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The hitting is always hard when Northville and Novi play for the "Baseline Jug." The game will be played at Novi High School Football Stadium. Kickoff is at 7:30 p.m.

## Going for the JUGular

Hey guys do me a favor, bring jug back to Northville

An open letter to the members of the Northville High School football team:

Hey, guys. I know you're busy preparing for this weeks season-ending game against rival Novi High School, but I've got this favor to ask. I normally wouldn't ask for this type of favor, but, I've got this small problem I need you all to help me fix.

You see, I've got the new and improved Baseline Jug in my office. It sits on a table right across from my desk so whenever I look up, I can't help but notice it. I know you haven't seen this jug - after the original one was broken administrators decided to do away with it and replace it instead with a plaque, which seems a bit silly because after all this game is always referred to as the "Jug" game, not the "Plaque" game.

But I digress. The new jug is



Robert Jackson

actually the size of...let me see...oh yeah, the Stanley Cup. On one side is Northville's logo, school colors, and the scores of all of those games in which you pounded Novi into dust. The other side of course has Novi's logo, school colors, and the scores of the four games in which you let them beat you.

Which brings me to my problem, guys. I sort of made this deal when we debuted the new jug last year. The deal was that if Northville won

the Novi editor would be forced to keep the jug in his office with the Northville side of the jug displayed. If Novi won, and alas they did last year, then the Northville editor, which is me, would be forced to display the jug with the Novi side showing.

Did I happen to mention that I really hate the color green?

Anyway, I've had this jug in my office now for one solid year. The Novi staff has made my life unbearable and I don't think I could take another year of staring at this green jug. So what I'm asking, guys, is nothing more than for you to walk onto their field Friday night and make these Wildcats look sick. I'm not asking for a big win, mind you. Heck I'd settle for a 20-17 Northville victory.

Now, I know that we're 4-4 and they are 7-1. And I know that

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### WHO IS THE BEST?



Check out the special insert in today's paper to find out who we picked for our Northville and Novi "All-Millennium" football squads.

## City mourns loss of Mitchell Deeb

Long-time Northville resident was former 'Citizen of the Year.'

By CHRIS C. DAVIS  
Copy Editor

The smiling face that crossed Mitchell Deeb's face was more than just something that appeared out of habit. In the minds of those who knew the Northville resident, it was an expression that came from the heart.



Mitchell Deeb

"He always wore a smile," said Father John Budde, Deeb's priest at Holy Family Catholic Church in Novi. "As an usher, he always understood that one of his roles was to welcome people to church and make them feel welcome throughout."

Mr. Deeb died at his home in Northville on Sunday. He was 84. Deeb was given the prestigious "Citizen of the Year" award by the Northville Area Chamber of Commerce in 1994, some 18 years after he relocated from Farmington. Originally from Ohio, Deeb spent most of his life in electrical supply sales.

But beyond his career, Budde said Deeb was particularly attuned to service within the community.

"He had a definite fondness for helping out children and adults

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## AG nears end of Nield investigation

BY ANDREW DIETDERICH  
Staff Writer

The attorney general's probe into the way an investigation into Northville businessman Jim Nield was handled should end soon, a spokesman said.

However, Nield told The Northville Record he is baffled by the fact he hasn't been contacted by the office.

"I don't know how an investigation can be nearing completion if the attorney general's office has not interviewed me," Nield said.

Chris DeWitt, spokesman for Attorney General Jennifer Granholm, said it is "fair to say the investigation is coming to a

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Jim Nield

conclusion."

"I'm not going to make any predictions as to when everything will be final," he said.

Additionally, DeWitt said he couldn't go into any details about what aspects of the investigation

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Photo by JOHN HEIDER

Electrician Janet Jarnot works on wiring in some temporary lights at the new Northville High School construction site, Friday.

## New high school: behind schedule, under budget

By MELANIE PLENDIA  
Staff Writer

The bad news: construction of the new Northville High School is still behind schedule. The good news: the district's \$61.5 million construction and renovation program is some \$540,000 under budget, assistant superintendent David Bolitho said last week.

With most of the 85 construction projects finished, focus has

shifted to the completion of the new high school and the transformation of the current high school into Hillside Middle School.

"We are putting a lot of energy into making the transition as smooth as possible next year," Bolitho said.

Beginning in the summer of 2000, Bryant Center will move from its Livonia location to Cooke Middle School. Cooke stu-

dents and staff will then move into Hillside Middle School, formerly known as Northville High School, while Northville High School's students will find a home at the new high school located on Six Mile Road.

The workers at the new High School have made up some of the time lost when the project began, but are still about seven weeks behind schedule.

The delay caused the cancella-

tion of a tour of the new building Oct. 20, so that more work could be completed before the Northville high school staff were allowed to see it.

"We are hoping that we will have the building pretty well sealed by Nov. 1, before the cold weather hits," Bolitho said. "I think we should get pretty close to it."

Bolitho said all of the windows

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## Northville man's efforts get water wheel turning

BY ANDREW DIETDERICH  
Staff Writer

Northville resident Bob Russell smiles when he thinks how happy "Mr. Ford" would be with a project he's spent the last 10 months working on.

The project was getting the waterwheel on the old Ford factory building turning once more after a three-year period of laying dormant. The building welcomes visitors and residents to the city of Northville who enter the city on Northville Road.

"I know Mr. Ford would have been disgusted if he knew the wheel wasn't turning," Russell said.

Russell said he grew tired of driving into Northville and seeing the wheel idle on the building that includes such businesses as the Water Wheel Health Club. The motionless wheel bothered Russell so much that one day he stopped and talked to the building owner Rick Cox about forming a committee to get the wheel operational. The committee officially formed last December.

During research for the project, Russell said he discovered the wheel was installed in 1936. And although waterwheels typically were used as primary sources of power in old factories, that wasn't

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Bob Russell was a member of a citizen's committee that got Northville's Ford Plant Water Wheel working last week. The wheel hasn't moved in three years, and Russell decided he wanted to do something about it. "I was so thrilled I told Rick Cox I wanted to get a cot and sleep out there," Russell said, after getting the old wheel moving again.



Photo by JOHN HEIDER

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## Deeb remembered as active, generous

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that had developmental disabilities," Budde said. "There were a number of times he'd take kids bowling."

Another anecdote regarding children — Budde said Deeb often handed out candies to children who attended Mass at Holy Family.

Guernsey Farms Dairy founder John McGuire said he remembered Deeb as a man who became close friends with one of his own children, who suffered from a mental handicap.

"He was a fantastic man," McGuire said. "We couldn't thank him enough for the time he spent. The guy had a heart of gold."

Northville mayor Chris Johnson said he also knew of Deeb's selfless spirit.

"He was one of those people who would just roll up his sleeves and do things for others," said Johnson, who came to know Deeb through church. "He was never looking for praise or recognition. He just wanted to put some joy in other people's lives."

Deeb was active in the Kiwanis Club of Northville, the Kiwanis Counsel, the Fraternal Order of Eagles, the Knights of Columbus, the Veterans of Foreign Wars and the Salvation Army Children's Home.

A funeral for Mr. Deeb was held Oct. 20 at Holy Family Catholic Church in Novi. Interment will be at Glen Eden Memorial Park in Livonia. Funeral arrangements were handled by Northville's Casterline Funeral Home.

## AG nears conclusion of Nield investigation

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remain "until the review is completed."

But Nield said an investigation that doesn't include his input would be incomplete.

"It is incomplete unless they can determine why I was investigated and who started it," Nield said.

Nield was part of a five-month investigation that lasted from March through July. It centered around his involvement with Families for a Better Northville and accusations that he stole school district property in that effort by employing school labor and materials for mailings connected with

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Jim Nield

support for the group. During the investigation a state police officer went to Nield's house where Nield produced receipts for the more than \$12,000 he spent of his own money on the campaign.

Nield's wife, Martha, is vice-president of the Northville board of education.

The Michigan State Police investigation cleared Nield's name in

July after interviewing at least 14 people during the investigation including Leonard Rezmierski, superintendent of the Northville School District, and Thomas Gudritz, president of the Northville board of education at the time of the investigation.

Since Nield's name was cleared, questions surrounding the investigation have been asked by Nield.

Lyn Bankes, Wayne County board of commissioners member, and now Granholm, who started her investigation about one month ago.

"I don't have a great deal of confidence with the government investigating themselves," Nield said. "I hope the attorney general's office is an exception."

Nield said the sooner the report is completed, the better.

"It would be nice to put this behind us without litigation, subpoenas and depositions," Nield said. "All the community wants is the truth."

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## Northville man gets water wheel turning

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the case in Northville.

"It was used more for show," said Russell, who used to be a tour guide at Greenfield Village. "That's because Mr. Ford loved to show how things worked."

The committee formed with a budget of \$10,000 and a goal of seeing the wheel turn by late spring.

The crew managed to stay within budget, but after jacking the 18,000 pound wheel up and removing the old damaged bearings ran into a major problem: manufacturing the new bearings to fit the wheel perfectly.

However, the bronze bearings

"It's great to see it turning again. It's been almost three years since we realized we had to shut it down. I hoped it wouldn't be this long before we got it going again."

Rick Cox  
Northville resident

finally were made and worked, which allowed the wheel to begin turning last week.

"I was so thrilled I told Rick Cox I wanted to get a cot and sleep out there," Russell said.

Cox said he also was excited to see the wheel in action.

"It's great to see it turning again," he said. "It's been almost

three years since we realized we had to shut it down. I hoped it wouldn't be this long before we got it going again."

Cox said the damaged bearings caused the wheel to be inoperative originally.

From time to time the wheel will be shut down so the screen in front of the wheel can be cleaned

of debris, Cox said.

But Cox said the wheel is a great attraction and landmark for Northville.

"If you sit in front of the building a good 60 to 70 percent of people driving by are watching the wheel turn," he said. "If the wheel is static it just doesn't garner that kind of attention."

Landscaping and benches will be added to the area to create a "park-like" feel Cox said.

Additionally, he said, he expects the wheel to continue turning for a long time.

"It looks like it's good to go for another 60 years," he said.

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## Who get's the Baseline Jug? Editor hopes it's the Mustangs

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everyone is picking them to beat you into submission. And, yes, I do realize that the odds are somewhat in their favor (sports reporter Jason Schmitt keeps telling me that Novi is going to destroy you, and to be honest it's really beginning to tick me off).

But consider this. I've got the jug, and I would be more than happy to bring it to your awards banquet at the end of the season, so you can proudly show it off and maybe even have a team photo taken with it. That's what we did last year for Novi, and guys I've got to tell you — when the team saw this jug they

went nuts. They even began talking trash, saying things like "Northville will never win this thing back."

I don't know about you, but I'd take that as a personal challenge.

So that's it, guys. That's my favor. Win back this jug. There's nothing I'd like to see more than this fine new trophy sitting in the Novi News editor's office, proudly displaying the orange and black.

Oh, and one more thing. Good luck out there. All of Northville is pulling for you.

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Rob David poses with his MSU Alumni Service award, which he received at a banquet Sept. 30. David was honored for his outstanding service contributions not only to the university, but to the Northville community as well.

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## Award-winning Spartan Northville's Rob David receives MSU award

By MELANIE PLEND  
Staff Writer

For Rob David, the big "S" he received for the Michigan State University Alumni Service Award meant more than just "service" or "Spartans."

It also meant "special." David was recognized Sept. 30 by MSU's Alumni Association for his outstanding service contributions not only to the university but to the Northville community as well.

It was with a sense of wanting to give back to the community that drove David to get involved with events and causes, he said.

"You don't do (community service) for the reward," David said. "But it is a tremendous honor, and it's nice to know that it's appreciated."

In addition to his long service career, and having his own business — the David Group — he is also one of the executive producers of the Glenn Haeg radio show, "Ask the Handyman," on WXYT-AM.

But it is David's commitment to service that has earned him one of MSU's highest honors.

Alumni members are chosen

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Rob David

annually from candidates who have demonstrated continuing outstanding volunteer service to Michigan State and meritorious public service on a local, state, national, or international level.

David's community projects began when he was an undergraduate at Michigan State. After his graduation in 1978, he said he was anxious to stay involved with the MSU community and be able to show his appreciation for what the school had given him.

From there he joined the Alumni Association and quickly moved up in the ranks. Among his alumni associates he can count the president of the university and top brass at major corporations such as DaimlerChrysler,

Ford and Lear Automotive.

"It's given me the chance to meet people that I never would have otherwise gotten to meet in my life and it's great because I get to know them as friends," he said.

Among his service credits locally, David includes his co-chairing Celebrate Northville which is an organization that is responsible for the Fourth of July Parade and fireworks. He also has participated in the Northville Township Foundation and as an elected precinct delegate for the Republican party. David believed that anyone who joins in service projects encourages the rest of the community to do the same.

"Your neighbors and friends see you helping and it inspires and reminds them to do the same," he said.

As for the university (other than an undying loyalty to the Spartans), he is currently the alumni rep for the Eli Broad College of Business at MSU and is a committee member on their Detroit Management Conference Committee.

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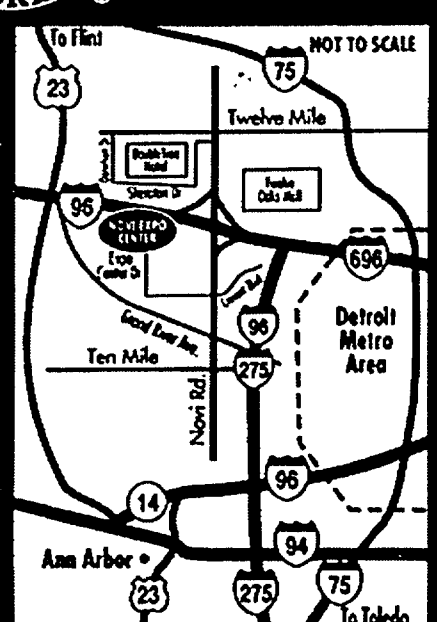


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# CSX says crossing improvements may be delayed

By MELANIE PLEDA  
Staff Writer

Repairs to the railroad crossing at Seven Mile Road and Northville Road will be later than anticipated, a CSX official said this week.

Gary Wallenhaupt, public relations director for CSX transportation, said the late October target date for repairs was unlikely because of other repair projects in the metro Detroit area that take precedence. He said the delay should have no real effect in terms of safety.

"They are working their way along the track as quickly as possible, but I don't see this as a real emergency," Wallenhaupt said.

He said that as far as CSX was concerned, the track was safe for motorists as well as railroad employees.

CSX design engineer Marty Ludwig said that the project has not been forgotten but that the delay is unavoidable.

"We very much want to get that (Seven and Northville crossing) done, but we have at least seven projects that very much need to get done," Ludwig said.

On Oct. 7, a former railroad engineer and Northville Township resident, Joe Macura, brought the dilapidated condition of the railroad to everyone's attention in an article featured in The Northville

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Marty Ludwig  
CSX design engineer

Record. He said he noticed the tracks bouncing wildly as the train passed over them. At the time CSX Transportation acknowledged the condition of the tracks could pose some serious problems, such as derailment.

Wallenhaupt originally said CSX would have the problem corrected

by the end of October. That included tearing out the crossing, adding grating over the tracks and compacting the existing dirt bed to stabilize them.

However, Ludwig said it was more likely the repairs would not be done until the second week of November, if not later.

"We are working on a road improvement project with the city of Wixom," Ludwig said. "We've had that commitment for a year and we aren't able to get out of it."

Ludwig also said that two other projects followed the Wixom job, each taking two to three weeks to finish. After this, Ludwig said, CSX can get to the Northville Road and Seven Mile Road crossing.

"We have several other obligations to fulfill before we get to that crossing," CSX engineer Marty Ludwig said, "but we have moved that project ahead of several others."

Wallenhaupt said CSX would continue its twice-a-week inspection routine of the tracks at the crossing

as well as others in the area.

However, when the Record requested documents detailing the inspections Wallenhaupt said the most recent record they had was from Sept. 21.

Additionally, the Record sent a Freedom of Information Act request to CSX as well as the Federal Railroad Administration to obtain the detailed inspection records from Jan. 1, 1999 through Oct. 15, 1999.

Under the Freedom of Information Act, CSX has until Oct. 22, to comply with the request, while the FRA has until Oct. 23.

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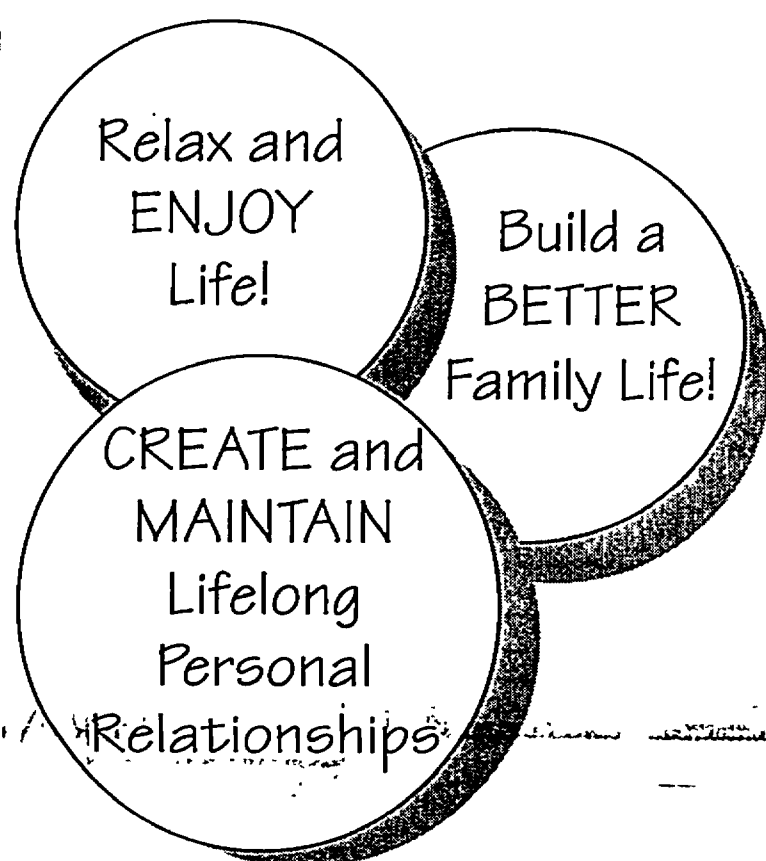
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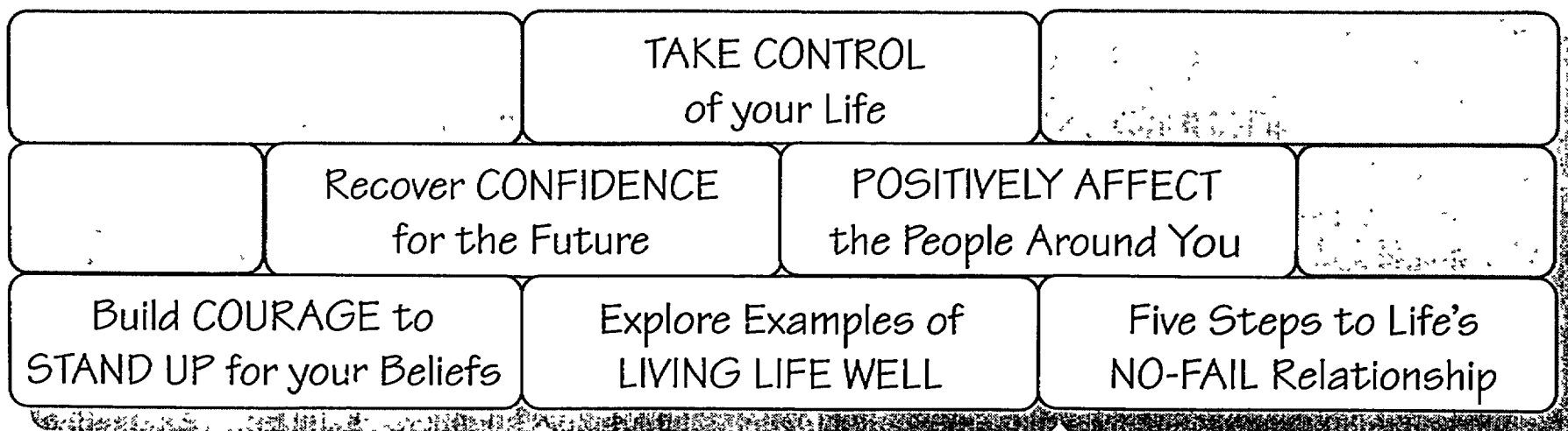
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# Township Board no closer to decision on manager post

■ Trustees to further study report issued by township management committee.

BY ANDREW DIETDERICH  
Staff Writer

At least one more month will pass before the Northville Township board of trustees takes action on possibly putting a township manager in place.

The Northville Township board of trustees held a special study session Oct. 14 to consider a report submitted in June by the Northville Township management study committee.

Little movement was made at

the meeting, though, with the exception of asking township supervisors from Canton and Plymouth some questions about their townships, some disorganized discussion and setting up another study session on the township manager issue Nov. 23.

"The purpose of this study session is to start moving forward on taking action on this report," said Karen Woodside, Northville Township supervisor, at the beginning of the session.

After Tom Yack, Canton Township supervisor, and Kathleen Keen McCarthy, Plymouth Township supervisor, answered some initial questions about how management works in their communities, board members has an

unstructured discussion on some issues, such as whether or not it would be a ballot issue and what they viewed as the problem with the current structure.

But one board member thought it was a little premature to begin to delve into those issues.

"We haven't even reached the point of deciding whether or not this is something we even want to discuss," said Marv Gans, board trustee and committee member.

Richard Henningsen, co-chair of the committee and board trustee, said the process of making a decision has taken baby steps since board trustees first received the report in June.

"I haven't got any feedback besides people saying 'Yes it's a

good report," he said.

More than two years were spent on the report that includes three types of management options available to the township and pros and cons of each.

The three options include: a full-time manager/part-time supervisor; full-time superintendent/part-time supervisor; full-time supervisor.

The township has operated with a full-time manager/part-time supervisor since 1980, but turnover between 1987 and 1997 was "quite high," the committee said in the report, with five managers between 1987 and 1997.

When the last manager left in 1997, the board of trustees wanted to assess the position before hiring

another manager and authorized a study group to look into the matter.

The six-member committee consists of two elected officials, two employees, one appointed official and a resident-at-large.

The reports were given to board members in June. Some board members said they have been reading the reports and knew which structure they wanted.

But Henningsen felt more time was needed to prepare.

"I guess we should give everyone a chance to read their reports and come back in November," he said. "Hopefully we can come up with a decision."

Bill Pomeroy, co-chair of the committee, said he wished more

had been accomplished at the meeting.

"I'm disappointed there wasn't more pre-thought put into how the process would be organized," Pomeroy said.

Henningsen said he wanted the process to be completed in time for next year's elections.

Additionally, it was agreed Barbara Moroski-Browne, a public sector consultant with Design Research Engineering of Novi, would facilitate the Nov. 23 study session.

"I don't think it's my job to facilitate the meeting since my job is the one at issue," Woodside said.

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# Carpenter fights condo fire with garden hose

BY ANDREW DIETDERICH  
Staff Writer

A quick-thinking carpenter may have saved a seven-unit condominium building on the city's north side from going up in flames, neighbors said.

The man used a garden hose to douse a small fire Oct. 18 he created while working on the deck of 962 New Haven Court in the Lexington Commons. He lit the deck on fire with a torch while attempting to loosen the rubber adhesive used to hold tiles on the deck in place.

"It could have been a lot worse," said Bill Brandt, the neighbor whose telephone was used by the contractor to call 911.

City of Northville firefighters responded to the call at about 1:30 p.m. Upon arrival, the deck was still smoldering, said Jim Allen, Northville

"There is not that much damage. (The carpenter) did a good job of reacting because the fire could have gone up the wall quick."

Jim Allen  
Northville fire chief

Fire Department chief. As a result, firefighters had to use an axe to break a hole in the wall between the deck and the laundry room to be sure the fire hadn't climbed into the walls.

When a hole was broken, the wall was full of smoke, but Allen said there were no flames. Firefighters then

sprayed water inside the wall to be sure there wasn't a fire.

"He was rebuilding a deck and trying to loosen a layer by using a torch," Allen said. "Some of the rubber adhesive then caught on fire and got into the wall between the deck and laundry room."

Jim Schlicker, owner of the condominium unit, said he actually drove by his condo and could see fire trucks in the building's parking lot, but didn't think that it could be his.

"There is not that much damage," he said. "(The carpenter) did a good job of reacting because the fire could have gone up the wall quick."

The carpenter is employed by Detroit-based Grunwell-Cashero, which is rebuilding the decks of the seven condominium units on the

building.

Tony Sabo, spokesman for Grunwell-Cashero, said using heat is the "normal" method of removing the rubber adhesive.

Additionally, he said the way the deck was designed made it hard for the carpenter to tell anything had caught fire.

"Fortunately he was able to put water on the fire right away," Sabo said. "If it wasn't for his fast action it could have been a lot worse."


Despite Sabo's saying that heat was the normal method of loosening the rubber adhesive, he said it wouldn't be used on the other porches the company had been contracted to replace in the building.

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Firefighters make their way into a condominium unit at Lexington Commons, which caught fire this week.



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# Woman arrested after assaulting husband

A Northville woman who lives on North Rogers Street was arrested after punching her husband in the face when he returned home from a night in jail.

The incident happened Oct. 16 at 3:55 p.m.

According to a city of Northville Police Department report, the man returned home from a night in the city of Novi jail for operating a vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor. The two, who are going through a divorce, were arguing in the living room when she punched him in the face with a closed fist. A 13-year-old son witnessed the punch.

The woman was arrested for assault and battery and released on a \$100 bond with the condition the two have no negative contact.

## NOVI WOMAN TRANSPORTED AFTER ACCIDENT

A Novi woman was transported to Providence Hospital after the car she was driving was rammed from behind.

The incident happened Oct. 15 at 10:41 p.m.

According to a city of Northville Police Department report, a 60-year-old Novi woman was stopped at the light at Eight Mile Road and Novi Road when a car being driven by a 31-year-old Redford woman with two passengers.

The Novi woman was treated and released.

The Redford woman was given a citation for failure to stop in an

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assured clear distance ahead.

### THREE BICYCLES FOUND IN THE CITY OF NORTHVILLE

Three bikes were found in two different locations within the city limits.

According to a city of Northville Police Department report, one bike was found Oct. 18 at the intersection of North Ely Drive and Carlington Drive. The bike is a Roadmaster Trailblazer.

Another report details two bikes found in front of a vacant house on Thayer. The two bikes are: a Schwinn 10-speed bike, unknown style; a Schwinn 10-speed bike, Callente.

More information may be obtained from the Northville Police Department at (248) 349-1234.

### MAN CITED FOR MAKING ILLEGAL LEFT TURN

A 45-year-old city of Northville man who lives on Thayer and drives a 1990 blue Ford was arrested for driving with a suspended license.

The incident happened Oct. 14 at 12:52 a.m.

According to a city of Northville Police Department report, the man stopped to make a left turn at the intersection of Randolph Street and Eight Mile Road and went through the light after it turned red.

Northville police stopped the man and a background check revealed the man's license suspended through Jan. 24, 2000.

He could not post the \$300 bond immediately and was put in a city jail cell.

He received a citation for driving with a suspended license and driving through a red signal.

### WOMAN ARRESTED FOR SPEEDING DOWN CENTER ST.

A 20-year-old Detroit woman was arrested after she drew attention to herself by driving 40 mph in a 25 mph zone.

The incident happened Oct. 17 at 1:54 a.m.

According to a city of Northville Police Department report, the woman was driving a 1999 Pontiac too fast down Center. She was stopped and a background check revealed the woman's license suspended for failure to comply with justice out of Farmington.

She was arrested and released on a \$300 bond.

She was given a citation for driving with a suspended license and doing 40 mph in a 25 mph zone.

### TOOLS TAKEN FROM SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION SITE

More than \$1,000 worth of tools were taken from the construction

site of the new Northville High School.

The incident happened between 6 p.m. Oct. 12 and 6 a.m. Oct. 13.

According to a city of Northville Police report, unknown person(s) went on to the construction site and broke into several tool boxes and stole the tools.

None of the tools were marked or had serial numbers.

There are no suspects or witnesses.

### TOWNSHIP POLICE IMPOUND CAR

Northville Township Police impounded a 1985 Pontiac Grand Prix after the car was caught going almost double the speed limit.

The incident happened Oct. 13 at 2:10 a.m.

According to a Northville Township Police report, the car was being driven by a 22-year-old Northville Township man who lives on Currie Road at a rate of 66 mph in a 35 mph zone on Sheldon Road.

When he was stopped, he asked police how fast he was going because his speedometer was broken.

He was given a citation for speeding, driving with a suspended license and no proof of insurance. The car was impounded.

## Obituaries

### JONATHAN D. NELLES

Our beautiful Jonathan David Nelles went home to heaven on Oct. 4. Born on Aug. 17 at the University of Michigan Hospital. God blessed our lives with seven weeks of inspiration and joy. Our Jonathan courageously battled against a congenital diaphragmatic hernia and a heart problem. When his struggle became too much for his tiny body, God took him home. We will miss him until we can all meet again in heaven.

Jonathan is survived by his parents, Suellen and Bruce Nelles of Fairbanks, Alaska; brother and sister, Elijah and Rosemarie of Fairbanks; grandparents, Sonja and Jim Lane of Northville and Florence and Bruce Nelles of Newport News, Va.; aunts and uncles, Sharon and Mike Leavitt of Northville and Sherry Nelles and Terry Dupont of Pittsboro, N.C.; aunts, Lesley Lane of Mexico City; Darlene of Troy, Va.; and Hilda of Endicott, N.Y.

A memorial service was held on Thursday, Oct. 7 at the First United Methodist Church, Northville with the Rev. Doug Vernon officiating.

Pastor George Richardson officiated funeral services held on Wednesday, Oct. 13 at Fairbanks Native Bible Church in Fairbanks. Jonathan was returned to Alaska for burial at Birch Hill.

Funeral arrangements in Michigan were made by Northrop-Sassaman Funeral Home of Northville.

Memorial contributions in lieu of flowers can be made to: CHERUBS, P.O. Box 1150, Creedmoor, N.C. 27522. Cherubs is a support and research group for parents of children with congenital diaphragmatic hernias.

### CATHERINE M. SPANNOS

Catherine M. Spannos, 73, died Oct. 4 at St. Mary's Hospital in Livonia. She was born Sept. 6, 1926, to Art and Magdalene Planos in Chicago, Ill.

Mrs. Spannos was a member of Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church in Northville and moved to the Novi community over 40 years ago.

She is survived by her husband of 55 years, John of Novi; sons, David of Novi, John of Miami; and George of California; daughter, Magdalene (Richard) Pietila of South Lyon; two sisters; and several grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Mrs. Spannos was preceded in death by one sister.

Services were conducted Thursday, Oct. 7 at 11 a.m. at Phillips Funeral Home, 122 W. Lake St., South Lyon.

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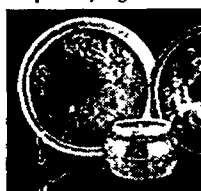
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## Northville Government Briefs

### TRANSFER OF LIQUOR LICENSE APPROVED FOR NEW RESTAURANT

Northville City Council has approved a recommendation to transfer the liquor license previously held by Northville Bar & Grill to Singh Management Co. Inc.

Additionally, transfer of the license from Singh Management to Gourmet Food Inc. Essence Restaurant is planning to open on the site.

For the request to be approved, the police and fire department along with the building department must investigate the site and past records.

The Michigan Liquor Control Commission makes the final determination on the permits. However, local communities are allowed to comment and recommend

### approval or denial. SEATS ON RECREATION COMMISSION FILLED

Northville City Council has approved the appointment of two new members to the parks and recreation commission.

Matt Cowles was named to one spot after he was contacted by the city selection committee for the spot.

The Michigan State University student has lived in Northville his entire life and said he was interested in serving on the board in order to "become more involved in this community."

The term of the seat will expire Jan. 1, 2001.

Additionally, Anne Bright was named to the commission after being contacted by the city's selection committee. Bright said she's "interested in maximizing the use

of our great facilities for recreation and building a stronger partnership between the school district and recreation commission.

### COUNCIL OK'S PURCHASE OF THREE NEW VEHICLES

The Northville City Council has approved the purchase of three new municipal vehicles.

Two of the vehicles are a 2000 one-ton dump truck for plowing and cemetery use for \$36,500 and a 2000 Ford Ranger for daily use for \$20,600 by the department.

Additionally, the parks and recreation department has been authorized to purchase an F-250 super duty pickup truck in the amount of \$24,770.

All of the vehicles are being purchased from McDonald Ford Sales of Northville. It was the only com-

pany to respond to bids.

### TOWNSHIP MULLS POSSIBILITY OF LEASING TRAILER LAND

The Northville Township board of trustees has authorized the township's planning commission to explore the possibility of leasing township land to a development company.

The land is located on about four acres of land on Beck Road that will likely be the location of a new fire station in the future.

The planning department is exploring such issues as how much to charge, what kinds of landscaping will be needed and how long a lease may be for.

It will come before the Northville Township board of trustees at its next regular meeting.

## City announces leaf pickup schedule

It's too bad that after you've enjoyed the changing color of those tree leaves, they have to fall to the ground for clean-up.

At any rate, the city of Northville department of public works will begin its 1999 leaf collection next week.

The city recommends leaves be raked into the street the weekend prior to pickup and that leaves be watered to help keep them in place.

The schedule is as follows:

Area B, which is south of Eight Mile Road and west of Center Street, will be Oct. 25 through Oct. 29 and Nov. 22 through Nov. 26.

Area C, which is east of Center

Street, on both sides of Eight Mile Road, will be Nov. 1 through Nov. 5 and Nov. 29 through Dec. 3.

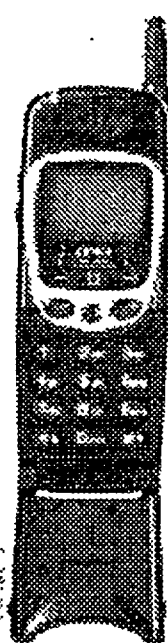
Area A, which is north of Eight Mile Road and west of Center Street, will be Nov. 8 through Nov. 12 and Dec. 6 through Dec. 10.

Additionally, leaves in brown bags or compost cans will be picked up at the curb every Friday, until Dec. 10. No plastic bags, branches, brush, garden waste or trash will be taken during leaf collecting times.

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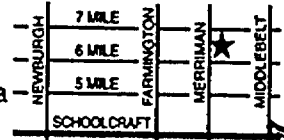
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Amerman students Tara and Robert await their next round of loan applicants during Amerman Elementary School's mock credit union exercises, last week.

# You can't beat the interest rates

## School Credit Union teaches Amerman students common (cents)

By MELANIE PLENDI  
Staff Writer

Students at Amerman Elementary School are putting their money where their educations are at the Amerman Elementary Credit Union.

"It's really cool because kids like to spend money," said fourth grader Amy Mich. "This way it is more convenient to get your money but also easier to save it."

For the 10th year in a row, students at Amerman are running their own credit union. Twice a week, the students make deposits into a savings account through Community Federal Credit Union, 400 East Main Street, from their school's media center. The credit union is run and organized entirely by students with a little help from some of the Community Federal staff.

"We come in about twice a month until they get used to the way things run, but the premise is to have them learn how to do it

themselves," said Community Federal branch manager Natalie McLaughlin.

The students are learning the value of saving their money with the project, McLaughlin said. Melissa Dirado, a fourth grader, said that if she didn't keep her money in her account she wouldn't have it for very long.

"If I have money at home, I just spend it," she said. "This way I can save up to buy a TV for my room."

McLaughlin said that the program was originally designed to supplement the math and social studies curriculum for the upper elementary.

Since then it has grown to include 32 student staff members taking on the roles of tellers, promotions and marketing representatives, greeters, and a branch manager.

"Each student fills out an application and goes through an interview process," McLaughlin said.

"We want to give kids some practical working experience to show them what it will be like when they are a bit older."

Principal Stephen Anderson said educators wanted to give a taste of the real world. Each student who applies gets a position.

"They're not quite ready for that kind of rejection," Anderson said, adding that there was time for students to learn about that later on.

Robert Lyon, the fifth grade branch manager of the Amerman Credit Union, learned quickly about the art of persuasion from his interview.

"I gave them a few good reasons why I should be branch manager," Lyon said. "I told them that my

mom was a branch manager and that I wanted to learn more about what she does."

He added that this was all the reason he needed because his classmates hired him for the position.

Both Anderson and McLaughlin said the credit union concept was a great way for the kids to become active members of the community and to bring businesses and schools in the area together.

"It gives students a chance to see that there are adults in the community that care for them and want them to succeed in addition to their parents," McLaughlin said.

Melanie Plendi may be reached via e-mail at mplendi@h1.homecom.net

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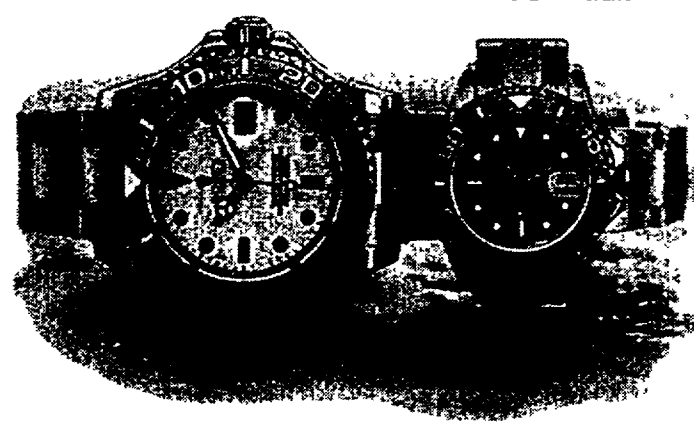
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☐ Civil Counter
- NO, I have never obtained service at the counter of the court  
IN GENERAL, BASED ON WHAT YOU KNOW, HAVE READ, OR HAVE HEARD, IS THE 35th DISTRICT COURT DOING AN EXCELLENT, GOOD, FAIR OR POOR JOB?  
☐ Excellent ☐ Fair

- Good ☐ Poor Job
- WOULD YOU FEEL SAFE GOING TO THE COURTHOUSE?  
☐ Yes, I would feel safe ☐ No, I wouldn't feel safe  
☐ If No, why
- IF YOU'VE EVER WRITTEN TO THE COURT, DID THE COURT RESPOND IN A TIMELY FASHION?  
☐ Yes, the court did respond in a timely fashion  
☐ No, the court did not respond in a timely fashion ☐ Does not apply
- HAVE YOU EVER CONTACTED THE COURT BY TELEPHONE SYSTEMS TO BE?  
☐ Yes ☐ No
- IF YES, DID YOU FIND THE COURT'S VOICE MESSAGING SYSTEM TO BE?  
☐ Very helpful ☐ Somewhat helpful  
☐ Helpful ☐ Not helpful at all
- HAVE YOU EVER BEEN CALLED FOR JURY DUTY AT THE 35th DISTRICT COURT?  
☐ Yes ☐ No
- IF YES, HAVE YOU BEEN EMPANELED AS A JUROR?  
☐ Yes ☐ No
- IF YES, HOW WOULD YOU RATE YOUR EXPERIENCE?  
☐ Excellent ☐ Good ☐ Fair
- DO YOU HAVE ANY COMMENTS/SUGGESTIONS THAT WOULD BETTER ACCOMMODATE THE JURORS AT THE 35th DISTRICT COURT?
- DO YOU THINK THE COURT PROVIDES ENOUGH INFORMATION ABOUT ITS PROCEDURES AND SERVICES?  
☐ Yes, the court does provide enough information  
☐ No, the court does not provide enough information  
☐ If no, what would help you?
- THE 35th DISTRICT COURT TRIES TO PROVIDE AS MUCH INFORMATION AS POSSIBLE TO THE PUBLIC. IT IS OUR BELIEF THAT KNOWLEDGE LEADS TO UNDERSTANDING, AND UNDERSTANDING LEADS TO APPRECIATION OF THE COURT. QUESTIONS 25 THROUGH 28 ARE DESIGNED TO HELP US UNDERSTAND HOW YOU PREFER TO OBTAIN INFORMATION ABOUT THE COURT.
- WHERE DO YOU PREFER TO FIND INFORMATION?  
☐ At the Courthouse ☐ At City/Township Hall  
☐ On the Telephone ☐ On the Internet  
☐ Newspaper ☐ Other
- IF THE COURT PRODUCED PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR VIEWING OVER CABLE ACCESS CHANNELS, WHAT INFORMATION WOULD BE HELPFUL? (check as many as apply)  
☐ Starting a small claims case  
☐ Filing a landlord/tenant matter ☐ Juvenile Court  
☐ Resolving a civil infraction (traffic) matter ☐ Domestic Violence
- DO YOU HAVE ACCESS TO THE INTERNET?  
☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Other
- IF YES, WHAT TYPE OF INFORMATION OR SERVICES WOULD YOU LIKE TO SEE ON A COURT WEBSITE? (check as many as apply)  
☐ Pay a Ticket ☐ Informational Brochures  
☐ Request a Court Date ☐ Jury Duty Information  
☐ Download Court Forms ☐ Court Schedules  
☐ Other
- DO YOU EVER WANTED TO TAKE SOMETHING BEFORE THE 35th DISTRICT COURT, BUT DID NOT?  
☐ Yes, I have had something I wanted to take to court, but did not.  
☐ No, I haven't had something I wanted to take to court.
- WHY DIDN'T YOU GO TO COURT? (check as many as apply)  
☐ Circumstances of the case changed/decided not to pursue issue  
☐ Court procedures too complex/confusing/timid  
☐ Court services too expensive ☐ Don't know how to go about getting my case heard  
☐ Attorney's bill would be too high ☐ Turned to someone else to handle  
☐ Court decision would take too long ☐ Thought nothing could be done  
☐ Court sanctions are ineffective ☐ Had other reasons
- THE 35th DISTRICT COURT IS CONSTRUCTING A NEW COURTHOUSE. QUESTIONS 31, 32 AND 33 ARE SPECIFIC TO THE NEW BUILDING.
- PLANS FOR THE NEW COURTHOUSE INCLUDE BULLET RESISTANT GLASS AT ALL CASHIER/CLERICAL WINDOWS. HOW DO YOU FEEL ABOUT THAT?
- PLANS ALSO CALL FOR ALL VISITORS TO THE 35th DISTRICT COURT TO PASS THROUGH METAL DETECTORS UPON ENTERING THE BUILDING. HOW DO YOU FEEL ABOUT THAT?
- HOW WOULD YOU RATE THE IMPORTANCE OF THE FOLLOWING ITEMS/ISSUES? (10 BEING VERY IMPORTANT/1 BEING NOT IMPORTANT AT ALL)  
Public Access Computer Terminals  
Information Desk  
Brochures explaining the Court's programs/procedures  
Computer Terminals explaining the Court's programs/procedures  
Vending Machines  
Night Court  
Evening probation appointments
- THE 35th DISTRICT COURT PIONEERED THE HANDLING OF JUVENILE CASES AT THE DISTRICT COURT LEVEL IN AN ATTEMPT TO OFFER LOCAL SOLUTIONS TO LOCAL PROBLEMS. QUESTIONS 34 THROUGH 37 RELATE TO THE JUVENILE COURT AT THE

#### DISTRICT COURT PROGRAM

- ARE YOU AWARE THAT JUVENILE MATTERS ARE BEING HEARD AT THE 35th DISTRICT COURT?  
☐ Yes, I was aware ☐ No, I was not aware
- DO YOU BELIEVE MISDEMEANOR JUVENILE MATTERS SHOULD BE HEARD AT THE LOCAL DISTRICT COURT OR SHOULD THEY BE HEARD AT THE PROBATE DIVISION OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT COURT IN DETROIT?  
☐ At the 35th District Court ☐ At the Third Circuit Court in Detroit
- DO YOU THINK THE 35th DISTRICT COURT IS DOING A GOOD JOB HANDLING JUVENILE MATTERS?  
☐ Yes ☐ No
- WITH REGARD TO THE JUVENILE COURT IN THE DISTRICT COURT PROGRAM, WHAT DO YOU LIKE OR DISLIKE?  
38. PLEASE CHECK WHICH PROGRAMS YOU ARE AWARE OF AND IN THE SPACE PROVIDED, TELL US ABOUT YOUR EXPERIENCE.  
☐ Visit by Judge to School ☐ Approve ☐ Disapprove  
☐ Visit by School to Court ☐ Approve ☐ Disapprove  
☐ Visit by Judge to Organization/Club ☐ Approve ☐ Disapprove  
☐ Visit by Organization/Club to Court ☐ Approve ☐ Disapprove  
☐ Law Day (May 1st - annually) ☐ Approve ☐ Disapprove  
☐ Teen Court ☐ Approve ☐ Disapprove  
☐ Law Exploring Program w/Boy Scouts ☐ Approve ☐ Disapprove  
☐ Mock Trials ☐ Approve ☐ Disapprove
- IT IS NOT PRACTICAL, NOR POSSIBLE TO SEND EVERYONE THAT COMMITS A NON-VIOLENT CRIME TO JAIL. THEREFORE, IT IS NECESSARY FOR DISTRICT COURTS INCLUDING THE 35th DISTRICT COURT TO USE A VARIETY OF ALTERNATIVE SENTENCING PROGRAMS. PLEASE TELL US IF YOU ARE AWARE OF THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMS, ALSO TELL US WHAT YOU THINK ABOUT THE PROGRAMS IN THE SPACE PROVIDED.  
☐ Work Program ☐ Approve ☐ Disapprove  
☐ Community Service ☐ Approve ☐ Disapprove  
☐ Victim's Impact Panel (Alcohol Related Cases) ☐ Approve ☐ Disapprove  
☐ In Home Arrest (Tether) ☐ Approve ☐ Disapprove  
☐ Substance Abuse Screening ☐ Approve ☐ Disapprove  
☐ Random Drug Screening ☐ Approve ☐ Disapprove  
☐ Alcohol/Drug ☐ Approve ☐ Disapprove  
☐ Repeat Offender (Immobilization/Impound) ☐ Approve ☐ Disapprove  
☐ Boot Camp (Juvenile) ☐ Approve ☐ Disapprove  
☐ Teen Court (Juvenile) ☐ Approve ☐ Disapprove  
☐ Intensive Counseling ☐ Approve ☐ Disapprove
- THE 35th DISTRICT COURT ALSO HAS TAKEN A PROACTIVE APPROACH TO CASES INVOLVING DOMESTIC VIOLENCE. TELL US IF YOU ARE AWARE OF THE FOLLOWING PROGRAMS. ALSO TELL US WHAT YOU THINK ABOUT THE PROGRAMS.  
☐ Domestic Violence Early Intervention Program ☐ Approve ☐ Disapprove  
☐ Domestic Assault Intervention Program (up to 26 wks.) ☐ Approve ☐ Disapprove  
☐ Victim Advocacy Program ☐ Approve ☐ Disapprove  
☐ Domestic Violence Teacher ☐ Approve ☐ Disapprove
- THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS ARE FOR CLASSIFICATION PURPOSES ONLY AND ARE OPTIONAL.
- WHAT IS YOUR AGE GROUP? (Optional)  
☐ Juvenile ☐ 15-19 ☐ 20-24 ☐ 25-34  
☐ 35-44 ☐ 45-54 ☐ 55-64 ☐ 65 and up
- ARE YOU BEST DESCRIBED AS? (Optional)  
☐ Caucasian ☐ Hispanic ☐ Asian/Asian Pacific Islander  
☐ African American ☐ Native American ☐ Multi-racial ☐ Other
- IS YOUR GENDER? (Optional)  
☐ Male ☐ Female
- WHAT WAS THE LAST GRADE COMPLETED IN SCHOOL? (Optional)  
☐ Never completed High School ☐ High School Diploma or GED  
☐ 1-3 years of college ☐ 4 yr. College degree ☐ Beyond a Bachelor's Degree
- IS YOUR TOTAL YEARLY HOUSEHOLD INCOME? (Optional)  
☐ Under \$15,000 per year ☐ \$50,000 to \$74,999  
☐ \$15,000 to \$29,999 ☐ \$75,000 to \$99,999  
☐ \$30,000 to \$49,999 ☐ Over \$100,000
- DO YOU HAVE A PHYSICAL DISABILITY? (Optional)  
☐ Yes, I have a physical disability ☐ No, I don't have a physical disability
- HOW COULD THE COURT BETTER MEET YOUR SPECIAL NEEDS?



# Township trustees pass resolution opposing proposal

BY ANDREW DIETDERICH  
Staff Writer

Reading books and driving trucks never really belonged with each other until a proposal brought the two together.

And it's a proposal with which the Northville Township board of trustees is none-too-happy.

The board passed a resolution opposing the bill that would reroute monies received from the trucking violations.

The proposed HB 4927-4932 would require local governments to use fines collected from truck weight violations be used for county libraries.

"This bill should be a concern to this community and any municipalities that have heavy trucks use their roads," said Karen Woodside, Northville Township supervisor.

House Transportation Committee chairperson Rick Johnson, R-LeRoy, introduced the bill, along with Bob Patzer, executive director of the association representing heavy trucking industries. LeRoy is a small town south of Cadillac, along State Highway 131 with a population of 251.

Johnson said the bills would prevent harassment of truckers by local government because municipalities would no longer receive the money.

"By diverting funds to the library fund we are hoping to maintain safety on Michigan's roads while at the same time eliminating what has become a proverbial cash cow for some local governments," Patzer said.

"This bill should be a concern to this community and any municipalities that have heavy trucks use their roads."

Karen Woodside  
township supervisor

Northville has several main roads that are haul routes for waste, sand and gravel haulers.

According to the resolution, the Conference of Western Wayne has reviewed the house bills and has recommended to all member municipalities that the bills be opposed.

"The proposed HB 4927-4932 would seriously jeopardize the safety of residents and the roads in Northville Township...which has an active weigh-master program implemented in or about 1996 to address overweight and unsafe trucks that traverse roads and streets in Northville Township," the township resolution says.

Woodside said Michigan already has one of the highest weight limits and that oftentimes trucks are caught between 10,000 pounds and 15,000 pounds over the weight limit.

"In addition to damage to our roads, there also are a number of safety issues," Woodside said.

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Photo by JOHN HEIDER

Northville Hills Golf Club, located on Sheldon Road south of Six Mile Road, is beginning to take shape, and is expected to open next year.

## Northville Hills Golf Course to open in March

BY ANDREW DIETDERICH  
Staff Writer

Golf activity at the Northville Hills Golf Club course should be in full swing by this time next year, a course official said.

Martin Fuchs, manager of construction on the site, said the course is 75 percent complete with mostly cosmetic care such as planting grass seed and sod in a few of the holes left.

Fuchs gave a tour of the golf course Oct. 18 to Northville Township board of trustees and some planning commissioners.

"The back nine should be opened around Memorial Day on a limited basis, with our grand opening late in the summer," Fuchs said.

Highlights of the tour included showing wetland areas of the course, many of the golf course greens where sod and seed have been planted and started to grow and areas where trees were going to be left to stand.

"Some of the areas would have had to be cut down if we followed the course design exactly," Fuchs said. "But we are the owner and we can make decisions such as if this green will go over there."

Also featured were areas where trees will be cut down.

"Some of these lollipops that stick up would be knocked right over in a 50- or 60-mile wind," he said referring to the trees that stick up between 30 and 50 feet but only are green at the top.

Many of the trees don't have any undergrowth, Fuchs said, because they were protected by other trees already cleared to make way for the development of roads and lots where some of the more than 600 new homes will be located. Fuchs said attempts were being made to save any trees small enough to be picked up with a tree spade.

Combined, the golf course and residential lots take up about 459 acres of land that used to be Wayne County property.

More than 20 buildings were scattered throughout the site, many of which became havens for disorderly conduct before they were knocked down about two years ago.

Work on the Arnold Palmer-

designed golf course started in March, Fuchs said, and has included moving 1.2 million cubic yards of dirt.

As for the new community park to be located off Six Mile Road across from the new Northville High School, Fuchs said, it may be ready for next fall's soccer season.

The park will include three soccer fields, four baseball diamonds and a picnic area.

"We want to present Northville Township an excellent park that is excellent quality," Fuchs said. "We wouldn't want to open a park unless it is absolutely excellent."

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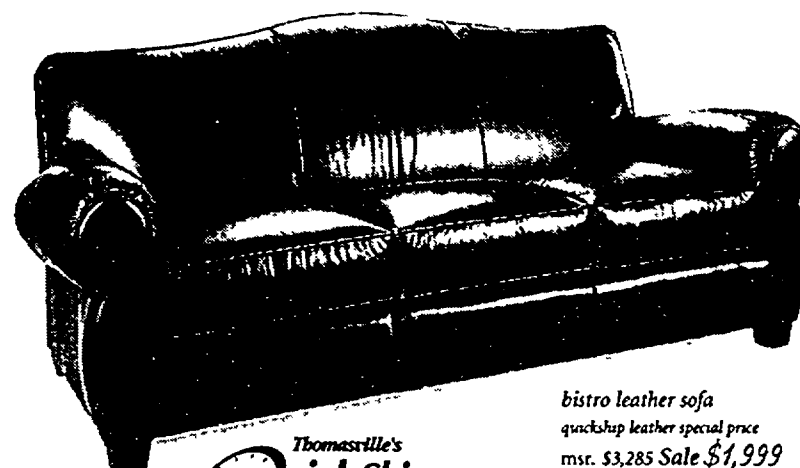
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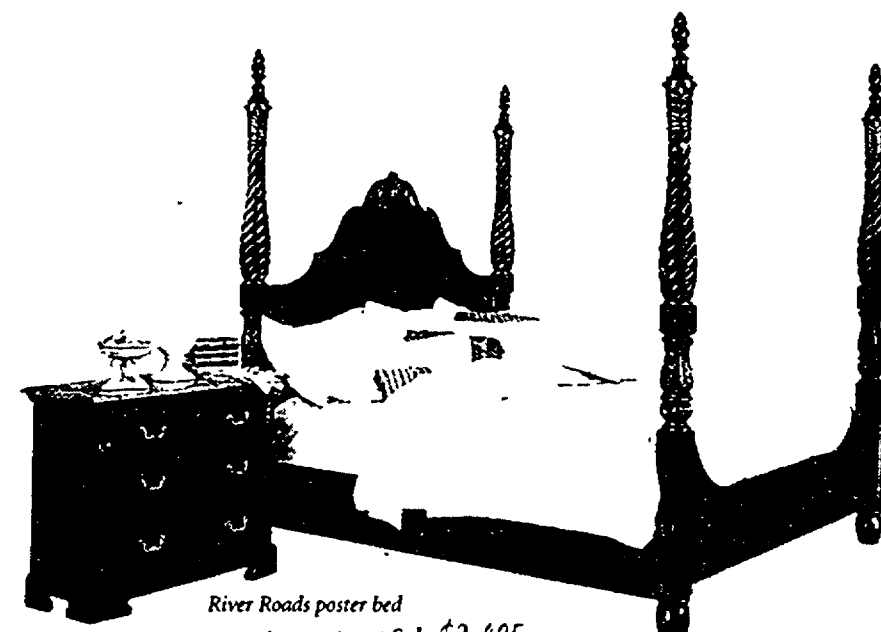
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## Police provide tips for trick-or-treaters

BY ANDREW DIETDERICH  
Staff Writer

It won't be long now before area youngsters take part in the annual rite of passage known as Halloween.

More importantly, perhaps, is the best part of Halloween - trick-or-treating.

Trick-or-treating will be held in the city of Northville and Northville Township Oct. 31 from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Jim Petres, Northville Police chief, offered several tips for a safe Halloween:

- Costume safety**
  - Use make-up or face paint instead of masks, but if masks are used, make sure that they fit properly and have holes large enough for mouth and eyes.
  - Choose costumes that are marked flame retardant.
  - Wear light-colored clothing at night, short enough to prevent tripping, add reflective tape or

reflectors to dark-colored costumes.

- Make props such as magic wands and swords out of cardboard, rather than metal or wood.

**Trick-or-treat safety**

- Give and accept wrapped or packaged candy only.
- Have children bring treats home for adult inspection before they are eaten.

- Accompany small and elementary school age children when they are trick-or-treating and send older children in groups.

- Take a flashlight.
- Have children stay within the neighborhood and only visit the homes they know.

More Halloween information may be obtained from the city of Northville Police Department by calling (248) 349-1234 or the Northville Township Police Department at (248) 349-9400.

## WTUA may opt for wastewater facility

BY ANDREW DIETDERICH  
Staff Writer

The wallets of Northville, Canton, and Plymouth township residents could be tapped for a new \$124 million wastewater treatment facility.

The Western Townships Utilities Association has authorized a feasibility study into the possibility of building its own facility instead of contributing almost \$142 million to expand the Ypsilanti Community Utility Authority plant. That's where the communities send their wastewater.

Karen Woodside, Northville Township supervisor, said the decision to pursue a feasibility study really came down to one issue: control.

"They told us they were not so certain they would let us have a representative on the board," she said. "We need to be absolutely certain we have representation."

Woodside told The Northville

"...it's getting to the point where we account for almost 50 percent of the waste water but don't have any control on what happens."

Karen Woodside  
Northville Township supervisor

Record July 15 that "it's getting to the point where we account for almost 50 percent of the waste water but don't have any control on what happens."

The board controls such things as what services will be offered and customer rates.

The rule that WTUA would not have representation on the YCUA board was part of the original agreement that expires in 2011.

However, WTUA operations manager Tim Faas said that WTUA was already operating at 80 percent of its capacity.

Without any representation on the board, YCUA could go to WTUA and simply say they wanted to double the plant in size and give WTUA only 90 days to respond.

WTUA officials said that was the main reason a two-year study was done to layout what options exist for the organization.

The Plymouth Township board of trustees has given YCUA one last chance to allow the Western Township communities to have representation on its board.

The WTUA communities, which formed the organization in 1986,

produce about 17 million gallons of sewage daily with half going to the Ypsilanti plant and the other half going to the Detroit treatment plant.

The amount of sewage produced annually increases by about 400,000 gallons daily each year. With the rapid increase in the amount of waste produced by the WTUA communities and the Ypsilanti area communities, an expansion would be unavoidable at the Ypsilanti plant.

Building a new wastewater treatment facility for WTUA would be paid for with bonds issued by each community.

Either way, Faas said, a decision should be made.

"The sooner we can make a decision the better," Faas said in July. "Because each day we're closer to running out of capacity."

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# Center receives national accreditation

By MELANIE PLENDIA  
Staff Writer

Main Street's Early Childhood Center, 501 W. Main, earned an "A" for accreditation in early October.

The National Association for the Education of Young Children, granted the Center its accreditation after a year long evaluation process.

"The processes that led to our accreditation were invaluable to our self image as a quality program," said educator Sandi Mueller.

The Early Childhood Center serves children and parents through its child care, Kids Creative Corner Preschool, Wondergarten, and Parent-Child programs.

NAEYC accreditation is a rigorous, voluntary process by which early childhood programs demonstrate that they meet national standards of excellence. Child care

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Sandi Mueller  
educator

centers, kindergartens and before-and after-school programs are eligible to seek accreditation.

However, only 7 percent of the 6,146 early childhood programs will receive accreditation. Additionally, once a program achieves this national standing, it must apply again in three years to maintain that standing. This is the second time the Main Street Early Childhood Center has received the award.

The process the Center must go through is not only beneficial to the reputation of the center but also to the children it serves, said

director Barbara Rusch.

"The heart of NAEYC accreditation focuses on the child's experiences because they study critical areas for children's success in school as well as in life," Rusch said.

Last October the Center began a self-study program under former Center director Pat MacIsaac. During that time they did classroom observations, sent out a family questionnaire, conducted staff reviews and evaluated the curriculum.

"We looked at everything from length of nap time to making sure

we maintained our culturally-diverse studies," Mueller said.

Mueller said the Center had to make only minor adjustments to comply with the National Standard on which the NAEYC judges them. The NAEYC then sent in an auditor for a day to evaluate the Center. Based on the material gathered by the Center and the auditor, the Center received its national accreditation.

Mueller said the staff at the Center has always prided itself on its development as a staff, making it nice to be recognized as a whole in such a manner.

She said that although the Center was doing well as an organization, "the most important thing is that we are meeting the children's emotional, physical and intellectual needs."

Rusch said that the national recognition also reassures the community that their children are in good hands



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Mary Heathcote enjoys freetime at the Early Childhood Center in Northville. The center recently was accredited by the NAEYC.

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# New high school construction under budget, behind schedule

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are in and much of the tile is in place for the second floor ceiling, which gets the district closer to its Nov. 1 goal. The plan, Bolitho said, is to seal the building as much as possible to keep the temporary heat in until the district can commission the boilers for the building.

Bolitho said the delay would not effect the start of school.

"I think we are going to be okay," he said "It may not be completely ready for fall, but the academic areas, eating spaces and one of the gyms will all be complete."

However, Bolitho said work on Hillside, which began this summer, is running much smoother.

"There is some piping work left to be done but mostly it is just heating, ventilation and cooling," Bolitho said.

He said much of the work on Hillside is being done in the afternoons and evenings so as not to disrupt the school day.

