going to love this.



Lee Snider

Galli, who writes at least one letter a week to this newspaper and sometimes more, is finally starting to get to our readers.

In the last couple of weeks, his blasphemies have managed to tick off people on both religious and political grounds.

"I usually don't pay any attention to him, but this time he's insulted my religion," said one reader. "Why don't you just give him his own column," she facetiously added. "He's in the paper often enough to have one."

Galli, regular readers have long since come to know, is deliberately irreverent. Some of his favorite targets of attack, selected to provoke argument, are seminal theological doctrines like the virgin birth and the resurrection.

One time during a telephone conversation, Galli, now in his early 80s, identified himself as a secular humanist but said the term atheist isn't far off the mark either.

He once sent in a letter saying that John, the author of the wildly visionary New Testament book of Revelation, was a wacko who would be forced into a straight jacket if he wrote in the same hallucinatory style today.

He later expressed disappointment that no one got mad and challenged this assertion in the form of an angry letter of response.

Galli also enjoys writing about politics, and his views are consistently left of center. He likes to depict conservatives like Newt Gingrich as jingoists and big-business lackeys who care little about the plight of the poor

or the survivability of the planet.

Suffice it to say that he is highly opinionated and that he spares no one's sensibilities when he sits down at his typewriter.

A reader with a decidedly conservative bent called me last week and suggested that we allow him to engage in a point-counterpoint exchange with Galli in *The Northville Record*. He said that he, too, enjoys a good verbal sparring match and that he was sure he would have no trouble pointing out the many fallacies of his misguided opponent.

I told him I thought Galli would like nothing more than to do that, but as a community newspaper our balliwick is local issues and Galli never sets his sights that low. He specializes in questions of cosmic import. Mundane matters of millages, zoning ordinances and development projects apparently hold no interest for him.

I confess to having a fascination with Fred Galli but I'm also a little puzzled by his likes. He obviously cares enough to think long and hard about core life issues and is hearty enough to take a no-holds-barred approach to his analyses.

But you've got to wonder why he feels the need to invite everyone into his head. Is he so self-important that he thinks people far and wide would benefit from his infinite wisdom? Or is it that he's curious about what others think and he wants to stimulate debate?

In any event, I like to keep in mind what my Executive Editor, Phil Jerome, once told me.

When speaking about another frequent letter writer, Phil said: "He may be a flake, but he's our flake. Don't discourage him."

I hope the frankness of this column won't serve as a discouragement to any of our letter writers. I do expect, however, that it'll elicit a response. And that's an outcome Galli himself has to appreciate.

Lee Snider is the editor of *The Northville Record*.

## Moments

By Bryan Mitchell



### Tearful goodbye

Novi Public Information Officer Cindy Stewart wipes away the tears during her going away party.

## Age: A state of mind or body?

After a really bad run-in with a nasty neighbor a few weeks ago, I was going to make that the topic of my column this time around. But after I calmed down, I decided to keep the nasty neighbor news for the longer story that will appear in the near future. (Incidentally, if you've had a run-in with a neighbor, call me.)

I think it curious sometimes when a writer for a local daily newspaper mentions her age in her columns, believing that the reader will identify with her because she's close to the same age.

There was a time when most physicians were older than me. When the tide turned I can't remember, but now the physicians seem younger.

When I went for an eye exam about six months ago, the still-wet-behind-the-ears optometrist took one look at my paperwork, and when he reached my date of birth information looked up at me and suggested I consider bifocals. This from a young man who probably hadn't even hung his diploma on the wall yet. In fact, we had to skip one test because he couldn't figure out how to turn on the machine.

It took a month to get used to my new bifocals, but he was right. It was probably just a lucky guess on his

part.

My recent physical from a doctor who had the nerve to suggest that at my age she would be conducting a baseline stress test, EKG and a chest X-ray. Followed by a lecture on how I should be exercising a half hour a day. Well, she's right on that account. I have been a non-exerciser. Which is the reason I was riding my bike two weeks ago when I separated my shoulder, which is doing much better by the way. So I had to give up exercising for a couple of weeks.

I didn't think we needed to do a separate stress test since the doctor was a half hour late for our appointment which made me late for picking up my children from day camp. That's stressful enough.

Now, if I were to close without mentioning my age would it make a difference to the story? Probably. You might think I'm 40-something, when in fact I'm only 42. Forty-something sounds as if you're close to 50 but can't quite admit it so you say 40-something instead.

Young at heart is what I am. So why do I need all those "old people's tests?" My outward appearance suggests good health. I'm a trim 122 pounds, 5 foot 4.

You're as young as you feel, they say, but if the insides ain't working right little else matters. No matter how young at heart I think I am, I may begin to feel older than I should if I don't start taking care of myself.

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## Our Opinion

# High school has quality faculty

To the Editor:

For the last two years during August you have criticized the Northville High School teaching staff. This practice must stop. It is evident by your editorial of Aug. 31 that you do not know what is really going on at our high school, nor have you spent time with the staff during the school day or during after-school activities.

The NHS faculty is made up of teachers who are experts in their fields. Have you ever attended an Honors Night? Our students are accepted at many major universities and win thousands of dollars in scholarships. Our faculty has written numerous letters of recommendation for them so that they can be admitted to these universities and qualify for scholarship money. Students also take many honors in local, state and national academic competitions.

Teachers spend hours not only in the classroom but after school in tutoring sessions. Students often make a special effort to visit us after they have graduated to tell us how successful they have been and how their education at NHS has helped them.

Have you ever seen an NHS Choir Concert, a band concert, or one of the fall plays or spring musicals? We put Broadway and New Orleans to shame. Our halls are filled with student art works and murals. We have talented students, and their teachers bring out the best in them.

If you really knew our school, you would know that several departments have new textbooks that bring the latest in these fields to our students, and teachers are well-read in the latest research in order to adopt these materials.

Our technology department is second to none. Every year dozens of teachers attend advanced placement conferences, seminars for special needs students and conferences in our own areas so that our students will be better informed and so that we may serve our students better.

Teachers at NHS give more than 100 percent. Many have three or more academic preparations. With no collegial planning time during the day like the teachers at other schools have, nor any time to meet in our now defunct study groups, we use our own time just to get our lessons planned and papers corrected.

Most of us enjoyed our study group time and learned a great deal that we were just beginning to share with our students. And, yes, most of us wear several hats. Personally, I am a wife and mother first and a teacher second. But while we are with our students we always give more than asked.

You must play a positive role in

our schools and community. I invite you and your "sources" to come and visit us. You may find schools as good as NHS, but you will not find any that are better.

Emily Serafa Manschot  
NHS Spanish Teacher

## Study sessions lacked focus

To the Editor:

Hopefully, your recent editorial on the teacher study sessions at Northville High School (NHS) will draw community comment. This entire project lacked a clearly defined direction, was poorly communicated to teachers and parents, and raised as many issues as it dealt with. All of this points to the lack of leadership in Northville Public Schools (NPS).

Since 1989, following the original strategic plan, parents, students, teachers and administrators have served on committees studying the need for changes at NHS. Many roadblocks prevented implementation of any recommendations. I supported last year's pilot project because I believed that by including all teaching staff in the study groups, a united plan of action could be agreed upon. I believed that the study groups would be guided to question the need for restructuring, to investigate other programs and to set a course of action all could support.

As one of three parents sent to a Model Schools Conference in Atlanta for five days in June 1994, along with NHS teachers, administrators and Jean Hansen, school board trustee, I was exposed to many exciting, innovative and successful high school programs operating in the United States, Europe and Asia. All of these programs were implemented following an organized process unique to each locale, but common in many points.

These common elements were explained as part of the conference and could easily be tailored to Northville's situation. I returned with enthusiasm and great hope for the pilot project. The participants made an enthusiastic presentation to the school board in August 1994, but to my knowledge nothing has been done with any of the information since then.

The teachers met for the entire school year and we are led to believe that many changes have occurred because of these meetings. The changes listed in the letter sent to NHS families and signed by Superintendent Leonard Rezmierski and Principal Tom Johnson do not meet my expectations of the purpose of the study groups and do not indicate any future direction for NHS.

Some changes have been made but without a common goal or

clear direction for the future. I asked the Board of Education in June, "What is your direction for NHS?" I received no replies from board members as they deferred to Dr. Rezmierski to respond. His usual lengthy and confusing response did not answer the question.

That is the problem - even after a full school year of the study sessions there is no direction for NHS or the rest of the school district. The teachers did have time to meet and work with one another and did accomplish many things, unfortunately disjointed from one another. The pilot program lacked process, leadership and guidance from the Board of Education and superintendent.

Now another study committee is to be organized this fall to "plan for the future." When will the committees end and action take place? I believe that there is a need for restructuring at NHS, but there may be many in the community who either believe that all is well enough, or don't have information to even have an opinion.

The first step in the process of change highlighted at the Model Schools Conference was to make the entire community - including students, teachers, parents, staff, and businesses - aware of the need for high school restructuring. A definite process is needed and leadership is necessary to explain it, guide it and believe in it. That leadership does not currently exist in the NPS.

The facilities committee has recommended building a new high school building and we will be asked to vote to provide funding. How can we be asked to vote funds for a building for which little or no planning has been done?

What do we as a community want from NHS? Will the building be designed to assist in teaching or will it just have better athletic facilities and look nice? Will that building be designed to enhance learning so students will be prepared to face the future, or will they be coming out of a 21st century building with 1950s or 1980s knowledge? What should our graduates know, be able to do and be like? This question was put to the community by a NPS committee over two years ago and a final document was drafted. Where is it now? Was it used by the high school teachers during their study sessions?

Isn't it ironic that while there exists a void in real leadership to plan for our students' future the school board rewards the superintendent with a second raise and benefit increase in two years (far exceeding the raises for teachers, staff and principals) and a contract extension? Will the lack of progress also be extended?

The school leadership has failed to plan for our children's futures and are therefore planning for failure! I urge the entire community to seek information, ask questions and express your opinions. It's time parents, students, faculty, businesses and the community unite to create an outstanding future for the Northville Public Schools starting now with the high school. We owe it to our children, our community and ourselves. Are we up to the challenge?

Sharon Ferrara

## Women rights still not honored

To the Editor:

Women this year are celebrating the 75th year of having won the right to vote in the United States.

Australia led the way by being the first nation to allow women the right to vote. Today, only Kuwait and Saudi Arabia do not allow women such a right. Would you believe that in this day and age women in Saudi Arabia must have written permission from men to travel? Also, they are forbidden to drive a car. Talk about human rights in these two countries!

The Interim Conference on Women in Beijing will try to focus on the plight of women worldwide. The fact that women everywhere fare worse than men by just about every economic measure; the fact that the worldwide average of wages for women are 30 percent to 40 percent less than their counterparts for the same work; the fact that women are often the primary victims of economic change; all these issues are to be discussed and recommendations made, so that countries around the world may consider changes in the role of women that are equitable, just and geared towards long overdue adjustments, so that full advantage can be taken of the contribution women can make in the matter of human affairs.

What arcane set of subjective predilections for fault finding can reasonably account for so many people's buttons to be pushed when the words feminine and feminist are mentioned? My library's unabridged Webster Third New International Dictionary, 1976 edition, defines the following words thusly: Feminine - "Characteristic of or appropriate to women;" Feminist - "One who advocates or practices feminism;" Feminism - "Organized activity on behalf of women's rights and interests;" "... movement seeking to remove restrictions that discriminate against women."

It is amusing if not disingenuous how some distort and torture the meaning of words.

Alfred P. Galli



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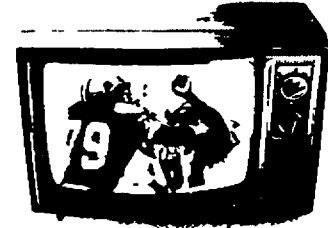
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When I was a little boy, my mother wouldn't let me go to the swimming pool from time to time during the summer.



Phil Power

"There's a polio outbreak," she'd explain. And she'd show me a picture from the local paper with a sad looking, paralyzed child trapped in an iron lung.

I remember the day long ago when the doctor told me to chew the sugar cube with the pink liquid on it. And I recall how proud and grateful I felt earlier this summer when I attended the ceremony at the U of M honoring Dr. Salk and the successful field trials for his vaccine against polio myelitis.

So it was with feelings of shock and dismay that I heard the news that Michigan ranks last - dead last! - among all the states in the percentage of preschool kids who are immunized against preventable childhood diseases.

According to the study just released by the U.S. Centers for Disease Control, Michigan's 61 percent immunization rate for 2-year-olds is dwarfed by the national average of 75 percent. (The highest score was Vermont, at 88 percent, followed by Hawaii and Connecticut, at 86 percent.)

Not surprisingly, the biggest problem in

Michigan is in Detroit, where only 50 percent of preschoolers have received their immunizations. This number is up substantially, however, from the measly 29 percent immunized according to the 1990 study, said Cynthia Taueg, Chief Health Officer for the city.

So how come so many parents ignore their overwhelming responsibilities to their own kids? The public health experts I talked to at the U of M offered a variety of explanations:

• It takes no less than five visits to the clinic to have immunized properly a 2-year-old against measles, rubella, mumps, diphtheria, whooping cough, tetanus, polio and hepatitis B. That's a hassle for any family, especially if both parents are working and don't have much health insurance.

• A lot of parents put off immunizing their children, and they don't learn about the state law requiring immunization until their kid goes to school on the first day of kindergarten. Not surprisingly, the immunization percentage increases dramatically after age five.

• There is a kind of Catch 22 at work here. Through past efforts at immunization we have dramatically reduced - in some instances virtually eliminated - childhood diseases. An entire generation of protected parents has no idea how lethal these diseases can be and, hence, little recognition of how important it is to immunize their children.

Be this as it may, it's still hard for me to tolerate the idea that two out of five Michigan parents are so irresponsible - so lacking in

family values - as to leave their preschool children unprotected against terrible disease.

There's a wider dimension to this issue as well. Immunization is one of those cases in which the welfare of society as a whole depends heavily on the willingness of individual members to act responsibly.

It's an idea in public health called "herd immunity." Essentially, it means that if a high enough percentage of the entire herd is immunized against a disease, that sickness cannot be transmitted through the total population. But if herd immunity drops below a certain number, disease transmission increases dramatically.

The level of herd immunity required to protect society as a whole against measles, for instance, is nearly 90 percent. That's much higher than existing levels in many places in Michigan, which is why you keep hearing about periodic outbreaks of measles, especially in inner cities.

The herd immunity level required to interdict the transmission of polio, however, is much lower.

What a sad irony it would be if continued irresponsibility of individual parents would reduce Michigan's herd immunity level for polio to the point that I, in my turn, had to keep my son away from swimming pools in the summer, just the way my mother did for me.

Phil Power is the chairman of the company that owns this newspaper. His Touch-Tone voice mail number is (313) 953-2047, ext. 1880.

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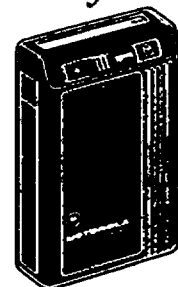
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# Safety belt patrols continue this weekend

Law enforcement officers from the Wayne County Sheriff's Department, the Michigan State Police and 12 Wayne County communities will join together for another special safety belt enforcement period this week-

end, Sept. 8-9.

Participating local departments include Belleville, Canton Township, Dearborn, Dearborn Heights, Detroit, Flat Rock, Highland Park, Huron Township, Redford Township, Taylor,

Sumpter Township and Van Buren Township.

The summer long "no excuses" safety belt enforcement campaign is designed to increase safety belt use in Wayne County,

currently estimated at 56 percent, compared to the state and national averages of 66 percent.

The campaign is funded by the Michigan Office of Highway Safety Planning.



## Pompon car wash raises charity dollars

Mid American Pompon Inc. of Farmington Hills coordinated a dual car wash fund-raiser that benefited the Ann Arbor Ronald McDonald House. On June 24, girls from nine high school pompon squads raised over \$2,000 by holding car washes at the Farmington Hills and Westland Sam's Club warehouse locations.

At the Farmington Hills car wash, pompon teams represented Northville High School; Novi High School; and Mercy Catholic High School, Farmington Hills.

Pompon squads from Garden City High School; Annapolis High School; Dearborn Heights; Crestwood High School; Dearborn Heights; Churchill High

School, Livonia; Franklin High School, Livonia; and Thurston High School, Redford, participated in the Westland car wash.

The money was raised by the two car washes, a barbecue held in connection with the fund-raiser, collection cans and \$1,000 from Wal-Mart, the parent corporation of Sam's Club.

The mission of the Ann Arbor Ronald McDonald House is to provide families of children experiencing a serious illness or injury requiring hospitalization or treatment on an outpatient basis a "home away from home" that assists in alleviating the families' emotional and financial stress.

## State school reforms face tough sell

By TIM RICHARD  
Staff Writer

Michigan legislators will be in no rush this fall to adopt the radical reforms on the State Board of Education's agenda.

"There's no chance the House Education Committee will adopt any of them," predicted Rep. Gerald Law, R-Plymouth, a former teacher who won back his old seat in 1994 with help from educators.

Law represents Northville Township and the Wayne County portion of Northville in the state House.

Rep. Lyn Bankes, R-Redford, agreed, saying there was a large bloc of House Republicans who are cool if not chilly to the ideology of Clark Durant, president of the State Board.

Bankes said many Republicans are reluctant to speak out for fear of damaging Gov. John Engler's national ticket prospects. Engler recruited Durant as a State Board candidate and appointed similar ideologues.

"Stay loose on State Board or other specific proposals as to how the School code might be revised," Rep. William Bryant Jr., R-Grosse Pointe, advised his col-

leagues in a letter last month.

Bryant chairs the House Education Committee, through which all of Durant's proposals must be channeled. Bryant said new school laws in recent years should be given a chance to work, "not to throw that system into chaos or anarchy, or to destroy it."

Republicans have a razor-thin 56-54 control over the House.

Engler started the furor in his State of the State address when he proposed scrapping the entire School Code, to the delight of the Religious Right. Senate majority leader Dick Posthumus, R-Alto, hopped aboard with an announcement that "Senate Republicans Repeal School Code," but the repeal movement stalled almost immediately in the Senate Education Committee.

Bryant said Engler "has told me, however, he did not realize then - but does realize now - that the Public Act 25 standards have really become appreciated and broadly well accepted over the past few years."

"Those items would be school improvement process and plans, the model core curriculum, the endorsed diploma test, MEAP testing, the annual (school

building) report, accreditation (of school buildings), some form of assurance of teacher competence, and professional development."

Durant and his followers have attacked state regulation, a part of the Michigan Constitution since 1837, in virtually every form. They want to loosen the core curriculum standards, ease teacher certification rules, take off the cap on charter academies, allow total school choice, loosen the definition of "public schools," and allow districts and portions of districts to become "autonomous."

Bankes said business people at a Greater Detroit Chamber of Commerce gathering this summer were disturbed at the State Board's agenda. Many reforms - particularly endorsed diplomas and proficiency tests - were adopted at the suggestion of corporate leaders.

Bryant said some portions of the School Code could be revised without repealing the entire act:

- Do away with different population classes of school districts.
- Give all districts "broad general, rather than narrow delineated, powers."
- Simplify the charter school

"There's no chance the House Education Committee will adopt any of them."

-Rep. Gerald Law

sections once the courts rule on the constitutionality of the Noah Webster Academy.

• Reduce rule-making by the State Board.

Meanwhile, another lawmaker is pushing a plan to remove election provisions from the School Code and cover them in the Election Code. Rep. Bob Brackenridge, R-St. Joseph, would confine the entire state, including schools, to three election dates a year, reducing the number of millage elections.

House Speaker Paul Hillemonds, R-Holland, packed many religious conservatives onto Bryant's Education Committee this year. But Bryant, supported by moderates like Penny Crissman, R-Rochester, and Democrats have the votes to control the committee.

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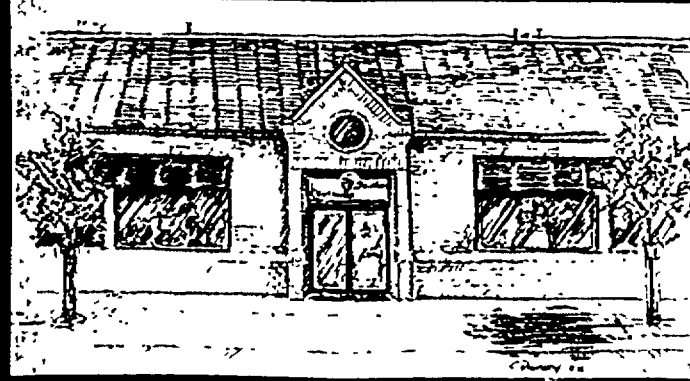
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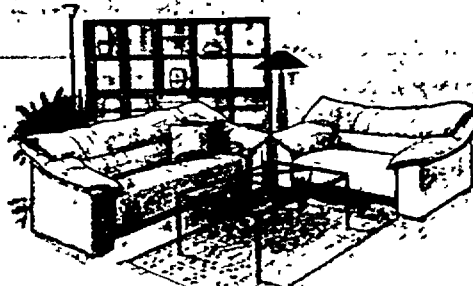
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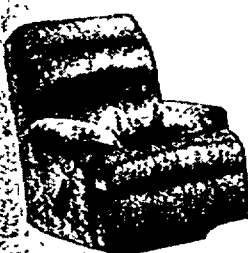
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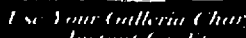
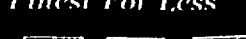


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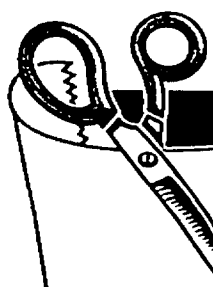
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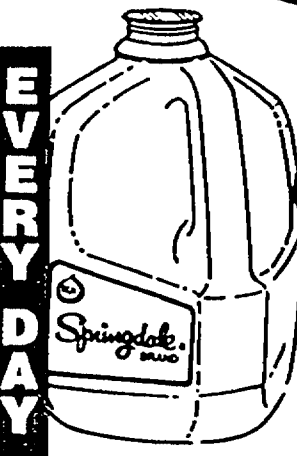
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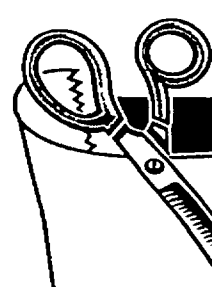
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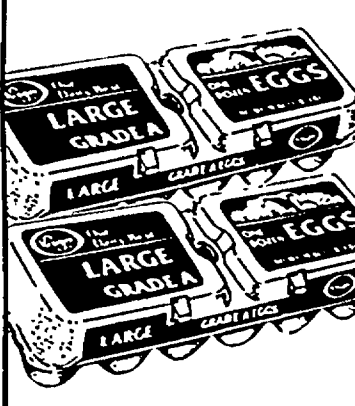
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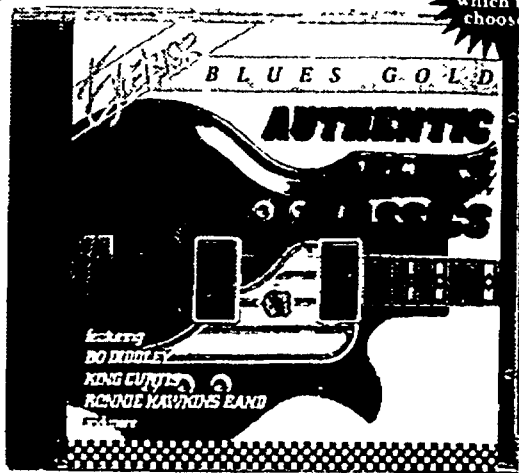
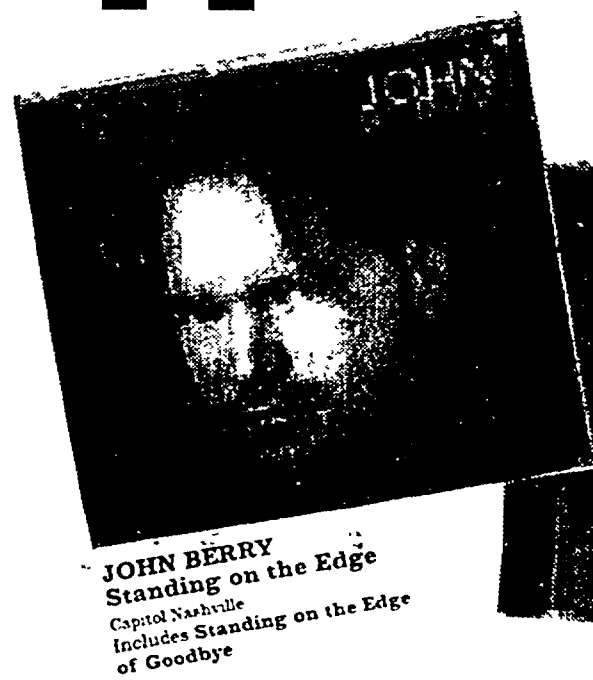
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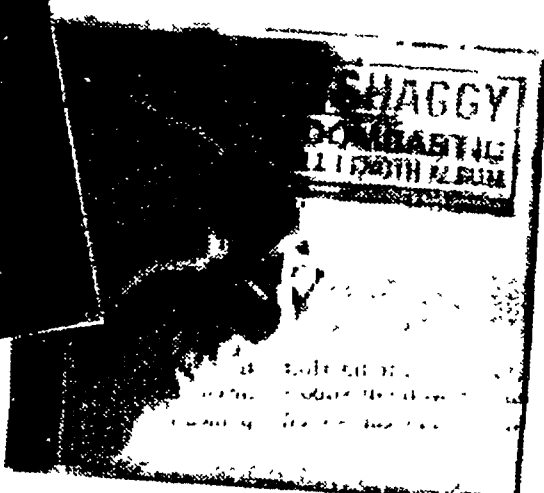
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## DNR issues decision on deer baiting issue

Following hours of public testimony and a final tally of 7,134 cards and letters submitted to the Department of Natural Resources on the question of hunting deer over bait, DNR Director Roland Harmes has announced a decision regarding baiting in the 1996 deer hunting season.

"We carefully reviewed the testimony and correspondence of those who attended citizen input meetings or wrote letters," Harmes explained. "Most people expressing opinions indicated that they did not support restricting or banning baiting. I then consulted with the Natural Resources Commission and the experts in our Wildlife and Law Enforcement Divisions."

"After listening to various viewpoints and weighing the options, I have decided that there will be no changes at this time regarding the practice of hunting deer over bait."

Harmes added, however, that he is taking action to address concerns related to territorial conflicts between hunters.

"Public testimony convinced me that the primary problems are associated with hunters occupying permanent hunting blinds on public lands," Harmes noted. "Therefore, I hereby adopt the recommendation of our Wildlife and Law

Enforcement Divisions that construction and use of permanent hunting blinds on all state and federally owned public lands be prohibited as of Jan. 1, 1996."

"This is a logical extension of the DNR's response several years ago when increasing conflicts between hunters resulted in current regulations prohibiting the use of permanent blinds in state game or wildlife areas," Harmes explained.

He noted that handicappers who provide their names on blinds are allowed to leave them through the end of the hunting season. Hunters have found that easily portable hunting blinds are readily available.

Harmes added that the DNR will closely monitor reports of conflicts between hunters during the next two years, and that further action may not be required if conflicts associated with hunting deer over bait decrease.

"However, if the prohibition regarding permanent hunting blinds on all public lands fails to reduce these conflicts during this two year test period, the DNR will very likely restrict hunters to a bait pile no larger than 10 gallons, or, prohibit hunting deer over bait altogether," Harmes concluded.

## Liberty BIDCO buys another upstart venture

Liberty BIDCO Investment Corp., Southfield, has announced its acquisition of Farmington Hills-based Great Lakes BIDCO.

The youngest standard BIDCO in the state, Liberty says it is the largest BIDCO in Michigan, nearly doubling its size, and creating a corporation of 75 shareholders and \$15 million in assets.

BIDCO stands for Business and Industrial Development Corp., a type of venture capital firm organized under a 1986 state law.

Pearl Holforty, Liberty's founding president and CEO, said the purchase of Great Lakes BIDCO substantially increases Liberty's presence in the industry and creates increased financing opportunities.

"We envision investing close to \$60 million in approximately 100 businesses in the state during the next five years. Adding this to the additional bank financing that becomes available with our subordinated debt, it could mean a total of \$150-\$200 million of growth capital for Michigan business," said Holforty.

Great Lakes is Liberty's second in nine months. In December 1994, Liberty also acquired Discovery BIDCO in Grand Rapids, merging the two corporations and continuing to do business on the west side of the state as Discovery.

Prior to the Great Lakes purchase, the combined unit of Liberty and Discovery had loaned more

than \$15 million to 32 diversified companies with investments ranging from \$50,000 to \$1.5 million.

The purchase of six-year-old Great Lakes enables Liberty to make loans as large as \$1 million to businesses seeking growth capital.

Client companies include automotive and non automotive manufacturers, construction contractors, wholesalers, and service businesses in fields such as temporary personnel, medical supply services, software development and franchising.

By acquiring Great Lakes, Liberty brings several leading national and regional shareholders to its present strong base of shareholders.

Rick Inatome, chairman of the board of Liberty, explained the significance. "By melding the shareholder groups, we've created a mechanism to give our client companies not only access to capital, but access to a wide network of entrepreneur and corporate executive shareholders; they provide mentoring and leadership of a caliber seldom found in normal financing circles," said Inatome.

BIDCOs provide financing, often in conjunction with banks, considered too risky for traditional bank loans and not of interest to venture capitalists, with monies obtained from private investors and state governments.

## PIRG recommends credit unions to cut bank fees

With mergers rocking the banking industry and service fees on the rise, the U.S. Public Interest Research Group (PIRG) has suggested in a new report that consumers consider joining a credit union to save on the cost of banking fees.

The Washington, D.C.-based consumer advocacy organization contends that the non-profit financial cooperatives known as credit unions have lower service fees than banks, competitive interest rates and better deals on credit cards.

The PIRG survey of 271 banks in 25 states conducted this spring showed a significant increase in bank fees since 1993. Statistics indicate bank fees have risen at twice the rate of inflation.

"Bankers still have their hands deep in our wallets," stated PIRG spokesman Ed Mierzwiński, a co-author of the report.

"The drive for profits, fired by mergers creating even larger megabanks, stands in stark contrast to the not-for-profit, democratically-controlled credit union structures," said Michael Kelly, a consumer advocate and spokesman for the Michigan Credit Union League. "Credit unions keep fees down because their profits don't go to anonymous shareholders, but rather back to the members of the credit union. Members are anyone who transacts financial business at credit unions."

As democratic financial cooperatives, credit unions are governed by their members on the basis of one-member, one-vote. Members choose the credit union's board of directors, which serves on a volunteer basis without compensation.

"There's no point in driving up profits if you're just going to give them back to the members," Kelly pointed out. "Credit unions focus their attention on providing needed services in a cost-effective way."

Last year, membership in Michigan credit unions grew by 90,000 to reach 3.8 million.

"That means 40 percent of our state's population belongs to a credit union," said Kelly.

The consumer group's report echoes the results of a 1994 study by the Credit Union National Association (CUNA) which showed that 67 percent of credit unions offer some form of free checking, compared to just 23 percent of banks. When credit unions do charge checking fees, they average \$4.34 per month compared to the average \$7.34 charge at banks.

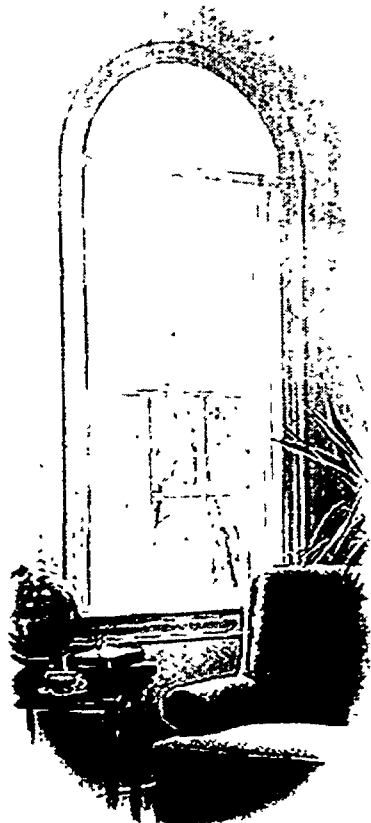
Credit union members can also write nearly twice as many checks before a per-check fee is imposed, an average of 29 free checks versus 15 at banks. Studies conducted by CUNA indicate that banks earn about 25 percent of their income from fees and other sources apart from loans and investments. This compares to less than 9 percent for the typical credit union.

In a related story, Richard Kopcke, vice president and economist with the Federal Reserve Bank of Boston recently stated that banks are approaching the day when loan officers will be replaced by computer analysis. Speaking to a group of credit union chief financial officers in Boston last week, Kopcke stated that, "You don't get a loan anymore, you visit an underwriter. Federal regulations and secondary market demands have made loan applications less of a judgment call and more of a paperwork function."

"At the megabanks, character doesn't count for anything anymore," Kopcke explained. "That opens up the market for credit unions interested in serving consumers who prefer being treated like members."

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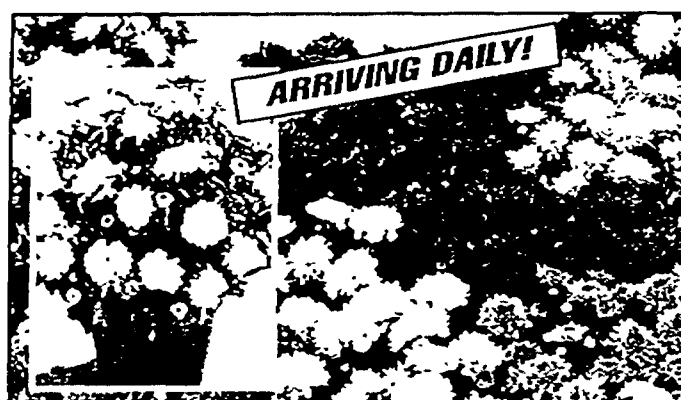
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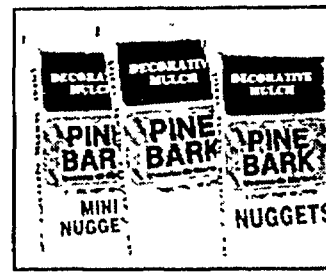
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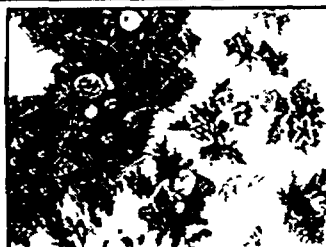
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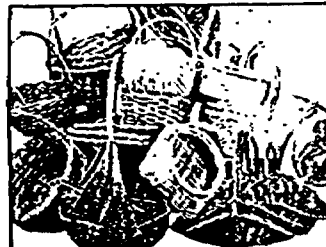
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## Walled Lake picks a new police chief

Walled Lake City Manager Phil Vawter has announced the appointment of Jerry Walker as Walled Lake Police Chief, effective Aug. 23.

Walker, a 15-year veteran of the department, has served as interim chief for the past three months, since the retirement of Chief Ken Borio. A total of 52 applications

were received for the position.

Chief Walker received a bachelor of science with honors degree in criminal justice from Madonna University in 1990, and is currently enrolled in a master's program at Eastern Michigan University.

Vawter said, "Within the last year, the Walled Lake Police Department has experienced a

period of transition with the retirement of several police officers. This has led to several promotions and the hiring of new officers. At the same time, the community is expe-

riencing residential and commercial growth. The city was fortunate to have an internal candidate for the position of police chief with the personal and professional quali-

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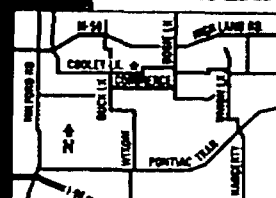
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## Botsford performs first heart transplant

Thanks to a new affiliation between Botsford General Hospital and University of Michigan Medical Center, Redford resident Martha Harris was able to begin her journey to U-M for a heart transplant in Farmington Hills.

This partnership enables Botsford, a community-based teaching hospital, to serve as a Satellite Heart Transplant Clinic for the U-M Heart Care Program. In this clinical arrangement, Botsford provides the care and management necessary to qualify appropriate candidates for heart transplants and U-M performs the transplant surgeries. Botsford then provides all the follow-up care required for heart transplant patients.

"It would have been difficult for me to make the 45-minute drive to Ann Arbor for follow-up care," Harris said. "Botsford is a real convenience. If I have any concerns their staff is there to help."

According to Dr. Robert Stomel, Botsford's chief of cardiology, the affiliation offers patients tangible benefits as well.

"By partnering our services with U-M's transplant program, we are able to reduce costs and offer seamless care to patients and their families," Dr. Stomel

said. "This is a win-win situation for our organizations and the patients we serve."

Michael Deeb, M.D., U-M Medical Center's director of adult cardiac surgery and co-director of the Heart Care Program, agreed. "We are pleased to be able to join with Botsford for this program," he said.

The six-month-old Satellite Heart Transplant Clinic is an adjunct to Botsford's Congestive Heart Failure Clinic, which is an ambulatory program designed to aggressively manage care for patients who have been diagnosed with congestive heart failure. Both clinics are directed by Dr. Chris Schooley, who is on staff at both Botsford and U-M.

"Congestive heart failure can progress to the point where a heart transplant may be the only alternative available for some patients," said Dr. Schooley. "Establishing the transplant clinic enables us to offer congestive heart failure patients a full range of services."

Botsford General Hospital is an osteopathic teaching facility serving Farmington Hills and its surrounding communities. It is affiliated with the Michigan State University College of Osteopathic Medicine.

## State plan reviewed in Novi hearing

State officials will take input on their plans to spend federal housing and community development funding over the next years during a public hearing scheduled for Tuesday, Sept. 19, from 10 a.m. to noon in the Sheraton Oaks Hotel at Novi Road and I-96.

The National Affordable Housing Act authorizes funds to continue certain existing federal housing and community development programs. Before receiving any funds under the Act, states must submit

a consolidated plan to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development that identifies their housing and community development needs and proposes how those needs will be addressed during the next five years.

The consolidated plan must also include a citizen participation plan, which provides for and encourages citizens to review and comment upon the consolidated plan. In Michigan, the Michigan State Housing Development

Authority (MSHDA) is responsible for preparing the state's consolidated plan.

A series of hearings is scheduled to take place across the state. Organizations which are developing projects that may require funding from programs covered in the plan are being encouraged to attend the hearings and share their development plans at the hearings.

Information gathered during the public hearings will be used to

develop the Michigan consolidated plan.

Individuals and organizations unable to attend a hearing may submit written comments to Richard Ballard, Office of Community Development, MSHDA, 401 S. Washington Square, P.O. Box 30044, Lansing, MI 48909. Written comments must be received no later than Sept. 30.

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Motorists pay an extra \$19.5 billion per year - or \$112.69 per registered driver - in extra vehicle operating costs to drive on substandard roads in need of repair, according to a nonprofit transportation research group.

"One of the overlooked factors in car care is that road conditions can have a direct impact on your car," said William M. Wilkins, executive director of The Road Information Program (TRIP). "Driving on roads in substandard condition causes excess tire wear, increases fuel consumption and results in the need for increased routine maintenance."

Wilkins said TRIP's calculation of additional vehicle operating costs is based on the fact that 59 percent of the nation's roads are substandard, according to Federal Highway Administration data. Nine percent of roads are in poor condition and 50 percent are in fair condition.

Roads in poor condition are badly cracked, rutted or broken in many places and usually need to be reconstructed. Roads in fair condition are likely to have cracks or are broken in many places but often need only to be resurfaced. These roads also are more likely to develop potholes.

"Driving on roads in deteriorating condition hits motorists in their pocketbooks," Wilkins said. "This is a hidden tax motorists pay because their roads are not being repaired."

Wilkins explained that extra vehicle operating costs are based on a determination by the Con-

gressional Budget Office that the variable cost to operate vehicles is 29 percent higher on roads in poor condition compared to driving on roads in good condition, and 11 percent higher on roads in fair condition.

"TRIP emphasizes that preventive maintenance of the vehicle as well as the road makes good economic sense. Check tires and wheel alignment, for example, after encountering one of those bone-jarring potholes," Wilkins said.

The major reason for deteriorating road conditions is an annual \$13 billion shortfall in highway funding needed to maintain current road conditions as well as a \$212-billion backlog of unfunded road improvement projects, Wilkins explained.

Money for highway repairs comes primarily from federal and state gasoline taxes - or user fees - that are paid by motorists at the pump on each gallon of gasoline.

"The concept of user fees is that road repairs are paid for by those motorists who use them," Wilkins said. "Unfortunately, lawmakers have begun to use some gasoline taxes to pay for non-highway projects and that means needed highway repairs are not being made."

Motorists pay 18.4 cents per gallon federal gasoline tax, but only 10 cents per gallon goes into the highway account of the Federal Highway Trust Fund for road and bridge repairs.

"If all of the user fees were applied to make needed road repairs, driving would be less costly and safer," Wilkins said.

## Heat is dangerous especially for elderly

Summer's heat waves are putting senior citizens at serious risk for heat stroke and other heat disorders.

Family members and friends should stay alert and be prepared to assist or check on older persons in their community, according to Diane K. Braunstein, director of the Michigan Office of Services to the Aging. Agencies serving the elderly should contact their clients regularly.

"These prolonged episodes of excessive heat and humidity make seniors especially vulnerable," said Braunstein. "The high temperatures are especially taxing to older persons who have a reduced capacity to perspire. Senior citizens tend to perspire less than the young, impairing the body's cooling system. Persons who do not perspire will not be helped by fans and must have air conditioning to recover from the accumulating effect of the heat."

Older persons on medications are more susceptible to heat related illnesses, because some medications contain ingredients that can interfere with the body's natural cooling system.

Classic signs and symptoms of heat stroke are disorientation, loss of consciousness, headache, dizziness, weakness, nausea, vomiting and elevation of body temperature, a rapid pulse and decreased heart efficiency.

The danger to older persons can be gauged by a simple rule of thumb - three days of over 85

degree temperatures, without night relief, should trigger a check. Some say an 85 degree average necessitates a response.

Major tips are:

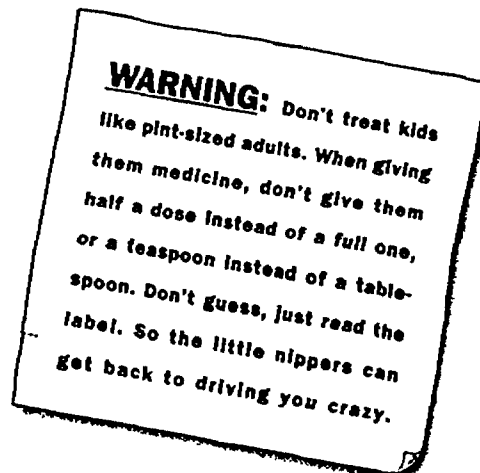
- Stay cool. Avoid being outdoors during the midday heat or when the temperature is highest. Reduce or eliminate strenuous activities. Take cooling tub or sponge baths.

- Seek air conditioned settings, such as community centers and shopping malls, or the coolest available place, which may be the basement of your home.

- Researchers say spending some time in an air-conditioned setting, even for a few hours each day, will reduce risk.

- Drink plenty of water and other non-alcoholic fluids. Avoid alcohol and caffeine which promote dehydration. Eat fruits with high water content, such as bananas, watermelon, cantaloupes and pineapple.

- Wear lightweight, light colored clothes to reflect heat and sunlight.



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# Finance 101

## College students need crash course in managing their money

First-year college students and their parents get a crash course in money management — "Financial Survival 101" — during orientation at the University of Michigan. Students pick up tips on cutting costs and paying bills so they don't "flunk tuition." The tips apply to any college student.

For instance, says Thom Johnson, U-M Office of Financial Aid:

- Set up a bank account with the local bank. "In most college towns, it is virtually impossible to cash a check without a local account. That way, you can visit your bank in person if you have a problem. You also will avoid being a Saturday night ATM nomad, wandering from one empty machine to the next. You can pay with a check instead."

- Bring cash to campus on the first day. You will need cash for key deposits, pizza, and you can avoid meeting your new roommate with, "Hi, I'm Chris. Can I borrow \$20?"

- Pay attention. Don't throw all your mail in a bottom drawer, saying "I'll read it when I graduate." There are usually penalties for late payments, so make a money file and toss all of your financial information in it right away.

- Schedule high finance time. Even the most perfect class schedule, "10 a.m.-2 p.m., Tuesday-Thursday," will have gaps in it. Schedule one hour a week to take care of money tasks. Balance your checkbook, pay bills, write home for more money.

- Learn to budget. It's not hard. "Know how much it costs. Know how much you have. Subtract. If you need more, call home, think job, or think financial aid. Or don't buy it."

- You will suffer name loss.

Don't fight it. Put your social security number or ID number on all your checks to the college or university. Just like they ask you to do, so your account will be credited properly.

- Buy used books on a "just in time" basis. You can save up to 20 percent on used books, so buy used. And buy as you need them because professors running short on time may drop a book from the syllabus. Save your receipts so you can return unused books.

- Read the book in the library if you are assigned only a few chapters.

- Buy generic. Notebooks and pencils and blankets with school logos will cost you more.

- Load up on necessities — shampoo, detergent, extension cords — before you come to campus. Mom-and-pop stores that service college campuses have higher prices than just about anywhere — "except for New York City. If you are from New York, wait."

- Save on rent by living in an apartment or a co-op. But in either case, "Live with lots of other people and make sure at least one roommate can cook."

- Book plan fares months ahead and, instead of booking a Thanksgiving trip with just a few days between flights, book a trip where the first leg is the flight back to campus after Thanksgiving and second leg is the trip home before Christmas. "The more weeks between legs, the cheaper the ticket."

- Use E-mail instead of the phone if the family is connected to the Internet at home or at work.

- Get scholarship, grant, work-study and loan information for next year from financial aid offices in the fall.

## Student's first year of college can bring trauma of 'letting go'

In the month before first-year students pack their bags for college, their normally peaceful families become snappish and overstressed.

Children shout that they can't wait to go. Parents snarl back, "I can't wait to see you go." And yet ... everyone is feeling guilty and a little bit sad. What is going on here?

"The trauma of letting go," explained Shirley Bradshaw, a counselor at University of Michigan Counseling and Psychological Services. "About one month before students leave — sometimes as soon as summer begins — parents of first-year students and the students themselves are hit with separation anxiety."

"Parents worry about how their child will cope and simultaneously look forward with relief to having their child off to college. They feel guilty about their anticipation, but this is normal."

The process of separating will continue well into the first year, Bradshaw said. To make the break somewhat easier, she suggests that parents take the following steps:

- If your emotions are very strong and affecting your behavior, talk about your anxiety with your child.

- "I am not suggesting a crying session," she cautioned. "Talk calmly about how you feel and take ownership of your feelings. That is, make it clear that your child shouldn't feel guilty or responsible for making you feel comfortable, because they can't."

- If you are bringing your child to campus, say your good-byes at home. "The move-in to residence halls is incredibly busy. Students are unpacking, meeting roommates and going off to meetings." Alternatively, plan a special dinner on campus where things won't be so hectic to say good-bye.

- Recognize that you are now leaving the control zone of parenthood and entering the supportive zone.

- "You need to use your listening skills more than ever before. Offer guidance only when asked. Reassure your child that he or she can cope with the college experience and that you will be there for them — if they need you."

- "Above all, don't flood them with last-minute advice and lectures about success. Letting go means showing your abounding love with open arms, open eyes, and closed mouth," she advised.

- If they are calling home daily, "Consider putting on your answering machine and screen the calls. When you do return the call, push them gently out into the world. Encourage them to explore cam-

pus groups and make new friends. If they are really discouraged, tell them to contact student counseling services."

- Send encouragement cards. "Hallmark has a whole section devoted to 'I know you can do it' messages, and kids love them, especially if they are a long way from home." Also, e-mail can be a less costly way to communicate, if you have access to it at home or the office.

- The phone call after the first exam can be difficult. "Many students are learning that they are no longer a big fish in a little pond, and their self-esteem is shaken. They may have gotten their first 'C' or even a 'D.'"

- "How you respond depends on your child. Some need to hear that you will love them no matter what. Others need some gentle guidance. You could ask, 'Could you have done better if you wanted to? Should you talk to your professor or your teaching assistant? Are there resources on campus that might help — study groups, computer labs? It helps if parents know about these resources,' she added.

