

TENTATIVE LAND PACT FOR TOWNSHIP, COUNTY

Massive land plan gets township OK

By RANDY COBLE
Staff Writer

The 21st century dawns in less than three short years. When it does, the Northville Township that greets it will likely be a lot bigger and busier than the one we know today.

The biggest land development deal in the community's history won approval from the township Board of Trustees last week. If it can get two final green lights, the future of south central Northville Township - nearly 10 percent of its total land area - will be set in

stone.

Trustees on March 27 voted unanimously for a planned unit development (PUD) agreement with Wayne County. The PUD, a proposed contract between Northville Township and the county, would govern the development of 926 county-owned acres that lie between Five Mile, Six Mile, Beck Road and Hines Drive.

The PUD now goes before the Wayne County Commission and the county's Economic Development Commission (EDC), possibly as early as next week. If both enti-

ties endorse it, Northville Township and Wayne County will then ink the contract.

What does all that mean? Here are the highlights:

- More than 60 abandoned buildings and other structures on the site, long considered a public safety hazard, would be torn down.

- In keeping the township's goal of staying a "bedroom community," most of the land would be developed for residential housing. Nearly 1,300 housing units would be

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If deal's inked, vandalized site gets cleared

By RANDY COBLE
Staff Writer

Here's a breakdown of some of the key aspects of the proposed planned unit development (PUD) agreement between Northville Township and Wayne County:

WHAT'S NEXT?

The PUD now goes before the

Wayne County Commission and the county's Economic Development Commission (EDC), possibly as early as next week.

If both bodies approve it, representatives from Northville Township and Wayne County will then sign the contract. Until and unless that happens, the PUD deal is not final.

THE CLEANUP

One of the first things to happen once a deal is inked is a comprehensive cleanup of the entire 900-acre site. More than 60 abandoned buildings and other structures are on the parcel, along with a number of underground storage tanks.

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Photo by JOHN HEIDER

Lofty teddies

Silver Springs Elementary School first graders sing about and hold aloft their teddy bears during a presentation of the Teddy Bear Tea Party. The students read stories and

performed a short play about their teddies to commemorate March as Reading Month. Another group of students put on a play about Goldilocks and the Three Teddy Bears.

Business Showcase draws rave reviews

By RANDY COBLE
Staff Writer

So just how good was last week's Northville Business Showcase?

Just ask Laurie Marrs, executive director of the Northville Community Chamber of Commerce.

"You name it, it was just wonderful. What a high!" was Marrs' enthusiastic summary of the March 25 event.

An annual classic, this was the second year for the showcase at the Northville Community Center on Main Street. It started out at Cooke Middle School. More recently it was held at Northville High School, but the showcase's increased popularity caused the move to bigger digs.

"You name it, it was just wonderful."

Laurie Marrs
Northville Community Chamber of Commerce

The change paid off.

Business participation and attendance was "the best we've ever had," Marrs said, and the Chamber of Commerce already has a waiting list for businesses interested in taking part in next year's show.

As the name implies, the showcase offers a chance for Northville's many businesses to

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Census count begins

By RANDY COBLE
Staff Writer

Citizens of Northville Township stand up and be counted - literally.

The official township mid-decade census started Monday morning. From now through the beginning of June census workers - called "enumerators" - will be knocking on doors, asking for the names and addresses of all township residents.

The object is to prove to lawmakers in Lansing that Northville

Township's population has grown large enough to warrant a larger chunk of state-shared sales tax revenue. A documented 15 percent increase in population, for example, means an additional \$300,000 in state dollars coming back to township coffers.

Township officials are asking for your support in cooperating with the enumerator who knocks on your door.

All enumerators wear official

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Sex offender registration lists now available to the public

By WENDY PIERMAN MITZEL
Staff Writer

Sex offender lists from both the Northville and Novi police departments indicate that a total of 18 convicted offenders might reside in the area.

Of those 15 are from Novi, one from New Hudson, one from Northville Township and one from Northville.

The list became available to the public April 1 as a result of amendments to the 1994 Sex Offenders Registration law, which requires sex offenders to register their addresses with local departments. Gov. John Engler signed the bill into law in January.

■ Different police departments have different procedures for accessing offender lists. A run-down on what to do locally appears on page 8A.

Local residents can access the information from police departments, many of which have different policies on how the information will be handed out.

However, police are issuing cautions about possible interpretations of the information. Northville Police Chief Rodney

Cannon said there is no indication of when the crimes were committed, what the sentences were and when the addresses were registered. Some addresses could be old and outdated, he explained.

"I understand the theory behind it and I recognize the right of a person to know if a pedophile is living down the street so they can take the proper precautions. But if you're going to have a system you should get your ducks in a row and get your information up to date and accurate," Cannon said.

Both the law and the amendment are modeled after "Megan's Law," named after 7-year-old Megan Kanka who was raped

and murdered several years ago by a man living next door to her New Jersey home. The guilty individual was a convicted sex offender.

After her death Megan's parents led the fight to get the law passed. They say that police and the public should know when sex offenders, many of whom repeat their crimes, move into town.

The law's requirements range from criminals convicted of criminal sexual conduct in the fourth degree (touching or fondling through clothing) to criminal sexual conduct in the first degree (rape), explained Northville Township Public Safety Director Chip Snider.

"The intent of the law is to make known to the community the knowledge of sexual predators that may be living in their community," Novi Police Chief Douglas Shafer said.

Police are concerned about individuals who may resort to violent acts against the persons convicted of at least one of four levels of criminal sexual conduct.

"This has the potential to have serious ramifications to all parties," Northville Township Detective Mike Wildt said.

Wildt also said he has misgivings about the reliability of addresses and the possibility of retribution by community mem-

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Photo by HAL GOULD

Virginia Perkins stocks shelves in anticipation of her store's April 9 opening.

New book superstore set to open

By RANDY COBLE
Staff Writer

The biggest bookseller in the United States is setting up shop in Northville Township next week.

But there's more to the new Barnes & Noble store at Six Mile and Haggerty than the 150,000 titles in stock, according to manager Amy Stanton.

"We're not just about books," she said. "We carry more books than anyone but books also open up so many avenues."

Avenues like a gigantic music department with more compact discs and cassettes than you can shake a stick at, a full-service cafe inside the store and a children's department that includes a small stage area for everything from kid

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Community Calendar

Got an event you want people to know about? We'll be glad to include it in the Community Calendar. 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, APRIL 3

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.
For more information, contact President Beverly Weidendorf at 474-6771.

GREAT BOOKS DISCUSSION: The Great Books Discussion Group meets from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. at the Livonia Civic Center Library, 32777 Five Mile. Tonight's discussion is on *Rameaus Nephew* by Diderot.
For information and a reading list call Zo Chisnell at 349-3121.

FRIDAY, APRIL 4

SENIOR VOLLEYBALL: Senior volleyball is played from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Northville Parks and Recreation Building, 303 W. Main. The cost is \$1.

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

SUNDAY, APRIL 6

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 to provide friendship, caring and sharing for all single adults. Everyone is welcome; just come in and ask for Single Place.

PLAYSCAPE BREAKFAST: A breakfast buffet to help raise money for the Northville playscape will be held at the Raven at the corner of Center and Dunlap streets from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. The buffet includes scrambled eggs, pancakes, sausage, bacon, toast, American fries, cereal, beverages and other items.
The cost is \$6 for adults and \$3 for children.

MONDAY, APRIL 7

M.O.M.S.: M.O.M.S., a support group for mothers, meets from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. at the First United Methodist Church, Eight Mile and Taft (the group will meet upstairs).

The program is the video series "Love and Logic" on Jim Faye. The first half of the series will be presented today and the second half on April 21. Child care is available for a small fee.
For more information call 348-4302 or 348-7632.

SENIOR PINOCHLE: Area seniors are invited to play pinochle today and Thursday from 11 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at the Northville Parks and Recreation Building, 303 W. Main. The cost is \$1.

SENIOR VOLLEYBALL: Senior volleyball is played from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Northville Parks and Recreation Building, 303 W. Main. The cost is \$1.

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

ATHLETIC BOOSTERS: The Northville High School Athletic Boosters meet at 7 p.m. in the Forum at Northville High School.

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 Tom Lahiff at 348-6019 (evenings). Visitors are welcome.

NORTHVILLE MASONIC ORGANIZATION: Northville Masons meet at 7:30 p.m. at the Masonic Temple, Main near Center.

NORTHVILLE CITY COUNCIL: The Northville City Council meets at 7:30 p.m. at City Hall, 215 W. Main.

TUESDAY, APRIL 8

WATERFORD BEND QUESTERS: Waterford Bend Questers meet at the Knightsbridge parking lot at 9 a.m. to begin a trip to Waterville and Grand Rapids, Ohio.
A day of history, antiquing and lunch is planned.

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

ACORD: A Community Organization Recognizing Diversity meets from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at Northville High School, room 130.
For additional information call Al Qualman at 349-1343.

AAUW: The Northville-Novi Branch of the American Association of University Women will meet at 7:30 p.m. in Thornton Creek Elementary

School. Carol Parker, the membership vice-president of the Michigan AAUW, will speak on the Virginia Guildersleeve International Fund for Women.
For information call Kathleen Polich at 344-9656. For reservations, call Diane Rockall, 349-9005.

FRIENDS OF PARKS AND REC: The Friends of the Northville Parks, and Recreation Commission meets 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 holds a men's meeting at 8 p.m., 113 S. Center.
For more information, call 349-2479.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 9

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.

SENIOR VOLLEYBALL: Senior volleyball is played from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Northville Parks and Recreation Building, 303 W. Main. The cost is \$1.

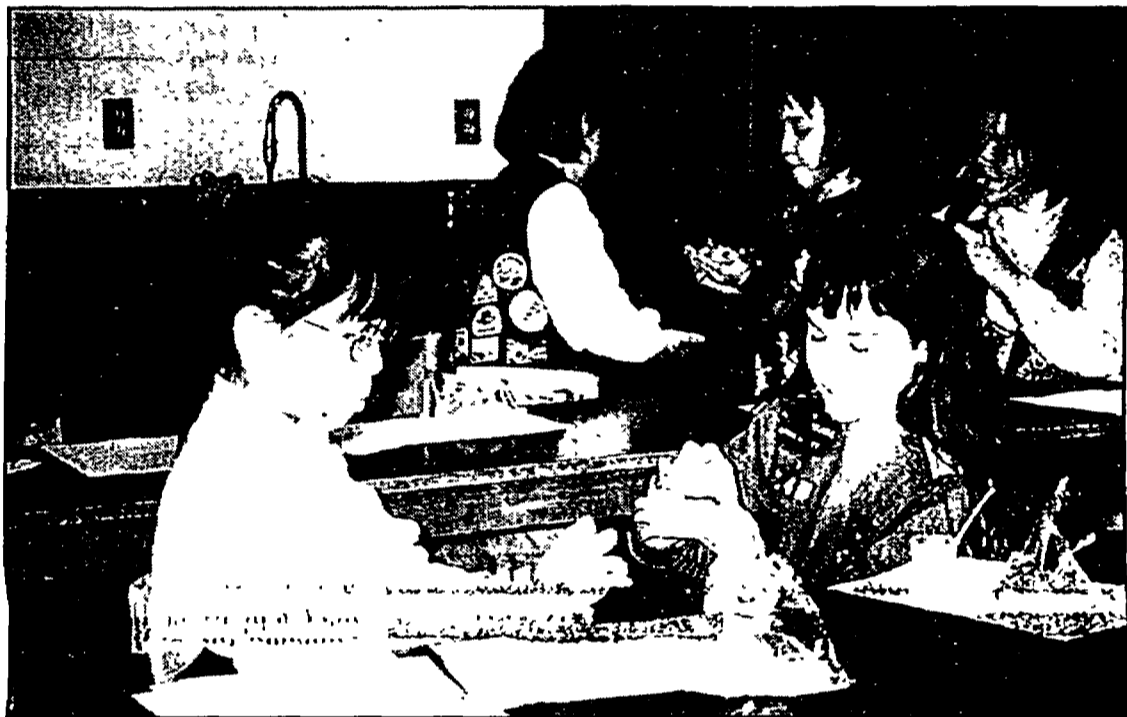
SENIOR BRIDGE GROUP: Area seniors are invited to play bridge today from noon to 3 p.m. at the Northville Parks and Recreation Building, 303 W. Main. The cost is \$1.

F.E.M.A.L.E.: The Novi Chapter of Formerly Employed Mothers at the Leading Edge meets at 7 p.m. at Providence Mission Health Center, 39500 W. Ten Mile Rd.
For more information, contact Marie at 486-1498.

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.



Girl Scouts from Winchester Elementary work on science projects.

Winchester Girl Scout Troop takes part in science program

Winchester Elementary School Brownie Girl Scout Troop No. 2048 recently attended a hands-on math and science-based program presented by the Huron Valley Girl Scout Council.

The program, aimed at enhancing development, excited the third grade Brownies who were interested in exploring the power of air, meteorology and chemistry. Workshops were presented by professional women in math and science, as well as by fellow Huron Valley Girl Scouts.

The young ladies of Troop No. 2048 explored basic weather elements, air pressure, wind, temperature and precipitation. The smiling troop members enjoyed making their own barometer, wind vane, rain gauge and wind mobiles. Gumdrops models of molecules were not only fun to

build but sweet to eat.

To top it off, the event closed with a performance by an entertaining math and science magician/comedian.

Giggling fun was had by all future mathematicians and scientists attending.

The field day of career exploration was just one of the many adventures undertaken by Winchester Troop No. 2048 recently.

"Courageous" leaders Lori Taepke, Anna Zatkoff, Ellen Kelly and 16 active Brownies also visited Greenfield Village, Henry Ford Museum, the Detroit Institute of Arts, Allen Terrace, Great Harvest Bread Company and Gittfiddler Music Shop in Northville.

An overnight slumber party with the animals of Blinder Zoo in Battle Creek is planned to end a year's exciting adventure in Girl Scouting.

-Lori Taepke

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FAMILY & FRIENDS FRIDAY-FISH-FEAST

Improvements coming to local portion of Hines

County board OKs renovations

By RANDY COBLE
Staff Writer

The stretch of Hines Park that runs through the Northville community will look a lot different a year and a half from now than it does today.

A large-scale, comprehensive plan to renovate the entire Hines Park system, which borders Hines Drive from Northville to Dearborn, won Wayne County Commission approval on March 20.

The vote cleared the way for improvements to begin this summer, according to Parks Director Hurley Coleman.

"Folks in Northville will see a lot of improvements in their area of the park," he explained.

"We're very excited about this and we're ready to move forward on it."

Northville will see new facilities such as restrooms in Hines Park, and new improvements such as a pavilion and playscape area, as well as other additions. It all begins in the summer of 1997 and should be wrapped up by the fall of 1998, Coleman said.

"One of the ongoing things people will see is a much higher level of maintenance," he added, "things like mowing and just general upkeep. We're going to be doing a much better job of that than we have been."

The changes are part of a countywide \$41 million parks upgrade and maintenance program made possible by the passage of Proposition P last August.

Prop P is a five-year 0.25 mill tax paid by all Wayne County property owners.

A majority of voters in Northville and many other suburban county communities rejected the plan but it passed countywide by a narrow margin.

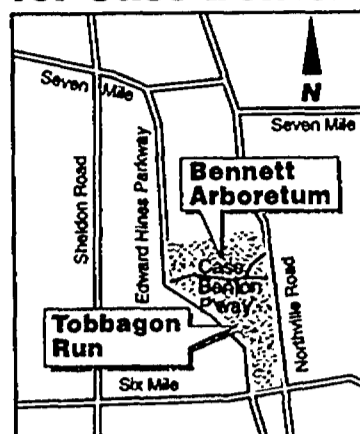
To the owner of a \$100,000 home Proposition P means an additional \$12.50 a year in property taxes.

For the owner of a \$200,000 home the figure is \$25.

Most of the money Proposition P will raise between now and the year 2001 will be spent on parks outside Northville.

A small portion of the funds is

Improvements for Cass Benton



earmarked for this area.

Here's a breakdown of what's coming:

- The specific site has not been selected yet but Northville will host a new pavilion and children's playscape area, one of 10 to be built in the Hines system.

- A complete renovation of the Bennett Arboretum, a unique feature of the park located between Five and Six Mile.

The arboretum is a large collection of trees of more than 300 different species that stands in a grove just south of the Cass Benton Parkway.

It was created more than 50 years ago by a county forester to display and preserve a variety of unique species of trees.

New trees will be planted, species of trees will be labeled and work will be done to clean up the area and rebuild the walking trails.

- The sledding hill near Cass Benton, closed for years, will be reopened with new landscaping, steps cut into the hill for easier climbing and night lighting.

- Soccer fields and ball diamonds will be rebuilt and/or spruced up.

- A 10-mile series of "bridle trails," named for Northville Downs, runs through the Bennett Arboretum and Cass Benton area. Those trails will be rebuilt.

- Restroom comfort stations will be renovated in the park this year, including the one north of Seven Mile near the new volleyball courts and the station at Waterford Bend.

- Hines Park also will soon offer a series of new picnic tables, garbage barrels and barbecue grills.



And they're off

It was every which way but loose at last Saturday's Easter Egg Hunt. The event, sponsored by the Northville Rec Department and the Rotary Club, was held at Community Park off of Beck Road. Above, part of the 3- and 4-year-old group of deft egg seekers starts off on their search for hidden treasure at the sounding of the 10 a.m. alarm. Each age group had a coupon inside one egg for a special prize. All the other eggs were filled with tasty treats from the Easter Bunny. The holiday rabbit himself made an appearance at the event, shown at left on the running board of a Northville Township fire engine. The department got the honor of escorting the bunny to the park, and signaled the start of the hunt with a siren blast. Also featured was a petting farm for the kids.

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Twp. fire makes staffing changes

By RANDY COBLE
Staff Writer

You can pound in a nail with a rock but after awhile you have to ask yourself if there's a smarter way to do business.

That's why innovation is the order of the day to Northville Township Fire Chief Bill Zhmendak and his department.

"I don't like to take a known trail. We're into blazing trails," he said. "There's always a better and safer way out there to get things done."

The newest change in a department that seems constantly on the move these days are promotions and new staff positions designed to increase the level of expertise provided by the individuals who show up when your car crashes or your house catches on fire.

Five firefighters received new ranks Tuesday morning after coming out on top of a lengthy process that included independently-scored written and oral exams and an evaluation of a candidate's involvement in the activities of the department and the community.

Timothy Cowher, Michael O'Brien and Gregory Gall are now sergeants. They replace two people who have recently left the department and fill a third, new sergeant's spot. Additionally, Christopher Madzik and Albert Young are the organization's first-ever firefighter/engineers.

The changes bring the department up to 41 total members: Zhmendak, one lieutenant, two full-time sergeants, five part-time sergeants (including Cowher, O'Brien and Gall), two firefighter/engineers and 30 paid on-call firefighters.

Battling fires is as much a war of information as it is of water, according to Zhmendak. That's why he came up with the new rank of firefighter/engineer.

Pumping water at the scene of a blaze is not a simple thing. It's a complex process that can be

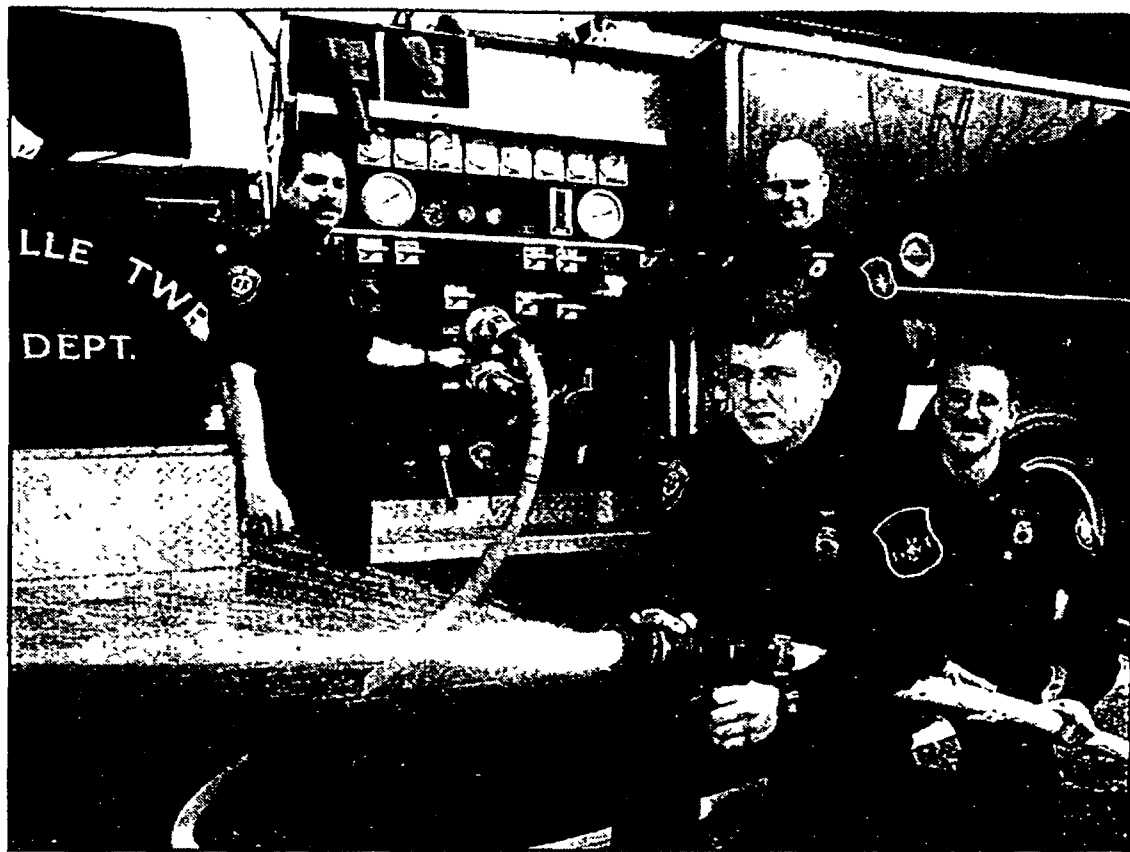


Photo by JOHN HEIDER

These four Northville Township firefighters are among five staffers recently earning promotions. Manning the hose on a practice session are (from left) Sgt. Michael O'Brien and Sgt. Timothy Cowher. In the background are Sgt. Gregory Gall (left) and Firefighter/Engineer Albert Young. The personnel changes are designed to foster greater departmental expertise.

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-Bill Zhmendak
Northville Township Fire Chief

affected by all kinds of factors, including the topography of the area around the fire, which can reduce flow pressure if water has to fight its way uphill.

Learning the ins and outs of all of it will be Madzik and Young, who will bring specialized knowledge to fire scenes and will be the experts when it comes to training others, Zhmendak said. The more people who know what to do, the better.

"I want them to be so comfortable that they don't need me there," was how he put it.

Next up is another new rank: firefighter/inspector. The fire department is making a big push to inspect township businesses for fire safety, including doing "pre-surveys."

Those involve learn the kinds of things firefighters want to know

when emergencies pop up such as the layout of the building and key features like the location of gas main shutoff valves.

If the board of trustees approves the move, the new firefighter/inspectors will be part-time individuals trained in inspection techniques. Their work will help to reduce the load carried by the full-time staffers.

The additional sergeant position is meant to help avoid burnout among senior staffers by adding another body to the round-the-clock emergency response system.

Fire personnel, including key supervisors, are assigned to respond to any incidents during specific shifts. Before, work was split among six sergeants. Now it's split among seven.

Seniority, Zhmendak said, was not counted in deciding promotions. A strict merit system was used.

The department is looking for new candidates for its firefighter school.

In exchange for two years of service you will receive all the training necessary to pass state certification exams. Call 348-5807 for more information.

Firefighters with basic-level certification (known as "F1") get paid \$10.50 an hour. Firefighters with F1 and F2 certifications earn \$11.50. Firefighters will F1, F2 and EMT certification get \$12.50.

Firefighter/engineers (who have F1, F2 and EMT training) receive \$13.75 an hour and sergeants earn \$14 an hour.

Police News

Counting backward gets better of driver

"I can't do that when I'm sober!" That was a Lincoln Park's man comment to a Northville Township police officer when he was asked to count backwards from 100 to 85 after being stopped on suspicion of drunk driving on Saturday night.

The man, 56, was driving a 1992 Ford Tempo eastbound on Seven Mile near Haggerty Road that evening. Police said he was weaving and crossed traffic lines before being pulled over. The reporting officer said the man displayed signs of intoxication when questioned.

The officer then asked the man to perform several tests to determine his sobriety, including the counting request.

The man allegedly failed them all and was arrested for drunk driving.

He later refused a breath test at police headquarters, an action which netted him an additional citation.

He was held until he sobered up, then was released on bond and will be in court soon for a hearing.

UBAL: A Canton teen was charged with having an unlawful blood alcohol level (UBAL) by Northville Township police in the early hours of Friday morning.

The reporting officer in the case said he saw the 18-year-old's Ford Escort speeding on Northville Road near King's Mill at about 6:30 a.m. on March 28. The teen allegedly sped up after the officer began following the car and did not stop until Five Mile Road despite lights and sirens from the officer's cruiser.

Claiming he'd forgotten it, the teen had no license on him.

A test of his breath allegedly showed the man to have a blood alcohol level of .05 percent, below the legal limit of .10 for drunk driving by above the allowable alcohol level for someone under 21.

The teen was taken to police headquarters and booked on the charge, then released after posting bond and his blood alcohol content fell to acceptable levels. He will be in court on April 4.

LOG SPLITTER TAKEN: Someone stole a \$1,000 hydraulic log splitter from the yard of a Gerald Avenue business during the night of March 24-25.

The owner said he accidentally forgot to put the splitter indoors after using it and the business property does not have a complete fence or gate.

SHOPLIFTING: A Lake Orion teen was arrested for allegedly stealing food and smokeless tobacco from Meijer on March 25.

Store detectives said they saw the 16-year-old put the tobacco, a soft drink and some snack food down his pants then leave Meijer without trying to pay for it.

He was booked at the scene and then released to his mother.

The boy faces a court hearing soon.

If you have any information about these or any other illegal incidents call Northville Township police at 349-9400.



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REAL ESTATE WEEKLY

By John DiMora

Coldwell Banker's #1 Agent In The State of Michigan

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Many people recognize a decorating style they like when they see it, but they find it difficult to put together colors, fabrics, furnishings and window treatments to create the look they want.

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Bookstall built its reputation on service

By RANDY COBLE
Staff Writer

Bigger doesn't always mean better. Sometimes the personal touch of a small town shop just can't be found in one of those big chain stores.

Case in point: Bookstall on the Main.

Nestled at the corner of Main and Center streets in the heart of the downtown business district, for nearly two decades it's been the only bookstore in Northville. That reign comes to a close on Wednesday with the opening of the Barnes & Noble book "superstore" at Six Mile and Haggerty.

While it may not be as big, Bookstall on the Main is every bit as good in the eyes of owner Berclay Ruschak. What her shop lacks in size it makes up for in service, the kind you don't often get from the bigger competitors.

"That's the way you earn customer loyalty," Ruschak, a Northville resident for 30 years, said. "We really don't advertise much. We just rely on word of mouth."

That works pretty well, judging from the number of self-professed repeat customers to be found in the store one afternoon last week.

"When someone comes in, they'll know the face behind the counter."



Photo by RANDY COBLE

Bookstall's Berclay Ruschak has acquired a loyal following.

That counts for a lot," Ruschak said.

Bookstall's clientele includes teachers and even some schools. Many are looking for children's books, which the store specializes in. Although Bookstall carries a wide selection of books of every type, kids' books make up about half the sales.

"It was kind of a niche that developed for us," said Ruschak.

All kinds of child-oriented material can be found, from baby books to early readers to the series books such as Clifford the Dog.

Bookstall on the Main started out at the end of the '70s true to its name: a shop so small it was almost literally a stall, sitting next to Genitti's on Main Street.

"We had books stacked almost to the ceiling," Ruschak recalled.

She bought the shop in 1985 and moved the store to its current location about five years ago.

To keep customers coming back, Ruschak and her employees say they focus on developing customer loyalty. That means making extra efforts like special orders, including spending more time than other stores to hunt down books. Using a computerized system, if it's in print, Bookstall on the Main can get it for you.

Bookstall on the Main, 101 N. Center, is open Monday through Thursday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., on Friday from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. and on Saturday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Call 348-1167 for information.

Superstore to open in Northville Centre

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storylines to visits from colorful characters like Clifford the Dog.

It all comes our way Wednesday, April 9, when the 28,200 square foot Barnes & Noble occupying the coveted corner spot in the new Northville Centre shopping mall will open for business.

If you just can't wait until then, plan on attending a special sneak peek the night before. The public is invited to a grand opening preview celebration at Barnes & Noble on Tuesday, April 8, from 6 to 9 p.m. Refreshments will be served and a portion of the proceeds from all sales that night will help buy books for disadvantaged kids.

The money will be used to host a "book party" for needy kids in the Livonia public schools' Head Start program. First Book, a national non-profit literacy organization, is coordinating the gift.

Barnes & Noble is headquartered in New York City. It was the

first to open book "superstores" and has 435 of them in the U.S.

Size means resources: a colossal selection of titles that span the spectrum from religion to business, from archeology to auto repair. The company stocks works from more than 10,000 publishers including many hard-to-find independent publishers and colleges.

If you can't find what you want, just ask for help. Store employees can special order books for you.

Before all this begins to sound overwhelming, you should know that Barnes & Noble says it emphasizes small-town service.

"This will be Northville's bookstore," Stanton said. "It's not a cookie cutter. If our customers want more of something, we have the power to implement that."

The same goes if you're looking for a CD or cassette. The music department stocks more than 20,000 titles. The selection at Barnes & Noble leans more to

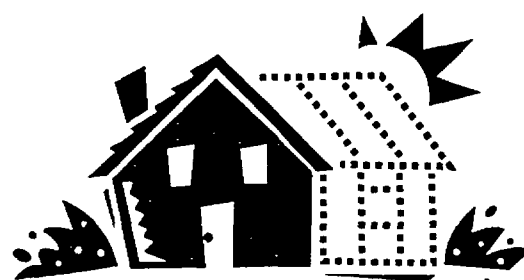
Mozart than Madonna, corporation officials say, and offers especially comprehensive selections of classical, opera, jazz and blues music.

When you've wandered a bit and feel like a sit-down or a snack, there's a cafe located inside the store. There you can take a cup of coffee, cappuccino, espresso, full-leaf tea or cold drink while munching on a sandwich or freshly-baked scone, tort or cake.

Barnes & Noble will be more than just a store, according to its employees. It will be a community center of activity featuring special programs and events for every member of the family. A few examples include storytime for kids, book discussion groups, poetry readings, author signings and tax seminars.

Barnes & Noble's will be open 9 a.m. to 11 p.m. Monday through Saturday and 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Sunday. You can call the store at 348-0696.

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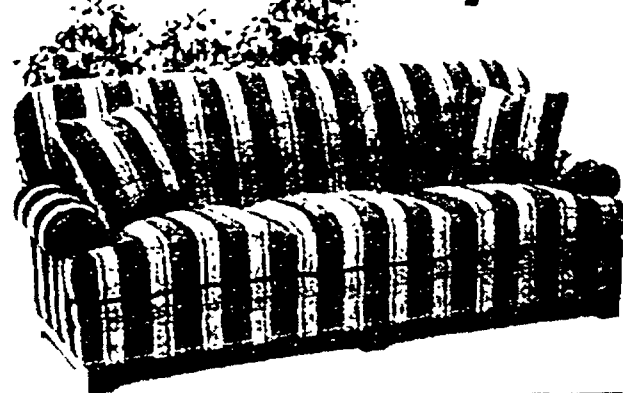
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TENTATIVE LAND PACT FOR TOWNSHIP, COUNTY

Negotiations were long haul for both sides

By RANDY COBLE
Staff Writer

Worth the wait.

That's how Northville Township's elected officials sum up the planned unit development (PUD) agreement they approved last week.

Past and present members of the Northville Township Board of Trustees have spent a year in hard negotiations with Wayne County over the county's 926-acre parcel on the south side of the township.

The fruits of their labors came March 27 when the board gave its unanimous endorsement to a proposed PUD deal. For Mark Abbo, chair of the subcommittee which hammered out the deal, it's a welcome arrival.

"I'm very, very excited about it. I think we have a good plan. I think it's the better way to develop this property," he said.

"It is a win/win project" for both the township and the county was how Trustee Marv Gans put it.

Clerk Sue Hillebrand, who cast "a reluctant yes" in favor of the PUD agreement, said that the bottom line was good for Northville Township.

"I feel good," she said. "I would have liked to see the township get a little more (public land) but I'm pretty happy with it."

The PUD agreement represents the best development option for the land, the trustees say.

Almost all of the parcel is zoned for single family home development. Wayne County could have chosen to just sell the property to developers who would have built standard-zoning subdivisions.

Both Northville Township and county officials wanted the PUD

because it's a way for both sides to get features they want that normal zoning doesn't allow.

For Wayne County, it means more money and extras like a championship-quality golf course and the expansion of Optical Imaging Systems (OIS), a world leader in cutting-edge computer technology which is considering building a second manufacturing plant on Beck Road.

From the township's point of view, the PUD brings a number of benefits, such as:

- Preservation of more than 100 acres of wooded lands and open space areas that probably would have been lost under a conventional zoning plan. Counting the golf course land, which under the PUD can never be built upon, about 30 percent of the entire site will avoid the bulldozer forever.

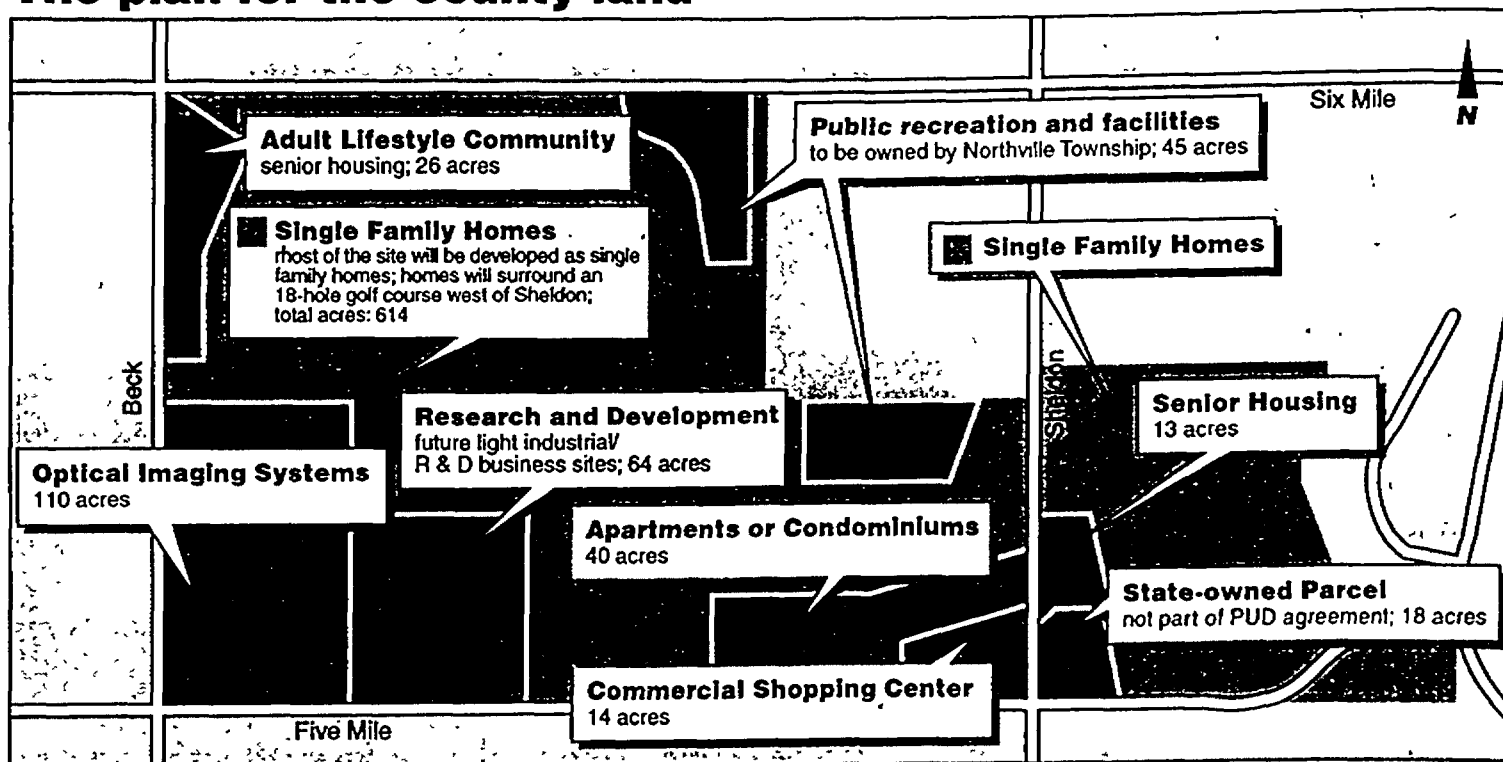
- Getting the chance to buy 45 acres of land for public recreation use and for the future site of a public facility like a new fire station.

That's important because the thousands of new residents who will one day live on the county land will need public services like recreation and fire protection. The PUD provides a way to help meet that need.

- Included in the PUD is a plan for the paving of Six Mile Road between Sheldon and Beck, a long-sought goal of many who drive the dirt stretch to and from subdivisions like the Hills of Crestwood. The PUD deal will likely speed up the paving.

- "Unified control" is another key. A PUD gives the township much greater control over how the parcel will be developed.

The plan for the county land



Land deal could end years of inaction

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built, possibly as quickly as the year 2000. At a conservative estimate of three people per unit, that's almost 4,000 new Northville Township residents.

Most of them would live in single family homes. The rest would be divided among apartments, condominiums and senior housing.

- To help meet the needs of those future residents, Northville Township will buy 45 acres of land to use for public recreation and as a site for a future public facility

like a fire station.

- Six Mile would be paved between Beck and Sheldon, paid for by a special assessment district (SAD) involving Wayne County and developers with property fronting onto that stretch of the road.

- An 18-hole, championship-quality public golf course would be built. Local residents could play at a reduced rate.

- A large portion of the entire site, about 30 percent, would be permanently preserved from development. The golf course, wetland and woodland areas and large

tracts of open space could never be built upon. In addition, many of the unique topographic features of the property would be preserved.

- Optical Imaging Systems (OIS) would obtain land for a possible future manufacturing plant. The company, a world leader in the evolving industry of "flat-panel" computer screens, has its current plant and world headquarters at the corner of Five Mile and Beck now.

- A 14-acre "neighborhood" shopping center would come to the corner of Five Mile and Sheldon.

At a conservative estimate of three people per unit, the development will result in almost 4,000 new Northville Township residents.

NOVI PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION

The Novi Parks and Recreation Commission meeting for Thursday, April 10 has been re-scheduled to THURSDAY, APRIL 17 AT 7:30 P.M. AT THE NOVI CIVIC CENTER. (3-27-97 NR, NN 18909)

NOTICE — CITY OF NOVI REQUEST FOR BIDS AGGREGATE MATERIALS

The City of Novi will receive sealed bids for Aggregate Materials according to the specifications of the City of Novi. Bids will be received until 3:00 p.m. prevailing eastern time, Tuesday, April 15, 1997, 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.
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All bids must be signed by a legally authorized agent of the bidding firm. ENVELOPES MUST BE PLAINLY MARKED "AGGREGATE MATERIALS" BID 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 informatics 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,
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(810) 347-0446

(4-3-97 NR, NN 19427)

LEGAL NOTICE

RE: 1113 Hillridge, Northville, MI 48167
Designation Of Dwelling Unfit For Human Habitation —
Order To Repair or Demolish

The City of Northville and its Health Officer have determined that the residence located at 1113 Hillridge, Northville, Michigan, Oakland County, is unfit for human habitation, as defined in Section 6-515(a) of the City of Northville Ordinance, and if the repairs and/or demolition required below are not made by April 26, 1997, the Health Officer will post a placard on the residence containing the following words: "Condemned as Unfit For Human Habitation."

The legal owner of record, Judith Clegg, is required to make repairs to those items which are creating an unsanitary and unsafe condition, thereby creating a health hazard to neighbors and the residential community, and maintain the grounds in accordance with the City Ordinance.

All required repairs and/or demolition is to be completed by April 26, 1997. Failure to take the required actions will result in the City of Northville issuing an Order To Demolish the structure under the authority of Section 6-515(g) of the Northville Ordinance. Refusal to repair or demolish the structure by September 26, 1997, will result in the City of Northville taking steps to demolish the structure and place a lien upon the property in an amount equal to the cost of demolishing the structure and any administrative and legal cost incurred as a result of demolishing the structure.

The owner(s) of record, or any other persons, have the right to appeal this decision, or any other decisions of the Health Officer, to the Housing Board of Appeals within 14 days of the date of the decision, by filing a written appeal with the City of Northville, Health Officer, 215 W. Main Street, Northville, MI 48167. The written request for appeal shall contain a description of the property, a description of the decision being appealed, and the grounds on which the decision is being appealed. The request for appeal shall contain a fee of \$10.00 to cover the cost of handling the appeal. The Housing Board of Appeals may refund or retain the fee at its discretion. The Housing Board of Appeals shall fix a reasonable time for the hearing of the appeal and shall provide written notice to interested parties. The decision of the Housing Board of Appeals shall be final.

If a structure is condemned by the Health Officer and a placard indicating such is placed on the structure, no person shall deface or remove the placard until the Health Officer has determined that the unfit conditions have been corrected. Any person defacing or removing a placard in violation of the Ordinance shall, upon conviction, be fined not less than \$25.00 or more than \$100.00 and costs of prosecution, or by imprisonment for a period not exceeding 90 days, or both fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the Court.

A placard containing the words "Condemned As Unfit For Human Habitation" will be placed on the structure if the indicated repairs and/or alterations are not completed by April 26, 1997.

JIM ALLEN, HEALTH OFFICER
RICHARD STARLING, CHIEF BUILDING OFFICIAL

(4-3-97 NR 19433)

NOTICE TO THE RESIDENTS OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE

Applications are being accepted for interested citizens who wish to be considered for the Township's Ethics Committee until 4:30 p.m. on Friday, April 4, 1997. Applications are available in the Clerk's office.

The By-Laws require that the Township conduct a lottery and the drawing of the names for the Ethics Committee will take place on Thursday, April 10, 1997 at the Board of Trustees' regular monthly meeting.

(4-3/10-97 NR 19426)

SUE A. HILLEBRAND,
CLERK

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SYNOPSIS SPECIAL MEETING CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

DATE: March 27, 1997 TIME: 7:10 PM PLACE: 41600 W. Six Mile

1. CALL TO ORDER

2. ROLL CALL: Karen Woodside, Supervisor, Sue Hillebrand, Clerk, Richard Henningsen, Treasurer, Mark Abbo, Trustee, Russ Fogg, Trustee, Bill Seinsky, Trustee, Marv Gans, Trustee

3. Motion Belding Resolution, approved

4. Windridge Subdivision Variances, approved with conditions

5. Lakes of Springhill Site Plan Time Extension, approved one year with conditions

6. Wayne County PUD, approved with revisions

7. Adjournment 9:27 p.m.

This is a synopsis of the March 27, 1997 Special Meeting of the Board of Trustees Meeting. An unapproved copy of the minutes is available through the Clerk's Office after April 7, 1997.

(4-3-97 NR, NN 19428)

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TENTATIVE LAND PACT FOR TOWNSHIP, COUNTY

Complex proposal could change face of township

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Wayne County will remove it all before the township issues the first construction permit for anything on the property, according to the PUD. County officials have bid the demolition contracts out and are waiting for the contract to be finalized.

FAST PACE

Most of the development is expected to come rapidly. County officials last week predicted it's likely to take just two to three years before construction begins on the residential portions of the property.

Only the commercial shopping center parcel at Five Mile and Sheldon and the 64-acre area set aside for research and development business uses are expected to take longer: five to 10 years.

WHAT'S COMING?

Most of the property will be developed as homes, nearly 1,300 houses in all. About 650 single family homes are included in that total and up to 320 condominium or apartment units.

Also included would be a 180-unit senior housing facility off Sheldon Road. It would be designed in a kind of apartment-building style, like Allen Terrace in Northville.

An "adult lifestyle community" of 140 or so homes is slated for Beck Road. Also earmarked as senior housing, this could include rental or purchase properties and resemble the Country Club Village condominium development near Six Mile and Haggerty, according to county officials.

THE GOLF COURSE

Also in the mix is a 200-acre 18-

hole golf course. It will be a public course, of championship quality and located on land west of Sheldon Road, according to the PUD. Homes will surround the course.

Northville Township residents and residents of the Wayne County section of Northville city will pay reduced greens fees to play the course.

PRESERVATION

More than 100 acres of open space and woodlands will be permanently preserved from development under the terms of the PUD. Counting the golf course land, which would also be permanently preserved, that's about 30 percent of the site.

An innovative "naturalized" storm water drainage system will be used to take excess water in the area to the Rouge River, according to the PUD. Instead of a series of concrete pipes, where possible, the natural slopes and angles of the terrain will be preserved to direct water flow.

Also in the site design is a connected network of bike paths and pedestrian pathways which will wind through the property, including connections to active and passive recreation areas.

PUBLIC LAND

The PUD provides Northville Township with the chance to pick up 45 acres of land in return for \$700,000. The land in the proposed agreement is located in two tracts, one off Sheldon Road and the other off Six Mile.

Township officials say they would use the land for public recreation purposes like ball fields and as a site for a public facility like a new fire station. Having the land necessary to provide those services to the thousands of future

residents of the county parcel was a key part of the PUD to township officials.

SIX MILE PAVING

Wayne County would implement a special assessment district (SAD) to pay for the paving of Six Mile between Sheldon and Beck roads under the terms of the PUD.

The county and developers who own property fronting on that stretch of Six Mile would pay the cost of the paving. No timeline is yet available on when the SAD would be set up and when an engineering study of the area would begin.

OIS EXPANSION

Optical Imaging Systems (OIS) is a world leader in the cutting-edge industry of "flat-panel" computer screens.

The company's world headquarters, including its research and manufacturing plant, is located on 30 acres at the corner of Five Mile and Beck.

Another 80 acres along Beck to the north of the OIS property would be sold to the company under the PUD deal.

OIS would make that land the site of any possible future expansion and the company has said it is exploring the idea of building a second manufacturing plant adjacent to its current facility.

SHOPPING CENTER

A 14-acre, 120,000 square foot "neighborhood" shopping center would come to the corner of Five Mile and Sheldon.

Township officials inserted provisions in the PUD agreement - limits on store sizes - to try to ensure that the center won't affect Northville's downtown business district.

Census workers to knock on doors

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Identification badges and the only information they will ask for is the names of all people living in the home. That information will be kept strictly confidential and it will be destroyed after state officials certify the census results this summer.

If you have some spare time on your hands and would like extra

cash, you can apply to be an enumerator. You can expect to work a total of about 80 hours over a two-to-three-week period.

The pay will either be by the hour or on a per-person basis, but should average out to about \$7.50 an hour. Work hours will be flexible and each enumerator can expect to visit about 275 housing units in the neighborhood they live

in, where possible.

The work requires a lot of walking and stair climbing as well as neat penmanship, so your data is legible. You may need a car to cover your assigned area.

For more information call Northville Township Manager Dawn Flynn at 348-5800, or project director Barbara Moroski-Browne at 348-1602.

New daycare schedules open house

Northville First Care, Northville's newest Christian daycare and preschool center, is hosting an open house in celebration of its grand opening.

The grand opening celebration is to be held at the First United

Methodist Church, 777 W. Eight Mile, on Sunday, April 6, from 12:30 to 3 p.m.

Tours of the facility and information about the center, program and staff, will be available.

A community open house will be

hosted on Thursday and Friday, April 3 and 4, from 9 a.m. to noon, and Saturday, April 5, from 1 to 5 p.m.

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Chowing down for the cause

The Raven is a busy place on Sunday mornings these days as the establishment hosts a breakfast to raise funds for the Northville playscape, Fort Griswold. The breakfast takes place each Sunday in April and features a feast fit for a king. The buffet includes scrambled eggs, pancakes, sausage, bacon, toast, American fries,

cereal, beverages and other items. The cost is \$6 for adults and \$3 for children. The Raven is located at the corner of Center and Dunlap. The meal is served from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. The construction dates for the playscape are June 4-8. Many volunteers and donations are still needed for the project. To help, call 347-4756.

Injunction threat confuses authorities

By WENDY PIERMAN MITZEL
Staff Writer

The possibility of a federal injunction on the Michigan law intended to make names and addresses of sexual offenders known to the public caused some confusion for local departments.

Northville Township did not release the list of sex offenders in that community Tuesday because, according to Public Safety Director Chip Snider, the department was still under the injunction.

"Until further notice we are out of the registry viewing business," Snider said April 1.

But Snider said yesterday that he heard the injunction had been lifted Tuesday afternoon and the list is now available.

According to State Sen. Michael Bouchard's office, unidentified plaintiffs filed a case in federal court challenging the constitutionality of the law and an injunction was in place until Friday when the

request was rejected. The plaintiffs filed an appeal, however, which put another possible injunction in place until Monday, when it too was rejected.

Bouchard, R-Birmingham, was the creator of the registry bill.

Novi's Lt. David Butler said he was under the impression the injunction was lifted but that he also had ripped up the list and had to wait for the Michigan State Police to print another one.

Snider explained that there is no danger in destroying the list because it's different from the one used by the department to track sex offenders in the community.

Dispatcher Susan Hatch of the Northville Police Department said she received word over the state police teletype Monday afternoon that the injunction had been denied. She then printed out her list from the Michigan State Police computer data base in anticipation of the April 1 release.

How to see the registry

As of April 1, lists of sex offenders convicted of any of the four degrees of criminal sexual conduct are available for public viewing at local police departments. The list includes names, addresses, zip codes and offenses by title. Also included are physical descriptions and date of birth.

NORTHVILLE TOWNSHIP

All requests are to be made through the detective bureau at the Northville Township Police Department between 7 a.m. and 10 p.m. People requesting infor-

mation will be required to sign a sheet and will be able to view and take notes while a detective stands by.

Township Public Safety Director Chip Snider suggested interested people call ahead to make an appointment at 349-9400.

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Requests can be made during regular business hours from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., at the police front desk. No copies will be made but notes can be taken from the list. Call Northville Police at 349-1300.

Police cautious about lists

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bers.

"Certainly we hope no one causes such an overreaction to cause felony offenses," Shaeffer said. "If there's a violation of the law we'll prosecute."

Northville police documents show five registered sex offenders have addresses in the 48167 zip code, which includes portions of Northville Township, Northville, Novi and New Hudson. Two offenders, a 55-year-old man convicted of criminal sexual conduct in the fourth degree, and a 70-year-old man convicted of CSC I and II, were from Novi.

A 24-year-old woman from New Hudson is listed with a record for CSC II, a 19-year-old Northville Township man shows a CSC II conviction and a Northville man shows a conviction for CSC in the third degree.

The Novi Police Department list contains 13 names with Novi addresses. Of those, one is an 18-year-old woman. The rest are men.

Five of the names are listed in the 48374 zip code west of Taft Road, four of the names are listed in the 48377 zip code north of I-96 and four names are listed under the 48375 zip code.

Ages range from 18 to 51.



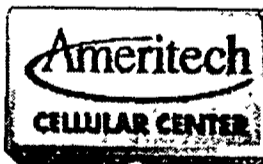
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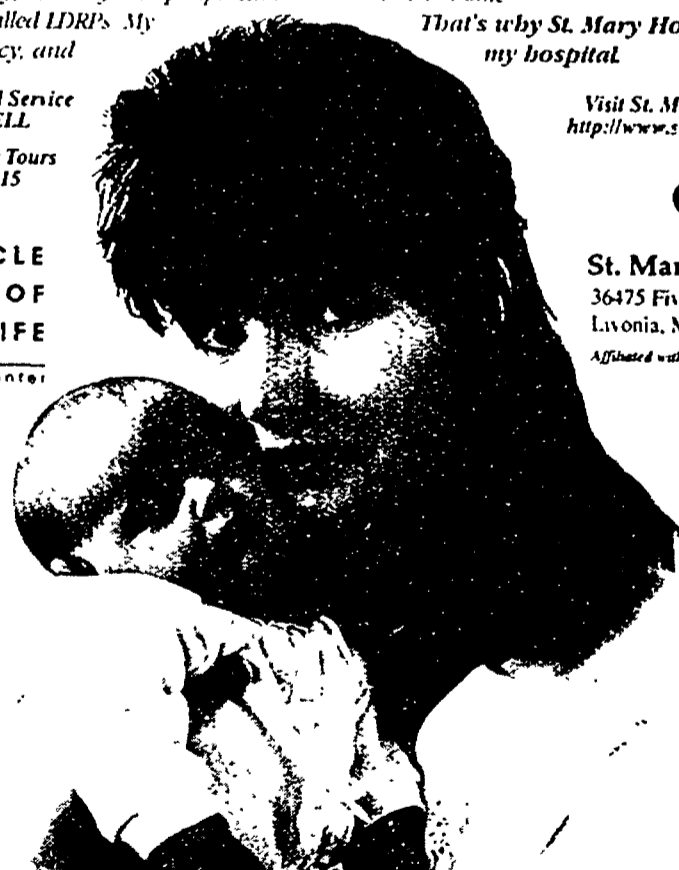
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Ed Postif (right) of Edwards Caterer serves up samples of bruschetta with the assistance of Denise Albright. Edwards was among several businesses offering edibles at last week's annual Northville Business Showcase. An estimated 800 people attended the event.

Showcase a success again

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show off their products and services to the public. Attendees can learn all about local businesses and even get freebies like samples of tasty treats from local restaurateurs. Nothing can be sold at the showcase.

"It's amazing how many people don't know about some of these businesses that are right here in our own backyard," Marrs said.

More than 80 firms took part in the showcase this year and an estimated 800 people attended. Better than 300 filled out survey forms asking them to rate the

showcase and vote for the best general business and restaurant exhibits.

Of the 300-plus voters, only seven rated the showcase less than "excellent," according to Marrs.

Winning in the best business category was Salutations. The Main Street company's booth featured a line of wedding items.

Coming out on top in the best restaurant exhibit among 14 competitors was The Heavenly Gourmet, located in the Highland Lakes Shopping Center on Seven Mile.

The people who give their time to Northville's many non-profit organizations also staffed booths at the showcase, helping patrons to learn more about what they do.

"Volunteerism is a dying breed. This helps to spread the word about groups like the Rotary, for example," Marrs explained.

Speaking of volunteering, donating its Jolly Jump moonwalk-style play area for the kids to enjoy was Rent & Rave. Making special appearances at the showcase were two Victorian Festival favorites, Dr. Rudy and the 1996 Queen Victoria Susan Bolls.

Middle schooler gets view from abroad

(Note - The following article was written by Jody Washington and her mother Wendy, who is a member of A Community Organization Recognizing Diversity (ACORD) and a contributing columnist to The Northville Record. It tells the story of Jody's February trip to France.)

Jody Washington, a seventh grader at Meads Mill Middle School, spent her midwinter break in Paris, and loved every minute of it.

"Paris is fascinating," Jody said. "There are so many sights to see and things to do. Five days was definitely not long enough."

The Eiffel Tower, Versailles, Notre Dame, and the Louvre were most impressive places to visit.

Jody's reaction to seeing the Mona Lisa? "It was shocking."

The immense size of buildings and artwork was overwhelming, "and everything is very old," Jody exclaimed. "Not old like a couple hundred years, but like hundreds and thousands of years. The oldest monument there is called Coup de Foudre and it is 3,000 years old."

Shopping was "fun and interesting," especially at Montmartre, an artist's marketplace.

"We took a boat tour on the Seine," said Jody, "and it was breathtaking to see Notre Dame from the water."

Jody traveled to France with her aunt and uncle, Joanne and Kevin Nichols of Midland, and their 3-year-old daughter, Lindsay. They stayed with friends who live in Cergy, about 30 miles northwest of Paris.

One of the children in the home is named Daniel. "But they say 'Danielle' over there, instead of 'Daniel,'" Jody explained. She took Detroit Vipers and Michigan State University T-shirts to Daniel, 12, who proudly wore them to school for the next two days.

The weather was rainy, windy and cold the first few days of break, but the last two days were warmer, sunny and there were fair skies for flying home.

The best part of coming home was distributing souvenirs and sharing her experiences with everyone. Some of the highlighted moments of Jody's trip include:

- "Hearing everyone around me speaking in French;

- "Running to catch a subway train, and then riding on the subway where people were playing live music, like on their accordions and tambourines, saxophones and

electric guitars - it was cool;

- "Visiting the most huge museum (The Louvre) - it is as far as you could see and it disappears into the distance, and it is filled with art;

- "Walking under the Eiffel Tower and looking up at it - it was amazing."

"There were tiled roofs on every house," Jody remarked.

There was even a scary part of the trip, Jody added.

"When we were flying over Canada heading back to Detroit, the pilot announced from the cockpit that we had to land at Montreal because one of the engines had shut down. It was leaking oil."

"The pilot landed the plane, but he sped up and slowed down several times and it was a very rough landing. We were sitting in the plane while it was being fixed, and couldn't leave the plane because of customs. We were sitting in the plane and it was quiet. Then, all of a sudden, someone said, 'Look at all the fire trucks and ambulances out there.' Then I realized how dangerous the situation was."

"But, luckily, we finally got to take off again. We took off and everything was fine again."



Jody Washington stands before a statue of Napoleon.

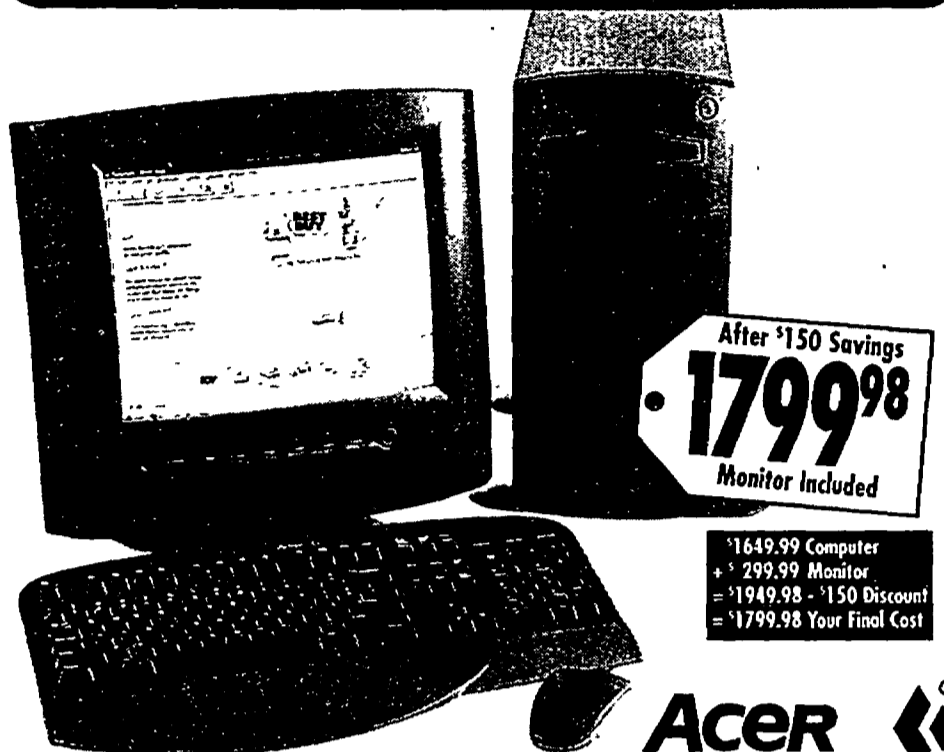
Jody thanks all her friends and teachers for their support and travel advice. She especially thanks Mrs. Lou Wolf, her former third grade teacher at Winchester Elementary School, for providing her with travel books and this good advice: "Enjoy every minute of your trip."