Future projects for the new Middle School include more HVAC, the addition of a new locker bay for the sixth graders, and movable walls in some of the classrooms to house team-taught classes.

As for future construction projects for the district, Bolitho said the Future Facilities Committee was still discussing the issue of growth in Northville. Bolitho said he hoped that the committee would have reached a recommendation for the district as to

whether new buildings were necessary in the district by their June deadline. However, because of conflicting information on growth in the community and vacation schedules of committee members during the summer, the group has not drawn up the report.

"I hope we will have it soon, but it's hard to say," Bolitho said.

The next meeting will be Oct. 21 at 7:30. They will be discussing the findings of Fred Ignatovich of Stanfred Consultants. Stanfred provides the district with enrollment projections based on population trends in the region, state and nation.

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#### 1998 CONSUMERS ANNUAL REPORT ON WATER QUALITY

The City of Novi is pleased to present the 1998 Annual Drinking Water Quality Report. This report contains mandatory information about water quality issues and potential health effects, lists the source of our water and provides the results of the water quality monitoring tests for 1998. Our water is safe to drink and treatment and monitoring complies with all mandatory Federal and State Drinking Water Regulations. Of the water quality is compromised we will notify our customers immediately.

Title XIV of the United States Public Health Service Act (Chapter 373, 88 Stat. 1660), popularly known as The Safe Drinking Water Act, and the Michigan Safe Drinking Water Act (1976 PA 399 as amended to 1998 PA 56) require a supplier of water to provide annual Consumer Confidence Reports (CCR) to its customers.

**Drinking Water, Including Bottled Water**, may reasonably be expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. The presence of contaminants does not necessarily indicate that water poses a health risk. More information about contaminants and potential health effects can be obtained by calling the EPA's Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

**Some people may be more vulnerable** to contaminants in drinking water than the general population. Immunocompromised persons such as persons with cancer (undergoing chemotherapy), persons who have undergone organ transplants, people with HIV/AIDS or other immune system disorders, some elderly and infants can be particularly at risk from infections. These people should seek advice about drinking water from their health care providers. The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)/Center for Disease Control (CDC) guidelines on appropriate means to lessen the risk of infection by Cryptosporidium and other microbial contaminants are available from the Safe Drinking Water Hotline (800-426-4791).

The City of Novi purchases treated water from the Detroit Water and Sewerage Department (DWSD). The DWSD water supply source is from surface water. The majority of the water supplied to the City of Novi comes from the DWSD Lake Huron Water Treatment Plant which is located north of Port Huron Michigan at the lower end of Lake Huron. The DWSD treatment facilities operate 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Chlorine is used for disinfecting the source water and Fluoride is added to the treated water for the dental care benefits.

#### Important Information about Lead and Copper

In 1992 we began testing homes with plumbing systems which may contribute lead and copper to the household water supply. The results of lead and copper testing have all been below the action levels.

**Health Effect:** Lead is a common metal found throughout the environment in lead-based paint, air, soil, household dust, food, certain types of pottery, porcelain, pewter and water. Lead can pose a significant risk to your health if too much of it enters your body. It builds up over many years and can cause damage to the brain, red blood cells and kidneys. The greatest risk is to young children and pregnant women. Excessive lead levels could cause delayed physical and mental development.

#### City of Novi Residential Lead and Copper Testing (1998)

Contaminants	Test Date	Units	Samples Collected	Samples Exceeding AI	Action Level (AL)	90th Percentile Value
Lead	8/98	MG/L	5	0	0.015 MG/L	<0.002
Copper	8/98	MG/L	5	0	1.30 MG/L	0.016

The Major source in Drinking Water of Lead and Copper is from Corrosion of household plumbing; Erosion of natural deposits.

#### General Information about Our Distribution System:

In 1998 we purchased 2,033,523,100 gallons of treated water from DWSD. We currently have more than 9,000 customers on our Water Distribution System. In an effort to improve the reliability and meet the needs of our growing community we have Capital Improvements valued in excess of \$24,000,000 scheduled for construction in the next 3-5 years.

If you have questions or concerns about this report you can contact Bruce Jerome, Superintendent, at (248) 348-7751.

#### Detected Contaminants Tables

The tables on the next page are based on tests conducted by DWSD in the year 1998 and within the last five (5) calendar years. DWSD conducts many tests throughout the year, however, only tests that show the presence of a contaminant are shown.

LAKES HURON WATER TREATMENT PLANT DETECTED CONTAMINANTS TABLE									
Contaminant	Test Date	Units	Health Goal MCLG	Allowed Level MCL	Detected Level	High	Low	Remarks	Source of Contaminant
Chlorine	1993	ppb	100	100	0.88	0.470	0.470	0.470	Discharge from Lake Huron
Copper	1995	ppm	1.3	1.3	0.0014	0	0.0014	0	Discharge from Lake Huron
Selenium	1995	ppb	50	50	2.70	2.300	2.300	2.300	Discharge from Lake Huron
Boron	1993	ppm	2	2	0.019	0.004	0.004	0.004	Discharge from Lake Huron
Aluminum	1993	ppm	10	10	0.43	0.260	0.260	0.260	Discharge from Lake Huron
Fluoride	1993	ppm	4	4	1.17	1.07	1.07	1.07	Discharge from Lake Huron
Iron	1993	ppb	100	100	25.50	18.47	18.47	18.47	Discharge from Lake Huron
Turbidity	1998	NTU	N/A	N/A	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	Discharge from Lake Huron
Total Coliform	1998	Samples	0	0	0	0	0	0	Naturally present in environment
Fecal coliform/E. coli	1998	Samples	0	0	0	0	0	0	Naturally present in environment

LAKE HURON WATER TREATMENT PLANT UNREGULATED CONTAMINANTS TABLE									
Contaminant	Test Date	Units	Health Goal MCLG	Allowed Level MCL	Average Level	High	Low	Remarks	Source of Contaminant
Chlorine	1998	ppb	100	100	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	Discharge from Lake Huron
Copper	1998	ppm	1.3	1.3	0.015	0.015	0.015	0.015	Discharge from Lake Huron
Selenium	1998	ppb	50	50	2.70	2.70	2.70	2.70	Discharge from Lake Huron
Boron	1998	ppm	2	2	0.019	0.019	0.019	0.019	Discharge from Lake Huron
Aluminum	1998	ppm	10	10	0.43	0.43	0.43	0.43	Discharge from Lake Huron
Fluoride	1998	ppm	4	4	1.17	1.17	1.17	1.17	Discharge from Lake Huron
Iron	1998	ppb	100	100	25.50	25.50	25.50	25.50	Discharge from Lake Huron
Turbidity	1998	NTU	N/A	N/A	0.20	0.20	0.20	0.20	Discharge from Lake Huron
Total Coliform	1998	Samples	0	0	0	0	0	0	Naturally present in environment
Fecal coliform/E. coli	1998	Samples	0	0	0	0	0	0	Naturally present in environment

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# DPW to continue hydrant flushing

BY ANDREW DIETDERICH  
Staff Writer

Before you have your entire plumbing system replaced because of brown water coming out of your faucet, consider this: It's normal.

That is, only if the problem has appeared during this week.

The city of Northville department of public works has been conducting its third annual hydrant flushing program. The flushing should end Oct. 22.

"As we open fire hydrants most of the sediment is removed from the water lines, but this operation does tend to stir up the water," said Jim Gallogly, department of public works director. "If residents are using water during periods of flushing they may pull some of the sediment into their system."

The target area for this year's flushing is the northwest area of the city, which is north of Eight Mile Road and west of Taft Road. Gallogly said other areas have

already been flushed in the past or will be flushed in future hydrant flushing programs. Flushing has been taking place between the hours of 8 p.m. and 12 a.m.

The flushing is done, Gallogly said, to improve the overall reliability of the city water system including taste, odor and firefighting ability. Sediment that builds up in watermain lines may impact the efficiency of valves and fire hydrants.

The water is safe to drink, although it may be high in iron. Additionally, the brownish-orange water may turn white fabric into an orange color if the water finds its way into a clothes washer.

The department of public works suggests running water in faucets that have the brown water until it's clear.

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# Six Mile/Sheldon work to close intersection

The intersection of Six Mile Road and Sheldon Roads will be completely closed for two weeks starting Oct. 27.

According to John Roach, Wayne County public information director, the intersection will be closed from Oct. 27 through Nov. 10.

"We are reconstructing and widening the whole intersection," Roach said.

The rebuild is part of the paving of Six Mile Road between Sheldon

Road and Beck Road. The project is worth \$1.4 million and the majority of work should be done by the end of November.

Roach said a detour will be posted around the site that will send drivers to Northville Road using Five Mile Road or Seven Mile Road. Drivers who usually travel east or west on Six Mile Road through the intersection are being encouraged to find alternate routes, also on Five Mile Road or Seven Mile Road.

# New kid in town

## Cooke Middle School welcomes Craycraft as assistant principal

By MELANIE PLENDIA  
Staff Writer

The search has finally ended for a new assistant principal at Cooke Middle School.

James Cracraft, former Meads Mill Middle School social studies teacher, was the unanimous choice to fill the assistant principal position left vacant by Gall Weeks at the earlier this school year. His first day on the job was Oct. 18.

"I have some big shoes to fill with Gall leaving, but I'm up to the challenge," Cracraft said.

Weeks left to fill the assistant principal position at Northville High School when David Maile left took a position as principal in Milford.

Since the position was posted in late August, the district received 24 letters of interest in the position. Out of those, seven were chosen for interviews with a panel composed of PTA president Judy Wollack, Cooke teacher Dwight Siegreen, Cooke principal Jeffrey Radwanski, Moraine Elementary principal Mary Kay Gallagher, assistant superintendent Linda Pitcher, and district personnel director Roy Danley.

Cracraft was the unanimous choice. "He was head and shoulders above the rest of the applicants," Radwanski said. "Also, he's very familiar with Northville and understands how we do things here."

Siegreen, who represented the

teachers of Cooke during the hiring, said he and the rest of the staff at Cooke developed a list of criteria they were looking for in a candidate.

"We wanted someone who would be supportive and respectful of the staff, had a middle school background, was a good listener and someone who brought doughnuts for the staff," Siegreen joked.

Siegreen said they were right on target with Cracraft and he would be an excellent addition to the staff.

Wollack was chosen to represent the parent population. She said in addition to his excellent qualifications, Cracraft had the personality that students and parents would both enjoy.

"He brings with him such a great energy," she said. "He just exudes the feeling that he loves children and loves being an educator."

Wollack also said Cracraft's experience with at-risk children at Starr Commonwealth worked in his favor.

Starr Commonwealth is a facility that houses and educates middle- to high-school aged children who have emotional and behavioral problems.

This also impressed new colleague Radwanski.

"With the way society is changing, it would be naive to think that schools are immune to such problems," he said. "It's an asset

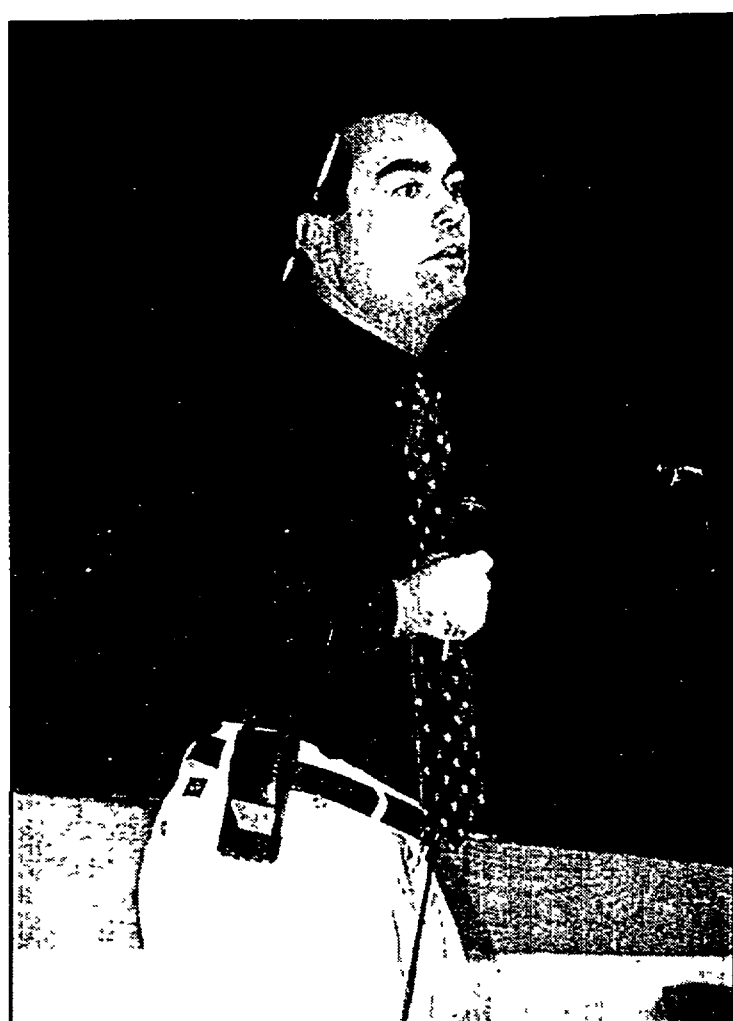


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Recently appointed Cooke Middle School assistant principal Jim Craycraft addresses students at an assembly.

to have someone with a background in social work and at-risk skills."

With all Cooke was gaining, Meads Mill Science teacher Colleen Polydoros said Cooke faculty was losing not only a colleague but a friend.

"There is nothing that Jim wouldn't do for a colleague or a student," she said, "we miss him already."

Cracraft's students, past and present, came out Oct. 15 to see him off on his last day and recalled how he always made them laugh and managed to make learning fun.

Friend and colleague James Chabot echoed this sentiment. "Cooke is getting a great leader, mentor and motivator of students as well as staff."

Cracraft said he was going to miss his colleagues and students at Cooke but he already has some ideas for his new position.

"First, I want to spend time getting to know the kids because they are the most important," he said. "I'm really anxious to get started."

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## CITY OF NOVI, MICHIGAN NOTICE OF OFFICIAL COMPUTER TEST GENERAL ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 2, 1999

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that there will be an official test of the computer and computer program to be used by the City of Novi, Michigan, for the General Election to be held on Tuesday, November 2, 1999.

The test will be conducted at 9:00 AM on Wednesday, October 27, 1999 at the City Clerk's Office, 45175 West Ten Mile Road, Novi, MI.

(10-21-99 NR/NN 930418)

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CITY CLERK

## ABSENTEE BALLOT NOTICE CITY OF NORTHVILLE 215 W. MAIN STREET (248)349-1300

NOVEMBER 2, 1999 CITY GENERAL ELECTION

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The City Clerk's Office will be open Saturday, October 30, 1999 from 9:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. to receive applications. Absent Voter Ballots may be voted IN PERSON until 4:00 p.m. Monday, November 1, 1999 in the City Clerk's Office.

(10-21-99 NR 930419)

DIANNE MASSA, CITY CLERK

## CITY OF NOVI NOTICE OF PROVISION OF THE SNOW EMERGENCY ORDINANCE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that in accordance with Chapter 33, Article III, Division 5, of the Code of Ordinances, City of Novi, Michigan, a snow emergency shall be deemed to exist whenever: (1) freezing rain, sleet or four (4) or more inches of snow has been forecast for the area by a newspaper circulated in the city; or by a radio or television station with a normal operating range covering the city; or (2) freezing rains or sleet has fallen or four (4) or more inches of snow have accumulated in the city.

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(10-21-99 NR/NN 930420)

ANTHONY NOWICKI, DIRECTOR  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SERVICES

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Electors who wish to vote at the above stated election must have registered to vote no later than October 4, 1999.

(10-14/21-99 NR 928490)

DIANNE MASSA, CITY CLERK

## NOTICE CITY OF NOVI REQUEST FOR TEMPORARY USE PERMIT TUP 99-052

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that John Richards Homes is requesting a Temporary Use Permit to allow the placement of a construction trailer on Lot 126, Autumn Park Subdivision, 23142 Whitehall Drive, from October 27, 1999 through October 27, 2001. Autumn Park is located on the north side of Nine Mile Road east of Beck Road.

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 permit.

This request will be considered at 3:00 p.m. on October 27, 1999 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 October 28, 1999.

(10-21-99 NN 930415)

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## CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE NORTHVILLE COMMUNITY PARKS SPORTS FIELD LIGHTING

The Charter Township of Northville will receive sealed proposals for Sports Field Lighting at Northville Community Park, 15801 Beck Road (Between Five and Six Mile Roads) until Wednesday, November 10, 1999 at 1:00 p.m. at which time they will be opened and read aloud.

Bid documents consisting of drawings, specifications, instructions and forms may be obtained from:

Northville Township Clerk's Office, 41600 Six Mile Road, Northville, MI 48167 or Progressive Architecture Engineering, 1811 Four Mile Road, NE, Grand Rapids, MI 49525-2442. Plan Room Hot Line 616-365-8559.

The bid documents may be purchased for \$20.00 per set, unrefundable. A Bid Bond must accompany each bid. The successful bidder will be required to furnish a Performance Bond and Payment Bond.

A pre-bid meeting will be held on November 1, 1999 at 11:00 a.m. at the Northville Township Department of Public Services at 16225 Beck Road.

The Charter Township of Northville reserves the right to be the sole judges of the bidder's qualifications and may amend or reject any or all proposals that may be in the best interest of the Township.

(10-21 & 10-28-99 NR 930412)

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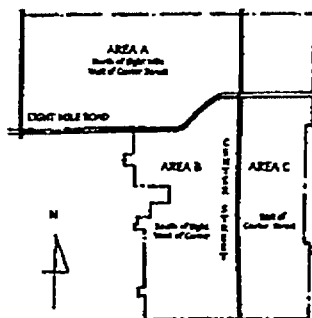
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6. For more information, contact the Department of Public Works at 449-9930.

(10-21-99 NR 927542)



## NOTICE CITY OF NOVI REQUEST FOR TEMPORARY USE PERMIT TUP 99-053

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Leidal & Hart Mason Contractors is requesting a Temporary Use Permit to allow the placement of a construction trailer on the project site for Brightmoor Tabernacle, 40800 Thirteen Mile Road, from October 27, 1999 through October 27, 2000.

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 permit.

This request will be considered at 3:15 p.m. on October 27, 1999 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 October 27, 1999.

(10-21-99 NR/NN 930413)

GERRIE HUBBS  
PERMIT ANALYST  
(248)347-0415

## CITY OF NOVI NOTICE OF ELECTION

To the Qualified and Registered Electors of the City of Novi - Oakland County, Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that a CITY GENERAL ELECTION will be held on Tuesday, November 2, 1999 from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the following Polling Locations:

PRECINCT	LOCATION	ADDRESS
1	Meadowbrook Congregational Church	21355 Meadowbrook Road
2	Meadowbrook Congregational Church	21355 Meadowbrook Road
3	Village Oaks Elementary School	23333 Willowbrook Road
4	Novi United Methodist Church	41671 Ten Mile Road
5	Orchard Hills Elementary School	41900 Quince
6	Holy Family Catholic Church	24505 Meadowbrook Road
7	Holy Family Catholic Church	24505 Meadowbrook Road
8	Meadowbrook Elementary School	29200 Meadowbrook Road
9	The Grand Court Novi	45182 West Road
10	Hickory Woods Elementary School	30655 Novi Road
11	Novi Christian School	45301 Eleven Mile Road
12	Novi Middle School	25299 Taft Road
13	Faith Community Presbyterian Church	44400 West Ten Mile Road
14	Novi Civic Center	45175 West Ten Mile Road
15	Novi Civic Center	45175 West Ten Mile Road
16	Thorton Creek Elementary School	46180 West Nine Mile Road
17	Novi Civic Center	45175 West Ten Mile Road

for the purpose of electing candidates for the office of MAYOR and CITY COUNCIL and voting on the following propositions:

### CITY CHARTER AMENDMENT

Shall the City of Novi Charter be amended by adding Section 15.12 to prohibit the use of existing City property for the development of a golf course and/or banquet facility while allowing the City to develop such uses on property acquired in the future specifically for such use after voter approval at a General City Election?

### STREET AND HIGHWAY BONDING PROPOSITION

Shall the City of Novi, County of Oakland, Michigan borrow the principal sum or not to exceed Twenty-Eight Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$28,500,000) and issue its general obligation unlimited tax bonds therefor, for the purpose of defraying the City's share of the cost of paving, repaving, repairing, widening and improving new and existing bridges, streets and highways within the City, including necessary rights of way, sidewalks, bicycle paths, traffic signalization, curbs and gutters and proper drainage facilities therefor?

Absentee Ballots for said election are available to qualified electors at the Office of the City Clerk, 45175 W. Ten Mile Road. The deadline for receiving applications for ballots to be mailed is 2:00 p.m. Saturday, October 30, 1999.

The City Clerk's Office will be open for the purpose of absent voting on Saturday, October 30, 1999 from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Persons qualified to vote by Absentee Ballot may obtain a ballot in person until 4:00 p.m. Monday, November 1, 1999. This ballot must be voted in the City Clerk's Office.

(10-21 & 10-28-99 NR/NN 930416)

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## Northville School Briefs

### COPS TO EDUCATE STUDENTS ON DRUNK DRIVING

Northville High School will be host to a drunk driving program on Oct. 27 designed and sponsored by the Police Officers Labor Council.

The program is meant to alert teens to the dangers of drinking and driving. The presentation is a result of the high number of accidents related to teenage drinking and driving.

The Council launched Students on Sobriety, an anti-drinking and driving program which goes directly to the public schools with the message of the dangers and penalties of drinking and driving. Part of the program involves debunking the myth that breathalyzers can be beaten and emphasizes that the only way they can be is by staying sober.

The presentation runs from 9:20 a.m. to 10:20 a.m. and includes an informative video, pre-breathalyzer demonstration, distortion goggles, student role playing and a speaker who will give facts and answer questions about this epidemic.

### ALPS APPLICATIONS BEING ACCEPTED

The Northville Public Schools are now accepting parent referrals for the third through fifth grade Alternative Learning Programs for Students program for the 1999-2000 school year.

ALPS is the gifted magnet program, housed at Amerman Elementary.

mentary, with continued programming options available at both Cooke and Meads Mill Middle Schools. Parents were advised by assistant superintendent Linda Pitcher and Nancy Schieb, Facilitator for the academically talented, that if their child exhibits exceptional ability and has need for alternative programming, they may want to consider requesting assessment.

Nomination forms will be available beginning Oct. 27 in the individual school offices only. They must be completed and returned to the Office of Instruction, Northville Public Schools, Board of Education Office, 501 W. Main Street, Room 310, Northville, Mich. 48167.

The deadline to return referrals is 4 p.m. Nov. 17.

More information can be obtained concerning this program or process from Schieb at (248) 244-8448 or Pitcher (248) 244-8442.

### WINCHESTER ON RECEIVING END OF GIFTS

Winchester Elementary received several donations from local businesses and residents for their annual Fall Social.

Donations and Patrons include: 410 children's books from Karen Hill, gift certificates from Woolly Bully's restaurant, Target, and Meijer Stores; gift baskets from Costco and Parmenters Cider Mill; books from Border's Books; and movie passes and popcorn from AMC Livonia Theaters.

### D.C. TRIP FOR EIGHTH GRADERS APPROVED

The School Board approved a field trip to Washington, D.C. for the eighth graders at Cooke Middle School tentatively scheduled for May 27, 28 and 29.

The visit includes trips to museums and historical monuments in an effort to enhance the eighth grade curriculum.

Student's spots can be reserved by paying a non-refundable \$250 deposit which is due Oct. 27. A second payment of \$150 will be due sometime in January. The balance, which will depend on the final number of participants will be due in early April of 2000. The total cost will be roughly \$550 with no late money being accepted.

All plans are tentative. In the event that the target dates are not available then all money will be refunded.

The cost of the trip will cover air and bus transportation, admission to all events and attractions, two-night hotel accommodations, complete American breakfasts and dinners and a personal tour guide who will be with the group on a regular basis.

There will be an informational meeting to answer any questions about the trip Nov. 4 at 7 p.m. in the Cooke library immediately following will be a meeting for parents who wish to chaperone the trip. Chaperones are required to pay for their own trip.

More information can be obtained by calling Jim Lee at (248) 344-8493 from 9:15 a.m. to 9:50 a.m. or 2:00 p.m. to 2:45 p.m.

## The 1999 Northville Citizen of the Year

We want to say thank you to the scores of people who commit their time, energy, money and talents to making the Northville community a special place to live. We want to say thank you to the individuals who work with service groups that help the less fortunate in our community. We want to say thank you to the men, women, and children who clean up our parks, plant flowers around town, drive meals to those who can't get out, work in our schools, in our businesses and in our governments.

And to do this, we need your help.

Each year, the Northville Chamber of Commerce celebrates the dedication and support shown by our volunteers through our Citizen of the Year award. Once again, we're asking the community to nominate individuals for this award. Nominations should include the name of the individual and a brief outline of the reasons they qualify for Citizen of the Year status.

This award was started in 1976 as our way to honor a special individual whose effort made a difference in the community. The following are criteria for nomination:

- Be involved in actively supporting (through time, talent or financial support) an organization that improves our community;
- Live or work in the Northville community;
- Show concern for community, environment and family;
- Be a role model for community, youth and citizens.

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# School district administrators critical of school legislation

By MELANIE PLEDA  
Staff Writer

The new school safety bills are not particularly helpful and neglect student's rights, according to some Northville school district administrators.

Four school safety bills were passed earlier this summer, one of which allows a teacher to immediately suspend a student from class for verbal assaults, physical assaults or threats. Furthermore, the laws require all school boards to adopt a policy that defines the activities for which the student can be suspended for up to 180 days.

However, many administrators in the district felt that the existing district policy was more than adequate.

"Verbal assaults and bomb threats are already covered in the district's code of conduct and the crisis plan," Bob Sornson, director of special education said, "So those laws really don't apply to us much."

Additionally, Sornson disagreed with the policy of teachers suspending a student without due process.

"Students have rights," he said. "We shouldn't be allowed to just kick a kid out."

Sornson said the laws were poorly written and didn't allow the schools enough options for action. He said in some instances there might be extenuating circumstances that lead to a student's behavior. Under the new law, the circumstances would not be considered until after the student had been suspended for one day and the matter had been placed on the pupil's permanent record.

"These laws don't help us," Sornson said. "We don't like being held to an arbitrary standard."

He also said that the laws neglected the procedures already in place in the district.

"Usually we have an administrator review the situation before a student is suspended and we make sure that the student is released from school in a safe manner," Sornson said. "None of these things are referred to in the laws as they stand."

The school board is currently looking at the definitions and new policy for verbal assaults, bomb

and similar threats in a first reading. With the first reading, the board members may make changes in the policy so long as it is still compliant with state statutes and prepare it for a final vote.

The policy, created by Sornson and the district's lawyers, still allows a teacher to suspend a student. However, the suspension power may only be wielded when a student's misconduct poses a clear threat of imminent injury to persons or property through threats or false alarms.

The policy also states that a student may be suspended for possession of drugs, alcohol, weapons, fireworks, or other explosives, all of which are addressed in the existing code of conduct. Teachers are also required to continue to follow the due process procedures as written in the district handbook.

Sornson hoped that the law would be tweaked to include more detail that would allow students to be treated fairly.

Melanie Pleda may be reached via e-mail at mpleda@hl.homecom.net

## Holocaust survivors awarded benefits

An estimated 2,000 to 2,500 Michigan residents are expected to receive payment soon as a result of an international lawsuit over assets lost by victims of the Holocaust during World War II.

And those settlements will be tax free, according to a bill approved by the state House last week. Representatives voted 103-0 Wednesday, Oct. 6, to approve House Bill 4796, sponsored by Rep. Marc Shulman, R-West Bloomfield. All local lawmakers voted for the legislation.

"Nothing can erase the horror of the Holocaust as one of darkest periods in human history," Shulman said, but the passage of his

bill shows "a realization that the pain and suffering these people have endured is tax enough."

Senate passage is expected to be swift, as is a signature from the governor.

"A tax already has been paid on these items," Gov. John Engler said, "and survivors of Nazi persecution have more than earned the right to enjoy the full benefits of their return."

Similar legislation is expected to win approval at the federal level.

At issue in the lawsuit are assets — bank deposits, artwork, insurance proceeds — left by Jewish families with companies in Switzerland between 1920 and 1945. Some 120 Swiss companies

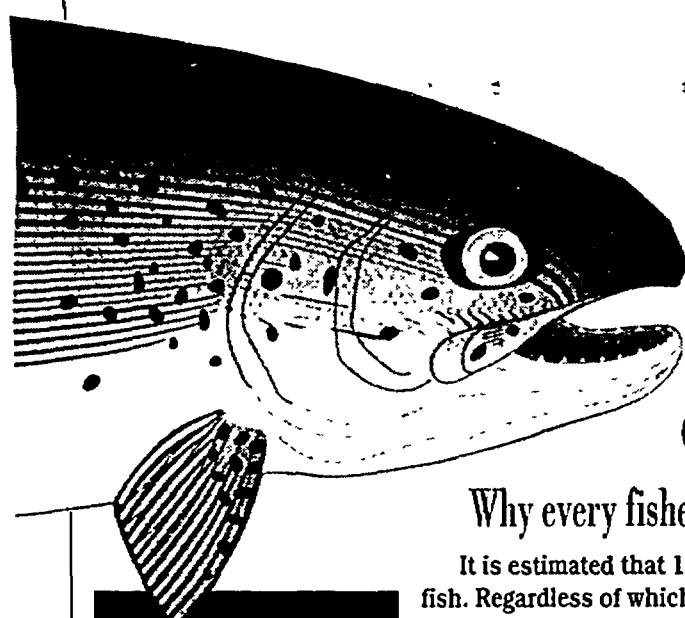
have been identified as possessing an estimated \$1.25 billion in assets from victims of the Holocaust. Six Swiss banks have found 50,000 unclaimed bank accounts left behind by victims of Nazi persecution.

The international suit seeks to recover those assets for survivors or the heirs of those who died. A proposed settlement is now under review by a Swiss commission, which is expected to issue its report in November, after which payments could begin.

Some survivors or heirs are expected to receive as much as \$200,000, producing a significant tax liability unless exempted from taxation by these proposals.

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# State lawmakers to ponder handicap parking legislation

BY MIKE MALOTT  
HomeTown News Service

RoAnne Chaney of East Lansing once spend two hours sitting in her wheelchair in a freezing rain because a driver had parked too close to her van to allow her to operate the lift she needed to get in.

Police who responded to her call couldn't back the van up for her, because they were unfamiliar with the special controls she uses to drive.

Still, the officers were reluctant to issue a ticket because, at present, state law does not specifically say it's illegal to park in the access aisle located next to handicapped parking spaces.

"If you ask most drivers what yellow strips on the pavement mean, most recognize that means 'no parking.' But if you ask them what the blue stripes mean, they don't have a clue," Dearborn resident Chris Magell said, explaining he believes drivers need to be better educated about handicapped parking rules.

Some of the worst offenders, Magell said, are drivers who have handicapped parking placards themselves but don't realize the purpose of the blue-striped access area.

Blue stripes designate wheelchair access aisles, intended to give wheelchair users the room

they need to operate lifts to get in and out of their vans.

Legislation that would make it illegal to park in an access aisle, whether the driver holds a handicapped parking placard or not, was introduced last week by Michigan Rep. Laura Toy, R-Livonia.

The bill, which has so far received 54 co-sponsorships, would levy a fine up to \$100 for anyone who parks in those access aisles, or blocks a curb cut or a wheelchair ramp.

"My brother had cerebral palsy for 44 years, and my mother is also disabled. Because of these personal experiences, I know the frustration disable people face when ramps, access aisles and curb-cuts are blocked by inconsiderate drivers. There are currently no penalties in Michigan law for individuals who block or park in wheelchair access aisles. Likewise, no penalties exist for those who block a wheelchair curb-cut or ramp with their vehicle. Blocking these access areas has been a significant problem for disable citizens who use these mobility enhancers on a daily basis."

Tom Masseau, Public Policy Specialist for Michigan Protection and Advocacy Services, agrees the problem is a lack of education. He said that drivers who get temporary handicapped placards, need-

ed because of an injury or illness from which they are expected to recover, currently are not even given a full set of handicapped parking rules.

Magell, a member of the State Commission on Disability Concerns, said he believes the first step will be to clarify the rules in the law. After that, he hopes to convince the Secretary of State's office to include questions about handicapped parking in drivers license tests, to assure that all drivers will be informed of the rules surrounding handicapped parking areas.

Magell, himself a wheelchair user as a result of a 1993 shooting that severed his spinal cord, tells a similar story of being stuck in the rain when a driver blocked in his van. He said police are reluctant to write tickets if the errant driver holds a handicapped placard.

Chaney, Operations Director for the Michigan Disability Rights Coalition, who also depends on a wheelchair to get around — the result of her struggle with juvenile arthritis — said that while the loophole in the law often leaves officers unwilling to act, she sees an increasing number of violations in access aisles. She comes across the problem herself regularly, she said, about twice a week.

Mike Malott's email address is mmalott@homecomm.net

## Northville Holiday Ornament a hit

The first annual Northville Holiday Ornament is a big hit.

Unveiled by the Northville Arts Commission Art Market during Victorian Festival weekend, the laser-engraved likeness of Mill Race Village's Yerkes House proved to be a popular item. Many have said they will be using them as gifts for new neighbors, business clients, family members, and friends who have moved elsewhere. The remaining 1999 Northville Holiday Ornaments will

be available at city hall and the shops of The Friends of the Library and Mill Race Village.

The success of the project is not surprising to the Arts Commission. Although the business of finalizing the weekend's Art Market has kept them from yet determining exact sales totals, they are pleased with the response so far. One commissioner was even overheard saying she thought the Art Commission had "this year's Beanie Baby."

The \$10 purchase price benefits the programs and activities of the Arts Commission including the Art Lecture Series, the Art Market, and the ever-popular summertime Friday night Clock Concerts series. Arts Commission members are not surprised at the success.

For further information on the ornament or any aspect of the Northville Arts Commission, please call their voice mail at (248) 449-9945, ext. 9950.

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## OPINION

### The committee did its job, now trustees need to step up

Way back in June it looked like some progress finally was going to be made on the issue of a township manager in Northville Township.

Well here it is in the middle of October and absolutely nothing has been done with the report presented to the Northville Township board of trustees at that time.

The report presents three options for the board to make a decision on: having a full-time manager/part-time supervisor; full-time superintendent/part-time supervisor; full-time supervisor.

It's hoped by members of the committee that put the report together that a decision be made for the next board of trustees.

In all fairness, one thing has been done with the report — discussion on the report has been pushed back another month to Nov. 23.

"We haven't even reached the point of deciding whether or not this is something we even want to discuss," said Marv Gans, at the study session where it was decided to discuss the issue Nov. 23.

That is most certainly true and it also is something that is most certainly disturbing.

The two years it took to put together the report was bad enough and it would seem the board would have its chops watering waiting to be fed the report.

But since it was fed to the board, it has done nothing but turn its nose up at 40-page report sanctioned by the board in 1997.

Richard Henningsen, co-chair of the committee that put the report together and board trustee, said he hasn't even received any kind of useful feedback beside the fact people like the report.

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What is the lack of interest in getting a decision as quickly as possible?

One may argue it isn't a decision that should be made in haste. That certainly is true.

However, one also may argue that since two years was spent on putting the report together by a committee of dedicated individuals, we shouldn't have to wait another two years for anything to be done with the report.

And given the amount of time the board set up between the most recent study session and the next session, combined with the fact the holidays will be right around the corner, we don't think it's too unreasonable to ask the board to take some action on the issue.

Besides putting it off for another month.

### Fixing the water wheel fueled resident's desire

Bob Russell had to re-invent the wheel.

The Northville resident got so fed up with seeing the water wheel on the east side of former Ford valve plant sit idle that he decided to take matters into his own hands. After months of working alongside city and business leaders and raising the \$10,000 in restoration costs, Russell finally got the chance to see his plan put into motion — literally.

Mr. Russell said he was so overjoyed to see the big rust-red wheel resume its counterclockwise motion that he wanted to get a cot and sleep nearby the wheel on its first night back in service.

We can understand where that happiness comes from. Estheti-

cally speaking, the wheel seems as much a part of the entrance of Northville as the wishing well or the (absent) city clock.

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Mr. Russell has a right to be proud today, and so does everyone else who drives past the renovated Ford facility.

We'd wager Henry Ford is looking down on his cottage industrial plant and smiling, too.

### Weighted grades just window dressing

Window dressing.

That's about the best way I can sum up my feelings on the current controversy surrounding the school district's study of whether to implement weighted grades next year at Northville High School.

As most of you know, a group of high school parents are pushing for the move to weighted grades, which would give students more credit for being successful in Advanced Placement classes.

In other words, getting an "A" or 4.0 in a class would no longer be the standard for excellence under the weighted grade option. We'd have students with 4.25 GPAs walking proudly across the stage to collect their diplomas.

In other words, window dressing. And one needs only listen to one of the more vocal parents who is pushing for the weighted grade option. Linda Jo Hare has been fighting for weighted grades for the past year. Last week, she and a few supporters argued their case at a forum sponsored by the high school, in which parents, teachers and administrators discussed the weighted grade option.

"This is not a new issue," Hare said. "The reaction from some of the parents at the forum shows the underlying dissatisfaction with the way the school presents our kids."

The way the school presents our kids? Correct me if I'm wrong here, but I was under the impression that the high school's mission was to educate kids, not to make them look attractive to the university of their choice.

Is it me, or has somebody forgotten that the goal here is to ensure all stu-



Robert Jackson

dents have the necessary skills to lead productive adult lives?

Ahhh, but I keep forgetting, we are in Northville, where some parents encourage their kids to boycott MEAP tests because they're too hard and low scores might somehow keep them out of those nice Ivy League colleges. This is Northville, where some parents think being involved in their child's education consists of dropping them off at school and picking them up after school.

Yep. Just as long as we have that wonderful window dressing, our kid will be just fine.

WRONG. Weighted grades, in my opinion, don't do anything to improve a student's capacity to learn. A tough-but-fair curriculum, teachers who challenge the minds of students, and parents who take ownership of their child's education, improve the capacity of a child to learn and stretch and develop.

And contrary to what Linda Jo Hare claims, the majority of colleges don't consider weighted grades. They're interested, instead, in ACT and SAT scores, grade point average, Advanced Placement test scores and rank, as

well as extra-curricular school activities.

With that being the case, I have to wonder what the fuss is all about. Oh yeah, I forgot — high school in Northville is all about looking good.

I mean, heck, we wouldn't want our kids to actually learn anything in high school, now would we?

As a matter of fact, while we're at it, perhaps we should institute weighted attendance. If a student doesn't miss a day of school in one semester he or she should get a week's credit towards the next semester. At the end of the year we could have an attendance honor roll, with students receiving awards at the yearly honors convocation. I bet the school would even include mention of sparkling attendance on a student's transcript.

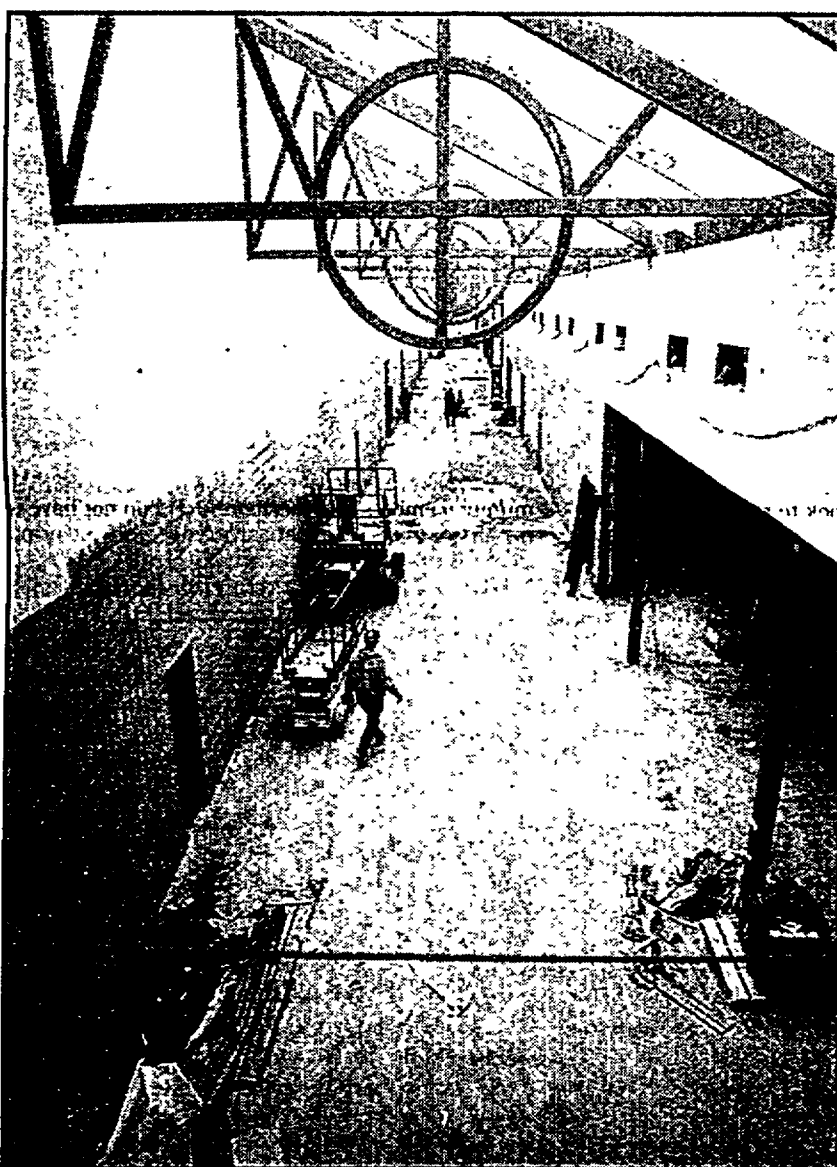
Or perhaps we should move towards giving students "weighted" credit for their extra-curricular activities. That might just encourage more students to join the Spanish club. After all, universities just love students who are involved in school activities.

I think you all probably get my point here. Instead of putting our emphasis on "dressing up" our students, we need to go back to basics. Let's simply teach them what they need to know in order to survive in that rat race we call society. Let's teach them how to have successful and fulfilling lives.

Leave the window dressing at home, where it belongs.

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### In Focus by John Heider



### School construction

Construction workers continue to build the "Main Street" corridor at the new Northville High School, which is scheduled to open in August of 2000.

### There must be something in the water

Due to time constraints beyond my control I present a brief glimpse into the dysfunctional thoughts that race through my mind on both the conscious and unconscious level.

#### Something in the water

Just this past weekend my good friends and I traveled to Chicago for my first-ever bachelor party. Before I get into the fun of the Chicago trip, I must add that Friday I will be flying to Las Vegas for my cousin's wedding.

Wow. I guess as my friends and I approach the intriguing age of 30, marriage is something to be contemplated.

For them. Personally, I struggle with my everyday routine, taking care of my dog and figuring out where I have to be and what I have to do.

Not to say I am irresponsible (although my editors may argue with me), but the complete commitment of marriage is something I have not found (yet), though am not against.

Both my cousin and friend have been with their significant others for awhile and are looking forward to their upcoming weddings.

I am looking forward to these weddings also as there is promise of free booze and food.

Disregard that last statement.

I am looking forward to these weddings as people very close to me are taking the step in their lives showing



B.J. Hammerstein

they are ready for the most complete and emotional bond between two people, the sanctity of marriage.

To Gary Lobel and Shay Berger, I say congratulations on your upcoming weddings.

#### Don't laugh

Nashville, Roswell and Phoenix are all places I have resided and now that I am back home I believe I can make a fair statement that living in the Metro Detroit area is a little stuffer than these other places.

Pinpointing the reasoning behind this sentiment is not easy, but rather by just walking around and observing people it can be quite evident.

But as pressures to conform to the norm and do the right thing lurks around every corner, I will stay true to my beliefs, even though they may not be "normal."

Driving south at the Ten Mile Road and Novi Road intersection, stopped at the light and Our Lady Peace is on the

radio.

I am jamming out — singing away, playing drums on my steering wheel — having fun.

In the gorgeous Mercedes Benz next to me, four people look at me then away with disgust.

I don't believe I look dangerous, my window was up (not that my stereo is too loud), and an overwhelming wave of guilt blasted through me.

Then I turned the music up, sang even louder and smiled to the four next to me.

In this world where pressure to perform is omnipresent, it is important to do things you enjoy no matter what people think and how they respond.

I am not saying go out and be a menace to society, but take time out of your day, everyday, and do things you enjoy.

West coast living presented an attitude I wasn't familiar with here. It was a combination of being laid back, being an individual true to your personal beliefs and taking care of business.

Now, I am not bagging Michigan. I am thrilled to be back, but where are the people not interested in what everyone else is doing?

Those are the people that can laugh at me.

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# Better to kill the living wage ordinance

Last November, voters in Detroit approved by a 4-1 margin a "living wage ordinance."

The measure requires all companies doing more than \$50,000 in business with the city or getting that much in tax breaks to pay their employees at a rate of 125 percent of the federal poverty level. As of now, that comes to \$8.23 per hour if workers get benefits or \$10.29 if they don't. (The current national minimum wage is \$5.15 per hour.)

Political wisdom at the time was that organized labor slipped the measure onto the ballot while Mayor Dennis Archer wasn't paying attention. Given the highly unionized electorate in the city, getting an ordinance entitled "living wage" onto the ballot was all it took.

Not surprisingly, business leaders went ballistic. They were joined by some Democrats who worried about the anti-growth consequences of local voters legislating wage levels. Wayne County Executive Ed McNamara, for example, called the ordinance "diabolical" and "the greatest deterrent to economic development that's out there."

Governor John Engler and House Speaker Chuck Perricone agreed. And, surprise, State Rep. Robert Gosselin, a conservative Republican from Troy, duly introduced HB 4777, which he called "The Job Creation and Regulatory Responsibility Act."

The bill — also called the "Destruction of Local Government Act" by opponents, some from organized labor and some local officials — would block local government units from setting policy in areas already addressed by state government. Because there are a bunch of state and federal laws already on the books dealing with minimum wages, HB 4777 would effectively nullify attempts by cities to dictate wages.

There's no doubt about it. Living wage

Phil Power



measures are popular with the voters. In Michigan, efforts are already under way to get similar measures on the ballot in Ypsilanti and Ypsilanti Township, and liberals in Ann Arbor, Kalamazoo and Lansing are beginning to beat the drums. The movement has a national dimension, too, with a bunch of communities including Baltimore, Boston and San Jose already having adopted similar ordinances.

Although the debate over the bill looks on the surface like state versus local control, in actual fact it's about economics and the workings of the free market system.

Supporters of living wage measures argue morality, arguing that it's just not fair for employers in a given city to be allowed to pay workers less than the poverty level for raising a family. Opponents ask how economic development and job creation can possibly be encouraged when countless local governments are ceaselessly interfering with the workings of the labor market.

Aside from the ideology involved, I think there are compelling practical reasons to eliminate living wage ordinances.

First, pandering. Once you let one living wage ordinance on the books, local politicians will find themselves falling over each

other to set higher and higher required wage levels.

Second, migration. Manufacturing companies have for years migrated their plants out of state to find lower wage levels in Alabama or Mexico. Imagine what would happen if gas stations, party stores or dry cleaners started moving their businesses from community to community in response to varying living wage levels.

Mike Malott, the head of the statewide news service used by this newspaper, points out an interesting parallel to the living wage argument: tax abatements. In the 1970's and '80's, Malott writes, politicians got the bright idea that giving businesses 50 percent property tax breaks for 12 years was a neat way to lure new business and compete with other states. But smart business people started shopping for the best deal, pitting state against state and community against community.

The quarrel now going on between Troy and Warren over tax breaks for General Motors will look like a polite conversation in Sunday School if living wage ordinances are enacted in all manner of Michigan communities and bidding wars erupt between local politicians pandering for votes and between communities trying to attract jobs and economic development.

Local government officials who worry that Gosselin's bill would destroy home rule would be well advised to work with him to narrow the bill down just to living wage issues.

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## Letters to the Editor

### Planning Commissioner upset with Record story

To the editor:  
Despite the *Northville Record's* obvious limited knowledge of business and development, there are those of us in the Northville community who have such capabilities and volunteer to enhance the future of Northville in any way possible. Being an industrial real estate broker, I welcome any opportunity to represent Northville properties for sale or lease at any time. I welcomed the opportunity to broker the former Warren Products facility, both as a broker and as a resident, uncomfortable with the deterioration of the facility.

Being a planning commissioner, it is my sworn obligation to help provide for the best possible development of the limited space available here in Northville. As a broker, I want to best utilize the property for the seller. The fact that this facility has not sold in the strongest industrial economical market ever should send a vivid message to anyone who feels that Warren Products is a viable facility. Is silence golden? Only if you are a small town paper not used to big city issues. In the future, it would be better if < > The *Northville Record* < > was in attendance at any of these meetings so that they could accurately report their conclusion, not call days later in attempt to "create" yet another story.

Rick Birdsall

### Graduate thanks teacher for effort

To the editor:  
I am writing to you in part to give thank you but mostly to let this story be known to me people of Northville.  
My name is Amy Poster Joaquin. I am a 1993 graduate of Northville High School and my diploma came to me thanks to one Northville High School teacher, Mrs. Counzelman. I had somehow managed to make it through the Wayne school system and then the Northville system without really asking for help. At American Elementary, I was tested for reading they found some phoenix problems and that I was at a kindergarten reading level in the fourth grade. Many times over the next

seven years, people tried to help me with my reading problem but my headstrong ways would prevent anyone from getting through to me.

All in all, I made it to the 11th grade without taking reading lab and somehow "fooling" teacher after teacher into believing that I understood the reading assignments.

Then came Mrs. Counzelman's reading lab. On the first day of class, I showed up with a Garfield comic book to read and do a report on. Mrs. Counzelman saw the book and asked me to find another book to read from her selection. This put me into tears because I knew there was no way that I would be able to read one of those big thick books. I quickly grabbed any book and sat back down. Mrs. Counzelman saw me do this and asked me to stay after class. After everyone else left the room, she asked me if I had any problem and I broke down. "I simply can't read."

Mrs. Counzelman got Danielle Steele's "The Promise" off the book rack and handed it to me. The 100-plus pages scared me and she explained that if I needed help with any of the words, I should underline them and she would help me look them up in the dictionary. The next day I came to her with almost every word underlined and after class we spent our lunch hour looking up the words and she taught me to use the dictionary in the process.

Now, six and a half years later, I have read every Danielle Steele novel, magazine, newspaper, etc., that I can get my hands on. I know in my heart that I always had it in me to read but without Mrs. Counzelman, I also know that I never would have.

My greatest thank you to Northville Schools and especially to Mrs. Counzelman, reading has enriched my life and I hope to pass on my love of reading to my daughter, Kaitlyn.

### Police fundraiser a huge success

To the editor:  
On Aug. 14, I participated with

several other area police mountain bicycle officers in a charity bike ride that benefited the Ronald McDonald House of Ann Arbor. I had a goal of raising \$500 for my participation and donation to this charity.

I solicited the help of several Northville Township businesses and community members, and they came through in a big way. I surpassed my goal and raised just over \$500 with the help of the below-listed businesses and community members. Furthermore, my amount was the most gathered by any other individual police officer in the charity ride.

Once we made the 17-mile trek on our police mountain bicycles from Canton to Ann Arbor, we visited families at the Ronald McDonald House and visited several children with serious medical conditions at the University of Michigan Hospital. It was nice to see them cheer up when a group of police officers walked into their room for a "good" visit. All the funds raised went directly to help families afford the enormous cost to stay with their children while receiving medical care.

It is nice to see the business community come together for such an important cause.

The following individuals and businesses made donations: McDonald's Restaurant at Six Mile and Haggerty, McDonald's Restaurant at Five Mile and Haggerty, Chirri Builders, Davis Auto Care, Sheehan's on the Green, Moose Lodge of Northville, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Henningsen, Mary Ellen King, Michelle Meister, and Mary Marum.

With sincere thanks,  
Officer Matthew Mayes  
Northville Township Police Department  
Bicycle Patrol Officer

### Using scare tactics unacceptable

To the editor:  
The pharmaceutical industry is using the same scare tactics as the health care industry in trying to ward off any government inter-

ference with its exorbitant profits. Television ads show a couple telling us "We don't want the government in our medicine cabinets." Well, I would love to have the government in my medicine cabinet.

As a person who performed useful work for 45 years and has no prescription coverage, I would welcome Uncle Sam's helping me meet my \$4,000-plus per year prescription bills. Fortunately for me, I can afford my medications and I do not have to choose between choking or paying my condo fee. But when I think of some of my former clients, many who worked for years in low-pay, no fringe benefits jobs (also called "women's work"), I find myself more interested in their welfare than in the CEOs of pharmaceutical companies receiving their obscene compensations.

It's about time that the uninsured got relief from the inflated charges they must pay to make up for the better deals given to HMOs.

Irene Piccone

### What's behind lawmakers fluky behavior?

To the editor:  
Because of the fluky behavior of some its appointed or elected leaders, the drinking water in Kansas should be checked. First, it was the action of the Kansas Council of Education in deciding that evolution need not be taught in the public schools.

A more recent legislative action by Sen. Bromback, R-Kansas, introducing a Senate resolution to investigate "The Cultural Crisis Facing America," sounds suspiciously like the former Soviet Union's committee of Cultural Czars. Members of Congress can't even pass a law to reform the laws regulating campaign contributions, how are they going to stop this so-called "descent into decadence?"

Apropos the Board of Education's "science czar," if they voted to repeal gravity, would we float off the face of the Earth? Really!

Alfred P. Galli

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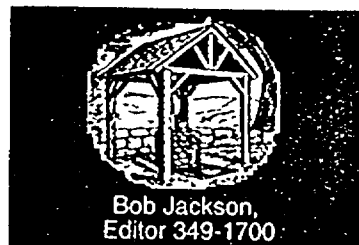
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## Ready For Action

Novi Fire Department joins up with Western Wayne HAZMAT team to overcome chemical disasters

By JEREMY MCBAIN  
Staff Writer

If a train full of deadly sulfuric acid were to ever dump its load while traveling through Novi and residents were fleeing in terror, Novi Fire Department Lt. Tom Johnson and Don Dominick would rush into action.

Along with the Western Wayne hazardous materials team, called HAZMAT, the situation will be assessed and steps will be taken to get the spill under control. "When the fire department is not sure what they have, they call us out," Johnson said.

The HAZMAT team is composed of 40 firefighters from 12 communities in Western Wayne County, including Novi and Farmington Hills. Each community has a minimum of two fire fighters on the team.

Dominick and Johnson, who both have been with the Novi Fire Department since the early 1970s, joined the HAZMAT team in 1992.

The team is used whenever there is a threat to the environment or safety of people due to a chemical release from an accident, fire or terrorist act.

Johnson said in addition to each of the team members' regular fire fighting training, HAZMAT team members must also attend at least 100 hours of hazardous materials training. This training focuses around identifying chemicals and dealing with them.

Additionally, many team members elect to take even more classes that deal with chemistry.

"It's a continual learning process," Johnson said.

"To be able to obtain knowledge, to me, is important and to be with the team, that is one of the best in the state and country, is great," added Dominick.

Due to the age we live in, one of the latest situations the team is training for is terrorist attacks involving dangerous biological agents or chemicals in highly populated areas.

"To really make this threat hit home, in the New York City Trade Center bombing, there was a biological agent involved that could have caused harm if it had been released," Dominick said. Luckily, the biological portion of the bomb did not go off. Generally though, the team spends

most of its time training, rather than rushing to calls. According to Johnson they only get about two or three calls a month.

When a call comes to HAZMAT, a squad of 12 team members is sent to assess the situation. Using their knowledge of chemistry and a trailer full of technical equipment, the team can determine what type of chemical is involved, its danger and where it is going.

For example, if the chemical is in cloud form, the trailer the team takes to every scene is equipped with a variety of weather instruments that can track wind direction and tell the team members where the chemical cloud is headed.

If the situation is big enough, the squad can notify the entire 40 member team, whose main station is at Detroit Metro Airport.

The beauty to the HAZMAT team is that it is a combination of several communities. Before this team was formed, cities formed their own hazardous materials team, that took a lot of money and manpower away from its regular fire department.

With the HAZMAT team in place, communities do not deplete their fire departments to staff the team or break their budgets to equip the team.

Instead of taxpayers from one community being responsible for the equipment — just one hazardous materials suit can cost \$2,000 and it can only be worn once — the cost of each call is pro-rated for the community involved and the person or company responsible for the chemical spill would be back-charged, Dominick said.

This means if a train traveling through Novi spills a toxic load on the ground, the train company must pay for its cleanup.

"The reason the team was formed is the high cost of running a team. A city the size of Novi would have a hard time keeping it funded alone," Johnson said.

In addition to keeping the cost low for a community, the HAZMAT team provides communities with a valuable protection against chemical dangers.

"I would have concern to be residing in a community where this type information and resources wouldn't be available," Dominick said.

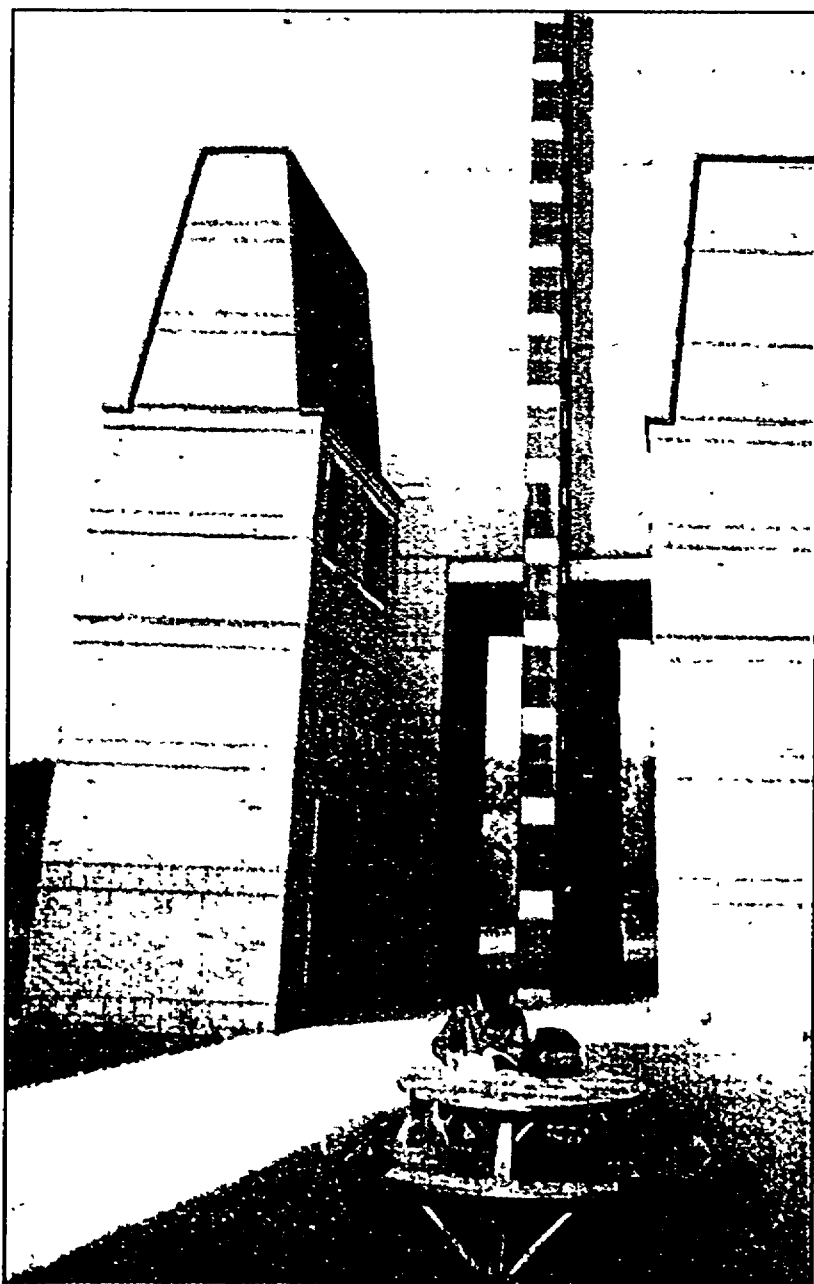
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Photo by Louis Poulos

A Novi Fire Department employee dons a hazardous spill response suit inside the department's mobile response vehicle which is equipped to deal with chemical spills.

## Northville High School's Aditya Prasad is on an accelerated path to success



Photos by JOHN HEIDER

Aditya studies his engineering notes under the University of Michigan's north campus bell tower on a recent Wednesday morning.

By MELANIE PLENDIA  
Staff Writer

Aditya Prasad has done more in his 16 years than most have done in a lifetime.

The Northville High School senior is a National Merit Semi-finalist, a member of Rotary Interact, a member of the taekwon do club, and just got his driver's license — and oh yeah, and he's also an engineering student at University of Michigan. Is currently working on a project with NASA, and was offered a job in the U.S. Department of Defense.