- Don't visit until you are invited or until parent's weekend. "Respect your child's time, privacy and independence. If you suggest a visit and they turn you down, don't be offended. Their lives are extremely busy now. Surprise visits are particularly disruptive, so call before you come."

- Send letters with family news, "but don't fill them in on every tragic mishap in the neighborhood. Keep them updated but don't generate anxiety, stress or depression unnecessarily. Give them good news about their brothers and sisters, and try to include a funny story."

- Before Thanksgiving vacation, discuss your expectations about their return to house rules. But remember, said Bradshaw, "although you sent a high school student off to college, a young adult is coming home. Not that they will be fully mature — many will revert to high school behavior at home — but encourage them to behave as adults by treating them as adults."

- "Leave their messy rooms as they are, and if you set your alarm for the middle of the night when they were teens so you could check to see that they had come home, burn off the alarm now. Forget curfews and get some sleep."



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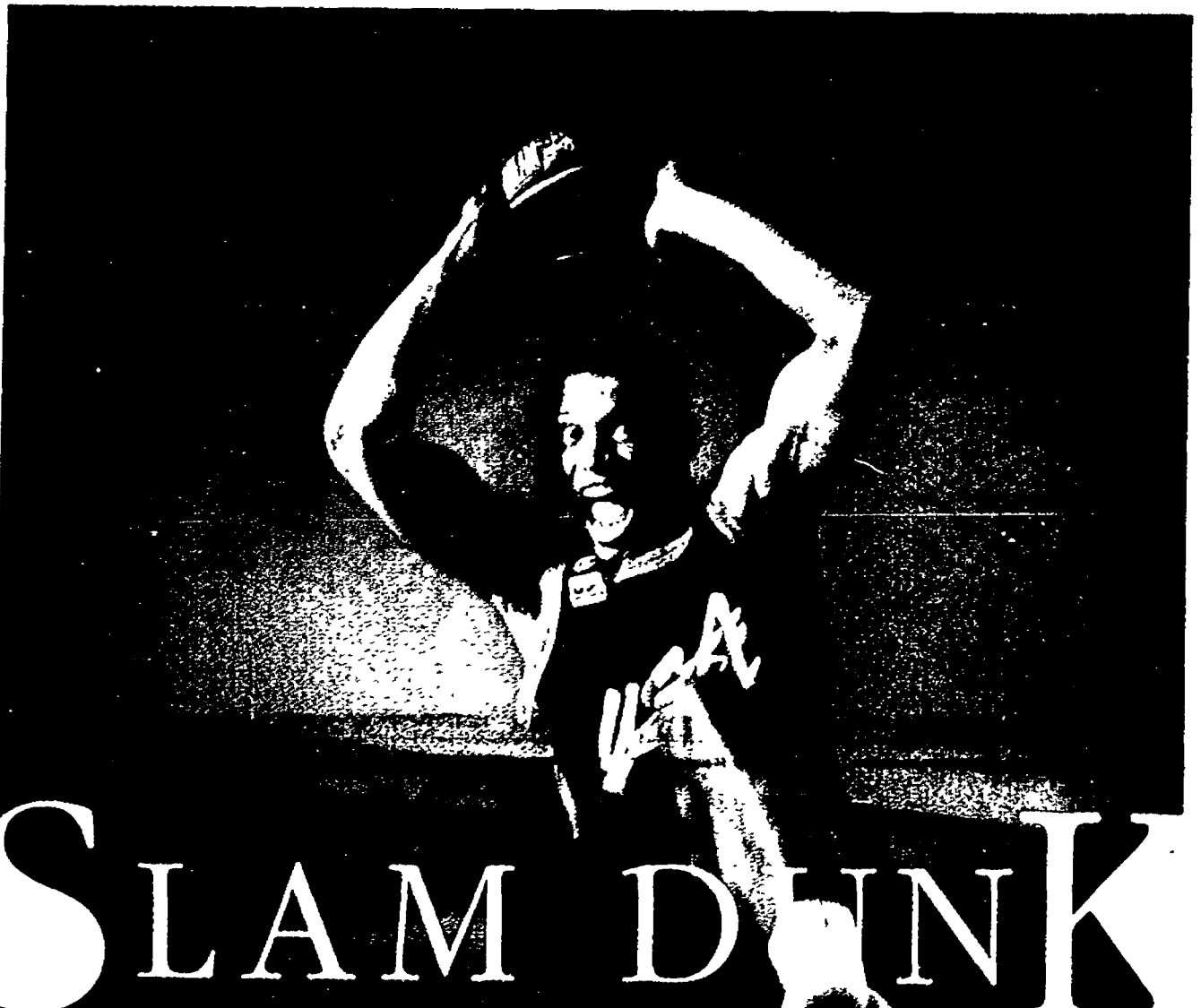
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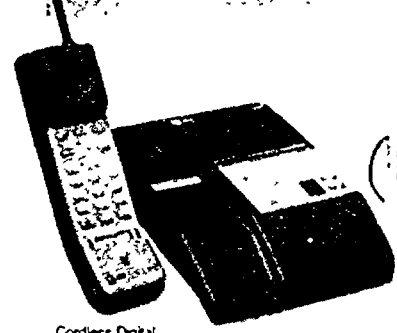


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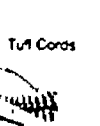
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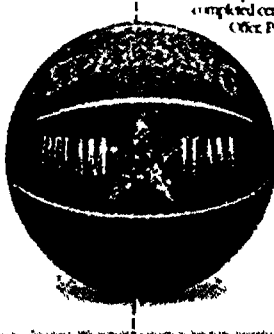
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## Opening doors to modern Victorian visitors

By CAROL WORKENS  
Staff Writer

The list of things to see and do at the Victorian Festival on Sept. 15, 16 and 17 is staggering. But one new activity that coincides with the festival and is a must see is the Northville Historical Home Tour on Saturday, Sept. 16, from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m.

For the first time in 16 years, some of the oldest homes in Northville are going to be open to the public.

"This is an interesting and fun event to add to your calendar of events during Victorian Festival days," publicity chairperson Betty Griffin said.

Of the five homes on the tour, three were built in the late 1800s, one was built in 1912, and the oldest was receiving its first renovation in 1840. All the homes are within a short walking distance of each other.

"This is the first public tour since 1979," said Nanci Olgren, chairperson for the Northville Historical Home Tour which is being sponsored by the Northville-Novl Branch of the American Association of University Women.

Some renovations to these homes were in keeping with the homes' original architecture while others have changed the structures so dramatically the original homeowners would probably not be able to recognize their own homes.

Such is the case with the first home on the tour which was built by Nelson Schrader in the prairie architecture design which was popular between 1900 and 1920. The present owners carefully blended the old with the new when they added a large family room and upstairs bedroom in 1992. The American foursquare home was built in 1912 for \$2,000 on land

that cost half as much as the house and included indoor plumbing and electricity. The evenly matched sides and roof slopes on this home are characteristic of prairie architecture.

Schrader, a funeral director, also had a barn on the property for his two horses—a black horse for funerals and a white horse for family use. A fire in 1920 destroyed the barn, which was replaced with a garage.

The original oak pillars and woodwork can be seen in the living room.

The next home on the tour, which is also the oldest, is a simple cottage John Blackwood built around 1830 and has gone through more changes than owners during its lifetime.

During the 1930s, it was the home of Dr. Linwood Snow who operated Sessions Hospital, located three buildings to the west of his house. Snow also owned the two buildings between his home and the hospital which he used as nurses quarters and as his office.

The Italianate-Victorian facade seen on the home today is much different than the simple cottage look it sported well over a century ago.

Highlights of the home include the dining room's walnut pocket doors, a restored 10-foot by 4-foot table from the University of Michigan Law Library and a window seat believed to have been a porte cochere, or carriage entrance, where guests could stand while waiting to be picked up or dropped off.

In the guest room are antique file cabinets and an antique chest made of mahogany from Scotland. The current owners of the home have a large teddy bear collection, some of which are having a tea party in the dining room at their



Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

Built in 1912, this home is typical of prairie architecture with its evenly matched sides and roof slopes which begin at a central point.

own small table.

A sea captain built the third home on the tour in 1874 with lumber shipped from Michigan's Upper Peninsula. The Hahns, who owned the home during the 1930s, remodeled it, creating the federalist colonial style seen today. The dormer windows in the upstairs bedrooms are original to the 1874 period.

A seating bench at the entrance to this home is a grain bin salvaged from the family farm. Other antiques include an English coffee table, armoire from the Starkweather House in Plymouth and dressing table from Vermont, which the family has collected over the years.

The current homeowner's grandmother made an assortment of quilts in common patterns such as Grandmother's Flower Garden and Dresden Plate which can be seen in the guest bedroom. The silk bedspread used in the master bedroom was crocheted by one of the great-grandmothers.

A notable addition to this home is the cherry paneled den. Northville craftsmen installed the paneling which had been individually wrapped in tissue paper to preserve the finish on the walls of the former screen porch.

The fourth home on the tour has



Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

The oldest home on the tour, it has undergone many renovations in its lifetime.

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### Volunteer



Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

LINDA HANDYSIDE

## Handyside sees the future in kids

By DOROTHY NASH  
Special Writer

"The kids are our future," said Linda Handyside in defense of the activities of Northville Youth Assistance of which she is an advisory council member.

What they are and what they do today can give us a preview of what they will direct for us tomorrow.

And that's why she cares so much about them and is now in her second term on the advisory council of Northville Youth Assistance. There are seven members—three men from the city, three women from the township, and one woman representing public schools—who meet monthly with Mary Ellen King, director, giving her guide lines and setting policy.

"It's a well-rounded group of people," she said with a variety of interests. "I'm employed as a medical assistant and I'm in organizations in Northville."

But not all volunteers or sponsors live in Northville. There are some who live in Plymouth. And

one new sponsor is in Livonia. Mary Ellen King recently acquired a grant from Target Stores there.

Also, Linda Handyside has a personal interest in Youth Assistance because her husband is a mentor.

"He went through training five years ago" and was appointed mentor for a 10-year-old boy. "They go on special trips together, meet to talk, have breakfast, and we have him here at the house."

Northville Youth Assistance has no big money raisers, but it does make an appearance at the Victorian Festival. "We have a booth—sell pop. Everybody takes a turn."

Handyside has two children, a son, 22, and a daughter, 19.

If you are interested in being part of Northville Youth Assistance, call 344-1618 about the next training course for mentors.

Or if you want to look in on a monthly meeting, come to the high school on the first Tuesday of the month at 8:30 a.m. It's in room 157.

### It's A Fact

#### Students Galore

Initial back to school figures show an increase of 257 students in the Northville Public Schools.









# Still time to get Town Hall Series tickets

There is still time to reserve your seat for the 35th season of the Northville Town Hall Series.

The lecture and luncheon series include four renowned speakers at 11 a.m. on Oct. 9, Nov. 13, March 11 and April 15 followed by a luncheon.

Opening the season will be Hope Mihalap on Oct. 9. Mihalap, a descendant of the first Greek family to settle in Virginia, has been compared to Lily Tomlin with her true-to-life impressions that come directly from first-hand experience. She has her own Greek and Southern heritage to draw on, but she also spent a considerable amount of time taking in the accents and mannerisms of the North.

Mihalap graduated with honors from Vassar College where she was elected president of the student body, and spent four years as private secretary to Sir Rudolf Bing, general manager of the New York Metropolitan Opera. She married a Russian language professor, and raised three children and a dog.

Mihalap has been a newspaper columnist, an arts commentator on public radio and the voice behind many radio commercials. She speaks French and Italian, and sings in Greek for her church choir.

Throughout a long, award-winning speaking career, Mihalap has been funny without causing offense.

"I figure," said Mihalap, "the only person it's safe to make fun of is yourself. If I decide to sue myself for libel I'm sure there are enough lawyers out there chomping at the

bit."

On Nov. 13, Phil Marcus Esser will be the guest speaker. For the last five years, Esser has located his base of operations on Old Mission Peninsula in the middle of Traverse Bay where he designed entertainment for the Grand Traverse Resort.

He created and produced shows for the Traverse City Opera House and produced, developed and designed special entertainment for corporate, municipal and national organizational events. Now he has come back to the Detroit metro area to refresh his spirit.

Esser has been a singing performer all his life. Twenty-one years ago he began a second career as director with the musical *Jacques Brel is Alive and Well and Living in Paris*.

The success of this production done "cabaret style" in Detroit's first dinner theater was followed by *Personals*, *In Celebration of Kurt Weill and Lotte Lenya*, *Cole Porter at the Book Cadillac* and over 50 other original concepts.

Described as "the perfect romantic baritone," Esser has been acclaimed both for how he sings and for what he chooses to sing. He received the Eighth Annual Michiganian of the Year Award for his work and its contribution to Detroit. He is recognized for his support of human and civil rights. He loves Detroit because, he says, "All my heroes live here."

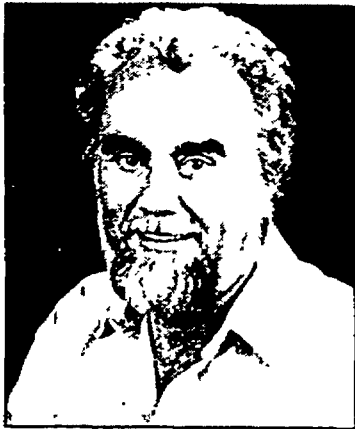
Miss America 1988, Kaye Lani Rae Rafko, will be the speaker on March 11. The former Miss America holds the distinction of being



HOPE MIHALAP



KAYE LANI RAE RAFKO



PHIL MARCUS ESSER



DR. VLADIMIR SAKHAROV

the first registered nurse to be crowned.

Her education began in Monroe

at St. Mary Academy, and she is now pursuing a master's degree at the University of Michigan in Ann

Arbor. She has been recognized as one of the Ten Outstanding Young Americans of 1993 by the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Rafko holds memberships in the American Nurses Association, the Oncology Nursing Society and is licensed both in Michigan and Ohio. She belongs to the American Federation of TV and Radio Artists.

She uses her visibility as a former Miss America to focus national attention on critical health care issues including AIDS, pulmonary disease and cancer.

Rafko has traveled to 48 states and six countries. She addressed a Congressional subcommittee in Washington, DC, in 1987 about nursing concerns.

Rafko has prepared public service announcements, participated in fund-raisers and made presentations to many groups from junior high school to medical associations. She married in 1989 and is the mother of a 3-year-old son.

Dr. Vladimir Sakharov will close the series on April 15. Once described by the CIA as "the most knowledgeable defector on record," Dr. Sakharov gained a reputation for his unique and totally unconventional foresight into what was to happen in Russia.

Born into the ranks of the Moscow International elite, he became a leading diplomat and intelligence officer representing the Soviets. Later, he became a special operative courting Egyptian counter-intelligence agents and gained access to Anwar Sadat.

During this time he worked as a "double agent" passing information to the United States.

He despises being called a defector because he came out when "glasnost" and "perestroika" did not exist. Disillusioned with the Brezhnev regime, he risked his life to become an American.

Since coming to the West, he has accomplished a great deal, beginning with his international best seller, *High Treason*.

Dr. Sakharov received his Ph.D. in international relations and law from USC, and worked at Stanford University, Universidad de Mexico, the United States Air Force, and served as an advisor to the FBI.

He has been featured on the 60 Minutes segment "Three NBC White Papers," worked as a commentator with CNN during the Persian Gulf War, and has appeared on NBC, CBS and BBC broadcasts.

The price for the season lecture and luncheon series is \$90. Lecture only is \$40 and individual luncheons are \$15.

The lectures and luncheons for the 1995-96 season will be held at the Holiday Inn West, 17123 North Laurel Park Drive in Livonia.

For more information regarding The Northville Town Hall Series for 1995-96, call general chairman Nancy Ishac at (810) 489-9622 or the ticket chairman, Barbara Armada at (810) 349-7255.

To order, mail a check with a stamped, self-addressed envelope with detailed ticket information to Northville Town Hall Tickets, P.O. Box 93, Northville, MI 48167-0093.

## Church Notes

The Jim Browne Memorial Chickenfest at THE MEADOWBROOK CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, 21355 Meadowbrook Road in Novi, will be on Sunday, Sept. 10, from 1 to 4 p.m. Tickets are available in advance and at the door for \$6.50 for adults, \$2.50 for children age 8 and under. Carry out is available. For more information, call Derek Fournier at (810) 960-0174.

The WSC Fall Rummage Sale will be held Friday, Oct. 13, from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. and Saturday, Oct. 14, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. For more information, call 348-7757.

**SPIRIT OF CHRIST EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH**, 40700 West Ten Mile Road, just west of Haggerty, in Novi celebrates the beginning of fall with "Welcome Back Weekend" on Sept. 9 and 10. Worship Services will be held Saturday at 5:30 p.m. and Sunday at 8:30 and 10:45 a.m. Sunday Church School begins at 9:30 a.m. and, at the same time, a "Family Forum" for adults and youth will be offered with an emphasis on relationships in the home.

At noon, all are invited to a Hot Dog and Corn Roast on the back lawn of the church grounds. There will be good food, fun and fellowship for all ages old friendships are renewed and new ones are made. Visitors are invited.

For more information, call the church at (810) 477-6296.

**FIRST CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**, 21260 Haggerty Road in Northville, will begin its Ladies Tuesday Bible Study on Sept. 12. The morning women will begin at 9:15 a.m. and study the book of Judges, Ruth and 1 Samuel this year. Child care will be available through kindergarten age.

The evening study begins at 6:55 p.m. and has child care available for toddler through young elementary. The evening group will begin with basic Bible study skills titled "Face to Face with Jesus," and will be studying the book of Luke during the fall semester. All are welcome.

For more information, call the church at (810) 348-7600.

**NEW LIFE LUTHERAN CHURCH**, a forming congregation of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, will hold its first youth and adult Sunday

school sessions on Sunday, Sept. 10, at 9 a.m.

Youth classes are initially grouped for non-readers (ages 3 to 5), early readers (ages 6 to 8) and readers (ages 9 and above).

The first adult class is titled "Archaeology and the Bible." The six-week course is taught by congregation member Mike Cooley, who previously taught this course in local Lutheran churches. He has an engineering degree from the U.S. Military Academy at West Point and a master's degree from Pepperdine University in Los Angeles.

Worship follows at 10 a.m. on the theme of "Coming Home."

The mission's first youth confirmation class begins at 7 p.m. on Sept. 12.

The mission meets at the Plymouth Masonic Temple, 730 Penniman, on the Kellogg Park Square in downtown Plymouth.

For more information contact pastor-developer Ken Roberts at (313) 459-8181.

**ST. JAMES CATHOLIC CHURCH**, 46325 Ten Mile Road in Novi, will have a mandatory parent orientation for Religious Education students in grades Pre-K through eight on Sept. 10 or Sept. 17 at 10:45 a.m. in the church. One parent must attend.

A volunteer orientation meeting will be held on Sept. 18 at 7 p.m. in the church. Volunteers need not attend the parent orientation meeting.

For more information, call the church at 347-7778.

The Adult Volunteer Choir of the **CHURCH OF THE HOLY FAMILY**, 24505 Meadowbrook Road in Novi, will resume weekly rehearsals on Sept. 7 from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. Anyone interested in joining can call the church office.

The church's mixed bowling team needs teams. The season begins Sept. 10. For more information, call 348-5316.

For more information, call the church at 349-8847.

The Youth Choir of **OUR LADY OF VICTORY CHURCH**, 770 Thayer Boulevard in Northville, will resume rehearsals on Thursday, Sept. 14, from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. Any child from first through eighth grade is invited to join. Sign up at the church office.

For more information, call the church at 349-2621.

## Church youth group leaders gear up for new school year

By CAROL WORKENS  
Staff Writer

When students return to Northville United Methodist Church's youth program on Sept. 13, they will find an updated program with more trained adults than in the past.

The motto this year is "Remembering who you are and whose you are."

"We have implemented positive changes," said David Holder who took over the voluntary position of youth director in January. "There will be a greater emphasis on treating each other as children of God."

Over the summer, eight adults along with Pastor Douglas Vernon attended a three-day LOGOS System/Youth Group training session.

The emphasis this year will be to turn the LOGOS program which has been in use since 1973 into a LOGO System, with complete parent and community involvement. To participate community members need to love God, love youth/children and have a talent to share.

New this year will be the installation of a youth group board of directors who have been meeting once or twice a week since June in preparation for opening day on Wednesday.

The student/adult ratio this year will be about 8 to 1, with about 85 adults working various times throughout the year. Approximately 160 to 165 students are expected to attend each of the three sessions which begin Sept. 13, Nov. 29 and Feb. 28.

The youth group draws fourth through 12th graders

from seven school districts — Novi, Northville, South Lyon, Brighton, Farmington, Walled Lake and Plymouth-Canton.

The church first began the LOGOS program in 1973 with 25 students. Two adults who have been with the program since day one, Oliver Collins and Doris Close, were among those who attended the recent three-day training program.

The LOGOS System incorporates the whole church and community into the four-part context — Bible study, recreation time, dinner or family time and worship/choir skills.

"The heart of the program is Bible Study," Holder said.

Changes to the weekly Wednesday evening program include the fourth through sixth grade students attending the recreation time when they first arrive at 4:15 p.m. Another change to the program will be the dinner hour. The fourth through sixth grade students will have dinner time at 5 p.m. while the seventh and eighth grade students will eat at 6 p.m.

"Dinner time is a relation building time with each other and the table parent," said Holder.

"We are children of God and should treat each other that way by kind acts," Holder said. Activities during recreation time are designed so that they are at no ones expense.

Holder has been a parishioner for almost 12 years. He and his wife have been involved with the youth group for about six years and have two daughters, 14 and 17, participating in the program.

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## Wedding



**Richard and Julie Abramovich**

Julie Jon Sauk and Richard Louis Abramovich were married on April 8, 1995, at Grosse Pointe Academy Chapel. Both father and mother gave the bride in marriage with Rev. John Budde officiating at the double ring ceremony. A reception for 200 guests followed at Blossom Heath in St. Clair Shores.

The bride is the daughter of Jim and Polly Sauk of Shelby Township and a 1993 graduate of the University of Michigan.

The bridal gown was of matte white tissue paper taffeta hand beaded with Austrian crystals and iridescent sequins. It was worn off the shoulder, narrowing at the waist, and flowed to the ground. The gown was decorated in the back with large taffeta roses to match the veil.

During church the bride wore a cathedral length veil. After, a short finger-tip length veil dotted with pearls was worn. It was composed of three taffeta roses with sprays of pearls and crystals.

The bridal bouquet was of white calla lilies and stephanotis.

Attending the bride was maid-of-honor and sister, Jill Sauk of Shelby Township. Bridesmaids were Shari Abramovich of Northville and Laura Wierimaa of Wixom, both sisters of the groom; Cheryl Brockmiller of Grand Blanc; Jennifer Corney of Livonia; and Tracey Melville of Ann Arbor.

The groom is the son of Ron and Carolyn Abramovich of Northville. He graduated in 1993 from the University of Michigan with a bachelor's degree in electrical engineering and currently works for Ameritech.

He was attended by best man, Craig Doble of Fort Worth, Texas. Groomsmen were Mark Wierimaa of Wixom, brother-in-law of the groom; Steven Wertz of Canton; Chad Hazelrigg, of Carmel, Ind.; Eric Hall of Hamtramck; and Vito Curcuro of Chesterfield Township. Ushering was Jamie Sauk, brother of the bride.

Following a two-week honeymoon to Hawaii the couple made their home in Grosse Pointe Woods, Mich.

## Engagements



**Gerald Morrissey/Amy Nehs**

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Nehs of Northville announce the engagement of their daughter, Amy Patrice, to Gerald David Morrissey, the son of Matthew and Rebecca Morrissey of Parma, Mich.

The bride-elect is a 1992 graduate of the University of Michigan and a 1995 graduate of the Detroit College of Law. She is employed at

Wayne County Neighborhood Legal Services.

The bridegroom-elect is a 1993 graduate of the University of Michigan. He is currently employed at United Way Community Services in Detroit.

A Sept. 23, 1995, wedding will take place at St. Paul of the Cross in Detroit.



**Steven Ventura/Amy Dowsett**

Anthony Ventura of Northville announces the engagement of his son, Steven, to Amy Jo Dowsett, daughter of Rosanne Dowsett of Dowagiac and the late Fred Dowsett.

The bride-elect graduated from Ferris State University in 1993 with a bachelor's degree in public relations. She is president and co-owner of Dowsett Spring Company & Michiana Impreglen in Dowagiac.

The bridegroom-elect, son of

Anthony Ventura and the late Ethel Ventura, graduated from Northville High School in 1989. He received his bachelor's degree in marketing from Ferris State University in 1993; he is currently a marketing representative with the Crystal Radio Group WKFR/FM-WKMI/AM in Kalamazoo.

The wedding will take place at Holy Maternity Catholic Church in Dowagiac on Oct. 7, 1995. The couple will honeymoon in Aruba.

## Reunions

**12TH STREET REUNION:** Former residents of Twelfth Street in Detroit have planned a reunion from 6 p.m. to midnight on Friday, Sept. 29, at Burton Manor, 27777 Schoolcraft in Livonia.

The charge is \$24 per person and includes dinner, dancing to music of "Solitaire" and open bar.

For more information, call Vince Tobia at 348-2951.

**NOVI HIGH SCHOOL:** Class of 1980, 15-year reunion, Sept. 23, a catered picnic at a local park. For more information and to make reservations, call (810) 437-7000 or (810) 442-9281.

**WESTLAND JOHN GLENN HIGH:** Class of 1975, 20-year reunion, Oct. 6, Laurel Manor in Livonia. For more information, contact Tony Amoroso at (313) 277-1461.

**ST. GREGORY DETROIT:** Class of 1955, Sept. 23, Best Western Laurel Park Suites in Livonia. For more information call Fran (Laferie) Lee at (810) 486-0662 or Margo (Connelly) Lambert at (810) 305-9172.

**HARPER WOODS HIGH SCHOOL:** All-Class Reunion Dinner Dance with open bar will be held Oct. 21 at Barton House, 29200 Harper in St. Clair Shores. The cost is \$35 per person before Oct. 7, \$40 after. Contact Judi at (313) 839-1296 or George at (810) 790-0212.

**COOLEY HIGH SCHOOL:** Class of 1965, 30-year reunion, Oct. 28, Novi Hilton. Call (313) 416-1822 or (810) 684-2886.

**NORTHVILLE HIGH SCHOOL:** Class of 1975 reunion will be held on Saturday, Oct. 14, at the Sheraton Inn in Novi.

For information, contact the Class of '75 voice mail at (313) 438-1975.

**MACKENZIE HIGH SCHOOL, DETROIT:** Class of 1945 is looking for classmates for its 50th reunion, planned for Oct. 14 at the K of C Monahan Hall, Livonia.

Call Dick Saxby at (313) 837-0641 or Evelyn Dienes Mayer at (810) 349-5245.

Send reunion information to the Northville Record/Novi News, 104 W. Main Street, Northville, MI 48167.

## Birth

Michael and Kelli (O'Hare) Paslawski of Northville announce the birth of their daughter, Rachael Lee, on Aug. 1, 1995. She was born in Oakwood Hospital, Dearborn, and weighed 9 pounds, 4 ounces. Rachael Lee has a sister, Julia, age 5.

Her grandparents are Richard and Jodie O'Hare of Northville, and Steven and Linda Kunkel of Bowling Green, Ky., formerly of Redford; and great-grandparents, Frank and Virginia Paslawski of Detroit.

## In Service

**SHANA BROOKS,** the daughter of Elizabeth Brooks of Northville, enlisted in the Air Force's Delayed Enlistment Program Aug. 16.

Brooks, a 1996 graduate of Ladywood High School, is scheduled for enlistment in the regular Air Force on May 29, 1996, according to Staff Sergeant Gilbert Beavers, Air Force recruiter.

Upon graduation from the Air Force's six-week basic training course in San Antonio, Texas, she is scheduled to receive technical training in the general career field.

She will earn credits toward an associate degree in applied sciences through the Community College of the Air Force while attending basic and technical training schools.

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# AAUW begins season with home tour benefit

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gone from private residence to hospital, to medical clinic, to bed and breakfast and back to a private residence.

Darius Knapp built the home in 1882. It was purchased by Dr. R. E. Atchison in 1926 who converted it into a hospital. In 1960 the building was used as a medical clinic for the next 27 years.

In 1988 the current owners bought the building and ran a bed and breakfast inn for 3 years. Over 100 hands were joined in marriage during that time. In 1991, it was restored to a private residence.

Some of the many antiques in this home are a pre-Civil War cabinet, a rare European English bench and chairs with lions heads and two Murphy beds with faux fronts and heavy casters which enable it to be turned 180 degrees for use at night. A pre-Hoosier baking table which is now used as a desk for the family's home-based business with the flour and sugar bins serving as their bookcase.

Changes in the home are apparent through the use of five different types of wood used in the floors.

Lastly, the cottage Gothic style four room home built in 1880 by William Stark, a store owner in Northville, has more than doubled in size. Stark's son-in-law, James Congo, added the dining and kitchen area. The present owners also made an addition.

The home's original fireplace still stands in the living room, which was probably the kitchen area when the home was first built.

Only the exterior of this home meets historical specifications set by the Historic District Commission of Northville. The interior renovation work was directed by the homeowner.

The home has been completely refurbished with new wood floors, windows and ceramic tile in the kitchen and bathrooms.

Renovations to the home and carriage house, which took a year, include a large family room and laundry area downstairs and a

bedroom/bathroom upstairs.

The first floor of the original carriage house is now used as a garage while the hay loft serves as office space for the current owner.

Over 70 hostesses will be available to answer questions. Some will be in period clothing.

A limited number of tickets which include a map and an informative guide to each home are available for \$10 and may be purchased from any AAUW member, Bookstall on the Main, Brickscape, Kitchen Witch and the Chamber of Commerce. Call the Chamber at 349-7640 for information. Ticket prices the day of the tour are \$12.

Proceeds from the tour will be used for scholarships at Schoolcraft Community College and Oakland Community College at the local level and at a national level. The AAUW math and science camp for girls which is held annually every summer at Maybury State Park will also benefit from the proceeds of the tour.



Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

After extensive remodeling, the facade on this home is now Federalist Colonial.



Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

This home has been a private residence, hospital, medical clinic, bed and breakfast before recently being returned to a private residence.



Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

This home has a Michigan basement and the original carriage house which is now a garage.

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THURSDAY  
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## Northville Players perform melodrama

The Northville Players will be presenting *The Black Cloak*, an original melodrama written and directed by Brian McGinn, during the Victorian Festival. Performances will be Friday, Sept. 15 at 8 p.m., Saturday, Sept. 16 at 1, 3, 4:30 and 8 p.m., and Sunday at 2 p.m. All performances will be at the American Legion Hall on the corner of Center and Dunlap.

In the play Rosalind has a problem. She has arranged for her brother's girlfriend to make a surprise visit to him on his birthday but Amanda brings more surprises than Rosalind anticipated.

Amanda has problems of her own, not the least of which is the fear that what she wants most in life could lead to her untimely doom.

And what of brother Henry? Will he lose both the woman he loves and his life because of the secret plot against him?

And just who is this mysterious Black Cloak person who has been thwarting local criminals, and will he be able to get to Rosalind in



photo by SUE SPILLANE

"The Black Cloak" includes in its cast, from left, Julie Norback, Nancy Schuster, Craig Hipsher, Brent Albrecht and Fred Wicks.

time to save her from the deadly clutches of the mysterious Dr. Mago?

The cast includes Brent Albrecht, Cynthia Bullington, John

Bullington, Frances Colucci-Hill, Mary Anne Colucci, Robert Hill, Craig Hipsher, Brian McGinn, Julie Norback, Nancy Schuster, and Fred Wicks.

Tickets are only \$3 for adults, \$2 for senior citizens and children under 12 and will be available at the American Legion Hall before each performance.

### In town

Submit items for the entertainment listings to The Northville Record, 104 W. Main, Northville, MI 48167; or fax to 349-1050.

### AUDITIONS

**MARQUIS THEATRE:** Auditions for both the Wizard of Oz and The Pale Pink Dragon will be held in September.

Auditions for the Wizard of Oz will take place Sept. 9 from 9 a.m. until 12:30 p.m. and on Sept. 10 from 4:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Adult auditions will be on Sept. 11 from 7 to 10 p.m.

Performers must provide their own sheet music and be prepared to sign a song in their vocal range. An accompanist will be provided.

Auditions for the Halloween show, The Pale Pink Dragon, will be held Sept. 15 from 6:30 to 9 p.m. Boys and girls ages 8 to 16 will be asked to recite a poem for the audition. The show will open Oct. 14.

The Marquis Theatre is located at 135 E. Main Street in downtown Northville.

For more information, call (810) 349-8110.

**MIDWEST DANCE THEATRE:** Auditions for the full-length production of The Nutcracker Ballet will be held on Sunday, Sept. 10, at the academy located at 1160 Welch Road in Walled Lake.

Dancers ages 7 to 12 will audition from 2 to 3 p.m. and intermediate and advanced dancers from 2 to 4:30 p.m. Adult actors will audition from 4:30 to 5 p.m.

For additional information, call 669-9444, 437-6786 or 437-5434.

**PLYMOUTH COMMUNITY CHORUS:** Auditions by appointment will be held two Tuesdays, Sept. 12 and 19, at 7 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church, 45201 North Territorial Road, west of Sheldon Road in Plymouth. Some openings remain for sopranos and altos, but the greatest need is for tenors, baritones and basses.

For additional information call 669-9444 or 437-6786.

### SPECIAL EVENTS

**BORDERS BOOKS:** Upcoming events at Borders include an autograph session with Eric Carle, author of the children's books *The Very Quiet Cricket* and *The Very Busy Spider*, on Sept. 9 at 11 a.m.

On Sept. 8 at 7 p.m. Narcisse Loba Akou entertains with rhythms of Africa at Cafe Espresso.

On Sept. 10 at 1 p.m. a free Workshop on Household Safety will be available for babysitters. Also on Sept. 10 at 1 p.m. flute and violin duo Euterpe perform as part of the Classical Music Month of Sundays.

On Sept. 12 at 7 p.m. Sir Morgan from the Michigan Renaissance Festival will give a demonstration about armor and talk about life as a medieval knight.

The 1995 Teacher Reception will

be held Sept. 13 at 7 p.m. Local young adult author David Skinner (You Must Kiss a Whale and The Wrecker) will be signing books.

Bring your finished or incomplete works to Poets in Cahoots on Sept. 14 at 7 p.m. for helpful hints.

Borders is located in the Novi Town Center off Novi Road just south of I-96.

For further information call (810) 347-0780.

**PERFORMER'S SHOWCASE:** The public is invited to attend the performances that are held at 7:30 p.m. in the atrium of the Novi Civic Center prior to select city council meetings. On occasion, performances may be taped by Time Warner and cablecast to residents.

Musicians, actors, poets, dancers, etc., are invited to submit application forms and audition tapes, if available, to the Novi Arts Council.

For further information, contact the arts council, 347-0400.

**CARRIAGE RIDES:** Northville Carriage Co. offers carriage rides throughout the year and packages for holidays and special occasions. For more information and reservations, call Northville Carriage Co. at 380-3961.

### THEATER

**NORTHVILLE PLAYERS:** Performances of the melodrama *The Black Cloak* will be held at the First United Methodist Church, 777 W. Eight Mile Road in Northville, during the Northville Victorian Festival, Sept. 15, 16 and 17. Tickets are available at the American Legion Hall before each performance.

**MARQUIS THEATRE:** Performance dates for *The Shoemaker and the Elves* will be held Saturdays and Sundays, Sept. 9, 10, 16, 17, 23 and 24, at 2:30 p.m.

For further information, call (810) 349-8110.

**HOME SWEET HOME:** A dinner/theater program continues at the 1920s-era Novi mansion which houses Home Sweet Home restaurant. The murder mystery and a tenderloin and salmon dinner are \$27.95 per person.

Diners are given clues - and sometimes speaking roles in the action - to help them figure out who dunnit. Prizes are given out to the best guessers.

Home Sweet Home is located at 43180 Nine Mile Road just east of Novi Road.

For information and reservations, call 347-0095.

**GENITTI'S:** *Holey Matrimony* runs through October.

The audience will become the friends and relatives at the wedding of Myron Feigenbaum and Serafina Spazzolino.

Admission to the wedding and reception is by reservation only.

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tions.

Genitti's "Hole-in-the-Wall" and restaurant is located in downtown Northville at 108 E. Main St., just east of Center Street.

### MUSIC

**TUSCAN CAFE:** Tuscan Cafe presents the light jazz music of Gary Cooper on Fridays and Saturdays from 9 p.m. to midnight through Sept. 16.

On Sept. 13, Detroit Symphony Orchestra harpist Christa Grix will perform from 9 to 11 p.m. Christa also performs with the Grix Trio.

On Sept. 14 guitarist Michael King will perform.

Tuscan Cafe is located at 150 Center Street in Northville.

For more information, call 305-8629.

**BRADY'S FOOD & SPIRITS:** Playing favorites from jazz greats will be Herbie Ross every Tuesday and Reggie Braxton every Wednesday.

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Upcoming cigar mixers will take place Oct. 16, Nov. 20 and Dec. 18.

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**CAFFE BRAVO:** Caffe Bravo features the talents of many artists performing everything from classical guitar, jazz and blues to contemporary and folk music every Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Upcoming performances are Sept. 8 Brad Dase, 8:30 to 11 p.m.; Sept. 9 Carol Smallwood, 3 to 5 p.m.; and Shedding Pony Moon, 8:30 to 11 p.m.

The cafe is located at 110 Main Centre in downtown Northville.

Call 344-0220 for additional information.

**MR. B'S FARM:** Mr. B's Farm, a fun, casual place on Novi Road north of Ten Mile, presents live music seven nights a week with no cover charge, including the Sunday night jam with J.D. Lamb from 8 p.m. to midnight. Music all other nights begins at 9 p.m.

For more information call 349-7038.

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

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

**SUNSET GRILL:** The Grill hosts a blues "jam" every Tuesday by the Sunset Blues Band, beginning at 9 p.m.

The grill is located on the corner of Thirteen Mile and Novi roads.

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624-8475.

### ART

**ATRIUM GALLERY:** The gallery is presenting Christine Unwin of West Bloomfield. Unwin is inspired by the sights and thoughts of traveling throughout the United States and the world. Her style ranges from abstract to the realistic, from watercolors to collages and mixed media.

Unwin has also published a collection of fine artwork, *The Artistic Touch*, which is available at the gallery. The show will continue until the end of September.

The Atrium Gallery is located in downtown Northville. Gallery hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Thursday, 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Friday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, and noon to 4 p.m. on Sunday. For more information, call (810) 349-431.

**PAINTER'S PLACE:** Summer-time is flower time in Northville and flowers are all over the walls in the studio and gallery of Caroline Dunphy. Watercolor paintings of spring and summer flowers may be seen in the windows and on the walls of the gallery at 140 North Center Street.

Look for Dunphy's one-person show in the fall of her recent visits to gardens and villages in Germany and Austria.

Gallery hours are noon to 4 p.m. Tuesdays through Friday, or by appointment. Call 348-9544 for more information.

**GATE VI GALLERY:** The works of pastel artist Bill Wikehart will be featured through mid-October.

Gate VI is located in the atrium of the Novi Civic Center. Hours are Monday through Friday 10 a.m. to 9 p.m., Saturday 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. and Sunday noon to 5 p.m. For more information, call 380-0470.

### MUSEUMS

**MOTORSPORTS:** The Motorsports Museum and Hall of Fame features 75 racing vehicles of all types, covering a 90-year time span.

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The museum is located in the Novi Expo Center, at I-96 and Novi Road (Exit 162).

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## Travolta spices up "Saturday Night Fever"

**SATURDAY NIGHT FEVER**  
By Helaine Binstock  
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While the Bee Gees' outstanding music and the film's many exciting dance numbers spice up "Saturday Night Fever" (1977), it's the characters that make it exceptional.

First, there's Tony (John Travolta) — a "nobody" in his family. His brother, a priest, is the family's pride and joy. Tony, on the other hand, gets no respect from his parents, just repetitive heads bops. At work, it's no better! He works for meager wages at a paint store and knows he'll probably stay there forever. He considers himself a loser, a bum....

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There's a girl who attempts to better herself pretending to be something she's not — and another, Annette (Donna Pescow, formerly of "Angie"), who'll do anything to

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get Tony's interest.

Tony's peers' conceptions of "machismo" is to swear, take dope and "make out" in the back seat — so carefully observe the R rating!

View this video some Saturday night, for an absorbing evening and possibly a nice fever.

**THE FIRM**  
By Dan Clark  
Novi

Director: Sydney Pollack  
Cast: Tom Cruise, Gene Hackman, Jeanne Tripplehorn, Holly Hunter, Ed Harris, Wilford Brimley, Hal Holbrook, David Strathairn, Gary Busey.

Forget the fact that Tom Cruise

is playing a Harvard law school graduate and concentrate on his surprisingly low-key (and overall effective) performance in this admirable adaptation of John Grisham's best seller.

Cruise plays a happily married man who joins a prosperous Memphis law firm that enables him to a high salary and delectable benefits. But he soon discovers he must partake in his company's corrupt dealings or not make it out of the firm... alive.

Outstanding turns by the supporting cast lend strength to this thriller. Jeanne Tripplehorn ("Basic Instinct"), Gene Hackman ("Wyatt Earp") and Best Supporting Actress nominee Holly Hunter, who steals the film from Cruise, are gripping; and Wilford Brimley is uncharacteristically menacing.

Sydney Pollack's direction is stylish and Dave Grusin's score is impeccable.

Although a bit long at times and difficult to stay with, "The Firm" is still worth viewing. Rated R for profanity and violence. (1993) 154 minutes.

**WATERWORLD**  
By Mike Kapusky  
Northville

What do you get when you take a "Mad Max" atmosphere, fill it with water and throw in 200 million dollars? First impression may be a waste of time and money, but "Waterworld" is more than just an overloaded bomb set to explode.

In the future, the polar ice caps have melted leaving the world covered with water. The few survivors adapt to the new environment beginning a mad search for fresh water, food and even dirt.

Legends tell of a little girl who bares a tattoo that maps the way to land. Who else but the one and only, part fish/part human Kevin Costner stumbles upon this little legend when he saves her from certain capture when the Smokers attack the city.

By the way, the Smokers are the bad guys, led by Dennis Hopper, who never seem to run out of resources and cigarettes. Anyway, Costner leads the few survivors to

what they have only dreamed of in a descent ending to another expensive saga.

Simple, solid story telling, a suitable cast, satisfying special effects, colossal sets, and flashy action all drench a very praiseworthy flick. Although only a few soggy spots in credibility soak the most expensive movie in history,

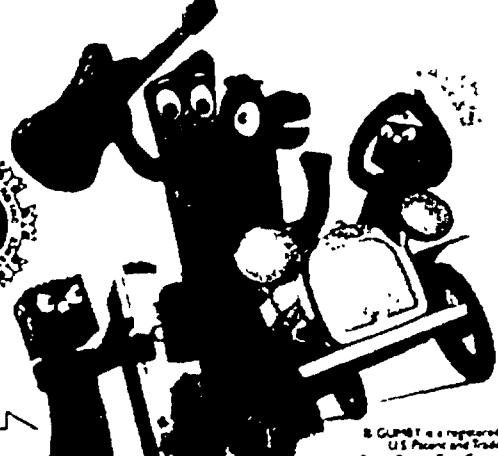
this is not going to be a classic among science fiction films.

"Waterworld" sails into the sunset with a respectable four stars. (Five the best, one the worst.) Despite the waterlogged budget, this flick is reliable action worth at least one ticket. Will that be enough to pay the bills?

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# "Carrotblanca" brings back favorite Looney Tunes crew

Bugs Bunny is joined by a stellar cast of Looney Tunes celebrities in the all-new theatrical short, "Carrotblanca."

Remaking, renaming and generally wreaking havoc on the Warner Bros. classic Oscar-winning "Casablanca" in their own inimitable style, the Looney Tunes crew returns to their time-honored tradition of sending up Hollywood's brightest stars and most beloved films that they perfected in the shorts of the 1940s and '50s.

"Carrotblanca" brings together more of Warner Bros.' animated characters than any short in history, and avid Looney Tunes lovers will catch glimpses of many of their favorites in the cameos of clubgoers.

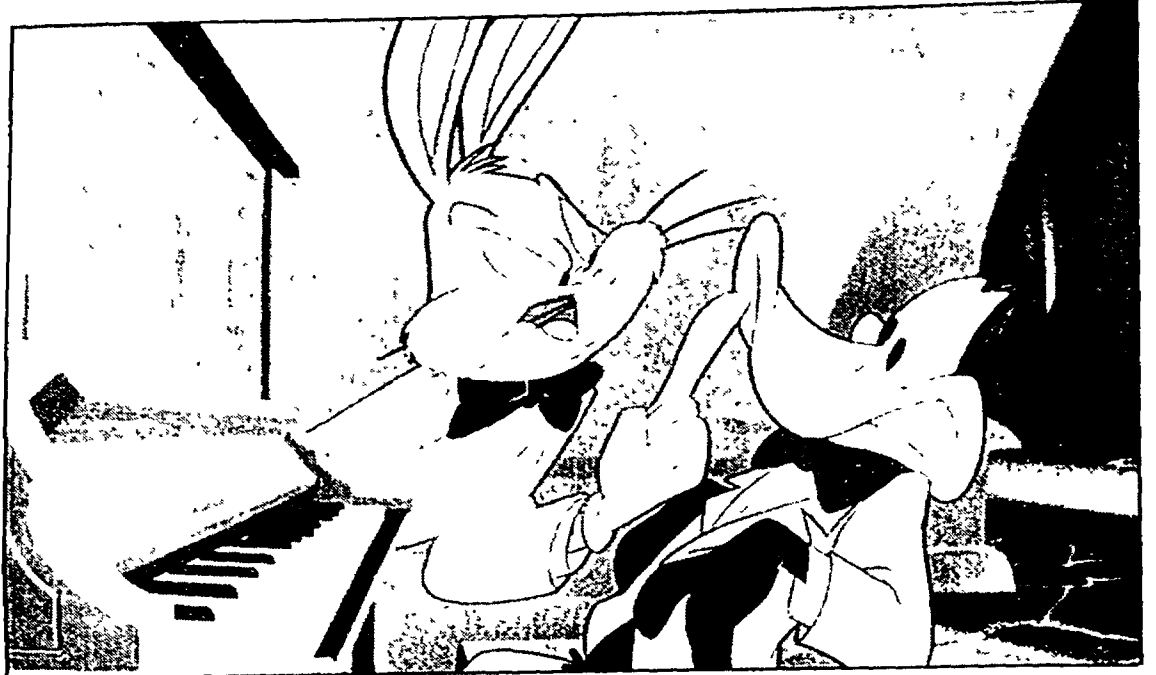
"Carrotblanca" is hand-drawn in the classic Warner Bros. style and will be released in theaters nationwide this summer with Warner Bros.' "The Amazing Panda Adventure."

Bugs inhabits the role immortalized by Humphrey Bogart, transforming Rick into the suave, "de-boner"

"Mr. Bugs," owner of the Cafe Au Lait Americain in the desert refuge known as "Carrotblanca."

In addition to Bugs, the all-star Looney Tunes cast includes such luminaries as Daffy Duck as Sam, the piano player forever banned from playing that song; Tweety (lapsing into a dead-on Peter Lorre impersonation) as Usmarte, who delivers a purloined document to Mr. Bugs; Yosemite Sam is the appropriately apoplectic General Pandemonium; Sylvester as an ever-amorous gendarme; and in her first-ever speaking role Penelope (the unfortunate feline pursued in many Pepe Le Pew shorts) as Kitty, the dame who left Mr. Bugs in Paris with a broken heart and a suitcase full of memories.

Joining these heavyweight talents is a star-studded cast of extras including Elmer Fudd, Foghorn Leghorn, Sam Sheepdog, The Crusher and Nasty Canasta — all a part of the mystery, passion and sheer pandemonium that can only happen in ... Carrotblanca.



