Arkansas boat accident claims 2

Deaths of Kristen, Susan Warnke leave community in mourning

A memorial service will be

conducted this afternoon,

United Methodist Church,

at 777 Eight Mile Road in

at 1 p.m., at the First

By WENSDY WHITE Staff Writer

The Northville/Novi community is mourning the loss of a Novi mother and daughter who were killed in a boating accident on a lake in

Bella Vista, Ark. last week. 1998 Northville High School graduate Kristen Marie Warnke, 18, and her mother, Susan Jane Warnke, 46, suffered serious injuries after they were struck by a runaway boat around 5:30 p.m. on

August 6. "It's very definitely the most serious boating accident to have Northville. occurred in the history of Bella Vista as far as I've determined, said Lt. Ken Farmer of the Benton County Sheriff's

Office, who was called to the scene. Although the accident is under investigation, Bella Vista police said it appears Susan Warnke

was driving a 60 horsepower, 16 foot outboard fishing-type boat on the waters of Loch Lomond, a 500-acre lake in the retirement and resort town of Bella Vista, Arkansas.

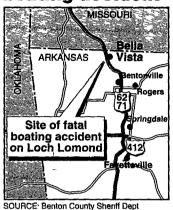
Her sister Serra Quakenbuse, 42, was a passenger in the vessel. Behind them, Kristen Warnke and her sister, Katie Warnke, 16, were being pulled on an inner tube around the lake.

At some point, Susan Warnke and Quakenbuse were thrown from the boat, possibly after it hit a wave, police said. The boat continued to run through the lake at nearly full throttle and began to circle the four women, Farmer said.

The rope that attached the inner tube to the stern of the boat was cut or broken but police said they are unsure when or how.

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Novi residents killed in Arkansas boating accident





Kristen Warnke, left, with classmates Josh Brugeman and Ashley Ossola during commencement last June.

Heavy rains cause train derailment, floods

By CHRIS C. DAVIS Staff Writer

A series of 100-hundred year rainstorms apparently were more than ample to weaken the roadbed of a Northville Township railroad right-of-way, which caused a locomotive and several freight cars to derail

According to CSX officials the train was traveling southbound on the track a few hundred yards to the east of Northville Road. Heavy rains during the early morning hours of Thursday had apparently eroded the bed underneath the tracks. When the first of two engines passed over the weak point, the ground gave way.

Police and fire crews from Northville

"It's one of those things you see happening in West Virginia or Pennsylvania. You just don't think of it happening here in the township."

Chip Snider township public safety

Township were notified of the

around 8:45 a.m.

at

accident

Township public safety director Chip Snider said vehicular traffic was only blocked at the Northville Road Mill Street intersection. The train had traveled far enough so as not to impede traffic flow at Seven Mile Road

At first giance, Snider said the director accident looked rather severe, though it was later learned no

injuries occurred.

"It's one of those things you see happening in West Virginia or Pennsylvania," he said. "You just don't think of it happening here in the township."

Once on the scene, Snider said the first priority was to separate the damaged portion of the train from the freight cars which were still intact. Six cars and a diesel engine derailed in the accident.

Shortly after arriving, rescue personnel discovered the engine was leaking fuel. Fortunately, the high waters that had weakened the track also helped contain the spill, said Roy Schrameck, district supervisor of the Michigan Department of

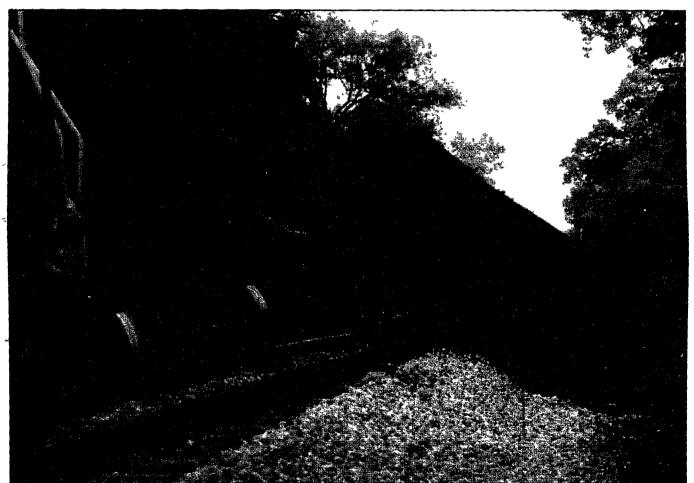


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With a CSX engine car still on the tracks at far left, numerous rail cars are overturned with their huge steel wheels visible Thursday morning in Northville Township. CSX Officials believe the derailment was caused by heavy rains.

Environmental Quality's surface water product into the main current. quality division.

Schrameck said the position of the tipped engine was such that fuel flowing to the east side of the tracks - which represented the majority of the fuel - became trapped in a culvert and was unable to move very far. The speed of water flowing on the west side of the tracks didn't permit most of the relatively heavy petroleum

"The fast water was actually more of a plus than a minus to us," he said. "It was sort of a blessing in disguise."

At first, Schrameck said authorities feared as much as 2,000 gallons of fuel may have spilled, but that estimate was cut in half after consumption calculations were made.

"We dodged a major bullet with this

one," Schrameck said. "This could have been a lot worse than it was. Thankfully, it

As a precautionary measure, Schrameck said authorities in Plymouth Township and Livonia were contacted to let them know fuel might be heading in their direction. Booms were put in place in Newburgh and

wasn't."

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Unfinisheddetention pond causes flooding in subdivision

By WENSDY WHITE Staff Writer

Thursday's torrential rain brought down a burm at the new Northville High School site, and according to neighbors the river of water that washed through their yard is just a portend of problems to come.

The water filled the detention pond, went over a small burm and basically created a nice little river to our property," said Dan Yakima, a Woods of Edenderry resident who is among a vocal neighborhood group that opposes aspects of the high school site.

"Water rushed down the street and took out some landscaping," he said.

Yakima and his wife, Mary Beth. have complained about the slope of the detention pond since plans for the high school site design were released by district officials.

"They have no drains," Yakima said. "Exactly what we were concerned about was that the water would overflow, which it did, and flow onto our property. That's what we've been trying to tell them, this site is not set up prop-

The Wayne County Drain Commission issued a stop work order, demanding that the school district and developers stop construction until they have fixed the drainage problem.

On Tuesday August 10, workers began installing 12-inch piping to

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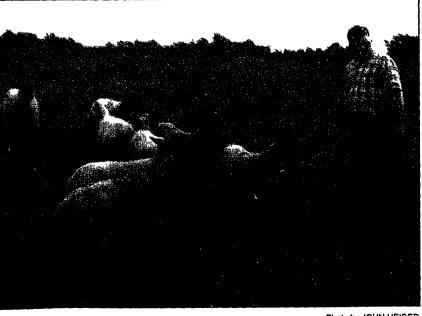


Photo by JOHN HEIDER

Maybury State Park famer John Beemer surveys his dwindling flock of sheep in a field near the park's northern Eight Mile Road entrance.

Maybury reports wild dog attacks

By WENSDY WHITE Staff Writer

A large beagle and a black shepherd have been blamed in yet another livestock attack at Maybury State Park and nearby residents are concerned that nothing is being done to keep them off the streets.

In the latest incident, three sheep died or were put to sleep after their throats were allegedly torn open by the dogs. A fourth survived with scars, according to resident farmer John Beemer. He said the stress of being chased may yet create physical symptoms in the farm's remaining 11 sheep.

"I know which dogs they are and whose they are," Beemer said. "I would say that the dogs are using it just as a game because they're not doing it to eat them. They just kill them. They might chew on them a little bit but they just leave

Around 3:40 a.m., Beemer called Northville Township police to the Maybury State Park farm, which is located off of Eight Mile Road just west of Beck Road.

Beemer told police he woke up to the sound of his St.

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Discover **Northville**

Missing Minutes

Library staff alleges meetings held without public postings or records

They've been less than

Andrew Mutch

library employee

By WENSDY WHITE Staff Writer

Northville District Library Board members have been discussing matters of administration, finance and policy without keeping minutes for public record, and could be in violation of the Michigan Open Meet-

The OMA violations were discovered by library employees seeking reasons behind changes to their pay and benefits.

The staff has been seeking to obtain background information about the deliberations that led the Library Board to adopt the policies it has passed. We have discovered that much of this information is simply not available," said a letter to The Northville Record signed by six library employees, Andrew Mutch, Maria Garcia-Bryson, Lynne Hirschelman, Shari Fesko, "We know there's no min-

Susan Namy and Al Smitley.
Chaired by library board memutes for these meetings. bers the special committees meet at irregular intervals to discuss special topics relevant to the library, according to library director Julie

The employee letter alleges that committee meetings were held in private homes and portions of meetings were closed to the public without legal rea-

"There appears to be a pattern of either omissions or deliberate withholding of important information that does not allow either the staff or concerned members of the public access to vital public records and information.* the letter stated.

They were discussing things like retirement, things that would directly affect us," said Andrew Mutch, the library's computer technician. "As far as we know the meetings weren't posted. We couldn't attend them because we found out after the fact. We know there's no minutes for these meetings. They've been less than open."

Mutch said in some cases the only record that the meetings were held at all were references found in the minutes of the full library board.

Herrin confirmed that no minutes were recorded for at least 11 meetings held this year. The director attends most board and committee meetings as a

"It is a very complicated situation. The employees are very dedicated and extremely hard working. The board members are extremely dedicated as well. They both have very different perspectives," Herrin said.

Because the board oversees an annual budget of nearly \$1 million obtained through Northville and

Northville Township tax levies, and because the seven board members are elected by the public, the board and its committees must follow the Open Meetings

The basic intent of the act, which was passed in 1976 along with the Freedom of Information Act, "is to strengthen the right of all Michigan citizens to know what goes on in government by requiring public bodies to conduct nearly all business at open meet-

According to Judythe Johnson, vice-chair of the library board, the committees were not keeping minutes because they were unaware they had to follow the OMA. Any decisions made at the committee level must be approved by the library board, she said.

However, she said the committees have begun to keep minutes according to the advice of attorney Cynthia Fallhaven, who said the committees are indeed bound to the Michigan OMA.

"It's one of these things, if you don't know it's an issue you don't ask," Johnson said. "Any information that people want in regards to anything that goes on in the library can be put on the agenda. We'll be happy to answer any questions on where the money goes

Library employees originally sought the information because they are in the process of joining the union of American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees.

Mutch, who recently left a post on the Novi Library Board to serve on the Novi Planning Commission, said the Northville District Library has been making changes to employee compensation since the library became a private entity in 1995.

Prior to that, library workers had the same union protection as Northville city employees.

"One of the reasons we sought representation in the first place was because the district library started cutting pay and lowering benefits," Mutch said. "They started cutting things like vacation time and rate of pay for new workers. We're just asking for things to be equitable and to find out how the board is spending their money."

Since the previous contract expired in 1996, library employees have lost three bereavement days, paid college tuition, short term disability, six holidays and five vacation days. Their work week has increased from 37.5 hours a week to 40.

The salary for circulation clerks went down from a range of \$7.98 to \$10 an hour to \$7 to \$7.28 an hour a loss of nearly \$3 per hour. Although the pay for a library associate increased, other salary figures



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New design center seals clients of every style

By WENSDY WHITE Staff Writer

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The Seal Design Group can help everyone from the homemaker looking for the perfect drapes to the major developer seeking to decorate a group of new homes, from start to finish.

The new business at 111 N. Center Street seeks to be a complete design center, providing custom built-in shelves, cabinets, moldings, furniture, bedding and flooring through a wide base of contractors.

"It's a one-stop shop from construction to design," said Lisa Seal, president and chief designer for the group.

The Design Group works with local developers like Don Bosco and Mark Guidobono who may not be able to offer their own design center for home buyers. Some of these builders build six

to 10 homes per year. They send their clients to us to select appointments," Seal said. "We have a lot of business in Novi and Northville with all the new homes going up.

The group is also working on a 14,000 single family square foot home being built on Heather Lake in Clarkston.

"We did all of the interior selections and developed the drawings. We planned all of the furniture, coordinated the fabrics for all the rooms, the accents, artwork and drapes.

With the help of design assistant John Free, a student at Lawrence Technological University, Seal made the focal point of the great room a fireplace with a limestone hearth framed by columns and mirrors stretching toward the 24foot ceiling.

But not all her clients are building \$1.6 million homes.

'It's not just a high-end business. It's something that's affordable for everyone," Seal said. "Anyone can make an appointment and we'll sit down and show them what's best for them instead of having them look through a mil-



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Interior design student John Free, center, points out some of the details in the Seal Design Center in Northville that he had a hand in during last the store's opening last week.

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The partners met when King took hired Seal to decorate her Novi home after spending seven years in London with Ford Motor Company. The two had such a good working relationship that they decided to venture into business together.

King has a master's degree in finance from Eastern Michigan University and is a mother of two, Krista, 8, and Julia, 5.

Seal earned a bachelor's degree from the University of California at Irvine, in a joint program with the Interior Design Institute in Newport Beach, which is ranked fourth of the nation's design schools.

"It was a nice merging of two talents, her with her business background and me with the creative side and that's how we've divided our duties here," Seal said.

Seal said she enjoyed decorating doll houses as a youth and her dorm room as a student. Her grandmother further fostered her interest in interior design by taking Seal with her to the Yops and Wilke architectural firm in the down river area of Detroit, where she worked for 42 years. There,

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Seal helped out by running blueprints through an ammonia machine.

After operating a design center in Novi, Seal moved to Northville when she found an open store-

A Plymouth-Canton resident, her parents have lived in Northville since 1992.

After an elegant grand opening ceremony held in July, the store now welcomes browsers by offering silk flowers and ornamental trees, a selection of candles, lamps and other small furnishings.

Also displayed on the floor are examples of custom shelving and a wrought iron and walnut stair-

Another highlight is a limestone hearth from the England-based Farmington Natural Stone company which mines rock from the same quarry Romans built their

"There's a lot of fossils in it; they're all hand carved and we're the only place you can get them in America," Seal said.

Chamber of Commerce director Laurie Marrs, who attended the grand opening, which was full of contractors and representatives from as far as the Cotswolds Quarry, said the center has a promising future.

"It's a great new addition to Northville because we do not have a store front that is entirely design based. This one in particular is zeroed in on design," Marrs said. "Now new residents can work with builders, work with design companies and then purchase all the accessories at all the other businesses in the downtown area.

If you'd like to brush up on design techniques, Seal will teach two seminars in the fall that will go over color schemes, fabric coordination, planning rooms to scale and proportion and furniture quality and history.

The sessions will be one night a week for four weeks starting in mid-September. At a cost of \$249, they will include a field trip to the Michigan Design Center in Troy.

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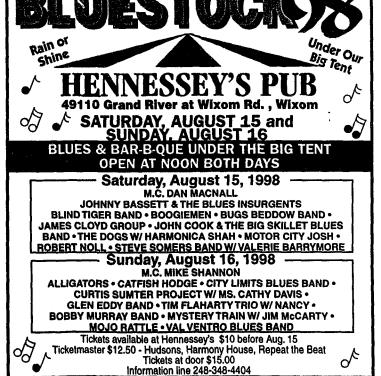
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Bogus credit card charges total \$900

A 32-year-old director of a Southfield group home contacted township police Aug. 7 after she discovered more than \$900 in charges had appeared on the company credit card statement without receiving prior approval to make the charges.

The charges had been made to Meijer on four different instances in July. The director said she removed the card from the Southfield office. Meijer issued a credit for a television set. Store personnel indicated an unknown person had attempted to receive a cash refund for the set at an earlier date.

STOLEN: An \$80 cellular phone, \$75 baseball bat and \$60 baseball glove were among the items missing from a 1998 green Ford Econoline, owned by a 44-year-old Woodcreek Drive man.

The man told police he parked the vehicle in his driveway on Aug. 8 at around 8 p.m. and discovered the items missing from the vehicle shortly after noon on Aug. 11. There are no suspects.

SEEKING RICHARD KIMBALL: After backing into a vehicle owned by a 26-year-old Plymouth resident, a 43-year-old Ohio man at first told township police "no one"

was driving his car, then later said had apparently completed a U-"the one-armed man" was the driv-

The incident occurred at 9:30 p.m. Aug. 8. in the parking lot of the Sunoco gas station at the intersection of Five Mile and Haggerty Roads. According to police reports, the Plymouth man was waiting to exit onto Five Mile Road from the station, when the car in front of him abruptly backed up and sideswiped the drivers' side of

Police questioned the Ohio man and his wife, neither one of whom were able to provide officers with a consistent version of what had occurred. Officers, however, detected the odor of alcohol on the man's breath.

After performing poorly on several field sobriety tasks, the man submitted to a blood alcohol test, with the results checking in at .19.

No serious injuries were report-

ed in the accident. ROAD CLOSED: Township

police arrested a 33-year-old Farmington Hills woman Aug. 7 at around 10:30 p.m. after she and her car were found in an underconstruction portion of northbound Haggerty Road.

Police reports said the woman

turn on Haggerty, drove past barricades marking off the closed portion of the road, and eventually came to a stop in an undeveloped part of the road.

In interviews, the woman told officers she had been trying to get onto Interstate 696 but soon realized she had gone too far and made the attempt to reverse direction.

The woman further said she'd had one drink at around 4 p.m. Blood alcohol tests registered at .13.

• CITY POLICE REPORTS

UNDERAGE CONSUMPTION: Four teens who were hanging out and "spinning records" at a Glenhill Drive home were cited by police for undearage consumption

of alcohol around 6 a.m. August 8. Among them were an 18-yearold Livonia man and woman, a 19year-old Farmington Hills man.

All three were guests of a 20year-old Northville man, whose parents were not at home.

Police were ticketing a vehicle in violation of the street's parking ordinance when the owner popped out of the home and asked if he could move the car.

After smelling intoxicants on his breath and finding out he was underage, they approached the residence and administered breathalyzer tests to all four people on the premises.

The men's blood alcohol levels registered between .057 and .072 while the woman posted a .117.

All were arrested, charged with misdemeanors and released on a \$50 bond with court dates pending.

FOUND BIKE: A boy's 20-inch BMX bike was found at the Northville Downs Aug. 7 and turned into the Northville police. A bit dirty and sporting a rusty chain, the bike will be released to its owner pending an accurate description.

TREE TRIM: A Japanese Maple tree valued at \$200 was pulled from a gravesite at Rural Hill Cemetery and stolen overnight Aug. 7. There are no suspects or

GRAFFITI: Unknown persons spray-painted "Peace," a peace sign, a marijuana leaf and the Metallica band logo on a garage in downtown Northville on August 3. Police estimated the cost of removing the graffiti, which appeared in an alleyway at North Center and Grace Streets, at \$100.

Township police, Plymouth cops nab auto thief

By CHRIS C. DAVIS Staff Writer

A man who is no stranger to a courtroom returned to court recently, facing charges of auto theft and shoplifting.

Kriss Dimitri, 33, of Plymouth had his preliminary examination July 27 before judge John Mac-Donald. Northville Township detective Paul Sumner said Dimitri had admitted to having a drug habit, which apparently helped fuel his crime spree.

Sumner said Dimitri's involvement with Northville Township police dated back to June 10. when management at Office Depot contacted police to report a larceny of a

digital camera. Dimitri's actions in the car Two Office Depot employ-ees were in thefts appeared to be court, testifying fueled, in part, by a drug to what they observed the day of the theft. habit, township police said.

One of the

employees said he heard the store's alarm system activated at around 12:30 p.m. After an investigation, it was learned a \$700 camera had passed through the store's electronic gates without having been

A second employee said he observed an idling car parked in front of the store at around the same time, then moments later heard a loud pop, which he said was caused when extreme force was used to separate display items from their tethers.

The employee said he then saw a man run out into the car and

In later testimony, Sumner said he made contact with the owner of a Westland pawn shop on July

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23. The owner of the shop, Sumner said, indicated that he had purchased a digital camera from Dimitri on June 10 at around

As for the charges of auto theft, city of Plymouth detective Edward Ochal said Dimitri had been in the process of taking automobiles from B & L Radiator in Plymouth the morning of July 21 when he activated the business' alarm system. Ochal said Dimitri had gotten access to the autos by snatching car keys that had been placed near the service

When authorities arrived on the scene, Ochal said Dimitri

raised hands to surrender, exposing a cellular phone and a long cord, which were apparently also taken during the heist.

The B & L theft wasn't Dimitri's first, though. Authorities played an audio tape of Dimitri confession in the theft of a 1997 Pontiac Grand Prix from Mr. Z's Party

The car was allegedly taken from a 37-year-old Pundalt Court man, who said he stepped inside the store at around 8 p.m. July 18. When he looked up for a moment, the man said he observed someone getting into his car and driving it away at a high rate of speed.

Sumner said investigations with other jurisDrdictions are ongoing. Dimitri's bond was set at \$275,000, due in part to also being charged as an habitual offender.

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SUMMER EVENING SERIES: Join us at Maybury State Park for our Summer Evening Series of hikes and explorations. The programs, offered every Thursday during the summer months, begin at 7 p.m. and cover a different

• Aug. 13: Trees of Southeast Michigan. Meet at the farm Demonstration Building at 7 p.m.

• Aug. 20: Bats. Meet at the farm Demonstration Building at 7

AUGUST KIDS' HIKE: Our monthly Kids' Hike will be on Saturday, Aug. 15 beginning at 11 a.m. Meet at the farm Demo Building for "Butterflies and Other Insects." There will be a brief presentation followed by a walk through the farm fields in search of summer insects. You never know what we might find. This hike is especially suitable for kids under 12 and their families.

FAMILY FISHING: Once again, Maybury State Park is hosting its popular Saturday evening fishing programs in August. Join us from 7-9 p.m. on Saturday, Aug. 15 at the Maybury fishing pond. A park interpreter will be on hand to give fishing instruction and demonstrate the use of equipment. A limited amount of bait and poles will be available to use if you don't have your own. The Maybury fishing pond can be reached from the Beck Road entrance of the park, onequarter mile south of Eight Mile.

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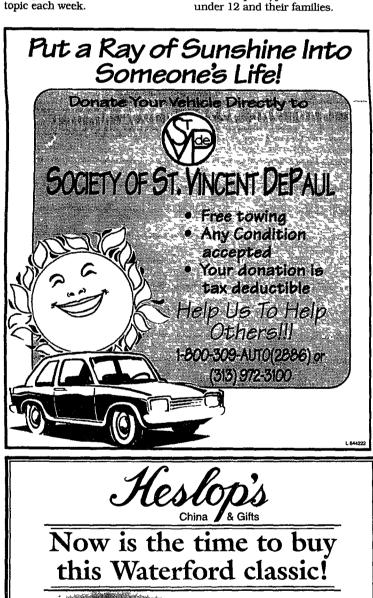
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Grant, new technology pave way for video arraignment

By CHRIS C. DAVIS Staff Writer

A \$34,000 grant given by Michigan Municipal Risk Management Authority is hoped to add greater security to courtrooms and reduce staffing strains on area police depart-

The grant, which amounts to \$8,600 for all but one of the communities serviced by 35th District Court, will provide for the audio and video equipment necessary to conduct remote location arraignments.

Michigan Municipal is the predominant insurance carrier for communities across the state.

Courtroom security has become a more pressing issue over the last few years, with the number of flareups among prisoners on

The new 35th District Court is being designed to separate spectators, prisoners and court officials as much as possible.

Northville Police Chief Jim Petres said he learned about the grant opportunity through Michigan Municipal's liability reduction programs and got the paperwork for the grant underway back in April.

Originally, Petres said he made the application for all five communities serviced by the court.

Being accepted for the grant meant greater ease for Northville police officers, Petres said.

"In terms of time, we won't need to spend the time sending one or two officers with the prisoner to the court, waiting at the court, then reversing the process to bring him back," Petres said. "We can do the arraignment without having the leave the station and do the paperwork by fax. It judges at the courthouse have really frees us

Those sentiments echoed township public safety director Chip Snider, who also benefited from the grant being secured.

"The most to bring him back." risky times for us are when we're loading or unloading our prisoners on

the way to the court," Snider said. "This system will really help eliminate a lot of those chancy times for us.

The system is interactive;

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> Jim Petres Northville City police chief

audio and video equipment which allows for the suspect to see and hear the judge, while the inmate can also do the same.

The defendant's attorney can be positioned at either terminal point to speak on behalf of his client.

Snider said the township will likely install the communications cable necessary for the arraignments sometime in the next two weeks.

The television monitor and cameras will be placed on a cart to allow for greater mobility.

The linkup is already in place for Plymouth Township.

But it's not just for security reasons the linkup has been created. In cases of severe weather or limited manpower by the police department, the video arraignment eliminates the need to bring suspects themselves in to the court.

"If we've got one of those wild March ice storms and need to have our people out on the road for traffic control, this system will be especially useful," Snider said. "It's definitely a cost-saving measure from our standpoint.

Up until this point in time, police departments have needed to transport suspects from municipal jails to the courthouse for arraignments, Snider said.

Already a time-intensive task, arraignments at 35th District were further complicated following the July 2, 1997 fire which

destroyed the court building. "We used to be able to bring prisoners over there and place them in isolated holding cells," Snider said. "In the temporary trailers they have, we don't have

that luxury anymore.' Since the fire, the court has required that police departments bring two police officers for every pris-

oner being brought for arraignment. One officer is designated to complete the paperwork with court staff, while the other is made responsible for actually guarding the suspect.

The city of Plymouth wasn't eligible for the grant, as that community has its insurance policy through another carrier.

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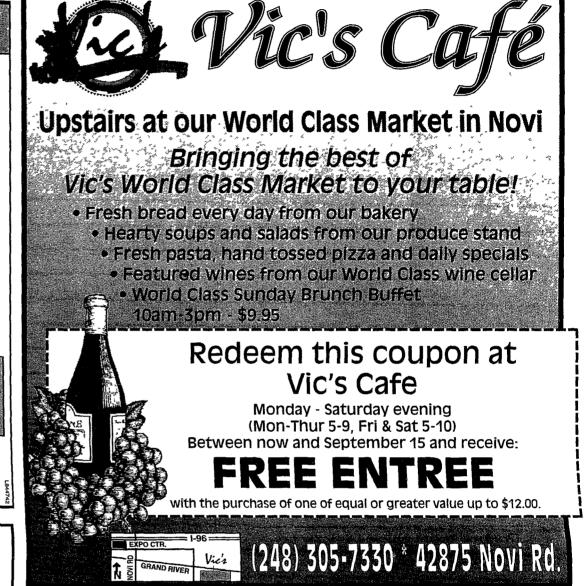
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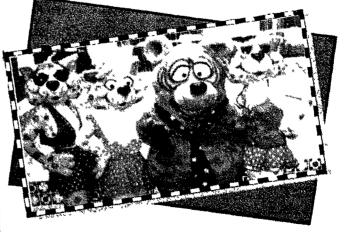


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Keeping those golden years happy

Social engagements, exercise programs part of Northville Senior Center

By KATE SHUSTER Staff Writer

The autumn of life is no time to forget about the fun and excitement of summer, especially at the Northville Senior Citizens Center.

Dedicated to enriching the lives of Northville's senior citizens, the senior center plans special summer activities as well as yearround services.

Summer has reached its peak. and so have the events scheduled for this season, if the recent Fourth of July pienic is any indication.

The morning of Independence Day, 75 people gathered on the lawn of the senior center to watch the Northville parade, then enjoy a picnic.

"Every year, this event gets bigger and bigger," said Karl Peters, coordinator of the senior center.

He explained that the center plans activities over holidays for people who can't go away for celebrations.

Holiday weekends, he said, are not the only reason for special outings. Besides daily and weekly services like Telecare visits to homebound residents, meals at Allen Terrace, daily card games, and transportation services, the Northville Senior Center has filled

the calendar with a number of ongoing programs for the summer and into the fall.

These programs give seniors opportunities to get out and meet people, Peters said.

One of the senior center's most successful programs is Dinner Out. The last Thursday of every month, seniors meet at one of a variety of a restaurants for dinner in Ann Arbor, Royal Oak, or another location. Transportation is available and reservation must be made by calling the senior center at (248)349-4140.

The next Dinner Out will be on Aug. 27.

The Northville Senior Center also plans cultural education events, like speakers from the Detroit Institute of Arts. Coming up on August 4 at 11 a.m., Kay Duncan from the DIA will give a presentation entitled "Gallery Mates." A tour of "Vatican Angels," corresponding with a talk given earlier this summer, will take place in the fall.

Many of the senior center's programs focus on exercising the body as well as the mind. Programs coordinator Myra Kolbow explained that exercise benefits everyone who tries on all levels of

participation. "It doesn't matter what age you are," she said. "Exercise is always important."

One basic exercise program designed to keep seniors active is the Body Workout Class, taught by Kolbow. It focuses on maintaining a healthy range of motion and strength for performing everyday tasks like navigation stairs, reaching, lifting, and walking.

"This is a well-round program," said Kolbow, explaining that this class especially benefits those who suffer from arthritis.

As an on-going program, the body workout class is running now and will continue through the fall, so new students can join at any time.

The one hour class meets at 10 a.m. every Wednesday at Allen Terrace. The cost is \$3 per session.

Water aerobics and Tai Chi are two more classes that continue through the summer and into the fall. Water aerobics, which meets at Our Lady of Providence at 1 p.m. Monday and Wednesday, provides a low-impact cardiovascular and strengthening workout. An hour of open swim follows water aerobics. Tai Chi, an energy-generating activity, aims at improving circulation, concentration, balance, flexibility, and relaxation. Two levels of this class

meet every Monday and Thursday throughout the summer: advanced at 9:30 a.m. and intermediate at 10:30 a.m.

For those who enjoy outdoor exercise, the senior center has organized a summer walking program that meets every Monday at 9 a.m. for a jaunt around the town. "We just walk around Northville and enjoy the scenery," Kolbow said.

A Friday morning tennis program also meets at 9 a.m. at Fish Hatchery Park. "We definitely are looking for tennis players," Kolbow said. More tennis players are needed to make this program better, she said.

Even with all these activities up and running, Kolbow said summer is a slow season at the Northville Senior Center. "In the summer we wind down a little," she said.

September and October will offer day trips to the movies, lunch, and shopping and a Seniorfest in conjunction with the Plymouth Senior Center.

Interested seniors should expect a variety of activities and programs coming with cooler weather because, according to Kolbow, "fall is really when the programs get busy.

Contact the Northville Senior Citizens' Center at (248)349-4140 to find out more about programs and events.

NOTICE CITY OF NOVI REQUEST FOR TEMPORARY USE PERMIT **TUP 98-027**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Weis Builders, Inc., is requesting a Temporary Use Permit to allow the placement of a job construction trailer at Marriott, 42700 Eleven Mile Road, located on the north side of Eleven Mile Road, west of Meadowbrook Road, from August 19, 1998 through August 1999.

A public hearing can be requested by any property owner of a structure located within 300 feet of the boundary of the property being considered for temporary use

This request will be considered at 3.15 p.m. on Wednesday, August 19, 1998, at the Novi Civic Center, 45175 West Ten Mile Road. All written comments should be directed to the City of Novi Building Official and must be received prior to August 19,

GERRIE HUBBS PERMIT ANALYST (248) 347-0415

AND MUST BEAR THE NAME OF THE BIDDER. The City reserves the right to accept any or all alternative proposals and award

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

All bids must be signed by a legally authorized agent of the bidding firm. ENVELOPES MUST BE PLAINLY MARKED

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August 27, 1998, at which time proposals will be opened and read. Bids shall to

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Sealed bids will be received until 3:00 p.m. prevailing eastern time, Thursday,

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING NORTHVILLE DISTRICT LIBRARY **COUNTIES OF WAYNE AND OAKLAND, MICHIGAN** ON THE ADOPTION OF THE BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 1998-99

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS IN THE LIBRARY DISTRICT OF THE NORTHVILLE DISTRICT LIBRARY
PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Board of Trustees of the Northville District

Library, County of Wayne, Michigan, will hold a public hearing on Thursday, the 27th day of August, 1998, at 7:00 p.m. in the Board Meeting Room of the Northville District Library, Northville, Michigan, to consider the approval and adoption of the operating budget of the Northville District Library for the fiscal year 1998-99

Copies of the proposed budget are on file with the Library Director at the Northville District Library, 212 West Cady Street, Northville, Michigan, for inspection during regular library hours. At the public hearing, all citizens, taxpayers, and property owners of the Northville District, Library District, comprised of the City of Northville and the Charter Township of Northville, shall be afforded an opportunity to be heard in regard to the approval of the budget.

THE PROPERTY TAX MILLAGE RATE PROPOSED TO **BE LEVIED TO SUPPORT THE PROPOSED BUDGET** LL BE A SUBJECT OF THIS HEARING.

This notice is given by order of the Board of Trustees of the Northville District Library, Counties of Wayne and Oakland, Michigan.

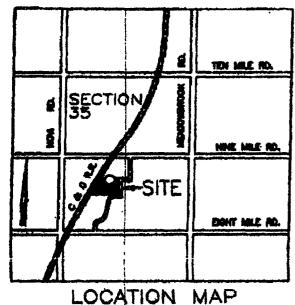
ANNA S. SARKISIAN, SECRETARY NORTHVILLE DISTRICT LIBRARY **BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

(8-13-98 NR 844766) Any citizen requesting accommodation to attend this meeting, please contact Julie Herrin, Library Director, at 248-349-3020, Extension 206.

To obtain this notice in alternate formats, please contact Julie Herrin, Library Director, at 248-349-3020, Extension 206.

CITY OF NOVI PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Planning Commission for the City of Novi will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, August 19, 1998 at 7:30 p.m. in the Novi Civic Center, 45175 W. Ten Mile Road, Novi, MI to consider CLEMENT'S INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY, SP 98-32, located on the southwest corner of Roethel Drive and Ashbury Drive, seeking PRELIMINARY SITE PLAN and SPECIAL LAND USE APPROVALS.



N.T.S. All interested persons are invited to attend. Verbal comments will be heard at the hearing and any written comments must be received by the Planning & Community Development Department, 45175 W. Ten Mile Road, Novi, MI 48375 until 5:00 p.m. Wednesday, August 19, 1998.

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Proposal packages are available at the Office of the Purchasing Director at 45175 W. Ten Mile Rd , Novi, MI 48375.

Bids will be received until 3:00 p.m. prevailing eastern time, Monday, August 31, 1998. Proposals shall be addressed as follow

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All bids must be signed by a legally authorized agent of the bidding firm. ENVELOPES MUST BE PLAINLY MARKED
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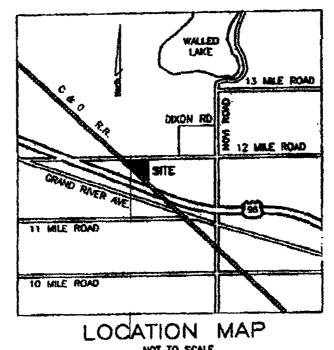
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CITY OF NOVI PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Planning Commission for the City of Novi will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, August 19, 1998 at 7:30 p.m. in the Novi Civic Center, 45175 W. Ten Mile Road, Novi, MI to consider HUSKY INJECTION MOLDING SYSTEMS LTD., SP 98-35A, located on the southeast corner of 12 Mile Road and Taft Road, seeking PRELIMINARY SITE PLAN APPROVAL and WOOD-LAND and WETLAND PERMIT APPROVALS.



NOT TO SCALE All interested persons are invited to attend. Verbal comments will be heard at the hearing and any written comments must be received by the Planning & Community Development Department, 45175 W. Ten Mile Roaq, Novi, MI 48375 until 5:00

(8-13-98 NR, NN 844759)

p m. Wednesday, August 19, 1998.

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Tickets for the outing are \$110 per person and are available by calling the Northville Foundation ffice at 248-347-0200. Tickets are limited so call today. There are still three hole sponsorships available - a great way to showcase your business.

The Foundation is currently working on preserving several of the historic sites in the township. If you would like to join the preservation committee, please call 248-374-0200.

CITY OF NOVI LIBRARY BOARD AND **PARKS & RECREATION COMMISSION**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that there are vacancies on the Library Board and Parks & Recreation Commission. If you are interested in appointment to these boards, applications may be obtained from the City Clerk's Office, 45175 W. Ten Mile Road or by calling (248) 347-0456. (8-13/20/27-98 NR/NN 844755) TONNI L. BARTHOLOMEW, CITY CLERK

NOTICE **CITY OF NOVI** REQUEST FOR TEMPORARY USE PERMIT **TUP 98-028**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Norwest Mortgage is requesting a Temporary Permit to allow an outdoor radio broadcast of WXYT "Money Talk" at 24255 Novi Road, located in the Pine Ridge Shopping Center, on August 29, 1998 from

10.00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

A public hearing can be requested by any property owner of a structure located within 300 feet of the boundary of the property being considered for temporary use

nt. This request will be considered at 3:00 p.m. on Wednesday, August 26, 1998, at the Novi Civic Center, 45175 West Ten Mile Road. All written comments should be directed to the City of Novi Building Official and must be received prior to August 26, 1998.

(8-13-98 NR, NN 844757)

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NOTICE CITY OF NOVI REQUEST FOR TEMPORARY USE PERMIT **TUP 98-026**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Weis Builders, Inc., is requesting a Temporary Use Permit to allow the placement of a job construction trailer at Marriott Town-place, 42600 Meadowbrook Road, from August 19, 1998 through August 1999. A public hearing can be requested by any property owner of a structure located within 300 feet of the boundary of the property being considered for temporary use

This request will be considered at 3:00 p m. on Wednesday, August 19, 1998, at the Novi Civic Center, 45175 West Ten Mile Road. All written comments should be

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BOOKS, CHAT AND CHOW:

Anyone in the sixth grade or higher who enjoys good books is invited to join this book discussion group, which meets on Tuesday, Aug. 25 at 4 p.m. This month, the group will be discussing "Silver Kiss" by Anne Curtis Klause. Please register at the library or by calling 349-3020

BROWN BAG BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP:

Stop in at the library for this lunchtime book discussion group which meets at 11:30 a.m. on Tuesday, Aug. 25.

This month's topic will be the nonfiction work by Jon Krakauer, "Into Thin Air."

Anyone is welcome to attend these sessions.

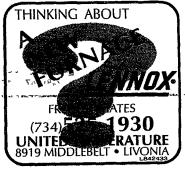
FRIENDS BOOK SALE:

The friends of the Northville District Library raised about \$2,300 at their annual summer used book sale on July 25, selling close to 4,000 books as well as videos.

Profits from the sale are used to enhance services at the library. Used books are on sale throughout the year in the Friends store, located just inside the library entrance.

VICTORIAN FASHION:

On Thursday, Aug. 13 at 7:30 p.m., Dr. Susan Worth, director of Allen House in Birmingham, will present "From Uglies to Unmentionables," a slide show and lecture on Victorian fashion. A great way to prepare for the annual Northville Victorian Festival, attendance at this program is free.





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Northville hot spot for teachers seeking jobs

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By WENSDY WHITE Staff Writer

Teaching jobs in Northville are in high demand, as evidenced by a stack of applications that have piled up on Roy Danley's desk lately.

They came from around the country, and from the pool that grew to some 2,000 applications, the director of personnel hired 14 teachers this year.

"They sought us out. Northville enjoys an excellent reputation and we received hundreds and hundreds of applications unsolicited," Danley said. "We have selected some replacements for retirees and we had five additional positions due to increased enrollment."

Teachers must have a Michigan teacher's certificate to be hired in Northville, but the state has recipro-

cal agreements to accept certificates from certain other states.

Some of the new teachers hail from Florida, Texas, Ohio, Arizona and Massachusetts. The remainder

are from Michigan.
"Certamly we're looking for people with varied backgrounds and varied experience," Danley said.

Among the qualifications the district looks for are previous experience, evaluations from superintendents, recommendations, grade point averages and clubs and activities, Danley said.

Openings are posted at universities, in metro Detroit school districts and with the Metropolitan Bureau of School Services.

Bureau of School Services.

Applicants are interviewed by a team including Danley, building principals and other teachers.

For their first three years on the job the new hires will work with assigned mentors, chosen from experienced teachers at the buildings they are assigned to.

Starting pay for Northville teachers is \$34,000 with a bachelor's degree. At the highest end of the pay scale, teachers with a doctorate and 12 years experience earn a yearly salary of \$66,000.

Danley said there have been more job opportunities for teachers opening up lately, especially in math, science, special education and foreign language

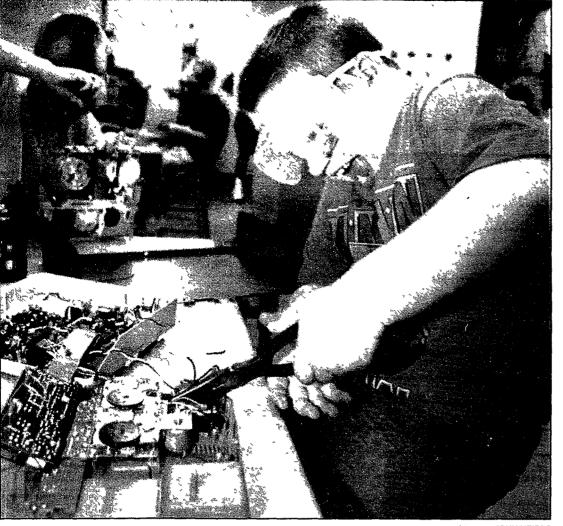
eign language.
"I think there's been a significant increase in hiring in the last two or three years and I look for that to continue with increased retirement and growth in the Metro area," he



Dhate by JOHN HEIDER

Carolyn Miranda, back, will begin her first full year as Northville High School's substance abuse coordinator.





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Getting into Cooke Elementary School's Camp Invention, and opening up and exploring an answering machine for spare parts with a pair of needle nose pliers, is Daniel Amatucci. Amatucci and other students were at the Northville school last week for a series of science and invention exploration classes.

Kids reinvent summer camp during new school program

"It's the first year of many

we hope. Based on enroll-

Karen Stuard

Camp Invention Director

ment, the kids are pretty

By WENSDY WHITE Staff Writer

Wearing safety glasses and wielding screwdrivers, kids recently ripped open VCR's, tore apart toasters and peered into the guts of computer printers at Camp Invention, held at Cooke Middle School July

After destroying the appliances, they put the pieces back together into entirely new, though slightly less technical, creations.

"I'm taking apart a record player. I found a lot of microchips and three batteries," said Christopher Long, a district third-grader. "I don't interested in doing it." think I take apart things at home because my parents don't

With Elmer's glue and a lot of creativity, Long fashioned a "crane" out of parts he found inside, which he used to pick up Styrofoam

discs and drop them into a tin can. The invention may not be in high demand, but it's

That was just part of the fun Long had at Camp Invention, a program new to the Northville Public Schools this summer. The camp was designed to teach kids about such

things as motion, probability and creation through

hands-on activities. With corporate sponsors like Ford, Toyota and TRW, the week-long camp came to the district free, although parents had to pay between \$160-180 per

In it's maiden year, 107 second- through sixthgraders signed on.