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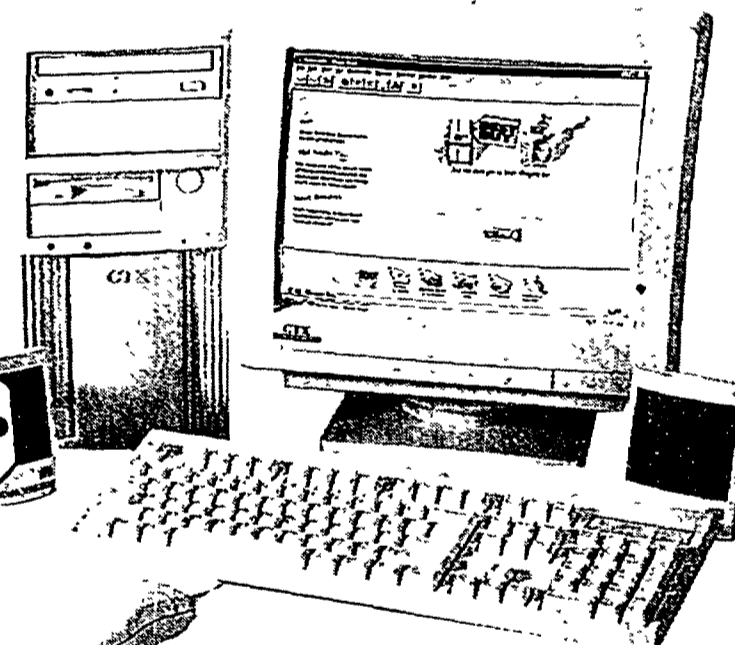
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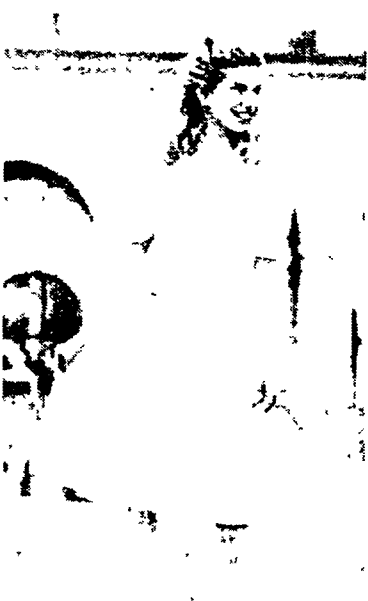
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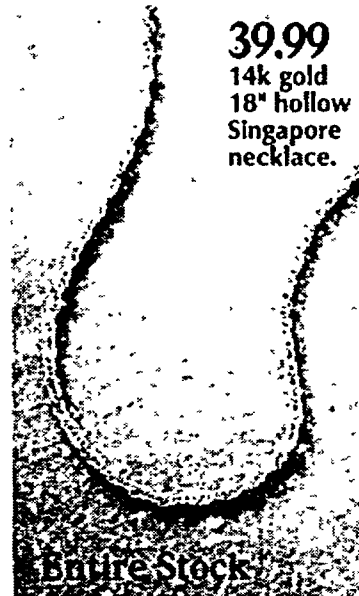
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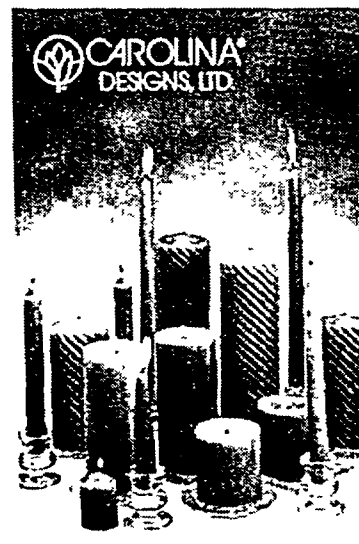
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- 33% off all table linens, chair pads, decorative pillows and bath accessories, sale .66-66.99
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- 30-50% off all other decorative gifts. 3.99-69.99, sale 2.79-48.99
- 10-50% off all small electrics, vacuums, fitness, air cleaners, accessories, sale 1.59-297.49
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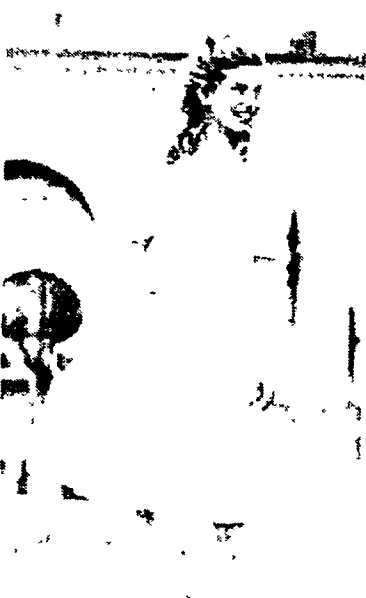
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- 55% off entire stock Black Hills Gold® jewelry, sale 24.75-\$162.00
- 33% off all other mini- & handbags & purse access., sale 2.34-\$30.82
- 35% off all Bodysource® sets. Reg. \$6-\$20, sale 3.90-\$13.00
- 33% off all women's sunglasses. Reg. \$15-\$28, sale 10.05-\$18.76
- 33% off all women's belts. Reg. \$10-\$22, sale 6.70-\$14.74

For Kids

- 30% off all kids' name-brand apparel, sale 3.49-\$19.59
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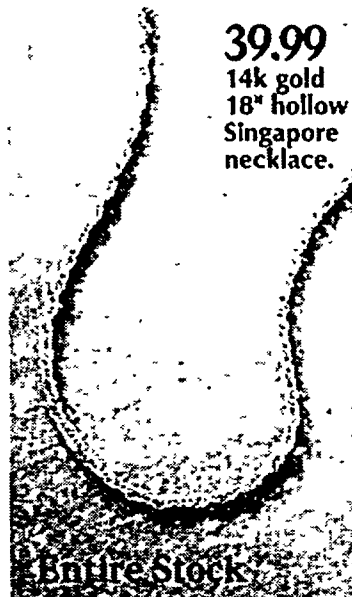
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Arbor Center opens Northville office

Non-profit organization will offer bereavement services

By LEE SNIDER
Editor

Arbor Hospice has been conducting bereavement programs in the community for some time but has never had a permanent presence in Northville.

Until Monday, that is.

The Arbor Center/Bereavement Services for Children, Teens and Adults opened its own office in the Northville Executive Center at 200 N. Center on March 31.

Arbor Hospice, based in Ann Arbor, is primarily known for its health care services for the dying. But the organization also has helped countless survivors put their lives back together after the shattering loss of a loved one or lifelong companion.

Just ask Margaret Gill of Northville, who went through an Arbor bereavement program after her husband died two years ago.

"There's nothing more comforting than to be with a group of people who have a similar bereavement," she insists. "There's no one else you can talk to. Even your best friend can't understand what you're going through. Often, they don't want to talk about it. They're nervous or afraid. Everybody's afraid about dying."

The Arbor Center offers several programs for survivors of all ages. Adult sessions generally last six weeks and are moderated by a volunteer "facilitator." The programs are free of charge and are available to all residents, whether they used Arbor Hospice services or not.

Arbor Center sessions have helped many grieving people in the community, mostly through programs offered in conjunction with the Northrup-Sassaman Funeral Home on Northville Road.

Sessions are generally divided along age lines or by the nature of the loss. There are programs for people who have lost spouses, parents, grandparents or close friends.

Programs for children and teens are headed up by professional planners and do carry a fee, though Bereavement Services Director Cathy Clough says her organization will develop payment plans for users.

"The children's programs are based on a sliding scale and no one is turned away," she said.

Clough co-founded the bereavement programs for Arbor Center after her first husband died 14 years ago. She said almost everyone can use some advice on how to feel and express grief.

"I tried to stay strong for the sake of my daughters. I held back my feelings, but now I regret that," she said.

Among the adult bereavement services and support groups offered through the Arbor Center are "Starting Over," support groups for younger widows and widowers; and "Betweeners," support groups for widows and widowers ages 45-62.

The "Care-ousel" program features bereavement groups for children and teens.

Center co-director Sally Dunning says children require special attention from bereavement groups because their grieving process is unique and complicated.

"With children you always have the issue of knowing and translating their language. Children use a language that's very concrete," she maintains.

Dunning tells the story of one young boy who wouldn't eat his breakfast after his grandfather died because he had heard something on television about a "cereal" killer.

Dunning advises moms and dads to "trust that parent gut" when it comes to knowing if a child needs the support of a bereavement group. She says changes in eating or sleeping patterns, or changes in school or friendship interests are good indicators.



Photo by JOHN HEIDER

Cathy Clough, co-director of Northville's new Arbor Center office, joins Sherri Gasser, a director of the hospice group's downriver location, in their new downtown office in the Executive Center on Center Street.

The Arbor Center is currently looking for a building in which to conduct its support group sessions. In the past it used the Northville Chamber of Commerce office or the Senior Citizens Center, but both locations are no longer practical.

The new Arbor Center office in the Executive Center is open from 9 a.m. to noon and from 1 to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Arbor Center is a non-profit organization that conducts occasional fund-raisers to help pay the

bill. A fund-raising comedy/dinner event is planned for Sunday, April 13, at Genitti's Restaurant. Call 1-800-783-5764 for information.

The Northville Executive Center landlords, Nick and Rebecca Simkins, are also helping out by renting space to the Arbor Center at a reduced rate.

In addition to bereavement program information, referrals to hospice care are available through the Arbor Center office. To reach the office, call 348-4980.



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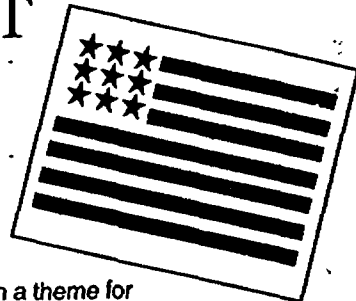
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Western Townships Utilities Authority Board of Commissioners Regular Meeting Synopsis 4:00 p.m., Monday, March 24, 1997

Regular meeting called to order at 4:17 p.m.
Present: Thomas Yack, Karen Woodside, Kathleen Keen-McCarthy
Agenda - adopted as amended.
Minutes - regular meeting of February 24, 1997 - approved as amended.
Requisition #196, and schedule of operating expenses totaling \$420,270.16 - approved.
Operations and Maintenance Monthly report - received and filed.
Operations Manager's Report - received and filed.
Consideration of Operations & Maintenance Agreement-Operations Management International, Inc. - Approved as amended.
Consideration of Interceptor Connection - Pine Creek Estates Sub: Northville Township - approved.
Resolution Designating Authorized Authority Representatives - approved.
Consideration of Computer Support Package Agreement - Computer Technologies, Inc. - approved.
Change Order No. 2 - WTUA Lower Rouge Odor Control Structure - approved subject to WTUA's consulting engineer's approval.
The regular meeting was adjourned at 4:50 p.m.
THOMAS YACK, Chairman
This is a synopsis. A complete copy of the minutes may be reviewed at the WTUA offices located at 40905 Joy Road, Canton, MI 48187.
Publish April 3 1997

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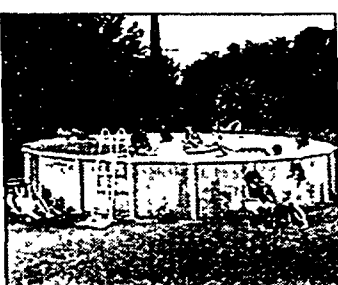
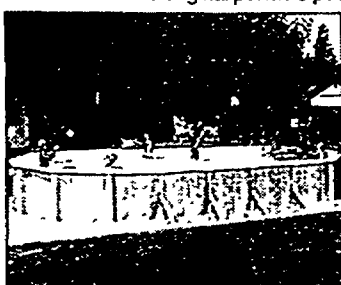
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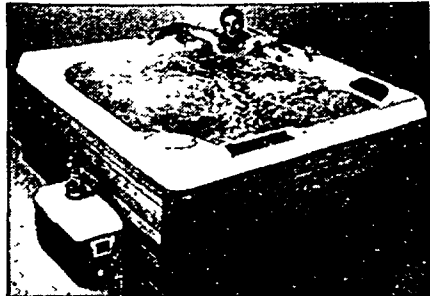
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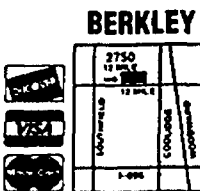


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Obituaries



Freda B. Galli in 1968.

FREDA B. GALLI

Freda B. Galli died March 30, 1997, at Whitehall Convalescent Center in Novi. She was 82.

Mrs. Galli lived in Northville for 44 years. She was a registered nurse. For the last 20 years of her career, Mrs. Galli worked at Northville Regional Psychiatric Hospital, first as a psychiatric nurse and later as an operating room supervisor.

Mrs. Galli met her husband, Alfred, while both were attending the Mercy School of Nursing in Pittsburgh.

"We met on a blind date," Alfred commented. "A friend and I were out with two girls and the one I was with got called away to help out in the emergency room. I told him I wasn't going to go the rest of the night without a date, so the girl he was with went up to the nurses residence and found Freda. There must have been 300 girls in the residence hall."

The Gallis were married in 1937. They moved to the Detroit area in

1941 and both worked for Chrysler Corp. during World War II.

The couple moved to Northville in 1953 and went to work at Northville Regional Psychiatric Hospital. Like Freda, Alfred is a registered nurse. Freda retired from nursing in 1975 and enjoyed traveling with her husband for many years.

Readers of *The Northville Record* will know Mr. Galli as a regular contributor to the letters to the editor section of the newspaper. He and other frequent letter writers were profiled in a feature story in the newspaper in January 1997.

Besides her husband, Alfred P. of Northville, Mrs. Galli is survived by her daughters, Roberta of Hopkinsville, Ky., and Susan Raftari of Northville; son, Robert of Des Plaines, Ill.; five grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

Private services for the immediate family were held Monday, March 31, at the Northrop-Sassaman Funeral Home in Northville.

Memorial contributions to the charity of your choice would be appreciated by the family.

NORMA E. ERDMAN

Norma E. Erdman died March 26, 1997, at her residence in Farmington Hills. She was 98.

Ms. Erdman was born June 17, 1898, in Detroit to Charles and Emma (Williams) Erdman.

She was a retired longtime Detroit school teacher and a life-

long member of the Presbyterian church.

She is survived by loving family and friends.

Services were held on Monday, March 31, at Casterline Funeral Home with the Rev. James P. Russell, First Presbyterian Church of Northville, officiating. Interment was in Woodlawn Cemetery, Northville.

ELIZABETH R. SIMPSON

Elizabeth Rebecca Simpson died March 21, 1997, in Virginia Beach, Va. She was 97.

Mrs. Simpson was a longtime member of the community prior to moving to Virginia in 1993. She was a retired banker from a local department store, and a life member of Wolverine No. 52 O.E.S.

Surviving Mrs. Simpson are grandsons Michael Richardson and William Simpson; granddaughter Paulajean Simpson; and two great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Alexander, and son, Donald.

Graveside services were held on Monday, March 31, at Roseland Park Cemetery in Berkley, Mich. The Rev. Leslie Harding from Holy Cross Episcopal Church in Novi officiated.

Arrangements were made by Northrop-Sassaman Funeral Home of Northville.

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Reservations can be made from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. weekdays and 9

a.m. to 5 p.m. on weekends. Have your MasterCard or Visa credit card ready.

A reservation or cancellation costs \$5; a change in schedule, \$4. You may request a general area within a campground but not a specific site. Reservations must be made for at least two nights at a Lower peninsula campground and one night at an Upper Peninsula campground.

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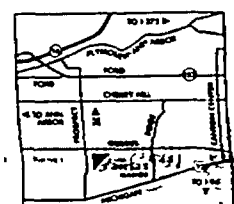


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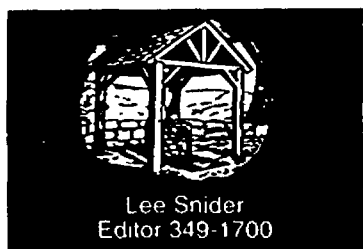
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Our Opinion

Land pact to usher in new era for township

Finally! An agreement that will clean up the vandalized, graffiti-infested Wayne County property near Five Mile and Sheldon.

We'd say it was a long time coming but understatement is not our thing.

For nearly a decade officials from Northville Township and Wayne County have discussed ways to bring about a sensible and beneficial development of roughly 900 acres of county-owned property in the township. In our opinion they have succeeded, though the process was painful and the delay potentially dangerous.

By means of a mechanism called a planned unit development (PUD) negotiators for the two sides devised a plan that will bring hundreds of new homes, a public golf course, open space preservation and other features into the township.

The Northville Township Board of Trustees gave formal approval to the PUD last week. The last step is for the Wayne County Commission to also sign on to the proposal.

Considering that the land represents fully 10 percent of the total acreage of the township, much was at stake. The final disposition of the land will put a permanent stamp on the community and help determine the livability of the township far into the future.

So what have the officials wrought?

The main component of the PUD is a provision for the construction of nearly 1,300 homes, about 650 of which would be single family dwellings. The remaining units would be condominiums or apartments. Also included is a much-needed senior living center.

This feature is liable to be the single most controversial aspect of the PUD because the home lot sizes have been reduced.

Residents who tend to look askance at properties that are smaller than those normally allowed by ordinance are liable to be displeased with this component. But potential critics would be wise to keep the trade-off in mind.

Under the terms of the PUD, about 30 percent of the county site would be preserved as open space and woodlands. No development of any kind can ever take place on those tracts. If Wayne County had sold its land to highest-bidding real estate investors and permitted open-market development, the lot sizes would have been larger but the total number of homes would have far exceeded the 1,300 included in the PUD.

The result would have been more homes, streets and traffic lights and far less green space.

The PUD also offers the township the opportunity to purchase 45 acres for \$700,000. The land is located on two separate tracts, one off Sheldon Road and the other off Six Mile.

Township officials say they will use



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the land for public recreation purposes like softball or baseball diamonds and as a site for some sort of public facility such as a new fire station.

With the influx of new homeowners expected in the township, additional public services and recreational accommodations will be a necessity.

In addition to these benefits, the county is expected to establish a special assessment district (SAD) to pay for the paving of Six Mile between Sheldon and Beck roads.

The county and the developers who own property fronting on that portion of Six Mile would pay the paving costs, thereby ensuring another public benefit at no apparent public expense.

As desirable as all these features are, what gives us the most relief is the prospect that the appalling abandoned buildings in the Five Mile/Sheldon vicinity will at last be leveled. Dozens of buildings that were once part of the Wayne Community Living Services complex will at last come down.

The vacant buildings have long been a favorite haunt of drug dealers and gang members. The interiors of the structures have been defaced with profanities and cult-related symbols, and debris litters the floors and the surrounding area.

The picture is a disgusting one, to be sure. But to gain a real appreciation of the dangers presented by the abandoned complex, one needs to hear the startling stories of police officers who say they've been in the sights of drug dealers carrying high-powered rifles with scopes attached. This was no playground for kids on skateboards, it was a major exchange point for high-stakes dope peddlers. It's a wonder no disasters (at least that we know of) took place there.

In any case, the future of the site now looks very promising and everyone involved in the agreement deserves to be congratulated.

Members of the past and current township board of trustees, who worked for over a year on this proposal, are especially to be commended. Wayne County Commission Thaddeus McCotter and the members of the county negotiating team also deserve recognition.

They have fashioned a plan that will produce substantial public benefits and remove a threat that has plagued for community for years.

Well done.

We fooled 'em, not that we tried

Well, it happened again.

Despite a banner proclaiming "The Northville Wrecker," a newsstand price of \$50 and index listings like "Scandals" and "Elvis Sightings," some people actually thought our April Fools page last week was the real thing.

Honest to gosh, a few readers called to comment on the mock B-section front that promised a UFO Timetable on page 7S and carried "news" of how unruly library patrons were to be detained in an underground dungeon called "the hole."

I guess the general supply of common sense is as short as ever.

Something similar happened to us a few years ago when we joked that Woolly Bully's was going to undertake a 600-acre expansion. You could almost hear the For Sale signs springing up along Seven Mile that day.

It seems the top story on last week's page was the one that got the most attention. Written by Dan Scott the "Sports Wretch" (a.k.a. sports editor Scott Daniel), the piece humorously described the opening of a gambling casino at the Water Wheel fitness center on Main Street.

The story evidently caused some shock waves. About half the people who reacted were upset that a casino had invaded their city. The other half got upset after they realized the story was a fake and the casino

hadn't opened.

Sometimes you just can't win for losin'.

The Water Wheel folks even took a few inquiries from walk-in customers wondering where they could find the one-arm bandits and craps tables.

In all fairness to those who misunderstood, the promo at the bottom of the page that said "APRIL FOOLS" was faint. You had to look hard to find it. And the banner running across the top was in the same Old English typeface that's used on our real front.

But, come on. I can understand someone being momentarily deceived, but even a semi-conscious reader should have caught on after a few minutes of story scanning.

A couple of the people I talked to angrily criticized the page for being the "dumbest thing" they'd ever seen in a newspaper.

They're right of course, the page was pure silliness.

But so what? What's the harm in taking a yearly sabbatical from the somber routine and producing something that's complete nonsense?

I really want us to keep running our April Fools spoof. It gives our reporters a break from monotony and a chance to poke a little good-natured fun at some of the people and institutions that tend to take themselves very seriously.

But I suppose we'll have to do something to make the parody more obvious in the future. After all, there's a certain plausibility in people serving a two week sentence for taking too much time at the library copy machine.

Lee Snider is the editor of The Northville Record.

In Focus

By John Heider



Dig in

A hungry youngster tears into a slice of Hungry Howie's pizza during the annual Northville Business Showcase at the Northville Community Center. The event took place March 25.

Wisdom and one liners to live by

Random thoughts from the notebook of a hard-working but humble newsman:



Randy Coble

GENERAL THOUGHTS

I mentioned Colin Powell's "rules" in a recent story and since then I've gotten a couple of requests for copies. Powell, who chaired the joint chiefs of staff during the Persian Gulf War, was a near-candidate for president last year.

The rules were included in *My American Journey*, the general's autobiography. Whatever your opinion is of Colin Powell or his politics, it's an engaging and thought-provoking read.

In the book Powell lists the 13 one-liners about life he's found to be true over the years. He kept them under glass at his Pentagon desk. Here they are:

1. It ain't as bad as you think. It will look better in the morning.
2. Get mad, then get over it.
3. Avoid having your ego so close to your position that when your position falls, your ego goes with it.
4. It can be done!
5. Be careful what you choose. You may get it.
6. Don't let adverse facts stand in the way of a good decision.
7. You can't make someone else's choices. You shouldn't let someone else make yours.
8. Check small things.
9. Share credit.
10. Remain calm. Be kind.
11. Have a vision. Be demanding.
12. Don't take counsel of your fears or naysayers.
13. Perpetual optimism is a force multiplier.

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Letters

Are religions responsible for craziness?

Over time, there have been a number of group suicides.

Not many years ago, we were shocked by the "Jones" episode in South America's Guyana.

Several days ago we were told of the 39 members of the "Heaven's Gate" cult who committed suicide in preparation to boarding a UFO

that, they believed, trailed behind the Hale-Bopp comet that was, at the time, traveling across the sky.

Religions have many times in our history caused people to harm themselves or others. I mention but a few: the Crusades, the Spanish Inquisition, etc., various religious cults.

Have beliefs engendered by cults on one end of the spectrum, to the myriad religions of the world on the other, resulted in behavior that is non-rational non-sense?

Is faith in a belief but a brain-washing that replaces reason with self-deception in a pusillanimous attempt to circumvent reality?

Bruno Bettelheim, Ph.D., a noted professional on children's psychiatric problems wrote: "Life, having no purpose, is made livable only by pretending, through fiction, that it did."

Are religions, cults, etc., anything but a form of escapism? Alfred P. Galli

Charter schools show dismal test results

To understand Gov. John Engler, you must grasp that he is more interested in peddling ideology than in solving practical problems of education.

That is why he is targeting 10 public school districts for a state takeover instead of the so-called "charter schools," which are mostly former private schools getting state money.

Many charter schools are losers. Check the latest round of Michigan Educational Assessment Program tests of math and reading taken by 120,000 fourth and seventh graders. Of those, 96 percent were in true public schools, with elected school boards and PTAs, so the state totals are roughly the same as the public school totals.

In fourth grade math, 60.5 percent of the total got "satisfactory" scores versus 35.4 percent of charter pupils. "Low" scores were recorded by 18.1 percent of the total and 41.4 percent of the charter pupils. In every category, public schools as a group did better than charter schools as a group.

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"satisfactory" math scores in fourth and seventh grades. Sierra Leone Educational Outreach - which boasts "heterogeneous" classrooms, African studies, karate and computer technology in its curriculum - scored 8 and 8 in the same categories.

In Lansing, another in the state's top 10 bad list, public school pupils had 39.7 and 31 percent "satisfactory" scores in fourth and seventh grade math.

Weak, but still better than Sankofa Shule, whose "African-centered liberal arts and science curriculum" resulted in scores of 29.4 percent "satisfactory" in the same categories.

Why even dream of taking over Muskegon schools? Tri-Valley Academy, with its emphasis on Spanish, saw its students score 2 percent "satisfactory" in fourth grade math and 4 percent in seventh grade reading - and 88 percent "low."

Oak Park public school pupils saw 62.1 and 78.2 percent satisfactory scores in math in fourth and seventh grades. Academy of Detroit Oak Park reported 5.2 and 5.2 percent satisfactory math scores.

Also on Engler's hit list is the Southfield district, which saw 63.1 and 52.7 percent satisfactory scores in math. But AGBU Alex & Marie Manouglian School, which stresses Armenian culture and bilingualism, recorded only 46.7 and 46.7 percent satisfactory in the top math brackets. And Academy of Detroit-Southfield, which lauds the "free enterprise system," had satisfactory math scores of 21.7 and 21.7.

The case for charter schools looks even grimmer when one examines some of the "Native American" schools.

Nah Tah Wahsh, which offers "native culture and language" in the Menominee County hamlet of Wilson, had zero satisfactory scores in reading and 11 percent satisfactory in math in both grades.

What about specialized academies? Northlane Math and Science Academy, in Midland County, saw 50 percent of both fourth and seventh graders score in the "low" category - in math!

In a handful of cases, academies scored higher than local public schools. Thomas-Gist Academy, located in the Inkster School District part of Westland, recorded 68.6 and 51.4 percent satisfactory grades in fourth grade math and reading, respectively - well ahead of Inkster's 24.5 and 23.1 and even ahead of Wayne-Westland's 52.1 and 43.2.

With a few exceptions, charter academies did badly. Engler won't admit it, because he is pandering - "satisfying the expectations of the parents who choose to send their children to them," in the words of state superintendent Art Ellis' report on charter schools.

Now you also know why Engler's executive orders last December curbed the State Board of Education's powers over the state's charter schools.

Tim Richard reports on the local implications of state and regional events.

Tim Richard

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Educational comparisons are apples to oranges

In the minds of many people, it's a given that America's schools are failing.



G. Michael Abbott

Any international comparison of education, of course, is a complex subject involving cultural differences, questions about who should and shouldn't be measured, and the values involved, to name just a few variables.

I'd like to give one bit of evidence that perhaps our schools are not failing.

Some observers point to the high scholastic scores achieved by Japanese students compared to their American counterparts. Surely, they think their schools are better than ours.

Not necessarily.

Shouldn't these same Japanese students, upon entering our schools, show declines in their scholastic scores? And shouldn't Japanese students entering our kindergartens and first grades do about the same scholastically as students born and raised in the U.S.? If the schools were the only fault factor in our students' lower scores, wouldn't it also show in the Japanese students' achievement levels?

It doesn't. Japanese students attending U.S. schools continue to achieve at high levels compared to indigenous students. They achieve academic honors in far greater numbers, proportionately, than home-grown students, and even Japanese first graders attending our schools tend to do far better.

What's going on here?

One clue is found in the involvement of Japanese parents (mothers particularly). They spend two hours or more a night helping their children with school work. The Japanese know

they have one and only one resource: their people. So they spend more time, energy and money helping their children develop than we do. We have so many resources that we may devalue the importance of our children as a "resource."

So, until restructuring occurs, until national testing begins, until more money is spent on resources, until a new breed of teacher comes along, until more choice is offered, until teacher empowerment is realized, until all the utopian visions of schools come true, there is one thing we can do that costs nothing yet pays big dividends: enlist the power and support of parents, the most influential people in our students' lives, in the educational enterprise.

Then perhaps we will have a chance of equaling or surpassing the Japanese academically.

G. Michael Abbott is a retired public school teacher and a contributing columnist to The Northville Record.

Project seeks to train teachers as leaders

By WENDY PIERMAN MITZEL
Staff Writer

Some local educators say there is one sure way to reform education in America - change from within.

"You can't reform schools by passing laws at a legislative level or by making new rules," said John Burkhardt, a Novi resident and program director at the W.K. Kellogg Foundation. "It really requires teachers to take the responsibility and authority for what happens in the classroom. They will lead reform."

As part of that theory, the foundation, local school districts and community colleges are teaming up to create a new group of "teacher-leaders" to take part in what is now called The Galileo Project.

"We were very concerned about how important teachers' roles are going to have to be if we're going to reform education," Burkhardt said.

Along with Novi, participants include the Northville, Farmington, Southfield and Walled Lake public school districts, as well as Oakland and Schoolcraft community colleges, the Oakland Intermediate School District and the Wayne County Regional Educational Agency.

The four-year, \$1 million program is looking for 75 creative, dynamic, risk-taking and motivated educators to take part in the project. Teachers from participating school districts were presented with the information and a video presentation and asked to apply.

The participants selected to join the program will be announced April 10 during the official launch at the Novi Hilton Hotel. Twenty-one Northville educators submitted applications to take part, and seven have been selected, according to Cooke Middle School Assistant Principal and project facilitator Gail Weeks.

"Teachers can be leaders in their buildings even without being principals," Weeks said. "The participants will be meeting all throughout the summer and for the next two years with top-notch people - not just educators but people from the outside too."

Weeks said another contingent



Project participants Joyce Fouts, Teri Moblo and Martha Nield plan leadership training.

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-John Burkhardt
W.K. Kellogg Foundation

of seven members of the Northville Education Association will be chosen from a second open application process at a later date.

Galileo teachers will explore four areas: rethinking the profession, personal development as a leader, interpersonal relationship behaviors and skills and systems thinking.

Participants will be released from their assignments during the year to make site visits, complete internships, participate in leadership development activities and attend weekend sessions.

"One of the things that makes the Galileo project unique and

important is it begins to look at education across a whole lot of boundaries," Burkhardt said.

The project is funded by the W.K. Kellogg Foundation, with contributions from the school districts and in-kind donations. The Kellogg Foundation is footing 75 percent of the cost of the first year of the program, or \$400,000.

Each of the school districts will contribute an estimated \$2,500 per teacher per year, according to Jimi Koster, assistant superintendent for business.

The expense includes the costs for substitute teachers to take over when participants are at seminars.

Burkhardt said the project was funded by the Kellogg Foundation because of the potential within the education community to develop initiatives and spread the information to other schools and educational institutions.

"We see it as a way to get teachers directly involved in leading the schools and students," Moblo said.

Burkhardt said the Galileo project is different from other professional development programs that teach leadership. Because teachers work with teachers from different districts and at different grade levels, it allows for release time from the school day, and it asks the administration and school board of each district to rethink the policies placed on teachers.

Burkhardt said that the teaching profession used to be made up of women who were perceived as professionals committed to the advocacy of children. But that perception has changed, he said, and now teachers aren't accorded the same respect as other professions.

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Mill Race Matters

As the Northville Historical Society begins preparation for spring and summer activities at Mill Race Village one of the first groups to meet to plan their schedule will be the school tour docents. A small group of volunteers provides tours of the village and information about school life during the 1870s to area elementary school students.

During the spring and fall first through sixth grade classes visit Mill Race almost daily. Each day one docent is assigned to open the school, furnish some historic information about it, provide a tour of other village buildings, then return at the close of the school day to check and lock the school building.

The docents will meet on Wednesday, April 9, at 9:30 a.m. in the Wash Oak School at Mill Race. For the past several years, five individuals - Judy Kohl, Elayne Elliott, Bruce Turnbull, Marietta Rathbun, and Diane Rockall - have been conducting the program. Others interested in becoming involved should also try to attend this meeting. Training can be provided for those who would like to help but lack the necessary background information.

The commitment involves approximately two hours of time in the morning and 30 minutes in the afternoon. Each docent conducts five or six tours each season. If you would like to become involved but are unable to attend this meeting, contact 348-1845.

Also upcoming are the renewed annual progressive dinner this spring and the traditional antique auction, this year planned as part of the village's July 4 festivities.

Over the past few weeks, this column has dealt with community groups which serve the Northville area. This week, a look at some of the community's businesses from the past and present.

One of Northville's oldest surviving businesses is *The Northville Record*. The newspaper began publication in 1869 and has continued uninterrupted since that time. A local young man, Samuel Little, decided to begin publication of the weekly during the summer of 1869.

In the beginning, Little traveled by wagon to Detroit with his hand-set pages to have them printed on *Detroit Free Press* presses. The journey was an all day event as was the return. By early 1870, prominent members of the community started a fund to aid in securing a press for this community.

Little left Northville, probably in 1879, the last year his name appears on the masthead. The paper continued under a series of editors and publishers. Copies of the 1880-81 papers have been destroyed over the years, but back copies of most editions are now available on microfilm at the Northville District Library and in the Northville Historical Society Community Archives.

For the past 10 years, a group of devoted volunteers working through the Friends of the Northville District Library has been indexing the back issues of *The Northville Record*. Printed volumes are available for the first 20 years of publication.

The indexed material should also soon be available through computer access. The volunteer group has already processed material into the 1910s. While working from the earliest date the volunteers and library staff have also been indexing current issues so someday the entire run of the newspaper should be easily accessible.

In recent years, the newspaper has been published by *Hometown Newspapers*. Its current editor is Lee Snider.

-Diane M. Rockall

CALENDAR

Tuesday, April 8	Stone Gang	Village, 9 a.m.-noon
Wednesday, April 9	School Docent Meeting	Wash Oak, 9:30 a.m.
	Archives	Cady, 9-11 a.m.
	Basket Guild	Cady, 10 a.m.
Thursday, April 10	Friends of Mill Pond	Cady, 7:30 a.m.

Library Lines

LIBRARY HOURS:

The Northville District Library winter/spring hours are: Monday-Thursday, 10 a.m.-9 p.m.; Friday-Saturday, 10 a.m.-5 p.m.; Sunday, 1-5 p.m.

For more information, please contact the library at (810) 349-3020 during open hours.

LIBRARY BOARD MEETING:

The next meeting of the Northville District Library Board will be on Thursday, April 10, at 7:30 p.m. in the library's meeting room. The meeting is open to the public and all are welcome.

FAMILY COMMUNICATION PROGRAM:

The Northville District Library sponsors an event by Hegira Programs, a mental health organization, on Tuesday, April 8, at 7 p.m. The topic is "Three Keys to a Better Relationship With Your Teen."

The program is free and all are welcome.

BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP:

Come and meet fellow readers every second Monday at 7 p.m. at the Northville District Library for a Book Discussion Group. The program is free and all are welcome to attend.

The next program, on Monday, April 14, features the book *Alias, Grace* by Margaret Atwood. Based on a true story, Atwood's tale revolves around Grace Marks, a servant convicted of brutally killing her employer and his mistress.

COLLEGE PLANNING:

The Northville District Library is sponsoring an investment series that will be presented by Merrill Lynch financial consultants. The first program is on Wednesday, April 9, at 7 p.m., "College Planning: Design a Plan for Funding Your Child's Education."

The program is free and all are welcome.

STORYTIME REGISTRATION:

Registration for preschool storytime for children ages 4-5 not yet in kindergarten is under way. The programs will be offered on the following dates and times: Tuesdays at 2 p.m. April 8, 15, 22, and 29, and May 6 and 13; Thursdays at 11 a.m. April 10, 17, and

24, and May 1, 8 and 15.

Enrollment is limited for all programs.

WEB SITES OF THE WEEK:

Are you the type of person who considers a five mile run "an afternoon job?" When you talk to your friends, do you compare PRs and your mileage for the week?

If you answered yes to these questions, then you must be a running fanatic. The popular running magazine *Runner's World* should be your next stop on the Internet. This site is full of useful information on the world of running. You'll find helpful information on injuries, nutrition, and improving your training regime. *Runner's World* can be found at: www.runnersworld.com

If you are all ready to run but have no where to go, run on over to another running-based web site, Running Fit.

Running Fit is three local stores, including one in Northville, that cater to the needs of runners from the beginner to marathoners. Running Fit's web site is chock full of useful information of the local running scene. Check out Running Fit at: www.apln.com/runfit/.

These sites and many others can be quickly accessed by way of the Northville District Library Home Page at: ln.lib.mi.us/~nort/.

LOCAL HISTORY PROGRAM:

Come to the Northville District Library and attend a program focusing on our own local history. On Saturday, April 19, at 1 p.m., Julie Fountain, local author/historian and editor of Northville Historical Society's *Mill Race Quarterly*, will speak on the "Early History of the Northville District Library."

The program is free and all are welcome.

STAR TREK PROGRAM:

Attention Star Trek fans: Mark Gilday, member of the USS Intrepid, the organization that sponsors the local Star Trek conventions, will be speaking on "Star Trek Memories" on Tuesday, April 29, at 7 p.m. at the Northville District Library.

Mark will share anecdotes of some of the stars he has met, the crazy things that can happen at conventions, and a video from the latest convention. The program is free and all

are welcome.

FRIENDS OF THE NORTHVILLE DISTRICT LIBRARY - by Edith Dunbar

Karla Scoble was recently elected president of the Friends of the Northville District Library, which now numbers 286 members.

Working with her will be Jacqueline Gonyea and Deborah Malinowski, vice presidents; Arlyne Rawson, treasurer; Michele Fecht and Patsy Johnson, secretaries; Fran Mattison, Bette Cahill, Marcy Hershoren and Geraldine Mills, directors.

Committee chairs are Pat Allen, membership; Betty Griffin, newsletter and book/author luncheon; Lois Winters, staff appreciation; Cindy Smith, welcome baby; Mernie Hines and Dee Prom, Northville Record indexing project; and Edith Dunbar, public relations.

At the election meeting last Saturday, two members received special recognition: Janine Bauchtat for outstanding leadership as president for the past three years and Mernie Hines for her dedication to the indexing project.

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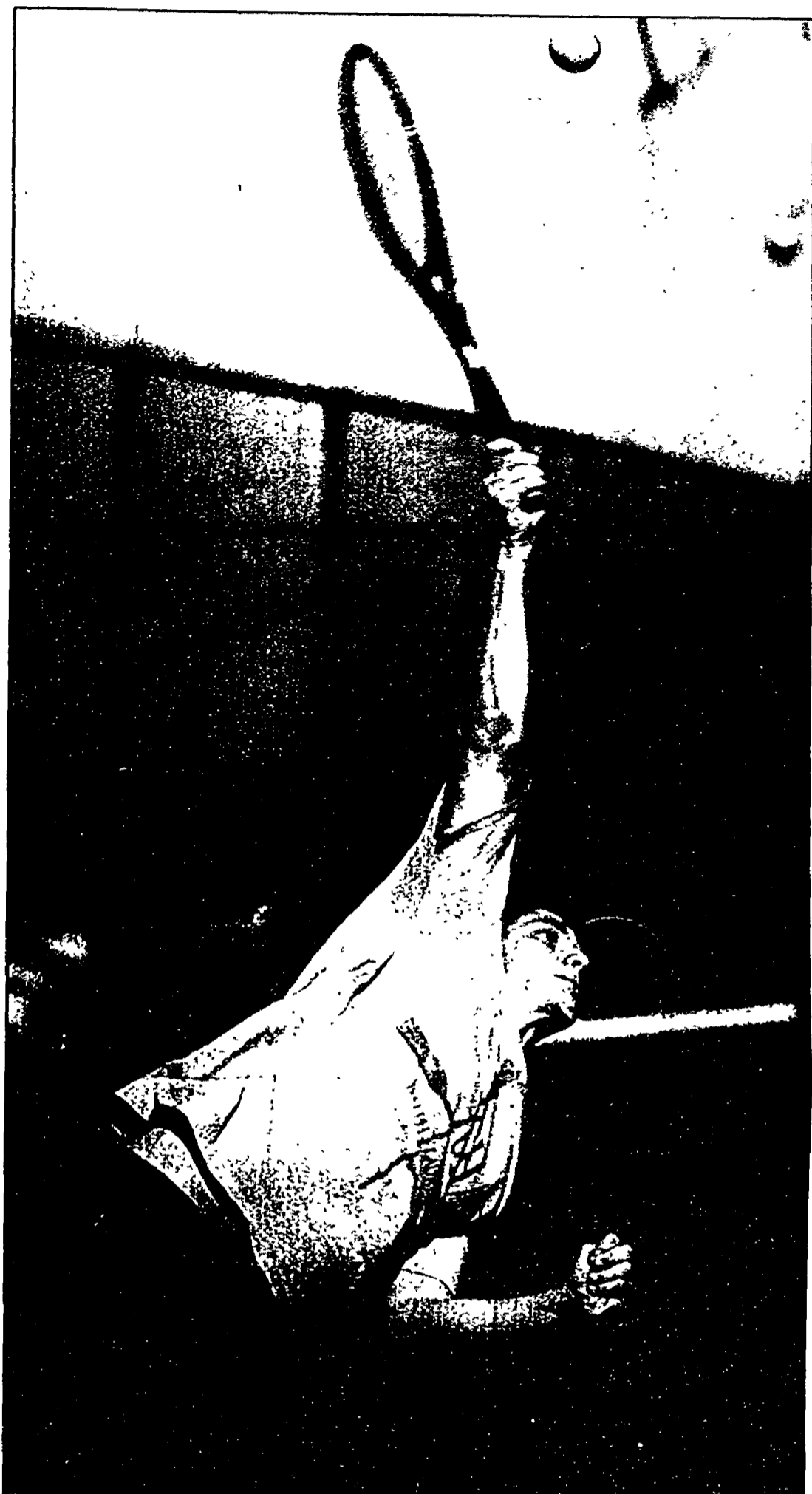
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Dave Anderson, a senior, is Northville's returning No. 1 singles player.

PLAYING THE NUMBERS GAME

Northville High shoots for its sixth straight conference championship, top ten finish in state

When you think about it, numbers play a vital role in almost every sport.

Baseball relies on batting and earned run averages to gauge player performance. Even a casual basketball fan knows a triple-double, double figures in three statistical categories, means an excellent night for Grant Hill.

Numbers are also important to the Northville High tennis team.

The Mighty Mustangs have won five straight Western Lakes Activities Association championships. That's not even to mention 64 straight regular season dual meet victories.

But as far as singles player Mike Bush is concerned only one number really matters.

"I want to finish in the top five in the state this year," the senior said. "If everyone believes we can, we will."

The Mustangs finished 13th in the state last spring. Northville

made it to the finals after placing second in its region.

"Coach Dick Norton thinks his team is a pretty good bet to make a return trip to the final. Like Bush, he believes the Mustangs will do well."

"My desire this year would be to place somewhere in the top 10," said Norton.

Northville appears to have the lineup to make those hopes become a reality.

Unlike past seasons, though, that lineup isn't etched in stone. The Mustangs have about a half-dozen players that are nearly interchangeable.

"We're pretty close all the way down," said Norton. "Right now, it's hard to say what the lineup should be."

David Anderson played at top singles a year ago. A solid all-around performer, he made it to the conference semi-finals last spring.

Bush was the WLAA champion at No. 3 singles. It was the second straight title for the senior, who won fourth singles as a sophomore.

"He looks really good," said Norton.

Arjun Srinivasan, Ganesh Nayakwadi and Nick Sriramin are other candidates for singles slots. All three are seniors as are Anderson and Bush.

"We call ourselves the Fab Five," said Bush. "We've played each other since the seventh grade."

Competition has been close among the group over the years. Anderson was the unquestioned leader for several years.

But Bush says the gap has closed recently. The group thrives on proving who's king of the hill.

"Competition among ourselves keeps us going," Mike added.

Northville will be tough in doubles, too.

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Softball team looks for winning season

By SCOTT DANIEL
Sports Editor

Great strides. That's what the Mustang softball team made last year under first-year coach Karen Baird. Northville went from 3-21 in 1995 to 10-14 last spring.

Now, in year two, Baird is hoping her team can jump over the .500 mark and into the league race.

"I think we have a great shot at our division because of our pitching," said Baird, an All-American player herself in college.

Northville returns five players from last year's varsity. Among those are the team's two pitchers, Michelle Menghini and Sarah Johnson.

The two seniors will split time on the mound, pitching every other game, Baird said. Menghini throws a bit harder than Johnson, but Sarah may spot her pitches a tad better.

"They're pretty comparable pitchers," said Baird.

Having two good pitchers will give the Mustang an advantage, she added. If one is having an off day, Baird said she won't hesitate to bring in the other.

Sophomore Amanda Rice will be the everyday catcher. She takes over for four-year starter Jenny Sheehan.

"She has big shoes to fill," said Baird.

Rice is blessed with a strong throwing arm from behind the plate and hits with power.

"She looks great so far," Baird said.

Rice got some experience on varsity last year playing in the outfield and behind the plate. Baird said that should help ease the transition from Sheehan.

At first base, senior Kristen Dawson will likely see the most time. Baird said she has a good glove at first and is an excellent athlete.

Christine Connolly will also see time at first. She'll play in the outfield when Dawson starts at first.

"She's a smart hitter," Baird said



File Photo

Michelle Menghini will be one of Northville's top pitchers.

of Connolly. "She sees the ball well."

When she's not pitching, Johnson will work at second base. Menghini will be the shortstop when she's not throwing from the mound.

Juniors Kellie Reichard and Marcy Magnuson will play at second base and shortstop, respectively, depending on who's pitching. Senior captain Erin Tovey is another possibility for shortstop.

Sophomore Lisa Scheich looks like a good bet for third base.

"She has a great glove," Baird said. "She's almost like a Hoover (vacuum cleaner)."

Despite being 5-feet 1-inch tall, Baird said Scheich creates tremendous bat speed and hits with a lot of power.

"She has great ability," the coach added.

In the outfield, Sarah Adamson, Connolly and Kelly DeLeonardis will see plenty of playing time.

Baird said Northville should hit

a little better than last year to go along with its solid pitching. She added that the Mustangs will be aggressive.

"We're going to do a lot of running," Baird said.

Northville will have to rely on the leadership of captains Tovey, Johnson and Menghini to do well this year.

"We're looking at them to guide us and provide great leadership," said Baird. "I'm expecting a lot out of them."

Northville doesn't have a lot of varsity experience beyond that trio.

"We have a young squad," said Baird, "but a very good young squad."

Walled Lake Central is probably the team to beat. The defending Western Lakes Activities Association champions are ranked No. 9 in Class A coming into the season.

Baird said Canton will be tough.

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Northville fields new nine

By SCOTT DANIEL
Sports Editor

Winning the WLAA baseball championship wasn't easy for Northville High last spring.

A senior-dominated Mustang squad had to fight and scratch for every victory. But it all paid off in the end as Northville beat Walled Lake Central for its first title in coins.

This season, the Mustangs will have to work even harder to defend their crown. With an almost entirely new starting lineup and not a great deal of size, coach Mickey Newman knows his team has a big task ahead of it.

"Everything we do we'll have to work for," he said. "We're going to have to get on base with scrappy at bats, steal bases and score on ground balls and flyballs."

Northville, which went 14-7 overall and 8-2 in the Western Division, had horses like Tom Willerer, Mark Sander, Kyle Hitchcock, Chuck Yessian and Nate Forney to rely on a year ago. All have since graduated, leaving the door wide open for a new group of Mustangs.

"We've got good speed and athletic ability," Newman said of this year's club. "But we'll have to be scrappy. We'll have to play above our heads sometimes to compete with a few of the teams in the conference."

Good pitching, of course, can make up for a lot of shortcomings.

Traditionally, the Mustangs have had a pretty good staff. Newman is hoping this year will be no exception. Joe Willey looks to be the No. 1 starter. A 6-foot 3-inch right hander, the senior pitched extensively last year.

"He's got a lot of experience," said Newman. "His split-fingered fastball is his best pitch."

Kevin Gilchrist dominated at junior varsity last year with a 7-1 record and low earned run average. Newman has the junior penciled in as the No. 2 starter.

Sophomore Rob Reel would've likely been Northville's other starter. But he recently had foot surgery and will miss the spring campaign.

Ryan Morris and Justin Stevenson are battling for the third slot in his absence. Newman said he'll go with a three-man rotation, which will leave either or Morris or Stevenson in the bullpen.

Seniors Scott Vigh and Phil Kozdron are battling for the relief ace role. Both are right handers.

Junior Brian Horn, the staff's lone lefty, fills out the bullpen. Despite having only seven pitchers, Newman said depth shouldn't be a problem.

"I don't think it will hurt us too much," he said. "We have enough good pitchers to get through the season."

John Rohrhoff will do the bulk of the catching. A 5-6 senior, Newman said he'll do a good job with the pitching staff.

"He's an excellent defensive catcher," the coach said. "He's really a key for us. He needs to play well defensively so our pitchers can throw all of their pitches."

Juniors Gordie McPhail and Ryan Gallogly will back Rohrhoff up behind the plate.

At first base, Gilchrist will get the nod when he's not pitching. Stevenson and veteran Bill Sekerka will also play.

"Kevin will bat No. 4 for us," said Newman. "We'll need to get some (offensive) production out of first base."

Andy Deacon and Suren Srabian, both juniors, are vying for second base.

"They're both are very similar," Newman said. "Both have good offensive capabilities and defensively both are solid."

Vigh and Eric Arnold, a junior, are fighting it out at shortstop. Sekerka and Eric Swietlik will split time at third base and designated hitter.

"We're pretty much two deep at all of the infield positions," Newman said. "We should be strong up the middle, which will be important because all of those guys on the corner are learning a new position."

In the outfield, Kozdron should start in right. Kelly Bingley in center and Tim Burke in left.

"They all have real good speed and are good defensively," Newman said.

Northville opens the season Monday at home against South Lyon.

BASEBALL SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Home/Away	Time
4/7	South Lyon	H	4
4/9	Stevenson	A	4
4/14	Franklin	A	4
4/16	N. Farmington	H	4
4/18	Western	H	4
4/21	Harrison	A	4
4/23	John Glenn	A	4
4/25	Churchill	A	4
4/26	Novi (2)	H	11
4/28	Canton	H	4
4/30	Central	H	4
5/2	Franklin	H	4
5/5	Western	A	4
5/7	Salem	A	4
5/9	Harrison	H	4
5/12	Churchill	H	4
5/14	Farmington	H	4
5/15	Canton	A	4
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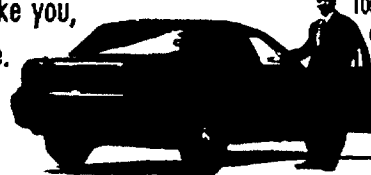
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Kickers ready to challenge for league title

By SCOTT DANIEL
Sports Editor

It doesn't take long to figure out if your team is among the state's soccer elite when you play in the Western Lakes Activities Association.

Each spring, the 12-school conference routinely has four to five teams ranked in Class A's top 10. Heck, Canton won the state title last year.

Northville High will see just where it's at Monday with a game at Salem starting at 7 p.m. Coach Doug Lyon believes his Mustangs are primed for an excellent season.

"We should win our division and play for the conference title," he said. "We have a very good chance."

That's saying a lot since Canton plays in Northville's division. The Chiefs didn't lose a great deal off of their championship team, either.

But with a solid lineup from goaltender to forward, the coach has every reason to be optimistic.

"Talent-wise and player to player," said Lyon, "we're better than most."

Meghan Cauzillo anchors the squad at goalkeeper. The senior has been with the Mustangs for four years now and is one of the area's premier netminders.

"She's a regional Olympic development program player," Lyon said.

Senior Erin Bowdell will back up Cauzillo. The coach said she's capable and will see some playing time.

Kristin Baja will lead the defensive corps. The senior will be the last line of defense at sweeper.

Lisa Tolstedt, a three-year varsity player, will take one of the full-back slots. Senior Dana Noval will play at stopper.

"She's extremely skilled and very tough," Lyon said of Noval.

Leela Harmer and Carrie Wasalaski round out the fullbacks.

"With Kristin leading the way our defense will be very strong," Lyon said.

Northville will put extra emphasis on defense this spring with a new four-four-two alignment.

The Mustangs will play four fullbacks or defenders, four at

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midfield and two at forward. Northville had used a four-three-three system in previous seasons.

Lyon said the extra midfielder should allow his team to control the ball more and cut down on offensive chances for other clubs.

At midfield, Lyndsay Huot leads the way. The senior will be one of many offensive weapons for the Mustangs.

Tisha Mazzola, Amanda DeKoker and Lori Carbott will likely figure in the starting lineup.

Janet MacDonald, Jamie Tharp, Nicole Gellner and Keri Whelan will all see time at midfield, too. Lyon said he'll use his entire roster liberally this season.

Up front, Bridget Bowdell is the top returner. The sophomore is capable of big numbers in terms of goal production.

Jackie Rompel, likewise, can find the back of the net with the best of them. Blakely Berry, a junior, will also see time up front.

Northville will go into Monday's contest with a 0-1 record. Brighton beat the Mustangs 3-2 on March 26.

Rompel and Huot scored Northville's goals.



Jackie Rompel (right) will be one of Northville's main offensive weapons this spring.

Prasad leads golfers

By SCOTT DANIEL
Sports Editor

Even good programs have down years.

At 5-4 and fifth place overall in the Western Lakes Activities Association, 1996 was a "down" year for the Northville High golf team. This season, the Mustangs are hoping to regain the form that made them champions in 1993-94.

"We've got a little more depth this year," longtime coach Trish Murray said. "If we can finish in the top three, I think it would be a good season."

Livonia Stevenson took the WLAA title a year ago with Plymouth Salem taking second. Murray said both the Spartans and the Rocks will be tough again along with Westland John Glenn and a combined Farmington squad.

Murray said it may be unrealistic to think her team can go through the conference unscathed.

"We definitely want to stay above .500," she said. "I'd like to finish no worse than third (overall)."

Monica Prasad, a senior, is Northville's top returner. She made All-Western Division last spring.

Murray said Prasad is a candidate for all-conference this year.

"I think she'll shoot in the low 40s (for nine holes)," said Murray.

Katie Culp is another senior Northville will rely on. She figures to be in the Mustangs' top group all season.

Meredith Walsh rounds out the list of seniors. She'll be trying to crack into Northville's top six as well.

Andrea Troshinetz and Sarah Church are Northville's juniors. Murray is high on Troshinetz.

"Andrea is an athlete through and through," she commented.

Northville will get contributions from several sophomores.

Marie Dingwall and Becky Rankin both saw time at varsity as freshmen a year ago. Murray said both are capable of shooting well.

Julie Cyrek and Jennie Church join the Mustangs as sophomores as well.

Lauren Eathorne, Jessie Mills and Georgie Walsh are Mustang freshmen. Each will play mostly at the junior varsity level.

Northville opens its season April 19 at the South Lyon tournament.

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Racing for the top

Runners aim for WLAA crown

By SCOTT DANIEL
Sports Editor

Every spring, it seems, Northville High is in the hunt for a Western Lakes men's track and field championship.

Despite being smaller than powerhouses like Plymouth-Salem, Plymouth-Canton and Westland John Glenn, the Mustangs are always near the top. Last year was no exception.

Northville took fourth in the conference and posted a 6-2 dual meet record. The Mustangs were also second in the Western Division.

Coach Dennis Faletti said his team can do better.

"Two losses for us were disappointing," he commented. "In the last five years we only have five losses."

Salem won the WLAA championship a year ago. Faletti said schools like Walled Lake Western and John Glenn could unseat the Rocks.

Don't count out his Mustangs, either.

"I think we'll be tough," Faletti said. "We're in the top five for sure."

The Mustangs began practicing in early March. Faletti said his team has been able to run on the track much of the time, which is a real switch from the past couple of years.

"I think we're ahead of last year," he said.

The Mustangs will get a chance to see just what kind of shape they're in Tuesday against Novi with the season opener. Faletti will not carry a set lineup into the dual with the Wildcats.

He said he would run "whoever is the best shape" coming off spring break. The longtime coach is known for changing his lineup throughout the season.

At any rate, Northville should be strong in almost every event this spring.

Jim and Tony Clemens will anchor sprints. The junior twins will run both the 100- and 200-meter dashes and on 400- and 800-meter relays.

Tony suffered through a wrist injury much of last season. Despite that fact, he was able to take second in the 200-meter dash.

Mike Linker and Gino Peters return to run sprints as well. Both should see time in the open races and relays.

Faletti said the group should score a lot of points. But he warns that Northville can't afford any injuries.

"We're not as deep with top people," he said, "but we should be



Luis Guarjardo (rear) will run the 400 and 800 meter open and relay events for Northville.

OK."

Peters will be the Mustangs' main man in the 110- and 300-meter hurdles. Freshman Brett Pawling could be one to watch as well.

Northville looks equally solid in middle distance.

Seniors John MacInnis, Luis Guarjardo and Jon Woodsum give Northville lots of speed in the 400- and 800-meter open races. Woodsum, for example, was third in the conference in the 800 last year.

Look for junior Matt Carroll to step in and make an impact as well. Faletti said he may use Carroll anywhere from the 200-meter dash up to the 1,600-meter.

"It should turn out to be fairly strong," Faletti said of his mid-distance group.

Many of Northville's long distance runners will come from last fall's cross country squad.

Kevin Arbuckle, a sophomore, will run both the 1,600- and 3,200-meter races as will Tim Schovers and John Julow. Faletti said junior Steve Weickel could be the top 1,600-meter man.

The coach also likes the way Julow, a senior, has been running. "He's looking very good right now," Faletti said.

As of now, Northville's runners appear to be ahead of the field athletes.

"I'd say we're going to be stronger on the track than on field events," Faletti commented.

Ross Baker and Bryan Grider will be Northville's top throwers. Faletti said both have improved over last year.

"I think they'll score consistently," he added.

Jim Clemens and Guarjardo will be Northville's top long jumpers. Josh Minard, Mike Comb and Matt Hare will compete in the high jump.

The Mustangs top pole vaulter looks like junior Josh Brugeman. Brian Clowers will also see action in the event.

Mustangs hope for respectability in '97

By SCOTT DANIEL
Sports Editor

Northville High's women's track team will be bigger this year, but it's doubtful the Mustangs will be better than a year ago.

That's the word from coach Chris Cronin as Northville prepares to open its season Tuesday at home against Novi.

"We're going to be in a rebuilding phase for a couple of years," he admitted. "Right now we really don't have a strength. We're a mediocre team. But that's a step up from 1-6."

The Mustangs won just once in seven tries last year. Northville held its own on the track, but simply couldn't compete in the field.

"It was our Achilles heel last year," Cronin said. "Other than the long jump we didn't score points in field events."

Northville will come into the season with its biggest team in years. The Mustangs currently have 75 athletes, about 15 more than last year.

"I think we have some good athletes that are willing to work hard," Cronin added.

Practice has been solid for the Mustangs. Many came into the March workouts in good condition.

"We're in good shape in terms of conditioning," Cronin said. "Overall, I'm pretty pleased with where we're at."

It's a good thing the team is in excellent shape. This season is being squeezed into just 36 days, from the first meet with Novi to the regional at Milford in mid May.

"It's not much time to prepare," said Cronin. "We're hoping our conditioning will allow us to be in real good shape by the end of the season."

Northville will need to improve in the field if it is to win more than one dual meet this year.

Cronin was hoping the long

jump would be one of his team's stronger events. But the absence of Ashley Ossola, who decided not to come out for track, and an injury to Melissa Poole have left the lineup in doubt.

Erica Winn, Missy MacRae and Christina Chase appear as the most likely candidates for the long jump. Cronin hopes to have Poole back in a few weeks.

Mary Essary, Lauren Metaj and Dana Chamotti will work in the high jump. Cronin thinks each can get close to five feet, which would score points.

"We should improve in that event," he insisted.

Freshmen Jessica Poole and Christy Mimikos show great potential in the shot put and discus. Cronin is particularly high on Poole.

"If she's willing to work hard," he said, "she can be one of the best Northville has seen."

Jackie Black and Rachel Baker are other throwing candidates. Northville needs more output from its discus and shot put throwers than last year.

"We need two girls that can throw 85 feet," Cronin said of the discus.

If Northville had a strength last year, it was in sprint events. Carrie Dalziel, Nicole Weyer and Katie Rompel were all good sprinters, but all have graduated.

Metaj, Chase and Poole will look to fill the void. Emily Howland may provide a boost if she can recover fully from a hip injury.

The Mustangs may get another shot in the arm from sophomore Brigid Bowdell. A soccer star, she'll split time between the two squads.

Cronin said she won't be able to run at every meet, but Bowdell will be "a big addition" for the meets she can participate in.

The coach expects opponents to dominate Northville in sprints

early on. "We'll be a team at first that'll really struggle in sprints," he said. "Hopefully, by the end of the year we'll be solid."

In terms of mid distance, Lori Delano is one to watch. Lisa Armstrong, Kristen Kolarchick and Karen Loeffler are other top 400- and 800-meter runners.

Stephanie Flood, Adrienne Man-

arina and Loeffler will be Northville's top long distance runners.

Cronin said his team will be much better by the end of the season. But he's not sure what that'll mean in the win-loss category.

"We're hoping to have an average season," he said, "and steal a few meets."

Sports Shorts

HOCKEY HEROES

Northville residents Ryan Ossenmacher (Catholic Central) and Ryan Ward (Northville High School) are members of the Plymouth-Canton Midget AA Hockey Team which recently won the state Midget AA title in Battle Creek. The Stingrays now travel to St. Louis in April for the national tournament.

The Stingrays had a very successful season this year with 51 wins, 12 losses, and 4 ties and a goals for average of 3.98 with a goals against of 1.5. The team was also runner-up this year in the North American Silver Sticks tournament which represented teams from both the United States and Canada. Ossenmacher was named to that tournament's All Star team.

Netters go for 6th consecutive title

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Exchange student Frederick Berg may claim one of the top doubles slots. Jared Cromas and Matt Thompson were both parts of WLAA champion teams and figure to be high in the doubles lineup as well.

Yusuke Ishigami, a junior, and Andy Williams, a sophomore, return to the doubles scene. Anish Shah and Paul Stachura, both seniors, also have varsity doubles experience.

Junior Derek Sokloski may figure in the doubles mix as well. Andy Otterman, Ryan Prendergast, Matt Schlanser, Steve Chisholm, Brooks Tomlinson and Dan Cucetti are other varsity players who may see time in doubles.

Norton said his team will be strong no matter who winds up where.

The veteran coach is a little concerned about fourth doubles. But he said Northville should still win at least 75 percent of those matches.

Besides the Mustangs, the WLAA will field several strong teams.

Norton figures North Farmington to be the biggest obstacle to Northville winning its sixth straight league title.

We beat them by one at the con-

ference meet last year," he said. "It'll be quite a dogfight with them."