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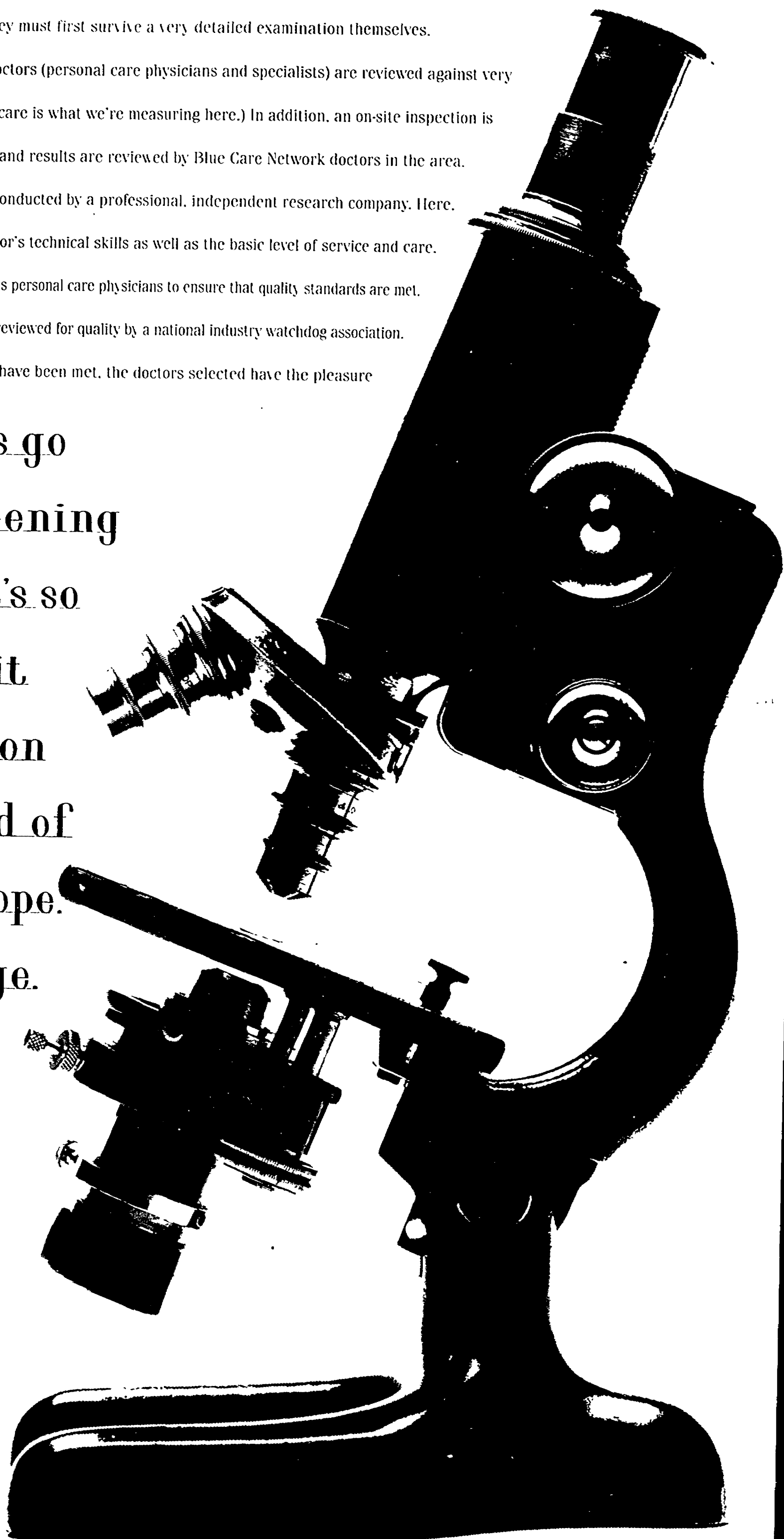
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## Lions roar past Mustangs 42-14 in season opener

By SCOTT DANIEL  
Sports Editor

South Lyon was better, just plain better than the Mustangs Friday night.

Running, blocking and tackling, the Lions dominated Northville to the tune of 42-14 in the "Jungle." The state's No. 1 Class A team rolled up more than 300 yards rushing in whipping the Mustangs. "They're an excellent football team," coach Darrel Schumacher said. "Linemen, running backs - they've got it all."

Three second quarter touchdowns pushed the Lions to victory. "They got us on our heels," Schumacher said, "and we couldn't get off. They were just physically bigger and stronger."

Northville will try to get on the right track tomorrow night at home against Salem. Game time is 7:30 p.m.

"We'll try to make it a lot different," Schumacher said. "That's for sure."

The coach knew his team was the underdog going into Friday's game.

For any chance at victory, Schumacher said Northville had to control the ball. That didn't happen.

The main thing was keeping the ball out of their hands," he said. "We didn't do a good job."

South Lyon totaled 372 yards of offense. All but 36 of those were on the ground.

The Lions run a Wing-T offense. The three-back system employs fakes to get the defense going the wrong way.

"We had a tendency to over run

plays," said Schumacher. "They fake well and carry out their blocks."

That was evident on South Lyon's second possession.

The Lions started on their own 36-yard-line after receiving a Northville punt. Halfback Mike Watson followed his blocks on a sweep and scampered some 51 yards before being pulled down.

Four downs later, Greg McGuire ran three yards for South Lyon's first score. The TD came at the 5:59 mark of the first quarter.

Northville didn't waste any time in fighting back, however.

After starting on their own 39-yard line, the Mustangs' Scott Vigh connected with James Zayti for 16 yards on third down.

A second pass was completed to Tim Burke for 15 more yards and Northville moved to the Lions' 38.

"We felt we could throw against them," said Schumacher. "The passing game was there. It was part of our plan."

After a six-yard run by Anell Kersey, Vigh hit Burke again for 10 yards. Northville scored seconds later on an 18-yard run by Eric Moore.

"The kids were playing hard," Schumacher said. "Things were going our way."

Not on defense.

South Lyon scored on its next possession. The Lions drove 57 yards in quick order with one long pass and a 19-yard touchdown run by Watson. The extra point failed and South Lyon led 13-7 at the end of the first quarter.

Schumacher pulled out his bag



Photo by SCOTT BENNETT

Northville quarterback Scott Vigh connected with Eric Moore for a 72-yard TD in the second quarter.

of tricks on Northville's next possession. Facing fourth down, the Mustangs faked a punt and picked up 12 yards for a first down.

The drive ended when Vigh was intercepted. He threw three on the day to go along with 125 passing yards.

South Lyon capitalized on the miscue and scored again. Watson found the end zone on a 42 yard run.

Northville didn't throw in the

towel.

Down 21-7, the Mustangs took over at their own 26-yard line. On third down, Vigh found Moore on a screen pass. The senior turned on the jets and ran 72 yards for a score.

"He's got excellent speed," Schumacher said. "He had a fine day."

That was the last bit of good news for Northville. South Lyon scored three times before the half ended.

A one-yard run by quarterback Dan Sopinski accounted for one score. South Lyon made it 35-14 after Northville fumbled on its own 19-yard-line.

The Mustangs couldn't do much with the Lions' defense after half-time.

"They put a lot more pressure on us," Schumacher said. "They brought their linebackers and were filling the holes."

For the game, Northville was well

over 200 total yards of offense.

Kersey led rushers with 80 yards on 18 attempts. Burke caught three balls while Moore had the one big play for 72 yards.

Schumacher said the offense played well enough to win. Defense, obviously, has to improve.

"That's got to be our main emphasis," Schumacher said. "We have to improve our tackling."

## Golfers whip South Lyon; finish sixth in Brighton Invite

By SCOTT DANIEL  
Sports Editor

If you don't think golf has gotten more competitive at the high school level in recent years, you haven't been paying attention.

Need proof? How about Northville's match with South Lyon last week.

The Mustangs won the meet, which was played at Tanglewood Golf Club, 202-214. Northville scores ranged from 38 to 42 for nine holes.

That seems like reasonably good shooting for teenage golfers. But coach Trish Murray said it was a bit on the high side.

"They weren't happy at all with 202," she commented. "With as much talent as this team has we should

be around 195. We really shouldn't be counting a 42." A number of factors have led to higher skill levels among preps, Murray said.

"The kids hit the ball further and further every year," she said. "Equipment is improving, too."

Rob Rankin led Northville on Aug. 29 with a round of 38. Jeremy Sova shot a 40, Brian Glock and Eric Swietlik each came in at 41 and K. Yoshida finished with 42.

The match with South Lyon was Northville's first duel of the season.

"It was nice to start with a non-league match," Murray said.

Northville is off until Wednesday when the Mustangs take on Walled Lake Central on the road.

### BRIGHTON INVITATIONAL

Northville played in the 18-hole Brighton tournament on Aug. 28 and finished in sixth place.

The Mustangs finished with a more than respectable 311. But Traverse City shot the lights out to win with a score of 296. WLAA rival Livonia Churchill was third at 305.

Yoshida was the story of the invitational. He shot a 72, which tied him for the championship.

The Northville senior won a sudden-death playoff on the second hole to take top honors. Murray said his hard work over the summer paid off.

"Kay is really dedicated to the game," she added. "But he's very hard on himself. He's a real perfectionist."

It's almost surprising that Northville shot as well as it did.

The invitational was supposed to start at 9 a.m. When the Mustangs rolled into the parking lot a few minutes after 8 a.m., everyone else had already teed off.

"We literally ran to the tees," Murray said. Sova had a fine round as well for Northville. He shot a 77. Glock was next with 78 and Rankin notched an 84.

Murray said 311 is a good score. But to make the state final, the Mustangs will have to be a shade better.

"We'll have to be below 305," she said.

## Young kickers off to 2-1 start

By SCOTT DANIEL  
Sports Editor

In years past, the WLAA's Western Division was pretty predictable.

Livonia Churchill and Canton took turns winning while Northville always finished second or third. Not this fall.

First year Mustang soccer coach Henry Klimes isn't conceding a thing.

"I think it's wide open," he said of the race. "It could be anybody."

A lot of new faces will be on the field for Northville this fall. A total of 10 sophomores are on the roster of 17. The Mustangs have six seniors and a junior as well.

"I'm excited about our youth," said Klimes.

Northville's inexperienced lineup has already been tested. The Mustangs won two of three games at the Detroit Country Day tournament two weeks ago.

Northville opened its campaign by beating Dearborn Edsel Ford 4-0.

Sophomore J. R. Graff scored a pair of goals to lead the way. He, in fact, got things going in the first half with a goal at the 10 minute mark and was assisted by captain Bill Rundell.

Tom Andary made it 2-0 before halftime. Rundell assisted on that one, too.

Klimes said he's changed Northville's style. The Mustangs will play with two forwards and look to control the ball more with passing.



File photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

Goalkeeper Ty Fowler has helped Northville get off to a 2-1 start this season. He's one of four captains on the team.

"I thought we passed the ball well. "We looked good against Edsel Ford."

HENRY KLIMES  
Soccer coach

It worked in the opener with Edsel Ford.

"I thought we passed the ball well," Klimes commented. "We looked good against Edsel Ford."

Captain Chad Gilchrist and Graff scored in the second half. Captain Ty Fowler got the shutout in goal.

Klimes said he was anxious to see how his team would accept its new style of play in that first game.

"They understood what we were trying to get across," he said of the performance.

A veteran Birmingham Seaholm squad rattled Northville in the second day of the tournament on Aug. 26 and won 1-0.

"We didn't play composed," Klimes said.

The game's only goal was scored in the first half on a crossing play. Fortunately, the Mustangs didn't

let the loss bother them. Northville rebounded for a 3-1 over Grosse Pointe South to close the tournament.

Klimes said he had a chance to talk about the loss between games. He urged his team to stick to its style of play.

Whatever the coach said, it worked.

Graff scored less than a minute into the contest and was assisted by Gilchrist. Adam Tibble made it 2-0 shortly before the end of the half with Sam Vida assisting.

Andrew Weyer got the game's final goal in the second half.

Northville has had success in the tournament from year to year.

Klimes said the Mustangs usually made it to the final only to lose. Even though Northville didn't make it that far this time, he was happy to close on a positive note.

Continued success this year will depend on everyone, but in particular the midfielders.

Rundell heads the group, which also includes Tibble, Gilchrist, Vida, Steve Wieckel and Dave Terakedis.

Andary, Graff, Jimmy Fermanis and Weyer comprise the forwards. Eric Arnold, Nate Goebel, Rory Dunnabeck, captain Ryan Winn, Josh Brugeman and Mike Basse are defenders.

## Runners fall to Novi

By SCOTT DANIEL  
Sports Editor

Call it a scrimmage, call it a duel meet, call it whatever you like, but the Mustang girls' cross country teams has had better days.

Northville High ran against Novi and Farmington on Aug. 30 at Cass Benton. Coach Chris Cronin said his team has to do better to avoid a long fall season.

"We definitely have to run much faster to compete," he said. "They had two varsity teams in before we had one runner in."

The status of the meet, whether it was considered a double-duel meet or merely a scrimmage, was uncertain at press time. It's listed on Northville's schedule as a regular varsity meet.

At any rate, Cronin wasn't entirely shocked by last week's meet. With a largely inexperienced squad, he said it'll take some time for Northville to get on track.

"It'll take us a while to run well," said Cronin. "We have a lot of potential. But when that potential will come together is hard to tell."

Erin Tovey was the first Mustang to cross the line at Cass Benton. She finished in 14th place with a time of 24:03.

Allison Murphy was 18th in 25:21 and Katie Spillane was close behind in 25:27. Other Northville finishers were Allissa Nadeau (27:03), Karen Loeffler (27:03), Kristin VanTuyl (27:13) and Kristen Wasalaski (27:36).

A number of Mustangs didn't run. Chrissy Buser, Stacey Vilsides, Jenny Dowdell and Kate

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## Sports Shorts

### GOLF

Northville residents Karen Tod and Lynn Helm were part of a golfing foursome in the recently held Oakwood Healthcare System's third annual K mart Women's Healthcare Classic. The event raised more than \$100,000 to fight breast cancer.

### COLT FOOTBALL

The 1995 season for the Northville-Novi Colts opens on Sept. 9 at Ypsilanti against the Braves. Games kick off at noon for freshmen, 1:30 for junior varsity and at 3 p.m. for varsity. The Colts homecoming game is scheduled for Sept. 30. They still has room for varsity players (ages 12-14). Call 348-3029 for information.

### SIGNING ON

Northville High graduate Chuck Yessalan recently signed a national letter of intent to play baseball for Siena Heights College. A catcher/infielder, Yessalan was a most valuable player for the New York Bayside Yankees in a Christmas tournament in Puerto Rico last winter and played for the Kensington Valley Connie Mack squad this summer.

"Chuck will bring some raw power with him and he will have a great opportunity to develop into a fine catcher," Saints' coach Gordie Theisen said.

### SOCCER

Five Northville girls have been selected for the Olympic Development Soccer program. Megan Cauzillo, Bridget Bowdell, Lori Carbott and Kerri Whallen were all selected for the first time with Bethany Bryant returning to the program for the third straight year.

Through a series of tryouts, the ODP program selects girls (by individual age group/birth year) from all over Michigan for advanced soccer training and a chance to make the Michigan ODP team, which is scheduled to compete against 12 other states at the Midwest regional next summer.

### STING

For the second time in as many months, the Northville Sting '85 finished second in the competitive division of a local soccer tournament. The Sting were second at the third annual Waterford Cup Tournament in August.

The Sting played three games on their first day of competition. The locals won the opener 7-2 over the Huron Valley Tornadoes and then beat the CSC Bullets 3-2. Dearborn Heights gave Northville its first loss in game three.

In the championship game, the Sting fell behind the Rochester Renegades 3-0. Northville rallied with two goals but fell short by one.

Team members included: Kevin Azanger, Tim Calkins, Matt Cornelius, Andy Fielhauer, Joe Gallagher, Kevin Gardner, Gabe Ilko, Pat Kelleher, Brian Lake, Greg Lechowicz, Adam Miller, Kevin Paladino, Jared Pereira, John Quincy, Ben Sherman, Jon Spray, Zack Wollack, and Joey Zumstein.

### GOLF

Northville resident Carolyn Benninger shot an 87 at Ironwood Golf Club on Aug. 25 for the low gross score in the first flight of the Women's Suburban Golf Association tournament.

### CROSS COUNTRY

The University of Detroit Mercy Titan track and cross country teams host their sixth annual 5 kilometer run on Sept. 9 at Northville's Cass Benton park. The event is open to runners 15-years-old and over. An entry fee of \$5 will benefit the UDM running program. For further information, contact Guy Murray, director of track and cross country at (313) 993-1724.

## Runners fall to Novi

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Riebling were among those missing from the race. Captain Kajal Parkh started but was unable to finish.

"We approached it as a scrimmage," said Cronin. "I just wanted

the girls to run and get used to competing."

Northville runs at the Schoolcraft College Invitational Saturday.

"I think we'll be much more prepared for Schoolcraft," Cronin said.



Photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

Uta Filkin said she enjoys the challenge of working with teenagers every fall season.

## Filkin still enjoys coaching after 26 years

By SCOTT DANIEL  
Sports Editor

Uta Filkin has seen a lot of Mustang tennis over the years.

First, she starred for Northville High in the early 1960s. And for the past 26 years, Filkin has guided the Mustangs.

She's already started her 27th season.

"I still enjoy it," Filkin said. "No two years are the same. It's a challenge each year."

"I deal with 30 teenagers each year. That's the challenge."

Filkin took the program over in 1968 shortly after finishing college. She replaced her one-time mentor, Pat Babel.

"She fought for equality for women at Northville High," Filkin said.

The tennis program at Northville began with Filkin, who came to town as an exchange student from Germany.

"(Babel) constructed a team around me," said Filkin.

After playing at Northville, she went on to college and worked on a degree in education. Filkin came back to her beloved Mustangs to

teach German and coach the tennis team.

As it has turned out, her coaching career has gone far beyond her time as a teacher. She said she stopped teaching full-time to "have her family."

While she's continued to help out in the school's German department from time to time, Filkin hasn't missed a beat on the court. Besides enjoying being around the players, she said it's important for them to have a female role model.

"I think it's important that they have a woman coach," Filkin said.

Over the years her coaching techniques haven't changed too much. What has changed is how she deals with things.

"I'm not as uptight about things," Filkin said. "I guess that comes with age. You mellow a bit."

Drop by the high school when the Mustangs are practicing and you're likely to find her still running the drills and keeping up just fine with her players.

"I like to hit with them," she commented.

While the world is a much different place than when she began coaching, Filkin said

some things haven't changed.

"The kids haven't changed," she said. "They listen to different music. But they still do the things kids do."

The coach hasn't seriously thought about leaving Northville High yet. But she has had other opportunities.

Filkin was offered a coaching job in West Bloomfield about a decade ago, but she declined the position.

"I really like the kids in Northville," she said.

The West Bloomfield job would've paid much more money. But, then again, she's not in it for the money.

"If anybody is," Filkin said, "they need their head examined."

The coach isn't sure how much longer she'll go on.

"I haven't found a good time (to retire)," said Filkin. "As long as it's fun I'll stick with it."

Most of all, it's her players that keep her coming back.

"The kids appreciate what you do," she said. "They're loyal."

## Cagers win South Lyon tournament by edging Lions 47-45

By MERRILL CAIN AND SCOTT DANIEL  
Sports Writers

Northville High got its basketball season off to a quick start last week at the South Lyon Invitational.

The Mustangs won the tournament by beating the Lions in the final 47-45.

"Overall I thought it was a pretty good tournament," Lion coach Ron Shanks said. "Obviously we wanted to win it and I'm a little disap-

pointed we couldn't stay close at the end but we gave it a good shot."

South Lyon again looked crisp offensively in the Aug. 31 final game against a team that at the time was ranked in the state.

South Lyon led by three points after the first quarter but Northville cut the lead to one at the half.

Shanks said the Lions game plan was to keep Northville from

running the ball and the plan worked in the opening half as SL made their shots preventing many Mustang fast break opportunities.

Raths and South Lyon's Carolyn Kovala both picked up their fourth fouls early in the third quarter and Shanks was forced to sit both players for most of the period. Rath's loss was particularly disheartening because Janie Agemy had to put in extended minutes in the post limiting her effectiveness on offense.

The Lions trailed by four points entering the fourth quarter and Northville kept that cushion for most of the period. With about four minutes left the Lions started to get a little desperate and their offense got impatient.

The Mustangs took advantage of some SL mistakes and they were able to run and gun extending the lead to double digits.

Samantha Leger had a big night for Northville scoring 20 points, including 12 in the second half, but it was sophomore forward Karla Kalso who made the difference according to Shanks.

Kalso hadn't played in the Mustangs' first game of the tournament but she came out on fire against the Lions tossing down 12 points.

Agemy was the high scorer for

SL with 14 points to go along with nine rebounds while Brooke Raths had seven points.

"The one thing that concerned me was that we didn't play with a lot of poise," Shanks said. "In both games we didn't show very much poise in the fourth quarter and that hurt us."

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## Kudos for local municipal workers

By CINDY STEWART  
Special Writer

Summer is slowly winding down ... but not our dedicated parks and recreation staff. After wrapping up summer concerts, youth softball and T-ball, adult softball, sand volleyball and three-on-three basketball leagues, Camp Lakeshore, Walk Michigan, summer trips, Youth Theater - Performance Plus, soccer and baseball camps, just to name a few, the staff is getting ready to provide residents with the very best of fall and winter activities.

Novi Parks and Recreation not only offers the best in programs and classes, but the very best in fields, parks, rooms, staff and volunteers. Many of the parks and recreation staff work behind the scenes, but the events would not be possible without their hard work.

Steve Tillman, John Neff, Tim Zylka, and supervisor Jack Lewis work year round maintaining all Novi parks, baseball, softball and soccer fields. Building Supervisor Cindy Uglow maintains the Novi Civic Center, inside and out, and organizes the set-up and clean-up of all programs and events. Don't be surprised to see her any day of the week, any time of day or night. She also has a very dedicated staff of part-time building supervisors



Deanne Adaschik took time out from her busy schedule to play summer softball.

to take care of everything going on at the Civic Center.

Questions regarding activities? Need to sign your kids or yourself up for a program? Well, parks and recreation has some of the very best waiting behind the counter to help you. Liz McCloskey, Kelly Stanley and Shannon Janes work hard to help residents, and always with a smile. There's never a dull moment with kids, seniors, clogging and more happening down by the multi-purpose room, but they maintain a positive attitude to help their customers.

We certainly can't forget our recreation coordinators who work non-stop to offer all those fantastic programs year round. Kathy Crawford and Jan McAlpine never stop planning fun-filled activities for Novi's seniors. Stop by the Senior Center for lunch and find out just what great things are happening every day.

Marilyn Troshak and Deanne Adaschik take care of planning and implementing each and every program, league, activity and event offered all year long. Each season offers special events such as the Fall Classic Power Play, Halloween Carnival, Light Up the Holiday Ceremony, Chilly Willy Winter Festival, family trips, photo contest, Youth Theater, classes in karate, fitness, clogging, weight training, gymnastics, basketball and volleyball leagues, and much more.

Scott Mercer makes sure all of the city's softball leagues run smoothly, too.

There are also a number of special interest groups that come together under the Novi Parks and Recreation Department, including the Novi Arts Council, Novi Garden Club, Novi Camera Club, Novi Trackers Running Club, Novi Youth Baseball, Novi Senior Social Club, and the Livonia-Novu Spar-

tans, just to name a few.

Call 347-0400 for more information.

All this comes together under the direction of parks and recreation Director Dan Davis.

According to Davis, "Novi Parks and Recreation is an excellent program thanks to our dedicated staff. We all work together as a team to provide the very best for our residents."

Parents, after school shopping is done and the kids are back in school, why not take a leisurely afternoon and browse through the new parks and recreation fall brochure. There's something for every member of the household.

Cindy Stewart is the former Director of Public Information for the City of Novi.

## New test available for pregnant women



Timothy Johnson

offered to patients and it is recommended by the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists.

The triple-screen test requires one tube of blood to be drawn, and it poses no more risks than any other blood test. The test measures three substances: maternal serum alpha-fetoprotein (MSAFP), unconjugated estriol (UE3) and beta human chorionic gonadotropin (BHCG). The screen should not be done before 15 weeks and should be performed by the 20th week of gestation. To understand whether you should sign up for the test, it is important to understand the various components and problems associated with the test.

MSAFP is a protein produced by the fetus. The value can be abnormal if the pregnancy is

farther along or not as far along as thought, if there are twins, and in women carrying fetuses with certain types of birth defects such as open neural tube defects (open spine or brain defects), incomplete closure of the abdominal wall, and certain rare kidney conditions. The MSAFP is also elevated in women who subsequently have such complications as pre-term delivery and low birth weight babies. The MSAFP is low in cases of Down Syndrome and Trisomy 18 (genetic abnormalities).

Unconjugated estriol is produced by the placenta and the fetus. Low UE3 can be associated with Down syndrome.

BETA-HCG also is produced by the placenta. BHCG is the hormone usually measured in pregnancy tests. A high BHCG in the maternal blood can be associated with Down Syndrome.

Triple-screen analysis combines these three blood values to predict the risk of potential problems. In order to interpret the triple screen, you must know about the length of the pregnancy (gestational age), maternal age, maternal weight, race and the presence of diabetes. Any of these factors can affect the analysis.

Generally, if the MSAFP is elevated, ultrasound is recommended to confirm the gestational age, rule out multiple pregnancies and identify any fetal anomalies. Once ultrasound results are obtained, further tests such as amniocentesis may be offered depending upon

the blood and ultrasound test results. If the combination MSAFP, UE3 and BHCG triple-screen shows that the fetus is at risk for Down Syndrome, it is considered a positive screen. Ultrasound is used to confirm gestational age and then amniocentesis is offered for chromosome studies. Generally, the triple screen is not repeated if it is abnormally low because this decreases its effectiveness.

The triple screen is a screening test, not a diagnostic test. Most patients with an abnormal triple screen have a normal child but offering the screen allows for the detection of 85 percent of open neural tube defects and approximately 60 percent of babies afflicted with Down syndrome.

Whether you have the test depends upon risk factors but also on whether the information would be useful to you. Many patients feel that prenatal diagnosis of Down syndrome helps in making choices about the pregnancy.

If you have questions about this test or any questions about women's health matters, please call the Women's Health Resource Center at the University of Michigan Medical Center, (313) 936-8886.

Timothy R.B. Johnson, MD, is a professor and chair of the Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology at University of Michigan Medical Center. This column is coordinated by Peg Campbell of the University of Michigan Medical Centers.

### Recreation Briefs

## Martial arts program offered for youths

**YOUTH MARTIAL ARTS:** Northville Parks and Recreation is offering a youth martial arts program for children 6-14-years-old. This program meets on Wednesdays from 6 to 7 p.m. starting Sept. 13. The 12 week program is held at Silver Springs Elementary School.

The fee is \$63 and non-resident fees apply. There is no fighting, no takedowns, and no contact in our beginner class.

**WOMEN'S THURSDAY MORNING VOLLEYBALL:** A morning volleyball league for women of all skill levels is being offered on Thursdays through Northville Parks and Recreation. This 12 week league begins on Sept. 21. Games will be held at 9:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. at the Northville Community Center. Babysitting is available for \$1.50 per child, per hour.

The fee is \$40. The registration deadline is Sept. 14. Register at the community building.

**PUNT, PASS AND KICK:** Northville Parks and Recreation will host the NFL/Gatorade Punt, Pass and Kick competition on Sept. 17 at Novi Middle School. The competition is free and open to boys and girls ages 8 to 15. For competition information, call 349-0203.

All participants will need to bring a copy of their birth certificate to compete. Forms are available at the recreation department.

**GYMNASTICS CLASS CHANGE:** Due to a facility scheduling conflict, the gymnastics pro-

gram offered through Northville Parks and Recreation at Old Village School will be held on Mondays and Wednesdays beginning the week of Sept. 18. The times of the classes are not affected.

Please make a note of this change in your Fall Activities Brochure.

**FALL BROCHURE:** The Northville Parks and Recreation Fall Activities Brochure was delivered during the week of Aug. 21. If you did not receive a brochure please come to the office. We will have extra brochures available in the office and in the lobby of the Northville Community Center, 303 W. Main.

**3-ON-3 ADULT BASKETBALL LEAGUE:** Northville Parks and Recreation will be offering a fall 3-on-3 Basketball league for adults. Games will be played on Tuesday nights, Oct. 3-Dec. 5. The season will last nine weeks. The fee is \$125 per team. Non-residents fee is \$15 per player.

Applications will be available in the Recreation Office, 303 W. Main Street, beginning Sept. 5. The registration deadline is Sept. 22. For more information contact the Recreation Department at 349-0203.

**NEW ATTITUDE AEROBICS AND STEP BENCH:** New Attitude Aerobics is offering aro-

bics and step bench classes at the Northville Community Center continuously throughout the year. Classes are held daily.

For information regarding specific days and times call New Attitude Aerobics at 348-3120 or the Recreation Office at 349-0203.

**ADULT VOLLEYBALL LEAGUE:** Northville Parks and Recreation is offering a fall volleyball league for adults. Competitive leagues will be offered on Monday evenings and intermediate leagues on Wednesday evenings beginning in September. The fee is \$160 per team. The non-residents fee is \$15 per player.

Applications are available in the Recreation Office, 303 W. Main Street. The registration deadline is Sept. 1 at 4:30 p.m. or until the league is filled. For more information contact the Recreation Department at 349-0203.

**FALL REGISTRATION:** Fall registration for Northville Parks and Recreation programs began on Tuesday, Sept. 5, from 4:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. at the Community Center, 303 W. Main Street.

After this date you may register during regular business hours, Monday-Friday from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Northville Parks and Recreation accepts cash, personal checks, and MasterCard/Visa.

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# Boys' cross country squad races at West Bloomfield

By SCOTT DANIEL  
Sports Editor

Dwight VanTuyl was in mid-season form Saturday. The Mustang cross country runner closed the West Bloomfield Invitational with a time of 17:42. That's an excellent time for just the second meet of the year, coach Ed Gabrys said.

"We're looking for him to make it into the state finals," he added.

Northville opened its cross country season last week with a pair of scrimmages. Gabrys said he was hoping to get a feel for where his team was at with the meets.

"It was a success from that standpoint," he said.

Northville races for real Saturday at the Schoolcraft College Invitational.

At this point, VanTuyl looks like he'll be tough to remove from that top spot. His sub-18 minute showing at West Bloomfield was good for eighth place overall.

Tim Schovers was 19th at 19:09. He ran with teammate Ravi Mujumdar, who came in a second behind for 20th.

Jeremy T. Smith was Northville's next finisher at 31st (19:46). Adam White finished 45th in 20:36, which was an improvement of about a minute from last year for him.

Kevin Morrow was Northville's sixth man in 21:05 and Jeremy C. Smith ran a 21:53 race.

Gabrys said early in the season he's not too concerned about where his team winds up in competitions. He's more concerned with getting the guys in shape.

"This is the time of year we work on mileage and race-pace," Gabrys said.

**NOVI/FARMINGTON**

The Mustangs squared off with Novi and Farmington on Aug. 30 at Cass Benton. Times were a little slow, but not bad.

"At this point in the overall scheme of things,"

Gabrys said, "we're in good position."

VanTuyl, again, led the way. He was the overall winner of the race in 18:08.

Schovers finished fifth in 19:12 and Mujumdar was sixth in 19:19.

Northville's next runner was quite a ways down. Gabrys said the team must improve pack times to be competitive.

Morrow finished 22nd in 21:24 - almost two minutes behind Mujumdar. Gabrys said a minute pack time for the top seven runners is ideal.

White was 26th in 21:39, Jeremy C. Smith 27th in 21:49 and John Julow 28th in 22:40.

## Golf Guide

### NOVI-NORTHVILLE PUBLIC COURSES

#### Brooklane Golf Club

44115 W. Six Mile, Northville  
(810) 348-1010

Brooklane is an 18-hole course playing 3,949 yards. Par 61.

Fees: For nine holes, \$12 on weekdays, \$13 on weekends. For 18 holes, \$16 on weekdays, \$19 on weekends. Seniors play nine holes for \$7.50 and 18 holes for \$9.50 on weekdays. Juniors (15 and under) pay \$9 for nine or 18 holes. Carts are \$11 for nine and \$17 for 18 holes.

#### Downing Farms

8145 W. Seven Mile, Northville  
(810) 486-0990

Downing Farms is a nine-hole course playing 3,222 yards. Par 36.

Fees: For nine holes, \$11 on weekdays and \$14 on weekends. For 18 holes, \$16 on weekdays and \$20 on weekends and holidays. Discounts for juniors and seniors. Carts available.

#### Links of Novi

50395 W. Ten Mile, Novi  
(810) 380-9595

The Links of Novi is a 27-hole course. The East course is 3,209 yards (par 35), the South course is 2,805 yards (par 34) and the West course is 3,288 yards (par 36).

Fees: Weekdays prices are \$17 and \$23 (with cart) for nine holes, \$29 and \$40 (with cart) for 18. Weekend prices are \$27 for 9 holes and \$45 for 18 holes with carts being mandatory until 4 p.m. After 4 p.m. prices are \$17 and \$20 (with cart) for nine holes and \$22 and \$27 (with cart) for 18 holes.

#### Oasis Golf Center

39500 Five Mile, Plymouth  
(313) 420-4653

Oasis offers 18 holes playing 2,265 yards. Par 54. The course is

closed to public golf for league play Monday through Thursday from 4:30 to 7:10 p.m.; Tuesday and Wednesday from 8:30 to 10:10 a.m. and Thursday and Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 11 a.m.

Fees: For nine holes, \$8 on weekdays (there are no nine-hole rates on weekends). For 18 holes, \$10 on weekdays and \$12 on weekends. Juniors and seniors get \$2 off on weekdays before 3 p.m.

#### Salem Hills Golf Club

8810 W. Six Mile  
(810) 437-2152

Salem Hills is an 18-hole course playing 6,497 yards. Par 72.

Fees: For nine holes, \$12.50 weekdays (there are no nine-hole rates on weekends). For 18 holes, \$19 on weekdays. On weekends, the rates are \$37 with cart from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.; \$17.50 without cart after 4 p.m. and \$12.50 after 6 p.m. Carts are included in the price and are mandatory until 4 p.m. on weekends. Carts are \$11 for nine holes and \$22 for 18 holes.

#### NOVI-NORTHVILLE PRIVATE COURSES

**Meadowbrook Country Club**  
40941 W. Eight Mile, Northville  
(810) 348-3600

Meadowbrook is an 18-hole course playing 6,522 yards. Par 72. Initial fee for golf club membership is \$28,000 with monthly dues of \$279. A non-golf membership is \$2,800 with monthly dues of \$172.

#### NOVI-NORTHVILLE DRIVING RANGES

#### Oasis Golf Center

39500 Five Mile, Plymouth  
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#### Novi Oaks

46844 W. Twelve Mile, Novi  
(810) XXX-XXXX

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#### SOUTH LYON-MILFORD PUBLIC GOLF COURSES

#### Bogle Lake Golf Club

11231 Bogle Lake, White Lake  
(810) 363-4449

Bogle Lake is an 18-hole course playing 6,020 yards for men and 5,031 yards for women. Par 71.

Fees: For nine holes, \$11 on weekdays and \$14 on weekends. For 18 holes, \$12 on weekdays and \$20 on weekends. Senior rates: \$7 for nine holes and \$10 for 18. Power carts \$13 for nine holes and \$20 for 18.

#### Cattails Golf Club

57737 W. Nine Mile, South Lyon  
(810) 486-8777

Cattails is an 18-hole course playing 6,500 yards for men and 4,987 yards for women. Par 72.

Fees: On weekdays before 11 a.m. \$13 for nine holes and \$22 for 18 holes. On weekdays after 11 a.m. \$17 for nine and \$28 for 18. On weekends, \$20 for nine and \$34 for 18. Power carts \$6 for nine holes and \$12 for 18. Carts mandatory before 3 p.m. on weekends. Weekday special (Monday through Friday before 11 a.m.): \$30 for 18 holes with cart, hot dog, chips and a small basket of range balls.

#### Fox Hills Country Club

#### 768 N. Territorial, Salem

(810) 453-7272

Fox Hills is a 27-hole course.

The Woods Course (par 35) plays 2,823 yards for men and 2,554 yards for women. The Hills Course (par 35) plays 3,200 yards for men and 3,034 yards for women. The Lakes Course (par 36) plays 3,302 yards for men and 2,994 yards for women.

Fees: On weekdays, \$12.50 for nine holes and \$20 for 18. On weekends, \$14 for nine and \$24 for 18. Power carts \$12 for nine holes and \$24 for 18.

#### Fox Hills Golden Fox

8768 N. Territorial, Salem  
(810) 453-7272

Fox Hills is an 18-hole championship course playing 6,431 yards

for men and 5,040 yards for women. Par 72.

Fees: On weekdays, \$22.50 for nine holes and \$45 for 18 holes. On weekends, \$32 for nine and \$50 for 18, power cart included.

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2075 Oakland, Highland Twp.  
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## REAL ESTATE

### Real estate on-line access expanding

By James M. Woodard  
Copley News Service

For consumers, the most significant real estate trend this year is probably the public access of information on properties currently being marketed.

"I think this is a very positive trend in the real estate marketplace," said John Anderson, president of a regional association of Realtors.

"We're basically in the service business. In the real estate marketing field, exposure is the name of the game. Any system or concept that will expand the exposure of listed properties will benefit everyone."

Several major computer on-line systems, including the Internet, are now being used to allow public access of property information. The most ambitious program scheduled to be launched this fall is the Realtors Information Network (RIN), operated by a corporation owned by the National Association of Realtors. To a large extent, this will function like a national multiple listing service (MLS), accessible to anyone with a modem-equipped personal computer.

Regional computer on-line systems also are being launched by

real estate groups. For example, the California Association of Realtors started two comprehensive on-line programs in mid-June, accessed through CompuServe. It includes two services — one for real estate professionals and one for consumers.

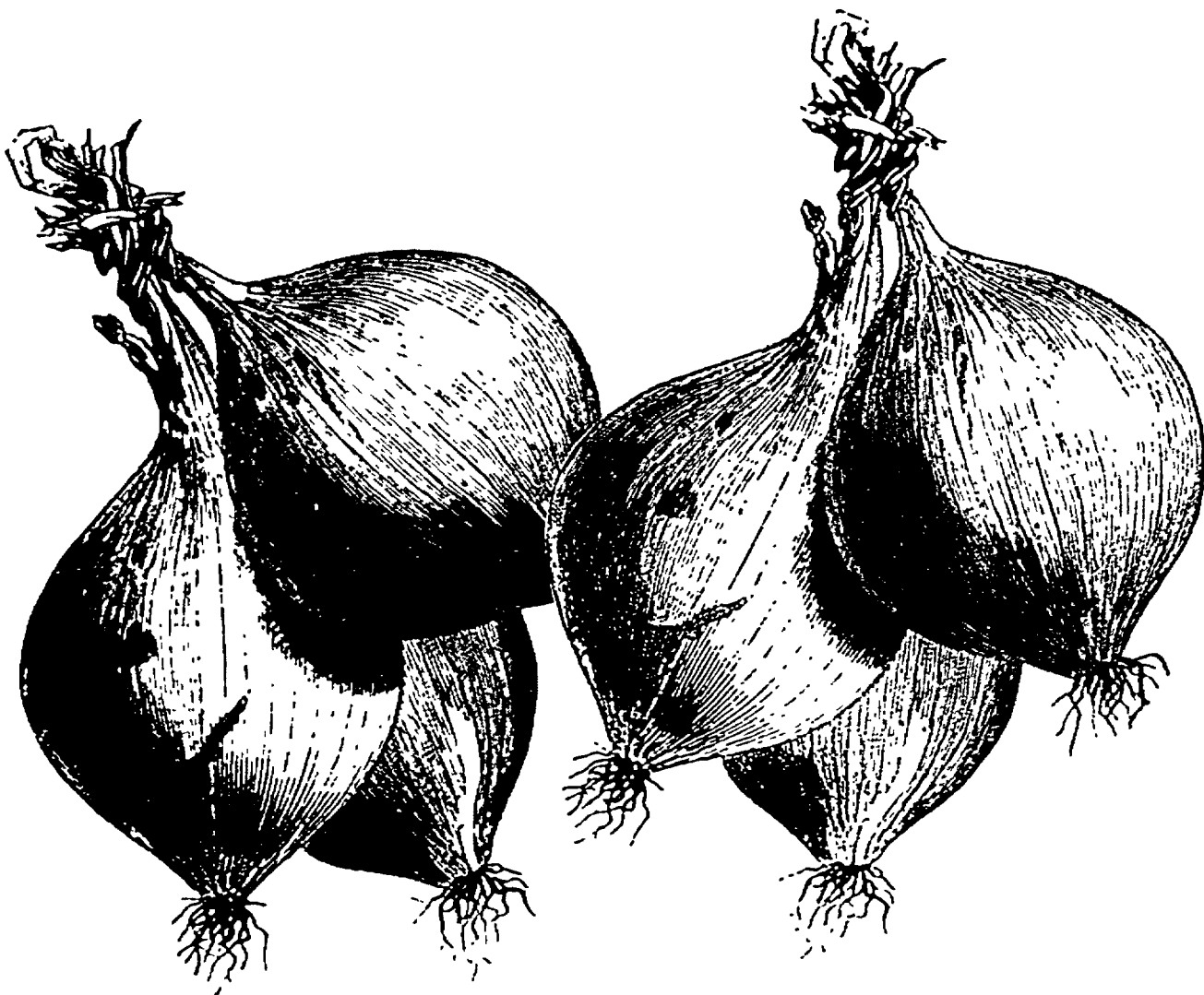
To date, about 5,000 have signed on for the consumer service. About 800 users per week are accessing the information. The service for real estate professionals now has about 550 users, according to a CAR representative.

New services will soon be added to both programs, including a "classified ad" segment in the consumer program that will allow individuals to describe available properties.

On the subject of public access to information on for-sale properties, many Realtors and other real estate professionals have been candidly expressing their views via computer on-line forums. I've been monitoring these expressions on The Internet and regional on-line services.

"If the traditional real estate community doesn't find a way to satisfy the demands of a consistently more sophisticated and informed public for access to prop-

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## HOME DESIGNS



### The elegant, contemporary Scanton has curb appeal

By James McAlexander  
Copley News Service

The eye-catching stonework that fronts the country-contemporary Scanton contributes to the enormous curb appeal of this elegant home.

The promise of the twin facades flanking the entryway are realized in two unique rooms as you make your way into this attractive dwelling. To the left is a large, sunken living room. A 9-foot ceiling enhances an already spacious area. The gas fireplace makes this a cozy spot for conversation with friends or to read a good book on a chilly winter evening. Shelves for displaying your favorite collectibles abound.

On the other side of the entry, step down into the sunken, formal dining room. Dining will be made a pleasure here by a vaulted, 9-foot ceiling, shelves and a built-in hutch to exhibit Mom's prized china.

One entire side of this floor design is given over to the sleeping area. This arrangement is ideal for parents with small children. Privacy is maintained, while still being near enough to respond to a child's needs.

The gracious master suite features large walk-in his and her closets, security system, private sky-lit bathroom with twin basins

and personal access to the extensive back deck and spa.

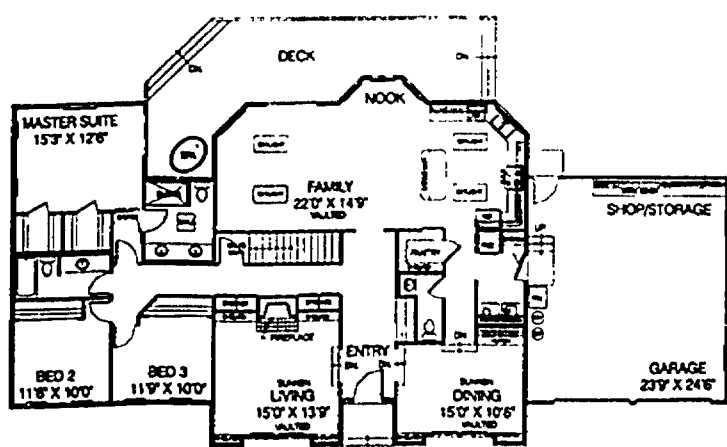
Conveniently separated from the master suite by a full bath are two almost identical bedrooms, each with ample closet space.

The bountiful, vaulted family room is the hub of this household. Skylights and plenty of windows afford natural illumination while friends and relatives watch the ballgame on television or challenge each other to a board game.

The sky-lit kitchen, with range, built-in dishwasher and central eating bar creates an unhurried atmosphere for the cook in the house. Meals may be served informally in the multi-windowed breakfast nook or at the eating bar. For more formal occasions, a hallway leads to the dining room.

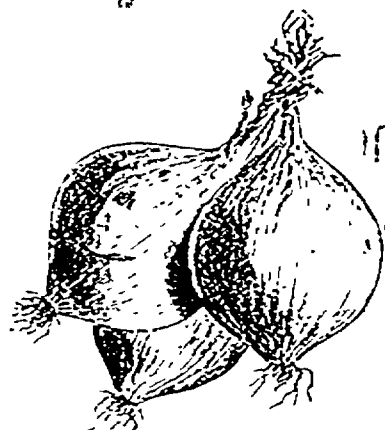
A huge walk-in pantry, with shelves for canned goods, and a half bath line one side of the hall. The other is taken up by a handy utility room. The two-car garage is equipped with a shop, built-in workbench and plenty of extra storage and a central vacuum system for easy cleaning.

For a study plan of the Scanton (334 040), send \$9 to Landmark Designs, c/o HomeTown Newspapers, 323 E. Grand River Ave., Howell, MI 48843. (Be sure to specify plan name and number when ordering.)



OVERALL DIMENSIONS: 86'-0" X 44'-0"  
LIVING AREA: 2,283 square feet  
GARAGE: 649 square feet

### Know when it's the RIPE TIME to pick it



Zucchini approaching the size of a baseball bat and broccoli that's turned into a bouquet of yellow flowers are obviously past their prime for harvest.

Recognizing over-mature vegetables is sometimes less difficult than determining peak quality for harvest, observes Mary McLellan, master gardener program coordinator at Michigan State University.

"Vegetable crops will taste better if you harvest them at their peak of quality," she says. "For some, such as zucchini, that is when they are quite immature. For others, such as winter squash and pumpkins, you want to wait until they mature."

A lot of other crops are somewhere in between. Snap beans, for instance, are tender and taste best when the pods are nicely rounded with developing seeds. If you wait until they are obviously bulging and lumpy-looking, the pods will be tough and stringy. Pick them too small and you'll sacrifice a lot of yield.

Pick cucumbers and all types of summer squash as soon as they're big enough to

eat. Skins will be tender and seeds virtually unnoticeable. Overly large fruits will get tough and seeds will be woody.

Remove oversized fruits and toss them on the compost pile, McLellan suggests. If you leave them, the plants will concentrate on maturing seeds rather than producing more fruits. Removing fruits keeps plants flowering and setting fruit.

Many root crops are best harvested small also. Carrots and beets, for instance, are higher in quality when they're small. If you hold off thinning carrots until the roots reach one-half inch in diameter, you can eat the thinnings. Pick beets when they're less than three inches in diameter, before they get woody. Radishes left too long in the ground will get woody and hot.

You can harvest onions at any stage of development. Thinnings can be used like green onions. Bulbs can be harvested and used for fresh eating or cooking as soon as they're big enough. Varieties planted for winter storage, such as Spartan sleeper and

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### A healthy lawn can be a snap

By C.Z. Guest  
Copley News Service

If you're having trouble growing the perfect lawn, don't throw in the towel.

The truth is, you don't need a Ph.D. in horticulture to be successful. In fact, schooling yourself in the basics of lawn care is as simple as A, B, C.

This year, you can turn a sparse lawn into a carpet of green with ease by following a few simple lawn-care tips.

#### CHOOSING A GRASS SEED

Whether you are creating a new lawn or maintaining an existing one, the key to healthy grass begins with the seed. To guarantee successful grass plants, choose a seed mix designed to thrive in the environment and lifestyle conditions specific to your area. Amounts of sun and shade, lawn size, temperature range and level of family use are all important factors.

Remember, when choosing a grass seed, you'll reap what you sow, so take the time to select the best grass seed possible, and if you're still unsure, consult your local county extension agents for

assistance or the local garden

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Before an artist can paint he needs a clean canvas — the same is true of lawn care. In order for grass to thrive and grow, the lawn must be clear of debris such as rocks and twigs.

To patch a weedy, dead or damaged section of lawn, first rake out the affected area to form grooves in the soil surface. Next work in a handful of a balanced fertilizer and rake the area smooth again.

With weeds and debris gone, you're ready to spread the grass seed. The seed can be sown by hand or with a hand-held spreader for more even distribution.