"It kind of combines science and a lot of things that we're teaching in our science curriculum," said Jan Purtell, education partnerships facilitator for the dis-

Camp Invention began in Akron, Ohio at the National Inventors Hall of Fame some eight years ago, and arrived to the

Detroit area four years later.

For it's first year in Northville, Karen Stuard, a third grade teacher at Moraine Elementary School, was hired as director to get the camp rolling.

Out of five Cooke classrooms devoted to the camp, one was transformed into Planet Zak, an imaginary new world for children to explore.

Another became a workshop where children fashioned compasses out of magnetized needles, Styrofoam packing popcorn and bowls full of water.

In other activities students made models of roller coasters using Newton's laws and drew maps leading to hidden treasures.

After a brief lecture from a patent attorney and some recreational fun, the camp culminated in an invention fair where kids presented their inventions to family and friends.

"The kids were just totally enthralled," Stuard said. "It's the first year of many we hope. Based; on enrollment, the kids are pretty interested in

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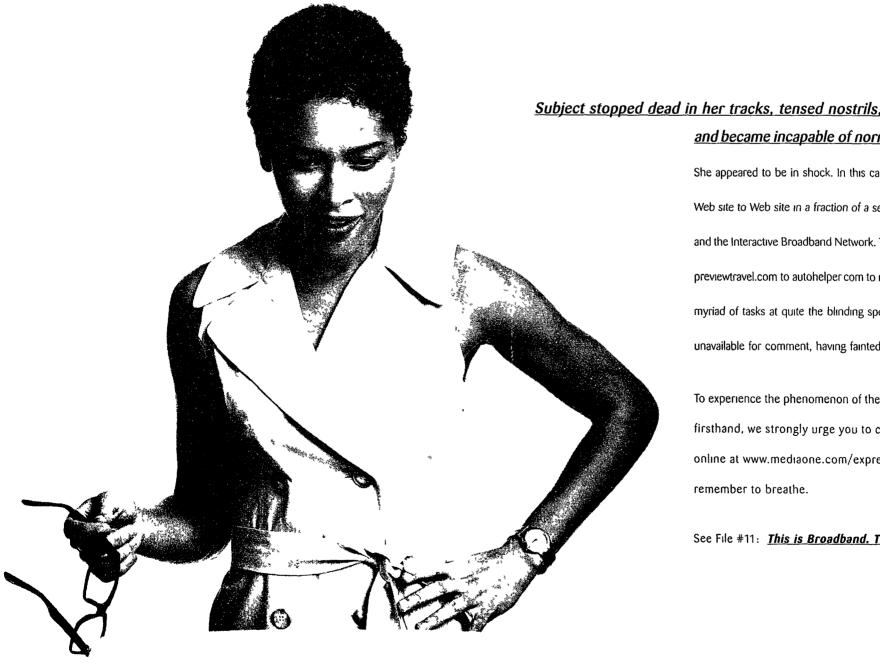
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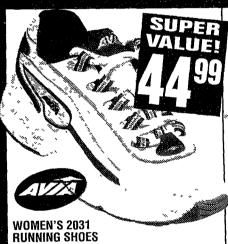
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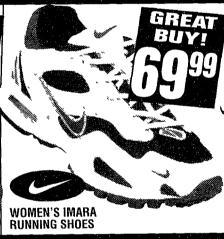


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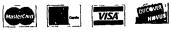
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Downtown featured in Mustang ad

By WENSDY WHITE Staff Writer

Northville storefronts may soon get national exposure as Main Street provides the backdrop for 1999 Ford Mustang marketing

From Dunlap to Center, Main Street was closed down July 26 so that a crew from Detroit's J. Walter Thompson advertising firm could shoot photographs of the latest Mustang model.
"It's a perfect shot. We scouted

all over the place for a location that would be a nice city scene with an urban look," said art director Bob Laperriere. "We knew this was a good place to work, we've done work here before, but when we get done with the whole thing it probably won't look a lot like Northville anymore.'

After downtown Pontiac and Royal Oak nixed the photo shoot because it would interfere with their Sunday night business, Laperriere said Northville was more than accommodating.

In fact, when their water truck lost a wheel at I-275 and Eight Mile Road, the Northville City Fire Department stepped in to keep the street hosed down for a slick, reflective look.

A crew of about 20 people worked from about 2 p.m. to 2 a.m. setting up shots through the afternoon and evening in an effort to capture the perfect look.

Of the 50 shots the crew meticulously staged, one will be chosen as the center spread for the 1999 Mustang showroom brochure, which will mark the 35th anniversary of the car.

We may also use the picture on billboards or print ads depending on how well received it is by

Laperriere said. To execute the shots, a camera car by a long boom. At night, as it moved almost imperceptibly down Main Street, the camera took long exposure which reduced the

client,

our

lights of downtown merchants into blurs of color. The boom and a huge light box

suspended from a crane will later be electronically erased from the

Other photographs featured sun-

set lit clouds above Main Street.

Merchants like Sweet Dreams, Chocolate's by Renee, Northville Marketplace and Bueter's kept their windows lit all night to provide the background.

"We've gotten a lot of cooperation

from the town," said independent producer Michael Jackson. "It's a very, very, very friendly town.

Northville was confirmed as a location just four days before the shoot, which was estimated as costing "in the thousands" to pro-

Don John-

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> Bob Laperriere art director

roads. That's where

belong," Laperriere said. He said Ford likes to stage ads locally, but that's only possible during Michigan's short summers. During the rest of the year they conduct shoots in places down South or on the West Coast.

People around the country who are considering buying a 1999 Mustang will begin to see Northville in dealership showroom catalogs around the first of the

The latest models will be arriv-

ing in dealerships in late November, but some 1999 Mustang prototypes were produced for marketing purposes.

The forest green model that rolled through Northville provided entertainment for residents who came upon the photo shoot during their Sunday strolls.

Ava Spangler noticed the production when she returned to Northville after picking up her granddaughter Robyn, 11, from

Flat Rock. She said she hurried and parked the car at her MainCentre apartment complex and the two walked into town and took a seat on a bench to watch.

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"We just stuck around to watch it and see what's happening. This is an experience for me because I've never seen filming like this before. I think it's great that they would pick Northville because it's such a clean, nice little town and I love living here, believe me.'

At least a dozen spectators lined the street at midnight, including Dave Swider and his dog, Cowboy

"I live real close in the area here. I was walking my dog and saw this big production and like everyone else I wondered what was going on. It's interesting to see how it's done. They move the car real slow but in the pictures they make it look like it's going a hundred miles an hour," Swider said.

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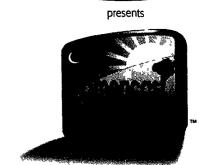
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Obituaries

GRACE H. SHOEBRIDGE

Grace H. Shoebridge of Cheboygan, formerly of Northville, died Aug. 6 at the age of 92. She was born Oct. 31, 1905, in Northville to Merle and Bertha (Brookman)

Mrs. Shoebridge was a homemaker and a lifelong resident of Northville.

She is survived by daughters, Jean Pankow of Northville and Lil-lian Bering of Cheboygan; brothers, Louis Franklin of Florida, and Harold Franklin of Nashville. Mich.; sister, Marian Davis of Milford; seven grandchildren, five great grandchildren, and three great great grandchildren.

Mrs Shoebridge was preceded in death by her husband, Chancy, ın 1970; and a sister, Leilani Skicky, in 1968.

Services were held on Monday, Aug. 10 at Casterline Funeral Home Inc. of Northville. Officiating was the Rev. Dr. Douglas Vernon of the First United Methodist Church of Northville. Interment was in Oakland Hills Memorial Gardens, Novi.

Memorials to your favorite charity would be appreciated.

PEARL E. MILLER

Pearl E. Miller of Northville died Aug. 5 in St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Ann Arbor. She was 69. Mrs. Miller was born Oct. 20, 1928 in Detroit to Gustave and Florence (Knope) Dunbar.

Mrs Miller, a retired nurse's aide, moved to Northville in 1963. Surviving Mrs. Miller are her husband, Lewis J.; daughter, Connie Miller of Livonia; sisters, Ruth Petre of Romulus and Florence Mathias of Riverview; and one

granddaughter, Emily Keyes Services were conducted on Saturday, Aug. 8 at Casterline Funeral Home Inc. of Northville The Rev. J. Cyrus Smith of Faith Community Presbyterian Church, Novi, was the officiant.

Memorials to the American Heart Foundation would be appreciated by the family.

JACK O. D'HAENE

Jack O. D'Haene, 70, died Aug. 7 at his residence in Northville Township. He was born Oct. 9, 1927, in Detroit.

Mr. D'Haene was a superintendent in the construction field with Waterland Trucking Co , Wixom, for 47 years. He was a lifetime member of the Elks Lodge B.P.O.E. No. 1740 in Plymouth and served in the Coast Guard during World

He is survived by his wife, Margaret of Northville Township; sons, George of Washington, David (Wendy) of Northville and Dirk (Shelley) of Pennsylvania; sister, Marcella Dodes of Plymouth; 15 grandchildren and seven great grandchildren.

Mr. D'Haene was preceded in death by daughter, Jacqueline Lea MacGregor; son, Michael; and brother, George.

Services were conducted on Tuesday, Aug. 11 at the Schrader-Howell Funeral Home, Plymouth, with Pastor Lance Rubringer officiatıng. Interment was in Riverside Cemetery in Plymouth.

Memorials to the Michigan Heart Association would be appreciated.

Mill Race

The Northville Historical Society sends a big thank you to Ed Bronson for the antique style signs he donated to Mill Race Village. Making the signs is Ed's hobby. You can see his great work on Sundays from 1 to 4 p.m. in the General Store.

Sunday, Aug. 30 will be an informal fashion show from 1 to 2 p.m. Men, women and children are invited to come and model their Victorian garb as they wander through the grounds and buildings of Mill Race Village. From 2 until 5 p.m. there will be a sale of professionally made costumes and accessories, indicative of the Victorian era. Attendance is unlimited and free of charge. For more information, contact Sonia Swigart at (248) 348-2947.

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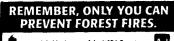
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Saturday, Aug. 15 Two weddings, Church and Grounds, Noon and 2 p.m.

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Northville schools plan parent outreach

By WENSDY WHITE Staff Writer

With the district forking out \$50,000 for communications on a project-to-project basis over the next couple years, school board trustee Richard Brown is wondering if there might be a way to get more for the money.

He suggested hiring a public relations specialist, at least on a parttime basis

"We're certainly a growing district. A district that has changed significantly over the last few years and I think it's important to keep the public apprised of what's going on," said Brown, a human resource manager for Ford. "Maybe it's not a full-time position. Maybe it's a part-time position linked to another position as well, but the amount we seem to be planning to spend on publicity for several different items is equivalent to a part-time position which might produce even more."

He said comparable districts, like Grosse Pointe, Birmingham and Bloomfield Hills have public relations employees that are there to prepare newsletters, provide press releases to the media and consolidate information between schools and staff.

Northville, too, might benefit from hiring someone to act as "a conduit to the public, to get the message out to a wider community."

But it all boils down to the budget. After materials and postage are subtracted from the \$50,000 allocation. not much would be left for salary and finge benefits.

"Do we need another teaching assistant or a public affairs person? That's where the debate will be," Brown said. "Public affairs, public relations, community outreach, whatever term you want to use, it's something we need to do more of. What's the best way? I think that can be debated."

Officials mull why millages failed

By CHRIS C. DAVIS Staff Writer

All eyes were looking in the direction of the Northville Township board of trustees Tuesday, as township residents and support staff were seeking guidance in the wake of last week's millage election results.

Township voters provided just enough 'yes' votes to allow the biggest chunk of the millage request - police and fire protection — to continue being funded for the next eight years.

Portions of the millage requesting park land acquistion and development and services shared with the city of Northville were soundly turned down.

Township supervisor Karen

Woodside said the millage may have turned out the way it did because of some reports circulated which indicated the 6.34 mills being requested

would be added on to the existing 4 mills being paid by residents, for a grand total of more than 10 mills.

Senior services director Karl Peters said he'd had no communication with township leadership since the election and was waiting for direction from the

theory," Peters said. "The board tells us what they'd like to have done and we try our best to implement it."

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"As far as I know, we're still at the status quo."

> Nickie Bateson the topic was City finance director

at forthcoming recreation commission meetings, she'd not had the opportunity to speak with Woodside or other shared services coordinators.

Youth assistance coordinator "It's kind of that trickle-down Mary Ellen King could not be

Northville Township contributes approximately three 4 quarters of all money used for shared services programs, while the city of Northville picks up the tab for the

remainder. The fund-sharing is calculated' based on a combination of state equalized valuation and percentage of tax base in each

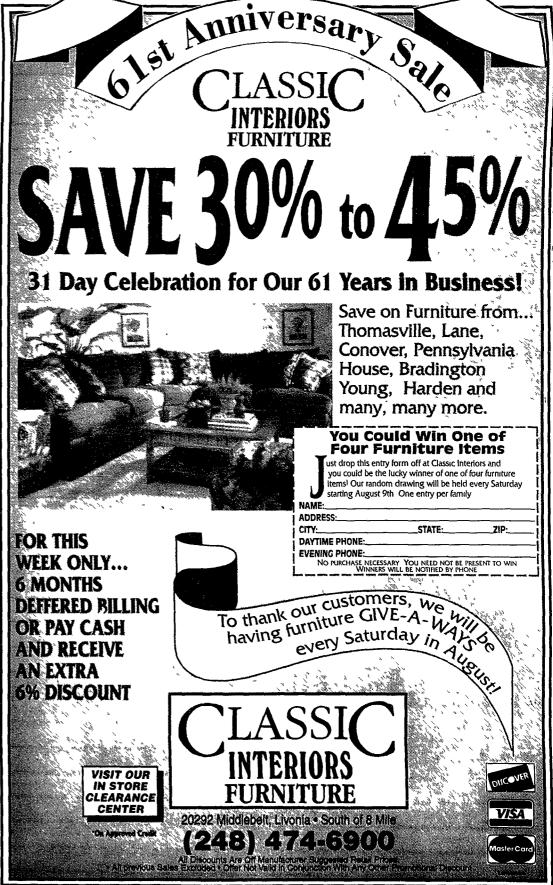
community. City finance director Nickie Bateson said that for the time being, the election results wouldn't have an effect on Northville's financial arrangement with the

township. "As far as I know, we're still at the status quo," she said.

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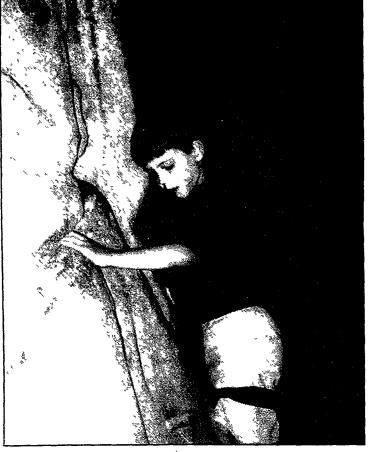


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Justin Schmitt climbs the rock wall at Recreation Equipment Incorporated, located in Northville Township.



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about the recreational oppor-

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"This gives people a taste of the sport. It shows them how complicated, serious it can be; yet a lot of fun, and a confidence builder," she said.

Lee explained that rock climbing is one of the equal opportunity sports, and that girls do as well as boys in this type of activity. She said it boosts their self-confidence.

REI hosts educational programs and does community service. She feels that doing community service is part of what makes REI successful. As a store, they sell outdoor equipment and because the outdoors has to be maintained,

Lee feels that it's important that REI do just that.

'We had 120 volunteers who worked in Maybury State Park recently. They were all high school graduates who

worked on the trails.' said. "There was

one section of the trail that was a total mess. installed new trail signage, and built a boardwalk over the wet areas, she said.

They removed stumps, and spread out redwood chips and blocked off unauthorized trails.

She said that the project was sponsored by the department of Natural Resources and as well as the School for Outdoor Leadership, Adventure and Recreation.

"Every year we organize a ser-

vice project to educate our members, customers, staff, volunteers,

and citizens about the recreational opportunities in the area, and to involve them in its stewardship. she said.

Lee said the company believes environmental conservation and gives a lot staff, volunteers, and citizens

of local grants to local conservation groups. This store is different than others in the outdoor equip-Recreational Equipment Inc. ment market,

according to Lee. They are the largest cooperative of its kind, with a home base in Seattle, Wash.

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"We run our business to benefit

our members," she said. Lee has been a member and employee for a long time. She likes

the customer-friendly atmosphere in the store. "We have excellent customer ser-

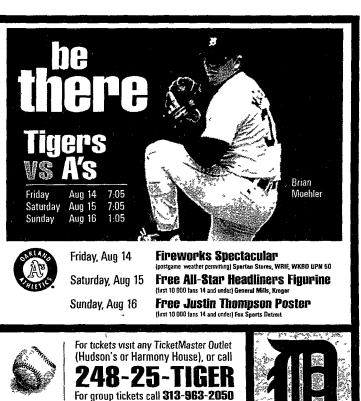
vice. We don't have the name recognition yet," she said. The store carries many items for those who enjoy Michigan's Great

We sell muscle power gear for the individual who cycles, paddles,

hikes, climbs, and camping," she

Our paddling department is bigger than other stores," she said. The store is open Monday-Friday, 10 a.m.-9 p.m.; Saturday, 9 a.m.-9 p.m.; Sunday, 11 a.m.-6

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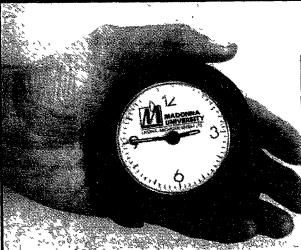
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Maybury sheep killed in dog attack

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Bernard, Mitzie, barking.

"It raised his curiosity. He got up to investigate and saw one of the injured lambs," said Sergeant Mike Panagiotides, who responded to the call. "One of the dogs ran past him. As he walked farther he scared the other dog away from the sheep who died.

"John recognized them as being the dogs of a

Neither police nor Oakland County Animal Control would release the dog owner's name, but said they are investigating a Novi man who has so far denied ownership of the dogs

Beemer said the man is neighbor Jim Zayti, and said he has seen the beagle and shepherd in Zayti's yard three times in the past week.

According to Beemer and police, Zayti and a friend put a dog to sleep last year after it attacked other livestock at the Maybury farm.

"It was an understanding between us at that time that they would do something with their dogs and it didn't happen," Beemer said. At least three pregnant ewes, three lambs, a

goat, ducks and geese have been killed by animals in three other incidents at Maybury over the past two years, according to Fischer. Although there was some question as to

whether coyotes may have been responsible for the killings, Fischer said sightings have proved that theory false.

"There's no way in heck it's a covote. We're

100 percent convinced it's dogs," Fischer said. We've seen them about four times."

The beagle and shepherd have been spotted by others who live near the Maybury farm as

Among them is Westview Road resident Barb Lucas.

After hearing about previous animal deaths, Lucas took precautions to protect her family's Still, she woke up one morning last month to

find four of the family's pet sheep killed in the pasture. Police reports from that incident said the sheep's throats suffered rips the size of a man's

fist, but no paw prints or evidence were found in the area. A four-foot fence around the pasture was

untouched, Northville Township police said. "These were big sheep," Lucas said. "What's

Beemer shared her concern.

"We don't want any child or any visitor to get hurt, plus you don't want to see animals suffer. They're left just laying there. Sometimes we have to put them on to sleep. Most of the time they're in such condition that they're isn't much left of them," Beemer said. "Do I like to see dogs put to sleep? No. I've grown up with dogs but I do not tolerate dogs that kill ani-

According to a Michigan law enacted in 1919,

owners can be charged for a misdemeanor and taken to court if their dogs kill or worry livestock. Dogs must be kept on their owner's property or confined to a leash, unless they are eing used for hunting.

Dogs also must be registered annually and wear a license around their necks.

Sandra Gay, a spokesperson for the Oakland County Animal Control, said a Novi resident has been questioned in the livestock killings, but since the crime happened in Northville Township, it is out of their jurisdiction.

The organization has helped township police set up baited cages in an effort to capture the dogs without injuring them.

Township police also carry snares in their cars to enforce animal control. In this case, township police said they have followed up on witness accounts but haven't

seen the dogs in Zayti's yard. "The animals weren't there and haven't been there since," Panagiotides said.

"The people aren't living up to their responsibility for dog ownership. Once a dog has begun doing something like that it's difficult to get them to stop. This is not the first time we've had problems with domestic animals allowed to run at large. Some people are of the opinion that their dogs shouldn't be chained up or confined but they have no idea what domestic dogs can do to livestock. I'm sure if they saw this they'd be quite sickened.'

NCBA seeks aid for local toddler

By WENSDY WHITE Staff Writer

A three-year-old Northville boy may find relief from constant nausea and vomiting if his parents can build an environmentally-safe home for him.

The Northville Central Business Association would like to help speed the pace of construction by raising money through the "Help Donovan Auction," during the Victorian Festival

The NCBA is seeking volunteers and donations from merchants for the event.

"We've asked for anything of decent quality in lots of one to six," said Ron Bodner, the owner of Copy Boy Printers on Main Street who initiated the idea for the auction.

"We do need more volunteers as well, if anyone wants to make phone calls, pick up items or work at the auction.'

Tentatively scheduled at the downtown gazebo for 7:30 p.m. on Saturday, September 19, the auction was approved by members of the NCBA at a recent meeting.

Donovan Magryta, an only child, has suffered from Cyclic Vomiting Syndrome since birth. His week long episodes of illness and prostration are set off by environmental triggers, which his parents hope to eliminate by building a sanitary, ventilated house.

'We were delighted to see that the community is becoming involved in our lives and Donovan, we hope, will have a good life to look forward to with all the gifts that people have given to him," said the toddler's mother

"We're excited to hear the community of Northville is working hard to help him. We've struggled for three years and we can't do it by ourselves anymore.'

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OPINION

Library board members must keep meetings public

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Northville District Library board of trustees a quick lesson on the Michigan Open Meetings

It seems the trustees have been conducting meetings without keeping minutes - something their own attorney has since advised them against - and if that wasn't bad enough, there are allegations that trustees conducted meetings in private residences and didn't properly post meetings.

Were it not for six library employees, who sent a signed letter to this newspaper outlining the discrepancies, the public might have never known about the clandestine meet-

Just in case you didn't know, minutes to confirm changes in

we're talking about officials who are ... as elected representaelected by Northville and township voters. Because they are bers are obligated to elected by the public, the board and its committees must follow the Open Meetings Act.

The basic intent of the act, which was passed in 1976 along and the provision of with the Freedom of Information Act, "is to strengthen the who foot the bill. right of all Michigan

citizens to know what goes on in be curious as well. government by requiring public bod-les to conduct nearly all business at these board members are obligated

open meetings." manages a little over tax dollars each year.

Infuriated? You bet we are.

According to the library employees' letter, there appears to be "a pattern of either omissions or deliberate withholding of important information that does not allow either the staff or concerned members of the public access to vital public records and information."

"They were discussing things like retirement, things that would directly affect us," said library employee zens who will.

omebody needs to give the Andrew Mutch. "As far as we know the meetings weren't posted. We couldn't attend them because we found out after the fact. We know there's no minutes for these meetings. They've been less than open."

Just wait, it gets better. Library director Julie Herrin confirmed that no meeting minutes were recorded for at least 11 meetings held this year.

Which brings up a few questions. Is this a case of the board not understanding the open meeting requirements? Or are they purposely attempting to circumvent the public process?

Why would the board meet in private? Well, it seems library employees are attempting to unionize, and they originally sought the meeting

employee compensation since the library became a private entity in 1995. Since that time the pay range of some library positions has dropped by about \$3 an hour.

It is no wonder that library employees were curious about what board members talked about during board meetings. With a million dollar budget, the public should

to carry out their business in public Oh, and did we mention the board - to give an accounting of the sion of services to the people who

Not keeping minutes of meetings, not properly posting meetings, and meeting in private are all unacceptable actions, in our opinion, and should not be tolerated.

Because in the final analysis if library board members are not going to serve the best interests of the public in an open and honest manner, than we need to find some citi-

Teamwork kept accident from becoming serious

"good" time for a train derailment, but if ever there was a bad one, it was last Thursday.

Rains the likes of which hadn't been seen in Northville Township for 50 vears poured, flooding streams, soaking basements and eroding the bases for railroad lines. It was a tough day to do much of anything.

It was a particularly tough day to pick up hundreds of tons of freight cars and diesel engines, set them upright and get them clear of the rightof-way. That's not a task easily accomplished, given the heavily wooded spot in which the derailment occurred.

What happened in the township last week could have been a major disaster in terms of its human loss and environmental windfall. With a combination of luck and fast action, those problems were averted.

It's that fast action we think deserves a round of applause.

We commend the township's public safety department, the environmental cleanup crews and representatives from CSX Transportation for their fast response to the mess.

here's no such thing as a Despite having to slog their way through mud, water and thick trees to do dangerous work in a very cramped area, the line was reopened to rail traffic within 36 hours.

No worker was injured during the cleanup and restoration effort. That, we believe, is remarkable. Huge masses of steel and iron fallen into a culvert doesn't make for the safest of working conditions. Neither does the stench of diesel fuel mixing with rotting trees and leaves.

But fire chief Bill Zhmendak, public safety director Chip Snider and more than a dozen other public safety officials raced to the scene. Within hours, repair crews, hazardous substance specialists and a contingent from CSX had also assembled. Rain-soaked, the workers were able to rebuild the track and clean out the spilled fuel.

We say "Well done" to those who made the railways and surrounding residential areas safe on a terrible day for weather. Let's hope it's another century before showers like the ones that caused the derailment return to Northville.

Tragedy is difficult to write about

Today I had to make the hardest phone calls a journalist ever has to

I had to call the friends and family of Susan and Kristen Warnke, a mother and daughter from our community who were killed in a tragic boating accident while on a family vacation to

There is no delicate way to do this. People dealing with grief respond to calls from the media in unpredictable

Some find a flood of relief in talking about their loved ones, letting a deluge of memories pour out in tribute.

Others refuse to say a word, bitter against the intrusion of a stranger into their grieving process.

I don't blame the Warnke's circle of friends for getting defensive when I introduce myself. Swarming TV reporters and sensational newspaper stories are enough to make anyone defensive.

It is awkward and shameful to deal with death as a story and to look at it as a package that needs a photograph, maybe a graphic, and placement above But I have to try, because as I

walked around town the past week, all I heard were questions.

"Did you hear about the Warnkes?" 'What happened?"

"How can this be?"



Wensdy White

The deaths of the Northville High School graduate and her mother, who was set to begin teaching at Thornton Creek Elementary School this fall, was the most important story in the com-

It is a story the paper is expected to

That so many people are concerned testifies to the fact that even though the Warnke family moved to the area just a couple of years ago, this is a town full of people who care about them.

The questions of concern and the expression of grief confirm that the Susan and Kristen had an impact on our community. They remind us that we all must face loss in our lives and seize each moment as it comes.

And it is my job to devote hours to finding out what really happened on that Arkansas lake and to piece

together the legacy of Susan and Kristen for the permanent public record.

It isn't an easy job.

When the photographer set a picture of Kristen down on my desk right before deadline, I caught my breath. For the first time I saw the face of the teenager I had been talking and writing about for days.

At that moment, I wished I could have known her, regretted that I had never met her, and realized that no matter how many phone calls I made I would never understand her or the grief her family must be feeling.

I realized I could never truly convey the personalities of her and her mother in a news story.

But the role of this newspaper is to document history as it unfolds, It is to give voice to the people in the commu-

Right now, many of those voices are choked with sadness. Many others are

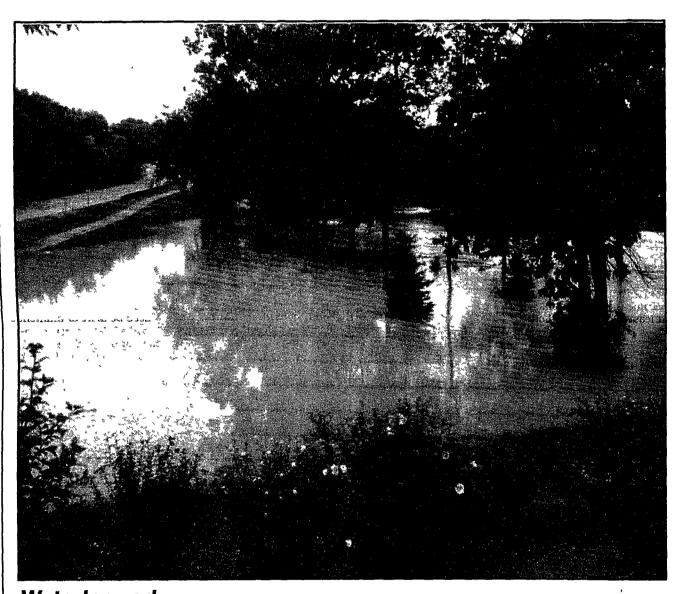
All voices are altered when asked to speak of two intelligent, ambitious individuals who died too young. Some may choose to reflect in

Others may wish to speak out in

memory. The community is listening.

Wensdy White is a staff writer for the. Northville Record.

In Focus by John Heider



Waterlogged

Northville Township's Waterbend Park was inundated with water Thursday morning as the tributary of the middle Rogue River pushed its way well onto the land surrounding the Northville Road park.

At Bueter's Outdoors I'm fit to be tied

There's a place in Northville where everyone knows my name. No, it's not the Cheers -like atmosphere of Northville's Poole's Tavern, (although that's close) The Northville Police Department Parking Citation Division, or the staff at the Arbor Drugs' One Hour photo-processor.

No, for me it's the Main Street hangout for Northville's fly-fishing slackers, pros, wanna-bees, whiners, liars and devotees: Bueter's Outdoors. Everyone, and I mean everyone at this sport shop knows my name for one simple reason: I'm in the darn place, under normal circumstances, every weekday. That's right, Monday through Friday I usually make one appearance a day at

My frequent visits are something of a small legend in the shop and I'm looked at by the shop's minions as someone afflicted with an as-of-nowstill-legal form of retail stalking. I might stop by in the early morning to buy a small package of elk hair for later use at my fly-tying bench, or at lunch-time to sit with owner John Bueter at his fly-tying area -watch him devour his Genitti's sub - and hear how his recent fishing trip was to the Pere Marquette River.

I have also been known, from time to time, to make the quick two-minute walk from my Main Street office to the shop in the late afternoon to make flyfishing plans for that evening with the peanut gallery assembled at Bueter's. Perhaps, too, a quick visit after my



John Heider

day at the Northville Record and Novi News are complete would be in order to fiddle with that new Mastery Series reel and dream of a purchase. It's safe to say, that if a satellite were ever knocked out again, rendering my pager useless, my fellow journalist colleagues could find me at Bueter's.

I don't know what continually brings me back to this three-year-old Northville fly-fishing shop practically every day. Having a place where one is known and liked and occasionally looked to for valuable information is good, even necessary. But there's something more about the establishment that keeps me coming back (every day). It probably has something to do with all the Johns.

There's a more concentrated number of John-sightings at Bueter's than you'd find at a police prostitution sting. There's me, John Heider - photojournalist, and tier of the tiniest flies you've ever caught trout on; John

Bueter - owner of Bueter's, salesman, friend and storyteller extraordinaire; John Long - bamboo fly-rod, canoe and kayak maker and a shop regular; John Spiess, Bueter's Rookie Salesman; John McClain - teacher of Atlantic Salmon fly-tying classes; and Bueter's employee and lover of Pinckney-area lakes, John Bayerl,

Bueter's inviting: I've never been looked with exasperation by shop employees when I've made it clear that I won't be making any purchases that day. It's also decidedly generous and I'll more often than not walk out of there with a couple friends' donated flies or a handful of fellow-regular Jackie Loce's indescribably delicious cookies. Bueter's doesn't take itself too seriously: John Bueter proudly hangs a sign above his java-station that reads: "Voted Northville's Worst Coffee - Help Yourself!" and during the winter holidays, the shop's terrifingly-huge caribou, elk and other trophy mount heads are festively adorned with 'Santa Claus" hats, tinsel, and colorful glass balls.

It's good for people to have a place like Bueter's in Northville. If I'm lucky, on my way out of the shop, John will entreat me to "be careful out there." I usually am careful out there, and know I'll hear those friendly words again, soon. Perhaps in Twenty-four

hours. Or less. John Heider is the staff photographer for the Northville Record and Novi

Make way for entrepreneurial government

Reading publications entitled "Award Winning Joint Projects" ordinarily is not the way I'd prefer to spend my time.

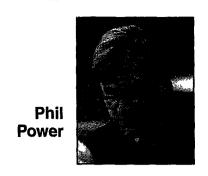
But this particular booklet, put out jointly by SEMCOG (Southeastern Michigan Council of Governments) and MAC (Metropolitan Affairs Coalition), turns out to be great reading. It details a bunch of joint projects undertaken by local governments in this area that both cut costs to taxpayers and improve community services.

They are part of a growing movement toward something called "entrepreneurial government," the term coming from Tim Richard, who covers governmental doings for this newspaper.

The idea is that historically governments have been pretty good at doing more and more when they revenue base was growing, but they have proven largely clueless at doing more when revenue was shrinking. In response to this problem, some governmental leaders are trying to learn the habits of entrepreneurs, who run their businesses by finding ways to cut costs, improve productivity, innovate and even take risks.

Here's an example from Livingston County, which used to be mostly serene, rural farm country; but today is the fastest growing county in Michigan.

Going back to 1989, the Brighton Post of the Michigan State Police provided County residents with 911 emergency services. But the explosive growth of the county soon stretched to the breaking point the system's capacity, and it had to be abandoned.



At that point, government leaders in Livingston County could have thrown up their hands and let individual communities such as Brighton and Howell go their own separate ways in providing 911 emergency services, each with its own overhead costs. But the County Board of Commissioners authorized a study that determined that a shared countywide emergency dispatch system would save money and improve service.

In the fall of 1997, Livingston County voters approved by 57 percent the largest emergency telephone surcharge in the state for a new 911 system. The total charge per oneparty line is capped at \$3 per month. For that, Livingston County residents get a totally new 911 communications system and dispatch facility, designed to meet the growth requirements of the county into the next

Another example comes from Novi, formerly little more than the old name for the sixth (in Roman numerals, No. VI; get it?) stop on the inter-urban street railway, but today a mushrooming community surrounding enormous shopping malls.

In 1995, the Novi Community School District realized it needed to build new schools in response to increasing population, while the city wanted to acquire some additional land for parks and recreation before the community was fully developed.

Voila! Enter entrepreneurial government! Leaders from the city and the schools got together to buy 100 acres of land on Eleven Mile and Wixom roads for joint use.

Both city and school benefited from reduced costs for land acquisition and site development. New elementary and middle schools will come on line in 1999 and 2000 to serve Novi kids. And more than 50 acres of athletic fields, tennis courts, woodlands and wetlands are now available for commu-

I happen to believe that entrepreneurial government - the habits of mind that focus on getting more - are the wave of the future in local government. Maybe folks running for governor and for the state Legislature would like to address this idea as the campaign gets under way.

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For reasons I still vividly recall, I decided to end my high school education shortly after it-began. I was aided enormously with this decision by a persuasive desk-pounding tirade from the principal.

So no year book pictures for me. No reunions. No emotional recollections of the good old days in high school. None of that.

Oh, don't feel sorry for me. I owe my career as a teacher to that principal. His emotional onslaught fueled me with an overpowering desire to become a teacher. Not just any teacher. I would become the best teacher the world had ever seen. I would reach kids that no one else could reach. Kids would learn things never before thought possible. I would show that principal a thing or two about education. The world would see what outstanding teaching really is.

Midway through my third week of teaching I found myself throwing a chalk eraser over the heads of my out-of-control eighth graders. It was not going to be easy. Still the desire was there and I have convincing evidence that, to many people, while I never became the greatest teacher who ever lived, I

Incidentally, Reempleted high school through correspondence courses and the General Educational Development (GED)

I mention these personal anecdotes to



Michael **Abbott**

raise a concern. With the movement in full flight towards common standards, how much thought has been given to late bloomers? To students with horrendous home problems that make school work irrelevant? To students pushed out of school? To students who matured too late to do well in school? To the drop out, whatever the reason, who wants to get back on track?

Will pressures for higher scores force principals to drop or "push out" low-scoring students? Some experts predict it. If you think his is outrageous, consider Atlanta, Ga. There school officials say that the pressures to improve scores compelled them to ban recess in their elementary schools. They aren't even building elementary schools with playgrounds. A New York Times article

quotes a youngster asking, "What's recess?" In the end we may have destroyed in these children their motivation for academic learning for short term high test results.

Currently those who have left school without graduating may take the GED. It is generally accepted as a high school diploma. The Michigan Education Assessment Program (MEAP) standards add another dimension to out-of-school youth wishing to earn high school equivalency. Will the GED be changed to contain similar standards? If so, will they be recognized by colleges and employers? Or will these students need to study for both the GED and the MEAP tests? If they take the MEAP, will they need a GED in Michigan? I believe that these students should meet the same standards and have the same opportunity as graduating students to take and pass these tests. But how will they fit in?

The genius of American education is the assumption that all can learn and that it's never too late. The GED gives a second change to drop outs. How does it fit with the

Let's be alert to unintended consequences. Above all, let us never close the door to any-

G. Michael Abbott is a columnist for the

Letters to the Editor

Success of police millage tied to efforts of many

To the editor:

The success of the 1998 millage campaign was due in part to the positive image and quality of services in Northville Township. The Department of Public Safety emphasized our commitment to the community throughout the past years with a strong performance record in both police and fire related incidents.

The Department of Public Safety thanks the efforts of many people: Supervisor Woodside and the Northville Township Board of trustees, with special thanks to Trustee Russ Fogg for his time spent at the election polls. Finance Director Thelma Kubitskey for her continued guidance. Bill Brown, the chairman of the "Say Yes" campaign. Maureen Oseiki who helped keep the committee on track, Traci Sincock and Mary Ellen King who assisted with distributing the "Say Yes" message for Public Safety. Sgt. John Werth who oversaw the efforts of department personnel. Fire Chief Zhmendak for his assistance and help from all the full-time and paid-on-call membership of the fire division.

We are especially grateful for the extraordinary assistance provided by Bill Pomeroy in distributing literature to the Country Club Condominium Association members. There are dozens who have shared knowledge, ideas, and approaches which only served to enrich our efforts.

Finally, we wish to thank the editorial staff and members of The Northville Record and Plymouth Crier for their support along with the groundswell of support provided by residents of this community who have providfunding tool for building an even stronger community partnership. C. Snider, Director

Public Safety

Strip malls are redundant

To the editor:

We do not need another strip mall on Beck Road. The drive down Beck is very nice. Please do not ruin it. Strip malls are ugly and redundant.

Letty Lederman

Is it too late to rescue feminism?

To the editor:

The word feminist has brought opprobrium to those women who claim that designation. No little help was given its distorted meaning than by the constant attack by that paragon of virtue Rush Limbaugh who referred to them as "feminazi."

That once proud word has been distorted, says Marianna Means (Hearst Newspapers), so much, over two decades, that no one really knows what it means any-

Webster's Collegiate Dictionary defines feminism as "the theory of political, economic and social equality of the sexes." Is that

Means goes on to say that femi-

nism is "about empowerment in all

dence, intelligence, emotional stability and cultural worth." Is that

Is it too late to rescue the word feminism from its present contorted image? Let us hope not. Let us hope that before long the once failed Constitutional Amendment guaranteeing women's rights will pass, notwithstanding the South Baptist Convention's decree that a wife should "submit graciously to the servant leadership of her husband." Is that bad? Yes.

Alfred P. Galli

'Friends' receive thanks for efforts

To the editor:

The youth librarians at the Northville District Library would like to graciously thank the Friends of the Library and all of the wonderful volunteers who assisted with programs, the generous local businesses who supported the summer reading program, Northville schools for their promotion, all of the fabulous guest performers, and all of our fantastic readers and Read-to-Me Listeners.

All of you helped to make the Reading is Dino-Mite" Summer Reading Program 1998 a complete success. We are so very proud of the 471 children from the community who were involved in this reading program. We hope that you enjoyed another summer of reading and fun programs at the library. The

extend a special thanks to the following supporters: The Friends of the Northville District Library, Janine Bauchat and the Friends Store, Roz Fink for exceptional volunteer coordination, Northville District Library Teens in Control Group, Northville District Library Staff, Hiller's Market of Northville, Meijer of Northville, U Take the Cake of Plymouth, Little Caesars Pizza, and Skatin' Station II of

To Northville Schools with special thanks to Carol Paielli, Amerman Elementary media Specialist; Lisa Evey, Silver Springs Elementary Media Specialist; Dawn Hayes, Moraine Elementary School Media Specialist; Dannie Durant, Winchester Elementary Media Specialist; and Geri Goff, Thornton Creek Media Specialist.

A gracious note of thanks to the following volunteers: Amy Storm, Carol Bodrie, Carol Krueger, Cheryl Nelson, David Wendland, Debbie Valencio, Diane Jones, Dottie Bach, Happy Jolliffe, Heidi Bulich, Jana Cordon, Joanne and Tom Dewey, K.C., Emma and Sarah Kidder, Kari Hartman, Kevin Sanker, Kimberly Kirk, Kristy Sobran, Lukas and Bradley Moore, Lynn Parkiian, Michele Fecht, Pat Wright, Robyn Sabourin, Sara Hunter, Stacey Seltz, Stephanie Seyfarth, Suzanne Wegener, Victoria Stephens, Harshini Jayasuriyia, Terri Tripp, and all of our wonderful teen volunteers.

Dorie Freebury, Director Youth Services Northville District Library

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Arkansas boating accident claims 2

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Susan and Kristen Warnke were struck by the hull and propeller of the boat and Serra Quakenbuse and Katie Warnke escaped injury, police said.

"At some point in time the boat did alter its course and began to loop outside the area where they were. At that time some people stopped to pick them up," Farmer

He said it appears all four women were pulled from the water onto a pontoon boat and taken to the Loch Lomond Marine.

Police said an ambulance rushed the injured to Bates Medical Center, located 10 miles away

ın Bentonville, Ark. Susan Warnke died there that

Kristen Warnke was transferred by an Air Evac helicopter 10 more miles to Northwest Medical Center ın Springdale, Ark.

She remained in critical condition until she passed away on Saturday, August 8.

The Warnke family was in Bella Vista visiting Susan Warnke's parents, Virgil and Christine Sun-

quist, who live in the community. They had borrowed a boat from a neighbor to go tubing, an activity that is common, legal and not con-

sidered to be risky, police said. "I didn't see anything wrong

with the actions they were doing," Farmer said.

Police said the all-sports lake was busy the evening of the accident, but not crowded over capaci-

"It does see quite a bit of boat traffic but not more boats than it can handle," Farmer said.

After the accident, unmanned boat was unapproachable. The waters around the unmanned boat were evacuated as park officials monitored the craft until it ran out of gas.