Bush said he and his teammates are ready for the challenge.

With the team we have," said the senior, "we should be able to win the conference and the regional without too many problems."

TENNIS SCHEDULE

Date	Opponent	Home/Away	Time
4/8	Novi	H	4
4/14	Central	H	4
4/16	Canton	H	4
4/18	John Glenn	A	4
4/21	Farmington	H	4
4/23	Churchill	A	4
4/25	Western	H	4
4/28	Stevenson	A	4
4/30	N. Farmington	A	4
5/2	Harrison	A	4
5/3	Varsity Tourney	A	9
5/5	Franklin	H	4
5/7	Salem	A	4
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Lois Finzer, who has served as a Stephen Minister since 1992 and a Ministry leader for three years, considers the organization a community resource.

Someone To listen

The Stephen Ministry seeks to help those in crisis

Where do you turn when you come up against a moment of grief in life?

When things take a turn for the worse, either because of an illness, loss of a job, divorce, death, or a move to a new community, and a person feels alone and unable to cope, there are caring Christian individuals trained to help.

One of the jobs of the pastor is to minister to the needs of his congregation in just such times. Follow-up care is often necessary, and that's where Stephen Ministers step in.

The First United Methodist Church of Northville and The Church of the Holy Family in Novi both have Stephen Ministry programs.

"We are not inward looking, we do not just minister to our own church members," said Lois Finzer, who has served as a Stephen Minister since First United Methodist joined the program in 1992. "We feel like we are a community resource. We have had people come in off the streets."

The Stephen Ministry was founded in 1975 by the Rev. Kenneth Haugk, the pastor of St. Stephen Lutheran Church in St. Louis, Miss., so laypeople could assist him in providing confidential, distinctly Christian care to members in the

congregation and the community.

The first Stephen Ministry leaders were trained in 1978. After completing a one-week program, new leaders return to their congregations and recruit and train other Stephen Ministers.

"I have never been involved with another program that has been so incredibly organized and dedicated to getting you the information and help you need," said Finzer, who became a Stephen Ministry leader three years ago.

Stephen Ministers receive 50 hours of training, attending two and a half hours of instruction each week from September through February. Topics include listening, feelings, assertiveness, the use of the Bible and prayer.

Once commissioned, there is continuing education on a variety of topics including depression, drugs and alcoholism in the schools, domestic violence and the aging process.

"We try to cover a wide range of things to keep everybody's skills up to date," she said.

First United of Northville has offered a training class every September for the last three years. Stephen Ministers make a two-year commitment to the program, which includes six months of training.

"We are the caregivers and Christ is the cure giver," Finzer said. "Christ works through us to give care to our care receivers."

"We have to constantly remind people that we're not there to fix things for the care receivers. We're not there to solve their problems, we're there to listen to them and do reflective listening," she said. "We're not trained counselors or psychologists, we're trained lay people. We make sure people don't refer to us as counselors."

Stephen Ministers are taught to recognize when an individual's needs go beyond what they are expected or trained to handle, and one topic of the training program includes community resources.

"If an elderly person is trying to decide whether to go into a retirement home, we're not going to make the decision for them, but we can help them get the right information so they can make an informed decision," she said.

Besides the fee a church has to pay to the Stephen Ministry in Missouri to join the program, there is also a cost for individuals to attend leadership training sessions. Once a member of Stephen Ministry, the church has

unlimited use of the resources available to it.

"If we have somebody in this community who has a sister living in Atlanta and they think they need a Stephen Minister, we can call St. Louis with a zip code of where that person lives and they can give us the name of a church nearby," Finzer said.

For smaller churches, it's harder to come up with the initial fee and the cost to send someone to training.

"Once you get up above 150 members, most any church that sees a need for it will find a way to fund it," she said. Sometimes small churches in an area will go in on a Stephen Ministry program for their community.

"None of the churches themselves were big enough to support it, but with all three together they could," she said. "Then it really becomes a community resource. We do networking with other churches in the area that have programs."

Holy Family also has a Stephen Ministry program.

"It's a neat connection between churches that you can network between them," Finzer said.

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Story by CAROL WORKENS

Volunteer



Photo by JOHN HEIDER

Ann Kristofik and John Cashell help with food program.

Food program counts on couple

By CAROL WORKENS
Staff Writer

The Novi Senior Center is a distribution site for the Oakland Livingston Human Service Agency (OLHSA) commodity food distribution program, which takes place every three months.

Ann Kristofik and John Cashell have been volunteering for years. The March 18 distribution included flour, macaroni, prunes, canned pears, tomatoes, corn, and meat, and was given to 24 eligible individuals.

"It depends on what staple items come from the OLHSA's warehouse," Novi's Senior Center manager Jan McAlpine said. "If you're living on what some of these people are living on, every little bit helps."

The Novi Senior Center, located at 45175 West Ten Mile Road in Novi, is among 18 sites selected

to distribute the free food.

Kristofik remembers when the handouts included dairy products. Now she wonders how some seniors will be able to afford those goods.

"They are wonderful, wonderful people," McAlpine said of Kristofik and Cashell, both Novi residents. "They are very modest people."

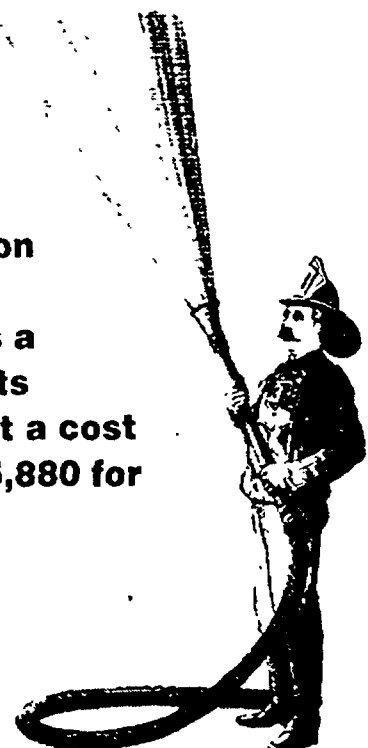
For more information on volunteering or on the commodity food program itself, call McAlpine at 347-0460.

People who are income eligible and not registered for the program may do so at the next distribution, which is scheduled in three months, by bringing Social Security cards for all household members, verification of household income and photo identification.

It's A Fact

THE PRICE OF SAFETY

The Novi Fire Department has purchased 40 sets of personal protection equipment. Each set includes a turnout coat, pants and suspenders at a cost of \$647 each, \$25,880 for all of them.



In Our Town

AAUW schedules meeting

Carol Parker, the membership vice president for the Michigan AAUW, will discuss the Virginia Guildersleeve International Fund for University Women (VGIFUW) at the April 8 meeting of the Northville-Novl Branch of the American Association of University Women. The meeting will be held at Thornton Creek Elementary School located on Nine Mile between Beck and Taft roads at 7:30 p.m.



Carol Workens

The VGIFUW honors Virginia Guildersleeve, who served as dean of Barnard College from 1911 to 1947, and was co-founder and twice president of the International Federation of University Women. She was also the only woman from the U.S. to serve as a delegate at the founding of the United Nations where she played a major role in the writing of the U.N. Charter.

The fund was established in 1969 for the purpose of raising the social and economic well being of women world wide through educational projects that focus on the development of technical and leadership skills.

Parker's presentation will include slides which show projects benefiting from grant funds. Prior to the business meeting, the new AAUW video "Girls in the Middle" will be shown. A benefit entitled

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"A Comedy Showcase - Laughing on the Outside" on Sunday, April 13, will celebrate the opening of the new Arbor Center - Bereavement Services for Children, Teens and Adults, located at 200 North Center in Northville.

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Comedy performances by local comedians and celebrities follow dinner in the adjacent historic theater. Tickets are \$50.

For information, call 1-800-783-5764.

Ladies, dust off your clubs for outing

The Sixth Annual Foxy Lady Golf Classic will be held on Thursday, Aug. 7, on the north and west courses of Tanglewood Golf Club, 53503 West Ten Mile Road in South Lyon. Hosted by the Detroit Chapter of Eastern Airlines Silverliners, the event is open to the public and all lady golfers are wel-

come. The deadline for reservations is July 7.

Silverliners, former Eastern Airlines stewardesses with 36 chapters across the U.S. and Mexico, raise funds for the Karmanos Cancer Institute and Paul Newman's "Hole In The Wall Gang Camp."

The cost is \$98 per person and includes continental breakfast, 18 holes with cart, lunch, contests, raffles and lots of door prizes. There is even a raffle for a round trip for two on United Airlines.

Winners of the hole-in-one contest will receive a 1997 Mercury donated by Hines Park Lincoln Mercury.

Many of the door prizes are donated by Northville merchants.

For more information or to register, call (810) 348-2454.

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This newspaper is planning to feature a mother and daughter look-alike story. If you're constantly giving a mother and daughter compliments on how they could pass for sisters then submit their pictures to us for the upcoming story.

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Brownies make baskets for others

Brownie Girl Scouts from Silver Springs Elementary School Troop 1155 in Northville who made Easter baskets for the Meals on Wheels program and as table decorations for the Northville Senior Center were (back row from left) Lannis Smith, Angle Hudson,

Megan Brennan, Abbey Wright-Geddes, Karen Yotsumoto and (front row) Emily Krelchelt, Lauren Cochran, Tricia Elcholtz, Marisa Woloszyn, Ashley Courtney and Mary Sprader. The troop leaders are Patty Hudson and Gail Krelchelt.

pher will take a professional black and white picture of the three mothers and daughters selected to be featured in the story.

The photograph will be theirs to keep after the publication of the story.

If you have information for the In

Our Town column, call Carol Workens at 349-1700.

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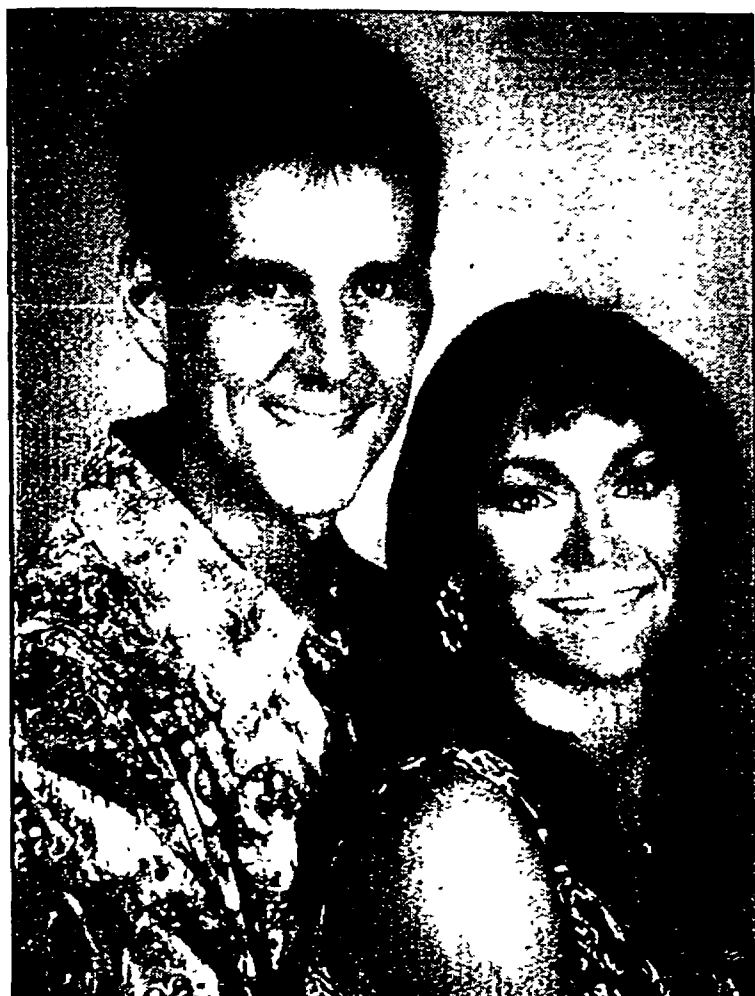
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Engagements



Charles Reilly/Jill Carmichael

Arthur and Joyce Carmichael of West Bloomfield announce the engagement of their daughter, Jill Gail, to Charles Michael Reilly, the son of Charles and Joan Reilly of New York.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Northville High School. She received her bachelor's degree in physiology from Michigan State University and her master's in business administration from

Wayne State University. She is a systems analyst at a technical education school.

The groom-elect graduated with a bachelor's degree in engineering from Worcester Polytechnic Institute. He received his master's from Cornell University and is employed by Software Development & Consulting Co.

Their summer wedding will take place in New York.



Matthew Smith/Cynthia Carmichael

Arthur and Joyce Carmichael of West Bloomfield announce the engagement of their daughter, Cynthia Jean, to Matthew John Smith, the son of John and Adele Smith of Tallahassee, Fla.

The bride-elect graduated from Northville High School. Her continuing education included a bachelor's degree in packaging from Michigan State University; a master's in business administration from Wayne State University; and a master's degree in medical illustration from the University of Texas Southwestern Medical School. She is employed as an art director at MCI Planners in Texas.

The bridegroom-elect received his bachelor's degree in marketing from Stetson University. He is director of strategic partnerships for CompuCom Systems Inc. in Texas.

An August wedding is being planned.

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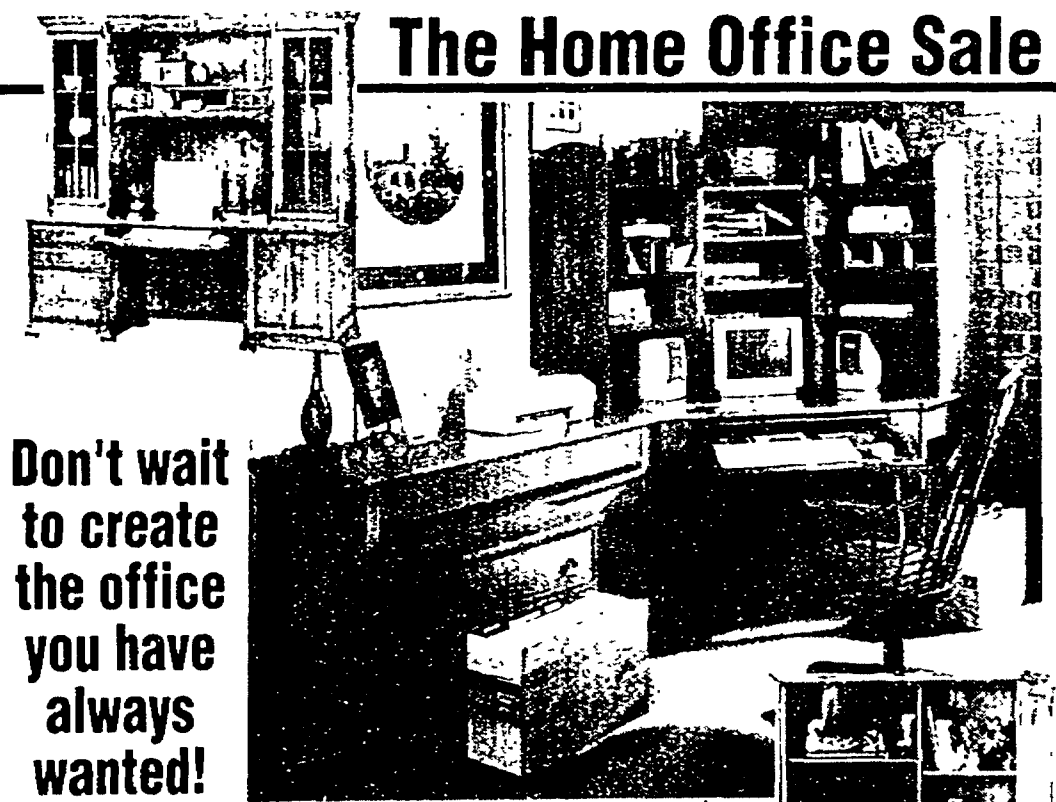
Air Force Airman **SHANA R. BROOKS** has graduated from medical service apprentice Phase II technical training at Sheppard Air Force Base in Wichita Falls, Texas.

Phase II students were taught practical application in clinical training and nursing care techniques.

Brooks is the daughter of Elizabeth M. Brooks of Northville. She is a 1996 graduate of Ladywood High School in Livonia.

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Singles

SINGLE PLACE, an adult ministry for single people at First Presbyterian Church of Northville, meets for brunch at Northville Crossing at 12:30 p.m. on Sundays.

On Wednesday, April 9, at 7:30 p.m. the topic will be "Sin or Sickness: What Makes Us Act the Way We Do?" with speaker Dr. J. Harold Ellens or "Strategies for Financial Empowerment and Securities: Roadmap to Financial Success" with Rose Ann Farchione.

Upcoming workshops include "Healing the Wounds of Divorce: Releasing the Past, Creating a Hope-filled Future" with Sandy Baumann on Thursday evenings, April 10, 17 and 24 at 7:30 p.m. The cost is \$24 in advance and \$27 at the door.

A Social Ballroom Dance Class with Nora Nader will be held on Sunday evenings, April 13, 20 and 27, from 7 until 9 p.m. The cost is \$20 for all three classes.

Sports activities for the month include bowling and volleyball on April 11 and 25. Bowling will be held at Novi Bowl, 21700 Novi Road. The cost is \$6 plus shoes. Volleyball is held at the Northville Recreation Center, 303 West Main Street in Northville, from 9 until 10:30 p.m. The cost is \$4.

For information call 349-0911.

SINGLE POINT MINISTRIES of Ward Presbyterian Church, 17000 Farmington Road at Six Mile in Livonia, invites you to join over 450 single adults every Sunday morning at 10:45 a.m. for fellowship and encouragement.

Reverend Paul Clough delivers messages to help singles in their life struggles. Coffee, donuts, conversation and Christ are always present. SPM has a program and activity for every age group and every life situation.

Single Parents meets the first and third Tuesdays of each month at 7 p.m. in the Calvin Room. This group offers support, fun, fellowship, vacations and other activities. Free child care is available.

Single Point also offers other groups which are open to all singles. The six-week "Stepping Stones for Children Going Through the Loss of Parent Through Divorce or Death" begins April 10 on Thursdays from 7 until 9 p.m.

Another six-week program "Are You Sensing a Spiritual Restlessness?" begins on Thursday, April 10, from 7 until 8:30 p.m.

First Friday Night Live presents actor Bruce Marchiano on April 4 at 8 p.m. in Knox Hall.

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Town Hall season closes out

The Northville Town Hall Series wraps up its 36th season with Hal Bruno on Monday, April 14. The lecture begins at 11 a.m. at the Holiday Inn West, 17123 North Laurel Park Drive in Livonia, followed by a luncheon.

Bruno is the political director for the ABC TV and radio networks. He frequently appears on the "air" as the network's political analyst and is the host of Hal Bruno's Washington, a weekly interview program on ABC radio.

Bruno works closely with the producers and correspondents for all ABC news programs, including World News Tonight, Nightline, This Week and Good Morning America.

Bruno joined ABC News in 1978 after 18 years with Newsweek magazine where he had been a reporter, foreign correspondent, bureau chief, news editor and chief political correspondent. He has covered presidential elections since 1960 and has specialized in



Hal Bruno

national politics since 1971. He was the moderator for the 1992 vice presidential debate between Al Gore and Dan Quayle.

Bruno is also a nationally recognized authority on fire safety. He writes a monthly column for Firehouse magazine and served many years as a volunteer firefighter. He is a director of the National Fallen Firefighters Foundation and the Chevy Chase, Md., Fire Department.

In 1995, he was named "Fire Service Person of the Year" by the Congressional Fire Services Institute.

For more information, call Carmen Kuckenbecker at (810) 349-7227.

Special ministry cares for those in need

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First United Methodist has 30 Stephen Ministers, including three men and five leaders ranging in age from their 20s up through their 80s.

"We would like to build our numbers up beyond 30 because it is a growing congregation," Finzer added.

"With a program as large as ours we do need to have six or seven leaders to do all the various functions to keep it going."

"We could probably use more," she said. "A lot of churches have struggled to get that many and it depends on the size and the age and the population you're serving."

One church in Florida has over 100 Stephen Ministers and 19 leaders, according to Finzer.

"Probably what happened was that those people were in the program and retired to Florida where they remained active in the ministry," she said. "If you have a very elderly population in your church you might need that many Stephen Ministers."

Caregivers and receivers are

carefully matched to the individual situation and the Stephen Minister's expertise and interest in the given area.

"When someone needs a Stephen Minister we don't just say, 'so and so is the next in line, that's your Stephen Minister,'" she insisted.

Assignments last from one month to three years, depending on the situation.

A Stephen Minister is only assigned to one care receiver at a time and on average will spend about an hour a week visiting either face-to-face, through telephone (talking on the phone), or by attending activities.

Although 75 percent of the contacts are done in homes, other confidential places such as libraries, restaurants or hotel lobbies also work well.

About 80 care receivers have used the Stephen Ministry program at First United Methodist Church of Northville since it began.

Stephen Ministers and leaders meet twice a month in small groups to discuss the relationship between the minister and the care

receiver without using names or specifics that would identify the individual in what is called "supervision."

"It's like giving care to the Stephen Ministers," Finzer said. "It helps them understand how their relationship is going."

"Sometimes a minister is so personally involved they don't see the red flag that comes up that says the person needs a referral to a community resource," Finzer said. "The care receiver knows the Stephen Minister is not just coming out there hanging on a limb with no support," she said.

There are various ways of getting help from Stephen Ministers, who don't make cold calls. An individual may personally contact the pastor or Stephen Minister leader. Sometimes an individual's name is given to the pastor or referral coordinator of the program who, in turn, makes the contact.

"Referrals come in all different ways. We never just assign someone without the person saying yes," she said.

Sometimes pastors feel somewhat threatened that lay people

are being trained to give Christian care, according to Finzer.

"Pastor Doug Vernon (of First United) says he has never felt so supported in all his of ministry," she said. "That's what you need to have the program be successful within a church, the support of the pastoral staff. It's not that we take away from anything, we just allow them to have more time to go in on a crisis situation."

Characteristics Stephen Ministers must demonstrate are a caring attitude, an ability to be accepting, forgiving, reliable, and dependable, a commitment to follow through on a promise, dedication, emotional stability, a history of respecting confidentiality, spirituality, empathy, humility, and trustworthiness.

"Most of these people have a feeling they have been called to this ministry," she said. "It goes beyond just being a volunteer. You have a commitment to it. Because you go through so much training you have to take it seriously."

For more information about the Stephen Ministry program, call First United Methodist at (810) 349-1144.

On Campus

JESSICA L. HORN of Northville was recently recognized by the Columbus College of Art and Design for outstanding academic achievement.

Horn was named to the Dean's List for fall '96 semester. To receive recognition, students must attain a grade point average between 3.0 and 3.39.

ALLISON FARMER, a 1993 graduate of Northville High School, was named to the Dean's List at Albion College for the fall semester.

Farmer is a senior majoring in accounting and is a past president of Kappa Alpha Theta sorority. She is the daughter of Bill and Adele Farmer of Northville.

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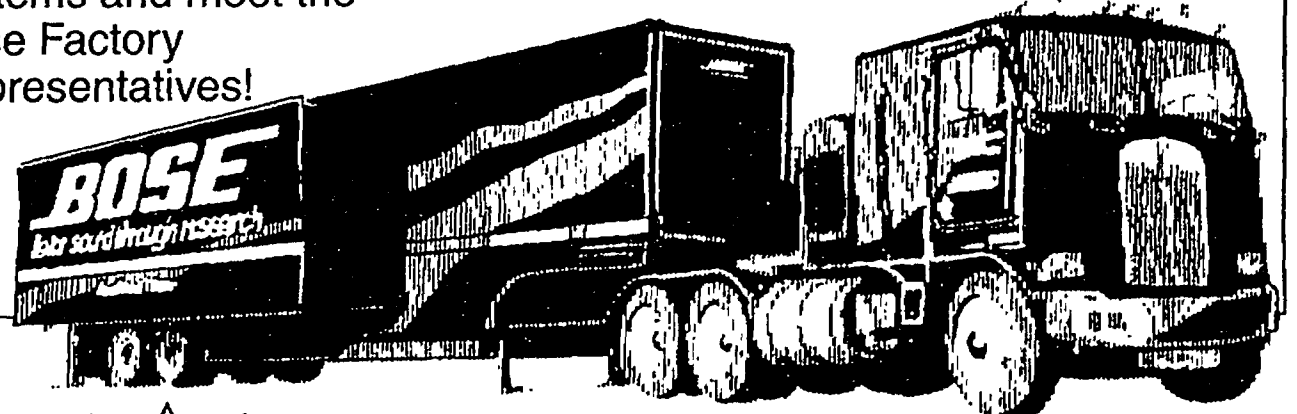
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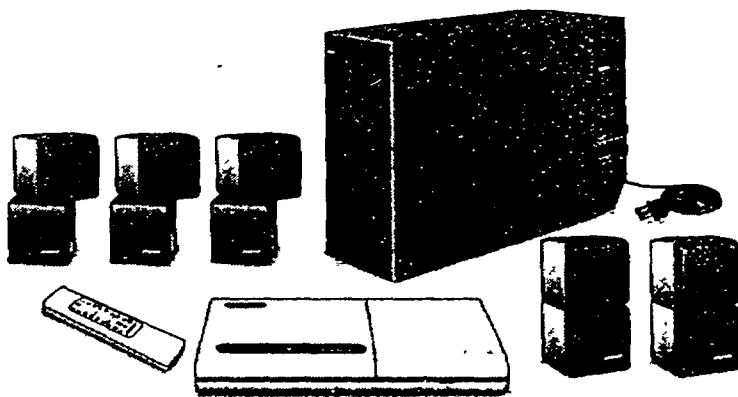


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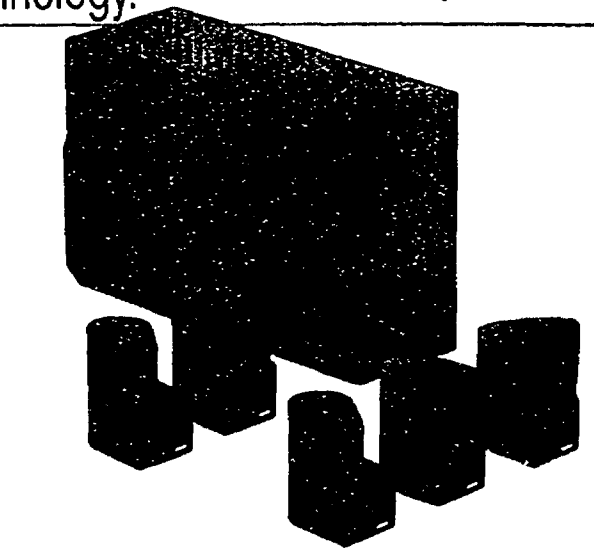
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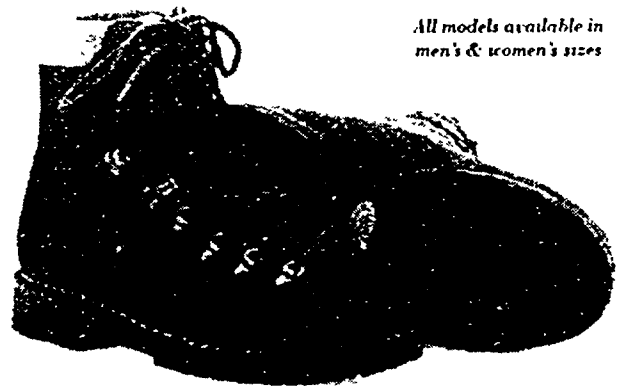
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Girl scout earns top recognition

By CAROL WORKENS
Staff Writer

Elizabeth Eule recently completed the requirements for Girl Scout's highest honor, the Gold Award, doing what she loves to do - work with children.

Elizabeth's project was an after-school reading program for the Amerman Elementary School Kids Club.

"I have always liked working with kids, so I picked out a project that dealt with kids," she said.

Elizabeth composed a form letter which she mailed out to individuals in the community, some of whom she knew personally, asking them to take part in the six-week reading project.

Responding to Elizabeth's call were Northville Mayor Chris Johnson, Northville Board of Education Trustee Joan Wadsworth, Dr. Timothy Kirk, Bookstall on the Main's Marian Nelson, Great Harvest Bread Company's Ray Novelly, and Northville High School Student Assistance Program Coordinator Charlie Sillec.

Children in the after school club range from first grade through fifth and ages six through 11.

Between 25 to 40 children could be expected in the program on any given day. If the students had homework, they would go into another room. Those who didn't would stay and listen to the volunteers read stories.

Elizabeth designed a follow-up project each week which focused on the subject of each of the books.

"The reason for the follow-up project was to wrap things up for the day and because the kids had been sitting for half an hour," Elizabeth said. "You didn't want the kids to be running all over, you wanted them to have something to slowly get them back into the theme of what was happening."

Each of the volunteers signed up for one week between Jan. 7 and Feb. 11 and selected titles they either enjoyed themselves or had read to their own children.

"I learned being in charge of a project is a large responsibility," she said. "When I put my heart into something everything turns out for the best."

Elizabeth, now a sophomore at Northville High School, enrolled in an after-school kids club when she was attending Moraine Elementary School in Northville.

Elizabeth is the daughter of Howard and Dawn Eule of Northville.

A Girl Scout for 10 years, Elizabeth enjoys the high adventure Girl Scout Troop 122 and went on a 28.8 mile backpacking trip on the Appalachian Trail in August 1996.

She has been an honor guard on Mackinac Island for two summers and was one of four Girl Scouts to receive a perfect score for their eight-day tour of duty as guides on the island in August.

Elizabeth is also a member of the high school's swim team, SADD and German clubs and plays softball through the Northville Parks and Recreation Department.



Elizabeth Eule reads the tale of "The Penguin's Tail" to a group of Amerman Elementary School students enrolled in the after-school Kids Club. Eule organized storytime readings by local celebs and bigwigs as part of her Girl Scout Gold Award.

Photo by JOHN HEIDER

To be eligible for Girl Scouting's highest award, a girl must be a Senior Girl Scout and in high school.

To earn the Gold Award, a girl must fulfill five requirements: earn

four Interest Patches, a Career Exploration Pin and a Senior Girl Scout Leadership Award, and complete a Senior Girl Scout Challenge and Gold Award Project.

The requirements, and the Gold

Award project, could take up to two years to complete.

The requirements for the Gold Award help scouts develop skills, practice leadership, explore career possibilities and discover more

about themselves.

The Gold Award project, which should influence not only the scout's life but her community as well, must be designed and implemented by the Girl Scout herself.

Church Notes

The Novi United Methodist Men of **NOVI UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**, 41671 West Ten Mile Road, will hold their annual all-church spring yard sale on Saturday, April 26, from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. It will include electronics, antiques, appliances, toys, sporting equipment, furniture, tools, jewelry, gourmet delights and more. Any donation is greatly appreciated except clothing which cannot be accepted. Drop off donations in Memorial Hall by the circle drive.

The United Methodist Women will have a bake sale at the spring yard sale. Donations of baked goods can be dropped off at the church on the evening of Friday, April 25, or before 9 a.m. on Saturday.

For more information, call the church office at 349-2652.

The Women's Service of **MEADOWBROOK CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH**, 21355 Meadowbrook Road in Novi, will hold a Rummage Sale on Friday, April 11, from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. and on Saturday, April 12, from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m.

Detroit Lutheran Singers' 30th Anniversary Concerts with a chamber orchestra will present "Dixit Dominus" and Bach's "Easter Cantata No. 4" with

Eric Freudigman conducting on Sunday, April 13, at 7 p.m.

A second performance will be held at St. Paul United Methodist Church, 620 Romeo Road in Rochester on April 20 at 3 p.m.

Tickets are \$7 (\$5 for seniors and students). For details call the church at (810) 348-7757.

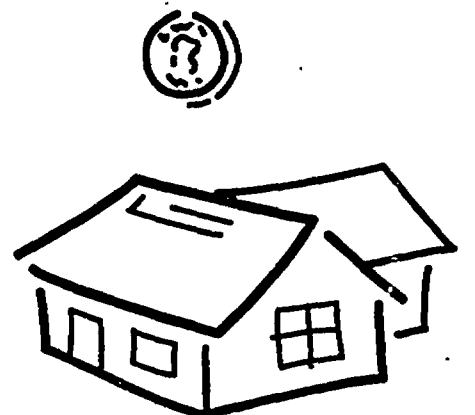
The theme for April at **OAK POINTE CHURCH**, a new, contemporary, non-denominational church which meets for a one-hour service at 10 a.m. in the Northville High School Auditorium at 775 N. Center, will be "How Jesus Has Changed Lives, Then and Now."

Speakers in April include Former Tiger pitcher Frank Tanana on April 6, singer/writer Heather Berdan on April 13, attorney Rich Lemke on April 20, and Michigan State University hockey player Daryl Rice on April 27.

There will be a live band, coffee and baked goods. There will also be children's programs for ages newborn through 11.

For more information, call Bob Shirock at (810) 626-0372.

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Great train show comes to Expo

Get into training at America's premier train and miniatures event. Greenberg's Great Train, Dollhouse and Toy Show arrives at the Novi Expo Center on Saturday and Sunday, April 12 and 13.

There will be a competitive hobby market, model railroad, dollhouses, and how-to clinics.

For the first time on tour, the super realistic CT&T O Gauge layout by renowned model railroader Dave Fray for Classic Toy Trains will be at the show.

The largest traveling exhibit of antique Post War Lionel trains in operation on Toledo Trainmasters' 28-foot layout will also be on display.

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Range Division, plus the huge oval of Lantrak's 100-foot layout.

Children can play engineer at the colorful Lionel Kiddie Express layout and enjoy big train fun with Thomas the Tank at the 45-foot G Scale layout.

Dollhouses include the "party house," an elegant three-story Victorian house, a toy store and the Rocky Ford Country Store.

Visitors can learn to create master landscapes with realistic trees and Retta Schultz-Hall of N&R Trains will teach the easy "Forest in a Flash" technique.

Paul Bossack will demonstrate additional scenery techniques at his detailed tabletop N Scale layout.

There will be door prizes awarded every hour and at 3 p.m. each day there will be a chance to win



Submitted photo

Greenberg's Great Train, Dollhouse and Toy Show will be at the Expo Center in Novi on April 12 and 13.

\$50 in Marketplace Money.

Show hours are Saturday, April 12, from 11 a.m. until 5 p.m. and Sunday, April 13 from 11 a.m. until 4 p.m.

Admission is \$6 and includes parking.

Children six to 12 years get in for \$2 and children under 6 are admitted free.

In town

Submit items for the entertainment listings to The Northville Record/Novi News, 104 W. Main, Northville, MI 48167; or fax to 349-1050.

AUDITIONS

TRAVELING MUSIC SHOW: Auditions for energetic college-age and high school students only are set for April 10, 11 and 17 at Waterford Oaks County Park from 4 to 7 p.m.

Traveling Music Show hopefuls must sing 16 bars from two contrasting songs and be prepared to dance as part of their audition.

Rehearsals begin early in May with contracts running June 16 through Aug. 16. This is a paid position.

Waterford Oaks County Park is on Scott Lake Road between Dixie Highway and Pontiac Lake Road. Auditions will take place at the park's Lookout Lodge.

To schedule an audition, contact Dunleavy at (810) 858-4647.

AUTHENTIC BRITISH BRASS BAND: The Motor City Brass Band is conducting interviews for percussion and BB, flat tuba (treble clef) musicians.

Rehearsals are held on Mondays from 7:30 until 9:30 p.m. with engagements usually twice a month on weekends or in the evenings.

For more information or to schedule an audition, call founder John Aren at (313) 531-7389.

SPECIAL EVENTS

EARTHY FRIENDLY TIPS: A Healthy Garden Seminar will be held at the Novi Public Library, 45245 West Ten Mile Road in Novi, on April 9 from 7 until 8:30 p.m. Terry McLean, horticulture advisor with the Michigan State University Extension Garden Center, will present "Help for Homeowners" on building fertile soils with organic matter, selecting plants, beneficial insects and natural pest resistance, nutrients and water, recycling clippings on site, and more.

To register, call (810) 858-0895.

GREAT TRAIN, DOLLHOUSE AND TOY SHOW: The best in model railroading, dollhouses and toys comes to the Novi Expo Center, 43700 Expo Center Drive in Novi, on April 12 from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. and April 13 from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Admission is \$6, which includes parking; children six to 12 years of age are admitted \$2 and children under 6 get in free.

SUGARLOAF'S THIRD ANNUAL NOVI ART FAIR: Three hundred artists and craft designers from 39 states and Canada present their works on April 18, 19 and 20 at the Novi Expo Center on Novi Road just south of I-96. Doors will be open from 10 a.m. until 6 p.m. Admission is \$6. Children 12 and under and parking are admitted free.

BENEFIT BUFFET BREAKFAST: A benefit buffet breakfast for the Northville playhouse project is being held at the Raven Gallery and Acoustic Cafe every Sunday from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. The cost is \$6 for adults and \$3 for children 12 and under. The Raven is located on Center Street one block north of Main Street in Northville.

COOKING CLASSES: Kitchen Glamour continues its series of cooking classes. April classes

include "Casseroles with Hearty International Flavors" on April 8 at 1 and 6:30 p.m.; "Hugh Carpenter Woks into Summer Cooking" on April 13 at 1 p.m.; "Rice - Risotto - Sweet and Savory" on April 15 at 6:30 p.m.; "Sweet and Savory Quick Breads" on April 22 at 6:30 p.m.; "Mother's Day Brunch" on April 28 at 6:30 p.m.; and "Main Course Salads with Infused Dressings" on April 29 at 6:30 p.m.

Some classes are \$3 each per person.

For more information, call (810) 380-8600.

MORE COOKING CLASSES: The Kitchen Witch presents cooking classes, including "Cooking a Turkey from Tip to Tail," with Maestro Ernesto and Chef Steve on April 8.

Classes are held from 7 until 9 p.m. and are complete each week. Preregistration and payment are required. Each class is \$30.

The Kitchen Witch is located at 134 East Main Street in Northville. For more information, call (810) 348-0488.

PERFORMER'S SHOWCASE: The public is invited to attend the Performer's Showcase performances held prior to select city council meetings in the Novi Civic Center at 7:30 p.m. 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 details, 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 or reservations, call Northville Carriage Co. at 380-3961.

THEATER

TIMBERS SEAFOOD GRILLE: Timbers, the home of Bananas Comedy Club, is located at 40380 Grand River west of Haggerty Road in Novi.

For ticket information, call (313) 724-1300.

MARQUIS: Pooh Visits Storyland returns with live stage performances through April 27. The performance time is 2:30 p.m.

Children younger than 3-years-old will not be admitted.

The Marquis Theatre is located at 135 E. Main Street in downtown Northville.

For general ticket information and for teachers to arrange for special school performance times and rates, call the theater at (810) 349-8110.

MUSIC

THE RAVEN GALLERY & ACOUSTIC CAFE: The Raven will present open mike night on Wednesdays, all acoustic music, string instruments, horns and some jazz on Thursday through Saturday evenings.

Upcoming performances include Terry Gonda on April 4; Mike McNevin on April 5; Southern Son on April 6; Dan Hazlett on April 10; Lonesome and Blue on April 11; and Josh White Jr. on April 12. Opening for Lonesome and Blue on April 11 will be Darryl Dybka, the co-producer of the 1992 Grammy Award-winning

"Sneakin' Around" with Chet Atkins and Jerry Reed.

The Raven is located at 145 N. Center Street in downtown Northville.

For ticket information or reservations, call 349-9420.

TOO CHEZ: Too Chez, located across from Twelve Oaks Mall in Novi, offers live jazz entertainment from 6-10 p.m. Mondays and 7-11 p.m. Fridays.

ART

GATE VI GALLERY: The Plein Air Society will exhibit works from the summer of 1996 at the Novi Civic Center now through April 14.

Media include water media, pastel, mixed media, monotype, oil and colored pencil. Northville locations represented in this exhibition include Mill Race Village and several local residential gardens.

Local artists interested in exhibiting at the Civic Center should call (810) 347-0400.

Exhibits are in the atrium of the Civic Center for viewing during the hours that the Civic Center is open.

ART SOURCE: Art Source is located at 126 Main Centre in Northville. Its hours are Monday through Friday 10 a.m. until 8 p.m.; Saturday, 10 a.m. until 6 p.m. and Sunday noon until 4 p.m.

For more information, call (810) 348-1213.

D&M ART STUDIO: D&M Art Studio features works of various artists in the gallery and cappuccino bar.

Artists interested in having their works displayed should call the gallery, located at 43450 Grand River in Novi. Hours are 11 a.m. until 6 p.m. Tuesday through Sunday.

For details, call 380-7059.

DANCING EYE GALLERY: Dancing Eye Gallery is located at 150 N. Center Street, Suite A, behind Tuscan Cafe in Northville.

Gallery hours are Tuesday through Thursday 11 a.m. until 6 p.m.; Friday from 11 a.m. until 9 p.m.; Saturday from 11 a.m. until 4 p.m. Hours on Sunday and Monday are by appointment.

For more information, call (810) 449-7086.

ATRIUM GALLERY: Atrium Gallery is participating in the glass tour in metro Detroit recognizing April as "Michigan Glass Month."

Entitled "Products of the Glory Hole," referring to the furnace used by glass blowers, the exhibit includes bowls, vases, platters, goblets, perfume bottles, sculptural figures, paper weights and globes by artists Harry Boyer, John Carney, John Fitzpatrick, Bruce Freund, Stan Megdall, Kraatz and Russell, and Rebecca Stewart.

Atrium Gallery is located at 109 N. Center in downtown Northville.

Hours are 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Friday, 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. Saturday, and noon until 4 p.m. on Sunday.

For more information, call (810) 349-4131.

BACKDOOR GALLERY: Farmington's Backdoor Gallery, 37220 Eight Mile Road, specializes in unusual art dolls. The gallery is in the home of co-owner Kathy Landers. She and the other owner, Kathleen Bricker, are both artists.

Gallery hours are 11 a.m. to 3

p.m. Thursdays and Fridays; 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturdays, and by appointment.

Call 474-8306 for more information.

PAINTER'S PLACE: Owned by Caroline Dunphy, Painter's Place is located at 140 N. Center Street in downtown Northville.

Gallery hours are Tuesday through Thursday from noon until 4 p.m. or by appointment.

Call 348-9544 for more information.

NEARBY

BLUEGRASS MUSIC: Oakland Community College Performing Arts presents the Dry Branch Fire Squad on Friday, April 18, at 8 p.m. at the Highland Lakes Campus, 7350 Cooley Lake Road in Waterford. General admission tickets are \$10 (\$8 for seniors and students).

For tickets or more information, call (810) 360-3186.

COMMUNITY CHOIR CONCERT: The Schoolcraft College Community Choir will perform Johannes Brahms' Requiem on Saturday, April 26, at the choir's spring concert.

The piece will be sung in English with orchestral accompaniment and conducted by Donald Stromberg, a Livonia native who has been with the choir for seven years.

The concert will begin at 8 p.m. at St. Matthew's United Methodist Church of Livonia, 30900 Six Mile Road between Merriman and Middlebelt roads. Donations will be accepted at the door. For information, call choir president Shari Clason at (810) 349-8175.

LEND ME A TENOR: The Schoolcraft College theater department is presenting Lend me a Tenor, a farce involving grand opera, a corpse who isn't dead and two singers, both claiming to be the world famous tenor Il Stupendo, for theater-only performances on April 4 and 5. Tickets are \$6.50 per person.

Tickets can be ordered from the college bookstore by calling (313) 462-4400, ext. 5393.

Schoolcraft is located at 18600 Haggerty Road between Six and Seven Mile.

DIGITAL KEYBOARD CONCERT: The Ann Arbor Digital Keyboard Ensemble concert at Schoolcraft College will be held Friday, April 11, at 6:30 p.m. in the Forum Recital Hall.

The quintet features a repertoire from the 13th century to the present, from classical to fusion, using electronic keyboard instruments. Admission to the concert is free.

For information on this or other musical events call (313) 462-4400, ext. 5218.

Schoolcraft College is located at 18600 Haggerty Road just west of I-275 between Six and Seven Mile in Livonia.

OPERA: Musica Viva International Concerts presents the North American stage premier of the opera *Magdalena* at 8 p.m. on Friday, April 4, at the Orchard Ridge Campus of Oakland Community College, located at 27055 Orchard Lake Road just south of I-696 in Farmington Hills.

Tickets are \$15 for general admission and \$5 for students with identification.

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Professional, easygoing SWF, 34, Baptist, enjoys craft shows, time with daughter, searching for last-back SM, who enjoys holding hands and cuddling. Ad# 6244

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Talkative, cheerful SWF, 64, down-to-earth, enjoys crafts, seeks honest, sincere, trustworthy SM, who is outgoing and kind. Ad# 3000

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BE NICE:
Methodist SWF, 24, upbeat, happy, goal-oriented, enjoys crafts, outdoor activities, exercising, art, drawing, outdoor activities, seeks N.S., fun-loving SM, with similar interests. Ad# 2255

FAMILY-ORIENTED:
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Humorous Catholic SWF, 25, enjoys bowling, sports, country music, karaoke, camping, seeks loving, caring, loyal, sincere, fun SM. Ad# 3867

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Protestant SWF, 55, outgoing, articulate, attends Christian activities, enjoys sports, horses, golfing, movies, seeks honest, sincere, loyal, intelligent, humorous SM. Ad# 4337

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RECORD MOVIES

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THURSDAY
April 3, 1997

'The Saint' returns to theaters on Friday

Val Kilmer plays the latest
'man of a thousand faces'

Simon Templar, gentleman and master thief, is equally at home negotiating with power brokers, seducing a beautiful woman, or dangling from the roof of a tall building. A man of a thousand disguises, Templar has eluded international syndicates, corrupt tycoons, and Interpol with equal ease. But he is more than a sophisticated thief. He is "The Saint," battling for justice where the law cannot or will not reach.

"The Saint," which stars Val Kilmer and Elisabeth Shue, is directed by Phillip Noyce from a screenplay by Jonathan Hensleigh and Wesley Strick and a story by Jonathan Hensleigh. Also starring in the action-adventure are Rade Serbedzija and Valery Nikolaev.

Simon Templar (Val Kilmer) is rich, sophisticated and almost supernaturally skilled at stealing even the most closely guarded of treasures. He is also cold and cynical, until his path crosses that of Emma Russell (Elisabeth Shue), a young scientist whose life is in terrible danger. Emma has discovered the key to Russian billionaire Ivan Tretlak's (Rade Serbedzija) overwhelming ambition — to crown himself the first Czar of the new Russian Empire — and he will do anything to neutralize the danger that she represents.

Stirred by long-dormant feelings, Templar desperately fights to protect Emma while struggling to master the one identity he cannot assume with ease — himself.

Director Phillip Noyce first discovered "The Saint" at the age of eight. A fan of the original novels written by Leslie Charteris, Noyce went on to see the Roger Moore television series then showing in his native Australia. Years later, when producer Robert Evans brought "The Saint" to Paramount, Noyce was given the opportunity to bring a '90s Simon Templar to the big screen. "I wanted to tell the story of how a sinner becomes a saint," says Noyce, "one man's struggle for redemption." For inspiration, Noyce went back to the Leslie Charteris novels. "I realized what we had to do in order to reinvent the Simon Templar character was to tell the story that had never been told — how Simon Templar becomes a saint," Noyce explains. "In his hundreds of stories, the creator or 'The Saint,' Leslie Charteris, had never revealed the genesis of the character."

Noyce enlisted screenwriter Jonathan Hensleigh ("Die Hard With a Vengeance") to create a darker Simon Templar. According to Noyce, "We decided Templar's story should begin in an orphanage in the Far East where, as a child, he learns all the tricks that he is going to use to survive and prosper as an adult. Just as he did as a child, the adult Templar retreats from reality by using disguises which are really an escape, a mask hiding the real man."

For the role of Simon Templar, director Noyce chose Val Kilmer. "We didn't need just another action hero; we needed a real actor," says Noyce. "Val Kilmer was one of the few who had the true acting ability to play all the diverse characters that Simon Templar has to portray. Val has never been used in this way, and I think people are going to be quite surprised with what he comes up with in this movie."

To Val Kilmer, "The excitement of this project is creating a series and an introduction to this character. Templar has a morality and a code and, like many professional thieves, has no interest in harming people or killing them. He is not a bad man; he just grew up in the illegal world and that's what he does for a living."

In "The Saint," Kilmer actually plays over a dozen characters donning Templar's many disguises. Describing how Templar's disguises evolved, Kilmer says: "We started off just goofing around with ideas, seeing how far we could go. It was a lot of fun." At least once a week I'd come on set as someone else." According to Producer Mace Neufeld, "Val has been meticulous in developing his disguises. He developed them through body language, attitude, and dialect. His desire for authenticity and accuracy to perfect these disguises made him work very hard in the preparation."

To play opposite Kilmer in the role of scientist Emma Russell,

Noyce needed an actress who would be a catalyst for change in Simon Templar. "She has to radiate intelligence and innocence," says Noyce. "I have always admired Elisabeth Shue's work and as soon as I saw her in 'Leaving Las Vegas,' I knew I had found my Emma."

For Academy Award® nominee Shue, participating in "The Saint" was "a big adventure. I was definitely attracted to the 'big' nature of this movie," she says. "I don't think I have ever done a film this big. Also, the main reason for doing this movie was to work with Val."

Shue's character, Emma Russell, represented a change from characters she has recently portrayed.

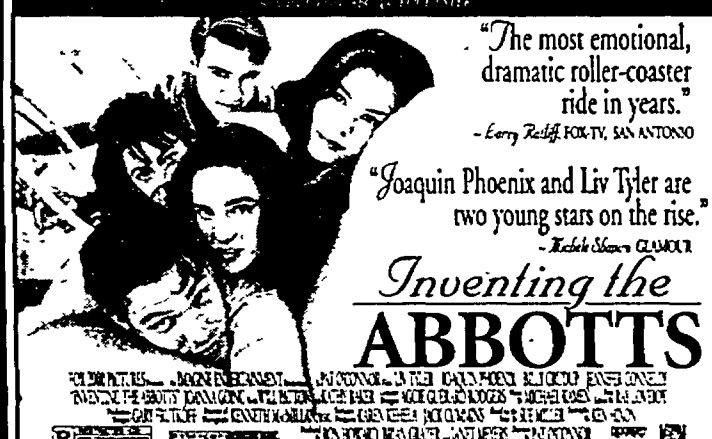
"It was very freeing to play someone who was free of deep pain and torture," Shue explains. "I was attracted to Emma most of all by her innocence, her spirit, her wonderment. Emma is somebody who has lived in an isolated world." In Shue's view, Simon Templar "represented all that Emma didn't know, and all that she needed to experience in her life."

Presented by Paramount Pictures and Rysler Entertainment, "The Saint" is produced by David Brown, Robert Evans, William J. Macdonald and Mace Neufeld. The Executive Producers are Paul Hitchcock and Robert S. Baker. Paramount Pictures is part of the entertainment operations of Viacom Inc.



Simon Templar (Val Kilmer) and Emma Russell (Elisabeth Shue) run through the streets of Moscow to elude pursuers in "The Saint." The action-adventure, presented by Paramount Pictures and Rysler Entertainment, is directed by Phillip Noyce.

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REAL ESTATE

Illicit transactions are costing consumers

By James M. Woodard
Copley News Service

Hidden payoffs and illegal kickbacks in real estate closing transactions are costing consumers a lot of money.

For example, certain lender-paid fees paid to mortgage brokers have been determined to be illegal "referral fees" under the Real Estate Settlement Procedures Act, according to a newsletter published by Real Estate Services Providers Council Inc. The ruling has shocked the mortgage industry and fueled a debate within industry trade associations over whether the law is outdated in today's marketplace.

Such payments have long been a standard practice in the wholesale mortgage industry. They represent the difference between a mortgage lender's wholesale price and the mortgage broker's retail quote to the borrower.

The key problem is often pegged to the structuring of those fees. They are often designed to steer new borrowers to higher-priced loans - types of loans the borrower

doesn't really need and costing the borrower more than he should pay. That violates the act's anti-kickback prohibition.

Another problem is the vagueness of the act's regulations, which often confuse all parties involved in real estate transactions. An urgent plea has been expressed by mortgage industry groups for the Department of Housing and Urban Development to immediately issue a RESPA Policy Statement clarifying what constitutes illegal lender-paid fees to mortgage brokers.

While HUD currently requires that such fees be disclosed to the consumer, it has never provided specific guidance as to whether mortgage broker fees are allowed under the act.

"I cannot overstate the urgency of our industry's position," said Warren Lasko, executive vice president of Mortgage Bankers Association. "The very survival of large mortgage banking companies is at risk."

Another problem is the widespread practice of title insurance

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HOME DESIGNS



Valdez has open main floor and large covered porch

By James McAlexander
Copley News Service

The do-it-yourself individual in your household will surely appreciate the advantages offered by the Valdez floor design.

More than 900 square feet of garage space, including a built-in workbench, provides enough room for a complete shop setup. There are many other features incorporated into the two levels of the 2,902-square-foot Valdez that will please the entire family.

A huge covered front porch is a welcome sight to visitors. It will soon become a favorite spot to sit and relax on warm summer evenings.

Step inside the vaulted entry and the openness of the main floor becomes evident. The vaulted family/living room, kept cozy by a well-situated fireplace, is the primary gathering place on this level. This is the spot where you will want to put your feet up after dinner and watch the news on television. If the weather is agreeable, open the sliding glass door and set a lounge chair on the wraparound wooden deck.

The walk-through kitchen has been thoughtfully arranged, with the spacious breakfast nook on one side and the formal dining room on the opposite. This configuration permits the cook in the house to serve a multicourse meal or quick snack with ease. Kitchen features include an island cook top, garden window, double ovens and handy walk-in pantry.

The isolated master suite pro-

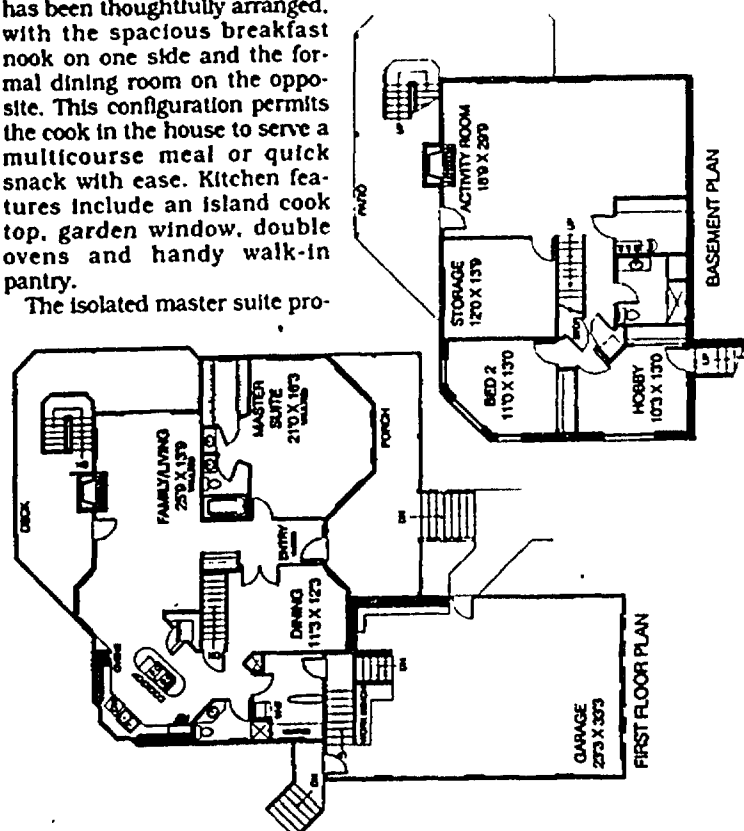
vides complete privacy in an attractive atmosphere. Plenty of windows give you a great view, and the whole room brightens when you pull back the drapes. In addition to a large sleeping area, the amenities include a walk-in closet and private bathroom with twin basins and spa tub.

The basement level begins with an enormous activity room. There is enough space here for a pool or pingpong table, big-screen TV, a couple of couches, etc. There is also a corner hobby room with direct access to the garage.

There are two separate storage areas: one is an ample walk-in closet; the other is a good-size room that can be easily converted for use as a home office.

Completing the floor plan on this level are a second bedroom and full bathroom.

For a study plan of the Valdez (403-09), send \$10 to Landmark Designs, c/o HomeTown Newspapers, 323 E. Grand River, Howell, MI 48843. (Be sure to specify plan name and number when ordering.) For more information, call (800) 562-1151.



OVERALL DIMENSIONS: 44'-0" X 33'-0"
LIVING AREA: 2,902 square feet
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The Stratford Grand model home in South Lyon is located on Nine Mile Road and features a popular light-hued color scheme.

Homes on Parade

Southeastern Michigan builders host a spring showcase

By Annette Jaworski

For many families, spring heralds the start of the home hunting season.

With scores of families looking to more rural areas to call home, the Milford and South Lyon areas are welcoming house hunters with a special event. Several builders are celebrating by hosting The Parade of Homes, a collection of 82 different developments throughout Southeastern Michigan.

Members of the Building Industry Association of Southeastern Michigan are hosting the event through April 6. Local developments that are participating include Phase III of Heritage Hills in Milford, and Oak Village in South Lyon. Whether you're seriously in the market for a new home, or just enjoy a fresh approach to interior decorating, there's plenty of ideas to be found by browsing through this showcase of homes. Realtor Associate for Coldwell Banker, J.B. Boudreau says that customers are attracted to the natural setting of the Heritage Hills development of Milford and the sloping hills of half-acre-plus size lots. "Lot number 19 had five deer feeding on it the other day. It kind of surprised me early one morning," he said. The Brentwood model home featured at Heritage Hills III is a 1 1/2 story home with four bedrooms and 2 1/2 baths within its 2,700 square feet.

A light color scheme and contemporary



House hunters or anyone simply looking for the latest in design ideas should visit the Brentwood model, located in Milford's Heritage Hills III development.

decor are used throughout the interior. Soaring 18 foot ceilings and an open balcony on the second floor add to the airy spaciousness of the home, built by Fred Greenspan builders. Trends in building include large, roomy walk-in closets, and although not a new concept, the first floor master suite continues to be in demand, said Boudreau. Hearth areas in the kitchen are another trend to watch. "What it does

is create another sitting area, where family or friends can congregate," he said. People are also asking for nine foot ceilings in the basement, and three car garages. See-through fireplaces in the master bedroom and bath are also popular requests.

Heritage Hills III is located on Winding Way in Milford, east off of South Milford Road, just south of the General Motors

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There's nothing like the first flowers of spring

By C.Z. Guest
Copley News Service

GARDENING

Those of us who live in the North, Northeast and Midwest have just managed to survive the doldrums of winter with the aid of seed catalogs and gardening magazines; and, of course, tending to our houseplants. But if you just can't wait to get out in the garden and add some color to the landscape, I have some suggestions for a few early spring-blooming plants that reveal their true colors early in the season.

Shrubs: Perhaps earliest to bloom in colder areas are the witch hazels with their deliciously fragrant spiderlike flowers. Those of us who dwell in milder climates can enjoy the dazzling array of colors and flower forms of shade-loving camellias from late winter to spring.

Another early bloomer is andromeda, which sports creamy Lily of the Valleylike flowers and handsome reddish leaves. Nothing, of course, can beat the showy golden blooms of forsythia, a hardy, deciduous shrub that adds a touch of sunshine to our early spring landscapes.

Perennials: Colder areas

of the country can count on the Lenten and Christmas Rose for February and March blooms, while in the Southland, Clivia's vibrant orange flowers are a sign that the seasons are changing. Bergenia's bold evergreen leaves are softened by spikes of delicate pink blooms in March and April. While another hardy evergreen, sea pink (Armevia), sends out masses of papery pink flowers above grasslike clumps of foliage.

Bedding Plants: Stock (Mathiola) has delicately fragrant spiky blooms ranging in color from snowy white to shades of cream or buff to rose, lilac, pink purple and bicolors. Individual flowers may be single or double. Stocks make marvelous cut flowers or bedding plants.

Most gardeners are familiar with violas or their cousins pansies. Pansies are available in such a variety of colors, literally every color of the rainbow and every shade in between. Some varieties are solid in color, while others have darker contrasting

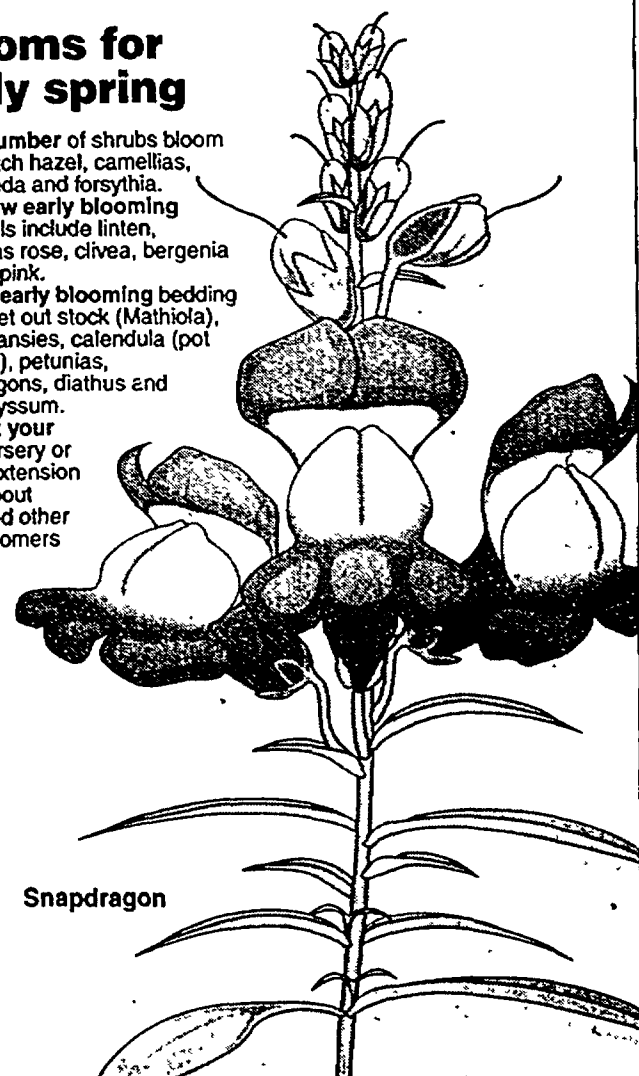
Blooms for early spring

■ A number of shrubs bloom early: witch hazel, camellias, andromeda and forsythia.