After spreading the seeds, rake the area again to cover them lightly with soil. Once covered, use an empty roller to gently press the seeds into contact with the soil. Water the newly-seeded area as needed for the next 2 weeks

**Lawn care highlights**  
Follow these few simple rules for a healthy lawn:

- When buying seed, make sure you have a mix that is suited to your climate. Rainfall, temperature extremes, lawn use, and lawn size are things to consider. Buy quality seed. Additionally, soil should be properly conditioned with an appropriate fertilizer.
- Be sure your lawn is always free of debris such as rocks, twigs and limbs.
- Lawns should get a good, thorough soaking (to a depth of 2 or 3 inches) once a week. Treat rain as a bonus. Water early in the morning.
- Mow often and but not closely. Never cut off more than the top one-third of the grass blades. Dull mower blades will damage the grass. Don't cut grass when it is wet.
- Your local extension agent will know the type of grass and fertilizer for your area.

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# It's easy to panel over existing paneling

By Gene Gary  
Copley News Service

**Q.** Our living room has dark wood paneling. We would like to lighten the room, but do not want to go through the messy process of stripping and bleaching the current paneling. We have looked at some of the newer wood paneling that comes in light shades. Is it possible to install one of these newer panels over this existing paneling?

**A.** Yes — and you gain benefits in additional insulation.

However, the installation is slightly different than panels that are applied directly to the original wall. First, renail or glue any loose joints or warped sections on the existing paneling. Then clean the old paneling with warm water and a mild detergent. Let dry, then rough up the surface with a medium-grit sandpaper to help the panel adhesive adhere to the old surface.

Use the old paneling as a pattern for laying out and cutting the size of the new paneling. The new paneling should be attached to the old with both adhesive and color matching paneling nails.

Before repainting, carefully remove and label each piece of moulding.

When working around windows and doorways, butt thin paneling flush to the moulding. Cover the seam with small moulding, such as a quarter round or lattice painted to match.

To accommodate the thickness around light switches and outlets, raise the outlets by adding outlet box extensions. In some instances this may not be necessary. With thinner paneling, the switch often can be reinstalled once the new paneling is in place.

**Q.** Our home has natural cedar siding. The entrance features a front porch in nat-

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When working around windows and doorways, butt thin paneling flush to the moulding.

ural wood, where we have installed an insulated steel door. We could paint the door a color to harmonize with the exterior wood. However, I would prefer the look of wood. Do you know of any finish that would simulate wood and blend with the existing exterior?

**A.** There is a faux wood-grain system available that will probably meet your needs.

Application is a two-coat process. The first coat is an acrylic base coat that is neutral/beige in coloring. After the base coat has been applied, an antiquing toner is

brushed on and then wiped down. The toner comes in either a dark or light blend. The amount of toner you wipe off the base coat also helps to vary the shade. Although it is doubtful that you will be able to get an exact match to the existing wood, you should be able to achieve a blend that compliments the natural wood.

Apply a protective coating over the door when you have achieved the desired effect. A clear coating of polyurethane that resists the sun and is non-yellowing would be a good choice. The faux wood-grain products are made by Zynolyte Products Co., P.O. Box 6244, Carson, CA 90749. They are sold under the name of Creative Fine Woodfinishing Products and are available nationwide.

**Q.** We have two bathrooms — one has a ceiling fan but no window, and one with a window but no ceiling fan. The one with the window has mildew on the ceiling and upper walls. I scrub it off and it keeps coming back. Is there something I can use to keep the mildew from coming back?

**A.** To assure adequate ventilation, it is important that the window remains open, even if just a crack, when the bathroom is in use for showering or any moisture-producing chores.

The addition of a ceiling fan would help to circulate the air and prevent moisture from collecting. This would not have to be a ventilation ceiling fan (one that vents to the outside) which is more expensive and more complicated to install. There also are some additives you can add to paint that will help prevent mildew.

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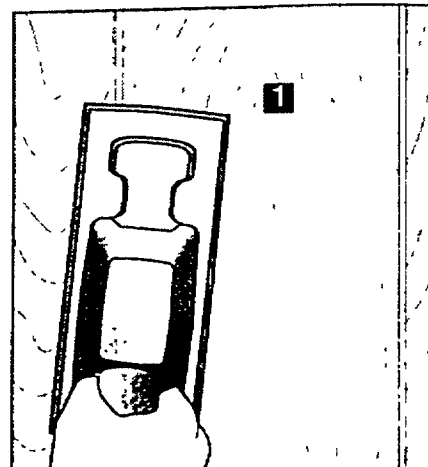
## New paneling over old

New paneling can be installed over old and you will gain insulation benefits. Make sure the old paneling is cleaned, sanded and attached well to the wall.

■ Renail, glue and repair existing paneling. Clean with warm water and detergent and let dry. Rough the surface with medium-grit sandpaper.

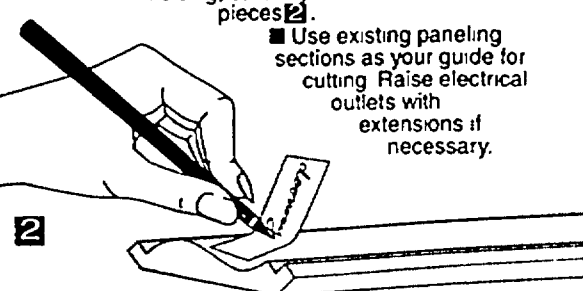
■ The new paneling should be attached with both glue and color-matched nails.

■ Around windows and doors, butt new paneling up against the current moulding (assuming paneling is thin) and use small quarter-round or lattice to finish.



■ For ceiling and baseboard molding, carefully remove and label old pieces.

■ Use existing paneling sections as your guide for cutting. Raise electrical outlets with extensions if necessary.



SOURCE: Popular Mechanics

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# Real estate on-line access is expanding services

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erty information, the public will find someone else to bring it to them," one Realtor said.

"If this happens, Realtors will lose their position at the center of the sales transaction. In order to maintain control of this valuable information resource and still accommodate public demand, there should be a compromise between the public and real estate community."

The Realtor believes regional MLS should allow limited access to their prop-

erty databases by the public, accessed on their personal computers.

"Limited access to these databases can be achieved through software on the host machine and the user's personal computer. By limited, I mean the consumer would be limited to certain segments or portions of the data for any one property."

"I would also suggest that a special section of the MLS database be reserved for storage of information on 'for sale by owner' properties. This information would also be accessible by the public."

The Realtor noted that consumers have

in the past tried to sell their homes themselves in order to save a commission payment.

"It's only natural to try to save money. But those owners who actually complete a transaction and close the sale comprise only about 10 percent of all homes sold. Most of them are unsuccessful and say they would never go through the process again on their own, according to surveys."

"Homeowners could submit information on their home being offered for sale, and buyers could access it and search the database from their homes. Why should

Realtors provide such a service? Just remember the statistics. They're in the Realtor's favor."

Another Realtor pointed out that the most valuable service rendered by a broker is knowing the local market and being in a position to select the best possible property for a prospective home buyer.

"My biggest value to clients is to save them time and money, using my knowledge of the real estate market. They could spend hours surfing the computer networks and looking at hundreds of homes. But knowing their needs and the local

market, I have the knowledge and tools to narrow the search down to a few homes very quickly."

Another Realtor said, "We need to get away from the mindset that we are gatekeepers and protectors of secret information. We are a provider of a service. We need to take steps now to meet the needs of the consumer. They won't wait for us."

Questions may be used in future columns; personal responses should not be expected. Send inquiries to James V. Woodard, Copley News Service, P.O. Box 190, San Diego, CA 92112-0190.

# A healthy lawn can be a snap with the key ingredients

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until the grass is well-established.

## WATERING

The key to watering established grass plants is a thorough soaking once a week, counting rain purely

as a bonus. Water early in the morning to minimize evaporation and runoff, and soak the soil to the depth of the roots, approximately 2 to 3 inches. This watering formula will promote deep root growth and allow grass to withstand the stress of heat and drought.

## MOWING

A lawn of thriving grass is like a full head of hair; periodically it needs to be cut to keep it neat and healthy.

For the best results, mow often but not too closely, never removing more than the top inch of the grass plant in one cutting. A more

severe or deeper cut will leave grass plants more susceptible to drought, pests and disease.

As a rule, cut more frequently when grass is growing rapidly and less often when growth slows during midsummer months.

Remember to keep mower blades sharp as well. Dull blades

will damage grass, leaving ugly dead tips which soon turn brown. Also, avoid cutting the lawn when grass is wet, as soggy plants lie flat minimizing the effectiveness of mowing.

With a little extra effort and determination, this spring you can graduate with honors from the

school of lawn care and have a lawn that's the envy of your neighbors.

C.Z. Guest, is an authority on gardens, flowers and plants. Send questions to C.Z. Guest, c/o Copley News Service, P.O. Box 190, San Diego, CA 92112-0190.

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# Solid oak table holds its value



This oak table with hand-carved birds and animals was made in the late 1800s and could be worth \$475 to \$500.

By Anne McCollam  
Copley News Service

**Q.** The table in this photo was purchased about 40 years ago from a used furniture store. It is made of solid oak with a veneer top. The carving on each leg is a little different, which leads us to believe they were not factory made. We would appreciate any information you can give us.

**A.** The style of your table is based on the designs of French-born Jacques Alexander Roux. He worked in New York in the late 1800s. The three-dimensional carvings of the birds and rams show the influence of his work. Tables of this type were factory made and quite popular around 1900. The birds and animals were hand carved in the factory.

Your table would probably be worth between \$475 and \$500.

**Q.** My mother left me a porcelain vegetable dish in very good condition. It is marked with a shield and the words "Stetson — Guaranteed 22 Kt. Gold — Made in U.S.A." My dish is decorated with a pink rose with gold filigree in the center and gold flowers with gold filigree along the edge.

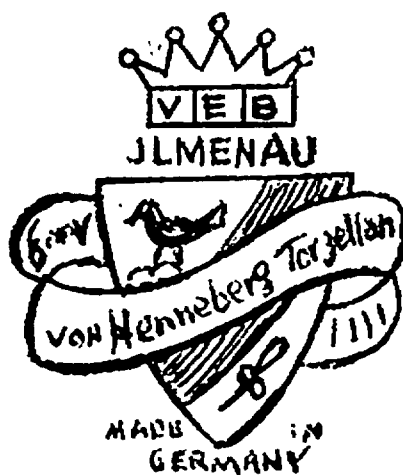
Could you please tell me if it has any value.

**A.** Your dish was made by Stetson China Co., Lincoln, Ill. They began as a decorating and distributing company in Chicago in 1919. Much of their dinnerware was sold in department stores. It was also used as premiums by Procter & Gamble Co. Dishes decorated with the gold overlay were very popular.

Your dish was made in the mid-1900s. It would probably be worth between \$10 and \$15.

**Q.** My brother sent me a tea set from Germany during World War II. This mark is on each piece. The set consists of a teapot, creamer and sugar bowl and six cups and saucers. They are decorated with flowers against a white background and trimmed in silver. Please advise me

## ANTIQUES



of the value of my set.

**A.** Your tea set was made by Ilmenau Porcelain Factory AG., Ilmenau, Thuringia, Germany. The firm was founded in 1777. This mark was used circa 1934. The value of your tea set would probably be \$225 to \$250 in good condition.

**Q.** We have two Angelica Kauffmann plates that have been in the family for about 80 years. Each plate is decorated with classical scenes of young women. How old are my plates and are they worth anything?

**A.** Swiss-born Kauffmann achieved her success as an artist in England. She was educated in literature, music, art, architecture and science. Kauffmann (1741-1807) was hailed as an outstanding portrait and historical painter. Porcelain signed with her name was copied and reproduced on European porcelain in the 1800s.

Your plates were made in the late 1800s. Plates similar to yours are seen in antique shops in the \$85 to \$125 range.

**Q.** I have a Rookwood ewer that is 17 inches high. It has a glaze that gradu-

ates from olive to a rust-brown color. The front is decorated with yellow daffodils. On the bottom is the Rookwood mark with four flame points above the letters. Below the mark are the letters "560A — W — ARV."

Please give me any information you can and the approximate value of my ewer.

**A.** Maria Longworth Nichols established Rookwood Pottery in 1879 in Cincinnati. The flame mark was first used in 1886, with a flame point added for each year until 1900. The number is the mold number. Pieces marked with a "W" are made from white clay. "ARV" are the initials of the artist Albert Robert Valentien. He was hired in 1881 as Rookwood's first full-time decorator.

Your ewer was made in 1891. The value would probably be \$1,500 to \$2,000 in good condition.

## BOOK REVIEW

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to pick it

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stuttgart, should be left in the ground to mature and dry, then cured and stored.

Peppers and eggplant fruits can be harvested before they reach full size or left on the plants. Peppers turn color as they mature, going from green to yellow, red or purple. Harvest them at any stage.

Most gardeners pace the garden waiting for the first ripe tomato, but there's no shortage of recipes calling for green tomatoes.

Sweet corn can be a puzzle. Once the silks turn brown, one ear looks pretty much like any other. To check for peak quality in sweet corn, peel back the leaves and check for

fully rounded kernels filled with milky juice. They should reach this stage about 21 days after silks appear. Doughy kernels indicate that corn is past its peak.

Melons, particularly watermelons, can also be tricky. Watermelons ready for harvest should be full-sized and dull-colored, and the portion touching the soil should have turned from greenish white to cream color. The tendrils nearest the melon should be curled and dried up.

Muskmelons or cantaloupe are ready to harvest when fruits begin to separate from their stems.

Garden peas should be plump with peas but still bright green. Snow peas are best when pods reach full size but the seeds are still barely noticeable. Edible-podded cultivars such as sugar snap should be harvested when the pods are nicely rounded with seeds.

Harvest cabbage when heads are big enough to use and solid. Cauliflower heads should be six to eight inches in diameter, compact, white and smooth. Broccoli heads should be fully developed but individual flower buds should be tightly closed and showing no yellow color.

After the main head is harvested, plants will send up side shoots that will form smaller heads for a second harvest. Brussels sprouts should be good-sized and solid. Kohlrabi, another member of the cabbage family, is grown for its enlarged stem. Harvest when stems are two to four inches in diameter. Overlarge ones tend to get tough and woody.

Harvest leaf vegetables such as spinach and lettuce when leaves are big enough to use or plants are crowded and need thinning. Harvest before plants flower — leaves then become bitter.

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Bill O'Connor and Tom Bullock, owners of the North Carolina Nursery and Craft shop in South Lyon.

## Nursery emphasizes 'a personal touch'

By ANNE SEEBALDT GOGOLIN  
Special Writer

Quality materials at a competitive price is the goal at North Carolina Nursery and Craft in South Lyon.

Co-owners Bill O'Connor and Tom Bullock decided upon South Lyon as a place where they could "get back to the small town nursery with a personal touch," Bullock said.

O'Connor had started a landscaping business in 1977. He and Bullock have been business partners since 1984. O'Connor has a bachelor's degree in horticulture from Michigan State University. Bullock has no degree qualifications but possesses plenty of horticultural experience. Both men say that Laurie Peyton, store manager, keeps things running smoothly.

"We're trying to fill the need for a landscape grade or quality plant at an affordable price," O'Connor said. "The trend seemed to go

toward landowners doing it for themselves. We're trying to provide assistance and quality plants for the homeowners." He added, however, that North Carolina Nursery and Craft personnel still install and design landscaping projects. They also offer free delivery of nursery purchases.

"We do plantings, pond (construction) work and water gardening," O'Connor added. In November 1993, the two men relocated their business from Farmington Hills to its present site at 557 S. Lafayette St. in South Lyon.

Bullock said that the craft store was opened in November and they sold Christmas trees for that holiday season. In the spring of 1994, the two men acquired a full complement of nursery supplies.

O'Connor added: "Being a small nursery, you may not find all of the plants you need for your land-

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## Business Briefs

W.B. DONER & CO. has announced the promotion of Milford native CHRIS GRANDIS to account supervisor in the agency's public relations division.

In this position he will be responsible for supervising, implementing and servicing a variety of the division's client accounts including F&M, Holiday Rambler

and Frank's Nursery & Crafts.

Grandis joined Doner Public Relations in 1994 as a senior account executive working on Frank's Nursery & Crafts and The

Pet Practice.

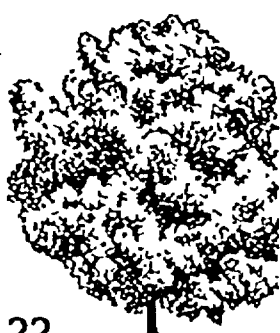
Grandis is a member of the Public Relations Society of America. He graduated from Grand Valley State University.

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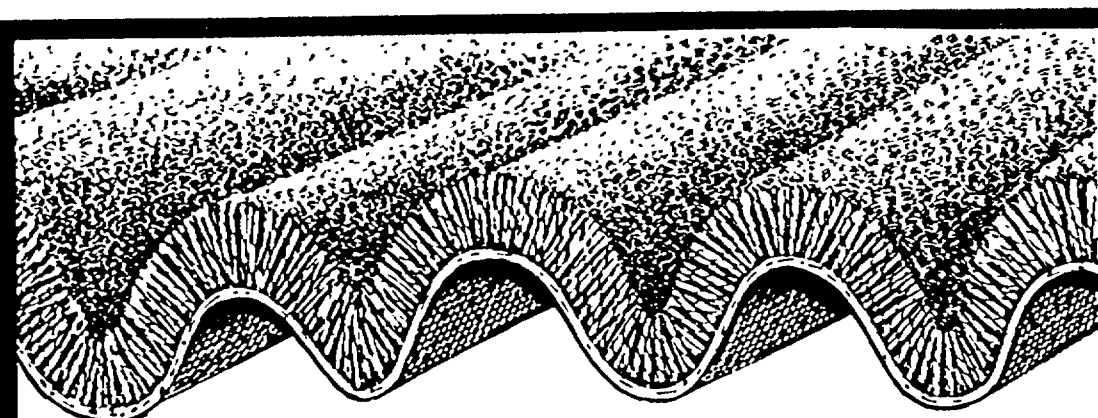
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North Carolina Nursery and Craft of South Lyon.

## Shop gains name from Christmas tree growing region

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scape, but what we carry is of very high quality at a competitive price."

Fraser Firs from North Carolina are probably the most popular type of Christmas trees they sell.

"The Fraser Fir tree makes a really beautiful cut Christmas Tree," O'Connor said. "We've been in the nursery business for years and we started buying lots of nursery stock from North Carolina."

These and other nursery items from Michigan, Ohio, and Pennsylvania are arranged attractively in a garden-like setting.

"We arrange the plants so they complement each other," he said.

Many of their craft items come from Appalachian states such as North Carolina, Kentucky, Tennessee, Virginia and West Virginia. "We have a Christmas corner year-round," O'Connor said. "At Christmas, we really get a large quantity of Christmas crafts." The craft area is open during the winter while the planting stock is hibernating.

Bullock and O'Connor travel far and wide to various crafting events to obtain these items. They also

stock creations from local crafters. Regardless of their source, "all the gifts (in our store) are hand-crafted, not mass-produced," O'Connor said. He added that the craft and nursery items that they carry helped them decide upon the name of their South Lyon business. "It makes for a name that's unique," he said.

Both men live in South Lyon and intend to be active in their community. They are members of the area Chamber of Commerce. O'Connor and his wife, Joyce, have lived in South Lyon for eight years with their children Billy and Lauren.

Bullock, his wife Marianne, and their two sons Patrick and Tyler have lived in South Lyon for three years.

North Carolina Nursery and Craft is located at the back of the South Lyon Center across from McHattie Park. Hours of operation are from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday through Friday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, and 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Sunday. Monday night hours may be scheduled by appointment only. For more information, call (810)486-3735.

# Recent grads face money challenges

Managing debt, paying taxes and investing for the future are some challenges faced by recent college graduate.

To help graduates meet these obstacles and master some critical money management skills, the Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants offers the following financial advice.

## SET FINANCIAL GOALS

If you're working full-time, chances are you're earning more money than ever before. As a result, it's generally easy to quickly become a spendthrift.

However, spending money without a fiscal strategy can jeopardize your ability to become financially independent. To start on the right foot, you must set monetary goals and establish a monthly budget that provides for sensible savings and spending.

One of your initial goals should be to set up an emergency fund of three to six months of your take-home pay. This will help you manage unforeseen expenses down the road. Once you have this safety net in place, you can start saving for the future.

Automatic savings plans are ideal for new graduates who haven't yet acquired the savings habit. If your employer offers a

## Money Management

401(k) or similar plan, sign up as soon as you qualify. Because the money you invest is deducted from your wages before taxes, you can reduce your income tax bill while investing for your future. If your company doesn't offer an automatic savings plan, you can set up your own plan by arranging with a mutual fund company to make regular transfers from your checking account into a fund account.

## BE AN EDUCATED INVESTOR

When you are young, it's worthwhile to take a few prudent risks with your money. However, before making any investment decisions, do your homework first. Take the time to read about different investment vehicles and discuss your investment options with a trusted financial planner, such as your CPA. Current market conditions, the amount you have to invest, and your financial goals all play a role in determining your investment strategy.

## CONSOLIDATE STUDENT LOANS

Most student loans allow a six-

month grace period after graduation before payments begin. If you haven't found a full-time job by the time payments are due, you may want to look for a bank that will consolidate your student loans into one loan with a longer repayment period and a lower monthly payment. Some banks even may be willing to structure a loan with graduated payments. However, if you opt to go this route, you may pay more in interest fees.

## ESTABLISH CREDIT

Credit cards are important for establishing a good credit history. Whether you already have a credit card or are looking to obtain your first one, shop around for the best deal. Compare interest rates, annual fees, grace periods, and how interest is computed. Then use the cards wisely. To protect yourself from credit card fraud, carefully record all your credit card numbers and store this information in a safe place with the telephone number you will need to report a lost or stolen card.

## PROTECT YOUR HEALTH

You can't afford not to have health insurance. Just one uninsured serious illness or accident can wipe out not only years of savings, but, in the case of a long-term disability or illness, also years of future earnings. If you're not insured through an employer, your best option is to continue your coverage under your parents' health plan. Most insurers will continue a child's coverage until age 23.

## LEARN ABOUT TAXES

If you've landed a full-time job, take the time to determine just how much of your salary goes to the IRS. Even if you've had taxes withheld from part-time earnings, you'll soon find out that the bigger your salary, the bigger Uncle Sam's appetite. If you have more than one source of income, it's particularly important to make sure you have sufficient taxes withheld. Otherwise, you may be hit with an unexpected tax bill next year.

To learn more about managing your money, send a stamped self-addressed envelope to the Michigan Association of CPAs, P.O. Box 9054, Farmington Hills, MI 48333-9054 and request a copy of the brochure, "Getting Started Financially."

## Business Briefs

CHRISTINE ROLLISON of Milford has joined the LANSING BOARD OF WATER AND LIGHT as new manager of the Environmental Services Department in the Technical Services Division.

Rollison was employed previously as senior project consultant with Soil & Materials Engineers of Plymouth.

Rollison has a degree in management and 15 years professional management experience in the environmental industry, which includes strategic planning, regulatory compliance, policy writing, personnel development and training. She brings to the BWL a wide range of technical experience dealing with environmental, occupational safety and health issues.

New Horizons, a non-profit corporation which provides vocational rehabilitation services to residents of Oakland County, has named HOTEL BARONETTE, in Novi the 1995 Employer of the year. The hotel was selected for its commitment to the community and support for New Horizons.

SPENCER PERSONNEL is a staffing consultants firm specializing in office support and customer service. The firm recently opened a branch in Novi.

Novi resident PETER de ROUSSET-HALL has been appointed director of marketing for the FORD MOTOR CREDIT COMPANY. He'll be responsible for developing and directing all Ford Credit marketing programs in North America.

Novi resident DAVID RZEPKA was recently promoted to division area manager by PERINI BUILDING COMPANY. He will be responsible for project delivery systems, labor relations, safety and loss control, cost control procedures, and equal employment efforts.

Prior to this position, Rzepka was project superintendent for the 500-bed VA Medical Center in Detroit.



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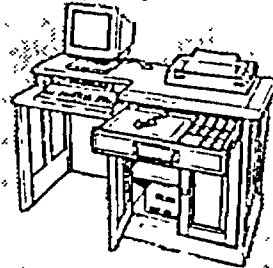
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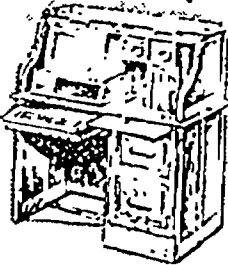
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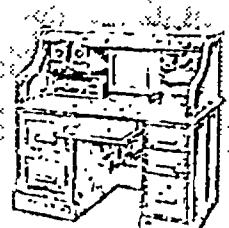
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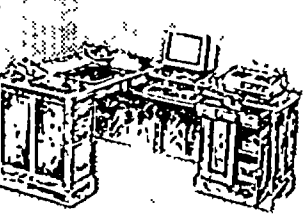
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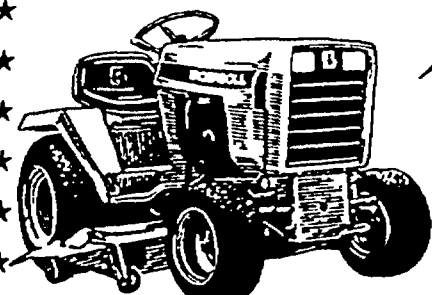
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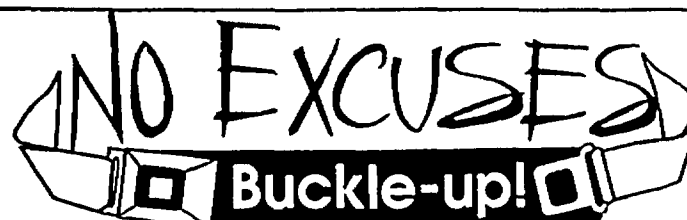
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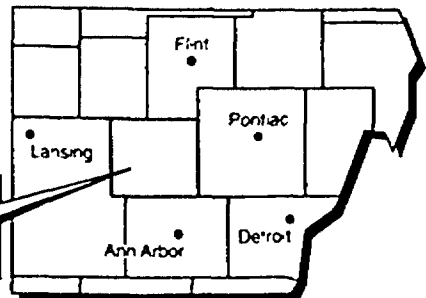
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**PAINTER**, part time. Must have transportation and tools. (810)220-3678

**PAINTER**, sprayer & lawn maintenance workers needed. \$6.75/hr. Apply in person at: 20301 Sever Springs Dr., Northville, or call (810)349-4006

**PAINTER** - exp. \$10/hr. - overtime. Assistant painter no exp. necessary. \$7/hr. Must have transportation & open schedule & not be afraid of heights. Ask for Paul. (810)800-9725

**PAINTERS** needed for very busy last pace yearly painting service to start immediately. Starting salary \$7 to \$10 per hour depending on experience. Must be reliable and have dependable transportation. Qualified persons must be self motivated and willing to learn the trade. Call (810)486-0973 to set up interview

**PAINTING** contractor hiring. Must have transportation. (810)887-8589

**PAPA ROMANO'S** of Milford is accepting applications for full employment. All positions available. Call (810)684-7272.

**PARTS** trimmer - needed immediately for all shifts. (517)546-0545.

**PATTERN** maker for children's pre-tension dress manufacturer in Walled Lake. (810)669-1440

**PLANT** Help needed. Mon. thru Fri., fulltime days + overtime. Good pay. Benefits. Hard working & reliable. Apply in person at: Guessey Dairy, 21300 Novi Rd., Northville

## PART TIME

Help us evaluate major retail chains and restaurants in the following areas: Canton, Canton Township, Southfield, Redford, Plymouth, Westland, Garden City, Farmington, Farmington Hills, Troy, Birmingham, Brighton, Commerce Township, Highland, Milford, Northville, Novi, Oxford & South Lyon

No interviewing required. Flexible hours. No experience necessary. Send name, address and phone number to: ICDS-M200-B, P.O. Box 23 So Hackensack, NJ 07606

## Part Time Teller

Monday, Tuesday and Thursday full days plus Saturdays on a rotating basis. Must be service oriented and cash handling experience is preferred. May be called upon to fill in occasionally on other days of the week when needed. Good work environment at a fast paced expanding Howell location. Send resume to:

Huron River Area Credit Union  
2705 E. Grand River  
Howell, MI 48843  
Attn: Teri  
(no phone calls will be accepted)

**PINCKNEY** area group home hiring part time morning staff to work with developmentally disabled adults. \$5.70/hr. to start. Trained and experienced staff, must be 18 yrs of age, high school diploma or GED required & have valid Michigan drivers license. Call (313)878-5555 or (810)635-8442 between 9am-12pm to set up an interview.

**PORTER** Full time position. Apply at: Hazon Ford Locom. Mercury 2738 E. Grand River, Howell

**PRE-SCHOOL** Teacher, Infant/toddler caregiver, full and part-time positions. Must be 18. Call (810) 231-3666. Little Dude's Ranch

**PRE-SCHOOL AIDE** NEEDED Full time. Sub at the Discovery Center. 810/231-3404

**PRESS!** Bndry person experienced for Ann Arbor print shop. (313) 973-3500

**PRESS** Operator. Sex 9/5 AM. Tread. Must be dependable. Pay based on experience. Up to \$12.50 to start. (517)548-3430

**PRESS** operator. (AB) Dec. and bndry exp. Full or part-time. Competitive wages/benefits. Friendly working environment. Apply for Test. (313)878-5555. Pinckney

## RETAIL

Building maintenance firm has immediate full and part time openings. Wixom, Novi and Canton areas. \$350 / week to start. All shifts available. Will train. Benefits and advancement. 313-459-3153 E.O.E.

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We are a growing beverage company seeking people with the following qualifications:

- 2+ years technical degree or
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- Plant floor manufacturing experience

We offer a full benefit package, competitive wage and great opportunities for advancement. Apply at:

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8835 GENERAL DR.  
PLYMOUTH, MI 48170  
(313)207-4820  
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**PROGRAM** director needed for daycare center in Farmville. Must have associates degree in child development. Please send resume to: PO Box 585, Webberville MI 48392

## PUBLIC INFORMATION DIRECTOR

Highly motivated individual needed to manage all public communications for the City of Novi. Extensive contact with high level public and private officials. Activities include cable productions, promotional events, bulletins, brochures, calendar and coordinating a variety of city functions. Must have professional demeanor and excellent written and verbal communication skills. Considerable knowledge of general city operations, ability to meet deadlines, work under pressure and be self motivated. Bachelors degree in Communications, Journalism or related field. Experience in media, television production or journalism preferred. Salary range \$30,000 - \$36,000 with a comprehensive benefit package. Submit an application to the Personnel Department, Novi Civic Center, 45175 W. Ten Mile, 48375, (810)347-0452 by September 15th at 5:00 p.m.

**QUALITY** Assurance floor inspector for screw machine shop. Measuring parts, experience preferred or will train. Starting wage \$6 per hour, full medical, dental, life, 401k match. 4 day work week. (517)546-2545

**QUALITY** control person needed, some exp. helpful. Apply at: Brighton Molded Plastics, 9901 Weber, Brighton. (810)229-1700

**RASPBERRY** pickers needed daily 10am to dark. Kern Road Farm, 1130 Kern Road, Fowlerville. (517)223-8457

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needed in our Milford newspaper office. Person chosen must possess a Bachelor's degree or have 1-3 years experience in newspaper reporting. This person will gather news stories, cover meetings, write headlines, make photo assignments and take photographs and dummy pages when necessary. Stress-free environment.

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Personnel Office  
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Avenue  
Howell, MI 48843

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**RESIDENTIAL PROGRAM WORKERS** Full & part-time positions available to work with developmentally disabled adults. Starting pay \$9.10. Untrained \$6.30. Trained increases possible at 6 mos. & 1 yr. High school diploma & valid Michigan drivers license required. Call: (313) 532-9171 or (517)548-4006 EOE

**RESIDENTS** manager position available for exp. highly motivated individual. Call: included as part of compensation. Apply in person. The Springs Apts. (810)669-5566

## MANAGEMENT AND CUSTOMER SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

**BLOCKBUSTER VIDEO** is moving to the Brighton area and is seeking individuals interested in fast-paced career development and tremendous growth opportunities with our new stores. Positions for Management and Customer Service Representatives are available for qualified candidates with related experience and a talent for customer service. To staff our new Brighton stores, we will be conducting on-site interviews at:

**OPEN HOUSE**  
Saturday, September 9  
11am - 7pm  
**BLOCKBUSTER VIDEO**  
8707 W. Grand River, Brighton

Join our dynamic team and find flexible schedules plus a strong promotional/retail policy as well as medical, dental insurance and a retirement/savings plan for full-time employees. If you are unable to attend, please send your resume to: BLOCKBUSTER VIDEO, Attn: Dawn Berry, 29138 Ford Rd. Garden City, MI 48135. We perform pre-employment drug screening. EOE M/F/D/V

## RETAIL

Store manager position available at local shoe store. Extensive career opportunities available now. Competitive benefit package. Must be willing to work days, nights and weekends. Apply in person to: Shoe Show, Grand River Plaza, 3609 E. Grand River Ave. Howell. EOE M/F

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## SERVICE REPRESENTATIVES

\$5 Extra income \$5

**FLEXIBLE** daytime hours. No Selling. We are a recognized national legware company seeking a reliable person with car to inventory and stock our product in local area stores. Part-time. Experience helpful, but not necessary. Alternative Action Employer. Call (810)477-7300 or 800-359-4638 between 9am and 5pm.

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The worlds largest temporary help service is seeking, nature & energetic service representatives for entry level career positions.

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## MANPOWER

Please send your resume and salary history to: District Manager, 5505 Old US-23, Ste. 400, Brighton, MI 48116 EOE

**SERVICE TECHNICIAN** Leading manufacturer of bank equipment has immediate opening for a Customer Service Engineer to repair/install equipment in the metro area. Excellent benefits including 401k vehicle. Resume to: 469 Enterprise Ct., Bloomfield Hills, MI 48302

**SEVERAL** part time positions available throughout our store. Apply in person at VG's, 2400 West Grand River, Howell.

**SEWER** workers wanted. CDL helpful. (517)546-7777.

**SHELTER** Aide. Must be able to work afternoons and midnights for Salvation Army Homeless Shelter, Howell. Call Carol. (517)546-4750

**ROOFERS** needed for commercial & industrial. Some experience preferred. Roofers will become members in local union. Call (313)971-2698.

**ROOFING**, tear-off and clean up people needed. Dependable, hard-working need only apply. \$8 per hr. (810)476-6984.

**SALEM-HILLS** Golf Course, 8810 W. 6 Mile Rd., Grounds crew members. Positions now available, full or part time. Up to \$9 per hour. Apply in person. (810)437-2152

**SALEM** Hills Golf Course grounds crew member positions available now, full or part-time. Apply in person up to \$9/hr. 8810 W. 6 Mile Rd. (810)437-2152

**SALES** help wanted. Brighton Toy Shop. Great job opportunity for high school or college student. Please apply within, 8692 W. Grand River, Brighton.

**SALES** person needed for lighting showroom, part-time afternoons & Saturday flexible hrs. will train, apply at Red Lighting 43443 Grand River, Novi. (810)348-4055

**SAY NO TO MINIMUM WAGE!** Christmas Around The World & Gifts by House of Lloyd is looking for self-motivated people. If you are willing to work 15-20 hours a week & still receive full time pay, this is the job for you! Part party plan exp. is helpful but not necessary. We'll train the right people. For interview call Tammy. (517)548-3660

**SCREW** machine operator, familiar with Acme Gridley. Competitive pay and health insurance. Call (517)546-4253. Mon-Fri. 9-10am or 3-4pm, Mon-Fri.

**SCREW** Machine setup operator. Mac Valves Inc. is looking for person with minimum 2 yrs. exp. to set-up and operate multi-spindle screw machines. Mac Valves, a people oriented company located in Wixom, have an excellent record of sustained growth, good advancement opportunities and no lay-offs in over 25 yrs. For consideration, send resume with salary requirements to: Mac Valves Inc., P.O. Box 111, Wixom, MI 48393. Attn: John Hsai or call (810)624-7700, ext. 251

## SECURITY GUARD

Joe Panan Chevrolet has an opening for a PART-TIME IN-DOOR security guard. Must provide excellent references. Please apply in person.

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**CLERICAL/entry level.** Small non-smoking office in Northville. Computer knowledge and customer relations. \$6.58 an hour. Hours are Mon-Fri, 8:30am-5pm. Call Kim (810)348-8260.

**CLERK, part-time,** for the South Lyon Police Dept., Thurs and Fri., 8:00am-5pm. Mature individual needed. Duties include all secretarial skills, computer experience and motor vehicle required. \$5.50 to start. Apply in person Mon thru Fri, 8:30am-4pm, at 214 W Lake St., South Lyon, EOE.

**COURT Clerk,** Word Perfect knowledge necessary. Good typing skills. Must work well with public, legal experience desired. Send resume to Court Administrator, 53rd District Court, 300 S Highland Way, Howell, MI 48843.

**CUSTOMER reps** needed for rebound catalog order desk. Full time, days evenings, weekends. \$7.9 per hour. Apply at 22790 Heslop Drive, off of Nine Mile between Nov & Meadowbrook Rds.

**DATA PROCESSING/ORDER ENTRY**  
Immediate opportunity with a fast-paced progressive local company. Prior experience required in DOS-based Windows and Lotus Full time. Full benefit package after 120 days. Please drop off or mail resume to Michigan Community Directories, 9552 Highland Road, Howell 48843.

**DATA Entry** Capable of handling numerous tasks & working independently. Invoicing, check posting, etc. \$6.50 per hour. Apply at Steelcase Co. 45700 W Twelve Mile, Novi (810)349-7600.

**ENERGETIC & Personable** Host or Hostess needed for new construction homes or condos. Some real estate knowledge helpful. Must be able to work weekdays afternoons & some weekends. Call (810)229-0450.

**FULL time mechanic** Trailer/Tireman. Call Walter (810)478-7677 (313)320-7778.

**GENERAL ACCOUNTING.** Analyst needed for account reconciliation, accounts payable, inventory, accounts receivable, & general office assistance. 4 yrs experience or degree required. Controller 6095 W Grand River, Brighton MI 48116 (517)548-3774.

**GENERAL CLERICAL HELP** general office skills plus some accounting, phone computer work. Metro 25 Tre Novi (810)348-2080.

**GENERAL OFFICE**  
Small office. All-around office work, telephone switchboard/receptionist, bookkeeping & computer work. Job could develop into even greater responsibility. Good starting salary. Benefits include Blue Cross, 401-K after 1 year, life insurance, paid holidays, vacation, etc. Excellent working environment. Hours 8-5.  
Send Resume to Mr. Cooper P.O. Box 1739, Brighton 48116.

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Small office. All-around office work, telephone switchboard/receptionist, bookkeeping & computer work. Job could develop into even greater responsibility. Good starting salary. Benefits include Blue Cross, 401-K after 1 year, life insurance, paid holidays, vacation, etc. Excellent working environment. Hours: 8am-5pm. Send resume to Mr. Cooper, P.O. Box 1739, Brighton, MI 48116.

**GENERAL OFFICE** skills, plus some accounting. (517)548-6571.

**GENERAL Office / Customer Service** Position. Answer telephones, invoice, wait on customers. Full time days. Apply: Dunn Blue, 2825 Boardwalk, Ann Arbor, near Briarwood Mall (313)663-2471.

**GROWING** lumber yard seeks quality office help, experience preferred, computer experience a plus. Full or part-time. Apply in person: Tues-Fri, 7am-7pm, at New Hudson Lumber, 56601 Grand River, New Hudson.

**GENERAL Office.** Manufacturing company seeks experienced applicants for full time position. Requirements include: Exc Communication & Organizational skills. MicroSoft Windows Typing. N/A Line Switchboard, Filing. Non-smoking environment. Send resume to Office Manager PO Box 218 Hamburg MI 48139 0218.

**HARTLAND Consolidated** Schools now accepting applications for immediate opening of Assistant to Food Service Supervisor. Previous office experience necessary. IBM Lotus experience necessary. School lunch program experience preferred. Payroll and billing duties included. Ability to deal with people and work under pressure. Ten month school year position. \$9-\$10 per hour with benefits. Send resume to Marilyn Vesich Food Service Supervisor, Hartland Consolidated Schools, P.O. Box 900, Hartland, MI 48353.

**IMMEDIATE** Position for part-time receptionist. Duties include light office work and phone inquiries. Starting wage \$6.00 per hour. (810)231-9852.

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23999 Northwestern Hwy  
Ste. 100  
Southfield, MI 48075  
ATTN: Cheryl Kaye  
FAX (810)350-3934

**OPTOMETRIC Assistant,** exp preferred but not necessary. 25-30 hours per week. Pleasant working environment.  
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**PART-TIME** - bookkeeper for small retail store. Send resume to Howell Tire Co., P.O. Box 148, Howell, MI 48844.

**PART-TIME** file clerk needed for insurance agency in Novi, 8 Mile & Haggerty area. Perfect position for a high school or college student. Work hours Monday thru Friday 12:30pm to 5:00pm. Please call (810) 380-6190 or send resume to NuStar Insurance Agency, 39555 Orchard Hill Place, Ste 130, Novi, MI 48375.

**PART-TIME Receptionist.** Need aggressive individual for part-time receptionist position. Experience preferred, but not necessary. Hourly rate. Please apply at McNabb Carpet Company, 31250 S. Millard Rd. Milford MI, (810)437-8146.

**PART-TIME** receptionist/secretary, duties include light typing, filing & some data entry. Will train. Apply in person at 56405 Grand River, New Hudson, MI or send resume to P.O. Box 150, New Hudson MI 48165.

**PART TIME** Secretary needed for South Lyon Co. 3 days a week. Computer knowledge preferred. (810)486-1000.

**RECEPTIONIST/ sales** Floral exp helpful but not necessary. Apply Eaton Nursery, 5899 W Maple, W Bloomfield (810)851-5440.

**RECEPTIONIST** Flex time schedule, perfect for person with another job or other commitments. Busy switchboard, some office skills necessary. Please send resumes to Box #1886 c/o The Brighton Argus, 113 E Grand River, Brighton, MI 48116.

**RECEPTIONIST** full time, general office work, good communication skills. Data entry and WordPerfect 5.1 experience a plus. Non-smoking office. Send resume to U.S. Trailer Co., Attn: Kathy, 53000 Grand River Ave., New Hudson MI 48165-9713 or Fax to (313)525-5064.

**SCHOOL** district seeks part-time receptionist/secretary for evening responsibilities in Community Education Department. Must possess 45 WPM typing ability, word processing/data entry skills, strong interpersonal skills. Hours will be Monday-Thursday, 4:00-9:30pm. Interested applicants should apply in writing by September 13 to Personnel Department, Pinckney Community Schools, P.O. Box 9, Pinckney, MI 48169.

**SECRETARY** position available, requires excellent written & verbal communication skills, able to perform variety of tasks, works well with others, people, attention to detail, & have exp. secretarial skills. Must possess exp. needed. Position is 37 1/2 hrs per wk, full time benefits available. Start \$7/hr. Please call (810)349-4006.

**SMALL** Brighton office needs part-time person, approximately 20 hrs/wk. Computer and telephone skills a plus. Pls. Adrians Associates, 9408 Matby Rd., Brighton (810)227-0211.

**SECRETARY** position for solid company in Brighton. Looking for professional individual with secretarial exp along with word perfect and Quattro exp. Salary approximately \$8 per hour plus full benefit package. Send resume and salary history to PO Box 610, Brighton, MI 48116 or Fax to Diane Hoskins at (810)229-8992.

**SECRETARY** for 1 girl office. Computer, good benefits, full time, no weekends. Contact Mrs. Tanner, days, (810)229-2297, evs, (810)229-9421, or send resume to 9209 Matby Brighton MI 48116.

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Transcription/secretarial duties, non-smoking office, superior spelling a necessity, pleasant outgoing manner for a busy medical/legal Nov office. Professional appearance, word processing, computer knowledge and telephone skills required. Medicare billing experience helpful, but not required. Please send resumes to Box #5180 c/o The South Lyon Herald, 101 N. Lajayette South Lyon, MI 48178.

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Part-time, FLEXIBLE work schedule, 15-30 hrs per week, downtown South Lyon. Good phone and people skills a must, some marketing/Bonus & Commission. Friendly work environment. Medical & dental available after successful completion of probationary period. Smoke-free environment.  
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A Dental Hygienist to work part-time in solo family practice. Hartland area. (810) 632-5700.

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Top S. All benefits, great staff! Full time W. Bloomfield. Experience only. (810)661-4002.

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Experience required for full time (4 1/2 days) position. Busy Brighton office for 2 Drs and several hygienists. Must be efficient and caring. Call (810) 227-4224.

**DENTAL Assistant** needed for expanding general practice. Must be motivated team player & enjoy working with people. Dental exp preferred. Please send resume to 416 E Grand River, Howell, MI 48843.

**DENTAL Assistant** exp preferred, approx. 27hrs per wk. If you would like to work with a professional team call Debbie at (810)348-8808 Tues-Fri 8-4.

**DENTAL Assistant** Milford area, exp preferred, great hrs. 3 day weekend. (810)665-7273.

**DENTAL Assistant** for expanding practice. Call (810)227-7059.

**SECRETARY/RECEPTIONIST**  
Outpatient mental health substance abuse clinic in Milford. Entry level, mature person, organized & personable. Part-time. Mon, Tues, Wed, p.m.s. evs. Sal. days. Resume to OPC/SEC, 1203 N. Milford Rd. Ste A, Milford MI 48381 or call (810)684-6400.

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Fast-paced office in Milford seeks bright, energetic, organized person with good secretarial communication and computer skills. Full benefits. Send resume to 37674 Avon Lane Farmington Hills MI 48331.

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Busy health care company in Brighton seeks an experienced secretary. Must have WordPerfect 5.1 and Lotus experience. Call Kelly at 1-800-765-7544 or send resume detailing salary requirements to INNOVATIONS, 9402 Matby Rd., Brighton, MI 48116.

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**DENTAL Assistant**, part-time, for growing Highland dental practice, no experience necessary. (810)887-7994.

**ORTHODONTIC Assistant** Howell, part-time. Chiropractic exp required. No evs or Saturdays. Please send resume to Dr. Michael Kerr, P.O. Box 771, Brighton, MI 48116.

**PART-TIME** Dental Receptionist needed for family oriented dental practice. Exp w dental insurance necessary. White Lake area, (810)887-7387.

**506 Help Wanted Medical**  
**ARGENTINE** Care Center accepting applications for part-time LPN's. Apply in person at 9051 Silver Lake Rd., Linden.

**ARGENTINE** Care Center accepting applications for full time nursing assistant, afternoon shift, part-time nursing assistants for all other shifts. Apply in person at 9051 Silver Lake Rd., Linden.

**ASSISTANT/MEDICAL** Livonia/Novi Area  
Busy medical office. Great benefits & salary. \$10.00 and up depending on exp. Call (810)478-1024.

**ATTENTION HOME HEALTH AIDES**  
Amcare Home Healthcare a affiliate of St. Joseph Mercy Community Healthcare System has opportunities for experienced caregivers in Milford/Novi/Howell, Wixom and Walled Lake.

•Will certify qualified applicants  
•Flexible schedules  
•Competitive wage  
•All shifts available  
For immediate consideration call for an appointment interview (810)852-3638 EOE

**BORTZ HEALTH CARE ON GREEN LAKE**  
Earn while you learn. \$6.25 per hour. Nurse Aide training program as required by the State of Michigan for certification.  
•Raise after 90 days  
•Raise after 6 months  
•Raise after 1 yr  
Start your nursing career with us! Class starts Sept. 25th.  
Positions Available for:  
EXPERIENCED HOUSE-KEEPERS & PORTER  
Call Mon thru Fri, 9am to 5pm  
(810)363-4121

**CERTIFIED NURSE AIDES**  
Certified and/or experienced. Excellent pay & benefits.  
**FAMILY HOME CARE**  
(810)229-5683

**CHARTER** House of Nov - Dynamic, quality long term care facility has openings full/part time on all shifts. Premium starting salary, health, dental, life insurance, paid vacation & sick days. Tuition reimbursement, credit union & uniform allowances. Please call or apply in person 24500 Meadowbrook Rd. Novi MI 48375 (810)477-2000, located just W of Haggerty, N of 8 Mile.

**HHA'S CNA'S PCA'S**  
Needed to provide home care in Western Wayne County. Flexible hours, work in your own area. Call Child & Family Service (313) 483-1418, ask for Suzanne, ext. 28. EOE.