Farmer described Loch Lomond as a deep lake surrounded by homes with no public access beaches. The community of Bella Vista has a population of 13-14,000 people.

Susan Warnke is survived by her husband, Dale Warnke, and two daughters, Katie, a 16-yearold junior at Northville High, and Kimberly, 12, a seventh grader at Cooke Middle School.

The couple were married in 1976 and moved to Novi two years ago from a suburb of Memphis,

Susan Warnke is also survived by her sister Serra Quakenbuse, who resides in Golden, Colo., and brother Scott Sunquist, who lives in Pittsburg, Pa.

A substitute and student teacher for Northville Public Schools, Susan Warnke was recently hired

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to teach first grade at Thornton Creek and was set to start her new job in the fall.

She earned a cum laude bachelor's degree from Miami University in Ohio in 1974. Later, she returned to Schoolcraft College and achieved her teaching certificate from Eastern Michigan University in 1997 with a 4.0 grade point average.

On her resume, she described erself as enjoying travel, reading, skiing, walking, sewing, cooking

Kristen Warnke, according to friends, was popular and intelligent and had planned to attend Miami University of Ohio, in the

Warnke was a member of the National Honor Society and a student council senior class represen-

"You remember her as a student who took part in leadership activities, clubs and organizations and athletics and at the same time realized the importance of her academics, which she demonstrated by finishing with a 3.89 grade point average, which is just excellent," said Northville High assistant principal Dennis Colligan. "She was a very competitive person in swimming but extremely compassionate to her fellow students. She was very integral in shaping the image of Northville

If it does

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High School and we were proud to send her anywhere as a representative of our school."

"She pretty much swept honors night," said student council president Josh Brugeman. "She was just almost a benchmark of society and just led a real high quality of life each day.'

Active in the local Young Life Christian group and the youth group at Northville's First United Methodist Church, Kristen Warnke was also named a Detroit Free Press Scholar Athlete her senior

She was a lifelong swimmer who co-captained Northville High's varsity swim team.

"She was a great captain. She was smart, she was talented. She was the fastest person on the team, a great role model," said cocaptain and close friend Alice Callan.

Kristen is survived by her father, sisters, maternal grandparents, paternal grandmother Marie Warnke and great-grandmother Mary Michalski.

A visitation for the mother and daughter was held at Casterline Funeral Home in Northville on Wednesday.

A memorial service will be conducted this afternoon at the First United Methodist Church, at 777 Eight Mile Road in Northville at 1 p.m.

Saving on home insurance is "No Problem."

Unfinished detention pond

by the rainstorm.

the detention pond.

grander scale," he said.

fall was especially heavy.

The couple moved into their

newly built home in early May.

and have spoken out against the

removal of trees and the safety of

little bit that happened yesterday

and it could happen again on a

But Bolitho said the work

planned within the next week

should solve the problem, which

happened only because the rain-

neighboring properties were

affected. What happened is that,

number one, that rainfall was a

significant rainfall in a short

period of time," Bolitho said.

tion. Had the walls of the deten-

tion basin been in place the

water would have drained prop-

Secondly, we're under construc-

"It's unfortunate that the

These are our fears. We saw a

causes flooding problems

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connect the detention pond drain

to the county system, which is

The work is expected to take

five days, according to Dave

Bolitho, Assistant Superinten-

dent for Administrative Services

Bolitho said the north wall of

the detention pond will be increased to around 10 feet as

well. The north wall of the pond

abuts the Yakima's property and

other homes along Stonebrook

But Yakima said that the

repairs are being initiated only

after two rainstorms damaged

trees and landscaping on their

property.
"We had to suffer the conse-

quences for that," Yakima said.

Luckily, he said, other land-

scaping that was set to be installed last week was delayed

already in place underground.

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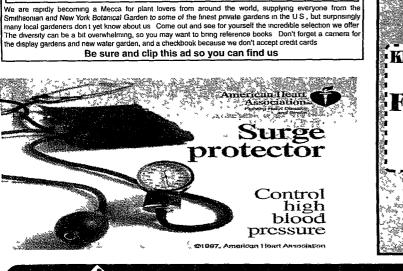
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Township hit by wet weather

Hines Park area, Kings Mill receive brunt of heavy rainfall

By CHRIS C. DAVIS Staff Writer

The weekend wasn't very restful for Northville and Northville Township public works employees, as the communities struggled to dry out following hard rains which hit southeast Michigan.

Township public services director Don Weaver said reports of flooding came in from several areas of the township, but said Hines Park, King's Mill and properties nearby the site for the forthcoming Northville High School were particularly hard-

Several inches of rain descended on the greater Detroit area on Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday, swelling rivers and putting low-lying areas under

On Monday, Weaver said he was meeting with members of his staff to take an assessment of the flooded areas and to determine what steps, if any, could have been taken to prevent the sort of prob-

lems which occurred.

We're a modern community, which means we've been able to take advantage of stormwater detention planning," Weaver said. "We've got places in the township that hold water back so it won't auto-

matically flow stormwater sewers. Despite the fact things looked bad, we're still probably better off than other communities

Don Weaver township director of public services

off than other communities

The design of the township's water system takes into account 10-year storms, Weaver said. Early indications suggested last week's rainfall was far in excess of those design projections.

"Personally, I don't think this was anything but unusual,"

Weaver said. He also said complaints lodged by residents and businesses were largely not the responsibility of the township. Weaver said that the township supplies water and sanitary sewer service, but stormwater sewer is

more often than "Despite the fact things looked under the jurisdiction of bad, we're still probably better Wavne County or individual subdivisions.

> Water buildup along the back side Knightsbridge Mall on Seven Mile Road placed

heavy pressure on a retaining wall which separated the shopping area from Innsbrook Apartments. Public safety director Chip Snider said the wall acted as a dike, but eventually gave way.

Snider said the flow sent mud, cinder blocks and water tumbling downhill in the direction of Innsbrook's tennis courts and swimming pool.

The water eventually settled in a low-lying portion of the complex's driveway, trapping a tenant in her car as she tried leaving her home to go to work.

She ended up calling us on her cell phone and told us she was basically floating in this water in her car," Snider said, adding that based on his experience, the model of the woman's car - a Mazda Miata — was virtually water-tight, and should have been able to fend off the outside water pressure.

That information was conveyed to the driver, who stayed put until the car was able to resume driving

"You don't get those kinds of calls around here every day," Snider said.

Drier, cooler and less humid weather was expected for the remainder of this week and into

Rain, flooding causes CSX train derailment

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Wilcox Lakes to catch the fuel which made its way into the cur-

"The local fire departments were able to react quickly and get their booms in place. That was a smart move," Schrameck said.

Fire chief Bill Zhmendak said 12 firefighters and two police officers were summoned to the scene. Though a good portion of the clean-up work was turned over to CSX and their contractor affiliates, Zhmendak said fire crews were keeping a watchful eye on wind direction.

Fumes from the leaking fuel, Zhmendak said, could have made people sick if the scent was carried to a residential area.

"Luck was really on our side for this one," he said. "Those fumes smell bad, and if people inhale too much of them, you can awfully get nauseous from

No evacuations were necessary, Zhmendak said.

The derailment was the first Zhmendak said he'd seen first-

"It was amazing how much

damage there was to see there,' he said. "It was also amazing to see how aggressive CSX was

about getting the area cleared." Had the accident happened only half a mile further north, Zhmendak said the derailment could have been much more seri-

"If this was going to happen, it couldn't have happened at a bet-

ter place," Zhmendak said. The six freight cars were carrying used railroad ties, according to Snider.

CSX spokesperson Rob Gould said the train was en route to the greater Toledo area from Saginaw when it derailed. A total of

75 cars were hooked up.
Repair crews for CSX were able to have the area cleared and reopened for train traffic by Friday afternoon, Gould said. The crews brought in heavy moving equipment and tons of new ballast to reconstruct the roadbed, then laid new track.

Gould said CSX was performing internal investigations to determine an official cause of the accident, though he said it 'strongly appeared" as if heavy rains played a key role.

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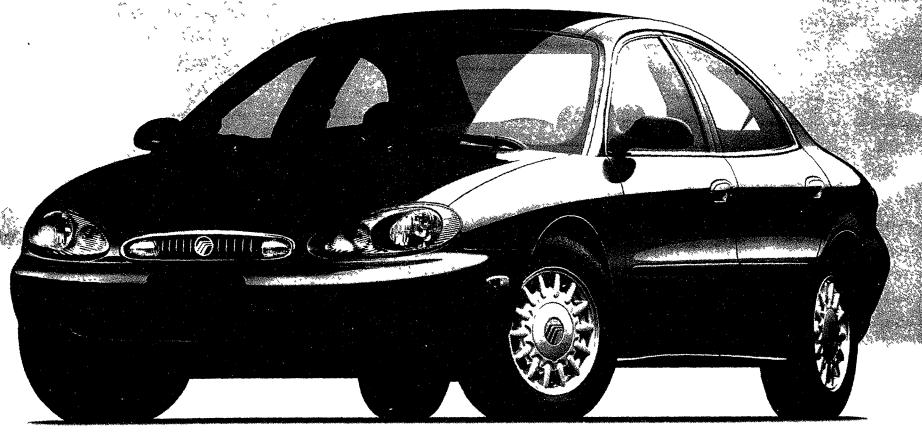
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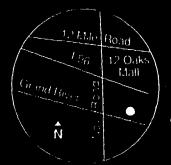
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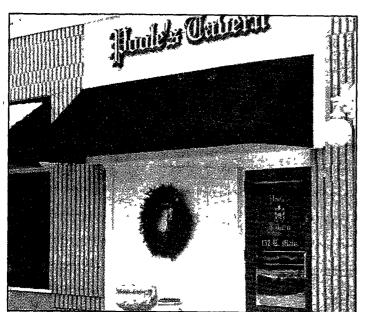


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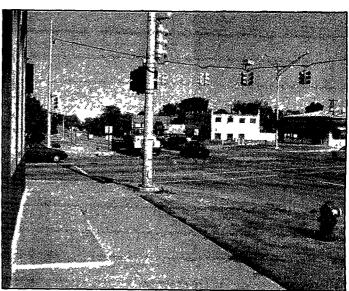
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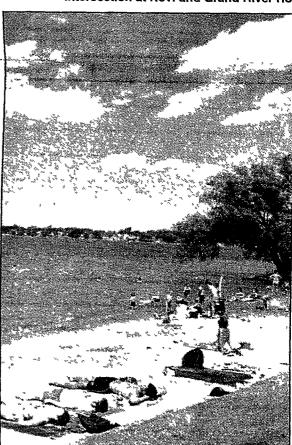
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Cobbler



Intersection at Novi and Grand River Roads, Novi



Lake Shore Park, Novi

Tom Martin, shown here with cabin counselor Josh Walter, has been attending MDA camp for about 10 years.

Campers, counselors alike enjoy camp MDA sponsors summer fun in Lexington

By CAROL DIPPLE

As summer winds down. campers and counselors can look back on some memorable experi-

Muscular Dystrophy Association camps were founded in 1955 to provide six to 21 year olds who have neuromuscular disorders with a free, week-long camping experience either in June or

Volunteers like Dorothy Sitarski and Melanie Barnes, both of Northville, work one-on-one with campers

Sitarski has been volunteering for seven years. Her granddaughter, Tammie Groth, 17, has spinal muscular atrophy, one of about 40 diseases included in MDA's program, and attends the camp.

Sitarski's daughter Tammie's mother, Connie Groth of Livonia, is the arts and crafts chairperson at the camp, and one of the reasons she became "We give our hearts and souls to this."

-Dorothy Sitarski

"I love it because I have family there and I see the good times these children have," said Sitarski, a Northville resident for 26 years. "We give our hearts and souls to

Throughout the year, Sitarski helps pick up arts and crafts supplies for Groth.

"I am the volunteer 'gofer' during camp," Sitarski said.

Driving to Lexington or Port Huron to get supplies can take almost a full day. "That leaves the nurses and other staff people to

stay with the kids at camp. Activities available for campers include side-car rides with members of the Harley-Davidson Owners Group, arts and crafts, fishing, boating and horseback rid-

Thomas Martin, 20, has been attending the MDA camp at Camp avell in Lexington, Mich. for 10 or 11 years. He has been a partner of volunteer counselor Fred Geisler of Westland for about four years.

"He was a volunteer there for many years and helped me out so he became my counselor," Tom

Tom enjoys talking to all the volunteers and campers but especial-

ly hanging out with Geisler. Tom moved to Northville about a year ago with his parents, Dawn

and Mike Thompson. Tom has seen attendance grow tremendously since he first started attending camp and also change from an even split between adults and youth campers to mostly chil-

Next summer is the last year Tom will be eligible to attend as a camper but he plans to stay on as a staff member. Tom sees Geisler throughout the

year and the two go to movies or hang out with friends.

Organizations can sponsor a local youngster with neuromuscular disease. The cost of one week of camp is \$400.

Sponsors are recognized on the local broadcast of the Jerry Lewis MDA Labor Day Telethon and invited to attend the VIP day at

Volunteer counselors must be 16 years of age or older.
In 1997, MDA sponsored 83

camps for more than 4,000 young people at 72 campsites in 41 states and Puerto Rico. MDA camps are staffed by health professionals who volunteer their services, as well as the volunteer counselors.

For more information, call the Muscular Dystrophy Association regional office at (810) 274-9090.

On Campus

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DANIEL J. WROBLESKI recently received a four-year bachelor of business administration degree and a two-year associate of arts degree from Northwood University.
Wrobleski is the son of John and

Kathleen Wrobleski of Northville.

CHRISTINA MIMIKOS and AUDREY JOHNSON, Northville High School students, recently participated in a one-week program at the Summer Institute of Technology hosted by Michigan Tech University.

The program included a study of wildlife and forest ecology at the Ford Forestry Center in Alberta, Mich., as well as laboratory work on Michigan Tech's campus.

Johnson, a senior, is the daughter of Julie and Stuart Johnson of Northville.

Mimikos is the daughter of Karen and George Mimikos, also of Northville. She is a junior.

HEATHER TINGUELY recently graduated magna cum laude from Carleton College with a bachelor of arts degree in political science.

Tinguely is the daughter of Diane and Joe Helbert of Northville.

Recognized for their academic

achievement and named to the Dean's Honor List for winter term at the University of Michigan College of Engineering were Northville students: JOSEPH N. ALLEN, DAVID J. LEONE, JARED CROMAS, DAVID McCULLOCH, EDWARD M. MURPHY, CYNTHIA M. PHILLIPS, TIMOTHY M. POLSINELLI, STEVEN M. HALL, AMITY J. HECKEMEYER, JASON F. KIEHLER, JENNIFER A. SLOANE, PAUL R. STACHURA, AMBER M. STEPHENS, ADAM R.

PAMELA LYNN CLANCY recently graduated summa cum laude from Ohio Wesleyan University and was awarded a bachelor of arts degree. During her college career, she was affiliated with Phi Beta Kappa.

WEBER, SARAH J. WEBER, LUKE W. WILCOX, and DEVON E.

WOODRUFF.

Clancy is the daughter of Michael and Linda Clancy of Northville. She is a graduate of Ladywood High School.

AMY SLOAN NICHOLS of Northville was recently awarded a doctor of philosophy (Ph.D.) degree from Wayne State University.

Announcement of **HEATHER TINGUELY** of Northville being elected a member of Mortar Board at Carlaton College was made at the recently held annual Honors Day Convocation.

Mortar Board, a national honor society, recognizes students who have combined distinguished scholarship, leadership, and service to their colleagues and the college community.

Tinguely, a junior political science major at Carleton, is the daughter of Diane and Joe Helbert of Northville and Roberto Ortiz. She is a 1994 graduate of Garland High School in Garland.

attended Interlochen Arts Camp, a premier fine arts camp.

Nerio, the son of Mark and Lou Ann Nerio, studied Shakespeare Theater Production at the camp. This was his first time as a camper at Interlochen.

AMANDA J. NELSON, SHANNON E. POWELL and HEATHER D. HUIZING, Northville students at Hope College, were named to the Dean's List for the second semester of the school year.

JASON DANIEL FISHER of Northville has been named to the Dean's and Freshman Honor Roll for spring semester at the University of Wyoming.

The Dean's and Freshman Honor Roll consists of regularly enrolled undergraduates above freshman standing who earned a 3.4 or better grade point average, and freshmen who have earned at least a 3.25 grade point average.

DEREK D. HANSON of Northville graduated on May 9 from Middle Tennessee State University, with a bachelor's degree in mass communicationtelevision production.

Named to the Dean's List for winter term at Western Michigan University were the following Northville students: MICHAEL J. BASSE, graphic design; ADRIENNE MARY BLOTKAMP. elementary group minors; RORY B. CARPENTER, nursing; MELISSA FALLOT, accountancy; ELIZABETH GANFIELD, occupational therapy; SHAWN N. HOPPER, general business; ROBYN LYNN LIST, computer information systems; ALYSSA S. MENKE, elementary group minors; ERIN ELIZABETH MOORE, dance; SHARON M. MURPHY, engineering management; MICHELLE R. PARTLOW, pre-occupational therapy; BEVERLY A. RICHARDSON, management; and AMY M. THELEN, French.

SCOTT MICHAEL BRICKER graduated magna cum laude on May 16 from North Carolina State University with a bachelor's degree in electrical engineering. His memberships in college included the Gold Key Honor Society and Eta Kappa Nu, an electrical engineering honorary fraternity. He also participated in the Co-Op Engineering program, served as a freshman tutor, and played on the 1993 campus championship intramural basketball team.

Bricker is a 1993 graduate of Southfield-Lathrup Senior High School. He has accepted an engineering position with Harris Corp.

and will relocate to Melbourne, Fla. KRISTIN LORRAINE BRICKER graduated from the University of Detroit-Mercy on May 10, earning a juris doctorate and a master's degree in business administration. While at UDM, she was a member of the Student Bar Association and the Order of Barristers. As a first year student, she was a winner of the Oliver Wendell Holmes Moot

Court competition. Bricker received her bachelor of arts degree in 1995 from Alma College. She majored in international business and German, the subject of which she graduated with honors. She graduated from

School in 1991, and is currently employed as a law clerk for the Dearborn City Corp. Counsel.

Scott and Kristin are the children of Jerry and Linda Bricker of Northville.

Indiana University held commencement ceremonies in May. Graduating were Northville residents SUSAN CONWAY and JENNIFER ERIN McCORMICK.

Conway received a master's degree in business administration; McCormick was awarded a bachelor of science degree in business.

Named to the Dean's Honor Roll for winter semester at Walsh Northville students: **JENNIFER** CRAWFORD, master's in information management and communication; JANET EVANS, bachelor of accountancy; PAMELA

FLEISCHER, bachelor of accountancy; BRENDA McMAHON, master's in management; and KEVIN PATMORE, master's in manage-

Northville students LYNN HOUGH, master's in finance; DEBRA KIRAR, bachelor of business administration, majoring in management; and VLADIMIR STECKO, master's in finance, have been named to the President's Walsh College.

KARL FREYDL of Northville was awarded a doctor of osteopathic medicine degree by the Chicago College of Osteopathic Medicine, a college of Midwestern University. Dr. Freydi will pursue a physical medicine and rehabilitation residency at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minn., following his internship.

Dr. Freydl is the son of Robert Freydl of Northville and June Freydl of Detroit. He is a 1987 graduate of Northville High School, and received his bachelor's degree in chemical engineering from Michigan State University in 1992.



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Timothy is a two and a half year old American Eskimo. He is very sweet according to a Critter Connection volunteer.

Adoption fees are \$125 for puppies and \$100 for adult dogs which includes shots, neutering, worming and heartworm check. The fee is refundable if for some reason the adoption does not work out and the dog needs to be returned to Critter Connection.

For more information, call (248) 855-4136 or (313) 563-1823.

Reunions

NORTHVILLE HIGH SCHOOL: Class of 1988, 10-year reunion, Friday, Aug. 21, at Laurel Manor in Livonia.

Call Carrie Hardın at (248) 349-

Church Notes

Summer worship times at FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF NORTHVILLE, 777 West Eight Mile Road in Northville, are 8:30 and 10 a.m.

Arbor Hospice continues to offer a professionally led support group for parents called "Loss of a Child" on Aug. 27 and Sept. 24. Also a 10-week support and educational group called "Circle of Love" which allows parents the opportunity to share, learn and heal in the presence of other bereaved parents begins Thursday, Oct. 22, 7 until 9 p.m. To register, call 1-800-783-

Donations are requested for refreshments and materials.

For more information, call (248)

OUR LADY OF VICTORY CHURCH, 770 Thayer Boulevard in Northville, will begin a series of classes on The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults beginning Monday, Sept. 21, in the adult education room located in the convent. Classes will meet every Sunday at 9 a.m. and every other Monday at 7 p.m. The session ends with the Rite of Christian Initiation at the Easter Vigil on April 3.

The series of classes are open to all adults particularly those interested in reviewing their Catholic faith or those preparing to enter the Catholic Church. Everyone is welcome to any or all sessions.

The agenda topics begin with an introduction and overview. Some of the weekly topics are the Bible, the four Gospels, Church history, Liturgical year, Epiphany, Sacraments, Holy Order, and Eucharist.

For more information, call Pat Ernst at (248) 348-8650.

EVANGELICAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 40000 Six Mile Road in Northville, has a new 11:30 a.m. Sunday class option for junior and senior high students, primarily for those students who are unable to attend the main 10 a.m. Epic & Lifeguard meetings. The class will cover a variety of topics of interest to students. The group meets in Room A-109 and is open to students in 7th through 12th grades. Call the

Student Ministries Office at (248) 374-5916 for more information.

CHURCH OF TODAY, WEST which has a service at 10 a.m. on Sundays, meets at Meadowbrook Elementary School, 29200 Meadowbrook Road in Walled

Lake. Clevenger continues to lead a Thursday night Study Group from 6:30 p.m. until 8:30 p.m. through

Aug. 20 at the Novi Library on Ten Mile Road just east of Taft Road. David Roth will be at Service on Membership Sunday, Sept. 27. with a concert to follow.

Youth education is available at both services for all ages.

A Course on Miracles is taught year round in Tuesday evenings at 7 p.m. Other courses are 4T, Meditation, Unity Basics and the Artist Way.

For more information, call the church at (248) 449-8900.

IMMANUEL EVANGELICAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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Children's Church 9 & 11 AM
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Singles Place Ministry - Thurs 7 30pm
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y Mile & MedadovDrook Wisconsin Ev Lutheran Synod Sunday Worship 10 00 am Monday Worship 7 pm Thomas E Schroeder, Pastor - 349-0565 8 45 am Sunday School & Bible Class

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Dr Gary Elfner Pastor

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PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

OF NORTHVILLE

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(nursery provided)
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Amy and Anthony Asch

Anthony Asch and Amy Bru Chentoweth were wed June 27 in an outdoor ceremony held at her family's ranch in Roscoe, Mont.

The groom, a 1985 graduate of Northville High School, is the son of Mary and Dan Peski of Northville. He attended Eastern Michigan University and Portland State University, and is currently employed with Pratt & Larson in

Portland, Ore.

The bride is the daughter of Joe Chentoweth of Roscoe, Mont., and the late Connie Chentoweth.

She is a graduate of the University of Oregon and is selfemployed.

Following a wedding trip to Glacier National Park in Montana, the couple made their home in Portland, Ore



Paul Grant/Krystan Lim

Engagements

Peter and Lucy Grant of Northville announce the engagement of their son, Paul Michael, to Krystan Lim, the daughter of Harwyn and Patricia Lim of Westland.

The bride-elect is a Churchill High School graduate. She graduated in 1995 from Michigan Technological University.

She is employed at Michigan Induction Inc.

The groom-elect, a Northville High School graduate, also graduated in 1995 from Michigan Technological University.

He is currently employed at Giffels Associates Inc.

A September wedding is planned.

Frank and Sue Kulha of

Northville announce the engagement of their daughter, Lisa, to Steven Sieradski, the son of John Sieradski and W. Theresa Sieradski, both of Shelby Township.

Lisa Kulha/Steven Sieradski

The bride-elect, a 1989 graduate of Mercy High School, earned a bachelor's degree in mechanical engineering from the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. She recently graduated from Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, NY.,

with a master's degree in engineering, and is currently employed as a development engineer at General Motors Corp.

The future groom earned his bachelor's degree in mechanical engineering from General Motors Institute in Flint. He is currently completing a master's degree in engineering from Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute while working as a design engineer at General

Motors. A November wedding is planned.

In Service

CHRISTOPHER T. URBAN has been commissioned as a second heutenant in the Army through the Reserve Officer Training Corps

program after graduating with a bachelor's degree from the University of Arizona, Tucson,

Urban was commissioned into

the Intelligence Corps and assigned to the infantry branch. He will serve as a Gold Bar Army recruiter until November at which time he will attend the Intelligence Corps officer basic course.

Urban is the son of Thomas K. and Terri E. Urban of Novi.

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Singles

SINGLE PLACE, an adult ministry for single people. at First Presbyterian Church of Northville, meets Thursday evenings in Fellowship Hall at 7:30 p.m.

Every Sunday, the group worships at 11 a.m. in the sanctuary followed by brunch at the Northville Crossing Restaurant, 18900 Northville Road, at 12:30

On Aug. 13, the topic will be "Your Winning Style -The People Factor" with Paul Seaser at 7:30 p.m. or an open forum on "Is He or She Seeing Someone Else?" at 8 p.m.

On Aug. 20, the Single Place will discuss "Sexuality and Singlehood," will be presented by Steven Stack, Ph.D. at 7:30 p.m. or an open forum on "All the Joys of Being Single," with facilitator Dianne Griswold.

The cost for each is \$4.

Following both presentations, the group will meet at Timber Creek, 18730 Northville Road of Northville at

A Divorce Recovery Workshop will be held on Thursdays, Aug. 13 to Sept. 24, from 7 to 9:30 p.m. Some of the topics to be covered include Networking, Stages of Grief, Legal Aspect of Divorce, Helping Children through Divorce, and Passage of Divorce.

The cost is \$30. On Sunday evenings, Single Place meets for coffee and cards at 6 p.m. at Tuscan Cafe, 150 N. Center Street in Northville.

A Walk in the Park is scheduled every Saturday at

10 a.m. in Heritage Park between Ten and Eleven Mile in Farmington Hills.

On Fridays, Aug. 14 and 28, the group will meet at Tremors in Livonia at 5:30 p.m.

Upcoming events include a Day at Kensington Park on Aug. 15; a Street Dance on Aug. 22; and Dinner/Bethany Together Dance on Aug. 29.

For more information about any of the Single Place programs or to register, call (248) 349-0911.

SINGLE POINT MINISTRIES of Ward Presbyterian Church, Six Mile Road west of Haggerty in Northville Township, invites you to join over 550 single adults every Sunday morning at 11:30 a.m. for fellowship and encouragement.

SPM has a program and activity for every age group and life situation, including Single Parents, Uniquely Single for never been marneds, and New Start for wid-

Talk Talk It Over hosts speakers on a variety of topics on the second and fourth Friday of each month. Outdoor volleyball meets Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m.

in Rotary Park in Livonia. A \$1 donation is suggested. Outdoor tennis is held on Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday at 4.30 p.m. at Rotary Park in

Biking is held during August at various locations on Saturdays.

For more information, call (734) 422-1854.

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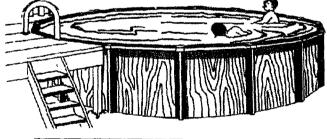
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AUDITIONS

COMMUNITY CHOIR: The Schoolcraft College Community Choir will hold auditions for new members on Tuesday, Sept. 15, and Tuesday, Sept. 22, in Room 530 of the Forum Building on the campus located on Haggerty Road between Six Mile and Seven Mile roads in Livonia.

Rehearsals start at 7:30 p.m. Director Donald Stromberg invites experienced singers of all voice parts to audition.

To schedule an audition or for further information, call choir president Shari Clason at (248) . 349-8175.

THE NOVI THEATRE: The little people players, actors ages seven to 10, will hold auditions for "Sleeping Beauty" on Aug. 24 and 26 at 4 p.m. at the Novi Civic Center Theatre, 45175 West Ten Mile Road in Novi. Performances for "Sleeping Beauty" will be Oct. 23, 24, and 25.

Ensemble Theatre Company, an adult acting group, will hold auditions for "You Can't Take it with You" on Aug. 25 and 27 at 7:30 p.m. also at the Novi Civic Center Theatre with performances on Nov. 13, 14, and 15.

Actors must pay a participation fee of \$125

Call (248) 347-0400.

SYMPHONY BAND: Rehearsals for college students and residents for Bb clarinet, bassoon, trumpet, French horn, trombone and percussion sections are held on Mondays from 7:30 until 9:30 p.m. at the Highland Lakes Campus's Student Center, 7350 Cooley Lake Road in Waterford.

There are also two openings in the Youth Band in the French horn section. Applicants must be enrolled in their high school bands to quality. Rehearsals are held on Saturday from 10 a.m. until noon. also in the Student Center.

Call (248) 360-6218.

CONCERT BAND: The Novi Concert Band, directed by Jack Kopnick, invites any adult who plays a band instrument to join the band for the 1998 concert season. Rehearsals take place Tuesdays from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. and there are no auditions.

Call (248) 932-9244.

AUTHENTIC BRITISH BRASS BAND: The Motor City Brass Band is conducting interviews for percussion and BB flat tuba (treble clef) musicians.

Rehearsals are held Mondays from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. with engagements usually twice a month on weekends or in the evening. New members are wel-

For more information or to schedule an audition, call founder John Aren at (248) 349-0376. The page http://members.aol.com/mcbband/mcbb.html.

SPECIAL EVENTS

BORDERS BOOKS: Ongoing events include the Toddler Time stories for children 3 and younger on Mondays at 10 a.m.; Children's Hour for children three and younger on Tuesdays at 10 a.m.; and Toddler Time for children three and younger on Wednesdays t 10 a.m.

Borders Books and Music is located in the Novi Town Center.

On Wednesday, Aug. 19, from 7 to 8:15 p.m., there will be a Photographer's Reception for Judith G. Yaker's exhibit "Inspirations Thru the Lens."

Call (248) 347-0780.

BARNES & NOBLE: Children's special storytimes during the summer will be Tuesday at 11 a.m. for children to three years; Tuesday at 1:30 for ages 5 to 8; and Wednesday at 7 p.m. for children ages 4 to 7.

Doris Dixon, author of "Memoirs of a Compassionate Terrorist," will sign copies of her book on Thursday, Aug. 20, at 7:30 p.m. Call (248) 348-0609.

PERFORMER'S SHOWCASE: The public is invited to attend the Performer's Showcase performances held prior to select Novi 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 and dancers are invited to submit application forms and audition tapes, if available, to the Novi Arts

For details, contact the arts council at 347-0400.

CARRIAGE RIDES: Northville Carriage Co. offers carriage rides throughout the year and packages for holidays and special occasions. For more information or reserva-

tions, call Northville Carriage Co. at 380-3961.

THEATER

MARQUIS THEATRE: The Marquis Theatre Children will be presenting the musical "Raggedy Ann and Andy" by Patricia Thackray through Sept. 27.

America's most beloved folk dolls come to life in this fun-filled story. Babette, a French porcelain doll, has been kidnapped from the playroom by the Loonies. Babette is Marcella's surprise birthday present and she must be returned. To search for her, Raggedy Ann and Andy venture bravely into Loonevland.

Performance dates and times are Tuesdays through Fridays, Aug. 13, 14, 18, 19, 20, 21 at 10:30 a.m.; Saturdays, Aug. 15, 22, Sept. 12, 19 and 26 at 2:30 p.m. and Sundays, Sept. 13, 20, and 27 at 2:30 p.m.

For general information and groups rates, call (248) 349-8110. No children under age three will be permitted.

The Marquis Theatre is located at 135 E. Main Street in Northville.

GENITTI'S: The interactive comedv dinner theater at Genitti's Hole-in-the-Wall is "I Do ... I Think" which runs through October.

All dinner theater presentations include the restaurant's famous seven-course, family-style Italian

For the kids there's the mini luncheon and show "Beanie Baby

Genitti's is located at 108 E. Main Street in Northville. Call (248) 349-0522.

MUSIC

MR. B'S FARM: Mr. B's Farm is located at Novi Road north of Ten

Call 349-7038

OXFORD INN: The Oxford Inn is located at 43317 Grand River in

Call (248) 305-5856.

LIBRARY SPORTS PUB AND GRILL: The Library Sports Pub and Grill is located at 42100 Grand River Avenue in Novi. Call 349-9110.

TUSCAN CAFE: Tuscan Cafe presents a variety of entertainment acts nightly except Sundays.

Weekday performances are from 8:30 to 10 p.m. Friday and Saturday performances are from 9 until 11 p.m.

Tuscan Cafe is located at 150 Center Street in Northville. Call 305-8629.

BRADY'S FOOD & SPIRITS: Live entertainment is offered from 7:30 until 11 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, and from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. on Friday and Saturday.

Brady's Food and Spirits is located at 38123 West Ten Mile in the Holiday Inn in Farmington

Call (248) 478-7780.

FRIGATES INN: Frigates offers live music every Wednesday at 9 p.m. featuring the 2XL Band. The Tim Flaharty Trio Open Blues Jam is every Thursday from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. All musicians are welcome. Dance with The Globe at 9 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays.

Frigates Inn is located at the corner of Fourteen Mile and East Lake Drive in Novi.

Call (248) 624-9607.

SPORTS EDITION: Enjoy live entertainment at the Sports Edition Bar, located inside the Novi Hilton Hotel, 21111 Haggerty

The Sports Edition is home to Intrigue and other high-powered hits groups every weekend. A cover charge begins at 8 p.m.

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

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

TOO CHEZ: Too Chez, located at 27155 Sheraton Drive on the northwest corner of Novi Road and I-96, hosts jazz groups Heidi Hepler and Michele Ramo from 6 until 10 p.m. every Monday; and Louis Resto and David McMurray every Friday from 7 until 11 p.m. on the patio throughout the summer (weather permitting). In the case of inclement weather, the groups will perform in the bar area of the restaurant.

Call (248) 348-5555.

JAZZ NIGHT: DePalma's Duning and Cocktails, 31735 Plymouth Road in Livonia, offers live enter-

Larry Nozero and Friends perform intimate jazz from 8 to 11 p.m. on Mondays.

Ron DePalma plays jazz piano from 7-11 p.m. every Tuesday featuring a wide variety of guest performers. Guest singers are wel-

Strolling musicians David and Francesco entertain diners on the accordion, mandolin and guitar from 6:30 to 10:30 p.m. Thursdays. On Friday and Saturday Ron DePalma performs. Call (313) 261-2430.

CARVERS RESTAURANT: Nikki Pearse will be appearing on Friday and Saturday evenings from 8:30 p.m. until 12:30 a m.

Carvers is located at Grand River and Ten Mile roads in Farmington

Call (248) 476-5333.

BOGEY'S BAR AND GRILLE: Bogey's is located at 142 E. Walled Lake Drive in Walled Lake.

Call (248) 669-1441.

DANCING EYE GALLERY: The gallery is located at 101 N. Center

Call (248) 449-7086.

GATE VI GALLERY: Marina Zamudio Fenlon will be exhibiting her oil painting at the gallery through Aug. 15.

In addition to oil painting, Fenlon does clothing design, floral design and dolls.

Month-long exhibits of local artists are held in the atrium of the Novi Civic Center, 45175 West Ten Mile in Novi. Viewing of the exhibit is possible during the hours the Civic Center is open.

Local artists interested in exhibiting at the Civic Center should call 347-0400.

ATRIUM CENTER GALLERY: Atrium Center Gallery is located at 109 N. Center in downtown Northville.

Hours are Monday through Friday 10 a.m. until 5:30 p.m., Saturday 10 a.m. until 5 p.m. and noon until 4 p.m. on Sunday.

Call (248) 380-0470 for additional information.

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 (248) 474-8306 for additional information.

PAINTER'S PLACE: Owned by Caroline Dunphy, Painter's Place, located at 140 N. Center Street in downtown Northville, is featuring a new watercolor print of Northville's flower day. The print, which is of Main Street filled with flowers just as it looks every year on the Saturday nearest to Memorial Day, is on display in the gallery's win-

Gallery hours are Tuesday through Thursday from noon until 4 p.m. or by appointment. Call (248) 348-9544.

MUSEUMS

MILL RACE VILLAGE: The history of Northville is alive at the Mill Race Historical Village. Created in 1972 by the Northville Historical Society, the village serves as a focal point for the Northville com-

munity while preserving architectural styles common to the area prior to 1900. The village consists of a church, gazebo, school, rustic wooden bridge, blacksmith shop, Interurban Station, and several homes reminiscent of an era gone by. The village's buildings will be open on Sundays from 1 p.m. until 4 p.m. during June through October.

Call (248) 348-1845.

MOTORSPORTS: The Motorsports Museum and Hall of Fame features 75 racing vehicles of all types, covering a 90-year time span. Highlights include a 1965 Novi Indy Special, 1960 Miss U.S. unlimited hydroplane, racing motorcycles, Indy cars, stock cars, sports cars and drag racers.

The museum is located in the Novi Expo Center. Admission is \$4, \$2 for seniors and children. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily. Call 349-RACE.

NEARBY

ARTS & CRAFTS: The Plymouth Community Arts Council is sponsoring the 27th annual Artists and Craftsmen Show on Saturday, Sept. 12, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m and Sunday, Sept. 13, from noon to 5 p.m. at Central Middle School at Church Street and Main Street in downtown Plymouth. The donation is \$2 for adults, \$1 for seniors and students, and children under 12 are free.

About 100 artisans will feature oils, watercolors, photography, jewelry, wood and sewn items, etc. Some artisans will be demonstrating their craft.

The show is in conjunction with the Plymouth Fall Festival.

MURDER, MYSTERY & MAYHEM: Alison Gordon, author of the Kate Henry Mystery series, and Lev Raphael, author of "Dancing on Tisha B'Av" and "Winter Eyes" will be reading, talking and signing copies of their books. Thursday, Aug. 20, from 6:30 to 8 p.m.

Murder, Mystery & Mayhem is located at 35167 Grand River in Farmington.

Call (248) 471-7210.

BLUESTOCK '98: Hennessey's at 49110 Grand River Avenue in Wixom will hold Bluestock '98 on Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 15

Among the blues bands performing under the big tent are Johnny Bassett and The Blues Insurgents, Blind Tiger Band, Boogiemen, Bugs Beddow Band, James Cloyd Group, Alligators, Catfish Hodge, and City Limits Blues Band.

Tickets are available at Ticketmaster Ticket Centers and Hennessey's Pub. Call (248) 348-4404.

SUMMER LAWN CONCERTS: Oakland Community College's Highland Lakes Campus summer concert series concludes with

Blackthorn on Aug. 13. Each concert begins at 7:30 p.m. at the pavilion located on the campus's front lawn at 7350 Cooley Lake Road in Waterford and is free and open to the public.

Call (248) 360-3186.

HISTORICAL PLYMOUTH MUSEUM: "Lincoln Comes to Plymouth" will be on exhibit December Highlights of the collection include a lock of Lincoln's hair cut from his wound the night of the assassination by then Surgeon General Barnes, one of the bronze copies of the Volk Life Mask and Hands of Lincoln made in 1860, Sandurg's works on Lincoln; signed First Editions and printer's dummies, campaign items, Civil War items and much more.

The museum is open to the public Wednesday, Thursday, and Saturday from 1 until 4 p.m. and Sunday from 2 until 5 p.m. Admission is \$2 for adults, \$.50 for students. The family rate is \$5.

Call (734) 455-8940 for additional information.

TOYS: The Plymouth Historical Museum has a special exhibit relating to the history of toys and other childhood memories, including antique dolls, teddy bears, push and pull toys, trains and rocking horses.

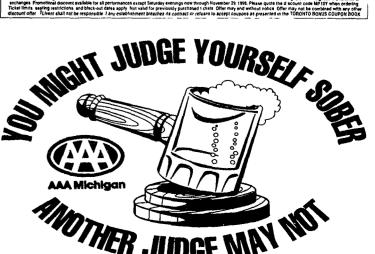
The museum is located at 155 South Main Street in Plymouth. Hours are Wednesday, Thursday, and Saturday from 1-4 p.m. and Sunday from 2-5 p.m.
Admission is \$2 for adults and

50 cents for students ages 5 to 17. Children under 5 are admitted free. The family rate is \$5.

Call (313) 455-8940.







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Into youth ministry and Bible study, I'm a Catholic DWF, 60, 5'2", pretty and fit, who enjoys walks, conversation, movies, dancing, dining out and more. It would be a pleasure to hear from a similar SWCM, 70 or under. Ad#,1932

GENUINE INTENTIONS

Friendly, attractive WWWF, 57, 5'5". is looking for a SWM, 57-62, for good times. She enjoys gardening, music and nature. Ad#.2868

LOVING HEART

Professional, Catholic DWF, 51, 5'6", with blonde hair, who loves nature, meeting new people and dining out, is seeking a SWCM, 50-60 Ad#.1143

MULTI-FACETED

Outgoing and friendly DWF, 33, 5'8", enjoys reading, animals, the outdoors, sports, and dining out She is hoping to meet a humorous, intelligent, spontaneous SWM, under 45. If that's you, call me. Ad#.4117

MY SOUL MATE

Family-oriented, fun-loving DWF, 56, 5'2", 120lbs., who enjoys dancing, dining out, quiet evenings at home and more, is seeking a DWM, 50-60, for a meaningful relationship. Ad#.2514

FINE CHOICE

DWF, 51, 5'7", who enjoys the out-doors, movies and dining out, seeks a DWM, 50-58, with similar interests. Ad#.6127

SWEET & SINCERE This employed SWF, 49, 5'5",

enjoys music, movies, reading, the-ater, long walks, dining out and more. She's seeking a SWM, 45-57, for friendship first. Ad#.8844

WIN ME OVER

She's an outgoing, petite SWF, 50, 5'2", looking for a N/S, financially secure SWCM, 45-56, who enjoys life, Ad#, 1947

POSSIBLE MATCH

Employed SW mom of one, 37, 5'7", full-figured, is in search of an employed, honest, caring SWCM, 35-45, who loves laughter, sports, outdoors and children Ad#.5878

FRIENDS TO START

Get to know this outgoing and friendly DWC mom of one, 36, 6', blonde/blue eyes, enjoys music, movies and quiet times. She seeks a similar SWCM, 29-45, for friendship, maybe more. Ad#.6244

BUILD A FRIENDSHIP

This affectionate, playful, and loyal DWCF, 55, 5'2" and petite, has diverse interests including dancing, travel, classical music, the arts, and playing cards. She's looking for her best friend: a SWM, over 50, who shares her interests. Ad#.3045

QUALITY COUNTS

Athletic SWF, 23, 5'8", with long brown hair and blue eyes, is looking for a handsome SWM, 24-31, with a good sense of humor. Ad#.1275

WISH COME TRUE

Thinking about a shy DWCF, 48, who likes the outdoors, country music, cooking and dancing? vou're a sincere SWM, 48 plus, your call will be answered. Ad#.1950

CALL & TALK MORE

About similar interests. I'm a DW mom, 29, 5'10", who enjoys NASCAR, camping, hiking, animals and car shows. I'm looking for a SWM, 30-35, who would be interested in friendship first. Ad#.5514

YOU NEVER KNOW

Call this cute, friendly, outgoing, athletic DWF, 56, 5'6", with red hair and blue eyes, who enjoys ballroom dancing and playing golf. She is in search of an athletic SWM, 54-59, to share her interests

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Meet this outgoing SWF, 20, 5'11", 140lbs., with blonde hair and green eyes, who loves music, reading, movies and more. She'd like to hear from a SWCM, 19-25, with similar interests. Ad#.7585

DUAL TRUST

She's an outgoing, educated SWF, 61, 5'3", who enjoys the outdoors, dining out, music and is in search of a humorous SWM, 50-72, who enjoys life. Ad#.1217 IT'S UP TO YOU

Interesting SW mom of two, 37, looking for a SWM, 35-45, to share interests, activities and a mutually rewarding relationship. Ad#.1212

GIVE HER A CALL

She's a Catholic SWF, 28, 5'7", who is employed and is looking for friendship with SWM, 23-38, who can make her smile and keep her happy. Ad#.3818

TAKE THE TIME

To get to know this DWF, 46, 5'2", who enjoys bowling, dancing, con-certs and the beach She's seeking a SWM, 42-50, for possible relationship Ad#.4431

GENUINE INTENTIONS Professional SWF, 37, 5'8", seeks a

SWM, 30-45, who enjoys outdoor activities, dning out, music and more. Ad#.4884 BRIGHT FUTURE

DW mom of two, 28, 5'3", an outgoing professional, seeks a SWCM, 30to share family-oriented interests and good times. Ad#.1342

FOUND AT LAST

Get to know this outgoing SWF, 24, 5'9", who enjoys music, movies and dining out. She is looking for a tall 24-33, to spend time with.