"It's not terribly difficult," Prasad said. "The only bad part is the drive to Ann Arbor and that I don't get to see my friends a lot."

As a junior, and at the ripe old age of 15, Prasad had taken all of the accelerated math and science classes that were available at NHS. It was looking as though his senior year might not be as challenging as he might like.

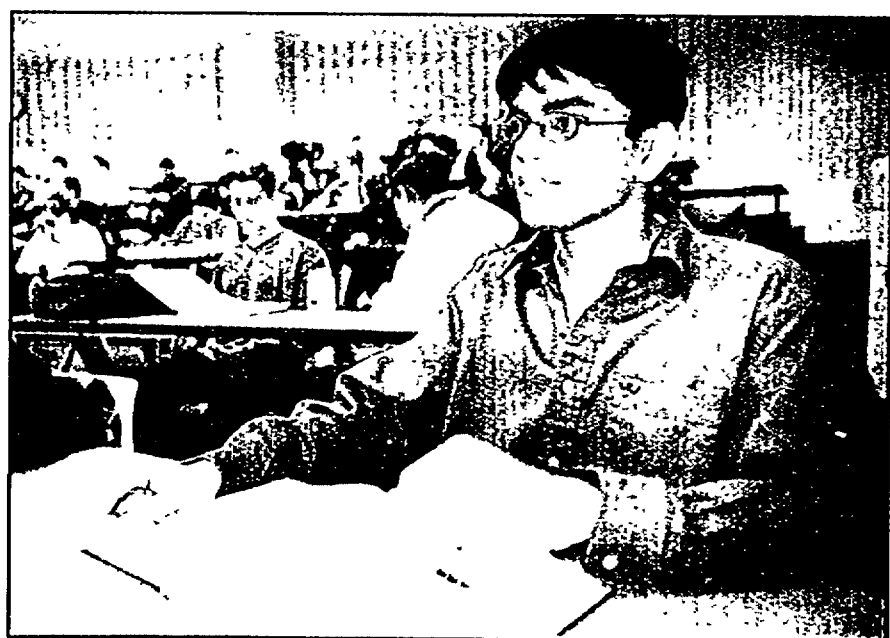
Then he heard that it was possible to work towards college credit at Schoolcraft. But Prasad wanted to take this one step further. He called a counselor at U-M and asked them if they had a similar program. She informed him that the only thing that was available to him were classes in the college of letters, sciences and arts, a sort of honors liberal arts program that offers high school and college students the opportunity for greater depth of study in a variety of subjects.

Yet Prasad was persistent. It still wasn't quite what he was looking to study. Additionally, the program would only allow him to take one or two classes through the college. He proposed the possibility of taking actual engineering classes and beginning his college a career a bit early.

"The counselors at U-M were worried that I might not be able to handle a heavy class load, but I talked to them and proved to them that I could do it," he said.

After showing them his academic records and the passion he had for the subject matter, the counselors had no choice but to give in, if only because Prasad wouldn't give up.

This opportunity didn't just fall in his lap, Prasad said.



Aditya Prasad listens to a lecture in his U of M engineering class.

"You can't wait for other people to tell you about opportunities like this," Prasad said. "You have to pursue it yourself. If you like something enough and you can handle it you have to go and get it."

Prasad did get what he wanted, and enrolled in a sophomore-level mechanical engineering class, calculus 3, and a computer science course. In addition to his book learning, Prasad is learning the ropes of a college campus.

"The freshmen aren't much bigger than me, so most people can't tell that I'm only 16," he said.

He said that when they find out his age, they can't help but be a little impressed. He also said that he was enjoying the freedom the open campus offers him.

"It's great because I can go where I want for lunch and I don't have to eat in the cafeteria."

He said he tried his luck at a career fair at the university. Much to his surprise the Defense Department recruiter took one look at his resume and wanted to set up an interview.

"It was great until he realized I was only 16," Prasad said. "I can't get security clear-

ance until I'm 18."

Prasad said he still checks in at NHS either for his humanities class or gym class and to catch up with his friends.

But sit ups and laps around ancient Greek pottery are not foremost on his mind these days. He is part of a team at U-M that is designing a satellite that will be attached to another satellite launched by NASA next year called Prosods.

Prasad is designing the software for U-M's satellite that will collect the data from space which will gather measurement by using magnetic fields.

He said that though the program was very challenging, it was also a lot of fun and gave him an opportunity to do things that no one else had tried. He has also said that he never regretted his persistence in striving to get that opportunity.

"People should do what they want to do, not what others say they should do," Prasad said. "If it's uncharted territory, all the better. You'll clear the path as a pioneer."

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# Pets provide welcome therapy to Novi seniors

## PET-A-PET

Pet-A-Pet program has resumed after summer break. This is a non-profit program with more than 400 volunteers and their pets, who visit not only Charter House of Novi and Whitehall Health Care Center, but area hospitals and youth centers as well.

Ruth Curry, president of the group, founded the organization 14 years ago when, at that time, she would take her two cats to visit her father who was in a nursing home. From that initial visit, the program spread through Oakland County and is continuing throughout adjoining counties.

Recent visitors to Charter House were Dot Hickson with "Nicky," a cockapoo; Jean Grant with "Buddy," a Welsh corgi; "Reebok," a shih tzu accompanied owner, Sharron Disbro; Karen Landacre with "Shiloh," a sheltie; Cheri Graves with "Addie," a shih tzu; and "Macy," a golden retriever along with owner, Sharon Silverberg.

Sharron Disbro, coordinator of the program at Charter House, is in need of more four-legged visitors and their owners. She would like 10 to 12 dogs for the size of the facility. Pets need to be current in shots and friendly, with the volunteer owners paying \$5 to join the program, which covers insurance. She can be reached at (734) 449-8339. Time of visits are usually once a month for about an hour. Participants in this program are recognized as special guests at the annual spring volunteer recognition dinner.

## Novi Highlights

The Pet-A-Pet Club "members" were recent participants in the 1999 Oinker 'Lympics at Belle Creek Park in Redford. Dogs competing were judged in agility levels, pet treat catching, pet trick contest, costumes contest, and doggie limbo. Proceeds went to benefit the Pet-A-Pet Club Inc.

### NOVI MINISTERS ASSOCIATION

The group has resumed their meetings, the first being hosted by Providence Hospital. They enjoyed a lunch and later, a tour of the new Asserian Cancer Center.

Rev. Louise Ott hosted a recent luncheon held at Novi United Methodist Church. Discussion involved the CROP Walk and the new parish nurse program. Further information can be obtained by calling the Rev. Richard Henderson at (248) 349-5666.

Hosting the Nov. 2 meeting will be Meadowbrook Congregational Church with Rev. Neil Hunt as luncheon host. Plans for the where and time of the traditional Ecumenical Thanksgiving service held Nov. 24 will be on the agenda for discussion. Several local churches will be participating in the service along with music provided by a combined choir. An offering will be taken. Last year's offering was presented to the Community Food Bank.

The Food Bank program provides help to needy families in the Novi area by the

Ministers Association. This service is offered every other Monday morning at Faith Presbyterian Church. Currently needed at the Bank are the following items: paper products, non-perishable items such as canned goods, and diapers. Items can be dropped off at any of the area churches; barrels or baskets are available in the vestibules for this purpose. In charge of distribution are volunteers Kathy Laux and Debby Goodman.

Six more new families have recently signed up for the program. Oct. 24 is the next date for those interested. Monetary donations are also accepted. Please make checks payable to the Novi Ministers Association with the notation "Food Bank" on the check. Mail to P.O. Box No. 1, Novi.

### NOVI SENIOR CENTER

Center manager Jan McAlpine and special recreation coordinator Kathy Crawford have planned many activities, from lunch to entertaining programs. Due to the many programs, more volunteers have become involved.

The volunteers were recently honored at a dinner served by the youth of St. James Church. In addition to dinner was a raffle and entertainment by the Novi Choralaires. Well-known tunes familiar to the seniors were highlighted: tunes from Broadway shows, rock 'n' roll, and TV

theme songs, all recognized and enjoyed by those attending. Approximately 60 volunteers were present. Programs involving volunteers were: Meals on Wheels (some from Mercy College), Sixgate Cloggers, pinocle, bridge, Focus Hope distribution, serve meals, help decorate, and the set-up of special activities and programs.

The annual Pen-Pal program is in progress. Jan McAlpine provided the seniors with names of first graders, with whom they are corresponding. They will continue to write and send letters and cards throughout the year. A party will be held in May when pen pals will meet each other. Letters are due Oct. 26 in the senior office so that correspondence can reach the children by Halloween.

Rehearsals for the Novi Theater Senior Variety series have started; "Silver Belles and Beaus" is scheduled for Dec. 17.

A goodbye party was recently held for Dorothy Jarvis, a four-year staff member. She plans to spend more time with her grandchildren.

### NOVI PUBLIC LIBRARY

It's time to register for "Storytime," a program for various age groups. Registration will continue through Oct. 30. Classes run from Nov. 15 through Dec. 17. There will be no classes on Thanksgiving Day.

Three sections are offered for the following age groups: "The Two of Us" for children ages two and three; "Three's Company" for ages three and four; and

"On My Own" for four- and five-year-olds who have not yet started kindergarten.

A special folder, "Storytimes Fall 1999-Spring 2000" has been assembled for parents by librarians Margi Karp-Opperer, Mindy Schafer, Jennifer Taggart and children's program assistant, Tiffany Liguori. The folder not only gives information on Storytimes, but resources for parents and caregivers as well.

Available in the near future will be the Novi Preschool and Child Care Directory, which is being developed through cooperation with Novi Youth Assistance and the Novi Library.

The annual "Design-A-Plate" program is in progress. Special paper and color markers are used by the children for their designs, which are then transferred onto dishwasher-safe plates. The library will handle the remaining process; plates will be returned in time for the holidays.

Children's Book Week is Nov. 15-20. Maureen Schiffman will be performing "Coco Goes on a Safari" on Nov. 17 from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m. All ages are welcome.

Also scheduled for sometime this month will be Frances Loynes' presentation of her collection, "Noah's Ark." Illustrated will be a teapot, lamps, clocks, books, T-shirts, jewelry, and even two Bibles printed in 1860 and 1865, with scripture reference indicated in Genesis 5:20 through 9:29.

Novi Highlights is written by Jeanne Clarke. Should you wish to contact her with information for this column, call (248) 624-0173.

## Church News

**First United Methodist Church** of Northville will be hosting a men's club pancake breakfast and Bible study on Oct. 23 beginning at 8 a.m. Also that day at First United — the church will be participating in its "Adopt-A-Highway" clean-up beginning at 9 a.m. For more information, call (248) 349-1144.

**Christ Our Savior Lutheran Church** of Livonia will be hosting a pumpkin patch party for children ages three to nine on Oct. 23 from 10 a.m. to noon. Children in costumes are eligible for prizes, but organizers request that no occult costumes be worn. Parents must accompany their children. For more information, call (734) 522-6830.

**Ward Evangelical Presbyterian Church** of Northville is offering a seven-week class geared toward women survivors of sexual abuse. The class, entitled "Knowing When It's Safe To Trust" is open to women age 18 and over and begins Oct. 27.

Also at Ward — the Remarried Ministries is offering an informal, drop-in support group for persons dealing with being in a blended family. The group meets the second Tuesday of every month at 7 p.m. For more information, call (248) 374-5956.

Used clothing donations for the needs are being accepted by **Holy Family Roman Catholic Church** in Novi every Monday from 9 a.m. to noon and from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. The donations are also accepted every Thursday from 9 a.m. to noon. Donations cannot be accepted outside of those hours.

Also at Holy Family — used cars are being sought for donation. Cars must be in running condition and will be given to needy families who need help getting around the community. All vehicle gifts are tax-deductible, and receipts are issued automatically. For more information on either program, call (248) 349-8553.

**Meadowbrook Congregational Church** will be hosting a rummage sale at the church on Oct. 22 and 23. Also at Meadowbrook Congregational — the Women's Service Club will be hosting a "Treats and Treasures" sale on Nov. 12 and 13. For more information on either event, call (248) 348-7757.

**LifeCare Ministries** is available for confidential, anonymous telephone support and listening. The line is open Monday through Saturday from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. and can be reached at (734) 427-5433. For information on volunteering for LifeCare, call (734) 427-1580.

**Mariners' Church of Detroit** will be hosting Faure's Requiem on Oct. 31 beginning at 11 a.m. It will be sung by Mariners' Church professional choir.

Also at Mariners' Church — a memorial service for the sailors who died on board the Edmund Fitzgerald is slated for Nov. 7 at 11 a.m. Mariners' Church was the church alluded in Gordon Lightfoot's ballad "The Wreck of the Edmund Fitzgerald." For more information, call (313) 259-2206.

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## Weddings



### Chappel-Kocenda

Walter Kocenda, formerly of Northville, and Suzanne Chappel of Clawson were married Oct. 10 at the St. Clair Inn in St. Clair. The couple was married in a riverside service followed by a brunch.

The newlyweds make their home on Lake Huron.

**OCT. 21**  
**What:** Tim Flaherty Open Blues Jam  
**Where:** Frigate's Inn (1103 East Lake Drive, Novi)  
**When:** 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.  
**Phone:** (248) 624-9607

**What:** Eastern Michigan University Bands concert  
**Where:** Pease Auditorium, EMU  
**When:** 8 p.m.  
**Phone:** (313) 487-0482

#### OCT. 21 - 23

**What:** "Dancing at Lughnasa" stage drama  
**Where:** Quirk Theater, Eastern Michigan University (124 Quirk)  
**When:** 8 p.m.  
**Phone:** (734) 487-1221

#### OCT. 21 - 30

**What:** "Color Harmonies" acrylic painting exhibit  
**Where:** Washington Street Gallery (215 E. Washington, Ann Arbor)  
**When:** 11 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
**Phone:** (734) 761-2287

#### OCT. 21 - 31

**What:** Pumpkin patch hayrides  
**Where:** Kensington Metropark (2240 W. Buno Road, Milford)  
**When:** Various times  
**Phone:** (248) 685-1561

**What:** Huckleberry Ghost Train  
**Where:** Huckleberry Railroad, Flint  
**When:** Various times  
**Phone:** (810) 736-7100

#### OCT. 21 - NOV. 13

**What:** A Storey Creek Christmas folk art and craft show  
**Where:** Rochester Hills Museum (1000 Rochester Hills Drive, Rochester Hills)  
**When:** Various times  
**Phone:** (248) 656-4663

#### OCT. 21 - JAN. 2

**What:** Railroad Days  
**Where:** Henry Ford Museum & Greenfield Village (20900 Oakwood Blvd., Dearborn)  
**When:** Various times  
**Phone:** (313) 271-1620

**What:** Display of zoo animal care  
**Where:** Detroit Zoo (8450 W. Ten Mile, Royal Oak)  
**When:** Various times

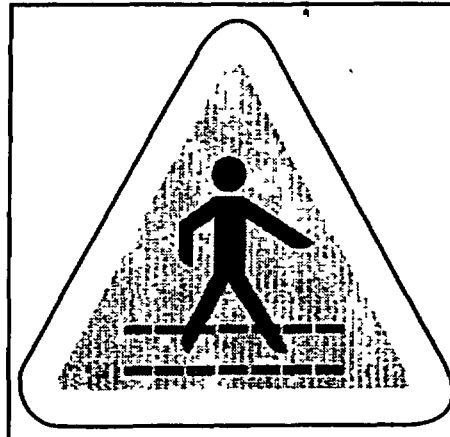


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"Halloween Soup" takes stage at the Marquis Theater this week. Pictured above are (back row) Stephanie Zoltowski, Jamie Deutsch, Ashley Hernandez and (front) Hana Kalinski.

**Phone:** (313) 852-4147

**What:** "I Made This Jar" exhibit on enslaved African-American potters  
**Where:** Charles H. Wright Museum of African-American History (313 E. Warren, Detroit)  
**When:** Various times  
**Phone:** (313) 494-5800

#### OCT. 22

**What:** Minnesota Timberwolves vs. Detroit Pistons preseason basketball  
**Where:** Palace of Auburn Hills (2 Championship Drive, Auburn Hills)  
**When:** 7:30 p.m.  
**Phone:** (248) 377-0100

**What:** Hayrides and storytelling  
**Where:** Plymouth Orchards and Cider Mill  
**When:** 7 p.m. and 9 p.m.  
**Phone:** (734) 451-1128

**What:** "Halloween Soup" stage performance  
**Where:** Marquis Theatre (135 E. Main, Northville)  
**When:** 7:30 p.m.  
**Phone:** (248) 349-8110

**What:** Eastern Michigan University choir concert  
**Where:** Pease Auditorium, EMU  
**When:** 8 p.m.  
**Phone:** (734) 487-0482

#### OCT. 22, 23

**What:** Sugarloaf Art Fair  
**Where:** Novi Expo Center (43700 Expo Center Drive, Novi)  
**When:** Various times

**When:** Various times  
**Phone:** (248) 348-5600

#### OCT. 23

**What:** The Great Pumpkin Day  
**Where:** McFadden-Ross House (915 Brady, Dearborn)  
**When:** Various times  
**Phone:** (313) 565-3000

**What:** Illinois vs. No. 9 Michigan football  
**Where:** Michigan Stadium, U-M  
**When:** TBA  
**Phone:** (734) 764-0247

**What:** "Halloween Soup" stage performance  
**Where:** Marquis Theatre (135 E. Main, Northville)  
**When:** 11 a.m. and 2:30 p.m.  
**Phone:** (248) 349-8110

**What:** Sweet Adelines International "glc://spotlight.com"  
**Where:** Macomb Center for Performing Arts (44575 Garfield, Clinton Twp.)  
**When:** 3 p.m. and 8 p.m.  
**Phone:** (810) 790-0008

**What:** Eisenhower Dance Ensemble with Aerial Dance Company  
**Where:** Varner Hall, Oakland University  
**When:** 8 p.m.  
**Phone:** (248) 370-3013

**What:** Henry Ford Community College autumn jazz concert  
**Where:** Adray Auditorium (5101 Evergreen Road, Dearborn)  
**When:** 8 p.m.

**Phone:** (313) 317-6566

**What:** Kid Rock, Powerman 5000, DDT  
**Where:** Palace of Auburn Hills (2 Championship Drive, Auburn Hills)  
**When:** 8 p.m.  
**Phone:** (248) 377-0100

#### OCT. 23, 24

**What:** 26th Annual Ann Arbor Winter Art Fair  
**Where:** Washtenaw Farm Council Grounds (5055 Ann Arbor-Saline Road, Ann Arbor)  
**When:** 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. (Oct. 23); 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. (Oct. 24)  
**Phone:** (800) 888-9487

#### OCT. 24

**What:** USA Women's indoor soccer  
**Where:** Palace of Auburn Hills (2 Championship Drive, Auburn Hills)  
**When:** 2 p.m.  
**Phone:** (248) 377-0100

**What:** "Halloween Soup" stage performance  
**Where:** Marquis Theatre (135 E. Main, Northville)  
**When:** 2:30 p.m.  
**Phone:** (248) 349-8110

**What:** Boychoir of Ann Arbor  
**Where:** St. Thomas Church, Ann Arbor  
**When:** 4 p.m.  
**Phone:** (734) 663-5377

**What:** Pumpkin Patch and Halloween Parade  
**Where:** Shain Park, downtown Birmingham

**When:** 4:30 p.m.  
**Phone:** (248) 677-1700

#### OCT. 26

**What:** Orlando Solar Bears vs. Detroit Vipers hockey  
**Where:** Palace of Auburn Hills (2 Championship Drive, Auburn Hills)  
**When:** 7:30 p.m.  
**Phone:** (248) 377-0100

#### OCT. 27

**What:** Colorado Avalanche vs. Detroit Red Wings hockey  
**Where:** Joe Louis Arena (600 Civic Center Drive, Detroit)  
**When:** 7:30 p.m.  
**Phone:** (313) 983-6606

**What:** Cleveland Cavaliers vs. Detroit Pistons preseason basketball  
**Where:** Palace of Auburn Hills (2 Championship Drive, Auburn Hills)  
**When:** 7:30 p.m.  
**Phone:** (248) 377-0100

#### OCT. 27 - APRIL 30

**What:** On The Air: Michigan Broadcasting 1920-2000 Exhibit  
**Where:** Detroit Historical Museum (5401 Woodward, Detroit)  
**When:** All day event  
**Phone:** (313) 833-1805 (Museum is closed on Mondays)

#### ALL AUTUMN

**What:** Simulcast horse racing  
**Where:** Northville Downs  
**When:** 12:30 p.m. - midnight  
**Phone:** (248) 349-1000

## Engagements



### Jambor-Criscenti

John and Judy Jambor, formerly of Northville, announce the engagement of their son, Michael John, to Jennifer Lynn Criscenti of Westland.

The groom-elect is a Northville High School graduate and earned his master's degree in business administration in 1999 from Eastern Michigan University. He is currently employed at Ford Motor Company.

The bride-elect is a 1995 graduate of EMU. She remains enrolled at Eastern while pursuing her master's in business administration. She is employed with AirTouch Cellular in Southfield.

The couple plans a Feb. 26, 2000 wedding.

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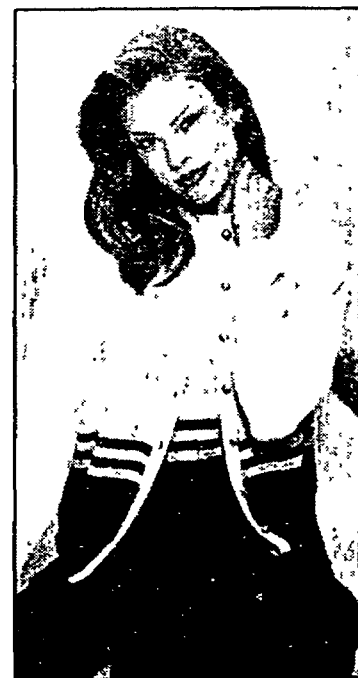
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 21355 Meadowbrook Rd. - Northville (248) 348-4030  
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 Church School 10 am  
 348-7757  
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 Minister of Music, Roy Ferguson

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 (248) 624-3817  
 430 Nicolet St. Walled Lake  
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 Sunday Evening Service 6:00 p.m.

**ST. JAMES ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH NOVI**  
 46325 10 Mile Rd.  
 Novi, MI 48374  
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 Sunday 8:30 & 11:30 a.m.  
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 Parish Office 347-7778

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 24505 Meadowbrook Rd., Novi, MI 48375  
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 Father John Budde, Pastor  
 Father Andrew Czarnicki, Assoc. Pastor  
 Parish Office: 349-8847

**WORLDWIDE HARVEST CHURCH**  
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 1496 & Orchard St. Rd. Exit east on 2 Mile Rd., Farmington Hills, MI  
 (248) 348-2743

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 Meadowbrook Elementary School - Walled Lake  
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 (248) 449-8900  
 Home Study Groups 6:00 PM  
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 Church 349-2621, School 349-3510  
 Religious Education 349-2559

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 High & Elm Street, Northville  
 L. Lubeck, Pastor  
 Church 349-3140 School 349-3146  
 Sunday Worship: 8:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.  
 Sunday School & Bible Classes 9:45 a.m.  
 Wednesday Worship 7:30 p.m.

**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF NORTHVILLE**  
 349-1144 8 Mile & Taft Roads  
 Worship Services: 8:00 am & 9:15 am 11:00 am  
 Sunday School 9:15 - 11:00 Nursery both services (year round)  
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## Women of the past, present and future

Former presidents of the Northville Woman's Club took timeout for a photo at a luncheon at Meadowbrook Country Club earlier this month. Above are (from left) Marge Bolton, Mary Louise Lansbarkis, Lonna Lemmon, Evelyn Harper and Geraldine Mills. For more information on the club, call (248) 348-9097.

## Business

Fashion designer Dana Buchman will be the guest speaker at a noon luncheon of the Women's Economic Club on Oct. 27. Buchman will discuss the necessity of balance and staying organized. Tickets are \$22 for members and \$27 for guests. For more information, call (313) 963-5088.

Sandy Carson has been named as public relations and marketing manager at Local Color Brewing Company in Novi. Carson is a 1986 graduate of Michigan State University and had been employed with the Stroh Brewery Company.

Internet Operations Center Inc.

recently announced the addition of Fay Ghoujehi of Novi.

Ghoujehi joined IOC in November 1998 as a Unix systems administrator. She has over nine years experience in Unix administration. Ghoujehi received a bachelor's degree in computer science from Oakland University.

Attorney Margaret (Peg) Schweitzer of Novi is now an associate of Langnas & Associates P.C.

Schweitzer is a 1992 graduate of Wayne State University Law School. After earning her Juris Doctor from the university, she became a member of the Michigan State Bar. Prior to her

current position with Langnas & Associates, she worked for five years as a solo practitioner and one year as an associate attorney gaining extensive trial and litigation experience.

Schweitzer also won the 1998 NSEAA award for her book, "On Trial," written for and tested in a third grade class at Thornton Creek Elementary School.

Welduction Corp. has moved into a new seven acre property in Novi. Welduction is a full service induction heat treating equipment and system manufacturer specializing in fully-flexible systems, thermal bonding and radio frequency generators.

## Community Events

The Novi Lioness Club will be joining the Avon Hills Lioness Club for a joint meeting at the Leader Dog for the Blind School in Rochester on Oct. 27. The meeting begins at 7 p.m. For more information, call (248) 685-1656.

The Northville Garden Club is currently seeking new members to add to its ranks. The group meets the second Monday of each month and keeps abreast of conservation and horticulture. For more information, call (248) 349-8111.

Girl Scout Troop No. 331 of Northville is hosting a session for all Junior Girl Scouts interested in taking the badge "Becoming a teen." The seminar is slated for Oct. 25 from 4 p.m. to 5 p.m. at Silver Springs Elementary School. Permission slips are required for the event and Girl Scout uniforms are mandatory. For more information, call (248) 449-6205.

Village Oaks subdivision residents are hosting the second annual Holiday Extravaganza on Oct. 23. Vendors from a variety of companies will be on hand at the Village Oaks clubhouse from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., and a collection of non-perishable foods will also be taken up at the event. For more information, call (248) 426-8329.

The Novi Police Department will be hosting its second Teenage Police Academy. The academy is geared for persons age 12 to 28 years old who have an interest in law enforcement or want to learn more about how a police department serves its community.

The academy starts Oct. 30 and runs for seven weeks. The academy meets on Saturdays, from 10 a.m. to noon. For more information, call (248) 348-7100.

Schoolcraft College's 1999-2000 theater season will open Oct. 29 with William Shakespeare's comedy, "The Merchant of Venice." The show will be presented as dinner the-

ater on Oct. 29, 30 and Nov. 5 and 6. Dinner-theater tickets are \$19, while theater-only tickets for shows on Nov. 12 and 13 are \$8. For more information, call (734) 462-4596.

New and used books are being collected as part of "Make A Difference Day." Books may be dropped off at Orchard Hills Elementary school in Novi between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m.

The Certified Instructors of Snomads Snofari Club and officers of the Michigan Department of Natural Resources Law Enforcement Division will be hosting a snowmobile safety class for young and adult snowmobilers on Nov. 6 at 8:30 a.m. The event will take place at the Novi Expo Center. Pre-registration and a \$5 fee is required. For more information, call (248) 681-7429.

The monthly meeting of the Suburban Republican Women's Club will be held on Oct. 28 at 11 a.m. at Pick-A-Bone Rib House, on Six Mile Road in Livonia. All candidates for the November election are invited to speak. Cindy Bryars will speak on job opportunities with the Census Bureau.

The cost of the luncheon is \$11. For more information, call (248) 478-2694. Reservations are required by Oct. 25.

The "Bear In The House" from Jim Henson Television will be on hand at the Education Expo at the Southfield Civic Center on Oct. 24 from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. The show will feature dozens of exhibits from metro Detroit educational businesses. The event is free of charge. For more information, call (248) 399-8200.

Oakland Physical Therapy will present a lecture regarding the management and prevention of chronic headache pain and temporomandibular joint pain. The presentation is slated for Oct. 28 at 7 p.m. at Providence Park Medical Center, Suite B124 in Novi. For more information, call

(248) 380-3550. The seminar is free, but advance registration is required.

Mentors Plus will be holding its next training seminar Oct. 23 at the Oakland County Courthouse, beginning at 9 a.m. The training teaches adults how to work with younger people and be a role model for youth age five to 16. For more information, call (248) 858-0041.

The Children's Leukemia Society of Michigan will be hosting the "Boo Ball Spectacular" on Oct. 30 from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. Proceeds from the event will benefit the Society and is open to both adults and children in costume. Tickets to the event are \$150 for adults and \$75 for children. For more information, call (800) 825-2536.

A free lecture presented by designer William McDonough will be hosted at Lawrence Technological University on Oct. 21 at 7:30 p.m. McDonough will discuss design and building working effectively within nature. For more information, call (248) 204-2880.

The Foundation Fighting Blindness is selling holiday greeting cards, the proceeds from which will be used to support retinal degenerative disease research. Orders are being accepted now through Dec. 1 and come in packages of 25. For more information, call (810) 268-0675.

The YWCA of Western Wayne County will be honoring its Week Without Violence with a parade and open house on Oct. 23. The march will begin at 10 a.m. at the corner of Michigan Avenue and Guley and will end at the YWCA, located on Michigan Avenue between Beech and John Daly. Memorials of loved ones who have been lost to violence will be accepted. For more information, call (313) 561-4110.



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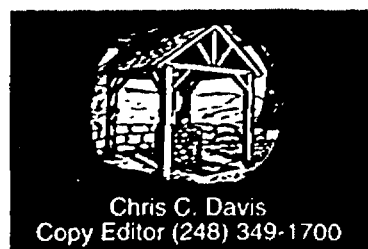


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## Cider mills tempt tastes across Michigan

By CHRIS C. DAVIS  
Copy Editor

Anyone from Northville or Novi will tell you that Parmenter's Cider Mill has a special place in their heart once the leaves start changing. The crisp autumn air seems to go just right with the taste of fresh cider and warm doughnuts.

But as residents take to the highways this fall in search of brilliant color, football games and enjoying Michigan's fall splendor, the craving for cider and doughnuts may creep up once in a great while. After all — it hardly seems right only to enjoy those October treats just once or twice.

Here's a list of cider mills around in the southeast Lower Peninsula. A complete list of all cider mills in Michigan can be found on the Internet at [www.michiganweb.com/cidermill.html](http://www.michiganweb.com/cidermill.html).

### ALMONT

Stony River at King's Mill  
622 South Main  
(810) 798-8214

### ARMADA

Blakes Orchard and Cider Mill  
17985 Center Road  
(810) 784-5343

### BLOOMFIELD HILLS

Franklin Cider Mill  
7450 Franklin  
(248) 626-2968

### CASCO

Pankiewicz Farms Cider Mill  
10387 Lindsey  
(810) 727-9051

### CHELSEA

Dexter Cider Mill  
58 Cavanaugh Lake Road  
(734) 426-8531

### COMMERCE

Long Family Orchard  
East Commerce  
(248) 260-3774

### DEXTER

Dexter Cider Mill Inc.  
16895 Central  
(734) 426-8531

Francis Orchard  
6145 Dexter-Farmington Road  
(734) 422-5064

### ERIE

Erie Orchards & Cider Mill  
1235 Erie  
(734) 948-4512

### FENTON

Parshallville Cider Mill  
8507 Parshallville  
(810) 629-9079

Spicer Orchard and Cider Mill  
10411 Clyde  
(810) 632-7692

### FLINT

Masters Cider Mill  
6140 Bray  
510 736-7100

### FLUSHING

Al-Mar Orchard  
(810) 659-6568

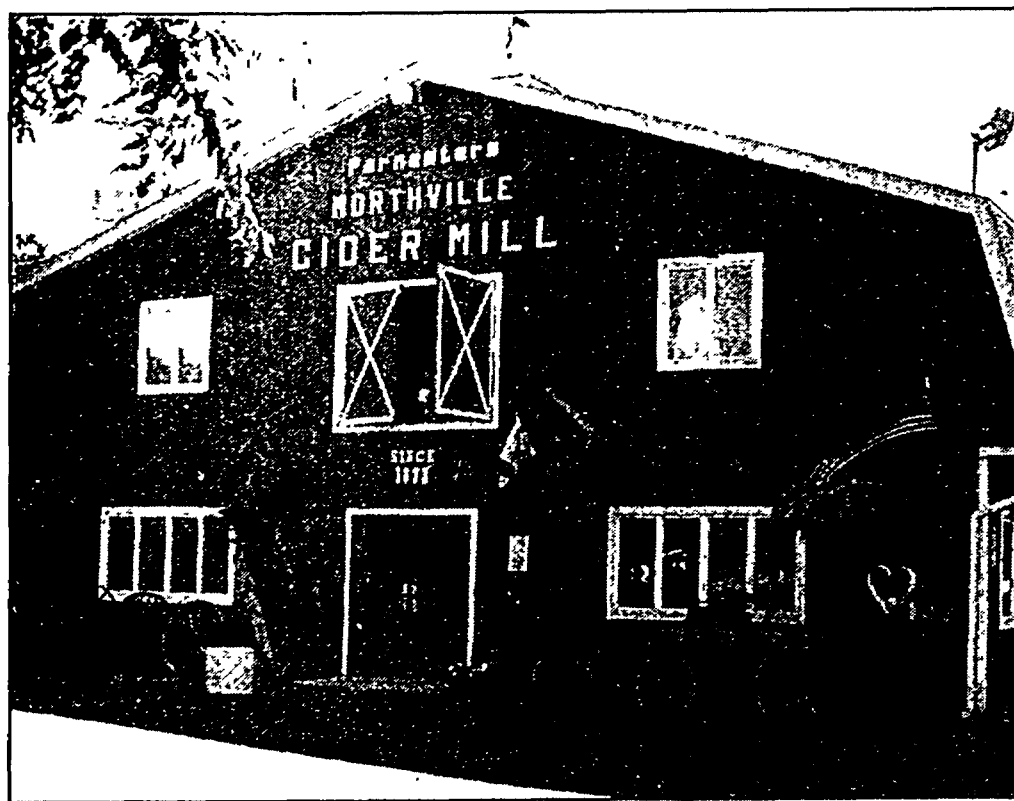
Koan's Orchard  
12183 Beecher  
(810) 659-8720

McCarron's Orchard  
67458 W. Carpenter  
(810) 659-8813

### GOODRICH

Porter's Orchard & Cider Mill  
12180 Hegel  
(810) 838-7156

### HARTLAND



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The big red barn makes Parmenter's the sentimental favorite among Novi and Northville cider mill fans, but there are a host of other apple-and-doughnut spots around the state.

Parshallville Cider Mill  
8507 Parshallville Road  
(810) 628-9078

### HOLLY

Diehl's Orchard & Cider Mill  
1478 Ranch  
(248) 634-8981

Oak Haven Farm  
7515 Grange Hall Road  
(248) 634-5437

### JEDDO

McCallum Orchard  
5887 Harris  
(810) 327-6381

### LENNON

Aspin Farms Cider Mill  
12190 Miller  
(248) 621-4780

### MANCHESTER

Alber Orchard & Cider Mill  
13011 Bethel Church Road  
(734) 428-7758

### MILAN

Wasem Fruit Farm  
6580 Judd  
(734) 482-2342

### MONROE

Miller's Orchard & Cider Mill  
4318 W. Dunbar  
(734) 243-6582

Weier's Cider Mill  
803 W. 13th Street  
(734) 242-7386

### MONTROSE

Montrose Orchards  
12473 N. Seymour  
(810) 939-6871

### MOUNT MORRIS

Wolcott Orchards & Cider Mill  
3284 W. Coldwater  
(810) 789-9561

### NEW BOSTON

38035 S. Huron  
(734) 753-8880

### ORTONVILLE

Ashton Orchard & Cider Mill  
3825 Seymour Lake Road  
(248) 827-8671

### PLYMOUTH

Plymouth Orchards & Cider Mill  
10685 Warren  
(734) 455-2290

### ROCHESTER

Goodson Cider Mill  
4295 Orion  
(248) 652-8450

Paint Creek Cider Mill  
4480 Orion  
(248) 651-4224

Yates Cider Mill  
5125 Rochester  
(248) 651-4224

### ROMEO

Hy's Cider Mill  
6350 37 Mile Road  
(810) 798-3611

Stony Creek Orchard & Cider Mill  
2961 32 Mile Road  
(810) 752-2453

Westview Orchards  
65075 Van Dyke  
(810) 752-3123

### RUBY

Ruby Farms of Michigan  
8587 Inlay City Road  
(810) 324-2662

### SHELBY TOWNSHIP

Auburn Orchards Cider Mill  
46462 Dequindre  
(810) 731-6699

Middleton Cider Mill  
46462 Dequindre  
(810) 731-6699

### SOUTH LYON

Erwin Farms  
61475 Silver Lake  
(248) 437-0150

### WASHINGTON

Johnny Appleseed Cider Mill  
6001 26 Mile Road  
(810) 781-4288

Verellan Orchards  
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# RECORD MOVIES

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## 'Three to Tango' features Hollywood's hottest young stars

Matthew Perry, Neve Campbell, Dylan McDermott and Oliver Platt team up in the offbeat romantic comedy "Three to Tango."

Oscar Novak (Perry) is an idealistic, young architect on the rise. The boyishly handsome and funny Oscar with his brother, Peter Steinberg (Platt), have just landed a career-making opportunity — Chicago tycoon Charles Newman (McDermott) has chosen them to compete for the design of a multi-million dollar cultural center.

In a ploy for publicity, Newman has pitched Oscar and Peter in a neck-and-neck competition with their archrivals and former colleagues, the hugely successful (and equally ruthless) Decker and Strauss.

Impressed with Oscar's feverish dedication to winning the job, Charles assigns him the additional task of spying on his mistress, Amy (Campbell), a woman who Charles guards as jealously as he guards his investments.

Oscar's bumbling attempts at surveillance fail, but he does

develop a crush on Amy, a beautiful and headstrong artist, who begins to return his growing affection. Much to his chagrin, Oscar may have finally found the woman of his dreams.

But Oscar's dream is short-lived when he discovers that the jealous Charles has assigned him this special job only because he (mistakenly) believes that Oscar is gay. Oscar's frustration compounds when he realizes that Amy also believes him to be gay.

The very heterosexual Oscar Novak becomes the most famous gay man in Chicago, and his entire life is turned upside down.

When he is honored as Chicago's Gay Professional of the Year, Oscar has to make a decision — will he continue the lie and hold on to the job of a lifetime and a friendship with the girl he loves, or is it time to face the consequences and tell the whole world that he is secretly ... straight?

"Three to Tango" is set to open Friday, Oct. 22, and is rated "PG-13."



Dylan McDermott and Neve Campbell in "Three to Tango."

## 'Straight Story' suffers

by Jon M. Gibbon  
GUEST MOVIE REVIEW

It opens as any David Lynch production — the haunting score of Angelo Badalamenti played against the beautiful black and white night sky — yet the director seems to lose his touch with "The Straight Story."

Lynch attempts to return to the mainstream market with this yarn, but its tragically slow and simple subject matter and uninteresting visuals delete any portion of greatness. However, Lynch isn't necessarily known for his cinematic taste, so it is no surprise that "Straight Story" is extremely languid.

Most of his features are misunderstood or just too grotesque for audiences — "Lost Highway," "Eraserhead," "Wild at Heart" and even the television series "Twin Peaks" being a few examples.

So it might be quite ironic to see a Disney label on his newest effort, since sex, darkness and cynicism are such intricate parts of many of his films.

Partially, this is why "Straight Story" is unsuccessful. Since a G-rating doesn't allow for Lynch to express himself in the usual manner, the film completely loses any allure that it might have if boasted a higher grade.

Although, the more important component that destroys the pacing of "Straight Story" is the concept.

The true story of a 73-year-old Alvin Straight riding a lawnmower across Iowa state lines to Wisconsin would make an emotional and wonderfully rendered "20/20" featurette or even a short film, but the script lacks too much substance for a two-hour theatrical release.

His motivation is his estranged and extremely ill brother, which allows for some emotional carpentry, but ultimately acts as another weight on the film.

Moreover about the determination of the elderly, the "Straight Story" is a suitable example of perseverance. But with a cast of primarily actors in their 70's, Disney-tuned children and seniors alike will lose concentration.

Sissy Spacek might have been a good marketing tool for the film — an actress whom usually embraces most of her roles — is fantastic as a daughter in her mid-40's, retarded but mentally able.

However, she is another element of "Straight Story" that barricades the speed of the film.

Lynch's style doesn't dominate the screen in this picture, but it may seem too awkwardly slow for most audiences; so the film suffers from a double negative.

"Straight Story" is not a bad concept, it is just too monotonous for a silver screen transfer, allowing for a better home on the evening news than in a movie.

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#### HOOKED ON LOVE

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#### MAKE THE MOVE

Outgoing, never-married SWF, 33, 5'6", with dark hair/eyes, who enjoys sports, long walks and picnics. She's looking for a SWCM, 32-42, with similar interests. Ad# 1308

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#### LIVE IT UP

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#### GIVE ME A CALL

Petite and sweet, this active SWF, 45, 5'2", with blonde hair and green eyes, who enjoys bowling, the outdoors and much more, is looking for a friendly SWM, 40-55, who is family-oriented and down-to-earth, for friendship first. Ad# 3335

#### YOUR SERVE

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#### BEST THERE IS

Friendly DWPF, 48, 5'8", who enjoys a variety of interests, is looking for an intelligent, attractive SWM, 44-60, who enjoys life, to spend time with. Ad# 2269

#### GIVE ME A CALL

Kind-hearted, active SWF, 35, is looking for an interesting SWM, 29-39, N/S, to share animals, travel and more. Ad# 3333

#### MELODY OF LOVE

This outgoing DWCF, 51, 5'7", is a member of the choir who's ISO a romantic, considerate SWCM, 50-61, N/S, for friendship, maybe more. Ad# 6127

#### WILL GET BACK TO YOU

Friendly, petite SW mom, 34, who likes country music, sports, and spending time with her children, is looking for an outgoing SWM, for a long-term relationship. Ad# 8567

#### WANT TO SPEND TIME...

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#### STOP THE WAITING

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#### DESERVING

Friendly, attractive SWF, 46, 5'8", slender, with brown hair/eyes, who enjoys farm life, horses, animals, photography, the arts, and movies, seeks a caring, fun SWM, 38-52, who enjoys country living and similar interests. Ad# 2213

#### LOOKING FOR LOVE

This DWCF, 34, 5'8", who enjoys bible study and riding Harleys, is waiting for you. If you are an outgoing, warm-hearted, SWCM, under 45, then give her a call. She'd love to hear from you. Ad# 9445

#### SET UP A TIME & DAY

This outgoing SWF, 19, 5'7", who enjoys sports, spending time with family and going to movies, is in search of a SWM, 18-22, to spend quality time with. Ad# 1111

#### SWEET THINGS

Friendly SWF, 45, seeks a SWM, for friendship first, maybe more. She enjoys bowling, picnics, boating, long walks and the outdoors. Ad# 6999

#### ATTENTION

Friendly, affectionate, never-married SWCF, 33, 5'10", who enjoys movies, the theater and new adventures, is looking for a SWM, 35-45, without children at home. Ad# 2758

#### AMBITIOUS

Fun-loving SWCF, 23, 5'8", with long brown hair and blue eyes, who enjoys sports, music and spending time with friends, is seeking a sincere, outgoing SWCM, 22-35. Ad# 5036

#### OCEAN BREEZES

Summer is coming and I'd like to get out and have some fun. Shy at first, I'm DW mom, 42, 5'8", with various hobbies and interests, seeking a SWM, 40-48, to spend time with. Ad# 9847

#### TOGETHER AT LAST

Get to know this DWCF, 50, with blonde hair and hazel eyes, who enjoys the sun, water, sports and traveling. She's ISO a S/DWM, over 50. Ad# 6665

#### CHANGE OF PACE

Friendly, outgoing SWF, 59, 5'1", whose interests include good conversation, dining out and more, is seeking companionship with a sincere SWM, 58-65, who enjoys life. Ad# 5138

#### A KEEPER

Kind-hearted SWF, 45, 5'2", who enjoys movies, traveling and more, is looking for a loving, funny WWWM, 40-65. Ad# 1066

#### BRING YOUR SMILE

Sweet DWCF, 59, 5'3", is seeking a SWCM, 55-65, with a sense of humor, who enjoys movies, family time, traveling and home cooking. Ad# 1219

#### COMPANIONSHIP

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#### A MIRROR IMAGE

Humorous Catholic SWPF, 26, 5'4", with red hair and brown eyes, enjoys music, working out, sporting events, skiing, camping and more, would like to share good times with a humorous SWM, 25-35, who has similar interests. Ad# 2603

#### GENUINE GEM

Beautiful, brown-eyed SF, 46, who enjoys walking, traveling, movies and animals, seeks a SWCM, over 40, who loves life. Ad# 3865

#### LEAVE A MESSAGE FOR...

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#### WANTED...

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#### THE BEST

Kind, easygoing SWF, 50, 5'3", who enjoys gardening, dancing and long walks, is seeking a SWM, 48-60. Ad# 1747

#### WELCOME TO MY LIFE

Friendly SWCF, 47, 5'4", N/S, who enjoys camping, fishing, playing cards, cooking, holding hands and church activities, seeks a kind, loving SWCM, 45-60. Ad# 3755

#### FRIENDSHIP FIRST

Dining out, outdoor sports and dancing are interests of this delightful, Catholic SWF, 23, 5'6", 105lbs., with brown hair and green eyes. She's looking for that special someone, an outgoing, Catholic SWM, 21-27. Ad# 3178

#### WAITING ON YOU

What a lady. She's a SWF, 36, who's interested in meeting a SWM, under 44, for a possible long-term relationship. She enjoys life, going to the movies, good conversation and meeting new people. Ad# 1212

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#### SINCERELY

Call this petite DW mom, 46, 5'3", because she's seeking a sincere SWPCM, 40-50, for friendship and great times. Her interests include dancing and living life to the fullest. Ad# 2468

#### HEAR ME OUT ROMEO

Never-married SWCF, 26, 5'3", who enjoys the outdoors, working out and living life to the fullest, seeks a compatible SWCM, 25-35. Ad# 3811

#### BE THE ONE

Friendly DWPM, 51, 5'10", who enjoys golf and meeting new people, is seeking a SF, over 45, who has a good sense of humor, for a possible long-term relationship. Ad# 3308

#### MUSIC LOVER

Warm, educated, physically fit SWPM, 45, who enjoys ballroom dancing, concerts, reading, and good conversation. He is seeking a smart, affectionate SWPF, 26-38, for a lasting relationship. Ad# 4412

#### COUNTRY LIFESTYLE

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#### AFFECTIONATE

Shy SWM, 32, 5'10", who enjoys animals, boating and fishing, is looking for a SWF, 32-41, to share special times with. Ad# 4767

#### DON'T WAIT

Never-married SWM, 38, 5'10", 165lbs., with blonde hair and blue eyes, who enjoys animals, boating, and golf, seeks a SWF, 25-40. Ad# 7714

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Outgoing and friendly, this Catholic DWCM, 63, 5'11", 170lbs., with gray hair, who enjoys evenings at home, dining out, and going to plays and shows, is ISO childless, Catholic DWCF, 45-65, with the same interests. Ad# 2552

#### INNER BEAUTY...

Is what matters most to this outgoing WWWM, 42, 5'4", 135lbs., with blonde hair and blue eyes, who enjoys boating and fishing. He seeks a SWF, 35-48. All calls will be answered. Ad# 6272

#### SOUND GOOD?

Employed DWCM, 44, 5'10", 180lbs., with brown hair and green eyes, who loves camping, walking, country music and more, is seeking a SWF, under 45, for friendship first. Ad# 4531

#### IS IT YOU?

This friendly SWM, 33, 5'8", who enjoys sports, music and country living, is looking for a SF, under 39, who shares similar interests. Ad# 7055

#### LISTEN CLOSELY

This friendly, easygoing SWM, 26, 6', who enjoys sports, movies and painting, is interested in meeting a loving, intelligent SWF, 20-29, to go out and have a good time with. Ad# 1437

#### ANSWERED PRAYERS

Outgoing, honest DWCM, 55, 6'2", is a member of the choir who enjoys taking walks, dining out, theater, golf and travel. He's seeking friendship, perhaps more, with a similar SWCF. Ad# 9255

#### A RARE GEM

Outgoing, friendly SWM, 20, 6', who enjoys movies, music, sports and auto racing, is ISO a SWF, 18-22, who shares similar interests and would enjoy a true gentleman. Ad# 7179

#### KNOWS WHAT HE WANTS

Friendly SWM, 43, 6'2", 225lbs., with blond hair and blue eyes, who enjoys travel, dancing, fishing, movies and more, is seeking an attractive SWF, 36-45, N/S. Ad# 2424

#### LIFE IS GOOD

This friendly, active DWCM, 5'9", is a young 54 who likes to exercise. He's seeking an honest SF, under 50, who can keep up. Horse lover a plus. Ad# 4848

#### LEAVE A MESSAGE

An employed, tall, physically fit SWM, 28, who enjoys volunteer work, rollerblading and more, is seeking a nice, caring SWF, for a possible relationship. Ad# 8899

#### HOPE YOU TRY ME

SWM, 48, 5'7", whose interests include bowling, biking, taking walks in the park, music and dancing, is hoping to hear from a gentle, understanding SWF, 38 and up to share friendship and fun. Ad# 6431

#### GO PLACES...

And do things with this friendly SWCM, 28, 6'2". He enjoys animals and kids, and is hoping to hear from a similar SWCF, 18-35. Ad# 1379

#### HAVE A HEART

Employed SWM, 38, 5'11", 150lbs., enjoys outdoor activities and spending time with his children. He is seeking an honest, hardworking SWF who is attractive and physically fit. Ad# 5555

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Outgoing DWCM, 28, 6'2", enjoys going out, karaoke, and outdoor activities, and seeks a fun, spontaneous, responsible SWF, 25-35, for an equal-partner relationship. Ad# 2199

#### NOTEWORTHY

Pleasant, employed, and educated SWCM, 45, 6'5", slim build, who enjoys the outdoors, fishing, camping, movies, concerts, and dining out, is seeking an easygoing SWCF, 38-48, who is height/weight proportionate. Ad# 6907

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Fun-loving, sincere and athletic, this Catholic SWM, 40, 6'1", enjoys family, friends and romantic times, and is seeking a trim, fit SAF, 21-38. Ad# 6969

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#### A GREAT ATTITUDE...

Is what this handsome DWPM, 62, 6'2", with a slim build and outgoing personality has. He enjoys classic cars, wooden speed boats and is seeking an attractive, enthusiastic D/SWF, 36-55. Ad# 3541

#### WORTH A TRY

Fun-loving, active SWM, 30, who enjoys the outdoors and traveling, is seeking a nice, honest SWF, for a possible relationship. Ad# 2463

#### PHONE ME NOW

Friendly SNAM, 34, 5'11", who enjoys dancing, sports, camping and nature, is interested in meeting a patient, humorous SF, under 40, N/S, who likes children. Ad# 5421

#### QUIET TIMES

DWCM, 35, 5'10", enjoys outdoor activities, sports, quiet walks and movies, music and he's looking for an attractive SWCF, 35-35. Ad# 6226

#### GOOD ATTITUDE

SWM, 42, who enjoys going to the lake, the outdoors, weightlifting and kickboxing, is looking to meet a kind, outgoing SWF. Ad# 6453

#### MANY OPTIONS

Sincere SWPM, 40, 6', who enjoys Bible study and dining out, the outdoors and more, is looking to meet an honest, fun-loving SWPF. Ad# 7272

#### ROMANCE

Sincere, fun-loving, Catholic SWPM, 44, 6'1", with a wide range of interests, seeks one special slender, fit SW mom, for a romantic, monogamous LTR. Ad# 1818



## Netters 11th

By JASON SCHMITT  
Sports Editor

If there's one sport where you're at the mercy of the officials, it's tennis. And Northville's girls learned a lot about that at last weekend's Division II state tennis tournament in Okemos.

The Mustangs received just one seed and faced stiff competition early throughout the draws en route to an 11th-place finish in the state. The team scored seven points, with all seven coming from three of the seven flights.

"Once again, it goes to show you how important the draws are," coach Uta Filkin said.

Okemos won the title for the second-consecutive year and for the sixth time in the 1990s. Grand Rapids Forest Hills Northern was second and Birmingham Seaholm took third.

To show how much the draws can help, one would have to look no further than North Farmington's 10th-place finish with eight points. The Raiders lost badly to Northville in their dual match, the conference tournament and the regional tourney, yet still finished higher at the state. All of Northville's losses came to teams that finished higher than them in the team standings. Three of Northville's flights lost to No. 2 seeds, another lost to a No. 3 seed and yet another fell to a No. 4 seed.

The Mustang's best finish came from Kerry Woolfall at second singles. The junior made it all the way to the semifinals before losing to eventual state champion Ashley Smith of Portage Northern 1-6, 1-6. She defeated Lori Banacki of Flushing 6-2, 7-5 in the first round and then topped Kristen Macfarlane of Grand Rapids Forest Hills Central 6-0 6-2 in

the quarterfinals. Two years ago Woolfall won the No. 3 singles title at the state meet.

"She's very tournament experienced," her coach said.

At first doubles, Joanna Lee and Nicole Lindholm defeated Fraser's Andrea Green and Teryn Kennedy 6-1, 6-0 before bowing out to Seaholm's Kristen Neff and Stephanie Springer 1-6, 5-7. They earned the team two points, as did the No. 2 doubles team of Lauren Farris and Sarah Poirer.

That duo topped Kristen Ziech and Kathryn Ryan of Kalamazoo Loy Norrix 7-5, 7-6 (4) in the second round, but lost to Melissa McGinnis and Marcel Messenger of East Lansing 4-6, 4-6.

Unfortunately for Jessie Mills at first singles, she had to play one of the two rat-tails matches. She was pitted against Okemos' Karli Schneider and lost 1-6, 1-6 to end her day early.

Both Lauren West (three singles) and Gina Halicki lost their first matches of the day. West fell to Marian's Elizabeth Evola 2-6, 2-6 in the second round and Halicki lost a 2-6, 1-6 decision to Marian's Linda Andrews, the eventual state runner-up.

Rachel Huang and Emily Stevenson battled tough, but came up on the short end of a 7-5, 6-3 match against Katie Hasse and Niki Swindler of GRFHC.

"These were all new doubles teams for us this year," Filkin said. "So we could have used another couple weeks of practice to prepare them."

Northville ends its season with conference and regional crowns in the bag and an undefeated regular season to top it off. The all-area tennis team will appear in an upcoming issue of *The Northville Record*.



Photo by JOHN HEIDER

Joanna Lee (above) and Nicole Linholm won their first match before losing to Birmingham Seaholm 1-6, 5-7 in the quarterfinals at the state meet.

## Boy's finish 11th at Gabriel Richard Invite

By JASON SCHMITT  
Sports Editor

The Northville boys' cross country team had a seemingly busy schedule last week, taking on Walled Lake Western and Plymouth Canton in a tri-meet before colliding with 19 other teams at the Gabriel Richard Invitational last Saturday.

Facing many of the teams it will see at the regional meet, Northville finished 11th overall at Richard. Brian Bilyk was the lone medalist for Northville, finishing 17th overall in a time of 17:17 at Buhr Park.

Nick Moroz ran one of his best races of the season, according to his coach, Chris Cronin. He was 56th overall in 18:14.

"This was the time last year that Nick really started to turn it on," his coach said. "If he runs well, he could have a shot at an all-division finish Friday (at the Western Lakes meet)."

The Mustangs second through sixth runners all finished within 25 seconds of each other, as Moroz, Phil Santer (18:25), Joe Lunn (18:31), Eric Nadeau (18:34) and Joe Tracz (18:39) held down those slots.

### N'VILLE 2ND IN TRI MEET

Unable to top Walled Lake Western, the Mustangs were able to topple Plymouth Canton as the three teams battled it out at Willis Park last Thursday. Bilyk was again the team's top runner, finishing in a time of 17:29, which was second overall in the race.

The key, however, for Northville was its next three runners, who finished 10th, 11th and 12th in the race. Santer, Moroz and Lunn were 10 seconds apart and solidified the win over the Chiefs. Ben Flood was the fifth scorer, taking 15th place overall in 19:02. The team tied Canton 28-28, but Eric Nadeau helped his team win the tiebreaker with a 16th-place finish at 19:02.

Northville finished 3-2 in the Western Division of the WLA, which was good for third place.

"We knew that if we didn't run well, that we could easily lose both races," Cronin said.

## Red Wing auction to have rare items

Anybody looking for old Detroit Red Wing memorabilia won't want to miss this Red Wing auction, which will be held Oct. 30 at the Northville Recreation Center in downtown Northville.

Hosted by Blue Star Auction Company, the auction contains over 575 items which were collected by Bill and Bernie Opalewski in their some 53 years working for the Red Wing organization. The father and son tandem both worked in commissary and malte-

nance at both the Olympia and Joe Louis arenas from 1927-1980.

Among some of the collectables available at the auction are autographed sticks, programs and pictures.

The auction will take place from 1 p.m. until the items are gone. Amazon.com has also contacted Blue Star management and the auction will also take place on line all over the world. There will be a preview hour beginning at 12 p.m.

## Northville or Novi? And the winner is...

Will it be clean? No.

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Will it be a hard-hitting, bone-crushing, in-your-face style of game that fans have grown to love between two high schools separated by two miles of asphalt?

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There is not a better high-school rivalry on the gridiron than the annual Northville and Novi "Baseline Jug" game. Played on the last night of the regular season since 1976, the game has often meant more than just the third non-conference game on each team's schedule. Many times it pits a struggling, mediocre team against a team with a shot at the playoffs or a perfect season. So regardless of the team's records, it has a special meaning for these two



Jason Schmitt

neighboring schools.

And although this year's game may seem like a matchup between a team that's 4-4 and most

likely out of playoff contention and one that's already locked up a playoff berth, it goes much deeper than that.

First off, Novi has locked up a playoff spot, but it's yet to be determined if it will be on the road or at home. Playing at friendly Novi High would suit the Wildcats just fine, where the team is 4-0 heading into the "Baseline" game. The "Cats could also accomplish something that no other Novi team has done since the 1988 team that reached the state semifinals, win seven or more games. The 1996 team was 6-3, but was far from getting a playoff opportunity under the old system.

And if you take a look at the Northville team,

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Photo by TOM HIBBELN

Northville back Ryan Anolick turns the corner in a 33-0 win over Central.

## Northville crosses line for 33-0 win over Walled Lake Central

### Langston nears school touchdown record

By JASON SCHMITT  
Sports Editor

Does "Touchdown Brandon" sound right?

Well it doesn't have quite the flair that "Touchdown Tommy" Vardell used to have scoring touchdowns for Stanford University, but the Northville junior has had a flair for getting the ball in the end zone this season.

Such was the case last Friday night, when Langston scored on touchdown runs of 71, 1, 8 and 14 yards to lead Northville to a 33-0 rout of Walled Lake Central. The four scores gives Langston 15 for the season, one short of the school record set by Ron Rice in 1963.

"We could have gotten him one more to tie for the record, but time is time, and next week is next week," coach Darrel Schumacher said. "We need him against Novi."

Northville asserted its dominance early on, scoring on the first play from scrimmage. Langston took the option pitch from quarterback Eric Cooley and scooted 71 yards to give his team a 6-0 lead. Tim Kelleher nailed the extra point to complete the team's hot start.

"I thought we hit well at that point. We were able to move them off the ball," Schumacher said. "I just didn't want the team to get overconfident. But they stayed focused and played a great game."

It was the first game Schumacher felt his team hit on all cylinders. Only two missed extra points tainted the team's performance.

Langston scored his second touchdown from one-yard out with 9:43 left in the half and added a third score from eight-yards out with 2:35 left to give his team a 19-0 lead at the half.

If there was any remaining doubt as to whether the Mustangs were in control of

the game, consecutive scores from Langston (14 yards) and Ryan Anolick (5 yards) in the third quarter shut it off.

"I was very pleased with the way our offense came off the line," the coach said. "We were able to execute any play we wanted to the whole game. We were playing hard-hitting, hard-working football."

Northville's offense wasn't the only aspect of perfection on the field. The defense allowed just 37 yards rushing on 29 attempts. Travis Bliss led the team with eight first hits and two assisted tackles to go with his sack and pass deflection. Steve Jameson and Joe Rumbley each had five solos and three assists. Three of Rumbley's tackles were for a loss and he also caused a fumble and had a pass deflection. Bobby Baker had five first hits and Brian Roth had three solos and an interception. Jon Campton had four total tackles and forced and recovered a fumble.

Offensively, Langston was the star. He rushed for 205 yards and his four touchdowns. Cooley was 5 for 8 for 105 yards while Aaron Redden hauled in three catches for 67 yards and Anolick had two for 38.

### Up next...Novi

Although the chances of Northville making the playoffs as a 5-4 team are slim to none, there's still a chance. As of last week, 311 teams had four or more wins and a chance at the automatic six wins needed to solidify a playoff berth or the five wins needed for an at-large bid.