**CNA's/HOME HEALTH AIDES**  
We have cases in the Livingston County area. Visits or shift work. Prior aide experience preferred. Flexible scheduling.  
Call Today!  
INNOVATIONS  
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**EMPLOYMENT** opportunity available for Medical Assistant, Transcriptionist and Front Desk Receptionist in busy Washtenaw County medical practice. Experience preferred, competitive wages. Send resume to Office Manager, P.O. Box 1036 Brighton MI 48116.

**PHARMACY STAFF PHARMACIST**  
Oakwood Hospital and Medical Center-DeARBORN currently has an opening for a Staff Pharmacist in its Outpatient Pharmacy.  
In this position, you will provide prescribed medications, drugs and other pharmaceuticals as well as advise and consult with patients and their families and our medical and nursing staffs.  
We require a Bachelor's degree in Pharmacy and a minimum of 2 years' registered pharmacist experience. Additionally, Michigan pharmacist and narcotics licensure and strong interpersonal skills are necessary.  
To apply, send your resume to OAKWOOD HOSPITAL AND MEDICAL CENTER-DEARBORN, Attn: PHRM, 23400 Michigan Ave., Suite 111, Dearborn, MI 48124. An Equal Opportunity Employer.  
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A subsidiary of Oakwood Healthcare System  
RN/LPN private duty, afternoons and/or weekends, full or part-time. Call 1-800-288-2167.

**508 Restaurant/Hotel/Lounge**  
**ATTENTION WAITSTAFF**  
Flexible hrs. Friendly atmosphere. Good tips full & part-time. M/Girls. Big Boy (810)685-1547.  
**BARTENDER/WAITSTAFF**  
Nights Bar Nov area. Experienced. Call 10am-5pm, ask for Brigid or Frank (810)348-4404. \*478-1536.  
**COOK, waitstaff, cashiers** Full time/part-time. Apply in person. Koney Island Inn Novi Town Center (810)887-2277.

**COOKER BAR AND GRILL** In Novi  
is currently looking for front of the house staff.  
•SERVERS  
•Host Staff •Expeditors  
Please apply in person between 2-4pm, Mon-Fri at the SW corner of 12 Mile Rd and Haggerty, 35581 Twelve Mile Rd., (810)380-2600.

**COOKS, dish washer and wait staff** needed. Day/night shifts. Links of Whitmore Lake, (313)449-4653.

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## 512 Help Wanted Sales

**HIGH** paying sales position, long-term job security, growth opportunity, good working conditions. Must live in or near Nov. (810)348-7863 8 am to 5 pm.

**INSIDE** order taker for expanding automotive aftermarket warehouse. Solid company with 75 yrs. history in the industry. Experience preferred, but will train the right person. Need good communication skills and pleasant phone voice. Company relocating to New Hudson in Sept. Call (810)624-1200 ask for Pam.

## INTERIOR DECORATORS DESIGNERS

Be your own boss. Choose your own hours. Earn commissions while handling your own clients. We provide administration, products, workrooms. Fast growing design studio. Send resume to our retail store. Owner Hap DuBach, INTERIOR DESIGN CONCEPTS, 8690 W. Grand River, Brighton, MI 48116.

## JUST RETIRED NEW COLLEGE GRAD OR JUST LOVE ANIMALS?

Salary, commission & benefits available to self-motivated. Send resume to Moose Enterprises Unlimited, 501 W. Main St., Brighton, MI 48116.

**LINGERIE** saleswoman, 25-30 hours. Good pay. Full benefits. Pleasant work environment. Bra World across from Twelve Oaks (810)347-2810.

**LIVINGSTON** County hosts the state's fastest growing community. Look around you, smell the flowers, use this to your advantage. Licensed real estate sales people call (517)545-6450.

**NETWORKING MARKETING**—Full or part time, in your area. No investment. Extremely high earnings. Excellent training provided. Management positions also available. Mr. Don (810)476-6352.

**ORIN** jewelers has a part time sales opening for a dynamic personality. Has a free consultant. Desire required, but no experience necessary. Please come in and introduce yourself. 101 East Main, Northville.

**OUTSIDE SALES**—Calling on corporations. Draw 1, extremely high earnings. Complete training in the art of selling. Professional. Contact Mr. Chris (810) 476-5973.

**PART-TIME ADVERTISING SALESPERSON NEEDED**—Person needed to market newly created web site. Will be able to make new calls on prospective customers in the Walled Lake/Union Lake areas. Must have an Associate's Degree or equivalent sales experience and a dependable vehicle. Message plus salary and commission. Benefits package after successful completion of a 500 hour probation period and 120 days service. Send resume to: Mr. No phone calls. Apply.

**THE WALLED LAKE SHOPPING GUIDE**—523 N. Porcuc Trail, Walled Lake, Michigan 48390. We are an Equal Opportunity Employer.

**RENTAL CONSULTANTS**—Needed for America's 1 Source for apartment renting. \$1500 training. \$1000 plus commission thereafter. Apartment leasing agents are encouraged to apply. Positions available in: Southfield, Jan. (810)978-4859; Farmington, Jan. (810)253-3749; Apartment Search EOE.

**RETAIL FURNITURE SALES/DESIGN**—Expressions custom furniture is looking for career minded sales representatives for full-time show room positions. Experience preferred but will train the right person. Call Mary (810)647-8882.

**RETAIL SALES**—LIKE WORKING with people? Have an interest in home decor? Then you may want to consider a full time sales position with a hard working successful team & growing company. Must be available Saturdays. Sales experience is not required. This is a non-competitive, non-commissioned sales position. Optional health insurance available. Please apply in person. Master Lighting Inc. 44125 Ford Rd., Canton (810)678-2429.

**SELF-MOTIVATED** salesperson to cover existing Seat & T-Shirt accounts and introduce line to new accounts. Call (616)784-2429.

**START** your own business with a career in real estate. Help-U-Sell offers very competitive commission splits, all sale leads, free training and license reimbursement. Call Gary (810)229-2191.

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**CLEAR OUT YOUR GARAGE OR ATTIC AND MAKE SOME EXTRA CASH AT IT. ADVERTISE A GARAGE SALE IN OUR CLASSIFIED ADS.**

## WHITE RABBIT TOYS

A new toy store is coming to the Nov. Town Center. Full and part-time positions available. A background in education or child development is helpful, but only a desire to do a great job is necessary. Call 800-708-1555 for an appointment.

## 520 Help Wanted Part-Time

\$6.00 per hour. Plus to start! Now hiring part-time yard & stock person. Apply. Eby Lumber 3450 E. Grand River, Howell (517)548-5410.

**ADMINISTRATIVE Assistant** wanted, secretarial & computer skills required. Send resume w/salary history by Sept. 8 to LCFB, 746 S. Michigan, Howell, MI 48843.

**APPOINTMENT** Secretary. Immediate openings. Part-time days & evenings \$5 per hr. plus bonuses. Call (313)449-7188 ask for Michele.

**ATTENDANT** needed for laundry and dry cleaners. Apply. Tubs & Tumblers (810)227-4245.

**ATTENTION!** Part-time employment available for local cleaning company. Weekdays only. Call Mad in Michigan (810)227-1449.

**AVON** earn \$200 - \$1200/mo. (Independent Rep.) Call direct 24 hr. hotline 1-800-329-Avon.

**CERTIFIED** Electronic operator. \$21 District Court. Now no exp. required. Will train to record court proceedings. Up to 20 hrs. per wk. \$7.75 per hr. no benefits. Contact Michele Bliger, (810)305-6128.

**CHILD CARE** assistance needed for Fortenberry daycare center coming soon (517)521-4057.

**DISCOVERY** Toys needs consultants to demonstrate our terrific toys software & clothing. For feeble (810)689-1121.

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**MARKETSOURCE** 1-800-677-8639 Ext. 604.

**NEED** part-time Delivery Drivers. Various hours available. Vehicles provided. Starting pay \$6/hr. + exp. Good current job. Drivers license, good driving record. Apply in person at City Transfer Co. 15001 Fogg Rd., Plymouth, MI 48170.

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## 530 Entertainment

**DJ Music** for all occasions at types available. Don J. (517)223-8572 after 6pm weekdays.

**KJ KARAOKE & DJ Service** Book now for holidays and summer weddings (810)227-7923 1-800-377-KUJO.

**REHEARSAL/VIDEO TAPING** Facility available. PMX (313)878-8787.

## 534 Jobs Wanted-Female/Male

**ALL ADS TO APPEAR UNDER THIS CLASSIFICATION MUST BE PREPAID**

**HOUSECLEANING**—Experienced with references. Call Cathy (810)231-2370.

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**LOVING** mother of 2 looking to babysit 1 or 2 part-time poly-trained children in downtown Brighton. (810)229-2174.

**MOTHER** of 1 will babysit your child in the Fowlerville area. Meals & snacks provided. (517)223-9706.

**MOTHER** wishes to babysit days. Nov/Novem area. (810)348-7452.

**NORTHVILLE**—Mother of 1 who's tons of fun, will provide childcare, with rates that are fair. Exc. references games & crafts, soon to be licensed 8 mile & Taft. (810)344-4315.

**PATTY'S** Place Daycare. 5am-Midnight. Infant & up, meals provided, daily activities. Lots of TLC. Licensed. (517)546-7286.

**PATTY'S** Place Daycare. Hiring all shifts. Full and part-time. Licensed home. (517)546-7286.

**PRE START** daycare. Open all shifts. Now accepting full enrollment. Infant and up, preschool program offered. Meals provided. Fowlerville. (517)521-4057.

**TEACHERS** aide for infant-toddler room. Full time. Benefits available. Call Karen (810)348-2780.

## 538 Childcare Needed

A mature reliable person to care for our 9 mo old & 5 yr old. Full time, non-smoker. Howell (517)543-2613.

**BABYSITTER** for my 3 yr old in my home. Lee Rd. Brighton. Salary negotiable. Hrs. 7am-2:30pm Mon-Wed, Fri. and 7am-4pm Tues/Thurs. Call after 4pm. (810)227-7704.

**BABYSITTER** needed in my home. Late afternoons, early evenings 5 days per week. Mature woman preferred. (517)545-2715.

**CHILD CARE** needed in my home. Late afternoons, early evenings 5 days per week. Mature woman preferred. (517)545-2715.

**DEPENDABLE** babysitter needed for Mondays some weekends & some long weekend getaways for my 2 yr old & 4 yr old. Only serious need to apply with CPR & experience. (810)437-1653.

**IN NORTHVILLE** home for infant. Part time full days starting Oct. Experience preferred, references required. (810)348-7578.

**IN my home** 9 & 11 yr old. 6am to 9am & 4pm to 6:30 pm. School days only. Must be dependable. Westland, 12 mile Rd. area. Novi (810)449-3337 after 6:30pm.

**LOVING** and responsible person to care for 1 yr old and 1 1/2 yr old. Days & hours will vary avg. 5 hrs./day. (313)878-2133 mornings before 11am.

**MATURE** caring reliable non-smoking woman for day care in our home. 2 children. 3 days a wk. Salem/Nov. area. (810)486-3666.

**MATURE** experienced baby-sitter wanted for twins 7 months infants in our city of Howell home. Full time Mon-Fri, non-smoker, references required. Call after 4pm. (517)546-6477.

**MOMS**—Bring your toddler to work or have ours over to your home. Child care needed for 2 & 4 year old in Nov/Northville area. 3-4 days/wk. Some transporting required. (810)380-8304.

**MOTHER'S** helper, 10-12 hrs per week. Flexible schedule. Refs. & transportation required. (313)420-0589.

**NANNY** for 2 preschoolers in our Northville home. 7am-5:30pm, M-F, beg. Nov. 1, as early as Oct. 1. (313)481-7284.

**NORTHVILLE**, quality daycare provider needed for 1 yr old in our home or yours. Please call (810)488-3082 days or (810)348-9497 evenings.

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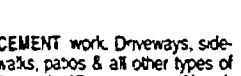
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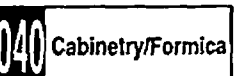
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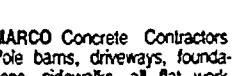
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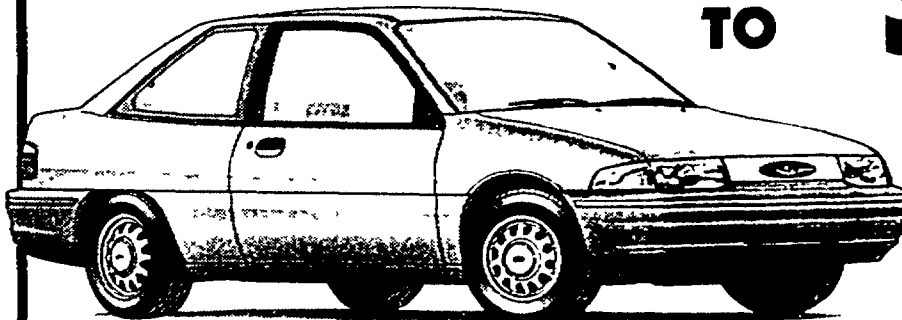
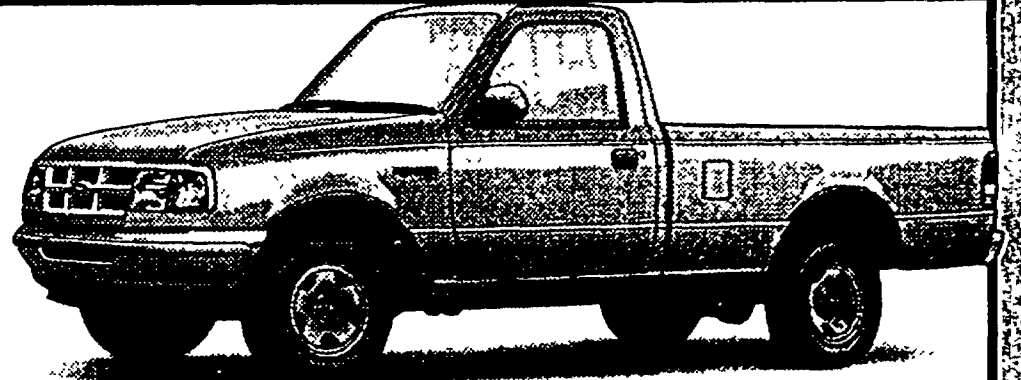
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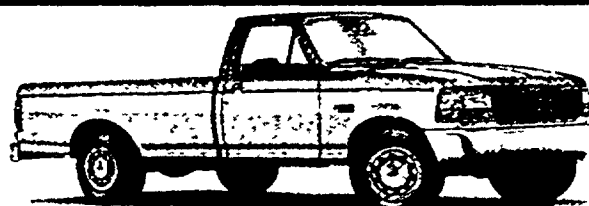
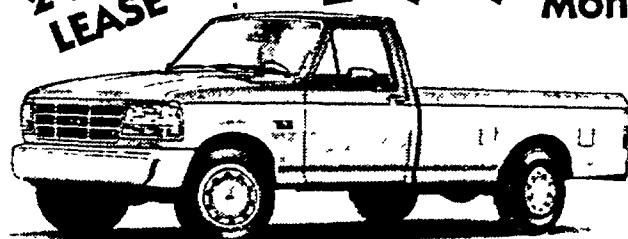
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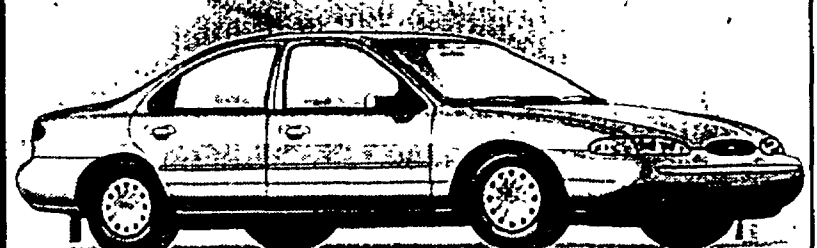
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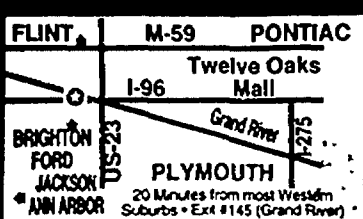
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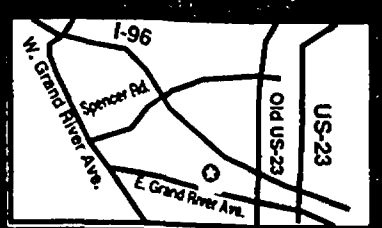
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**\$300**  
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**\$239\***  
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**\$750**  
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### 1995 MARK VIII 2 DR

Opal Opalescent CC Met, Saddle leather seats, 4.6L 32V Intech V8 Engine, 4 spd. electronic O/D trans., P225/60R16 97V BSW tires, electronic traction assist, paint treatment - 67-coat directional aluminum prt whts. Stock #51687

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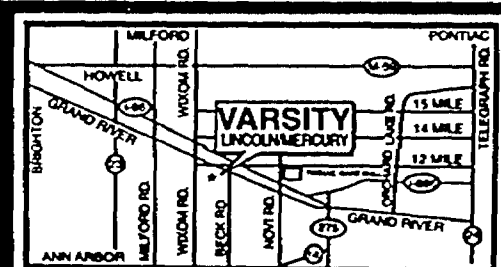
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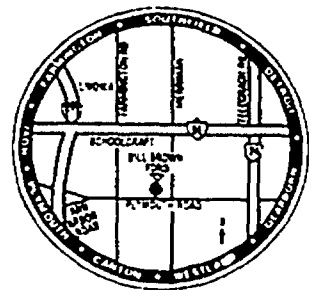
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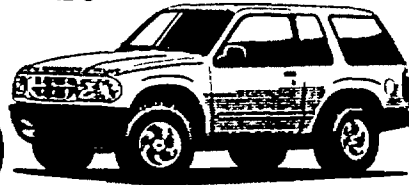


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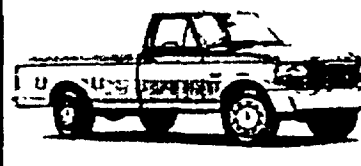
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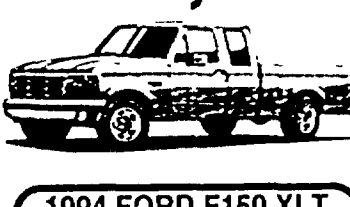
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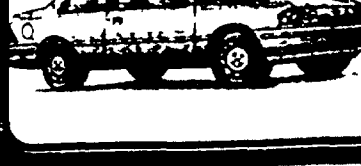
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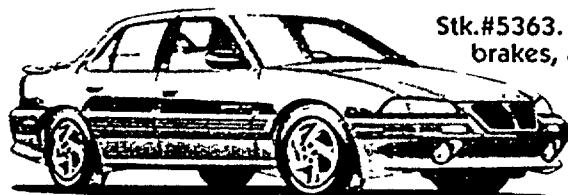
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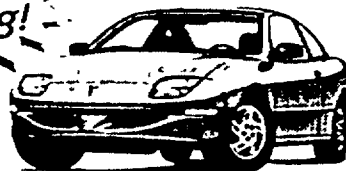
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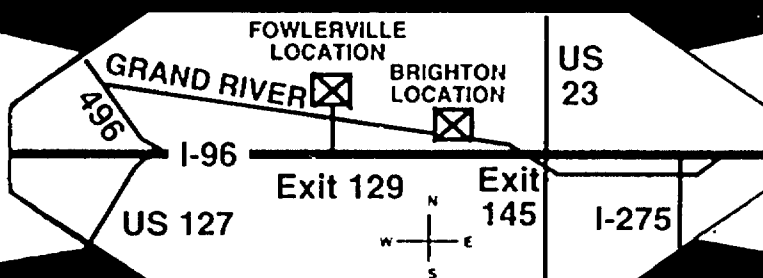
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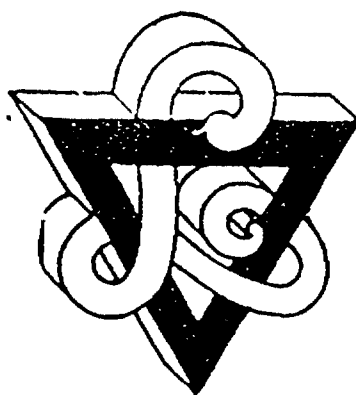
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## LEADER'S CLUB (Ages 11-15)

The Leader's Club is a National YMCA program designed as a volunteer service organization. Our club meets twice a month on Wednesday (the first and third). Meetings are fun mixers. Opportunities are available to receive training to be a program assistant in their area of interest: sports, summer swim, various other classes such as preschool, arts and crafts, cooking, gymnastics, etc.... In addition, the club plans special events, fund raisers, and social activities. Participants have the opportunity to take part in YMCA cluster activities with nearby YMCAs.

**For more information, contact: Colleen Anderson – 453-2904**

## THE MISSION OF THE YMCA

**"The Mission of the YMCA is to provide quality programs and activities which contribute to the development of Christian ideals and values. The YMCA strives to enhance the lives of individuals of the communities that we serve. If you need financial assistance to be a YMCA participant, please contact the Executive Director."**





## 3 ON 3 BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

**Start Date:** Beginning week of October 2

**Coordinator:** Robert Arrowsmith

3-on-3 Tournament to be held for ages 8 to adult. Divisions will be divided according to age for youth under 13, and by level of competition from 13 to adult. Number of games will depend on number of participants. Copy of birth certificates for all participants under 18 required. T-shirts to all who sign-up, and awards will be given to winners in all divisions. Maximum number of participants per team is four, and any teams with players of higher or lower ages, and competitive level will be placed in higher age and skill divisions.

**Divisions:** 8-9 years old (coed)  
10-11 years old (coed)  
12-13 years old (coed)  
14-15 years old (men, women, coed)  
16-18 years old (men, women, coed)  
18-22 years old (men, women, recreational, intramural, varsity)  
23-40 years old (men, women, recreational, intramural, varsity)  
40-65 years old (men, women, recreational, varsity)

**Day:** Monday-Wednesday

**Time:** Varies, but will start no earlier than 5:00 p.m.

**Location:** West Middle School, First Baptist Church, Plymouth

**Full Member:** \$15/person

**Program Member:** \$20/person

**Non-Member:** \$28/person

## YOUTH SPORTS PROGRAMS

### FLOOR HOCKEY SKILLS CLASS (6 weeks)

**Session I:** September 21-October 26

**Session II:** November 2-December 14 (omit 11/23)

**Instructor:** "Y" Staff

Basic skills for players ages 6-8 will be taught. The emphasis of this class will be placed on the rules of the game, safe hockey, positioning, and team play. All classes are one hour.

**Day:** Thursday

**Time:** 6:00-7:00 p.m.

**Location:** Smith Elementary School

**Full Member:** \$34

**Program Member:** \$50

### YOUTH INSTRUCTIONAL FLOOR HOCKEY LEAGUE (7 weeks)

**Start/End Dates:** November 2-December 21 (omit week of 11/19)

**Instructor:** "Y" Staff

This instructional league for players ages 6-8 will take the hour and divide the time into a combination of instruction and games being played each week. The number of games and practices will depend on the number of participants. T-shirts will be given to all who participate. Parents are encouraged to assist in learning to develop in the experience with their children.

**Day:** Thursday

**Time:** 7:00-8:00 p.m.

**Location:** Smith Elementary School

**Full Member:** \$55

**Program Member:** \$68

### YOUTH FLOOR HOCKEY TRAVEL LEAGUE (7 weeks)

**Start/End Dates:** October 26-December 14 (omit week of 11/19)

**Instructor:** "Y" Staff

Every player ages 8-11 is guaranteed to play half the game in this modified version of ice hockey. This program is designed to teach skills, promote good sportsmanship, and teach the technical aspects of hockey, all the while having fun. Practices will be held on Thursdays, and game days and locations will vary. Games will be scheduled with other YMCAs at their facilities as well. Team shirts will be provided, and sticks are available. Please indicate division and shirt size on registration form. It is suggested that each player have their own white plastic blade stick, goggles, and knee pads. Actual times will depend on the number of participants who sign up.

**Practice Day:** Thursday

**Practice Time:** 8:00 p.m.

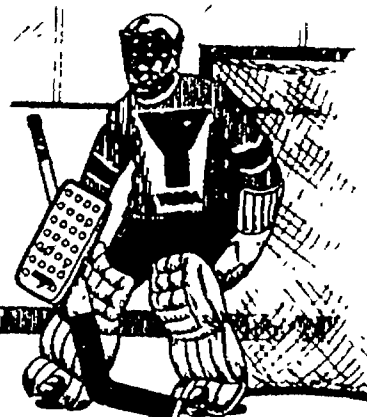
**Game Days:** Either Thursday, Saturday, or Sunday

**Game Times:** Vary

**Location:** Smith Elementary School, as well as other YMCAs

**Full Member:** \$55

**Program Member:** \$68



### BASKETBALL SKILLS CLASS (6 weeks)

**Session I:** September 19-October 24

**Session II:** November 7-December 19 (omit 11/21)

**Instructor:** "Y" Staff

Youth will learn basketball skills including dribbling, passing, shooting, rules of the game, and game strategies leading. Parents are encouraged to assist in learning to develop their teaching experience with their children. Classes are one hour.

**Day:** Tuesday

**Time:** 6:00-7:00 p.m.

**Grades 1-2**

**Time:** 7:00-8:00 p.m.

**Grades 3-4**

**Location:** Smith Elementary School

**Full Member:** \$30

**Program Member:** \$40

### YOUTH INSTRUCTIONAL BASKETBALL LEAGUE (7 weeks)

**Start/End Dates:** November 7-December 19

**Instructor:** "Y" Staff

This instructional league for players in Grades 1-2 will take the hour and divide the time into a combination of instruction and games being played each week. The number of games and practices will depend on the number of participants. T-shirts will be given to all who participate. Parents are encouraged to assist in learning to develop in the experience with their children.

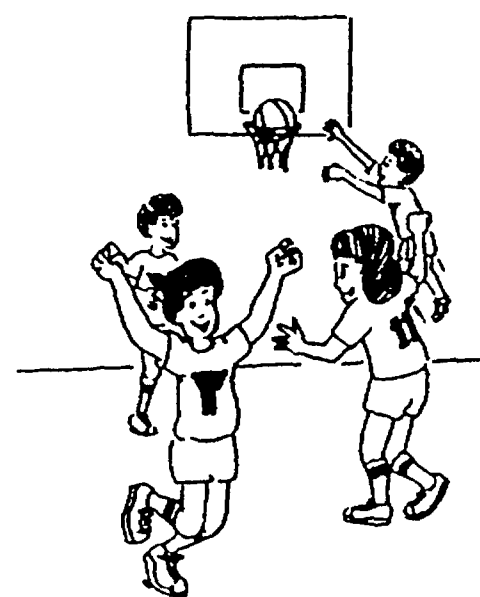
**Day:** Tuesday

**Time:** 6:00-7:00 p.m.

**Location:** Smith Elementary School

**Full Member:** \$55

**Program Member:** \$68



### YOUTH BASKETBALL TRAVEL LEAGUE (7 weeks)

**Start/End Dates:** October 23-December 15 (omit week of 11/19)

**Instructor:** "Y" Staff

Every player is guaranteed to play half the game in this highly popular sport created by the YMCA. This program is designed to teach skills, promote good sportsmanship, learn team concepts, and have fun. Winning is put in a healthy perspective. Practices are held on either Monday or Friday, and game days and times may vary. Team shirts will be provided, and all games are played on full court. Seven games guaranteed. Please indicate division and shirt size on registration form.

**Divisions:** Passers (Grades 3-4) Blockers (Grades 7-8)  
Shooters (Grades 5-6) Jammers (Grades 9-11)

**Time:** 6:00, 7:00, 8:00 p.m. (one hour practice)

**Location:** Lowell Middle School

**Games:** Day and Time vary

**Full Member:** \$55

**Program Member:** \$68

# YOUTH SPORTS PROGRAMS

## INSTRUCTIONAL T-BALL (5 weeks)

Start/End Dates: September 22-October 21  
Instructor: Colleen Anderson

Youth ages 4-7 will learn the basics of baseball. Skills taught include throwing, fielding, running the bases, and batting off a "T."

Day, Time: Friday 4:00-5:00 p.m. (4-5 years)  
5:00-6:00 p.m. (6-7 years)  
Saturday 11:00-12:00 p.m. (4-5 years)  
12:00-1:00 p.m. (6-7 years)

Location: Miller Elementary School  
Full Member: \$24 Program Member: \$38

## T-BALL/COACH PITCH FALL LEAGUE (7 games)

Start/End Dates: September 12-October 28  
Coordinator: Robert Arrowsmith  
Ages: T-Ball - 4-6 years (Coed) Coach Pitch - 7-9 years (Coed)

A great way to start or continue your child in the great American pastime. Participants will be given every opportunity to learn and play. Coaches are volunteer parents with support from YMCA staff. T-shirt and cap are included in league fee. Games locations and times will vary depending on registration. Games and practices are one hour long.

Day: Practice: Tuesday or Thursday Game: Saturday  
Time: Practice: 5:00 p.m.-Dark Games: Mornings  
Location: Miller Elementary School  
Full Member: \$45 Program Member: \$58

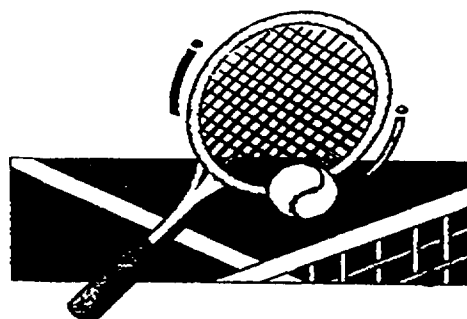
## YOUTH BEGINNING TENNIS LESSONS (3 weeks)

Dates & Times: August 26-September 17 (omit Sept. 2-3)  
Saturday & Sunday 12:00-1:00 p.m.

or  
Tennis Camp: (2 days, 1:00-4:00 p.m., 6 hour total, )  
A: August 26 & 27 C: September 16 & 17  
B: September 9 & 10 D: September 23 & 24

Tennis skills will be taught to youth ages 8 and up. Beginning and advance beginner. Skills include serving, volleying, scoring, maintaining a rally and rules of the game.

Location: Canton High School  
Tennis Courts  
Full Member: \$50  
Program Member: \$65



## SOFTBALL SKILLS (5 weeks)

Start/End Dates: September 22-October 20  
Instructor: Robert Arrowsmith

Youth ages 8-12 will learn and develop the basics of fast pitch softball. Skills taught will include pitching, hitting against live pitching, base stealing, throwing, fielding, and other techniques needed to improve their softball ability.

Day: Saturday  
Time: 12:00-1:00 p.m. (8-9 years)  
1:00-2:00 p.m. (10-12 years)

Location: Miller Elementary School  
Full Member: \$24 Program Member: \$38

## BASEBALL SKILLS (5 weeks)

Start/End Dates: September 22-October 20  
Instructor: Robert Arrowsmith

Youth ages 8-12 will learn and develop the basics of baseball. Skills taught will include pitching, hitting against live pitching, base stealing, throwing, fielding, and other techniques needed to improve their baseball ability.

Day: Saturday  
Time: 10:00-11:00 a.m. (8-9 years)  
11:00-12:00 p.m. (10-12 years)

Location: Miller Elementary School  
Full Member: \$24 Program Member: \$38

## FLAG FOOTBALL INSTRUCTIONAL LEAGUE (6 weeks)

Start/End Dates: Week of September 18 -October 28

Coach: Mark Pelton

Youth ages 8-12 will learn basic football skills. This class will teach football techniques using a "low contact" approach. Flags will replace tackling. Skills include rules of the game, throwing, catching, and running with the football. Games with other YMCAs to be announced. Shirts included.

Day: Practice: Monday Game: Saturday  
Time: Practice: 5:15-6:15 Game: To Be Announced  
Location: Practice: Fiegel School Field Game: To Be Announced  
Full Member: \$40 Program Member: \$52



## YOUTH INSTRUCTIONAL SOCCER LEAGUE-OUTDOOR (6 weeks)

Start/End Dates: September 23-October 28  
Instructor: Lucien Popescu

Both parents and participants will benefit from a combination of skill drills and organized play from certified instructor Lucien Popescu. Players will be assigned to a team and will have a 30-minute practice followed by a 30-minute game. Parents will be invited to help in order to provide them with hands-on experience in coaching. Number of games will depend on number of participants. Shirts will be provided for all participants. Players are asked to bring their own water and shin guards.

Day: Saturday  
Time: 4:30 p.m. (4-5 years)  
5:30 p.m. (6-7 years)  
Location: West Middle School Field  
Full Member: \$48 Program Member: \$60

## YOUTH INSTRUCTIONAL SOCCER LEAGUE-INDOOR (6 weeks)

Start/End Dates: November 7-December 12  
Instructor: Lucien Popescu

Both parents and participants ages 6-8 will benefit from a combination of skill drills and organized play from certified instructor Lucien Popescu. Players will be assigned to a team and will have a 30-minute practice followed by a 30-minute game. Parents will be invited to help in order to provide them with hands-on experience in coaching. Number of games will depend on number of participants. Shirts will be provided for all participants. Players are asked to bring their own water and shin guards.

Day: Tuesday  
Time: 6:30-8:00 p.m.  
Location: Miller Elementary School  
Full Member: \$48 Program Member: \$60

## PRESCHOOL INDOOR SOCCER (6 weeks)

Start/End Dates: November 1-December 15  
(omit week of 11/19)  
Instructor: Lucien Popescu

It's never too early to learn how to play soccer. Children ages 4-5 will learn individual soccer skills including kicking, dribbling, ball control, and more. Instruction will be geared to the child's individual ability. Players are asked to bring their own shin guards and water. Players bringing their own size 3 is optional.

Day: Wednesday or Friday  
Time: 6:30-7:30 p.m.  
Location: Smith & Allen Elementary Schools  
Full Member: \$30 Program Member: \$46





# YOUTH SPORTS PROGRAMS

## YOUTH GOLF LESSONS (4 weeks)

Start/End Dates: September 11-October 7

Instructor: Bob Kuhn

Youth ages 7-13 will learn proper golf techniques including teeing off, driving, putting, chipping, etc. Classes are geared for both beginners and more advanced students. Clubs are furnished, but student must rent a bucket of balls. Classes are one day per week. Register through YMCA office, class size is limited.

Days, Times: Monday, Tuesday, or Wednesday 4:30-5:30 p.m.  
or Saturday 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

Location: St. John's

Full Member: \$36

Program Member: \$46



## KARATE-TAE KWON DO (7 weeks)

Session I: Week of September 6-October 19

Session II: Week of October 24-December 14 (omit 10/31, 11/23)

Instructor: Chris Felton

Class is taught by Chris Felton, 2nd degree black belt with 15 years experience in Tae Kwon Do. Students will learn coordination, discipline, self-confidence, and an effective form of self-defense. This class is ages 8 through adult, male and female, beginner and advanced. Wear sweats or loose fitting clothing. Uniforms available. No registrations accepted after the first class.

Days: Tuesday & Thursday

Time: 7:00-9:00 p.m.

Location: Allen Elementary School

Full Member: \$62

Program Member: \$75

## BUMPER BOWLING (4 weeks)

Session I: September 20-October 14

Session II: October 18-November 11

Session III: November 29-December 20  
(Wednesday only)

Instructor: Colleen Anderson

A non-competitive bowling league where children bowl one game per week. Parents and instructor assist children and keep score. Fee includes use of bowling shoes and one game of bowling per week. Ages 4-8. Class size is limited. Awards will be given to all participants.

Days, Times: Wednesday 4:30-5:30 p.m.

Saturday 10:00-11:00 a.m.

Location: Plaza Lanes

Full Member: \$12 registration fee plus \$3 weekly

Program Member: \$20 registration fee plus \$5 weekly

NOTE: \$1 absent fee

NOTE: \$2 absent fee



## NEW THIS YEAR!

Full members have priority in registering  
for classes starting August 21.

Program Members registration begins September 1.

## YOUTH VOLLEYBALL

Start/End Dates: November 1-December 12 (omit 11/22)

Instructor: "Y" Staff

Basic volleyball skills and techniques will be taught in this class. Players ages 8-11 will learn the proper way to bump, set, and serve, as well as team situations.

Day: Wednesday

Time: 8:00-9:00 p.m.

Location: Allen Elementary School

Full Member: \$30

Program Member: \$46



# SPECIAL YOUTH PROGRAMS

## ARTS AND CRAFTS WITH ALIE (6 weeks)

Session I: September 23-October 28

Session II: November 4-December 16 (omit 11/25)

Instructor: Alie Disbrow, Center for Creative Studies

Students ages 5-8 will experiment in a new variety of textures including paints, clays, tempera, glue, etc. There will be a new project each week. Art techniques will be applied to crafts. Fee includes art supplies. Class size is limited to 10 students.

Day: Saturday

Time: 10:00-11:00 a.m.

Location: Grange Building, Main Floor

Full Member: \$20

Program Member: \$25

## DRAWING WITH ALIE (6 weeks)

Session I: September 23-October 28

Session II: November 4-December 16  
(omit 11/25)

Instructor: Alie Disbrow,  
Center for Creative Studies

This class for ages 5-8 will teach different drawing techniques including basic perspective, basic figure, and basic drawing skills using a variety of media including pastel, pencil, markers, and pen and ink.

Day: Saturday

Time: 9:00-10:00 a.m.

Location: Grange Building, Main Floor

Full Member: \$20

Program Member: \$25



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# PRESCHOOL PROGRAMS



## "KREATIVES"

### PLYMOUTH YMCA PRESCHOOL (6 weeks)

Session I: September 18-October 26  
Session II: October 30-December 8 (omit 11/23, makeup 12/14)

At "Kreatives", your child will be safe, happy, and surrounded by love. The YMCA offers unique features for children 2.5-5 years of ages. Child must be toilet trained. Experienced, certified staff. One staff member per 8 children. Developmentally age appropriate activities in areas of dramatic play, art, music, language, and science. Daily schedule includes free play, group time, and large and small motor activities.

Days: Monday-Thursday  
Times: 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.  
or 1:00-3:00 p.m.

Location: Resurrection Church, Warren Road, west of Canton Center Rd., Canton

Full Member:	1 day - \$48	2 days - \$68	3 days - \$88	4 days - \$108
Program Member:	1 day - \$58	2 days - \$78	3 days - \$98	4 days - \$118

## 1/2 PINTS IN THE KITCHEN

Start/End Dates: October 7-November 11

A fun class that will teach little chefs how to prepare delicious recipes. The students will learn about numbers and measurements. Children will learn and practice basic social skills. Good manners appropriate for this age group will also be incorporated in this class. Children will sample their creations, and a cookbook of the recipes used will be made. Maximum 8 in class.

Ages: 5-8 years  
Day: Saturday  
Time: 10:00-11:30 a.m.  
Location: YMCA Office  
Full Member: \$26

Program Member: \$32

## T.A.P.P. (Tots and Parents Program)

Start/End Dates: November 27-December 16

This stepping stone sport and exercise program for children ages 2-3 is geared toward having fun and becoming aware of sports programs for the future. Children become aware of sports and exercise and the enjoyment associated with them. Parents will learn ways to assist their children in coordination development in a non-competitive atmosphere.

Day:	Monday (Nov. 25, Dec. 4 & 11)	Saturday (Dec. 2, 9 & 16)
Time:	5:00-6:00 p.m.	10:30-11:30 a.m.
Location:	The Grange	
Full Member:	\$25	

Program Member: \$37

## SPECIAL MINI CLASSES

Instructor: Mrs. Graham  
Day: Tuesday  
Time: 5:45-7:00 a.m.  
Location: Grange, 273 Union

**CASPER**  
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# TEEN PROGRAMS

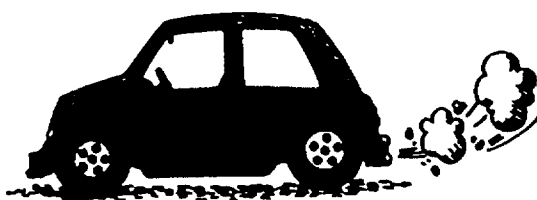
## DRIVER'S EDUCATION (4 weeks)

Session I: September 12-October 5  
Session II: October 17-November 9  
Session III: November 21-December 14  
Instructor: Accurate Driving School

Includes 24 hours classroom instruction and minimum of 4-1/2 hours driving time and up to 6 hours as needed. Driving time assigned after class begins. Upon completing the course, you will receive your Certificate of Completion and will then be eligible to obtain your driver's license. Students must present a driver education eligibility form to the instructor at the first day of class!

Ages: 15-17 (must be 15 years old at start of class)  
Days: Tuesday-Thursday  
Time: 5:30-7:30 p.m.  
Location: YMCA Office  
Full Member: \$150

Program Member: \$160



## RECREATIONAL FLAG FOOTBALL LEAGUE (6 games)

Start/End Dates: September 18-October 25  
Coordinator: Robert Arrowsmith

A great opportunity for players 16-Adult to get out and play some good old backyard football. Games will be played either on Monday or Wednesday, depending on the number of participants. Women are also encouraged to sign-up for the formation of coed teams. Maximum number of players per team is 14, with 7 being on the field at one time. N.I.R.S.A. rules for flag football will be followed and can be picked up at the YMCA upon sign-up. Individuals and teams, men and women are all encouraged to sign-up.

Day: Monday or Wednesday  
Time: 6:30 p.m.  
Location: Field Elementary School  
Full Member: \$28/person

Program Member: \$38/person



# DANCE/GYMNASTICS (all ages)

## DANCE MOVEMENT PROGRAM (12 classes)

Fall Session: September 11-December 22 (omit 10/30-11/11, 11/23-11/26, makeup 12/18-12/22)  
 Recital: December 16, 3:30-5:00 p.m.  
 Instructor: Kelly Borcherts  
 Location: Upper Grange

### EARLY DANCE MOVEMENT (Ages 3-4)

Girls and boys ages 3-4 will develop better coordination, rhythm, and creativity through dance, stories, and games. No ballet shoes required, just bare feet.

Day:	Tuesday	Friday	
Time:	5:30-6:00 p.m.	10:45-11:15 a.m.	
Full Member:	\$38	Program Member:	\$50

### EARLY DANCE MOVEMENT (Ages 5-6)

Girls and boys ages 5-6 will develop better coordination, rhythm, and creativity through dance, stories, and games. No ballet shoes required, just bare feet.

Day:	Tuesday	
Time:	6:00-6:45 p.m.	
Full Member:	\$42	Program Member: \$54

### TUMBLING

This class is a creative environment for children to explore and create new and exciting tumbling tricks, while focusing on strength, flexibility, and basic gymnastic skills. Participants will tumble on mats and be spotted closely on all tumbling tricks. Students may work individually at their own level of difficulty. Loose clothing and bare feet required.

Day:	Thursday	
Time:	Tumbling I: 4:00-4:45 p.m. - ages 4 and up	
Full Member:	\$48	Program Member: \$60



### GYMNASTICS I

This class will concentrate on learning backward rolls, cartwheels, tri-pod, headstand, etc. Placement is by skill level, not by age.

Day:	Thursday	
Time:	4:45-5:30 p.m.	
Full Member:	\$54	Program Member: \$70

### GYMNASTICS II

This class will concentrate on learning standing backbends, roundoffs, far-arm cartwheel, handstand roll down. Students will learn how to assist in spotting fellow classmates. Placement is by skill level, not by age.

Day:	Thursday	
Time:	5:30-6:30 p.m.	
Full Member:	\$54	Program Member: \$70

### YOUTH TAP DANCE

Girls and boys will have fun learning basic tap techniques, rhythm, and steps. Tap shoes required.

Day:	Wednesday	
Time:	5:00-5:45 p.m.	
Full Member:	\$42	
Program Member:	\$54	

### ADULT TAP DANCE

This class is a brush up for young adults/adults on tap techniques, rhythms, and step combinations. Class levels are geared to the participants involved. Tap shoes required.

Day:	Friday	
Time:	5:00-6:00 p.m.	
Full Member:	\$54	



### ADULT MODERN DANCE

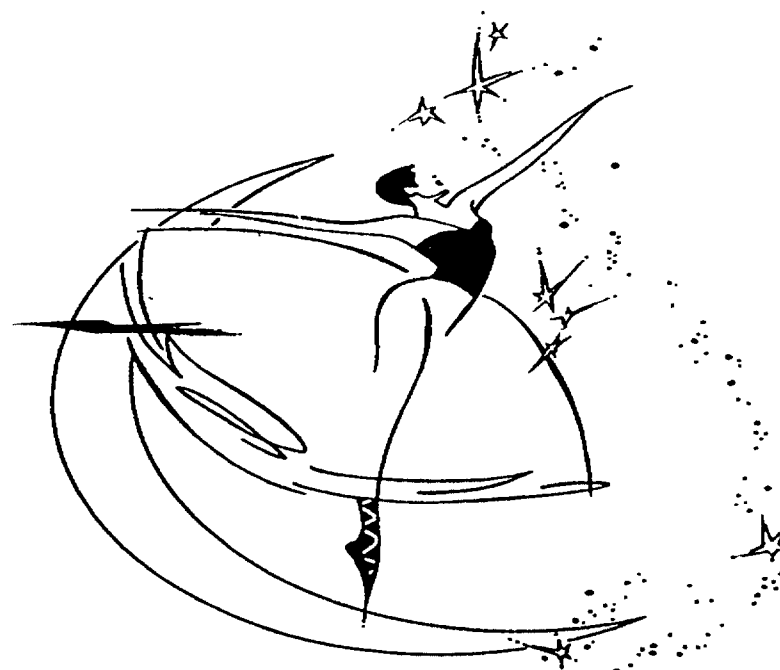
This class is a sophisticated blend of ballet and jazz concepts. Participants will focus on fluidity of movement, spatial awareness, and rhythms. No shoes required, just bare feet.

Day:	Tuesday	
Time:	7:00-8:15 p.m.	
Full Member:	\$68	Program Member: \$86

### CREATIVE MOVEMENT FOR SENIORS

Contrary to popular belief, dance is not only for the young!!! This class will derive dance inspiration from life stories and movement for movement's sake. This class is offered to those in any physical condition who wish to discover that dance is truly for the young at heart.

Day:	Thursday	
Time:	10:00-11:00 a.m.	
Full Member:	\$54	Program Member: \$70



★ A possible \$10.00 costume fee will be discussed around Recital Time. ★

# ADULT PROGRAMS

## RECREATIONAL FLAG FOOTBALL LEAGUE (6 games)

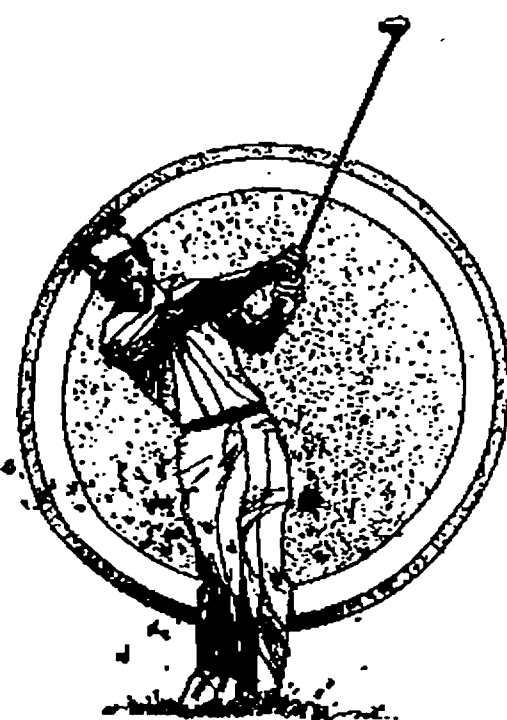
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Coordinator: Robert Arrowsmith



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Day: Monday or Wednesday  
Time: 6:30 p.m.  
Location: Field Elementary School  
Full Member: \$28/person

Program Member: \$38/person



## ADULT GOLF LESSONS (4 weeks)

Start/End Dates: September 11 -October 7  
Instructor: Bob Kuhn

Adults will learn proper golf techniques including teeing off, driving, putting, chipping, etc. Classes are geared for both beginners and more advanced students. Clubs are furnished, but student must rent a bucket of balls. Classes are one day per week. Register through YMCA office, class size is limited.

Days, Times: Monday, Wednesday, or Saturday 10:00-11:00 a.m.  
Tuesday or Wednesday 6:00-7:00 p.m.