INTRODUCE YOURSELF Attractive DWC mom of two, 42, 5'5",

122lbs, long brown hair, blue eyes, a professional, in search of an ambitious, successful and intelligent SWM, 32-42, N/S, Ad#,2256

DO YOU FIT THE BILL?

Professional SWF, 25, 5'4", looking to share mutual interests, activities and friendship with a caring, sincere, honest SWM, 23-35, who enjoys movies, dining out and outdoor activities. Ad#.6964

She's a SWF, 25, 5'3", whose interests are movies, camping, photogra-phy in search of a SWM, 23-30, to to know. Ad#.6463 LOVE ABOUNDING

WELL-ROUNDED

Outgoing DF, 48, with auburn hair, likes country drives, movies, watching sports, going for walks and barbecues, in search of a DWCM, to develop a relationship with Ad#.9300

SOMETHING BETTER She's a full-figured SWF, 30, 5', with

brown hair, hazel eyes, who enjoys music, movies and quiet evenings at home, in search of an employed, humorous SWM, 26-36, Ad#.1667

COMPANIONSHIP, FUN TIMES Humorous DWF, 45, 5'4", wants to meet and date a nice SWM who has

a good personality and sense of humor and no children at home. She enjoys playing golf, gardening and anything outdoors that's fun Ad# 3329 **EXPLORE LIFE** Enjoy life with this SWF, 52, 5'7", a

blue-eyed blonde, with a good sense of humor, who is looking for a SWM, 49-56, who enjoys traveling, bowling and dining out. Ad#.3603

LOOKING FOR MY ROMEO

I'm a SWF, 21, 5'3", with short brown hair and blue eyes. I am easygoing, laid-back, humorous and am searching for a SWM, 21-26 to spend quality time with. Ad#,3210

ARE YOU THE ONE?

She's a DWCF, 43, 5'7", with blonde hair and green eyes who enjoys sports, NASCAR, cuddling and would like to find that special SWCM, who wants to be in a relationship.

NEW BEGINNINGS

Here we have a WWWF, 67, 5'6", who enjoys dining out and movies. She is looking for a humorous SWCM, 55-72, for companionship.

LET'S MEET This SW mom of two, 33, 4'10", full-figured, seeks a SWM, 30-45, to share mutual

interests, activities and friendship. Ad#.9420 Merely Reading These Ads Will Not Get You A Date... You Have To Call!

hazel eyes, enjoys movies, golfing, gardening, cooking and the out-doors, seeks a SWM, 40+, who has a kind heart. Ad#.1261

Christian Women

THE RIGHT TRACK

TWEN-TY QUES-TIONS

THE TIME IS RIGHT

ried, who enjoys sports, music, concerts and is in search of a SF, 18-43, with an athletic build. Ad#.5605

LIVE LIFE TO THE FULLEST

Professional DWCM, romantic, youthful 46, 6', athletic, enjoys dinner

and dancing, theatre, music, the out-doors, seeks SWCF, 35-46, to share

EXACT AND PRECISE..

Retired, 70 years young, WWM, 5'9",

170lbs., is a daily runner, enjoys ski-ing, mountain biking, ballroom danc-ing, traveling, interested in sharing a mutually rewarding relationship with a SWF, 60-70. Ad#.1918

MEANINGFUL

DWCM, 41, 6', 185lbs., blond hair, blue eyes, enjoys working out, dining out and more, and is looking for a SWCF, 25-40, for friendship first, possible relationship. Ad#.2957

IS ANYBODY OUT THERE?

Here's an outgoing and agreeable Catholic DWM, 59, 5'10", 183lbs.. He

enjoys bowling, fishing, cooking and walking. He's seeking an honest, sincere, slender SWCF, under 57, without kids at home, for a long-term

THE TIME IS RIGHT

I'm a college student SWM, 19, 6'2",

who enjoys movies, concerts and the outdoors, in search of a down-to-earth SWF, 18-22, with similar interests. Ad#.5432

CALL ME

Sincere SWC dad of one, 39, 5'8",

enjoys movies, picnics, boating, din-ing out and dancing wishes to share activities and friendship with a posi-tive-thinking SWCF. Ad#.1276

VERY PLEASING

Fun-loving, hardworking SWM, 44, 5'5", who loves the outdoors, movies, music and traveling, seeks a SWF, under 42. Ad#.9970

SHY AT FIRST

DWCM, 47, 5'7", enjoys playing golf, country, card games and fishing. He's seeking a serious DWCF, with a good sense of humor, who is search-

ing for peace and happiness. Ad#.2151

SEARCHED HIGH & LOW
Shy, Catholic WWWM, 57, 5'6",
155lbs., is looking for a Catholic
SWF, 45-57, with similar interests.
He's romaintic and loves to go danc-

CALL AND WE CAN TALK!

Catholic DW dad, 31, 5'11", is employed and would like to meet a

Protestant SF, for dating, possible future relationship. He enjoys the outdoors, cooking, dining out, children and more. Ad#.1866

SO, HOW ARE YOU?

Let me be your friend, perhaps more.

with a passion. I'm 5'7, outgoing and friendly. If you are a SF and want to share life, call me. Ad#.1012

MANY OPTIONS

This honest and professional SWCM, 45, 6', with black hair and brown eyes is looking for an adventurous, fit, attractive SCF, 18-36, to be his best friend and companion.

He's college educated and enjoys

traveling, sports, boating, skiing and more. Ad#.3636

ing. Ad#.4242

relationship. Ad#.7514

adventures with. Ad#.6433

Ad#.1969

PLEASE CALL
Outgoing SWM, 49, 5'10", who likes laughter and good conversation, is in search of a caring SWF, 30-45.

Fun-loving DWCM, 35, 6'3", 170lbs., with dark brown hair, enjoys camping, cooking out, boating, and is looking for a SCF, over 25, who is serious about a relationship. Ad#.1030

He's an outgoing SWM, 20, 6', with blond hair and blue eyes, who enjoys movies, the outdoors, sports and is in search of a SF, 18-23, who is fun and caring. Ad#.9876

Bible study, bowling, bicycling, bad-minton, music and church are among his interests. A SWCM, 47, he hopes to hear from similar SWCF, 32-48, to enjoy these activities and more. Ad#.6431

HERE HE IS

This friendly SWCM, 36, 5'11", 180lbs., who enjoys cooking, hiking, working around the house and walking in the woods, seeks a SWF, 27-40, who enjoys life. Ad#.7907

very attractive, enjoys dancing, travel, dining out, movies, camping and boating, seeks simlar, compassionate, kind, caring SCF, 36-45. ate, kind Ad# 2424

hazel eyes, is looking to share friend-ship with a sincere, outgoing SWF, 26-37, whose interests include rollar-blading, biking, fishing and camping. Ad#.2173

Thristian Men Seeking

Get in touch with this nice SWCM, 29, 5'10", if you are a petite/medium-built SWCF, 22-33, that also enjoys traveling, animals, hiking, the out-doors, movies, cooking and more.

CALL IF INTERESTED

WISHFUL I'm a easygoing SWM, 34, 5'10". I enjoy boating, fishing and camping. I'm seeking a SF, under 40.

PLEASE CALL

GENUINE INTENTIONS

BE MINE FOREVER

Active DWCM, 42, professional, blond hair, blue eyes, 6'2", 220lbs,

GET IN STEP

Self-employed SWM, 36, 6'1", 170lbs., with sandy blond hair and

Real Answers.



LOOKING FOR A FRIEND

LOOK NO FURTHER

I'm a SWC mom, 34, 5'6" who is new

to the area. I enjoy outdoors, bowl-

ing, movies, and am looking for a nice, outgoing SWCM, 34+.

A PEOPLE PERSON

I'm a 42 year old professional SWF, who loves the outdoors. I am outgo-

ng, friendly and am waiting for you, a SWM, to come into my life. Don't keep me waiting Ad#.1749

READY FOR CRITERIA TEST?

If you are, call this Catholic DW mother, 41, 5'5", blue-eyed blonde,

who is a N/S, social drinker. She is

looking for a professional, sincere, honest SWCM, 40-53, who is emo-tionally secure, animal loving, and

has family values, kids at home okay Ad#.1345

ARE YOU CARING?

DWF, 40, 5'6", with blonde hair I'm

an honest, caring, in search of a SWM, 35-40, with similar interests,

who enjoys yoga, music and movies. Ad#.3232

CALL ME

SWF, 19, 5'4", 118lbs, with brown hair and blue eyes, enjoys church

activities, playing violin, horseback

riding and swimming, is looking forward to meeting a SWCM, 19-26,

N/S, who enjoys animals Ad# 2222

Ad#.5560

DWCF, 65, 5'6", likes bowling, travel, dining out, playing cards, country and big band music, seeks SWCM, 60-70, with similar interests. Ad#.1223

CHANGE OF PACE

Friendly SWF, 70, 5'8", N/S, enjoys meeting new people, playing cards, dining out, gardening, Big Band music and more, seeks an honest SWM, 65-78, to spend quality time with. Ad#.1949

A MIRROR IMAGE

Attractive SWF, 50, 5'9", brown hair, reserved, a professional, seeks a SWM, 53-70, to share friendship and

laughter Ad#.4847

INTRODUCE YOURSELF DWCF, 60, 5'6', 120lbs., physically fit, N/S, friendly, self-employed, enjoys working out, dining out, the theatre, the outdoors and more, seeks an intelligent SWCM, 50-62, N/S, for friendship first, maybe more.

EARN MY TRUST

Ad#.1739

Attractive SWF, 65, 5'2", outgoing, humorous, enjoys good conversation, cuddling and more, seeks an honest, loyal SWM, 64-70, to share life with. Ad#.1533

GET TO KNOW ME

Outgoing SWF, 73, 5'2", N/S, enjoys dancing, bowling, dining out and playing cards, seeks an honest, humorous, SWM, 65-80, with similar interests. Ad#.6037 **SHARE MY TIME**

Shy and reserved SWCF, 53, 5'2", brown hair/eyes, enjoys movies, country music, fishing, reading, concerts and art fairs, seeking a SWCM, 50-60, N/S. Ad#.4269 FRIENDSHIP FIRST

Shy DWF, 40, 4'11", blonde hair,

DEFINED LOVE

He's a professional SWM, 41, 6', 200lbs., who enjoys going to automobile events, flying and is seeking a SWF, 25-43, for friendship first Ad#.9381

This quiet, Protestant DWM, 26, 6'3", likes outdoor activities and easygoing good times. He is seeking a SWCF, 18-32, who wants a serious relationship. Ad#.4757

FOLLOW YOUR HEART

YOUR OPPORTUNITY This mellow SWM, 21, 5'8", is seeking a SWF, 18-23, who enjoys hockey, boating and walking. Ad#.5048

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H20 equals terror

Scream Queen Curtis returns in 'Halloween: H20'

Get out your machetes and creepy piano music, horror fans, because Michael Myers is back.

Twenty years after Jamie Lee Curtis made a screaming name for herself in the first "Halloween," this gory classic is celebrating two decades of bloody terror.

Curtis plays her character, Laurie Strode, who, for obvious safety reasons, is going under the alias Keri Tate. Strode/Tate is now the mother of a 17 year old son John (newcomer Josh Hartnett) and the head mistress at a private school.

Twenty years later she is still trying to deal with what happened to her during her babysitting days and psycho killer chasing nights. Helping her cope is "Chicago

Hope" star Adam Arkin as the guidance counselor at the school.

The story involves Curtis facing cameo. down Myers as he terrorizes a whole new generation of young people including Jimmy (Joseph Gordon-Levitt) the next door neighbor, Ronny (LL Cool J) the aspiring novelist who works as the school security guard, John and his girlfriend Molly (Michelle Williams) and their friends Charlie

When the group of friends decide to rebel and skip out on a school camping trip, a whole new night of terror is had by all.

(Jodi Lyn O'Keefe).

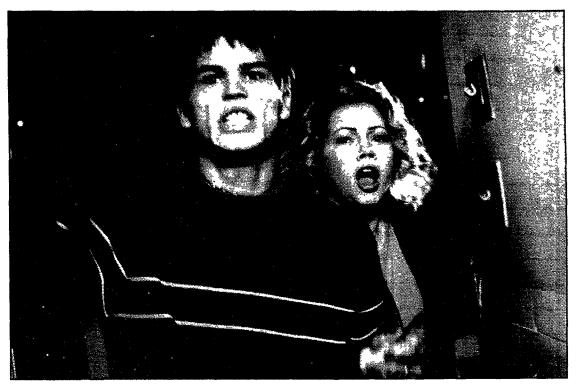
(Adam Hann-Byrd) and Sarah

In typical horror flick form, Halloween H2O brings back subtle reminders of movies past. Paying homage to a horror classic "Psycho," Curtis' real mother, Janet Leigh, is brought in for a brief

"Without question, Laurie Strode remains, except for Helen Tasker in 'True Lies,' the only part that really gave me a well-rounded character to play; somebody with a complete history that you really got a sense of. I'm proud of that work and I'm proud that they wrote such a good character in a horror movie," Curtis said.

Curtis isn't the only horror veteran to contribute to the making of "Halloween H20."

Director Steve Miner has helped launch television's "Friday the 13th" series as well as "House," which spawned two sequels of its own. Co-executive producer Kevin Williamson was one of the creative geniuses behind the recent block-buster "Scream.



Josh Hartnett and Michelle Williams have leading roles in Steve Miner's "Halloween: H20."

'Halloween' films recall their roots

In 1960 "Psycho," a low-budget, independently-made film (Hitchcock worked outside the normal studio system, using his own money for development and filming with his cost-conscious television crew), redefined the horror

The "mother" of modern horror, the picture literally redefined how filmgoers went to the movies (remember that "no one will be seated after the first five minutes" ad campaign?), and brought a new face to terror, namely Norman Bates, the innocent boy next door. Spawning scores of like-minded imitators, the children of "Psycho" still walk among us.

Eighteen years later another low-budget, independent horrorthriller struck crimson gold in much the same way. John Carpenter's "Halloween" cost \$300,000, took 22 days to shoot, and went on to be one of the most popular movies of all time.

Like its predecessor, "Halloween" brought a new face to horror: an implacable mask of impersonal, apparently unstoppable evil from which no comfortable suburb is immune. (In this case, that uniquely disturbing visage of vio-lence concealing the face of one Michael Myers was literally a Star Trek mask of William Shatner, spray painted white and stripped of its hair.)

Stating that he wanted to create a picture that would play like a feature-length version of the shower scene in "Psycho",

Carpenter consciously referenced that film (and other horror classics) throughout the piece, from naming Donald Pleasance's "Dr. Sam Loomis" after John Gavin's character, and of course, using 19 year old Jamie Lee Curtis, the daughter of "Psycho's" Janet Leigh, for the lead character of Laurie Strode, the beleaguered baby-sitter for whom Halloween would never be the same again.

"Halloween" quickly became a cornerstone in horror and suspense, an icon for the muchmaligned "slasher" film cycle. One of the charms of "Halloween" is the terror, suspense, and non-stop tension created.

Says "Halloween: H20" co-executive producer and "Scream" scribe Kevin Williamson, "Halloween" is and always has been my favorite movie of all time! It wasn't just a movie, it was an experience. When I was 12 years old, I saw the movie at least 10 times in its original release and was amazed at how involved the audience was. The way the audience jumped and screamed at the characters got my blood pumping. It was this effect in "Halloween" that made me real-



Laurie Strode (Jamie Lee Curtis) confronts Michael Myers again in the slasher thriller "Halloween: H20" from Dimension Films.

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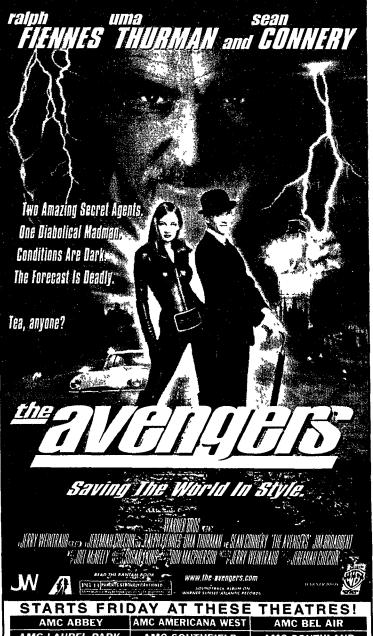


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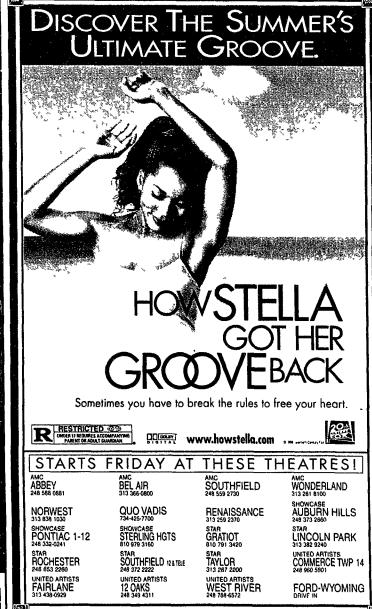
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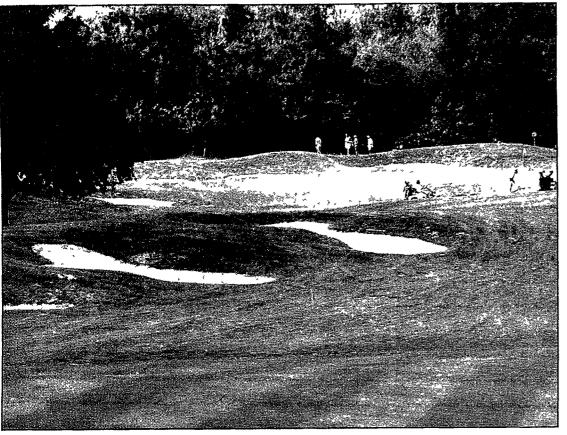


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Hole 14 at Downing Farms shows the use of hills and bunkers on the back nine by architect Harry Bowers.

Downing adds nine

Addition of back nine adds an element of difficulty to Downing Farms course

This week's Northville Record continues a series of weekly golf reviews. Our goal is to provide you, the reader, useful information and tips on playing favorite courses in the area.

Downing Farms is the subject of this week's review. If you would like to see a particular course reviewed this summer, please contact us at (248) 437-2011 or (248)

After five years in operation, Downing Farms has come into its own.

The 18-hole facility was completed last summer. Originally a nine-hole course, Downing Farms began construction on the final nine holes in April 1996. Harry Bowers designed both the addition and the origi-

The two courses come together nicely. The original course is cut through woods and doesn't allow for much less than straight shots on fairly tight fairways, but is not at all difficult. Keep the ball straight and almost any level of golfer can master the front nine.

The addition features larger greens than the front nine. Depending on pin placements, has the opportuni-

"All of the fairways and greens are protected by bunkers or water or both," James Downing said. "Water comes into play on five of the holes on the back. When you get out on the back and there are no homes it gives the illusion of being up north."

The course becomes more open as golfers head out to the back nine. Five of the nine holes are across the railroad tracks and provide peaceful surroundings. Dug around wetlands and ponds, with no homes in sight, all you hear is the thwack of the golf ball.

"I think those five holes across the track that play across five acres of pond and wetland area have a lot of creative mounding," Downing said. "I think (Bowers) got real creative with his bunkers."

Downing said golfers have the opportunity to use many different clubs on the new nine. "A lot of the holes are doglegged," he said.

The 14th hole is a tricky par-4. Measuring 433-yards from the back tees, the 14th hole features large bunkers lining the left side of the fairway. The right length of the hole is lines with dense woods, a bunker and more woods.

At the 150-yard marker the fairway begins its ascent. A small bunker guards the front of the green and

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Organizers, fans make World Series special

For one beautiful summer weekend,



Jason Schmitt

ness some of today's best baseball played way should be After

Bayside Yankees won its sixthstraight NABF junior world series title in a row, organizers and fans alike began to

the residents of

Northville and

surrounding

areas had the

chance to wit-

realize that another successful year of starring in the Major League. But to hosting this prestigious tournament was in the bag. Dave Jerome, Bob Frellick and the many volunteers who had worked so hard for months preceding the event did a marvelous job, and thanks to the cooperation of Mother Nature, everything turned out great.

"The tournament went well," said Jerome, the tournament director. "We had more fans watch the tournament than ever before. The people that worked at the tournament did a marvelous job."

This summer classic has gained the reputation of being one of the best in the nation, and deservedly so Many great players have made the trip to Michigan to play here, including several who are now

make a tournament as great as it is is

"I wouldn't work that hard to go back each year if it wasn't so well run, Bayside coach Ron Seltzer said. "I've got nothing but the greatest respect for Bob (Frellick) and his family. They work hard to have a perfectly manicured field every day. I know Bob gets out there at 5 a.m. to check on the fields. How can you not respect that?"

Even Rick Honeycutt, a former Major League player for the Oakland A's and the Los Angeles Dodgers, enjoyed his first trip up as the coach of the Chattanooga

olonels.
"You can tell they put their heart and

soul into this tournament. Everything was well organized and there were some excellent players here," Honeycutt said.

It's that hard work and commitment that will be hard to replace, now that Freilick is moving to North Carolina. Fortunately for the host city, Jerome has learned a lot from Frellick and already has two years of tournament director under his belt.

"Since he has come on board the last few years, I think Dave has followed a trend," Seltzer said. "The tournament continues to be successful.

But the biggest thing to me, having worked with Jerome and Frellick over the past few months, is their commitment to our national past time and in particular the young players from Northville. $\,$

"We want to provide an opportunity for these young men to play baseball and to bring in some quality players for the Northville people to see," Jerome said. We want the fans in the community to see some future Major League Players.

Some of the proceeds from the tournament will go towards a scholarship fund set up for these young athletes. This in itself says a lot for the many people involved with the tournament, year in and year out for the last 16 years.

"It was extremely tiring," Jerome said. 'But it was extremely rewarding too."

That savs a lot as well. Jason Schmitt is the sports editor for the Northville Record.

U-9 Broncos split at tourney

The Northville Broncos 9-and-under travel baseball team split four games at the North Farmington-West Bloomfield Invitational tournament last month to up its

season record to 8-5. Northville opened the tournament with a pair of victories. The Broncos started the tournament by defeating the Fort Wayne Braves 15-11 in seven innings. Down by a run in the sixth, Bret Spencer sent the game into extra innings with a RBI double off the left field fence. Northville then put the game away with a big rally in the seventh. DePace, who scored the tying run on Spencer's double in the sixth, led Northville's 19-hit attack with four hits. Bryce Jenney and Spencer each had three hits and Blake Meakin and Kyle Ziomek each added two. Jenney picked up the win on the mound with Ziomek getting the save.

Northville followed up with a 17-9 win over Commerce Township. Mike Garbarz had two hits and five RBIs in the game. Spencer shut down Commerce with three innings of three hit ball.

The South Farmington Blues came out of nowhere to avenge an earlier season loss to the Broncos, pummeling Northville 17-1. Danny Schultz scored the lone

Fort Wayne defeated the Broncos 7-3 in the teams final tournament game Jeff Gorecki kept Northville in the game with three strong innings on the mound. He allowed just one run while striking out five. Ziomek and Jenney (.636) paced Northville's offensive attack with

The Broncos took three out of five games earlier this season to finish in a tie for second place at the Flushing tournament. The host team captured the championship

The Broncos opened with the victories over Grand Blanc and Cho before losing to Elba and Flushing, They finished with a 7-3 win over Saline Sunday afternoon.

Against Saline, Gorecki and righty Chase Dehne combined for a five-hitter and Jenney, Spencer and Dehne had two hits in the well-played victory.

Sunday morning, Flushing erased an early 6-0 Northville lead and captured a 12-9 victory despite two hits each from Jenney and Brett DePace.

Like Flushing, Elba also fought from behind Saturday afternoon to beat Northville, 22-8, behind two huge run-producing innings. DePace had two hits for the Broncos, including a home run

Northville opened Saturday's action with an impressive 19-1 victory over Clio. DePace, Dehne and Jenney combined for a three-hit victory on the mound. Garbarz and DePace had three hits each in the rout, while Dehne drilled a home run.

Two Broncos opened play with a 13-9 victory over Grand Blanc. The game wasn't as close as the score would indicate. Grand Blanc added a opposite-field grand slam late in the game to cut the winning margin in half. Northville led all the way, getting two hits each from Jenney, DePace, Clay Paciorek and Garbarz and a home run from Dehne.

Overall for the tournament, DePace (.667), Garbarz (.583) and Meakin (.556) led the hitting attack while Dehne and DePace each drove in 10 runs. Dehne, Gorecki and Jenney captured the team's victories on

Other team members include Greg Ford, Ziomek, Dan Schultz, and Tab Harold.



Northville well represented

From left, Ryan McCracken, Dan Scappaticci, Anant Saran, Reggie Torrence and Rickey Torrence, all members of Northville's 1997-98 wrestling team, recently competed on Team

Michigan at the AAU Junior Olympics in Chesapeake, Va. Each wrestled eight matches at the Olympics, which attracted over 12.000 athletes in all.

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Sport Shorts

NORTHVILLE ALUMNI OUTING

The annual Northville Alumni Golf Outing is scheduled for Sept. 26 at Bogey Lake Golf Course in White Lake. The cost is \$65 per person and includes golf with a cart and dinner. Tee times are available starting at 10 a.m and the dinner will be served at 7 p.m. The event is open to all faculty of Northville school systems and all Northville

Alumni. For more information please call Howie Ambinder at (734) 420-1501 or Tom Bingham at (248) 624-1531. Please make checks payable to Doug Nichols and send them to Doug at

18808 Stanford, Livonia, MI 48152. All registrations must be made by Sept. 4.

TRAVEL COACHES SOUGHT

The Northville baseball/softball program is currently accepting applications for 1999 travel coaches. If interested please contact Dave Jerome at 348-4433 or Le Roy Asher at 380-0402.

SISTERS WIN GOLDS

Tracy and Kathy Garfield, fifth graders at Moraine School, won two synchronized swimming medals at the Ann Arbor Novice Routine Meet in Ann Arbor. The girls are members of the newly-formed SyncSations synchronized swimming team. They were joined by Allison Goldsmith of Livonia to win the trio competition, and by Megan Hoepner and Diana Cleslak to capture the gold medal in team competition. For more information about joining the SyncSations team, contact Kathy Samborski in care of Schoolcraft College Continuing Education Services at (313) 462-4413.

PHILLIES TOPPLE ORIOLES

In recent G-League action, the Phillies toppled the Orioles 10-3 at the Fish Hatchery Park.

Doug Hasse pitched three solid innings for his first G-League win and Matt

Thomas pitched nearly three perfect innings of relief. Offensively, Thomas scored two runs and Harry Moroz scored two of his own while driving in two more, Jay Mayfield collected two hits and knocked in a pair. Bret Fortuna was a perfect 2 for 2 from the plate and Andrew Doherty

and Ross Abraham each scored two runs. The win was the last regular-season game and enabled the Phillies to advance to the upper tier of the playoffs.

U OF M SUMMER BASEBALL CAMPS

Geoff Zahn, head baseball coach at the University of Michigan, and his coaching staff will be conducting three summer baseball camps for players ges 9 to 19. All the camps will be held at Fisher Stadium on the University of Michigan campus. Each camp is open to both overnight and commuter

In addition to coach Zahn and his staff, instructors will also include both current and former Wolverine players. Campers can choose from pitching, hitting or complete fundamental camps. For more information call (313) 647-

COLTS LOOKING FOR PLAYERS

The Northville/Novi Colts football and cheerleading teams are looking for players for the upcoming fall season. The Novi Middle School seventh and eighth grade football teams are combining into one, and the Colts guarantee playing time. The team will play an eight-game schedule beginning in September.

There is a \$100 fee for both the football players and cheerleaders plus fund raising. The team will be made up of 12-14 year olds who weigh up to 155 pounds. For sign-up information please call (248) 305-8955.

Figure skating club to host golf outing

The Plymouth Figure Skating the Plymouth Gems on Ice Club will be hosting its 2nd annual golf outing Aug. 28 on the Golden Fox course at Fox Hills Country

The shot gun start begins at I p.m. The cost of \$150 per golfer will include a buffet lunch beginning at 11 a.m. and dinner beginning around 6:30 p.m. There will be an open-beverage bar continuing on from 11 a.m.

Hole-in-one prizes include four cars donated by Lincoln Mercury, a \$10,000 cash prize, color television, a set of golf clubs and many prizes especially for the women golfers. One of the par-3 holes will include a closest to the pin contest in which the winner will get to drive a Jaguar for one week.

Each golfer will receive a special gift plus over 150 prizes and gifts will be raffled away.

All proceeds benefit the

Plymouth Figure Skating Club plus

WHO? Plymouth Figure Skating Club WHAT? 2nd annual golf out-WHEN? Friday, Aug. 28

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Tampa, Fla. this winter to partici-

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Rzepecki at (734) 420-2885 or

GOLF OUTING



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THURSDAY August 13, 1998

Health Column

Steps in place to slow osteoporosis

As the baby boom generation ages, the ranks of those diagnosed with osteoporosis are expanding by leaps and bounds. Currently, over 20 million Americans have been diagnosed with the disease. Although women are at much greater risk, men can also develop osteoporosis - especially after age 70. Osteoporosis gradually takes its toll on the body by weakening bones and causing them to become fragile and more prone to fractures. In its most severe forms, osteoporosis is life threatening.

But not all is bleak, according to experts at the Botsford Total Rehabilitative and Athletic Conditioning Center (TRACC) in Novi. As a matter of fact, even for those already diagnosed, there are strategies for slowing down the dis-

The important first step is undergoing a bone density measurement, which can be obtained through a primary care physician's referral.

After determining bone density level, muscle strength and flexibility, the second crucial step for a patient is to commit to a regular exercise regimen designed to strengthen bones and tone muscles. In addition, adopting a healthy diet high in calcium is an essential component to combating osteoporo-

Women at highest risk have one or more of several health or lifestyle factors. These factors would include:

- Having a family history of osteoporosis.
- Being post-menopausal. Being a current or former
- smoker. • Regularly consuming alcohol.
- Having an inactive lifestyle.
- · Being nutritionally deficient. · Having a low dietary intake of
- calcium-rich foods.
- Having previously broken a bone, particularly of the hip, wrist

Having an usually low body

One successful program in the Metro Detroit area specifically designed to promote bone health in people who either have osteoporosis or want to prevent it, is TRACC's 12-week Bones in Motion.

For more information on this or any of TRACC's programs, call (248) 473-5600. TRACC is the Novi-based comprehensive outpatient rehabilitation and conditioning facility that specializes in sports, occupational and rehabilitation medicine.

It is part of Botsford General Hospital's Physical Medicine Department.

Health Notes

CHILD HEALTH CLINICS

Oakland County Health Division's Child Health Clinics provide free ongoing well care for children from birth to school entry. Families who do not have an HMO or Medicaid may be eligible. Clinics are held at 12 locations throughout Oakland County.

Services include: Heights and weights; headto-toe physical examination; immunizations; vision, hearing and lab testing; growth and developmental screening; and counseling with referrals to physicians and area resources as

Appointment is required. For more information, call: North Oakland, Pontiac, (248) 858-1311 or 858-4001; South Oakland, Southfield: (248) 424-7066 or 424-7067; West Oakland, Walled Lake: (248) 926-3300; and Holly residents: 1-888-350-0900, extension 8-1311 or 8-

IMMUNIZATION

The Oakland County Health Division will be offering an immunization clinic for Farmington and surrounding areas at the Clarenceville United Methodist Church, 20300 Middlebelt Road (south of Eight Mile Road), on Wednesday, Aug. 12, from 9 a.m. to noon.

Immunizations for measles, German measles, mumps, polio, diphtheria, tetanus, whooping cough, Haemophilus influenzae Type B (HIB) and Hepatitis B will be available.

A parent or legal guardian must accompany a child under 18 years of age. Please bring any previous records of immunizations, including notices which might have been sent home from the child's school pertaining to immunizations.

Immunizations will be given at the same time and location on the second Wednesday of every month. The next scheduled immunization clinic will be on Wednesday, Sept. 9.

BOTSFORD CALENDAR

 \bullet Aug. 15 — A Life is in Your Hands: BCLS

Both day and evening classes available at a fee of \$25. Community EMS, 25400 Eight Mile Road, Southfield. For more information and to register, call (248) 356-3900, extension 255.

• Aug. 17 — Adults with Insulin Dependent Diabetes: "The Emotional Side of Living with Type II Diabetes." Free. Botsford's Health Development Network, 39750 Grand River Ave., Novi. For more information or to register, call (248) 477-6100.

• Aug. 18 — Diabetes Support Group: Questions and Answers About Medicare

Free. 7:30 p.m. Botsford General Hospital's East Pavilion, Conference Room 2-B, 28050 Grand River Ave., Farmington Hills. Call (248) 477-6100 for more information.

• Aug. 19 — Botsford's Livonia Mall Walking Club: Free August Blood Pressure Screening

"Walk the mall" for enjoyable, low-impact, climate-controlled exercise – and then have your blood pressure checked (available the third Wednesday of every month, 8-10 a.m.). Free. Livonia Mall is opened to walkers 7:30 a.m.-9 p.m., Monday-Saturday; 9:30 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday. Located at 29514 Seven Mile Road (at the corner of Seven Mile and Middlebelt roads). For more information, call (248) 477-6100.

• Aug. 20 - New! Breather's Club:

"Transform Breathing." Presented in conjunction with the American Lung Association, this monthly support group provides educational resources, emotional support and hope for those with lung diseases. Will meet at 1 p.m. Botsford General Hospital's Zieger Center, Classroom 2 East Classroom, 28050 Grand River Ave., Farmington Hills. Call (248) 477-6100 for more information.

• Aug. 20 - New. Men's and Women's Cancer Support Group: "Attitudinal Healing"

This monthly support group, which features roundtable discussions and guest speakers, gives cancer patients and their families an opportunity to share strategies for living with cancer. Meets third Thursday each month at 7 p.m. Free. Botsford's Zieger Center, Classroom 2 East A/B, 28050 Grand River Ave., Farmington Hills. For more information, call

• Aug. 20 - A Life is in Your Hands: Basic

Both day and evening classes available at a \$35 fee. Community EMS, 25400 Eight Mile Road, Southfield. For more information and to register, call (248) 356-3900, extension 255.

 Aug. 24 — Botsford's Laurel Park Walking Club: Free August Blood Pressure Screening

"Walk the mall" for enjoyable, low-impact climate-controlled exercise - and then have your blood pressure checked (available the fourth Monday of every month, from 8-10 a.m.). Free. Laurel Park is opened to walkers 8 a.m.-9 p.m., Monday-Saturday; 11 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday. Located at 37700 Six Mile Road in Livonia (at the corner of Six Mile and Newburgh roads). For

more information, call (248) 477-6100.

• Aug. 27 — Healthy Cooking Demos: "Adding Flavor with Sauces and Marinades"

Tired of the same old recipes with the same old taste? Time to add a little "zing" in your menu repertoire. The program will meet at 7 p.m. There is a \$6 fee and preregistration is required. Botsford's Health Development Network, 39750 Grand River Ave. For more information or to register, call (248) 477-6100.

HOT FLASH STUDY

Women who suffer from multiple daily hot flashes associated with menopause are being sought to participate in a nationwide study to assess the safety and effectiveness of an investigational hormone replacement skin patch to treat hot flashes. Women may be eligible if they are between the ages of 45 and 65, have not had a menstrual period in six months, or a hysterectomy. For more information, call 493-

FETAL ALCOHOL SYNDROME

The Oakland County Health Division's Health Education Unit and Office of Substance Abuse is co-sponsoring a training for health care workers entitled "Reducing the Risk for Fetal Alcohol Syndrome: A Community Approach." The program is designed to provide an educational and skill building experience for those who are concerned about preventing the devastating effects of alcohol on the unborn baby.

Reducing the Risk of Fetal Alcohol Syndrome will be held Wednesday, May 13, from 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at Glen Oaks Country Club, 30500 W. Thirteen Mile Road, Farmington Hills.

To register or for information, call Kathleen Altman, Oakland County Health Division, (248) 424-7125.

AEROBIC WEIGHT TRAINING

This consists of a one-hour workout with an emphasis on both cardiovascular fitness and muscle strengthening. It meets for seven weeks Mondays and Wednesdays from 5 to 6 p.m. There is a \$50 fee. Preregistration is required.

For more information or to register, call the Botsford Center for Health Improvement-TRACC, 39750 Grand River, at (248) 473-5600.

BREAST CANCER

Providence Medical Center-Providence Park in Novi is hosting a support group for women with breast cancer.

The group meets the second Saturday of each month at 10 a.m. Anyone who has experienced breast disease is welcome. This is an informal discussion for participants to share resources and provide emotional support.

For more information contact Norma at (313) 462-3788 or Cheryl at (810) 363-3866.

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WALKING CLUBS

Botsford General Hospital sponsors two free walking clubs. Laurel Park Mall (Six Mile and Newburgh roads) beginning at 8 a.m.-9 p.m. Monday-Saturday, and 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Sunday. Free blood pressure provided by Botsford for walkers on the fourth Monday of every month, 8-10 a.m. Livonia Mall (Seven Mile and Middlebelt roads) beginning 7:30 a.m.-9 p.m. Monday-Saturday, and 9:30 a.m.-5 p.m. Sunday. Free blood pressure checks provided by Botsford for walkers on the third Wednesday of every month from 8-10 a.m. For more information, call Botsford's Health Development Network at (248) 477-6100.

CANCER SUPPORT

"Focus on Living," a self-help group for cancer patients and their families, meets the first Wednesday of each month at St. Mary Hospital.

Co-sponsored by the American Cancer Society, "Focus on Living" is a self-help group that gives participants an opportunity to discuss their concerns, obtain answers and gain support from others who share the same expe-

The goal is to improve the quality of cancer patients' lives through this sharing of information and experiences. Registration is not necessary, and there is no charge to attend the meet-

ing.
For more information, call (313) 655-2922 or toll free 1-800-494-1650.

LOSING WEIGHT FEELS GREAT

Are you ready to change the way you eat? Join Botsford registered dietitian Gale Cox and Chef Carl Oshinsky and get started on the new you. Participants will take home three entrees. It meets at 7 p.m. There is a \$30 fee. Preregistration is required. For more information or to register, call (248) 477-6100.

Back nine adds to Downing's appeal

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another guards the left and back edge of green.

The 14th hole leads golfers to a par-3 you might laugh at, depend-

ing on where you tee off. This golfer did. You can't see the green as well as you can see the pin, which is 116-yards away from the back tees and just 58-yards away from the front. The sloping green rolls down to the wetlands and even lightly hit shots are going roll. Take a moment to decides from which tee you'll hit

The 272-yard, par-4 17th is a short but severe dogleg right, almost a boomerang-shaped hole. From the back tees there is 188-

yards to the hazard, which is water that plays along the left of the hole. A blind iron shot to the hazard sets up a guarded second shot to the pin. The hazard juts out to the front left of the green and must be cleared to reach the green. Golfers must ring the bell at the green to alert golfers at the tee it is safe to

Although construction is done at Downing Farms, the work isn't. "We constantly put in a new tee here or a bunker there," Downing said. Or we're improving cart paths and things like that."

There are no plans, however, for any future holes at Downing Farms. Downing said there was no

room for additional holes at the

"People really seem to enjoy it," Downing said. "Our league play has really picked up this year. All of our afternoon league spots are full."

Downing Farms opened its clubhouse in May 1997 and offers seating for 100 people. The course operates with a full liquor license and serves snacks and sandwiches to hungry golfers.

Downing said the course also added 70 power carts to its fleet with the additional holes. Carts are mandatory on the wide open back nine. Golfers can walk the front nine. Downing Farms is a softspike facility

"Now with 18 holes and full service golf club we can accommodate outings," Downing said. "People really seem to like it because we seem to get an awful lot of repeat play. We're priced a little less than some of the other courses around here and we try to treat people right. We're a family owned opera-

Mary Lou Downing and her sons, James and Chuck Downing own and operate the course.

"I think the biggest reason people come back is because of our greens," Downing said. "We've been told our greens are just as nice as any greens around.