If there are less than 256 teams in all classes with six wins or more, the state will begin searching for the best 5-4 teams remaining. If those run out, 4-4 teams are eligible. The problem with Northville's chances is that the team has no wins over quality opponents. The team is 4-0

against sub-.500 teams and 0-4 against winning teams.

"We've got to find a way to beat the big boys," Schumacher said.

Novi is one of those big boys, and may be the best team the Mustangs have faced since running into Harrison in week number three.

"They've got all kinds of weapons," the coach said of Novi. "Whether the ball is thrown, or pitched, you know the ball is going to be in the air."

The Wildcats are 6-2 and have won four straight since falling to Hartland 20-19 on Sept. 17. The team displays an option offense led by its best player, Mitch Maier. The quarterback has passed for over 800 yards and rushed for over 500 this year. He has accounted for 16 total touchdowns.

He's also a catalyst on defense in the secondary, where he had intercepted three passes and leads the team in total tackles.

The Wildcats have won three of the last four games in this series, which began with three-straight wins in the early 1970s.

Novi will host the "Baseline Jug game" tomorrow night at Novi High School beginning at 7:30 p.m.

The Northville and Novi  
pom pon teams will be  
performing together at  
halftime of tomorrow  
night's Northville/Novi  
"Baseline Jug" game at  
Novi High School.



Photo by TOM HIBBELN

Northville seniors (front) Stephanie Sabo, (middle) Jackie Salliotte and Stefanie Nurmi and (back) Lara Lee Roney, Nicole Sprader and Michelle Cheaney take time out for a picture prior to their lone home meet of the season against Franklin last Thursday night.

## Seniors night brings home win for tankers

By JASON SCHMITT  
Sports Editor

With one of its strongest senior classes in recent memory, it was only appropriate that the Northville swim team won its seventh-straight meet of the season last Thursday in the only home meet of the season, on senior night.

The Mustangs topped Franklin with ease, winning 10 of 12 events and securing another division championship. The meet was the last of six seniors' careers at Northville High School. Michelle Cheaney, Stefanie Nurmi, Lara Lee Roney, Stephanie Sabo, Jackie Salliotte and Nicole Sprader all ended their home Northville careers, which only spanned four home meets in four years.

Next season the team will host several home meets with the opening of the new high school.

The Mustangs opened up the meet with a 2nd and 3rd place finish in the medley relay. Salliotte, Sprader, Roney and Nurmi formed an all-senior quartet that finished runnerup.

Michelle Longeway and Jessie Stuber were 1-2 in the 200 freestyle, as were Deirdre Schwirung and Erin Schubert in the 50 freestyle. Jessica Hrivnak and Roney were first and second in the 100 butterfly and

Sprader and Laura Sheppard were 1-2 in the 100 breast.

Finishing first and third also became commonplace for Northville, which did it in the 200 IM (Sabo and Sprader), the diving (Kim Veres and Lindsay Dehne) and the 500 freestyle (Alli Stewart and Lauren Phillips). Schubert won the 100 freestyle and Salliotte and Annette Calabrese were 2nd and 3rd in the 100 back.

The Mustangs dominated the 200 free relay event. Sabo, Michelle Tomes, Lisa Longeway and Nurmi won the race and Jenny Carr, Jenny Houselander, Megan Houselander and Drie Komasa were runnerups.

Sabo, Stewart, Sheppard and Amy Black won the 400 freestyle relay to close the meet.

"Going undefeated doesn't mean anything to us. It doesn't give us any awards," coach Bill Dicks said. "Sometimes it's better to go through a season with a loss to keep yourselves hungry. Fortunately this year every one of these girls have been focused on winning."

Northville concluded its regular season against Novi Tuesday (after *The Northville Record's* deadline) and will now taper some before the league meet Nov. 4.

## Novi upends cagers

By JASON SCHMITT  
Sports Editor

In a battle of two hot teams on the hardwood, Novi proved to be too hot for Northville to handle, as the Wildcats handed the Mustangs a 50-37 loss at Novi High School Saturday night.

Novi took advantage of its superior speed, applying an early press which caused several first-quarter turnovers by Northville.

"My biggest concern was their size," Novi coach Dennis Cichonski said. "I didn't know how well we'd rebound against a taller team. We ended up about even in rebounds and if I can get that against a team like Northville, I'll take it."

By halftime Novi had built a 32-21 lead, thanks in part to the 'Cats ability to score against Northville's zone defense.

"We started with a zone, but Novi's good at two things; they play extremely hard — all the team — and catch and pass the ball really well," Northville coach Pete Wright said.

"We were surprised to see a zone, to be honest with you," Cichonski admitted. "Our kids reacted well to the zone."

Novi maintained its pace in the third quarter, outscoring Northville 12-10 to take a 44-31 lead. Both teams struggled offensively in the fourth as Novi improved to 12-1 on the season. Northville dropped to 8-5 with the loss.

McGlinnen led Novi with 12 points and Colleen Lewis added 11 off the bench. Jessica Gilbert had two big three pointers and eight points.

Kate Hammond's 13 points led Northville. Emily Car-bott added seven points.

### N'VILLE 47, WESTERN 30

Northville was able to use its height advantage against the Warriors, pulling down 32 rebounds and attempting just four three pointers the entire game. Unlike the Novi game, Northville was able to jump out to leads of 13-5 and 24-9 at the end of the first two quarters. A 14-7 advantage in the third quarter put the game out of reach.

Mary Tanski had 10 points and four rebounds (all offensive) to really give her team a spark. Hammond added 12 points and pulled down six boards of her own. Meredith Hasse had a game-high nine rebounds.

### N'VILLE 53, STEVENSON 28

Despite the fact that the team hit just 12 of 24 free throws and turned the ball over 22 times, the Mustangs were simply too much for the Spartans to handle in this Western Lakes game.

Northville made up for their shortcomings with 33 rebounds and 18 steals in the game. Meredith Hasse had a well-balanced game, knocking down seven points, seven steals and six rebounds. Janel Hasse led the team with 15 points and eight rebounds and Hammond added 12 and four.

Northville was added when it found out that Stevenson's best player, Lindsay Gusick, was suspended for the first half of the game for missing a practice earlier that week.

The Mustangs now hit the toughest part of their league schedule, where it played Salem on the road Tuesday night (after *The Northville Record's* deadline), Harrison on the road tonight and North Farmington at home Tuesday night. Salem was undefeated in WLAA play and the Hawks and Raiders each had one loss along with Northville.

## Colts varsity whips Clarkston

Colts' Varsity Whips Clarkston in Season Finale

The Northville-Novl Colts' Varsity (12- and 13-year-olds) finished the season with a huge win over the Clarkston Chiefs, 49-6, last Sunday at Northville High School. The Colts' Varsity finished with their season with a 4-4 record in the Suburban Youth Football Conference.

"It was a great way to finish the season for our Varsity," said Bob Baum, commissioner of the Northville-Novl Colts. "We really prepared our kids to go forward into their school program next year."

"I believe we accomplished our goals for this season," Baum added. "We learned many significant football and cheerleading skills. We also learned the importance of playing together as a team."

"I feel very confident that the Colts will continue to become a

stronger program in the future."

The Varsity dominated the entire game against Clarkston, scoring 22 points in the first quarter and adding 19 more in the second quarter to jump out to an insurmountable 41-0 halftime lead that they never relinquished.

Anthony Sabo, who scored three touchdowns on the day, opened the scoring with the first eight points by sacking the Clarkston quarterback for a safety and then scoring on the ensuing kickoff when Kevin George lateraled back to Sabo, who ran 55 yards. Sabo added another first-quarter touchdown on a 40-yard scamper.

Sean Costello also scored in the first quarter on a 15-yard run. Joe Prain capped off the 22-point quarter with an extra-point kick.

In the second quarter, Brandon Hatcher made the score 28-0 with a 10-yard touchdown run. Josh

Woods galloped 30 yards for a score, and his brother, Jarrell Woods, added a 60-yard touchdown run — immediately after one of his touchdown runs was called back because of a penalty. Prain added an extra-point run to make the score 41-0 at halftime.

Everyone saw action in the second half as coach Chuck Sislo shuffled in players on both offense and defense. Sabo scored his third touchdown in the third quarter. Alex Baum and Bill Steele finished off the scoring when they combined to sack the Chiefs for a safety.

Defensively, the Colts were outstanding thanks to the play of Jeff Freers, Chris Polls, Chas Maul, and Patrick Tierney.

The Colts' Junior Varsity and Freshmen teams finished their seasons with disappointing losses to Clarkston.

### Sports Shorts

#### KOUFAX TRYOUTS

Little Caesars Sandy Koufax travel baseball teams are looking for a few good 14-year-old players. The team will play approximately 60 games during the 2000 season and will travel out of the state at least three times. One of these trips may be to the Disney Complex in Florida or Cooperstown in New York. If you are interested in learning more about the team, please call (734) 595-2975 for more information.

#### HOCKEY LEAGUES BEING OFFERED

Ed's Sports Hockey Leagues are now accepting players and teams for adult hockey leagues for the fall season. The games will be played at the Novi and Brighton Ice Arenas. There will be leagues for over 20, 30, 40 and 50. For more information or for an application, please call Ed at (1-800-924-6114).

### League Line

#### U-9 BOYS

John Donikian and Alex Belanger each scored a goal to propel the Cosmos to a 2-1 win over Livonia last week. Game MVP was Garrett Kelly.

#### U-10 GIRLS

The Hot Spurs battled the Lightning to a 0-0 tie. Game MVP honors went to Becky Soyster and Michelle Oldham.

The Spurs were able to get on the board in a 4-2 win over Plymouth. Down two goals, Gracie Myers and Carissa Patrone scored back-to-back to tie the game up. From there Kathryn Farquhar and Brittany Birdsall added the last two. Myers and Sarah Rush were the game's MVPs.

The Lightning defeated Plymouth #2 2-1 last Saturday on goals by Gracey Booth and Caitlin Robertson. MVPs for the Lightning were Erica Tykal and Claire Linton.

Kari Hartmann came through in goal to lead her Lightning to a 2-0 shut out win over Plymouth #3 on Sunday. Maureen Schmenk won the defensive MVP honors and Kirstyn Wildey scored both goals to earn offensive honors.

#### U-11 GIRLS

In the first game of the Northville Cup, the Lightning defeated the Storm 3-0. Melissa Case scored two goals, earning offensive MVP honors. Laura Moehle hit the net on a penalty kick for the final goal. Defensive MVP honors went to Rochelle Kelly.

#### U-12 GIRLS

The Express narrowly slipped by Livonia 1-0 as Rachel Reuter scored the team's only goal. Sharing in the shutout were goalies Julianne Schulz and Andrea Mohele.

The team topped Plymouth #2 by the score of 2-0 on goals by Lisa Ver-shave and Alicia Watts. Again, Schulz and Mohele shared the shutout.

Five different players scored goals in the United's 5-0 win over Farmington last week. Heather Cox, Kelly Lockman, Brynn Smetana, Jessica Reuter and Kendra Rose all found the net and Jill Paladino was the game's MVP.

Lockman scored both goals to lead the United to a 2-0 win over Ply-

mouth. Kristen Engstrom was the MVP.

The United beat the Stompers 2-1 on a pair of goals by Smetana. Lauryn Brennan was the team's MVP.

In the first of two Northville Cup games, the United duplicated their 2-1 win over the Stompers, getting a pair of goals from Sara Dolmetsch. Liz Fields was the MVP.

The Express tied South Lyon 1-1. Allison Foerg scored the only goal for the Express, and Schulz and Mohele were the team's goalies.

Jenna Hansen scored a pair of goals and Jean Hanley and Jaclyn Kelly each added one in a 4-1 Stompers win over Farmington.

#### U-13 GIRLS

The Arsenal topped Novi #1 by the score of 3-1 last week to up their record to 5-1. Keli Bowen scored two goals and Jackie Demmer added the other for the Arsenal. Demmer and Kerry Czarniecki were the game's MVPs.

Amy Cauzillo scored the Rockers only goal against South Lyon, but it was enough to lift her team to a 1-0 win. Jessica Pippo and Laura Randall were the team's MVPs.

Despite the MVP efforts of Kristin Delaney and Erica Danaj, the Arsenal couldn't find the net in a 3-0 loss to South Lyon last Sunday.

#### U-14 GIRLS

Shannon Farris scored a pair of goals and Kathryn Kinville, Laura Kempa and Marie Ambler each added one in the Lightning's 5-0 win over Farmington. Farris and Mary Schubert were the game's MVPs.

Katie Beger's goal lifted the United to a 1-0 win over Novi #2. Carly Daggett and Jessica Stambouljan were the MVPs.

Amy Petroskey and Farris each had a goal to lead the Lightning to a 2-1 win over Novi #2. Emily Dixon and Allison Esper were the MVPs.

The Lightning and Plymouth #1 played to a 0-0 tie last Saturday. Becky Kempa and Ambler were the MVP winners.

Emily Watson had a hat trick, Erica Catanach score two and Danielle Lorente added another as the United stomped Farmington 6-0 Saturday. Watson was the offensive MVP and Brittany Wond was the defensive star.

## Who will win the big game, NHS or NHS

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It looks a lot like this last year's Novi squad. Young, with almost a full year of experience behind it, Northville is looking to match the Wildcat's 5-4 record of a year ago.

In my estimation, the game will be won at the line of scrimmage. Novi's got the experience, but Northville's got a little more size.

Northville coach Darrel Schumacher said after last week's 33-0 win over Central that his team played its first full-game of the season. He's been concerned about his young offensive and defensive lines all year long, but had no worries against the Vikings.

Can Northville's defense pressure Novi quarterback Mitch Maier enough to make him

make quick decisions? Will it be able to force a few turnovers? If the answer is yes to both of those questions, then Northville has a legitimate chance to win this ball game.

But if Novi controls the line, opens up holes for their option attack and Maier and Scott Minke patrol the secondary like they have and Novi's unheralded defensive front seven can stop the surging Brandon Langston, Novi will win this ballgame.

Here's a few quick facts about the ballgame...

- Langston leads the area with 15 touchdowns, one short of the school record set by Ron Rice in 1963
- Maier has accounted for 16 touchdowns on offense this year, including nine through the

air

- Northville leads the all-time series 15-13
- Novi won last year's contest 22-17 after Ben Keete was ruled out of bounds in the end zone late in the game
- Novi is 3-0 with sports editor Jason Schmitt in the press box watching their games
- Northville is 0-3 with losses to Brighton (31-3), Harrison (38-7) and Canton (24-0) with Jason Schmitt in the press box watching their games
- Jason Schmitt will be in the press box for this game!

His prediction: Novi 27, Northville 16  
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## McDONALD FORD SALUTES NORTHVILLE ATHLETES OF THE WEEK

### Kerry Woolfall - Junior



The second time this season that Woolfall has been out-athlete of the week.

But she deserves it.

The junior displayed the same excellence that won her a state title at three singles two years ago.

She reached the semifinals last Saturday before bowing out to the eventual state champion.

### Brandon Langston - Junior



Another repeat performer, Langston is nearing the school record for touchdowns scored. He has 15 with one game to play and trails just Ron Rice, who set the mark with 16 touchdowns in 1963.

Langston scored four times and rushed for 205 yards in a 33-0 Northville romp over Walled Lake Central last Friday night.

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# Kickers get revenge game

If it were not for a lack of scoring this season, the Northville soccer team would be looking at a division championship, at least.

Instead, the team finds itself in third place in its own division, thanks to losses to division winner Churchill (3-2) and runner-up Canton (1-0). Northville dominated both games, but couldn't score when it needed to.

"We are possessing and dominating the ball, but not executing on offense," Northville coach Henry Klimes said. "You can outplay anyone you want, but you still have to put the ball in the net."

Monday night the team faced Farmington in the Western Lakes crossover, and fell to the Falcons 1-0. Jeff Frederick scored the game's only goal to lead Farmington. No other details of the game were available at press time.

On Oct. 13, the team was able to muster up some offense, collecting four goals en route to a 4-0 win over Farmington Hills Harrison. The game was the last of the home season and it was senior night at Northville High School.

## DISTRICT SET

With the regular season a distant memory already, Northville found out it will be hosting Churchill in the district opener Monday night at NHS. The winner of that game will play at Franklin on Wednesday. The other half of the draw has Stevenson and the University of Detroit-Jesuit matching up in the first round and the winner taking on Detroit Catholic Central in the semis.

The championship game will be played a week from Saturday at the University of Detroit.

# Loss of stars leads to losses

By JASON SCHMITT  
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Without its best runner in the lineup and no others running personal best times, Northville struggled to a 16th-place finish at the Gabriel Richard Invitational last Saturday at Buhr Park.

Alyson Flohr is still recovering from a sprained ankle, and had to miss the invite. That meant the Mustangs were going to score an additional 70-90 points and finish a bit down from where they may have.

Running number one for Northville was Lorraine Blair, who finished 69th overall in a time of 22 minutes, 43 seconds. Teammate Allison Loeffler was not far behind, finishing 74th in 22:55. Kelly Driscoll was 79th overall (23:07) and Laura Elsesser (84th in 23:16) and Hillary McCrumb (94th in 23:50) rounded out the scoring for Northville.

Kaileen Krizanich and Ann Schovers were the team's sixth and seventh runners.

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## NVILLE LOSES TWO

With both Flohr and Blair missing this meet because of injuries and sicknesses, the Mustangs had little chance in this tri meet with Western and Canton. Northville lost to Canton 15-46 and 17-42 to the Warriors.

Loeffler was the top Mustang runner, finishing the tough Willis Park course in 23:10. Emily Shebak joined the varsity ranks that day and was second on her team in 23:38. Elsesser was third at 23:40.

Christy Delano was fourth at 24:20 and Schovers was fifth in 24:28.

"This was probably one of our toughest and most disappointing meets of the season," Northville coach Karin Nelson said. "Without our top two runners, the other varsity runners needed to step up and take their places and they didn't. We had a very flat day."

# Conway shoots 87 at state

Northville junior Dean Conway advanced to the state golf tournament last Friday, but did not advance past the first day of competition and into Saturday's finals.

Conway fired an 87, which was eight strokes above the cut. The state finals were held at El Dorado golf course in Mason last Friday and Saturday.

"It was a good learning experience for him," Northville coach Brad Stedry said. "I didn't get a chance to see him play, because they had us coaches doing different things on the course."

Northville missed advancing as a team by placing fourth at the regional tournament, four strokes behind Milford. Conway had advanced by shooting a 79.

# Hot Picks

The second season of football picks has begun, and everyone will be trying to top the defending champion, Jason Schmitt. This year we've even given the coin a chance, so hopefully everyone has at least a 50 percent chance of finishing out of last place...we hope!



Jason Schmitt



Bob Jackson



Chris Davis



John Heider



Andrew Dietderich



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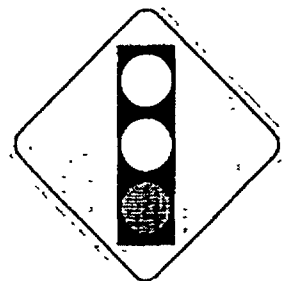


Jeremy McBain



The Flip of the Coin

Northville at Novi	Novi	Northville	Novi	Novi	Novi	Novi	Novi	Northville
Canton at Salem	Canton	Canton	Salem	Canton	Canton	Canton	Canton	Salem
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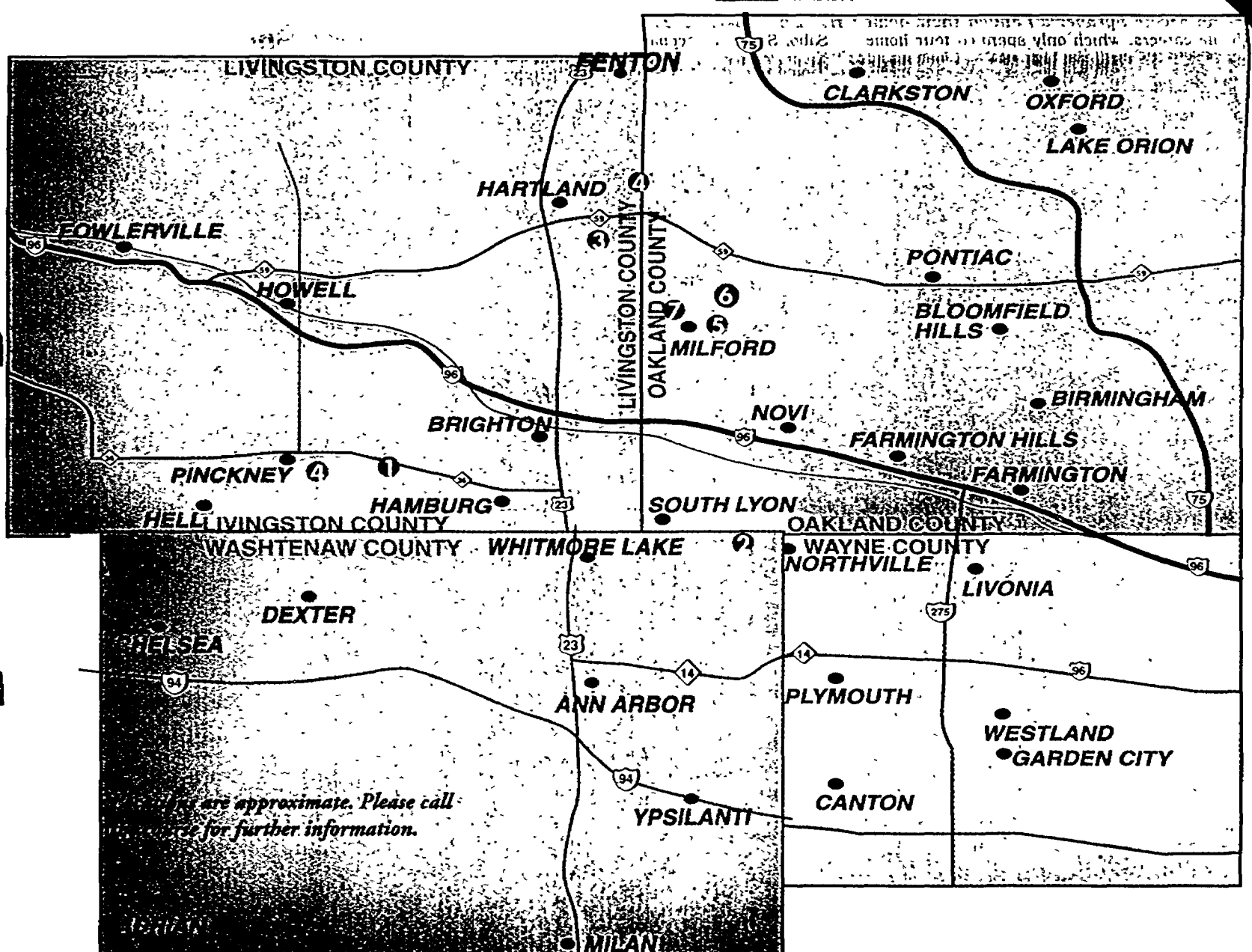
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# RECORD HEALTH

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THURSDAY  
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### Health Column

## Silent killer may lurk inside you

Don't become a victim of the "silent epidemic": Find out today if you have hepatitis C, or learn to avoid it.

You may not know it, but a silent killer may lurk inside your body. And if you don't find and treat it, you may wind up dead. Even if you don't have it yet, you could be at risk and not even know it.

It sounds too dramatic, but it's true: the virus known as hepatitis C is one of the nation's newest and most frightening health threats, infecting the bodies of 4 million Americans, killing 10,000 every year and causing more than half of the liver failures that lead to transplants. Still, most people who have it or might someday catch it don't suspect a thing.

Scientists at the University of Michigan and elsewhere are hard at work on a vaccine, and treatments can keep hepatitis C from shutting down the livers of a sizable number of those it infects. But says U-M professor of gastroenterology Dr. Fred Askari, the most important weapons against the virus are awareness and testing.

"It is estimated that as many as nine out of ten people who are infected with hepatitis C may be unaware that they harbor the infection," said Askari, who authored an authoritative guide on the disease. Many infections don't cause symptoms, or the symptoms are mistaken for something else, he said, until it's too late.

"Within a decade, if no new treatments are found, the death rate from hepatitis C may actually eclipse the number of deaths caused by AIDS or breast cancer."

The rapid spread of hepatitis C is an impressive feat for a virus that was only identified ten years ago. Even more impressive is the battle that medical scientists are waging against it.

Already, new treatments can clear the virus from the blood and livers of 20 percent to 40 percent of patients. Tests have been developed to screen the nation's blood supply, though many infections can be traced back to blood

transfusions made before screening began in 1992. Most of the disease's risk factors have been deduced by studying those who are infected, though the source of a full 20 percent of hepatitis C cases is unknown.

The news for prevention and treatment may be encouraging, but Askari stresses that there are still ways to be exposed to hepatitis C — mostly through tainted blood. Risk factors include:

- Blood transfusion or use of blood products such as clotting factors before 1992;
- Having been tattooed;
- Having ear or body piercings done;
- Sharing razor blades;
- Promiscuous unprotected sexual activity;
- Intravenous drug use, even just one time; and
- Intranasal cocaine use.

Even having a manicure or pedicure may carry some risk, experts speculate, if the instruments used aren't well sterilized. "Any form of blood that's infected with hepatitis C and comes into contact with someone else's blood is an opportunity for spreading the infection," Askari explains.

Anyone who faces one or more of these risk factors should have their blood screened for hepatitis C immediately, says Askari. Even if you don't meet any of these criteria, you may still be among those who unknowingly caught the virus another way, and may still wish to be tested.

It's also important to get screened even if you don't think you have any symptoms, he stresses. Hepatitis C's warning signs are often vague, and don't appear in everyone who carries the virus. However, symptoms do include: fatigue, joint aches, muscle aches, flu-like symptoms, sweats, and bloating.

If you do find out you have hepatitis C, there are several options to treat the disease. Injections of interferon, which boosts the immune system, can be combined with the antiviral drug ribavirin to put many patients into remission.

More treatments are on the way.

The U-M is taking part in a clinical trial to compare two hepatitis C treatments for patients who have just begun treatment, and soon will become one of only nine centers studying a treatment for chronic hepatitis C that does not respond to other therapies. For information on either trial, prospective patients can call 1-800-395-6431. To make an appointment at the U-M to be tested or treated for hepatitis C, call 1-888-229-7408.

One of the greatest worries with the hepatitis C "silent epidemic," Askari says, is that there won't be enough donor livers to replace the inflamed, scarred, cirrhosis-damaged organs of the disease's carriers.

Though not everyone who has the virus in their body will experience liver failure and need a transplant, the number is large enough that it may make the existing shortage of donor organs even worse, Askari says. "Those of us who are not infected should sign our donor cards and help increase the number of organs available to all who need them," he adds.

Research continues on how best to prevent hepatitis C infection and liver problems that come from it. At the U-M, this includes work on how best to vaccinate against the virus, which many change from year to year like influenza. Askari and others at the U-M are studying substances called adjuvants, which could be administered along with a vaccine to help the immune system.

For now, Askari says, the best defense is to insist on sterile equipment for manicures, pedicures, shaving and tattooing, and to avoid contact with the blood or personal items of others. The nation's current blood supply, however, can be trusted because of the screening process now in place.

Dr. Askari's book, "Hepatitis C The Silent Epidemic: The Authoritative Guide" is available from Perseus Publishing Corp.

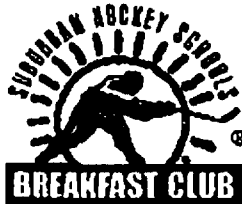
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#### CHILD CLINIC

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 14 locations throughout Oakland County.

Services include heights and weights; head to toe physical examination; immunizations; vision, hearing and lab testing; growth and developmental screening; and counseling as needed.

Appointments are 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) 926-3000.

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For information and registration, call (248) 477-6100.

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A \$300 fee includes enrollment in the class "ABC of Weight Loss." For more information and to register, call (248) 473-5600.

#### 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; head-to-toe physical examination; immunizations; vision, hearing and lab testing; growth and developmental screening; and counseling with referrals to physicians and area resources as needed.

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 8-4001.

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#### STEPPING STONES

It's a divorce-recovery workshop for children and parents. It starts Nov. 4 and is offered by pre-registry only. It runs every Thursday for six weeks at Ward Presbyterian Church in Northville.

The cost is \$10 and scholarships are available. For more information please call (248) 374-5920.

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## HOW TO

### Blood, sweat, & tiles

By Gene Gary  
COPLEY NEWS SERVICE

**Q.** We are expanding our home by adding a new kitchen and family area. The subfloor is plywood. I plan on installing ceramic tile flooring myself. Can I install the tile directly over the plywood? What is the best type of adhesive for laying tile on plywood?

**A.** Although it has long been an accepted practice to glue tile to plywood subflooring, you might consider some enhancements to this type of subflooring that will assure better durability for your new tile floor. In some cases, tile bonded to plywood will tend to form cracks in the grout lines and even pop loose.

The problem is caused by the flexibility of the wood - and wood's sensitivity to moisture. Wood floors tend to flex and bend under weight. But tile doesn't flex because it is rock hard. Grout, which is essentially cement, also hardens. Together the tile and grout form an inflexible sheet on top of a more flexible wood subfloor.

To assure a strong subflooring that won't flex, a special layer of plywood at least 3/8-inch thick, called underlayment, should be installed over a 3/4-inch plywood subflooring. A better choice than plywood underlayment would be to use cement backer board, 5/16-inch thick, bonded to at least 3/4-inch plywood subflooring.

Cement board consists of a layered concrete bond between two fiberglass mats. It comes in 30-by-60-inch sheets, and though heavy, it is easy to cut by scoring with a utility knife. Its advantage over a plywood underlayment is the protection to moisture it provides. It is the recommended underlayment for kitchens and bathrooms. However, wood is sensitive to moisture in other areas of your home. It expands and contracts according to weather conditions and the relative humidity. Tile and grout don't expand and contract with moisture changes.

In areas where humidity is high and moisture penetrates the wood, you can easily have problems with cracking grout and popping tiles that are installed over a wood base. Cement backer board will help prevent this. It acts as a buffer, allowing the wood base to move with changing moisture conditions, while the tile remains stationary. Bonding the cement board to the wood also helps stiffen the floor, providing a better bonding surface for a latex-cement adhesive.

A solid foundation is important no matter what underlayment you use. To assure this, your floor joists should be 16 inches on center. Anything wider will require additional reinforcement, and it would be best to consult a tile-installation professional. Also, if the floor you are tiling is more than 24 feet long, you'll need to put special expansion joints in it to keep the grout from cracking due to floor movement. Often, this is best left to professionals. Consult your tile dealer.

There are two basic types of adhesives that professional tile setters use. One, the organic type, is a thick glue that you buy premixed in cans or tubs and trowel on. The other is a latex-cement mortar that you buy in powdered form and mix yourself. Although both work well, the mortar performs better in wet areas and when you're bonding tile to cement backer board. It is not as easy to use as the premixed adhesives, but it is the product I would recommend.

It's important to read and follow manufacturer's directions concerning the best use for that particular adhesive as well as directions for mixing, application and drying time. Drying time is critical. Some premixed adhesives dry very slowly. It causes major problems if you grout the tiles before the adhesive has dried properly. And walking on tile too soon can ruin the bond.

**Q.** I have a common problem with continual mildew in the grout in the bathroom and shower. I have used various treatments over the years. Nothing seems to work. I recently had the entire shower regouted and a fan put in the ceiling because our bathroom has a lot of moisture with nowhere to go after showers. The problem has returned. Do you have any suggestions for a solution?

**A.** You have taken all of the appropriate steps to combat this problem. I often recommend cleaning with a thick paste of scouring powder and hot water left on the stained areas for five to 10 minutes, combined with household bleach if necessary, or using undiluted bleach left on the grout for a least five minutes prior to rinsing with clear water. Installation of a ventilating fan is useful in flushing out the moisture and helping the bathroom dry faster. If you cut off the moisture supply, mildew can't grow.

Perhaps the fan you installed is not efficient enough for the task. The one step you haven't mentioned taking is application of a sealer on the grout lines. A quality sealer will help reduce mildew in showers and other damp areas by preventing water from collecting behind the tiles and in the grout itself. Good sealers, though somewhat expensive, will last for years. I have previously recommended using one of the silicone sealers.

Sealer is best applied soon after new grout has dried, before stains can penetrate the porous surface. Apply this type of sealer carefully, avoiding the surface of the tile. A small artist's brush works well. Any excess sealer that gets on the tile surface should be wiped off immediately. Two coats of sealer can provide long-lasting protection.

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By James M. Woodard  
COPLEY NEWS SERVICE

## Homebuyers are flocking to the Internet for purchases as well as information

Homebuyers are increasingly turning to the Internet for current information on the real estate market and for data on homes now being offered for sale.

That's the finding of a recently concluded survey. It revealed that nearly 38 percent of persons surveyed indicated they had used the Internet to obtain information or buy a home.

Internet buyers in the survey were categorized as having used the Internet for one or more of the following purposes: finding homes for sale, neighborhood information and/or finding a mortgage loan.

pre-qualifying for a mortgage, and finding a broker and communicating with that broker.

The survey was conducted by the California Association of Realtors. Its survey and study focused on consumers and brokers in its state, but the findings are similar to national reports. It contained some interesting information that indicates certain trends emerging in the real estate market.

The survey found that the typical home sold this year was on the market for four weeks - half the eight-week period of two years ago and the shortest time on the market since 1989. And, perhaps even more significantly, the median home price this year is closer to the initial asking price than any other time on record. The median difference is only 3.2 percent, down from 3.5 percent just a year ago.

We're clearly in the midst of a strong seller's market in most areas throughout the country. The survey also noted that buyers now view their residential real estate purchase as a prudent investment as well as a place to live.

Although the stock market played less of a role in the decision to pur-

chase a home than earlier this year, the survey found that buyers using the Internet were much more likely to use the sale of stock for their down payment (7.6 percent), said Leslie Appleton-Young, the association's chief economist.

Specifically, the role of the stock market in home buyers' and sellers' decisions was apparent in 6.6 percent of home-purchase transactions, down a bit from 10.2 percent earlier this year.

Internet buyers indicated the stock market played a more significant role in their decision to purchase a home. Also, Internet buyers are paying a final sales price that is, on average, \$20,500 higher than the final price paid by all homebuyers.

As for the profile of today's average homebuyer, the survey showed that 59 percent are married, 30 percent are single, and nearly 10 percent are composed of two or more related or unrelated individuals. About 10 percent of buyers paid cash for their home purchase.

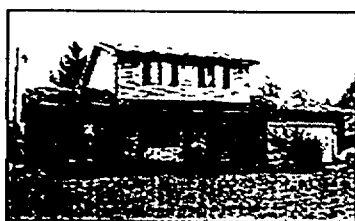
Repeat homebuyers comprise about 57 percent of all home purchasers.

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# Web increasingly important in home-buying process

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The proportion of first-time buyers is 43 percent. Fixed-rate mortgage loans comprised 81 percent of mortgages issued in recent months.

To survive in a highly competitive environment, real estate brokers must quickly adapt to new trends and consumer demands in the marketplace. The National Association of Realtors recently completed a survey of its members, and discovered the following:

- In spite of the continuing trend of consolidation in the real estate industry, the typical real estate firm has remained a single-office operation. About 83 percent of all firms are one-office operations. The mom-

and-pop shops are still alive and healthy.

- The typical real estate firm has four sales agents. Three out of five firms have five or fewer agents. Only 4 percent of firms have more than 50 sales agents.

- Firms that specialize in residential brokerage tend to be larger than firms involved in other specialties. The typical residential brokerage has five agents, while other real estate brokerages and firms that are not brokerages (e.g., those involved with mortgage services, property management, etc.) have a median of two sales agents.

Even though most real estate firms are small, they tend to be

affiliated with larger firms or franchise organizations. Most of these smaller firms are affiliated with a firm of at least 20 sales agents. Some of the larger organizations have hundreds or even thousands of agents.

The smaller firms benefit from affiliating with a large organization by gaining access to many resources they would not otherwise have. They can also be plugged-in to an extensive referral system, and share added visibility from major advertising programs.

About 22 percent of firms are now affiliated with a franchise organization. That jumps to 27 percent for residential bro-

kerage firms. Larger firms are more likely to be affiliated with franchises. More than half of those firms with at least 11 agents are affiliated with franchises compared to just 14 percent of firms with 10 or fewer agents.

The survey report concluded: "It's difficult to define the typical real estate firm. A firm may be a single-office operation with a sales force of one agent specializing in commercial real estate, or a firm with hundreds of

offices, thousands of salespeople, specializing in residential brokerage."

**9. So much land has been developed into commercial projects in recent years, I'm wondering if we are in danger of running out of open spaces. What do you think?**

A. Here's what the experts at the National Association of Realtors have to say on that subject:

"While select areas of the country have seen significant changes in land use, the United

States is in no danger of running out of open spaces. Developed and urban land continues to be a small fraction of available land. Federal holdings have increased, and conservation of land remains a high priority for most policymakers and citizens."

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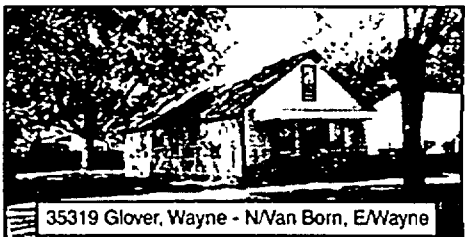
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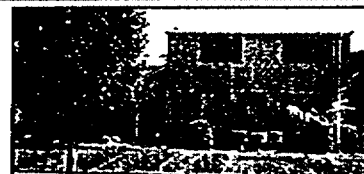
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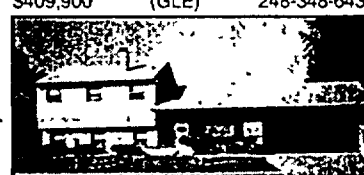
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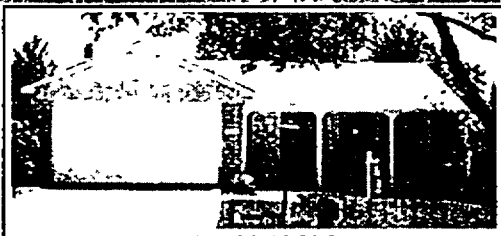


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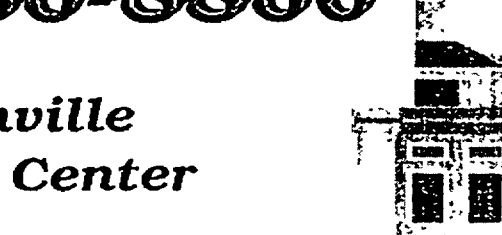
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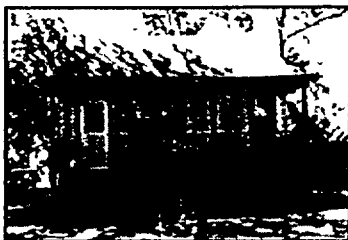
**NEAR MAIN ST., PLYMOUTH**  
Living room with fireplace, formal dining room opens to updated spacious kitchen and breakfast bar. Newer windows, siding, doors, front porch, hot water heater, furnace, A/C. Partially finished basement, garage, patio and fenced yard. (857PA)  
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**PINCHABLY CUTE**  
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**SECLUDED SETTING!**  
Sellers have spared no expense in designing this truly custom home. Stunning Cape Cod, master suite with private sitting area, large garden tub, gourmet kitchen, granite fireplace, imported ceramic tile. Every bell and whistle. (501OL)  
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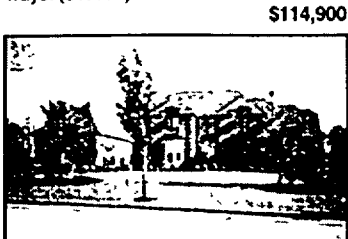
**ADORABLE BUNGALOW**  
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**WHY RENT...**  
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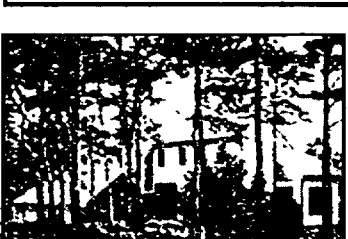
**PRICED RIGHT - VERY CLEAN**  
Don't miss this tri-level with many updates such as windows, vinyl siding, newer A/C and furnace, roof, newly updated kitchen and bath. Seller moving out of state soon. (948AV)  
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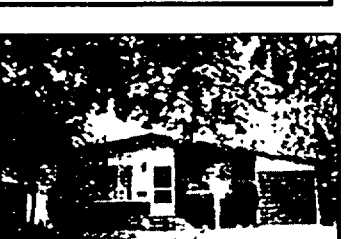
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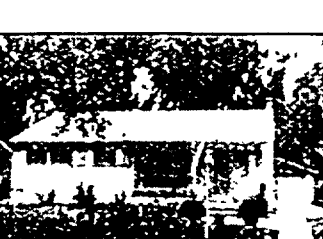
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**PICTURE PERFECT!**  
Livonia Schools! 3 bedrooms, spacious living room, updated kitchen and nook, ceramic bath, finished basement, attached garage. Close to elementary school and neighborhood park. (252HI)  
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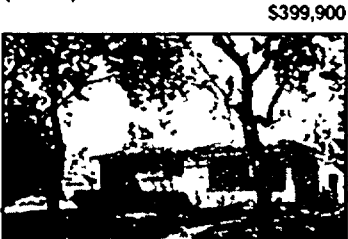
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# Entertaining new ideas for the kitchen

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## DECORATING

**Q.** I'm the kind of cook who makes reservations, not dinner. We do spend a lot of time in the kitchen, however, because it and the dining table are all in our great room.

**A.** My point is, I'd like to make the kitchen a little more formal-looking, since we do entertain a lot.

Several suggestions hop to mind. First, remember that your cabinets are the furniture of your kitchen. The style and materials you choose set its more-formal - or less-formal - attitude.

For example, dark polished woods with classic-style doors and dressy hardware fall into the first category. So may some painted cabinets (think glossy enamel and white or dark dramatic colors) and many contemporary-style cabinets (the sleeker, the more formal).

On the less-formal side, think pine, plank and painted cabinets with period hardware, such as wrought-iron hinges. The cabinets call the shots, and the rest of your kitchen decor follows suit.

More formal appointments include granite and ceramic-tile countertops, tile or hardwood floors, dressy light fixtures and important accessories.

Check out the more-formal charms of the kitchen we show here. It's easy to forget that you're sitting next to the kitchen sink when the scene is set so handsomely with gleaming green cabinets and a display of fine china (a smart role for cabinets in a noncooking kitchen). The lighted shelves not only show off the collection, but also shed a warm glow over the table at dining time.

Even the window treatment underscores the formal attitude: Hung over Hunter-Douglas' classic horizontal blinds, the whimsical swag is made of fine-link chain, trimmed with blue glass beads.

**Q.** The ceiling in our bedroom is pretty low, just over 8 1/2 feet high. We want to add a crown molding and chair rail to give the room some interest - there were no trim pieces any-

where in the house - but I'm afraid it will make the ceiling look even lower.

**A.** You can have your traditional charm and your illusion, too. If you ply a little magic with brush and paint, Chicago interior designer Daniel DuBay counsels that how you paint matters more than the color you paint: If you want to raise the ceiling, visually speaking, paint your crown molding to match the color of the wall. But where you want to lower the ceiling to cozier levels, extend its color on down over the crown molding.

Even where the color difference is subtle, between, say, walls of cream and a ceiling of white, the eye will draw its own conclusions about where one ends and the other begins. It may be a matter of mere inches, but oh, what those few inches can do.

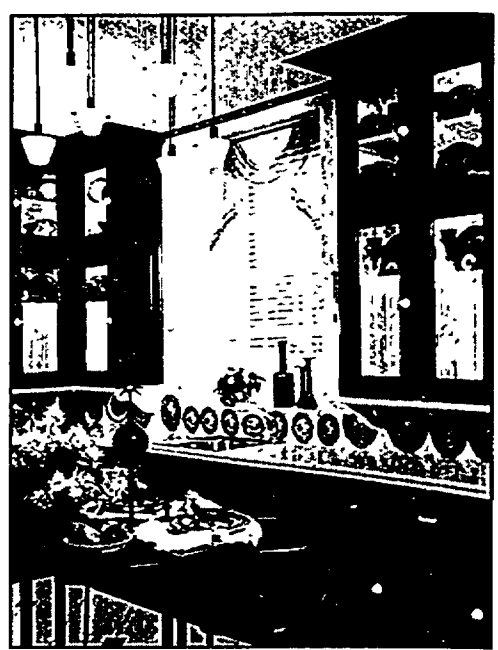
**Q.** Although my living room is more contemporary in style, I hope you can suggest a piece that would work well on the 72-inch mirror-front buffet I

have under the window. I would like it to be an important piece because when you enter the area that is what you focus your eye on.

**A.** Lucky you, to have many happy hours of shopping ahead in search of the perfect, prominent accent piece. My best advice: You'll know it when you see it. Meanwhile, a few ideas:

- For this piece to be important, it must make an instant, personal statement about you, your taste and interests.
- Consider something traditional, old, even rough or rusty in counterpoint to the sleekness of your mirrored buffet.
- Consider more than one important accent piece - a pair of interesting lamps, for example, or a tightly composed trio of stone urns filled with dried flowers.

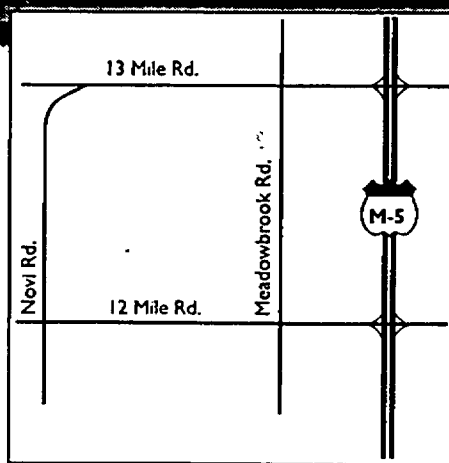
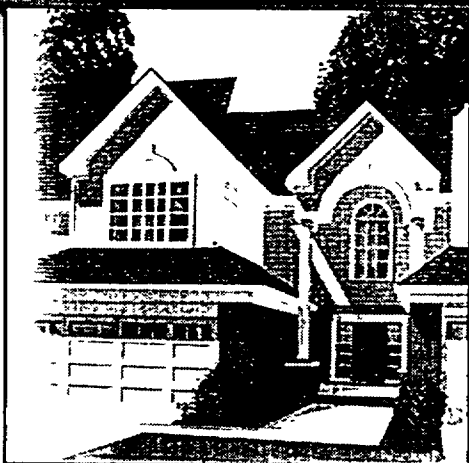
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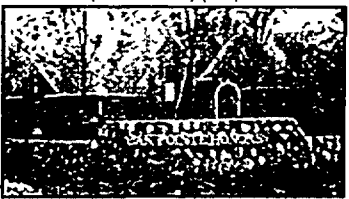
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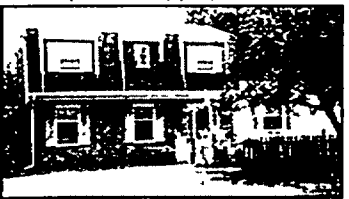
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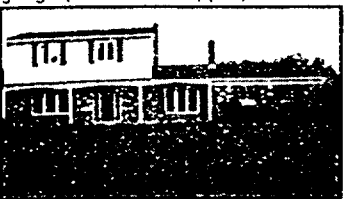
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A PREVIEW HOME OF EXTRA-ORDINARY! Featuring quality 4 bedrooms, 3 full and 2 half baths, family room with fireplace, living room, library with glass French doors, gourmet kitchen and garden basement. (OEN73HON) (248) 347-3050



**GENOA** \$149,900  
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**LIVONIA** \$315,000  
OUTSTANDING LOCATION. Beautiful park like setting. 4 bedroom Colonial. Approx. 1.75 acres. Updates include windows, roof, furnace & water heater. 24x33 barn. 17x12 Fla room 1st floor laundry. 2 car att. garage. (OE-SLY-60FAIR) (248) 437-4500



**NEW HUDSON** \$228,500  
GOOD LOCATION! Room to room! 1.62 acres has a 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath Colonial Family room with fireplace, first floor laundry and 3 car attached garage. South Lyon schools. Close to expressways. (OE-SLY-46PAR) (248) 437-4500.



**NORTHVILLE** \$424,800  
MAKE A GRAND ENTRANCE in this custom built home w/4 bedrooms, 3 1/2 baths and 1,200 sq. ft. in prof. finished LL. Vaulted great room, bridge, butler's pantry & library. Gourmet kitchen w/center island, desk & 2 pantries. Michele Safford (248) 344-7865.



**NORTHVILLE** \$369,900  
CUSTOM BUILT HOME w/4 bedrooms, 2 full/2 half baths and 1,375 sq. ft. in the finished LL. Vaulted great room w/bridge, 2 story foyer & library w/bay window. Master BR w/balcony, formal dining room & spic. kitchen. Michele Safford (248) 344-7865



**NORTHVILLE** \$299,900  
YOU CAN BE VERY HAPPY LIVING HERE! This is one of the newest Ranch homes in this sought after Northville Sub. 4 bedrooms, 3 1/2 baths and a fantastic, spacious basement. It can belong to you. (GPN81STO) (248) 347-3050



**NORTHVILLE** \$249,999  
BEAUTIFUL 1.25 ACRE lot with many trees Colonial home with 4 bedrooms and 2 1/2 baths. Wood floors, fireplace in family room. Finished walk-out with rec room and wet bar 2 car garage. (OEN-25SEV) (248) 347-3050



**NOVI** \$448,900  
METICULOUSLY MAINTAINED! 1996 Colonial with numerous upgrades! On a great lot backing to an Historic Farmhouse. 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, dual staircase, 3300 sq. ft. Northville schools 3 car garage. (BGN19BAR) (248) 347-3050



**NOVI** \$289,900  
FABULOUS 4 BEDROOM, 2 1/2 bath Colonial in the heart of the sub. 2600 sq. ft., family room with fireplace and wet bar, large deck, neutral decor, spacious kitchen. (OEN22HUN) (248) 347-3050



**NOVI** \$269,900  
CONTEMPORARY WITH EXCELLENT LOCATION! 2 story, spacious home with Cathedral ceilings in living & dining rooms. Ceramic flooring. White bay cabinets. Side entry garage and more. Come and take a peek. (OEN09WES) (248) 347-3050



**NOVI** \$189,900  
YOUR SEARCH IS FINALLY OVER! This 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath home is just waiting for you. It has been totally remodeled to suit your needs. The home offers a 2 car garage, a beautiful fireplace and more. (OEN17CHE) (248) 347-3050



**NOVI** \$134,900  
BEAUTIFULLY DECORATED! This home has numerous updates, new kitchen with new cabinets, flooring and appliances. Recently replaced windows, water heater, furnace. (OEN54WOO) (248) 347-3050



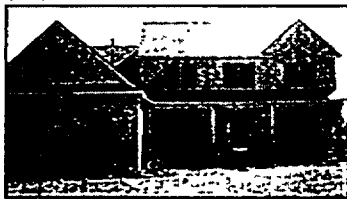
**PLYMOUTH** \$649,000  
TRULY A PARADISE HOME. 1 acre crystal clear lake on 5 acres with waterfalls, tennis court, 30x40 barn, 3 tier deck with Jacuzzi, foot deck with 440 ft. frontage on golf course. (OEN25WEE) (248) 347-3050



**PLYMOUTH** \$499,900  
SOUTHERN EXPOSURE! Country Club Village - 1998, 3600 sq. ft., 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, 2 powder rooms. Family, living & dining rooms with library. Neutral decor with upgrades. Garden basement. (OEN85OAK) (248) 347-3050



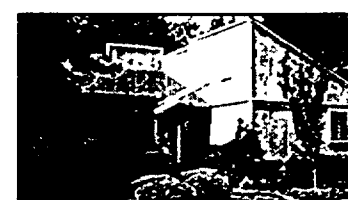
**PLYMOUTH** \$99,900  
HOMEOWNERS, SHOP NO FURTHER! A 2 bedroom Condo, 1000 sq. ft. that is close to downtown. Few steps to carport. Private entry and private laundry. Large kitchen, living and formal dining room. (OEN73PIN) (248) 347-3050



**ROCHESTER** \$453,510  
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**SOUTH LYON** \$399,999  
CUSTOM BRICK masterpiece in golf course community features 3 BR, 3 1/2 baths & full-fin basement. Kitchen w/heart room, formal dining room w/butler's pantry & 2-story foyer. 1st floor master suite w/sitting area, & library. Michele Safford (248) 344-7865



**SOUTH LYON** \$299,900  
LOVELY RANCH on acreage w/rolling hills, trees, pond and multi-level deck w/enclosed porch & gazebo. Completely updated w/newer Berber carpet & wood floors. Great room w/Calif. driftstone fireplace, 1st floor laundry. Michele Safford (248) 344-7865.



**SOUTH LYON** \$314,900  
OUTSTANDING COLONIAL w/4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths and 1,400 sq. ft. in unfinished LL walk-out. Dramatic 2-story foyer, curved staircase and neutral decor. First floor master w/glamour bath & doorwall to deck. Michele Safford (248) 344-7865.



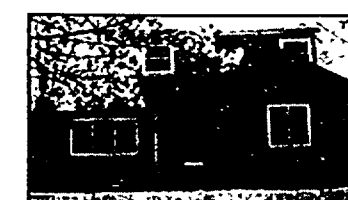
**SOUTH LYON** \$295,000  
SO CLOSE BUT SO FAR. This 1800 sq. ft. 3 BR, 3 bath walkout ranch on 5 acres. Has many pluses. A/C, fireplaces, security system, wood foyer, wood doors & trims. Close to new elementary, freeway & shopping. (OE-SLY-93RUS) (248) 437-4500.



**SOUTH LYON** \$279,900  
STUNNING HOME has 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths and 1,228 sq. ft. in the LL walkout. Spacious kitchen w/center island, formal living and dining rooms and library. Master suite w/vaulted ceiling & glamour bath. Premium lot. Michele Safford, (248) 344-7865.



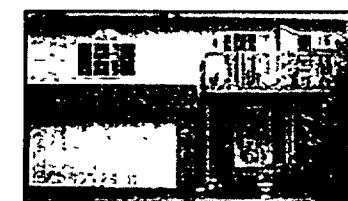
**SOUTH LYON** \$259,900  
LOCATION! LOCATION! New in 1996 ranch home with walkout to natural area. 1733 sq. ft. up and down. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, partially fin. basement. Could be mother-in-law suite. Short walk & access to Lme Kin Lake. (OE-SLY-30SUN) (248) 437-4500



**SOUTH LYON** \$169,500  
NEED ELBOW ROOM. Nice 5 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, 2 story home. Large living room, newer cabinets in kitchen, newer carpet, freshly painted, close to highways & parks. South Lyon schools. (OE-SLY-60NIN) (248) 437-4500



**WATERFORD** \$127,000  
FANTASTIC HOME! In a beautiful neighborhood. Newly vinyl sided ranch with 3 bedrooms. Gorgeous new kitchen, updated bath, 1st floor laundry. (OEN80BER) (248) 347-3050



**WHITMORE LAKE** \$155,900  
DON'T WAIT. Wonderful 3 bedroom condo. Lower level has walk-out, third bedroom, laundry area and 2 baths. Upper level has 21x14 living room with wonderful view overlooking Whitmore Lake. A must see! (OE-SLY-40LAK) (248) 437-4500

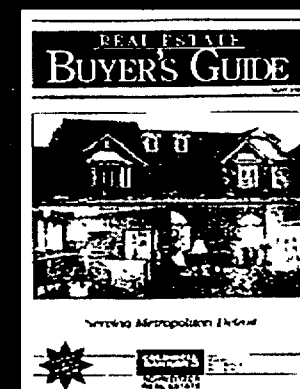


**WIXOM** \$267,500  
GORGEOUS RANCH! On a .05 acre lot with pond. 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths, over 2000 sq. ft. Built in 1998. Neutral decor, 800 sq. ft. master bedroom, 2 fireplaces and 4 car attached garage. (OEN21POT) (248) 347-3050



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CLEAN & COMFORTABLE! This 3 bedroom, tri-level, located in popular area. Convenient to everything. Neutral decor. Deck located off rear 2 1/2 car attached garage. C/A. Move right in! (OEN05WIN) (248) 347-3050

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### Open Houses

**BRIGHTON OPEN SUN 1-4pm**  
 8933 S. Christine. Immaculate 2100 sq ft colonial, 4 br, 2 1/2 baths \$219,900. Call JoAnn Hauber, Prudential Preview Properties. (810)220-1438

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**Brighton Sunday 10/24/99 1-5 pm.** 9339 Huron Park W. of Hamburg Rd., S. of Winans Lake. Like New! 3 brs., full bsmt., cathedral ceilings, 1st flr laundry Bk. in '97. (CO 7406) \$184,700.00.  
**Pineville Sunday 10/24/99 2-5 pm.** 3605 Mary Ann S. of Cordley Ln. E. of Whitehead Bk. in '95, 3 br, contemporary ranch. Over 1800 sq ft. 2 car gar., private yard, deck. (CO 7402) \$149,900.00.  
**(810) 227-1111**

**FOWLERVILLE SCHOOLS** - Open 10-24-99 Sun. 1-4 New ranch on 2 acres, 3 br, 2 baths, walkout bsmt, 2 car garage. 10154 Marisa Lane (off Bradley) \$174,900. For more info & directions call Theresa Runyan, Prudential Preview Properties (810) 220-1408

**HARTLAND** - Open Sun 1-4 1300 sq ft ranch, Mt Pointe of Hartland, 1614 Chelsea Circle. Lesa Ball, Re/Max Homes Inc., (810)632-5050

**HARTLAND SCHOOLS.** 3 br, Colonial on 2 acres, custom built 1993. \$235,900. Open Wed 5-7pm. Sat 2-7pm. 254 Northryn Dr., W. of Hacker, N of Golf Club. (810) 220-0565

**HARTLAND SCHOOLS, SAT.** Oct. 23, 1-4pm. Enjoy private all sports Tyrone Lake with nice 2 br lakefront home. Stone fireplace in living room, 2 car detached garage, paved road & situated on large 100x412 lot with plenty of room for expansion. \$190,000. Fenton Rd. N of M-59, W. on Road, then N to 5952 Bullard England Real Estate, (810)632-7427.

**HARTLAND SCHOOLS.** by owner. 6475 Hartland Rd. Cape Cod on 3.2 acres 4br, 2 baths, stone fireplace, wood floors \$179,900/negotiable. Open House Sun. 1-5. (810)750-7254

**HOWELL, OPEN house Sun.** Oct. 24, 1-4pm. 3 br, ranch, 1 bath, completely remodeled, 1 car garage, large fenced yard, shed outback, treed lot, close to schools & town. 2470 M-59 \$123,000 (517)548-2338

**OPEN SAT. 10/23, 12-5pm.** Brookline Crossing, Sub Green Oak Twp., South Lyon Schools 2692sq ft., 4br, 2 1/2 baths, finished basement \$308,000 (248)437-4569

**SOUTH LYON, Sunday, 1-3pm.** Adult Co-op, 10048 Arlington. Gayle (248)437-4500

**SUN OCT. 24, 1-4 2742 Jenni-** Woodland Hills Sub off Hunter near Hilton Elementary. Classic brick colonial, 2662 sq ft, 5 br, + office, all new interior/mechanical/roof, 1994/1995. Hardwood entry, kitchen & formal dining rm., 6-panel doors, upscale trim, 2 1/2 ceramic baths, new kitchen w/ island Anderson French doors/windows. Yard beautifully landscaped, private +/- 1 acre. Exc location near Woodland Lake \$284,900. May also call for private showing (810)220-1282

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**9376 LEO, Fixer upper,** 1800sq ft., 4 br 2 bath, presently rented, 1/2 mile to x, way, \$106,000, Mark Browne, Real Estate One. (810)227-5005

**BEAUTIFUL WOODLAND** Lake access, well maintained, 3 br, in-level, large lot, shown by appl. only \$155,000 (810)220-9841

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**RIVERFRONT HOME** w/lot, glassed-in porch, deck, barn & more. Large treed lot, beautiful view. Owner relocating! \$132,500. All Seasons, (810)231-4387.

**314 Farmington/Hills**

**OWNER, 3 br, 2 bath, brick** ranch in nice family sub, attached garage, C/A. Seller to pay \$2000 closing costs \$145,000 (810) 220-9954

**316 Fowlerville**

**ELEGANT COUNTRY** farm-home on 8 acres, tastefully renovated preserving the 1900's charm. Large rooms including lovely country kitchen, sets on quiet country road w/large maple trees. Several very nice barns. This is a must see home in move-in condition! \$249,900 Call Bob or Sandy Harmon Real Estate (800)767-3550 (800)656-3770

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**319 Hamburg**

**5 YR. old contemporary brick** ranch, 1700sq ft, plus full finished walkout. 3 br, 2 1/2 baths, 2-way fireplace, cathedral ceilings, oversized garage, 1/2 acre lot, small sub \$229,000, 20th Century Realty (810)231-3300.