Location: St. John's  
Full Member: \$36  
Program Member: \$46

## KARATE-TAE KWON DO (7 weeks)

Session I: Week of September 6-October 19  
Session II: Week of October 24-December 14 (omit 10/31, 11/23)  
Instructor: Chris Felton

Class is taught by Chris Felton, 2nd degree black belt with 15 years experience in Tae Kwon Do. Students will learn coordination, discipline, self-confidence, and an effective form of self-defense. This class is ages 8 through adult, male and female, beginner and advanced. Wear sweats or loose fitting clothing. Uniforms available. No registrations accepted after the first class.

Days: Tuesday & Thursday  
Time: 7:00-9:00 p.m.  
Location: Allen Elementary School  
Full Member: \$62

Program Member: \$75

## CREATIVE MEMORIES (2 weeks)

Session I: Week of September 19 and September 26  
Session II: Week of November 7 and November 14  
Instructor: Niki McKamie

Do you know where your family photos are? Are they stuffed in shoeboxes and drawers, where you cannot enjoy them? Is it possible they are still in the envelopes they came in? Or are they in on of many popular albums that actually destroy your pictures, and your memories with them? This two night "hands on" class will present step by step instructions, organizing tips, creative ideas, decorating photo "journalizing" album page layout and much more! Handouts and photo-safe materials to complete a photo page will be provided. Bring 8-12 pictures of the same subject of event and a sharp pair of scissors to class.

Days: Tuesday  
Time: 7:30-9:30 p.m.  
Location: YMCA main Office  
Full Member: \$10

Program Member: \$15



## FREE INTRODUCTORY YOGA CLASS

Build stamina, increase flexibility, reduce tension, improve health, and create balance in life. Try out a free introductory class!!! Certified Kripalo Instructor.

Date: Thursday, September 7, 1995  
Time: 7:45-9:15 p.m.  
Location: Grange Building, Upstairs  
Please call the "Y" to Register!

## YOGA

Session I: September 14-October 19  
Session II: November 2-December 14 (omit week of 11/19)  
Instructor: Julie Wolcott, Certified Kripalo Instructor.

Beginning Level- Kripalu certified yoga instructor teaches basic postures, breathing techniques, and relaxation. Students are encouraged to take 2 or 3 Beginning courses before going on to Continuing courses.

Continuing Level- Inversions are introduced, along with more advanced postures and posture flows. Please wear loose, stretchy, comfortable clothes - all postures are done with bare feet.

Day: Thursday  
Times: 8:15-9:30 p.m. (Beginning)  
6:30-8:00 p.m. (Continuing)

Location: Grange Building, Upstairs  
Full Member: \$40  
Drop-In Fee: \$10 per class - Guests are welcome on a drop-in basis.

Program Member: \$52

## MUSCLES IN MOTION FOR ADULTS (6 weeks)



Session I: September 9-October 14  
Session II: October 16-November 22  
Session III: November 27-December 22 (4 weeks)  
Instructor: Rosealine Guastella

Learn to develop, tone, and strengthen your body muscles through proper form and weight resistance. Training with certified personal trainer Rosealine Guastella. (B) indicates that baby-sitting is available - the cost is \$2.00 per child, or \$3.00 per family.

Days: Monday or Wednesday  
Times: 10:30-11:30 a.m. (B) or 6:00-7:00 p.m.  
Location: Grange Building, Upstairs

	Sessions I & II	Session III
Full Member:	1 day - \$40	1 day - \$27
Program Member:	1 day - \$55	1 day - \$37
	2 days - \$60	2 days - \$40
	2 days - \$75	2 days - \$50

## STEP AEROBICS FITNESS CLASS (6 weeks)

Session I: Week of September 9-October 14  
Session II: Week of October 16-November 22 (omit week of 11/19)  
Session III: Week of November 27-December 22 (4 weeks)

It's exciting, it's fun, and it's a great workout. Get the aerobic benefits of running with the safety and low impact of walking. Class consists of warm-up, stepping (including a hard weight segment), cool down, isolations, and a slow stretch. Bring water, a mat or towel, and be ready to step. Indicate preferred by day and time. All classes are one hour long. (B) indicates that baby-sitting is available - the cost is \$2.00 per child, or \$3.00 per family.

Days: Monday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday  
Times: 9:30-10:30 a.m. (B), 7:00-8:00 p.m.  
Location: Grange Building, Upstairs

	1 day	2 days	3 days
Full Member:	\$16	\$32	\$48
Program Member:	\$32	\$64	\$96
Session III (4 weeks):			
Full Member:	\$12	\$24	\$36
Program Member:	\$24	\$38	\$52



# REGISTRATION & GENERAL INFORMATION

## REGISTRATION INFORMATION

- Those wishing to take YMCA classes who do not wish to take out a full YMCA membership must take out a Program Membership. NOTE: Program Members always pay the higher fee per class.
- There will be a \$10 charge for any returned check.

## MAIL-IN REGISTRATION

- Cut coupon on dotted line. Fill out one coupon per class. Total cost and send check with completed coupons to: Plymouth Family YMCA, P.O. Box 134, Plymouth, MI 48170. Remember, if you're not a member, add the price of a membership. The "Y" will contact you if we cannot accommodate your class registration.
- The "Y" will not return receipts unless you enclose a self-addressed stamped envelope with your registration.

## FOR YOUR CONVENIENCE

### PHONE-IN REGISTRATION FOR MASTER CARD/VISA CUSTOMERS ONLY - 453-2904

- Call the YMCA office at 453-2904 between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday-Friday.
- Register for your chosen classes.
- Use your MasterCard or Visa Charge Card.
- Have your Visa/MasterCard number and expiration date ready.

## IN PERSON REGISTRATION

- Come to the YMCA office at 248 South Union Street, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

\*\*\*THE OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED SEPT. 4-9, and NOV. 23, 24\*\*\*

Class _____
Day/Session/Time _____
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## VOLUNTEERS COACHES NEEDED

If you are interested, fill out this form and return with your registration form.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

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I am interested in helping with Class: \_\_\_\_\_

League: \_\_\_\_\_

Day: \_\_\_\_\_

Time: \_\_\_\_\_

## CANCELLATIONS and REFUNDS

- The Plymouth "Y" reserves the right to cancel any class that does not meet a minimum enrollment. Classes cancelled by the "Y" will be fully refunded. Allow three weeks for refund check to arrive.
- There will be no refund or credit issued for any class dropped except for documented medical reasons. A doctor's note must be presented within 48 hours of missed class. A credit slip for the pro-rated amount or a refund check minus a \$10 service charge will be issued.
- No refunds or credits will be issued due to class absence or classes cancelled because of severe weather or other conditions over which the "Y" has no control. There will be no make-ups for these classes.
- Weather Closings - The Plymouth YMCA will cancel classes whenever the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools close due to weather conditions.

## MEMBERSHIP RATES

Membership fees are not refundable.

### Full Memberships:

Family .....	\$54
Adult, per person .....	\$42
Youth, per person .....	\$36
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Guide, (includes Family Membership) .....	\$70

### Program Memberships:

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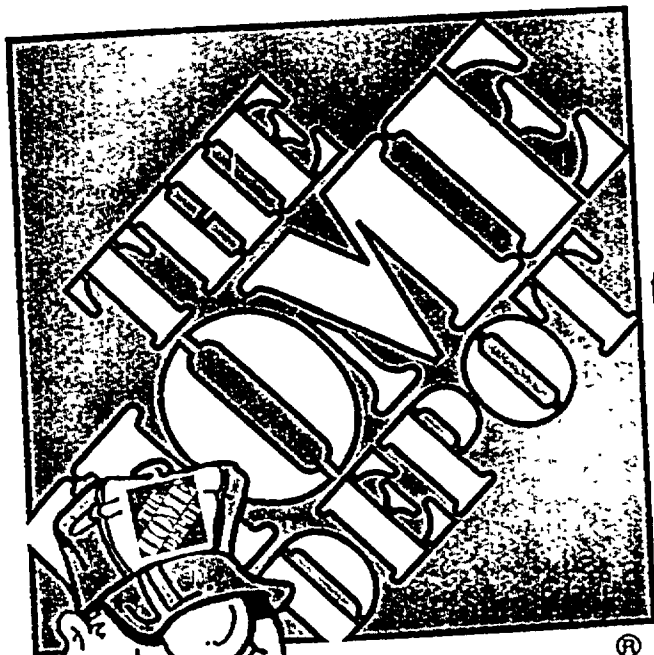
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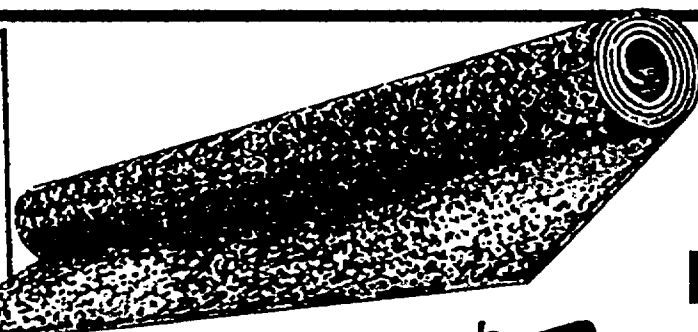
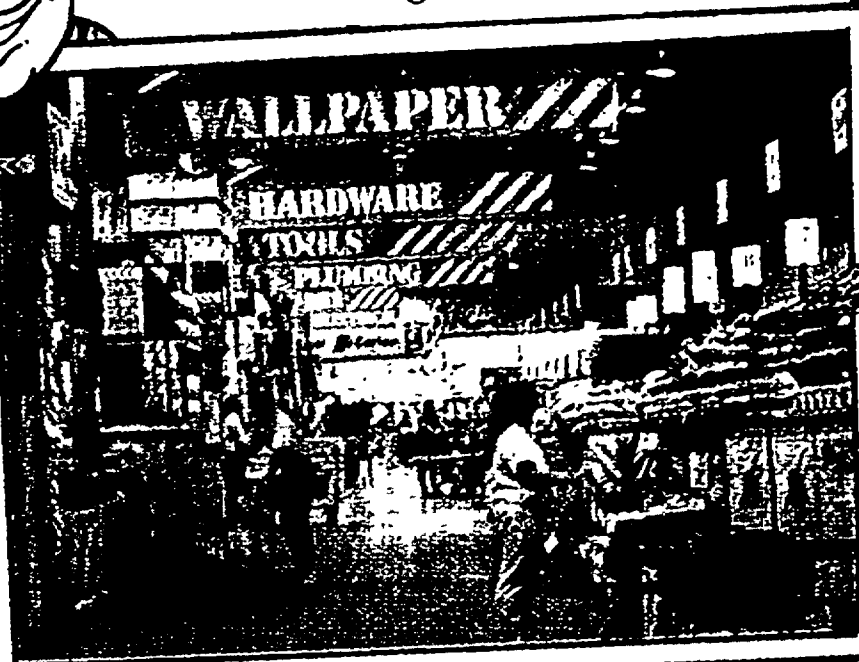
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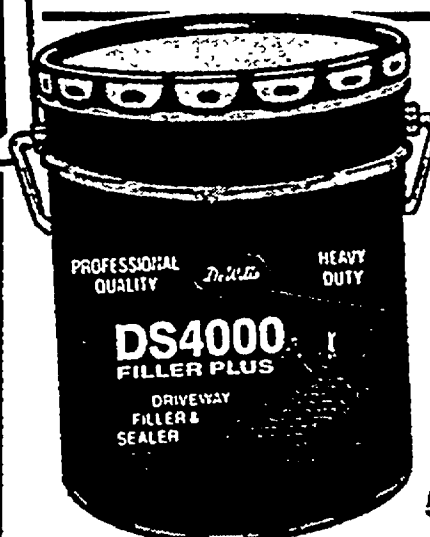
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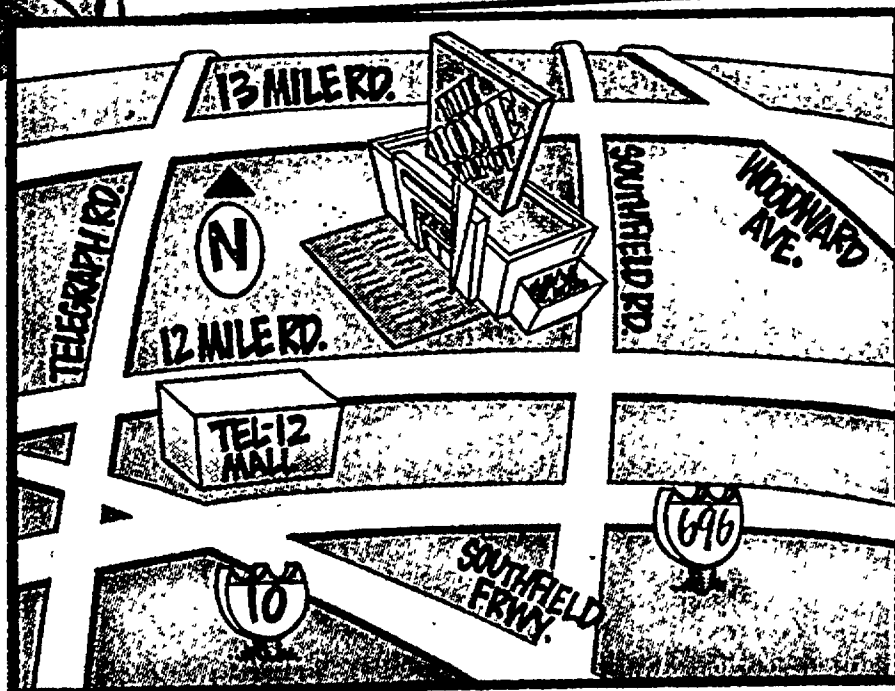


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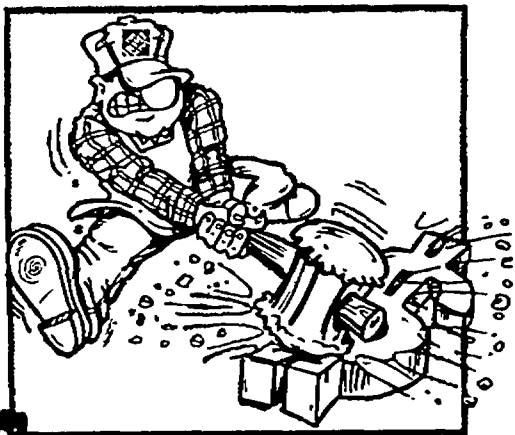
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Plywood and other wood panels will expand or shrink slightly with moisture contents changes in the air. 1/4" spacing is recommended at all panel edge joints unless otherwise indicated. Ask our experienced lumber associates for advice on your project.

**4'x8' OSB**  
• Can be used for roof and corner support sheathing

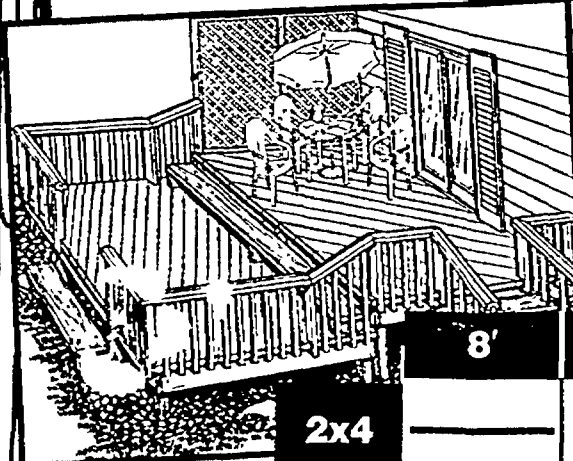
7/16" .... **\$7.39**  
1/4" .... **\$6.00**



**3/4" - 4'x8' STURD-I-FLOOR OSB TONGUE and GROOVE UNDERLAYMENT**

• Self-draining for job  
• Slight durability

**\$3.97**

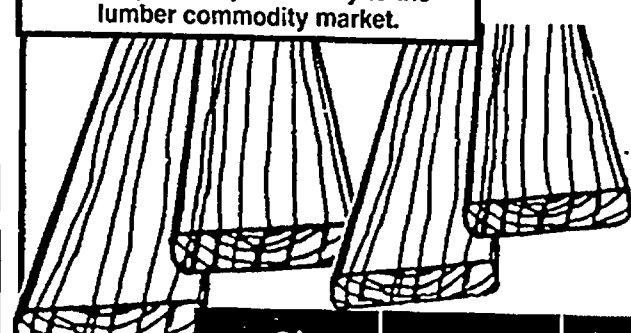


## NO. 1 GRADE PRESSURE TREATED LUMBER

	8'	10'	12'	16'
2x4		<b>\$3.36</b>	<b>\$3.96</b>	<b>\$5.98</b>
2x6		<b>\$4.85</b>	<b>\$5.80</b>	<b>\$8.77</b>
2x8	<b>\$6.10</b>	<b>\$6.98</b>	<b>\$8.98</b>	<b>\$12.45</b>
2x10	<b>\$6.98</b>	<b>\$7.98</b>	<b>\$11.50</b>	<b>\$16.50</b>

**ATTENTION LUMBER CUSTOMERS!**  
Prices in this ad may be different from the actual price at time of purchase. We adjust our prices daily to the lumber commodity market.

**WE DELIVER!**



## 5/4x6 RADIUS EDGE DECKING

	8'	10'	12'	14'	16'
PREMIUM PRESSURE TREATED	<b>\$4.28</b>	<b>\$5.58</b>	<b>\$7.01</b>	<b>\$7.08</b>	<b>\$10.98</b>
CEDAR	<b>\$5.25</b>	<b>\$6.98</b>	<b>\$8.98</b>	<b>\$9.98</b>	<b>\$11.50</b>





# AT THE HOME DEPOT YOU NEVER HAVE<sup>to</sup> WAIT FOR A SALE!

## BUILD-IT-YOURSELF PROJECT PACKAGES!

- Choose a deck, garage, shed, gazebo from our easy do-it-yourself plans
- We'll pull your order, help load your vehicle or arrange delivery

- We stock only top quality, grade stamped lumber and hard-to-find sizes

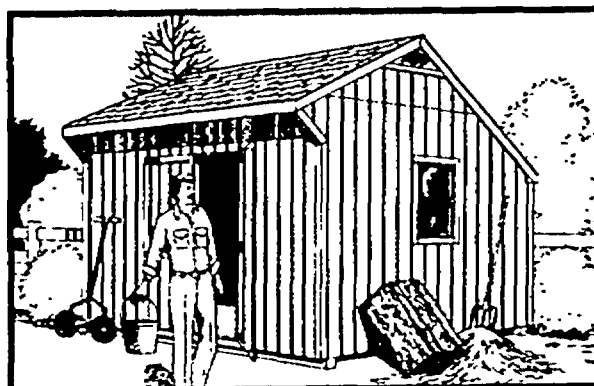
**YOUR SATISFACTION IS GUARANTEED**

### 8'x10' SALT BOX SHED

- Other sizes available

STARTING AT:

**\$576\***



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### 8'x12' GAMBREL SHED

- Other sizes available

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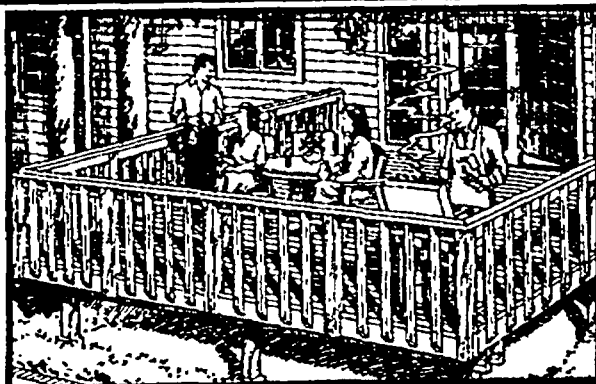
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### 8'x8' EASY RAISED DECK

- Package contains 8 sizes that can be built at any height

STARTING AT:

**\$308\***



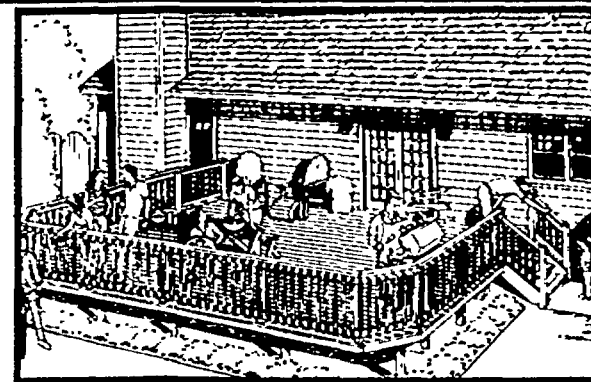
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### 8'x16' FANCY EASY RAISED DECK

- Includes extra wide stair and railing plans
- 8 different sizes 8'x16' to 20'x24'

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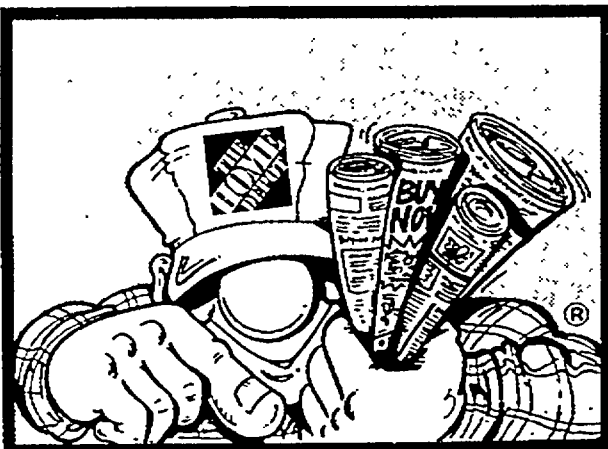


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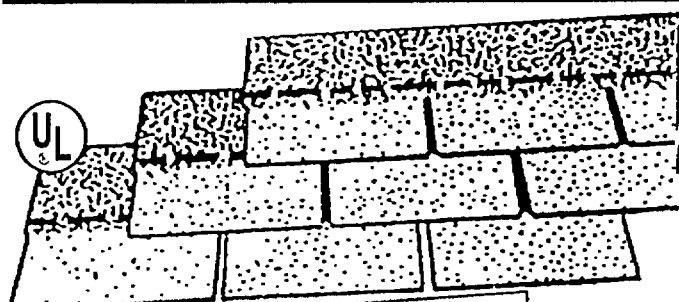
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# EVERYBODY'S AD IS OUR AD!

If you should ever find a lower price anywhere else on an item we stock, even if it's an "advertised special", we'll not only meet that price, we'll beat it by 10% for bringing it to our attention!



**OWENS CORNING CLASSIC 3-TAB FIBERGLAS® SHINGLES**

**20-YEAR WARRANTY**



- One bundle covers 33.3 sq. ft.
- Choose from Aspen Gray, Onyx Black, Shasta White or Desert Tan
- Class A fire and wind resistance rating

**\$5.75 PER BUNDLE**



**ALUMAX 10' ALUMINUM GUTTER**

**EASY INSTALLATION!**

- Choose from brown or white enamel finish
- Compatible with existing metal systems
- Won't crack or break
- Not affected by extreme temperatures
- Higher water-holding capacity

**\$29.18**



**Frost King GUTTER GUARD**

- 6"x20' roll
- Keeps leaves and debris from clogging gutters
- Will not rust or corrode

**MADE IN AMERICA**

**VX620**

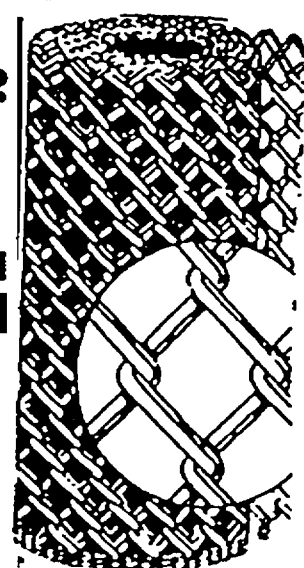
**\$13.4**



**16' ALUMINUM EXTENSION LADDER**

- Type III-household grade
- 200 lb. duty rating
- Positive fixed lock positioned for easy height change
- Double beaded rung joints
- 1 1/4" wide flat step
- 2 1/2" wide double stacked modified "I" beam rails

**\$37**



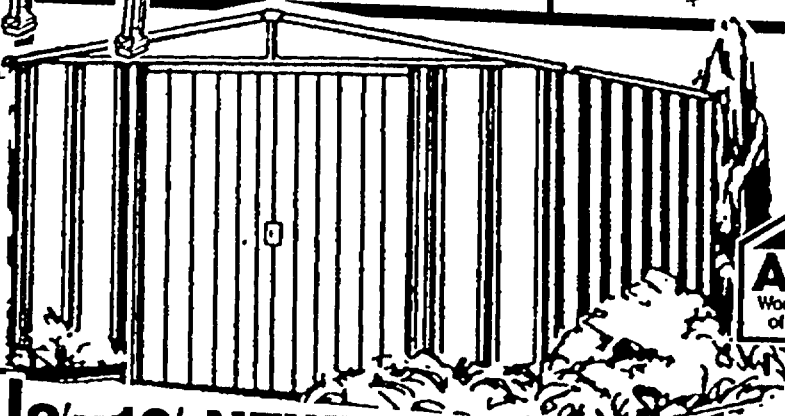
**MASTER HALCO**

**4'x50' CHAIN LINK FABRIC**

- 10-year limited warranty
- Galvanized 11 1/2 gauge wire
- All installation materials available

**WE DELIVER!**

**\$34**



**8'x10' NEWBURGH STORAGE BUILDING**

- 2-year limited warranty
- Overlapping panels and midwall brace for extra support

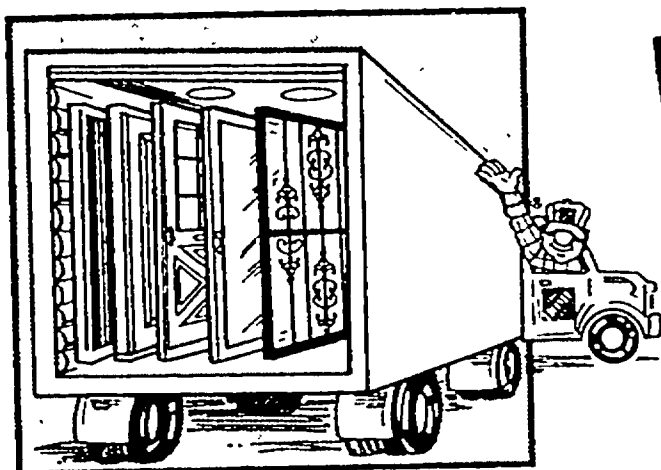
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**ARROW**  
World's Leading Maker of Storage Buildings®

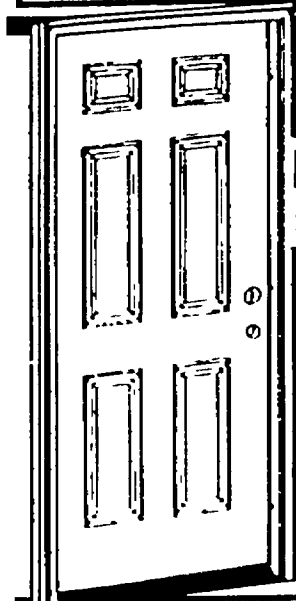
**ONLY \$15 PER MONTH\***

**PROTECTED BY RUST-OLEUM**





# We've GOT WINDOWS and DOORS by the TRUCKLOADS!

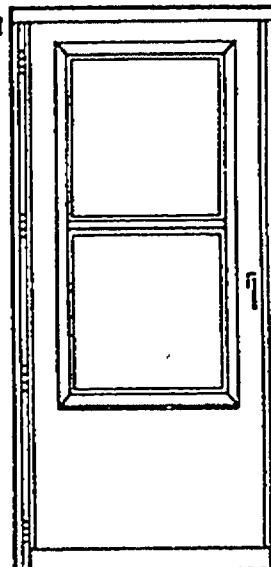


**Pease.**  
Industries, Inc.  
*The Leading Edge in Door Systems™*

## TROOPER PREHUNG 6-PANEL STEEL ENTRY DOOR

- Brickmould applied
- Includes sill
- Choose from 32" or 36"
- Galvanized steel construction with energy-efficient core
- Compression weatherstripping for protection against air flow

**\$94**

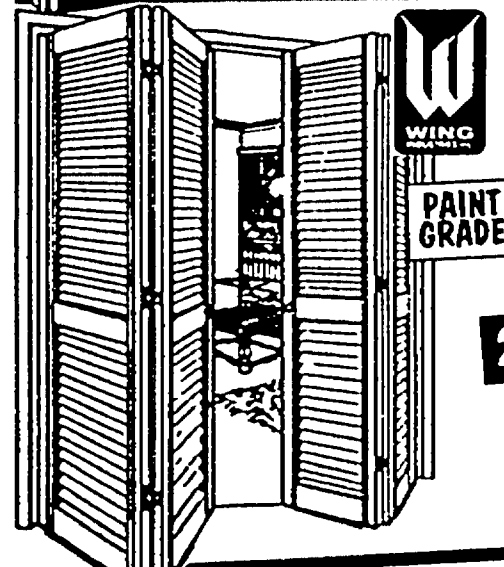


**Lifetime  
PLUS  
Warranty™**  
*Aluminum Exterior*

## WOOD CORE SELF-STORING STORM DOOR

- Includes self-storing 1/2 screen
- Waterproof aluminum exterior and tempered safety glass
- Micro-Bond™ solid wood core resists twisting, warping, sagging and denting
- Heavy duty wool pile weatherstripping and adjustable bottom expander with vinyl sweep conforms for tight seal

**\$88**

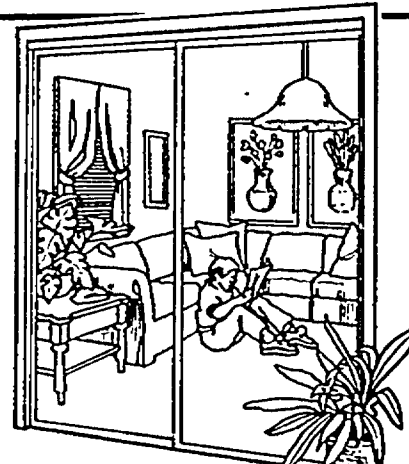


## FULL LOUVERED PINE BIFOLD

- Ready to install
- 80" high
- 7/8" thick
- Pine wood construction
- 2 door units shown

**24" \$24**

30" ..... **\$29**  
36" ..... **\$34**

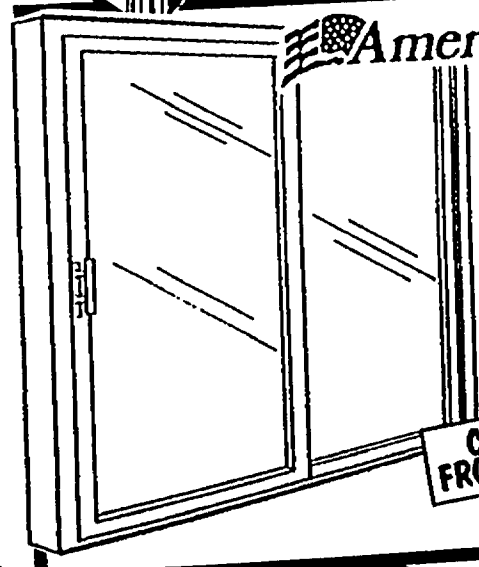


## STANLEY Monarch SLIDING MIRROR DOORS with GOLD FRAME

**4' \$57**

- Full length safety backed plate mirror
- Visually enlarges any room
- Steel frame

5' ..... **\$77**  
6' ..... **\$87**



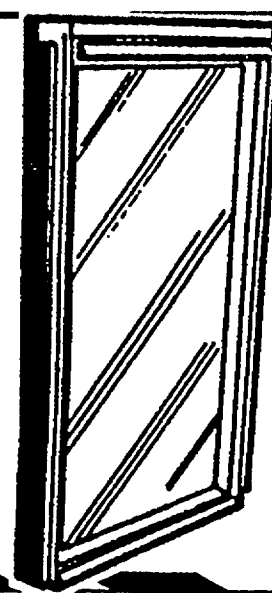
## American Craftsman VINYL PATIO DOOR

- Hardware and screens included
- Fusion welded and steel reinforced
- 1" insulated, tempered glass
- Heavy duty maintenance-free vinyl construction
- Thermal barrier aluminum sill for durability

**\$298**

CHOOSE FROM 5' or 6'

ONLY **\$20**  
PER MONTH\*



## VELUX 21" x 47" FIXED SKYLIGHT

- 3/4" thick, dual-sealed, double pane glass
- Quality wood frame and sash
- Maintenance-free aluminum exterior
- Exclusive condensation gasket system around the entire frame

**\$149**

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# OUR GREENHOUSE is LIKE a JUNGLE!

About the only place you'd find more varieties and sizes is a jungle!  
We unconditionally guarantee all landscape, house & tropical plants for one year or we'll replace them...FREE!

**FALL MUMS**  
SPECTACULAR FALL FLOWERS

6" \$1.56  
8" \$2.86

**JUMBO PACK BULB ASSORTMENT**

- Choose from daffodils or tulips
- Blended to provide perfect color balance and longest bloom times

\$5.46

FALL IS A GREAT TIME TO

• Red Fall color

24" **BURNING BUSH**

\$18.37 ea

4-5' **ARBORVITAE**

\$19.86 ea

**Rubbermaid**  
45 GAL. TRASH CAN with WHEELS  
• Heavy duty construction

1345 \$19.83

**Milwaukee**  
600 LB. LOAD HAND TRUCK DOLLY  
47851S • Heavy duty 1" steel tubular construction

\$38.56

12" **STONE WALL BLOCK**

• Choose from natural or tan

\$1.65 ea

**Southland Sphagnum PEAT MOSS**

3.8 CU. FT. \$7.43

**Rubbermaid**  
ROUGHNECK™ MUCK BUCKET

2976  
• 16 gallon capacity  
• Teal

\$7.91

**Quickie**  
24" INDOOR/OUTDOOR BULLDOZER BROOM  
• Polypropylene bristles designed for rough or smooth surfaces

538M \$11.87

**LEISURE LANDSCAPES**  
RED VOLCANIC ROCK

• Choose from red or black

\$2.55 CU. FT.

**VitaHume TOP SOIL OF ORGANIC PEAT**

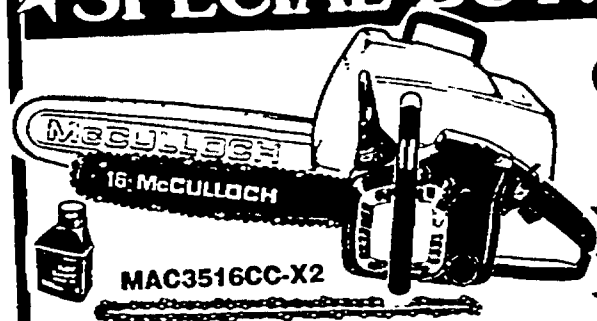
40 LB. \$9.50





# We GUARANTEE OUR PLANTS for 1 YR!

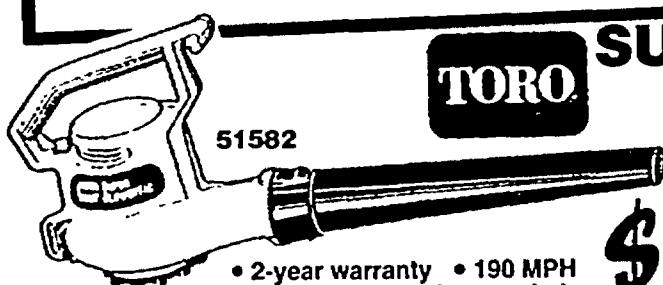
★ SPECIAL BUY! ★



**MCCULLOCH**  
16" GAS  
CHAIN SAW  
with CASE

**\$133**

- Auto-oiler
- Includes carrying case, extra loop chain and bottle of "One-Shot" oil



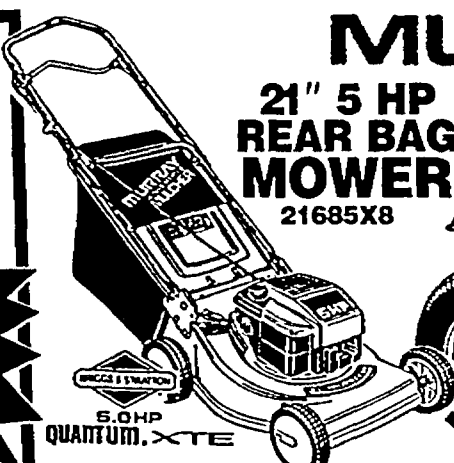
**TORO**

**SUPERBLOWER  
VAC**

VAC RECYCLES 10 BAGS  
OF LEAVES INTO ONE!

**\$59.94**

- 2-year warranty
- 190 MPH
- No tool conversion needed from blower to vac
- Includes bag



**MURRAY**

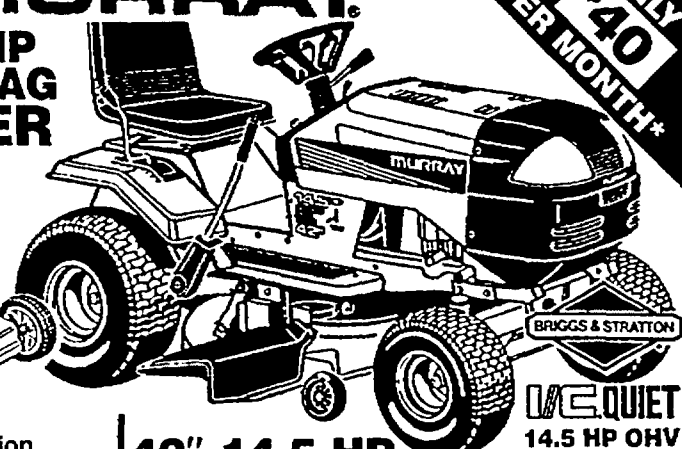
21" 5 HP  
REAR BAG  
MOWER  
21685X8

with INSTALLED  
MULCHING KIT

**\$193**

SELF-PROPELLED \$278  
21765X8

- 7-position height adjusters
- 8"x2" wheels



**42" 14.5 HP  
RIDING MOWER**

- 6-speed shift-on-the-go transmission
- Converts to bagger or mulcher

**\$957**

ONLY \$40  
PER MONTH\*

14.5 HP OHV



**Scott's**

**WINTERIZER  
LAWN FERTILIZER**

- Backed by Scott's No-Quibble Guarantee

**\$7.96**

COVERS  
5,000 SQ. FT.



**TURF BUILDER PLUS 2**

- Weed control plus fall lawn fertilizer

**\$8.97**

COVERS  
5,000 SQ. FT.

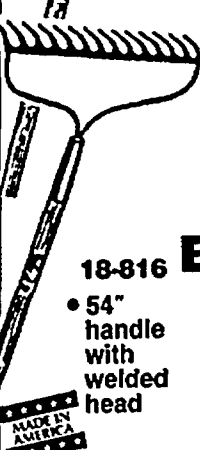


**Eagle**

**ROUND POINT  
SHOVEL**

- 47" long handle

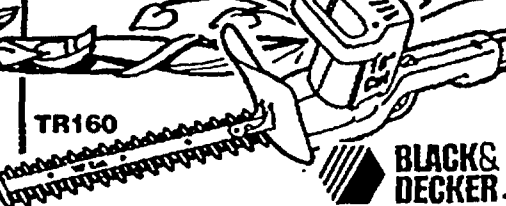
**\$3.67**



**14 TOOTH  
BOW RAKE**

**\$3.67**

- 54" handle with welded head



**BLACK & DECKER**

**16" HEDGE TRIMMER**

- Double-edge steel blades cut in either direction

**\$27.92**



**Scott's  
GRASS SEED**

**KENTUCKY  
BLUEGRASS  
SEED**

- Backed by Scott's No-Quibble Guarantee

**\$4.46**

3 LB.



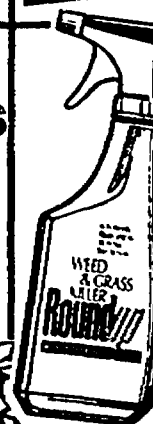
**ORTHO  
INSECT CONTROL**

- DURSAB®
- LAWN & GARDEN
- DIAZINON
- SOIL & TURF

- Ready-to-use

**\$7.73**

Covers up to  
4,500 sq. ft.



**Roundup  
WEED &  
GRASS  
KILLER**

- Ready-to-use

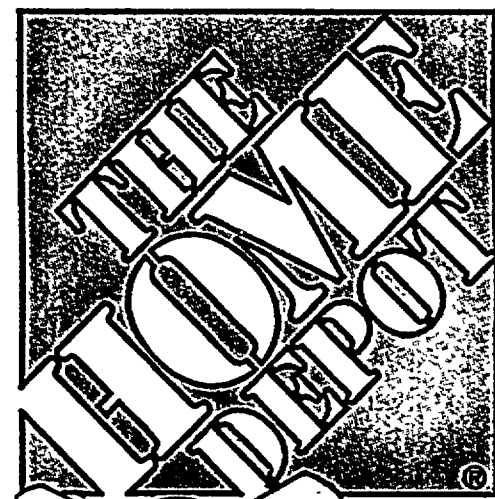
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24 OZ.

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**LITTLETON™ 42" with LIGHT KIT**  
• White finish  
• 5-year warranty  
• 3-speed reversible motor  
**\$22**

**ROCKPORT™ 42" with LIGHT KIT**  
• White with polished brass  
• Bulb sold separately  
**\$29.73**

**Top Quality, Guaranteed Low Prices!**  
Hampton Bay ceiling fans offer quality features found in more expensive fans but at a fraction of the cost:  
• Double-sealed motor bearing  
• Built-in rubber shocks for low vibration  
• Reversible blade direction and more!  
**Exclusively at The Depot!**

**JERICO II™ 52" with LIGHT KIT**  
• Polished brass  
• 10-year warranty  
• Bulbs sold separately  
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**WATERTON 52" with LIGHT KIT**  
• White fan with black accents  
• Downrod  
• 10-year warranty  
• Bulbs sold separately  
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**THE HARBOR LIGHT™ 52" with LIGHT KIT**  
• Available in white, polished or antique brass  
• 5-year warranty  
**\$35.45**

**THE REGATTA™ 36"**  
• 5-year warranty  
• 3 speed reversible motor  
**\$39.51**

**THE SAN RAFAEL™ 52" with LIGHT KIT**  
• 10-YEAR WARRANTY  
• Verde finish with 5 bleached oak blades  
• Bulbs sold separately  
**\$89**

**HEARTLAND II™ 52"**  
• Choose from antique or polished brass  
• Bulbs sold separately  
**\$159**

**COASTAL BREEZE 44"**  
• 20-year warranty  
• Choose from antique or polished brass, white or white with polished brass  
• Light kit adaptable  
**\$49.37**

**THE INNOVA™ 44"**  
• 20-year warranty  
• White  
• Bulb sold separately  
**\$91**

**THE BRENTWOOD™ 52"**  
• 20-year warranty  
• Low profile  
• 3 speed reversible motor  
**\$94**

**THE PASSPORT II SERIES™ 52"**  
• 20-year warranty  
• Choose from white, white with brass, antique or polished brass  
**\$79**

**32" 4-BLADE WHITE BATH FAN**  
• 3 speed reversible motor  
• 20-year warranty  
**\$51**

**THE STUDIO SERIES® 52" with REMOTE CONTROL**  
• Choose from antique or bright brass, white or combo  
• 20-year warranty  
**\$119**

**THE INFINITI 52"**  
• Choose from white, white with brass, antique or polished brass and black  
• 20-year warranty  
**\$90**

**THE HUNTER ORIGINAL® 5-BLADE**  
• White  
• Free 90-day in-home service (where available)  
• Lifetime warranty  
**\$169**

**WILLIAMSBURG 5-LIGHT SOLID BRASS CHANDELIER**  
12504  
• Polished brass  
• Bulbs sold separately  
**\$57.61**

**10-LIGHT**  
• Choose antique or polished brass  
**\$105.10**

**4-LIGHT BEVELED GLASS FLUSHMOUNT CEILING FIXTURE**  
08787  
• Polished brass  
• Bulbs sold separately  
**\$19.43**

**10-LIGHT 2-TIER CRYSTAL CHANDELIER**  
53/10  
• Uses ten 60 watt bulbs, sold separately  
**\$48.3**

**FLUSHMOUNT FIXTURE**  
• Contemporary style  
11008  
• Choose from white almond or black  
**\$19.70**

**Angelo Lighting FLUSHMOUNT FIXTURE with CLEAR ACORN GLASS**  
• Antique brass  
66679  
• Bulb sold separately  
**\$6.25**

**Angelo Lighting POLISHED BRASS CEILING FIXTURE**  
• With white glass shade  
66678  
• Bulb sold separately  
**\$9.17**

**Angelo Lighting WHITE CERAMIC CEILING FIXTURE**  
6620100  
• 12" square x 5 3/4" high  
• Bulbs sold separately  
**\$28.5**

**Angelo Lighting 1-LIGHT CEILING FIXTURE**  
66699  
• 8" Wx4 3/4" H  
• Bulb sold separately  
**\$11.16**

**CATALINA® 5-LIGHT POLISHED BRASS CHANDELIER**  
with RIBBED GLASS 834/5  
• Uses five 60 watt bulbs, sold separately  
**\$39.60**

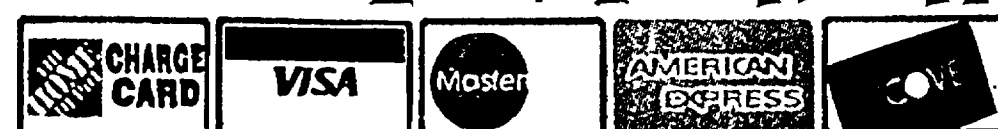
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• Available in white or clear glass  
• Fixture available in white and polished brass  
• Bulb sold separately  
11" R914 **\$9.82** 13" R915 **\$14.71** 15" R916 **\$19.83**

**Wilson Avenue 6-LIGHT BEVELED GLASS FIXTURE with DOWNLIGHT**  
09024  
• Polished brass  
• Uses six 60 watt candleabra bulbs, sold separately  
**\$75**

**Angelo Lighting 6" GLOBE CEILING FIXTURE**  
• White glass globe  
• 6"Dx7 1/4"H  
66607  
• Bulb sold separately  
**\$6.25**

**CATALINA® 3 TRACK HEAD CEILING FIXTURE**  
200108  
• White finish  
• Includes all mounting hardware and instructions  
**\$9.12**

CATALINA® VANITY BARS					Includes all mounting hardware and instructions. Bulbs sold separately.			
	3-LIGHT	4-LIGHT	6-LIGHT	8-LIGHT				
CHROME, WHITE, BRIGHT BRASS, ANTIQUE BRASS	\$725	\$11.42	\$16.88	\$25.98				
OAK	\$12.53	\$13.87	\$22.90	\$30.45				
MIRROR	\$15.43	\$20.23	\$29.83	\$38.96				

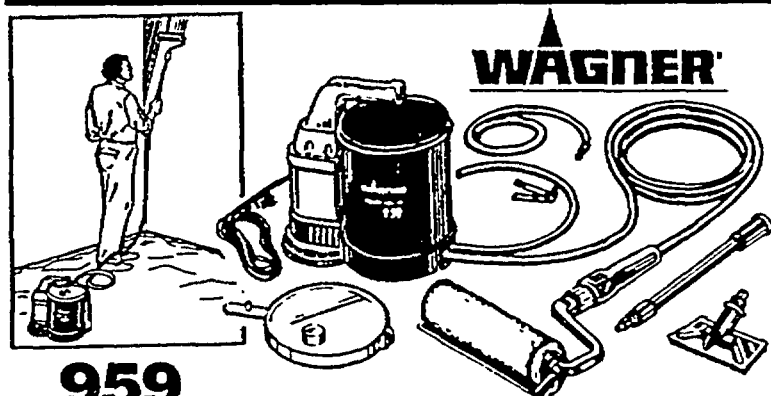


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# FREE COMPUTERIZED COLOR MATCHING!

BRING US A QUARTER-SIZED SAMPLE. IN 60 SECONDS OUR COMPUTER WILL GIVE US THE FORMULA TO DUPLICATE IT.