■ A few early blooming perennials include linden, Christmas rose, clivia, bergenia and sea pink.

■ For early blooming bedding plants, set out stock (Mathiola), violas, pansies, calendula (pot marigold), petunias, snapdragons, diathus and sweet alyssum.

■ Ask your local nursery or county extension agent about these and other early bloomers that are suited to your area.



Snapdragon

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Mae Starr doll has built-in record player



By Anne McColam
Copley News Service

Q. Enclosed is a picture of a Mae Starr doll that I received from my uncle. He bought it 64 years ago in Macy's Department Store in New York. The doll is marked "Effanbee - C. Lovums."

There are six different records that can be inserted into the back of the doll. On her side is a crank for operating the recordings.

She is 29 inches tall, has a human-hair wig and is wearing the original shoes and socks. Except for her missing original clothes, the doll and the records are in very good condition.

Please let me know if this doll has any value other than sentimental.

A. Effanbee was the name used by doll makers Fleischaker & Baum in New York. Mae Starr had a composition head and limbs, a cloth body, sleep eyes, and an open mouth with four teeth.

Depending on the condition, Mae Starr dolls are usually in the \$600 to \$1,000 range.

Q. This mark is on the bottom of a porcelain teapot that was given to me in the 1920s. The teapot is in the shape of a cat.

The front paws form the spout, and the tail forms the handle. It is decorated with blue patches against a white background.



Does my

This Mae Starr Doll, made by New York doll makers Fleischaker and Baum under the name Effanbee, is probably worth between \$600 and \$1,000, depending on its condition.

ANTIQUES

teapot have any value?

A. Chikusa is a Japanese mark that was used on porcelain made from 1890 to 1921.

Figural teapots have great appeal for collectors. Your teapot would probably be worth about \$225 to \$275.

Q. I inherited a stereoscope from my father. It was given to him when he was a child in the early 1900s. His mother received it for placing a large order with Sears, Roebuck & Co.

It is made of wood and has a handle that folds down. A set of 50 views of Sears in Chicago came with it. On the bottom of the stereoscope frame are the words "H.O. White Co. - Pat'd July 18, '03."

I would like to know its value.

A. Your stereoscope with the complete set of 50 views would probably be worth about \$225 to \$250.

Q. I have a service-for-12 set of china. There are a total of 70 pieces. Each piece is marked with a wreath and the words, "Noritake - M - Hand Painted - Made in Japan."

The dishes are decorated with pink azaleas against a white background, and the edges are trimmed in gold.

Could you please give me some information on this set?

A. The pattern of your dinnerware is Azalea. These dishes were made for the Larkin Co. and given as premiums to club members from 1916 to the 1930s. Crystal pieces, with the hand-painted Azalea pattern, were introduced around 1930. This pattern is highly desirable as a collectible.

Your circa 1930 dinnerware would probably be worth about \$1,500 to \$2,000.

Q. What can you tell me about my pair of mantel lusters?

They are white overlay cut away to apple-green glass. They have small pink enamel flowers and gold trim. The height is 14 inches. Each has eight hanging crystal prisms.

They are in perfect condition and still have the Czechoslovakian paper label.

A. Mantel lusters were decorative pedestal vases that were placed on fireplace mantels in the early 1900s. They were decorated with light-reflecting prisms, thus the name lusters.

Your lusters were made after 1918. Similar pairs are seen in antique shops in the \$400 to \$425 range.

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Illegal real estate transactions cost consumers money

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ance companies paying fees (kick-backs) to real estate brokers who refer their property-buying clients to them. This is clearly an illegal and unethical practice in most states, but those under-the-table payments are still frequently paid at points throughout the country.

The practice has weakened the public's perception of both industries. But pressure is building on perpetrators to abandon the practice. Brokers who engage in the practice could lose their license

from their state department of real estate. And those agencies are becoming more aggressive in investigations.

In California, the state Association of Realtors is fighting the illegal practice by encouraging brokers and sales agents to report offenders to the Department of Real Estate. The association has also proposed a legislative bill that would criminalize such activity, beginning July 1, 1998.

It should be noted that some title insurance companies and real estate brokers abstain from such

practices. They are usually leaders in efforts to eliminate the practice, thus leveling the competition playing field.

Q. Are home mortgage delinquencies increasing or decreasing?

A. After three consecutive quarterly declines in the mortgage delinquency rate, it's now moving up a bit, according to the Mortgage Bankers Association.

A recent report shows the overall seasonally adjusted delinquency rate of home mort-

gages was 4.37 percent during the fourth quarter of 1996 - up slightly from the previous quarter.

"We expect these rates to hover near these levels over the next few quarters," said MBA President Ron McCord. "The rising growth in consumer debt, coupled with a moderating economy, could keep mortgage delinquencies from improving in the near future."

Q. Is the market for apartment properties in a slump?

A. No, the apartment market is in a healthy, growing mode.

Despite some reports that this sector of the market is losing steam, apartment properties are increasingly popular with investors.

These properties attracted about 18 percent of the value of all property acquisitions last year. High-quality apartments appreciated (increased) nearly 9 percent during the past year, more than any other property category except suburban offices.

The future prospects for the apartment sector is a mixed bag, according to a Gallen Associates report. This was the first property

sector to recover nationwide after the recession. While a number of major markets, particularly on the West Coast, could continue to experience double-digit annual increases in prices and rents, other markets will become at least moderately oversupplied this year, Gallen predicts.

Questions may be used in future columns: personal responses should not be expected. Send inquiries to James M. Woodard, Copley News Service, P.O. Box 190, San Diego, CA 92112-0190.

Choosing blooming plants that reveal their true colors early in the season

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"faces." I fancy the ruffled flowered varieties, very small and very large flowering types.

New varieties of pansies and other types of plants continue to be developed by plant breeders for new and unique colors and color combinations. Varieties that are deeper rooted and that possess other attributes for heat, cold and drought tolerance are easier to find for the home gardener.

Calendula or pot marigold are popular plants. Flowers range in

shades from white to cream and lemon to apricot and orange. They are perfect in flower bed plantings and for cut flowers.

If properly conditioned or "hardened off," which means gradually acclimated or allowed to become accustomed to cooler temperatures and more intense sunlight, plants like petunias, snapdragons, dithus and sweet alyssum make great additions to the early spring color garden.

Be sure to place these early spring beauties in locations in the

garden where they'll best be appreciated - near doorways and windows. Don't overlook strategically placed containers, window boxes, pots and hanging baskets.

If in doubt, ask your garden nursery for advice on these and other cool-weather bloomers. Ask for varieties best suited to the area you live in. Also inquire as to what kind of soil and light are required and how long you may expect them to bloom. Depending where you live, these plants may be annuals, biennials or even perennials.

There's nothing quite like those first flowers of spring to brighten gardens and lift our spirits. Where will some of these early flowers fit in your garden?

Q. I have a Jackmanii clematis that bloomed profusely for many years until last spring. Instead of the usual beautiful purple flowers, it had white and lavender striped flowers with small curly, distorted petals. What do you suppose happened?

A. I think your original plant dropped some seeds. Those seeds

simply germinated into a new plant that grew up and obscured the original plant - which by now needs some pruning to bring back the kind of flowers you are used to seeing. Trying to grow clematis from seed is almost impossible, but once in awhile nature takes over and a seedling develops. Most of these "volunteers" have strange characteristics and the curling you describe is no doubt a trait of the new plant. So locate the new plant and pull it up.

To get your original clematis to

bloom, simply prune the lateral branches back to just above the second leaf node from the main vine, because clematis plants become woody with age and often can't get nutrients to the ends of their branches. The best time to prune is in late winter or early spring before new growth begins.

C.Z. Guest, author of "5 Seasons of Gardening" (Little, Brown & Co.) is an authority on gardens, flowers and plants. Send questions to her c/o Copley News Service, P.O. Box 190, San Diego, CA 92112-0190.

Michigan builders host spring showcase of homes

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Road Intersection.

A truly livable floor plan is part of what Oak Creek Village's model is hoping will attract potential home buyers. The Stratford Grand model in South Lyon won best new floor plan design during the 1996 Parade of Homes.

"The best thing about the design is that you've got the kitchen area by your living area. A lot of emphasis was put in that area. That's one reason this layout is so popular," said Oak Creek Village Marketing Representative Donna Zelasko.

The close proximity of the kitchen area makes a station break snack only a few steps away.

Three bedrooms and 2 1/2 baths are featured in this model's 2,350 square feet. An optional fourth bedroom is offered.

Although the interior in the Oak Village model was furnished in a more traditional style, it still featured the popular light color scheme. Gold and forest green accents are popular colors at both developments. There's even a bedroom to inspire golfers. In a fun golf theme.

Potential customers who view Oak Village also like the large, roomy closet space, said Zelasko.

"People are also definitely into the hardwood floors and designer white kitchens."

She finds the surfaces stay beautiful and are

easy to clean.

"People also comment about the windows; the corner windows are popular. With Silverman Homes, that's one thing they pay attention to," she said.

Oak Village is located east off of Nine Mile Road in South Lyon just south of the downtown district. Although the development is in its final stages, there are still sites available. Identical models are available in nearby Trotter's Pointe Village in South Lyon, located on Eleven Mile Road near Pontiac Trail. Both projects are contracted by Silverman Homes and both are featured in The Parade of Homes.

Models for the showcase are also featured at these local developments. The Preserve of Commerce at Commerce near Bogie Lake Road,

Tanglewood located on 10 Mile Road near South Lyon, and Carla Hills located in White Lake township near Cedar Island and Bogie Lake Road.



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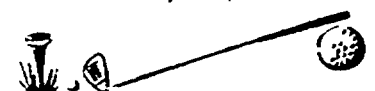
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Novi Jaycees plan to douse underage cigarette smoking

By WENDY PIERMAN MITZEL
Staff Writer

The Novi Jaycees hopped on a magic bus, last week. In a nationwide effort to stop the illegal sale of tobacco to minors.

The United States Junior Chamber of Commerce, The Jaycees, is sending a group of representatives around the country on a 34-foot RV to promote the anti-smoking campaign, among other Jaycees initiatives.

"We all know quitting smoking is the hardest thing you can do and the biggest deterrent is to get them not to start and to make it as hard as possible for teens to obtain cigarettes," said Beth Murphy, of the Novi Jaycees.

Called the "Wake Up America Tour," the junior chamber leaders have traveled to 48 states and appeared in more than 1,000 communities.

For the past three years the Jaycees Against Youth Smoking program has worked to reduce access of tobacco products to children under 18 years of age.

Jaycees work with local retailers to encourage checking identification for the age-restricted products of tobacco and alcohol and post

signs to alert the public of the laws. The group also designed a Responsible Merchant pledge for retailers to sign. Jaycees chapters develop public service announcements and enlist the support of local law enforcement agencies.

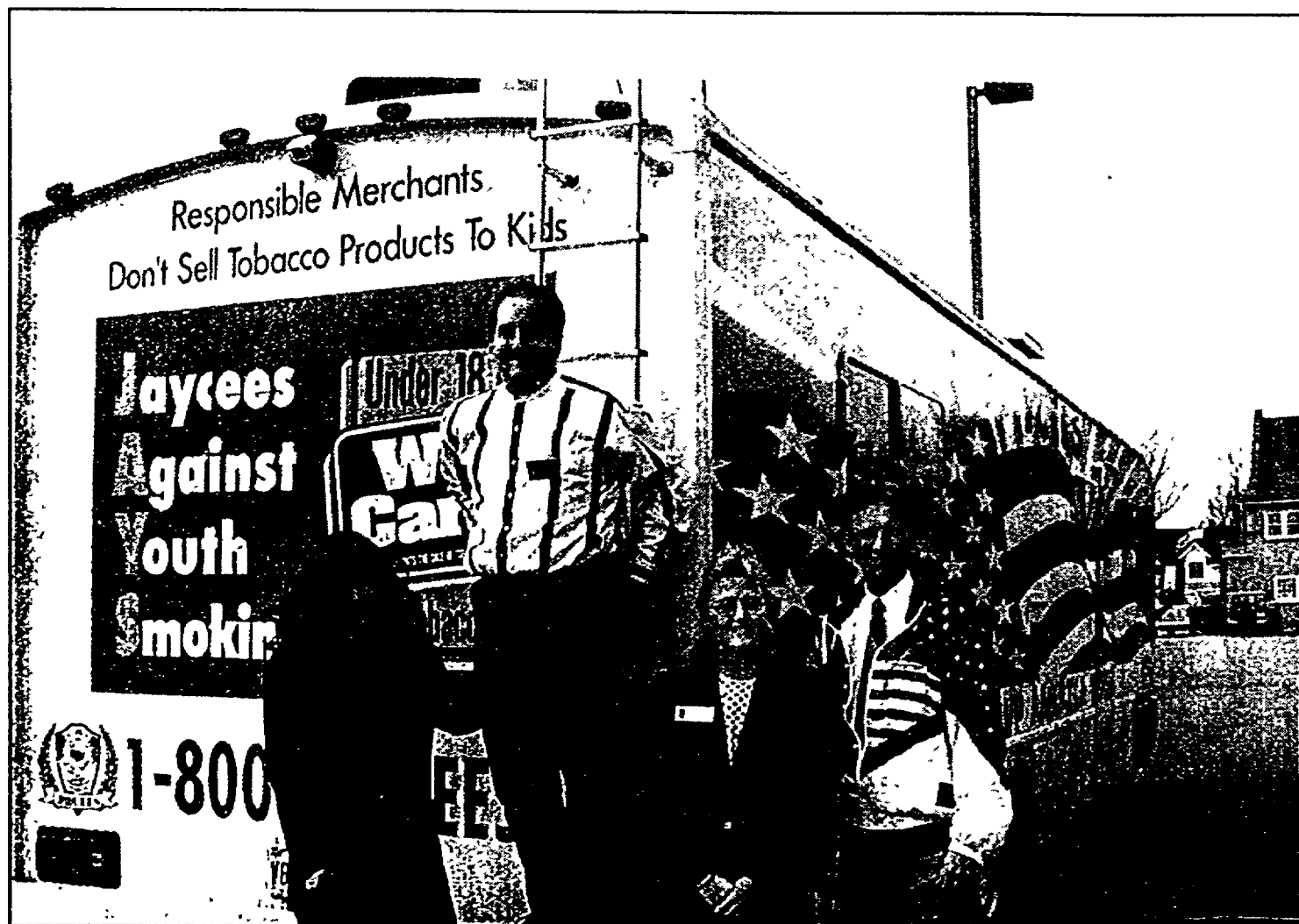
Murphy said the Novi Jaycees have spoken with a few businesses so far to inform them of the program and garner support and pledges. She expects the Jaycees to tackle other stores within the next weeks.

She's also spoken with Novi Police Chief Douglas Shaeffer.

"Chief Shaeffer has been wonderful in offering his assistance to the Jaycees," Murphy said.

The Jaycees cite a U.S. Department of Health and Human Services trend analysis when it says too many young people have access to cigarettes. More than 12 percent of high school seniors smoke a half-pack of cigarettes a day. Nearly 11 percent of 12 to 17-year-olds have tried a cigarette in the last month, it says.

The solution, they say, is restricting that access. The Jaycees state when the law is supported, access to cigarettes is reduced by more than 50 percent.



Novi Jaycee Beth Murphy joined Farmington Jaycee Mark Blasiola as well as national representatives Patty Conklin and Rick Lippert on a cruise with the Jaycees Wake Up America Tour, in part promoting the responsible selling of tobacco items.

Business Briefs

CAROL BOJI, broker/owner of real estate office **RE/MAX EXECUTIVE PROPERTIES** in Farmington Hills, was recently named broker/owner of the year for RE/MAX in Oakland, Macomb and Wayne counties. Boji joined the company in 1995.

DEIRDRE HAMILTON has been announced as International Business Intern for **ARCH ASSOCIATES LLC** in Northville. She graduated with honors from Oberlin College, where she received a B.A. in European After college, Hamilton taught English for one year in the Czech Republic.

IRENE BASAR of the **NOVI HILTON** in Novi was recently named Banquets Employee of the Year by the Michigan Hotel, Motel & Resort Association. Basar has been named the hotel's employee of the month three times and employee of the year.

Sales and Marketing Division announced that **Richard C. Sturgis II** of Novi had been awarded IBM's Outstanding Achievement Award for accomplishments in 1996. Sturgis is a sales specialist with the RS/6000 Product Marketing Division working out of the Southfield location.

HUDSON's recently announced the appointment of **TERRI NAMOLHODA** to fashion manager for the Hudson's stores. She will be responsible for fashion production and trend direction for the Hudson's team.

Terri's retail career began in 1988 with Banana Republic. She joined Hudson's in 1990, holding positions at the Woodland Mall store in Grand Rapids and Twelve Oaks store in Novi. In 1996, she was promoted to the assistant store manager of ready-to-wear at Hudson's Somerset.

South Lyon has been appointed Operations Manager for **ORCHARD, HOLZ & MCCLIMENT's** (OHM) Geographic & Information Services (G&IS) Division where he will be responsible for the day-to-day management of the division. Oscarson has been with OHM for 21 years and a principal in the firm since 1986. Prior to his recent appointment, he was a municipal engineering group manager serving clients in Oakland and Washtenaw counties.

Oscarson received his bachelor's degree from Michigan Technological University in 1969 and is a reg-

istered professional engineer in Michigan and Illinois. He is currently pursuing post graduate studies from Eastern Michigan University.

MEADOWBROOK VETERINARY CLINIC is celebrating its 20th anniversary. Located at 41646 Ten Mile Road, the clinic will hold its celebration on April 6 from 2 to 5 p.m. Call Elizabeth at (517) 546-8353 or Rebecca at 473-7076 for a reservation.

MICHAEL J. HARRIS, General

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The Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants emphasizes that no matter what your age is now or when you expect to retire, investing in a 401(k) plan is one of the best ways to save for your retirement.

Here's how you can reap the full benefits of such plans.

CONTRIBUTE ASAP

A 401(k) plan enables you to contribute pre-tax dollars that compound interest on a tax-deferred basis.

What this means is that you don't pay taxes on the portion of your salary you contribute to the plan and the earnings aren't taxed until they are withdrawn at retirement.

The sooner you contribute to the plan, the more you will benefit from the compounding of interest. For example, if you place \$7,000 into a 401(k) plan each year for 20 years and earn a return of eight percent, your total assets at the end of the period will equal

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\$320,000.

MATCHING CONTRIBUTIONS

Many companies offer matching contributions.

Some companies will match your contribution dollar for dollar. Others will contribute 50 cents for every dollar you contribute. Still others will contribute certain percentages of your salary depending on the amount of your contribution.

To get the most out of your 401(k), contribute at least the amount that will enable you to receive the maximum company matching contribution.

MAXIMUM CONTRIBUTIONS

It's wise to contribute as much as possible to your 401(k) plan. The amount you can contribute each pay period depends on your salary and what percentage of it the company permits employees to contribute.

Typically, companies allow contributions of between 2 and 15 percent of your compensation. For 1994, you are allowed to make a

maximum tax-free contribution of \$9,240 to your 401(k) plan.

This amount does not include employer contributions. If you set aside \$9,240 and your employer matches your contribution dollar for dollar, you can actually save \$18,480, plus interest, this year.

MONITOR YOUR INVESTMENT

Monitoring and managing your 401(k) plan's performance is an important task since it directly affects the balance of your savings at retirement.

Today, employers generally give employees several options for investing their 401(k) contributions.

For example, you may be able to allocate your contributions among fixed-income investments (such as certificates of deposit - CDs) and variable income investments (such as stock or bond funds).

Generally, it's wise to diversify your 401(k) assets.

Of course, the closer you get to retirement, the less risk you should take and the more you should consider fixed-income investments.

Business Briefs

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Manager of CHAIN OIL in Wixom, was awarded a gold ring and certificate of accomplishment at a luncheon in his behalf. Harris started at Chain Oil as a driver, and has grown over the past 10 years into sales and most recently, management.

Harris is presently developing a new marketing program for the company to expand throughout Michigan. Harris resides with his family in South Lyon.

HOWARD & HOWARD recently added Novi resident DOUGLAS R. KELLY to its Bloomfield Hills office. He concentrates his practice in commercial litigation, real estate, business law and construction litigation.

Kelly received a B.B.A. degree from Eastern Michigan University in 1987 and a J.D. degree from the University of Detroit School of Law in 1993.



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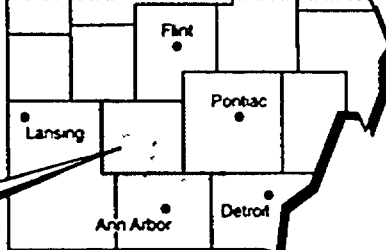
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Attn: Service Manager or Fax (810)589-0702

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Pinckney is looking for qualified people to fill day, afternoon and night positions in Howell & Brighton.

\$6.50 per hour and uniforms furnished at no charge

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Southfield, MI

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Qualified applicants may apply in person or send a resume to:
Human Resources
McPherson Hospital
620 Byron Road
Howell, MI 48843-1093

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Troy, MI 48063
Attn: Service Manager or Fax (810)589-0702

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Continental Cablevision
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Oak Park, MI 48237

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needed one technical person, mechanical and electrical skills helpful. Ground floor opportunity in high growth department at established company. Call Jen at 800-892-9392

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EQUIPMENT OPERATORS

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Contractor seeking operator with exp. finish grading roads and parking lots, to work in Oakland, Wayne and Eastern Livingston Counties. Salary commensurate with exp. Call (810)738-7925

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Experience in the design and implementation of training programs is required along with pertinent technical writing and training experience in the areas of electrical and mechanical maintenance and robotics programming.

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FOOD PRODUCTION help needed for snack food plant in Brighton. Help start up our new granola bar line. Food exp. helpful. Full time, days, must be motivated and some heavy lifting required. Good pay and benefits. Call (810)466-0055

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FULL TIME position for mirror & shower door installers

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Full time. \$8/hr. hospitalization, profit sharing. Will train the right person. Call Jim at (810)449-8334.

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Day shift, no exp. necessary. \$7 per hour to start plus benefits. Ask for Joe or Bob. (517)546-6414.

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Outside work. Benefits after 90 days. (800)713-7358

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HomeTown Newspapers
Personnel Office
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Howell, MI 48844

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(313)677-7929 Ann Arbor
(313)454-3764 Plymouth

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GROWING COMPANY

looking for enthusiastic individuals with a will to learn a career in tool grinding. Some general machine & measurement skills a plus but not required. Please apply at: 9933 Webber St., Brighton, MI.

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for full service salon. Call (517)548-1768

HEALTH INSURANCE

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44311 Grand River Ave.
Novi, MI 48375

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Field service technician to install and repair mechanical and electrical scales. Must know basic electronics and have good mechanical aptitude. Competitive wage/benefits package. Resumes send to: Sterling Scale Company, Inc., 20950 Boening Dr., Southfield, MI 48075

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P.O. Box 930368
Warren, MI 48393

LABORER NEEDED for brick making. Good pay. Call (313)878-6629.

LABORER WANTED for established poured wall company. (810)227-5055

LABORERS FOR outside construction. Must have own transportation. Call 8am-4pm, (810) 476-3650

LABORERS needed for fast paced Transportation company in Plymouth, MI. Degree in Human Resources required, salary based on experience. Knowledge in Benefits, 401K Worker's Compensation, personnel hiring practices, record keeping & DOT regulations preferred. Computer proficiency in Microsoft Word & Excel a must. Position offers Health, Dental, Life, and 401K. Please fax resumes to Sandy at: (313)455-9457.

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HELP WANTED We are looking for a self motivated person to join our manufacturing team! This person would need experience with MIG Welding, the ability to read drafting prints & custom light metal manufacturing is a plus. This is a full time position, benefits include medical, dental & 401k. Please apply in person. Mon-Fri. between the hours of 10am-2pm.

HELP WANTED: Novi Oaks golf range. Call Vince at (810)348-0258

HELP WANTED: We will train the right person who is friendly, mature, dependable and can work independently as a Customer Service Representative or in our Production process. Apply in person at: Brighton Martinez, 8688 W. Grand River, Brighton.

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HOME MANAGER needed to operate a group home for developmentally disabled adults. Must have experience, leadership ability, flexibility and be able to work independently. If you are looking for a rewarding job with a great benefit package, send resume to: P.O. Box 555, Fenton, MI 48430 or fax to: (810)750-6712. Phone inquiries: (810)750-6312.

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INDUSTRIAL FIELD SERVICE TECHNICIAN Field service technician to install and repair mechanical and electrical scales. Must know basic electronics and have good mechanical aptitude. Competitive wage/benefits package. Resumes send to: Sterling Scale Company, Inc., 20950 Boening Dr., Southfield, MI 48075

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JOBS! JOBS! JOBS! Available in Brighton / Howell area. Apply today, start tomorrow! Great starting pay. All shifts available. Must have own transportation. Call (810) 227-0259.

KITCHEN DESIGNER Growing Wholesale Distributor of kitchen & bath cabinets seeking to add another qualified kitchen designer. Candidate must be a team player with exceptional interpersonal skills. Previous kitchen design experience a must. Computer Aided Design experience a plus. Very competitive salary and benefits package available, send resume and salary history to:

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P.O. Box 930368
Warren, MI 48393

LABORER NEEDED for brick making. Good pay. Call (313)878-6629.

LABORER WANTED for established poured wall company. (810)227-5055

LABORERS FOR outside construction. Must have own transportation. Call 8am-4pm, (810) 476-3650

HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGER

For fast paced Transportation company in Plymouth, MI. Degree in Human Resources required, salary based on experience. Knowledge in Benefits, 401K Worker's Compensation, personnel hiring practices, record keeping & DOT regulations preferred. Computer proficiency in Microsoft Word & Excel a must. Position offers Health, Dental, Life, and 401K. Please fax resumes to Sandy at: (313)455-9457.

HVAC SERVICE TECH

Needed for well established growing company located in Western Suburb. Great exposure to several different aspects of the HVAC industry. Company vehicle provided. Exc. Benefit package including 401(k) with match, pension, and educational reimbursement. Applicant should have three to five years exp. in residential service, with electrical troubleshooting preferred. Must have boiler experience. Competitive wages to correspond with experience. Call Ray at A.J. Danboso Son Plumbing & Heating Company (810)477-3626

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A.M. shift prepapers, & detailers. Howell Soft Cloth Car Wash, 1009 S. Pinckney Rd., (517)546-7622

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for 3rd key & part time sales positions. We are looking for individuals with the following qualifications: Sports oriented, enjoys working with people & selling. Apply in person: Addas Retail Outlet, 1475 N. Burtchard Rd. Suite B103, Howell, MI EOE.

IMMEDIATE OPENINGS

502 Help Wanted Clerical/Office

CLERK/RUNNER
needed for Oakland county law firm. Must have reliable transportation. Will handle court filings, errands, copy jobs and other office duties. Experience a plus, but not required. 20-40 hours per week. Respond to Office Manager, P.O. Box 7515, Bloomfield Hills, MI 48302-7515. Or by Fax: (810) 335-3346

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Full or part-time. Steady work. Excellent income. Flexible hours. Knowledge of Windows helpful. 1-800-935-0553

CONSTRUCTION SECRETARY
for established apartment builder. Salary commensurate with experience. Excellent benefits. Send resume to P.O. Box 0433, Nov, MI 48376-0433

CUSTOMER SERVICE
Jerry Baker gardening catalog company in New Hudson is currently accepting applications from enthusiastic & motivated individuals for the following positions:

TELEPHONE ORDER TAKERS
DATA ENTRY CLERKS
ORDER FILERS

Starting wage \$7/hr. with scheduled increases. Please call (810) 437-3000 ext. 221 to request an interview.

CUSTOMER SERVICE clerical, entry level, will train. \$6.75/hr to start plus profit sharing. Rapid advancement. Credit Technologies (810) 473-7400 ext. 108, ask for Helen.

CUSTOMER SERVICE Rep. needed for busy Ann Arbor production facility. Previous customer service exp. preferred. Will be handling shipping/receiving, customer service calls, etc. Must have good computer skills, be familiar with IBM systems and software, including Word Perfect and spreadsheets. Great pay and benefits available. Call (313) 973-9530 or fax resume to (313) 973-9535

CUSTOMER SERVICE REP
Wixom company seeking Customer Service Representative for telephone order processing & customer calls. Must have excellent attention to detail & professional phone manner. Mon-Fri, 9-5, 7:00/hr. to start. Send resume to: Office Manager, 48333 West Road, Wixom, MI 48393, or FAX: (810) 344-4837.

DATA ENTRY - Farmington Hills.
A national manufacturer of piping systems has an immediate opening for a mature, responsible individual. Duties include order entry, data entry, filing and answering of telephones. Must be detail oriented. Excellent salary and benefits. Please send resume to Viciacof Company of America, 23107 Commerce Drive, Farmington Hills, MI 48335.

DENTAL RECEPTIONIST Full time. Send resume to Dental, 28803 W. 8 Mile Rd., Suite 103, Livonia, MI 48152

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DISPATCHER For towing and repair facility. Full time. Will train. Inquire at (810) 349-2550.

EXCELDA MFG. is seeking a Customer Service/Direct Ship Coordinator to perform EDI communications, data entry, invoicing, & order tracking. We are looking for a professional, hardworking, career oriented, & self motivated individual. Salary commensurate with qualifications. Mon-Fri, 8:00am-4:30pm. Benefits after 90 days. Apply at 12785 Emerson Dr., Brighton, (810) 486-3800

FULL TIME, non-smoking professional to assist owner of printing related business. Experience in marketing, sales, printing and customer service desirable. Mail complete resume with desired salary to P.O. Box 928, Brighton, MI 48116

GENERAL OFFICE
Filing, phones, other duties. Must be friendly & outgoing for busy Dearborn doctors office. Bob (313) 565-5600

GENERAL OFFICE CLERK
Entry level position. No experience required, will train right person. Candidate should be energetic, dependable and a high school graduate. Full time position, Mon-Fri, 8:30-4:30pm, \$5.25/hr. to start. (810) 344-4688 between 9:30am-3pm.

GENERAL OFFICE
Fast growing Brighton sales office needs a well organized, full time, self starter to assist in daily operations. Professional phone manners, exceptional attention to details, and computer knowledge a must. Competitive wages and benefits. Send resume to Office Manager, PO Box 42, Brighton, MI 48116-0042

GENERAL OFFICE Clerical, computer, good telephone manner. Flex hours. (810) 426-3439

GROWING NOVI Communications firm is seeking an entry level Clerk to provide general clerical support to the Systems Department. Two to three years experience in a business or technical environment. Microsoft Office experience preferred. Excellent benefits and competitive salary. Send resume & salary history to:
Glover Communications, Inc.
41290 Vincent Ct.
Novi, MI 48375
Attn: Debbie Mason-EC

E.O.E.

HOWELL AREA software company seeks part-time clerical help to answer phones, process sales leads & orders. Must be computer literate. Exc. telephone skills a must. Willing to work flexible hours. Send resume to: AQS, P.O. Box 618, Howell, MI 48844.

HOWELL MANUFACTURERS looking for Administrative Assistant and Accounting Clerk. Top pay, opportunity for hire only after 30 working days. Call (810) 227-4668.

LEGAL ASSISTANT - Brighton general practice firm seeks applicants with 3+ years experience & excellent typing skills. Send resume & salary requirements to Box #5641 c/o The Brighton Argus, 113 E. Grand River, Brighton, MI 48116

LEGAL SECRETARY
Experienced Legal Secretary wanted for Downtown Birmingham sole practitioner with general litigation and business practice in friendly shared office environment. Very stable and rewarding opportunity. Please call John Anderson at (810) 540-7667.

MANPOWER is now hiring:
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Call Today

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Opportunity to join major marketing company due to a recent promotion. Excellent communications and interpersonal skills to great clients and coordinate travel. Advancement potential for highly motivated individual. DIVERSIFIED RECRUITERS (810) 344-6700 Fax (810) 344-6704

NORRELL SERVICES is now hiring for an office automation position in the Brighton area. Candidate should have good communication skills, be proficient in Microsoft Word & Excel and have manufacturing exp. Accounts Payable/Receivable exp. helpful, but not necessary. Pay ranges between \$10-\$12/hr. Benefits available. Call today at (810) 227-3247.

NOVI IMMEDIATE position open for Receptionist/Word Processor. Needs to possess basic word processing skills and be dependable. This is a permanent full time position. Willing to train the right candidate for the position. (810) 344-0099

OFFICE CLERICAL
Full time general office help needed. Some experience helpful. Full benefits apply in person between 8 & 5 at:

RS ELECTRONICS
34443 Schoolcraft
Livonia, MI 48150
Ask for Jamie

OFFICE MANAGER - is needed. Skilled, personable, determined. Malone Electric Company, Brighton, (800) 293-5959

OFFICE PERSONNEL Must understand accounting principles, experience in computer spreadsheet & word processing, part-time, 8am. to noon with possible full time. Send resume to: Tom Boyle Building Company, 9095 Chiffon Rd. Brighton, MI 48116

OFFICE POSITION Year round position with Hensley's Ice Cream in the Brighton area. Duties include: calling established customers & entering orders into a computer along with other clerical work. Hourly wage starting at \$6.50, average 35hrs. per week, Mon-Fri. Paid holidays, vacation & sick leave 401K & company paid pension plan. If interested call (313) 449-0301 between 2pm & 6pm. EOE

PARALEGAL/LEGAL ASSISTANT
needed for Southfield law firm. Windows/Microsoft Word knowledge preferred. Experience in litigation and ability to work independently on files from beginning through discovery and trial preparation needed. Send resume to 24472 Northwestern Hwy, Southfield, MI 48075, Attn: Shem.

PART-TIME MEDICAL Receptionist for physical therapy clinic. Office exp. preferred. (810) 229-5022

PART-TIME OFFICE help needed for a Nov Insurance Agency, hrs. flexible. Duties include answering phones, greeting clients, some computer work, insurance experience helpful but not required. Call Cindy at (810) 380-6446

RECEIVABLES PERSON
CROWN LIFT TRUCKS, a leader in the material handling industry is looking for a person w/accounts receivable exp. A pleasant, firm phone voice, computer exp. & the ability to interact with customers is preferred. EOE. Please send resume to Crown Lift Truck, 43896 Plymouth Oaks Blvd., Plymouth, MI 48170 Attn: David Lloyd

RECEPTIONIST - FULL TIME
Fast paced Northville real estate office needs friendly, reliable, full time worker, Monday-Friday, with ability to handle multiple tasks, phones and work under pressure. Fax resume to Sharon at Coldwell Banker Schweitzer Real Estate at (810) 347-6532

RECEPTIONIST
FOR very busy hair salon in Novi. Mail. Experience preferred. EOE. \$6/hr. plus retail commission. Full & part time positions available. (313) 724-0515

RECEPTIONIST - SECRETARY

Busy health care company is seeking an energetic, self-starter to answer our phones and assist with dental support. Ideal candidate must have 2 years office experience and strong computer skills in MS Word and EXCEL. For immediate interview call Pat D. at (800) 765-7544 or send resume to:

Secretary-Receptionist
Health Care INNOVATIONS
9402 Malloy Road
Brighton, MI 48116
FAX: (810) 227-0810

RECEPTIONIST/Secretary
CROWN LIFT TRUCKS a leader in the material handling industry is looking for a person w/good communication skills to answer our busy phones & greet clients. Prior Norstar Meridian exp. is preferred. Good organizational skills, word processing, typing & the ability to handle multiple tasks a plus. EOE. Send resume to: David Lloyd, Crown Lift Trucks, 43896 Plymouth Oaks Blvd., Plymouth, MI 48170

RECEPTIONIST
Needed, flexible hours. Must be organized, energetic & cheerful. Must be able to handle multiple tasks. Please send resume to:

Programmed Products Corp.
Attn: Human Resources
44311 Grand River
Novi, MI 48375

RECEPTIONIST
Full-time position for busy Brighton office 3 days per week. Person will handle telephones and general office functions. This person will be responsible for receiving and monitoring all incoming visitors and telephone calls. Typing, filing and other general office skills necessary. The ideal candidate must be friendly, possess excellent telephone manners. Must be a high school graduate and like working with the public.

We are equal opportunity employers and provide a smoke-free workplace. If you have the skills listed above and are looking for interesting work send your resume or come into our office to fill out an application. Benefit package available after successful completion of 520 hour probation period.

HomeTown Newspapers
Personnel Office
P.O. Box 230
Howell, Michigan 48844
No phone calls.

RECEPTIONIST
FULL-TIME position for busy home care agency located in Southfield. Duties include: answering line phone system, typing, filing and word processing. Experience preferred. Good salary with benefits. Please call Mary to arrange an interview at (810) 569-1661.

RECEPTIONIST LOOKING for professional person with multiple phone skills, typing, filing and other various responsibilities. hrs 8:30 to 5pm. (810) 349-2500.

RECEPTIONIST
MACHINE Tool Distributor looking for an individual with a pleasant personality to answer busy phone lines. Other duties include light typing, filing and misc. general office duties. Salary based on experience. Benefits package includes 401K. Send resume to: Receptionist, PNC Machinery Sales, Inc., 14600 Keel St., Plymouth Twp., MI 48170
An Equal Opportunity Employer

RECEPTIONIST
needed part-time in busy South Lyon office. Person will handle telephones and general office functions from 8:30am. to 5:00pm. This person will be responsible for receiving and monitoring all incoming visitors and telephone calls. Typing, filing, mail distribution and other general office skills are necessary. The ideal candidate must be friendly, and possess excellent telephone manners. Must be a high school graduate and like working with the public.

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HomeTown Newspapers
323 E. Grand River
P.O. Box 230
Howell, Michigan 48844
No phone calls

RECEPTIONIST. LIGHT typing, light filing, approximately 15 to 20 hours per week. Fax resume or mail to: 8004 West Grand River, Brighton, MI 48116 (810) 227-0266.

RECEPTIONIST. WIXOM mfg. company located in Brighton area looking for hard working, energetic individual. This person will be responsible for answering multiple-line phone system, data entry, filing and other general office tasks from 8:30am to 5pm. Mon-Fri. Starting pay \$6/hr. Send resume to P.O. Box 607, Walled Lake, 49390 or fax (810) 348-3328.

RECEPTIONIST/GENERAL OFFICE
Fast paced, computerized distribution company needs positive, high energy, self-motivated persons for full time positions. Duties include answering and directing phone calls and multiple office duties such as order entry, sales quotations, filing, etc. Mail or fax resume to:
HR Manager
Shelving Rack & Supply, Inc.
4325 Martin Rd
Walled Lake, MI 48390
FAX: (810) 360-0171

RECEPTIONIST/GENERAL OFFICE
Experienced only need apply. Word 7.0, Excel. Non smoking building. Fringe benefits. Send resume to: K.J. Law Engineers Inc., 42300 W. 9 Mile, Novi, MI 48375 Attn: M.L.C. EOE NO PHONE CALLS PLEASE

RECEPTIONIST/SECRETARY
Full-time for commercial printer in Livonia. Out-going person with general office skills (word processing, multi-line phone, data entry). Candidate must be well organized & able to handle a variety of tasks.
Call: (313) 425-8150

RECEPTIONIST/SECRETARY
retail & service business. Pleasant phone voice & computer exp. required. Must be detail oriented. Send resume: Secretary, 190 E. Main St., Northville.

RECEPTIONIST/SECRETARY
needed in service dept. for fast-growing marina. Computer exp. preferred. Apply Wonderland Marine West, (517) 548-5122.

RECEPTIONIST/PAYROLL CLERK Full time position for 82 bed long-term care facility. Computer experience helpful. Excellent benefit package. Please send resume to: Whitehall Health Care Center of Novi, 43455 W. 10 Mile Rd., Novi MI 48375, Attn: Carol Baker.

RECEPTIONIST/SECRETARIAL
Part-time, \$6/hr. Must be experienced. Apply at 41001 Grand River, Ste. #1, Novi. (810) 476-6010

RECEPTIONIST/SECRETARY
Southfield commercial real estate co. seeking a professional, motivated individual to assist our property manager. \$9-\$11 an hour, full benefits package. Fax resume (810) 557-6442 or mail to: Joanne, 29548 Southfield Rd., #200, Southfield, MI 48076.

RESEARCH CLERKS
Mon-Fri, 3-11pm
Mon-Fri, 10am-6pm
\$7.50/hr.
A great opportunity exists for individuals with general knowledge of motonized vehicle makes and models to manually research specialty vehicle data through newspaper advertisements and periodicals. A H.S. diploma or equivalent, at least three-six months related work experience and knowledge of geographical areas as well as state and province abbreviations are required. Ability to lift 15-20 lbs. essential.

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ADP
SCHEDULER COORDINATOR/ Immediate entry-level opening for a professional, well-organized individual. Primary responsibilities include scheduling, customer service and office administration. Must have 1-2 years of prior scheduling exp. (preferably in a health care setting), ability to meet deadlines and work under pressure, exp. with Windows and Excel. Submit resume with salary requirements to: Huron Valley Visiting Nurses, 2850 S. Industrial Hwy., Suite 75, Ann Arbor, MI 48104 or fax (313) 677-0123.

SECRETARY/RECEPTIONIST
Full time for busy engineering office in Plymouth. Use of WordPerfect, Microsoft Word & Excel. Phone answering along with other office duties (313) 454-0500.

SECRETARY NEEDED!!! Busy Ann Arbor production facility needs Secretary to cover phones and general office duties. Computer exp. necessary - Word and Excel preferred. Great pay and benefits available. Full time & part-time available. Call (313) 973-9530 or (313) 973-9533, or fax resume w/salary requirements to (313) 973-9535.

SECRETARY NEEDED, data entry, some computer skills are required. Call (810) 227-8321.

SECRETARY
Part-time position in Ann Arbor. Must possess high school diploma or equivalent, be 18 years of age or older, have valid drivers license, computer, simple bookkeeping, filing and general office management skills. \$7-\$8 per hr. Please FAX resume to (810) 471-5230 or call Mon-Fri. 9am-4pm. (810) 471-4890.

SECRETARY TO CEO
Multi-task position. Attention to detail and follow up. Professional corporate environment. Must have 3 years proven experience. Offering \$24-26,000 with benefits. Fax resume to (810) 356-1581

SECRETARY, FULL TIME, Mon-Fri, 8am to 5pm. General office, computer, non-smoking office. White Lake Twp., on M-59. (810) 360-9819, leave message.

SECRETARY/RECEPTIONIST
needed. Skilled, personable, BSN or equivalent, be 18 years of age or older, have valid drivers license, computer, simple bookkeeping, filing and general office management skills. \$7-\$8 per hr. Please FAX resume to (810) 471-5230 or call Mon-Fri. 9am-4pm. (810) 471-4890.

SHOP CLERICAL Entry level position. Computer exp. a must. 40 hrs. per week. Mailford Twp (810) 684-0555.

WANTED PART-TIME Secretary, Law office, 15-20 hrs. per wk., hrs. flexible (810) 229-2971.

504 Help Wanted Dental

DENTAL ASSISTANT
Full-time position in progressive downtown Plymouth office. Must be team oriented and enthusiastic.
Call: (313) 453-1190

DENTAL ASSISTANT needed, part-time. Call (517) 223-3779.

DENTAL ASSISTANT
Endodontic dental office looking for full-time and part-time experienced Dental Assistant with x-ray certification. Please call: (313) 459-8844

DENTAL ASSISTANT
For busy Northville practice. Very friendly working environment. Excellent people skills a must. Call (810) 347-0707

DENTAL ASSISTANT. Good technical skills needed for a high quality, friendly practice. Excellent benefits. Contact Jayne at (810) 887-5885

DENTAL ASSISTANT
Do you enjoy work? Believe in yourself, have an outgoing personality, cheerful smile, feel you can "copy" a fun atmosphere? WE WANT YOU! Full part time. Experience preferred. Excellent salary & benefits in friendly Livonia office. (313) 591-3636

DENTAL HYGIENIST for South Lyon office, Mon-Thurs., with 2 evenings, some Saturdays during winter months. (810) 437-4119

DENTAL HYGIENIST, 15-20 hours a week. Flexible hours, in a pleasant office. Pay negotiable. Call (810) 229-8103.

DENTAL HYGIENIST
Expansion of Howell family practice has created an opening for an ambitious hygienist and dental assistant. Benefits, no weekends. (517) 546-3440.

DENTAL PATIENT COORDINATOR
Laurel Park Livonia office 25 hour week, dental/computer & high enthusiasm necessary (313) 454-2664

DENTAL RECEPTIONIST
Full or part time for busy practice in Canton. We are looking for an organized, friendly person with dental computer experience. (313) 981-4040

HYGIENIST NEEDED for 20 yr. old practice. Guaranteed 24 hrs. per week. Competitive salary. (313) 678-9019.

OUR BEAUTIFUL Livonia dental practice is searching for bright energetic Dental Assistant with chaise experience. We offer a challenging career opportunity where your input is really valued 32 to 38 hours a week. Please call: (810) 477-7905.

506 Help Wanted Medical

A-1 MEDICAL RECEPTIONIST needed. Fast paced office looking for reliable, organized, self-motivated person for front desk. Great benefits. \$10 & up depending on experience. Full time preferred, but will consider part time. Livonia (810) 478-1166

ADON, FULL TIME Full benefits, free uniform. Contact Nicole Chavannes, Whitehall Health Care Center of Novi, 43455 W. 10 Mile Rd., Novi MI 48375 (810) 349-2200.

ASSISTED LIVING FACILITY is seeking nurses for day and afternoon shifts. Must be able and willing to provide primary care as well as manage the direct care staff. Prefer 3 years experience in nursing or related field. Salary \$25,000-\$28,000 with benefits. 1-800-486-9039

CARING & COMPASSIONATE LPN'S WANTED
MNs for a vent dependent adolescent. Up to \$1600 per hour. Vent experience required.

LPN CARE COORDINATOR wanted in the Nov/Walled Lake area. Excellent opportunity for utilizing mgmt, clinical and marketing skills. This full time position comes with benefits. A current MI LPN license is required for either position. Please call Pat D. at:

Health Care INNOVATIONS
(800) 765-7544
or send resume via FAX: (810) 227-0810

CNA'S OR trained Nurse Aides needed. Part-time/full time, all shifts. Apply at: West Hickory Haven, 3310 W. Commerce Rd., Milford, between 9:30am-3:30pm. (810) 585-1400

CNA'S/DIRECT CARE WORKERS
LPN's
To work with traumatically brain injured adults in a group home setting. Exp. preferred. Exc. wage & benefit package. Now hiring for part-time/midnight shift. Call (810) 227-0119

DIETARY AIDE
Full and part-time positions available. Day shift, 6:30am-2:30pm. Please apply at: 700 Reynolds Sweet Parkway, South Lyon. (810) 437-2048 ask for Andrea.

DR. OFFICE needs light office help. 2 days/wk. (810) 229-1944

GMS, GPNS, RN's & LPN's needed for direct care. Part-time/full time PM & midnight shift. Apply at West Hickory Haven, 3310 W. Commerce Rd., Milford, between 9:30am-3:30pm (810) 585-1400.

HAS/CHAS
Immediate opening for aides in the Northville/Novi areas. Shifts are Mon-Fri. days, Nov. 9:30am-5:30pm and Northville 8am-2:30pm. Call Huron Valley Visiting Nurses, ask for Dan or Jill at (800) 880-0020 or (810) 344-0234. Or fax resume to (313) 677-0123.

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PHARMACIST PART TIME
For IV infusion clinic. Immediate opening (810) 932-5666

REGISTERED X-RAY Tech, part-time, general practice. Send resume to P.O. Box 605, Linden, MI 48430.

Rehab Specialist
Immediate part time openings making visits to patient homes. The following positions are available: Masters prepared Social Worker, Speech Therapist, Occupational Therapist and Physical Therapist. Areas of service include: Oakland, Wayne, Livingston, Monroe and Jackson Counties. Home health care experience preferred. Please send resume to Huron Valley Visiting Nurses, 2850 S. Industrial Hwy., Suite 75, Ann Arbor, MI 48104 or Fax to (313) 677-5815.

HHAs/CNAs
Immediate openings for aides in the Northville/Novi areas. Shifts are M-F days: Novi, 9:30am-5:30pm & Northville, 8:00am-2:30pm. Call Huron Valley Visiting Nurses and ask for Dana or Jill at (800) 880-0020 or (810) 344-0234. Or Fax resume to (313) 677-0123.

Scheduler Coordinator
Immediate entry-level opening for a professional, well-organized individual. Primary responsibilities include scheduling, customer service and office administration. Must have 1-2 years of prior scheduling experience (preferably in a health care setting), ability to meet deadlines and work under pressure, experience with Windows and Excel. Submit resume with salary requirements to Huron Valley Visiting Nurses, 2850 S. Industrial Hwy., Suite 75, Ann Arbor, MI 48104 or fax to (313) 677-5815.

RECEPTIONIST/BILLER
Full time. MBS experience preferred; no weekends. Call Rita or Sara: (810) 477-7485.

REHAB SPECIALISTS
Immediate part time openings making visits to patient homes. The following positions are available: Masters prepared Social Worker, Speech Therapist, Occupational Therapist and Physical Therapist. Areas of service include: Oakland, Wayne, Livingston, Monroe and Jackson Counties. Home health care exp. preferred. Please send resumes to: Huron Valley Visiting Nurses, 2850 S. Industrial Hwy., Suite 75, Ann Arbor, MI 48104 or fax to (313) 677-5815.

MED-VISITING RN
Huron Valley Visiting Nurses is seeking a highly motivated, full-time visit nurse to make home visits to a variety of adult & pediatric patients in the Ann Arbor, Brighton and Northville areas. Mon-Fri, 12 noon-9pm plus weekends/mo. At least 1 yr. recent acute care exp., infusion skills & etc. organizational skills required. Must have a current MI license and current drivers license. BSN home health care and managed care exp. preferred. Competitive wages, mileage reimbursement. Send resume with salary requirements to: HVVN, 2850 S. Industrial Hwy., Suite 75, Ann Arbor, MI 48104 or fax to (313) 677-0123

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Experienced References Good pay. Send resume to 18320 Farmington Rd., Livonia, MI 48152

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SOFTBALL LEAGUE forming at Countryway Ball Field, women's & co-ed teams for weeknight league, men's teams for Sun. afternoon/weekend league. For more information call Rob or Jenny at (517)223-9037.

TO WENDY Mosley & other interested parties. The contents of Unit 358 Thornton Mill Storage, 1574 Alford Pkwy., Highland, MI, will be sold on May 5, 1997 at 1pm to satisfy Thornton's liens unless this lien is satisfied before the sale date. This unit was rented to Wendy Mosley on July 9, 1994. The contents of the unit will be available for inspection between the hours of 9:30-11:30 AM on the business day preceding the sale. On the date & at the hour of the sale, the goods will be awarded to the person or firm which have offered the most money for the goods. The sale will be at Thornton's Mini Storage, the contents of unit 358 include but are not necessarily limited to the following items: bed, grill, microwave, household items

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1 YR. OLD male red Doberman, needs fenced in yard. (517)223-4468

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Sugarcorn Art Fair (300 Fine Artists & Craft Designers) April 18, 19, 20 10am-6pm Novi Expo Center
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ZENTH 19" color TV, sound, no picture. (517) 546-1969

Antiques/Collectibles
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NORTHVILLE, APRIL 6, 8am, 830 Scott, near Seven Mile, 1/2 mile west of the racetrack.

SALEM TWP., April 4, 9-6, April 5, 9-3, 7680 Angle Rd. Misc. items.

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SOUTH LYON - First Presbyterian Church, 205 E. Lake, Thurs & Fri. April 10-11, 9-7, Sat., April 12, 9-3.

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BRIGHTON. 2 family. April 4-5, 9-3. Antique desk, stair stepper, baby items, double stroller + more. 615 N. 2nd St.

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FOWLERVILLE 8308 N. Fowlerville Rd., 4 miles N. of town. Fri. only, 9am-3pm. Bumper pool table, king size waterbed, mattress, lots more.

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HOWELL MOVING Sale. Oh my gosh there's more! Chevy conversion van, dog house & much more. Apr. 5, 9am-4pm. 658 Pathway (off Hughes & Grand River).

HOWELL-NAZARENE CHURCH on E. Brook St. April 5, 9-3. Launderies w/faucets, 1 toilet, 1 stall/urinal, school chairs, desk, blackboards, gas stove, all kinds of misc. & books.

HOWELL. ANNUAL sale. little tyke toys, kids, teens clothes, household items, king, single waterbed, dresser, gas dryer. April 3, 4, 5, 9-3pm. 1466 Argentine Rd. (So. / M-59)

HOWELL. HOUSEHOLD items, clothes, misc. 4-3 & 4-4, 10am-3, 119 Cranbrook, off D 19, 4 miles S. of I-96.

MILFORD MOVING/GARAGE sale. Collectibles, household items. A little bit of everything. Thurs. & Fri. Apr. 3 & 4, 8-6pm. 2232 Hickory Ridge Rd. 1 ml. S of M 59.

SALEM TWP. April 4, 9-6, April 5, 9-3, 7680 Angle Rd. Misc. items.

SALEM TWP. Big Barn Sale, multi-family. Antiques, furniture, dolls, baby items, nice clothes + much more. April 3 & 4, 8:30am-6pm. 6941 7 Mile Rd., corner of 7 Mile & Angle Rd.

SALEM. 10 family. Salesman samples; belts, equestrian clothing, tack bags. Horse art, tack, saddles, buggy, Household, Honda 350, Carousel horse, some antiques. April 3-4-5 7492 W. 7 Mile. Currie & Pontiac Tr.

SOUTH LYON - First Presbyterian Church, 205 E. Lake, Thurs & Fri. April 10-11, 9-7, Sat., April 12, 9-3.

SOUTH LYON Moving. Sat., April 5, 9-4, Sun., April 6, 10-3. China cabinet, Maytag dryer, sofa, misc. Handmade crafts. Off 10 Mile, S. on Currie, first street Woody Lane, turn R. 55535 Woody Ln., 5th house on left.

SOUTH LYON. Assorted Beanie Babies, \$10 each. Misc. household. 61919 Fairland, across John Deere. Thurs., Sat., 9am-5

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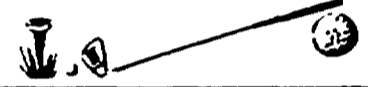
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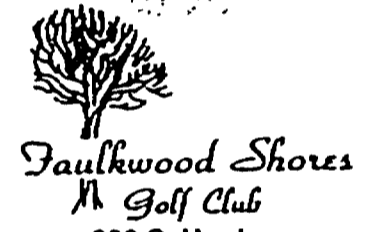
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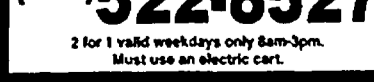


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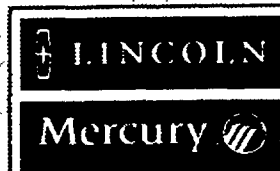


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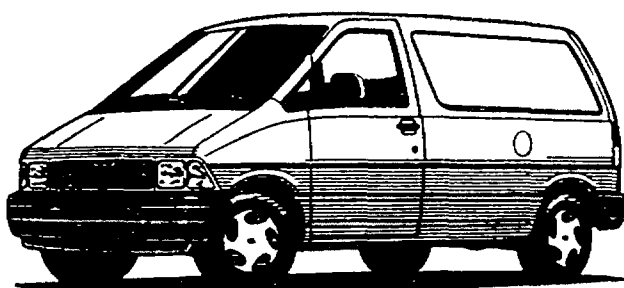
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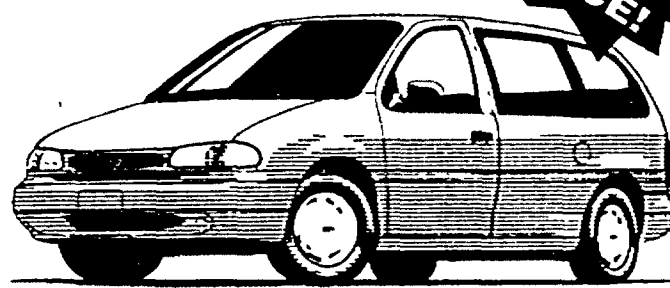
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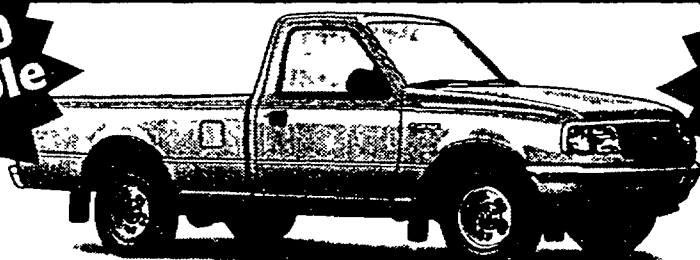
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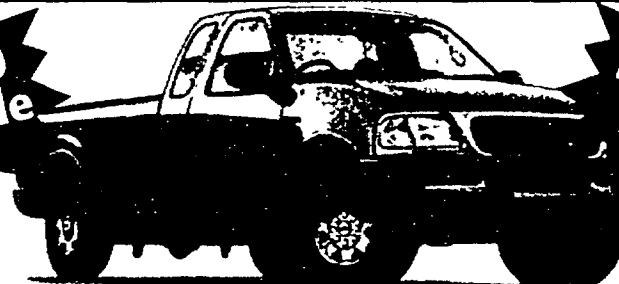


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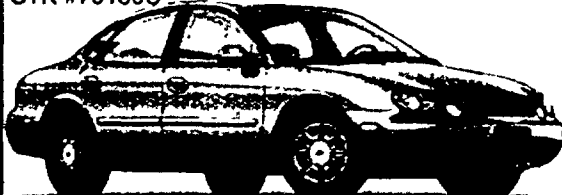
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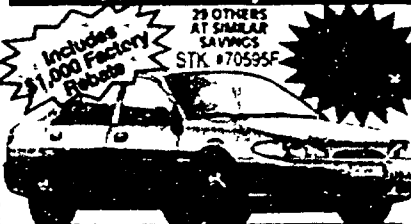
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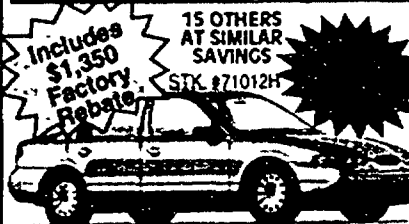
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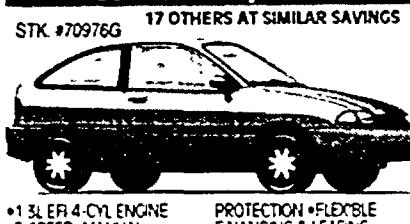
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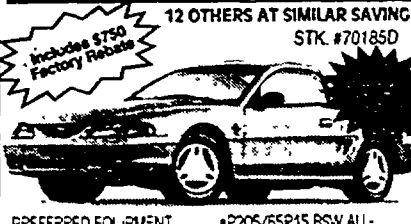
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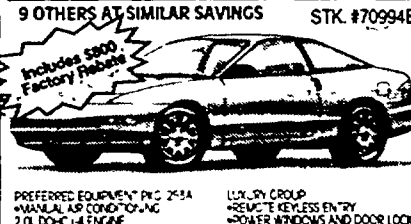
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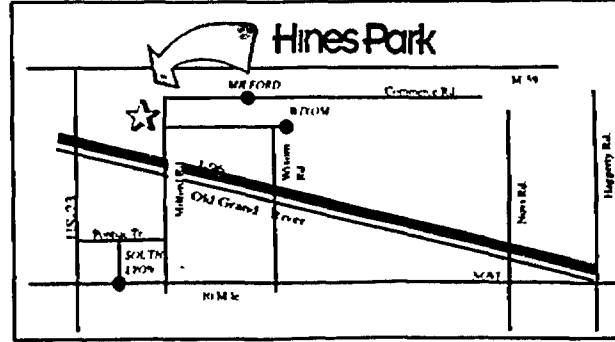
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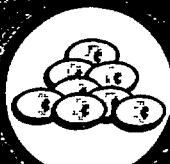
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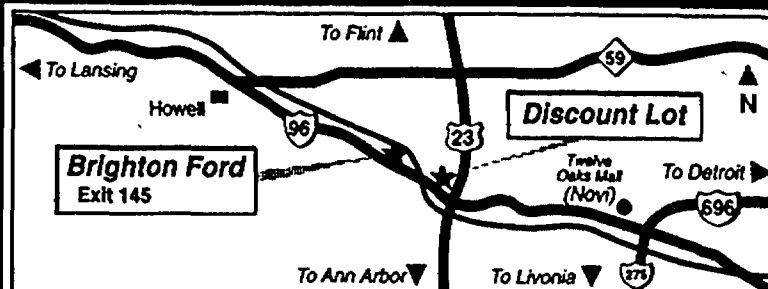
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97¢
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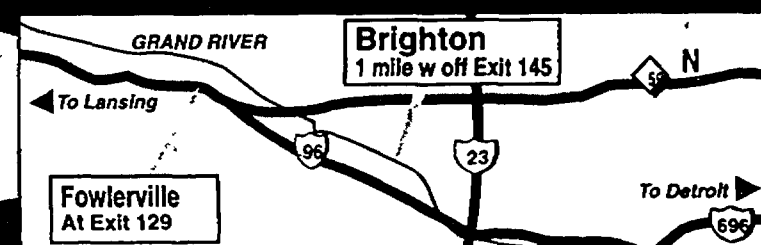
*All leases based on approved credit with \$2000 down, 36 mos. less due at inception. First month payment, security deposit \$25 more than payment, plates, title, payment & down payment, subject to 1% fee, 12,000 miles per year. 14¢ per mile restriction.