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**323 Howell**

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by John & Lisa Marker

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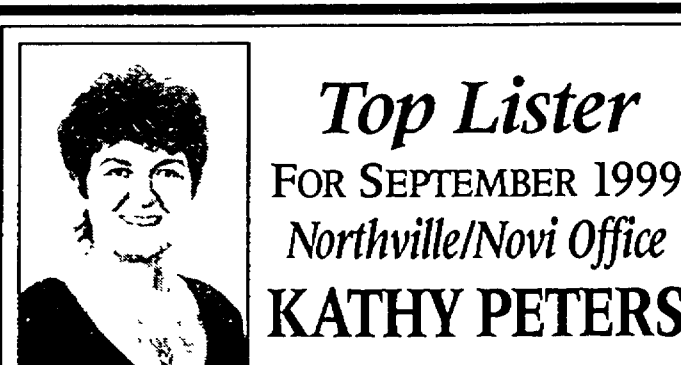
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**323** **Howell**

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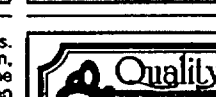
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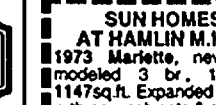


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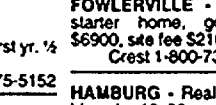
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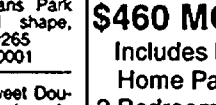
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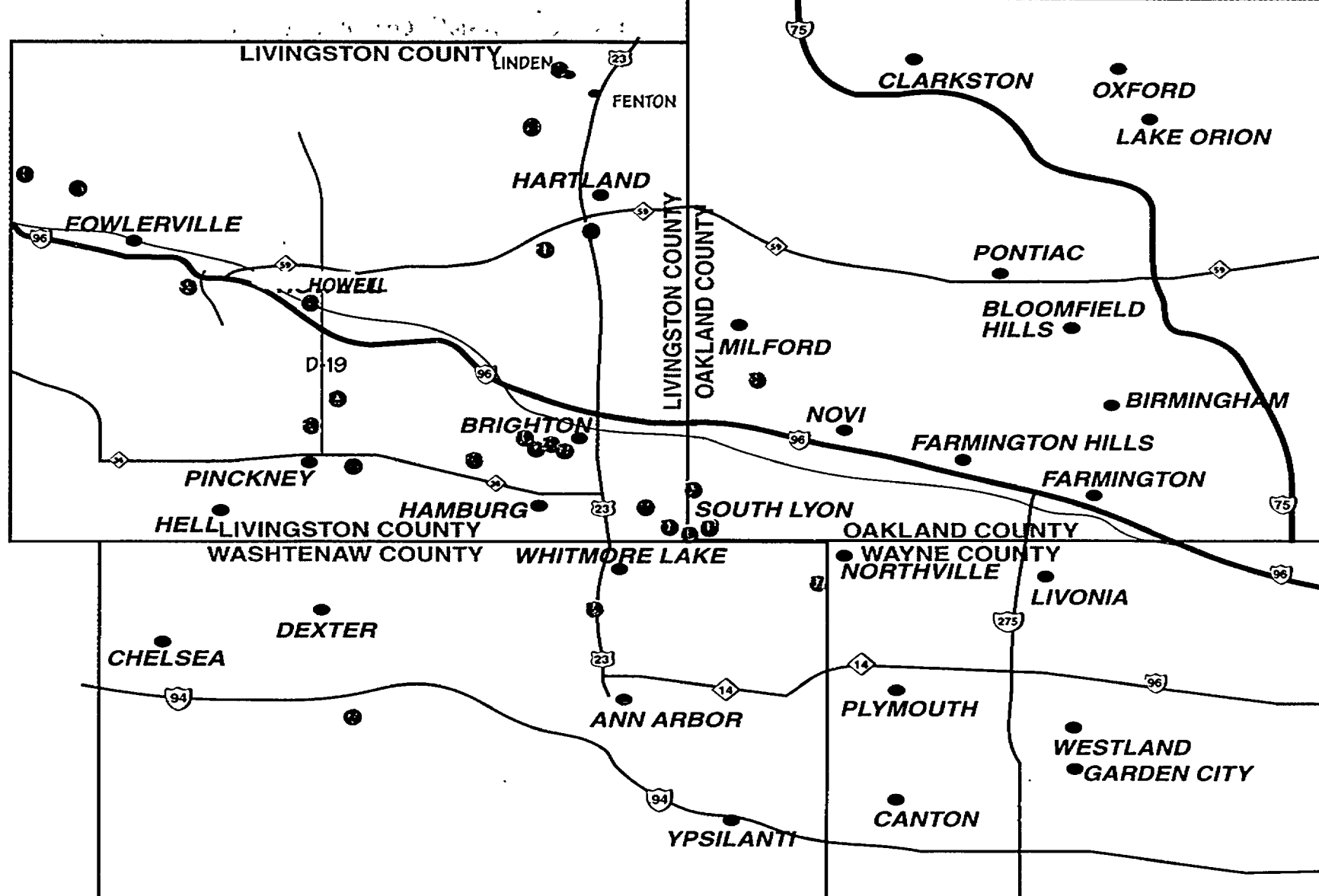
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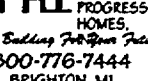
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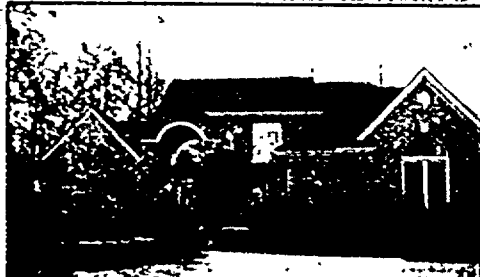
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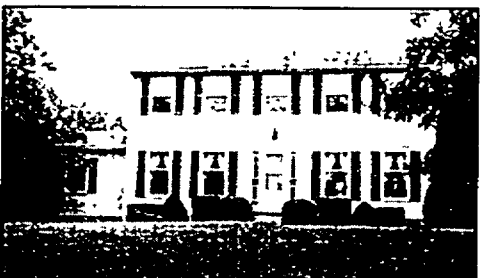
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# Building boom

Wixom construction company one of area's top businesses

By JASON SCHMITT  
Staff Writer

Both Paul Hatcher and Paul Oliver must have done something right.

You don't make *Crain's* "40 Under 40" list by sitting still and being complacent. Hatcher and Oliver have been with the movers and shakers over the last four years and have built a very successful construction company because of it.

The partners made the list for what they've done with their company, Oliver/Hatcher Construction and Development, Inc. out of Wixom. Hatcher, 37, and Oliver, 39, started their business in 1995, and have built more than five million square feet of warehouse and 180,000 square feet of office facilities. Last year alone, they built six out of every 10 square feet of warehouse distribution center construction in the tri-county area.

To be eligible for *Crain's* list, business people must demonstrate an impressive blend of initiative, drive, scope of achievement, potential for future leadership and community involvement. Both made the list, which was selected from more than 200 nominees.

Still a small-family sized operation, Oliver/Hatcher has just 20 employees and deal with a great amount of sub-contractors. Novi resident Sandi Page was the first employee hired at the company and is currently the office manager.

Oliver/Hatcher is best known for

"You have to go into it believing you can do it. Or else it wouldn't work out. We went into it believing we could do it and anticipated a certain amount of success."

Paul Hatcher

its construction of warehouses, and that's how the company got started four years ago. Within six months of opening up, it won a bid with New York City-based Ashley Capital, which is still its primary client to this day. The large company put its trust in Oliver and Hatcher, and the two delivered in the form of a 500,000 square-foot building in metro Detroit.

"They really stuck their necks out," Oliver stated in the business weekly. "We delivered on their leap of faith."

Since then the company has built several other projects for Ashley, including one of their current projects, the Livonia Corporate Center. Part of the Millennium Park project on the site of the former Detroit Race Course at Interstate 96 and Middlebelt Road, it is one of the largest projects in Michigan, featuring four buildings, two of which are 760,000 square feet

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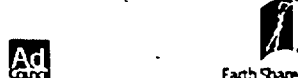


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Oliver/Hatch started just four years ago under the guidance of partners Paul Hatcher, left, and Paul Oliver, along with office manager and Novi resident Sandi Page.

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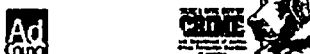
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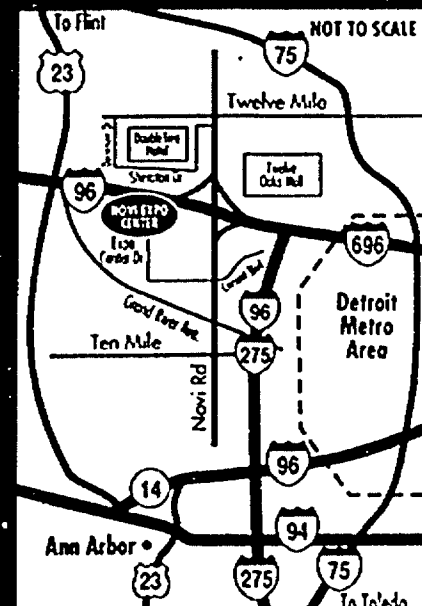
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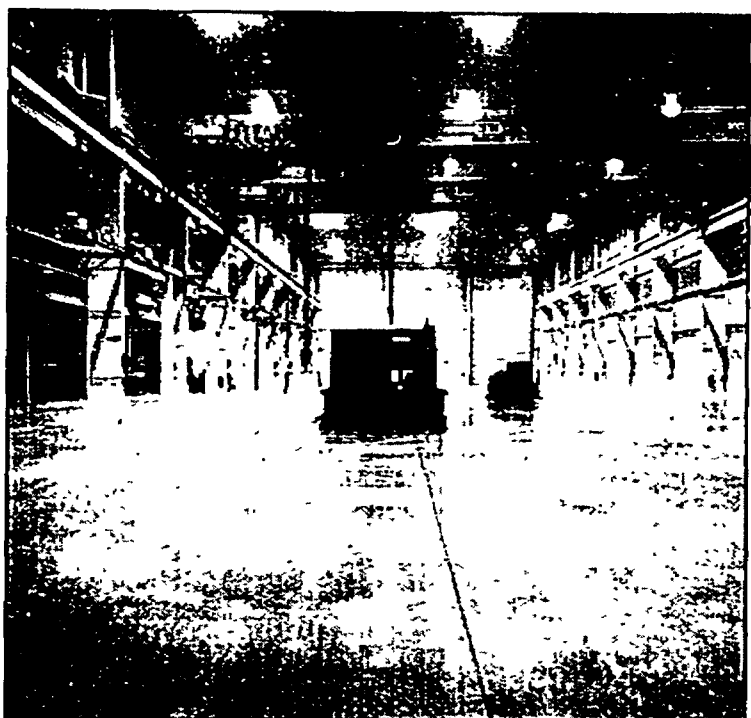


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Oliver/Hatcher construction is best known for the building of some of metro-Detroit's largest warehouses, like the one pictured above. The construction company is based in Wixom.

## Wixom-based company a top-40 success story

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each. "You have to go into it believing you can do it," Hatcher said. "Or else it wouldn't work out. We went into it believing we could do it and anticipated a certain amount of success."

Recently the company received ISO 9001 certification, one of only 20 construction companies nationwide to receive the industry's most comprehensive and distinguished accreditation. Hatcher said Oliver/Hatcher was among the youngest companies on the short list, which included four other

Detroit-based companies.

"When we started this certification process about 18 months ago, there were only six or seven companies which were certified," he said. "Four of them were from Detroit and were large companies, and here we were, a young company among them."

The president said the company's goal is to have managed growth.

"We've got some real quality people that work for us, and we will grow as time goes on," he said.

For more information about Oliver/Hatcher Construction, please call (248) 669-4500.

Taxpayers typically know that they can take dependency exemptions for their children, but too often exemptions are needlessly lost because many people are unfamiliar with the laws governing this tax break. Generally, if you are providing more than half the support of a parent or other relative, you may be entitled to an additional dependency exemption as long as that dependent does not file a joint return with his or her spouse. That, according to the Michigan Association of Certified Public Accountants.

Dependency exemptions reduce your taxable income. For 1998, each exemption reduces your taxable income by \$2,700. You usually can claim exemptions for yourself, your spouse and each person you claim as a qualified dependent. You may, however, lose all or part of the benefit of your exemptions if you have a high taxable income.

The phase-out amount depends on your filing status. Exemptions are phased out if adjusted gross income in 1998 exceeds \$124,500 for single filers, \$186,800 for taxpayers filing jointly, and \$155,650 for heads of household. The phase-out affects all exemptions that can be claimed on a return.

The Michigan Association of CPAs offers the following strategies for making the most of your dependency exemptions:

### TIMING IS EVERYTHING

If your baby was born on Dec. 31, 1998, you can claim a full year exemption for that child. Similarly, you can claim a full year's exemption for a dependent who dies at any time during the year, as long as the dependency tests are met.

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## Money Management

You forfeit the exemption for a deceased spouse if you remarry during the year.

For purposes of qualifying for the dependency exemption, support includes food, lodging, education, medical and dental care, transportation, recreation, clothing and laundry, phone bills and similar necessities.

### A WHOLE IS BETTER THAN TWO HALVES

Unless you specifically designate one parent as the recipient of your support, the IRS routinely allocates your contribution equally between your mother and father. If you furnish less than half of your parents' total support, try providing support for only one of them — the one with less income. By making out checks only to that parent, you may become eligible to claim at least one parent as a dependent.

### A PENNY SAVED, AN EXEMPTION EARNED

In determining how much a potential dependent contributes to his or her support, you should only count money actually spent

by him or her for support — not money available for support. If you're providing close to half of someone's support, you might suggest that the person save more and you make additional support payments to meet the support test.

### IT'S NOT OVER UNTIL IT'S OVER

To protect your dependency exemption for someone, for whom you provide support, add up the numbers well before the end of the year. If, for example, you discover that you're coming up short by a few hundred dollars, you may be able to preserve your exemption by spending — before Dec. 31 — an additional sum on items that qualify as support.

### SHARE AND SHARE ALIKE

When two or more persons combine to provide support for a dependent person, and not one of them provides more than half of that person's support, they can agree among themselves to let one of them take the exemption. This strategy allows anyone who contributes more than 10 percent of the support to claim the dependen-

cy exemption as long as greater than half the support was contributed by persons who, except for the support test, would be entitled to claim the supported individual as a dependent.

Each year, you can decide who gets the dependency exemption. The others waive their claim to the exemption by signing Form 2120. The person claiming the exemption attaches the forms to his or her return.

### ALL'S FAIR IN MARRIAGE AND DIVORCE

Usually a divorced or separated parent who has custody of a child for the greater portion of the year is entitled to claim the dependency exemption for the child. This is the case whether or not that parent actually provided more than half of the child's total annual support. If the non-custodial parent is in a higher tax bracket and so could benefit more, the two parents can work out an arrangement to transfer the exemption. To do this, the custodial parent must sign Form 8332 releasing the exemption to the non-custodial parent who attaches this form to his or her tax return for each year the exemption is released.

A CPA can advise you further on how to qualify for dependency exemptions.

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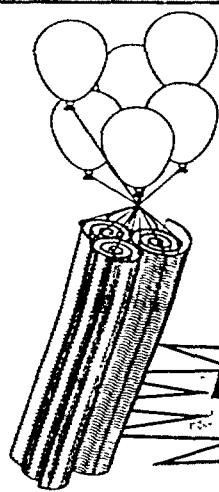
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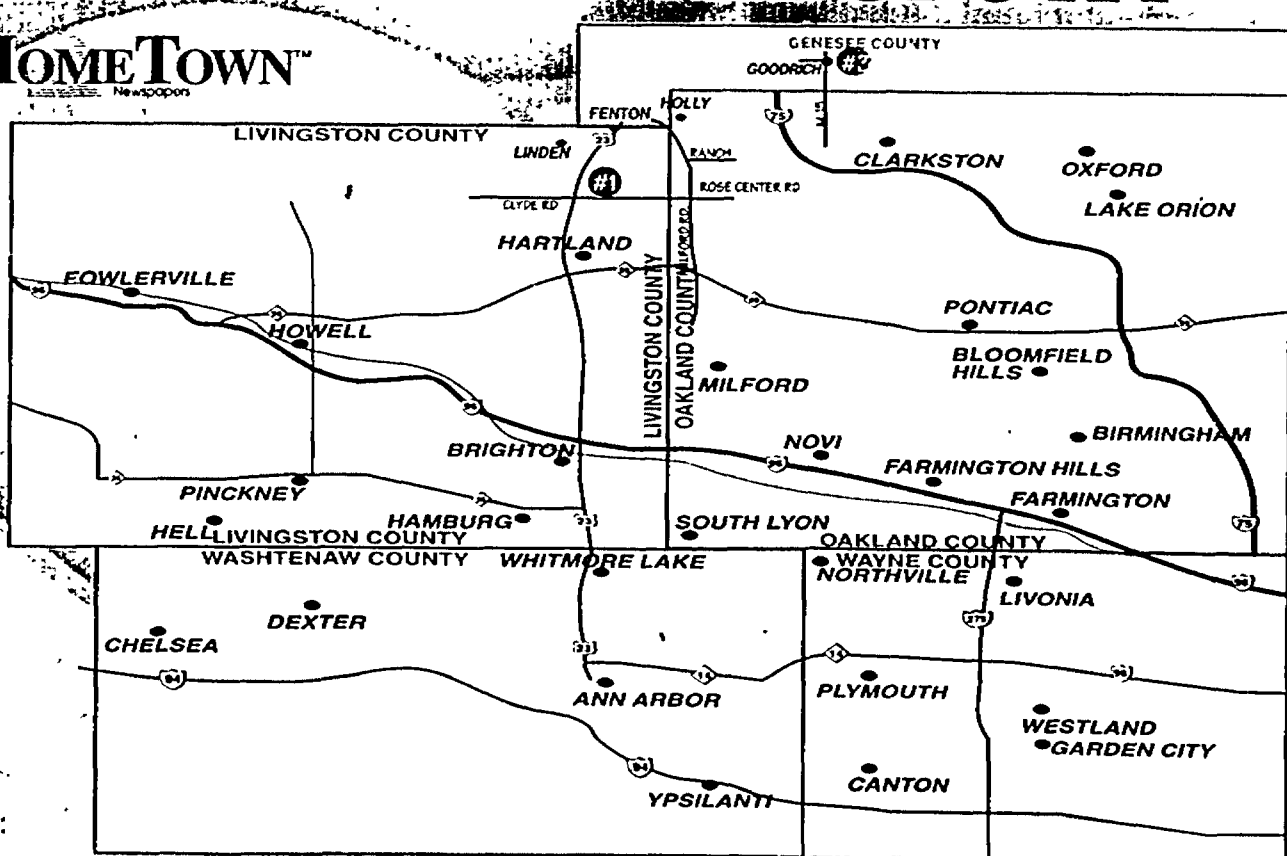
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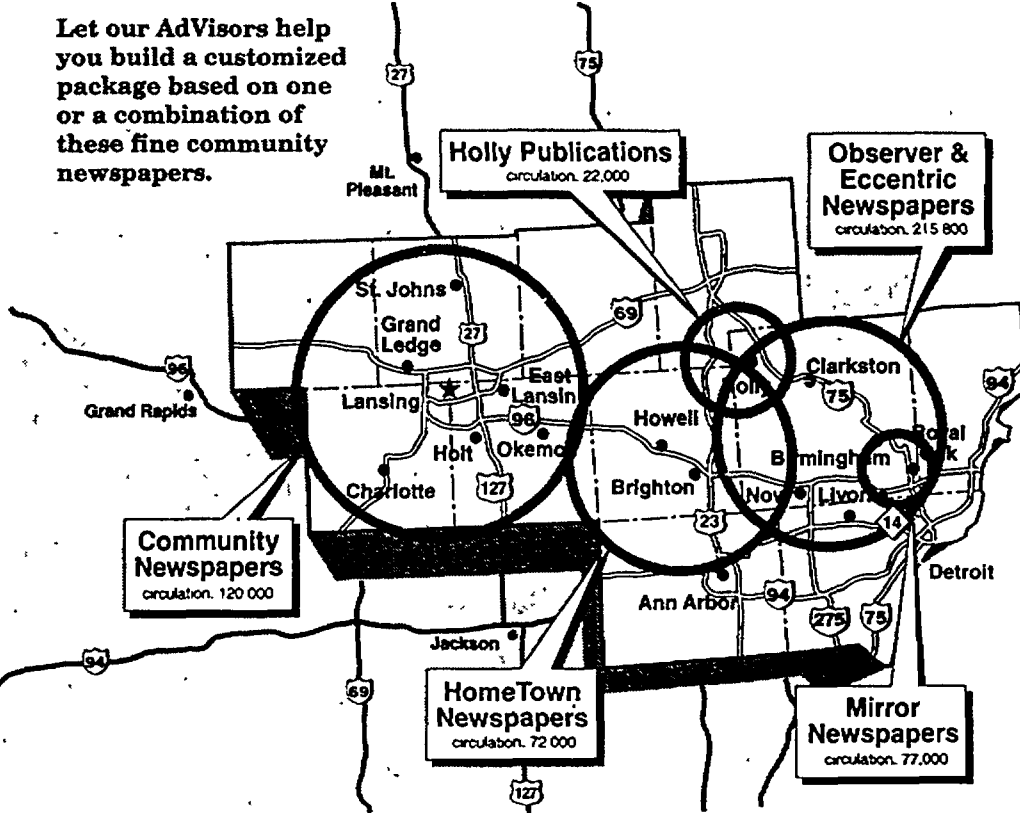
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Full and part-time positions available with growing manufacturing firm. Brighton area. Shipping & receiving duties. Entry level hourly wage plus benefits. Apply in person or send resume to: Item Products, 12874 Westroads, Livonia, MI 48150 or fax to: (313) 522-9102

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(248)851-4600

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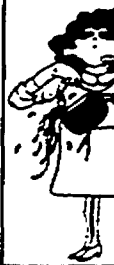
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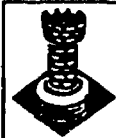
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One complimentary entree  
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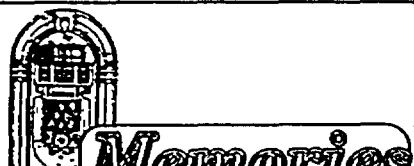
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Breakfast - Lunch - Dinner

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New Hudson, MI 48165

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Or call for an interview: (248) 642-0333

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## OFFICE CLERK

Extremely computer literate (extensive database experience), SAP experience a plus. Will work with heavy amounts of data entry in scheduling, sales & shipping in a manufacturing company.

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Salary based on Experience, Benefits, Blue Cross.

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## RECEPTIONIST

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## RECEPTIONIST

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Midford, MI 48381

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## RECEPTIONIST

CANDIDATE must have good communication, computer & multi-line phone skills. Full benefits. Non-smoking Midland building. Mail resume to: 3381 Lakewood Shore Dr., Howell, MI 48843

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Midford. (248) 684-0042

# RECEPTIONIST

## PART-TIME

Mon. - Thurs. 9-5, Fri. 9-8. Phone and light clerical. Northville Real Estate office. Good wage and a great work environment. Non-smoking office. Call Melinda at (248) 347-3050 or fax your resume to: (248) 347-6532.

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## RECEPTIONIST/SECRETARY

Manufacturing company seeks individual with excellent telephone, clerical and computer skills including Microsoft Office. Please mail or fax your resume: PO Box 767  
Novi, MI 48376-0767  
Fax: (248) 349-0244

## RECEPTIONIST/SECRETARY

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Full time office position handling all phases of employee hiring & placement-phones, computer, customer service, etc. Temporary industry helpful but not necessary. Forward resume to VAL or fax (734) 513-7471

## PEOPLEMARK, INC.

10982 Middlebelt Rd. Livonia, MI 48150

## SWITCHBOARD RECEPTIONIST

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# DENTAL ASSISTANTS

## Dental office in Livonia seeks

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## DENTAL ASSISTANT

Wanted, bright, bubbly, energetic, child-loving person for a busy pediatric dental practice in Livonia. Experience required. Ask for Brngt (734) 425-0600

## DENTAL ASSISTANT, Full or

part-time. Dental office background preferred, but will train person with good manual dexterity, organizational skills and willingness to learn. Cheerful personality, neatness and sociability essential. Call (734) 449-2081.

## DENTAL ASSISTANT

Established Brighton practice seeks an assistant with expanded duties to join our team. Must be reliable, computer friendly & possess excellent communication skills. Please call: (810) 571-0221

## DENTAL RECEPTIONIST

Brighton office seeks an experienced Dental Receptionist who is self-motivated, reliable & has excellent communication skills. If you would enjoy a position in a patient-centered, team-driven practice we would like to meet you. Please fax resume to: (810) 227-0961 or call (810) 227-2121

## DENTAL RECEPTIONIST

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## FULL TIME Receptionist for

oral surgery office. Experience preferred. Please call (810) 227-2626 or mail resume to: Brighton Oral Surgery, 5841 Whitmore Lake Rd., Suite D, Brighton, MI 48116.

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## HYGIENIST NEEDED for Perio

Dental office. Part-time. Experience preferred. Fri. am & Mon. or Tues. (810) 229-2200.

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## PART-TIME RECEPTIONIST

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**CARRIERS NEEDED** in the Farmville, Howell, Brighton, Hartland, Pinckney areas if you're interested call (517) 546-4809.

**CLEANERS NEEDED** - Evening office cleaning in Livonia area. Ideal for couples or single people. (248) 344-1492

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Clean work, retirees welcome. Mon-Fri, days. Livonia area (734) 251-8250

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**LIBRARY ASSISTANT**  
Circulation desk. Novi Public Library. 8 hours per week. Tues. 5-9, Sat. 9-1 or 1-5. Rate of pay starts at \$8. Must enjoy public service. Applications available at Novi Public Library. Deadline Nov. 4, 1993. For more information contact Betty Prost. (248) 349-0720.

**MACHINE OPERATOR** part-time 4-8pm, clean atmosphere, profit sharing, co-pay medical, overtime, start \$8.50/hr. Womyn/Milford area (248) 685-3063

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ACCOUNTANT/CPA SEeks part-time accounting position. Flexible hours. Reply to: P.O. Box 930376, Womyn, MI 48393

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**IN HOME** light industrial piece work. Some experience. (517) 546-9606, Mon-Fri, 9am-5pm.

**MARKETING/SALES**  
Professional seeks part-time sales/marketing work or projects in my home office. 15+ years experience in industrial automotive markets. Call (248) 473-9995  
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**536 Childcare Services - Licensed**  
A BRIGHT Beginning Child Care offers fun & learning in safe, caring home setting. Caregiver educated in ECD. Competitive rates. References, full time only. Call Gina at (810) 225-1268.

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**EXPERIENCED, trained, licensed, Christian, HHA/JC**  
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**HOME CHILD CARE** has full time openings. Learning, arts & crafts, meals & snacks and lots of hugs & kisses. Call Sandra, RN, at (248) 486-8786

**HOWELL CHILDREN'S CENTER**  
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**LATSON AREA**, licensed home daycare. Loving home, meals provided. Call (517) 548-3569

**LOVING MOTHER** wishes to baby-sit your child, 18 mos. & older in my home, 9 Mile & Tah area. (248) 348-5875

**NORTHVILLE, BROOKINGS**  
Childcare, licensed, 25 yrs. experience, full time, lots of love (248) 349-9495

**RAINBOW CHILDREN'S CENTER**  
(Monthly your child's needs to a Christian atmosphere)  
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**TENDER LOVING DAY CARE**  
offers dependable care in a fun, safe, nurturing home. Former preschool teacher, Child Development Associate Credential. First Aid/CPR certified. Nutritious meals. Developed/taught appropriate activities. Small group. (248) 446-9069

**537 Babysitting/Childcare Services**  
for Costco in Novi. Silk Plant Supplier needs inventory control 2 times weekly prior to 8AM. Call 1-800-631-3625, ext. 259.

**A LOVING home daycare** Pre-school program. Infant to 10 yrs. Non-smoker, CPR certified. Call Gayle, (248) 437-0652.

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**EXCELLENT CHILDCARE**  
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**PRESCHOOL CERTIFIED**  
mother of one would love for your child to join us in our day of fun & learning (248) 449-5203

**538 Childcare Needed**  
A-1 SITTER needed in our Nov home. Must be responsible, dependable & non-smoker. Full or part-time. Call (248) 305-9708

**AFFECTIONATE & RESPONSIBLE LIVE-IN NANNY**  
Wanted to care for infant in warm and welcoming W. Bloomfield home. Full-time excellent accommodations. Non-smoker, driver, experience, references required. Call 248-865-7461.

**CAREGIVER** - In my Nov home Mon. & Thurs. 7:30am-5pm. for 3 yr. old. (248) 624-0587

**EXPERIENCED, ENERGETIC**  
person to take care of 4 children, ages 3, 4, 5 & 1 in our Piquette home. Starting in mid Nov, every other Friday or Sat. evening. References required. (734) 878-9615

**EXPERIENCED, RELIABLE**  
and trustworthy sitter needed in my Midland home. Tues & Thurs., from 6am to 9:30am. Please call Tammy at (248) 684-8662.

**MILFORD FAMILY** needs full time Nanny. Experienced, energetic, salary plus benefits. Amy, (248) 546-4596.

**NANNY/HOUSEKEEPER, BEFORE/AFTER school care**  
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**602 Happy Ads**  
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**620 Announcements/Notices**  
\*NOTICE OF PUBLIC SALE\*  
By order of the Secured Property, the following property of B.G. Raynes, JR. will be offered at public sale at Chicks Lakes Estates, 4377 Old Plank Road, Milford MI 48361, unit address is 2206 S. Sheeran on October 25, 1993 at 10:00pm. Items to be sold are: 1993, Century Hampton, 27X67, Serial # MY943813AABF. Inspection may be arranged by appointment. Cash sales only. Associates Housing Finance LLC Remarketing Manager, 2851 Charlevoix Drive S.E. Suite 323, Grand Rapids, MI 49546, (800) 688-3232, Ext. 3508 or 3511.

**IN MEMORIAL OF**  
Robert R. Barry - age 64, past away Oct. 7, 1993 in Mankin, MI (formerly of Whitmore Lake area) after a brief fight with cancer. He is survived by his beloved wife of 36 years Claudia, Father of Lisa (Terry), Jon Barry (Danielle), & Lynn Miller (Brian), grandfather of Andrew, Allen & Brooke. Ason brother Ronald Barry. Cremation has taken place. Private memorial service will be held for family & friends at a later date.

**LIEN SALE** on delinquent units: #125, Cindy Musko, household #339 Bond Rapka-household #350041 Mickelson-household #4413 Ken Broome-household #527 Jeff Westberg. 2000 boat, Grand River Mini Stealer, 2440 W. Grand River, Howell on Sat., Nov. 20th.

**POOL PLAYERS** wanted. Tn-County's best league 12 teams looking for new players or team. Call for details, (734) 878-4658.

**RENTAL PAYMENT** Default: Sale of household & personal items. Gilbert Street, #126, Christine Eaves #181, James Cleary #321. Sale date 11-15-99, 1pm. For info call (248) 437-1600 U-Store South Lyon, 271 Lotte.

**560 Cards of Thanks**  
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**PRAYERS OF THANKS** to St. Jude SMP

**563 Lost & Found**  
FOUND - Brighton High class 1986 Stev. Call Chuck @ (810) 227-1140.

**568 Tickets**  
"BACKSTREET BOYS" - Suite at the Palace of Auburn Hills. Mon Nov. 8th. Great location. Sold Out Show. Includes 12 admission & 3 parking passes. \$800. Call John, evenings 6-10pm. (517) 223-9037.

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36 mo. Smart Lease	<b>\$199**</b> mo.	36 mo. Smart Lease	<b>\$179**</b> mo.
Due at Lease Signing	<b>\$1924*</b>	Due at Lease Signing	<b>\$1879*</b>

**2000 GRAND PRIX  
SE SEDAN**

Air, 3.1 V-6 engine, 4 speed auto trans, power windows &amp; locks, AM/FM cassette, tilt, rear defogger. Stock #3202.

<b>SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$18,295*</b>	<b>GM SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$17,596*</b>
39 mo. Smart Lease	<b>\$214**</b> mo.	39 mo. Smart Lease	<b>\$193**</b> mo.
Due at Lease Signing	<b>\$1964*</b>	Due at Lease Signing	<b>\$1918**</b>

**1999 JIMMY  
4 DOOR 4x4**

Vortec 4300 V-6 engine, automatic transmission, air conditioning, power windows, power locks, power mirrors, tilt wheel and cruise control, AM/FM cassette stereo and much more. Stock #992638.

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<b>GM EMPLOYEE SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$22,47425*</b>

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PICKUP**

2.2 liter, four cylinder engine, automatic trans, air conditioning, tilt wheel &amp; cruise control, aluminum wheels, AM/FM CD player &amp; much more! Stock #6174

<b>SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$13,295*</b>	<b>GM SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$12,24931*</b>
36 mo. Smart Lease	<b>\$129**</b> mo.	36 mo. Smart Lease	<b>\$9296**</b> mo.
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Air, auto trans, 2.2L OHC 4 cylinder engine, tilt, rear deck lid spoiler, defogger, AM/FM cassette. Stock #3024

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**2000 MONTANA  
4 DOOR**

Air, 4 speed automatic transmission, 3.4 V-6 engine, cruise, power windows and locks, AM/FM cassette, luggage rack, 6 passenger seat, two tone. Stock #3064

<b>SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$20,995*</b>	<b>GM SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$20,06813*</b>
36 mo. Smart Lease	<b>\$267**</b> mo.	36 mo. Smart Lease	<b>\$23983**</b> mo.
Due at Lease Signing	<b>\$2067*</b>	Due at Lease Signing	<b>\$2014.83*</b>

**1999 YUKON  
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Vortec 5700 V-8 engine, air, power windows/locks/mirrors, bucket seats, running boards, power seat, keyless entry, AM-FM CD player &amp; much more. Stock #992815

<b>SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$29,495*</b>	<b>GM SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$28,20265*</b>
36 mo. Smart Lease	<b>\$375**</b> mo.	36 mo. Smart Lease	<b>\$33424**</b> mo.
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4 DOOR 4X4**

Vortec 4300 V-6 engine, air, power windows, locks, mirrors, tilt, cruise, keyless entry, AM/FM &amp; CD player plus much more. Stock #6013.

<b>SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$24,995*</b>	<b>GM SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$23,93625*</b>
36 mo. Smart Lease	<b>\$299**</b> mo.	36 mo. Smart Lease	<b>\$25876**</b> mo.
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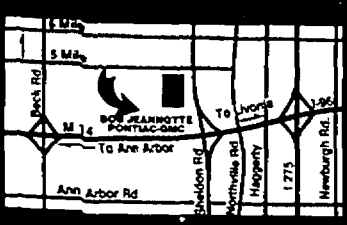
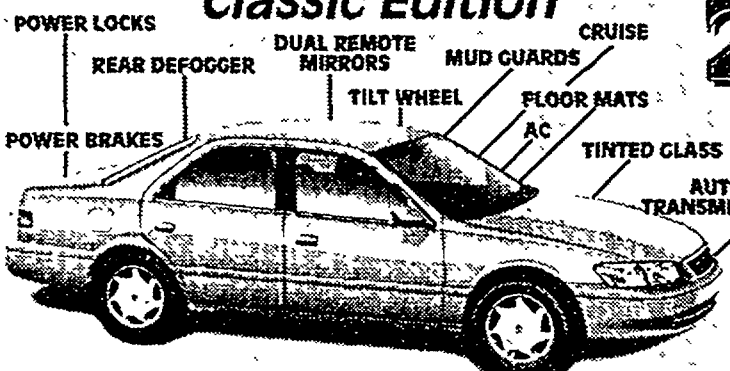
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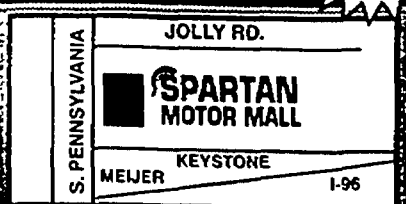
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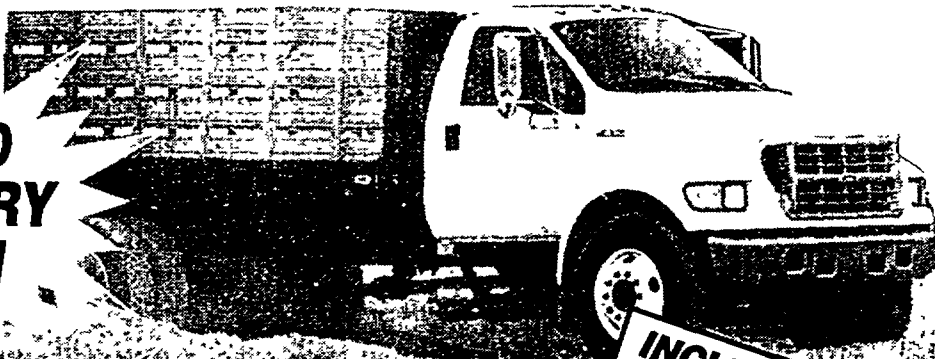
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- Remote keyless entry system
- Air conditioning
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- Power door locks
- Power mirrors
- Speed control
- Tilt steering wheel
- RR window defroster
- AM/FM stereo w/cassette
- Light group
- And more

#### NEW '99 TAURUS SE 4 DR.



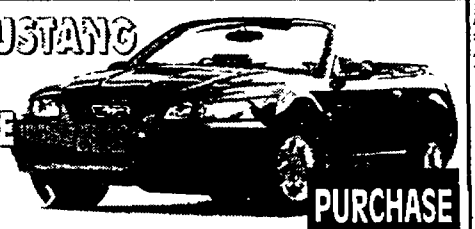
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\$4,181**

Stk. #93345C

- 3.0L EFI V6 engine
- Auto overdrive transmission
- Light group
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- 6-passenger
- 5 spoke alloy wheels
- Power heated mirror
- 6 way power driver seat
- Speed control
- AM/FM stereo radio w/cassette
- Power door locks
- Power windows
- Air conditioning
- RR window defroster
- Tilt steering column
- And more!

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\$2,006**

Stk. #93896D

- Air conditioning manual
- Anti-lock braking system
- All-speed traction control
- Traction-lok axle
- Defroster, rear window
- Mustang power group
- Power side windows
- Power door locks/decklid rel
- Dual illum visor mirrors
- Speed control
- Remote keyless/illum entry
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Demo #93128U

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- Power windows/locks
- Speed control/tilt strg whl
- Light group
- Overhead console
- Aux climate control system
- Roof Rack
- 2nd/3rd row privacy glass
- 3.0L V6 engine
- 4 spd auto O/D transmission
- P215/70R15-15 BSW self sealing tires
- Traction control
- Electronic Group
- Man right hand/left hand door
- Reverse sensing system
- Conventional spare tire
- Trailer towing package
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- SE equipment group
- Class 1 wiring
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Demo #93645R

- XLT SERIES
- AM/FM elect stereo/cass/clock
- 4.6L EFI V8 engine
- Electronic 4 spd auto O/D
- P255/70R16 OWL all-season
- 3.55 ratio limited slip axle
- Floor mats-carpeted
- Trailer towing group, class III
- Tonneau cover-soft
- Remote keyless entry
- Air conditioning - CFC Free
- 4-W ABS/4-W disc

#### NEW '99 E-350 SUPER CARGO VAN



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Stk. #93954P

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- Elec AM/FM stereo w/clock
- Alternator, heavy duty
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- 5.4L EFI V8 engine
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- Power steering - Power brakes

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1996 FORD PROBE GT STK#3456A	\$10,995
Full power, chromes, only 31,000 careful owner miles, spotless!	

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Leather, quad seating, rear AC, C/D & much, much more, priced to sell!	
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Leather, moonroof, C/D, ONLY 31,000 1 owner miles, showroom new!	
1994 FORD EXPLORER XLT 4x4 4 DR STK#3431T	\$13,495
Full pwr., factory running boards, only 40,000 1 owner miles, must see!	
1995 FORD RANGER XLT S/CAB 4x4 STK#3437T	\$13,495
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1996 MERCURY GR. MARQ. LS STK#3435A	\$13,995
Leather, auto temp elec, dash, ABS, only 40,000 1 owner miles, well maintained	
1996 FORD F-150 XLT 4X4 STK#3430T	\$15,495
302 V8, auto, l/power, A/C, ONLY 40,000 miles original owner miles, immaculate!	
1996 FORD EXPLORER XLT 4 DR 4X4 STK#3434A	\$16,995
Full power, sport seats, only 50,000 1 owner miles, new tires!	

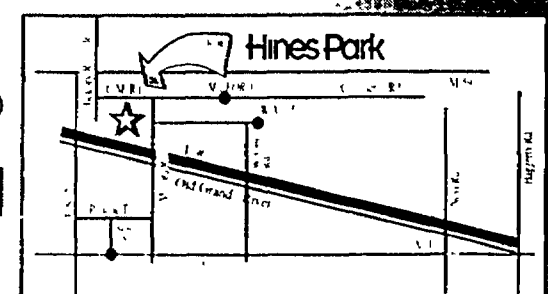
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4.6 V-8, auto, l/power, A/C, 1 owner, priced to sell!	
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4.6 V-8, full power buckets, lutone paint, only 27,000 miles, priced to move!	
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quad cab, 5.2 V-8 full power, 20,700 1 owner miles, perfect!	
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Air, four speed automatic transmission, 2.4 liter 16-V, 4 cylinder engine defogger, power locks, tilt, AM/FM cassette Stock #3053

<b>SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$15,395*</b>	<b>GM SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$14,799*</b>
36 mo. Smart Lease	<b>\$199**</b> mo.	36 mo. Smart Lease	<b>\$179**</b> mo.
Due at Lease Signing	<b>\$1924*</b>	Due at Lease Signing	<b>\$1879*</b>

**2000 GRAND PRIX  
SE SEDAN**

Air, 3.1 V-6 engine, 4 speed auto trans, power windows &amp; locks, AM/FM cassette, tilt, rear defogger Stock #3202.

<b>SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$18,295*</b>	<b>GM SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$17,596*</b>
36 mo. Smart Lease	<b>\$214**</b> mo.	36 mo. Smart Lease	<b>\$193**</b> mo.
Due at Lease Signing	<b>\$1964*</b>	Due at Lease Signing	<b>\$1918**</b>

**1999 JIMMY  
4 DOOR 4x4**

Vortec 4300 V-6 engine, automatic transmission, air conditioning, power windows, power locks, power mirrors, tilt wheel and cruise control, AM/FM cassette stereo and much more Stock # 992638.

<b>SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$23,495*</b>
<b>GM EMPLOYEE SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$22,474**</b>

**2000 SONOMA  
PICKUP**

2.2 liter, four cylinder engine, automatic trans., air conditioning, tilt wheel &amp; cruise control, aluminum wheels, AM/FM CD player &amp; much more! Stock #6174

<b>SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$13,295*</b>	<b>GM SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$12,249**</b>
36 mo. Smart Lease	<b>\$129**</b> mo.	36 mo. Smart Lease	<b>\$92**</b> mo.
Due at Lease Signing	<b>\$1779*</b>	Due at Lease Signing	<b>\$1692.96*</b>

**2000 SUNFIRE  
SE COUPE**

Air, auto trans, 2.2L OHC 4 cylinder engine, tilt, rear deck lid spoiler, defogger, AM/FM cassette Stock #3024.

<b>SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$12,895*</b>	<b>GM SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$12,367*</b>
36 mo. Smart Lease	<b>\$169**</b> mo.	36 mo. Smart Lease	<b>\$155**</b> mo.
Due at Lease Signing	<b>\$1869*</b>	Due at Lease Signing	<b>\$1830*</b>

**2000 MONTANA  
4 DOOR**

Air, 4 speed automatic transmission, 3.4 V-6 engine, cruise, power windows and locks, AM/FM cassette, luggage rack, 6 passenger seat, two tone. Stock #3064

<b>SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$20,995*</b>	<b>GM SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$20,068**</b>
36 mo. Smart Lease	<b>\$267**</b> mo.	36 mo. Smart Lease	<b>\$239**</b> mo.
Due at Lease Signing	<b>\$2067*</b>	Due at Lease Signing	<b>\$2014.83*</b>

**1999 YUKON  
4X4**

Vortec 5700 V-8 engine, air, power windows/locks/mirrors, bucket seats, running boards, power seat, keyless entry, AM-FM CD player &amp; much more. Stock #992815

<b>SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$29,495*</b>	<b>GM SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$28,202**</b>
36 mo. Smart Lease	<b>\$375**</b> mo.	36 mo. Smart Lease	<b>\$334**</b> mo.
Due at Lease Signing	<b>\$2275*</b>	Due at Lease Signing	<b>\$2209.24*</b>

**2000 JIMMY  
4 DOOR 4X4**

Vortec 4300 V-6 engine, air, power windows, locks, mirrors, tilt, cruise, keyless entry, AM/FM &amp; CD player plus much more. Stock #6013

<b>SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$24,995*</b>	<b>GM SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$23,936**</b>
36 mo. Smart Lease	<b>\$299**</b> mo.	36 mo. Smart Lease	<b>\$258**</b> mo.
Due at Lease Signing	<b>\$2124*</b>	Due at Lease Signing	<b>\$2033.76*</b>

**1999  
GRAND PRIX  
Drivers Ed Special**

SE Sedan, air, four speed automatic transmission, cruise, 3.1 V-6, tilt wheel, power locks, power windows, AM/FM cassette. Stock #990505.

<b>SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$16,995*</b>
<b>GM EMPLOYEE SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$16,288**</b>

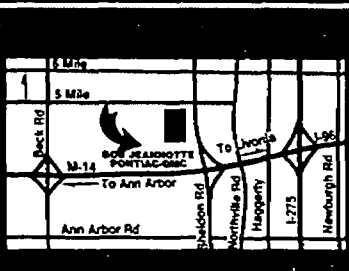
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'97 CAMARO Z28 White, Orange stripes, T-Top, 38K <b>\$15,995</b>	'98 GRAND PRIX GT White, 4 door, 26K miles, ONLY <b>\$17,495</b>	'98 SONOMA EXT. CAB V-6, auto, air, 3rd door, sport pkg., 17K miles. <b>\$14,995</b>	'95 SUNFIRE COUPE Raspberry, auto, air, much more. <b>\$6295</b>
'97 CHEVROLET VENTURE VAN Front and rear air, Dark Blue, 29K <b>\$15,995</b>	'96 GRAND PRIX SE Red, 4 Door, LOADED! Only <b>\$9995</b>	'98 CHEVY S-10 PICKUP V-6, Auto, Air, Black, 8K <b>\$11,995</b>	'98 YUKON SLT 4 DOOR 4x4, 39K miles, red, sharp! <b>\$25,995</b>
'98 GRAND PRIX GT COUPE Red, 8000 miles. <b>\$17,995</b>	'90 T-BIRD One owner, blue, 53K miles. <b>\$3995</b>	'97 SIERRA Z71 Extended Cab, Green, 29K. <b>\$20,995</b>	'97 TRANS SPORT MONTANA 4 door, gray, loaded, leather. <b>\$13,995</b>
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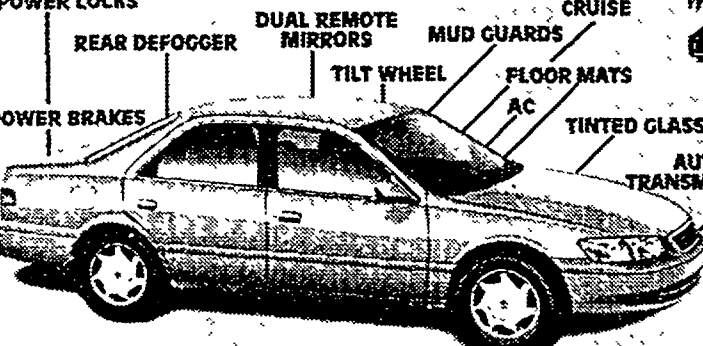
**1999 SUBURBAN 4X4**

Vortec 5700 V-8 engine, front &amp; rear air, power windows, power locks, power mirrors, power seat, remote keyless, running boards, rear heat, bucket seats, AM/FM CD &amp; cassette and much more! Stock #992764

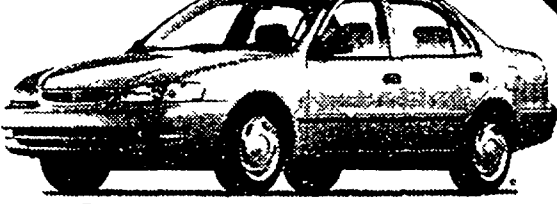
<b>SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$31,995*</b>	<b>GM SALE PRICE</b>	<b>\$30,641**</b>
36 mo. Smart Lease	<b>\$399**</b> mo.	36 mo. Smart Lease	<b>\$359**</b> mo.
Due at Lease Signing	<b>\$2324*</b>	Due at Lease Signing	<b>\$2259.62*</b>

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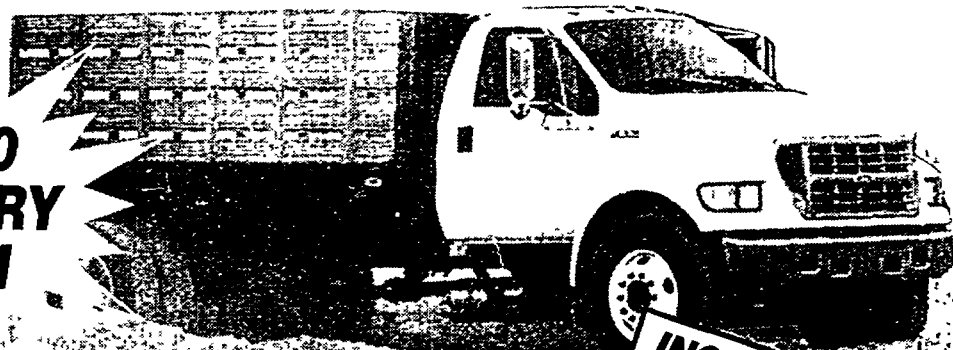
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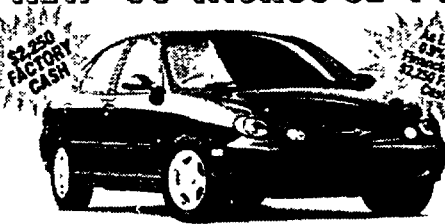
**PURCHASE \$13,989\*\***

**SAVE \$3,676**

Stk. #94105H

- 2.0L DOHC 16V
- Auto Overdrive transaxle
- Frt/rear carpeted floor mats
- Remote keyless entry system
- Air conditioning
- Power windows
- Power door locks
- Power mirrors
- Speed control
- Tilt steering wheel
- RR window defroster
- AM/FM stereo w/cassette
- Light group
- And More

### NEW '99 TAURUS SE 4 DR.



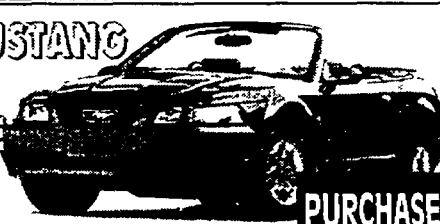
**PURCHASE \$15,789\*\***

**SAVE \$4,181**

Stk. #93345C

- 3.0L EFI V6 engine
- Auto overdrive transmission
- Light group
- Frt/rear carpeted floor mats
- 6-passenger
- 5 spoke alloy wheels
- 6 way power driver seat
- Power heated mirror
- Speed control
- AM/FM stereo radio w/cassette
- And more!
- Power door locks
- Power windows
- Air conditioning
- RR window defroster
- TR steering column

### NEW '99 MUSTANG COBRA CONVERTIBLE



**PURCHASE \$29,989\*\***

**SAVE \$2,006**

Stk. #93896D

- Air conditioning manual
- Anti-lock braking system
- All-speed traction control
- Tractor-look axle
- Defroster rear window
- Mustang power group
- Power side windows
- Power door locks/decklid rel
- Dual aluminum mirrors
- Speed control
- Remote keyless/illum entry
- Compact disc player
- Fog lamps
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- 4.6L 3V DOHC V-8 engine
- 5-speed manual transmission
- P245/45ZR17 BSW perf tires
- Mach 460 Elec AM/FM stereo cass
- Leather sport bucket seats
- Front floor mats

### NEW '99 WINDSTAR SE



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**SAVE \$5,206**

Demo #93128U

- Electric Rear Window defrost
- Power convenience group
- Power windows/locks
- Speed control/tilt strg wht
- Light group
- Overhead console
- Aux climate control system
- Roof Rack
- 2nd/3rd row privacy glass
- 3.8L SPI engine
- 4 spd auto O/D transmission
- P215/70R-15 BSW self sealing tires
- Traction control
- Electronic Group
- Man right hand/left hand door
- Reverse sensing system
- Conventional spare tire
- Trailer towing package
- Elec AM/FM ster/disc/cass/clk
- SE equipment group
- Class I wiring
- Family security package
- Anti-theft - perimeter
- Quad/power drivers seat

### '99 F-150 SUPERCAB



**PURCHASE \$20,989\*\***

**SAVE \$5,965**

Demo #93645R

- XLT SERIES
- AM/FM elect stereo/cass/clock
- 4.6L EFI V-8 engine
- Electronic 4-spd auto O/D
- P255/70R-16 OWL all-season
- 3.55 ratio limited slip axle
- Floor mats-carpeted
- Trailer towing group, class II
- Tonneau cover-soft
- Remote keyless entry
- Air conditioning - CFC Free
- 4-W ABS/4-W disc

### NEW '99 E-350 SUPER CARGO VAN



**PURCHASE \$20,789\*\***

**SAVE \$4,811**

Stk. #93954P

- Service pkg heavy duty
- Elec AM/FM stereo w/clock
- Alternator heavy duty
- 4-wheel anti lock brake system
- 5.4L V8 engine
- Electronic 4 spd auto trans
- Floor mat full length
- Glass, fixed rr cargo door
- Air conditioning - CFC Free
- Power steering - Power brakes

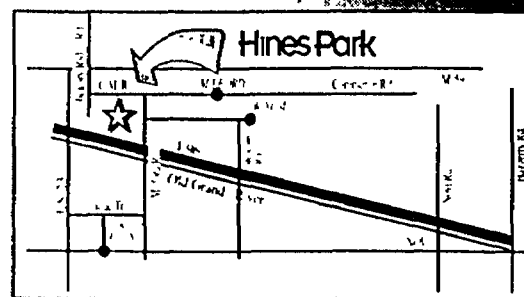
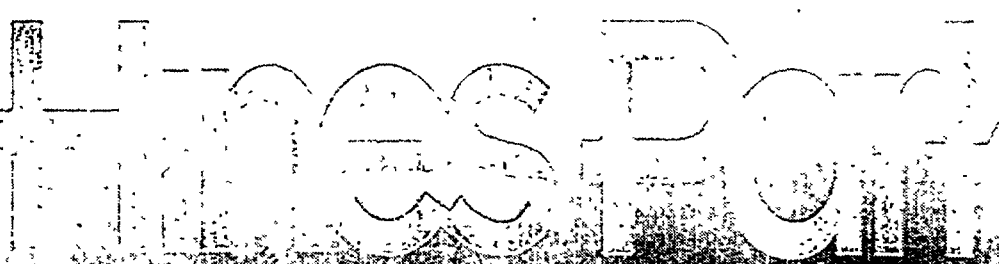
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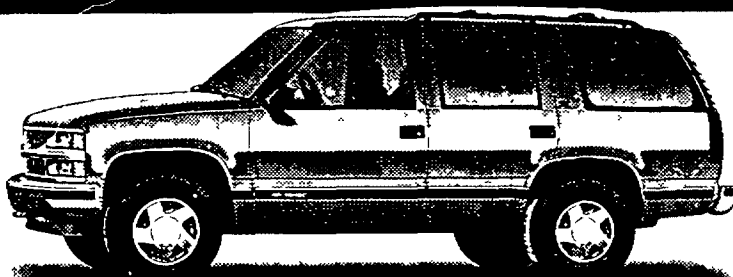
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**'99 TAHOE LT 4X4**



What You Need:

G.M. Purchase Certificate & 1st month's payment.....	\$363.53
Security Deposit.....	\$375.00
Down Payment.....	\$1995.00
Tax & Title.....	\$138.70

**\$2872<sup>23</sup>\***

Due at signing

36 month lease

Stk. #8979X

**'99 SUBURBAN 4x4**

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**\$362<sup>45</sup>\***

36 month lease

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Tax & Title.....	\$138.70

**\$2871<sup>15</sup>\***

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**'00 BLAZER LS**

Stk. #9004



**\$256<sup>16</sup>\***

36 month lease

What You Need:

G.M. Purchase Certificate & 1st month's payment.....	\$256.16
Security Deposit.....	\$275.00
Down Payment.....	\$0.00
Tax & Title.....	\$19.00

**\$550<sup>17</sup>\***

Due at signing

**'99 SILVERADO 4X4 EXT CAB**

Stk. #7989X



**\$338<sup>82</sup>\***

48 month lease

What You Need:

G.M. Purchase Certificate & 1st month's payment.....	\$338.82
Security Deposit.....	\$350.00
Down Payment.....	\$1000.00
Tax & Title.....	\$109.00

**\$1797<sup>82</sup>\***

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**2000 S-10 PICKUP**

Stk. #8827



**\$132<sup>11</sup>\***

36 month lease

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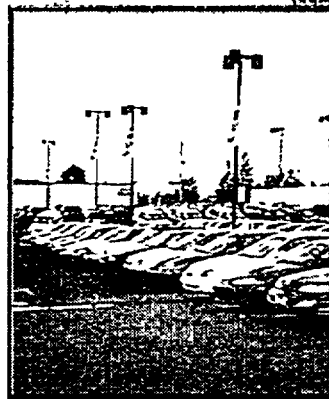
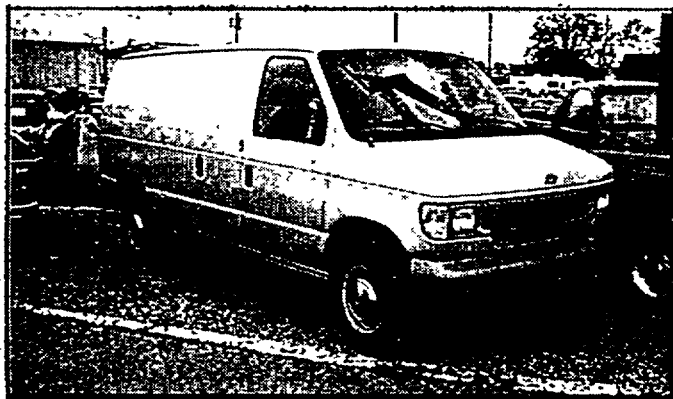


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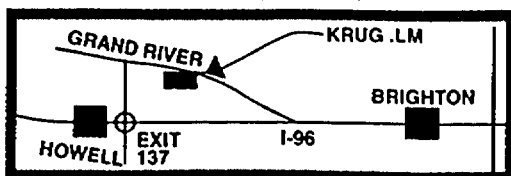
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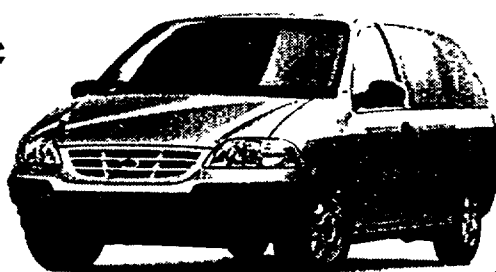


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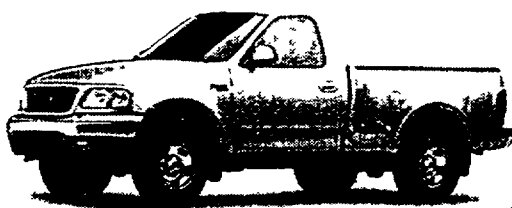
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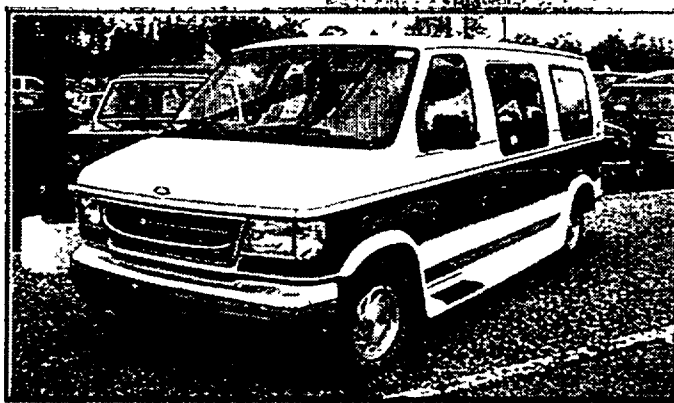
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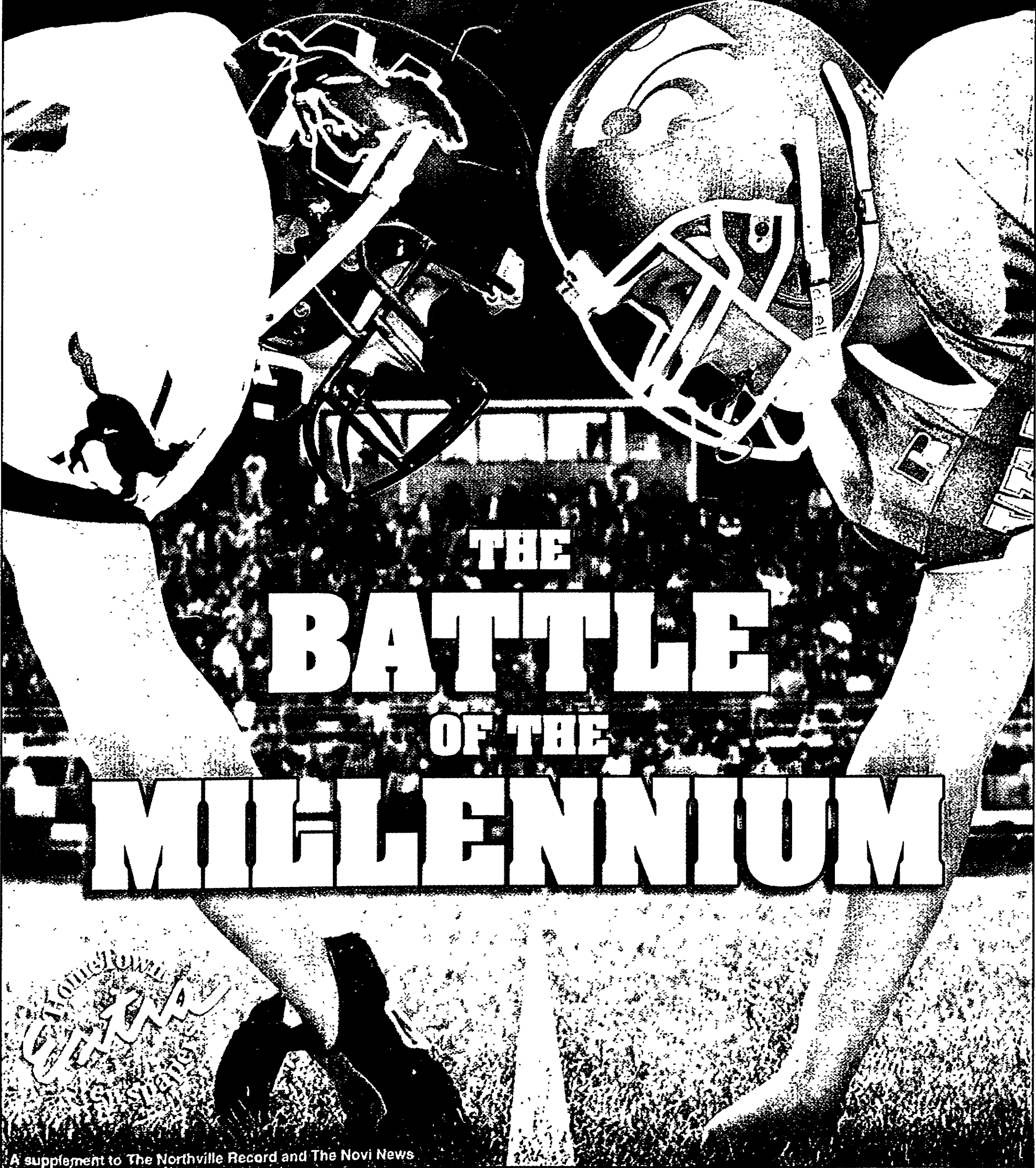
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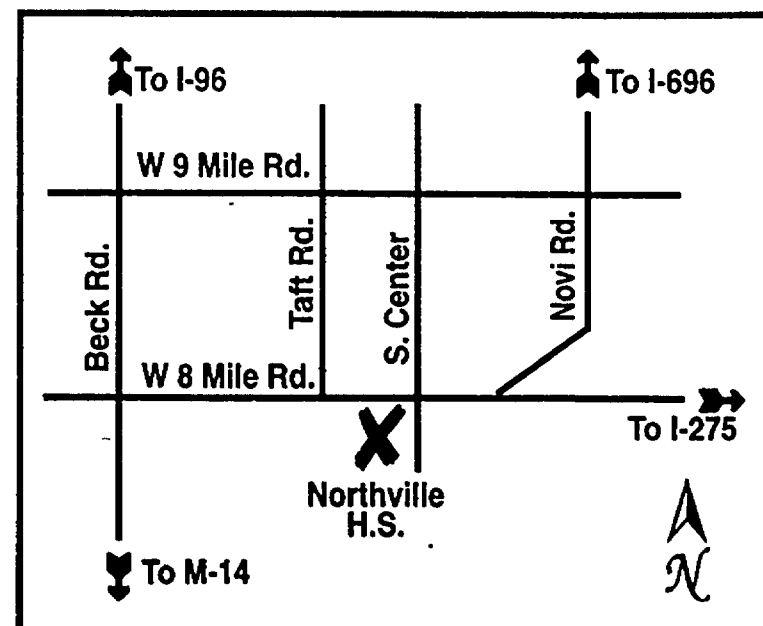
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# Welcome to the best ever

Welcome to HomeTown Newspaper's all-time Northville and Novi football team special tab section.