## 959 POWER ROLLER

- Pumps unthinned heavy latex directly from a 1 or 5 gallon pail
- Applies up to 1 gallon of paint in 15 minutes
- Self-cleaning pump powered by a 120 watt motor
- Includes a 1 gallon bucket, 14" handle extension, spatter shield and paint tray and a versatile 3"x5" pad for cutting in around trim

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**\$103**



## BEHR PREMIUM PLUS INTERIOR SATIN ENAMEL WALL & TRIM PAINT

15-YEAR WARRANTY

- 100% acrylic latex
- Washable, scrubbable, stain and mildew resistant
- Formulated for precise computer color matching

IT'S ONLY  
**\$13<sup>98</sup>**  
PER GAL.  
WHEN YOU BUY  
THE 5 GAL. SIZE

5 GAL.

**\$16<sup>97</sup>**  
GAL.  
**\$69<sup>88</sup>**



## KILZ PRIMER, SEALER and STAIN KILLER

- Seals lipstick, crayon, ink, smoke, grease, water stains
- Use on fast drying wood primer
- Cleans up with paint thinner

IT'S ONLY  
**\$9<sup>73</sup>**  
PER GAL.  
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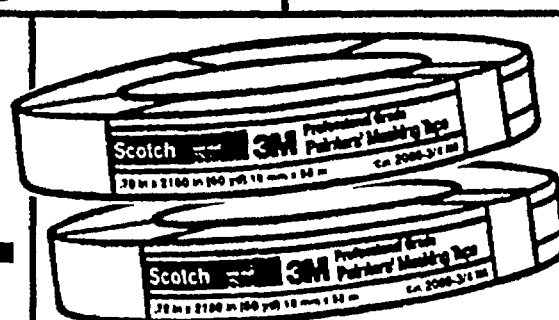
**\$9<sup>87</sup>**  
GAL.  
**\$48<sup>67</sup>**



## UGL DRYLOK® LATEX CONCRETE FLOOR PAINT

- Available in assorted colors
- Withstands traffic, moisture, weather and washing
- For inside/out • Non-flammable
- Dries dust-free in one hour

**\$16<sup>96</sup>**  
GAL.



## 3M 3/4" x 60 YD. PAINTER'S MASKING TAPE

**\$15<sup>8</sup>**

1x60 YD. .... **\$2<sup>23</sup>**  
2x60 YD. .... **\$4<sup>31</sup>**



## ColorWorks KRYLON GLOSS ENAMEL

ACRYLIC LATEX ..... **\$6<sup>64</sup>**  
GLOSS OIL ..... **\$6<sup>94</sup>**



## KRYLON INTERIOR/EXTERIOR SPRAY ENAMEL

- Paint like a pro!
- Choose from colors in flat or gloss finish

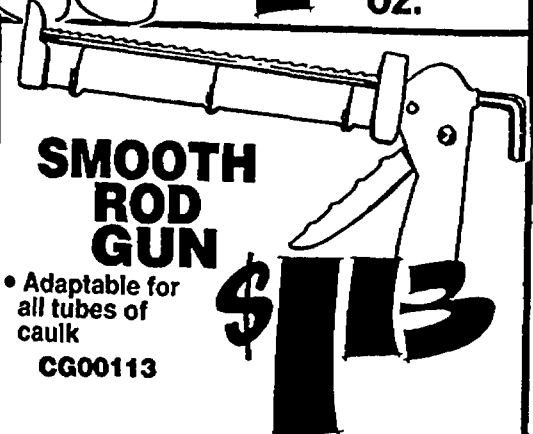
**\$18<sup>0</sup>**  
12 OZ.



## WHITE ALEX PLUS ACRYLIC LATEX CAULK

- Paintable
- Interior and exterior use
- 35-year durability

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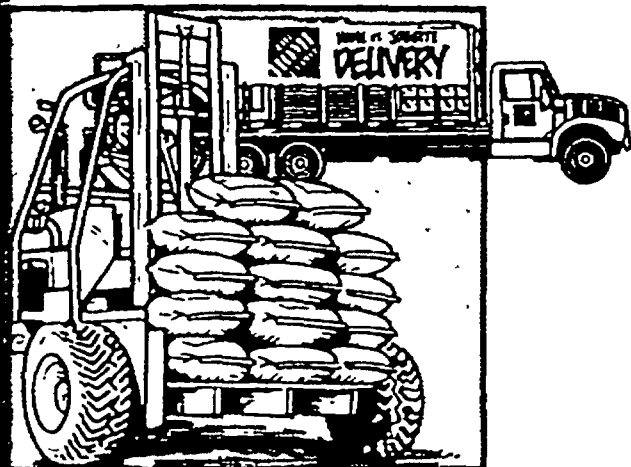
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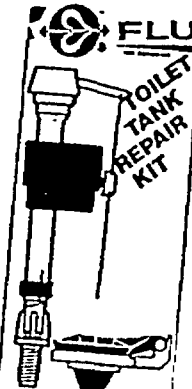
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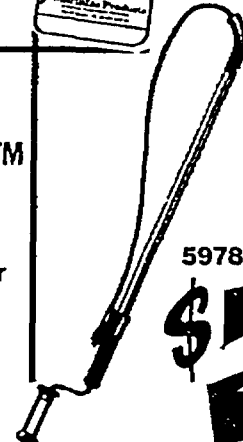


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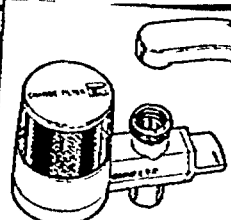
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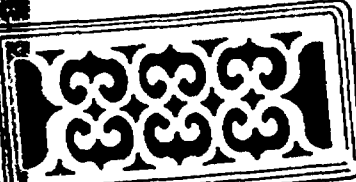


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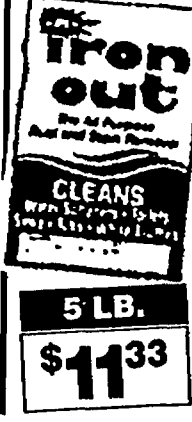


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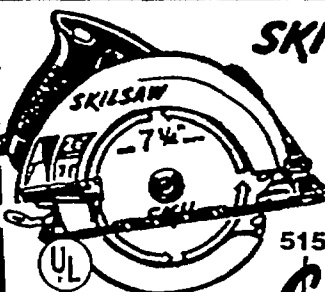
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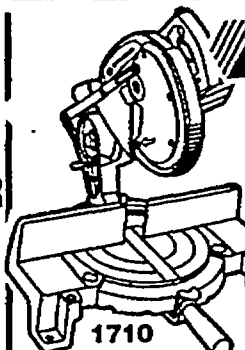
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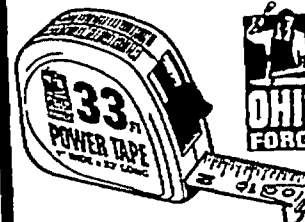
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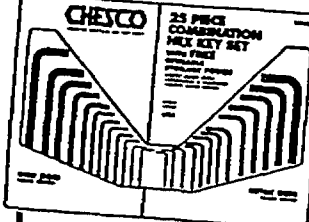
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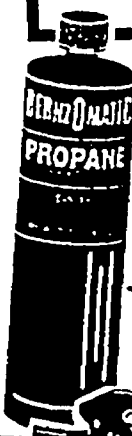
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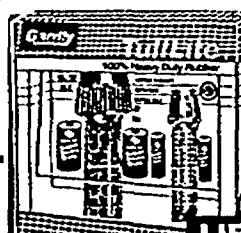
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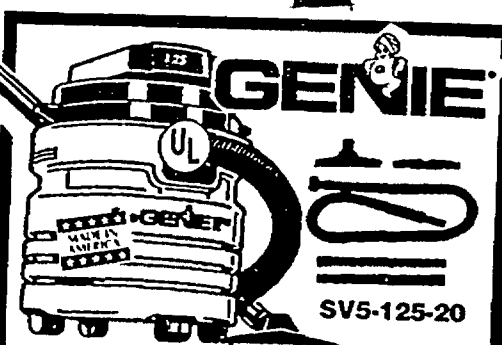


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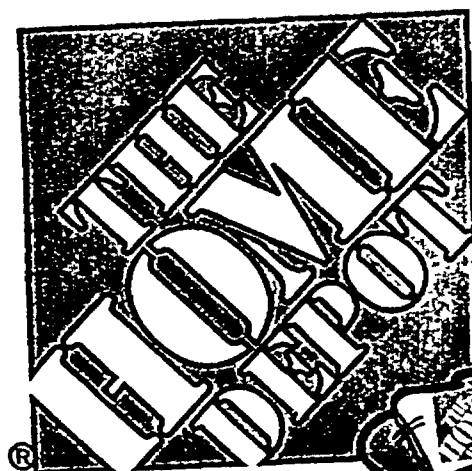
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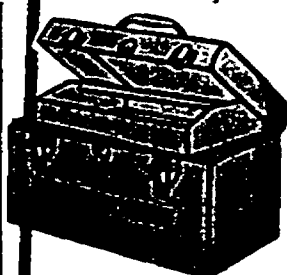
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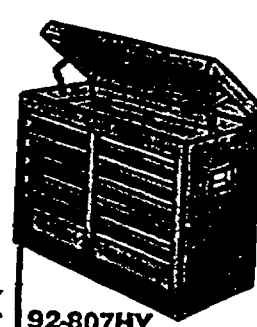


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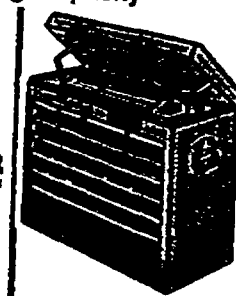
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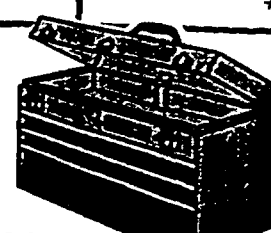
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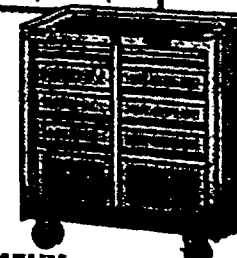
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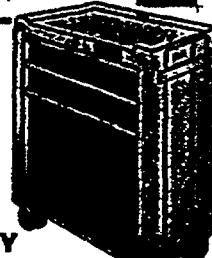
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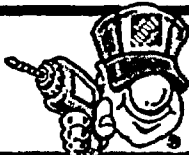
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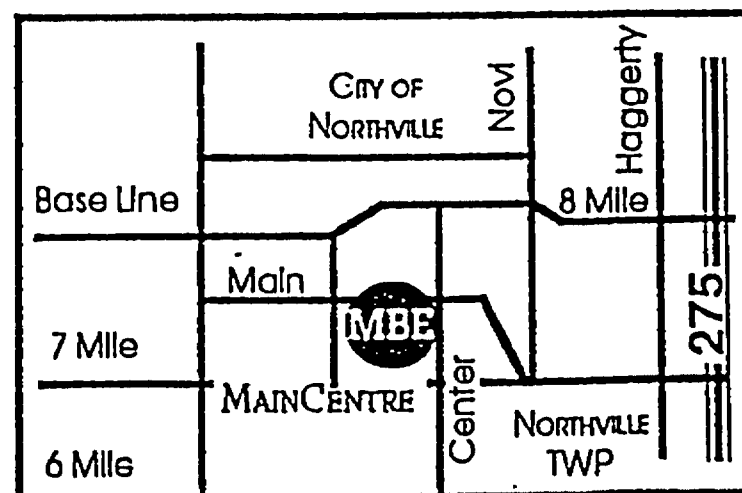
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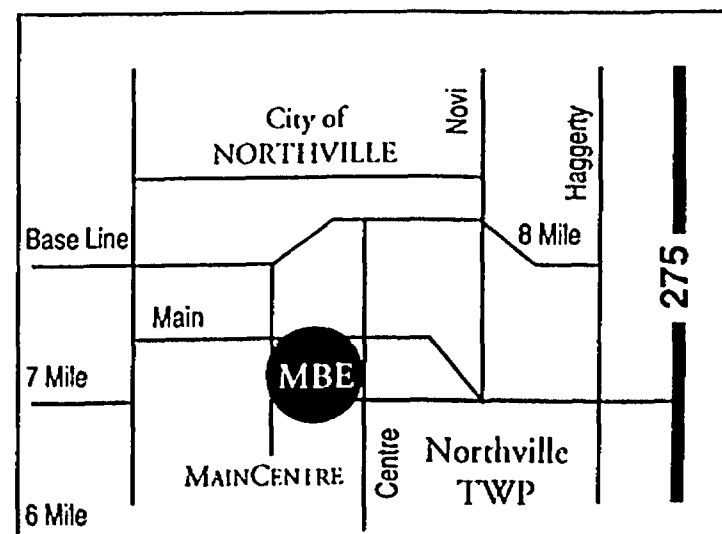
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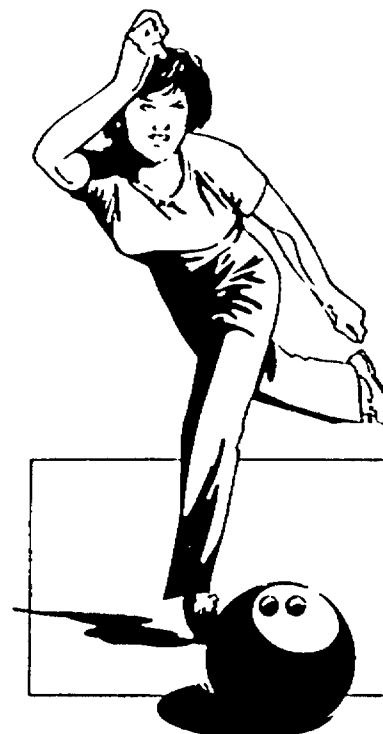
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Monday	N'ville Newcomers	9:30am	\$ 6.00	Oct .
Tuesday	Ladies Trio	9:15am	\$ 8.00	Sept 12
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	N'Ville Women	7:30pm	\$13.00	Sept 5
Wed	N'ville/Novi wom.	9:15am	\$ 8.00	Sept 6
	Ladies Trio	5:45pm	\$11.00	Sept 6
Thursday	Novi Swingers	6:30pm	\$13.00	Sept 7

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<u>Day</u>	<u>Name of League</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Cost</u>	<u>Start</u>	<u>Team AVE</u>
Monday	Mon. Jr House	8:10pm	\$14.00	Sept 11	800-975
Tuesday	Tues Men's House	8:20pm	\$13.00	Sept 12	725-875
Wed	Men's Lutheran	7:30pm	\$15.00	Sept 6	850-950
Friday	Men's Senior House	6:30pm	\$16.00	Sept 7	750-850

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<u>Day</u>	<u>Name of League</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Cost</u>	<u>Start</u>
Monday	Our After Hour	5:30pm	\$ 9.00	Sept 18
	Diamond TRW	5:45pm	\$10.00	Sept 11
	Dealership league	9:30pm	\$ 9.00	Sept 18
Tuesday	Pins and Needles	5:30pm	\$ 9.00	Sept 19
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Wed	House Mixed	8:00pm	\$12.00	Sept 6
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## About our cover

It's the 40th annual Fall Festival. A milestone of sorts for the Plymouth Community. And for nearly 15 years of that time Plymouth Observer photographer Bill Bresler has been shooting pictures of the event.

"I never really get tired of it," said Bresler. "It's one of those events that tells me that fall is on the way."

For our cover this year, we used one of Bresler's favorite photos from the Fall Festival of 1994.

It is of Paul Barrett, then 3 years old, in the produce tent.

Also contributing to our guide to Plymouth's Fall Festival were staff writer Kevin Brown, community editor Jeff Counts and office coordinator Bridget Moran.



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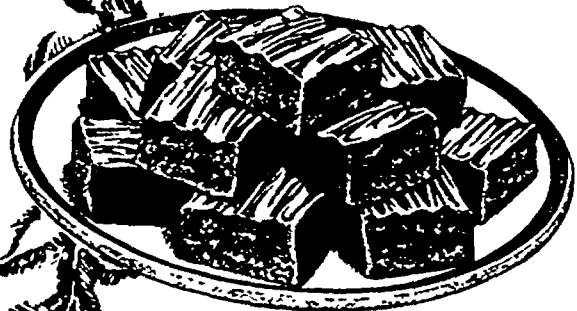
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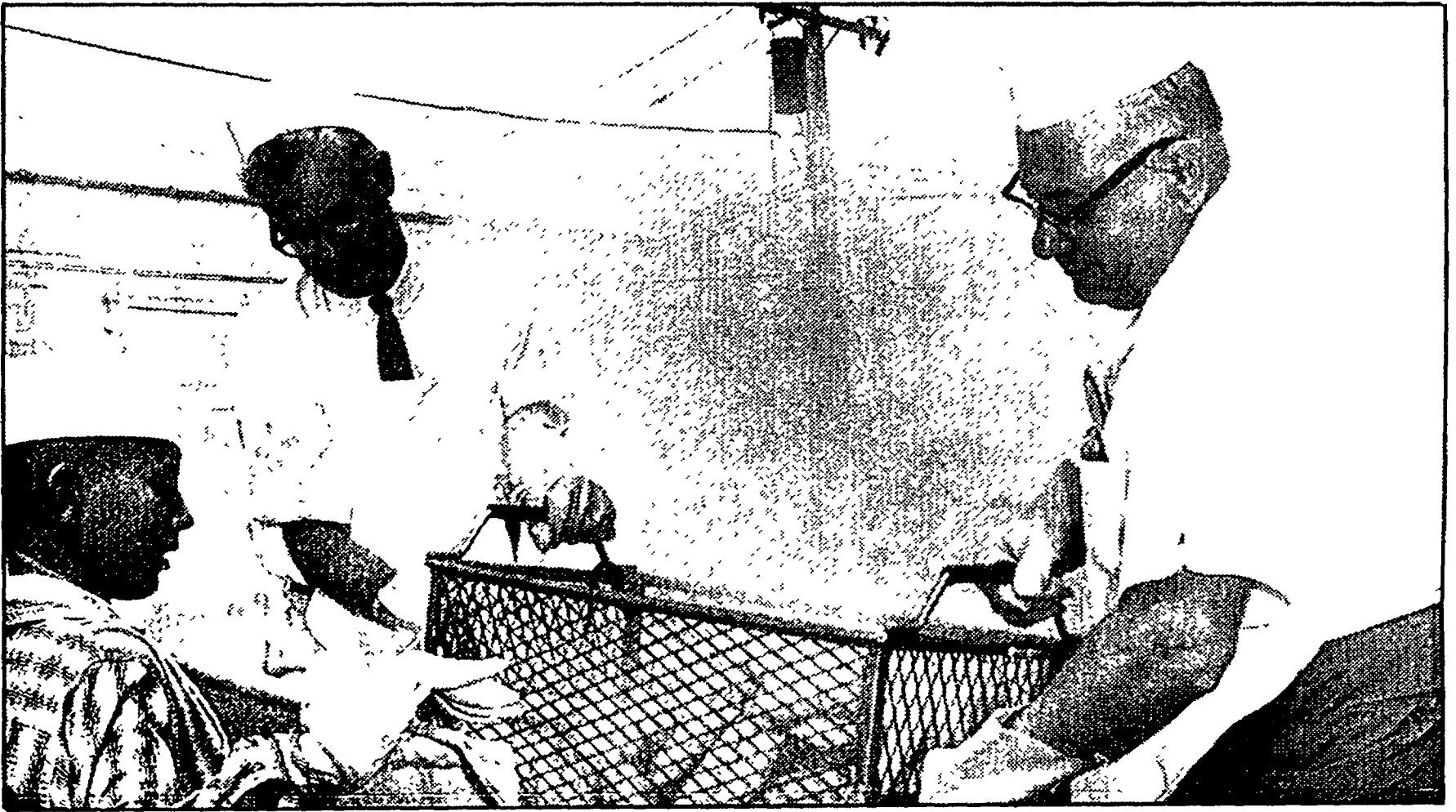
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## A look back



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**A tradition:** *The Fall Festival has its roots in the Plymouth Rotary Club chicken barbecue that started as a community picnic in 1956. Above, workers in the late 1950s proved that you could wear a tie and white shirt and put on a barbecue.*

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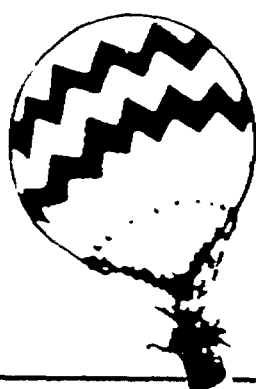
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**Kid time:** Rides for children are available along Penniman during the festival that runs through Sunday.

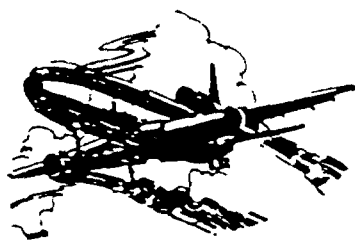
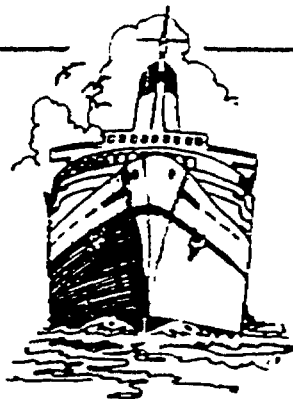
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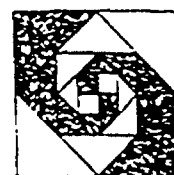
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## Streetscape takes form

Downtown Plymouth is in the midst of a face lift. It's called a streetscape, but what it really means is that there are new curbs, sidewalks with brick paving, old-fashioned street lights and new pavement.

Work on the project started in the spring and according to city officials its basically on schedule, except for some of the brick work.

The \$3 million project, funded by the Downtown Development Authority, is aimed at updating the central downtown area by giving it a new look.

The goal has been to complete the work on Main Street and Penniman before the Fall Festival. That includes work on the new median on Main between Penniman and Ann Arbor Trail.

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## Line dancing



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**Dancing to 220:** *These friends couldn't resist a spontaneous line dance to the sounds of the 220 Band. This year the Plymouth fall festival will offer the Chautauqua Express as well as magician and illusionists Scorpio and Fantasy.*

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# Pie eating contest new event at Fall Fest

BY KEVIN BROWN  
STAFF WRITER

It's the 40th annual Plymouth Fall Festival. But things aren't getting stale. There are new events on tap this year, including a pie-eating contest, Civil War encampment and Plymouth Parasol Promenade.

But popular festival traditions including the Rotary chicken barbecue, food booths and live entertainment in Kellogg Park return for this year's festival, Friday through Sunday, Sept. 8-10.

Opening ceremonies on the Main Stage at Kellogg Park are scheduled for 6 p.m. Friday with a welcome from fall festival board President Dolly Marzka. The Plymouth Community Band follows, from 7-9:30 p.m.

An organ monkey and Buffalo Bob on stilts will provide strolling entertainment, from 6-9 p.m.

"That's new and the clowns are new," said Fall Festival publicity chairman Joe Bida, adding much of the entertainment is new to the festival.

"We'll have the concept cars from Ford Motor Company in the car show," he added, at the Plymouth Historical Museum on Saturday.

The Fall Festival board will raffle off a 1955 Ford, and tickets can be bought outside the museum, just north of city hall on Main Street.

Also at the museum, a mini Civil War encampment is scheduled for the museum grounds Saturday. Folk singer Julie Fountain will perform Civil War songs and stories at 2 and 3 p.m. Saturday and history teacher Bob Zaetta will present a program titled, "Today's Images of the Civil War," featuring slides and maps of the routes of the Army of the Potomac. The program is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. Saturday at the museum.

Also new for the festival, the Plymouth Trailwood Garden Club is sponsoring "The Challenge of the Best Plymouth Community Pie Baker." On Sunday, Sept. 10, club members will accept entries in the pie baking contest from 9 a.m. to noon at the exhibit tent in front of Central Middle School at Church and Main Streets.

Judging will take place at 12:30 p.m. and pies with ribbons will stay on display the rest of the day.

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**Popular festival traditions including the Rotary chicken barbecue, food booths and live entertainment in Kellogg Park return for this year's festival, Friday through Sunday, Sept. 8-10.**

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The club also sponsors a pie-eating contest in front of Central Middle School at 2:30 p.m. Sunday. There will be three age categories; elementary, middle school and high school age. There will be a maximum of 16 entries in each age group. For more information on entering, call the phone numbers listed above.

On Saturday, main stage events open with a Pet Parade at 9:30-11 a.m.; Detroit Edison Enviro-Magic Show with Louie the Lightning Bug at 11 a.m.; Polish Centennial Dancers at noon; Famous Dancing Dinosaurs at 1 p.m.; Tom Hodgson's Sounds of the Earth at 2 and ventriloquist Tom Smith and Friends at 3.

Hodgson returns at 4 p.m., followed by Chautauqua Express at 5, magicians and illusionists Scorpio and Fantasy at 6, celebrity karaoke at 7 and a karaoke contest at 7:30.

Strolling entertainers around the park on Saturday are clowns from noon to 4 p.m., Fred the Smooch from 2-4 p.m. and "Charlie Chaplin" and Bobo Bunyon on stilts from 5-8 p.m.

Main stage entertainment opens Sunday at noon to 2:30 p.m. with Benny Reeves and the Groove Company, then the Ten Most Wanted Band from 3-6 p.m.

Strolling entertainers Sunday are Zeemo the Magnificent and the Dixie Band from noon to 3 p.m., and clowns from noon to 4 p.m.

The Rotary chicken barbecue opens at noon Sunday, Sept. 10. Dinners are available until 6 p.m. at Kellogg Park and until 5 p.m. at the drive-through site, West Middle School.

Cost is \$6 for advance dinner tickets and \$8 for dinner tickets bought on Sunday. Advance tickets are available at the Rotary festival booth Friday and Saturday, or from any Rotary member.



## Artist at work



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**Arts & Crafts:** *Diana Prain hand-paints signs for the artists and craftsmen show, held in conjunction with the Plymouth fall festival Friday through Sunday.*



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## Art break



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**Watercolor magic:** Local artist Tom LeGault turns some magic on his canvas during the artist and craftsman show held in conjunction with the Plymouth fall festival.

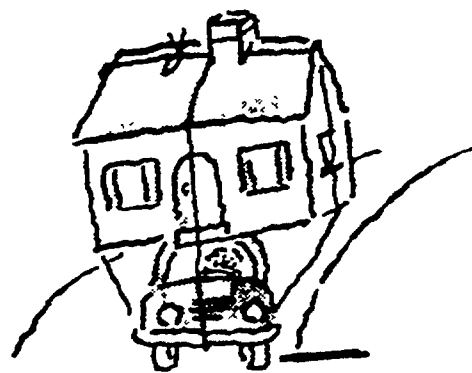


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## Street dancing



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**Festival fun:** *Young and old, everyone seems to enjoy an impromptu dance during the annual Plymouth festival. This year Tom Hodgson "Sounds of Earth" will perform. Other festival highlights include a pet parade, Polish Centennial Dancers and a karaoke contest. The festival runs Friday Sept. 8 through Sunday Sept. 10.*



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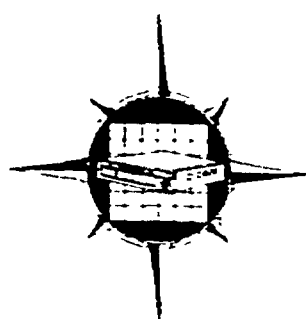
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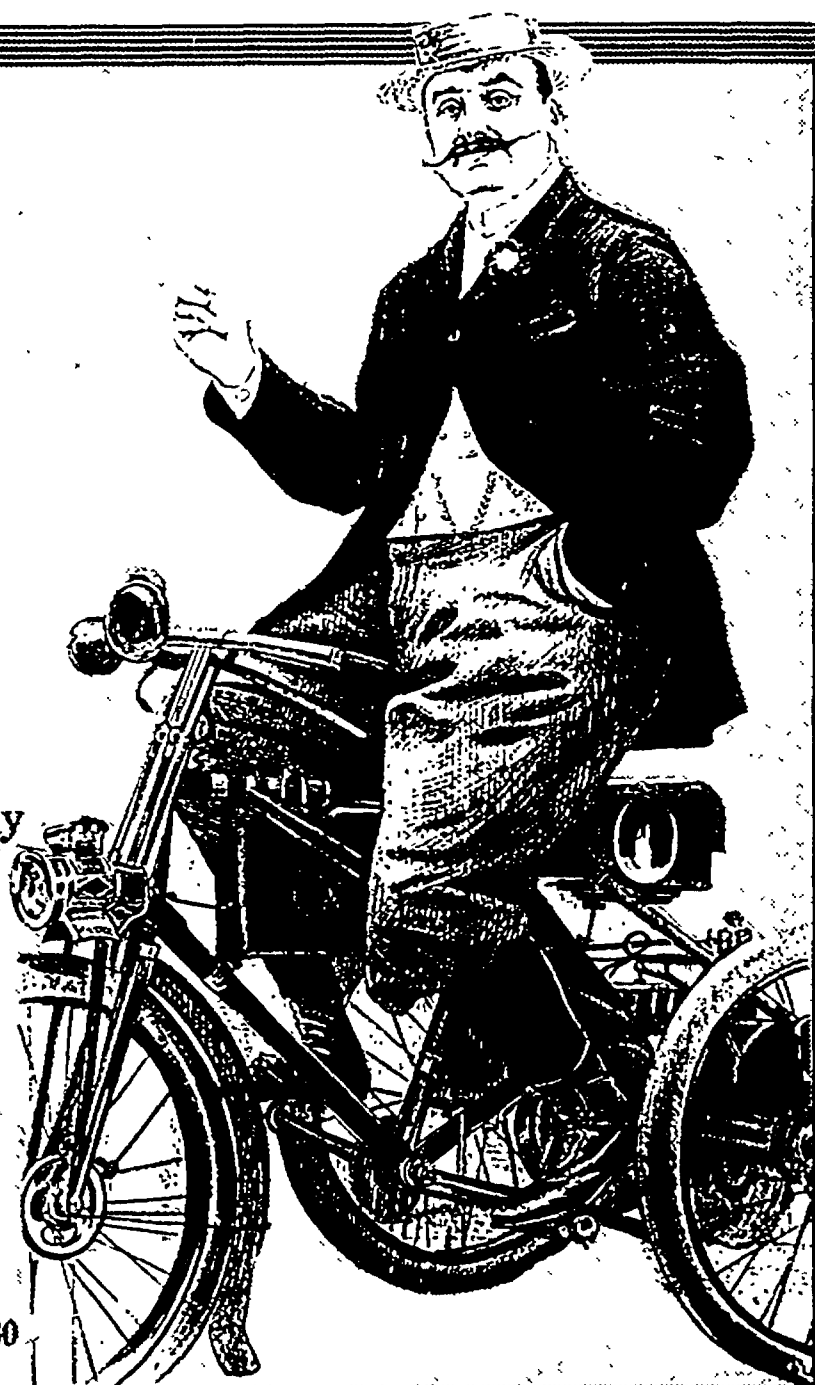
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## The Gathering center for food

For those in quest of food, The Gathering across from Kellogg Park in downtown Plymouth is the place to be for the 1995 Plymouth Community Fall Festival.

Breakfast is on tap for Saturday morning in The Gathering. It's put on annually by the Kiwanis Club of Plymouth. The members cook up piles of pancakes and sausages with the serving time set for 7 a.m. Advance tickets are available from Kiwanis Club members.

However, the big cookers are members of the Plymouth Rotary Club. It will host its 40th annual chicken barbecue noon to 6 p.m. on Sunday.

The Rotarians expect to serve 12,000 chicken dinners, which include one half of a chicken, an ear of corn, a roll, beverage and chips.

Discounted tickets are available from local Rotarians and are also available at the festival site.

Check the Rotary ticket booths for advance sale discounted tickets.

Tickets are \$6 in advance and \$8 on the day of the event.

A takeout site for those who want to pick up their chicken and take it home will be available at West Middle School on Ann Arbor Trail and Sheldon.

Rotary dinners will be available at the takeout site from noon to 5 p.m.

## Old car show on tap

It's back. The Antique Car Show, which has drawn large crowds to its site on Main Street near the Plymouth Historical Museum, will return this year bigger and better.

Local car buffs have put together a display of antiques and power automobiles.

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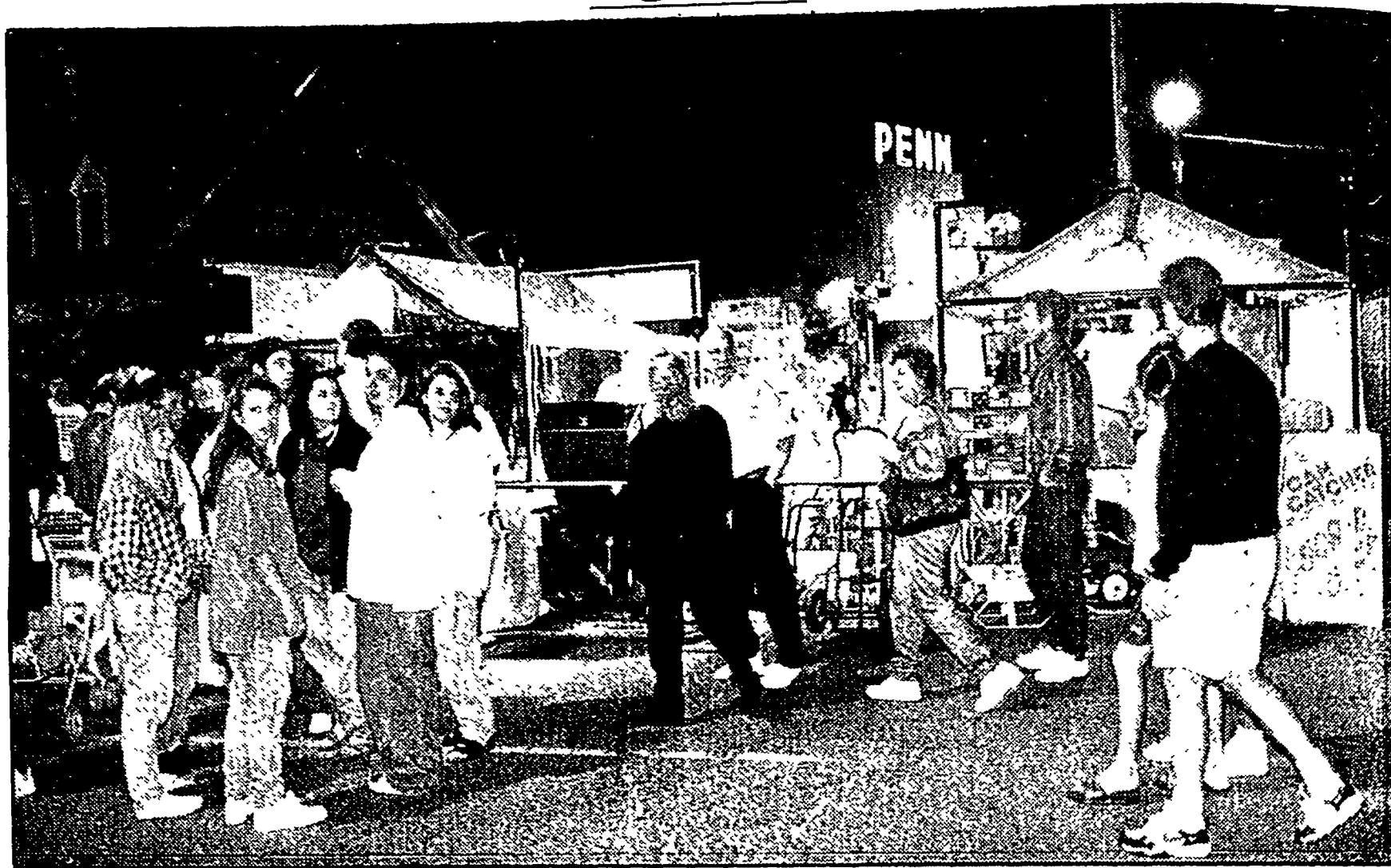
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The annual Plymouth Community Fall Festival was started by the Plymouth Rotary Club in 1956.

That year, the Rotary Club hosted a community picnic at a neighborhood park to raise money for playground equipment for that park.

The Rotarians banded together and served 500 chicken dinners at Hamilton Park, now Jaycee Park at Wing and Harding streets.

While the Plymouth Rotary chicken dinner has grown over the years, the one-day community picnic has grown into a full-blown three-day event.

The Plymouth Community Fall Festival now serves the needs of many of the Plymouth community's nonprofit organizations.

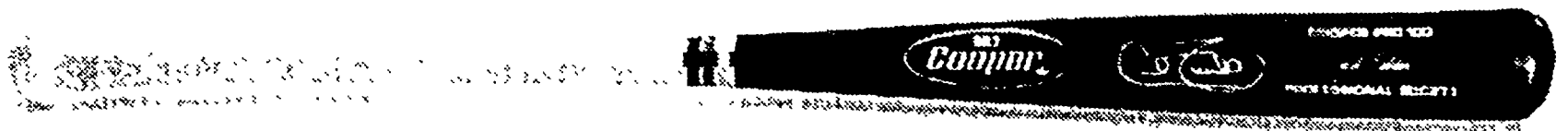
The booths that line Main Street serve up everything from French fries to cotton candy and corn.

They are staffed by members of local civic groups and service clubs which use the money to fund their projects.

The groups include the Civitans, Kiwanis Club, Lions and others.

The Chicken barbecue on Sunday is still the top event. This year Plymouth Rotarians are planning to serve about 12,000 chicken dinners on Rotary Chicken Sunday — Sept. 10, in Kellogg Park. Tickets are \$6 in advance, and \$8 at the event.

The event is focused in Downtown Plymouth and it is anticipated that 75,000 visitors will come to the Kellogg Park area for festival activities.



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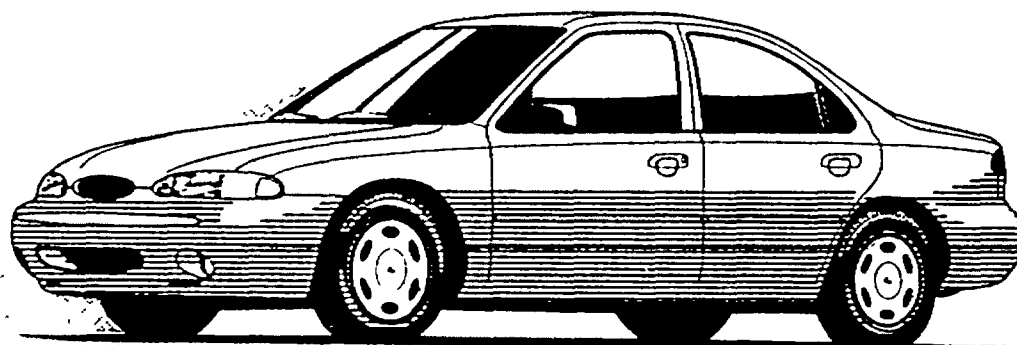
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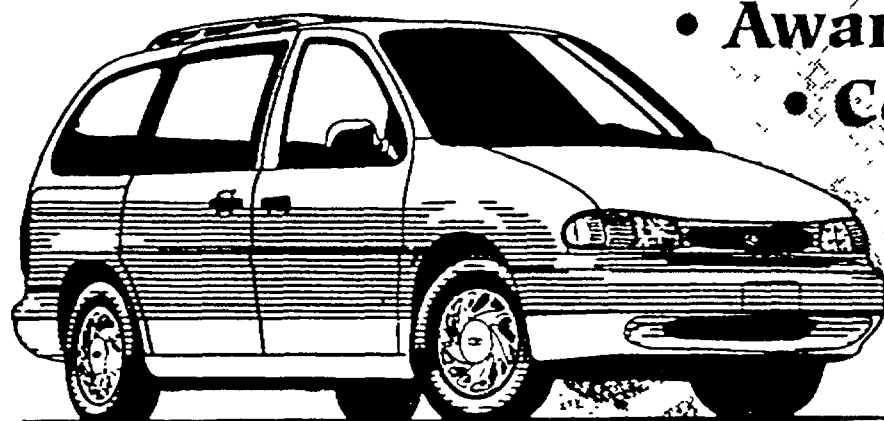
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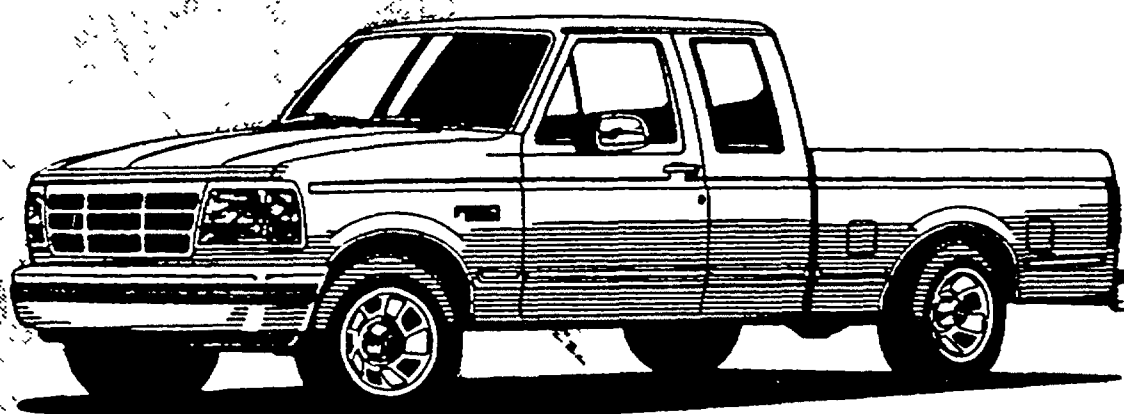


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The group behind the event is the Fall Festival Board.

Its members are: Dolly Marzka, president, Chamber of Commerce; Dr. Clark K. Smith, first VP, R.L.D.S. Church; John Marshall, secretary, Plymouth Lions; Eugene Hammonds, treasurer, Plymouth Theatre Guild; George Thompson, Immediate past president, Plymouth Kiwanis; Joe Bida, fundraising and publicity; John Bida, manager; Michael Cafery, Plymouth Canton Civitans; Susan Clark, Chamber of Commerce; Robert Cohen, Vietnam Veterans; Dale Dauderman, Plymouth Lions; George Demos, Nativity of the Virgin

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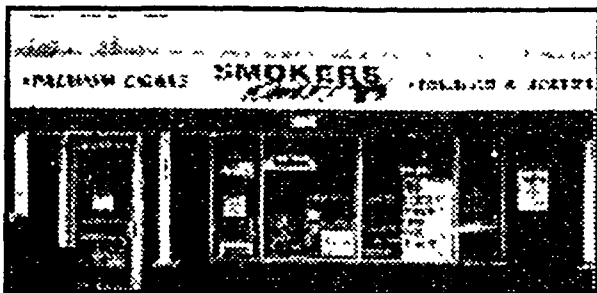


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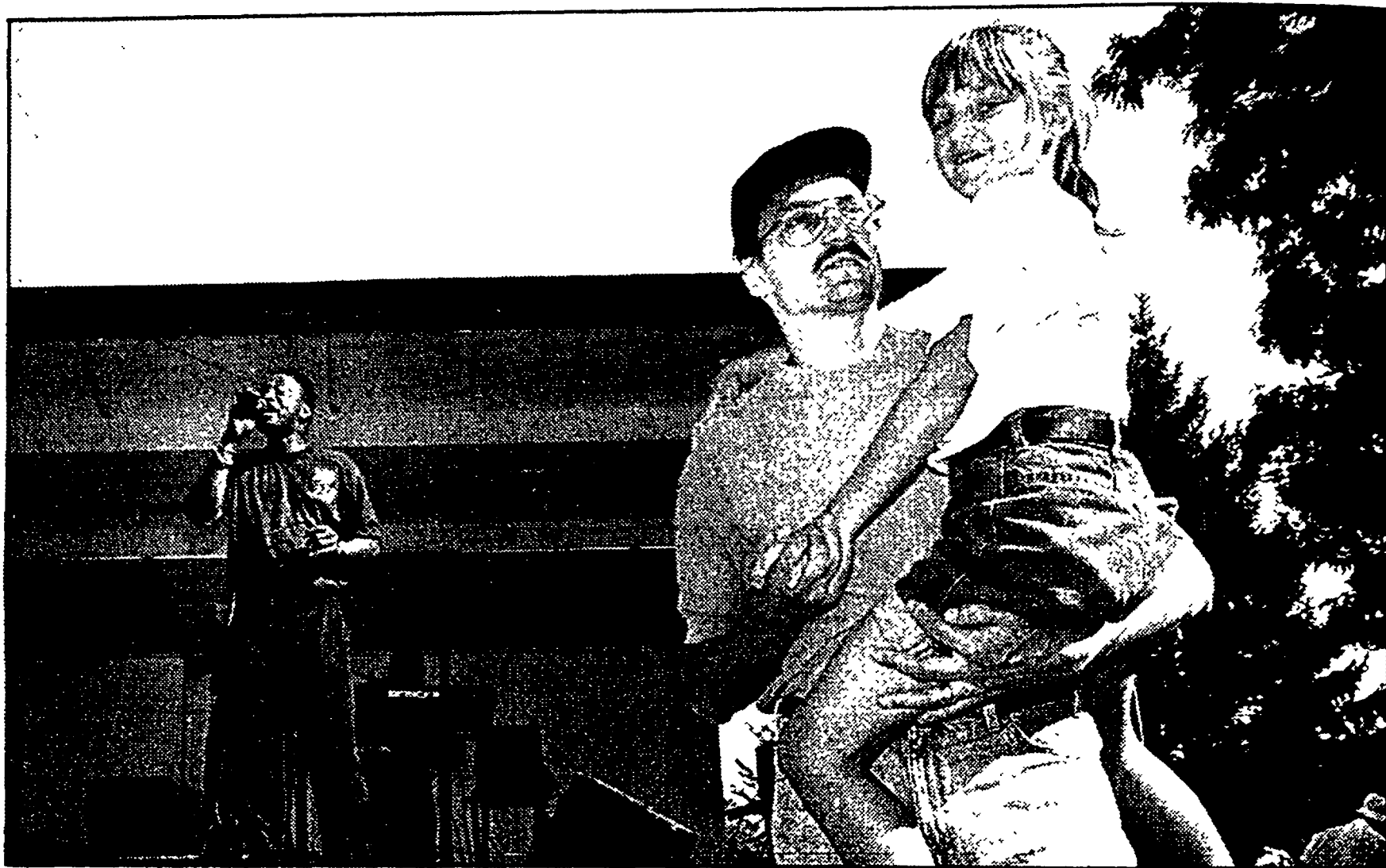


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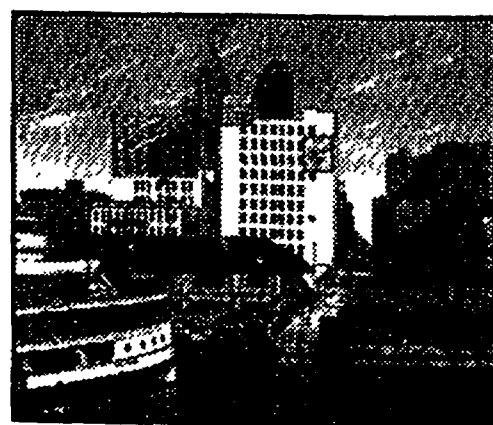
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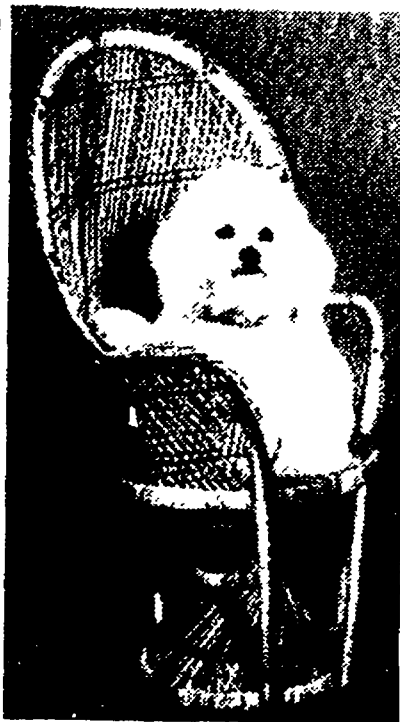
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**Watching the show:** Shirley Seewald of Northville and Irene Nickita of Canton listen to the Canton Kitchen Band perform at the main stage off of Kellogg Park.