**Security deposit Trans Sport (\$325); Grand Am (\$250), plates & tax, 1% fee due on down payment & payment. *Leases based on approved credit. Grand Am GT, example based on \$599 (\$127.36, money down, Trans Sport (\$279); Grand Am (\$289), \$2,000 miles per year for both models, 1% month lease, 36,000 mile restriction, 1% per mile, extra fees due at inception. First month payment plus tax. **Prices do not necessarily reflect actual dealer cost.

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FOWLerville USED CARS

THIS WEEK'S LEASE SPECIALS

97's
CHEVY S-10 SUPER SPORT PICK UP Stk.#P4855, black & all the toys..... 36 Mos. **\$249****

96's
OLDS CUTLASS SUPREME Stk.#7268A, 4 Dr., loaded..... 36 Mos. **\$195****
MONTE CARLO Z-34 Stk.#. P2278A, loaded, including C/D player..... 36 Mos. **\$265****

95's
BUICK CENTURY LIMITED Stk# P4641, 4 Dr., loaded..... 36 Mos. **\$128****
CHEVROLET CORSICA Stk# P#4708 sharp transportation..... 36 Mos. **\$134****
PONTIAC GRAND AM SE 4 DR Stk# P2325 ABS brakes, spoiler..... 36 Mos. **\$169****
CHEVROLET LUMINA LS Stk# P4834 loaded, aluminum wheels..... 36 Mos. **\$184****
BUICK CENTURY SPECIAL Your Choice, Stk#P2210 & 27528A, loaded and ready..... 36 Mos. **\$199****
CHEVROLET 1/2 TON PICK UP Stk.#6158A fiberglass cap auto., A/C..... 36 Mos. **\$217****
OLDSMOBILE CUTLASS SUPREME SL 2 DR. Stk#P2322 leather C/D & much more..... 36 Mos. **\$221****

94's
PONTIAC SUNBIRD LE 2 DR Stk#4790, auto., A/C, cassette..... 24 Mos. **\$156****

GREEN TAG SALE PRICES ON THESE:

'96 OLDS CUTLASS SUPREME 2 DR. Stk#P4732, all the toys and power..... **\$16,995***
'94 OLDS 88 4DR. Stk.#P4814 All the buttons, Clean..... **\$11,647***
'94 CHEVY "WORK TRUCK" 1/2 TON V-6, auto., A/C, stereo, you won't believe the miles..... **\$9,995***
'94 GEO PRIZM 4 DR. Stk#P4809, auto., A/C, cassette..... **\$7,798***
'93 OLDS CUTLASS SUPREME 4 DR. Stk# P4836, loaded with a V-6..... **\$10,792***
'92 PONTIAC SUNBIRD LE 4 DR Stk#P2326, 15,000 miles, auto, A/C..... **\$8,499***
'92 PONTIAC SUNBIRD GT 2 DR Stk#P2290, low miles, auto, cassette..... **\$8,995***
'91 BUICK SKYLARK 4 DR. Stk#P4735, 4 cyl., auto, A/C..... **\$6,995***
'91 PONTIAC SUNBIRD LE 4 DR. Stk#P4820, 4 cyl., auto., A/C..... **\$4,782***
'90 DODGE DYNASTY 4 DR. Stk.#6488A Great transportation..... **\$3,995***

TRUCKS

'92 GMC JIMMY 4 DR. 4X4 SLE Stk#P4670 all the toys and low miles, too!!!..... **\$13,695***
'92 FORD RANGER EXT. CAB Stk#P4843 5 spd., A/C, cassette..... **\$7,746***

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BRIGHTON USED CARS

'89 MERCEDES 300 E. Auto., air..... **LOADED**
'91 CHRYSLER NEW YORKER Sedan leather only 64,000 MILES..... **\$10,550***
'96 CHEVY BLAZER LT 4 dr., 4x4, only 11,400 miles..... **\$12,850***
'96 GMC JIMMY SLT leather, CD..... **\$9,995***
'96 CHEVY 1500 EXTENDED CAB Silverado 7,300 miles..... **\$13,995***
'96 OLDS CUTLASS SUPREME SL COUPE Red with leather..... **\$20,995***
'95 TRANS SPORT SE 5 pass, sharp P2402..... **\$7,995***
'95 BONNEVILLE SSE Leather, moon roof P2338..... **\$17,995***
'95 BONNEVILLE SE Red/Sharp P2407..... **\$15,995***
'95 CHEVY LUMINA APV 3800 V-6, #P2376..... **\$14,995***
'95 APV dark teal, CD, p. door, P4675..... **\$14,996***
'95 GMC JIMMY SLE full power, P2319..... **\$19,925***
'95 SONOMA EXTENDED CAB air, cass..... **\$13,450***
'94 GRAND PRIZ SE COUPE V-6, auto, full power..... **\$11,995***
'94 CHEVY SPORT SIDE 4X4 Silverado..... **\$16,925***
'94 CHEVY ASTRO EXT. Dash doors, maroon, sharp..... **\$14,650***
'94 BUICK LESABRE Custom, full power, only 43,000 MILES..... **\$14,750***
'94 EXPLORER XLT leather, 4 dr., 4x4..... **\$9,995***
'96 PLYMOUTH NEON 5 spd., air, cass..... **\$11,495***
'96 CHEVY LUMINA LS black beauty..... **\$14,995***
'96 PONTIAC GRAND PRIZ SE SEDAN dark green..... **\$12,995***
'96 PONTIAC GRAND AM SE 4 dr., auto, air..... **\$11,995***
'96 OLDS CIERA 4 DR. 6 cyl., air, St. pto..... **\$11,995***

'96 CHEVY CORSICA 4 dr. 5 spd. air & windows, P2335..... **\$12,850***
'96 PONTIAC GRAND AM 4 dr. 5 spd. air & windows, P2335..... **\$9,995***
'95 CHEVY CAVALIER 4 cyl. 5 spd. back, #P2382..... **\$13,995***
'95 CHEVY LUMINA LS 6 cyl. 2 dr. p. l. P2333..... **\$20,995***
'95 BUICK RIVIERA CD, leather, moon roof..... **\$7,995***
'95 CHEVY CORSICA Auto, air, p.w. p.l. cass #P2265..... **28,000 MILES**
'95 BUICK CENTURY Auto, air, only..... **\$8,450***
'94 PONTIAC SUNBIRD LE 4 dr. 4 cyl. auto air P2339..... **\$7,450***
'94 CHEVY CORSICA auto, air, p. locks, #P2386..... **\$8,995***
'94 GEO PRIZM 4 dr., auto, air, p. locks, P2378..... **\$8,620***
'94 GEO PRIZM 4 dr. 5 spd., air, P2360..... **\$13,950***
'94 BUICK PARK AVE, full power, CD, P2367..... **\$16,950***
'94 BUICK PARK AVE leather, full power, P2332..... **\$9,925***
'94 BUICK CENTURY V-6, p.w. p.l. blue, P2346..... **\$7,925***
'94 BUICK CENTURY V-6, maroon, P2342..... **LOADED**
'94 BUICK REGAL Grand Sport V-6, leather..... **\$13,450***
'93 BUICK REGAL 4 dr. only 34,000 miles full power, 740A..... **\$11,995***
'93 PONTIAC GRAND AM 4 dr. 2 dr., auto, air, P2331..... **\$8,450***
'93 CHEVY EURO SPORT 4 dr. V-6, blue, P2344..... **\$4,895***
'92 NEW YORKER V-6 only..... **\$4,895***
'93 BONNEVILLE SSE leather, loaded SUPER CHARGED

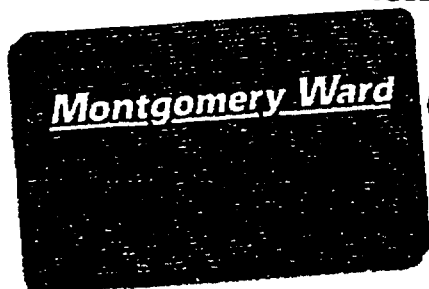
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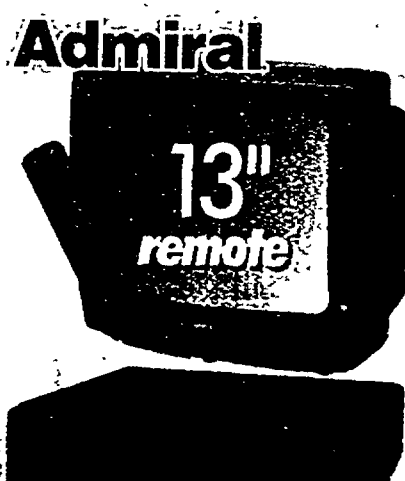
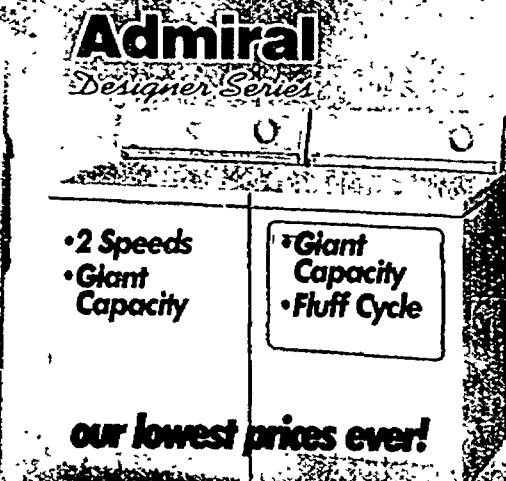
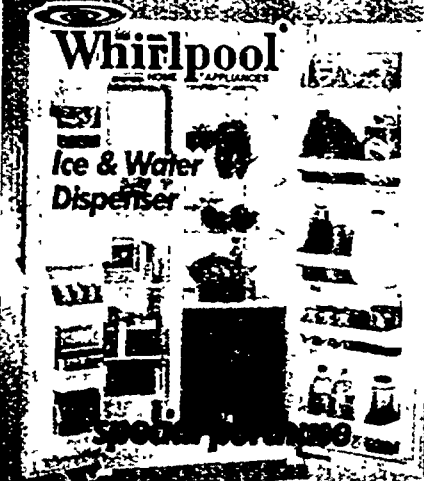
NO HITCHES, NO GLITCHES, NO KIDDING!
0 interest 'til September '97 on all electronics, appliances,
lawn equipment, furniture, fine jewelry and tires \$299 & up

Offer good only upon request at time of purchase on qualified single item purchases of \$299 & up thru April 5, 1997 when you open or use your Montgomery Ward retail credit card.
No billing 'til September on qualified purchases made through April 5, 1997. See APR credit details on pages 2-3.

NO down payment
NO interest 'til sept.
NO billing 'til sept.

NO monthly payments
NO lump sum payments
NO accrued finance charges

PLUS FREE DELIVERY on all appliances \$349 & up
After mail-in rebate in regular delivery areas. Excludes built-in appliances.



*See pages 2-3 for extended terms credit details. All FREE and REBATE offers with purchase of items shown; coupons, details in store. All TVs measured diagonally; simulated wood, pictures. All appliance prices are for white; colors and designer colors extra, if available. Ice maker water hook-up extra. An environmental disposal fee will be added to major appliance purchases where required. All closeouts are limited to stock on hand. All Special Purchases available while supplies last.

don't pay a cent

MAGNAVOX

199⁹⁹ Stereo 19" Color TV
20 button direct access remote, auto programming, bilingual on-screen display. #72919 Mfr. #PS1943C

329⁹⁹ Only \$19 a month*
0 interest Stereo 27" Color TV
21 button total remote, smart sound/picture, channel surf, hi-fi stereo sound system. #72970 Mfr. #TS2753C

SHARP

499⁹⁹ 0 interest Stereo Viewcom With 3" Color LCD Viewscreen
Instant playback, built-in speaker. #28454 Mfr. #VLE20U

599⁹⁴ 0 interest Stereo Viewcom With 4" Color LCD Viewscreen Power zoom. #28675 Mfr. #VLE20U

special purchase! 300 less than last year!

Technics

799⁹⁴ 0 interest 110-Watt Dolby ProLogic™
Rock System 60+1 CD changer. Black or oak finish. #61436/26 Mfr. #SCS2750 110 watts, 40 Hz to 20,000 Hz @ 8 ohms, 9% THD.

999⁹⁴ 0 interest 130-Watt Dolby ProLogic™
Rock System 110 +1 CD changer. #61437 Mfr. #SCS3750 Available in black. Not shown in all stores. 130 watts per channel, 40 Hz to 20,000 Hz @ 8 ohms, 0% THD.

special purchases

RCA

179⁹⁹ 4-Head Hi-Fi Stereo VCR
Universal remote, simplified on-screen programming, 8-event/1 year programming. Closeout. #21212 Mfr. #VR-609

229⁹⁹ 4-Head Hi-Fi Stereo VCR With VCR
Plus+ Cable Box Control Universal remote, on-screen programming, bilingual on-screen display. #21215 Mfr. #VR618

GE

179⁹⁹ 4-Head Hi-Fi Stereo VCR
Universal remote, simplified on-screen programming, 8-event/1 year programming. Closeout. #21212 Mfr. #VR-609

229⁹⁹ 4-Head Hi-Fi Stereo VCR With VCR
Plus+ Cable Box Control Universal remote, on-screen programming, bilingual on-screen display. #21215 Mfr. #VR618

SONY

99⁹⁹ AM/FM CD Cassette Portable
Stereo Detachable 2-way bass reflex speakers, 20-track programming, stereo record/playback cassette deck, 4-way dual speed modes. #4750 Mfr. #PDS033

All Special Purchases available while supplies last. *See below for extended terms credit details. All FREE and REBATE offers with purchases of items shown. Coupons, details in store. All TVs measured diagonally including wood. pictures. All phones have pulse dial. FCC registered. Limited warranty details in store.

Designer Series By Tappan

299⁹⁹ 0 interest 30" Gas Range
Lift-up cooktop, electronic ignition, glide-out broiler. #28044

299⁹⁹ 0 interest 30" Electric Range
Chrome drip bowls, lift-up cooktop, storage drawer. #44005 Mfr. #E503C7 Similar to model shown.

YARD MACHINES

799⁹⁹ Only \$16 a month*
0 interest 12.5-HP, 38" Lawn Tractor
5-speed shift-on-the-go transmission, Briggs & Stratton engine. #31028 Mfr. #134H451P00

999⁹⁹ Only \$16 a month*
3.5-HP, 30" Push Lawn Mower
3 position manual height adjustment. #17027 Mfr. #134G06A00

EUREKA 49⁹⁹ Only \$16 a month*
The Best* Upright Vacuum High performance. #50400R

Whirlpool 69⁹⁹ Only \$14 a month*
5 Cu. Ft. 600-Watt Refrigerator. #44005 Mfr. #E503C7

299⁹⁹ Only \$16 a month*
0 interest 30" Electric Range. #44005 Mfr. #E503C7

199⁹⁹ Only \$16 a month*
Swedish Walker Fine Dust action non-steady cordless vacuum. #44005 Mfr. #E503C7

weslo 399⁹⁹ Only \$16 a month*
3.25-HP DC treadmill 60" length, quick fold, 12 speed, 12" cushion deck, 12" rollers. #44005 Mfr. #E503C7

ARROW \$238 Only \$16 a month*
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Ameriway A/S
50,000 mile*
any size 39⁹⁹ #13900R #50400R
Choose from these popular sizes:
P155/80R13 P205/75R15
P185/75R14 P215/75R15
P195/75R14 P225/75R15
P205/75R14 P235/75R15
Select 65 & 70 series available, \$5 more each.
#50400R closeout-limited to stock on hand.

passenger Firestone
FR505
60,000 mile*
any size 44⁹⁹ #00505R
Choose from these popular sizes:
P155/80R13 P205/75R14
P165/80R13 P205/75R15
P175/80R13 P215/75R15
P185/80R13 P225/75R15
P185/75R14 P235/75R15
P195/75R14
Select 70 series available, \$5 more each.

passenger 35,000 mile* all-season radial
#10700R P155/80R13 14⁹⁹

performance Hoosier
Radial 67 50,000 mile*
#44500R P185/70R14 49⁹⁹

light truck GOODYEAR
Radial N/T 50,000 mile*
#54400R P235/75R15 79⁹⁹

P155/80R13	25.99
P185/80R13	28.99
P185/75R14	29.99
P195/75R14	30.99
P205/75R14	33.99
P215/75R15	35.99
P235/75R15	39.99

Limit 4. No carryouts.

AutoExpress
free brake inspection
plus... \$10 off 2 wheel
\$20 off 4 wheel
brake service parts and labor
Coupon valid thru 4/5/97

AutoExpress
maintenance tune-up
Many vehicles
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4-Cylinder 6-Cylinder 8-Cylinder
Install Champion spark plugs, adjust idle, set timing where applicable, inspect distributor cap, rotor, ignition cables, air filter, V-belts, trans-verse, V-6 engines, extra
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MONROE
get 4' free
buy 3 shocks or struts or any combination of 3 shocks and struts...

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ENJOY YOUR PURCHASES NOW WITH LOW MONTHLY PAYMENTS
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MONTGOMERY WARD CREDIT TERMS ANNUAL PERCENTAGE RATE:
Annual Percentage Rate for Montgomery Ward credit accounts, all of which are owned by Montgomery Credit Card Bank of Georgia, is 22.5% unless you reside in states shown below: 19.9% for IA; 18% for WI; 10% for AR extended term purchases.
NOTE: Minimum monthly finance charge of 50¢, except in AR, DC, HI, MD, NC, NE or IL. For shorter accounts, APR is 27.9%, except for IA, 19.9%; WI, 18% (minimum finance charge 50¢, except in AR, DC, HI, MD, NC, NE or IL). Rates as of March 1, 1997.

event

with zero interest on all electronics, appliances, lawn equipment, tires and furniture \$299 & up

- no money down • no interest and no billing 'til september '97
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all furniture on sale



379⁹⁹
Only \$14 a month*

sale
Save \$198 Sofa. Titan, Casual style, wood trim. Queen Innerspring Sleeper, 529.99. Sofa and Loveseat, 699.99.



449⁹⁹
Only \$18 a month*

sale
Save \$288 Sofa. Sydney Wood trim. Sofa and Loveseat, 799.99. Queen Innerspring Sleeper, 599.99.

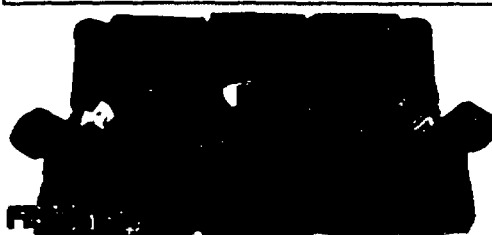
Your Choice 499⁹⁹
Only \$15 a month*

sale
Save \$288 Sofa. Station Lodge look with wood bun feet. Queen Innerspring Sleeper, 649.99. Sofa and Loveseat, 699.99.

sale
Save \$200 Sofa. New England. Stacked in blue and green. Sofa and Loveseat, 799.99. Mosquito Queen Innerspring Sleeper, 649.99.

sale
Save \$200 Sofa. Carolina. Matched striped chenille cover. Queen Innerspring Sleeper, 649.99. Sofa and Loveseat, 799.99.

sale
Save \$200 Sofa. Evered. Contemporary styling. Throw pillows with fringed edges. Sofa and Loveseat, 799.99.



799⁹⁹
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super buy
The Ultimate 1 Chair Reclining Sofa. Drop down table and dual massage. 2 storage arms. Reclining Reclining Loveseat, 799.99 Super Buy.



899⁹⁹
Only \$14 a month*

super buy
Lounge Sofa. Sorrento. Leather, matching vinyl sides, back. Sofa & Loveseat, 1649.99.

129⁹⁹
price break final price
Save \$270 Windsor Style. Includes seat and back cushions. #38020. Ottomans, #38021. Sofa 99.99. Glider and ottoman, 219.99 2 pc.

299⁹⁹
Only \$10 a month*

super buy
Windsor 1 Chair Reclining Sofa. Custom inlay, Storage arm. Blue, mauve or green. #62968. Microfibres™

499⁹⁹
Only \$10 a month*

sale
Save \$200 Lift Chair Recliner. Motorized adjustments from recline to lift. Blue, mauve or brown. #62802.

free ottoman

All 3 Pieces 269⁹⁹
Only \$10 a month*

Recliners By Phone
Look for the "R" on select chairs. 1-800-227-5006

2 free chairs

499⁹⁹
Only \$10 a month*

special purchase
5-Piece Dining Set Plus 2 FREE Chairs. Maple Oak. 36-54-66" table with 6 chairs. Oak veneer top, solid oak base and chairs. Extra chairs, \$200 pr.

Dining Chair Clearance
50% to 80% off
19"-49" ea.

All 6 Pieces 299⁹⁹
Only \$10 a month*

bonus savings final price
5-Piece Patio Set Plus Free Umbrella. Valencia. 42" round mesh table top and 4 metal chairs plus FREE umbrella 64x42. Table and chairs not sold separately.

free umbrella

O'SULLIVAN 89⁹⁹
Sale
Save \$40 Countryville Entertainment Center. 47" x 15" x 45" H. 47" doors for storage, adjustable/removable VCR shelf, twin tempered glass doors, brass finish hardware. #92816.

your choice 59⁹⁹
Twin ea. pc.

Sealy Stylehouse Deluxe Spring Air® Posture Comfort Deluxe Serta® Chaise

OUR LOW PRICE
Full, ea. pc. \$119.99
Queen set \$299.99
King set \$399.99

QUICK SET \$399.99*

outstanding value 39⁹⁹
Perfect Sleeper Cushion Push or Firm

Former Sale Price
Twin, ea. pc. 149.99
Full, ea. pc. 239.99
Queen set 499.99
King set 699.99

CLOSEOUT
99.99
199.99
399.99
599.99

TWIN EACH PIECE 99.99

plus hot buys



free chair
with purchase

799⁹⁹
Only \$15 a month*

sale
Save \$750. Sofa Loveseat Plus FREE Chair. Includes FREE Chair #62802. Sofa Only 149.99. Queen Innerspring Sleeper 149.99. Chair Only 249.99.



3-piece Sectional and Recliner

999⁹⁹
Only \$10 a month*

sale
Save \$549 3-Piece Sleeper and Motion Sectional Plus FREE Recliner. Windermere. With reclining footrest, storage, wedge and reclining ottoman. Innerspring sleeper plus free recliner #62802. Sectional as shown with ottoman price and recliner back 1149.99.

free recliner
with purchase

LA-Z-BOY® 369⁹⁹
Only \$10 a month*

discount
\$330 Off. Italian-Style Chair Recliner. Relaxing massage in back. Chase design for head to toe comfort. Blue. #50614. Limited to stock on hand.

All 7 Pieces 299⁹⁹
Only \$10 a month*

super buy
5-Piece Dining Set Plus 2 FREE Chairs. Lakeside. 36x54. Oak Veneer table top, a coordinated set and back chairs.

2 free chairs
with purchase

simmons Queen Set 539⁹⁹
Beautyrest Opulent™ Luxurious

OUR LOWEST PRICE EVER 2 Days Only!

Twin, ea. pc.	159.99	143.99
Full, ea. pc.	259.99	233.99
Queen set	599.99	539.99
King set	799.99	719.99

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mattresses 39⁹⁹
as low as

All queen and king size mattresses sold only in sets. Queen, 2-pc. sets, king, 3-pc. sets. *See extended terms credit details below. All dining, office and entertainment furniture requires assembly.

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NO PAYMENT 'TIL OCTOBER 1997
FINANCE CHARGES APPLY DURING THE DEFERRED PERIOD. Offer good through April 26, 1997 on Montgomery Ward retail credit card purchases of \$150 or more on all fine jewelry and made-to-measure window fashions. See APR credit details at left.

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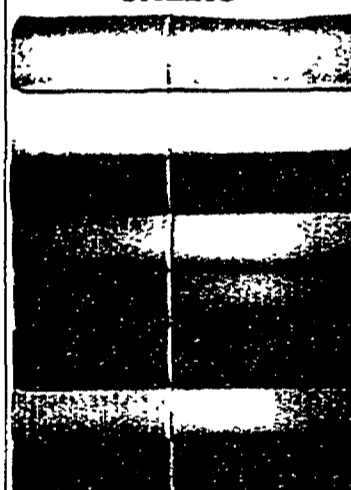
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ALL SHIRTS & SLACKS



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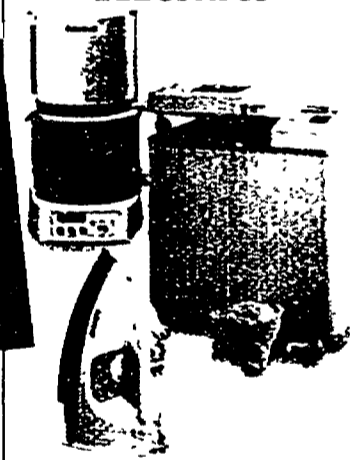
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ALL BOXED DINNERWARE SETS AND ACCESSORIES



ALL T-FAL AND REVERE COOKWARE

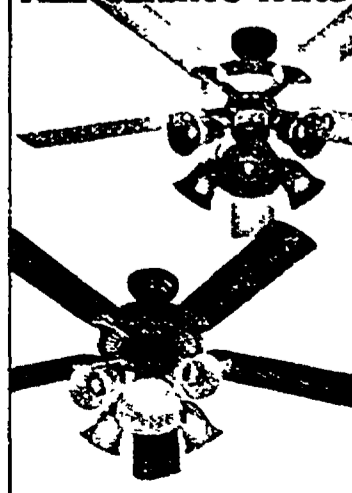


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ALL DIAMONDS
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ALL CEILING FANS



ALL KITCHEN FURNITURE & CLOCKS



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Alloy brakes and levers.



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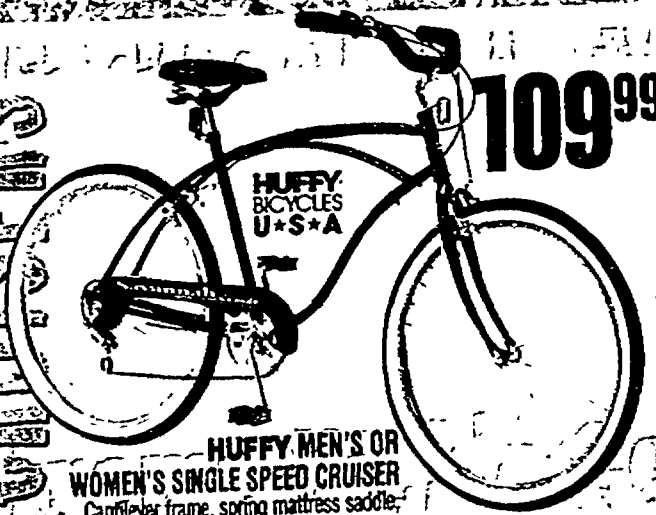
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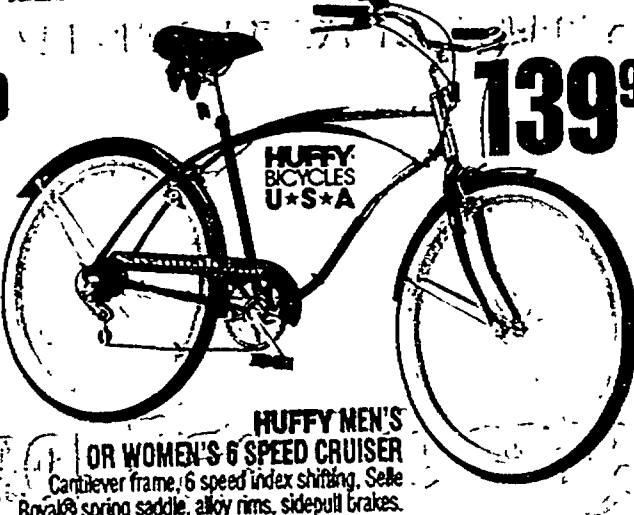
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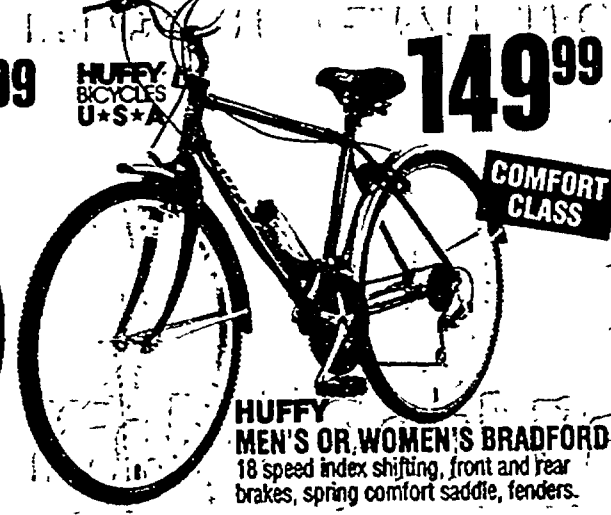
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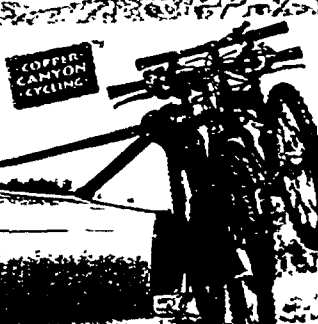
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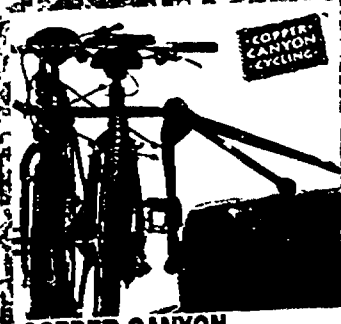
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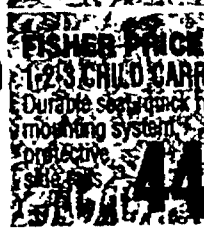
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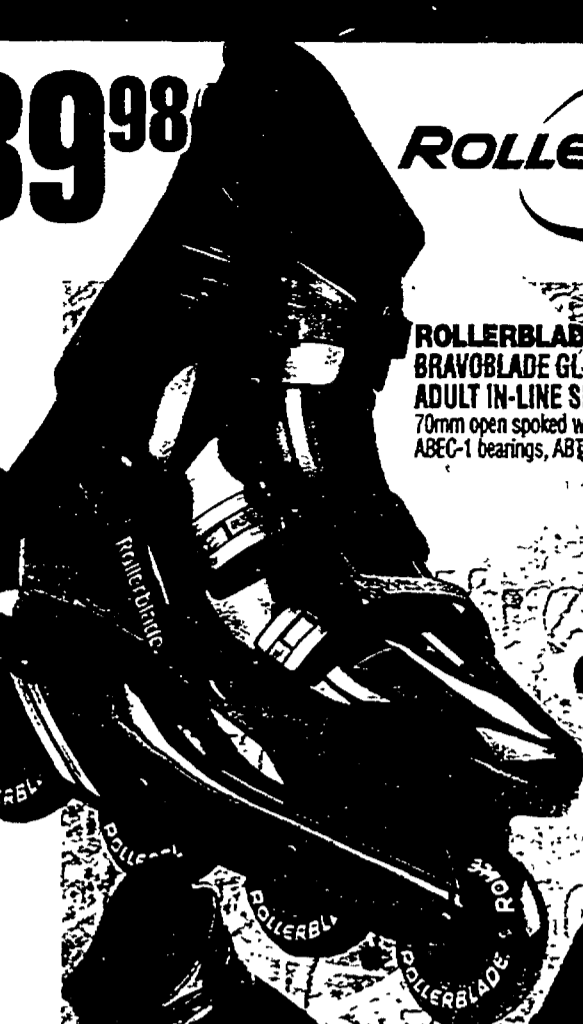
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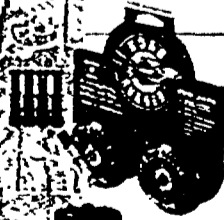
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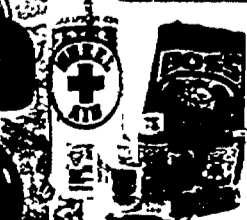
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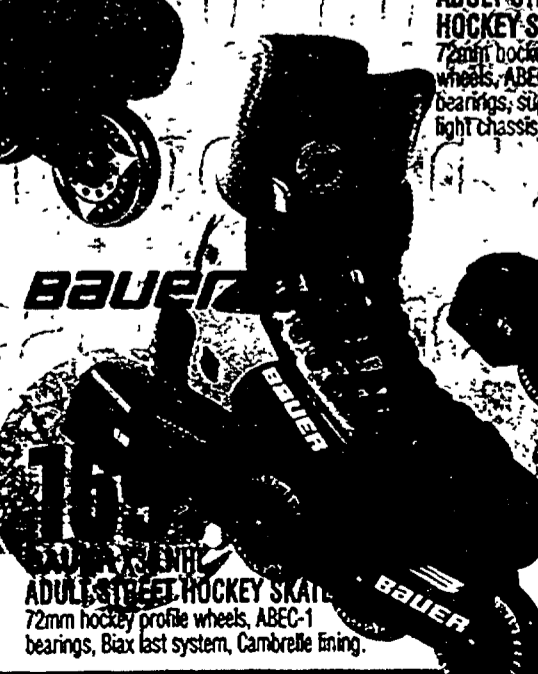
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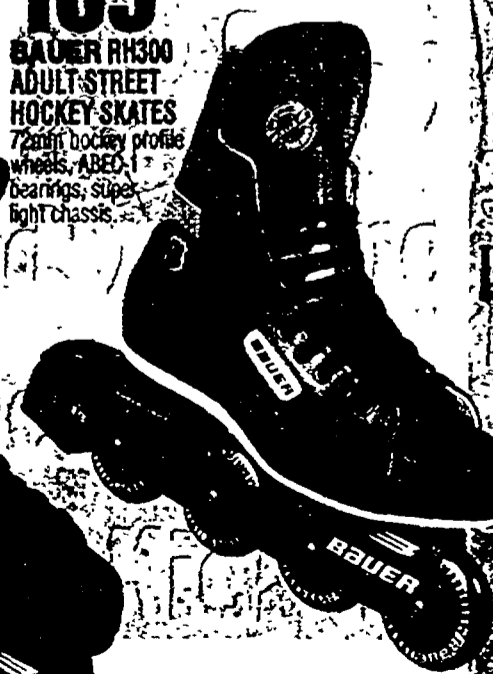
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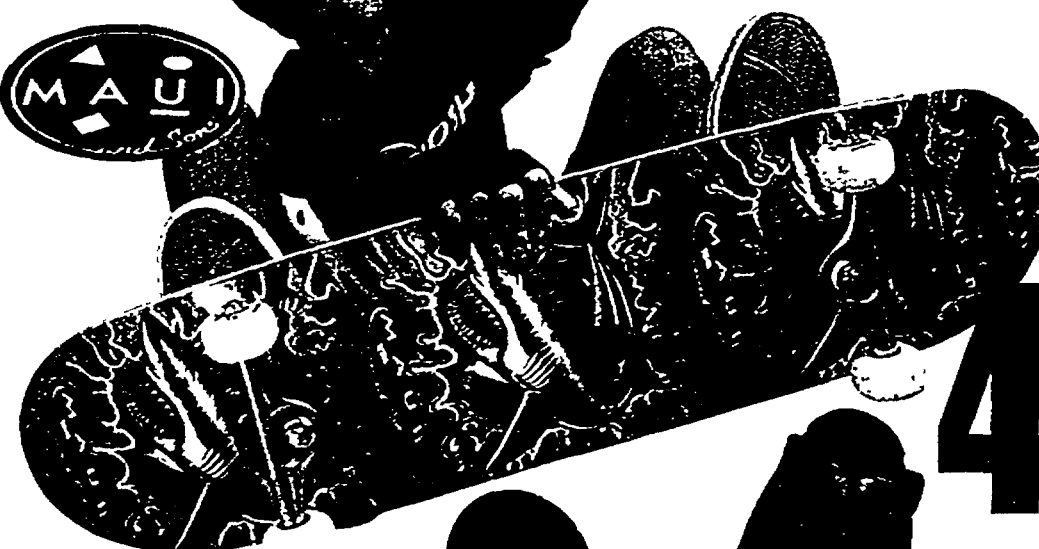
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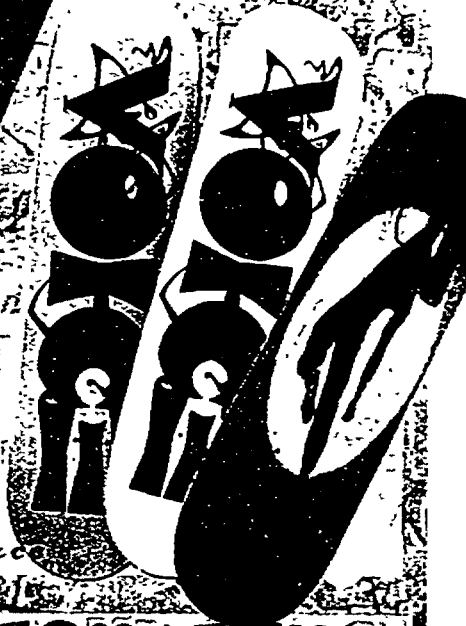


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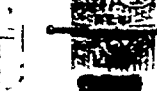
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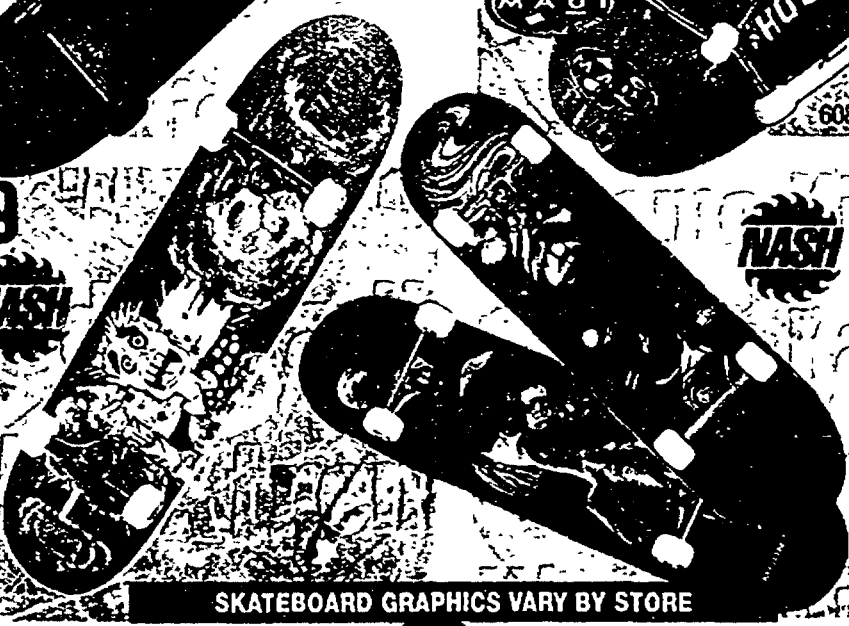
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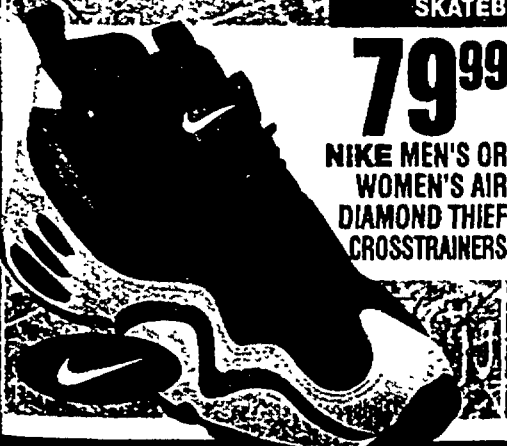
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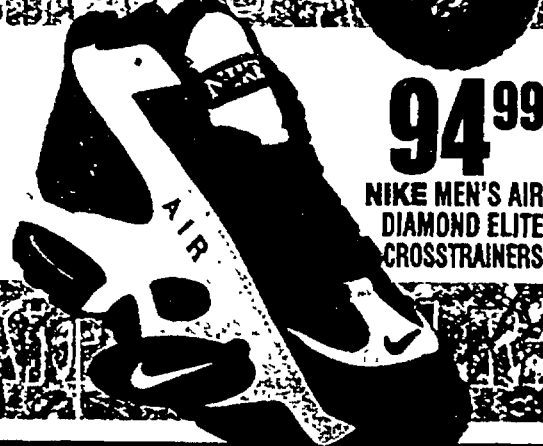
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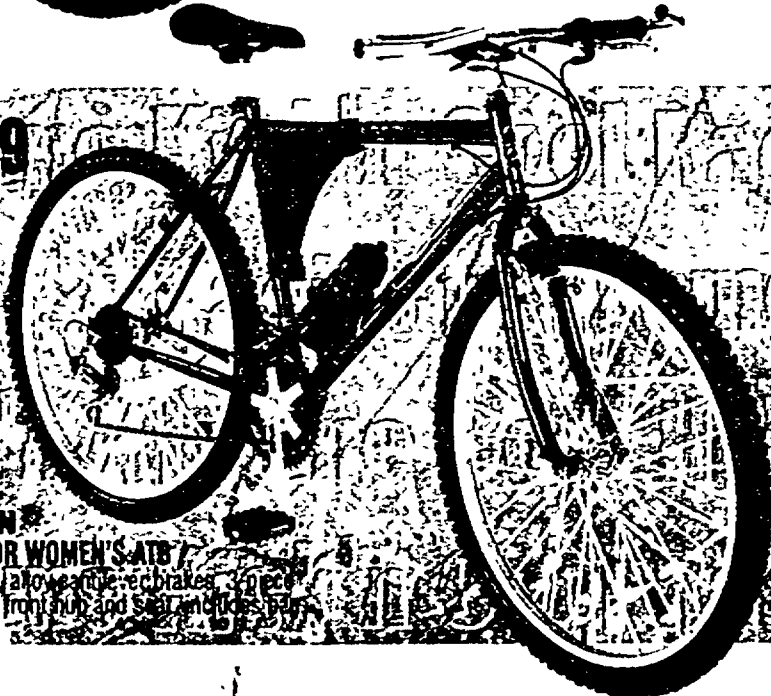
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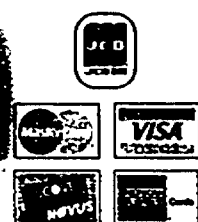
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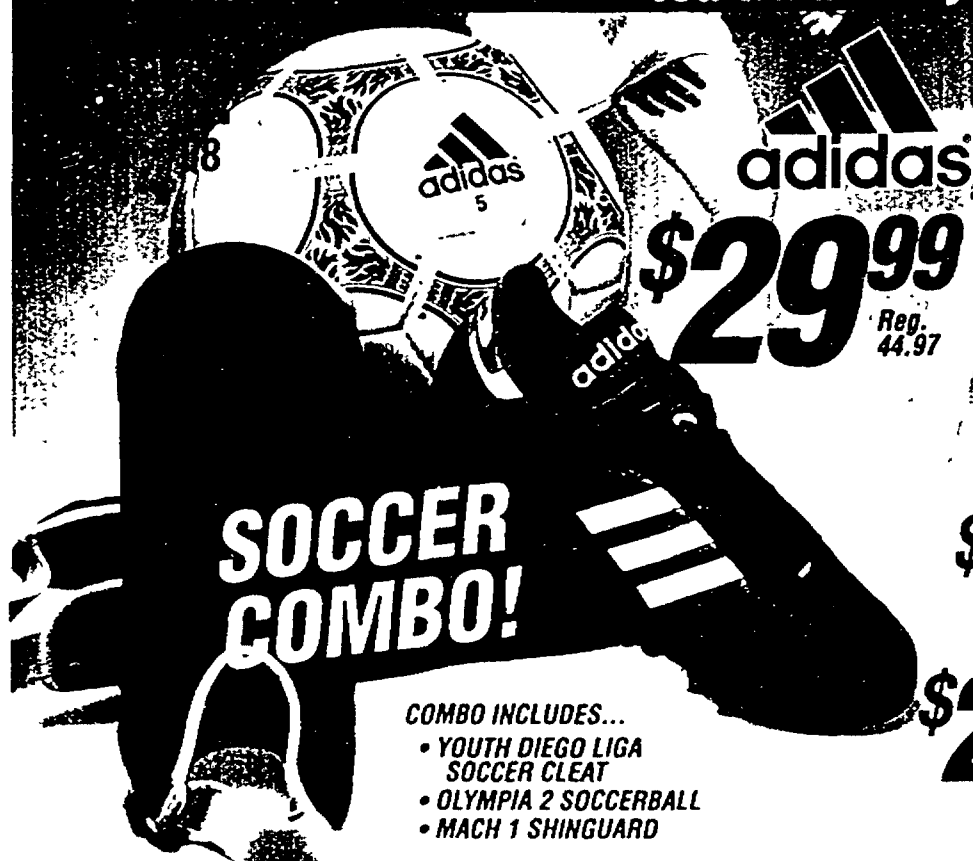
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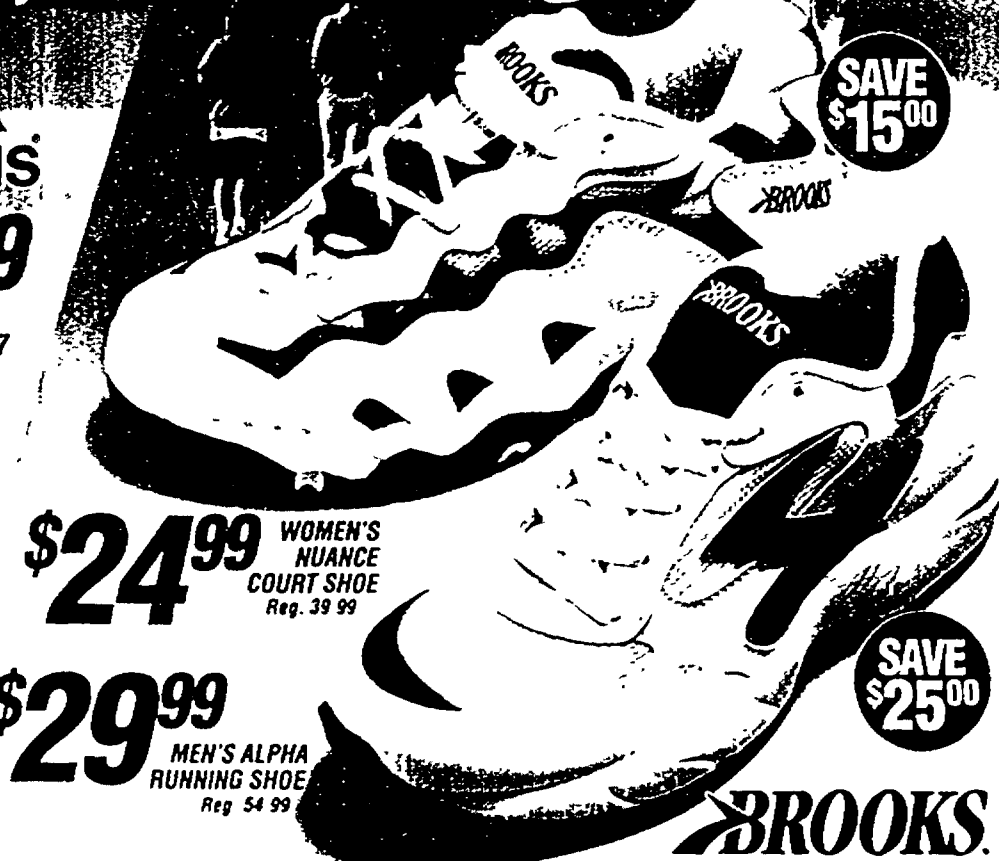


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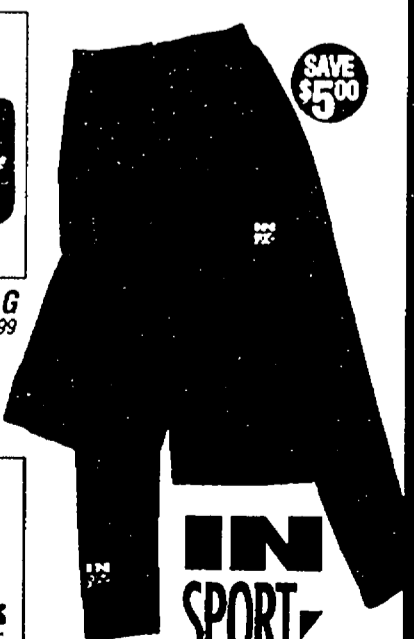


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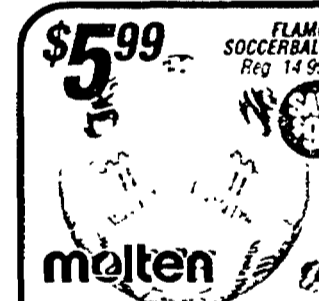
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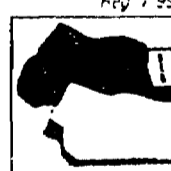
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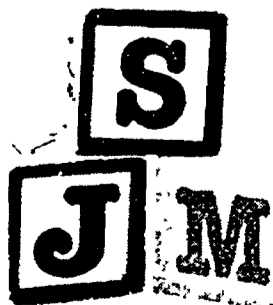
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Dear Readers,

I got a headache writing this month's feature. Honest. I don't know if it came from worrying about meeting my deadline, or spending too much time in front of the computer screen with the cat settled on my lap. Maybe I didn't get enough sleep, thinking about talking to my sources, or did I drink too much soda while I was writing?

I'm not sure, but I learned with this story that there are hundreds of triggers out there just waiting to set off a headache. The good news, however, is that some of us are predisposed to getting these headaches--and some of us aren't.

The key, I understand, to both preventing headaches and getting rid of them is to pay attention. This means being aware of which events, emotions, actions or stimulants can start the pain throbbing in the head. It means changing your lifestyle so you can avoid those triggers. It means slowing down long enough to try relaxation techniques like deep breathing and meditation so you can "watch" the pain slowly fade away.

Another important subject covered this month is organ donation. More than 600,000 Americans could benefit by organ transplantation, 2,000 Michigan residents are awaiting organs now. Please help! This year, you'll get an organ donation card with your federal income tax return. Please discuss donation with your family, then fill out the card. Organ donation truly is a gift of life.

This month we add a section for older adults called "Health Wise," where seniors can find health care information and local sources that are pertinent to their needs. Hope you enjoy!

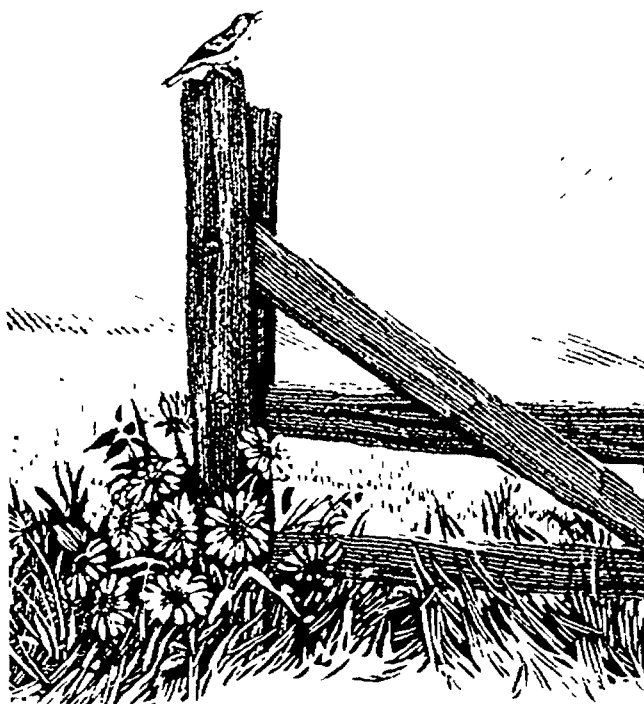
Spring is teasing us, she's on her way! (Has anyone seen a Robin yet?)

We hope you enjoy this issue.

In good health,

Cathy Smillie

Cathy J. Smillie



DON'T SUFFER IN SILENCE

There's help for those harrowing headaches

John loves beer, but after drinking only one or two, he feels like elephants are dancing on his head. Sara gets migraines so bad she has to lock herself in a dark room, and they always happen around the time she's menstruating. The fluorescent lighting in Bob's office is so bright, he goes home every day with shooting pains in his head. And, many of us are surprised to discover that the luxury of sleeping late on the weekends ends up leaving us feeling dull and headachy.

The list goes on. Almost 50 million Americans seek medical treatment for headaches each year, and research shows that for every case reported, there may be three or four not reported. For about a third of the people who suffer from headaches, the symptoms are so debilitating, they wreak havoc with work, family and community life.

What's going on here? Are our days so hectic and our environments so stressful, that for many of us, life is literally a pain in the neck?

Not so, according to Joel Saper, M.D., director of the Michigan Head Pain & Neurological Institute (MHNI), one of the nation's leading research centers for head pain.

"At one time, chronic pain was thought to be the result of what one did to him or herself," Dr. Saper says. "Now, we know that the majority of people who suffer recurring head and neck pain have intrinsic, often genetic physiological disturbances which render them headache prone."

Professionals at MHNI see 17,000 patients each year from all over the world, most of whom experience headaches almost daily. Some of these are primary headaches, Dr. Saper explains, that are a result of biochemical disturbances in the brain that cause blood vessels to dilate and inflame.

These "disturbances" can include fluctuating hormone levels associated with menstruation, childbirth and menopause, or a decrease in serotonin, which stimulates the release of neurochemicals that prompt the dilation of blood vessels.

According to William Leuchter, M.D., chairman of the department of neurology at Sinai Hospital in Detroit, the first obligation of a physician treating patients for headaches is to make sure the headaches are not "secondary" or related to disease. This is done, he says, through "fastidious questioning" of the

patient to rule out warning signs of illnesses like sinusitis, meningitis, stroke or brain tumors.

"Secondary headaches are caused by irritation or traction of the pain sensitive structures that line the outside of the brain" Dr. Leuchter says.

Dr. Saper explained that many people who suffer from headaches also experience emotional problems such as depression, sleep disturbances, panic and anxiety attacks.

"Though one condition doesn't necessarily cause the other, we believe that the genes associated with depression, also are associated with headaches," he says.

While a biological condition can make you more susceptible to headaches, certain factors can actually set them off. These are called "triggers" and include:

- Sudden weather changes
- Hormonal changes caused by PMS, menstruation, the Pill, pregnancy, menopause
- Missing a meal
- Exposure to bright light
- Too little or too much sleep
- Reaction to certain foods
- Exposure to cigarette smoke, perfumes or other strong odors
- Too much exercise or exertion
- Eyestrain
- Travel on planes, trains, cars or buses

Dr. Jane Juopperi, a neurologist with the Michigan Institute of Neurological Disorders, works with her patients to determine which triggers affect them. She gives them a calendar they use to track the factors that exist before the onset of their headaches. Patients can ask themselves questions like: Did I get enough sleep last night? Have I been sitting all day crunched up to my computer? Have the kids been yelling? Did I consume a "trigger" food within the last 24 hours?

Once patients identify their triggers, steps can be taken to stop the pain. "My patients have to be willing to change their lifestyles," Dr. Juopperi says. She may ask them to begin an exercise program, give up cigarettes and certain foods,

adjust their sleep patterns, and stop taking over-the-counter medications (which can cause headaches to get worse instead of better).

"Preventive" drug therapy is also used to relieve headache pain. When her patients complain of more than one headache a month, Dr. Juopperi may prescribe antidepressants or blood-pressure medication. Or, she recommends that patients take a pain reliever immediately when symptoms begin.

Dr. Leuchter warns that using medication as the main treatment for headaches will result in failure. "We must approach the patient as a whole person," he says. "Helping someone manage headache pain involves examining the psychodynamics, family dynamics and social situation of that person, along with their physical symptoms." Dr. Leuchter recommends headache patients be treated by a team of professionals that can include psychologists, physical therapist, anesthesiologist, as well as neurologists.

Dr. Saper explains that diagnosing and treating headaches is a complex problem that can be helped by early intervention. "If we can see patients before they have headaches daily, we can help them get better faster," he says, urging those with headaches to call their doctors as soon as they notice a problem.

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MIGRAINE: THE MOTHER OF ALL HEADACHES

The most debilitating headaches are migraines, which cause severe throbbing, usually on one side of the head. They often are accompanied by nausea, dizziness, vomiting and hypersensitivity to light. Migraines are believed to be a hereditary condition; about 70 percent of sufferers have other family members with the condition. Seventy-five percent of them are women. On average, migraine sufferers experience about one attack a month, and each attack can last from 4 to 72 hours. Before a migraine headache occurs, people often get a warning signal, or "aura," which can cause visual distortions like flashing lights, zigzag lines or blurred vision.

THEN, THERE'S THAT TERRIBLE TENSION....

About 90 percent of headaches are caused by tension, and these tend to affect men more than women. Stress seems to be the main cause of tension headaches because, when under stress, we tend to tighten up our back, shoulder and neck muscles.

Sufferers complain of a vice-like pain that seems to squeeze tightly around the back of the neck, the sides of the head, and around the scalp and forehead.

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CLUSTER HEADACHES: THEY FOLLOW YOU AROUND AND WON'T GO AWAY

Sometimes, you get headaches over and over for days, then they stop. These are called cluster headaches and they can occur for several weeks, or several months, once or twice a year. They produce an agonizing ("knifelike") pain, usually on one side of the face, and they can result in a flushed face, runny nose or teary eyes. Eighty percent of sufferers are men between 20 and 45.



SOOTHING SELF-HELP STRATEGIES

Most headache programs endorse relaxation exercises, such as deep breathing, visualization, biofeedback and meditation, which can help relieve pain by lowering blood pressure, breathing rate and pulse. They also can diffuse anxiety and promote a greater sense of calm, which reduces muscle tension. These methods work best if the headache is mild, and can sometimes avert the need for an over-the-counter painkiller.

Learning pain and stress management techniques can help people with headaches, and aerobic exercise is always beneficial because it reduces stress and boosts production of endorphins, the "feel good" chemicals that help raise your pain threshold. Yoga is especially good, says Dr. Juopperi, because it involves both exercise and meditation.

Ice is sometimes effective because it reduces swollen blood vessels. For best results, it should be applied to the painful area as soon as possible.

Finally, you may be able to ward off a headache by drinking coffee or cola because caffeine constricts dilated blood vessels (which often cause the pain) and may help raise serotonin levels.

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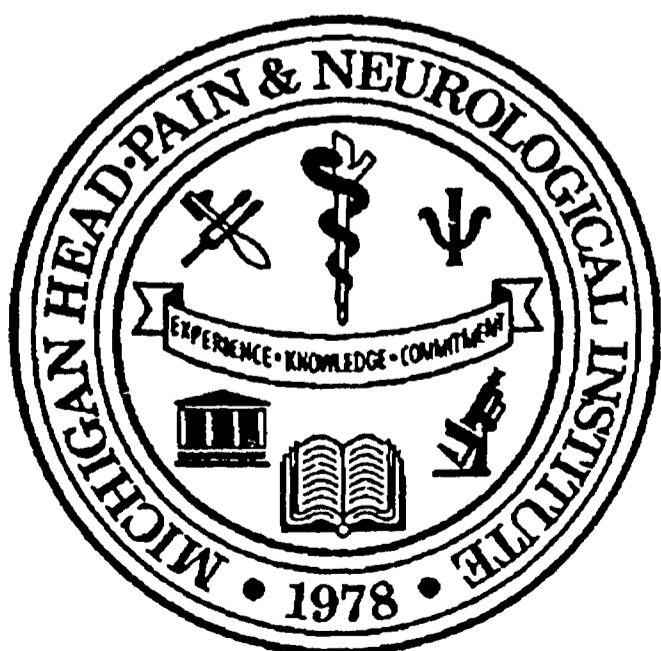
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IT GOES TO YOUR HEAD: THE FOOD AND HEADACHE CONNECTION

According to the National Headache Foundation (NHF), about 20 percent of headache sufferers report a connection between symptoms and foods. These can include:

- Alcohol, especially red wine, champagne, vermouth and beer
- Sourdough and freshly-baked yeast bread
- Caffeinated drinks and foods
- Dairy products, such as yogurt, ice cream and aged cheeses
- Desserts made with chocolate, molasses, yeast or licorice
- Citrus fruits, dried fruits and over ripe bananas
- Lentils, peas and beans
- Salted, pickled or cured foods, such as cold cuts, bacon, ham, corned beef and sauerkraut
- Dried meats and organ meats
- Peanuts and peanut butter
- Seasonings and additives, such as soy sauce, meat tenderizers and monosodium glutamate (MSG)

FOR SERIOUS SYMPTOMS, HEAD STRAIGHT TO YOUR DOCTOR

NEVER ignore headaches, says the National Headache Foundation, especially if they are recurrent or incapacitating. Headaches sometime can be a "secondary" symptom of serious disorders, such as brain tumors or meningitis.