**Jason Schmitt**

This was a project I concocted about four months ago, but never actually got started on until early September. It's amazing how fast the time went, but we've finally made our selections of who's the best of the best to ever play high school football at Northville and Novi High Schools.

Both of these schools have their own all-time teams, but we decided to combine them into one special section because of the close proximity of the two schools and the heated rivalry between them on the playing field. There's no other Novi on Northville's schedule, and there's no other Northville on Novi's schedule.

The selection processes and makeup of each team is slightly different. Because Northville High School football has an older tradition, its team is slightly bigger than Novi's. The Northville squad was selected from Northville teams after 1950. Because the records aren't very detailed and our sources were scarce before that time, we decided it would be fair to

only include more recent players on our team. If anyone has information on pre-1950 Northville football teams, please contact me.

The selection process for the Mustang squad was long and tedious. Because of this, I called upon the historical expertise of Phil Jerome, HomeTown Newspaper's executive editor, for help. He spent many hours in the very chair I sit in today, and with all his Northville contacts, he was a tremendous partner in this project.

Together we devised an expert panel of former Northville football coaches and players to help us select the nominees for the team. From there we presented the master list back to the coaches, who then narrowed their lists down to a select group of finalists.

About two weeks ago several members of our panel joined both Phil and I at Genitti's Hole-In-The-Wall in downtown Northville for a selection meeting. At that meeting, we were joined by Dave Longridge, Chuck Apap, Darrel Schumacher, Dennis Colligan, Dutch VanIngen and Dave Jerome. After an hour for dinner and two hours of talking, the team was formed.

The Novi team was a different story. I had done some research of Wildcat teams and came up with a list of players that I ran across. To that I added names from submissions from you readers. I took that list to John Osborne, who had already formed a

list of his own. Together we compiled the best players in Novi history, John Osborne history.

At this point I'd like to thank all of those people who helped in the selection processes for this section. All of the coaches and players on our Northville panel; Dave Longridge, Dave Jerome, Chuck Apap, Darrel Schumacher, Dennis Colligan, Dutch VanIngen, Ron Horwath and Chuck Shonta. Thanks to Novi coach John Osborne for spending time with me in devising the Novi team, to athletic director John Fundukian and booster club members for helping us distribute this special section. To those who have submitted pictures or information about this project.

A big thanks must go to Bill McLaughlin, who researched each of Northville's last 49 teams and compiled all-league and all-area accomplishments and provided me with vital stats when needed.

We know there may be arguments that arise from these teams, but that's healthy. We want that, as long as the arguments are clean and fun.

I welcome all comments about this special section. Please let me know how we did.

Now sit back and enjoy a few memories from both the distant and recent past in this retrospective of football on both sides of the "Baseline."

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## The history of Northville football is on our panel

Here are the members of the panel which selected the All-Century Northville High School football team:

### David Jerome

Selected to the All Wayne-Oakland League team as an offensive lineman at Northville in 1963, Jerome has been a regular observer of Mustang grid teams for more than 40 years — since he was a junior high school student, through his playing years, all the way up to the present. As a 165-pound sophomore, Jerome had earned a starting spot as an offensive guard on the great 1961 team until a broken arm prior to the season sent him to the sidelines.

### Dutch VanIngen

VanIngen is another panel member with more than 40 years experience observing Mustang grid fortunes. VanIngen was a hard-nosed halfback at Hope College where he developed a lifelong friendship with quarterback Ron Schipper. When Schipper took over the reins of the Northville grid program in 1957, VanIngen was his trusted assistant. Together the two men built some of the greatest teams and players in Northville history as they developed one of the finest programs in the state.

### Ron Horwath

When Ron Schipper left Northville after the 1959 season to pursue a coaching career that would ultimately take him to Central Iowa College, the task of guiding Mustang

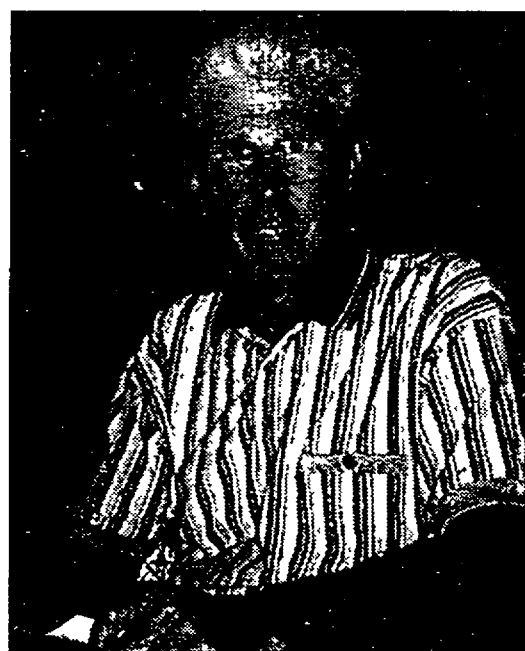


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Dutch VanIngen (above) served as one of our panellist for the all-time team.

football fortunes was passed on to Horwath. It was an excellent choice as Horwath continued the tradition of outstanding football teams. A former defensive back with the Detroit Lions, it was Horwath who coached the great undefeated 1961 team headed by quarterback Steve Juday.

### Chuck Apap

Apap came to Northville along with Chuck Shonta to revive a struggling program and has been considerably more than a casual observer of Mustang football teams ever since. After working as an assistant with Shonta for several years, Apap fulfilled his desire to

become a head coach when he took over the Walled Lake Western team in the late 1970s. Apap built the Western program into one of the best in the state and winning the MHSAA Class A state championship in 1996. Apap brings a unique perspective to the panel. In addition to have been a Northville coach, he also has coached against the Mustangs for the past 19 years.

### Dennis Colligan

Although his kids played sports at Novi High School, Colligan is a Mustang at heart. He is the current assistant principal at Northville High School and was the athletic director after spending eight years as head coach at Northville from 1978-85.

His teams posted a 38-32 record in his time there, and put together back-to-back 7-2 seasons in 1983 and 1984. Six of the players he coached are on the all-time Northville team.

### Darrel Schumacher

The longest tenured coach in Northville history, Schumacher has been the head skipper for the past 13 seasons. He has coached some of the best players to come through NHS, including quarterback Ryan Huzjak in 1991.

His teams have won 60 games since he took over the program from Colligan in 1986. He started coaching at Northville in the mid-70s under then head coach Chuck Shonta. If there's anything to know

about the last 25 years of Mustang football, coach Schu's your man.

### Dave Longridge

Longridge was an assistant football coach under Ron Horwath from 1960-65. He saw many of the greats in his time as a coach, and many more since. A Northville resident, Longridge regularly keeps up with Mustang football and maintains a close friendship with Horwath.

He was also the boy's basketball coach throughout the 60s and knows many of Northville's greatest athletes. In his short stay as an assistant with the football team, Longridge saw 11 of our all-time players run up and down the field.

### Chuck Shonta

The toughest guy on our selection panel, Shonta coached the Mustangs from 1971-77. He took over a program which had posted a 4-12 record the previous two years and turned it into a squad that was 14-4 his last two years at the school.

A former American Football League all-pro with the Boston Patriots in the 1960s, Shonta's 1974 team was among the best ever at Northville High School. It's record of 7-2 was good, but it's defense allowed just two touchdowns and 23 points in nine games, posting six shutouts. It's two losses were by a combined four points.

In the seven seasons Shonta led the Mustangs, they were 34-26-1 and produced 10 all-time selections.



# A coach for all ages

Novi coach John Osborne is Novi football, or at least the only coach the school has known

By **DAN KITTLE**  
Special Writer

He sits in a back room of Novi High School, with his arms folded and a pensive look on his still youthful face.

When asked a question relating to a past Novi football squad, head coach John Osborne launches into a long, detailed, vivid story that takes the listener back in time and makes him feel as though he's pacing the sidelines with the man himself, under the lights on a Friday night, hearing the roar of the crowd and the smack of the pads and helmets, getting so absorbed in the game that everything else on earth becomes almost non-existent for 48 minutes.

He's been doing this for 33 long, illustrious seasons, and every year, he puts all he has into the Novi football program.

"Football is my passion," says Osborne. "It's my hobby. I don't have much else that I do. I'm not very handy at anything, so my hobby is pretty much football."

He's had some good seasons,

some great seasons, and some mediocre-at-best years, but every year, he comes back for more with a renewed confidence and sense of hope. He approaches every fall football season with a great amount of passion, pouring his heart and soul into his program, and his players often reflect that on the field. Winning or losing, his players always give everything they have, leaving it all on the field every Friday night, much like their enthusiastic coach.

"I've never had a coach care about his kids the way he does," says Dave Tardella, a member of this year's varsity team. "He expects the best out of us."

## Starting from scratch

Many, many years ago, back when the Super Bowl was just getting started and the Tigers were actually a good baseball team, Osborne gave Novi High School its first varsity football squad. In the fall of 1967, "Coach O," as he is affectionately dubbed, was named the first head coach of the Wildcats.

He still recalls those first few seasons as though they happened yesterday, reminiscing about how people were only charged to sit in the bleachers and how the first ever night game at Novi was played with the lights running on generators. "Things got kind of noisy," he says with a chuckle.

In 1971, he says, the program began to really take off. After implementing the wishbone offense ("It was kind of ahead of its time" he says), the team proceeded to lose merely one game in a three-year span from '71 to '73. They won the league again in '74, then qualified for the state playoffs for the first time in 1976. Since there were only four qualifiers at the time, this was a big accomplishment for the Wildcats.

The 80s certainly had no shortage of dynamic Novi ball clubs as well. In '81, the team took its first KVC title, then won four-consecutive league championships from '86 through '89. In 1988, the team got on a roll in the playoffs, making their way to the state semifinals before falling to the eventual state champions, Traverse City.

The Wildcats actually had the ball at the TC two-yard line with 20 seconds to go in the game, but an extremely unfortunate fumble ended the team's shot at a prestigious state title. "It was very frustrating that we couldn't get it," says Osborne. "We played so well, but you play too many close games, and that's going to happen.



Photo by JOHN HEIDER

Coach Osborne (pointing) has compiled a 176-122 record in 32-plus seasons as Novi's head coach. He had back-to-back undefeated years in 1972-73.

You don't win all the close games, as we've been experiencing this year."

While speaking of the ill-fated loss to Traverse City, Osborne sneezes loudly. "I'm still having an allergic reaction," he says with another loud sneeze, "to that game." Always the comedian, he still jokes today about such a tough loss. That is one of the reasons he is so well admired and respected to this day.

The 90s weren't quite as good to Osborne. Although his teams seemed to consistently pound Northville, he was never blessed with the type of perennial state powers he coached in the two previous decades.

Over his many years on the sidelines, Osborne has seen the game change and evolve in many ways, but he says that the players remain basically the same. "They like the game, they work hard at it, and they do the best they can," he says. He adds, however, that today's players focus more on the game of football than in the past. "It's more demanding in terms of time than it used to be. Athletes aren't the three-sport stars that they used to be. Now they concentrate on only one or two of the sports and time is spent concentrating on these in the off-season. They make the game better and they make the players better."

He also claims that he has changed in many ways as well. "I'm more mellow than I used to be," he says. "I used to fly off the handle more, but now I've learned to relax and take it easy when necessary."

## A great coach and a great man

To this day, Osborne has the respect and admiration of his players, students, and fellow coaches. He pours everything he has into Novi football, and it shows when chatting with those he has worked with over the years. When asked about Osborne, players and coaches alike are quick to praise him.

"Everything I am as a coach I owe to coach Osborne," says Cole Rowekamp, an assistant with the varsity team since 1985. "Every success I've ever had as a coach I owe to him. You know, I was the head coach at Milford and I coached many years before I came over here, but I knew nothing about football until I started coaching for him."

He hasn't only affected the coaches with his knowledge, but with his character as well. His integrity and honor are looked up to by everyone.

"He's an outstanding man," continues Rowekamp. "I mean, he's trustworthy, he's loyal, he's never done an unfair thing as long as I've known him."

Coach Kraig Caurdy praises Osborne, "My best way of explaining John would be that he's a man's man. He's a gentleman in every sense of the word. I've learned more from him, not just about coaching, but the way to handle kids, the way to enjoy things. I've never coached for a better person or worked for a better person in my life."

"I look forward to coaching with him for the rest of my years and as long as he wants to coach. I look at him as a father figure to me at

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## Novi's season records since 1967

Year	Record
1967	2-4
1968	6-2
1969	2-6
1970	2-6
1971	8-1
1972	9-0
1973	8-0
1974	6-3
1975	4-5
1976	8-2
1977	2-7
1978	3-6
1979	5-4
1980	6-3
1981	7-2
1982	7-2
1983	3-6
1984	1-8
1985	5-4
1986	8-1
1987	9-1
1988	10-2
1989	7-2
1990	5-4
1991	4-5
1992	5-4
1993	4-5
1994	5-4
1995	4-5
1996	6-3
1997	2-7
1998	5-4
1999	5-2
<b>Totals</b>	<b>176-122</b>

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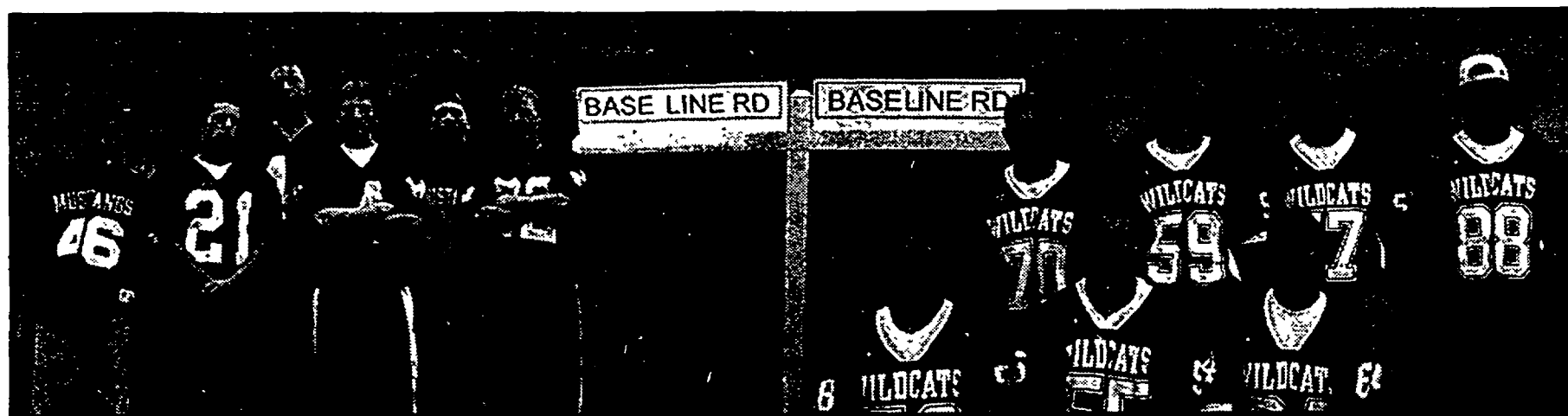
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# Jug or no jug, it's still a great rivalry

By JASON SCHMITT  
Sports Editor

There's no other rivalry like it at the two schools. No other sport even compares to the emotional 48-minute war between the two teams.

The annual season-ending football bash between Northville and Novi has been ongoing since 1971 when the two teams strapped on their helmets and clashed for the first time. Novi won that first game, and the next two in a series that has seen its shares of streaks.

Northville has put together winning streaks of five, four and three games during the 28-year rivalry. Novi won the first three, and has since had streaks of four, two and two games. Only twice in its history has a team not won at least two years in a row. The 1992 Novi win (32-28) was sandwiched between six Mustang victories. And the 1997 Northville triumph (35-6) was the Mustang's lone win in the last four meetings between the two schools.

Any way you slice it, the two schools have a sort of love-hate relationship. They basically share many of the same amenities living so close to each other. They go to the same restaurants, malls and many of these football players started out their days playing for the Northville/Novi Colts football program.

But for many of those same reasons, they want to win this game very badly.

"I'd be lying to you if I didn't say that winning that game wasn't one of our goals at the beginning of the season," Northville assistant coach and 1985 grad John Briningstool said. "We lost to them my sophomore year (1982), and we were tired of losing. So we made it one of our goals to beat Novi. With the state playoffs not being a realistic goal back then, it's the last thing to play for in a season."

Both Briningstool and Northville athletic director Larry Taylor agree that this is a game for "bragging rights."

"Many of these kids live next door to each other and have played in summer and travel leagues together. They have a camaraderie between them and neither one wants to lose to each other," Taylor said.

Even though Novi has a few interconference rivals in South Lyon and Brighton, none can match what it has with Northville.

"We get a chance to play against kids that we've played with on teams since we were little, kids that we've been friends with, and now we're enemies." Novi senior



File photo by JOHN HEIDER

Despite the fact that the "Baseline Jug" was destroyed after Northville last won it in 1997, the game has not lost its luster. Northville leads the all-time series 15-13, but have lost three of the last four to Novi.

Sean McGuckin said.

"I don't think playoffs, wins or losses, none of that matters in this game," Northville mentor Darrel Schumacher said. "They're the people we know, and we want to show them we're better."

What many people don't know is that Novi players used to go to Northville and many of Northville's greatest players actually lived in Novi. In 1967 Novi had its first varsity team ever, but had to wait until 1968 before it had its first senior class.

The two teams did not schedule each other the first four years, but finally met on Sept. 17, 1971 at Novi High School. Novi upset the larger Mustangs 22-7 and set the stage for some of the most memorable games in both school's histories.

Northville holds a 15-13 series lead, a series which hasn't always featured close games. Only eight times in 28 meetings has the game been decided by six points or less. And only once has it been a one-field goal game.

The excitement has come from the spoils that have been created by the underdogs. It seems like everytime a Novi team has a chance to make the playoffs or finish a season undefeated, Northville thwarted those attempts, and visa versa.

"There's been a lot of evidence where one team would be having a dominant season and the other

one comes in and leaves with the victory," Briningstool said. "Your other eight games aren't an indication of how you'll play that game."

The 1989 Novi team came into the "Baseline Battle" with a near-perfect 7-1 record, only to lose 10-7 to a Northville team that sported a 2-6 record coming in.

The year before a 3-5 Northville squad topped a previously unbeaten, 8-0 Novi team that did go onto the state semifinals before losing to Traverse City.

The 1980 Northville team was an impressive 6-2 heading into the last game of the year. Novi handed the Mustangs a 21-6 loss.

A 32-28 loss to Novi in 1992 almost cost the team a shot at the state playoffs, but the team did sneak in at 6-3.

This year's game looks to be of similar fates, however with the new playoff system in effect, Novi's playoff berth should be solidified by the time Oct. 22 rolls around. Northville, however, is still reeling from the early-season poundings it took from Brighton, Harrison and Canton. But if history has anything to say about the outcome of the game, you can disregard the above statements.

Novi players and fans are confident that the famous "Baseline Jug" will be theirs once again.

"The senior class has never lost to Northville, and it won't happen this year," Novi captain and all-time player Mitch Maier said.

## Northville vs. Novi

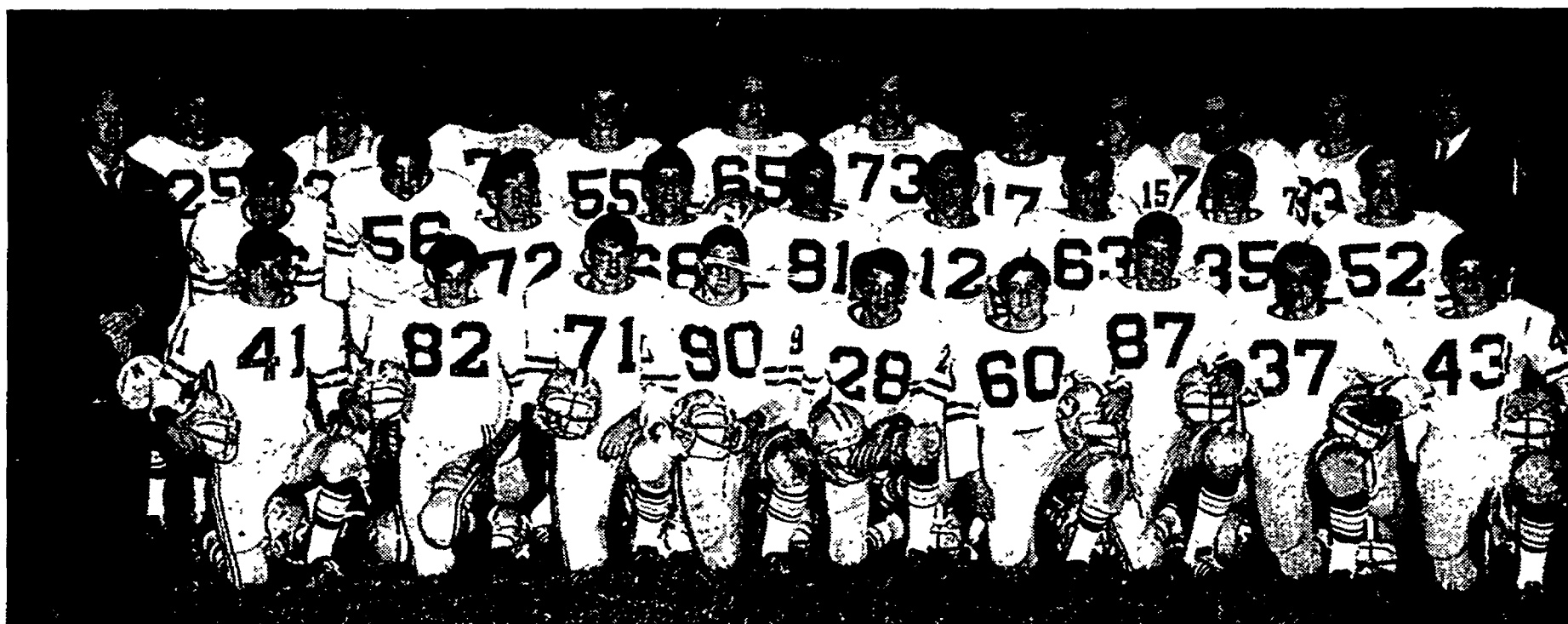
Year	Outcome
1971	Novi 22, Northville 7 (first game of the year)
1972	Novi 26, Northville 6
1973	Novi 27, Northville 18
1974	Northville 7, Novi 0
1975	Northville 20, Novi 6
1976	Northville 41, Novi 6
1977	Northville 21, Novi 6
1978	Northville 20, Novi 14 (moved to last game of the year)
1979	Novi 21, Northville 14
1980	Novi 21, Northville 6
1981	Novi 7, Northville 0
1982	Novi 20, Northville 16
1983	Northville 35, Novi 14
1984	Northville 34, Novi 15
1985	Northville 7, Novi 2
1986	Novi 12, Northville 7
1987	Novi 27, Northville 6
1988	Northville 23, Novi 18
1989	Northville 10, Novi 7
1990	Northville 17, Novi 0
1991	Northville 24, Novi 14
1992	Novi 32, Northville 28
1993	Northville 28, Novi 0
1994	Northville 28, Novi 20
1995	Novi 21, Northville 14
1996	Novi 49, Northville 20
1997	Northville 35, Novi 6
1998	Novi 21, Northville 17
1999	?????

We'll see, Mitch, we'll see.

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# THE BATTLE OF THE MILLENNIUM



The 1968 Novi football team wasn't the best team in school history, but it may just have been the most important. The team had the first senior class in school history and finished 6-2, winning five straight during the season.

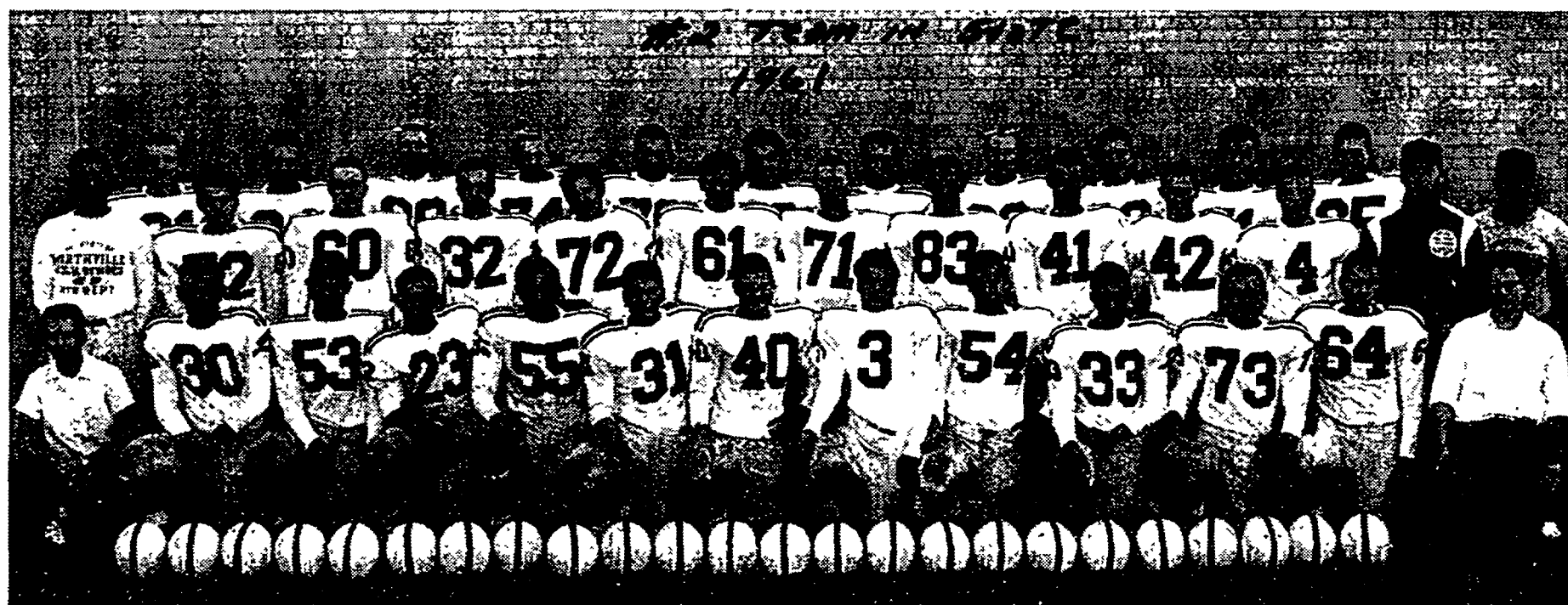
Why do you say this season may have been the most important in Novi history? I bet there were two eighth graders at each of these games watching their older brothers. And I bet their first names were Jimmy and Pat.

**1968  
Wildcats**

**1961  
Mustangs**

Perhaps the best team ever assembled at Northville High School, the 1961 team featured a potent offensive attack and a big, bad defense. The 'Stangs outscored their opponents 263-26. Only the 1976 team allowed fewer points in a sea-

son (23). The team featured such all-time players as Steve Juday, Dick Bathey, Jack Dowd and Ron Rice. One of two undefeated teams at Northville (1958 was the other), it's also the last team to lose less than two games in a season.



## Players have grown fond of Osborne, on the field and off

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times, as a mentor, as a colleague.

"I guess, for lack of better words, I adore the man. I would walk on water and go through fire for him. I really, really respect what he does and the way he treats people."

Sean McGuckin, a member of this year's team, explains, "He's more than just a coach. He's a friend. He's someone you can always count on."

Rowekamp adds, "I've played with him on many softball teams and I've dealt with him in many situations, and he's never done a dishonest or disloyal thing to anybody. The people he works for, he's loyal to, he never says a bad thing about him ... the guy is fabulous."

"The only person I respect more is my father. He means that much to me."

Long after Osborne is gone, he will be remembered with a great amount of reverence, awe, and adoration by all those who were fortunate enough to cross paths with the legend. He will be remembered for the way he paces the sidelines every Friday night, the way he celebrates after a big win as though he was a youthful high school teen once again for a few moments, and for the way he always screams until he's red in the face at the Homecoming Pep Assembly.

But most of all, he will be remembered for his character, his sense of humor, and the way he relates to kids. Not only does he have a passion for football, but a passion for life. He is always willing to offer a joke or light-hearted comment at the drop of a hat, and he cares about everyone around him with all his heart.

A fitting end to his incredible career would be for his team to finally capture an elusive state title, to have his players carry him off the Silverdome turf on their shoulders as the fans' cheer of "Oh-Oh-Oh!"

echoes off the ceiling of the stadium.

But even if he can't manage to take his team to the top, he will certainly find no shortage of admiration from everyone who knew him. In his long, illustrious coaching career, he has touched countless lives and left great impressions on thousands of students, coaches, and even fans. All those whose lives he touched will take a piece of the legend with them long after he says goodbye.

*Dan Kittle in a Novi High School senior and captain of the 1999 football team.*

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# Juday, Huzjak head up all-time offense

By PHIL JEROME  
Executive Editor  
and JASON SCHMITT  
Sports Editor

An 11-man offensive team. "No way, not for an All-Century team," said our panel of experts. "There have been just too many talented athletes to limit the offensive squad to a mere 11 players."

As a result, the All-Century offensive team has a total of 18 players — three quarterbacks, five running backs, three receivers and seven interior linemen.

One of the team's strong points is the three outstanding quarterbacks, headed by Steve Juday, arguably the best football player in Northville history. But Ryan Huzjak and Doug Marzonie were also talented QBs. And the rest of the team is equally adept — both at the skills positions and down in the trenches.

Here are the players our panel of experts selected to the All-Century offensive squad:

## OFFENSE

### Quarterbacks

#### Steve Juday (1961)

"The best football player in the history of Northville High School," according to our panel, Juday remains a legendary athlete in local annals almost 40 years after graduating. As a senior, Juday led the Mustangs to a perfect 9-0 season, win-



Steve Juday—1961

ning All-State honors and becoming perhaps the most highly recruited player in the state. For the record, Juday threw for 1,112 yards and nine touchdowns as a senior, completing 77 of 126 attempts (61 percent) in addition to scoring 14 touchdowns on the ground. He also handled punting chores (41-yard average) and

returned punts.

Defensively, he was a hard-nosed safety who led Northville in tackles while recovering six fumbles and snaring seven interceptions. "He was a safety, but there was nothing he loved better than hitting somebody at the line of scrimmage," remarked Panel Member Dutch VanIngen.

Juday's greatest ability, however, may have been his leadership. He was indeed the field general. Juday went on to Michigan State where he started at quarterback as a sophomore, junior and senior for Duffy Daugherty's great national championship teams of the mid-60s which featured Bubba Smith, Clint Jones, Gene Washington and George Washington. Despite the presence of Huzjak and Marzonie, Juday was a "no brainer" selection as the All-Century quarterback.

#### Ryan Huzjak (1989-91)

Probably the best pure quarterback to play at Northville, Huzjak holds most of the school's career and single-season passing records, including passing yards, touchdowns, completions and attempts.

As a junior in 1990, Huzjak completed 127 of 226 attempts for 1,564 yards and 13 touchdowns, while rushing for 820 yards and nine more scores. The next season he hit 121 of 222 for 1,637 yards and 14 TDs. In all, Huzjak passed for 3,876 yards while leading his team to a 14-7 record and a semifinal appearance in the 1990 Class-A playoffs, the school's first-ever playoff experience.

He went on to become a four-year starter at the University of Toledo.

#### Doug Marzonie (1977)

"Possibly the best quarterback Northville has ever had," crowed a Northville Record sportswriter who had never heard of Steve Juday. The 6-3 175-pound Marzonie was nonetheless a terrific passer and signal caller. As a senior, Marzonie completed 83 of 157 passes for 1,333 yards and seven touchdowns while rushing for 314 yards on 59 carries. He was named to the All-Western Six team as a defensive back. He weighed scholarship offers from Arizona, Pennsylvania, Eastern Michigan and Michigan

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## All-Time Northville Football Team

### Offense

Player name	Pos.	Height	Weight	Senior Season
Steve Juday	QB	6-0	185	1961
Ryan Huzjak	QB	6-2	190	1991
Aneil Kersey	RB	5-11	190	1995
Steve Schrader	OT	6-6	220	1983
Ben Keetle	WR	6-5	190	1998
Doug Marzonie	QB	6-3	175	1977
Dick Biery	RB	6-0	175	1957
Dick Bathey	RB	6-3	180	1961
Bob Starnes	RB	6-0	210	1958
Doug Crisan	RB	6-3	210	1974
Jerry Imsland	WR	6-3	200	1965
John Horwath	WR	6-1	175	1977
Bill Juday	OL	5-10	190	1959
Jack Dowd	OL	6-5	300	1961
Greg Wendell	OL	6-4	215	1984
Steve Schrader	OL	6-6	228	1983
Bob Tuck	OL	5-10	220	1964
Fred Mitchell	OL	5-11	180	1960
Jeff Weber	OL	6-3	205	1977

### Defense

Gary Winemaster	DL	6-3	215	1977
Jim Porterfield	DL	5-11	215	1973
Bob Wagenschutz	DL	6-3	235	1956
Jay Sugrue	DL	6-0	165	1960
Mark Morland	DL	6-2	190	1977
Vince Candela	DL	6-1	252	1981
Jerry Asher	DL	5-5	180	1966
Mark VanIngen	DL	5-10	200	1977
Fred Hicks	DL	6-3	215	1969
Tony Briningstool	LB	6-4	205	1986
Ron Rice	LB	5-9	170	1963
Doug Hartman	LB	6-1	200	1984
Spike Walker	LB	5-9	200	1958
Larry Pink	LB	6-0	180	1974
Dave Hay	DB	5-10	160	1960
Jim Zayti	DB	6-1	175	1966
John Sherman	DB	5-10	170	1974
David Greer	DB	6-0	180	1980

### Special teams

Dan Walsh	AP	5-9	160	1992
Adam Tibble	K	5-9	170	1997

## Briningstool, Winemaster among the best hitters

By PHIL JEROME  
Executive Editor  
and JASON SCHMITT  
Sports Editor

If anybody could stop the talented All-Century offensive squad, the All-Century defensive unit would have the best chance.

Our panel selected 18 members to the defensive unit — nine linemen, four linebackers and four defensive backs.

Here's a look at the men our panelists selected for the All-Century defensive squad:

### Linemen

#### Gary Winemaster (1977)

Another of the "no-brainer" selections, Winemaster dominated opposing linemen with his massive size (6-3, 215). Described as "big, fast and rangy" by his coaches, Wine-

master was one of three candidates for the all-area player of the year in 1975. He earned a spot on the first-team at defensive end that year and the year before and was All-Western Six at the same position in both his junior and senior seasons. Winemaster went on to play four years at Penn where he was a captain his senior season.

#### Jim Porterfield (1973)

Saw some varsity action as a sophomore, but really blossomed into a great defensive tackle in as a junior in 1972. Although the honors did not roll in that year, Porterfield went on to earn Sliger's (Northville Record) Player-of-the-Year award in 1973 when he was also a first-team Western Six selection. Known for his tremendous strength, Porterfield bench pressed 350 pounds. "During the eight years I was here, he was the best defensive players we had," said former Northville assistant and long-time Walled Lake Western head coach Chuck Apap.

#### Bob Wagenschutz (1956)

A menacing force at 235 pounds, Wagenschutz was a three-year starter on offense and defense for coaches Dick Kay and Ron Schipper. Despite his huge size for the times, he also was the second fastest player on the team and was switched to the backfield on short-yardage situations ala "Refrigerator" Perry. He also handled punting responsibilities for the Mustangs. After being named to the All-State team in 1956, Wagenschutz went on to a fine career at offensive center for the University of Idaho.

#### Jay Sugrue (1960)

The Record did not carry much information about Sugrue, who played on Northville's great undefeated 1961 team. But the members of our panel were steadfast in their

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# Novi's best coincide with best teams of all-time

By JASON SCHMITT  
Sports Editor

The layout of Novi's all-time team is a bit different than that of Northville's. This team is comprised of many two-way players, most of who starred as an offensive force.

In the "John Osborne" era, the best athletes were on the field, regardless of position. That's what has made Novi football so special.

Here's a look at HomeTown Newspapers all-time Novi High School football team, beginning with the offense and then switching to defense and special teams.

## Quarterbacks

### Gary Boyer (1968)

The Grandfather of Novi football, all great quarterbacks thereafter resembled the nimble Boyer. The oldest of three brothers who played for Novi, Boyer was the leader of both the 1967 and 1968 Novi teams that started Wildcat football.

There were no post-season awards at Novi back then, but he and Jon VanWagner were the Wildcats. Without them, who knows where the program and head coach John Osborne would be.

He rushed for four touchdowns in 1968 and passed for seven more.

### Steve Lukkari (1972)

The post-season honors never seemed to stop for Lukkari, who never had the most impressive numbers in the area. But what could not be accounted for were his tremendous leadership abilities and his ability to master the wish-bone offense to perfection.

Known as a field leader, Lukkari completed 40 of 85 passes his senior season for 1,000 yards. He was an all-SEC and all-area selection at quarterback as a senior and went on to earn all-Oakland County and all-state honors that year as well. Lukkari was named the Sliger player of the year by area newspapers his junior season, where he completed 32 of 91 passes for 582 yards.

### Dave Brown (1973)

A better athlete than Lukkari, Brown spent his first two years as a defensive star. As a sophomore in 1971, Brown was all-SEC as a defensive back after intercepting four passes. He moved to linebacker his junior year because coaches say "he was our best hitter." At that position he again earned first-team all-SEC honors.

Known for his strong arm, Brown moved to quarterback in 1973 and led his team to an undefeated season. He made the all-conference first team at both quarterback and linebacker. He was also first-team all-area after rushing the ball 41 times for 331 yards and completing 17 of 42 passes for 485 yards.

### Randy Wroten (1976)

Somebody had to quarterback the team to its first-ever post-season appearance, and that man was Randy

Wroten. Known moreso for his baseball prowess, he was a great quarterback as well.

Wroten was 39 of 69 passing his senior season, but also ran the ball 1,059 yards on just 168 attempts. He earned all-SEC quarterback honors, but was the all-area running back because Brighton's Dean Clark had a superb season behind center in 1976. That 1976 team was one of just four Class B teams to qualify for the state playoffs.

### Eric Deline (1982)

Not the biggest of Novi quarterbacks, but Deline had a strong arm and tremendous athletic ability. He was an all-Kensington Valley Conference selection at quarterback in 1982, when his team finished with a 7-2 record.

Deline completed 83 of 188 passes that year for 1,241 yards and 14 touchdowns. He also scored three on the ground.

It was at this time that the offense was nicknamed "Air Osborne."

### Jeff Tanderys (1986)

After becoming a starter midway through his sophomore season in 1984, Tanderys went on to quarterback the Wildcats the next two seasons. He was the last quarterback before Mitch Maier this year to be a two-year starter at the position.

He threw for 1,116 yards in his junior season, when he made the first-team all-area squad. He went on to pass for more than 1,000 yards his senior season and again earned all-area honors. But this year he was also a first-team all-KVC pick.

### Brian Schram (1987)

The tallest of the quarterbacks on this team, Schram was one of Osborne's one-year field generals on one of the great Novi teams.

His 1987 team finished 9-0 in the regular season before losing in the first-round of the state playoffs. That year Schram earned all-area first-team honors after completing 44 of 103 passes for 704 yards and rushing for another 224.

### Jon Wroe (1994)

Osborne once said that he was going to try to play his players less on both sides of the ball and let them concentrate on either offense or defense to save their energy for the latter parts of the game.

That was in 1968.

Known as Mr. Versatility to Novi footballers, Wroe made HomeTown's all-area football team in 1994 as a defensive back. He had three interceptions and made 61 tackles. Add to that the 400 yards he gained in quarterbacking Osborne's option offense and his versatility was shown. Furthermore, the year before he was an all-area selection at wide receiver, where he hauled in 20 receptions for 283 yards.

### Mitch Maier (1999)

As stated above, Maier is the first quarterback since Jeff Tanderys in 1986 to start at the position two consecutive seasons.

Through his first seven games of this season, Maier had passed for 626 yards and five touchdowns. He added 482 yards on the ground and six more scores. He has also picked off three

passes so far this season.

As a junior he completed 46 of 108 passes for 972 yards while leading Novi's option attack with 542 yards rushing and six touchdowns. He threw for eight more touchdowns.

Defensively, Maier led the team with 65 total tackles and was second with 41 first hits. He was a first-team all-area selection at quarterback in 1998 and is well on his way to that same slot this year.

## Running Backs

### Jon VanWagner (1968)

Stats were hard to come by in 1967, but the statistics VanWagner compiled in 1968 alone were worthy of mention.

The senior halfback scored 10 rushing touchdowns in just six games on offense. He was also the team's kicker, booting 15 extra points in Novi's 6-2 season. He and the above Boyer were the heart and soul of Novi's first-ever senior class.

### Jim VanWagner (1972)

Probably known more for what he did as a halfback at Michigan Tech than his two great years as one of the dynamic duo he formed with fellow back Pat Boyer at Novi. VanWagner set a standard at running back that has yet to be equaled in the 27 years since he graduated. He rushed for 758 yards on just 91 carries and scored 68 points his junior year before exploding for 941 yards on a remarkable 95 carries. He also led the area with 90 points scored his senior year. To see exactly what he could have done had he not shared the carries with fellow all-timer Pat Boyer, just add Boyer's numbers to VanWagners.

"They were both outstanding players, equally as good," coach Osborne said.

He was an all-Southeastern Conference selection in both his junior and senior seasons and also earned all-area honors in 1971-72. He played for the New Orleans Saints for a year before suffering an injury.

### Pat Boyer (1972)

Was just about equally efficient as VanWagner, gaining 686 yards on 96 carries his junior season before averaging an incredible 10.0 yards per attempt his senior campaign. He had 852 yards on 85 carries and scored 84 points in 1972, a year after leading the area in scoring with 74 points.

Boyer was an all-SEC first-team selection as a running back in 1971 and as a defensive end in 1972. Coincidentally, he was an all-area first teamer at defensive end his junior season before moving over to the first team as a running back in 1972.

### Mike Riley (1973)

He was to Hansor like Boyer was to VanWagner, a perfect compliment.

Brown, Riley and Hansor picked up the wishbone offense where their three predecessors left off. Riley was an all-conference nose guard as a junior in 1972 and then went on to earn first-team honors at running back as a

## All-Time Novi Football Team

### Offense

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Gary Boyer	QB	5-10	175	1968
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Dave Brown	QB	6-0	170	1973
Randy Wroten	QB	6-0	170	1976
Eric Deline	QB	5-11	175	1982
Jeff Tanderys	QB	6-3	185	1986
Brian Schram	QB	6-6	185	1987
Mitch Maier	QB	6-2	180	1999
Jon VanWagner	RB	6-2	200	1968
Jim VanWagner	RB	6-0	195	1972
Pat Boyer	RB	6-0	190	1972
Mike Riley	RB	6-0	190	1973
Eric Hansor	RB	5-10	170	1973
Andy McComas	RB	6-1	180	1976
Scott Wladischkin	RB	5-10	185	1988
Jason Witherspoon	RB	5-8	180	1996
Kevin Serra	WR	5-10	175	1993
Jon Wroe	WR	5-10	170	1994
Tom VanWagner	OL	5-8	195	1970
Bob Pisha	OL	6-3	225	1972
Dave Ward	OL	5-11	155	1972
Bret Keir	OL	6-0	215	1987
Dave Skown	OL	6-4	211	1987

### Defense

Bob Ahrens	DL	6-4	255	1989
Ron Buck	DL	5-10	220	1974
Mike Yankowski	LB	6-2	210	1989
Jason Korte	DB	5-8	160	1987

### Special Teams

Chris Caudell	K	5-9	145	1981
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# Offense is not lacking on all-time team

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State before accepting an offer from Penn. He was a four-year starter at the Ivy-League school.

## Running Backs

### Dick Biery (1957)

The lightning-fast halfback led Northville's 1957 squad, when he carried 101 times for 759 yards for an average of 7.5 yards per carry. Biery also picked up 317 yards in the air to earn first-team All-State honors. He also started at safety in 1956 and 1957. After graduating, Biery went on to play for Central Michigan University.



Dick Biery—1957

### Dick Bathey (1961)

The Record had few statistics about Bathey, but panel members were adamant that the tall running back deserved a slot on the All-Century team. Tall and fast, Bathey was switched from wide receiver to handle running chores on the great undefeated 1961 squad. Panel members recalled a game against Clarkston in which Bathey dashed 85 yards to the one on one carry and followed that effort with an 87-yard touchdown jaunt on his next carry.

### Bob Starnes (1958)

A 6-foot, 210 pounder, Starnes was just plain tough for opposing defenses to bring down. Starnes and Spike Walker formed a backfield tandem that was compared with Army's famed Doc Blanchard/Glenn Davis Mr. Inside/Mr. Outside duo. During Northville's undefeated 1958 season, Starnes gained 921 yards on a mere 91 carries for a 10.1 yard per carry rushing average and 13 touchdowns. He also hauled in 13 passes for 245 yards, one of the most productive seasons ever enjoyed by Mustang running back. He went on to star at running back at the University of Louisville.

### Doug Crisan (1974)

At 6-4 and 210 pounds, Crisan was "the man" in Coach Chuck Shonta's smash-mouth offensive schemes. Crisan gained 960 yards as a junior and was a unanimous All Western-Six selection at running back despite the fact that opposing defenses knew exactly who would be carrying the ball. As a senior, Crisan again was a unanimous All Western-Six choice, gaining 1,054 yards — a school record that stood until broken by Rick VanBuren in 1984. "We knew who was going to get the ball, but he just refused to go down," commented one

opposing coach. Crisan went on to play at Eastern Michigan University and survived to the final cut during a tryout with the Oakland Raiders.

### Aneil Kersey (1995)

Longevity can sometimes be overlooked, especially at the high-school level. But Kersey displayed three years of excellence unmatched in Northville history. As a sophomore, he rushed for 970 yards and was a first-team all-area pick by HomeTown. His 38-carry, four touchdown, 209-yard season-ending performance against Novi helped him finish with 708 yards in 1994. His senior season saw Kersey rush for 922 yards and score nine touchdowns, giving him a school records for career yardage (2,606), career carries (549), attempts in a season (209) and career touchdowns (22). He was all-conference in his junior and senior seasons.

## Receivers/Ends

### Jerry Imsland (1965)

Another "no brainer" choice on the All-Century team, the 6-3, 200-pound Imsland teamed with QB Tom Baughman to break all the Northville passing/receiving records in 1965. As a senior Imsland snared 63 passes for 811 yards. His records included most receptions in one game (15), most receiving yards in one game (231), most career receptions (83) and most career receiving yards (1,129). An All-State selection, Imsland accepted a football scholarship from the University of Kentucky where he starred on the freshman team, then transferred to the University of Michigan where he was a starter on new coach Bo Schembechler's squad that upset top-ranked Ohio State in one of the biggest upsets in Big Ten history. As a junior at U-M, he snared 19 passes for 269 yards.

### John Horwath (1977)

The son of Coach Ron Horwath, John Horwath at 6-1, 175 was neither particularly big nor particularly fast. What he did have was an uncanny ability to (1) get open and (2) catch the ball despite heavy attention from opposing defenses. As a senior, Horwath caught 38 passes for 705 yards and three touchdowns in addition to picking off seven interceptions as a defensive back. He won first-team all-conference honors and was an all-state choice as a defensive back. He is currently an assistant coach for the Mustangs.

### Ben Keetle (1998)

As a senior in 1998, Keetle apparently broke the school season-records for receptions (56), yards (767) and touchdowns (7). Upon further research into this project, Keetle's numbers fall just short of the season marks set by Imsland. His junior numbers of 34 receptions, 467 yards and three touchdowns gave him career school record totals of 90 receptions for 1,234 yards and 10 touch-

downs. "When Ben was a freshman our assistant coach John Horwath came to me and told me this kid was going to break all of Northville's school records," said current coach Darrel Schumacher said. "And this was from a guy who set all of these records."

## Offensive linemen

### Bill Juday (1959)

The oldest of the Juday brothers, Bill was an exceptionally fast and punishing blocker who was named to four All-State teams (Detroit Free Press, Detroit News, Detroit Times and Associated Press) his senior year when the Mustangs went 8-1. At 5-10 and 190 pounds, Juday accepted a scholarship from Vanderbilt where he was a tri-captain his senior season. Panel members agreed that Juday was a "no brainer" choice for the All-Century team. He was the field leader of a team that won 31 straight league games and 24 of its last 25 games.

### Jack Dowd (1961)

"Big Jack" (6-5 and 300) transferred to Northville at the start of the 1961 season to anchor the huge offensive line that provided protection for Steve Juday in the undefeated 1961 season. Amazingly fast for a man of his size, Dowd was an intimidating force who won All Wayne-Oakland League honors at both offensive center and defensive guard.

### Greg Wendell (1984)

A 6-4, 215-pound offensive center, Wendell was the heart of the 7-2 Northville 1984 team. The senior co-captain, a fierce and vocal competitor, was a quick and powerful blocker who called all the blocking schemes. Wendell was a unanimous All-Western Six selection at center. As a strong side defensive end, he had 37 first hits and three fumble recoveries.

### Steve Schrader (1983)

At 6-6, 228 "mobile Mustang mountain" was an exceptional offensive line-

man, according to

Colligan, adding that Schrader would "completely obscure from view the entire Mustang backfield." As a defensive tackle, Schrader had 31 first hits, 33 assists and three quarterback sacks and was a first-team All-Western Six selection.

He received a football scholarship to play at Miami (OH) where he excelled as a defensive lineman.

### Bob Tuck (1964)

Big and fast, the 220-pound Tuck was a dominant performer on the 1964 Mustang squad. He was named Northville's best offensive lineman as he sparked the running attack. He was named to the Wayne-Oakland All-league team as an offensive tackle and a defensive nose guard.

### Fred Mitchell (1960)

Teaming with Bill Juday at offensive guard on the great 1959 team, Mitchell was fast and mean, and gave Coach Ron Schipper's Mustangs arguably the best pair of offensive guards in the state. "Fred would have been All-State if Juday hadn't been," said VanIngen. "You can't talk about one without talking about the other," said Schipper of his two superlative guards.

Mitchell received honorable mention recognition on the Detroit Times All-State team.

### Jeff Weber (1977)

A 6-3, 205-pound offensive tackle, Weber was called "tougher than a junkyard dog" by coaches on the 1977 Northville team. A varsity starter since his sophomore season,

Weber received a 92 percent blocking efficiency rating his senior season when he was named to the All-Area first team and the All-Western Six second team. Weber went on to play at Michigan Tech.

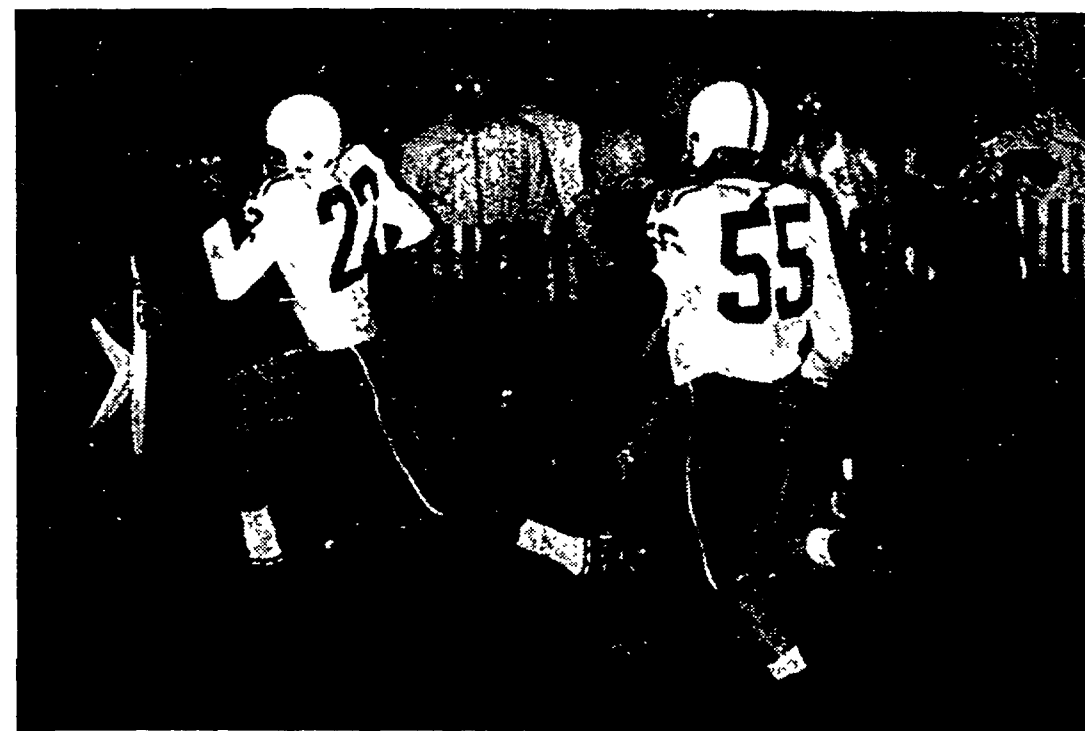


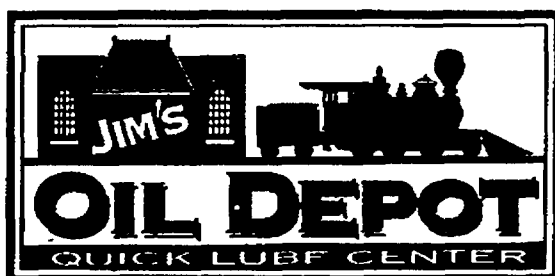
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Dick Bathey (with ball) has nothing but daylight in front of him in this 97-yard jaunt for a TD. One play earlier, he had a 95-yard TD called back because of holding.



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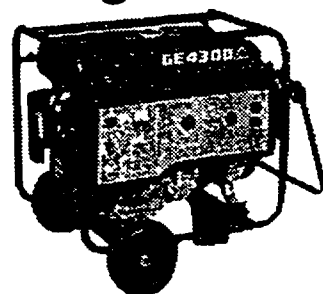
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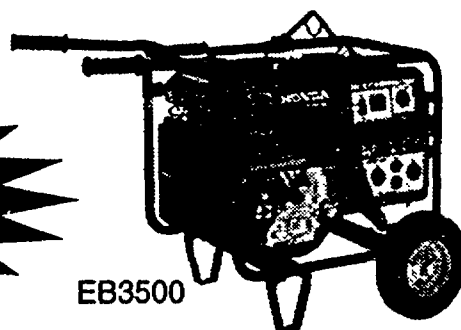
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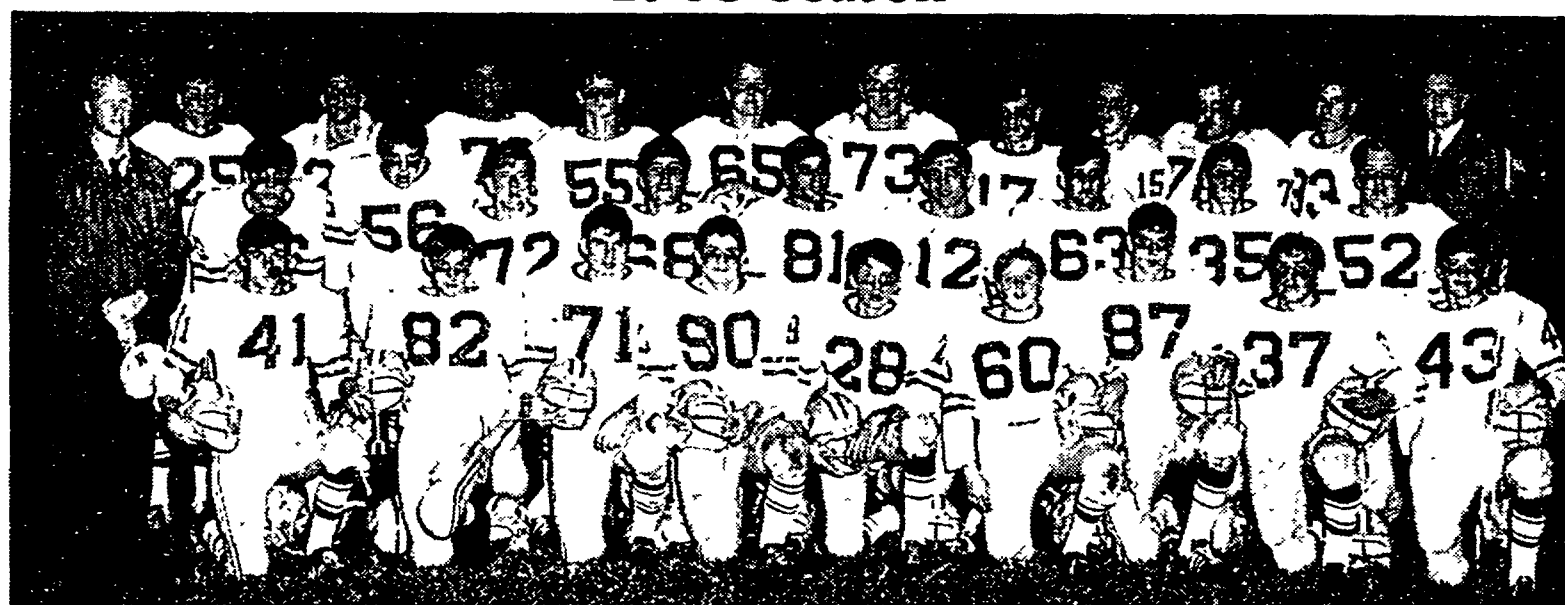
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senior.