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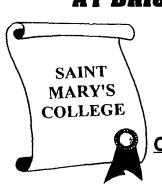
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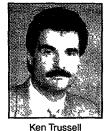
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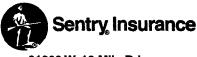
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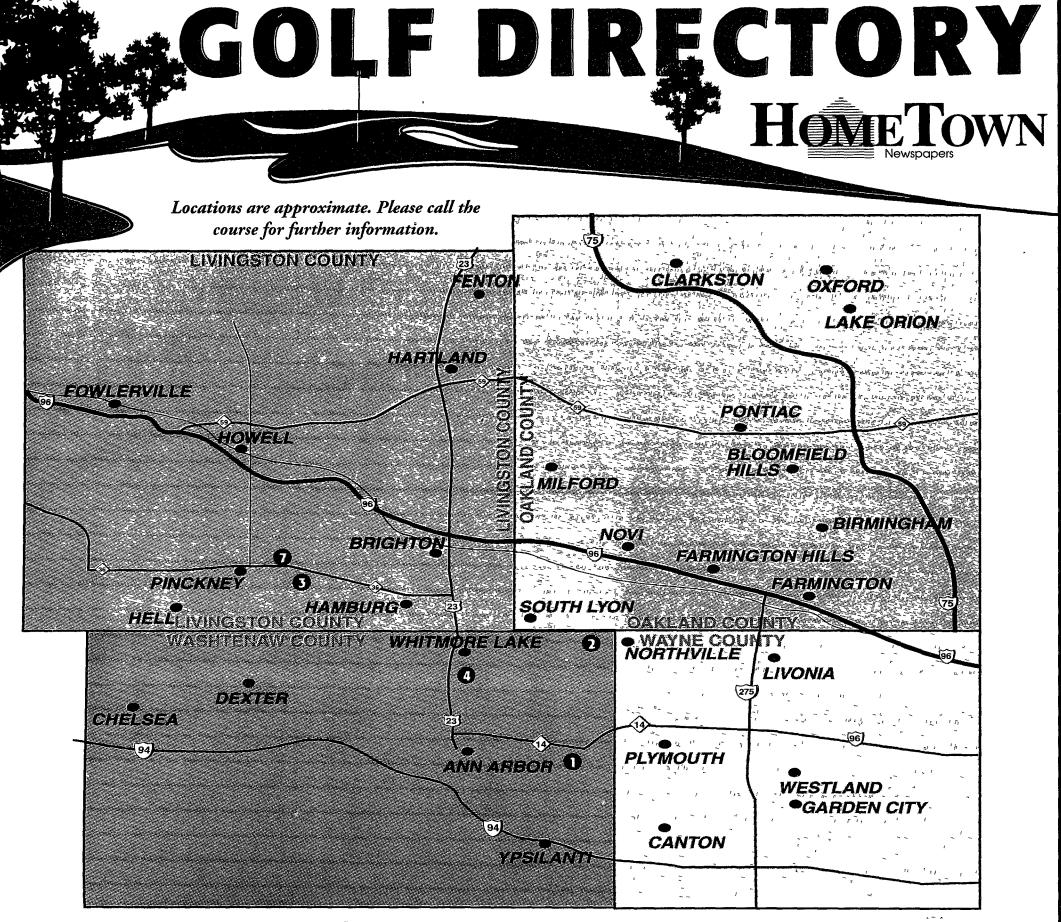
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Don't pinch pennies during potty repair

By Gene Gary Copley News Service

Q. We are having problems with two toilets we installed that are less than two years old.
One has a constant gurgling sound. The
other one occasionally leaks water when flushed because the tube into the overflow tube pops out. I have checked inside the tank area and much to my dismay I find that the arm of the float is deteriorating (rusting) in both units. The parts inside seem to be cheap metal and plastic. Can these be fixed or should these parts be replaced. Is this the type of quality one should expect to find from manufacturers of toilets today?

A.Gurgling or a constant flow of water indicates a problem with the flushing mechanism in the tank, something you already suspect. Often the problem can be corrected by adjustments in the mechanism or replacement of a few parts. However, if the working parts are plastic and the metal is something other than quality brass fittings, you will probably be smarter to replace the entire assembly. Unfortunately some manufacturers of less expensive units are resorting to low quality substitutions in working parts which cause problems in a short period of time.

When purchasing replacement parts, invest in a quality product which may cost your more, but will save your trouble in the long run. Tank assemblies come in kit form with easy-to-follow installation instructions. They fit most standard toilet models.

In selecting an assembly replacement you have several options. The standard tank assembly, or one of the newer flush-tank mechanisms such as the flapper-ball unit, features quiet-flush operation and has a long life span. There are also water-saver units on the market which rely on water pressure to regulate the water-inlet valve rather than afloat-ball. Replacement kits are not recommended for toilets with quality metal parts that are not too old. In this situation it is stillbest to replace the individual malfunctioning parts rather than invest in an entire new assembly.

Here are some trouble-shooting tips that are easy to follow for most do-it-yourselfers. When the water keeps flowing after the tank has filled it could be that a simple adjustment of the float ball position will solve the problem. Lift the ball to a higher position. If this shuts off the water, you can adjust the position of the ball by carefully bending the rod so that the float ball is about 1/2 inch lower.

Some models have a collar on the inlet valve arm which allows more accuracy for this type of adjustment. The set screw on the end of the arm allows for position adjustments. In its correct position the float ball should be half submerged when the tank is full. If it sinks lower, check the ball for leaks. You may have to replace the float. Worn washers in the valve assembly are also a common problem in older units. To replace, turn the water off below the tank or at the water meter. Flush the water out so the tank is dry. The valve can be opened by removing two pivot screws. This will allow you to slide the float, rod and linkage out of the valve.

On some models there will be a cap covering the inlet valve which will also have to be removed. Remove the valve plunger by pulling it upward. If removal is stubborn, use a screwdriver to pry it out being careful not to damage the metal casing.

A washer at the plunger base shuts the water off. Replace an old deteriorating washer with a new one. Some assemblies have a second washer in a groove in the valve which will also need to be replaced. Brush any corrosion from the plunger and reassemble.

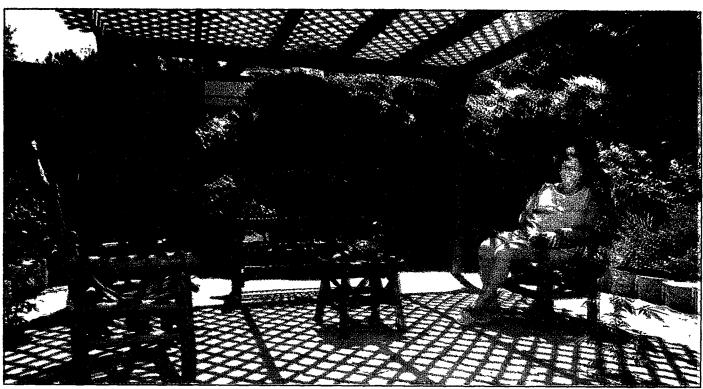
Another common problem occurs with a malfunctioning flush ball. Several conditions can cause water to leak around a tank flush ball which fails to seal. Check for a misaligned guide arm and wire, a bent linage wire, a worn flush ball, or a pitted or corroded flush-ball seat.Remove the flush ball and clean the ball seat using fine steel wool to remove any corrosion from the metal. If the flush ball is worn, replace with a new one. One of the new flappertype ball units would be preferable.

Replace any corroded metal chains or linkage wires. All of these replacement components are easy to install and parts are readily availble at home centers and plumbing supply outlets.

Q. Our basement was flooded by rainwater due to a faulty drainage system. This problem has now been corrected, but the flooding caused the asphalt tile to become cracked and loose. Is there any material which can be put over this damaged flooring to seal the tile down? Or is there anything that could be used to fill in squares where tile sections have come up? I haven't been able to find a tile of the same thickness and measurement. I would like to be able to repair the surface at least enough so that I can install something like indoor/outdoor

carpeting over the damaged tile. A. You will only be asking for further troubles if you try makeshift repairs on this flooring. Have the existing tile removed and start over. Be sure that the concrete is thoroughly dry prior to installing new flooring. Use a floor covering recommended for below-grade installation.

Send e-mail to copleysd(at)copleynews.com or write to Here's How, Copley News Service, P.O. Box 120190, San Diego, CA 92112-0191. Only questions of general interest can be answered in the column.



Maria Sinacola enjoys the screened sunlight in her "hidden garden," surrounded by the walls of an old barn. Maria keeps the gate to this garden closed at night to keep the deer from coming inside and snacking on her flowers.

Milford woman transforms old barn into gardening paradise

By Annette Jaworski Special Writer

Don't let Mother Nature know, but she has some local competition. Milford Garden Club member, Maria Sinacola has the gardener's green thumb. Those who know her say that if anyone can make something grow, Maria can.

In her gardens you'll find hundreds of plants, bird nests in nearly every one of her bird house, butterflies in her white and lavender butterfly bush and gold fish in her outdoor pond. Everything seems to flourish under this Italian woman's loving care.

Maria's late husband, Mike Sinacola, hand made the numerous bird houses that inhabit her garden.
"I'd see them in the store

and I used to tell him, 'Hey, Mike — I want this kind of bird house,' and he would build it."

Although the gardens that passersby can see from her home alone aré certainly elaborate, visitors are even more amazed at what Maria likes to call her "secret garden." The secret garden is entirely enclosed on the inside of a barn without a roof. Maria and Mike cleaned the building down to the cement floors, then hauled in dirt.

The interior is reminiscent of an old Spanish Mission. Stepping into the garden feels like a step back to another place and time. The cement walls are about 7 to 8 feet high surrounding the entire garden. Vines of white and green silver lace drape down the walls.

What gives the garden so much character is her clever use of plants and antiques. An old pair of shoes and boots have blooming impatiens and begonias. A wood chipper is bursting with dianthus. She has two feeding troughs filled with ajuga, dwarf dahlas and ivy petunias. One tall stump nearly the size of a tree has hens and chicks growing in it.



Numerous paths lead the visitor through a winding garden teeming with birds and butterflies due to the flowers, feeders and birdhouses.

White ageratum are even popping up through the cracks in

the cement. Some antiques are there just for a touch of whimsy, like a pitch fork, a push lawn mower, an old wood stove and sewing machine.

She has several seating areas, two sets of wrought iron tables and chairs as well as a

twig chair and love seat that is covered by an arbor made by her son-in-law, Scott Lowe. A Mexican pottery clay fireplace sits behind the arbor along the back wall.

It's a favorite place of Maria's to relax and have coffee in the morning. Although she doesn't dally much, usually spending a

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Consumers would lose out in exclusivity proposal

Copley News Service

A battle is brewing within the real estate brokerage industry. The battleground is the Internet an information source for increasing numbers of consumers and brokers.

The disputed question: Should Realtors be allowed to submit information on their currently listed properties on any or all Web sites now offering such information for consumers, or should they be limited to the site owned by their association - the National Association of Realtors.

In recent years, a number of Web sites have been developed by major real estate firms and organizations. These sites are keyed to the interests of consumers, primarily home buyers and seller.

In addition to providing informa-tion on currently listed homes, some of these sites offer extensive information about real estate transactions in today's marketplace, including home financing options, inspections and warranty programs.

The NAR-owned site Realtor.com, operated by RealSelect.It's a good site with a lot of valuable information, but there are other valuable sites for real estate buyers and sellers on that vast Internet.

The association apparently doesn't like the increasing competition from other sites. They recently established the Gold Alliance Program whereby participating multiple listing services (MLSs) can only share their listed properties on the Realtor.com site if they agree not to list on any competitive site.In other words, they are demanding exclusivity in their licensing agreement.

Several top executives of organizations that have established successful real estate Web sites in recent years prepared a brief but hard-hitting rebuttal to the action by the association.Entitled "Concern Over Exclusionary MLS Contracts," it outlines the key reasons they feel the step by NAR is wrong.

Those reasons include its adverse impact on consumers.

"When consumers list a home, they expect their agent to make their best efforts to promote and market that home as much as possible," the report states. "Consumers selling a home want their property advertised in the newspaper, magazines, with a sign in the front yard, and with wide-ranging distribution on the Internet."

The report also points out how the exclusive arrangement hurts brokers, their firms and franchises, regional MLSs and the Internet. Signing the report were presidents of Better Homes and Gardens Real Estate Service, Prudential Real Estate Affiliates, Re/Max International, HomeShark, Home-Advisor, CyberHomes and Home-Seekers.

The association apparently doesn't like to lose control in the marketing of residential properties.After all, for decades it has controlled local and regional Realtor associations (boards). And, in most cases, regional MLS groups are owned and operated by those

But a new era is opening - one in which information is readily accessible via the Internet. And that flow of information cannot, and should not, be dominated and controlled by one organization, in

this columnist's opinion.

Consumers today are knowledgeable and demanding. When it comes to marketing their home, they want maximum exposure in all strategic media, including the Internet. NAR might just encounter a backlash to their current push for exclusivity.

In our next column, we will focus on NAR's rationale for establishing the new Gold Alliance Program, and how they feel it benefits consumers and Realtors.

One Web site designed for real estate buyers and sellers is new, and might become one of the major sites for consumers as well as real estate professionals. It's produced by Microsoft and is called HomeAdvisor.It was officially launched July 13.

It's a fully integrated site with user-friendly information and tools.It addresses each step in the process of finding and buying a home, according to Pete Higgins, group vice president at Microsoft.

"Buying a home is perhaps the most important and exciting decision consumers make in their lifetime," he said. "Our new site

provide an easy-to-use home-buying guide.It presents information and tools in five core areas, designed around the tasks that home buyers care most about."

He identified those areas as understanding the home-buying process, finding the right neighborhood, finding the right home, securing a mortgage and understanding the offer and closing pro-

The site will soon carry a halfmillion home listings, it was predicted by Ian Morris, lead product manager for Microsoft. "We charge nothing to the Realtor for submitting his listings, and we direct contacts by interested prospects to the listing Realtor.We don't funnel them through our organization. If fact, we can provide a hyperlink directly to the Realtors Web site or e-mail address.

"We spent two years of research before finalizing our plans for this site.We wanted to be sure it covered the information needs of today's consumers, while meeting the marketing needs of brokers."

A key element in the researching process was the formation of a

employs the latest technology to Real Estate Advisory Board, comprised of leaders from the real estate and mortgage industries.It was formed more than a year ago to help guide the shaping of product strategy while using technology to address real estate and mortgage lending issues, Morris said.

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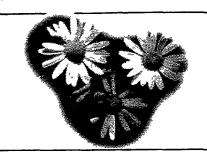
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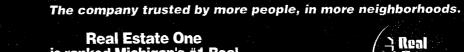
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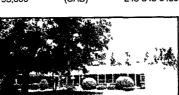
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Q. This is a photograph of one of a pair of chairs that I have. Each is covered in old velvet and has a plate under the seat with the words "Lysberg Hansen & Therp -Bredgade - Kobenhavn." I found a book on antique furniture that had a picture of a chair that looked just like mine. It was identified as a Cromwell side chair and made in the 17th century.

What is your opinion of the vintage and value of my chairs?

A. Your chair is a reproduction of a Cromwell side chair. In the 1600s, such chairs were called backstools. They were prevalent in England during the austere Puritan domination and named for Oliver Cromwell. Ball turned legs followed by spiral turned legs, upholstered seats and backs decorated with brass tacks characterize Cromwellian

Although many were upholstered with Russian leather, silk, velvet and woven fabric inspired by Near Eastern designs were also used. The Cromwellian style spread to America and these chairs were often found in the

homes of wealthy Colonists. Reproductions were widely produced in the late 1800s and early 1900s in the U.S. and Europe. Each of your circa 1900 chairs would probably be worth about \$325 to \$350.

Q. I would appreciate any information that you can give me about a porcelain pitcher that has been in our family for about 150 years. I have enclosed a drawing of the mark that is on the bottom of the pitcher. The pitcher stands 5 inches tall and is decorated with a scene of mountains, a castle and a lake. The scene has linen-like

A. Royal Bayreuth, Tettau, Bavaria, made your pitcher.



Judging from your description, it is part of their Tapestry Line, which has a woven cloth texture. Course fabric was stretched over the surface of a piece of porcelain and then fired. The heat in the kiln burned away the fabric leaving a tapestry effect

Your pitcher is not 150 years old. The mark you provided was not used until 1900. Its value would probably be about \$325 to \$400.

Q. I have a covered soup tureen with a matching ladle that sets in a black iron frame. It is decorated with black roosters against a cream background. Pennsbury Pottery in Morrisville, Penn., made it in the 1950s or 1960s. The company closed in October 1969.

I purchased my tureen for a song at a flea market in Vermont and hope you can give me an idea of it value today.

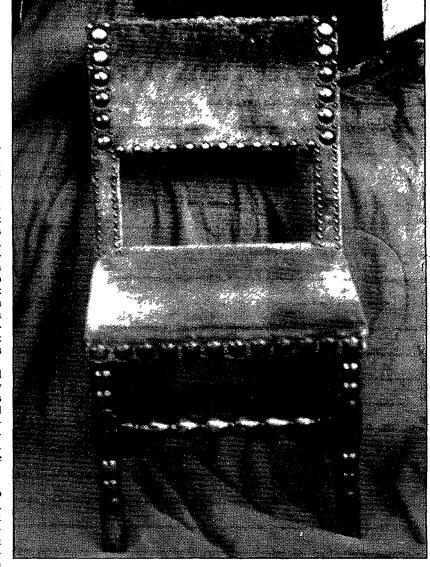
A. German immigrants, Henry and Lee Below, founded Pennsbury Pottery in 1950. Black Rooster was their first dinnerware line. Competition from less expensive imports from Europe and Japan resulted in a dra-

Bankruptcy was filed in 1970 and production stopped. You can crow over your purchase, it would probably be worth about \$150 to \$175.

Q. We have a small blue glass mug that is in perfect condition. It stands 3 inches high and is decorated with a heron on one side and a peacock on the other. Both are in relief. My grandfather, who was born in 1904, used to put candy in it and take it with him when he went to church when he was little. My grandmother was offered \$4 for it in the 1920s, so we always thought it was valuable. Is It?

A. The pattern is Heron and Peacock and was originally made in the late 1800s. It was available in blue, clear and opaque blue and white. The letter "D" inside a heart can identify a Degenhart reproduction. Your mug would probably be worth about \$30 to \$40.

Address your questions to Anne McCollam, P.O. Box 490, Notre Dame, IN 46556. For a personal response, include picture(s), a detailed description, a stamped, self-addressed envelope and \$10 per item (one item at a time).]



This Cromwell reproduction velvet side chair, circa 1900, is probably worth about \$325 to \$ 350.

Natural mulch secret to beautiful garden

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good part of her day tending her gardens. At night she closes the gates to the secret garden to keep the deer from sampling her blos-

Something is always in bloom continuously from spring on. Cleome, bee balm, double hollvhocks, bleeding heart and tobacco plant are just a few.

One could say Maria's never found a plant or nursery she didn't like."I love Bordines. English Garden, Frank's Nursery and Colasanti's," she laughs.

She's always looking for something she doesn't have, not really worrying about its particular habitat.

"If I like the plant, I buy ıt," says Maria. "If it doesn't work in one spot, I dig it up and put it in another."

Although daughter, Linda, admits she's not the gardener of the family, she has been a big help to her mother, including laboring in the flower beds. Recently she helped her mother identify her extensive gardens, after they found out they needed to label all plants to be featured in the 1997 garden walk.

Another highlight of the gardens include a pond, with a fountain, full of blooming hly pads, goldfish and even three frogs. It's another favorite spot of hers.

"I love the sound of the water," Maria said.

There is one secret to her beautiful gardens, natural mulch. Grass clipping are put in the flower beds to fertilize the soil as well as cut down weeds and hold in moisture. The grass can't be treated with fertilizer or weed killer if it's used for this, she

She also uses a lot of myrtle as ground cover which also cuts down on weeds and holds in moisture. One very useful item is a huge sprayer atop a stump from which she can water a good deal

of her garden - a real time and plant saver.

Linda describes her mom's talent for growing.

"I think there's a certain passion involved in it that the plants

Maria's gardens were featured in the 1997 garden walk. They were such a hit that people returned this year for another look, even though she wasn't one of the scheduled stops In case you haven't paid a visit to Maria's secret garden during the previous garden walk, there's good news. She's agreed to be featured in the 1999 Garden Walk by the Milford

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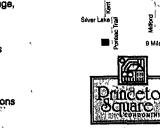
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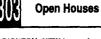
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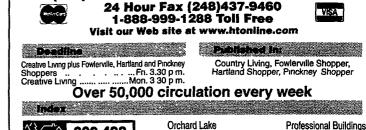
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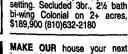
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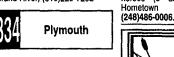
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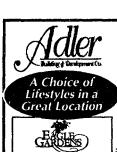
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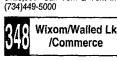
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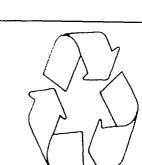
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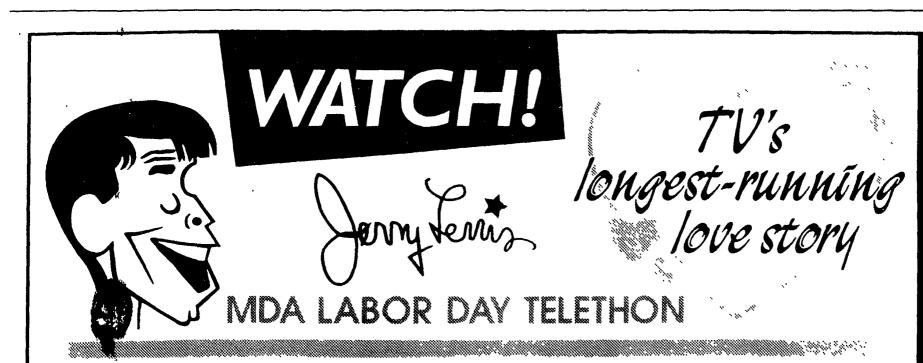
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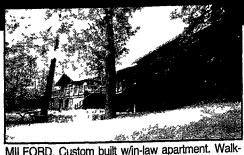
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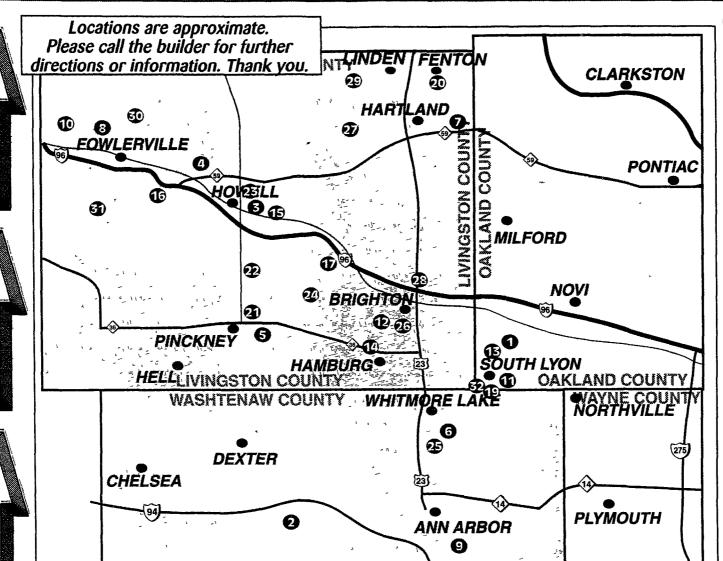
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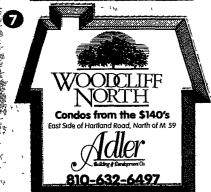


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Store for the curious mind' opens at mall

By JASON SCHMITT Staff writer

For those who like to test their mind, or that of a son, daughter, niece or nephew, one stop in the Twelve Oaks Mall will alleviate all of those cravings.

At Learningsmith, "The general store for the curious mind," customers can find an array of games, puzzles, crafts and other educational toys, hundreds of them. But unlike the run of the mill toy stores, the theme is a bit different.

'We consider ourselves an educational store, with items for people of all ages, infants to adults," general manager Julie Bragg said.

For infants, the store stocks activity cubes and flip and learn books. For the adults, Learningsmith offers brain aerobic games, puzzles and work station books

that come with kits. The store itself is broken down into several sections, or categories, including humanities, leisure time, science, anatomy, astronomy and a software section. Each section is labeled throughout the store. Learningsmith also has an animal kingdom, which selects changing

"Right now our theme is bugs, and we'll also have different themes such as oceans. They'll change with the different seasons,"

Bragg said. The store has several programs for guests including a Brain Child club and software club. If a child brings in his or her report card and fill out an application sheet. they receive a \$5 gift certificate to be used in the store. As a member of the software club, guests who buy six software programs receive their seventh free of charge.

Because the store carries a learning theme to it, teachers receive a 10 percent discount on

The Twelve Oaks location opened up in April and was the first Learningsmith opened in Michigan. Since then, another store has opened in the Woodland Mall in Grand Rapids. Learningsmith originated in Massachusetts eight years ago, but has grown to over

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70 stores from California to New York and down to Texas. Most of the stores are located in malls.

"We get a lot of people in here who are school teachers and who do home schooling," Bragg said. We've been really busy lately with our back-to-school promotions."

At Learningsmith, guests are able to come on in and try things out at one of the stores work sta-

"We like our customers to come in and try out the products," Bragg said. "The children love to come in and work at our play tables."

Learningsmith has two big screen televisions in the back of the store playing children's movies and one in the front which focuses on the adults.

The store is open daily and is located in the JC Penny wing of the

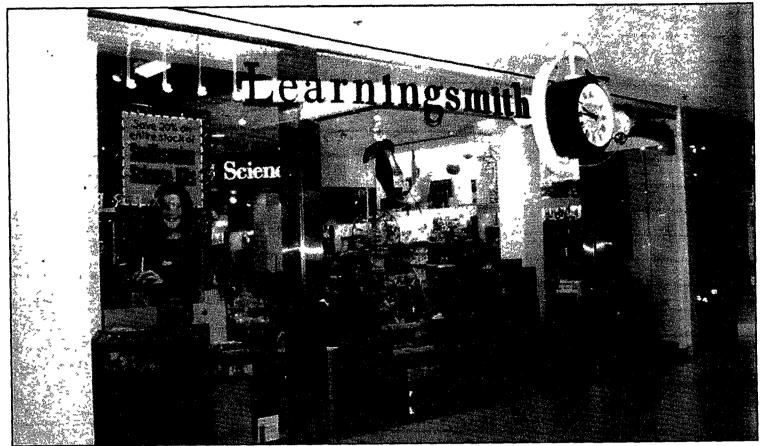


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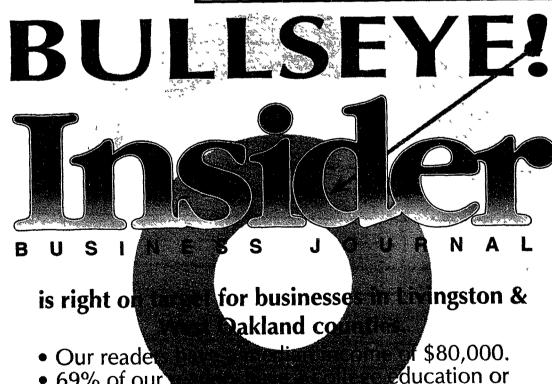
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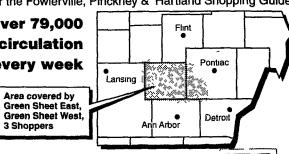
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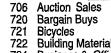
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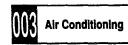
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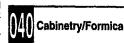
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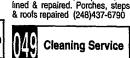


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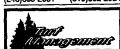
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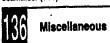


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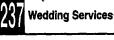
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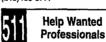
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Antiques/ Collectibles

"LABOR DAY" CLASSIFIED EARLY DEADLINES

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ALL ANTIQUES BOUGHT Postcards, china cups/saucers paper dolls, floral dishes, per fume bottles, toys, military, etc.



ANN ARBOR Antiques Market The Brusher Show. Sunday August 16, 6am - 4pm. 5055 Ani 94 then south 3 miles. Over 350 dealers in quality antiques and vintage collectibles all under cover Admission \$5.00 "30th TWO SPECIAL Auctions. Anniversary Year 1968-1998."
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Drop front desk, corner china cabinet, Windson

rocker, vanity, hutch, break front, tool chest, server dining table w/chairs, dou

ble bed, depression glass, hand-painted china, movie posters, more.

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machine. (248)476-0831

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NORTHVILLE - 5 famil lies. Furniture & house-hold. Sofa, maple table & SUN., Aug. 16, 11am Lake Onon Auction Gallery chairs, misc. tables & chest, Nordic track exer tables & 711 W. Clarkston Rd, cise equipment. Aug. 14th-15th 9-5, 21410 Tafi (¾ miles W. of Lapeer Rd.

15th. Rd., ½ mile N. of 8 Mile Preview: Wed., Thurs., 10-5pm, Fn. 10-8pm prior to sale. 16' 1978 THOMPSON SIDEWINDER w/motor, trailer, Spanish related collectibles, swords, shields, flintlocks, wine, swords, shields, tinitocks, wine, porcelain, 3 large curio/china cabinets; oak breakfront; TAM-BOUR, spinet & office desks; 2 drop leaf & other dining tables, 6 piece dining set; wicker table, plant stand, doll buggy; rocking, side & Sawnarola style chairs; stools; GLOBE BAR: coal scuttle; trucker carved wall & dun racks:

WALLED LAKE - Estate Sale. Aug. 13th-16th. Many items, mint condition. Must see. Incredible deals. Furniture, appliances, housewares, electronics & much more. (248)960-0800

Garage Sales

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Garage Sales Wayne

NORTHVILLE ture; solid wood, vintage, & office. Computer equipment, dishes, household misc. 18297 Edenderry Dr. off 7 Mile between Sheldon & Beck. Thurs & Fri, 8 to 12 Sat., 8am

cigar label, Rochester clothier mirror, spelter sculptures; tapestry; postage stamp collec-tion; FENTON, LENOX ROYAL NORTHVILLE: SAT & SELB, KNOWLES, HEISEY, MEAKIN, NIPPON, DEPRES-Sun only. 8-5. 280 S. Center. N of 7 Mile. Com-SION, NORITAKE, ART glass & puter equipment, house display cases; primitives & vintage tools; cedar chest, sterling, hold, exercise....

Garage Sales/ **Moving Sales**

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CLASSIFICATION

BRIGHTON - 4 Family Sale. Lots of baby items/ Sale. Lots of baby items/ furniture & Wheel Horse tractor. Thursday 8-6pm. 11125 Harry Ct., off Spencer & VanAmberg. BRIGHTON - 7746 Brian

(734) 878-5201.

wood Circle, Rolling Green Sub., off Fieldcrest between Silver Lake Rd. & Lee Rd. Aug. 14, 15, 9am-5pm. BRIGHTON - Desk, file cabinet, couch, loveseat, end table, lots of misc. E. on Spencer, N. on Van-Amberg to 11111 Shady-wood Dr. Thurs. & Fri.,

8:30-6; Sat. 9-noon.

BRIGHTON - Garage Sale Aug. 14 & 15, 9-5pm. 3931 Pepperidge Trail, Deer Creek Sub. on Old 23 just past Hilton. Baby items, misc. household. BRIGHTON - Multi Family. Crafts & art work, clothes, cast iron wood burner, misc. Fri., 9-5, Sat., 9-4. 5417 Ethel, off

(517)546-7496 or (517)546-2005 Webber between Old 23 & Grand River. BRIGHTON Sat.; Sun. bies, Toys, Dolls, Bears. Sunday, August 16, 12 noon. Midway, Aug. 15 & 16, 9-4pm. 328 N. First St. Rain or Shine. Hotel, Lansing. 1-96 at exit 93B

Large grouping of early Barbi BRIGHTON - Teachers & Home schoolers. Class Teddy Bears, wind-ups, room aids & goodies. 2nd grade teacher retired. 8160 Twilight, Horizon Elvis Collectibles, Sat. Aug. 22, 10am. Holiday Inn, Livonia I-275 at 6 Mile exit. 500 items, Hills Sub Aug. 14, 15, 9-4 at b Mile exit. 500 items, Records, Plates, Gum & Lobby cards, posters, Wines, Dolls, Photos, Autograph. Call for more into on these exciting Auctions:

BRIGHTON AUG 13, 14, 15, 9-5pm. 702 S. Hacker Rd. beautiful roll top desk, clothes, antique rocker, toys, cookbooks, jewelry, knick-knacks etc BRIGHTON MOVING Sale, Fri., Aug. 14 only, 9-5. 216 Woodlake Dr. (between Rickett & Lee,

15. 8-3. 20+ units with lots of goodies, some-**BRIGHTON MULTI** Family. 8-13, 8-14, 9-4. Lots of stuff. 8083 Fieldcrest, off thing for everyone, Hide-away Park, N. Argentine, between Lee Rd. follow signs. & Hogan on Gould Rd. BRIGHTON MULTI fami-

off Oak Ridge).

ly. Aug 13-15, 9-5pm. 7777 Hammel, Rickett S. Hammel. No iunk. Baby items, housewares, toys, crafts, etc. BRIGHTON TWP. 8936 S. Christine, off Hunter Rd. Furniture, moving boxes, household items,

boys clothes, more. Fri. Sat.; Aug. 14, 15; 9-3pm.

BRIGHTON VFW POST

#4357, 10590 E. Grand River. Thurs & Fri., Aug 13-14, 9am-4pm. Attic & Bake Sale **BRIGHTON- 755** Oak Ridge. Aug. 13. 8-4. Aug. 14, 8-12. Cheryl & Co. Estate Sales and Household

BRIGHTON- AUG. 14-15. 9-5. 9442 Edward Dr., n. of Hilton Rd. Antique lamps & dishes, baby & toddler items, & Toys!!!!! BRIGHTON. 2 family garage sale, 2375 Doris, Aug. 13 & 14, 9am-4pm.

MOVING AUCTION SATURDAY, AUGUST 15th 11 A.M.
8877 River Valley Rd. Take M-36 seat of Pinckney to north on Hamburg Rd. to Van Antwerp Rd., follow signs.

Hamburg Rd. to Van Antwerp Rd., follow signs.

BRIGHTON, MI (Hamburg Township)

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BRIGHTON. 2 family. 6259 Beth, off Lee. Aug. 15, 9am-5pm. Lots of misc., treadmill & ktd's stuff plus clothing newborn to adult.

BRIGHTON. 2 **HTON. 2** garage 8-13 & 8-14. Baby & childrens toys, clothes, accessories, plus house-hold terms. Lee Rd. to Fieldcrest to 7337 8 7366 Bishop Rd. 8:30-5.

BRIGHTON. 312 South Second St. Thurs. & Fri. 10-4pm. Sat 9-12noon. ppliances, furniture, lothing, mower, a little Appliances. bit of everything! some FOWLERVILLE. stuff never used.`

BRIGHTON. 577 & 316 S. Hacker. 4 family sale. Toys, clothes, misc. Aug. 13, 14, 9am-4pm.

BRIGHTON. AUG 13 & 14, 9-5pm, Ethan Allen cherry bedroom. telescope, kids cloth & 605 Glenwyth kids clothes, 602

BRIGHTON. BRIGHTON.
making supplies, cargo
carrier, escape ladder,
hedframe, no clothing, BASKET bedframe, no clothing, lots of misc. 128 Beaver, from Dairy Queen. Aug. 14 & 15, 9am-5pm.

BRIGHTON. FRI. & Sat., 9am-4pm. Clothes, furni-ture, toys, fisher price pool table, household. fisher price way household. bies, 3349 Pine Creek, off Old 23 and Skeeman.

BRIGHTON. TURE, ski set jr., misc. large items. Thurs. only, Aug. 13, 9am-3pm. 6578 East Ridge Court.

BRIGHTON. HOUSE-

HOLD, Aug 14 only 9-3, 6653 Davis (Rickett/Lee) BRIGHTON. HUGE garage sale. Kitchen set, dining room set, riding mower. bikes. lawn mouver, unces, household goods, furni-ture, clothes, toys, misc. 18ft. I/O boat. Fri., Sat., Aug. 14, 15, 9-5, 2876 Aug. 13-15, 9-3. Aug. 14, 15, 9-5. 2876 Independence. Off Pleas-

ant Valley & Buno. **BRIGHTON. MOVING.** Oak Pointe, 4615 Oak BRIGHTON. Court. Furniture, household items.

Aug. 13, 14; 9-5pm. BRIGHTON. sale. Fri., Aug. 14. 4:30 to Sale. 8:30pm. 11691 Burgoyne items

Dr. (810)229-8975 BRIGHTON. 5031 Brighton Rd at Oak Pointe entrance. Aug 14, 9-1pm, Aug 15, 8-12pm. Freezer, bunk beds, Freezer, bunk bed bikes, TVs, clothes, etc.

BRIGHTON. Marlowe, 13, 14, 15. (off of Lee Rd.)

ILY garage sale. Sata Aug. 15, 8am to 12noon, 5251 Leland. BRIGHTON. MULTIFAM-

ILY. Aug. 14, 15, 8-4pm. Household, girls clothes, toys. 5482 Arbor Bay Ct., Pine Creek Ridge Sub. BRIGHTON, OFFICE fur-

niture, Little Tykes, tools, lots of misc. Aug. 13, 14, 8:30 to 6pm. Aug. 15, 9 to Noon. 3525 VanAmberg, 1 mile north of Spencer.

BRIGHTON. RUSTIC Cottage Sale, Selling all household contents, old

BRIGHTON/ HOWELLmisc. marine supplies. Aug. 14-15. 9-5. Wonderland Marine West, 5796 E. Grand River, Howell.

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FENTON ANNUAL blowout candle sale. New & used Partylite products, clothes & goods too. Aug. 13-15, 9-5, 5290 S. Fenton Rd. S. of White Lake.

FENTON GARAGE sale. Tools, equipment, electri-cal & mechanical supcal & mechanical sup-ples, lawn tractor & deck.

Aug. 14 & 15, 9am-5pm. 10165 Center Rd., 4 mile E. of US-23.

FOWLERVILLE - Huge HOWELL, 504 S. Thomp-Moving Sale. Must sell kins, 3 families, downsiznurniture, antiques, household, to much to furniture, antiques, ing. need to run. 2 household, to much to weekends, Aug. 13, 14 & list. Thurs. only, Aug. 13, 15 & 20, 21 & 22, 9am-

sale, 2nd sale. Every-thing must go. 2 piece sectional couch with sofa bed & matching recliner.
Aug. 15 only, 9-4, 5262

HOWELL. 73 Cindy. N. Meadow Lawn. N. on of 59. Half off Snap-On Fowlerville Rd., left onto tools, ktds clothes, toys,

FOWLERVILLE. 10150 9 - 6pm. Furniture, toys, Owosso Rd., Frl., Sat., Aug. 14, 15, 9am-5pm. 7305 Oak Grove Rd.

River Rock Dr., Nicholson N. to Allen E., ¼ mile on Set dining right. Boys br. set, dining room table & chairs, microwave, toys, mis items. 8-14 & 8-15, 9-5.

FOWLERVILLE. RAGE sale. Thurs., Fri., Sat., Aug. 13-15. 10am-7pm. 7820 Nicholson Rd., N. of Grand River.

FOWLERVILLE. RAGE sale, Aug. 15, 9-3. Lawn tractor, stove, 1997 Grand Am GT, school desk, Little Tykes, much more. 6010 Pheasant more. 6010 Pheasant Ridge. Corner of Owosso & Pheasant Ridge, between Chase Lake & Sherwood Strangager.

rumiture, appliances, Thurs., Fri., 9-4, Sat., antiques weight bench, 9-12. Toys, books, bikes baby items, computer, 8 lots of misc. 903 Tanasadles, and much much ger Trail.

9-5pm, 5647 p.... more. Aug 15 & 16, 9-5pm, 5647 Bull Run off Mason Rd (517)223-7966

HAMBURG. MOVING sale. Thurs. & Fri., 9-6. Everything must go. 9405 Hamburg Rd., on Huron

River. HARTIAND 5 family. Aug. 13-15, 9-5. Beanle babies, clothes, bikes, toys & much more. 10525

Hibner Rd. HARTLAND, AUG. 13-15, 9-5. 11308 Norway, M-59 to Birch. Hobentertainment

center, lamps, lots more. HARTLAND. AUG 13 & FURNI- 14, 9-4pm, 11490 Dun-

ham Rd HIGHLAND. HUGE sale. Several families. Lots of great stuff! Aug. 13, 14, & 15, 9-5. 1262 W. Livingston, S. of M-59, W. off

Milford Rd. **HOWELL** - 2 Family, side by side. Toys, kids clothes, household items, bunk beds & more. Lake-wood Knoll Sub. on Aster, of Grand River, off Latson Rd., 1st 2 houses.

HOWELL - 2 family garage sale. Tools, furniture, much more. 9-6pm, Fri., Sat. 2705 Faussett. HOWELL - 512 Factory

. Sat. 9am-5pm, Sun., 10am-4pm. MOVING HOWELL - Big Garage Furniture, bo crafts. 3520 baby 20 E. items, crafts. 3520 E. Allen Rd. Fri., Sat., 9-5pm

MOVING HOWELL - Fri. (1 day Glenway, only), 9am-5pm. 2438 Melvin (off Oak Crest). **HOWELL** - New garage door opener, baby items,

gas grill, excerise bike, etc. 566 Hilltop, off Hugh-MOVING es. Sat. 9-2 HOWELL 5049 Mason

Rd., Little Tikes, tricycle, ride on toys, children's BRIGHTON, MULTIKAM in clothing, women's cloth-ILY garage sale. Salan ing the household misc., Aug. 15, Sam to 12 nagr. Skis," Fisher Price sand castle climber, books, shoes, toys & stuffed animals. Aug. 13-16, 9-5. **HOWELL GARAGE** sale,

6355 Botsford Rd., N. of M-59 on Aug. 15-16, 9-5pm. HOWELL MOVING Sale, Aug. 13, 5-9, Aug. 14, 8-7 & Aug. 15, 8-noon. 1462

Glen (off M-59, E. of Michigan).

HOWELL YARD sale. Fri., 8-14-98, 9-6. 431 W. old Coon Lake Rd.

association-wide sale. 1 day only, Sat., Aug. 15. Johnson Motors, & lawn-mower, Aug 14 & 15, Something for everyone. 8am-5pm.

antique clocks. Thurs. & Fri., 10-5. 110 N. Barnard.

HOWELL, AUG. 13 & 14, 9-5, 3332 E. Allen, W. of Latson Rd., kids clothes, ter, between 8 exercise equipment, grill, misc. household.

HOWELL, GIRLS & boys back to school clothes, toys, books, many house-hold items, Thurs. & Fri. Aug. 13 & 14, 9-5, 2045 Barron (across from Howell Twp. Hall).

HOWELL INDUSTRIAL yard sale 10hp. 3 phase compresser, benches, yard sale forth. S plusse compresser, benches, shelving, welder, cobi-nets, saw. Some tools, tooling & 3 phase equip-ment. Aug 13, 14, 15, 16. 9am to dusk. Argintine N. to Dean, turn right 6345

E. Dean) No beanies. HOWELL, 9 family, Furniture, infant thru adult clothing, toys and more. 654 Detroit St. Aug. 14,

15, 9am to 5pm. HOWELL. 4 huge sales. cti-12+family. Located at 2 1795, 2913, 2939, 2965 County Farm. Kids items. household. tools, more. 8-13, 14 & 15, 9am-3pm. No early birds. D-19 to Coon Lake.

> Lake Rd. Antique vanity, dresser & bed. Aug., 14, 15. 8-2pm.

HOWELL. 4533 Bentley

HOWELL. 5 family. Furniture, household items, clothes, games. 7891 Bergin, west of Hacker. Aug. 13, 14, 9am to 5pm.