The NHF recommends consulting your doctor if:

- You have three or more headaches per week, or stiff necks
- You have a headache that gets progressively worse each day
- You've never experienced headaches and they are sudden and strong
- You also have a fever, rash, nausea

- Your headache is accompanied by confusion, memory lapses, personality changes
- Your headache comes on after coughing, straining or exertion
- Your headache occurs after a head injury, accident or illness
- You are dizzy, have slurred speech, weakness, numbness or trouble swallowing
- Your headache is accompanied by unexplained fever or breathing problems

If you get a very sudden and excruciating headache unlike any you've ever had, call a doctor immediately.

RESEARCHERS EXAMINE MIGRAINE- MAGNESIUM CONNECTION

Physicians at Henry Ford Health System are conducting research to determine if the mineral magnesium can help pre-

vent migraine headaches.

"There is some evidence to show that magnesium is useful for the prevention of migraines, and we're attempting to verify that," said Mark Gorman, M.D., staff neurologist with the division of cerebrovascular diseases at Henry Ford Health System.

Dr. Gorman explained that some migraine sufferers appear to have low levels of magnesium in their bodies, and may have low levels in their brains. These levels may drop even more at the onset of a headache.

Henry Ford has been designated by the National Institutes of Health to receive funding for headache research.

HEADACHE HELP IS JUST A PHONE CALL AWAY

You can reach Dr. Saper at the Michigan Head Pain & Neurological Institute in Ann Arbor, by calling (313) 973-1155.

Dr. Juopperi, and other physicians from the Michigan Institute of Neurological Disorders, practice in Farmington Hills at (810) 553-0010.

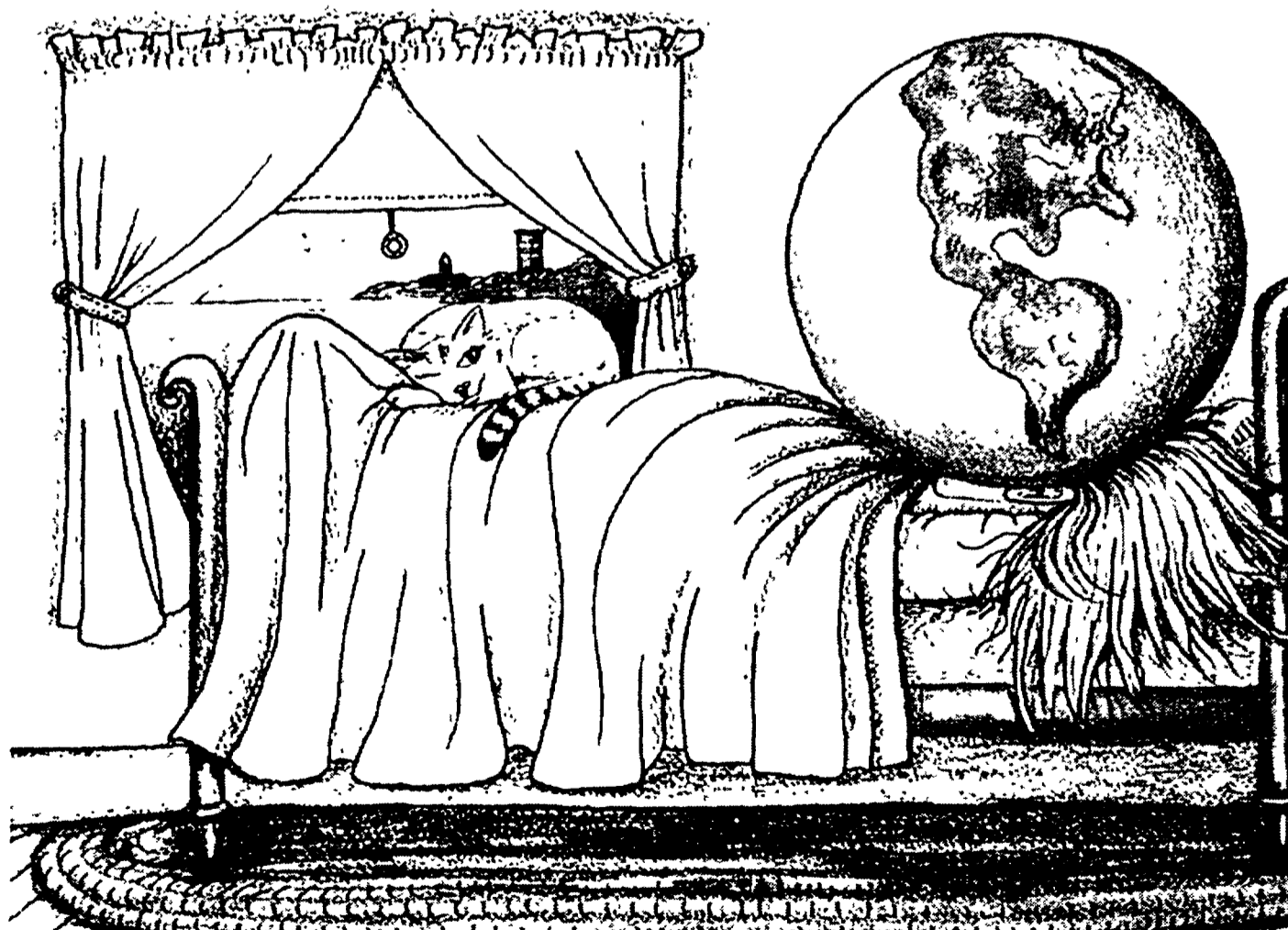
Dr. Leuchter can be reached by calling (810) 642-1720.

To learn more about headache research being conducted at Henry Ford Health System, call their Office of Public Affairs at (313) 876-2882.

The Head Pain Association of Michigan (HPAM), which consists of head pain sufferers and their families, has community support groups you can reach by calling (313) 973-1155.

For general information about headaches, you can contact the National Headache Foundation at (800) 843-2256, or the American Council for Headache Education (ACHE) at (800) 255-ACHE.

Or, call the Headache Resource Center, which offers seminars and educational materials on headache management. The number is (800) 580-4455. **11**



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ORGAN DONATION: TRULY A GIFT OF LIFE

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Yet, more than 2,000 Michigani-ans are awaiting organ transplants, and more than 600,000 Americans could benefit if enough organs and tissues were available.

We all can help. In this year's federal tax refund checks, Michigan residents will receive organ donation cards urging you and your family members to consider donation. Anyone can donate, you simply need to make your wishes known to your family, then sign the donor card in the presence of two witnesses and carry it with you at all times.

Becoming a donor does not affect your medical treatment; organ donation is considered only after every attempt has been made to save the life of the donor. The distribution of donated organs is handled through a national computer system for organ sharing, and transplant recipients are selected on the basis of medical criteria, urgency of need and length of waiting.

To explore the issue further, you may want to attend a presentation held April 25 at the Ritz Carlton Hotel in Dearborn.



The conference, sponsored by Henry Ford Health System and the Transplant Society of Michigan, will focus on ways to improve organ donation through education, allocation and legislation. For more information about the presentation, call Henry Ford Health System Office of Public Affairs at (313) 876-2882.

For more information about organ donation, call Gift of Life at (800) 482-4881.

DIAGNOSING YOUR DOCTOR

Each year, approximately 80,000 people die from doctors' negligence, says a recent study from Harvard University. And thousands more just get bad care. You can improve your health care treatment by taking steps to find quality medical services, and then being assertive about your needs.

Word of mouth among friends and family members is the number one way people choose doctors. Most hospitals have referral services, based on the kind of specialty you are looking for (pediatrics, general medicine, obstetrics and gynecology, etc.). If you want detailed information on the physician before you make a call, most health care centers have biographies available that help "introduce" new doctors to the community.

You can also contact Medi-net, a \$15 phone service from the American Medical Association. Medi-net provides information on every doctor licensed to practice in the United States. Here, you can find out where a physician went to medical school, what his or her research interests are, or if the doctor has ever received disciplinary action. Phone number is (800) 972-MEDI.

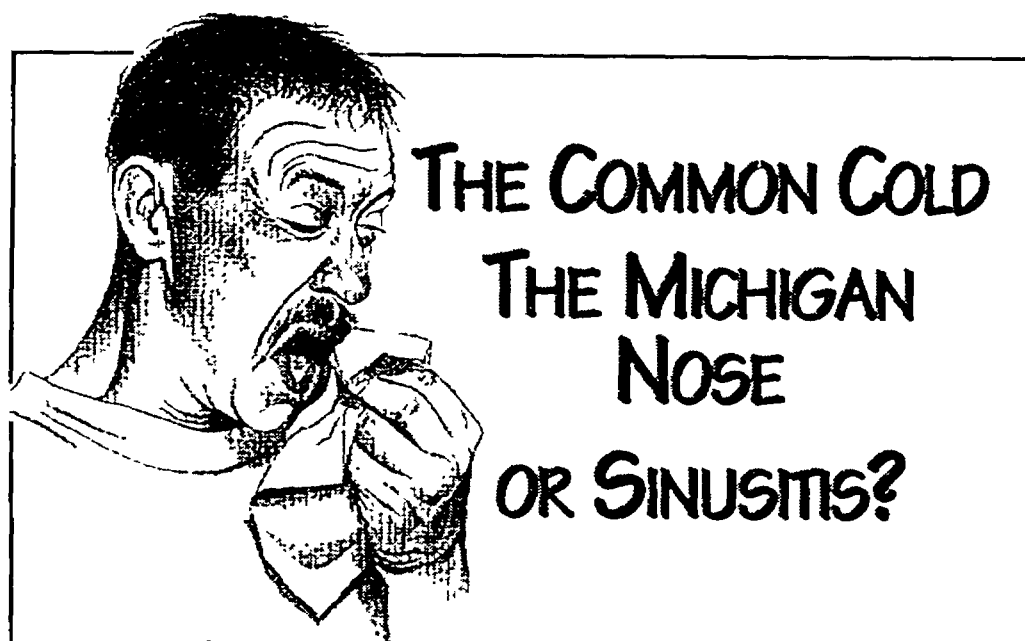
Once you've found a doctor you like, it's important to become a partner in your health care, and that requires communication and respect between you and your doctor. Don't be afraid to ask specific questions, including the meaning of unfamiliar terms, the availability of alternative treatment options, and the potential side effects of any medications being prescribed.

MORE GOOD NEWS ABOUT ANTIOXIDANTS

Each year, Americans suffer from an estimated 500,000 strokes and 1.5 million heart attacks, and it looks like antioxidants, such as beta carotene and vitamin E, may help reduce the risk of these diseases. Antioxidants appear to prevent biochemical changes that make cholesterol easier to deposit in blood vessel walls, where build-up of plaque can eventually block blood flow, potentially contributing to stroke and heart disease.

In studies reported by the American Heart Association of more

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Unless more people become organ donors, many patients will have to play the waiting game until one is found. In some cases, patients will die waiting.

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PASS THE UTENSIL, PLEASE

A hearty conversation at the dinner table may be as important to children as a healthy meal. Researchers at Harvard University found that introducing new (even rare) words at meal-times helped kids improve their reading skills. After tape-recording mealtime conversations of a number of families with three and four year old children, researchers found that kids who were exposed to unusual words had better vocabularies at age five than those who were not. New words can include anything that lies outside of children's daily communications. This means adults should pepper their conversations with interesting, adult words, rather than trying to talk at what we think is the child's level. Preschoolers can learn as many as 8 to 28 new words each day, and better vocabulary, usually means better reading.

SWITCH OFF THAT JUNK FOOD!

Have you watched TV with your kids? Crammed between the cartoons, at what sounds like bomb-level decibels, are advertisements for fast foods, sugary cereals, neon-colored drinks and snacks, snacks. According to the Council of Better Business Bureaus, these advertisements account for almost half of the commercials run during children's television shows.

How to turn off all that junk?

The most obvious way is to limit your children's television time to no more than two hours each day. And don't let your child eat while watching TV. If he or she wants a snack, offer nutritious foods, such as fruits and vegetables, and serve them at the table. Introduce your children to commercial-free programs, such as The Learning Chan-

nel or public television. Even videos can be more interesting than commercial television. Television is a great way for kids and adults to relax. But it is a passive activity, that should be balanced with plenty of interactive play, imaginative play and active play.

GREAT IDEA!

The Children's Hospital of Michigan, part of the Detroit Medical Center, has created a Baby-sitter checklist, which is colorful, laminated and designed to include pertinent information all baby-sitters should have. Included are places for the names and ages of the children; emergency phone numbers, such as doctor, police, fire and poison control; phone numbers of parents (including car phone and beeper); and, it even leaves room to list bedtime instructions and favorite toys.

To get one, you can call the Children's Hospital at (313) 745-5000 and ask for the Baby-sitter checklist.

TEN SAFETY TIPS THAT COULD SAVE YOUR CHILD

When a child is seriously injured or ill, you want to be prepared. Here's some advice from Emergency Medical Services for Children (EMSC) on what to do in emergency situations.

- In an emergency the first thing to do is dial 911 or your local emergency numbers. By simply dialing those numbers in an emergency connects you to the police and fire department and the EMS. If your area doesn't have 911 service available, find out what your local emergency numbers are and keep them by all of the phones ready to be used.
- Many people may not know when a



true emergency exists. If a situation arises and you are unsure, make the call. Many times a child could die or suffer permanent harm unless prompt care is given. And the golden rule of "better safe than sorry" still holds true.

- Knowing how to perform CPR procedures on a child who has stopped breathing is a very good skill to learn. Understanding the basic choking procedures is essential to saving the life of any child whose airway is blocked by objects lodged in their throat. Check with your local hospitals for CPR training, first aid and child safety courses.
- Failure to get all of your child's immunizations on time can put your child at risk of permanent disability. Parents don't want to place their kids at risk of death from a preventable illness.
- If your child is involved in a car crash, do not move them unless they are in further danger. Try to keep the child warm and if they are conscious, keep them still until emergency services arrive.
- If your child has been poisoned, bring the poison and the child to the phone when you call the poison control center in your area. Have syrup of ipecac on hand, but use only if directed to do so.
- If your child has a serious fall, do not move them if they are unconscious. Call 911 or the emergency number. Cover them with a blanket and keep them still.
- In the case of a burn, do not use butter or petroleum jelly. For a minor burn, place area under cold water for 15 minutes and call the doctor. For large or deep burns with blisters, make an immediate call to emergency services. Keep your child warm with a clean sheet and then a blanket until help arrives.
- In the case your child has a seizure, perform rescue breathing if they are not breathing. If they are breathing, lay the child on their side, and move them away from dangerous objects. Call emergency services. **11**

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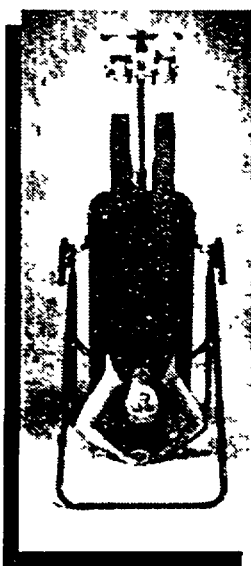
- Bell peppers are bred to be colorful. They start out green and then mature into a variety of rich colors — red, yellow, orange and purple.
- The difference in color comes from the presence of different (and valuable) carotenoids, those phytochemicals that help fight disease.
- The colored ones tend to cost more because they are harder to grow and require more care after harvesting.
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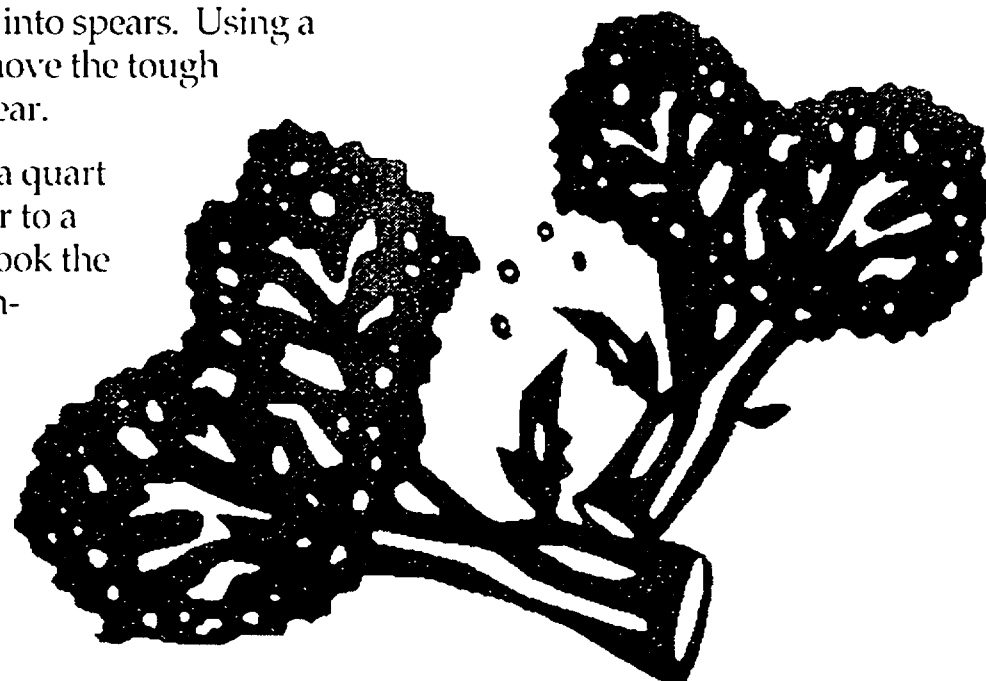
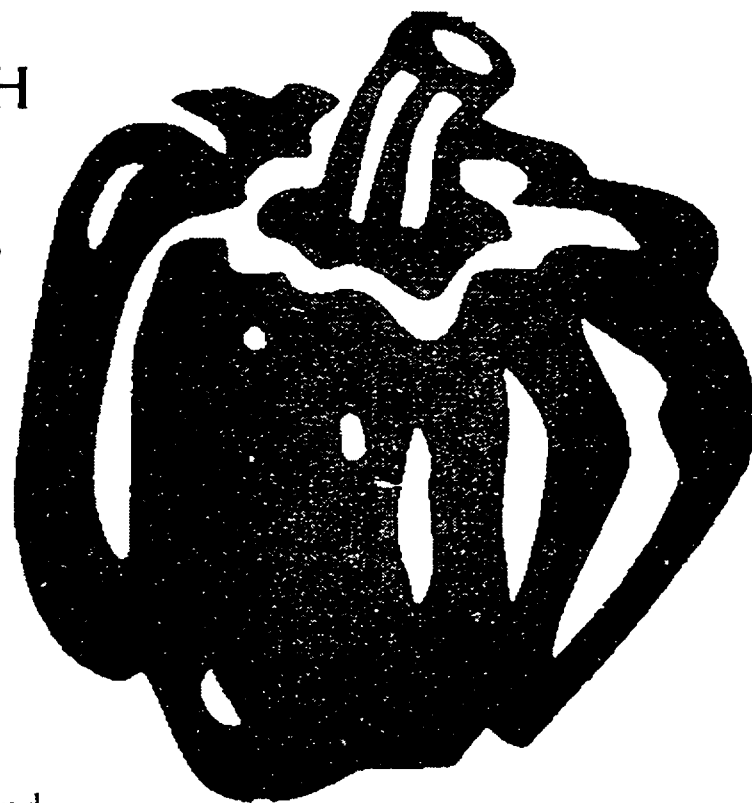
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BROCCOLI: THE VEGETABLE WORTH STALKING

OK! We all know that broccoli is rich in vitamins and loaded with fiber, but we also know that if it's stale, limp and overcooked, eating broccoli is about as delicious as chewing on a shoe. So, how do we get the best out of broccoli?

- Buy broccoli with dark green, firm florets. You can store the bunch in a sealed plastic or vegetable bag in the crisper for at least one week.
- Wash as much broccoli as you plan to cook, and cut off the florets. Trim the end of the stalk and cut it into spears. Using a vegetable peeler, remove the tough outer skin of each spear.
- For each stalk, bring a quart of lightly salted water to a boil in a deep pot. Cook the broccoli for three minutes uncovered. Drain it and serve immediately.
- If you wish to stir-fry the broccoli, use it in a cold pasta salad, or store it for tomorrow's dinner, 'shock' it in ice water for three to five minutes, or until it has completely cooled. This method will help preserve the nutrients, taste and color.



we can get fluid from food like vegetables and fruits, we still need to drink.

Here's why:

- Water acts as the medium for all chemical processes that take place in the body — to repair, to renew, and to maintain cells.
- Water comprises 80 percent of the blood that carries food to all body tissues, and, on its return, transports waste to be eliminated by the liver, kidneys, lungs and skin.
- The gray matter in our brains is about 85 percent water.
- Cells that contain adequate amounts of water keep skin moist and fresh-looking. During exercise, sweating stimulates the oil-producing glands that keep hair moisturized.
- Water keeps the kidneys from over-concentrating particles that might otherwise crystallize and clog up the urinary tract. Water also helps prevent constipation by keeping fluids in the digestive track.
- Water is vital for helping to flush out toxins that result from the body breaking down proteins and bacteria.

WATER AND YOUR HEALTH: WETTER IS BETTER!

You've heard it before. It's hard to believe, but it's true. Our bodies are 70 percent water. And, without water, for even a short time, we will die.

So, now that we've gotten your attention, it's important to stress that water is not just a cure-all for losing weight, or an excuse for posing as a movie star toting around the ubiquitous bottle of Evian.

"We do need to drink 8 to 10 cups of water each day," says Pamela Savage-Marr, R.D., regional community health educator for Oakwood Healthcare System, and spokesperson for the National Dietetics Association.

"Our bodies use water for all functions from assisting with digestion to cushioning joints," she adds, explaining that even though

- Water can help with weight loss because the more you drink, the better your body is hydrated, which lubricates the cells that are involved in fat-burning. Drinking water also creates a feeling of fullness, and since it contains no fat, sugar or caffeine, water represents a healthy, no-calorie alternative to pop, coffee or other drinks.

If you work out regularly, water is especially important because the exercising body loses more fluids through urination and perspiration. Exercise also requires a higher level of energy. Without sufficient water, your body becomes dehydrated and fatigued, which makes it difficult to perform even the simplest routines.

Savage-Marr says that thirst is not a reliable indication of how much water we need.

"Once you're thirsty, you are already depleted by almost two cups of water," she says, emphasizing the importance of drinking throughout the day. She suggests carrying a bottle of water, for convenience and for the hand to mouth gratification sipping allows.

"Keep a bottle at your desk and in your car, and don't forget to stop at the drinking fountain."

THE BOTTLED WATER DILEMMA: WHAT'S ACTUALLY IN THOSE FANCY CONTAINERS?

Although general standards for water quality are monitored by the Environmental Protection Agency, people are concerned about contaminants such as lead, chlorine, aluminum sulfate and pesticides. As a result, thousands of Americans have turned to bottled water. However, between the cost and inconvenience of buying those bottles, as well as recent publicity questioning the exact content and purity of bottled water, it's hard to decide where to get good drinking water.

In 1996, the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) established national standards for labeling different types of bottled water, making water one of the most regulated food products sold to consumers. According to the FDA, here's what the labels mean:

- **Artesian water:** bottled water from a well that taps a confined aquifer (an underground layer of rock or sand containing water). Unlike spring water, which must flow to the surface naturally, artesian water can be pumped to the surface for use.
- **Mineral water:** bottled water containing at least 250 milligrams of minerals per liter. No minerals can be added to this product.
- **Purified water:** produced by distillation, de-ionization, reverse osmosis and other suitable purifying processes.
- **Sparkling water:** after treatment, including possible replacement of carbon dioxide, sparkling water contains the same amount of carbon dioxide it had at emergence from the source. (Soda water, seltzer and tonic water are not considered among bottled waters.)
- **Spring water:** from an underground formation that flows naturally to the surface of the earth.
- **Well water:** obtained from a human-made hole in the ground that taps an aquifer.

Which is the most healthful choice? The International Bottled Water Association reports that mineral water slightly increases your intake of beneficial minerals like magnesium and zinc.

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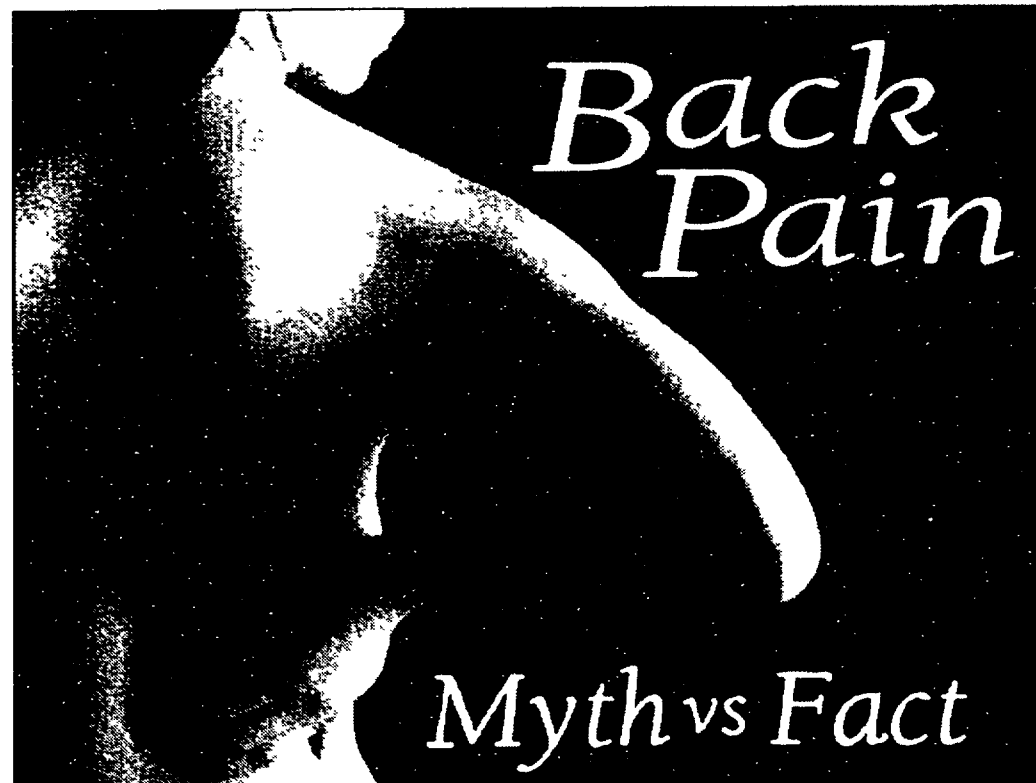


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STRENGTH COMES WITH TRAINING

These days, more and more fitness experts are recommending that you add strength training to your exercise program. Touted to help young athletes improve physical prowess, and recommended to help older people remain active and independent, strength training is called the "training trend of the '90s." "Cardiovascular exercise can condition your heart and lungs,"

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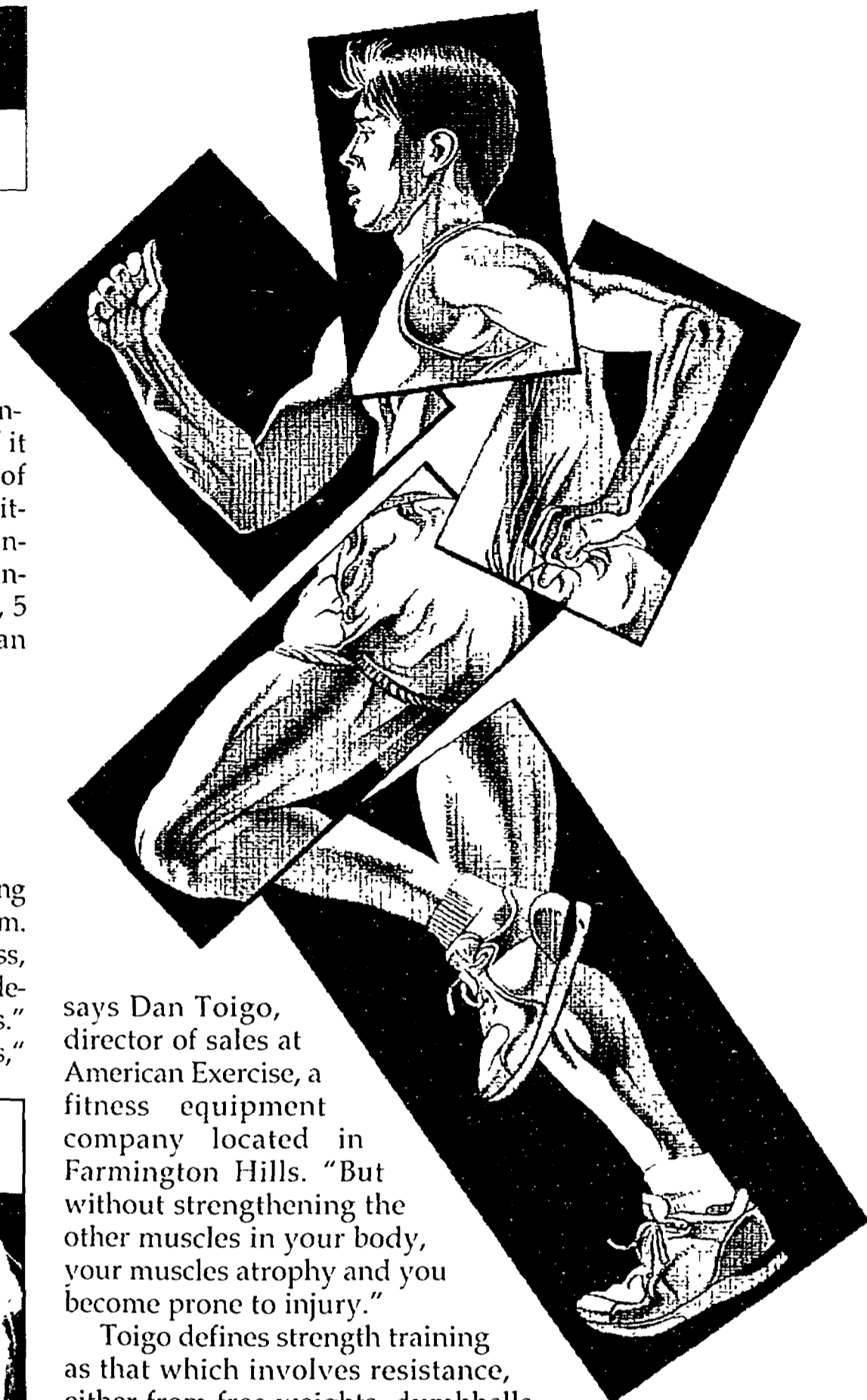
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says Dan Toigo, director of sales at American Exercise, a fitness equipment company located in Farmington Hills. "But without strengthening the other muscles in your body, your muscles atrophy and you become prone to injury."

Toigo defines strength training as that which involves resistance, either from free weights, dumbbells or specialized equipment. Lifting weights at home is fine, he says, but if you are unfamiliar with strength training, the fitness consultants at American Exercise recommend that you either work with a personal trainer, or use strength training equipment, where there is less room for injury because of the machine's controlled movements.

In addition to the increased energy and self-confidence that comes with a strong body, working out with weights and other resistance equipment can result in:

- Greater endurance and stamina in both recreational activities and the chores of daily life, such as carrying groceries, running up and down stairs and playing with your kids.
- Improved performance in sports like tennis, golf, basketball and swimming
- A greater sense of power, both physical and emotional
- Reduced risk of heart disease, diabetes, osteoporosis, back problems and joint injuries

Probably most enticing of all, strength training can make it easier to shed unwanted pounds and inches. By helping you build muscle tissue and lose body fat, strength training revs up your metabolic rate so you burn more calories in whatever you are doing, even sitting or sleeping.

To reap these benefits, you may not have to add extra time to your current exercise schedule, you can simply supplement your aerobic program with strength training sessions.

"Don't train the same muscle group two days in a row," Toigo says, explaining that the most efficient program calls for alternating days of cardiovascular conditioning with resistance training.

SO, HOW DO YOU GET STARTED?

When someone asks about strength training, the American Exercise fitness consultants spend time analyzing that customer's fitness level and limitations before making recommendations. Toigo says the equipment most requested are multi-station machines where users can work all muscle groups. These range from about \$800 to more than \$5,000. Some customers purchase a weights and bench package, but Toigo recommends that those lifting weights should take time to learn the movements. Often a personal trainer is assigned (first session is free), or people are directed toward educational books and tapes.

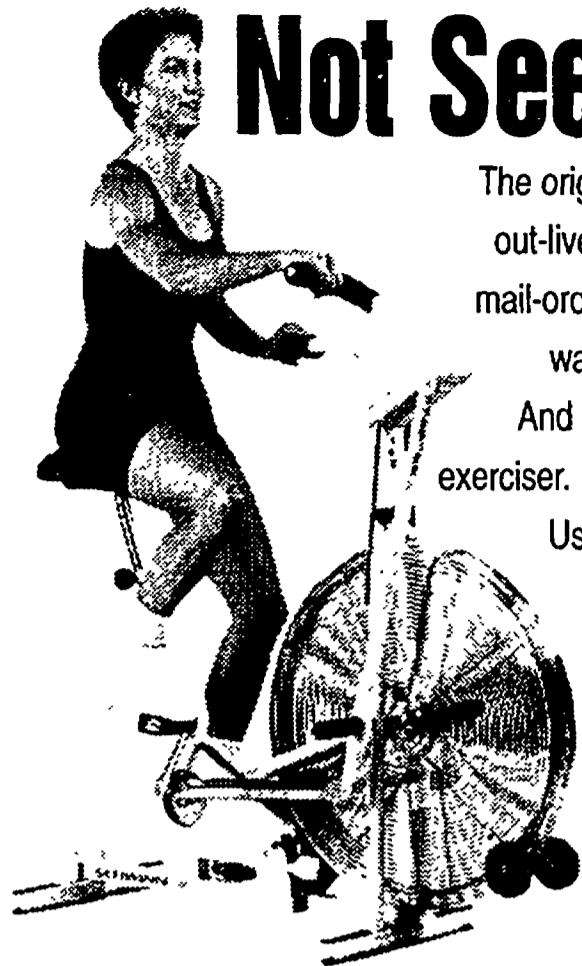
For more information about strength training, you can contact your own fitness club or your local YMCA/YWCA.

EXERCISE CAUTION WHEN JOINING A GYM

Most strength training exercises are done in health clubs or gyms. If you're thinking of joining one, the Federal Trade Commission Reports offer the following tips:

- Find a club that promotes a discounted or free trial period. Use this time to check out the equipment, see how helpful the staff is, and look for classes or other programs that will help you reach your fitness goals.
- Ask about the ratio between members and the staff and equipment available to them. Some clubs would rather have too many members rather than more satisfied customers.
- Check out the hours available for you to work out, and make sure they accommodate your schedule and temperament. The match is important so you actually go to the club!
- It's important to investigate the education and training of the staff. Most health clubs now employ at least a few staff members who have formal training. These professionals can help you build an appropriate fitness plan, and steer you away from injury.
- Ask what the stipulations are for canceling your membership. What happens if you are injured? Can you cancel if you move away?

Most importantly, look around the facilities to see if they are clean and well organized. Talk to the staff—from fitness instructors to office people—to see if they are friendly and professional. And watch to see how members interact. Does it seem like the kind of place you'll want to spend several hours each week? ■




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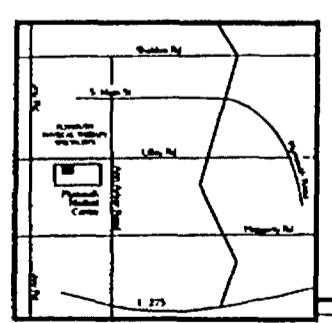
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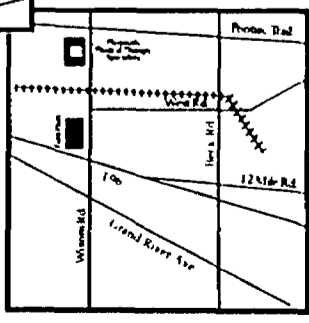
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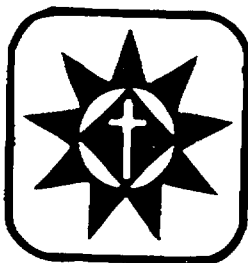


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- The new plan would allow beneficiaries the opportunity to choose a plan that increases their benefits and reduces their out-of-pocket costs.

The new plan would allow seniors more benefits than Medicare does now, such as prescription drugs.

For more information, contact the Coalition to Save Medicare at (202) 347-5731, or write to 1800 Massachusetts Ave., NW, #401, Washington, D.C. 20036.



CAREFULLY CONTAIN YOUR MEDICATIONS

Good advice from *Health after 50*: Clear plastic dispensers that organize medications into daily doses do not protect photo-sensitive drugs from light. If you use such drugs (which generally come in opaque containers), try preparing a weekly checklist instead, and leave the drugs in their labeled containers, where they are best protected and identified. Also, do not store any drugs in the bathroom or near a window, where their effectiveness can be diminished by steam or light.

DEPRESSION—NOT A PASSING MOOD

For most Americans, the "golden years" can be the most fulfilling time in life. But for some seniors, challenges associated with aging can bring about a serious medical illness—depression.

Ira Katz, MD, co-chair of the Geriatric Psychiatry Alliance's Initiative on Depression in Late Life says that depression is not a natural part of aging. "It is normal for people to feel sad or blue about certain life events," he said. "But when someone can't get un-sad, when someone is stuck in a depression, then it is an illness requiring medical attention."

Sadness is not the only sign or symptom of depression. In fact, in the older adult, other

WATCH FOR SIGNS OF CONGESTIVE HEART FAILURE

Congestive heart failure, caused by coronary artery disease, uncontrolled high blood pressure or structural abnormalities in the heart, is the number one cause of death in Americans over 65.

According to the Alliance for Aging Research, seniors should be aware of the signs of congestive heart failure, which include:

- shortness of breath
- swollen legs, ankles or abdomen
- weight gain from fluid retention
- cool, pale hands and feet
- increased night-time urination
- fatigue and weakness
- confusion and memory problems

If any of these symptoms bothers you consistently, be sure to call your doctor.

CRAVING CRANBERRY JUICE? THERE'S A GOOD REASON.

According to the *Journal of the American Medical Association*, there may be truth in the assumption that cranberry juice can prevent urinary track infections (UTIs) in older women. Many women over 65 develop at least one UTI a year, and drinking cranberry juice seems to lessen the severity and length of the symptoms.

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APRIL 9 - Managing Arthritis with Exercise. Presented by rheumatology specialist Paul Wenig, D.O., and physical therapist Cathy Harvey. FREE. For more information call (810) 477-6100.

APRIL 17 - Prostate Health for Men. FREE information presentation. For more information, and to register call (810) 477-6100.

APRIL 22, 23, 24 - Project Health-O-Rama 1997. Co-sponsored at Livonia Mall, offers free and low-cost screenings as well as health education. For more information, call Botsford General Hospital's Health Development Network at (810) 477-6100.

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APRIL 10 - Focus on Living Support Group. A support system is an important part of cancer survival. Co-sponsored by the American Cancer Society. 7-9 pm, FREE. For more information call (810) 652-5373.

APRIL 12 - Safe Babysitters Class. Taught by a registered nurse, this class is designed to teach the basic skills of babysitting. Children must be at least 11-years old. 9 am-1 pm, \$25 fee. To register call (810) 652-5269.

APRIL 19 - Community Safety and First Aid. Learn CPR for adults, children and infants as well as first aid techniques. American Red Cross certification. 9 am-6 pm, \$50 fee. For more information and to register, call (810) 652-5269.

APRIL 24 - Hearing Rehabilitation.

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Free Hearing Screening. First Tuesday of every month, noon-2 pm. Located in the lobby of the Garden City Hospital.

Medicare/Medicaid Assistance Program. First Tuesday of every month. Noon-2 pm. Counseling and assistance for clients with issues or questions concerning Medicare/Medicaid forms and benefits. Held in the lobby of the Garden City Hospital.

Moms On the Go. Fitness class for expectant mothers offered in conjunction with the Wayne-Westland Family Branch of the YMCA. For more information, call (313) 458-4330.

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APRIL 16 - Prostate Cancer: Who should worry and why. Urologist Hans J. Stricker, M.D. will discuss the risk factors for prostate cancer along with the latest detection and treatment methods. 7-8:30 pm, FREE. For more information and to register, call (313) 982-8384.

APRIL 17 - No Broken Bones About It. Learn the facts about elderly injury and death due to falls and what you can do to prevent in-home falls. 2-3 pm, FREE. For more information and to register, call (313) 523-1704.

APRIL 17 - Vegetarian Delite. Introduction to vegetarian eating. 10-11:30 am, FREE. For more information and to register, call (313) 982-8384.

APRIL 10, 17, 24, MAY 1 - StressWise: Transforming Stress into Energy. A three-part series to help you lead a more productive personal and professional life. 7-8:30 pm, \$60 fee. For more information and to register, call (313) 982-8384.

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APRIL 9 - What is Parkinson's Disease? How can symptoms be managed, presented by B. Silverman, M.D. 6-7 pm. For more information call the number listed above.

APRIL 10 - What is new in Plastic Surgery/Cosmetic Surgery. Presented by Hashim Alani, M.D. 7 pm. For more information call the number listed above.

APRIL 16 - Recognizing the difference between Alzheimer's Disease and Dementia. Presented by S. Webb, RN, BSN. 6-7 pm. For more information call the number listed above.

APRIL 25 - Project Health-O-Rama. Located in Milford. For more information call the number listed above.

APRIL 29 - Eating for a healthy heart. Held at the Southfield Library, 6:30 pm. For more information call the number listed above.

OAKWOOD HOSPITAL AND HEALTH SYSTEM

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APRIL 9, 10 - Health-O-Rama. Sponsored by Oakwood Healthcare System, Channel 7, WXYZ-TV, United Health Organization and United Way, this FREE health service provides screenings for adults 18-years and older. Laurel Park Mall-Livonia, 10am-6 pm. For more information call (313) 467-4134.

APRIL 12, 26 - Certified Sitter. Become a knowledgeable and responsible babysitter. 9 am-12:30 pm, Plymouth-Canton High School. For more information and to register call (313) 416-2937.

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APRIL 17 - Coping with Caring. Support group for people caring for an older adult. Meets the third Thursday of each month, noon-1 pm. For more information and to register, call (810) 967-7700.

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APRIL 19 - Project Health-O-Rama. Series of free or low-cost health screenings for adults 18 or older. 9 am-3 pm at the St. Mary Hospital Auditorium. For more information call (313) 655-2922 or toll-free, 1-800-494-1650.

APRIL 22 - Adult Basic Life Support Class. An American Heart Association Class, 7-10 pm, \$20 fee. To register, and for more information call (313) 655-2922 or toll-free, 1-800-494-1650.

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Does your skin make the grade? Take a look at the grading scale many dermatologists use to evaluate the degree of photoaging (the premature aging of skin due to ultraviolet light exposure), and see how affected your skin may be and what you can do about it.

First, determine your skin type with the following classification scale developed by San Francisco dermatologist Dr. Richard Glogau. Choose the skin type that best reflects how your skin feels and appears.

- **Skin type I: "No Wrinkles"** - minimal to no discoloration or wrinkling, no keratoses (skin overgrowths), foundation or makeup not needed.
- **Skin type II: "Wrinkles in Motion"** - skin wrinkles when it moves, slight

lines near the eyes and mouth, no visible keratoses, some foundation is usually worn.

- **Skin type III: "Wrinkles at Rest"** - visible wrinkles at all times, noticeable discolorations, visible keratoses, may need heavy foundation.
- **Skin type IV: "Only Wrinkles"** - wrinkled throughout, yellow/gray color to skin, prior skin cancer, can't wear make up because it "cakes and cracks."

Once you have determined your specific skin type, you can start to develop a skin-care plan that is best for you. Here are some recommendations and options a dermatologist might recommend to you:

Practice daily skin protection with a moisturizer containing a sunscreen with an SPF of at least 15. Try a lotion containing alpha hydroxy acid (AHA) and antioxidants.

For skin types II and III, doctors may prescribe medication, like tretinoin or hydroquinone. These skin types also may benefit from light chemical peels, dermabrasion or laser resurfacing to remove lines, wrinkles and discolorations.



Caption: Help our skin make the grade with the proper skin-care regimen. Whether you have skin type I, left, with "no wrinkles" or skin type IV, right, with "only wrinkles," you can have healthy skin. Consult your doctor about possible treatments that can help you look your best.

For skin type IV, many of the same recommendations as skin types II and III will apply, but doctors may offer additional options, like soft-tissue augmentation procedures (injections of collagen or fat transfer).

Before starting a new skin-care procedure or changing your present skin-care routine, and for the highest degree of accuracy in determining your skin type, consult your dermatologist. Then, talk to your doctor about possible treatment options that can keep your skin looking its healthy best. ■

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symptoms such as weight loss and feeling "slowed down" may be more pronounced. It is important for people to recognize all of the symptoms of depression and report any that last two weeks or more to the doctor.

Common symptoms include:

- persistent sadness
- feeling slowed down
- excessive worries about finances and health problems
- frequent tearfulness
- feeling worthless and helpless
- weight changes
- pacing and fidgeting
- difficulty sleeping
- difficulty concentrating
- physical symptoms such as pain or gastrointestinal problems

Another sign of depression is when people withdraw from regular social activities or neglect their personal appearance.

Sometimes people ignore the signs of depression in later life because they seem like reasonable reactions to things such as a serious medical illness or the death of a loved one. "But even when it seems to make sense for a person to be depressed," said Dr. Katz, "it can still be a disease."

The consequence of untreated depression are severe. The disease causes disability, worsening of other concurrent medical illnesses, and can lead to premature death or even suicide. According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, the over-65 age group has the highest rate of suicides—more than 20 percent of the national total—although they make up only 13 percent of the population.

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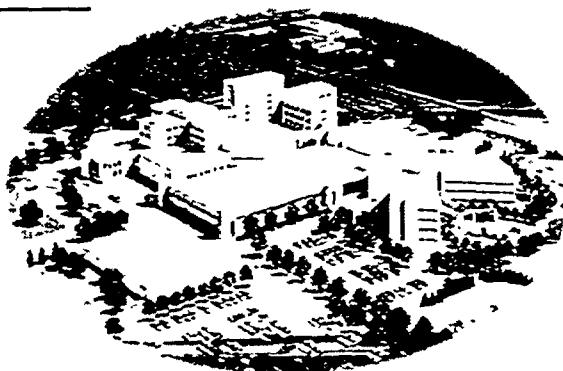
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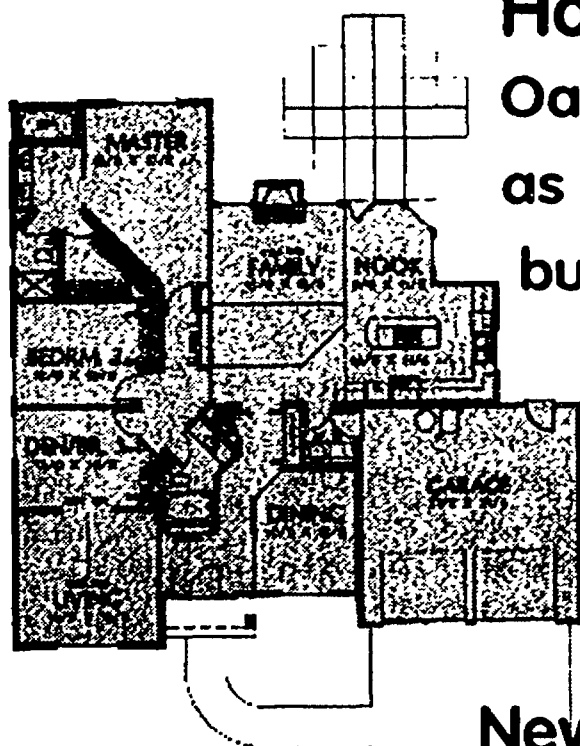
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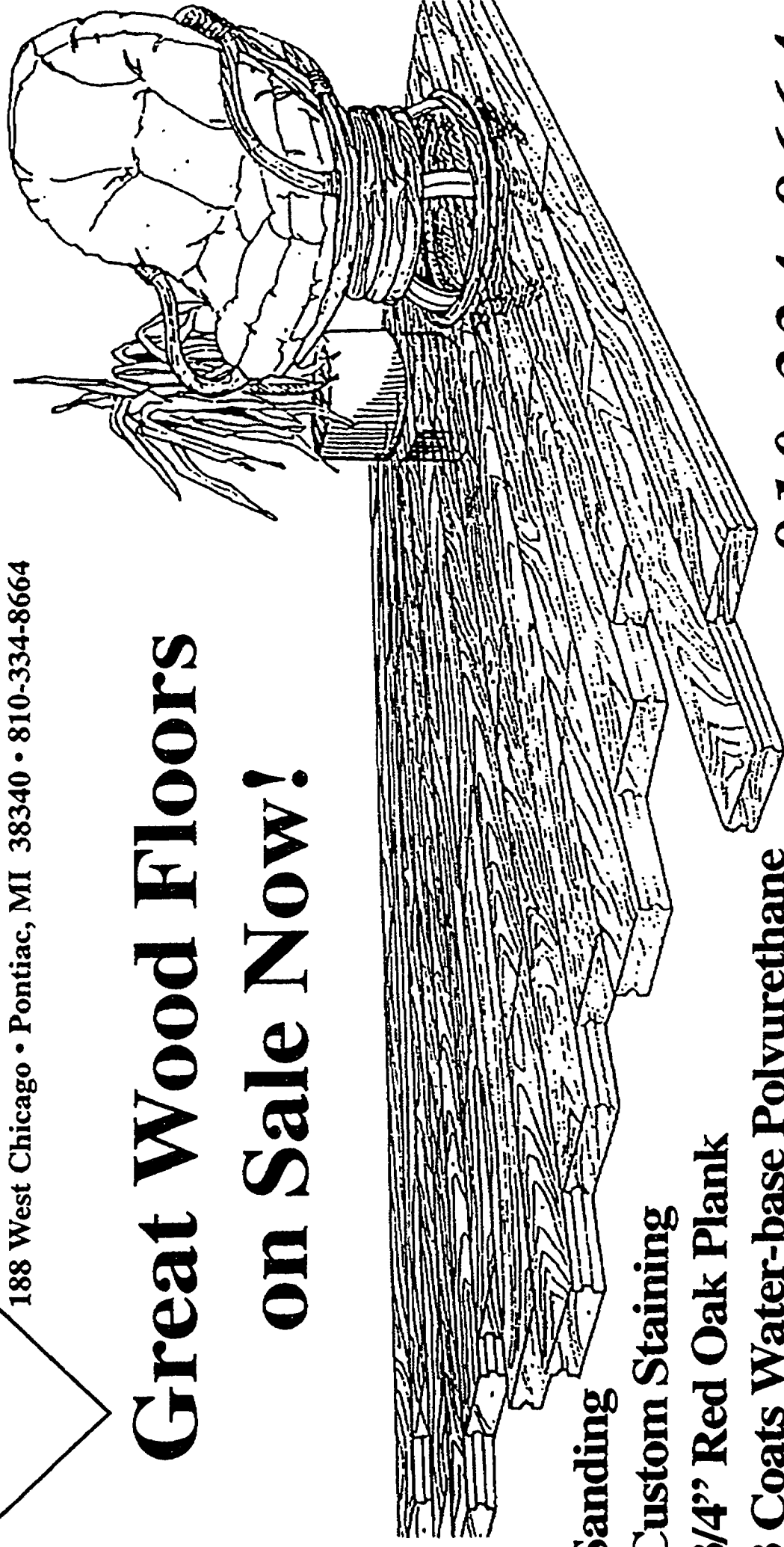
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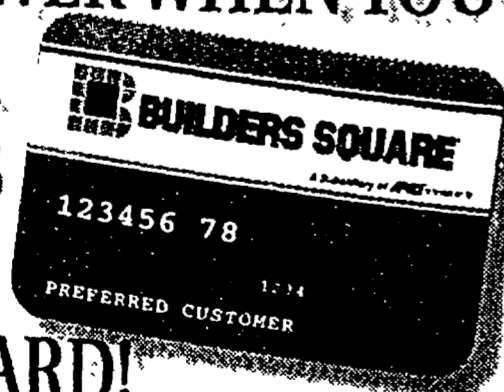
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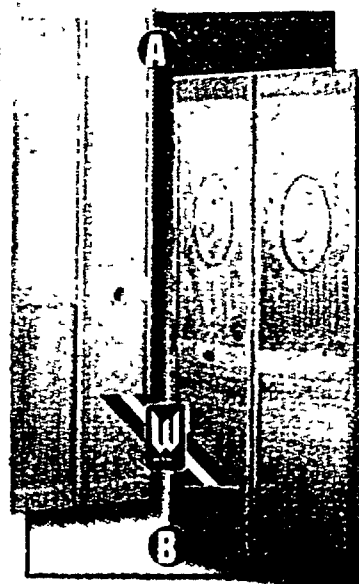
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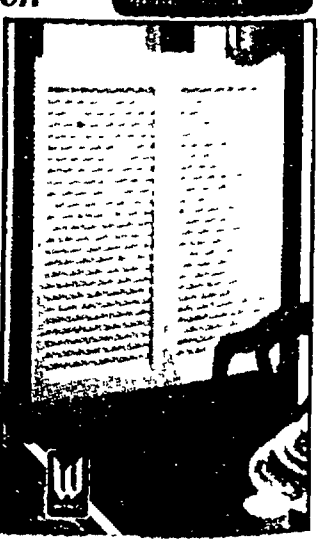
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2" x 3" welded mesh.
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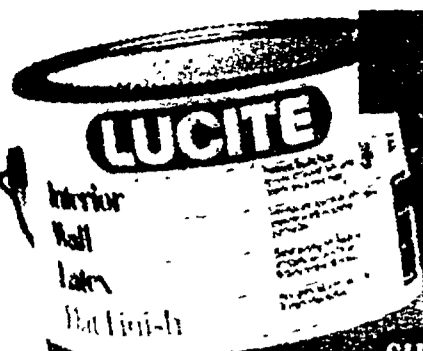
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Premium quality interior paint. Fingerprints, smudges wash off easily. Resists dirt and spots.

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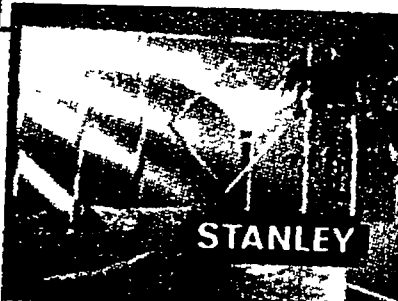
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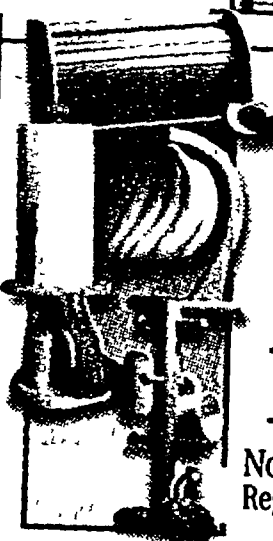
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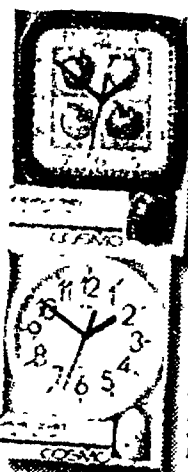
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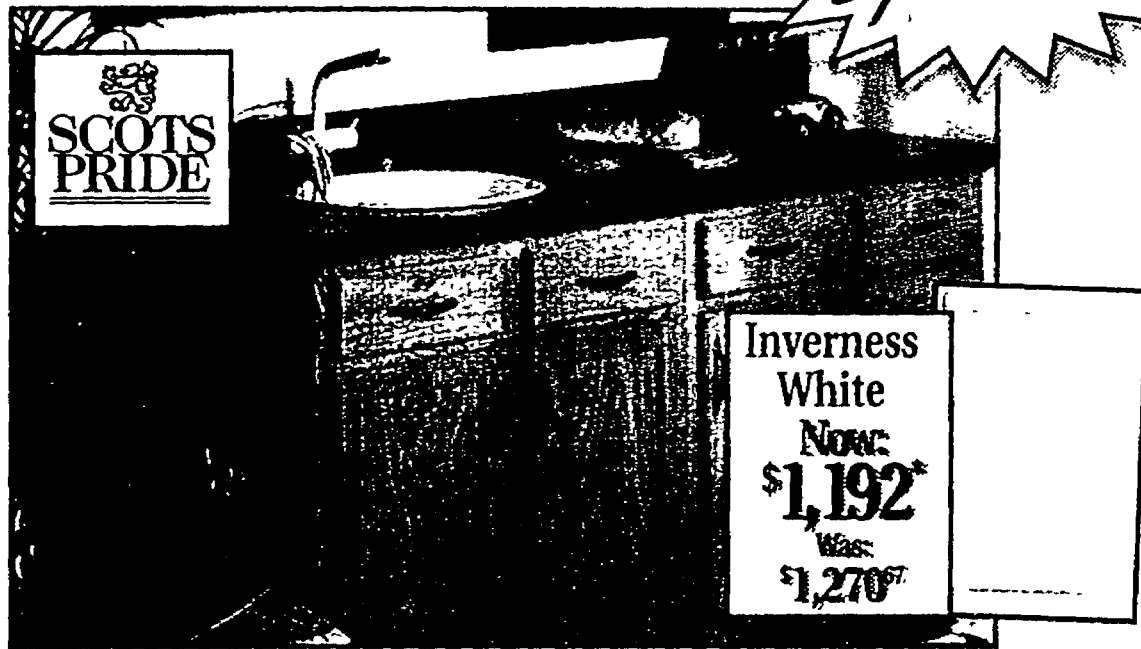
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• A standard L-shaped, 8'x12' (20 Ln.Ft.) sample kitchen was used to calculate the cabinet price on the styles featured in this ad.

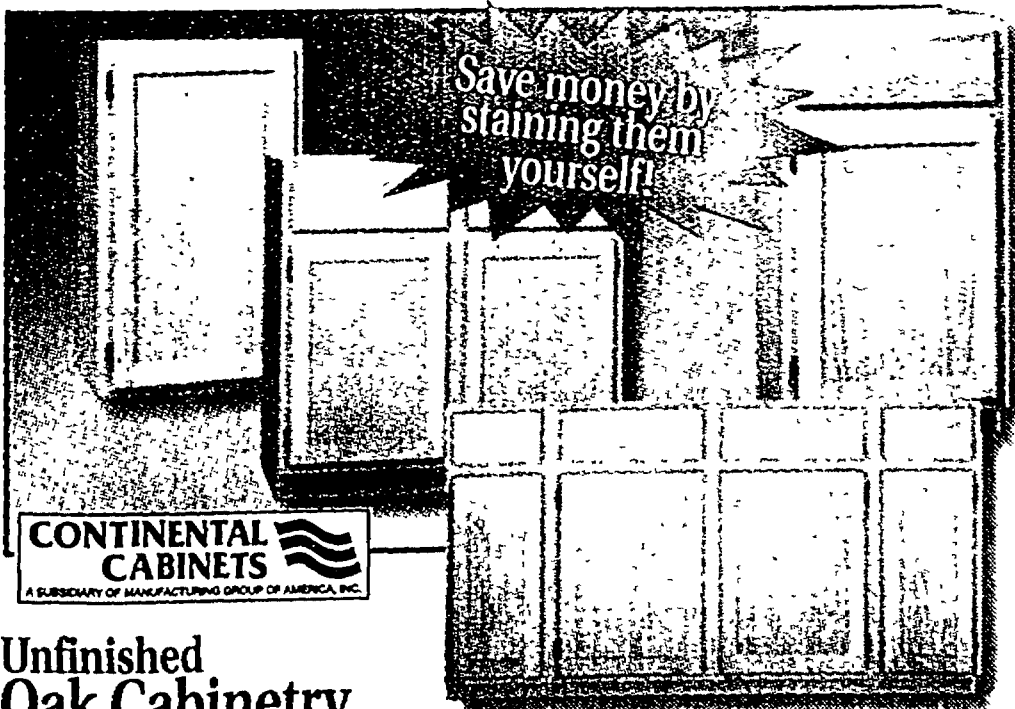
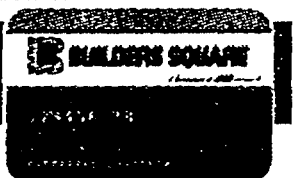
• Sample kitchen includes...