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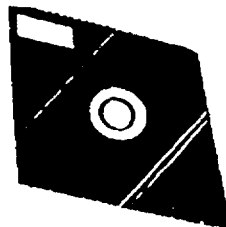
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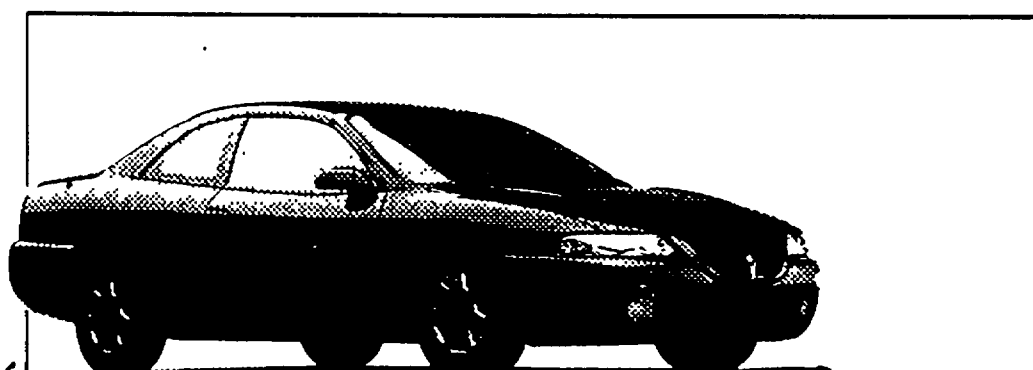
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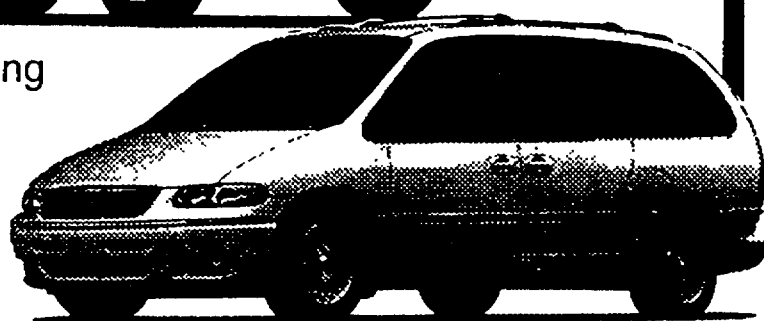
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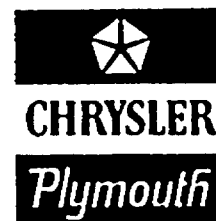
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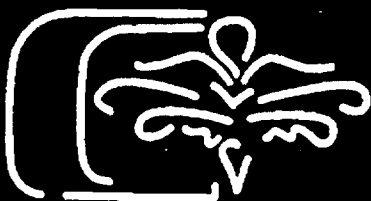
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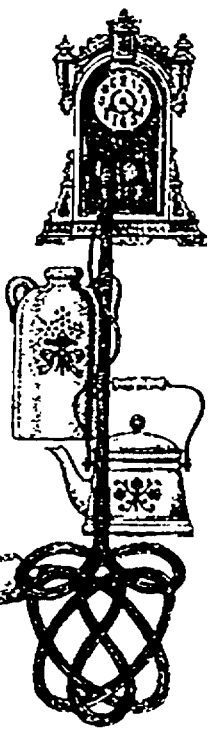
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The pancake and sausage breakfast will be from 7 a.m. until 1 p.m. on Saturday at The Gathering, next to Kellogg Park. Advanced tickets are \$4.50 or \$5 at the door.

Advanced tickets are available in Plymouth at Wiltse Pharmacy, Beitner Jewelry, Sideways Gifts and the Penniman Deli.

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## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

*The festival runs from Friday, Sept. 8, to Sunday, Sept. 10. Most events are on the Main Stage located between Kellogg Park and The Gathering.*

### FRIDAY

- 6 p.m. to 9:30 p.m., bingo by the Plymouth BPW.
- 6 p.m. to 6:30 p.m., opening ceremonies, main stage at Kellogg Park.
- 7 p.m. to 9:30 p.m., Plymouth Community Band.
- 6 p.m. to 9 p.m., organ monkey, strolling entertainment.
- 6 p.m. to 9 p.m., Buffalo bob on Stilts, strolling entertainment.

### SATURDAY

*Main stage between Kellogg Park and The Gathering:*

- 9:30 a.m. to 11 a.m., pet parade
- 11 a.m., Detroit Edison Enviro-Magic Show with the Louie the Lightning Bug;
- Noon, the Polish Centennial Dancers
- Noon to 4 p.m., clowns will be strolling the festival site
- 1 p.m., The Famous Dancing Dinosaurs
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- 3 p.m., ventriloquist Tom Smith and Friends
- 4 p.m., Tom Hodgson "Sounds of the Earth"
- 5 p.m., Chautauqua Express
- 5 p.m. to 8 p.m., Charlie Chaplin, strolling
- 5 p.m. to 8 p.m., Bobo Bunyon on Stilts
- 6 p.m., Magician and illusionists Scorpio and Fantasy
- 7 p.m. Celebrity Karaoke; 7:30 p.m., Karaoke contest

### SUNDAY

- Noon to 2:30 p.m., Benny Reeves and the Groove Company
- Noon to 3 p.m., Zeemo the Magnificent, strolling
- Noon to 3 p.m., Dixie Band, strolling
- Noon to 4 p.m., clowns
- 3 p.m. to 6 p.m., Ten Most Wanted Band

## Bingo time



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**Matching numbers:** *After finishing her waitress job at th Mayflower Hotel, Gladys Szatkowski plays bingo sponsored by the Plymouth Business and Professional Women's Club at The Gathering off of Kellogg Park.*

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## Banner welcome



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**Street scene:** *This little guy in the Colonial get-up beckons passersby at Main and Penniman to come join the fun during the annual fall festival Friday through Sunday, Sept. 8-10, in downtown Plymouth.*

## In your face gardening

The Garden Face Competition for kids returns to the Plymouth Fall Festival on Sunday.

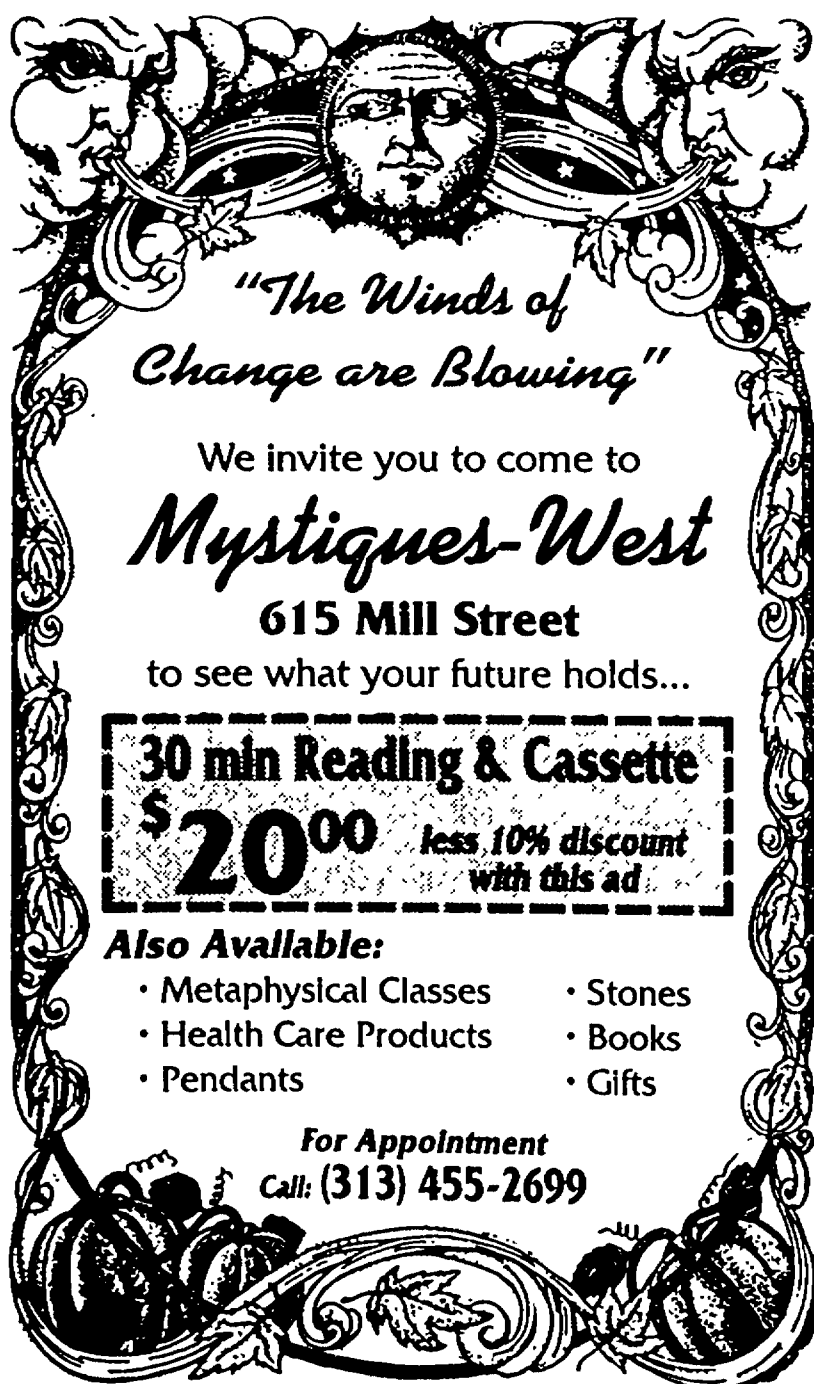
Kids can register to enter from 9 a.m. to noon at the Exhibit Tent in front of Central Middle School, at the corner of Church and Main streets.

Entrants create their own garden face using fruits, vegetables, flowers, foliage or herbs. Each design must be created by one designer, and must have a name or title.

Each design must include a list of materials used and only fresh fruit, vegetable or plant material can be used. Cut or sliced material is permitted.

No artificial flowers, fruit or foliage are allowed, and attachments such as glue, tape, staples or nails should not show.

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## Serving up



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**Food booths:** *Various stalls offering corn and other treats will line Main Street near Penniman during the festival. Above, John Floros and Nick Atsalis tend the shish kabob at the booth set up by the Nativity of the Virgin Mary Church.*

## Museum offers events

There's more to the Fall Festival than food. The Plymouth Historical Museum has events scheduled during the festival aimed at bringing the past alive.

At 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 7, Bob Zaetta, a history teacher, will put on a program called "Today's Images of the Civil War." The program will trace the routes of the great battles of the Army of the Potomac.

It will be presented in the lower level of the museum, which is located on Main Street next to city hall.

Then, from 1-9 p.m. Friday, the museum will be open with its collection, "A Lincoln Portrait."

The Civil War theme will continue on Saturday when the 1st Michigan Battery B Artillery Unit will hold an encampment on the grounds of the museum during the festival. Included will be an exhibition of an officer's tent, drills and information about preservation of the state's Civil War flags.

Also on Saturday, folk singer Julie Fountain will perform "The Road Home from Slavery from War." The sets of music are based on Civil War songs, history and first-hand accounts. The performances at the museum are at 2 p.m. and 3 p.m.

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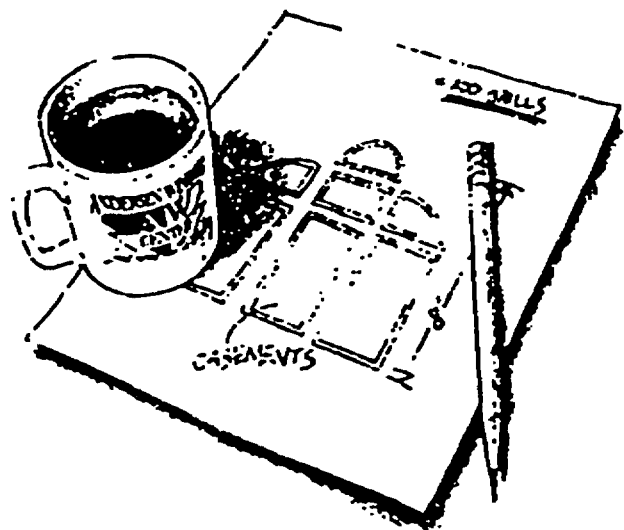
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## Tuning up



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**Moving:** *Flo Lorimer of Canton felt the need to dance a bit at last year's Fall Festival. There will be plenty of entertainment again this year.*

## Spin painting



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**Little hands:** *There are plenty of activities for children at the Fall Festival. Above, Joey Krizanek learns how to do a spin painting at a booth sponsored by New Morning School.*



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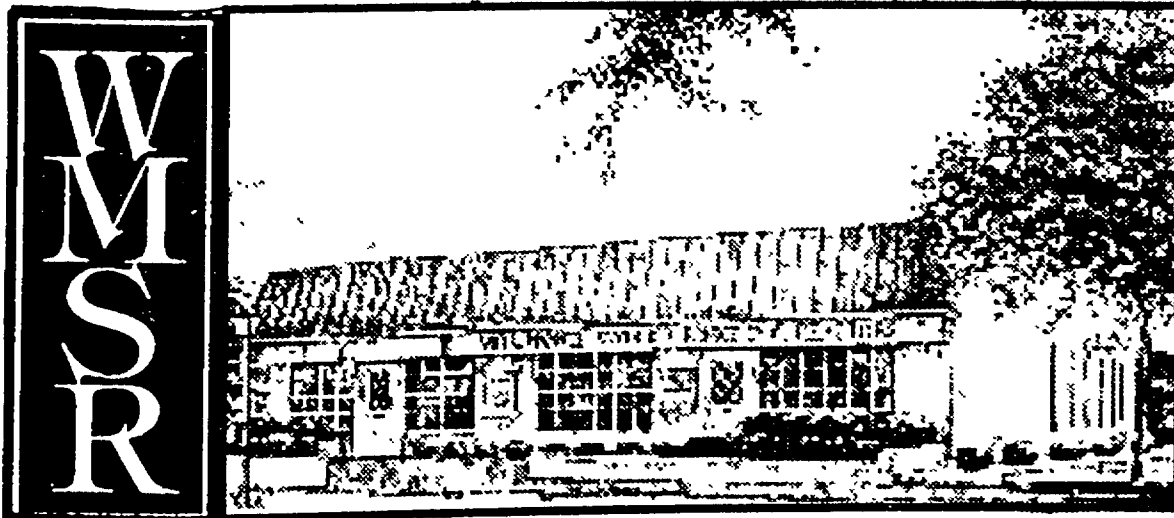


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**Time off:** *The chicken is cookin' and the corn is roasting so it's time for a game of chess. Above, Plymouth Rotary Club member Doug Swatosh, left, takes on Larry Olson, right, as Eddie Olson watches. The chicken dinner starts at noon on Sunday and runs through 6 p.m.*

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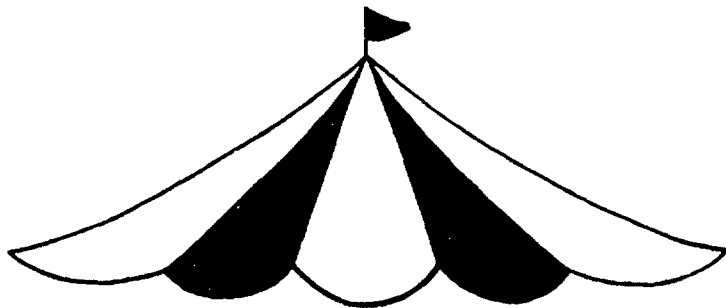
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**Crowd pleaser:** Karaoke will again be part of the entertainment at the festival. Above, Larry Rothman sings an Elvis tune to the delight of the crowd.

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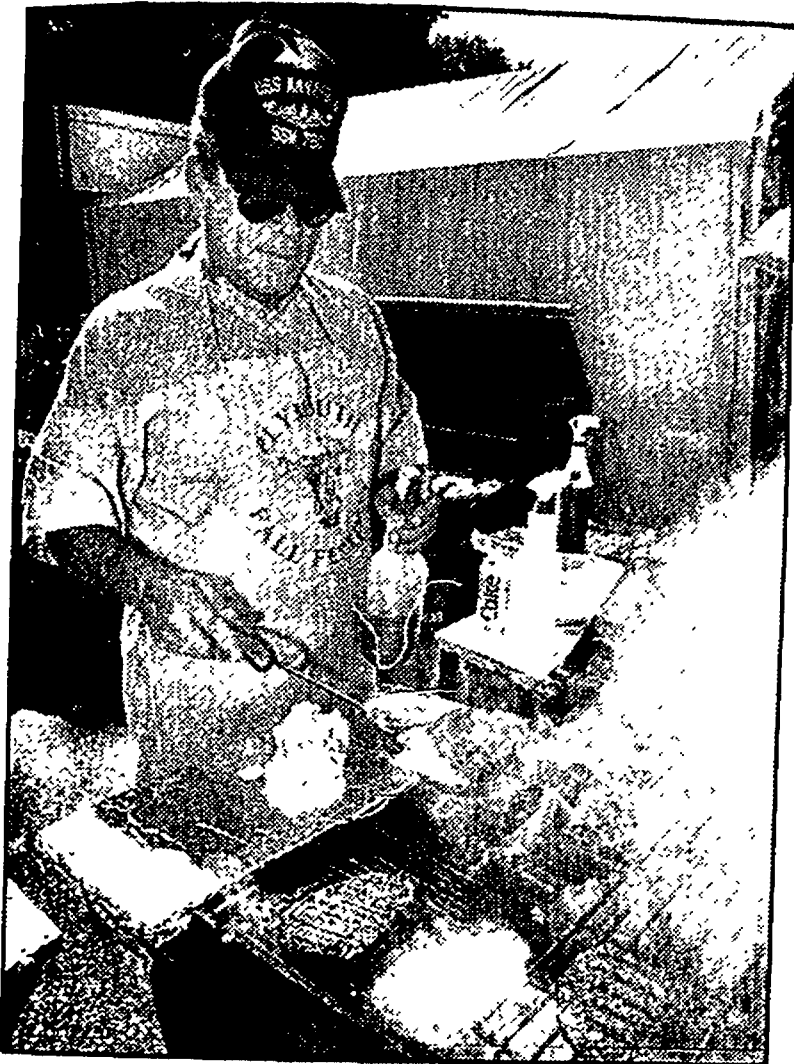
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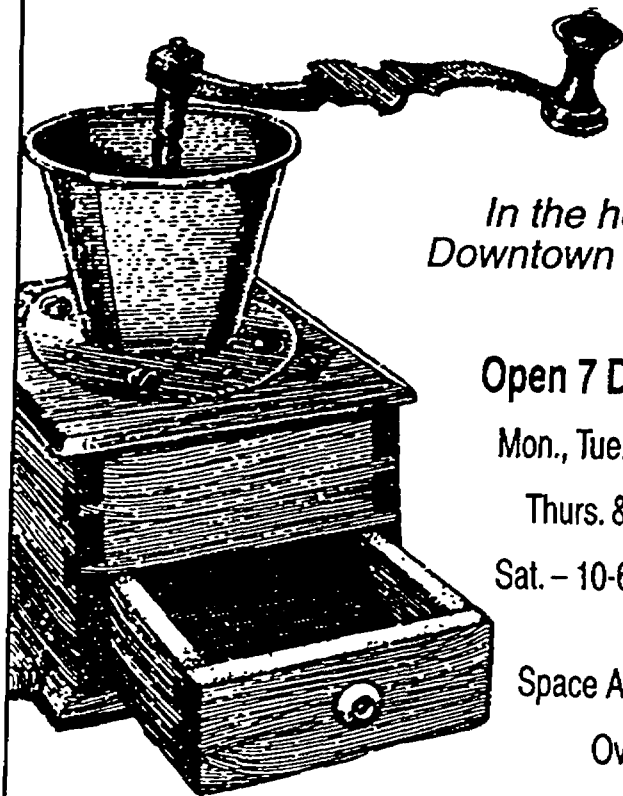
## Sizzlin'



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**Coming right up:** Rick Donahue grills steak for sandwiches at the Civitan Club food booth at the fall festival.

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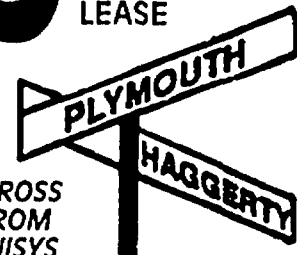
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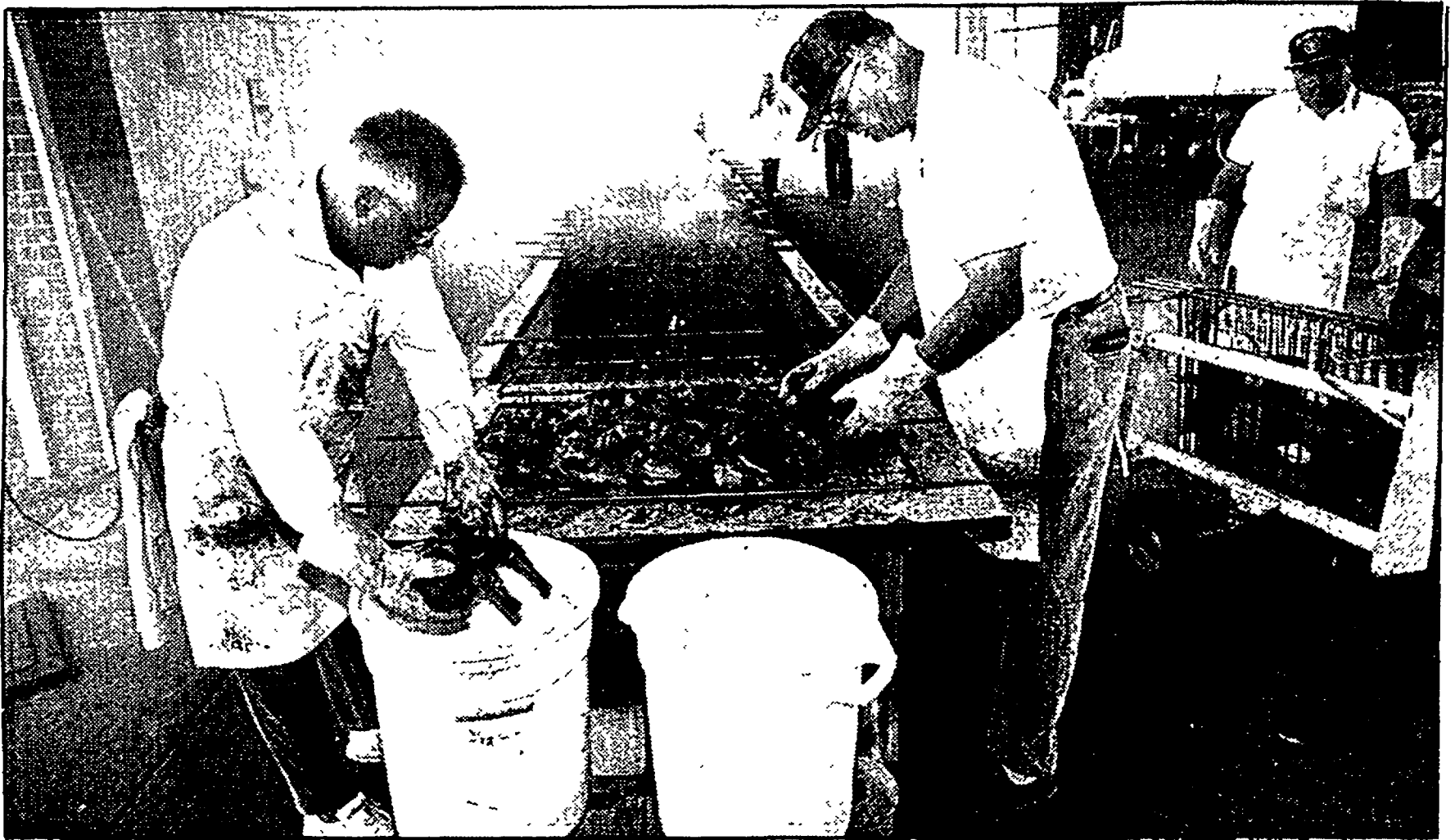


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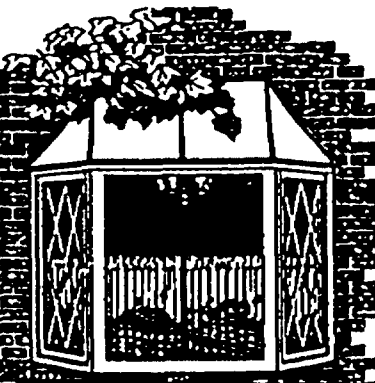
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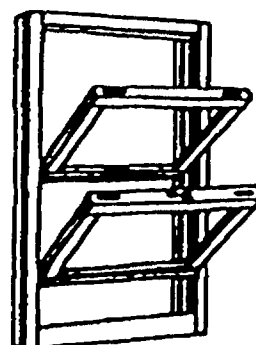
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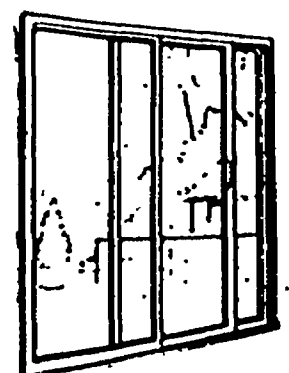
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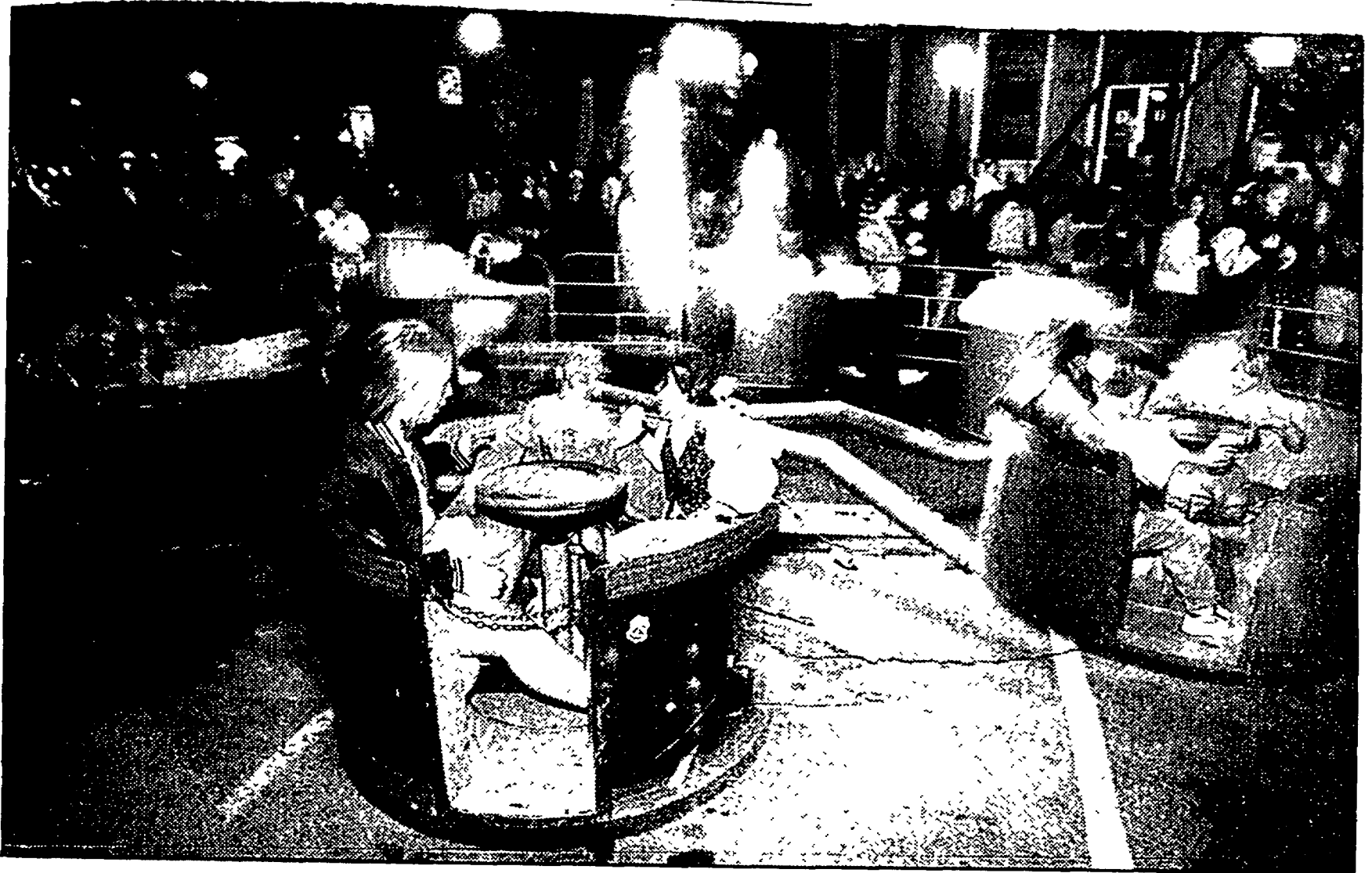
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Saturday hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. and on Sunday, the show runs 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Here is a list of booths and their locations:

■ In the gym, room 1. Booth 1, Judy Berlinski, Vinyl Ornaments; 2, Todd Berlinski, Personalized drawings; 3 and 4, Alex & Betty Duchin, Woodcrafts; 5, Reinhardt Ceramics, Halloween Ceramics; 6, Desert Images, Southwest Pottery; 7, Shirley Barsantee, Sculptured Fabric Figures; 8, Sandy Vartoogian, Doll Clothes; 9, Leonard Kutschman, Wood Crafts; 10, Forever Friends, Dried Flowers; 11, Jane Hill, Porcelain Dolls; 12, Sandy Fisher, Ribbon Art; 13, Sally McMillan, Tole Painting; 14, Edmund G. McCreedy, Wood Shelves and Mirrors; 15, Irma Guest, English Smocking; 16, Char's Creations, Scarves and Accessories; 17, Beverly McCallister, Leather Jewelry; 18,

Flags and More, Decorative Flags; 19, Anon-A-Mouse, Polymer Clay Sculpture; 20 and 21, J & J Gifts, Santas; 22, Paint It Pretty, Cruise wear; 23, Done by Dunn, Leather; 24, Doz-Steve and Lisa, Frame Coin Sets; 25, Hand-painted Holidays, Handpainted Items; 26 and 27, Bonnie's Country Creations, Fabric Dolls; 28, Museum Apparel, Silkscreened Clothing; 29, J & J Country Crafts, Tole Painting; 30, C.R. Stamp House, Rubber Stamps; 31, Jackie Furtak, Country Dolls; 32 and 33, Gina's, Jewelry and Painted Clothing; 34, Delmotte Artistry, Ceramics; 35, Barbara Georney, Santas; 36 and 37, Kathleen's Clothing & Gifts, Clothing; 38, Clarann Holdwick, Dolls; 39, Fergie's Feeders and Planters, Bird Feeders; 40 and 41, Something Moore, Calligraphy; 42, The Whimsical Mind, Ceramic Santa Clauses; 43, Kathy Remisiewicz, Cloth Dolls and Toys; 44, Elaine Hoogerwerf, Lace and Ribbonwork; 45, D. Taylor Designs, Ceramic Jewelry; 46 and 47, Grandma Mro's, Wood Folk Art; 48

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and 49, Ramblin Rose, Victorian Floral; 50, Imagine Beads and Jewelry, Jewelry; 51, The Country Connection Inc., Folk Art Painting; 52 and 53, Nolan's Hardwood, Harwood Toys; 54, Olde Folkies, Folk Art; 55, Grandma's Basement, Handmade Appliqued Garments; 56 and 57, Basket Peddlers, Stenciled Baskets; 58 and 59, Leanne Pressler, Country Jewelry and Clothing; 60, William R. Buesching, Antique Tin; 61, Crystal Smythe, Fabric; 62, Boxes and Bows, Band Boxes; 63 and 64, Wistyrria Editions, Limited Edition Santas.

■ In the front hallway. Booths 65 and 66, Home Spun Graphics, Pen, Ink and Watercolor Signs; 67 and 68, Wood and Ruffles, Oak and Cherry Furniture; 69, Santa's By Sandy, Santas; 70, Mary Lucksted, Decorative Painting; 71, J & M Kid's Kraft, Children's Wood Accessories; 72, Dolan Dolls, Wooden Country Dolls; 73, Nimble Needle, Cross Stitch Ornaments.

■ In the cafeteria. Booth 75, Jodie Hosler, Porcelain Jewelry; 76, Susan Barnes Collec-

tibears, Wood Resin Bears; 77, Heidi Marie Finley, Pastels; 78, Lace in Glass, Lace Lead-ed Glass; 79, D & M Studio/Dillenbeck, Oil and Watercolor; 80, Hugh A. Burley, Oil Painting; 81 and 82, Lossing's Country Furnishings, Wood Furniture; 83, Jean Zito, Watercolors; 84, Masterpiece Gifts, Bevel/Stain Glass Art; 85, Yer Mua, Hand Stitched Fabric; 86, Somers Primitive Painting, Acrylics-Lithographs; 87, Wagner Art & Glass, Calligraphy; 88, Marianne Akers, Fabric Dolls; 89, Marlene De Foor, Painted Ornaments; 90, Jan Cunningham, Diamond Cut Pewter.

■ Back hallway. Booth 91, Meredith Leigh Designs, Clothing; 92, Gwendolyn's Gate, Dried Floral; 93, Characters and Critters, Stuffed Animals and Dolls; 94, Ellen Hajduk, Cross Stitch.

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Wood Miniatures; 98, Chairs Unlimited, Maccrame Lawn Chairs; 99 and 100, Whippersnappers, Wooden Items; 101 and 102, Kathleen Johnson/Julie Barnes, Items From Antique Quilts.

■ Outdoors booths are: 103, Kathy Branch, Leather Jewelry; 104, Sand Art, Sand Art; 105, Mary Ellen Roy, Floral Arrangements; 106 and 107, Cassie & Jerry Hoffman, Dried Flowers and Wood Signs; 108, Andrea Mayberry, Beaded Jewelry; 109 and 110, Hearts & Crafts, Wood Miniatures; 111, From the Heart Calligraphy, Mixed Media; 112, Shanty Towne, Decorative Birdhouses; 113, Jacqueline Molicki,

Acrylic/Watercolor; 114, Denise Szadyr, Clay; 115, Bill Wentz, Hardwood Furniture; 116 and 117, Artwearz, Hand Decorated Clothing; 118 and 119, Patricia Pocock, Wood; 120, Yong Shim, Dried Floral Arrangements; 121, Painting By Peg, Watercolors; 122 and 123, The Whisperwood Collection, Personalized House Signs; 124, Suzanne Floral Design and Gifts, Floral Designs; 125, Simply Country, Country Items; 126, Barbara Prowse Tobin, Clay; 127, Katherine Biggs, Jewelry; 128, Tom LeGault, Acrylic Paintings; 129, Michele Reynolds, Jewelry; 130, Now-N-Then, Decorative Painting.

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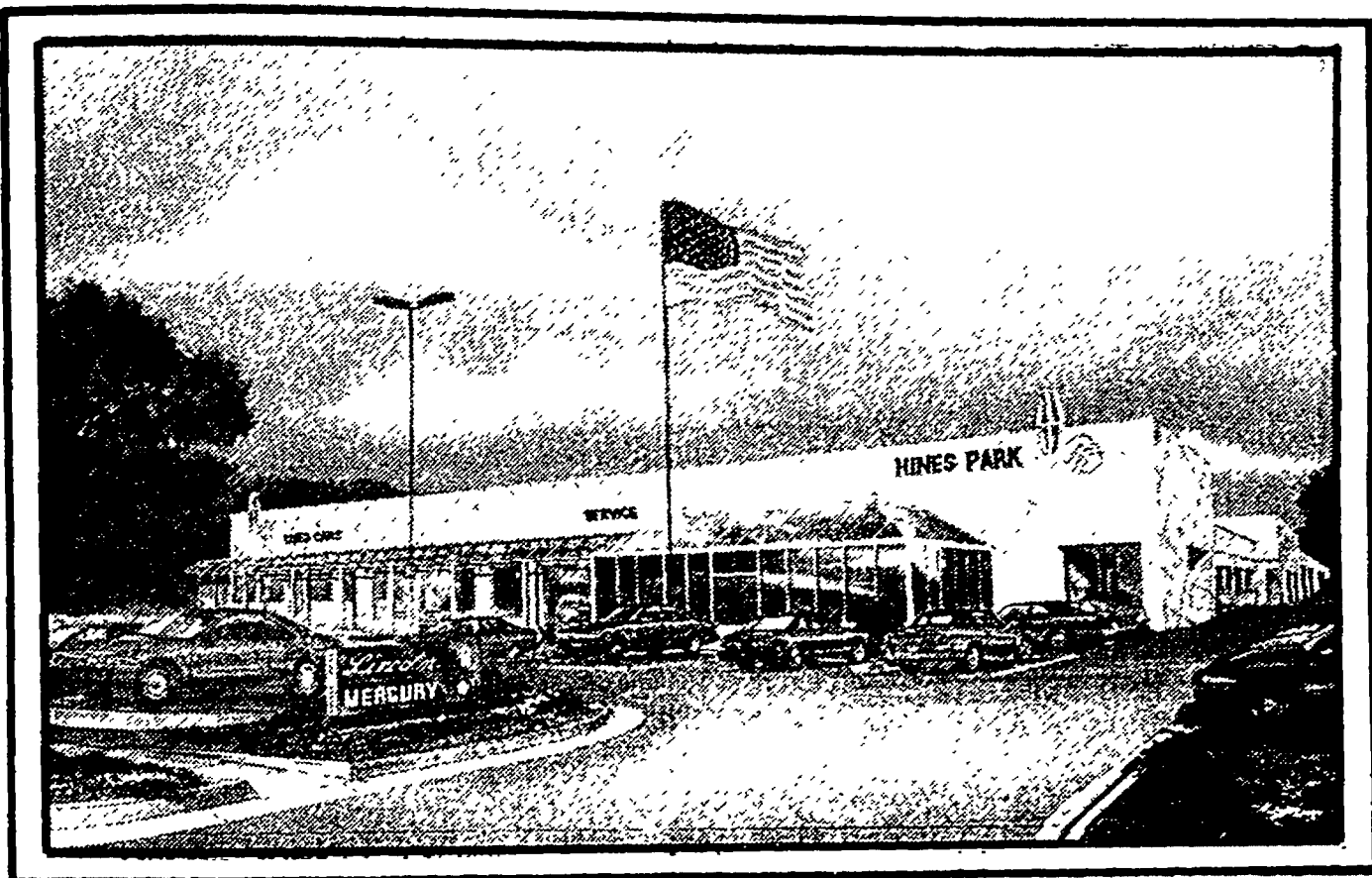
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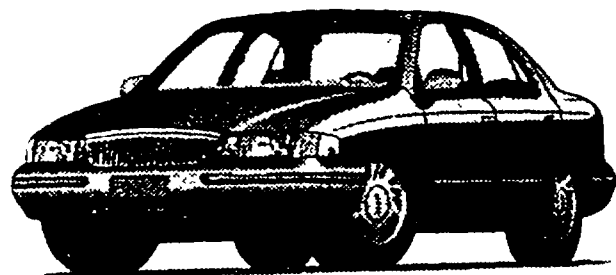
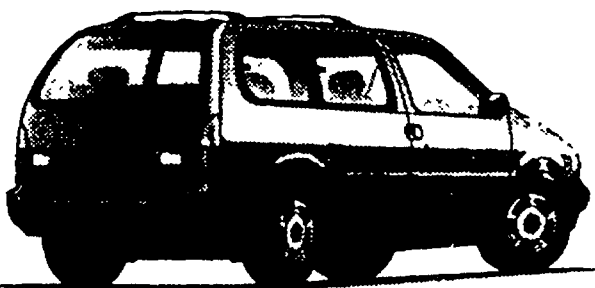


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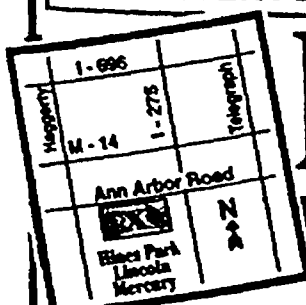


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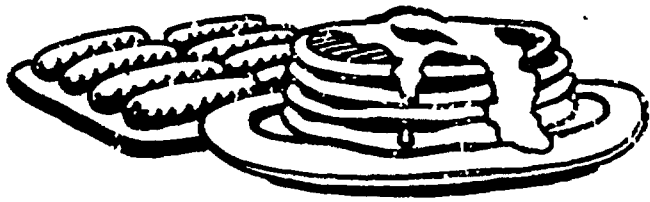
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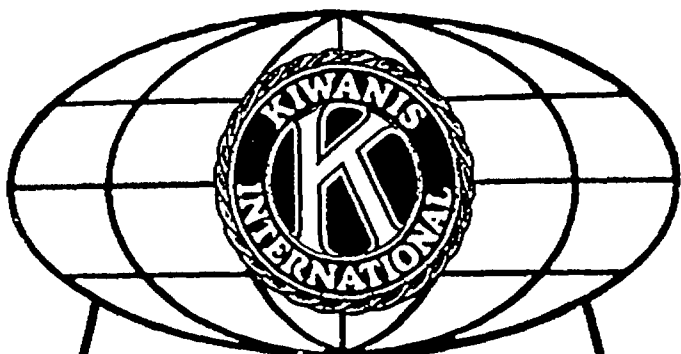
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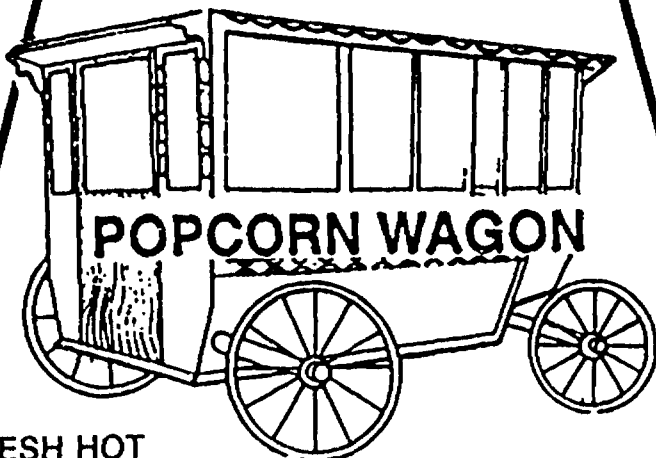
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Kiwanis is a local service organization established in 1926. 100% of the proceeds go to support community projects such as scholarships to Schoolcraft College, Plymouth Fife & Drum Corp., Boys State, Girls State, The Gathering, Salvation Army, and others. Meetings are held every Tuesday at the Mayflower at 6:30 p.m. New members are welcome.



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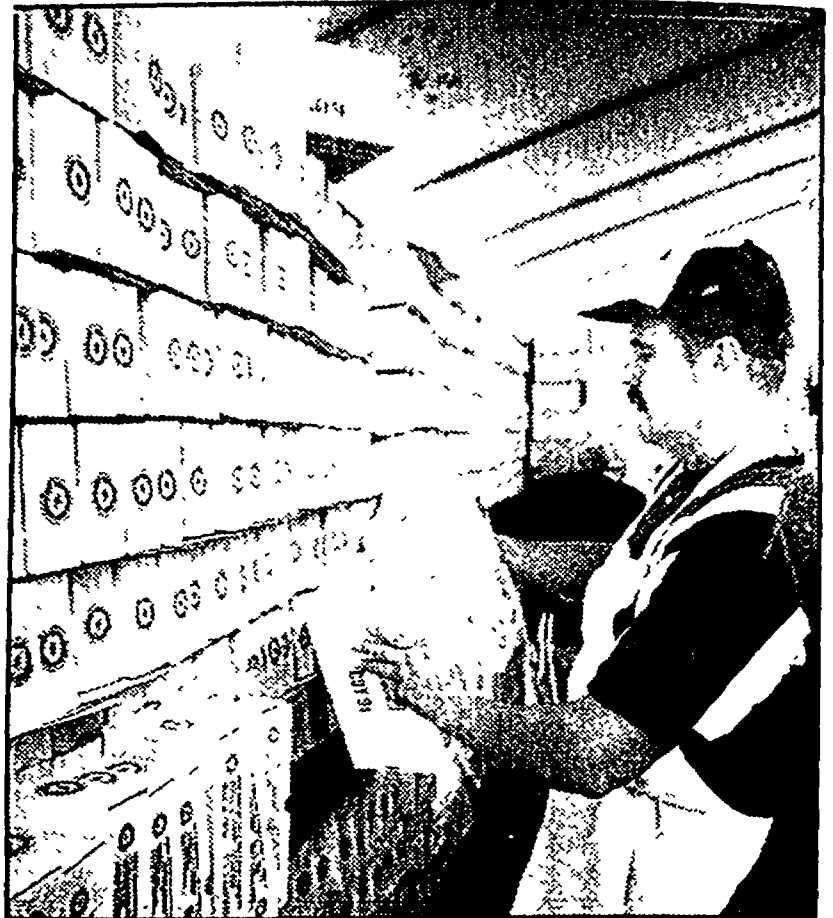


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**Chicken time:** *There's a lot of behind the scenes preparation for the annual Plymouth fall festival, scheduled this year Sept. 8-10. Here Peter Nagrant stacks boxes for the Plymouth Rotary Club chicken barbecue which is set for Sunday from noon to 6 p.m. at The Gathering near Kellogg Park.*

## **Little squirt**



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**Learning:** *Christopher Barnard learned what it was like to be a firefighter from Bob Steinebach.*



## Little singer



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**Karaoke:** *It's not just for adults. Lisa Cresson belted out "When Will I Be Loved" for the crowd last year. The event returns this year.*

## Story telling featured

There are tales to tell and tellers to tell them.

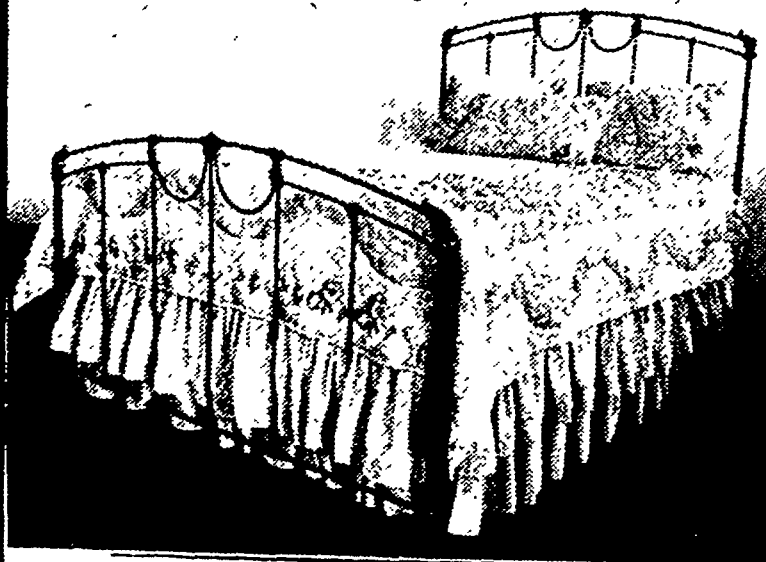
Story telling is an ancient tradition and it fits right in with the Fall Festival. That's why the Friends of the Library will sponsor tall tales told by Debra Christian and Ron Lowe during the festival.

The event is the kick-off of the 1995-96 FOCUS programs.

Oral Magic's storytellers will spin tales from 1 until 5 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 9.

The storytellers will perform continuously under the shade trees in front of Dunning-Hough Library.

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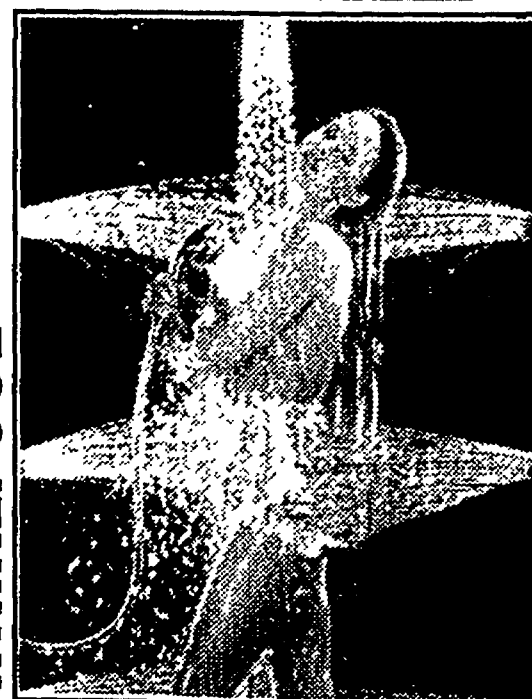


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