9-6pm. 6433 Sharpe Rd.

FOWLERVILLE, 3 family sale, 2nd sale. Everyand sports equipment, costume jewelry, house-

hold items & games.

Fairfield, left on Meadow misc. Aug. 14 & 15, 8-5 HOWELL. AUG. 14, 15,

6069 HOWELL. ANTIQUES, NOVI- MOVING!!!! Aug. holson furniture & misc. 1255 14-15. 9-5. Like new furnitle on Lakeside (near M59 & niture: king sleigh water-Michigan). Aug. 15 & 16,

> HOWELL. AUG. 14-15, 9-4 at 433 Bonnie Circle, Norton County Farm Sub. **HOWELL. BABY** & adult

> HOWELL. COME N get it.

hold. 1435 Sexton Rd. Heights, 3 family, Fri. & Sat., 9-6, 818 Tanager.

HOWELL. **FOWLER**

family sale. 3303 & 3440 Crandall Rd., on Warner Rd. off Burkhart, N. of Grand River. All sorts of items, kids, tools, home and crafts & much more. and crafts & nucl.... Thurs., Fri., & Sat., 9-6.

No early (517)545-2746. HOWELL. LARGE sale. Books, toys, little tykes, bikes & misc. First street of Golf Club & Grand River. 168 Endicott. Thurs., Frt., 9-4, Sat.,

9-12. HOWELL. THURS., Fri. & Sat., 10am-4pm. Tires & rims, snowmobile, clothes, crafts, wedding dress & misc. 2605 Fisk

Rd., off Wright Rd. HOWELL. WW II navy uniform & peacoat, dolls, linens, Occupied Japan, Something for everyone. No early birds. 4 miles W. of D-19, 4539 W. Coon Lake Rd., Aug. 13, 14, 15 Ogn. 6 m.

15, 9am-6pm. HOWELL: GOING OUT OF BUSINESS SALE The Corner Cottage, bottom of the Cornerstone Mall, 204 W. Grand River. Wed. Aug. 12-Sat. the 15th, furniture, lamps, rugs, pictures, antiques, lots of home accessories. we are a second hand resale shop. Stop in, ev-erything's 25% off. Great

buysi

LAKE CHEMUNG. Aug 13 & 14, 9-5pm, 1975 Country Air 5th wheel camper, girls 15 speed 26in bike, and more, 1670 Hughes

MILFORD 875 Road, behind McDonald's Aug. 13-15, 8am-5pm. Household furniture, children & adult clothing & much more.

MILFORD MOVING, Aug. 13-16, 9-6pm. Woodwork power tools, antiques, old (248)685-3663

MILFORD. FURNITURE, electronics, household items, clothes. Aug. 13, 14, 15, 9am-5pm. 1138 Moore Rd. (1 mile N., of 1-96 off Milford Rd)

96, off Milford Rd). MOVING SALE! Older Thomasville sofa, 3 chairs, 3 tables. Blue recliner.

(810)227-4916 NORTHVILLE. S.W. corner of 7 Mile & Sheldon, St. Lawrence Estates,

NORTHVILLE- AUG. 13-15. 9-5. 16580 Frank- lin Rd., South of 6 Mile. South of 6 Mile. South of 6 Mile. BYRNE

Dr., between Taft & Center, between 8 & 9 Mile. Fri. & Sat., 9-3. Toys, sporting goods, household items, clothing.

NORTHVILLE. HUGE GARAGE SALE. Aug. 13, 14, 15. 8am-5pm. Craft supplies (below whole-sale), furniture, antiques, household items. **DON'T** MISS THIS ONE. May-crest Farm, 49680 W. 8 Mile. 1 mile W. of Beck

NORTHVILLE. HUGE Yard Sale. Antiques, old sportscards, computer & kids stuff. 45924 W. 7 Mile Rd. (corner of Clement & 7 Mile), Sat., Aug. 15 cpls. 644

15 only, 9-4. NORTHVILLE. LOTS of furnture including oak pedestal table & chairs, antiques, art work, riding lawn mower, books, baby items. 850 Carpetner, off 8 Mile, between Center & Novi Rd. Thurs.-Sat.

NORTHVLLE - Multifamily. August 13 thru 15, 9-5pm. Antiques, scuba equipment, tools, houseware & much much more. 248 S. Center.

NOVI - 24063 Wintergreen Cir. Aug. 14-15, 9am-4pm. Multi Family.

NOVI - Moving Sale. Aug. 14, 15, 9-5pm. Furniture, tools & household items. 22772 Shadow Pine Way Village Oaks Sub.

NOVI COMMUNITY Wide Yard Sale! Aug. 14-16. 10-5. Novi Meadows Manufactured Home Community & Old Dutch Farms. Located off Napier Rd., S. of Grand River.

NOVI, AUG. 13th & 14th 9am, toys, desk, kid's clothes, 21841 Worcester, 9 & Taft.

NOVI-8-15, 9-5. 24765 Applecrest. Meadowbrook Glens sub. Household items from 2 college apts. including 13" color TV & lots of good stuff.

niture: king sleigh water-bed, 2 dining rm. sets, server, new modular of fice furniture, dressers, pictures, household, de-signer clothes. 23150 Inv-Beck. Edinborough Sub.

Double Deluxe Wholesale price level. Over 25 choices starting at \$288 clothes, toys, crafts, misc.
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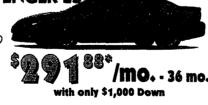
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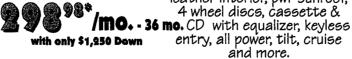




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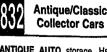
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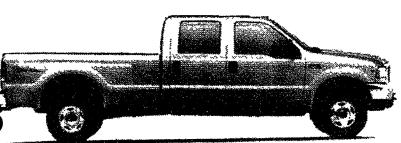
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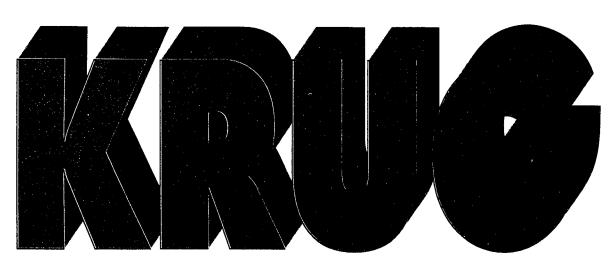


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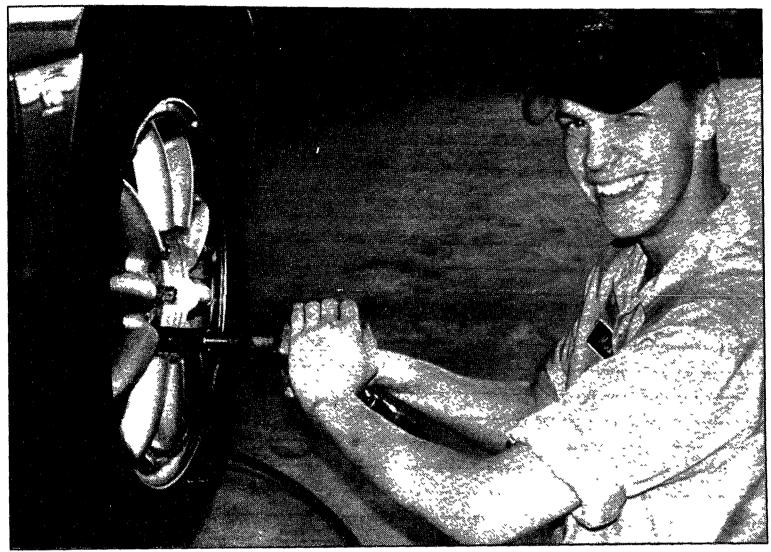
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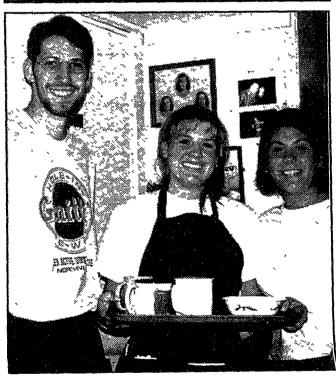
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Northville Chamber of Commerce (248) 349-7640



Roxanne Koche, Laurie Marrs, and Carol Kapusky welcome businesses to the Northville area.

Each year, Northville's Victorian Festival represents the spirit and the heritage of this century-old town. "The Victorian Festival is a celebration of our heritage," said Laurie Marrs, executive director of the Northville Chamber of Commerce. "We're a Victorian city, and very proud of it."

The Northville Chamber of Commerce, which sponsors this festival, seeks to maintain and promote the friendly small town atmosphere and vintage charm of Northville.

The Victorian Festival is one example of a successful strategy by the Chamber of Commerce — to promote business through promoting the community.

The Northville Chamber of Commerce is a not-for-profit organization made up of business owners and employees and governed by a board of directors.

As a network of information, a referral source, an advertising agency

and an image-maker, the Northville Chamber of Commerce provides many benefits for its members. "We offer validity to businesses," said Laurie.

Of 530 businesses in the Northville area, 400 are members of the Chamber of Commerce, creating a valuable network of business resources that includes retailers, financial institutions, services, schools, manufacturers and non-profit organizations. "Our members see the benefit," said Laurie. "We all work together as a team."

If Northville's businesses and organizations work as a team, the Chamber of Commerce is its manager. "Our job is to promote our members," said Laurie. "In doing so, we promote the community."

Since its inception in 1964, the Chamber has promoted business through events like the Victorian Festival, an annual golf outing and Art in the Sun, an outdoor arts and crafts festival.

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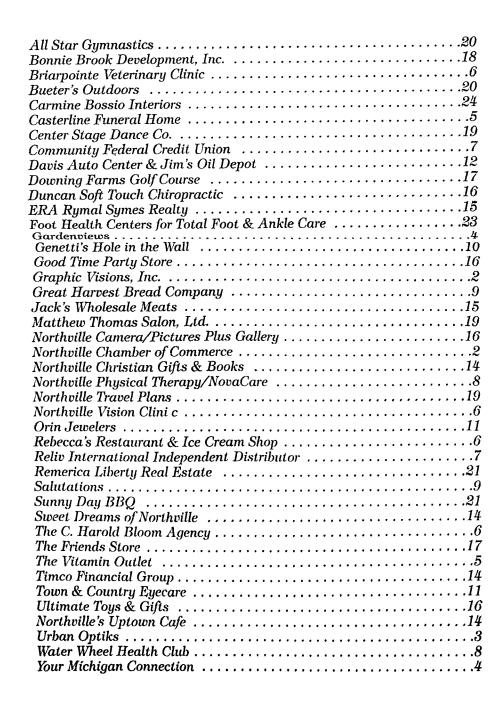
Head west from the Chamber office and you'll pass many of Graphic Visions, Inc.'s creative designs: the Northville Chamber of Commerce logo, the Waterwheel Building directory, metal dimensional letters for the new Seal Design Center, Bueter's dimensional fishing fly sign, and Margo's on Cady Street window graphics, to name a few.

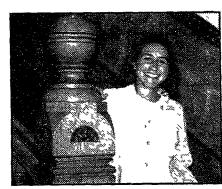
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Urban Optiks

(248) 347-9058



The exceptional staff of Urban Optiks: (from left) Susie Falzarano, Bob Falzarano, Gary Reggish, Doris Koppin and Karen Zabkiewicz. Not pictured: Dr. Bill Koppin, Sue Egan.

Urban Optiks focuses on your visual accessory.

"What separates Urban Optiks from other other optical shops is our unique collections of fashion eyewear from around the world," said Gary

Reggish, who owns this cutting-edge boutique in partnership with Dr. William Koppin.

"You only get one chance to make a first impression, and you eyewear is worn right in the middle of your face. Fashion forward folks see your eyewear as the article of clothing that truly is," explained Gary.

Fashion as well as function is the focus of Urban Optiks, and the owners go to the extremes to frame their clients in style.

Gary Reggish and Dr. Koppin travel every year to Paris, Milan, New York and Los Angeles. The purpose of these trips is to bring back eyewear of world-class quality, durability and optical design.

"We actually sit with the designers themselves," Gary said of their buying ventures.

For example, Gary Reggish and Dr. Koppin meet directly with French designer Fredric Beausoleil, who designs his own frames

and owns his own factory in Paris. "When the designer himself creates the frame, his passion is in

his work," Gary said. In contrast, collections sold at other optical shops are not created by the designers, but in turn, large companies pay for the rights to use the designers name.

When you buy a \$200 frame from Urban Optiks," Gary

assures his clients, "you get \$200 worth of frame." Such high quality and style goes straight to the display shelves, with exclusive

eyewear housed in vintage hutches from the late 1800's.

When asked about trends in eyewear, Gary reports that color is leading the industry. "Plastic frames are the bomb!" he said, displaying bold frames by Fredric

Beausoleil, Hiero, Lunor, Martine Sitbon, Matsuda and Proksch's.

The color craze include lenses as well as frames. This year, Gary explained, fashion-tinted lenses in blue, yellow, violet, lime and tangerine are "super hot."

Urban Optiks brings eyewear as an accessory home to Northville to keep its clients in the spotlight. "We're not driven by the sale, but by the look," stated Gary. "We are going to go above and beyond to make sure the client is happy."

Clients of Urban Optiks receive quality eye exams from Dr. Koppin, who has 11 years of optometry experience. Dr. Koppin spe-

cializes in prescribing contact lenses. Gary is a member of the National Academy of Opticians and

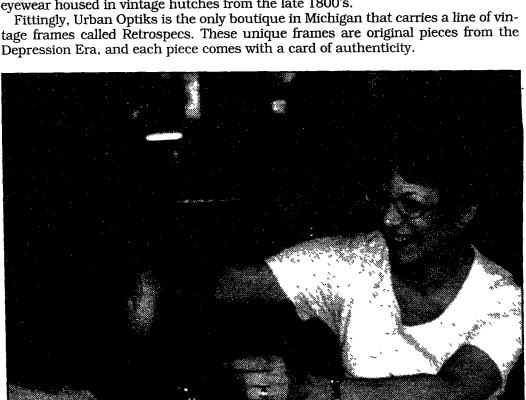
serves as executive director of the Opticians Association of Michigan.

Gary and the rest of the staff at Urban Optiks say they are deeply attached to this community and do their best to benefit the town. Gary is a member of the Northville Chamber of Commerce, and is on the Board of Directors for the Northville Rotary. Staff members like fashion consultant Susie Falzarano, Master Optician Bob Falzarano, Lab Tech Karen Moler and Patient Recall Representative Sue Egan call Northville their home.

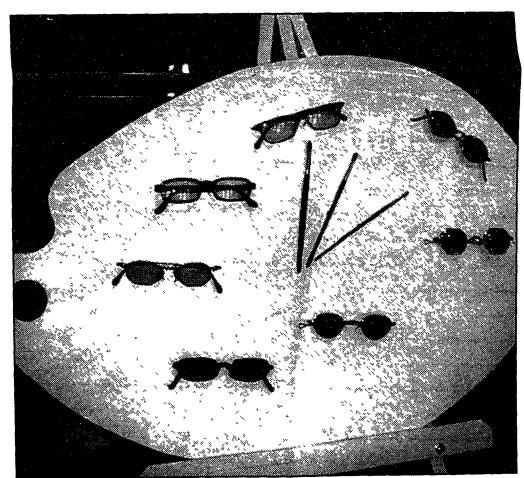
Convenient hours with morning and evening exam appointments as well as a lab right in the store give customers the best service possible.

In closing, Gary shared, "The client is the reason why we are here, and it is our intention to provide unparalleled superiority in eyewear product and service, where

passion, creativity and commitment come together. We continually challenge the status quo, understand the staggering potential of collaboration, genuinely caring that we are the best."



Susie Falzarano gives a client personal attention with a smile.



Season of color: A palette of tinted lenses and bright frames are the trend in eyewear this season, according to Gary Reggish.

Gardenviews

(248) 380-8881

Gardenviews blooms like an oasis in the middle of downtown Northville.

Whether you are an avid gardener, a casual shopper or a jogger needing a shady place to rest on a hot afternoon, this shop on West Main welcomes you.

"This store is not just for gardeners. It's for people who appreciate beauty and art," said Lou Mascolo, who owns Gardenviews with Greg Konczak.

The store itself is a work of art: several large, airy rooms display a variety of garden products set around fountains, lattices and plants. "We're the place to come for planters, urns, statuary, gloves, and other items you need for your garden," said Lou.

However, a product doesn't have to dig in the dirt, hang in a tree, or hold flowers to be found at Gardenviews. The store carries books, t-shirts, birdhouses, wall hangings and many other products related to growing things and the outdoors.

You need to see this store to believe it.

"We arrange the store to give the customer ideas of how to use the products," Greg explained. This way, he added, Gardenviews can be helpful to both expert gardeners and beginners. Greg, an avid gardener, and Lou, who enjoys his own garden, arrange Gardenviews creatively to suggest the best uses for their products.

From April to July, during the height of the growing season, Gardenviews is a great garden store, Lou said. But 12 months a year, he continued, "we're a great gift store."

This shop carries everything you need to help your garden grow while enhancing its look, during summer or winter. Decorations like lattice and statuary, the owners said, add art and texture to a garden, making it beautiful during the growing season or when snow flies.

"We just try to make it a nice shopping environment. I want to make it inviting and welcoming for people to



Owners Lou Mascolo and Greg Konczak (back row) with some of the Gardenviews staff: Peggy Cuadra, Kurt Williams and Karl Juzink.

come in," Lou said.

Gardenviews is a friendly, as well as beautiful, place. A helpful staff gives personal service to every customer.

Unique merchandise, helpful staff and friendly policies all come together to make Gardenviews a place customers want to visit again and again.

Lou reported that Gardenviews currently has over 9,000 customers on its mailing list and he expects to top 10,000 by the end of the summer. Customers from the local area and as far away as Dearborn, West Bloomfield and Farmington constantly bring ideas and suggestions to the store.

The owners take their suggestions seriously because variety is a constant pursuit at Gardenviews. Lou and Greg travel to many product shows in search of new and unique items to fill their store. "You have to be quick and deci-

sive to be unique," Lou said. He added that one hot item now is the Masagrill, a combination grill, ice bucket, and fire pit.

Another popular item is a copper sprinkler that Gardenviews just can't keep in stock.

"There's always something new coming out," said Greg.

With such a wide variety of products and a helpful staff, Lou said, "you don't have to be a gardener to shop at Gardenviews."

Lou said that he follows the advice of Ted Turner to run his business: "Early to bed, early to rise, work like hell, and advertise."

Gardenviews is open Monday through Wednesday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., Thursday and Friday from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m., Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday from noon to 5 p.m.



Gardenviews specializes in unique and beautiful garden accessories.

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Your Michigan Connection (248) 380-9242



Theresa Dupont and Geri Turnbull celebrate the state of Michigan.

Your Michigan Connection gives people a chance to take a little piece of the Great Lakes State home with them

Geri Turnbull, owner of the store at 136 N. Center St., said a majority of the items in her store are made in Michigan. She has Michigan caps and postcards as well as a large supply of foods made in Michigan.

Your Michigan Connection also carries large Michigan-based brand names, like American Spoon.

In addition to Michigan merchandise, Turnbull also sells craft items made locally ... so "locally," in fact, that she made them personally.

"I do water painting and acrylics and display them in the store," she said.

As an example, Turnbull pointed to children's tote bags. She hand paints the design on each tote bag.

Customers can also send a little piece of Michigan to friends or relatives who live out of state; Your Michigan Connection can ship gifts across the country.

Since opening the business two and a half months ago, Turnbull has found business is steady as customers gradually discover her unique little shop.

One customer, Therese DuPont, liked the items in Turnbull's store so much after her first visit that she returned the next day asking if Turnbull needed any help.

By working at the store, Dupont said she has learned a lot about the retail business and has enjoyed being able to work with customers on a one-to-one basis.

Your Michigan Connection is open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday.

Casterline Funeral Home

(248) 349-0611

Northville area families have had the benefit of assistance from the Casterline family in times of need for three genera-

Ray Casterline established Casterline Funeral Home, Inc. at 122 W. Dunlap in Northville in 1937. He was followed by his son, Fred, who retired in 1980. Now Ray II runs the funeral home, and has been a licensed funeral director for 28 years.

Now a fourth generation is preparing to continue the tradition of easing the burden on families while they cope with the loss of a loved one.

Two of Ray's daughters are studying mortuary science and will be joining their father in the business within the next couple years. Courtney Ross is graduating in early August from Wayne State University and Lindsey Casterline is in her fourth year at Bowling Green.

Building on their formal educations, Courtney and Lindsey will also be able to draw on their father's experience in the business.

"I enjoy working with people and helping people through what may be the most difficult times in their lives. I find that rewarding," Ray said.

Casterline Funeral Home, Inc. is experienced in taking care of the details of funeral and memorial services for

Preplanning is an option that eases the burden for many people. Ray acquired his life insurance license in order to offer preplanning with life insurance.

By this means, people can make arrangements in advance for their funeral services priced at current costs.



Casterline Funeral Home has been a part of Northville for many years. They are highly trusted by members of the community.

They can then purchase a life insurance policy for that amount.

The policy guarantees that the chosen arrangements will be paid for regardless of their price at the time of death.

"It's reassuring emotionally and financially for people to know that everything is taken care of," Ray said. "In many cases, long term health care costs have depleted a person's savings to the point where state assistance is required. The Forethought program is set up in such a way to be protected and will not effect the amount of assistance the state provides."

While funeral arrangements are basically the same today as they have always been, regulations concerning pricing have improved customer knowl-

"People are much more aware of the variety of services provided by a funeral director now," Ray said. "But many people didn't want to know exactly what those services were and choose among them. It's a difficult time to force decisions on people."

Ray said Casterline will be expanding soon, with the construction of a new funeral home in South Lyon. Construction should begin this month, and Ray hopes to have it completed by Thanksgiving.

Casterline Funeral Home, Inc. has a staff of five, and like Ray, they are on call 24 hours a day, seven days a week, 365 days a year.

Call Ray at (248) 349-0611 for further inquiries.



Ray Casterline helps people who have experienced personal loss.

The Vitamin Outlet

(248) 344-0400

The Vitamin Outlet enables customers to keep their bodies and their wallets healthy.

Art Reed, manager of the store at 43067 W. Seven Mile, said the Vitamin Outlet offers the biggest discounts of all vitamin and health supply stores.

"Prices are going up all around, but we're cutting prices," said Reed. "We're giving the working guy a break."

Vitamin Outlet gives customers a place to shop where the owner is not greedy ... a place where the owner cares about the customer's health.

In addition to having the best prices, the Vitamin Outlet also has one of the biggest selections of health and nutrition supplies. "We have the best selection of anyone I know," said Reed. "If we don't have it, we will get it. And at the best price in town."

The Vitamin Outlet offers a wide selection of vitamins, herbs and various body cures.

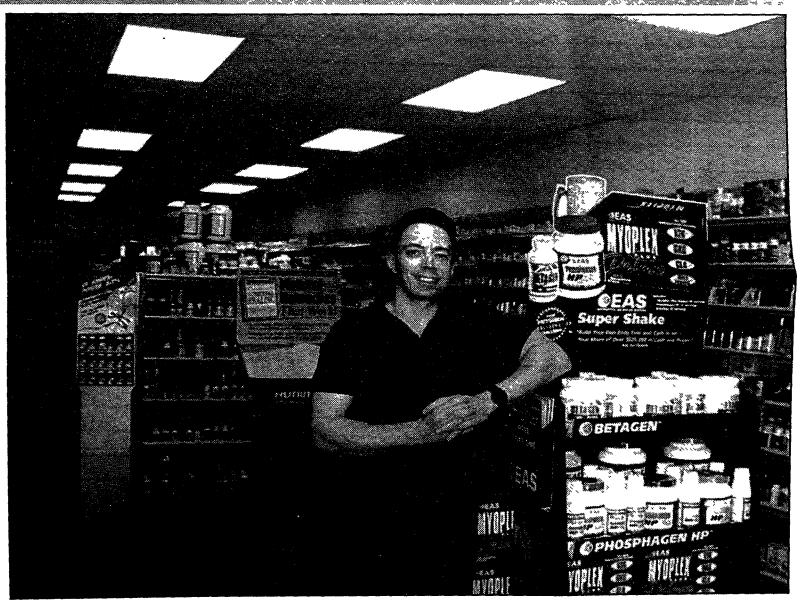
Despite the large selection, customers don't need to worry about picking the wrong nutritional supplement. A knowledgeable staff member is always available to answer questions and make recommendations.

"We do what it takes to make the customer happy," Reed said.

Customers receive help in choosing items to make them feel better. Each customer is asked what's bothering them and what their goals are. Using this information, Reed researches the problem and pinpoints what type of supplement will be most beneficial.

In addition to finding the right supplement, customers have a choice of brands to choose from. Reed believes in offering a variety of brands and price ranges while explaining which brand may be best suited for the particular customer.

Reed has been manager of The Vitamin Outlet since it opened in Northville



Using his extensive knowldege of the health industry, Art Reed, Manager, and his friendly staff help customers choose the nutritional supplement that is best suited for them.

May 1. The franchise started four years ago with one store in Livonia and has been expanding rapidly ever since. There are now Vitamin Outlet stores across the Metro-Detroit area.

"People are always telling me how glad they are that we came to Northville," said Reed. "There is nothing in Northville like this."

The Vitamin Outlet is open from 10

a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday through Friday, 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday.

For more information, call (248) 344-0400.

Briarpointe Veterinary Clinic (248) 449-7447



Doctors John Parker and Ron Studer with Office Manager/Assistant Jude Howison, Groomer/Assistant Teri Brennan and Daven the dog.

At Briarpointe Veterinary Clinic, the doctors of veterinary medicine see a variety of pets — from dogs to iguanas.

"We'll treat many 'pocket pets." Dr. John Parker explained. "That includes any pet small enough to fit into a pocket, such as gerbils or hamsters." Birds are a growing part of the practice as well.

Briarpointe is a full-service medical, dental and surgical clinic. They also offer grooming and behavioral counseling.

Both doctors bring a wealth of expertise to the Novi clinic, which was established in June of 1996. "We brought experience from day one," Dr. Ron Studer said.

Dr. Studer has been a veterinarian for 25 years; Dr. Parker has been practicing for 10 years.

According to the doctors, their spectrum of interest and experience

creates a wide range of services. "We perform all of the more common procedures such as spaying and neutering," Dr. Parker said. "But we both have an interest in surgery and other special arenas, such as dentistry and internal medicine."

Ron added they provide a lot of preventative medicine. "It has really come to the forefront of the profession," he said. "Prevention and early detection are very important."

Both men should know — they each care for pets of their own. Dr. Studer has a Golden Retriever named Max, a cat named Domino and a black Labrador named Breezy, who is a breeding stock dog for the "Paws with a Cause" program.

Dr. Parker also has a Golden Retriever who goes by CJ and a cat named Bob Dole. "My son named him," he said. "He just didn't seem like a 'Kitty' or 'Fluffy."

The C. Harold Bloom Agency (248) 349-1252



Doug and Gordon Lyon, owners, are part of a long line of family who have built the dependable reputation of C. Harold Bloom.

The C. Harold Bloom Agency has given more than a lifetime of commitment in insurance coverage to the Northville area.

The agency is now in its third generation of ownership in the same family. It was started in 1928 by C. Harold Bloom. Years later, Bloom passed it on to his son-in-law, Richard Lyon, who has since passed the family business on to his two sons, Gordon and Douglas.

With nearly 70 years of experience, the C. Harold Bloom Agency is amply qualified to serve customers in need of home, business and automobile insurance.

While C. Harold Bloom has been a household name in the Northville

area for many years, Gordon and Douglas bring their own expertise to the agency. Gordon has been in insurance for 10 years and Douglas for nine years, giving them seasoned knowledge of the business to fully meet customers' insurance needs.

C. Harold, Bloom is an independent agency offering clients a variety of coverage options from a variety of insurance companies.

A growing population and a long list of satisfied clients are two of the reasons the C. Harold Bloom Agency is continuing to grow.

The C. Harold Bloom Agency is located at 108 W. Main St. It is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Rebecca's Restaurant & Ice Cream Shop (248) 348-2660



You can beat the heat and your hunger at the same time at Rebecca's Family Restaurant and Ice Cream Parlor in downtown Northville.

The building itself is 100 years old. At one time it was known as the very popular "Cloverdale Dairy."

It has been through many owners and name changes over the years, but one thing has always stayed the same— Northville residents and visitors can still carry on the tradition of bringing their families to this location for ice cream.

Rebecca's offers 32 flavors of ice cream along with Sanders Hot Fudge Cream Puffs, malts, shakes, Fruit Smoothies and sodas. They will be adding a roft serve yogurt machine very soon.

Ice cream isn't all you can get at Rebecca's, the rest offers a full breakfast, lunch and dinner menu along with a children's menu. Both are very reasonably priced.

There are different specials everyday with a fish fry every Friday until 8 p.m. Rebecca's is open seven days a week at 8 a.m.

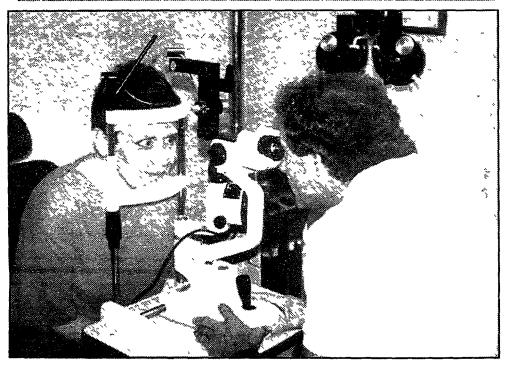
For a quick lunch you can get homemade soup in a bread bowl from Great Harvest Bread Co., gyros, burritos, Greek salads, homemade chicken salad and their famous homemade vegetarian burgers, just to name a few. If you can't stay you can always place a carry-out order.

The restaurant is located on Center Street North of Main. There is plenty of parking in the lot behind the restaurant. The side door is wheelchair and stroller accessible.

The decor consists of various old signs, antiques and Red Wing memorabilia, which gives Rebecca's an old-fashioned feel and unique charm.

If your looking for a fun, friendly atmosphere at a reasonable price, bring the family to Rebecca's on Center Street.

Northville Vision Clinic (248) 348-1330



Patients of Northville Vision Clinic are treated by a friendly, experienced staff of professional doctors and assistants who care. . .

Since 1973, Dr. Martin Levin has been practicing optometry in Northville.

He and his partner, Dr. Dale J. Malinowski, make sure the 100-year-old office at 335 N. Center Street is a friendly, familiar sight to many residents.

The hometown atmosphere at the clinic extends to service as well. When patients come to the Northville Vision Clinic, they are served by the same doctors and opticians each time. This advantage helps clients get familiar, personal service every time they come in

"Everyone is special," Dr. Levin said. "All the time is devoted to them."

Patients will find their experience at Northville Vision Clinic much different from the eye glass shops found in

malls.

"It's just a small-town atmosphere in here. You get to know everybody by name," said Mary Keros, an optician with 30 years of experience. "We try to make everybody feel special," she added.

Service at the clinic is flexible as well. Keros said the staff is more than happy to order different frames for people who need different sizes, colors or shapes.

"Being able to work with people and see the results of the work and help them with all their visual needs is a great feeling," Levin said.

Hours are Monday, Tuesday, and Friday 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., Wednesday 9:30 a.m. to 8 p.m., Thursday 9:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. and Saturday 8 a.m. to noon.

Reliv International Independent Distributor

(248) 684-5227, (800) 841-5274

What is the secret to good health? Building a Strong immune system by giving your body the nourishment it needs to accomplish this task.

Health is, without a doubt, a major concern in America. People want to improve their quality of life, but a barrage of fast foods and an even faster pace of life keep many Americans malnourished and fatigued.

"People are tired," observed Mary Christensen, an independent distributor for Reliv International. This company is on a mission to allow people to regain and maintain healthy bodies, one cell at a time.

Now 10 years old, Reliv is a leader in food science research, development and quality control.

Microbiologist Dr. Theodore P. Kalogris researched for 10 years creating and developing a nutritional formula that would balance the body's chemicals, minerals and vitamins.

This formula was awarded a U. S. patent in April of 1988. Independent Reliv distributors began to sell his patented food product as Reliv Classic, starting a movement to bring the benefits of this product to the world.

Reliv Classic and an array of other products since introduced are known as functional foods, nutritional substances which not only nourish the body, but repair it toward better health.

The philosophy behind functional foods is that our food should be our medicine. People using Reliv products are seeing positive results in their overall health by being able to maintain higher energy levels and having the ability to combat the symptoms of a variety of diseases and illnesses.

The benefits, Mary said, are endless. Besides the Classic formula, Reliv offers NOW, a daily nutritional supplement; Arthaffect, which targets the



Mary Christensen, an independent distributor for Reliv International, is reaping the benefits of good health her products provide.

source of joint pain; and FibRestore, a fiber-rich antioxidant supplement.

Reliv also offers Getabetterbody, a complete weight-loss program, and Innergize!, an invigorating sports drink.

As an answer to unhealthy fast food, Reliv offers Reliv Healthy Pantry meal entrees.

"Instead of the fast foods that are creating disease in our bodies, Reliv has foods that prevent disease," said Mary.

Keeping the body healthy is a daily process, Mary explained. Daily use of Reliv products will benefit the body in specific areas and in general health.

"Taking functional foods will soon be as common as brushing your teeth," she said. Mary herself lives as a testimony to the power of Reliv functional food products. "Reliv found me," she said.

Reliv products gave her more energy, added at least three hours to her day and overall improved the quality of her life. Mary used Reliv products as prenatal supplements last year and now Mary feeds them to her new baby every day to help prevent ear infections, colds or any of the other ailments that are so prevalent in other children.

Over all, Reliv creates the finest products for improving the quality of life, something everyone is looking for. The company researches, manufactures and distributes all its products from one world headquarters in Missouri, where further development of these products is an on-going process. All products come with a 100 percent money back guarantee.

Reliv International is a 10-year-old, rapidly-growing network marketing company and offers career opportunities in distribution.

Mary said her involvement with Reliv grew naturally out of her desire to share these effective products with the people she cares about. She realized that Reliv could rebuild their bodies and allow them to live better lives.

Mary explained: "If you give the body what it needs in perfect balance, the body will become healthy again and be able to prevent future illnesses and disease."

If you want to regain a high quality of life, feel healthy and energetic again, or earn extra income by beginning a new career opportunity, call Mary Christensen about Reliv at (248) 684-5227 or (800) 841-5274.

Community Federal Credit Union

(248) 348-2920

Community Federal Credit Union gives customers the convenience of a full-service financial institution.

The differences: lower fees and higher interest rates on savings accounts.

Assistant Branch Manager Janice Lyon noted that Community Federal offers all the financial tools of a bank—checking, savings and money market accounts; certificates of deposit; mortgages and second mortgages; person line credit; VISA accounts; 24-hour banking and web-banking.

But while many other financial institutions offers similar services, Community Federal offers members a little more.

Community Federal's checking accounts are unique because they pay interest. Many banks do not pay interest on checking accounts.

In addition, Community Federal offers person line credits, which help members avoid high over-draught fees.

Community Federal also offers a higher interest rate on money market accounts. With a minimum deposit of \$1,000, members can receive a 3 percent interest on the account with a 3.4 percent APY. The account also does not assess penalties and does not lock in members for specific time periods.

In addition to providing the convenience of 24-hour banking at ATMs, Community Federal offers web-banking. Through web-banking, members can access their accounts on the internet to check account balances. Members can also look up current interest rates on savings accounts and loans.

Lyon emphasizes that web-banking is very secure and has many security features to protect account information.

Anyone who lives or works in Plymouth, Canton, Northville or Novi is eligible to join the credit union and can open accounts for as little as \$10.



Community Federal Credit Union gives its customer's accounts the individual attention it deserves.

Community Federal has branches in Plymouth, Canton and Northville and plans to open an additional branch in Novi soon. The Northville branch, located at 400 E. Main St., has been a part of the community since 1977.

While offering residents many financial services, Community Federal enjoys being able to give back to the communi-

ty through a partnership with Amerman Elementary School, operating a credit union at the school twice a month.

The credit union is run by students and uses real money and real credit union accounts to teach the children about banking.

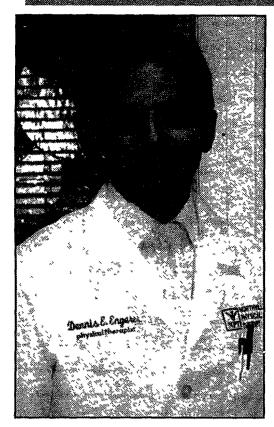
As part of the partnership, Amerman students plant flowers outside the cred-

it union, sing Christmas carols during the holidays and decorate the interior of the credit union with artwork throughout the year.

Community Federal is open from 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Thursday, 9:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Friday and 9:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday. For further information call (248) 348-2920.

Northville Physical Therapy & Rehabilitation P.C./NovaCare

(248) 349-3816



Dennis Engerer, Physical Therapist and Center Manager.

For almost 15 years, their reputation and motto has been "A tradition of personal care." Previously called Northville Physical Therapy and Rehabilitation, and now NovaCare, located at 215 E. Main St

NovaCare has a staff of 14 people, and is able to give patients one-on-one care. The services include physical therapy, occupational therapy, speech therapy and social services.

Dennis Engerer, physical therapist and center manager, said many firsttime patients are surprised at the many services available at NovaCare. Patients can receive the same rehabilitation ser-



NovaCare provides rehabilitation services to people who experience a variety of bodily injuries.

vices they could receive at a large hospital facility without having to leave Northville.

NovaCare treats people with a variety of injuries. Patients needing rehabilitation for everything from sports injuries to catastrophic injuries, such as closed head injuries, spinal cord injuries and strokes, can find the help they need at NovaCare.

"We would like people to know we provide a full spectrum of rehabilitation services," Engerer said.

NovaCare sees many of its patients returning for treatment of other injuries. "If we do a good job with them, they develop confidence and trust in us they may come back or refer others that may have need of our services," Engerer said. NovaCare treats patients of all age groups.

Engerer, who started the physical therapy practice under the name Northville Physical Therapy 15 years ago, said he saw Northville as an area that needed a facility of this type. "Northville has a very caring and very supportive medical community," he said.

The only thing is Northville needed at that time, was a full service rehabilitation facility.

One of the advantages of selling the business to a national rehabilitation provider was the opportunity to offer additional services previously not available, such as orthotics and prosthetics (braces and artificial limbs). NovaCare provides leading edge technology in physical rehabilitation.

The Northville facility is a certified Medicare rehabilitation agency and all types of insurance plans are welcome. Clinic hours are Monday through Friday 7:30 a.m. to 7 p.m. and 8 a.m. to noon on Saturday. Home care is available to homebound individuals. The clinic phone number is (248) 349-3816.

Water Wheel Health Club

(248) 449-7634

"We are not your typical health club," said Chris Klebba, co-owner of the Water Wheel Health Club.

Located in the former Ford Valve Plant, Water Wheel is well equipped for people of all fitness levels. The focus, however, is on people who have never been to a health club or have not been to a health club for a while.

Water Wheel offers a highly-trained staff of fitness professionals who make members feel welcome and help them develop their fitness programs.

William Mooney, a 54-year-old member, said Water Wheel is perfect for him because it gives him a place to work out with people he can relate to. More importantly, it gives him a place to work out where he does not feel intimidated.

Mooney added that the instruction he receives is invaluable because he learns something new about fitness everyday.

"Once you set foot in the door, the work out is over because the energy of the people brings you along," said Mooney. "I would recommend this place to anybody I ever met, young and old."

Mooney, who has been a member over two years, has lost weight and body fat, gained leaner muscle mass and brought his blood pressure down to the level it was 20 years ago.

Lynn Trenkle, a 39-year-old member at the club and Mooney's work-out partner, also has nothing but praise for the facility.

Trenkle said she has always worked out but never belonged to a club before. One she stepped foot inside Water Wheel, she was immediately impressed, noting that employees go out of their way to assist everyone in the club.

"The club is so comfortable that every type of person feels good coming in," she said. "There are members from 18 to 80-years old."

Additional praise for the health club comes from Frank and Jackie Maisano, a married team in their 50s who own a restaurant in Novi. The Maisanos have been work out partners since they joined Water Wheel six months ago.

"We've never been to a club before. Then we came here and now we work



Member William Mooney and Lynn Trenkle give support to one another in their quest for physical fitness.

out four times a week," Frank said.

Since they had never been to a health club, the Maisanos felt intimidated about going to a large chain club. They found their niche at Water Wheel, where employees make everyone feel welcome and there is no intimidation factor.

In addition to the friendly atmosphere, Frank reported that the instructors have given him and his wife directions on how to be healthy for the rest of their lives.

Since joining Water Wheel, both Frank and Jackie have noticed their health improving. Frank said he has found he has more energy and has lost 23 pounds. Jackie said she too feels she has more energy, adding that she feels better about herself and sleeps better at night.

Water Wheel Health Club is open from 5:30 a.m. to 9:30 p.m. Monday through Friday; 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday and 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday.



The friendly, experienced staff at Water Wheel provides its members with the means to achieve proper fitness.

Salutations

(248) 349-3537

Salutations invites you to get creative.

This card, gift and stationery store in downtown Northville offers colorful trappings and services for every occasion, and is constantly expanding its inventory.

"We really have evolved since we opened," said owner Lorie Wyant, "and we're going to keep evolving. We're always looking for new products and new ideas."

Recently, Salutations has begun to offer a service with real value to the community, in addition to the standards.

The shop now specializes in custom invitations. Lorie and her staff create unique invitations every step of the way, from imprinting to paper selection to assembly.

Personal service here is a priority, and customers can contribute as much or as little as needed in this process. Salutations will even address, stuff, stamp and mail invitations for busy customers. Lorie added that they have a very good turn around time.

"It's something we can do fast and creatively," she said, explaining that the service saves time and gives a great presentation, whether the invitations are for a wedding shower, baby shower, birthday or retirement party.

"An invitation is the first impression your guest has of your event," said Lorie. "It should be a reflection of you personal style and should set the tone of the upcoming celebration. We can work within a wide range of budgets. Regardless of cost, an invitation can create anticipation for your event."

Salutations also offers a creative gift wrapping service, using different ribbons and wraps to make gifts the best they can be.

"How it looks on the outside is as



"An invitation is the first impression your guest has of your event," says Lorie Wyant, owner of Salutations.

important as what you are giving," said Lorie. "The wrappings complete the present."

Lorie and her staff give gifts that extra care, even if the gift to be wrapped is not purchased at Salutations.

However, Salutations offers many ideas for gifts. This shop is one of the largest dealers of Mary Engelbreit products in the area, offering cards, hats, shirts, home products and more.

'The shop also carries other lines of quality gift items, such as Williraye Studios, Camille Beckman Hand Therapy, Bridal Accessories, stationary and Northville Afgans and Pillows.

For an extra lift in gift-giving, Salutations sells helium balloons for all occasions.