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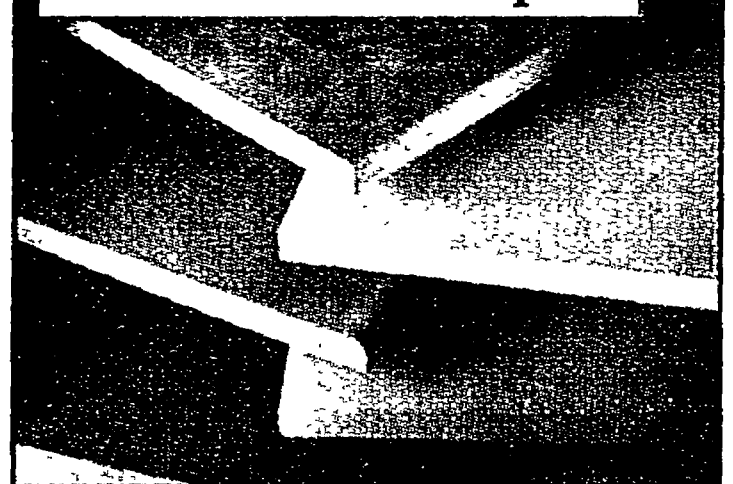
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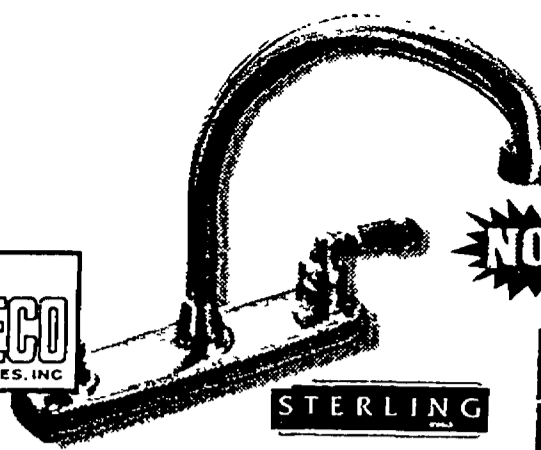


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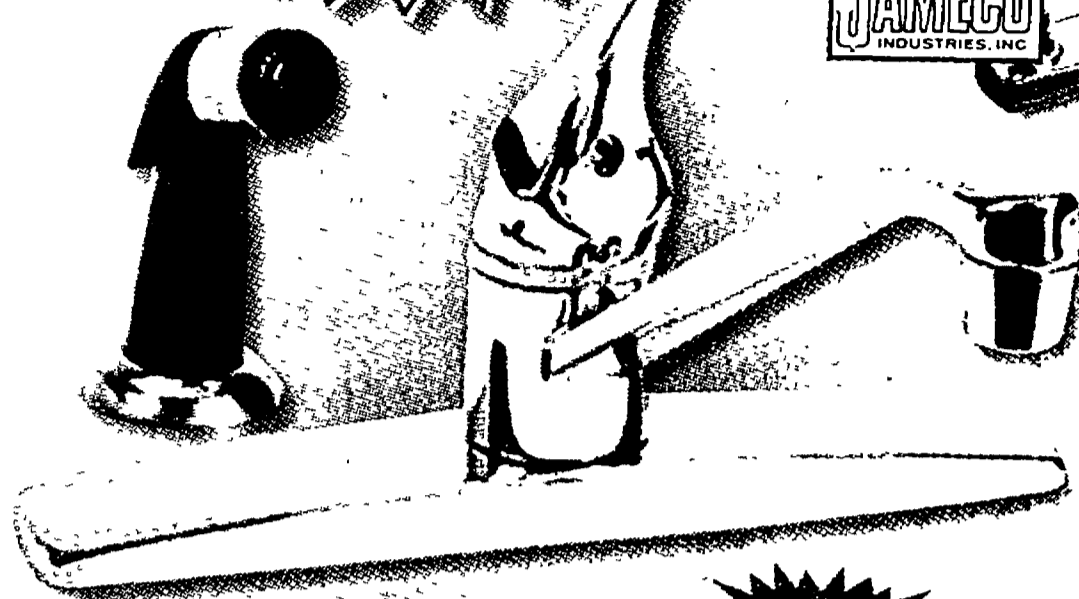
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Hi-Rise Chrome Kitchen Faucet With Spray
#083659



NOW \$39 WAS: 49.99

White/Chrome #26W79C Was 109.99	\$89
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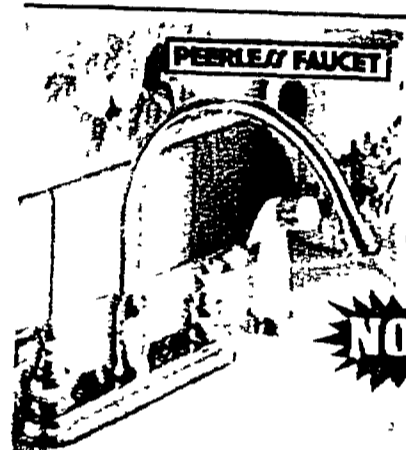
Single Handle Chrome Faucet with Spray
8" center. Washerless. Lifetime warranty.
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Single Handle Chrome Kitchen Faucet With Spray
Fits standard 8" centersets on 4 hole sinks. #8540

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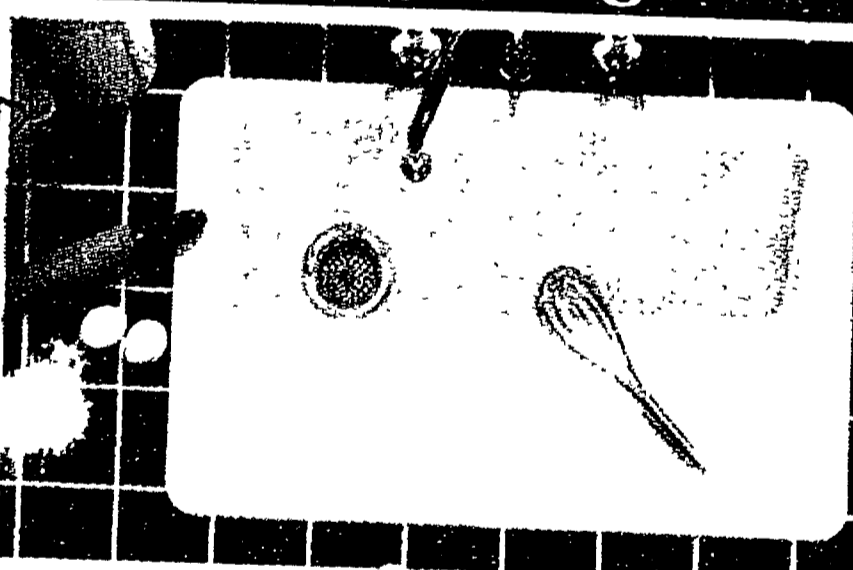


Hi-Spout Chrome Kitchen Faucet With Spray
Oak level handles. #3355

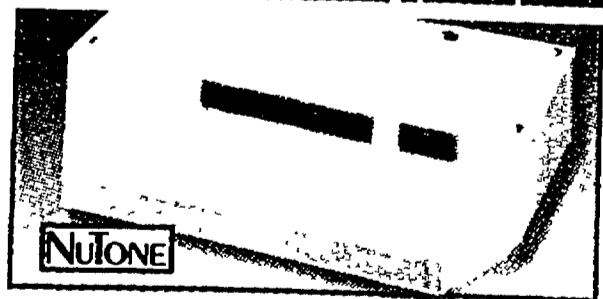
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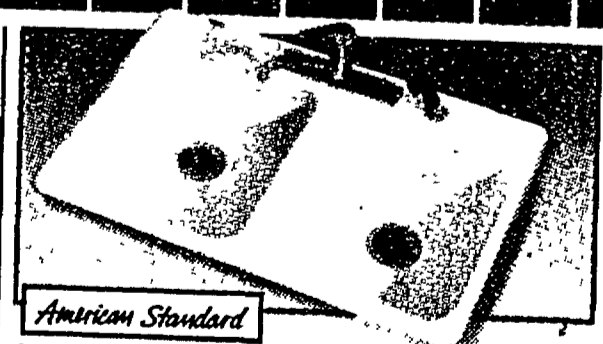


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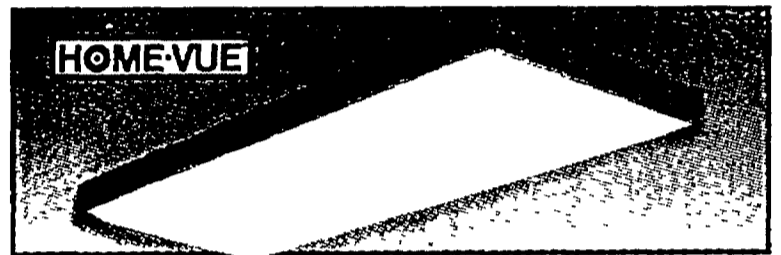
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**2' x 4'
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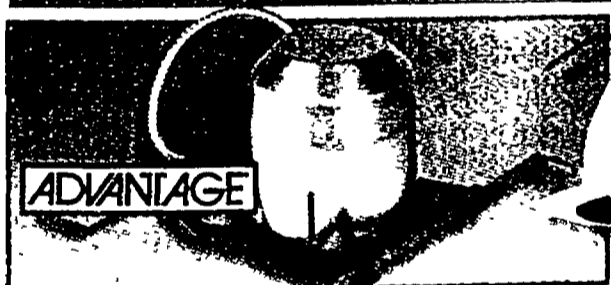
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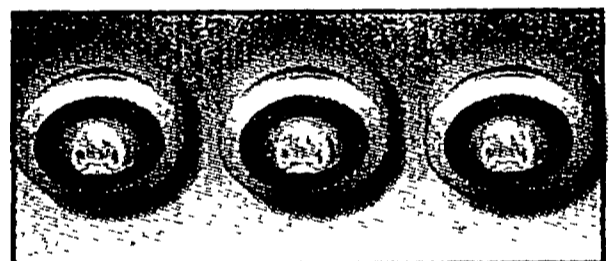
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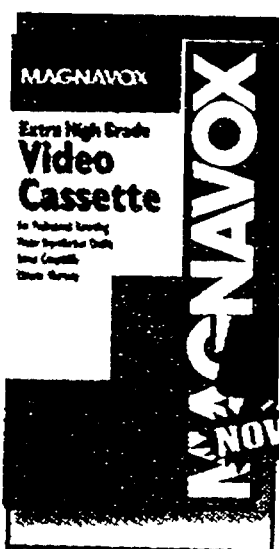
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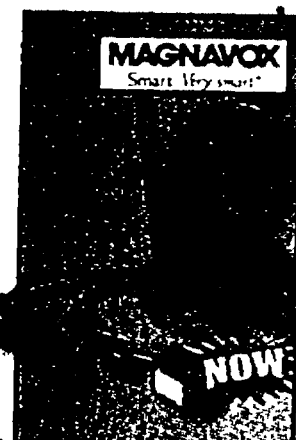
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Extends hand-set 25' from phone. Choose from Ivory, Green, and Black.

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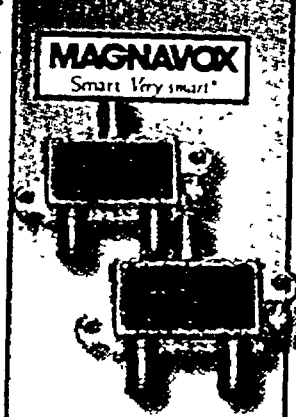
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Amplifier Indoor Antenna
Power adapter included.
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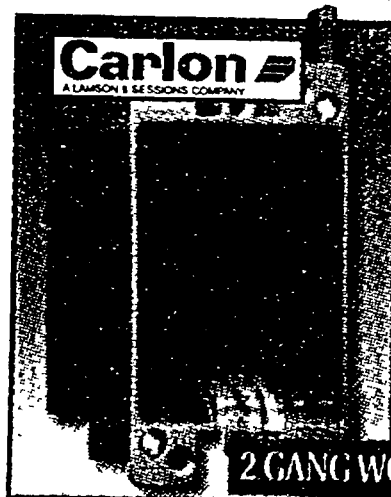


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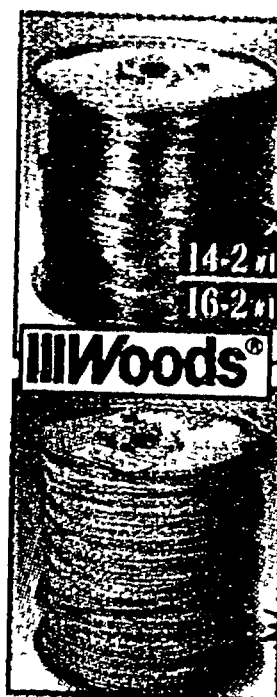
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250' roll. #180

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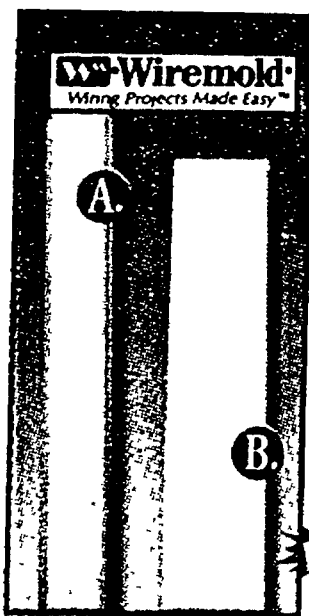
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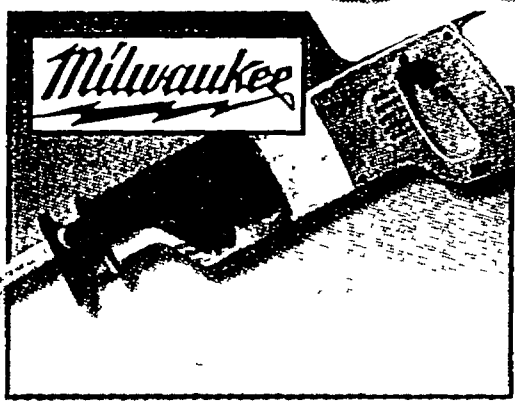
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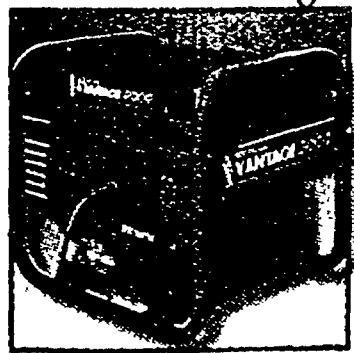
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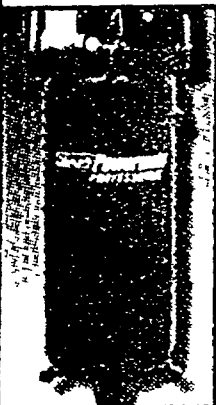


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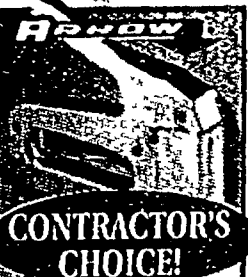
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Locates wood or
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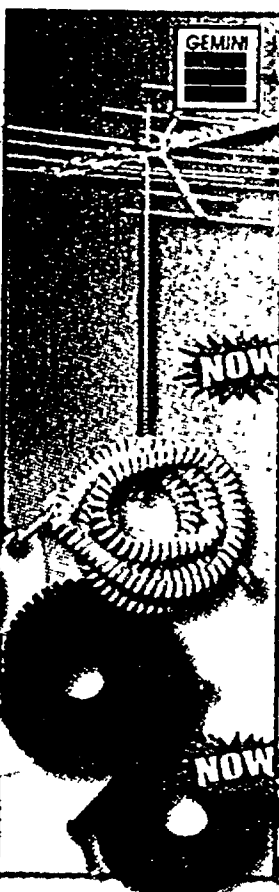
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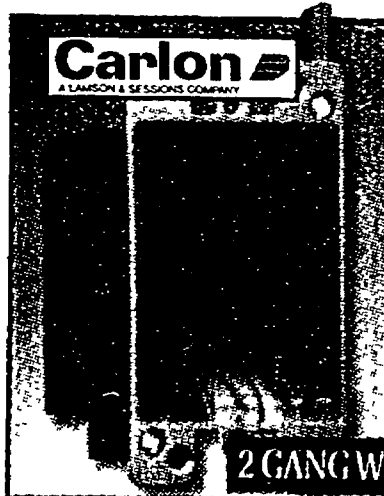
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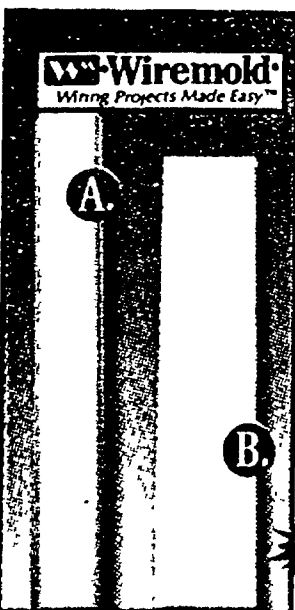
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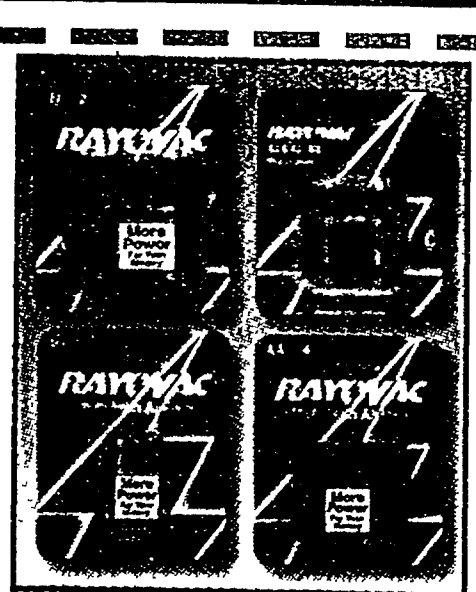


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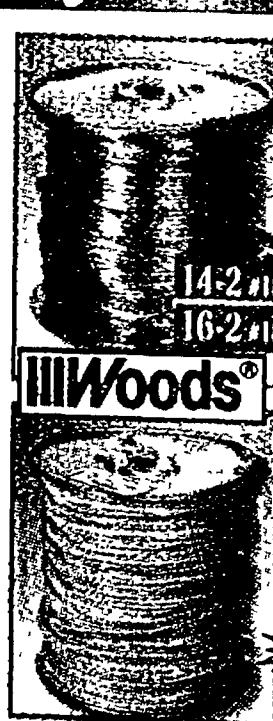
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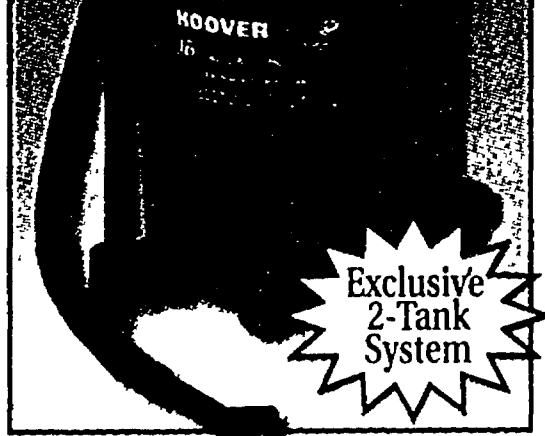
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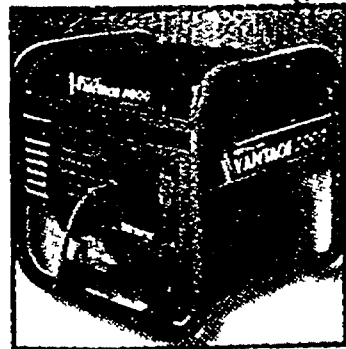
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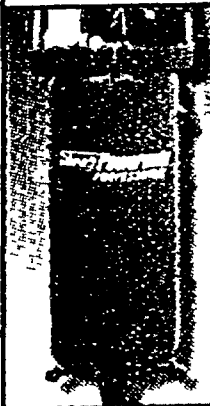


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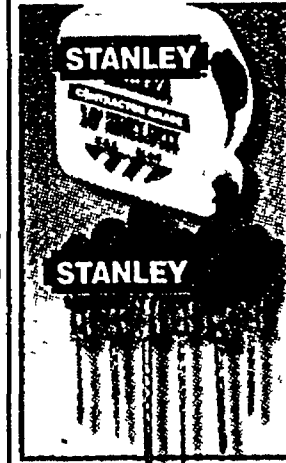
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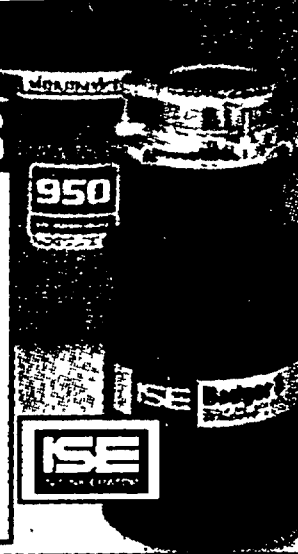
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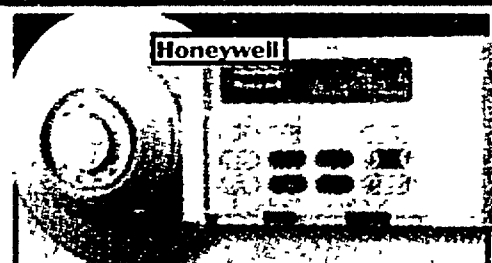
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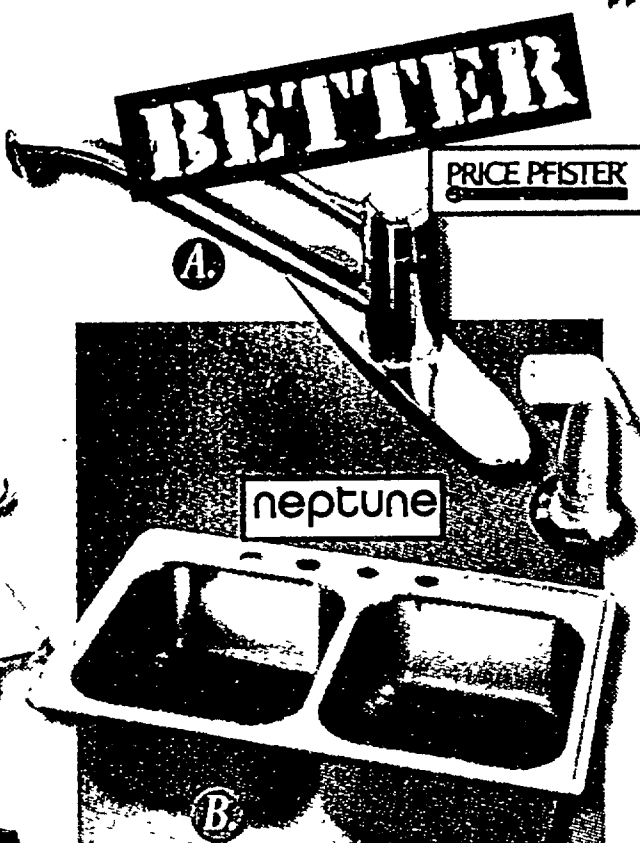
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MODEL 750
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Total Package
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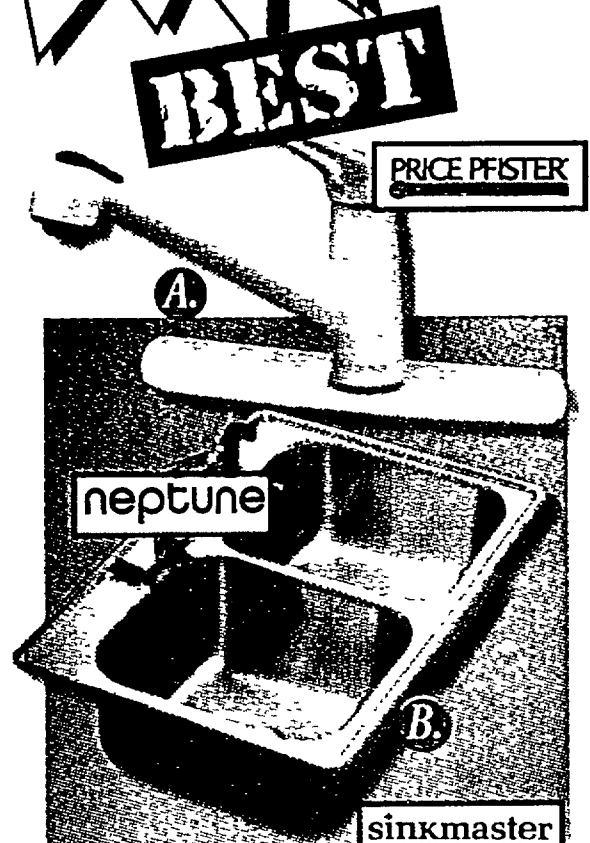
B. 8" Deep Stainless Steel Sink
33" x 22" double bowl.
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warranty. #NLB-3322-4
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C. 1/2 HP "Bone Crusher" Series Garbage Disposer
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MODEL 850
Job Code 0513/0514

Total Package
Price:

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A. Single Handle Kitchen Faucet
Pull-out faucet with
vacuum breaker.
Ceramic disc valve.
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B. 8" Extra Deep Mirror Finish Stainless Steel Sink
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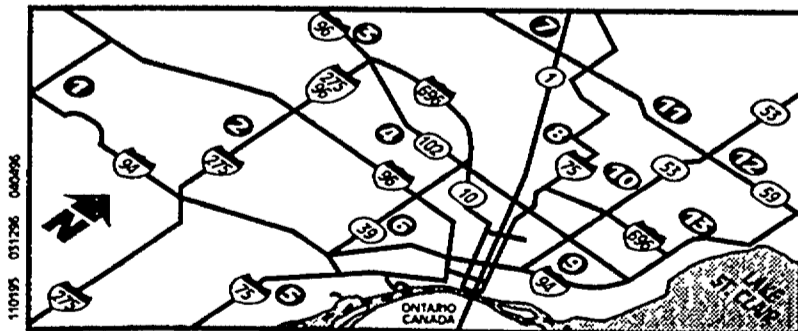
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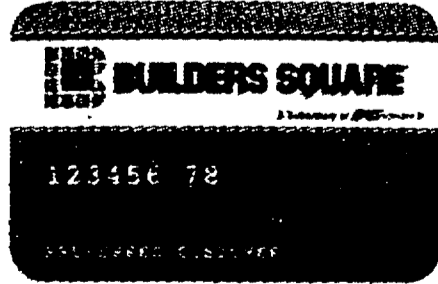
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Livonia Family YMCA

SPRING II 1997

YMCA of
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Calling all campers!

Summer Day Camp at the Livonia Family YMCA hosts more than 800 area children each year. Campers 3- to 14-years old are assembled in age-appropriate groups, under the guidance of trained camp counselors. Summer Day Camp activities include:

- Organized team and individual sports
- Group games and activities
- Music, art and craft activities and skill development
- Swimming, swimming, swimming

Clearly, a good time—as well as a productive time—is had by all campers. Summer days spent in Summer Day Camp at the Livonia Family YMCA are days well spent—

with physical activity, learning and fellowship, all in a safe, secure environment.

Special note to working parents: Camp hours are 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., but before- and after-care is available for your convenience.

Visit our Open House on Saturday, April 12 from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m., to tour the YMCA and learn more about Summer Day Camp.

Interested in resident YMCA summer camp? A representative from the Metropolitan Detroit YMCA Resident Camp program will be at the Open House to answer your questions.

Summer is more fun at the Y!

Livonia Family Y Branch Information

SPRING SESSION:

April 21-June 8. All classes will meet unless otherwise stated. Classes will not meet Monday, May 26, Memorial Day.

CLASS FEES:

Are listed first for Physical and Fitness Center members (Mem.) and last for Program Members (P.M.)

CLASS REGISTRATION DATES:

See page 31.

MEMBERSHIPS:

The Livonia Family YMCA has a membership plan for you. Come in, take a tour, see our newly expanded Wellness Center. Your entire family can belong to the YMCA for as little as \$36.50 per month (Family Physical Membership based on monthly draft payment plan plus joining fee).

PROGRAM MEMBERSHIP:

Minimum required to participate in any class. Does not include use of the facility. All program memberships expire August 31, 1997.

TENNIS HOUSE MEMBERSHIP:

For Adult (age 18 and up).

Membership to five indoor and six outdoor courts. Prorated monthly from September 1996 through September 1997.

FACILITIES:

25 yard swimming pool, toddler wading pool, 2 gymnasiums, 5 indoor tennis courts, 6 outdoor tennis courts, 4 handball/racquetball courts, 80 station Wellness Center that includes free weights. Fitness Center Membership includes adult locker room with whirlpools and sauna.

BUILDING HOURS:

Monday-Friday 5:45 a.m.-11:00 p.m.
Saturday 7:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.
Sunday 7:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m.

BUILDING CLOSED:

Good Friday, March 28
Easter Sunday, March 30

DATE TO REMEMBER:

April 6-Daylight Savings Begins

GUEST FEES:

Only Physical and Fitness Members may bring a guest. The same guest may be brought 3 times in a year. No guests are allowed during open basketball.

Adults: \$6
Youth (under 18): \$3

REFUNDS:

Fees are not refundable unless the class is cancelled by the YMCA. If you find it necessary to withdraw from a program due to a medical reason, a credit slip will be issued on a prorated basis from the date that the YMCA receives the doctor's note. A doctor's note must be presented within 48 hours.

There are no makeup sessions for missed classes. No refunds or credits will be issued because of severe weather or other conditions. If the Livonia Public Schools are closed, classes will be cancelled at the YMCA. If possible, the building will be open for member use.

SPECIAL NEEDS:

If you would like to participate in one of our programs and require special accommodations because of a disability, please contact the Livonia Family YMCA, and we will do whatever we can to make the appropriate arrangements.

NURSERY/BABYSITTING:

Pre-registration is required.

Ages 6 months-6 years.

Monday-Friday 8:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.
(Children ages 4-6 years will be in a separate room from 9:00-11:00 a.m.)

Monday-Thursday 6:00-8:30 p.m.

Saturday 9:00 a.m.-12 noon

Parent must remain in building.

Use of nursery/babysitting is free for Livonia Family Y Full Building Members and Livonia Family Y Tennis House Members.

Program members pay \$2 per hour per child.

Pre-registration is required each session. Register April 10 at 8:00 a.m., or anytime thereafter until full, in the nursery, during nursery hours, for Spring II Session.

SUMMER

**Officially Begins Thursday May 1
at the Livonia YMCA**

Summer
Memberships
Valid May 1-
August 22
Livonia
Branch Only.
Not Valid
for Fall
Registration



Summer Membership Includes:

- Free use of swimming pool at "open" times
- Free use of gymnasiums at "open" times
- Free use of 80 station Wellness Center (age 13 & up)
- Free use of free-standing weight room (age 13 & up)
- Free use of racquetball courts
- Free fitness classes (age 15 & up)
- Member rates for summer classes

Youth Physical: \$50

**Individual Physical: \$130
(18 & older)**

Family Physical: \$180



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Señores & Señoritas Age 62 & Older

**Fiesta = Fun
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May 30, 9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon

Raffle for Senior membership

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T-BALL & COACH-PITCH & SOFTBALL

**Where all players play at least half the game
and rotate positions of play**

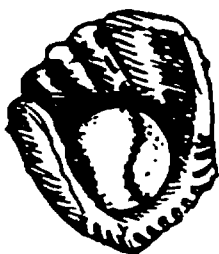
**Everyone
is a winner
at the Y!**

Non-competitive play

**Kids - learn
Softball and
have Fun!**

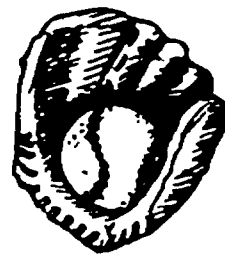
**Parents - be a part of your child's team.
Coach! It's fun! It's Rewarding!**

Veteran players & YMCA Building members register now!



SPRING SESSION (7 weeks)

Y Members \$25
Program Members ** \$30



** Non-YMCA members please add \$15 program member fee
(valid through August 31, 1997)

SPRING 1996	GAME DAYS/ START DATE	PRACTICE	EQUIPMENT	COACHES MEETING
T-BALL 5-6 yrs. Must be 5 before April 30, 1997	Saturday April 19	1 per week	rubber cleats or gym shoes	Wednesday April 9 7:00 p.m.
COACH-PITCH 7-8 yrs. Must be 7 before April 30, 1997	Saturday April 19	1 per week	rubber cleats or gym shoes	Wednesday April 9 7:00 p.m.
SOFTBALL I 9-11 yrs. Must be 9 before April 30, 1997	Saturday April 19	1 per week	rubber cleats or gym shoes	Wednesday April 9 7:00 p.m.
SOFTBALL II 12-14 yrs. Must be 12 before April 30, 1997	Saturday April 19	1 per week	rubber cleats or gym shoes	Wednesday April 9 7:00 p.m.

- T-BALL / COACH-PITCH / SOFTBALL REGISTRATION FORM -

Child's Name _____ Age _____

Address _____ Birthdate _____

City/Zip _____ Phone _____

Shirt Size: (circle one) 10-12 14-16 AS AM AL AXL

Closest Elementary School _____

T-BALL _____ COACH-PITCH _____ SOFTBALL I _____ SOFTBALL II _____

YMCA Membership No. _____ Expiration Date _____

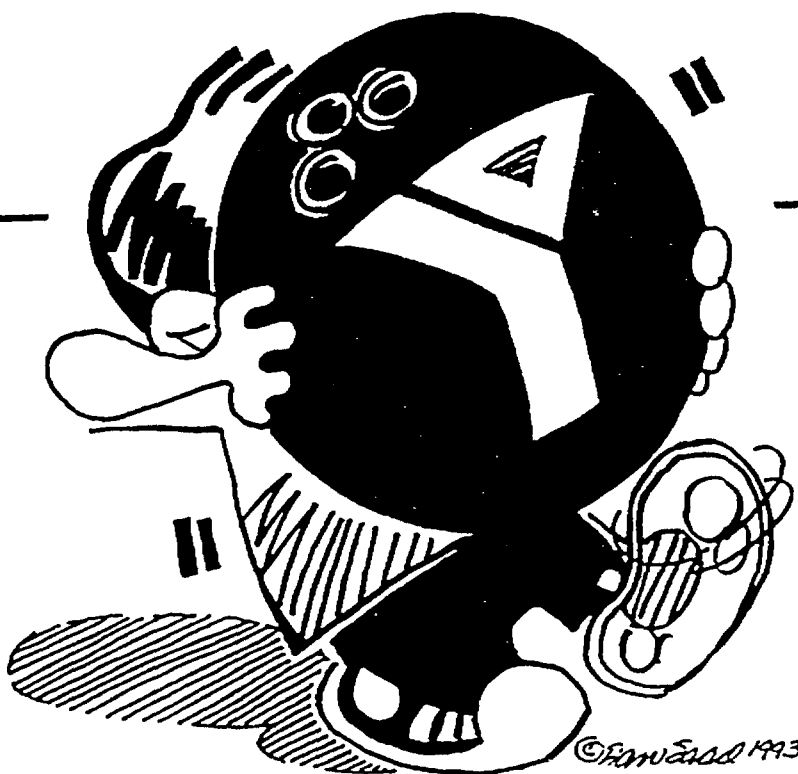
Special Needs: _____

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature _____

☐ Yes, I'm willing to coach. Name _____

☐ Yes, I'm willing to be an assistant coach. Name _____

Fee Paid _____ Receipt No. _____ Date Paid _____ Account #67-1329



3rd Annual BOWL-A-THON

Get a Team and Come Join in the Fun! (5 Bowlers)
May 16, 1997, 7:30 p.m. at Merribowl Lanes
Any Questions call Robin Grace 261-2161 ext. 312



THE WELLNESS PLAN

Family Fun Day

April 12, 1997

The day starts at 10:00 a.m. with a One Mile Teddy Bear Trot for kids 12 and under. Immediately following the Teddy Bear Trot, we will have a hot dog roast in the park.

FREE! (registration required)

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Let's Celebrate
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Wed., May 28, 1997

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THURSDAY, MAY 29 BOTSFORD HOSPITAL

Joins in the Celebration of

HEALTHY SENIORS WEEK

by offering:

- Free Blood Pressure Checks in the lobby of the Livonia YMCA
 - Be sure to browse through the many offerings at the ELDERMED table.
- Sign up for a free membership and receive a free gift.

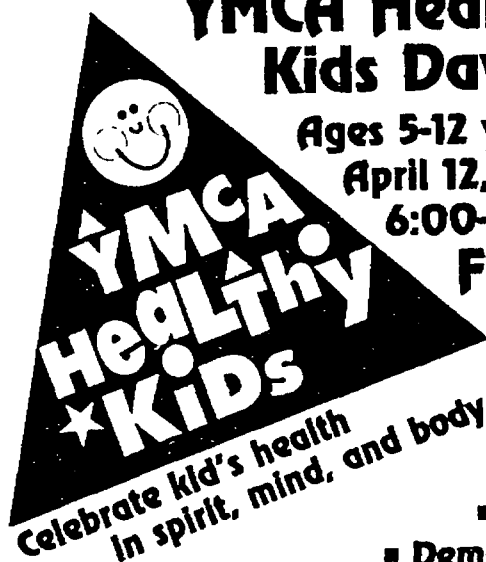
YMCA Healthy Kids Day

Ages 5-12 years

April 12, 1997

6:00-8:00 p.m.

FREE



- Speakers
- Free Gifts
- Demonstrations
- Door Prize
- Swimming
- Games

To get involved in this great day, you must pre-register by April 10, 1997

Open Pool Schedule - April 21-June 8, 1997

- All children under the age of 6 **MUST** be accompanied by an adult **IN** the pool during Open and Family swims.
- All persons **MUST** shower before entering the pool.
- No shoes allowed on the pool deck.
- All children 6 years of age and older must use appropriate locker room.

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
5:45-6:45 a.m. Lap (6 lns)	5:45-9:00 a.m. Lap (6 lns)	5:45-6:45 a.m. Lap (6 lns)	5:45-9:00 a.m. Lap (6 lns)	5:45-6:45 a.m. Lap	7:00-9:00 a.m. Lap (6 lns)	10 a.m.-1 p.m. Adult Open
6:45-7:30 a.m. Class	9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Class	6:45-7:30 a.m. Class	9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Class	6:45-7:30 a.m. Class	9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Class	1:00-3:00 p.m. Open/Lap*
7:30-9:00 a.m. Lap (6 lns)	12:00-1:00 p.m. Lap (6 lns)	7:30-9:00 a.m. Lap (6 lns)	12:00-1:00 p.m. Lap (6 lns)	7:30-9:00 a.m. Lap	1-3 p.m. Comm. Open	3:00-6:00 p.m. Family
9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Class	1:00-3:00 p.m. Class	9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Class	1:00-3:00 p.m. Class	9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Class	3:00-5:30 p.m. Family	
12:00-1:00 p.m. Lap (6 lns)	3:00-4:00 p.m. Lap (6 lns)	12:00-1:00 p.m. Lap (6 lns)	3:00-4:00 p.m. Lap (6 lns)	12:00-1:00 p.m. Lap (6 lns)		
1:00-3:00 p.m. Class	4:00-5:45 p.m. Swim Team	1:00-3:00 p.m. Class	4:00-5:45 p.m. Swim Team	1:00-2:15 p.m. Sr. Swim		
3:00-4:00 p.m. Lap (6 lns)	5:45-8:15 p.m. Class	3:00-4:00 p.m. Lap (6 lns)	5:45-8:15 p.m. Class	2:15-3:00 p.m. Class		
4:00-5:45 p.m. Swim Team	8:15-9:00 p.m. Fam./Lap*	4:00-5:45 p.m. Swim Team	8:15-9:00 p.m. Fam./Lap*	3:00-4:00 p.m. Lap (6 lns)		
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7:00-8:30 p.m. Fam./Lap*	9:30-10:30 p.m. Adult Open	7:00-8:30 p.m. Fam./Lap*	9:30-10:30 p.m. Adult Open	5:00-7:45 p.m. Class		
8:30-9:30 p.m. Open/Lap*		8:30-9:30 p.m. Open/Lap*		7:45-9:00 p.m. Fam./Lap*		
9:30-10:30 p.m. Adult Open		9:30-10:30 p.m. Adult Open		9:00-9:30 p.m. Adult Open		

— RECREATIONAL SWIM —

LAP SWIM - For any member to swim laps only. **LIFEGUARDS DIRECT TRAFFIC IF NECESSARY.** NOTE: All persons must swim circles during lap swim times. There is 1 lap lane open 7:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

OPEN SWIM - For any member.

FAMILY SWIM - For any member, children must have a parent in the pool or in the building or may be asked to leave.

ADULT OPEN SWIM - For adult members ONLY. NO CHILDREN... Lap swimming may be possible but not necessary.

COMMUNITY OPEN SWIM - For all members; non-members pay \$1 each. Lap swim may not always be available due to pool usage.

SENIOR SWIM - For any person 55 or older. \$1 per visit. No membership needed. Fridays from 1:00-2:15 p.m.

Pool Schedule may change due to special events.

* Number of lap lanes based on pool usage (minimum of 2 lanes for lap swimming.)

Open Gym Schedule - April 21-June 8, 1997

Recreational Gym

OPEN GYM - Gym is open for all members to use regardless of age. First come, first served, majority activity rules during this time.

YOUTH GYM - Members age 14 and under may use gym. Adults allowed only until youth members (14 and under) come into the gym. (No full court games.)

ADULT OPEN - Members age 18 and over may use gym. Youth allowed only until adults (18 and over) come into the gym.

FAMILY OPEN - Family members participating together allowed. (No full court games.)

- Please check gym doors for other special closings!
- No Guests allowed in Open Gym.

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
6:00-8:45 a.m. Adult Open	6:00-8:45 a.m. Adult Open	6:00-8:45 a.m. Adult Open	6:00-8:45 a.m. Adult Open	6:00-9:30 a.m. Adult Open	7:00-8:00 a.m. Adult Open	7:00-11:00 a.m. Adult Open
9:00 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Preschool Gym	9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. Preschool Gym	9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. Preschool Gym	9:00 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Preschool Gym	9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Classes	8:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m. YBL	11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Open
1:30-3:45 p.m. Open	2:00-3:45 p.m. Open	2:00-3:45 p.m. Open	1:30-4:00 p.m. Open	12:30-3:00 p.m. Open	RENTALS	1:00-4:00 p.m. Family
4:00-9:00 p.m. Classes	3:45-9:10 p.m. Classes	4:00-9:00 p.m. Classes	4:00-9:10 p.m. Classes	3:00-5:00 p.m. Youth Open		4:00-6:00 p.m. YBL
9:00-10:45 p.m. Adult Open	9:10-10:45 p.m. Adult Open	9:00-10:45 p.m. Adult Open	9:10-10:45 p.m. Adult Open	5:00-9:00 p.m. Classes		6:15-8:00 p.m. Classes
				9:00-10:45 p.m. Program		8:00-9:00 p.m. Adult Open
MEMBERS ONLY for Open Gym in both gyms!						
LOWER GYM						
6:00-8:30 a.m. Adult Open	6:00-9:00 a.m. Adult Open	6:00-8:30 a.m. Open	6:00-9:00 a.m. Adult Open	6:00-9:00 a.m. Adult Open	7:00-8:00 a.m. Adult Open	
8:30-11:40 a.m. Classes	9:00-11:10 a.m. Classes	8:30-11:40 a.m. Classes	9:00-11:10 a.m. Classes	9:00-10:30 a.m. Classes	8:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m. Classes	8:00-1:00 p.m. Rentals
11:40 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Adult Open	11:10 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Adult Open	11:40 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Adult Open	11:10 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Adult Open	10:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Adult Open	RENTALS	1:00-2:00 p.m. Open
1:00-4:00 p.m. Open	1:00-4:00 p.m. Open	1:00-4:00 p.m. Open	1:00-4:00 p.m. Open	1:00-6:00 p.m. Open		2:00-8:00 p.m. Men's Basketball League
4:00-9:00 p.m. Classes	4:00-9:00 p.m. Classes	4:00-7:00 p.m. Classes	4:00-9:00 p.m. Classes	6:00-10:00 p.m. Classes		8:00-9:00 p.m. Open
9:00-10:45 p.m. Adult Open	9:00-10:45 p.m. Adult Open	7:00-8:00 p.m. YBL	9:00-10:45 p.m. Adult Open	10:00-10:45 p.m. Adult Open		
		8:00-10:00 p.m. Classes			* Schedule may change due to Program demands	
		10:00-10:45 p.m. Adult Open				



STAY COOL at CITY OF LIVONIA SHELDEN POOL! LIVONIA FAMILY YMCA

SUMMER FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!

Swim passes and Swim classes may be purchased at the YMCA starting April 10th all day, or at Shelden Pool on May 28th from 5-7 pm.

POOL OPENS JUNE 7TH - WEATHER PERMITTING

Become a swim club member, unlimited open swim usage and lower rates for swim classes!

Swim Club membership:	YMCA Member rate	Non Y Member rate
Family Pass:	\$30.00	\$73.00
Adult Pass:	\$19.00	\$46.00
Youth/Senior Pass	\$19.00	\$41.00

Swim Club members swim lesson rates: \$30.00 per session of 8 classes

Daily usage rates and swim lessons are available for non-swim club members. Day Passes for open swim: Youth/Senior: \$1.75, Adult: \$2.25. Swim class rates: \$40.00 per session of 8 classes.

OPEN SWIM HOURS:

1:00-8:00 p.m.

Monday thru Friday

8:00-9:00 p.m.*

Monday thru Friday (TEEN SWIM ONLY)

*Daylight permitting

11:00 a.m.-6:00p.m.

Saturday & Sunday

SWIM CLASS SCHEDULE 1997

Swim Club Members: \$30.00/session

Non-Club Members: \$40.00/session

Monday thru Thursday - 8 lessons

Session 1 June 9-19

Session 2 June 23-July 3

Session 3 July 7-July 17

Session 4 July 21-July 31

Session 5 Aug 4-Aug 14

CLASS TIMES:

8:30-9:15 a.m. 9-14 years

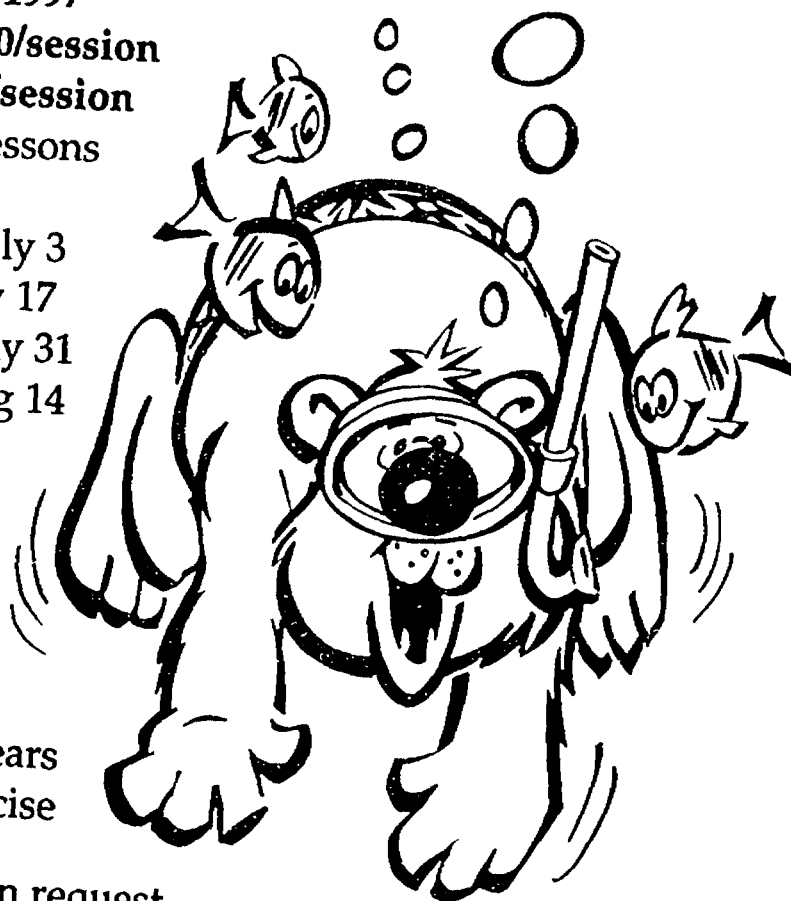
9:15-10:00 a.m. 6-8 years

10:00-10:30 a.m. 3-5 years

10:30-11:15 a.m. 6-8 years

11:00-11:30 a.m. 6 mos.-3 years

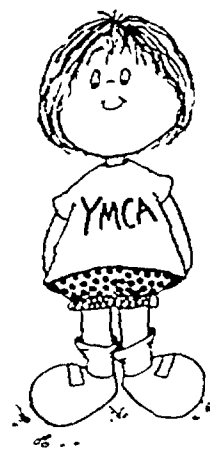
noon-12:45 p.m. water exercise



Private lessons are available on request.

Pre-School Activities

CRAFTY KIDS & MOM OR DAD



For ages 2-1/2 to 3-1/2 and their moms or dads. Spend time with your child making craft projects, doing fingerplays, and listening to a story. Help bring out your child's artistic talents and begin social skills through this class. Moms and dads have fun, too!

Pre-School Special Activities Schedule

Class #/Class	Age	Day/Date	Time	Mem.	P.M.
115 Mothers Day Crafty Kids	2 1/2-3 1/2	Tues., May 6	11:00-11:45 a.m.	\$7	\$12
116 Mothers Day Crafty Kids	2 1/2-3 1/2	Tues., May 6	6:30-7:15 p.m.	\$7	\$12
117 Mothers Day Crafty Kids	2 1/2-3 1/2	Thurs., May 8	11:00-11:45 a.m.	\$7	\$12
118 Mothers Day Crafty Kids	2 1/2-3 1/2	Wed., May 7	6:30-7:15 p.m.	\$7	\$12
120 Fathers Day Crafty Kids	2 1/2-3 1/2	Tues., June 10	11:00-11:45 a.m.	\$7	\$12
121 Fathers Day Crafty Kids	2 1/2-3 1/2	Tues., June 10	6:30-7:15 p.m.	\$7	\$12
122 Fathers Day Crafty Kids	2 1/2-3 1/2	Thurs., June 12	11:00-11:45 a.m.	\$7	\$12
123 Fathers Day Crafty Kids	2 1/2-3 1/2	Tues., June 10	6:30-7:15 p.m.	\$7	\$12

Country Line Dance Party

Bill Peterson, Instructor

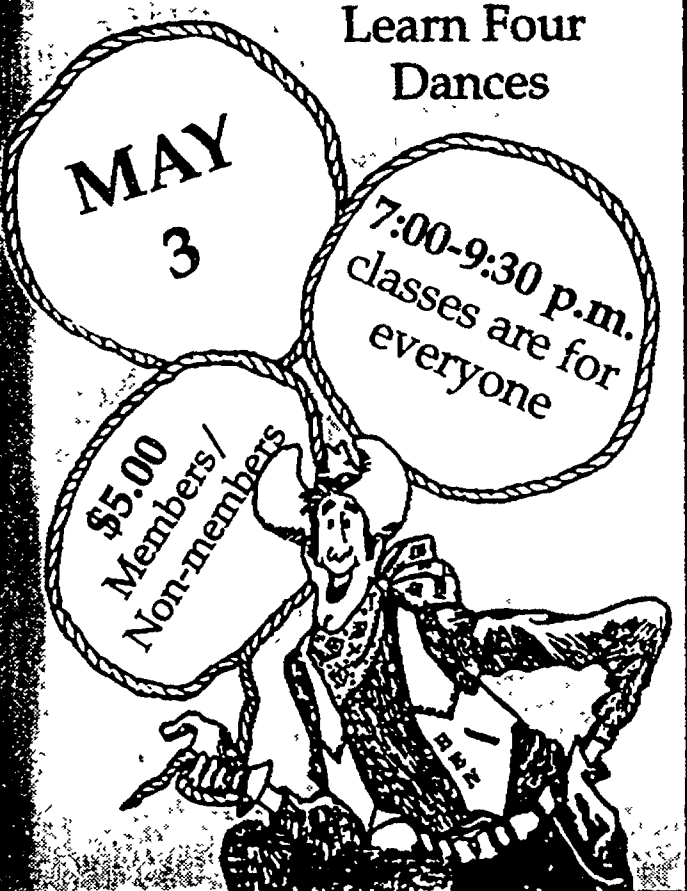
Questions call
Robin Grace:
261-2161 ext. 312

Learn Four
Dances

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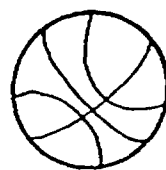
7:00-9:30 p.m.
classes are for
everyone

\$5.00
Members/
Non-members



YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE

"Everyone's a Winner!"



For Boys and Girls 6-15
Session IV runs:
April 19-May 17

- Members Register NOW!!
- Non-Members Register NOW!!

Fee: Y Members \$28
Program Members \$45
(Program Membership: \$15)

YBL fees include shirt and number.
All teams will be newly formed!

PRE-SCHOOL

Swimming

SHRIMP-KIPPER (6 Months to Walking)
Parent-child class designed to enhance water awareness and comfort level in the water.

INIA/PERCH (Walking to 3 Years)
Parent-child class designed to increase independent movement and breathing skills.

PRE-PIKE (2.5 Years to 4 Years)
Parent-child class taught like the Pike class with instructor guiding parent through the skills.

LITTLE SQUIRTS (2.5 Years to 3 Years)
Assists child in becoming water adjusted without parent. Class taught at a lower level than a regular Pike class.

PIKE (3-5 Years)
NO PREREQUISITES - Introductory class. Kicking, blowing bubbles, floating and paddle stroke are introduced.

EELS (3-5 Years)
PREREQUISITE: Able to swim one width with aid (with bubble)
Increase endurance to one length. Rotary breathing introduced. Independent swimming emphasized.

RAYS (3-5 Years)

PREREQUISITE: Swim one width with rotary breathing
Independent swimming one length. Back-stroke introduced. Diving introduced.

ALL GYM CLASSES WITH A SWIM CLASS WILL CONCENTRATE ON THE FOLLOWING AREAS:

Large muscle development:

Jumping, Hopping, Throwing, Catching.
Basic tumbling skills:

Forward Rolls, Handstands, and Backward Rolls.

Balance skills:

Walking on the beam (height increase appropriate to age level).

Group games and activities.

**Kiddie Pool Open
Swim Hours:**

Monday, Wednesday & Friday
from 1:00-1:45 p.m. and during all
Family & Open Swim times.

***Note:** Parent must accompany the
child IN the water.

* No children over the age of 6 allowed
in Kiddie Pool.

Pre-School Swim Schedule

Session: April 21-June 8, 1997

All classes are 7 weeks unless otherwise stated.

No Classes on Monday, May 26, 1997

Class #/Class	Age	Day	Pool Time	Gym Time	Mem.	P.M.
500 Shrimp/Kipper	6 mo.-walk	Tuesday	11:15-11:45 a.m.	None	\$30	\$55
501 Shrimp/Kipper	6 mo.-walk	Wednesday	10:30-11:00 a.m.	None	\$30	\$55
502 Shrimp/Kipper	6 mo.-walk	Thursday	5:45-6:15 p.m.	None	\$30	\$55
503 Shrimp/Kipper	6 mo.-walk	Saturday	11:00-11:30 a.m.	None	\$30	\$55
506 Inia/Perch	walk-3	Monday	10:30-11:00 a.m.	None	\$26	\$47
507 Inia/Perch	walk-3	Tuesday	10:45-11:15 a.m.	10:00-10:30 a.m.	\$35	\$60
508 Inia/Perch	walk-3	Tuesday	6:15-6:45 p.m.	None	\$30	\$55
509 Inia/Perch	walk-3	Wednesday	10:00-10:30 a.m.	10:45-11:15 a.m.	\$35	\$60
510 Inia/Perch	walk-3	Thursday	10:45-11:15 a.m.	11:30-12:00 Noon	\$35	\$60
511 Inia/Perch	walk-3	Saturday	9:45-10:15 a.m.	None	\$30	\$55
515 Pre-Pike	2 1/2-4	Tuesday	1:30-2:00 p.m.	12:45-1:15 p.m.	\$35	\$60
516 Pre-Pike	2 1/2-4	Wednesday	11:30-12:00 p.m.	12:15-12:45 p.m.	\$35	\$60
517 Pre-Pike	2 1/2-4	Wednesday	5:45-6:15 p.m.	None	\$30	\$55
518 Pre-Pike	2 1/2-4	Saturday	12:15-12:45 p.m.	None	\$30	\$55
520 Little Squirts	2 1/2-3	Monday	1:45-2:15 p.m.	1:00-1:30 p.m.	\$30	\$55
521 Little Squirts	2 1/2-3	Tuesday	1:00-1:30 p.m.	12:15-12:45 p.m.	\$35	\$60
522 Little Squirts	2 1/2-3	Wednesday	11:00-11:30 a.m.	None	\$30	\$55
523 Little Squirts	2 1/2-3	Thursday	11:15-11:45 a.m.	12:00-12:30 p.m.	\$35	\$60

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524 Little Squirts	2 1/2-3	Thursday	5:45-6:15 p.m.	None	\$30	\$55
525 Little Squirts	2 1/2-3	Friday	11:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	None	\$30	\$55
526 Little Squirts	2 1/2-3	Friday	5:30-6:00 p.m.	None	\$30	\$55
527 Little Squirts	2 1/2-3	Saturday	9:45-10:15 a.m.	None	\$30	\$55
529 Pike	3-5	Monday	10:00-10:30 a.m.	10:45-11:15 a.m.	\$30	\$55
530 Pike	3-5	Monday	9:00-9:30 a.m.	9:45-10:15 a.m.	\$30	\$55
531 Pike	3-5	Monday	11:00-11:30 a.m.	11:45-12:15 a.m.	\$30	\$55
532 Pike	3-5	Monday	5:45-6:15 p.m.	None	\$26	\$47
533 Pike	3-5	Tuesday	9:45-10:15 a.m.	9:00-9:30 a.m.	\$35	\$60
534 Pike	3-5	Tuesday	2:00-2:30 p.m.	None	\$30	\$55
535 Pike	3-5	Tuesday	5:45-6:15 p.m.	None	\$30	\$55
536 Pike	3-5	Wednesday	9:30-10:00 a.m.	10:15-10:45 a.m.	\$35	\$60
537 Pike	3-5	Wednesday	6:30-7:00 p.m.	None	\$30	\$55
538 Pike	3-5	Thursday	9:45-10:15 a.m.	10:30-11:00 a.m.	\$35	\$60
539 Pike	3-5	Thursday	2:00-2:30 p.m.	None	\$30	\$55
540 Pike	3-5	Thursday	7:00-7:30 p.m.	None	\$30	\$55
541 Pike	3-5	Friday	11:15-11:45 a.m.	None	\$30	\$55
542 Pike	3-5	Friday	5:00-5:30 p.m.	None	\$30	\$55
543 Pike	3-5	Saturday	9:45-10:15 a.m.	None	\$30	\$55
544 Pike	3-5	Saturday	11:00-11:30 a.m.	None	\$30	\$55
545 Pike	3-5	Saturday	12:15-12:45 p.m.	None	\$30	\$55
550 Eel	3-5	Monday	9:30-10:00 a.m.	10:15-10:45 a.m.	\$30	\$55
551 Eel	3-5	Monday	5:45-6:15 p.m.	None	\$26	\$47
552 Eel	3-5	Monday	6:30-7:00 p.m.	None	\$26	\$47
553 Eel	3-5	Tuesday	10:15-10:45 a.m.	9:30-10:00 a.m.	\$35	\$60
554 Eel	3-5	Tuesday	5:45-6:15 p.m.	None	\$30	\$55
555 Eel	3-5	Wednesday	9:00-9:30 a.m.	9:45-10:15 a.m.	\$35	\$60
557 Eel	3-5	Wednesday	6:30-7:00 p.m.	None	\$30*	\$55
558 Eel	3-5	Thursday	10:15-10:45 a.m.	None	\$30	\$55
559 Eel	3-5	Thursday	2:30-3:00 p.m.	None	\$30	\$55
560 Eel	3-5	Friday	10:45-11:15 a.m.	None	\$30	\$55
561 Eel	3-5	Friday	5:00-5:30 p.m.	None	\$30	\$55
562 Eel	3-5	Saturday	11:00-11:30 a.m.	None	\$30	\$55
563 Eel	3-5	Saturday	12:15-12:45 p.m.	None	\$30	\$55
566 Ray	3-5	Monday	6:30-7:00 p.m.	None	\$26	\$47
567 Ray	3-5	Tuesday	6:15-6:45 p.m.	None	\$30	\$55
568 Ray	3-5	Wednesday	1:45-2:15 p.m.	None	\$30	\$55
569 Ray	3-5	Thursday	7:00-7:30 p.m.	None	\$30	\$55
570 Ray	3-5	Friday	5:30-6:00 p.m.	None	\$30	\$55
571 Ray	3-5	Saturday	9:45-10:15 a.m.	None	\$30	\$55
572 Ray	3-5	Saturday	11:00-11:30 a.m.	None	\$30	\$55
573 Fun Swim*	3-5	Monday	11:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	None	FREE	\$20
574 Fun Swim*	3-5	Tuesday	2:30-3:00 p.m.	None	FREE	\$24

* Pre-registration is required; fee is charged to program members not enrolled in another pre-school class.

PRE-SCHOOL

Pee Wee Tennis

MR. PEE WEE TENNIS PROGRAM – Designed to introduce the 4-7 year old to the basics of tennis. Drills and fun games improve a child's balance, muscle control, hand/eye coordination, and their tennis skills. The YMCA will provide racquets for tots who do not have their own.

PEE WEE I – Introduction and concentration on ground strokes, both stationary and moving, with emphasis on proper form. Serves and volleys may also be introduced.

PEE WEE II – Continuation of Pee Wee skills with more emphasis on serves, volleys and movement.

PEE WEE III – Refinement of all stroke techniques with emphasis starting to shift to rallying skills.

SUPER PEE WEE – Continues refinement of all skills preparing the young player for hour-long classes in the Junior Beginner program.

Pre-School Tennis Schedule

Session: April 21-June 8, 1997

All classes are 7 weeks unless otherwise stated.