He was also a first-team all-area pick and a second-team selection at nose guard as a senior. Showing his versatility, he blocked five punts in his two years on varsity.

## Eric Hansor (1973)

When remembering back on Novi's successes in the early 1970's, two players that don't come to the forefront too much are Eric Hansor and Mike Riley. This pair replaced the graduated VanWagner and Boyer in 1973 and helped their team to that second-straight undefeated season.

Hansor played varsity for two years, but didn't get the chance to explode until 1973. He rushed for 852 yards on 125 carries and earned first-team SEC and all-area honors.

## Andy McComas (1976)

McComas saw the fall and rise of the Novi football program in his three years as the starting halfback. Following his school's back-to-back undefeated seasons, he played for a teams that finished 6-3 and 4-5.

He was a catalyst for the 1976 team, which was the first-ever Novi team to qualify for the state playoffs. The Wildcats lost to Okemos 35-13 in the Class B semifinals, but McComas went on to earn first-team all-SEC honors at running back and all-area recognition at linebacker. He was a second-team SEC running back and defensive end his junior year and was an all-area first-team selection at running back with 445 yards in just seven games.

## Scott Wladischkin (1988)

Perhaps the best pure athlete to ever don a Novi jersey? Maybe. But without a doubt, Wladischkin was one of the best to ever play for the school.

Osborne feels that Wladischkin ranks up there with Pat Boyer and Jim VanWagner as possibly the three best Wildcats to ever play for him. And that says a lot coming from the only coach the school's ever had.

He was first-team all-KVC as a sophomore at defensive back, but really stood out his junior and senior seasons at both tailback and d-back. He gained 623 yards and 13 touchdowns in 1987 as an all-area running back. He came back the following year and amassed school records with 1,498 yards and 18 touchdowns. His 128 points were the second most in the state.

He was the all-area player of the year and rushed for 502 yards in three state playoff games.

"I'm always aghast when Scottie misses a tackle or cuts the wrong way," Osborne told the Novi News back in 1988. "He make the old coach look smart out there because he very rarely makes mistakes and he can be so explosive."

## Jason Witherspoon (1996)

No other runner in Novi High School history has made a career impact on the running game as Witherspoon has. He was a three-time all-area selec-

tion, twice at running back and once at kicker. He also earned all-Kensington Valley Conference honors all three seasons. He is Novi's career rushing leader with 3,138 yards.

Witherspoon broke onto the scene in 1994, rushing for 200 yards in a 28-20 loss to Northville and finishing the season with 1,193 yards. He came back the next year and amassed 1,297 yards and 12 touchdowns. His senior season saw opponents preparing for him, so he ended up with 800 yards on the ground and booted a school-record 47-yard field goal.

## Wide Receivers

### Kevin Serra (1993)

A "multi-faceted player" to his coach, Serra was another athletic player who played wherever his team needed him to.

Serra earned all-area first-team honors in 1992 as a tight end after catching 37 passes for 568 yards. He also scored 48 points. The next year he moved to quarterback and completed 83 passes for 1,086 yards while rushing for 325 yards in the option offense.

## Linemen

### Tom VanWagner (1970)

It's hard to see just how important Tom VanWagner was to the Novi football program in its infant stages.

Whether it be blocking for his older brother Jon, or for his younger brother Jim (at Michigan Tech), Tom was always the one doing the dirty, unappreciated work.

But it really did draw attention to the little, big guy, who stood just 5-foot-8 and weighed in at 195 pounds. He was an all-area selection at offensive guard in 1969 and was the Sliger Newspapers (Novi News) most valuable player during the 1970 season. On defense, he had 201 total tackles, leading the team in that category in eight games.

"Just his attitude and personal training alone made him one of our most valuable players," Osborne said back in 1970.

## Bob Pisha (1972)

With all the attention Novi's dominant backfield received from 1971-73, there must have been a few guys up front paving the way for them. Pisha was one of those dominant forces from 1970-72.

Pisha was one of just two players to earn first team all-area honors on both the offensive and defensive squads in 1971. To show just how important he was on that line, one would have to look no further than Novi's season-ending matchup with Dearborn Crestwood. Pisha played the first half and his defense allowed just 39 yards on the ground. After suffering an injury early in the third quarter, Pisha left the game and Crestwood proceeded to rush for 147 yards in the second half.

## Dave Ward (1972)

Just 155 pounds his senior year, Dave Ward used his 5-11 frame to push defensive linemen around. He was a unanimous selection for the all-SEC team in 1972, one of only two players along with teammate John Pantalone to receive that distinction. He was a vital player on Novi's first undefeated team and helped pave the way for both Jim VanWagner and Pat Boyer to rush for over 1,800 yards combined.

## Ron Buck (1974)

Buck picked up where the Pishas and Wards left off. He was a three-year starter and earned all-conference honors at both offensive and defensive tackles his junior and senior seasons.

Said an opposing SEC coach after his senior season, "I had my biggest, toughest lineman opposite Buck on a goal-line defense and he just knocked my man on his can."

## Brett Keir (1987)

Good size for a center, Keir was an all-area second-team pick at the position in 1986. He was a first-team KVC pick that same year.

He went on to star as a linebacker as a senior and gained all-area honors at that position. His senior season was the first regular-season undefeated team

since Novi's 1973 team.

## Dave Skown (1987)

Like Keir above, Skown was a big part of Novi's undefeated 1987 team. That squad was known both for its offense and its defense. The team allowed just 64 points in nine regular-season wins while racking up 240 of its own.

Skown had his best game against South Lyon in the regular-season finale in 1987. He had seven solo tackles and eight assists for 15 points. He was a second-team all-area selection at linebacker in 1987.

## Bob Ahrens (1989)

Known as "Big" Bob, Ahrens dominated opponents on both offense and defense in his stay at Novi. The three-year letterwinner was an all-area lineman in both 1988 and 1989 and earned all-KVC honors in 1989. He had 41 tackles his senior year, with most teams running away from him. He was an honorable-mention all-area pick his sophomore season.

"Big doesn't necessarily mean good, but Bob is both big and good," Osborne said back in 1989.

## Bob Barnatz (1976)

Whether he played defensive end, or defensive tackle, Barnatz wreaked havoc on his opponents. He was 6-2, 210 and "was a competitor who took care of business on his side of the field," according to Osborne.

## Linebackers

### Mike Yankowski (1989)

Along with Ahrens, Craig Berry and Jeff O'Neill, Yankowski led a near flawless Novi defense in 1988 and 1989.

The best linebacker around, Yankowski had 64 solo tackles and 59 assists his senior season and even picked off a pass. He was an all-KVC and all-area first-team selection in 1989 after receiving honorable-mention honors in 1988.

## Defensive Backs

### Jason Korte (1987)

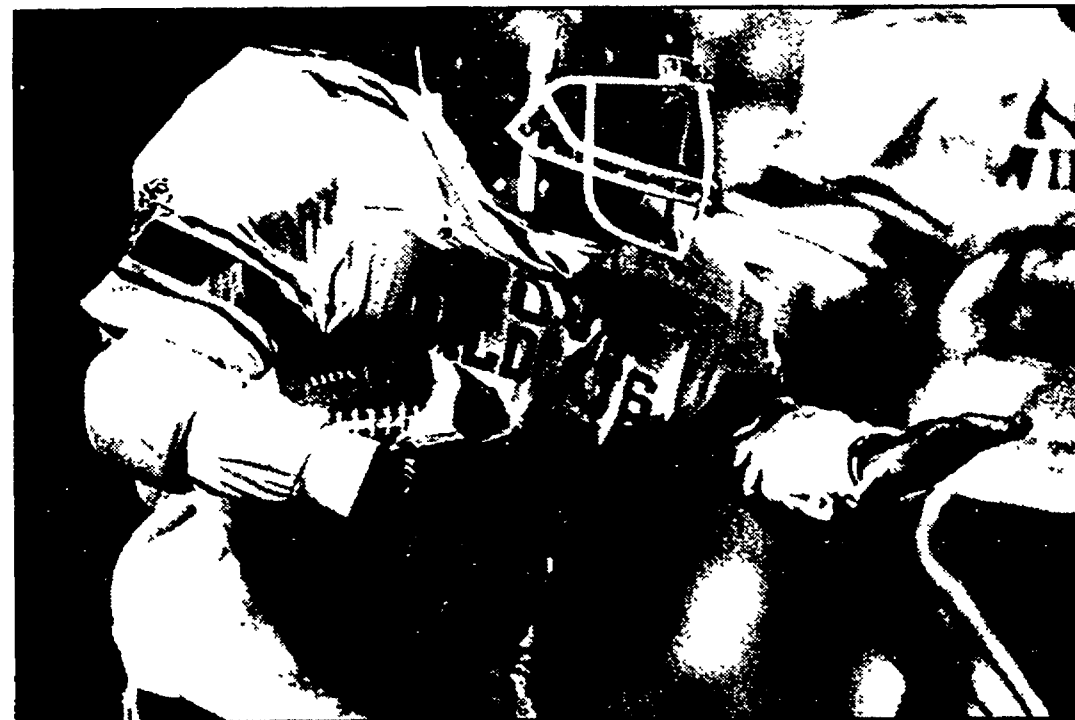
A throw-back player in more modern times, Korte was best known for his "disregard for his own body" style of play. Area teams best remember Korte as the fiercest hitter in the area. He had 73 total tackles in 1987, the same year he was an all-area first-team defensive back. He had three interceptions that year as well.

## Kicker

### Chris Caudell (1981)

Although Caudell had the leg to reach the end zone on each kickoff, he was better known for his knack of pinning teams inside the 15 with his sidwinding kicks. He nailed 12 of 13 extra points in 1991 and made all three of his field-goal attempts inside 40 yards. He made the first team all-area and all-KVC teams in 1981 and in 1980, when he missed just one extra point.

He originally went to Kentucky, but transferred back to Michigan State where he kicked under George Perles.



File photo by BRYAN MITCHELL

Novi tailback Jason Witherspoon tore through defenders for 3,138 yards in three years on varsity, a career-school record at Novi High School.



# All-time greats spawn from stingy defenses

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conviction that the defensive end deserved a place on the team. A transfer student from Catholic Central and the stepbrother of "Big Jack" Dowd, Sugrue was tall, mean and a key component of the '61 defensive unit that registered six shutouts in nine games and yielded just 26 points all season.

## Mark Morland (1977)

He was there during the turn-around years of coach Chuck Shonta's career. In fact, defensively he was a big reason for the turnaround. Morland wasn't necessarily the biggest defensive lineman (6-2, 190), but his heart and determination carried him from all-area honorable-mention status in 1975 to all-Western Six first team and all-area first team honors in 1976. A center on offense and a nose guard on defense, he led that 1976 team with 68 solo tackles and 67 assists. In the last game of his career, Morland asked to be put at fullback so he could score his first touchdown. The coaching staff denied him, so Morland proceeded to score a pair of touchdowns off fumble recoveries to lead his team to a 38-12 win over South Lyon.

## Vince Candela (1981)

With the proportions of an oversized fullback (6-1, 252 pounds), Candela terrorized Western Six opponents in his two years as a regular on defense. Unlike many other players, Candela's talents were reserved for the defensive side of the ball. In 1981, he had 51 first hits and 39 assisted tackles, eight of which were for losses, and five sacks. He earned Western Six first team honors as a defensive lineman and was also on the all-area first team. He was a second-team all-area selection as a junior.

## Jerry Asher (1966)

Despite playing in one of the down times in Northville's gridiron history on the gridiron, Asher was one of the best. Back then, if a team didn't do well, the players weren't necessarily highly regarded in post-season awards. So Asher's honorable-mention status in both 1966 and 1967 in the Wayne-Oakland League wasn't indicative of what he meant to his team. He played right guard in 1966.

## Mark VanIngen (1977)

"The toughest kid I ever coached," said Colligan. "He just loved to hit people hard." The 5-10, 200 pound nose guard won All-Western Six Conference honors as a senior on the 1977 squad that posted a 7-2 record. "Mungy," as he was known to teammates and coaches, led the 1977 team with 116 total tackles and caused two fumbles.

## Fred Hicks (1969)

Again, to reiterate the fact that down teams had very few opportunities to promote its players for post-season awards, Hicks was another victim. He played both offensive and defensive tackle and was a second-team selection on the Wayne-Oakland League in both 1967 and 1968. He went on to play four years on the offensive line at Western Michigan University where he was named to the All-American honor-

able mention team in 1972.

## Linebackers

### Tony Briningstool (1986)

It wasn't necessarily what Briningstool did throughout his career at Northville, it was what he did his senior year. Defensively, it may be the most dominating season of any of the players on this list.

"That was the first year us coaches went to MSU's stunt 4-3 defense, which allows the linebackers the opportunity to work from sideline to sideline," Schumacher said. "People begged to work the chains just to be down there to see if this guy was legit. He was a stone-cold hitter." Schumacher said Briningstool's biggest attribute was his ability to move from sideline to sideline and make the hit. For his efforts he was named the Gatorade Player-of-the-Year for the state of Michigan. He went on to play at Michigan State, but blew out both shoulders and played out his career on the special teams.

### Ron Rice (1963)

What's he doing at defensive linebacker? Well, Rice was an all-around athlete who spent his three years on varsity doing whatever the coaches needed. He played linebacker, was the team's punter and kicked extra points. But what he was best known for was his play at fullback during the 1963 season. Rice scored 16 touchdowns, a school record, on the ground in 1963. He also holds the school mark for touchdowns in a game (five), when he led Northville to a 33-6 win over Holly on Sept. 27, 1963. He also accounted for all the team's extra points. After the season, the co-captain was named to the all-Suburban West team by the Detroit News.

### Doug Hartman (1984)

Had good size (6-1, 200) for a linebacker, and also played fullback as a senior. Hartman was one of four players from the 1984 team to earn all-conference honors after making all-division and second-team all-area squads as a junior. One of his biggest claims to fame came in a limited effort against Livonia Stevenson his senior season. Hartman collected 14 solo and assisted tackles against the Spartans, all in the first quarter before he suffered an ankle injury which ended his career a game and a half short.

### Spike Walker (1958)

Walker was given the "Chief Mudder" Award at the awards banquet after the 1958 season. Built like a human tank, Walker joined Bob Starnes in the backfield to give Northville a devastating 1-2 punch that compared favorably with Army's Doc Blanchard/Glen Davis duo. Now a successful businessman, Walker rushed for 845 yards and 13 touchdowns on 124 carries for a 6.7 yard average. On defense he was a fierce bulldog of a competitor who terrorized opposing running backs and quarterbacks.

### Larry Pink (1977)

A definite throw-back player along the lines of a Dick Butkus, Pink was as good a linebacker as Northville High School has ever seen. In 1973 he was a first team all-area, all conference and all-Metro West selection. He went on to earn all those accolades as a senior in 1974 and added



File photo by STEVE FECHT

Tony Briningstool (above) was known for his fierce hits, his ability to help someone off the ground and then knock them back down on the next play.

Sliger's (Northville Record) all-area player of the year award to that list. He had four sacks in his last game against South Lyon. Said former assistant coach Ed McLoud: "He plays the position like it was meant to be played — with reckless abandon."

## Defensive backs

### Dave Hay (1960)

Tough and aggressive with a nose for the ball, Dave Hay prowled the defensive backfield at 5-10, 170 pounds for the Mustangs in the 1959-60 seasons. He was one of the players recruited by Schipper to attend Central Iowa where he starred in the defensive secondary four years while the team was posting a 28-7-1 record. He led Central Iowa team in '64 with eight interceptions. Hay now teaches Shakespeare at a college in California.

### Jim Zayti (1966)

"Just a real good athlete" is how Dave Longridge remembers Jim Zayti whose best position was defensive back. As a senior, the 175-pound Zayti was pressed into service as a running back where he gained 591 yards on 107 carries for a 5.5 average, winning honorable mention Wayne-Oakland League recognition. Selected as the Mustang's most valuable player, he was also an outstanding punter. He went on to star at Ferris State as a flanker.

### John Sherman (1974)

Sherman was a unanimous All-Western Six choice as a 5-6, 140-pound sophomore safety when he compiled nine interceptions. Sherman was also a unanimous all-conference choice in both 1973 and 1974 as he finished up with 17 career interceptions. "He couldn't be beaten at passing and he was a great tackler," said Apap, noting that Sherman was one of the players at the helm of Chuck Shonta's rebuilding program. "He had a lot of heart and went after the ball," added Longridge.

He was one of only two Mustangs ever

to be named to the all-area team three years.

### David Greer (1980)

Up until 1980 Western Six coaches were obligated to select the quarterback from the championship team as their first-team all-league signal caller. But David Greer changed all that. "He had earned so much respect from coaches of the other teams that they changed that rule," Schumacher said. "He made great plays on offense and defense (as a defensive back). He was a rock-solid player." With quarterback being such a talented position in the area that year, Greer was an honorable-mention selection.

## SPECIAL TEAMS

### Kick returner/all-purpose

#### Dan Walsh (1992)

One of those athletes every coach wants on his team, Walsh earned most of his praise from his ability to break a game open from any position. The 1993 grad was a two-time all-area selection (1991-92), once at wide receiver and once at defensive back. He had seven interceptions and 42 tackles his senior season along with 1,565 all-purpose yardage. His junior season, Walsh had 32 receptions for 495 yards and gained 1,200 all-purpose yards. "He was dangerous," said Apap who coached against Northville at Walled Lake Western. "We did everything we could to keep the ball away from him."

### Kicker/Punter

#### Adam Tibble (1997)

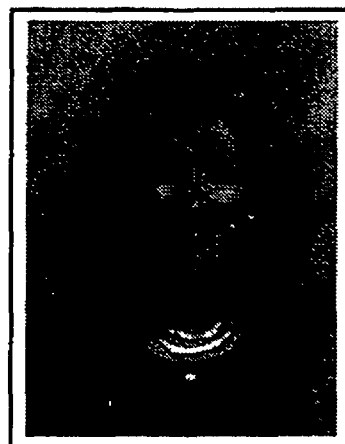
Without a doubt, Tibble is the best kicker Northville's ever had. As a senior, he converted 9 of 10 field goals and 12 of 14 extra points. Five of his field goals were from over 40 yards out, and he set the school record with a 50-yarder. He was a first-team all-area and all-conference selection in 1997 after earning second-team honors in 1996. He is currently a walk-on kicker at Notre Dame.



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# Novi won first-ever Baseline game, 22-7

By JASON SCHMITT  
Sports Editor

If anything is certain of the Northville/Novi series as it heads into its 29th year on the gridiron, it's that the series has been one of streaks. Only twice in the first 28 meetings have the two teams failed to defend their grip on the bragging rights at least once, and many times the two teams would put together two, three and four-game winning streaks in the series.

Northville leads the all-time series 15-13, but Novi has won three of the last four meetings. The Wildcats also won the first three times the two teams got together, including the inaugural game on Sept. 17, 1971 at Novi.

Here's a brief recap of the game that started the "Baseline" rivalry between the two neighboring schools.

It was Chuck Shonta's first year as Northville's head coach, having taken over the reins from Al Klukach. It was John Osborne's fifth season as the head coach of a Novi varsity squad, but the fourth season since his team's began having four years in the Novi football program.

The game was the first of the season for both schools, who were coming off dismal 1970 campaigns.

What started out as a close, defensive battle between the "Big" Northville team and the "Little" Novi squad, turned into the Jim VanWagner and Pat Boyer show.

Northville built a 7-6 halftime lead when Bill McDonald hit Jeff Moon for a 16-yard scoring strike with 27 seconds left in the first half. The touchdown and extra point gave the Mustangs their first lead of the game after Boyer had scampered 12 yards for the game's first score.

In the second half, what Boyer started, Van Wagner finished and visa-versa. Boyer scored

his second touchdown of the game from four yards out midway through the third quarter. VanWagner scored on the two-point conversion to give Novi a 14-7 lead. Later on in the same quarter, VanWagner scored from seven yards out and Boyer capped it off with the two-point conversion to complete the scoring in the game.

Novi ended up winning that first meeting 22-7 and set the stage for the next 27 years.

When asked who his stars were following the game, Osborne responded by saying, "when you beat Northville, they're all stars."

Shonta was not pleased with his team's effort in the second half, saying "I guess that's the way it goes when you don't play football, we stopped them in the first half, but then we just stopped playing ball."

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## Northville Honorable-Mention

### 1950-1970

Stan Nirider (1968)  
Joe Hay (1962)  
John Jameson (1966)  
Jerry Biddle (1961)  
Jim Juday (1963)  
Wade Deal (1959)  
Bill Krist (1962)  
N.C. Schrader (1958)  
T-Bone Nash (1960)  
Dave Kerr (1966)  
Dave Jerome (1963)  
Cap Pethers (1957)  
Jeff Goodrich (1958)  
Dan Brown (1962)  
Craig Bell (1963)  
Tom Swiss (1962)  
Buddy Bell (1956)  
Tom Baughman (1966)  
Al Iverson (1953)

### 1970-present

Bill Kelley (1991)  
Greg Armstrong (1972)  
Jerry Fulcher (1975)  
Scott Leu (1974)  
Don Norton (1985)  
John Sherman (1974)  
Andy Dimetrot (1982)  
Steve Jameson (1999)

Bill White (1974)  
Mark Corcoran (1978)  
Tim Condor (1978)  
Brian Kelley (1993)  
Bob Holloway (1990)  
Nick Bowersox (1993)  
Steve Serkaian (1973)  
Bob Dudley (1988)  
Bill Potter (1975)  
Scott Travers (1975)  
Bill Lusk (1974)  
David Holland (1978)  
Doug Harding (1977)  
Greg Hutchinson (1970)  
John Storm (1984)  
Dino Candela (1984)  
Brian Jennings (1983)  
Bernie Bach (1970)  
Scott Evans (1970)  
Pete Wright (1977)  
Jamey Miller (1991)  
Bill Kelley (1990)  
John Quinn (1983)  
Dale Griffin (1972)  
Steve Smith (1983)  
Rick VanBuren (1984)  
Eric Lampella (1976)  
Tim McLaughlin (1981)  
Dave Longridge (1983)

## Novi Honorable-Mention

John Lahti (1992)  
Pat Muston (1999)  
John Pantalone (1973)  
Tom Celani (1986)  
Frans Samson (1986)

Mark Davio (1988)  
Todd Grenowski (1988)  
Craig Berry (1989)  
Ken Hendrian (1989)  
Keith Crasslin (1978)

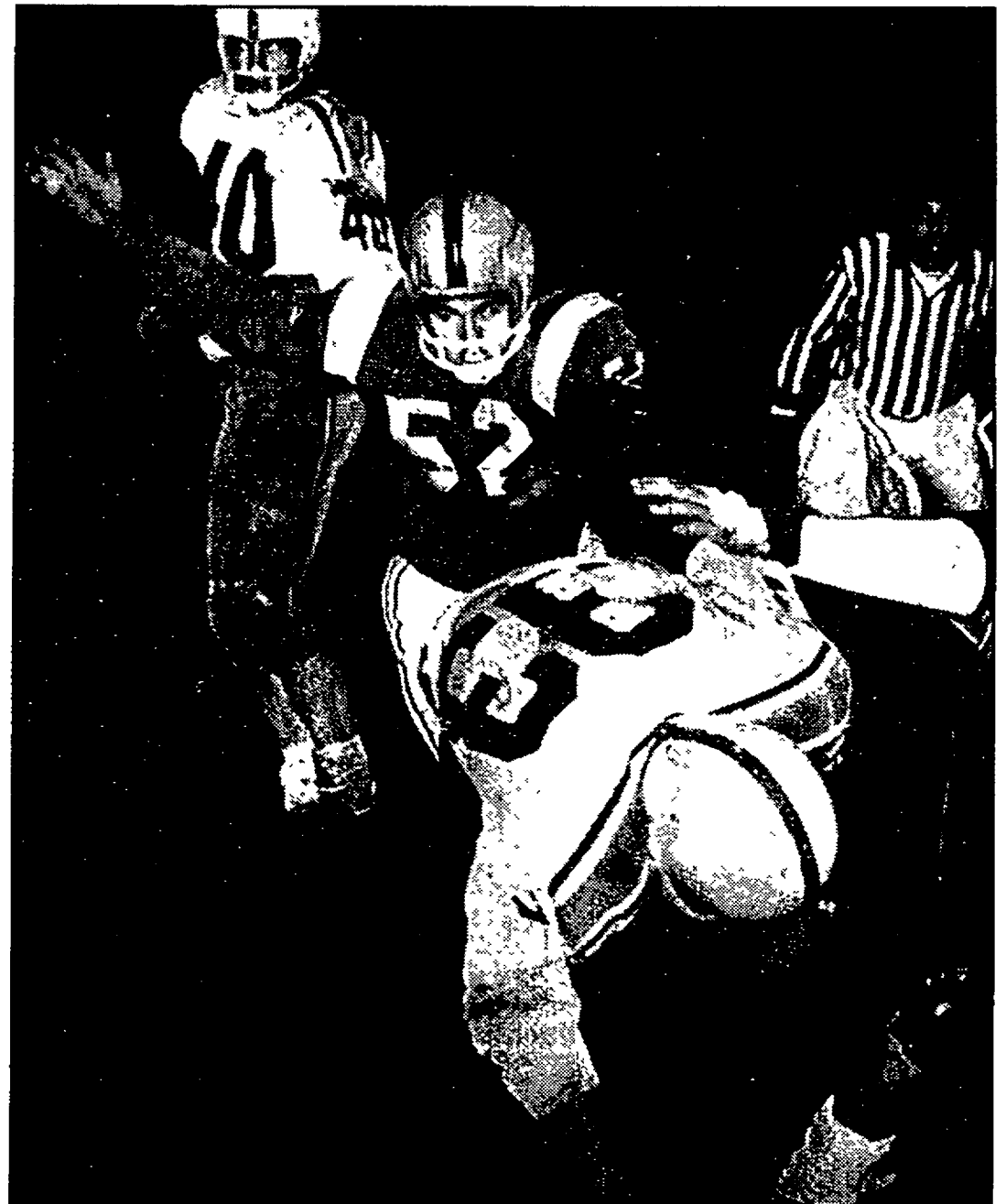


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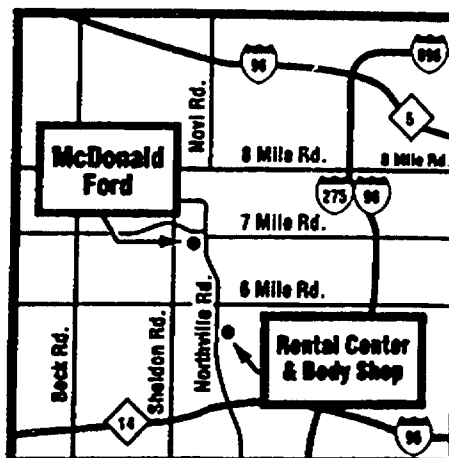
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# Weddings

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By Kelly Terry  
Copley News Service

Is it important for you to arrive at your wedding by a horse-drawn, gilded carriage, dressed in a \$2,000 Galina gown? Would your wedding day be meaningful only if you said your vows on that remote island where you shared your first kiss? And what about the reception - are giant ice sculptures, Godiva chocolate party favors and a 10-piece band really necessary?

How you dress, where you have your wedding and how many people you invite are all factors determined by your wedding budget. So, where do a bride and groom begin when deciding how much money to spend on that all-important day?

Experts offer differing advice on how to determine a wedding budget, but what most agree on is the fact that a couple must decide on the guest list before they can proceed any further.

"It's sort of a chicken and an egg thing," says wedding guru Leah Ingram.

"Until you know how many people you can invite, you cannot realistically set your budget," adds Ingram, who is the author of "The Bridal Registry Book" and "The Portable Wedding Consultant." Her third book, "Your Wedding Your Way," comes out in January, 2000.

Where experts differ in their opinions is *how* to determine the guest list in the first place.

Author and wedding consultant Deborah McCoy believes that the *quality* of the reception is more important than the *quantity* of guests you invite.

"A wedding is really a very intimate, family and friends affair. People who are out of the loop find weddings very boring," explains McCoy.

"My favorite weddings are those with 100 people. Everyone enjoys themselves and no one is intimidated. If you keep your guest list small, you're gonna be able to do things better," adds McCoy, who also owns a full-service bridal shop in Boca Raton, Fla.

"You're the hosts of your first party as man and wife. If guests are walking out saying, 'I'm so hungry, I'm going to Denny's,' you haven't had a successful wedding reception."

Millie Bratten, editor in chief of *Bride's* magazine, has a different take on the guest list.

"It's a very individual approach," says Bratten, who has worked for *Bride's* for 20 years.

Bratten suggests writing down what is important to you.

"That's the time to dream," she says.

"Is it small and intimate in a restaurant? Do we want to go to an island?" are questions that Bratten poses.

"From your dream, look at what's most important to you. Is it the nostalgic location? Is it the time of day? Is it the number of guests?"

Bratten encourages couples to invite as many people as they want.

"If the most important thing is to have all the guests you want, but the dinner is too expensive, then have a brunch, or cocktails," she advises.

So, once you've determined how many to invite, then what?



# Reality Check

## Can you have your wedding cake and eat it, too?

According to a recent survey done by *Bride's* magazine, the average cost of a wedding is just over \$29,000 in New York City; a little more than \$16,000 for nuptials in the Midwest; and, on the West Coast, the bill comes to nearly \$19,000.

McCoy says if you're smart, creative and innovative, you can cut that cost in half.

She offers tips on what *not* to skimp on ("bite the bullet" components), and what corners to cut ("extraneous extras," she calls them).

Top priorities should be entertainment and food at the reception, and photography and videography at the ceremony, she says.

When a bride mentions to McCoy that she wants to skip entertainment at the reception or serve appetizers only, McCoy cringes.

"Some of these brides want their weddings to turn into coffee klatches. They say, 'I don't dance, so we've decided not to have dancing. ... We figure our guests should just sit there and talk.'

"My answer to that," says McCoy, is: "Your wedding is *not* a coffee klatch. Dancing is integral. There are great DJs out there, and for only a few hundred dollars."

When it comes to photography and videography, McCoy doesn't believe in pinching pennies there either.

"You can hire a professional photographer to shoot formal pictures at the wedding, then have friends take informal shots at the reception," she suggests.

"So many people don't feel the need to have a video and that's so wrong," says McCoy.

"Everything that you do will be recorded. The wedding day for the bride and groom goes by so quickly, most say it's such a blur, they can't remember everything."

McCoy reports that the couples with a video say, "I'm so glad I got it. I didn't realize my fiancé was crying at the altar," or, "I didn't know Aunt Mary was there."

In her latest book, "The Elegant Wedding and the Budget-Savvy Bride," McCoy covers all the bases when it comes to planning a wedding.

Here are several of her money-saving tips:

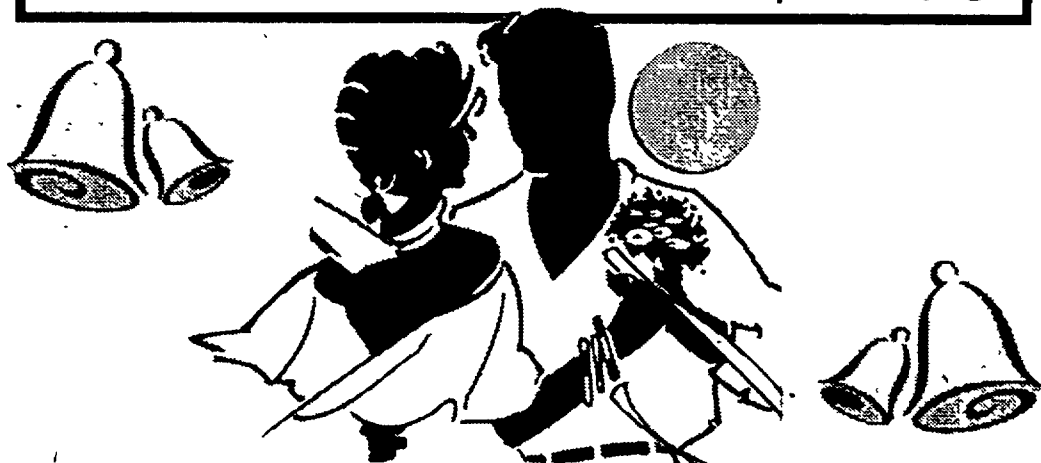
- Have an off-season wedding (summertime in a warm climate; or a Friday evening or Sunday afternoon ceremony, for example).
- Avoid the "extraneous extras" like matchbooks, imprinted cocktail napkins, swizzle sticks, "basically, all those expensive favors from the back of wedding catalogs," she says. "Weddings are so expensive that, to me, the invitation is favor enough."
- Skip the limousine ride: Instead, she says, "rent a huge, white Lincoln Continental. You can use it all weekend, pick up relatives, run errands, etc. And then have a friend or family member play chauffeur on the wedding day."
- Make your own headpiece and veil: McCoy says you can do it for less than \$35. For a headpiece, she says, buy a hat frame and glue on silk flowers, pearls and sequins. Or, for a tiara, McCoy bought a \$40, three-strand necklace made with pearls, crystals and gold, and glued it onto a tiara hat frame, which cost her \$1.
- Make your own invitations: McCoy says she found beautiful stationery and card stock at Kinko's and was able to make 100 color invitations on her computer for about \$20 (not including postage).
- The gown: "In a bride's mind, that's the most important item that she shops for when planning a wedding," McCoy's advice: Take advantage of sale racks in traditional bridal shops and look for a discontinued dress. "Isn't it better to buy a \$2,000 dress for half price than to buy a full-price dress for \$700?"
- Rings: The second largest expense of a wedding, according to McCoy. "I advise that you hit your local pawn shops, and study my chapter on diamonds (in 'The Elegant Wedding and the Budget-Savvy Bride')." I buy all my jewelry in pawn shops. I teach you how the industry is regulated and how it's safe to shop there," McCoy assures.
- The honeymoon: If you plan on using frequent-flyer miles, plan one year in advance and, she advises, go off-season (the Caribbean in the summer, for example, or Europe in the winter).

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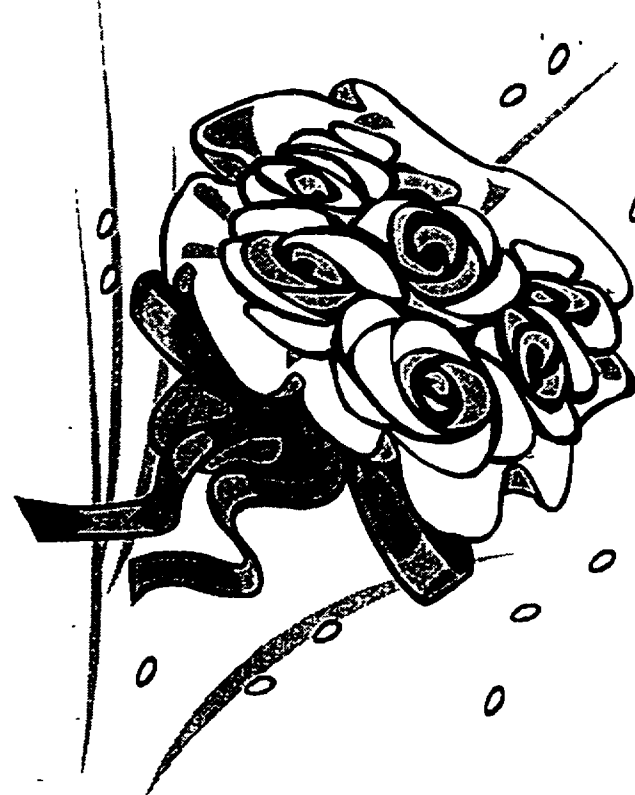
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# There's a figure-flattering gown for every bride-to-be

By Cheryl Walker

Copley News Service

It's the ultimate shopping trip, and one many young women dream about from the time they are little girls - the search for the perfect wedding gown.

But the dream bubble can easily burst once inside a department store fitting room. This is the time in a woman's life when not just any dress will do and it must fit perfectly.

Unfortunately, there is no such thing as the perfect body. What if the bride is too thin, too heavy, flat chested, too busty or big in the hips for the gown she has her heart set on? Shopping for a wedding gown is supposed to be a joyful experience, but it can quickly turn into a tearful episode when the bride-to-be tries to squeeze a size 14 body into a size 10 or 12 dress.

It doesn't matter if a woman is full-figured or skinny as a rail. There are many styles that are flattering, whether you are a slender waif or voluptuous bride.

"There's not any one particular hard-and-fast rule for shopping for a wedding gown," said Pam Venable, manager of special occasions and sales at a West Coast Nordstrom store. "You simply work with the person and what's available."

A woman who is well-rounded should look for shops that carry samples in large sizes. She should also look for styles that avoid big puffy sleeves and yards and yards of fabric, which add pounds. Shop for the medium-weight fabrics.

"A bride who is trying to hide the pounds should look for something that fits loosely rather than tight-fitting," Venable said. "Especially if a woman has large hips, a tight fit will only accentuate it."

Princess-style dresses are a good choice for a full-figured woman. A square neckline can detract from a large bust and hips and sheer tapered sleeves can cover up large arms.

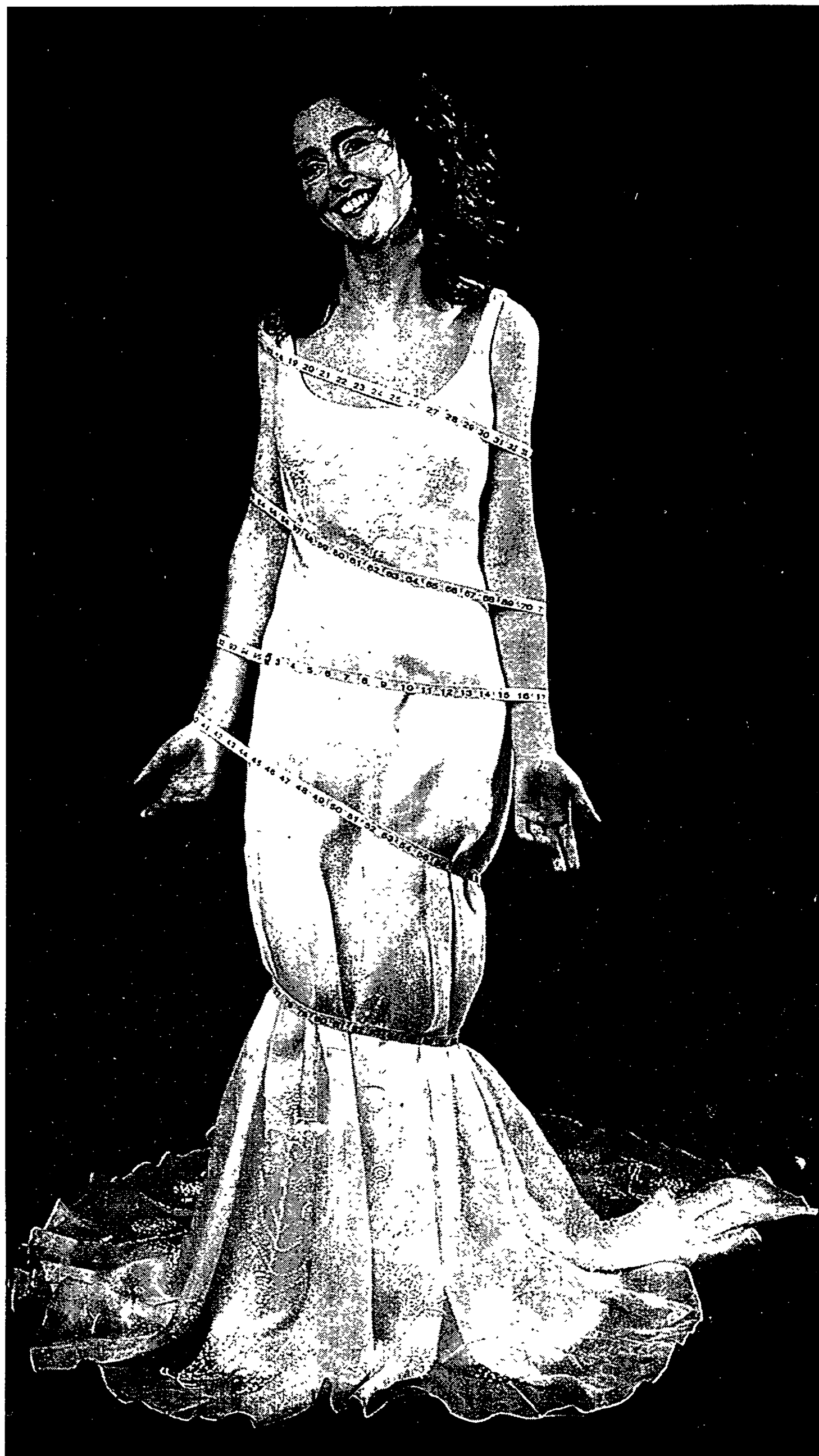
For the slender bride with a boyish figure, choose a dress that makes the most of the body. Off-the-shoulder dresses or those with a fitted bodice flatter the slender figure. To add more to the bustline, choose a corset-type top.

"Basically, a thin person can go with almost any style," Venable said. If she's small on top she should look for a dress that has some padding in it. Many dresses are made with padded bras just like swimsuits.

Some brides may want to take a shot at changing their figure before the wedding by losing weight or working out to enhance a more shapely body. A year before the wedding (if you plan a wedding that far in advance) is a good time to start getting into shape. Take a good look in the mirror and decide what it is that you want. Set a goal of dropping a dress size, improving posture or toning up the body. Make sure the fitness and diet goals are realistic and work with your lifestyle and time frame.

If you choose to burn some calories to drop a few pounds before the big day, there are some things that can be added to the daily routine in addition to a regular workout.

While working at your desk, pull in your stomach and hold it for 10 seconds and then release. This helps burn extra calories while working and also helps when posing for full-length photos on the wedding day.



**A PERFECT FIT** - With so many styles to choose from, there's a wedding gown that is sure to measure up to every bride's expectations for flattering her figure.

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## Slimming down an option, but start early

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At lunchtime, take a walk around the mall. This way you can accomplish two things at once: do some shopping for wedding items while working off some calories.

Another suggestion is to take the stairs whenever possible. Oftentimes, people are in such a rush they head for the elevator, but before pushing that button think about the extra calories that are burned by taking a little more time to climb the stairs. This also gives the leg muscles a workout.

Once at the desired weight and dress size before the wedding, don't forget those last-minute emergencies that always seem to crop up before a special occasion. This is always the time when a woman is sure to have trouble with a broken nail, unmanageable hair, puffy red eyes, dark circles - or heaven forbid - a pimple.

Here are a few tips in dealing with life's little setbacks.

For puffy eyes, try staying away from salty foods. Cool compresses with ice cubes wrapped in a washcloth or cold cucumbers over the eyes are also helpful.

For dark circles, apply a light moisturizer and foundation around the eye area. Apply a green-

tinted concealer in the darkened area to offset the bluish color, followed by a regular concealer. Dab the area lightly with translucent powder.

Chipped nails can really be a pain. Lightly buff with a nail file to smooth out the rough edges and put a little polish on the tip to strengthen the nail. Then put on a regular coat of polish - followed by a new topcoat. To get nail polish to last longer, make sure nails are clean, dry and oil-free.

The best thing to do to avoid getting acne is to maintain a balanced diet. Stay away from fried foods and chocolate. But even giving up junk food doesn't always work. Stress is also a major factor in causing an acne outbreak. When this happens, apply a cold compress to the area to help reduce swelling and redness. Then use an over-the-counter medication that contains a small amount of salicylic acid.

Probably the best thing the bride-to-be can do for herself is to not stress out by trying to do everything herself. Stress can affect physical appearance as well as the mental state.

So, brides, pamper yourself, relax and enjoy the dream - the one you've had ever since you were a little girl.

## WEDDINGFACTS

### Setting the date

Numerous factors determine when the big day will be. Making both bride and groom happy is the main objective.

■ Consider getting married on the same day as your parents, grandparents or other couple significant to both of you. The anniversary of a first date, a famous date in history or the date the question was "popped" are good choices.

■ Plan the date according to your budget. If you are saving to pay for the wedding, figure the cost of the wedding and divide it by the amount of money you can save monthly.

■ Consider your profession: April would be a bad month for an accountant to get married. Summer would be a good time for professors or schoolteachers, etc.

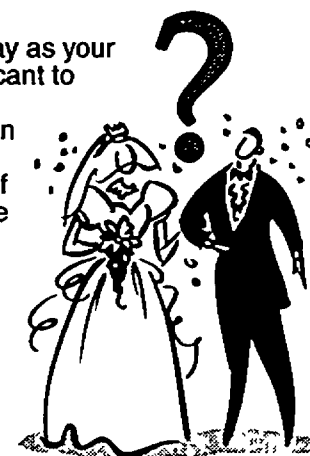
### Remember:

■ Most vendors will give discounts for non-Saturday weddings and for those occurring off-season.

■ Holiday weekends are good if you will have many out-of-town guests.

■ Professionals recommend at least a year to plan a wedding.

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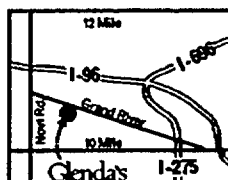
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By Alison Ashton  
Copley News Service

Weddings and receptions are fun, but also stressful. They also are for everyone else.

After the bouquet has been tossed and the rice has been

thrown, the honeymoon starts and it's your time. Of course, honeymoons can be any type of trip, from backpacking in the Sierras to a Mediterranean cruise. But nothing beats the languid romance of a warm, exotic destination.

#### HAWAIIAN ISLANDS

From the bustle of Waikiki on Oahu to the quiet elegance of Lanai, the Hawaiian Islands offer plenty of choices. You can rent a private condo on the Big Island, or stay at your choice of first-rate resorts.

*Travel & Leisure's* readers named the Kea Lani on Maui the top hotel in Hawaii. This whitewashed, Moorish-style, all-suite resort certainly offers a

romantic retreat for honeymooners on Maui's sun-splashed Wailea coast.

Another deserving *T&L* winner: Maui's Napili Kai Beach Club. This small, unpretentious gem has rooms perched right over the water.

Also on Maui, the Four Seasons Resort pampers guests with friendly, attentive service and every amenity. If you get too warm while sunbathing, the pool staff will cool you off with a spritz of Evian water.

On the Big Island, consider the luxurious Mauna Lani Bay Hotel. All rooms are wonderful retreats, but if you can pop for \$3,500 a night, you can stay in one of the resort's famous, 4,000-square-foot "bungalows." Each has a private pool and spa, plus butler service. No wonder Tom Cruise and Nicole Kidman came to stay.

The private island of Lanai has become a favorite getaway among the rich and famous. Bill Gates and his wife exchanged nuptials at the Lodge at Koele. This property has the formal ambience of an English country manor house while its sister property, the Manele Bay Hotel, has all the trappings of an upscale beach resort. Guests who stay at one property can use the facilities at the other.

#### SOUTH OF THE BORDER

Fiesta time! A honeymoon in Mexico lets you experience another culture, plus great resorts and beaches. One that tops everyone's best-of list is Las Brisas in Acapulco. The property has more than 300 casitas on a hillside overlooking the city and bay. The decor, from bedding to pool furniture, is soft pink. But the best part is that each casita has a private plunge pool complete with floating pink hibiscus blooms.

The management has a long track record of catering to pairs who want their privacy - Elizabeth Taylor and Richard Burton are just one of many famous couples who have retreated to Las Brisas. Even room service is served through a box so you don't have to see anyone.

# Honeymoon Getaways

## Tropical settings provide a backdrop for romance

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# Many options for exotic locales even for most budget-minded couples

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Also on the Mexican Riviera are the resort communities of Cancun, Ixtapa and Zihuatanejo, where you can reserve a room in an all-inclusive Club Med or unwind in the elegance of a Ritz-Carlton resort. And an added attraction in Mexico is the terrific value.

Suites at the Hotel Bel-Air in Puerto Vallarta start at \$110 per night, or you can reserve a private villa for \$195. Even at Las Brisas, rooms run an average of \$265 per night.

At the tip of the Baja California Peninsula, in Cabo San Lucas, you have the Pacific Ocean and the Sea of Cortez. Sitting on its own sandy cove on a 135-acre estate, Hotel Twin Dolphin offers 50 ocean-front rooms at rates starting at \$175 a night.

If you prefer a full-service resort, all 243 rooms at the Westin Regina boast ocean views and private balconies.

## CARIBBEAN ESCAPE

Few places on the planet do a better job of catering to honeymooners than the Caribbean, where there is something for every sensibility and budget.

Jamaica alone offers a huge range of choices. You can stay at the Half Moon Resort in Montego Bay, where old British colonial elegance meets great beaches.

Or head to the white-sand beach of Negril, where you'll find all-inclusive resorts like Swept Away and COUPLES

Negril. The remote beaches of Port Antonio offer small, upscale resorts, such as the Blue Lagoon.

On Jamaica's north coast, Ocho Rios is home to the famous Dunn's River Falls.

You'll find plenty of seclusion throughout the Caribbean. The 98-room Little Dix Bay, on Virgin Gorda in the British Virgin Islands, is a honeymoon favorite. While there's plenty to keep you occupied at this 500-acre paradise overlooking Sir Francis Drake Channel, you can also hop on a water taxi to explore nearby beaches.

Another honeymoon favorite in BVI is the private Peter Island Resort. This gem has just 52 rooms, plus five beaches. Both Little Dix Bay and Peter Island Resort have romantic packages that include meals, resort activities, cruises and other perks.

## SOUTH PACIFIC

For a really exotic getaway, head to the South Pacific. French Polynesia captivated painter Paul Gauguin, and newlyweds can sample some of that tropical romance at the Bora Bora Lagoon Resort.

The highlight is staying in a traditional, thatched-roof Polynesian bungalow over the water. Don't worry, these bungalows have every modern amenity, including a private deck with steps leading into the clear, blue water. Of course, first-rate snorkeling and scuba diving are available right off shore.

In Fiji, make reservations at Turtle Island. This private island accommodates just 28 guests per week in 14 suites. Even better, the island has 14 beaches, so you're sure to find plenty of privacy.

## WEDDINGFACTS

### Top honeymoon destinations

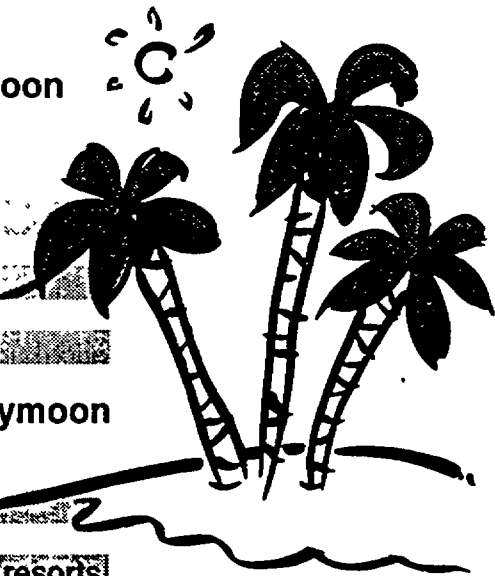
The majority of honeymoon destinations involve sun and fun. All-inclusive resorts and cruises are very popular, too.

Here are the hottest honeymoon destinations, according to *Honeymoon* magazine:

- The Caribbean
- Hawaii
- Florida
- The Poconos, Pa.
- Mexico

Other often-requested honeymoon destinations include:

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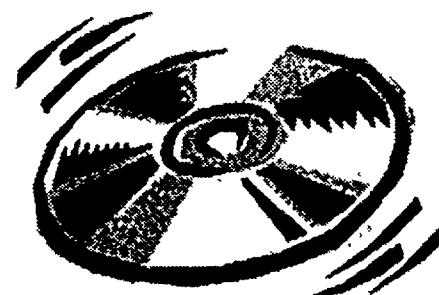
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By Priscilla Lister

Copley News Service

Wedding gifts are surely one of the great perks of getting married.

They literally are the icing on the cake, because even though someone accepted your invitation to join in the celebration, they are not absolutely obligated to send a gift.

"In general, everyone who receives an invitation to a wedding reception or to a small wedding in a hotel or home sends a gift," says Elizabeth L. Post in "Emily Post's Complete Book of Wedding Etiquette, Revised Edition" (Harper Collins). "An invitation to a church ceremony alone carries no such obligation. Neither does a wedding announcement. ... People receiving an invitation who barely know the bride, or perhaps have not seen her in years, should feel no compunction in refusing it, nor need they send a present."

Still, wedding presents are to be expected, and the bridal couple can help their guests choose welcome gifts by registering at a wide variety of stores today.

#### HELP YOUR GUESTS

Registering for gifts has become a wedding tradition.

"Registering is also a courtesy to guests - you spare them the time and effort of hunting for the perfect idea for you, as well as the possible disappointment of buying you something you don't want or can't use," say the editors of *Bride's* magazine in "Bride's Book of Etiquette" (Conde Nast Publications).

But wherever you register, do not announce any avarice (remember: gifts are gifts, not obligations) by listing the store or stores on your wedding invitation.

"A shower hostess can note the store name on invitations, but you would never print it on wedding invitations," says the *Bride's* book. "Your mother, his mother and your attendants might also spread the word."

"Any mention of gifts, registries, etc., is improper with an invitation," says Patty Sachs, wedding etiquette adviser on the Ultimate Internet Wedding Guide Web site. "An invitation does not command the giving of a gift ... so when someone says, 'No gifts please,' 'We're registered at ...,' 'Money preferred,' it is presuming that the guest is going to give one."

If the couple marrying is older and really doesn't want or need gifts, Post advises that "it is not in good taste to write, 'No gifts please' on wedding invitations." But the couple may ask family and close friends to spread the word.

Or, if the bride and groom "are deeply interested in a cause or charity, she could write on the invitation, 'In lieu of gifts, we would greatly appreciate a contribution to the Leukemia Society.'"

Of course, if someone asks you if you're registered and where, tell them. But also remember that many people prefer choosing gifts themselves, and any such effort should be genuinely appreciated.

#### REGISTRIES TODAY

Bridal registries today are no longer limited to major department stores.

# Something New

## Registering for gifts helps guests avoid guessing game



Didn't she register? Listing your home needs in a gift registry helps those who would like to send you a wedding present know that while you already own a toaster (or two), a blender or bath towels would be welcome.

"Couples can register in all sorts of stores - camping goods, bookstores, wine shops, art galleries and museums, hardware emporiums, gourmet supply stores - wherever their lifestyle or interests lead them," says the *Bride's* book.

"Since we thought you could only register at department stores and we had everything we needed to set up a household together, we didn't register," says Leah Ingram in "The Bridal Registry Book" (Contemporary Books). "It wasn't until months after we got married that we found

out my husband could have registered at Home Depot and the music fan in both of us could have registered for our favorite CDs at Tower Records."

Registration can really aid out-of-town guests who may be able to phone the store where you've registered, choose one of your specified wishes, and have it delivered to you, instead of carrying it themselves to the wedding.

"Look into registering at a store that has a toll-free service so guests can do their shopping by phone," suggests *Wedding-Bells* magazine. Many stores today have branches nationwide or even on-line registries and on-line purchasing.

Some examples include Target (you can register in Club Wedd Bridal Gift Registry at Target on-line at [www.target.com](http://www.target.com)); Bloomingdale's, (800) 888-2WED; or the Bridal Registry, (800) 501-5885, which links 300 stores nationwide including Filene's, Robinsons-May, Kaufmann's, Hecht's/Strawbridge's and Meier & Frank.

Ingram's book also details dozens of bridal registry operations in specific department stores, specialty stores, home improvement stores, hardware stores and even unconventional stores.

#### REGISTRY DETAILS

It's perfectly fine to register at more than one store.

"By registering at more than one store, you're giving your guests additional options in buying you gifts," says Ingram.

And keep in mind a wide price range of possible gifts. It is extremely rude to register only for very expensive items, such as china settings that cost \$250 apiece or a silver pattern in which a fork costs over \$100.

"By all means, register for a few expensive things if you think someone might actually buy them for you. But be sure you vary your registry list so your graduate student friends and retired aunts and uncles alike will be able to find something they'd like to give you and can afford to buy," says Ingram.

#### DON'T FORGET THANK-YOUS

"For every present received, whether the bride has thanked the donor in person or not, she must write a thank-you note," says Post.

To be sure you thank every gift-giver, make your own registration list of all gifts received. You can even buy wedding gift record books that include stickers to assign numbers to each gift received, then listing the gift number with a description, giver, giver's address, when the gift was received, where it was purchased and when your thank-you note was mailed.

"In ordinary circumstances, all thank-you notes should be sent within three months of the date of the wedding," advises Post.

These thank-you notes should be handwritten and "as warm and personal as possible," advises the *Bride's* book. "Describe the gift itself and how you plan to use it. If it's one of those inevitable 'mystery gifts,' refer to it by color or material. It's much better to say thanks for a specific 'blue glass piece' than for a vague 'lovely gift.'"

And remember, it's a gift, not an obligation.



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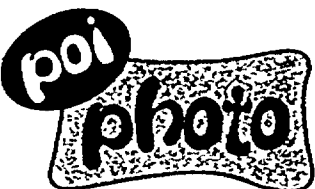
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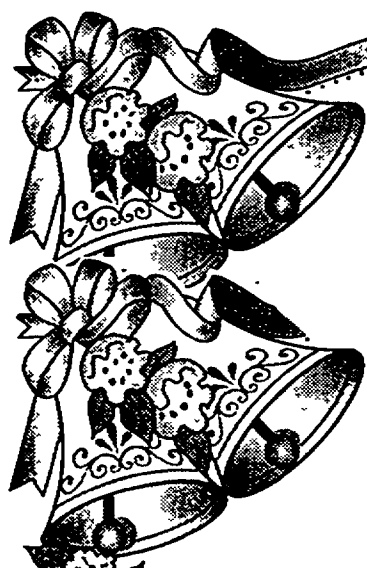
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# Pretty in Peach

A colorful gown sets the tone for a romantic wedding

By Sharon Mosley  
Copley News Service

And the bride wore mauve and green and pink and blue ... yes, it's true, the brides of the new millennium have a colorful future. The newest bridal gowns are turning heads as they waltz down the aisle in colorful wedded bliss.

"It used to be traditional for first-time brides to always wear white and second-time brides to wear color," says Millie Bratten, editor in chief of *Bride's* magazine. "Now that it's OK to wear white any time you get married, first-time brides are choosing to wear more color in their gowns."

White is still the predominant color for brides, no matter how many times they've been married, according to Bratten. A flip through the most recent issue of *Bride's* proves that point. But she admits there is definitely a trend for more color in bridal designs. Bridesmaids don't get to have all the fun.

"Bridal designers are using darker pale colors," says Bratten. "There are stronger champagnes, deeper ivories and even taupe. Many bridal houses, including Amsale, Lazaro, Vera Wang, Christian Dior and others offer designs in these sophisticated pales that are often combined in the same dress or contrasted with pure white."

At Amsale, candlelight, a deeper, crisper shade of ivory, is combined with a creamy ivory in a two-tone silk-faced satin gown. Lazaro pairs a fitted scoop-neck beaded bodice in white with a full satin taffeta ball gown skirt in a rich champagne. Christian Dior's toast to the colorful neutrals juxtaposes romantic white lace in a corset bodice accented with darker champagne satin straps and full skirt with a white lace petticoat.

The golden tones are also brightening up bridal color palettes for wedding attire, says Bratten. "It's almost an antique gold," she says.

Vera Wang's buttery dress is a frothy fit-and-flare design that is also a corset-inspired bodice with satin-covered buttons in the back with a trumpet skirt.

The metallics are glowing in not only gold, but silver.

"The platinum silvers are very contemporary," says Bratten. Designers favor combining platinum with white for a modern feel to bridal gowns. Amsale Abera pairs a lustrous silver chantilly lace with a blush organza and gazar in a bell-shape gown.