One special occasion coming soon is giving Salutations reason to celebrate—an anniversary. "I can't believe it; these

five years have just been amazing," said Lorie.

The shop will mark its fifth anniversary in Northville with a weekend-long celebration in late September.

Lorie said that operating in downtown Northville keeps Salutations inventive and creative.

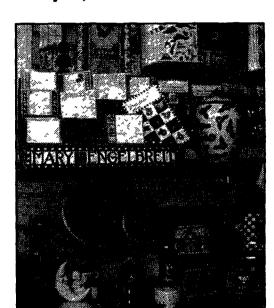
"When people come to a small town like Northville, they expect to find unique products, great customer service and owner-operated businesses."

Fortunately, Salutations has all three.

The shop is open Monday through

The shop is open Monday through Saturday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., with an additional two hours from 6 to 8 p.m. on Thursday, and from noon to 4 p.m. on Sunday.

Lorie is assisted by three creative employees and is currently looking for creative people to add to her staff.



Salutations also carries a wide variety of unique gift lines.

Great Harvest Bread Company

(248) 344-4404

The smell of baking bread, the sound of energetic music and the sight of dancing bakers at the Great Harvest Bread Company can't help but brighten your day.

Ray Novelly, who owns the bakery with his wife Lorie, creates a fun, exciting atmosphere with upbeat music and a friendly and attentive staff.

In addition to the fun, Ray makes fresh-baked bread that smells and tastes delicious.

Everything at the Great Harvest is made on site from the freshest and healthiest ingredients.

Each day, the bakers at Great Harvest Bread Company mill their own wheat and then bake the bread that customers line up to eat and buy.

The only problem with this madefrom-scratch operation, cautioned Ray, is that they sometimes run out of bread early because they haven't made enough. In addition to the wide variety of different breads, Great Harvest makes fresh cookies, muffins, scones and fatfree cinnamon rolls.

In addition to being delicious, Great Harvest breads have no fats, oils or preservatives. making them healthy as well as fresh.

The bread is sold unwrapped because it is so fresh, Ray explained.

Ray also noted that customers don't need to worry about freshness. Because it is made without dairy products and the wheat is freshly milled, the bread will last up to two weeks.

Great Harvest also offers a wide variety of flavored breads. The staff bakes up seven to eight different varieties of bread each day, creating a changing menu daily.

Flavors may include Honey Whole Wheat, Oregon Herb, Cinnamon Raisin Walnut, Michigan Cherry Walnut, Ninegrain Whole Wheat and Golden Ched-



Ray Novelly, co-owner of Great Harvest, has a knack for creating a fresh and fun store atmosphere that provides top-quality baked goods.

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Even with such a large selection, customers don't have to worry about picking the perfect flavor. There are free slices of the different flavors for people to sample. It doesn't matter if they are potential buyers or just lookers, said Ray. "Everybody gets a free slice."

Ten percent of all the bread made each day is given away to visitors. Any bread left over after 24 hours is given to charity, Ray reported.

Great Harvest Bread Company is located at 139 E. Main St. in Northville. Additional Great Harvest stores are located in Brighton and South Lyon.

The bakery is open from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Tuesday; 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. Wednesday, Thursday and Friday; and 7 a.m. until they run out of bread on Saturday.

For more information, give Ray a call at (248) 344-4044.



Everyone is guaranteed a free slice of delicious bread at Great Harvest.



The fresh baked bread has become such a hit in Northville that sometimes they run out. Ray cautions his customers to come by early.

Genitti's Hole in the Wall

(248) 349-0522

Genitti's is more than just an entertaining place to eat great Italian food, it is a little slice of family and a hilarious theatrical experience, all in one.

HISTORY

Genitti's was a grocery store/butcher shop when it was bought by the husband-wife team of John and Toni Genitti in 1971. The store was expanded in 1979 when the restaurant was added.

From there, Genitti's kept expanding. More dining space was added, as were a theater and a market place specializing in Christmas decorations. The Christmas shop has since been sold.

GENITTI'S RESTAURANT

Genitti's serves lunch everyday with homemade soups and salads. In the summer, patrons can sit inside or in Genitti's outdoor cafe.

For dinner, Genitti's offers a traditional seven-course Italian dinner served family style.

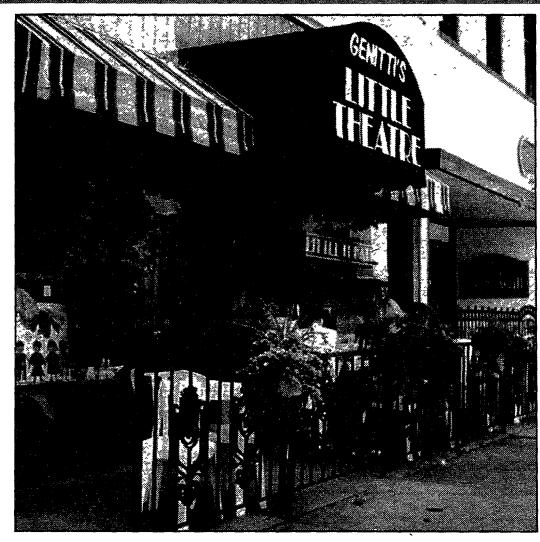
Diners are seated at tables with anywhere from six to 20 other people. Silverware and dishes do not necessarily match, and drinks are served in Mason jars — just like many large family dinners.

"At Genitti's we treat you like family or better," said Supervisor Lisa McLoud. Some patrons feel so at home that by the end of the night they are wearing aprons and getting their own food.

A delicious dinner at Genitti's starts with homemade chicken soup and a pasta with either a butter cheese or red sauce. Then an antipasto salad is served followed by baked chicken and zucchini, Italian steak and baked potatoes, and Italian sausage. A cannoli is served for dessert.

Dinners on Friday and Saturday nights are usually followed by a hilarious play in Genitti's Little Theatre.

However, McLoud said they are doing things a little differently for this year's



Genitti's outdoor cafe is open for lunch all summer long.

play — a parody of a Polish-Italian wedding titled "I Do ... I Think." Diners are treated to an interactive Polish-Italian wedding, with members of the audience pulled onstage to serve as the groom and preacher.

After the wedding, patrons are served dinner, just like a real wedding reception, complete with the dollar and chicken dances, as well as several wedding toasts.

In keeping with Genitti's family orientation, the show opens each night with a hilarious monologue by Genitti's owner, John Genitti.

"I Do ... I Think" will continue through October, when it will be replaced by a holiday show.

GENITTI'S LITTLE THEATRE

Genitti's Little Theatre is an extremely versatile facility that can handle up to 350 people.

In addition to serving as a dinner theater, it can be rented out for functions such as corporate meetings or wedding receptions.

The theater also hosts an interactive

program for children on Saturdays called, "Beanie Baby Capers," in which Beanie Babies come alive.

Genitti's also has a senior program that busses seniors to Genitti's and gives them a full day of events. Seniors are brought to Genitti's in the morning and then travel to Vic's Market in Novi. Lunch is served back at Genitti's at 11 a.m..

After lunch, the seniors are treated to the big band sounds of Joe Vitale and his orchestra, as well as vaudeville and slapstick comedy shows. They are then given a tour of the Great Harvest Bread Company, where the day winds up at 3 or 4 p.m..

In the future, there are plans for senior programs that include two to three-day packages.

THE FAMILY

Genitti's is truly a family business. John and Toni's parents — Claire, John, Babe and Andy — are regularly seen working around the restaurant and the theater.

John and Toni's children also are involved in the operation. Andrew, 23, sometimes replaces his dad in giving – the opening monologue and has been known to appear onstage. He also helps out in the bar and kitchen.

Daughter Laura, 20, produces and acts in all the shows. She also helps in the writing and the casting of the shows.

And daughter Tina, 10, also has been bitten by the acting bug and appears in many of the shows.

LOCATION AND HOURS

Genitti's Hole in the Wall is located at 108 E. Main St. in Northville. The restaurant is open daily for lunch from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Evening dinner show hours are by reservation and last two to three hours. To make a reservation, call (248) 349-0522.



The staff at Genitti's treat you and one another like family.



Genitti's is the home of great food and great fun.



People came from miles around to see Genitti's 1996 production of "Just Be Patient." This summer they are doing a parody of a Polish-Italian wedding called "I Do...I Think." The show runs through October.

Town & Country Eyecare

(248) 347-7800

Tim Kirk, O.D., and his staff at Town & Country Eyecare have a clear vision for their business.

"Our focus in the office is the quality of care that we deliver," said Dr. Kirk, owner of Town & Country Eyecare.

From the accuracy of the prescription to the quality control of frames and lenses, Dr. Kirk makes sure each patient is getting personalized health care. He gives complete eye exams to detect focusing problems and rule out eye diseases. He also provides treatment for infections and minor eye injuries. In everything, Dr. Kirk emphasizes preventative eye care.

"Dr. Kirk does a very thorough exam," said Jennifer Guck, an optometric assistant and patient at the clinic. "He spends a lot of time with his patients."

Teresa, a patient relations represen-

tative, agrees. She said that Dr. Kirk in a recent eye exam found a congenital defect in her cornea that no other doctor had ever detected. Because of his careful examination, he was able to rule out any serious threats to her eye health. Dr. Kirk gives all his patients the same quality service.

Refractive laser surgery is a new option in eye care, and Town & Country Eyecare offers this procedure. Approved in the U.S. three years ago, the laser is used to correct nearsightedness, astigmatism and farsightedness. Dr. Kirk has successfully handled more than 30 cases of this surgery so far.

For those who don't undergo surgery to correct vision, Town & Country Eyecare offers a large inventory of fashion frames. Customers appreciate a wide selection of quality frames, including



Dr. Kirk, Kathy, Jennifer, Sue and Teresa help their patients see clearly.

designer names like Tommy Hilfiger, Calvin Klein and DKNY.

A hot item now, Dr. Kirk pointed out, is a new line of magnetic sunglass clipons. Invisible bifocals are another popular product among customers, especially the newest progressive lens called Percepta.

Town & Country Eyecare also fits customers for contact lenses. Dr. Kirk pointed out that his clinic is one of the first in Michigan to offer a new limited release of disposable bifocal contact lenses.

Town & Country Eyecare focuses specifically on the growing communities of Northville and Novi, an area of young families. "We have benefited by the support of the community, and we want to

give our support back to them," said Dr. Kirk, explaining that kids and parents often come in together to keep their vision healthy.

To give back to the community, Dr. Kirk is a partner in education with nine elementary schools, teaching second graders about eye safety and routine eye care. For three years now, he has also distributed Halloween safety kits to kids called "Be safe, Be seen."

Town & Country Eyecare, located at 22112 Novi Road in the Oakpointe Plaza, is open Monday and Thursday from 9 a.m. to 7:30 p.m., Tuesday from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m., Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. They are currently accepting new patients.



Dr. Kirk examines one of his patients with great care.

Orin Jewelers

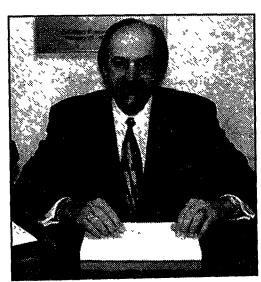
(248) 349-6946

The jewelry business has been a way of life in the Mazzoni family for more than 65 years.

The first Orin Jewelers was opened by Orin Mazzoni in 1933. A watchmaker and jeweler by trade, Orin Sr. devoted his younger years to building his reputation as a fine craftsman dedicated to quality work and service at a fair price.

In the early years, the Mazzoni children grew up in an apartment above the Garden City store, which became a natural playground where they learned the jewelry business from the ground up.

By 1969, Orin Jr. was ready to run the family business. With new ideas and the same dedication to fine quality and service that had become a family tradition, a new era began. With the help of his sisters, Joyce and Carolyn, and brother, Michael, a constant upgrading of quality and service oriented.



"It is very important that our customers undertand the quality of the jewelry they're buying because today's purchase is tommrow's heirloom," says Owner, Orin Mazzoni.

In 1983, Orin Jewelers opened a store on the corner of Main and Center streets in downtown Northville. A major expansion of the showroom in Northville took place in 1994.

"Your family diamond store where fine quality and service are affordable," is the mission statement of Orin Jewelers.

"We are a REAL 'customer-oriented' store. Quality, personal service and customer satisfaction are what we are all about," say Orin Mazzoni, Jr., president and owner of Orin Jewelers. "It is very important that our customers understand the quality of the jewelry that they're buying because today's purchase is tomorrow's heirloom."

A strong part of Orin Jewelers' business is their custom-design capabilities. Orin's has its own design and repair shop (at the Garden City store) that can create a finished piece of jewelry from a customer's drawing or ideas or make modifications to an existing piece of jewelry to make it a more personal item for the customer.

"A lot of times when customers are shopping at jewelry stores, they must choose between taking an item just the way it is in the showcase or not buy it at all," says Mazzoni. "But we realize that everyone has different tastes and styles of jewelry that they like. Frequently, we make modifications to a piece of jewelry—changing to a different gemstone or metal composition, for example—to achieve the style and appearance the customer is looking for."

Orin and his brother Michael travel to all major jewelry shows to find independent designers to offer his customers unique and one-of-a-kind pieces they won't find anywhere else, as well with creating a lot of their own designs. Along with the major cutters of the most beautiful diamonds at best prices, Orin travels to Antwerp, Belgium, to pick



The knowledgeable staff of Orin Jewelers is professionally trained.

from the world's greatest supply of the most beautiful diamonds at the best prices.

Special events promoting color gemstones, gold jewelry, estate jewelry an in-store "silent auction" (taking place this month) are all part of Orin Jewelers' calendar, making it easier for customers to tailor their jewelry collections to their liking.

Orin Jewelers also has a highly trained, professional staff to assist you in your diamond purchasing.

Orin Jr. graduated from the Gemological Institute of America. He is a certified gemologist with the American Gem Society, a profession society of fine jewelers throughout the United States and Canada which promote a high standard of business ethics and continued education among jewelers.

In order to maintain his title, Orin

must pass a rigorous exam every year. There are only about 30 to 35 certified gemologists in the state. This continued education keeps Orin on top of new innovations. It also allows him to be more precise and exact in the diamond grading process than a jeweler who is not certified.

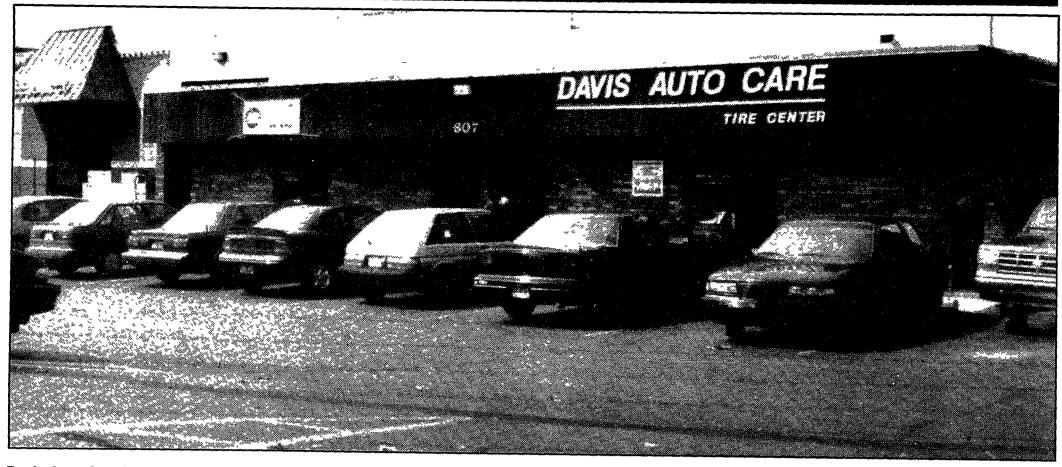
Orin personally guarantees that any diamond you buy is guaranteed to be the quality stated on your sales receipt and appraisal.

Orin Jewelers' professionally trained staff anxiously awaits your visit so they may have the opportunity to show you some of the most beautiful and unique jewelry you'll ever see.

Orin Jewelers is open 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Wednesday, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday and Friday and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday.

Davis Auto Care & Jim's Oil Depot

(248) 349-5115



Davis Auto Care is in business to solve all of customer's care care concerns, including engine repair and brakes.

COMPLETE CAR CARE FACILITY

"Our business is repairing cars, but our job is solving customers' problems," says Jim Davis, owner of Davis Auto Care. "That's why we're here, and why our customers depend on our services."

Established in Northville in 1979, Davis Auto Care fulfills Jim's vision of providing customers with a convenient "one stop," all-inclusive repair facility.

From simple oil changes and preventative maintenance to electronic computer diagnostic procedures, Jim makes certain Davis Auto Care can provide it all, including tires.

Just a few of the many services they provide are: Brakes, Shocks, Tune-Ups, Exhaust, Alignments, Batteries, Air Conditioning (both Freon 12 and new Freon 134), Engine Repair, Radiator and Cooling Systems, Computerized Engine Analysis, Electrical Systems, Computer Systems, Transmission, Suspension Components, Tires and Tire Repairs, Fuel Injection Systems, Carburetors, Belts, Hoses and much more.

"Aside from collision and painting, there isn't much you need on a vehicle that we can't take care of here at Davis Auto Care," Jim said.

At Davis Auto Care, customers and their vehicles are in good hands. All clients have a computerized customer service history so that routine maintenance is tracked, and downtime for repairs is kept to a minimum. Thanks to this computerized history, customers are notified by mail when it is time for routine maintenance on their vehicles.

"We realize our customers are busy and don't have time to worry about preventive maintenance. That's why we track it for them," Jim said.

In addition, a large parts inventory is maintained so cars are taken care of right away.

Nationally recognized name-brand parts, such as Interstate batteries, Bendix brake parts, Monroe shock absorbers and Mobil lubrication products assure lasting quality.

Davis Auto Care takes care of customers right down to the last detail. Shuttle service is provided to and from your home or business. Telephone pagers or cellular phones are available to aid in contacting customers who are away from the phone. Follow-up letters ensure that you're satisfied with the service provided.

The size of the facility (15 repair bays) allows them to service vehicles quickly, with most repairs being handled in one day. Additionally, their size allows Davis Auto Care to buy parts in volume and to honor most extended warranty plans. "And, of course, all of our work comes with a written guarantee," Jim said.

From minor maintenance to hightech computer and electronic diagnosis and repairs, Davis Auto Care is your best choice for automotive services.



Service Manager April Ellstein and Service Advisor Dave Massel help take the mystery out of your auto repair experience.



A.S.E. Master Frank Ward was recently named national "Technician of the Year."

QUALITY SERVICE

When looking for top mechanics, customers can rely on Davis Auto Care to provide them with quality help. All their mechanics are not only certified by the state, but by the National Institute for Automotive Service Excellence as well.

This certification requires that the technicians take tough written tests to prove their competence, as well as meet significant hands-on criteria. The ASE tests are administered by ACT, the organization which conducts college entrance and professional exams.

"It separates the good from the best," Jim said. "It really makes a big difference. ASE certification shows that a technician has dedicated himself to professionalism in this field."

To make certain his employees are top notch, Jim only hires ASE-certified technicians.

To keep up-to-date, mechanics are continually attending seminars and continuing education classes. "Our commitment to ongoing training is one of the most important aspects of our business," Jim said.

Additionally, Jim is very proud of the fact that five of his technicians have passed even more stringent ASE tests, and been awarded the new Automobile Advanced Engine Performance Certification.

"Automotive Engine Technology is

advancing so rapidly that it became apparent that not all engine repair technicians were keeping up with the skills necessary to work on complex computer controlled systems.

This new advanced engine certification has been awarded to fewer than five percent of the technicians in the country, and we couldn't be more pleased that our techs wanted to be among the first to prove themselves to be the Best of the Best."

HIGH TECH ANALYSIS SAVES CUSTOMER TIME

"More and more, customers experience a problem with electronics on the car," Jim said. "We have the best and latest diagnostic machines to take care of this."

With Davis' ABS-TECH system, and the SIMU-TECH computer systems, car repair is no longer a frustrating, lengthy process. ABS-TECH reduces the need for time-consuming pinpoint test of actuators and sensors.

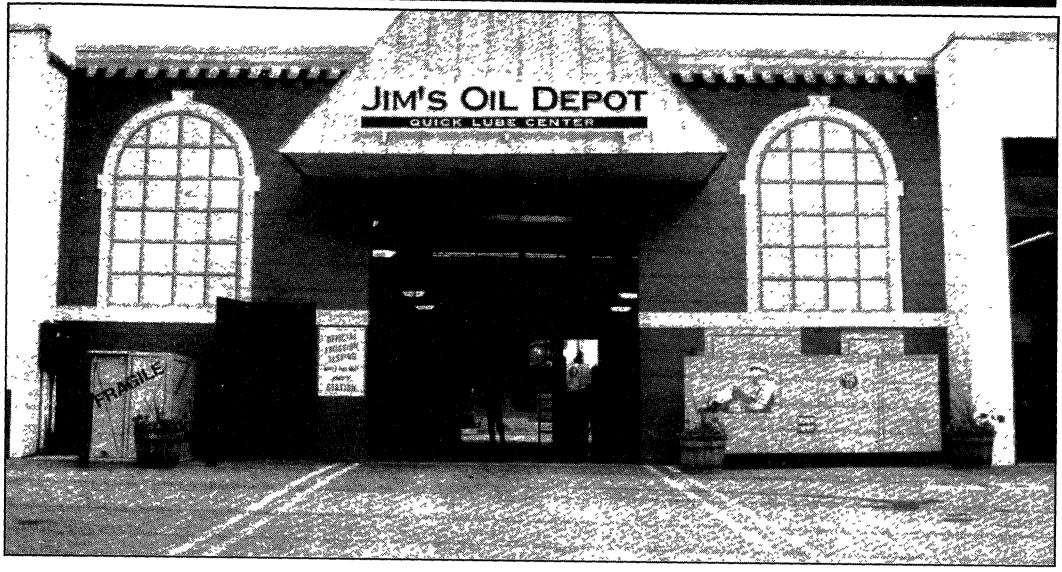
The TECH computers quickly diagnose today's anti-lock brake systems down to the component level by sweeping every ABS sensor, actuator and signal circuit quickly and efficiently.

The SIMU-TECH system diagnoses on-board computer systems with the same sweeping technique.

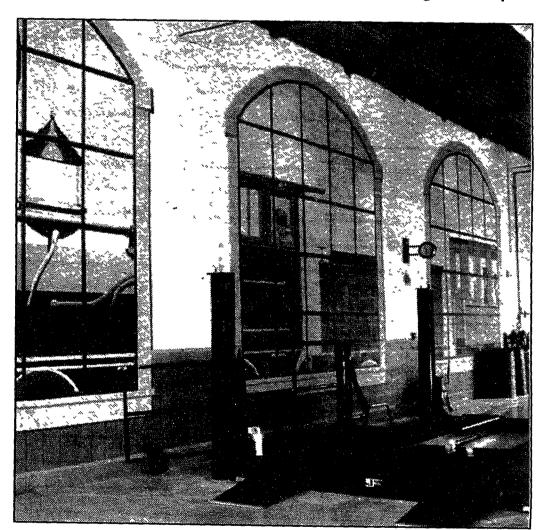
"You can actually take a look at all the connections going into the comput-

Davis Auto Care & Jim's Oil Depot

(248) 349-5115



Jim's Oil Depot was built beside Davis Auto Care, creating a one step auto care experience for Northville area residents.



Jim's Oil Depot reflects the nostalgic atmosphere of Northville.

er," Jim said. "It allows us to actually see what each one of the systems is doing on the car."

With both systems, hit or miss diagnosis is eliminated.

In addition, data computer systems at Davis Auto Care can provide print-outs of the parts needed for repair, model recall information and much more.

JIM'S OIL DEPOT

Added in 1993, Jim's Oil Depot is fast and fun.

"We had always offered oil changes, including a 15-point maintenance inspection," Jim explained, "but we knew that our customers were becoming more and more time conscious. We looked for a way to speed up the process, without sacrificing quality."

Jim's Oil Depot, which is located right next door to the main facility, filled the bill. Customers can get an oil change in 10 minutes without leaving their cars.

The Oil Depot also performs minor items such as headlight replacement

and wiper blades while you wait.

A new addition to the depot

A new addition to the depot is tire repair, rotating and balancing service. Many of these services are performed by trained staff members using a special tire-care machine. This machine relies on a touchless tire suspension system that avoids rim damage. As Jim said, "Tire rotating is the same type of maintenance that people want done quickly."

But it goes much farther than that. Jim's Oil Depot has been decorated to resemble a Victorian Train Depot.

"Being just underneath the railroad bridge, it seemed a natural," Jim said. "After we got underway with the theme of the place, I learned that there actually was a Northville train depot, just a few yards from our building, many years ago."

Both exterior and interior are painted in a trompe l'oeil technique, and once inside a huge mural depicts a view through "windows" onto a train platform with the train ready to pull out.

Children of all ages love to watch the

large-scale model trains running on the opposite side of the shop, as they circle the little town at the far end, cross bridges and trestles, and then disappear through a "tunnel" into the waiting room to turn around and head back again.

The theme is carried right down to a train whistle sounds as each car is raised into the air. What more can we say, except, "All aboard!"

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

A long-time resident of Northville, Jim has always been involved in his community. He is an active member, and Past President, of the Northville Chamber of Commerce.

The company was a Major Sponsor of the Fourth of July Festivities for many years and Jim has been a contributor to the Northville Victorian Festival since its inception.

He has served as the State Chairman of the Board of the Automotive Service
Association of Michigan. In this organization, Jim works to promote profesnience.

sionalism among those in the automotive repair business.

"I am very involved in the industry and want to do everything I can to promote it in a positive way."

Jim's participation has included testifying at state hearings on environmental issues and working with the EPA on pending industry regulation.

He has also appeared on local television promoting awareness of automotive maintenance, and has given seminars at recent automotive job-fair events.

In the future, Davis plans to continue providing excellent and convenient auto repair service to his community.

Davis Auto Care is located at 807 Doheny Drive in Northville (in the Northville Industrial Park) right off of East Main Street (Northville Road).

Office hours are 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Friday and 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday.

There is also a Night Owl Drop Box for leaving cars at the customer's convenience



Matt at Jim's Oil Depot gives fast, quality service with a smile.

Timco Financial Group (248) 347-7447

Serving clients with the best possible investment services and helping them achieve their goals is what Timco Financial Group, Inc. of downtown Northville does best.

Timco Financial is an investment specialty firm that caters to individuals as well as the corporate 401-k market.

For over 18 years, president Gary Timco, registered representative of ProEquities, Inc., has been working with educator's Tax Sheltered Annuity programs in Northville, Dearborn, Lincoln Park and Macomb school districts.

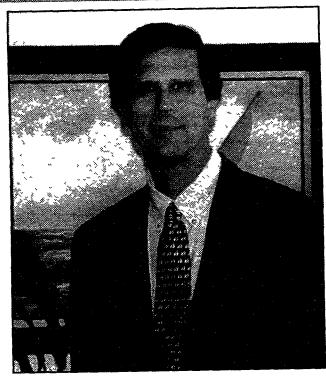
Timco Financial has been successful due to their careful selection of mutual fund investments that reflect the client's risk tolerance level.

"We have seen much volatility in the last year so we take special care to select a grouping of funds that perform well in any market situation," said Timco.

The company provides solid recommendations on which products and what companies are best suited for each client's financial needs.

"We go to great lengths with our clients to show how certain funds can minimize risk and how to combine a number of funds in a portfolio in order to have a more efficient portfolio," said Timeo.

Over 50 percent of Timco Financial's work is based on "no load"fee based planning through Donaldson, Lufkin & Jenrette Securities Corpora-



Gary Timco, President of Timco Financial.

tion using the top performing No Load Mutual Funds in the industry.

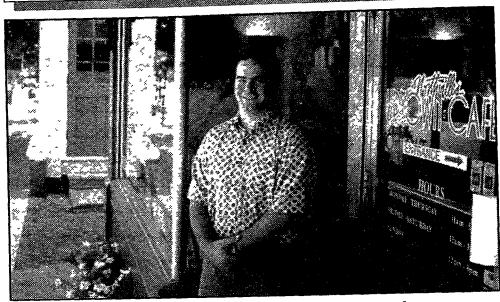
"It's not unusual for us to provide a client with eight different asset classes which provide tremendous balance in their accounts," said Timco.

Timco Financial works hard to ensure its clients' success by maintaining close contact with them through education, regular meetings and also by notifying them of current changes in the market.

Timco Financial also sells life insurance, disability insurance, health insurance and 401-k plans to companies and individuals.

Timco Financial Group is open from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday or by appointment at (248) 347-7447.

Northville's Uptown Cafe (248) 449-4040



Northville's Uptown Cafe offers a casual dining atmosphere.

Strolling down Main Street, customers can catch a whiff of tantalizing aromas drifting from Northville's Uptown Cafe.

Entering the cafe, guests will find more than just irresistible scents.

In addition to friendly service and a casual dining atmosphere, Northville's Uptown Cafe offers a variety of upscale quality food at reasonable prices.

Owned by Sam Savedes, the Uptown Cafe specializes in pastas. Savedes also recommends items included on the lighter side of the menu, such as the Pomidori Salad and the Chicken Mandarin Orange Salad, two of the cafe's best-selling items.

Northville's Uptown Cafe also features a Calabrian meat loaf and a delightful seafood selection which includes fish and chips and Maryland crab cakes.

"Having a hard work ethic and good quality food usually pays off," said

Savedes.

Savedes said the cafe's 25 employees play a vital role in satisfying the customers. "I'm only as good as they are," he said. "They're the reason for our success."

When customers enter the cafe, they are greeted warmly and treated like family. Savedes said his staff strives to build a personal relationship with its clientele and has many regular customers. "It's important to be in touch with the community," he said.

Catering is available for any occasion — from office luncheons to full-scale wedding receptions. The cafe also features a gourmet catering menu for special home events. Savedes' motto about catering is, "big or small we cater all."

Northville's Uptown Cafe is open from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Thursday, 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. Friday and Saturday, and noon to 8 p.m. on Sunday.

Sweet Dreams of Northville (248) 305-7222



Joyce and Bonnie Woll of Sweet Dreams have a grand selection of Victorian finery.

Sweet Dreams is a world of Victorian grace and elegance.

Co-owners Bonnie and Joyce Woll created the Victorian boutique in July of 1996 and carry a variety of items representing that era.

Customers are transported back into a magical period in time while strolling through the artistic displays of new and antique jewelry, clothing, gift ware, water fountains, lamps, bridal pieces, accessories and christening dresses.

Adding to the Victorian theme are painted plates created by local artists.

When preparing for Northville's annual Victorian Festival, Sweet Dreams has the right items for the occasion.

Part of what makes Sweet Dreams so unique is its dedication to providing o itstanding customer service.

When customers enter the store they are greeted warmly and can

freely browse the selections of Victorian finery.

"We specialize in customer service," said Joyce. "That's what urges customers to come back."

Joyce added that she and her staff work hard to accommodate all requests. For example, if a customer is looking for an item that is currently not in stock, Sweet Dreams will special order it.

Bonnie said that owning a Victorian boutique has always been their dream. Together the two owners strive to please customers by carrying many new, interesting items that create the feeling of visiting an ancient era.

Sweet Dreams is located at 124 E. Main Street. Summer hours are 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Friday, 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. on Sunday.

Northville Christian Gifts & Books (248) 347-4437



Rita Acho, owner of Northville Christian Gifts & Books carries spiritual and inspirational treasures that appeal to all denominations.

At Northville Christian Gifts & Books customers can experience a spiritual ambiance that focuses on celebrating life and formulating a mission of love.

Owned by Rita Acho, the store carries an array of inspirational books, music, religious articles, christening gifts and gowns, framed pictures, cards, novelties and other gift items.

The store was established in March of 1998 and Acho said she continues to increase her inventory daily.

"We began with a very small supply of goods which we were able to buy from St. Michaels Mission in Livonia. We have since added so much more," said Rita.

"This is a very different type of business. Customers come in and browse a particular page in a book or

a particular picture will trigger a fond memory of a past experience in their childhood, perhaps in Sunday school or a favorite nun in grade school and before long we find ourselves exchanging stories. This business has been both interesting and gratifying," Acho said.

In the area between Chocolates by Renee & the Northville Christian Store is a children's clothing boutique featuring unique clothing from police and fireman outfits to victorian style little girl dresses. Communion dresses are seasonal.

Northville Christian Gifts & Books is located in the back portion of Chocolates by Renee at 118 E. Main St. in downtown Northville.

Hours are from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday.

Jack's Wholesale Meats

(248) 349-8490

Jack's Wholesale Meats Specials

(prices good until Sept. 16)

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USDA Sides of Beef				
Ground Beef from Round		\$	15.95/	10 lbs.
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USDA Choice Porterhouse Steak				
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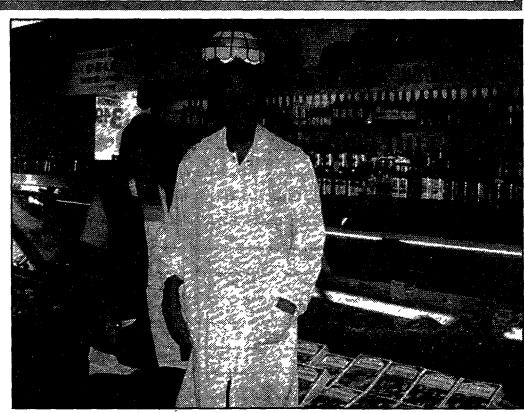
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For over 25 years Jack's has been providing the area with choice cuts of meat. Jack's son Ken and his wife, Rochelle, now run the business.

A family owned and operated business, Jack's Wholesale Meats has been the Northville-Novi area's choice for quality meats since 1972.

Ken Lapides, who has been running the business since his dad Jack retired, sells meat retail and wholesale. You can also find frozen fish, sausage, Italian meats, choice and freezer beef.

Or, you can stop in anytime and order a freshly-made sandwich.

Jack's Wholesale Meats is the only federally licensed meat department in the Northville/Novi area. Every day, five days a week, a federal inspector comes in to make sure things are clean, sanitized and up to USDA Federal Standards

Ken said he typically sells 3,000 pounds of ground beef per week. Selling 500 pounds in a day is not out of the ordinary.

Along with a vast selection of meats, Jack's also sells gourmet items: wines, beer seasonings, condiments and produce to accompany a delicious steak dinner.

Ken said the store is a "multi-purpose operation" and he looks forward to serving people in the Novi/Northville area.

Hours are 8:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Monday through Saturday and 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday. Stop by or call (248) 349-8490.

# **ERA Rymal Symes Realty**

(248) 349-4550

"We're selling houses," one of ERA's most recognized slogans, is back and the company is stronger than ever. With a new logo and an emphasis on strong consumer recognition, ERA is a company poised for the future.

As more technological advances become available, ERA Rymal Symes continues to create an informative and communicative relationship with its clientele and the surrounding communities

One technology used by Rymal Symes to strengthen that relationship is the Internet. It has its own website, www.ERAonline.com, that is available to help make selling or buying a house

The agency serves single-family residential homes, condominiums, corporate accounts, third-party relocation and transferring employees. A closing department and an in-house mortgage

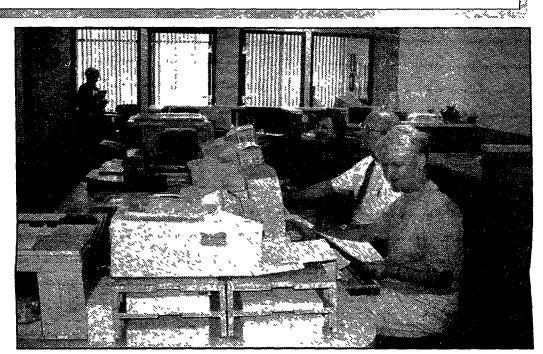
company are featured within the business as well.

Nearly one mile of voice and data lines link all of the agency's work stations and individual offices to the internal computer network.

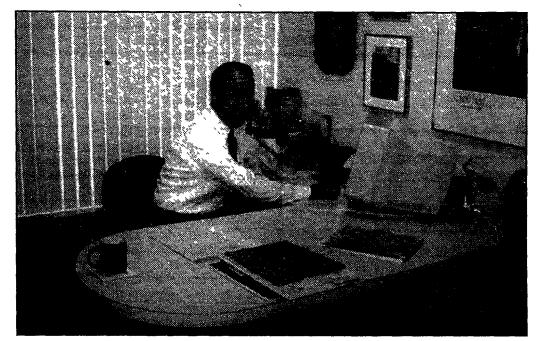
This allows clients to retrieve information through confidential electronic mailboxes, pager loans, multiple listing TV book, CD-ROM, a mortgage qualify, a news ad, in-house desktop publishing graphics and VCR tapes. Interested buyers can examine houses by a large-screen television and eliminate time consuming trips to the property location.

In addition, clients can shop from their own homes when an agent brings a lap-top computer.

Broker and owner Conrad Jakubowski, who has more than 30 years experience in the business, said the agency strives to make buying and selling



ERA Rymal Symes is a company that is changing with the times.



Fil Superfisky, a Certified Residential Specialist, is here to help you.

homes easier for their clients. "Our customer relations are the focus of what we do."

"Our new logo says that ERA is a company changing with the times. And it still stands for the ERA network of real estate professionals known for their dedication to customer service and satisfaction," said Judy DePollo, associate broker-manager.

To further assist clients, ERA Rymal Symes offers a home protection plan which covers the mechanical aspects of the home one year after the purchase. "We'll sell your house or ERA will buy it."

The 29 friendly agents ensure client satisfaction and a sound investment once an individual has bought or sold a home. Jakubowski said many members of the sales team, including 25 agents from the South Lyon office, are Certified Residential Specialists.

"Purchasing or selling a property is very emotional, and there's a focus on training to better serve our buyers-and sellers," said Jakubowski. "We have all full-time sales people, and many of our staff members have been with us for an excess of 20 years."

ERA Rymal Symes moved its operation to Novi in 1971, where it has grown and maintained an influential position in the area.

The full-service brokerage firm moved into its location on Novi K three years ago. The business began 76 years ago in Detroit under the partnership of Charles Rymal and Jay Symes.

Charles Rymal and Jay Symes.

Jakubowski claims, "We've grown with the communities, and they've grown so rapidly."

For more information on buying or selling a home, please call (248) 349-4550. ERA is available to consumers on the Internet at www.ERAonline.com.

### **Good Time Party Store** (248) 349-1477



Good Time Party Store has been serving area residents since 1949.

The name and location have changed over the years, but the quality of customer service and level of commitment have not.

Good Time Party Store has a long history of serving the residents of Northville. The store has relocated five times since 1949.

The first store, located on Center Street, was called the Center Street Grocery Store and was owned by the Altman family.

When the store moved to its current location on Seven Mile Road, the name was changed to Good Time Party Store.

In 1970, Jim Roth purchased the store from the Altman family and in 1976 built Custard Time. He later renovated Good Time and added a large expansion including a deli in 1986. Since that time Good Time has proudly serving customers with the very best service. "We pride ourselves on going the extra mile," said Roth.

Good Time has a helpful staff and employs between 16-20 youths to run Custard Time. "We've employed a lot of wonderful people," said Roth. "A lot of young people have had their first jobs here.

"We're a very friendly store and all our employees take pride in serving our great customers," he added.

Custard Time is open from April until September and features softserve frozen custard and Guernsey hand-dipped ice cream. Custard Time hours are 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. Monday through Saturday and noon to 10 p.m. on Sunday.

Good Time store hours are 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. Monday through Saturday and noon to 6 p.m. on Sunday. Summertime Sunday hours are noon to 8

### **Ultimate Toys & Gifts** (248) 305-9990



Lou and Cindy LaChance bring out the kid in you at Ultimate Toys.

Whether you are nine months old or 99 years old, Ultimate Toys & Gifts in Northville has toys to please all generations.

Owners Lou and Cindy LaChance have a passion for toys. "We both are toy lovers," explained Cindy.

The specialty store, which opened in May of 1994, carries games, toys and educational items that customers can't find at most chain toy stores.

Ultimate Toys & Gifts prides itself on customer service. If someone asks about a certain toy that has not yet been opened, the staff will open the box so the customer can try it first. Such policies helped Lou and Cindy win a silver medal for customer service from Detroit Monthly.

Ultimate Toys & Gifts carries kits for everything from archeology to electricity. Educational place mats for math, geography and several other subjects are also in stock.

Ultimate Toys will also soon be car-

rying Step 2 products, which include toys targeted toward preschoolers.

For big kids, Ultimate Toys & Gifts has many nostalgic toys, including leather-cased backgammon, chess and checker sets and several puzzles.

Customers can also expect to find a large selection of items from the University of Michigan, Lou's alma mater. A renowned Michigan fan, Lou has such Michigan-oriented items as Michigan checkers and U-of-M books.

In addition, Ultimate Toys carries state of Michigan souvenirs, including lighthouse postcards and literature.

The selections at Últimate Toys are a great way to lure yourself and children away from playing video games.

Ultimate Toys & Gifts is located at 107 N. Center Street. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Monday through Saturday and 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Friday. Additional information can be found on their web www.northville.net.

### Northville Camera/Pictures Plus Gallery (248) 349-1540 (248) 349-0105



(L to R) Bill Richardson, Dustin Wall, Rollen Williams and Carla Hardy of Northville Camera/Pictures Plus Gallery.

Pictures can provide memories for a lifetime, so when developing film, making reprints and enlargements. ask for K.P.L. Kodak Processing Labs, at Northville Camera. In business for 33 years, they strive to provide quality service every day.

As their motto says, "Pictures are our business.'

Bill Richardson became the owner 18 years ago and 11 years ago expanded the camera shop into an art gallery and offered custom framing. One side of the store is Northville Camera, and the other side is Pictures Plus Gallery. The two concepts blend together nicely.

Pictures Plus Gallery features the work of well known artists Edna Hibel, Terry Redlin, Thomas Kinkade and William Moss. They also provide framed pictures, custom framing and matting, ready made frames, a large

selection of prints and photo albums.

Northville Camera also stocks binoculars, telescopes, camera and photo accessories, darkroom equipment, passport photos, video supplies, projectors and camera repair.

Product brands include Canon, Kodak, Minolta, Olympus, Pentax, Polaroid, Tamron, Tokina and

In addition to Bill, there are three professionals on staff to assist with customer requests. Carla Hardy assists in custom framing and artwork. Rollen Williams and Dustin Wall are camera department assistants.

Northville Camera/Pictures Plus Gallery, located at 117 East Main Street, is open from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday, 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Thursday and 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday.

### **Duncan Soft Touch Chiropractic** (248) 348-2000



Dr. Kathy Duncan can relieve many aches and pains with her gentle pressure-point treatment.

Dr. Kathy Duncan, R.N., D.C. is a former registered nurse who changed career paths after learning about the benefits of chiropractic care through a personal success story.

Dr. Duncan suffered from severe migraine headaches, which physicians attributed to stress. As a last resort, she sought chiropractic treatment. The chiropractor informed her of a misalignment in her neck, corrected the source of her pain, and eliminated her migraine headaches. She's been a believer in chiropractic ever since.