Classes will not meet on May 20th, 1997

Class #/Class	Age	Day	Time	Mem.	P.M.
300 Pee Wee I 6 wk	4-7	Tuesday	5:00-5:30 p.m.	\$23	\$37
301 Pee Wee I	4-7	Thursday	5:00-5:30 p.m.	\$27	\$44
302 Pee Wee I	4-7	Saturday	9:00-9:30 a.m.	\$27	\$44
303 Pee Wee II 6 wk	4-7	Tuesday	5:00-5:30 p.m.	\$23	\$37
304 Pee Wee II	4-7	Thursday	5:00-5:30 p.m.	\$27	\$44
305 Pee Wee II	4-7	Saturday	9:00-9:30 a.m.	\$27	\$44
306 Pee Wee III 6 wk	4-7	Tuesday	5:30-6:00 p.m.	\$23	\$37
307 Pee Wee III	4-7	Thursday	5:30-6:00 p.m.	\$27	\$44
308 Pee Wee III	4-7	Saturday	9:30-10:00 a.m.	\$27	\$44
309 Super Pee Wee 6 wk	4-7	Tuesday	5:30-6:00 p.m.	\$23	\$37
310 Super Pee Wee	4-7	Thursday	5:30-6:00 p.m.	\$27	\$44
311 Super Pee Wee	4-7	Saturday	9:30-10:00 a.m.	\$27	\$44

Livonia Family YMCA Corporate Partner

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A PLAN FOR LIFE

PRE-SCHOOL

Session:

TOT GYM – Fun for the child up to three years old. Parents are involved in this class that uses games and activities to work on large muscle groups and hand-eye coordination. Let your child explore up, down and around on mats and obstacle courses. Work with them to build confidence and enjoy themselves.

TINY TUMBLERS – Get your little ones involved! This class is for three and four year olds. Creative games using the parachute and balls, imagination practice with animals and sounds, refining tumbling work on the mats and balance beam introduction are all part of this class. Get your kids off to a great start with Tiny Tumblers.

PRE-SCHOOL GYMNASTICS: BEGINNER & ADVANCED – Don't stop with Tiny Tumblers! Keep your children growing and learning with our Pre-School Gym program. We'll progress to more work on the mats and beams to other gymnastics apparatus. Motor skills and fine tuning of coordination and balance will help your child be more successful in everyday tasks and concentration. Plus – they'll have fun! Children will be taught at their level of skill.

GYM FUNTIME – A supervised time for parents and children to use the gym equipment for free play and activity.

PRE-SCHOOL CREATIVE DANCE – Creative dance will introduce pre-schoolers to the basics of ballet and tap, through song and dance in a creative setting. Tights and ballet shoes (or slippers) are required. 3-5 yrs only.

PRE-SCHOOL BASKETBALL – An instructional program designed to teach the children the basics of dribbling, passing, and shooting held at the YMCA.

PRE-SCHOOL FLOOR HOCKEY – A class for the little ones to learn the basics of stick handling and shooting. A fun class with lots of action.

SPORT SAMPLER – This is a great class for the pre-school child to be introduced to a variety of sports: T-ball, basketball, hockey and soccer!

PRE-SCHOOL SOCCER – For the pre-schooler who is not ready for the league. Major emphasis is on dribbling, passing and teamwork. Classes will be held indoors. Shinguards recommended. No cleats please.

Pre-School Gymnastics & Sports Schedule

Class #/Class	Age	Day	Time	Mem.	P.M.
400 Tot Gym	walk-3	Tuesday	11:30 a.m.-12:00 noon	\$32	\$45
401 Tot Gym	walk-3	Wednesday	11:15-11:45 a.m.	\$32	\$45
402 Tot Gym	walk-3	Thursday	9:00-9:30 a.m.	\$32	\$45
403 Tiny Tumblers	3-4	Monday	12:15-12:45 p.m.	\$27	\$38
404 Tiny Tumblers	3-4	Tuesday	10:30-11:00 a.m.	\$32	\$45
405 Tiny Tumblers	3-4	Wednesday	1:30-2:00 p.m.	\$32	\$45
406 Tiny Tumblers	3-4	Thursday	12:30-1:00 p.m.	\$32	\$45
410 Sport Sampler	3 1/2-5	Monday	9:00-9:30 a.m.	\$27	\$38
411 Sport Sampler	3 1/2-5	Tuesday	1:30-2:00 p.m.	\$32	\$45
412 Sport Sampler	3 1/2-5	Wednesday	9:00-9:30 a.m.	\$32	\$45
413 Sport Sampler	3 1/2-5	Thursday	1:15-1:45 p.m.	\$32	\$45
420 Basketball	4-6	Wednesday	4:00-4:30 p.m.	\$32	\$45
421 Floor Hockey	4-6	Thursday	4:15-4:45 p.m.	\$32	\$45
422 Soccer	4-6	Tuesday	4:00-4:30 p.m.	\$32	\$45
423 Soccer	4-6	Wednesday	4:00-5:00 p.m.	\$32	\$45
425 Creative Dance	3-5	Wednesday	9:45-10:15 a.m.	\$32	\$45
440 Gymnastics	3-5	Monday	4:00-4:45 p.m.	\$27	\$38
441 Gymnastics	3-5	Monday	5:00-5:45 p.m.	\$27	\$38
442 Gym Funtime*	walk-5	Wednesday	12:45-1:15 p.m.	FREE	\$24
443 Gym Funtime*	walk-5	Thursday	9:45-10:15 a.m.	FREE	\$24

* Pre-registration is required; fee is charged to program members not enrolled in another pre-school class.

SCHOOL-AGE

Progressive Swim – Ages 6 and Up

POLLIWOG – NO PREREQUISITES

Beginner class. Kicking, blowing bubbles, paddle stroke, and floating.

POLLIWOG EXPRESS

PREREQUISITE: Two or more times in Polliwog or instructor's permission
Endurance in kicking and paddlestroke.

GUPPY

PREREQUISITE: Paddlestroke and front flutter kick one length (25 yds.)
Rotary breathing, overhead recovery arm stroke and back flutter kick.

GUPPY BUBBLER

PREREQUISITE: Two or more times in Guppy and instructor's permission
Rotary breathing and endurance.

MINNOW

PREREQUISITE: Swim 25 yards with rotary breathing; able to tread water for one minute. Backcrawl stroke, increase endurance for the front crawl and elementary backstroke.

FISH

PREREQUISITE: Two lengths front crawl, one length back crawl
Breaststroke kick, butterfly kick and improved backstroke.

FLYING FISH

PREREQUISITE: Kick one length butterfly; kick one length breaststroke; four lengths front and back crawl
Butterflystroke, breaststroke, open turns and surface dives.

SHARK

PREREQUISITE: Able to swim butterfly one length; able to perform a 25 yard medley with open turns
Flip turns, stroke improvement and life guarding skills.

TEEN/ADULT SWIM INSTRUCTION

A class for the 12+ year old who has little or no water experience but needs to learn to swim.

Special Activities

652 COMPETITIVE SWIMMING STARTS & TURNS CLINIC

Day: Thursdays

Time: 4:00-5:30 p.m.

Cost: Y Member \$20

Program Member \$30

Work On: All the different strokes
Starts & Turns

Instructed By: Livonia Blue Racer
Swim Coach

653 COMPETITIVE SWIMMING STROKE CLINIC

Days: Mondays & Wednesdays

Time: 4:00-5:30 p.m.

Cost: Y Member \$40

Program Member \$60

Work On: Butterfly, Backstroke,
Breaststroke & Freestyle

Instructed By: Livonia Blue Racer
Swim Coach

654 Lifeguard Class

Starts April 21, Ends June 4, 1997

Meets Mon, Wed, & Thurs. 5:00-7:30 p.m.
(Some days stay later.)

Must be 15 years old. Must be able to swim 500 yds. continuously, tread with legs only, retrieve brick from bottom of pool. Must purchase books from Red Cross prior to class.

\$31.00 for books: need "Lifeguarding Today" and "CPR for the Professional Rescuer"

Cost: Y Member \$75.00

Program Member \$95.00

*Remember – includes Lifeguard Cert., CPR and First Aid Cert.

PRIVATE SWIM LESSONS – For All ages

Geared to the individual needs of participant. All lessons are scheduled by the Aquatic Director. You must schedule and pay for a set of four (4) lessons. NO MAKE-UP LESSONS will be scheduled unless a 24-hour notice is given. Call Julie Sommers at 261-2161, ext. 302, for details and/or to schedule a time.

FEE: \$15 per half hour PAYABLE 48 HOURS BEFORE FIRST LESSON.

School-Age Swim Schedule

Session: April 21-June 8, 1997

All classes are 7 weeks unless otherwise stated.

No classes on Monday, May 26, 1997

Class #/Class	Age	Day	Time	Mem.	P.M.
600 Polliwog	6+	Monday	6:15-7:00 p.m.	\$27	\$49
601 Polliwog	6+	Tuesday	5:45-6:30 p.m.	\$32	\$57
602 Polliwog	6+	Wednesday	6:15-7:00 p.m.	\$32	\$57
603 Polliwog	6+	Thursday	5:45-6:30 p.m.	\$32	\$57
604 Polliwog	6+	Saturday	9:00-9:45 a.m.	\$32	\$57
605 Polliwog	6+	Saturday	11:30 a.m.-12:15 p.m.	\$32	\$57
606 Polliwog Express	6+	Monday	5:45-6:30 p.m.	\$27	\$49
607 Polliwog Express	6+	Thursday	6:15-7:00 p.m.	\$32	\$57
608 Polliwog Express	6+	Friday	5:00-5:45 p.m.	\$32	\$57
609 Polliwog Express	6+	Saturday	10:15-11:00 a.m.	\$32	\$57
610 Polliwog Express	6+	Saturday	11:30 a.m.-12:15 p.m.	\$32	\$57
611 Guppy	6+	Monday	5:45-6:30 p.m.	\$27	\$49
612 Guppy	6+	Tuesday	6:30-7:15 p.m.	\$32	\$57
613 Guppy	6+	Wednesday	5:45-6:30 p.m.	\$32	\$57
614 Guppy	6+	Thursday	6:15-7:00 p.m.	\$32	\$57
615 Guppy	6+	Saturday	10:15-11:00 a.m.	\$32	\$57
618 Guppy Bubbler	6+	Monday	6:15-7:00 p.m.	\$27	\$49
619 Guppy Bubbler	6+	Tuesday	6:30-7:15 p.m.	\$32	\$57
620 Guppy Bubbler	6+	Friday	5:00-5:45 p.m.	\$32	\$57
621 Guppy Bubbler	6+	Saturday	9:00-9:45 a.m.	\$32	\$57
622 Guppy Bubbler	6+	Saturday	11:30 a.m.-12:15 p.m.	\$32	\$57
625 Minnow	6+	Tuesday	6:45-7:30 p.m.	\$32	\$57
626 Minnow	6+	Wednesday	5:45-6:30 p.m.	\$32	\$57
627 Minnow	6+	Thursday	6:30-7:15 p.m.	\$32	\$57
628 Minnow	6+	Saturday	9:00-9:45 a.m.	\$32	\$57
629 Minnow	6+	Saturday	11:30 a.m.-12:15 p.m.	\$32	\$57
631 Fish	6+	Wednesday	6:15-7:00 p.m.	\$32	\$57
632 Fish	6+	Thursday	5:45-6:30 p.m.	\$32	\$57
633 Fish	6+	Friday	7:00-7:45 p.m.	\$27	\$49
634 Fish	6+	Saturday	9:00-9:45 a.m.	\$32	\$57
635 Fly Fish/Shark	6+	Tuesday	5:45-6:30 p.m.	\$32	\$57
636 Fly Fish/Shark	6+	Thursday	6:30-7:15 p.m.	\$32	\$57
637 Fly Fish/Shark	6+	Saturday	10:15-11:00 a.m.	\$32	\$57
650 Begin. Adult/Teen	12+	Tuesday	6:45-7:30 p.m.	\$30	\$52
651 Inter/Adv. Adult/Teen	12+	Friday	7:00-7:45 p.m.	\$30	\$52
652 Starts & Turns Clinic	6+	Thursday	4:00-5:30 p.m.	\$20	\$30
653 Stroke Clinic	6+	Mon., Wed.	4:00-5:30 p.m.	\$40	\$60

SUMMER DAY CAMP

SNOOPERS ☆ DAY CAMP ☺

Ages 3-6

This camp is geared for kids ages 3 to 6 years old. The campers will have a great time doing crafts, playing games, and swimming every day!! Bring a swim suit, towel, and sack lunch to camp each day. Child must be totally toilet trained.

Cost

Members \$104.00 Program Members \$118.00

**Members \$83.00 Program Members \$95.00



Celebrations	June 9 - 13
Treasure Hunt	June 16 - 20
Occupations	June 23 - 27
**USA Birthday	June 30 - July 3
Favorite Cartoons	July 7 - 11
Zoo Animals	July 14 - 18
Christmas in July	July 21 - 25
Recycle America	July 28 - August 1
Disney Parade	August 4 - 8
Mystery Week	August 11 - 15
Goodbye Summer	August 18 - 22

All camps run from 9:00 - 4:00 p.m. Pre and Post care is available from 7:00 - 9:00 and 4:00 - 6:00. Parents must purchase a punch card good for 10 hours of care at a cost of \$15.00. These cards are available at the front desk.

For all camps a \$30.00 deposit is required upon registration for each session signed up for.

JUBILEE CAMP

Ages 6-8

This adventure packed camp is geared for kids ages 6 - 8 years old. Children learn about the outdoors, various sports, arts and crafts, plus fun group games, songs, projects and two trips per week. Bring a towel and swim suit each day for swimming. Everyone brings a sack lunch and drink daily.

NEW!! FEE INCLUDES A T-SHIRT!!

Cost

Members \$102.00 Program Members \$114.00

**Members \$82.00 Program Members \$92.00



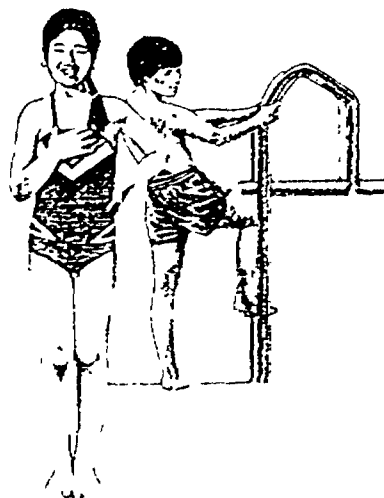
Date	Theme	Tentative Trips	Skills
June 9-13	Schools Out!!	Rolling Hills, Marvelous Marvins	Tennis, Basketball, Track Events
June 16-20	Occupations	Skating Station, Red Oaks	Tennis, Floor Hockey, Nerf Games
June 23-27	Mystery Week	Detroit Sci. Ctr. Razzle Dazzle	Tennis, Soccer, Volleyball
**June 30-July 3	USA Birthday	Bowling, Stoney Creek	Tennis, Obstacle Course, T-Ball
July 7-11	Summer Madness	Marvelous Marvins, Rolling Hills	Fitness, Flag Football, Nerf Games
July 14-18	Recycle America	U.S. Blades, Red Oaks	Swimming, Volleyball, Gymnastics
July 21-25	Christmas in July	Sparkys, Four Bears	Swimming, Tumbling, Floor Hockey
July 28-August 1	Famous Americans	Cranbrook, Rolling Hills	Swimming, Soccer, Track Events
August 4-8	Summer Madness	Marvelous Marvins, Red Oaks	Swimming, Dodge Ball, T-Ball
August 11-15	Summer Actions	Stoney Creek, Bowling	Swimming, Floor Hockey, Soccer
August 18-22	Last Blast	Red Oaks, Marvelous Marvins	Tennis, Swimming, Dodge Ball

SUMMER DAY CAMP

ADVENTURE CAMP

Ages 9-12 years

This fun filled camp is for kids 9-12 years. Camper will be on trips 4 out of the 5 days they are at camp. Games, crafts and swimming are a part of this guaranteed good time at the YMCA this summer. Kids must bring a sack lunch, drink, swim suit and towel every day. **NEW!! FEE INCLUDES A CAMP T-SHIRT!!**

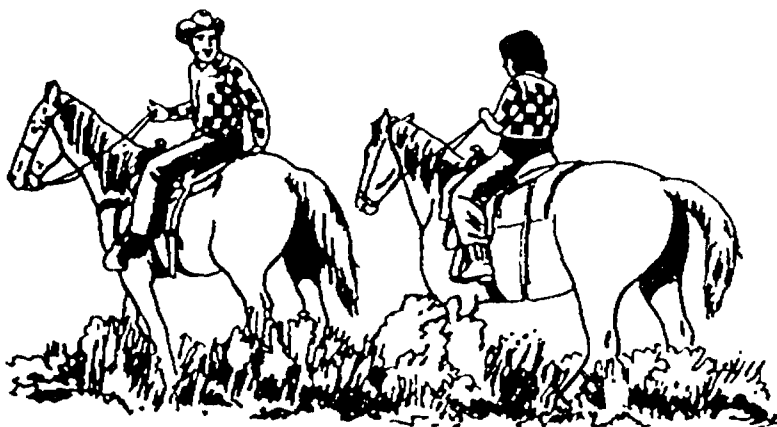


Cost

Members \$107.00 Program Members \$119.00

**Members \$86.00 Program Members \$96.00

Date	Theme	Tentative Trips	Skills
June 9-13	Summer's Here!!	Marvelous Marvins, Red Oaks, Bowling	Tennis, Basketball, Track Events
June 16-20	Mystery Week	Rolling Hills, Razzle Dazzle, Stoney Creek	Tennis, Floor Hockey, Nerf Games
June 23-27	Occupations	Four Bears, U.S. Blades, Bowling	Tennis, Soccer, Volleyball
**June 30-July 3	USA Birthday	Skatin' Station, Red Oaks, Cranbrook	Tennis, Obstacle Course, T-Ball
July 7-11	Celebrations	Marvelous Marvins, Rolling Hills, Bowling	Fitness, Flag Football, Nerf Games
July 14-18	Summer Madness	Sparkys, Stoney Creek, Four Bears	Swimming, Volleyball, Gymnastics
July 21-25	Wacky Week	Razzle Dazzle, Cranbrook, Rolling Hills	Swimming, Tumbling, Floor Hockey
July 28-August 1	Water Adventure	Red Oaks, Stoney Creek, Rolling Hills	Swimming, Soccer, Track Events
August 4-8	Magic Mystery	Detroit Sci. Ctr., Skatin' Station, Rolling Hills	Swimming, Dodge Ball, T-Ball
August 11-15	Fit & Fun	Kidstown, Bowling, Ann Arbor Hands On	Swimming, Floor Hockey, Soccer
August 18-22	Beach Party	Marvelous Marvins, Red Oaks, Rolling Hills	Swimming, Tennis, Dodge Ball



CHALLENGE CAMP

Ages 12-14 years

A summer fun club for youth 12 through 14 years which includes fun adventures, learning opportunities for lifetime skills, and a great way to spend time off over the summer. Campers must bring a sack lunch with beverage, and swim suit and towel with them each day.

Date	Theme	YMCA Members	Program Members
June 9-13	Waterlogged	\$128.00	\$140.00
June 16-20	Rollerblading	\$128.00	\$140.00
June 23-27	Canoeing	\$128.00	\$140.00
June 30-July 3	Horseback Riding	\$120.00	\$130.00
July 7-11	Beach Tour	\$120.00	\$130.00
July 14-18	Waterlogged	\$128.00	\$140.00
July 21-25	Sports Skills	\$120.00	\$140.00
July 28-August 1	Canoeing	\$128.00	\$140.00
August 4-8	Beach Tour	\$120.00	\$130.00
August 11-15	Rollerblading	\$128.00	\$140.00
August 18-22	Waterlogged	\$128.00	\$140.00

SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

YMCA INDIAN GUIDE PROGRAMS

Experience the magic of parents and their children having fun, laughing, loving, growing, and learning together.

Give Your Child the Gift of Time!

REACHING - out to your child in a unique way through programs based on Native American ways of life.

TOUCHING - your child's heart and soul. Spending exclusive time listening, watching, and nurturing the growth of your child.

HOLDING - on to the precious, fragile and fleeting moments of their childhood. Moments that pass much too quickly.

FRIENDS ALWAYS!

LEADER'S CLUB

For middle school and high school age teens looking for a chance to develop their leadership skills and learn job readiness skills at the YMCA. Training in all aspects of YMCA programs, including CPR, water safety, special events and child care. Values clarification and fun activities are provided to balance work with fun. A youth membership is required to participate in this program.



CELEBRATE YOUR BIRTHDAY AT THE Y!

Use the Y for that special day! Your party will include: use of a room, a cake, and a swim period. These are held Saturday and Sunday afternoons. Reservations are required as is prepayment. Member fee is \$65, Program Member fee is \$80. Call Joyce at 261-2161 for reservations.

TEEN NIGHT AT THE LIVONIA FAMILY Y

One Friday per month

9:30 p.m.-Midnight

Swim, Gym, and Music!



\$2 per person, per night

Must pre-register by the Tuesday before the event.

Teens 11-16 years old

April 25, May 16

Bring floating mattresses and inner tubes for the pool.

Call Joyce Arnold Doyle(313) 261-2161, ext. 309, for more information.

LEARN TO DRIVE AT THE Y! DRIVER'S ED

The course is provided by Accurate Driving School and meets all the Michigan requirements for a Driver's Education Course. Students must be at least 14 yr, 8 mos years, but no older than 18 when the class begins. Classroom work is held at the Y. Driving instruction is scheduled with the instructor, in addition to class time. Birth certificate needs to be brought to the first class. See schedule below. Please ask for the driver's ed information form when you register.



274 Driver's Ed 5/6-5/30

15-17

T, W, Th

5:30-7:30 p.m.

\$249

\$259

Summer Camp Open House



LIVONIA SUMMER DAY CAMP
OPEN HOUSE

April 13, 3:00-5:00 p.m.

Drawing for \$50.00 off a week of camp!!

Bring your kids and check out camp.

We will be able to answer your questions about Day Camp.



The experience that lasts a lifetime.

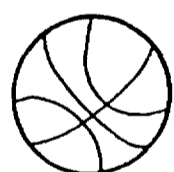
Quality Camping Experiences for a Lifetime of Memories

For free color brochure with more information contact your local YMCA
or phone Camping Services or Metropolitan Detroit at: (810) 887-4533

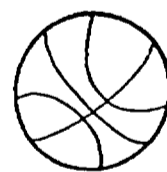
**Camp Nissokone
Camp Ohiyesa**

Boys and Girls
Ages 6-17

- FUN • FRIENDSHIP
- ADVENTURE



Summer Teen Basketball League



Boys and Girls Teams
Full High School Rules

Two Age Groups: 13-15 years and 16-18 years

Games on Saturdays, Play starts at 6:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.

Members \$33 Non-Members \$43

Registration is NOW!

Call Chris Nolan at 261-2161, x324 for details.

SCHOOL-AGE (Ages 6+)

Gymnastics

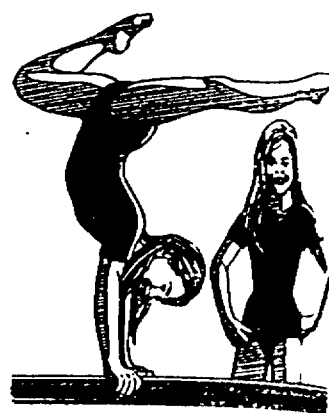
Proper attire needed for Gymnastics. A leotard for girls, shorts and t-shirt tucked in for boys; bare feet or ballet shoes. Please, no tights; long hair tied back.

BEGINNER GYMNASTICS I & II – No experience necessary! Conditioning and exposure to all competitive apparatus (beam, uneven bars, tumbling skills). You'll learn safety principles of gymnastics and how to do some basic skills on the bars and beam. Check it out!

BOYS GYMNASTICS – Learn all the fundamentals of tumbling and gymnastics as well as developing upper and lower body strength. Activities will include tumbling, rings and bars.

LEVEL I & II INTERMEDIATE GYMNASTICS – Have you passed the skills of Beginner Gymnastics? Are you ready for the next level? Progress in your program by taking Level I & II. Learn more skills on the apparatus, become better conditioned, improve your technique and start preparing yourself to be a member of the team!

LEVEL III & IV ADVANCED GYMNASTICS – Fine tune all of your gymnastics skills at this level. The next step is the team!



PRE-TEAM – Still need to fine tune those skills to make the gymnastic team? This is designed to help you make it to the team.

TWISTERS GYMNASTICS TEAM You've made it! Competitive gymnastics for the experienced/advanced female gymnast. Must try out or be recommended by one of our coaching staff. **BOOSTER CLUB** for parents. Home and away meets and other Ys during the season!

RHYTHMIC GYMNASTICS

The newest Olympic sport that uses balls, ribbons, hoops and rope in dance based gymnastic routines! Creative expression while learning fine movement skills. Learn from an expert Rhythmic coach! Beginner and intermediate classes.

Sports & Fitness

BEGINNING KARATE – Children, Men, and Women can learn the basics of Tang So Do, a very disciplined Korean martial art. Mental and physical discipline, and learning to protect against an attacker. Classes taught by a certified instructor under the direction of a 4th Degree master Instructor. All students must attend first night orientation. If under 14, a parent must attend.



FLAG FOOTBALL – For kids 8-12. Learn skills as you play the game

FLOOR HOCKEY – A fast-paced, exciting game. Everyone is playing! Learn the game by practicing stick handling, shooting and defense. Play real games during class. Skill building and progressive.

SOCCER – For beginning or continuing players to keep their skills sharp. Shin guards required. No cleats please.

BASKETBALL – For beginning or continuing players; keep their skills sharp or learn new skills. Non-marking sneakers required. Excellent instructors.

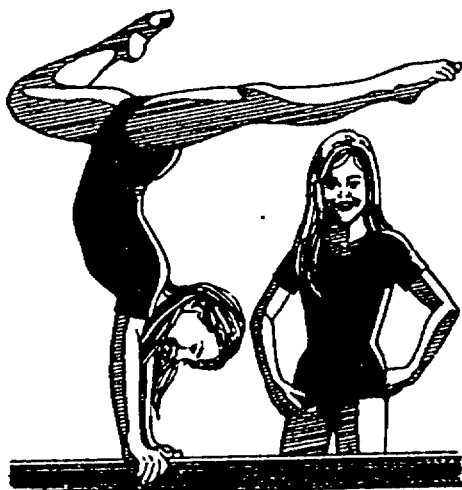
TEEN WEIGHT TRAINING – A great class offered to kids 14-17 years. Proper techniques of weight training will be emphasized with free weights and Pyramid and Nautilus equipment in the Wellness Center. Basic principles and personal training programs will be devised. A great way to get in shape!

School-Age Gymnastics & Sports Schedule

Session: April 21-June 8, 1997

Class #/Class	Age	Day	Time	Gym	Mem.	P.M.
712 Floor Hockey	7-9	Thursday	4:45-5:30 p.m.	Upper	\$33	\$52
720 Beg. Karate 2 times per week	7+	Monday & Thursday	7:00-8:30 p.m.	Lower	\$34	\$50
715 Cont. Karate*	7+	Mon. & Thurs	7:00-9:00 p.m.	Lower	\$39	\$50
729 Teen Wt. Training	14-17	Sunday	5:00-6:00 p.m.		\$25	\$36
731 Soccer	6-8	Tuesday	4:45-5:30 p.m.	Upper	\$33	\$52
732 Soccer	9-12	Wednesday	5:00-6:00 p.m.	Lower	\$35	\$54
734 Basketball	7-9	Wednesday	5:00-5:45 p.m.	Lower	\$33	\$52
735 Basketball	9-12	Wednesday	4:30-5:00 p.m.	Lower	\$30	\$50
736 Flag Football	8-12	Monday	4:00-5:00 p.m.	Lower	\$35	\$40
737 Soccer	6-8	Wednesday	4:00-4:45p.m.	Lower	\$33	\$52
738 Beginning Rhythmic Gym	6+	Wednesday	4:00-5:00 p.m.	Upper	\$27	\$42
739 Intermediate Rhythmic Gym	6+	Wednesday	5:00-6:00 p.m.	Upper	\$27	\$42
740 Girls Beg. I Gymnastics	6+	Tuesday	5:15-6:15 p.m.	Lower	\$34	\$52
741 Girls Beg. II Gymnastics	6+	Tuesday	5:15-6:15 p.m.	Lower	\$34	\$52
742 Girls Beg. I Gymnastics	6+	Saturday	9:30-10:30 a.m.	Lower	\$34	\$52
743 Girls Beg. II Gymnastics	6+	Saturday	9:30-10:30 a.m.	Lower	\$34	\$52
744 Boys Gymnastics	6+	Tuesday	4:15-5:15 p.m.	Lower	\$32	\$50
745 Boys Beg.	6+	Monday	4:00-5:00 p.m.	Upper	\$28	\$46
746 Boys Int.	6+	Monday	5:00-6:00 p.m.	Upper	\$28	\$46
747 Girls I & II Int.	6+	Tuesday	4:15-5:15 p.m.	Lower	\$34	\$52
748 Girls I & II Int.	6+	Saturday	10:30-11:30 p.m.	Lower	\$34	\$52
749 Adv. Gym. III & IV must have inst. perm.	6+	Tuesday & Saturday	5:15-6:15 p.m. 10:30-11:30 a.m.	Lower Lower	\$56	\$75
750 Pre-Team must have inst. perm.	6+	Thursday Saturday	4:00-6:00 p.m. 11:30-1:30 p.m.	Lower Lower	\$61	Members Only
751 Twisters Gym Team	6+	Tuesday Thursday Saturday	6:00-9:00 p.m. 4:00-7:00 p.m. 11:30-2:30 p.m.	Lower Lower Lower	\$475 for season (9 months)	Members Only

*Must have successfully
completed Beginning Karate



SCHOOL-AGE (Ages 6+)

Tennis

PRE JUNIOR - Must have completed through Super Pee Wee and/or have PRO'S PERMISSION. Ages 6-7 years.

JUNIOR BEGINNER - The Livonia Family YMCA conducts a series of three class sessions for beginning junior players, ages 8 through 14 years of age who have had little or no tennis experience. We wish to teach the fundamentals in a relaxed, yet challenging atmosphere. At the completion of the series of classes each student will have been taught to:

- Hit a forehand, backhand and serve.
- Understand the court terminology.
- Know how to keep score.
- Handle themselves with proper court etiquette.

JUNIOR BEGINNER I - Beginners who have had no formal lessons should begin at this level. Work on grip, stance and strokes. Complete coverage of rules and scoring.

JUNIOR BEGINNER II - We further develop skills attained in Beginner I. Footwork, consistency and placement of shots will be emphasized.

JUNIOR BEGINNER III - Continued development of forehand, backhand and serve. Introduction to the volley.

JUNIOR INTERMEDIATE - This level is designed for the child who has completed the Junior Beginner series. At the completion of the Junior Intermediate classes, each student will have been taught:

- Good stroke execution with forehand, backhand, serve, volley overhead & serve.
- Scoring & basic tennis terminology.
- All other fundamentals of the game.

JUNIOR EXCELLENCE PREP - Work on control, placement and strategy. Many game situation drills are used. Singles and doubles strategies of the game are emphasized. This level is a prerequisite to advance to the Junior Excellence program.

Junior Excellence

JUNIOR EXCELLENCE - The Junior Excellence program is tailored for the young adult who is serious about their tennis game. Completion of the Junior Intermediate program or its equivalent is a must. Junior Excellence is for the player who desires to play at the high school level or beyond. An optional six week, 1-1/2 hour weekend competitive league is available for those interested. Program objectives of the Excellence Program include:

- Ability to hit ground strokes consistently with depth.
- Improve footwork.
- Development of a spin serve.
- Strenuous conditioning program, with emphasis on quickness, speed, and improved flexibility.
- Stroke production drills that give you confidence in your ability.

INTERMEDIATE JUNIOR EXCELLENCE - For students who have completed Junior Intermediate lessons. Players work with others of the same ability, but are encouraged to develop and advance through a no nonsense approach to serious training.

ADVANCED JUNIOR EXCELLENCE - For the player who has completed Junior Excellence I and II.

SUPER JUNIOR EXCELLENCE - For the player who has completed Advanced Excellence.

INCREDIBLE JUNIOR EXCELLENCE - Pro's permission is required. Tournament and High School players.

TOP FLIGHT JUNIOR EXCELLENCE - Pro's permission is required. High powered workout for the most advanced High School tennis player. This level includes coordinating stroke production consistency with physical and mental conditioning.

TENNIS CLASSES

- TRY US OUT FREE -

The Grand Slam Tennis Club will be offering the following FREE tennis classes for beginning and Jr. Excellence tennis players. ADVANCED REGISTRATION IS NECESSARY, call 261-2161. A limited number of players will be taken per class, so call and reserve a spot.

Jr. Beginner Wed., April 2
4:00 p.m.

Jr. Excellence Wed., April 2
5:00 p.m.

(For new players to program)

**JR. EXCELLENCE
DOUBLES TOURNAMENT
June 13 & 14**

School-Age Tennis Schedule

Session: April 21-June 8, 1997

All classes are 7 weeks unless otherwise stated. Classes will not meet memorial day.

Classes will also not meet Monday May 26 all day or Tuesday, May 20, 9:00a.m.-6:00 p.m.

Class #/Class	Age	Day	Time	Mem.	P.M.
312 Pre Junior	6-7	Wednesday	5:00-6:00 p.m.	\$48	\$78
313 Jr. I 6 wks	8-14	Monday	4:00-5:00 p.m.	\$41	\$67
315 Jr. I	8-14	Saturday	9:00-10:00 a.m.	\$48	\$78
316 Jr. II 6 wks	8-14	Monday	5:00-6:00 p.m.	\$41	\$67
317 Jr. II	8-14	Wednesday	4:00-5:00 p.m.	\$48	\$78
318 Jr. II	8-14	Saturday	10:00-11:00 a.m.	\$48	\$78
319 Jr. III	8-14	Thursday	4:00-6:00 p.m.	\$48	\$78
320 Jr. III	8-14	Saturday	11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	\$48	\$78
321 Jr. Inter.	8-14	Thursday	5:00-6:00 p.m.	\$48	\$78
322 Jr. Inter.	8-14	Saturday	12:00-1:00 p.m.	\$48	\$78
323 Jr. Ex. Prep. 6 wks	8-14	Tuesday	4:00-5:00 p.m.	\$41	\$67
324 Jr. Ex. Prep.	8-14	Thursday	4:00-5:00 p.m.	\$48	\$78
325 Jr. Ex. Prep.	8-14	Saturday	1:00-2:00 p.m.	\$48	\$78
335 Intermediate Ex.	8-14	Friday	4:00-6:00 p.m.	\$122	\$180
336 Adv. Ex. Class 6 wks	8-18	Monday	4:00-6:00 p.m.	\$105	\$154
337 Super Ex. Class 6 wks	8-18	Tuesday	4:00-6:00 p.m.	\$105	\$154
338 Inc. Ex. Class	8-18	Sunday	4:00-6:00 p.m.	\$122	\$180
339 Inc. Ex. II Class	8-18	Sunday	11:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.	\$122	\$180
340 Top Flight Ex. Class	8-18	Wednesday	4:00-6:00 p.m.	\$122	\$180
341 Jr. Ex. League ONLY		Sat./Sun.	will be notified	\$78	\$107
342 Jr. Ex. Class/League		Sat./Sun.	will be notified	\$162	\$202

SPECIALS FOR JUNIORS!!

- Summer session June 16-July 20
- Doubles Jr. Excellence Tournament June 6 after 4:00 p.m.
- USTA Grand Slam Junior Tennis Tournament July 18-20. Watch for flyers for more information.
- Free outdoor court time for juniors participating in our junior excellence or summer camps!!!

JUNIORS EXCELLENCE SUMMER CAMPS

Come join us for 5 action packed days of competitive training. We will work on skills, strategy and attitude. This class is geared to the advanced junior player who is willing to work hard on his or her game. The camp will be led by Jack Kingsbury, Head Pro and Bob Miller, Assistant Head Pro. Detailed brochure available after Easter. Camps run session II Aug. 5-Aug 16.

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ADULT TENNIS

TENNIS SPECIALS

TENNIS RESERVATIONS – Members ONLY can reserve court time one week in advance. Court fees must be paid on day of reservation BEFORE using the court. Court fees are not refundable.

TENNIS CANCELLATIONS – If you must cancel a reservation, please notify us at least eight hours prior to your reserved court time, or you will be responsible for paying the court fees.

ORGANIZED PRACTICE – Drills and ball machine practice with Pro's supervision. An opportunity to work on your stroke with guidance. (THIS IS NOT A CLASS.) In order to participate you must be a "Y" member or currently enrolled in a "Y" tennis class. Advance weekly registration and total payment must be made at the front desk. We are unable to transfer fees to another practice time or issue refunds. Any organized practice will be cancelled if the minimum enrollment is not met.

Sunday	All levels	1:00-2:00 p.m.
Sunday	All levels	2:00-3:00 p.m.
Sunday	3.5 + above	3:00-4:00 p.m.
Fee: \$8 Y Member \$11 Program Member		

SUMMER TENNIS LEAGUES

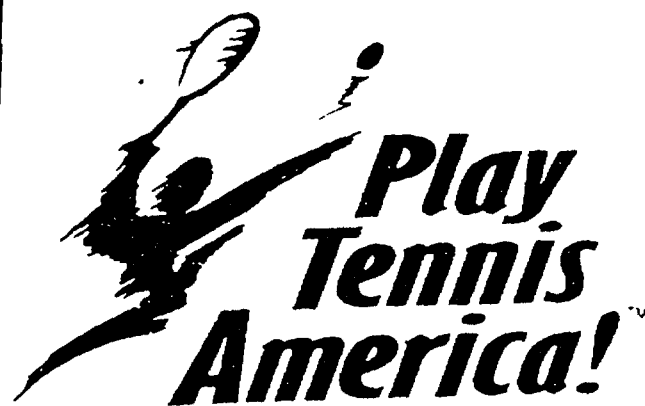
There will be one session of summer leagues. The leagues will begin play the week of May 19, and run 12 weeks. Phone-in registration will NOT be accepted. Sign up at the front desk beginning April 8.

A non-refundable summer league registration fee will be due at the time of registration. Rain options will be offered on a limited basis depending on indoor court availability. Check bulletin board in tennis lobby for times and days.

League fees: \$20.00-no rain options
\$28.00-with rain options

PARTY, PARTY, PARTY!

Year-end Tennis Party for League and Permanent Court time Players! Mark May 1 on your calendar from 2:00-6:00 p.m. for some great tennis and social fun. Please bring a dish to pass, the rest is on us!



Invite your Friends and Family to a class of fun, fitness, and new friends! Free beginner lessons will be offered during the week of May 11-18. We even have free loaner racquets available for your use. After the class, our instructors and staff will get you enrolled in follow-up discounted programs and league play situations. Sign up at the front desk.



OUTDOOR TENNIS COURTS

may be used on a walk-on basis free of charge, in 1 1/2 hour increments by Livonia Y Building and Tennis members only. You may reserve an outdoor court at the courtesy desk up to one week in advance for \$5 for 1 1/2 hours of play. The court must be paid for ahead of time or you could get "bumped" by a paying member.

Adult Tennis Classes

ADULT BEGINNER – This series of three levels is for the person who is just beginning to play or simply needs a refresher course. Forehand, backhand and serve are the fundamentals that are stressed.

ADULT BEGINNER I – For players new to the game who have had no formal instruction.

ADULT BEGINNER II – This level will further develop skills attained in Beginner I. Emphasis on proper stroke technique, footwork consistency, and ball placement. Introduction to the volley.

ADULT BEGINNER III – Emphasis on consistency and placement, along with singles and double positioning.

ADULT INTERMEDIATE – Designed for the intermediate or advanced player. A high powered workout that will sharpen your game. Game situation drills and plenty of movement are features of this series of lessons.

INTERMEDIATE FOREHAND, BACKHAND, SERVE (FBS) – Work on control and placement of shots, plus movement and positioning.

INTERMEDIATE VOLLEY, LOB, OVERHEAD (VLOH) – Emphasis on the net game and development of game strategy.

PRO SPECIAL – Classes arranged according to level. Smaller class size for the serious player. Class is designed to develop the total game. Drill point play situations and a great workout will be emphasized to help you maximize your potential.

FOUR ON ONE – Four people and the Pro.



TENNIS INSTRUCTORS WANTED.

Contact Tennis House –
261-2161, Ext. 307

Adult Tennis Schedule

Session: April 21-June 8, 1997

All classes are 7 weeks unless otherwise stated. Classes will not meet Memorial Day. Classes will not meet on Tuesday May 20 from 9:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.

Class #/Class	Age	Day	Time	Mem.	Tennis Mem.	P.M.
350 Beginner I 6 wks	15+	Monday	6:00-7:00 p.m.	\$41	\$54	\$67
351 Beginner I 6 wks	15+	Tuesday	12:00 noon	\$41	\$54	\$67
352 Beginner I	15+	Wednesday	9:00-10:00 p.m.	\$48	\$63	\$78
353 Beginner I	15+	Saturday	10:00-11:00 a.m.	\$48	\$63	\$78
355 Beginner II 6 wks	15+	Tuesday	12:00 noon	\$41	\$54	\$67
356 Beginner II	15+	Wednesday	7:00-8:00 p.m.	\$48	\$63	\$78
357 Beginner II	15+	Saturday	11:00-12:00 noon	\$48	\$63	\$78
358 Beginner III 6 wks	15+	Monday	7:00-8:00 p.m.	\$41	\$54	\$67
359 Inter. 6 wks	15+	Tuesday	9:00-10:00 a.m.	\$47	\$67	\$79
360 Inter.	15+	Tuesday	9:00-10:00 p.m.	\$55	\$78	\$92
361 Inter.	15+	Wednesday	8:00-9:00 p.m.	\$55	\$78	\$92
362 Inter.	15+	Saturday	12:00-1:00 p.m.	\$55	\$78	\$92
363 Inter. P.S.	15+	Tuesday	8:00-9:00 p.m.	\$55	\$78	\$92
364 Inter. P.S.	15+	Wednesday	12:00 noon	\$55	\$78	\$92
365 Int. P.S.	15+	Wednesday	6:00-7:00 p.m.	\$55	\$78	\$92
366 Int. P.S.	15+	Saturday	1:00-2:00 p.m.	\$55	\$78	\$92
385 Pro Spec. 4.0 ↑ 6 wk	15+	Monday	8:00-9:00 p.m.	\$47	\$67	\$79
386 Pro Spec. 3.0	15+	Wednesday	6:00-7:00 p.m.	\$55	\$78	\$92
387 Pro Spec. 3.5	15+	Wednesday	7:00-8:00 p.m.	\$55	\$78	\$92
388 Pro Spec. 4.0 ↑	15+	Wednesday	7:00-8:00 p.m.	\$55	\$78	\$92
391 Learn League	15+	Wednesday	1:00-3:00 p.m.	\$78	\$92	\$107
4 on 1	15+	TBA	TBA	\$70	\$86	\$102

ADULT ACTIVITIES

BEGINNER KARATE – Women, Men, and Children can learn the basics of Tang Soo Do, a very disciplined Korean martial art. Mental and physical discipline, and learning to protect against an attacker. Classes taught by a certified instructor under the direction of a 4th degree master instructor. All students must attend first night orientation.

CONTINUING KARATE – Continue your training through black belt. Skills taught include weapons, empty hand self-defense, sparring, tournament sparring, and the history and philosophy of martial arts. High level of mental and physical discipline.

BEGINNING AIKIDO – A form of Japanese Budo, a way of studying that includes both physical and mental training. A non-competitive art form emphasizing harmony between you and your partner. Wear loose workout clothing. Minimum age is 14 years old.

INTERMEDIATE AIKIDO – Provides a smooth transition from the beginner class to the regular class. New rolls are introduced, as well as the wooden bokken and jo.

AIKIDO CLUB – A vigorous training experience. Students study the techniques, breakfalls, and all the buki (bokken, jo, and tanto).

POWER WALLYBALL – A cross between racquetball and volleyball, wallyball can be enjoyed and mastered by all. Grab some friends or co-workers and join in the fun.

Adult Men's BASKETBALL LEAGUE Summer 1997

For more information
and registration,
call Chris Nolan at (313) 261-2161.

SENIOR WEIGHT TRAINING

Individual weight resistance
programs for ages 55+.

Geared to the needs
of each person.

The goal is to increase
strength and mobility.

Call Chris Campbell: 261-2161

RACQUETBALL LEAGUES – League is open to players of all ability levels. Designed for skill improvement. Play on Saturdays.

RACQUETBALL LESSONS – A class for the beginner/intermediate player to learn or improve the fundamentals of the game. March, 1997

TAI CHI

Learn the basic movement and the first set of "Yang" Style form.

Ages 15 years and older.

Coming Soon: Yoga

FITNESS PERSONAL TRAINING

For ages 12 and up.

Geared to the individual needs of the participant. All sessions are scheduled by the Head Trainer. You must make schedule and pay for a set of four sessions. NO MAKE UP sessions will be scheduled unless a 24-hour notice is given. Fee: \$20 per session payable 48 hours before first session. Initial consultation with mark Papineau (Head Trainer) to assess any special needs and assignment of a personal trainer. For more information, contact Robin Grace at 261-2161, ext. 312.

Member:	4 Sessions \$80 or 8 Sessions \$140
Non-Member:	4 Sessions \$160 or 8 Sessions \$280

ADULT FITNESS

STARTER FITNESS – A class to ease beginners into a Fitness Program. Appropriate level of cardiovascular activities, stretching, toning, and strengthening.

ENERGIZE – Increase your energy through a combination of aerobics and resistance training. Bands, weights, rings, and other equipment will be used.

CARDIO COMBO – Class filled with variety and fun. This cardiovascular workout may include step, hi/lo aerobics, circuits and other activities during the session.

TORSODYNAMICS – Resistance training for all major muscle groups. Equipment including weights, bands, and rings will be used. Combine this class with your favorite aerobic workout and see the results!

FAT BURNER – 45 minutes of Cardio/Aerobic Fitness to get your metabolism going! Intermediate level class includes warm-up and cool down.

PARKINSON'S DISEASE EXERCISE PROGRAM – An exercise plan that improves flexibility, endurance, and muscular strength, all of which are compromised in Parkinson's disease. It is based on individual needs and includes stretching, walking, stationary cycling, strengthening and cool down. A medical clearance **MUST** be completed by your doctor and turned in.

SLIDE 'N' TONE – A dynamic class combining a slide board for cardio fitness along with resistance work for toning and firming. Join us for an intermediate level class that works the hips and thighs in a new way! Class will be held in the Fitness Studio.

BEGINNER STEP – Learn the skill and routines of bench step aerobics. Designed for adults who are new to a bench step class.

STEP IT UP! – This class is for people with some background in step. We will combine the aerobic benefit of step with resistance training.

STEP IT UP "CHALLENGE" – Want something a little more than regular Step It Up? This class incorporates bands and weights.

STEP & SLIDE INTERVAL CLASS – An intermediate class for those ready for a challenge! Alternate doing basic STEP and

WANTED: INSTRUCTORS

Are you interested in being an instructor? Do you have skills to teach? See Senior Physical Director.



SLIDE movements with timed intervals of upper body sculpting using weights and bands! This class will meet both your aerobic and your strength training needs.

STEP & SCULPT

Advance yourself with cardiovascular work on the Step and resistance training.

INTERVAL CONDITIONING

Intermediate to Advanced training with cardiovascular intervaling and resistance training with weights and bands. Come challenge yourself.

WOMEN'S WEIGHT TRAINING WITH TOM-

Class 922 – A beginning class for women ages 18 years and older who are interested in a more advanced fitness program. Includes cardiovascular exercise, nutrition, and hands-on weight training instruction. Empower yourself and take control of your body.

WOMEN'S WEIGHT TRAINING WITH MARK

– A class to assist the participant in developing proper techniques for lifting both machine and free weights. Assistance in designing a program will be given. An independent study format with participants using Wellness Center at various times.

JOIN THE HEART & SOLE RUNNING CLUB!

– We welcome runners of all abilities – from beginners to marathoners. Come see what we're all about! We run on Monday at 6:30 p.m. **FOR MORE INFORMATION:** Call 261-2161, and leave a message for Gary Plank, Running Club Coordinator.

Adult Class Schedule

Session: April 21-June 8, 1997

All classes are 7 weeks unless otherwise stated.

Classes will not meet Monday, May 26, Memorial Day.

Class #/Class	Day	Time	Gym	Mem.	P.M.
720 Beginning Karate Class meets both days	Monday Thursday	7:00-8:30 p.m.	Lower	\$34	\$50
915 Continuing Karate	Mon./Thurs.	7:00-9:00 p.m.	Lower	\$36	\$46
916 Beginning Aikido	Friday	8:00-9:00 p.m.	Lower	\$25	\$35
917 Intermediate Aikido	Friday	9:15-10:00 p.m.	Lower	\$40	\$50
918 Aikido Club**	Wednesday	8:00-10:00 p.m.	Lower	\$50	\$75
921 Sr. Wt. Training*	Mon./Wed.	10:15-11:15 am.		\$20	\$30
922 Women's Wt. Training	M/W/F	5:30-7:00 p.m.	Tom E.	\$37	\$54
923 Women's Wt. Training	Wednesday	7:00-8:00 p.m.	Mark P.	\$23	\$37
924 Women's Wt. Training	Wednesday	8:00-9:00 p.m.	Mark P.	\$23	\$37
925 Women's Wt. Training	Sunday	1:00-2:00 p.m.	Mark P.	\$23	\$37
927 Power Wallyball	Monday	7:45-9:30 p.m.		Free	\$27
975 Run Club	Monday	6:30 p.m.		\$22	\$35
980 R-Ball League	Saturday	8:30-9:15 a.m.	Min. Of 4 Players	\$18	\$44
981 Beg. R-Ball Lessons	Saturday	9:15-10:00 a.m.		\$18	\$44
982 Parkinson's Disease Exercise Plan*	Mon./Wed.	11:45-12:30 p.m.	Fit. Stu.	\$20	\$30
990 Tai Chi	Thursday	Noon-1:00 p.m.	Fit. Stu.	\$25	\$35
991 Tai Chi	Wednesday	8:00-9:00 p.m.	Fit. Stu.	\$25	\$35
992 Tai Chi	Sunday	7:00-8:00 p.m.	Fit. Stu.	\$25	\$35

*Doctor's permission required. Instructor will have the form.

** Aikido Club students are encouraged to attend class #916 & #917 at no extra charge.

Adult Fitness Schedule

** Members who attend free classes must pre-register for the class, due to a limited number of spaces

Class #/Class	Day	Time	Gym	Mem.	P.M.
4001 Energize (Beg., Int.)	M/W/F	6:00-7:00 p.m.	Lower	Free**	\$42
4002 Energize (Beg., Int.)	Saturday	8:00-9:00 a.m.	Lower	Free**	\$21
4003 Energize (Beg., Int.)	Mon./Wed./Fri.	9:30-10:30 a.m.	L/L/U	Free**	\$42
4005 Cardio Combo (Int.)	Mon./Wed.	8:30-9:30 a.m.	Lower	Free**	\$34
4007 Fat Burners (Int.)	Tues./Thurs.	8:05-9:05 p.m.	Upper	Free**	\$37
4008 Starter Fitness (Beg.)	Mon./Wed.	10:35-11:35 a.m.	Lower	Free**	\$34
4009 Beginning Step (Beg.)	Tues./Thurs.	6:00-7:00 p.m.	Fit. Stu.	\$23	\$37
4012 Step It Up (Beg., Int.)*	Tues./Thurs.	7:00-8:00 p.m.	Upper	\$23	\$37
4013 Step It Up (Beg., Int.)	Saturday	9:00-10:00 a.m.	Fit. Stu.	\$16	\$25
4014 Step It Up Challenge	Sunday	6:30-7:45 p.m.	Upper	\$18	\$30
4021 Torso Dynamics	Tues./Thurs.	7:15-8:00 p.m.	Fit. Stu.	\$8	\$35
4030 Personal Training	Ages 12+	as arranged		4/\$80	4/\$160
4040 Interval Condition	Mon./Wed.	9:45-11:15 a.m.	Fit. Stu.	\$26	\$37
4041 Step & Slide Interval	Friday	5:45-7:45 p.m.	Fit. Stu.	\$14	\$28
4042 Step & Slide Interval	Monday	5:45-7:00 p.m.	Fit. Stu.	\$12	\$17
4043 Step & Slide Interval	Tuesday	8:05-9:20 p.m.	Fit. Stu.	\$14	\$20
4044 Interval Condition	Friday	9:45-11:15 a.m.	Fit. Stu.	\$14	\$20
4045 Step & Sculpt	Tues./Thurs.	9:30-10:45 a.m.	Fit. Stu.	\$28	\$40
4046 Slide 'N' Tone (Int.)	Tues./Thurs.	9:30-10:30 a.m.	Fit. Stu.	\$23	\$37

ADULT

Aquatic Programs

WATER EXERCISE – Start or finish your day with the exhilarating fun of water exercise. A low-impact aerobic workout for all ages. Benefits of Water Exercise: • increased flexibility • increased stamina • increased strength in both upper and lower body.

SENIOR SWIM – For any person 55 or older. \$1 per visit. No membership needed. Fridays – 1:00-2:15 p.m. No registration necessary for Senior Swim.

ADULT/TEEN SWIM LESSONS – Beginner Level: for adults who have little or no water experience, or is afraid of water. Int./Adv. Level: for the adult who is comfortable in the water but wants to improve her/his strokes.

PRIVATE SWIM LESSONS (For all ages) – Geared to the individual needs of participant. All lessons are scheduled by the Physical Director. You must schedule and pay for a set of four lessons. NO MAKE-UP LESSONS will be scheduled unless a 24-hour notice is given.

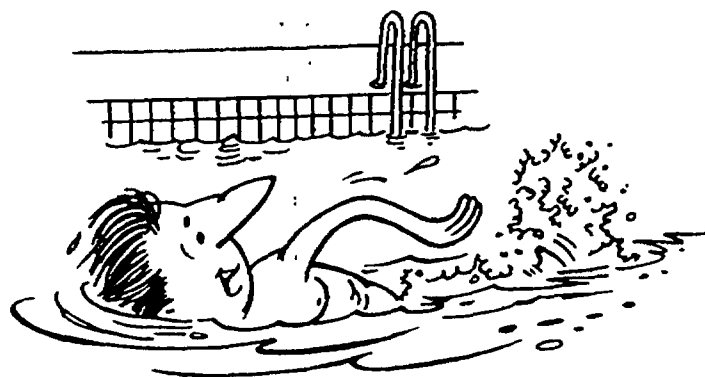
FEE: \$15 per half hour PAYABLE 48 HOURS BEFORE FIRST LESSON.

"GEMS" – This is a water exercise class for those with Multiple Sclerosis, followed by a fellowship get together. Fellowship includes guest speakers on nutrition, exercise, and motivation. Class meets on Friday, 6:00-7:00 p.m. in the pool and fellowship is from 7:00-8:15 p.m. No registration necessary.

INSTRUCTORS AND LIFEGUARDS NEEDED – MUST BE 17 YEARS, HAVE CURRENT CPR, LIFEGUARD, FIRST AID. Contact Julie Sommers, 261-2161. Day and evening shifts available.

AQUA STEPPIN' – Enjoy this EXCITING water workout! This is a high intensity workout geared at toning and strengthening muscles using a bench step in the pool!

AQUA-RITIS – A water exercise class in conjunction with the Arthritis Foundation for men and women of all ages who suffer from arthritis. The exercises in this class can help improve joint flexibility, increase muscle strength, and relieve pain and stiffness. Swimming skills are not required.



Adult Aquatics Schedule

Class #/Class	Day	Time	Mem.	P.M.
650 Beginning Adult/Teen	Tuesday	6:45-7:30 p.m.	\$30	\$52
651 Inter./Adv. Adult/Teen	Friday	7:00-7:45 p.m.	\$30	\$52
655 GEMS	Friday	6:00-7:00 p.m.	FREE	\$2/visit
656 Aqua-Ritis	M/W	1:00-1:45 p.m.	\$15	\$25
657 Water Exercise	M/W/F	6:45-7:30 a.m.	\$27	\$50
658 Water Exercise	M/W/F	2:15-3:00 p.m.	\$27	\$50
659 Water Exercise	Tues./Thurs.	9:00-9:45 a.m.	\$17	\$27
660 Aqua Steppin'	Tues./Thurs.	7:30-8:15 p.m.	\$17	\$27
Senior Swim	Friday	1:00-2:15 p.m.	FREE	\$1/visit

MISCELLANEOUS

YMCA MISSION

To put Judeo-Christian principles into practice through programs that build healthy mind, body, and spirit for all.

If you need financial assistance to be a YMCA participant, please contact the Executive Director.



The Surgeon General has determined that everyone should get 30 minutes of moderate physical activity five days of the week.

Livonia Family YMCA Staff

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Director.....Joyce Arnold

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Senior Physical Director.....Al Panackia

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REGISTRATION

MAIL-IN

FITNESS AND PHYSICAL MEMBERS ONLY may mail-in/drop-off class registrations now. Registration cards are provided on this page. Please use one card per class. Please register early. Class space is limited.

WALK-IN

FITNESS AND PHYSICAL MEMBERS can register for classes during office hours. The registration office is open Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m.-10:00 p.m., Saturday 8:30 a.m.-6:00 p.m., and Sunday 11:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m. Registration is taken until classes are full.

FAX-IN

FITNESS AND PHYSICAL MEMBERS may also fax in their registration. The fax number is (313) 261-0888. Fax early, classes fill up fast. Charge card information must be submitted with the fax in order for us to process the registration. Sorry, credits cannot be used with faxed registrations.

NON MEMBERS & PROGRAM MEMBERS REGISTRATION

Registration for Program members and non-members begins on April 10 at 7:30 a.m., continuing until classes are full.

Persons without a Fitness or Physical membership must have a minimum of a Program Membership in order to register for a class. Program membership is \$15 for each participant and is valid through August 31, 1997.

Program members pay Program Members class fees and program memberships are not valid for facility use.

Registration office is open Monday-Friday, 8:30 a.m.-10:00 p.m., Saturday 8:30 a.m.-6:00 p.m., Sunday 11:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m.

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Building will be CLOSED Monday, May 26 in observance of Memorial Day.

Class _____	Class # _____
Day _____	Time _____
(Participant)	
Name _____	
Address _____	
City/Zip _____	
Home Phone _____	
Business Phone _____	
Age _____	Female _____ Male _____
Visa/MC/Discover # _____	
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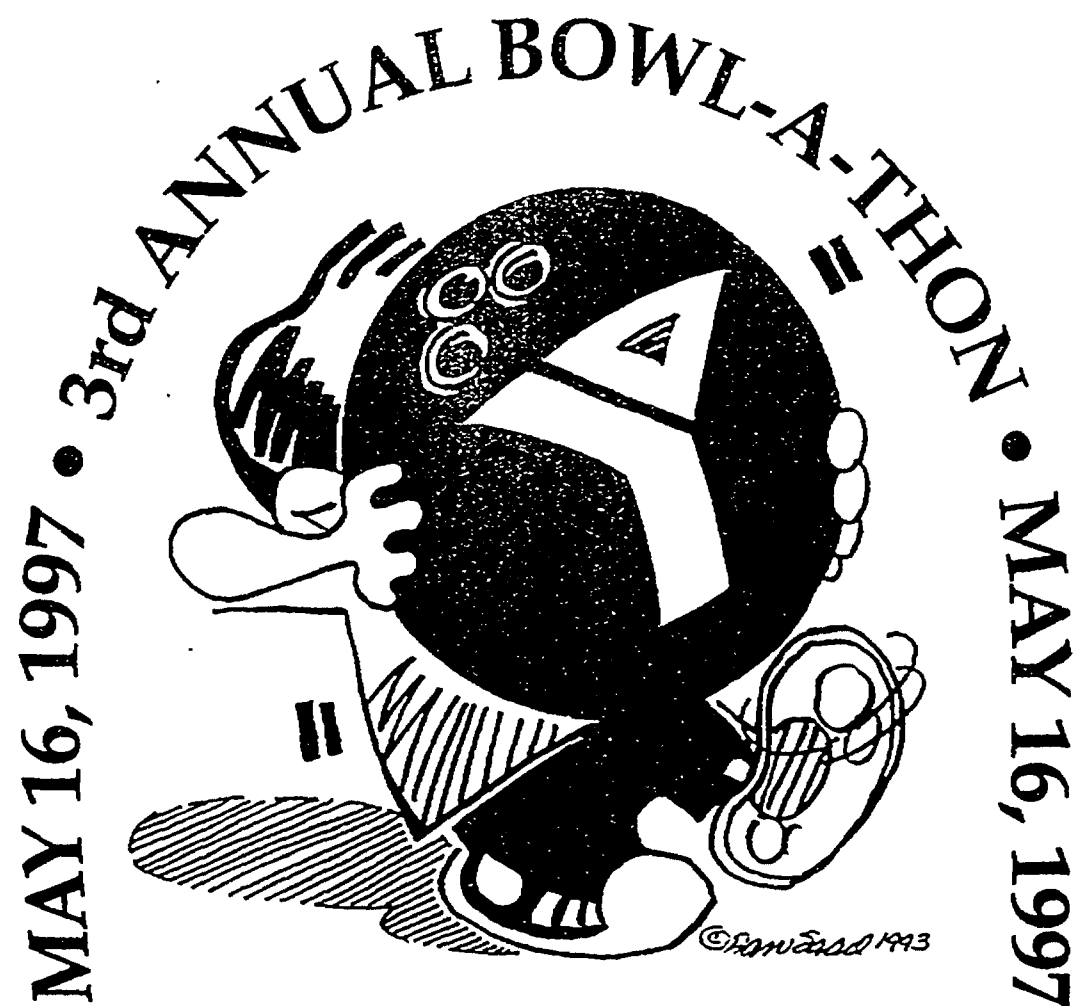
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