Dr. Duncan so strongly supported the achievements of chiropractic, she decided to pursue a degree as a Doctor of Chiropractic and attended Life Chiropractic College in 1983. Three years later, she graduated from the college and was president of her class. Dr. Duncan established the successful Soft Touch Chiropractic Clinic in Novi during 1990:

Dr. Duncan practices a soft, gentle, noninvasive pressure point treatment for all types of pain or discomfort in the back, neck, head or legs. With the spine as the focal point, muscles are relaxed by using pressure on the points along the muscles in conjunction with the spine. Once the muscles are relaxed, the spine readjusts itself naturally.

Tight muscles caused by stress, tension, strains or trauma can pull the spinal column out of alignment. This can produce many types of paul or discomfort in the body. "There are no chemical or drugs masking any symptoms," she said. "We treat the cause, rather than the symptom."

Soft Touch Chiropractic is open four days a week. Dr. Duncan can be reached at (248) 348-2000.

### The Friends Store

(248) 348-5001

Everybody needs a friend, even the library. The Friends' Store at the Northville District Library gives you the opportunity to befriend the community by helping the library.

The Friends' Store, sponsored by the Friends of the Northville District Library, is a volunteer operation which sells numerous gift items for all ages. "The mission of the store is to publicize the library or bring more people in and also fund raise," said store manager Janine Bauchat.

Prices range from 10 cents for a small eraser to \$40 for story character backpacks. New books, gift cards, puzzles, children's games, magnets, jewelry, posters and clothing are also available.

Most items carry a literary or educational theme. The Friends' store continually refreshes its stock with new items to make the store a fun and interesting place to shop.

During the holidays, the Friends' Store will stock numerous Halloween and Christmas gifts and cards.

The Friends of the Northville District Library, which sponsors the store, is a non-profit organization created to raise funds and provide support for the Northville District Library. The group funds major donations for equipment, expanded services and enhancements for the library through membership dues and fund raisers. The Friends also provide volunteers for library programs, used book sales and special events.

"The Friends group enables the library to do a lot more," said Janine.

This year, the Friends will donate over \$16,000 dollars to the library. The goal of the store is to become one of the primary fund raisers for the Friends of the Northville District Library.

Established in October of 1997, the Friends' Store is open based on the availability of volunteers. Generally the



Gilly Serjeant and Amy Storm display new merchandise at The Friends Store.

store is open weekdays from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and 6-8 p.m. During the summer, the store is closed on Saturdays

unless there is an event at the library. During the school year, the store is open from 1-4 p.m. on Saturdays and Sun-

days. For further information regarding the products at The Friends Store call (248) 348-5001.

### Downing Farms Golf Course

(248) 486-0990

If golf is your favorite pastime, Downing Farms offers a rolling picturesque course that is both entertaining and challenging.

Downing Farms is over 5,800 yards long and is partially located in a serene wooded area. The course features island greens along with numerous water hazards and sand traps, which heighten the challenge for the golfer.

"It's a nice course," said co-owner Chuck Downing, "It's not long, but it's very challenging. A golfer will use every club in his bag and that's what golf is all about."

A family-owned business, Downing Farms is co-owned by Downing, his mother and his brother. The Downing family has owned the former farm over 50 years. The golf course was constructed in 1990 with nine holes being opened in 1992.

In July 1997, the course was expanded to include an additional nine holes, making it a regulation 18-hole course.

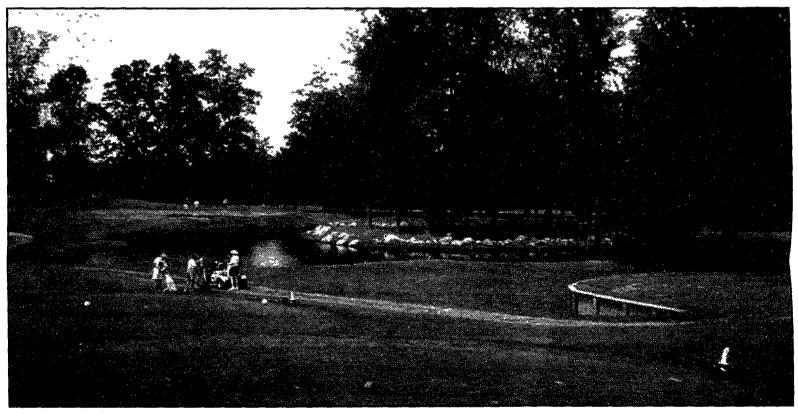
Golfers will enjoy the scenic environment and relaxed country atmosphere while putting on the beautifully manicured course. "The course is in good shape and maintained well," said Downing.

Several individuals put in long hours to make the course what is today. Among them was architect designer Harry Bowers who was a tremendous help and continually went above and beyond the call of duty, said Downing.

Downing Farms also features an exceptional staff which is dedicated to providing excellent service and puts much effort into the upkeep of the course

"We just have a real good crew," said Downing, "They work hard to make it all happen and that takes a lot of dedication."

In order to keep the business and the



The rolling, natural landscape of Downing Farms Golf Course is both challenging and pleasing to the eye.

course running well it is important to be motivated and willing to work hard.

Downing said the greatest rewards of owning and running the course come from seeing satisfied customers and hearing their compliments.

"It's about giving them their money's worth," he explained. In order to satisfy customers, he and his crew continually strive to provide the best possible customer service and maintain high standards

Downing Farms also has a clubhouse which features good food, cold beer and other refreshing beverages.

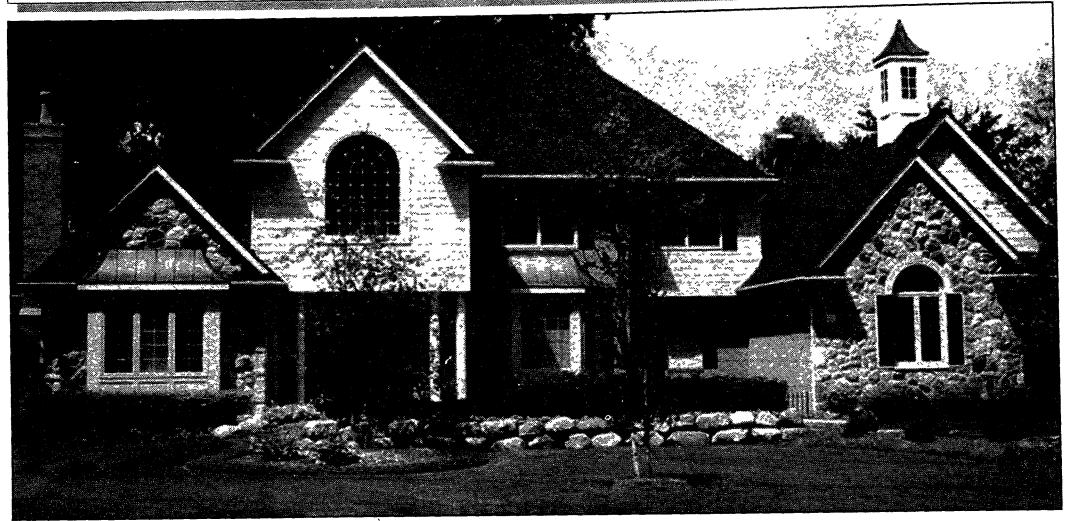
The golf course is open seven days a week from 6 a.m. to 11 p.m.



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## Bonnie Brook Development, Inc.

(248) 380-7547



Bonnie Brook Development, Inc. specializes in creating the home of your dreams in a quiet country atmosphere on the outskirts of Northville.

The home of your dreams can become a reality when you're dealing with the Bonnie Brook Development, Inc. located in Northville. Bonnie Brook specializes in designing and building quality luxury homes.

Co-owners Bonnie Hartsock and Howard Wille established the company in 1993 on the principles of integrity, value and commitment.

With one lot remaining in the "Oaks," their premier development in Northville, they are currently establishing two additional subdivisions in Northville, "Maybury Crossing" and "Spruce Meadows." They have also built individual homes on clients lots in many surrounding areas.

Maybury Crossing is a development of 15 homes ranging in price from approximately \$500,000 to \$700,000. It is located adjacent to Maybury State Park, enabling residents to appreciate nature and wildlife in their own backyards.

Residents will be able to enjoy a quiet, county atmosphere while being only minutes from town. The peaceful setting will contain elegant homes nestled into one acre or larger plots. "You're just as likely to see deer as you are to see your neighbor in this 20 acre development," said Howard. "There is a certain segment of people who only want to live in close proximity subdivisions. We're fulfilling the need for those people who want a little more elbow room."

Currently under construction is a 3,880 square foot country home located on a full acre. This home features a traditional interior and an exterior that combines the look of country with a traditional twist.

Another premier development being established is Spruce Meadows. Located on 10 acres of land, Spruce Meadows will feature four exclusive estate homes in a private setting. Spruce Meadows is in the final planning stages, and construction of the first home could begin in the Spring of 1999.

Bonnie Brook Development is not looking to establish numerous homes within a subdivision, Rather, the company aims to keep its developments small and private in order to ensure the integrity of each home. Bonnie Brook recognizes the importance of customer satisfaction and continually strives to achieve the highest standards. "We work with the customer and architect to design the client's dream home," said Bonnie.

She added the clients are involved in every production process; teamwork is used to create extraordinary results.

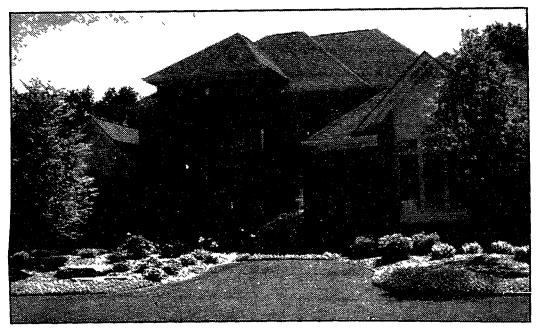
The company features excellent craftsmen dedicated to providing only the best workmanship and meeting high company expectations. "We have some of the finest tradesmen who are capable of producing exceptional quality," Howard said.

Customers will experience personalized attention and service combined with the staff's expertise at achieving the principles of honesty, integrity and superior quality

For more information, their sales consultant, Alan Wood, can be reached at the Maybury office on Seven Mile just west of Ridge from noon to 5 p.m. daily, except Thursday.



Satisfying customers with excellence in design is top priority.



Style, splendor and service are key components of Bonnie Brook.



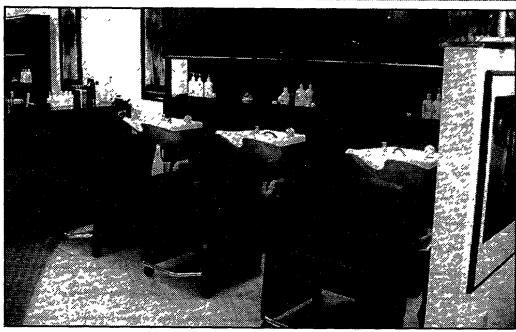
Clients work alongside Bonnie Brook to create their dream home.



Owners Bonnie Hartsock and Howard Wille look over building plans.

### Matthew Thomas Salon, Ltd.

(248) 449-9090



The design of Matthew Thomas is crisp, clean and contemporary.

Beauty is just a visit away at Matthew Thomas Salon, Ltd. in Northville. Owned by Thomas Girvan and Matthew Halloran, the up-scale salon offers full service for hair, nails, color and waxing.

The salon has been open for nine months and is fully-equipped to meet your beauty needs.

Girvan said the 15 employees, including his wife Nadine, have worked together 10 years, which makes for a cohesive effort in meeting clients' needs. "It creates good teamwork," he said.

Gírvan added that the salon's location on Center Road is perfect and that Northville is a wonderful place to work in. "We like being part of city," he said.

Matthew Thomas boasts its own make-up line, TIGI, and clients can look for make-up application services in the

One unique aspect at the salon is that the coloring department is separate

from the styling department. Halloran said the luxury of having separate departments "gives us the opportunity to do what we love best all day long."

Part of the attraction at Matthew Thomas is the decor and architecture - crisp, clean and contemporary while also muted and subdued.

In addition to attracting customers, the decor makes it a pleasant place for the staff to work.

"We don't have colorists, assistants or stylists coming in and saying 'Oh, now I have to go to work.' People are very excited about what they're doing," said Halloran.

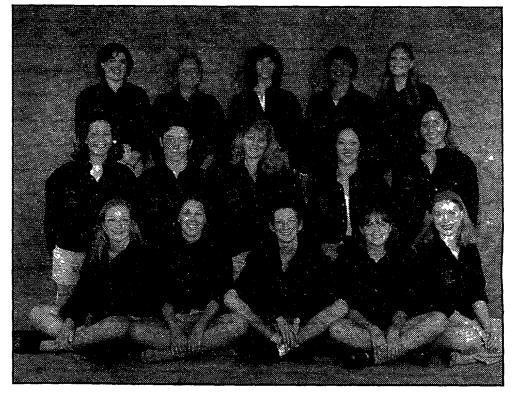
"It's apparent that clients enjoy visiting the salon," he continued. "We get a lot of clients from all over, and they stay with us for a very long time."

Girvan said bridal parties are welcome at the salon; potential clients can call to set up an appointment.



Nadine Girran is among the team of stylists that are excited about helping their clients look their best at Matthew Thomas Salon, Ltd.

### Center Stage Dance Co. (248) 380-1666



Center Stage Dance Co. has been showcasing the local talents of area residents for 11 years.

Center Stage Dance Co. enters its eleventh year of celebrating dance and friendship with the opening of additional classroom space. The new room will help to accommodate the growing number of dancers choosing Center Stage for their dance training.

Owned and operated by Lisa Shapiro and Edna Burg, with a faculty and staff of 21, Center Stage offers classes for dancers ages 3 to adult in ballet, pointe, tap, jazz, lyrical, baton, Hawaiian, and pom pon.

Special programs include an inhouse ballet repertory company, boys' classes, rhythm classes (combination classes of ballet and tap designed for 3 to 6 year olds) and dance classes

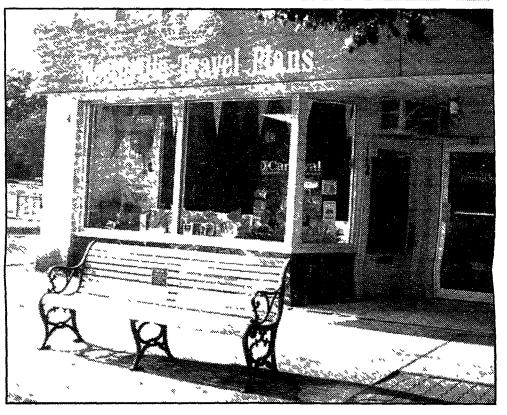
designed to fit adults' busy schedules.

Center Stage Dance Co. is a noncompetitive studio dedicated to teaching the art of dance for the purpose of physical, emotional and mental development, self-esteem and confidence building and the sheer joy of movement to music.

They offer many opportunities to share the joy of dance through seasonal tours, special events and annual recitals.

Center Stage Dance Co. is located at 1331/135/139 E. Cady Street in Northville. Call (248) 380-1666 for more information. Registration is now being taken for fall; classes begin Thursday, September 4.

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### **Bueter's Outdoors**

(248) 349-3677

Bueter's Outdoors is a part of Northville's history.

Bueter's is the current occupant of the building in downtown Northville that has contained businesses owned and operated by the same family for four generations.

Over the years, it has been a dry goods and millinery store, a ladies' clothing store, a men's clothing store and a tailoring shop. Now, as Bueter's Outdoors, it's a store offering a wide selection of fly reels and fly fishing equipment as well as a full-service tailoring shop.

"It has evolved in downtown Northville, but never lost its identity," said John Bueter, co-owner of the store with his wife, Terry. "I hope to pass it on to my kids someday."

He said the lineage can be traced back to Terry's side of the family dating back to 1910 when Charles Ponsford bought the store.

Bueter's Outdoors is primarily a flyfishing outfitter, but it has much more to offer. The full-service tailor shop is located in the basement and does alterations on both men's and women's clothing.

As far as the upstairs goes, however, it's all about fly fishing and the out-



Fly fishing may seem like a nice hobby, but it's a way of life for the Bueters. When stocking the store, John said he tries to view fly fishing as a lifestyle.

There are tackle and fly supplies, as well as a variety of clothing for fishing. There is also a nice collection of literature. "The literature is not always about fly fishing," explained John. "It may be about experiences, places or equipment. We try to enhance the entire experience of fly fishing."

You can also find outdoor art and carvings. Bueter's also stocks luggage and travel equipment that an outdoor enthusiast would enjoy.

You can also sign up for weekend trips for fly-fishing expeditions in Colorado, Florida or Canada. For those who prefer to stay closer to home, there are classes about fly fishing and flytying for all levels from beginner to expert.

John explained that flies are made to look like bugs so fish will be lured onto the hook. They are made with feathers, fur or synthetic items.

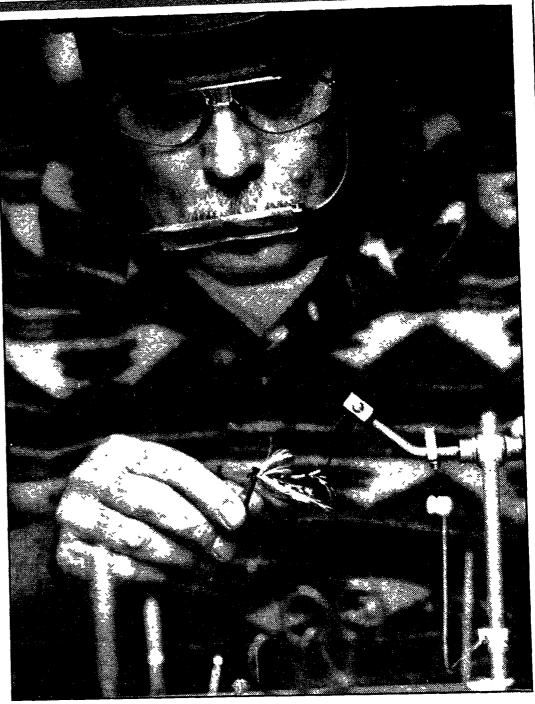
"We use an endless variety of materials," he explained.

Bueter's Outdoors is a Scientific Anglers Mastery Dealer, one of five in Michigan to demonstrate a superior attitude toward fly fishing education.

"It's a passion and a dream come true," said Bueter. "How many people actually come to work with a big smile on their face?"

John anticipates strong growth for the store as fly fishing grows in popularity but he plans to deal with the growth cautiously.

"We'll take it slow and make sure it is well planned," he said. "We want to grow correctly and take care of our customers. We want to make sure we do it right."



Bill Brazier, a customer and good friend of the Bueter family, ties a fly.

### All Star Gymnastics

(248) 380-5330

Every child is a star.

At All Star Gymnastics, children learn to shine through teamwork, discipline and personal achievement — lessons they will carry with them through adulthood.

All Star Gymnastics is owned and directed by Gina Blazo, a longtime gymnastics coach. She founded All Star Gymnastics in November of 1995. She wanted to open a place where all children would be given the opportunity to experience the thrill of gymnastics in a fun and safe environment.

"We try to help all kids feel good about what they learn and what they do while promoting general fitness," said Gina.

Her venture has been widely accepted by the community, with an enrollment last fall of 750 students. Parents seem overjoyed to have a place where their children can explore their natural physical abilities of strength, flexibility, coordination and balance while learning lessons to carry with them for a lifetime. Children enjoy having a place to have fun and make new friends.

"It teaches kids ... teamwork, discipline, focus, camaraderie, the value of hard work; all these things come from being a symnast." Gina said.

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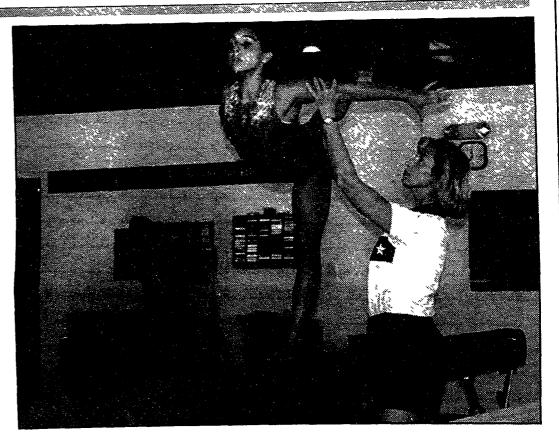
The staff of All Star Gymnastics is fully capable of giving students the appropriate training at the appropriate levels. Gina has 17 years of experience as a successful competitor, coach and USGF judge. She is certified with USA gymnastics in safety, and accredited at the highest level as a coach.

Additional coaching staff consists of experienced gymnasts and judges, including three past internationally competitive gymnasts.

Recent additions to the staff include Olga and Vassili Mokhov, who have coached many Olympic gymnasts and served as head coaches of the Russian national gymnastics team for nine years.

The professional and knowledgeable coaching staff help students achieve higher levels of excellence in an enriching environment.

All Star Gymnastics has programs



Gina Maceri, 12, gets help on the beam from Gina Blazo.



Young children can foster an interest in gymnastics at an early age through All-StarGymnastic's preschool program.

that suit every child from any age or skill level, including their own competitive team for advanced gymnasts, the Rising Stars Gymnastics Team, which has placed in top five rankings in state competitions.

Gina's extensive dance background prompted her to open a dance studio inside the gym, offering ballet and dance classes designed for gymnasts. Classes in tumbling and cheerleading are also available.

All Star's gymnasium is unmatched in both equipment and design. The 8000 sq. ft. gymnasium features all the latest in Olympic regulation equipment, including a full 42' x 42' spring floor,

three sets of uneven bars, seven balance beams, two in-ground loose foam and resi-pits, an in-ground tumbling trampoline, boys equipment and a separate preschool area.

Proud parents can watch their children from the mezzanine, an area that provides a complete view of the gym and dance room, complete with a television, tables and chairs.

All Star Gymnastics opens its doors to the community in other ways. On weekends, they host birthday parties for children of all ages. All Star Gymnastics takes care of all the party details while parents relax and children have fun on the equipment.

### Sunny Day BBQ

(248) 449-8062

One of the joys of summer is getting together with friends or family for an afternoon barbecue. The sizzling aromas of burgers, steaks, hot dogs or chicken cooking on the grill are sure to bring smiles to many guests.

Sunnyday Barbecue, Inc. can help you prepare for any cookout by providing quality grills that will spice up your meal and any special occasion.

Sunnyday Barbecue sells and rents top-of-the-line grills, said owner John Cullen. The store features stainless steel grills, residential grills, smokers, commercial grills, barbecue parts and accessories, rotisseries, pig roasters and custom built-in grills.

For special events, four- and six-foot grills and pig roasters are available for rent. "I'm the only barbecue company that rents," said Cullen.

In addition, Sunnyday Barbećue provides grill delivery, assembly and pick up for local customers. "I make sure it's put together properly," said Cullen, who opened the business three years ago.

Cullen noted that the equipment rental side of the business makes entertaining numerous guests easy and hassle-free.

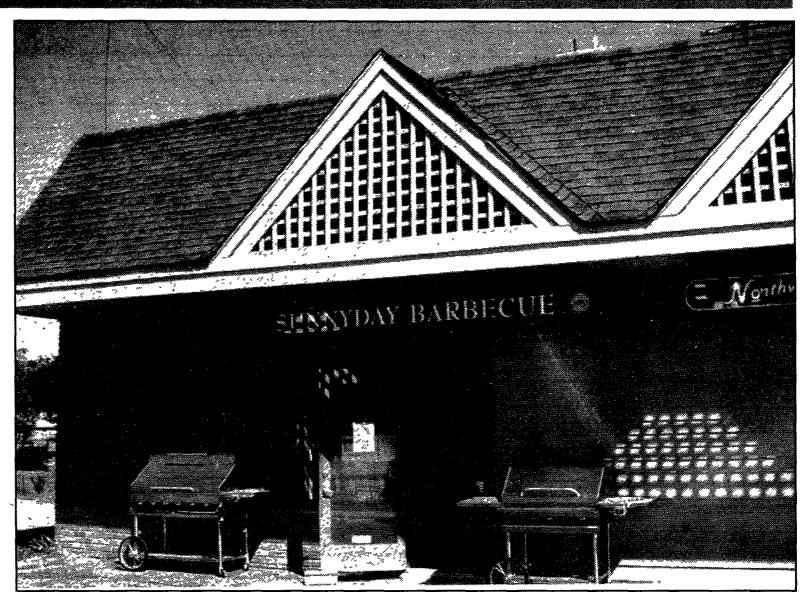
When planning a pig roast, for example, customers can rent the pig roaster rotisserie which will cook a 100-pound pig in approximately seven hours.

The pig rotisserie will be delivered and picked up by Sunnyday Barbecue, and there is no charge for clean-up.

Sunnyday also provides helpful preparation tips, a 30-pound propane fuel tank and a barbecue tool set.

Sunnyday carries grills which come in a variety of sizes and have a variety of functions.

Cullen reported that his store carries 30 different styles of grills from three manufacturers, including Ironworks, Dynamic Cooking Systems and Lazy-



Sunnyday Barbecue offers a wide range of quality grills, designed to spice up any summertime cook-out.

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Custom-built barbecues are also available. Stop in and see the stonefaced unit by the display window. This unit has a beautiful exterior complete with a ceramic tile top, stone facing and a stainless steel barbecue grill insert.

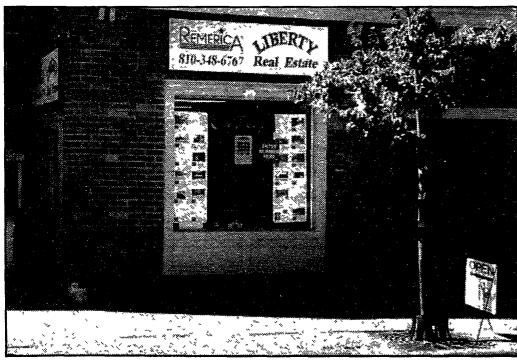
For more information on how to create that perfect summer cookout call (248) 449-8062 or 1-800-303-5962.

Sunnyday Barbecue is located at 543 Seven Mile.

Additional information can reached by visiting the Sunnyday Barbecue web site at www.sunnydaybbq.com.

### Remerica Liberty Real Estate

(248) 348-6767



Remerica Liberty is committed to serving the community.

In line with our continued commitment to service the Northville community, Remerica Liberty has joined with Remerica Hometown, the number one Remerica office. The staff at Remerica are all very excited about this merger and the new levels of service and proficiency it will bring to the Northville location. The office will now be known as Remerica Hometown, still located at 109 W. Main Street.

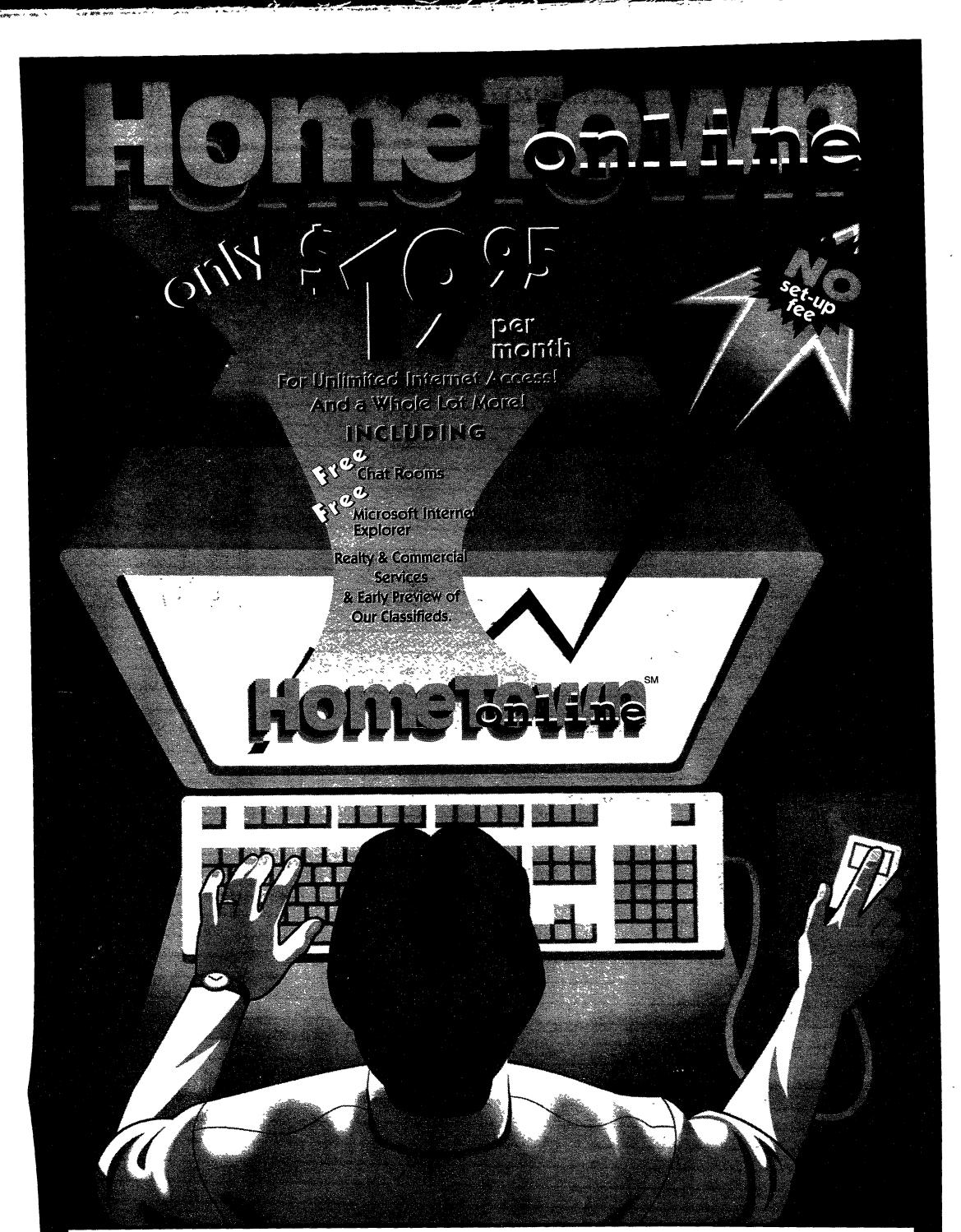
Sherry Lindee and Marge Whetstine and their team have joined with Chris Courtney and the Team at Remerica Hometown providing two locations to service you with more experience and talent in the real estate field. The two locations will offer over 60 agents to serve you.

Chris Courtney is a multi-million dollar producer who has a fond connection to Northville. He met his wife here and at one time worked at the local pizzeria. His uncle, Doug Courtney, part owner and current Manager at the Remerica Hometown office in Plymouth, lives here in Northville as do several of their agents.

The staff at Remerica Hometown enjoys the Northville Community and embrace it's small-town flavor. Your friends at Remerica Hometown believe that our community prefers to build relationships with the people they do business with. Based on this belief, it is not their intention to be the largest real estate office in number, but to continue their commitment to friendly service, follow-up and expertise. When you visit your Remerica Hometown office in Northville, you'll be treated like one of the family.



Marge Whetstine, Chris Courtney and Sherry Lindee have joined their offices to create two locations with more service potential and talent.





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### Foot Health Centers for Total Foot & Ankle Care

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We fit them into uncomfortable shoes, walk many miles on them and stand on them for hours every day. As the podiatrists at Foot Health Centers know, feet deserve special care and attention.

Dr. Ken Poss and Dr. Randy Bernstein at Foot Health Centers treat all kinds of foot and ankle ailments for patients of all ages, "everything from birth to 105 years old," said Dr. Bernstein.

From nail fungus to fractures, from skin problems to orthopedic surgery, from bunions to circulation problems, these doctors treat every kind of foot and ankle ailment, and have many years of experience.

A patient is never too young or too old to deserve first-rate foot care. Dr. Bernstein recommends that children come see a podiatrist within the first year and that senior citizens, who have special foot needs, come in every 2 months for check-ups and care.

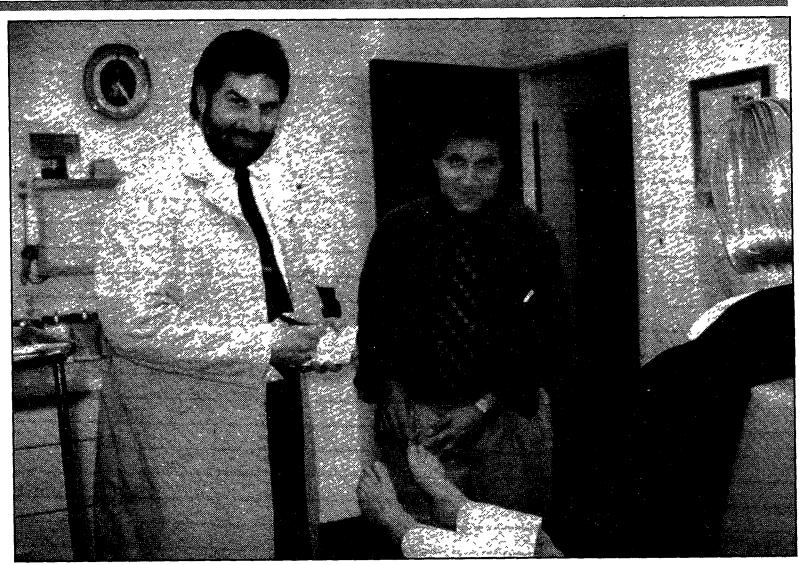
Foot Health Center is probably one of the busiest podiatry practices in the state. Foot Health Center is affiliated with Botsford, Sinai, Oakwood, and Kern Hospitals.

Their surgery is either performed as an out-patient at one of the hospitals or in their surgical operating room located in the Novi office.

Experience, qualification and precision characterize these doctors. With a combined experience of 37 years, these doctors work seven days a week, starting at 6 a.m. and finishing patients at 8 p.m.

After this, they start returning patient calls, hospital rounds, and paper work until 11 p.m. Dedication is the name of their service. They are available to all their patients.

The doctors at Foot Health Centers were forerunners in the use of laser surgery for the foot and ankle. This



Dr. Bernstein and Dr. Poss are dedicated to giving first-rate care to all patients.

technique is a primary tool for treating fungus nails, ingrown nails, warts, nerve tumors and other problems. The laser technique means less trauma and less pain for the patient.

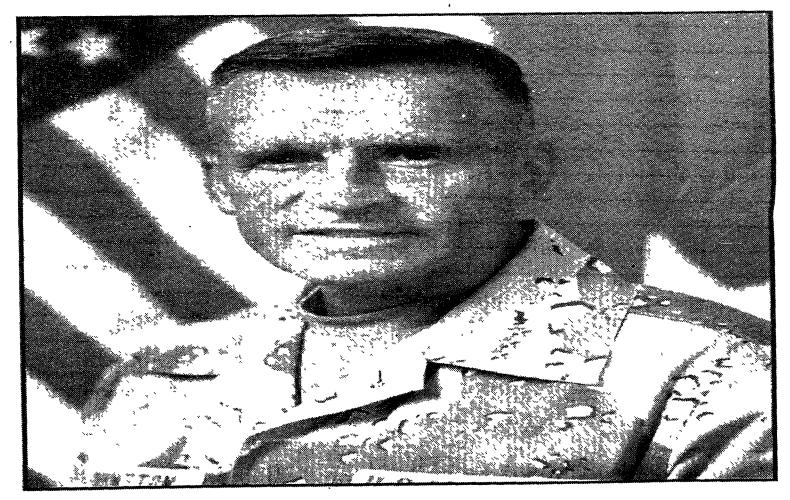
Dr. Bernstein and Dr. Poss were among the first doctors in the area to offer 24-hour emergency service.

Patients can call the office at any time, day or night, and a doctor will be available within minutes.

The offices also offer sports medicine and specializes in bunion removal. Many patients have stated these doctors do the best bunion surgery in the country. For any treatment, putting the patient first is a priority at Foot Health Centers.

All three offices are accepting new patients, so contact the nearest location: Novi at (248) 349-5559, Livonia at (248) 478-1166, or Detroit at (313) 863-3338

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### Carmine Bossio Interiors

(248) 347-7723

What's the first thing you notice when you enter a room? The lighting? The furniture? The accessories? Perhaps nothing in a room is more important than the decor and the atmosphere it creates.

Whether you seek a traditional decor or a more contemporary setting, Carmine Bossio Interiors can help you create just the right look.

The interior design studio specializes in designing room interiors and patios, both residential and commercial. "We provide an environment for people's tastes," said Carmine, adding that he works closely with clients in order to develop the type of interior setting they wish to create.

Carmine Bossio established his home-based business in 1991 and has done work for real estate offices, soft drink companies and a

telecommunications firm in Plymouth.
"We provide an interior that reflects
the personality of the customer," said
Carmine.

To create the perfect kind of interior atmosphere for the client, Carmine and his staff consult at length with the customer. From this interview, his company is able to determine which items best suit the client's needs — textured fabrics, colors, fabric patterns and upholstery style.

Since many aspects determine how a room will be decorated, Carmine also inquires about pets or children and how much traffic the room will receive. Following this thorough consultation, Carmine is able to determine the client's personality and predict their wishes.

"You can be the best designer, but if you can't predict the customer's needs, you'll never be able to sell the idea," said Carmine.

Most of the interior design projects



**CARMINE BOSSIO** 

real estate offices, soft Carmine Bossio Interiors can create the perfect outdoor patio setting.

handled by Carmine Bossio Interiors handles are residential. He excels at establishing eclectic country, contem-

porary and traditional settings. Whether the decor is to be formal or informal, Carmine always tries to make the room's comfort level a top priority.

In addition, Carmine Bossio Interiors can determine where lighting should be focused and how accessories and furniture can be arranged.

Carmine said his company can also help clients design the exteriors of their

homes or businesses. For example, he can determine which style and type of shingles work well and also assist in selecting any type of exterior or interior surface. "We work out the best possible solution," said Carmine.

Consulting with clients, listening to their requests and teaching them about decorating options constitutes a major aspect of the compa-

ny. "You'll know everything before you make a purchase," said Carmine. "It takes the fear out of purchasing furniture and decorating."

Carmine Bossio Interiors is a dealer of many furniture lines including such names as Sherrill, Lane, Old Hickory Tannery and many more.

When customers choose Carmine Bossio Interiors for their decorating needs, they have the opportunity to "try out" different home accessories.

For example, if customers dislike a particular item, it may be exchanged for another accessory. This policy exposes clients to new styles and decorating options they may have been unaware of. Carmine said it's all part of serving the client and making sure they're satisfied with their new interiors. "Service is the key, and we provide that," he said.

Carmine has worked at Ford for 13 years

and then for two major furniture stores in the area. He received his Bachelor's degree in design from the Center for Creative Studies in Detroit.

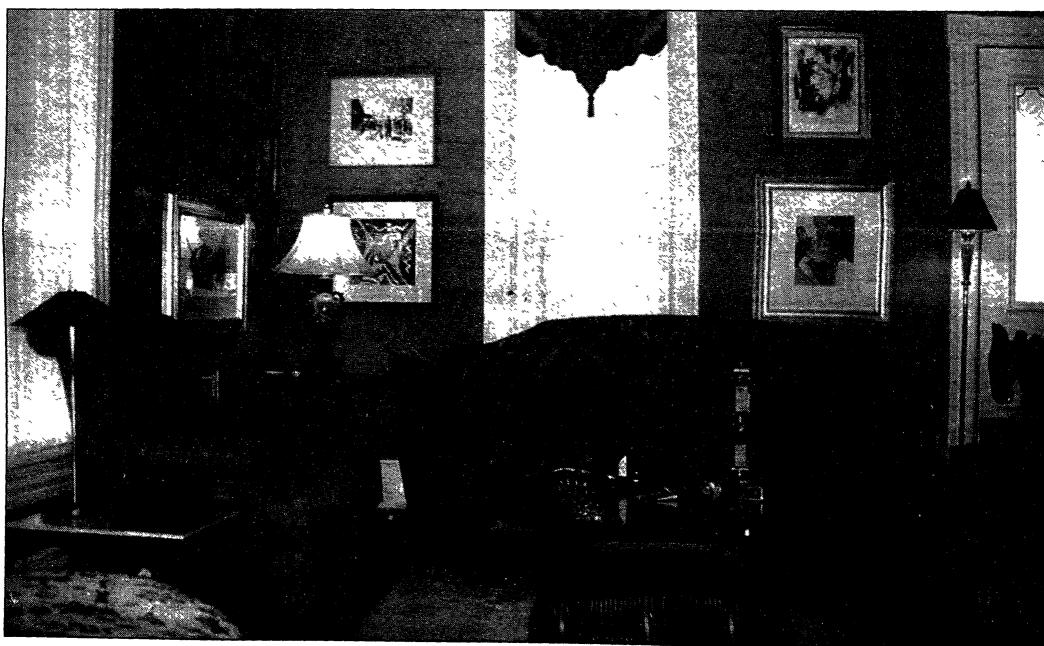
He said working in the area led to a desire to start his own interior design company. His company serves the Northville, Plymouth, Birmingham, Novi and Farmington Hills area. He also does interior work outside the state of Michigan.

Carmine has built his firm on service, selection and style and others have noticed as well.

To illustrate, his company has been specially selected to participate in the 1998 Designers Show House in Grosse Pointe Park sponsored by the Junior League of Detroit. The show consists of 35 top designers who will design and decorate a large portion of a Grosse Pointe Park mansion and will open in September.

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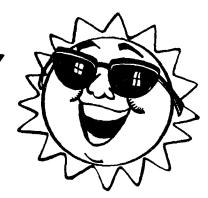
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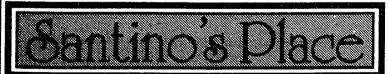
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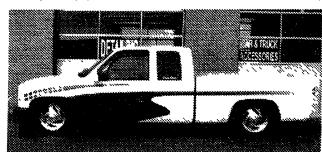
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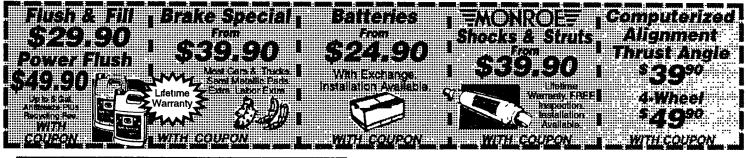
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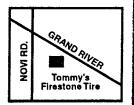


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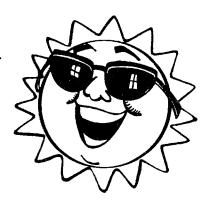
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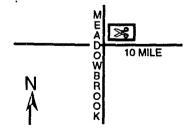
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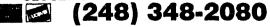
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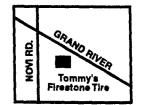


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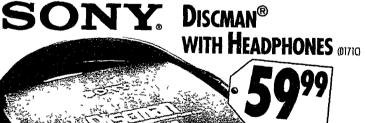
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