For the more adventurous bride, there are gowns in a variety of other more "noticeable" colors. And they're not just in blushing pink. Designer Margarita Zingg gives daring brides the option of wearing a hand-embroidered ball gown in mauve silk-taffeta. Kat-Moon Designs does its taffeta ball gown in mint green and Yumi Katsura comes up with a peachy idea in her organza and crepe sheath scrolled with gold-vine appliques. At Original Bride Couture by Manolo, a sleeveless floor-length sheath shimmers in sea-water blue and white silk charmeuse.



"Today, fashion influences carry over very quickly to the bridal market," says Bratten, "and the colors follow." Romance is not far behind.

There is a real influence of the elegant ball gown sweeping through the bridal pages and down the aisles. "It is grand-scale romance," says Bratten. "It's Gwyneth Paltrow at her best."

Shakespeare thought he was in love. Indeed, the bustles and ball gowns swirling out of recent movies and winning awards at the Oscars are now receiving rave reviews on one of the most romantic days around.

Other romantic details that get the colorful touch this

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## Add subtle color with accessories

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year in bridal designs include special accents on bridal gowns: satin rosettes down the back of a dress, crystal-accented bows and hand-beaded fringe.

And, you can use accessories to add a splash of color to a traditional gown. Delicate necklaces with colored stones, jeweled tiaras and barrettes that glimmer in butterflies and flowers are just a few of the ways you can add subtle color to your bridal ensemble.

Beaded handbags and embroidered clutches also provide a glimpse of sophisticated pastels with power. Veils edged in sparkling silver crystals and silvery feather headpieces are other ways to top it off with glittering color.

Romance may be in the color of your gown ... or your accessories this year. But don't blush too much if you still want that night in white satin.

"Color is for a very special bride," says Bratten. "It's not for everyone."

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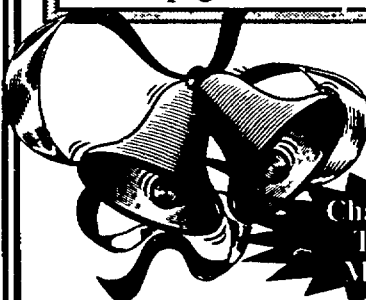
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# Explaining expenses keeps bridesmaids blissful

By Priscilla Lister  
Copley News Service

Even though they're called bridesmaids, don't think they're servants.

While you may consider the invitation to be a member of your bridal party a distinct honor, to some it might actually be a hardship.

Since bridesmaids are traditionally expected to foot most of their own bills, their financial abilities must be considered when asking them to participate.

"Bridesmaids are responsible for paying for their costumes and seeing that they are properly fitted," says Elizabeth L. Post in "Emily Post's Complete Book of Wedding Etiquette" (HarperCollins). "The considerate bride will think of her bridesmaids' pocketbooks when she chooses their dresses."

Other financial responsibilities traditionally include their transportation to and from the wedding. However, according to Post, the bride is responsible for their lodging "from the time they arrive until the day after the wedding."

Additional attendants' responsibilities may include a shower, given by the maid of honor or a bridesmaid or the group of them together, and/or a luncheon given for the bride.

"Generally, they give her a joint present, engraved with their names or initials, as

well as personal wedding gifts," adds Post. As these traditions suggest, being a bridesmaid today can be costly.

## ASK AND DISCUSS

"Once you've decided who you'd like to ask, try to make the asking a special occasion," says *WeddingBells* magazine. "Ask the person to dinner or out for coffee or a drink."

During this get-together, says *WeddingBells*, the bride "should be honest and forthright about expenses attendants will likely be obliged to cover. If any potential attendants feel they cannot afford these costs, they should discuss this as soon as possible."

Another option for including a good friend who just cannot make the financial commitment to be a bridesmaid is to find a different role for her in your festivities. Such possibilities include giving her responsibility for the guest book, the wedding presents or just asking her to make a toast to the happy couple at the reception.

## CHOOSING GOWNS

The bride has the right to make the final decisions about how she wants her bridal party to look. But her attendants are the ones who have to wear - and pay for - the dresses.

"Start off on the right foot by considering their figures," advises *WeddingBells*. If you're having six bridesmaids who range

from size 4 to 18, finding one dress to fit them all may be impossible. One possibility in this case might be to choose the color and fabric and floor length, and ask each attendant to have a dress made in a style they like. Or simply choose color and length and let them buy a dress they might actually wear again.

"If your bridesmaids all have similar shapes, narrow your choices down to two or three and let them choose," suggests *WeddingBells*. "Also, make sure they all agree on the price of the dress beforehand. Surprising your maids with a gown they can't afford - no matter how pretty you think it is - is sure to build resentment."

If you have your heart set on a particular dress but it's relatively costly, you might subsidize each attendant so that their expense is more in line with normal bridesmaids' dress expenses.

In some stores, it is possible to rent bridesmaids' gowns, which might be more affordable for all your attendants.

"Try factory outlets for dresses that can be used in a wedding," suggests Diane Warner in "How to Have a Big Wedding on a Small Budget" (Betterway Books 1997). "In this case, there is no escape from shopping with all the bridesmaids at once. ... It is worth a try if the attendants really need to save money."

Warner also recommends giving mail-

order dresses a try. Selecting a dress from a catalog can be especially handy for bridesmaids of different sizes and different cities.

## GIFTS FOR YOUR PARTY

"Strict wedding etiquette requires that you give presents to all your bridesmaids and attendants," says Baldrige. "Normally, all bridesmaids get the same gift and so do all the ushers. You may want to give something a little more special to your maid of honor and your best man."

Traditionally, such gifts are a wedding keepsake, she adds. "You could give something they might wear on your wedding day - a simple pendant for the women and cuff links or a tie clasp for the men, for instance."

Other attendant gift ideas include:

- Any piece of jewelry.
- A silver picture frame.
- An engraved pen.
- Special evening bags.
- Candlesticks.
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- Personal pampering, such as gift certificates to local spas.
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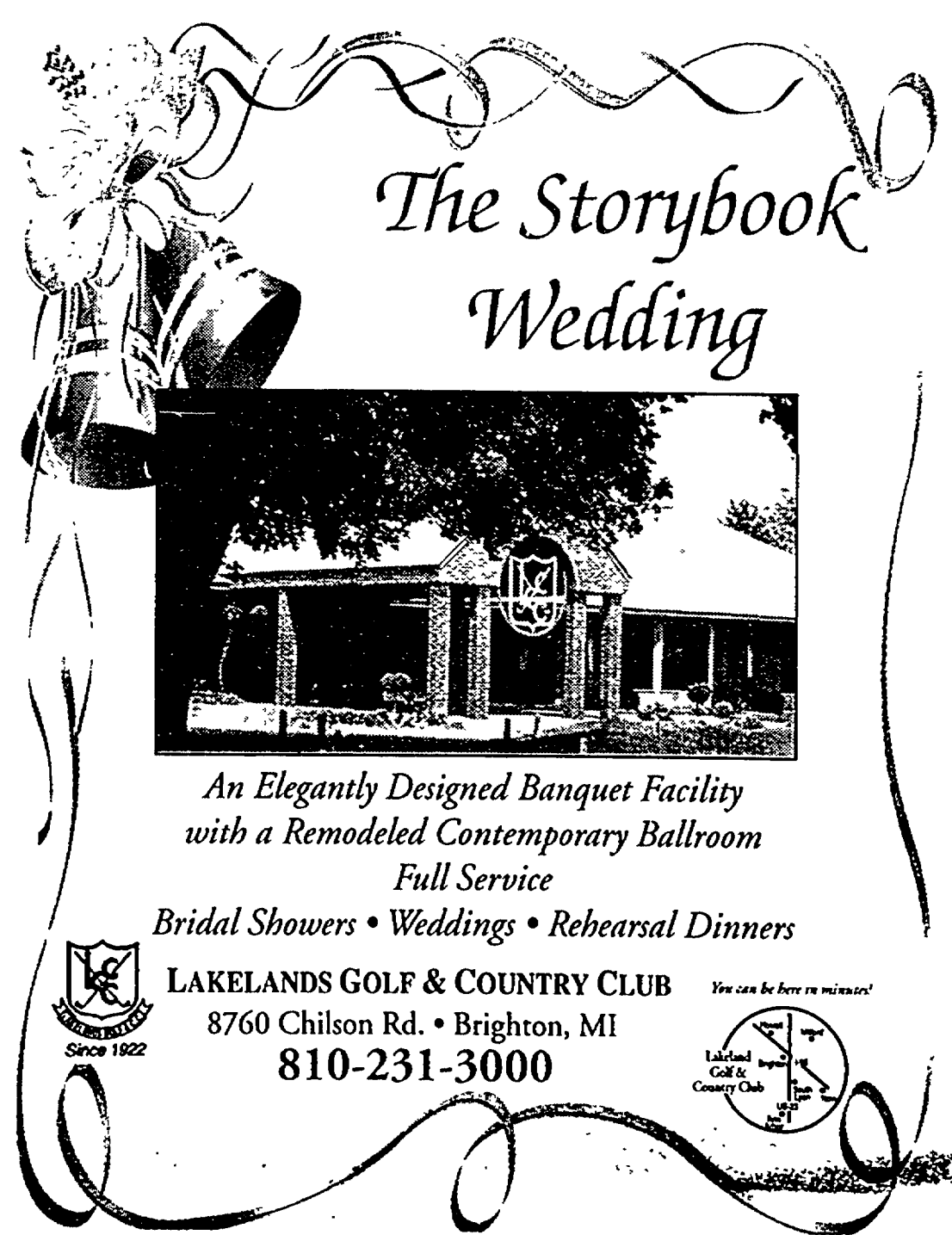
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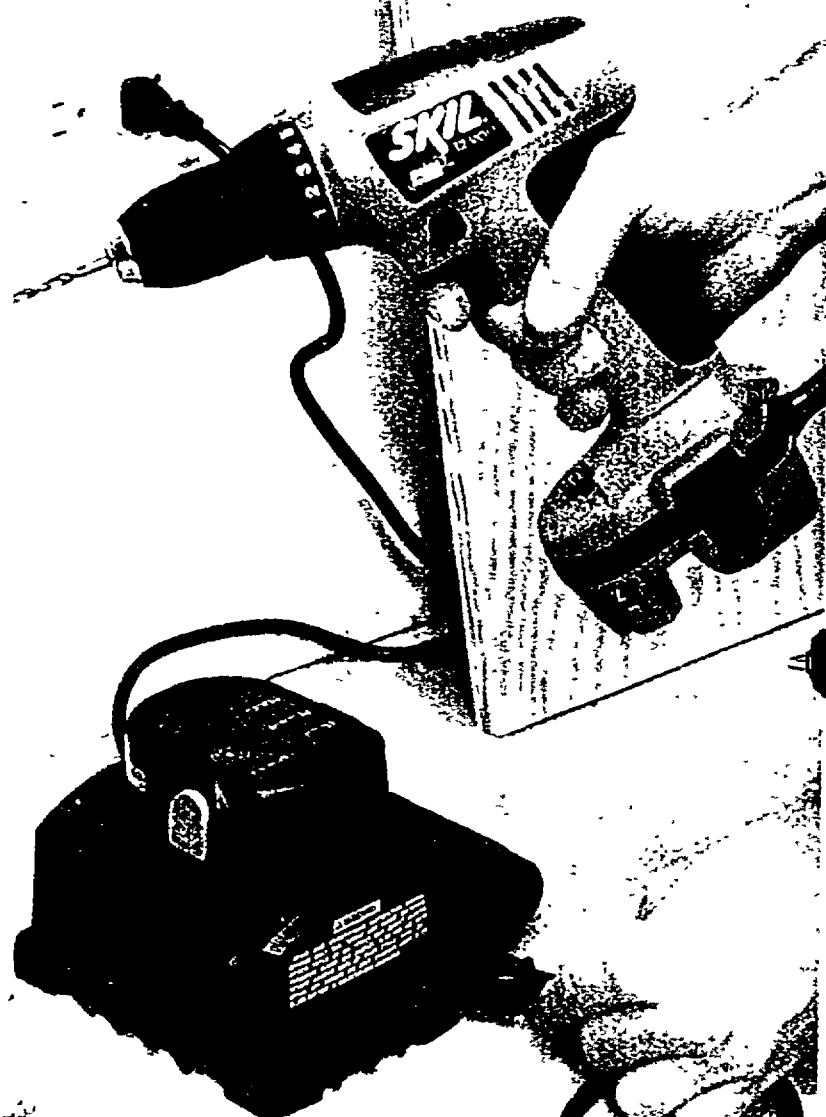
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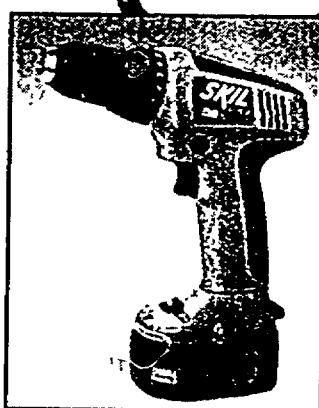
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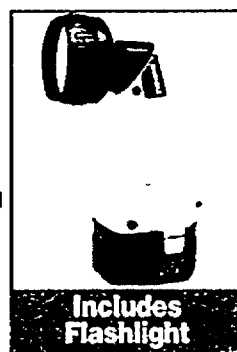
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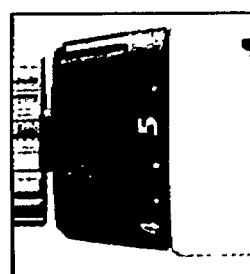
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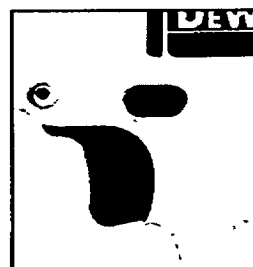
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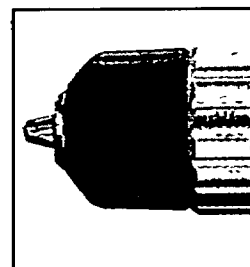
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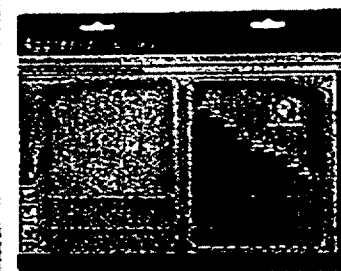
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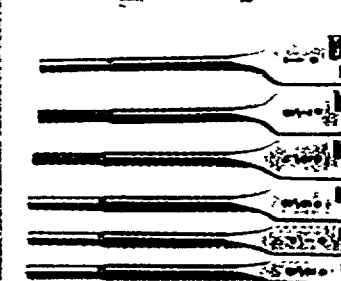
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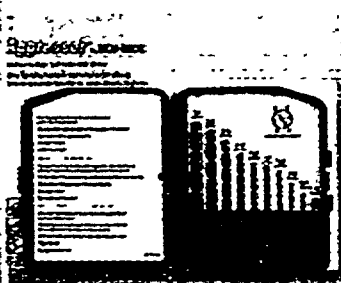
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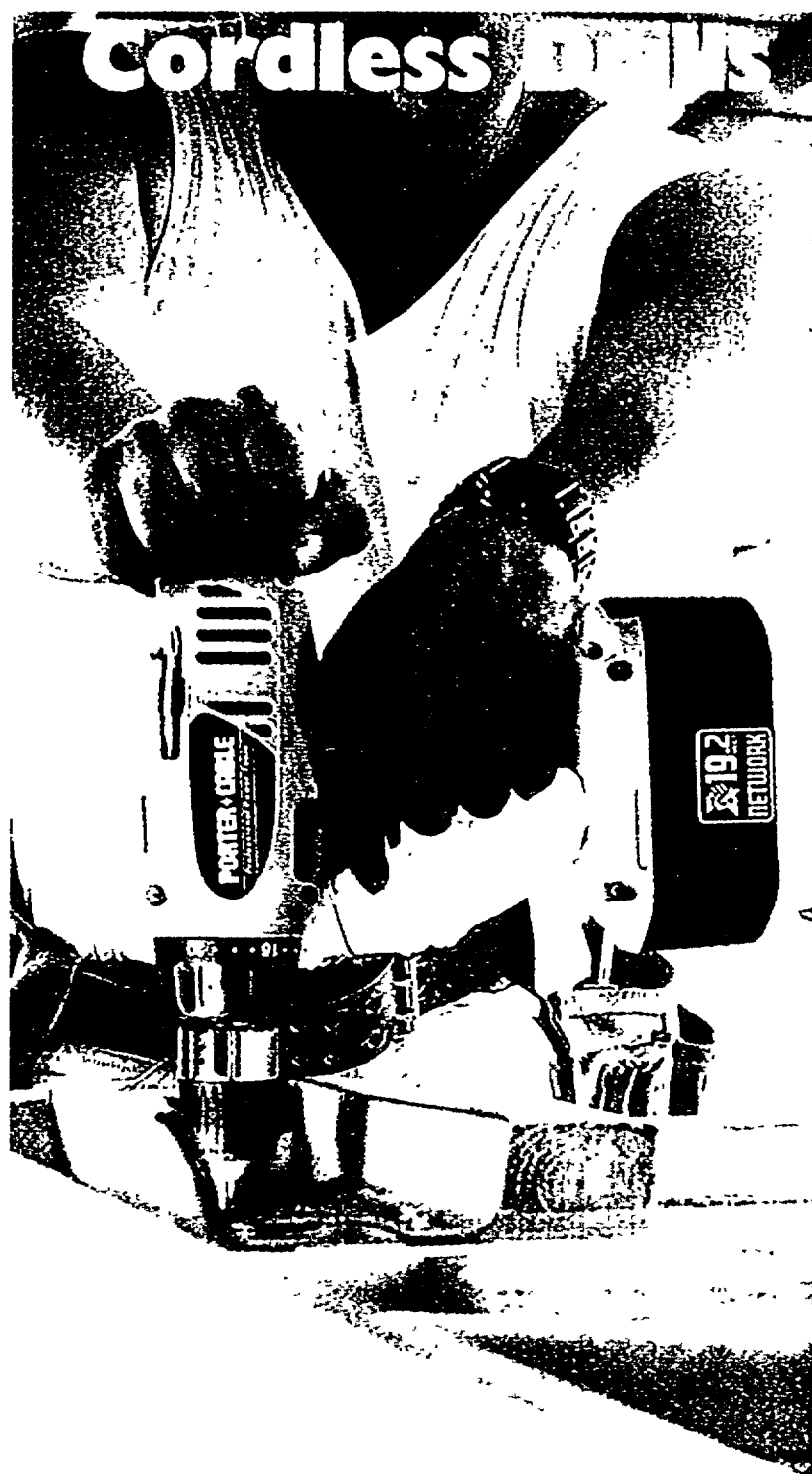
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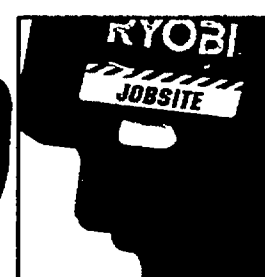
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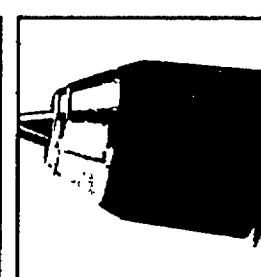
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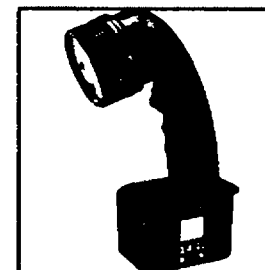
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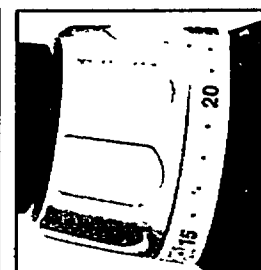
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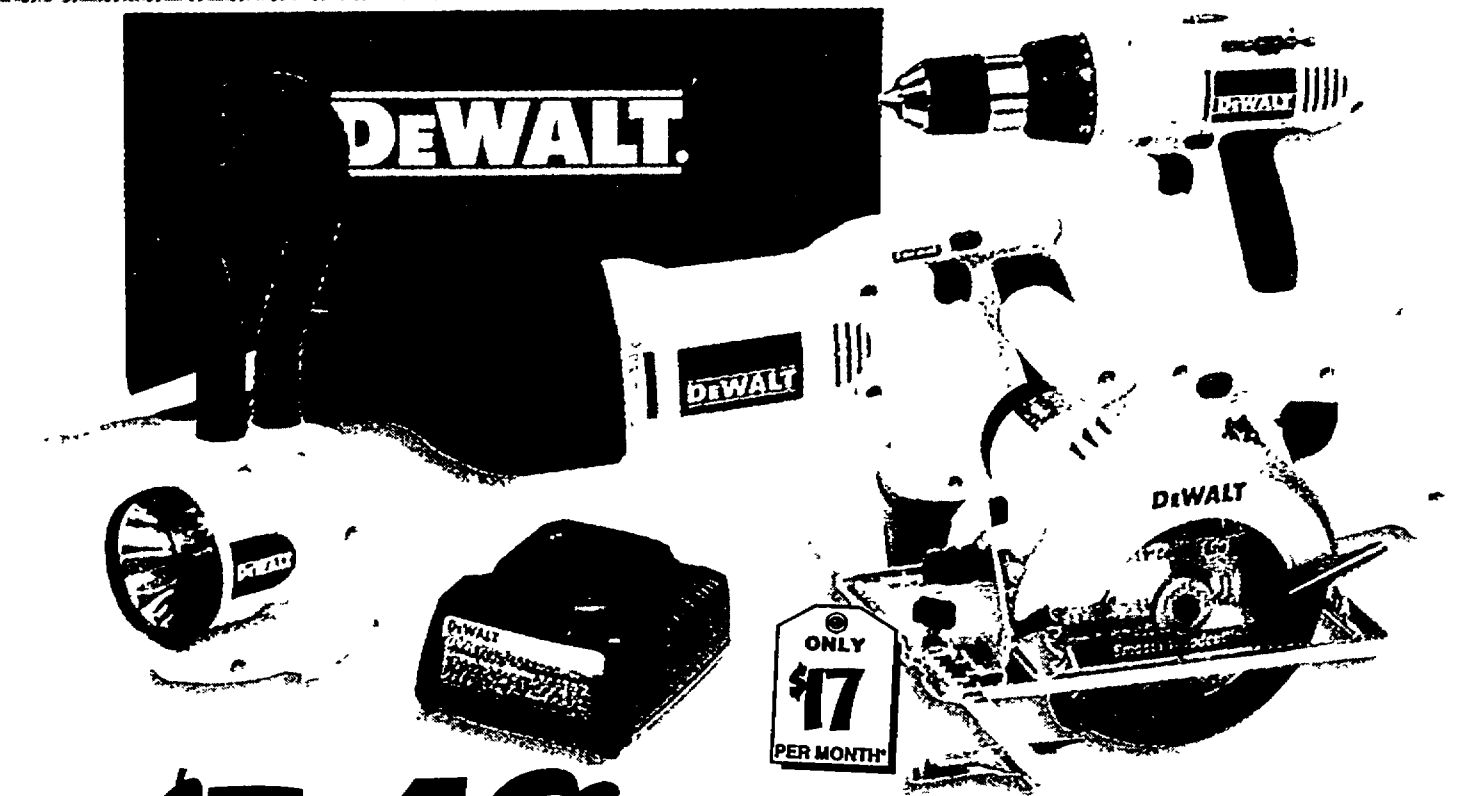
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- Hammer drill/driver: hammer mode gives 0-7,150/0-20,350 BPM to pound through masonry, drill gives 325 in/lbs of torque, driver has multi-position adjustable clutch
- Trim Saw: 5 3/8" 16T carbide blade and rip fence, shoe adjusts to 50° bevel and 1 5/8" depth of cut at 90°, spindle lock for easy blade changes
- Reciprocation Saw: electric brake, 7/8" stroke length and 2,800 SPM for fast cutting, lightweight - 6.5 lbs, variable speed with trigger lock for blade control
- Includes: 1-hour charger, two XA2 battery packs and kit box DW4PAK-2 (342379)

ONLY  
**\$17**  
PER MONTH\*



**\$419**

## 18 Volt Cordless Hammerdrill/Drill/Driver & Reciprocating Saw Combo

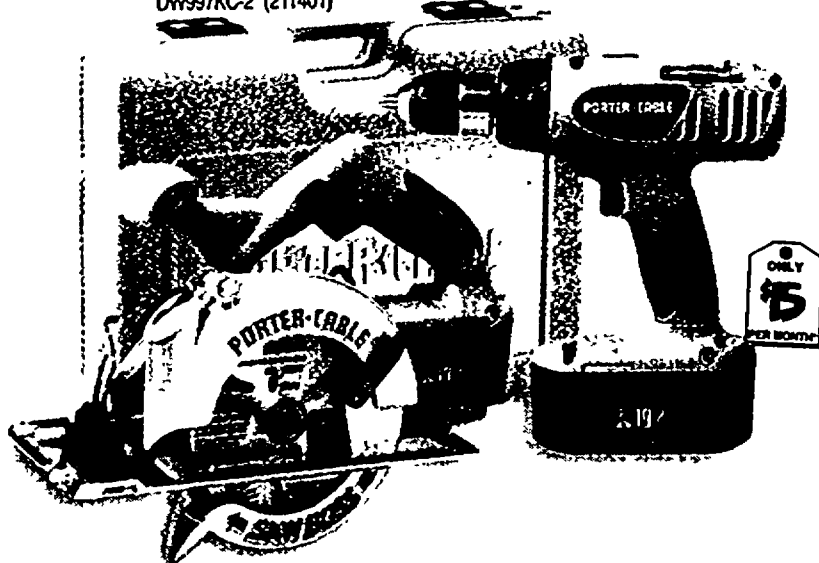
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- Includes 1-hour charger & (2) XR2 PACK™ extended run battery packs DW997KC-2 (211401)

**\$399**

## 18 Volt Drill/Saw/Light Combo

- 18 volt 1/2" Adjustable Clutch Drill: keyless chuck, variable speed reversing; 0-450/0-1,450 RPM, 355 in/lbs of torque
- 18 volt 5 3/8" Trim Saw: left side blade provides maximum visibility, shoe adjusts to 50° bevel and 1 5/8" depth of cut at 90°, spindle lock for easy blade changes
- 18 Volt Flexible Floodlight: flexible neck for hands-free operation, extra-bright Xenon bulb, wide-angle beam, head locks in place for use as a lantern, spare bulb inside lens cover DW3PAK-2 (610134)

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PROFESSIONAL POWER TOOLS

**\$359**

## 19.2 Volt Circular Saw/Drill Kit

- Powerful 19.2 volt battery for maximum performance and run time
- 6" blade cuts 2X lumber at 45° in one pass
- 1/2" drill has 390 in/lbs of torque
- Includes 6" saw, 1/2" drill, 2 batteries and charger manual 98844CS (643235)



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**\$9.97**

## 23-Piece Drilling/Screwdriving Bit Set

15094 (349794)

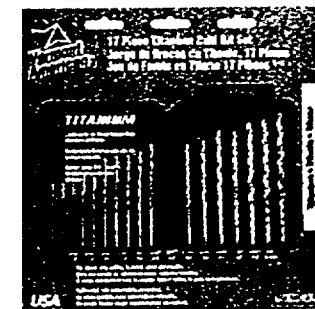


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## 17-Piece Drill Set with 4 Bonus Bits

- Professional quality steel w/black oxide finish

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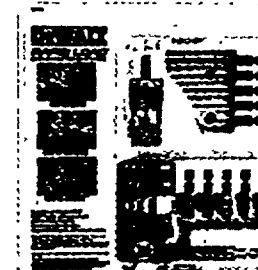


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**\$19.97**

## 17-Piece Titanium Drill Bit Set

- For drilling in steel, wood, plastics and other tough materials

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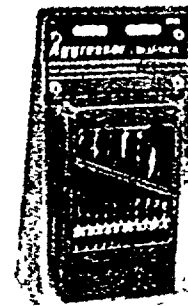


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**\$29.97**

## 19-Piece Rapid Load Drilling & Driving Set

- Durable adapter that allows quick changing between accessories

DW2510 (416425)



**BLU-MOL**  
**\$49.98**

## 29-Piece Drill Set

- For drilling in wood, plastic, wallboard, plywood and soft metals
- 143° split point design: manufactured from M7 steel

4516667 (193210)



**DEWALT**  
**\$31**

## 5 3/8" Cordless Saw Blades

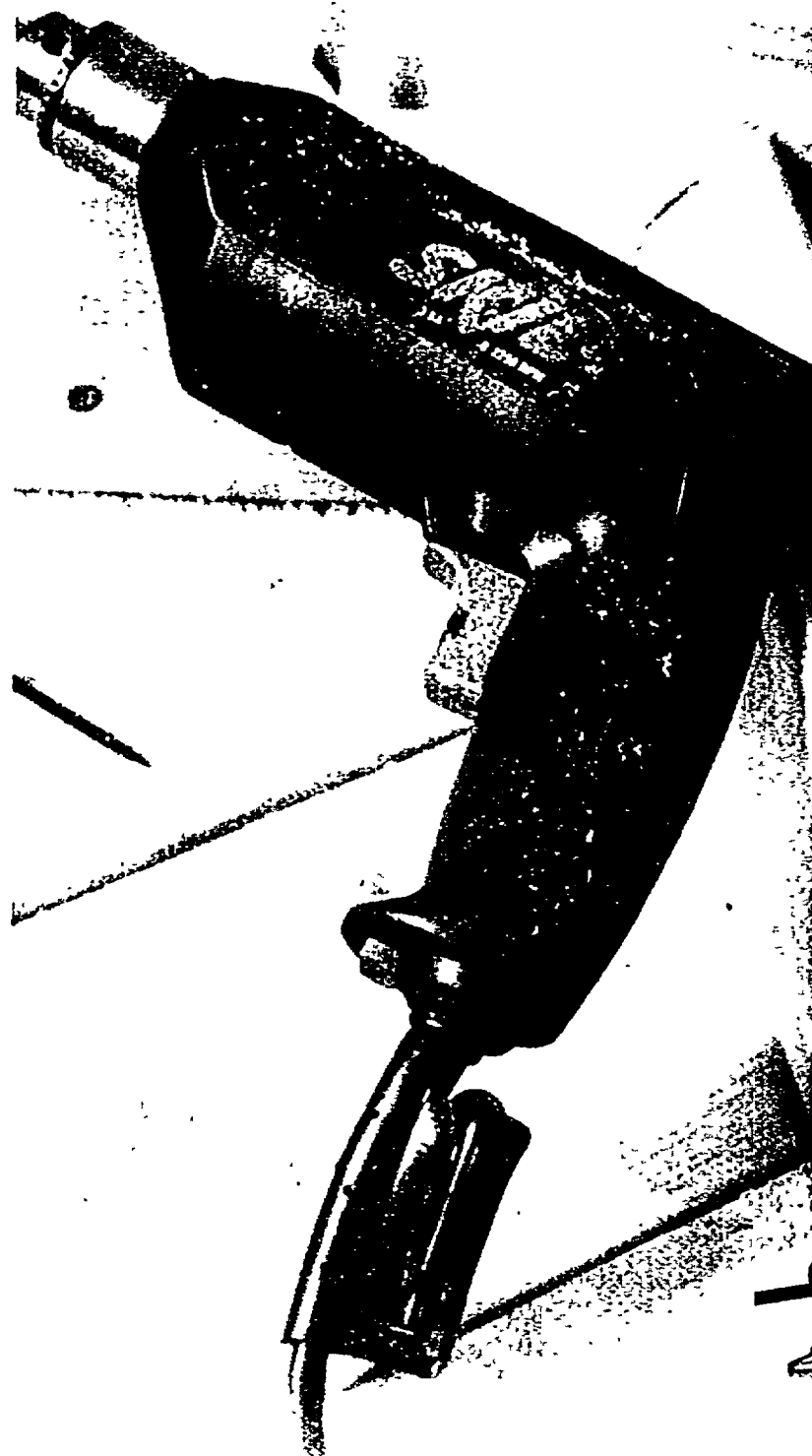
- Includes (1) 16T carbide blade, (1) 30T carbide blade & (1) 78T steel blade
- Use with DeWalt cordless saws DW9059CS (451635)



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# Corded Drills



**SKIL®**  
\$29<sup>97</sup>

- 3/8" Drill**
- Compact size, more power
  - 3.5 AMP, 1/3 HP, 0-2,250 RPM
  - Built-in level guide
- 6215 (770428)



**BLACK & DECKER.**  
\$29<sup>97</sup>

- 4 AMP, 3/8" Corded Drill**
- 0-1,350 RPM
  - 3/8" keyed chuck capacity for a wider range of accessories
  - High power motor and double gear reduction for increased durability and improved performance
  - Mid-handle design and two-finger trigger for increased balance and comfort
  - Lock-on button for continuous use
- DR200 (578858)

**BLACK & DECKER.**  
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- 4.5 AMP, 3/8" Corded Drill**
- Double gear reduction delivers high torque for aggressive projects
  - Keyless chuck for quick, easy bit changes
  - Mid-handle design for greater control & balance
  - Convenient kit box to store and carry drill
- DR220K (413665)

**DEWALT**  
\$69

- 5.4 AMP, 3/8" Corded Drill**
- Keyless chuck
  - Variable speed reversing
  - 0-2,500 RPM
  - 100% ball bearings
  - Built-in 2-way level
- DW106K (218856)



**SKIL®**  
\$49<sup>98</sup>

- 4 AMP, 1/2" Corded Drill**
- 2/5 HP, 0-800 RPM
  - Variable speed reversing
  - Built-in level guide
  - Speed selector dial
  - Lock-on button
  - 1/2" keyed chuck
  - Comfortable grip
  - Chuck key stays on cord
  - 360° side handle
- 6355-08 (367225)



**CASE INCLUDED**



**RYOBI POWER TOOLS**  
\$61

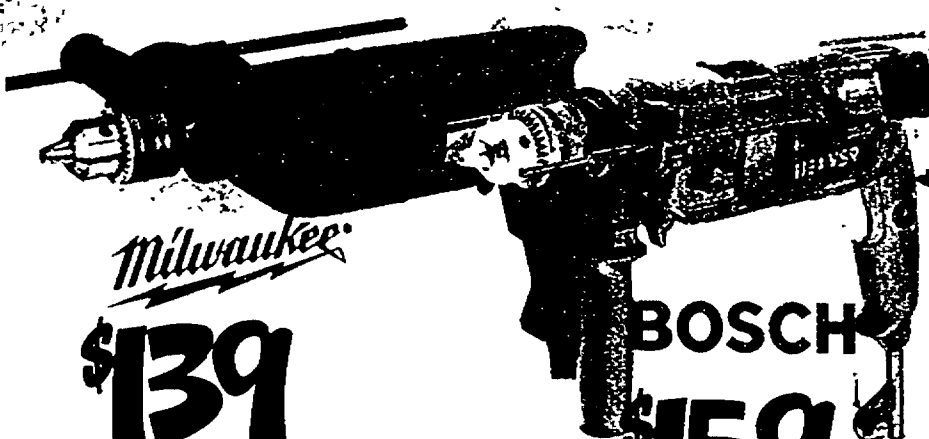
- 3.5 AMP, 1/2" Spade Handle Drill**
- Variable speed reversing
  - Superior center handle design for improved balance & control
  - Power grip surface improves grip & user comfort
  - Locking VS dial provides maximum RPM control for repetitive drilling
- D50VSR (665074)



**Milwaukee**  
\$145

- 75th Anniversary 5.5 AMP, 1/2" Magnum Drill**
- Limited Edition
  - 1/2" capacity chuck
  - Trigger speed control: 0-850 RPM; reversing
  - 8' 3-wire Quik-Lok™ cord for easy detachment
  - Exclusive quick-change brush cartridge system
  - Polished aluminum housing
- 0236-75 (495037)

**CASE INCLUDED**



**Milwaukee**  
\$139

- 6.5 AMP, 1/2" Hammerdrill**
- Dual range speed control reversing
  - Hammer with rotation or rotation only
  - 10' rubber cord
  - Self stop brush system
  - Trigger speed control in two ranges: 0-1,350 RPM, 0-22,000 BPM; 0-3,200 RPM, 0-52,000 BPM; reversing
  - Ball & roller bearings
- 5378-20 (611578)

**BOSCH**  
\$159

- 6 AMP, 1/2" Hammerdrill**
- Variable speed reversing
  - No load RPM: 0-1,000/0-3,000
  - Selector switch for hammerdrilling or straight drilling
  - Dual torque
- 1194VSR (607915)

**DEWALT**  
\$159

- 7.2 AMP, 1/2" Hammerdrill**
- High power motor
  - Variable speed reversible
  - Dual range gear box
  - Electronic variable speed switch with reverse
  - Lightweight design
  - Ergonomically comfortable
- DW505 (229051)

# Corded Drills



**SKIL**  
**\$39<sup>97</sup>**

## 3.5 AMP, 3/8" Hammerdrill

- Variable speed reversing
- Two tools in one: drill or hammerdrill
- No load RPM: 0-2,600
- No load BPM: 0-40,000

6425 (333863)



**BOSCH**  
**\$59<sup>98</sup>**

## 5 AMP, 3/8" Drill Kit

- Variable speed reversing
- No load RPM: 0-2,500
- Ergonomic contoured grip
- 3/8" keyless chuck
- Hardened helical gears
- Lock-on button

1005VSRK (403891)



**Milwaukee**  
**\$84<sup>40</sup>**

## 5.5 AMP, 3/8" Magnum® Keyless Hole-Shooter

- Keyless chuck
- Trigger speed control: 0-2,800 RPM; reversing
- Double insulated
- Exclusive brush cartridge system changes brushes in less than one minute
- Aluminum gear case and diaphragm provides greater support for shaft and bearings
- Lightweight-only four pounds

0233-20 (223609)



**\$97**

## 5 AMP, Drywall Screw Shooter

- 0-4,000 RPM high speed production
- Positive drive clutch
- Sealed long-life switch, speed control, reversing switch
- Pop-off nosepiece; maintains depth setting
- Double insulated; quiet, noise reduced fan
- 10' rubber cord

6758-1 (793261)

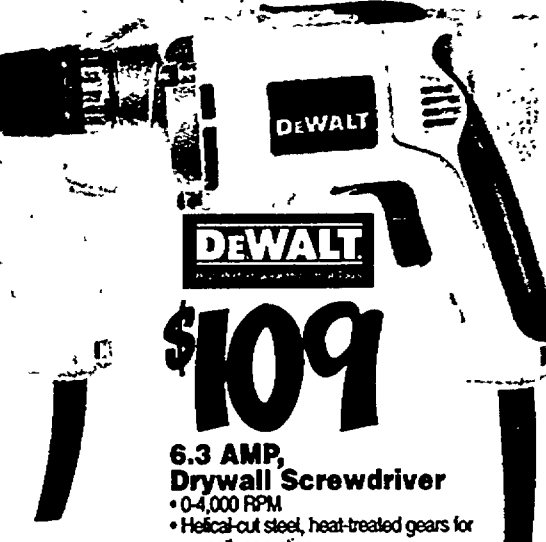


**\$88**

## 6 AMP, Drywall Screwdriver

- 0-4000 RPM
- Variable speed, reversing
- Quiet clutch
- Lightweight design
- Two finger soft grip trigger switch
- Set and forget nosepiece
- Belt clip

DW251 (105397)



**\$109**

## 6.3 AMP, Drywall Screwdriver

- 0-4,000 RPM
- Helical-cut steel, heat-treated gears for smooth operation
- Quiet clutch for non-ratcheting screwdriving
- Metal gear housing for increased durability
- Depth-sensitive, "set and forget" nosepieces for consistent fastener depth
- Rubber-grip and two-finger, rubber trigger for increased comfort

DW274 (105367)



**BOSCH**  
**\$183**

## 4.4 AMP, 3/4" SDS Hammerdrill Kit

- No load RPM: 0-1,100; No load BPM: 0-5,000
- Two operational modes: drill only or drill and hammer
- Reversing for fastening applications
- Compact, pistol grip design
- Slip clutch; rotation stop if bit jams
- Includes 360° auxiliary handle and depth gauge

11234VSR (403916)

**BOSCH**  
**\$248**

## 6.9 AMP, 7/8" Slotted Drive System Rotary Hammer

- D-handle design-extra control for overhead drilling
- No load RPM: 0-1,100; No load BPM: 0-6,150
- 3 operations: hammer only, drill only, drill & hammer
- Variable speed reversing for fastening applications
- 36 position vario-lock - rotate chisel to ideal working angle

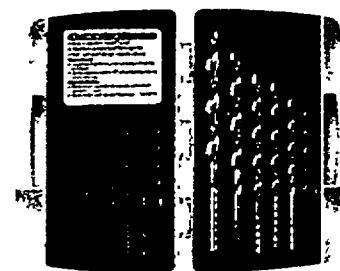
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**BOSCH**  
**\$324**

## 7.2 AMP, 1 1/8" Rotary Hammer

- No load RPM 0-650, no load BPM 0-3,900
- Best choice for drilling 1/2"-7/8" holes
- 3 operational modes - hammer only, drill only and hammer/drill together
- Padded shock absorbing handle
- 36 position vario-lock - rotate chisel to ideal working angle

11236VS (403918)



**DEWALT**  
**\$15<sup>96</sup>**

## 14-Piece Gold Ferrous Drill Bit Set

DW1169 (416457)



**BLU-MOL**  
**\$16<sup>49</sup>**

## 7-Piece Hole Saw Set

- Set contains 1 1/4", 1 3/8", 1 1/2", 1 3/4", 2" & 2 1/8" hole saws plus mandrel
- For light duty cutting in wood & plastic up to 1" thick

6561 (452054)

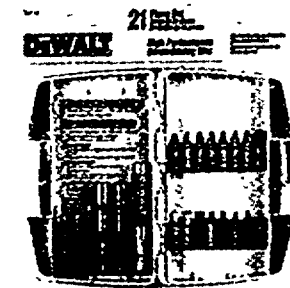


**BOSCH**  
**\$16<sup>97</sup>**

## 5-Piece Assorted Bits

- Ideal for concrete, masonry or brick

HGBG-500 (664551)



**DEWALT**  
**\$21**

## 21-Piece Screwdriving Set

- Maximum durability
- Reduced stripping

DW2761 (419069)



**AMERICAN TOOL**  
**\$19<sup>97</sup>**

## 13-Piece Speedbor® 2000™ Wood Boring Bit Set

- For all 1/4" and larger drills

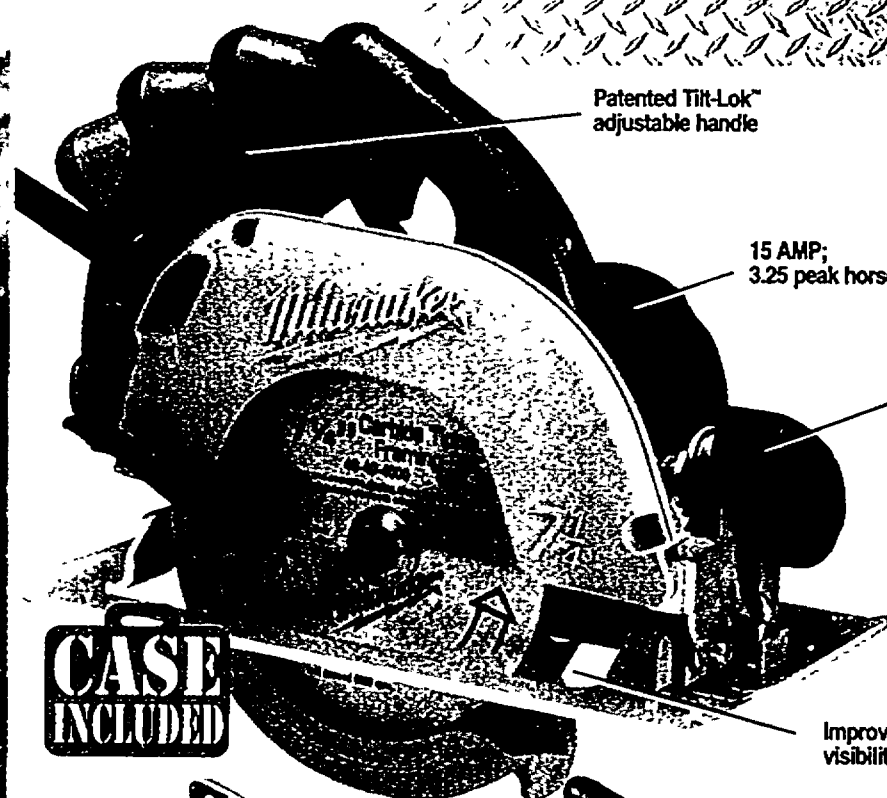
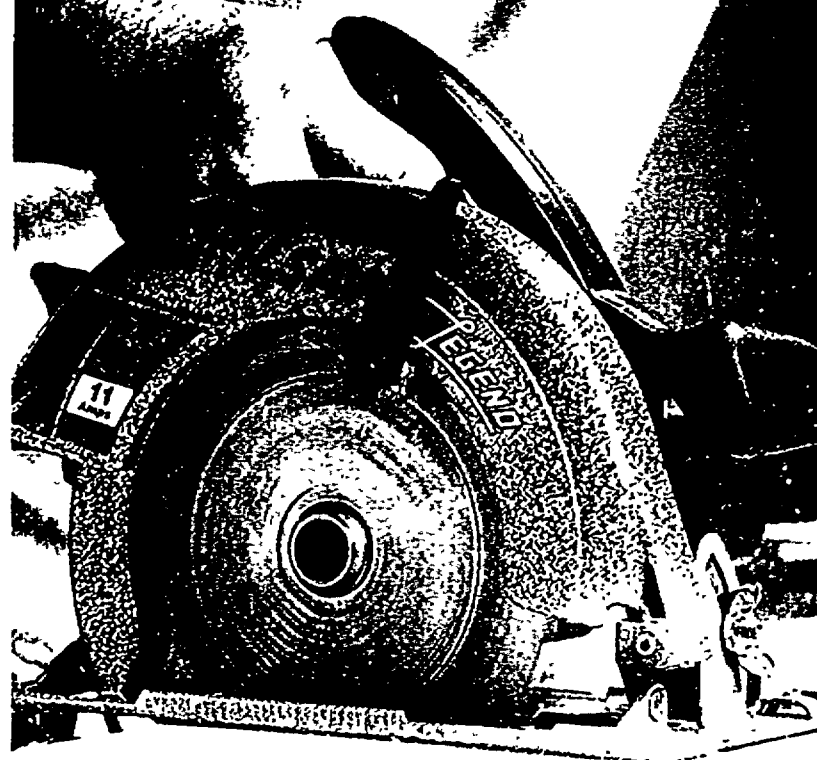
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# Circular & Reciprocating Saws



**Milwaukee**

Patented Tilt-Lok™ adjustable handle

15 AMP;  
3.25 peak horsepower

Comfortable cushioned front and rear grip

**\$144**

## 7 1/4" Circular Saw

- Lightest weight - 10.4 lbs.
- Convenient pivot shoe for adjustment lever
- One touch spindle lock
- Easy access bevel adjustments

6390-21 (482299)

Improved cutting visibility

**CASE INCLUDED**



**SKILSAW**  
Classic Series

**\$59<sup>97</sup>**

## 7 1/4" Circular Saw

- 10 AMP, 2.5 HP, 5,000 RPM
- Exclusive blade wrench rip fence
- Convenient rear depth adjustment lever
- 18-tooth carbide blade

5275-05 (770395)

**PORTER-CABLE**

**\$128**

## 7 1/4" Circular Saw

- Right or left side blade
- 10 1/4 lbs., lightweight, powerful framer's saw
- Heavy-duty 15 AMP, 5,800 RPM
- Sturdy, lightweight magnesium base
- Adjustable stops at 90° and 45°

347K (737165) (873733)

**CASE INCLUDED**

**DEWALT**

**\$136**

## 7 1/4" Circular Saw

- 15 AMP AC/DC motor
- Features electronic brake
- 100% ball and roller bearings
- Includes 20-tooth carbide saw blade

DW362K (628158)

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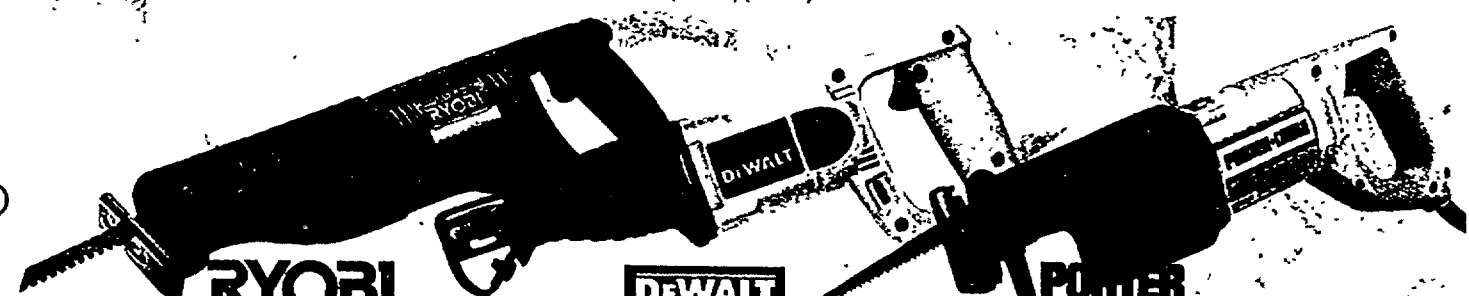
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**\$49<sup>98</sup>**

## 7 1/4" Circular Saw

- 11 AMP, 2.4 HP, 4,600 RPM
- Lateral lock-off trigger switch
- Die cast aluminum blade guards
- Zero adjust foot
- Side foot measuring scale
- Blade wrench stows in foot
- Hard tooth combination blade

5155K (403920)

**CASE INCLUDED**



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POWER TOOLS

**\$81**

## 6 AMP Saw Kit

- Includes 1 blade
- Ball-bearing motor
- Variable speed, 0-2,500 SPM
- Adjustable pivoting shoe
- D-handle with lock-on button

RJ150VK (530253)

**CASE INCLUDED**

**DEWALT**

**\$121**

## 6.5 AMP Reciprocating Saw

- Includes: Metal and wood cutting blades, wrench holder and Allen wrench
- Variable speed, 0-2,400 SPM
- 1 1/8" stroke length
- Compact and lightweight; 16.75" and 6.5 lbs.
- 100% ball and roller bearings

DW303K (299965)

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**PORTER-CABLE**

**\$124**

## 9.6 AMP Tiger® Saw Kit

- Includes blades
- Variable speed, 0-2,600 SPM
- 9.6 AMP, AC only
- Efficient reciprocating cut action
- 100% ball bearing
- Full 1 1/8" cutting stroke

9738 (179903)

**CASE INCLUDED**

# Jig & Reciprocating Saws



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## 3.2 AMP Jig Saw

- 1/3 HP, variable speed 0-3,200 SPM
- Built in blade and wrench storage
- 0-45° foot tilts left or right
- Trigger locks for continuous cutting

4235 (257125)



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## 3.2 AMP Jig Saw

- Includes wood blade
- Variable speed
- Sightline™ channel for improved visibility to cut line
- Dust blower removes debris from cut line JS200 (413757)



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## 3.5 AMP Jig Saw with Quick-Clamp™

- Variable speed Quick-Clamp™ blade changes system for tool free blade changing
- SightLine™ channel for improved visibility to cut line
- Includes one wood blade JS300K (514275)



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## 4.5 AMP Orbital Jig Saw Kit

- 800-3,200 SPM
- Switchblade™ tool-less blade change system
- 5 orbital action settings
- Variable speed selector dial
- Vacuum hose port for dust free cutting
- Includes one wood cutting blade 4445-08 (644057)



**SKIL**  
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## 4 AMP Jig Saw

- 5 orbital action settings
- Auto/manual scrolling
- 800-3,200 SPM
- Switchblade™ tool-less blade change system
- Includes 5 blades 4470-44 (770341)



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## 5 AMP Orbital Action Jig Saw Kit

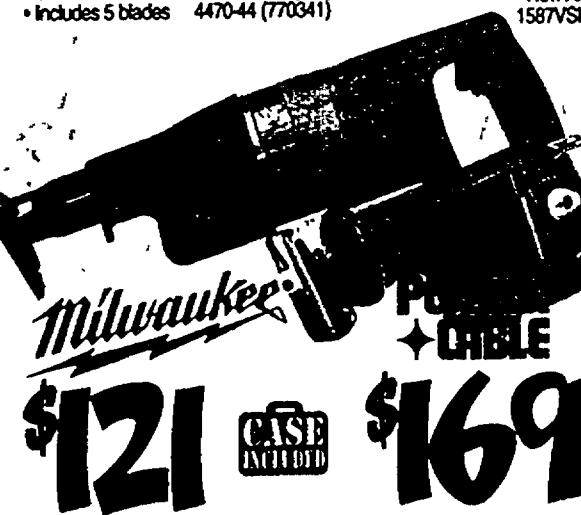
- Variable speed control
- No load SPM: 500-3,100
- CLIC™ tool-less blade change
- 4 orbital setting - fast cutting in different material
- New Anti-Mar™ aluminum foot



**PORTER-CABLE**  
\$169 **CASE INCLUDED**

## 6 AMP Quick-Change™ Jig Saw Kit

- Quick-Change™ blade clamp lets you change blades in seconds w/ no tools required
- Unique guide system keeps blade running straight and true whether in vertical or angle cut up to 45° left or right
- Accepts tang-shank blades for reduced blade breakage



**Milwaukee**  
\$121 **CASE INCLUDED**

## 6 AMP Sawzall® with Quick-Lok™ Blade Clamp

- Includes 2-blade set
- Variable speed 0-2,400 SPM
- 3/4" blade stroke is ideal for working in close quarters
- Quick-Lok™ blade clamp for keyless blade changes

6509-21 (193048)



**PORTER-CABLE**  
\$169 **CASE INCLUDED**

## 9.6 AMP Quick-Change™ Tiger® Saw

- Extra heavy duty motor
- Variable speed switch 0-2,600 SPM
- Keyless blade change
- Orbital cutting action with full 1-1/8" stroke
- 100% ball bearing
- Switch for orbital action
- Pivoting front shoe



**DEWALT**  
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## 10 AMP Reciprocating Saw Kit

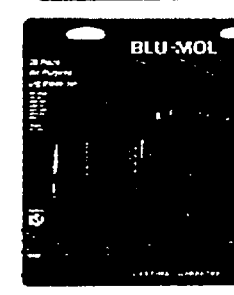
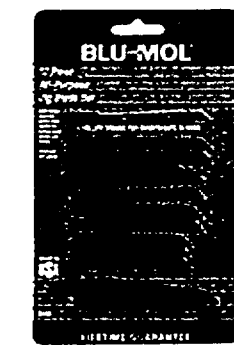
- Lever action keyless blade clamp
- Push-button adjustable shoe
- Speed dial: 0-2,900 SPM
- 1-1/4" stroke length
- 100% ball and roller bearings
- Compact and lightweight 17.5" and 8.4 lbs.
- Includes: Metal and wood cutting blades DW309K (365833)



**Milwaukee**  
\$184 **CASE INCLUDED**

## 75th Anniversary 10 AMP Super Sawzall®

- Limited Edition
- 0-3,200 strokes per minute
- Exclusive gear protection clutch
- Quick-Lok™ blade clamp and Quick-Lok™ cord
- Trigger speed control with dial selector
- 1 1/4" blade stroke

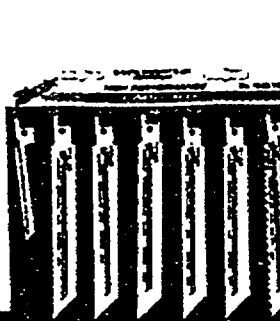


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**BLU-MOL**  
\$11<sup>98</sup>

**12-Piece All Purpose Set**  
• Blades for cutting aluminum, plastic, metal and for fast, medium & scroll cuts in wood 6436 (449597)

**25-Piece Jig Saw Blade Set**  
• Includes blades for cutting wood, plastic & metal 6437 (449610)



**Milwaukee**  
\$17<sup>97</sup>

**Bi-Metal Super Sawzall® Blade Assortment**  
• For cutting metal, wood, plaster & more 49-22-1126 (789695)

**Oldham**  
\$6<sup>49</sup>

**7 1/4" Contractor Grade Carbide Tipped Saw Blade**  
• 24-tooth  
• For soft and hard woods, plastics and laminates 8725-4524 (850144)

**MARATHON**  
\$9<sup>47</sup>

**7 1/4" Marathon Blade**  
• 24-tooth  
• Longest running blade on the market 24030 (533541)

**DEWALT**  
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**Framers Blade**  
• 24-tooth  
DW3178 (603803)

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# Elect Sanders



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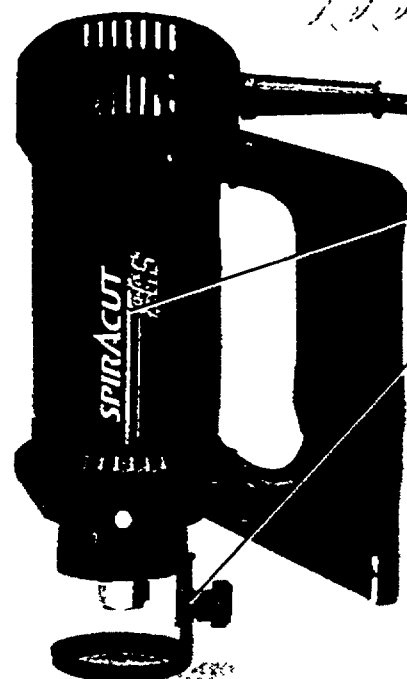
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### Multi-Pro™ Rotary Tool Kit

- 5,000-30,000 RPM
- Variable speed
- Flex shaft attachment
- Includes deluxe case with 72 piece accessory tray, user book & quick change collect nut
- Accessories include: silicon grind stone, dressing stone, emery cut-off wheel, carbon steel brush, felt tip, cloth wheel, coarse sand band shank 1/2", fine sanding bands 1/2", coarse sand band 1/4", medium sand discs, mandrels, high speed cutters, alum. ox. grind stone and fiberglass cut-off wheels

3956 (783792)



Premium 10' rubber cord  
for floor to ceiling cuts

Sealed ball bearing  
construction extends tool life

Removable base guide  
adjusts cutting depth

## ROTOZIP

# \$79<sup>97</sup>

### Spiralcut® Spiral Saw

- Makes fast, freehand cuts
- 4 AMP, 30,000 RPM torque balanced motor tackles the tough jobs
- No fail bump off switch
- Cuts wood composite, ceramic wall tile & more

SCS01 (117305)



PORTER-  
CABLE

# \$49<sup>90</sup>



### 1/4 Sheet Sander

- 2 AMP
- Sandtrap dust collection system
- 14,000 OPM, 1/16" orbit
- Standard pad accepts stick-on or adhesive back paper

340K (643174)



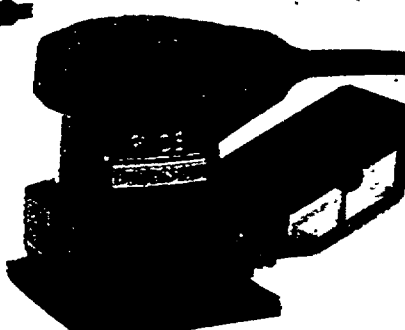
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### 1/4 Sheet Sander

- Palm grip design for comfortable sanding
- 13,000 orbits per minute provide rapid material removal and super smooth finish
- 1.8 AMP motor for consistent power and extended use

FS500 (368583)



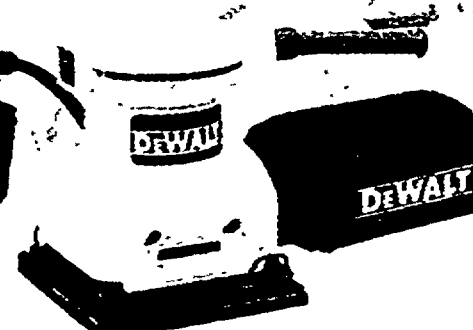
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POWER TOOLS

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### 1/4 Sheet Dustless Finish Sander

- Heavy-duty, 2 AMP ball-bearing motor
- High speed sanding action generates 14,000 orbits per minute
- Filter-Flo® dust trap system for maximum dust pick-up and easy removal

S605D (497045)



DEWALT

# \$49<sup>97</sup>

### 1/4 Sheet Palm Sander

- Includes dust bag and sandpaper punch
- 2 AMP, 13,500 OPM
- Sealed 100% ball-bearing construction
- Modular components make for low repair cost

DW411 (590542)



RYOBI  
POWER TOOLS

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### 5" Random Orbital Sander

- 2.4 AMP motor
- Spin control brake prevents gouging
- Ergonomic grip design for comfort in extended use
- Dust proof switch
- Pad converts from PSA to velcro
- Built-in vacuum port with dust bag attachment

RS240 (421215)



PORTER-CABLE

# \$61

### 5" Quicksand™ Random Orbit Finishing Sander

- 2.4 volt, 3/32" orbit, 12,000 OPM
- Random orbit action leaves a smooth, swirl-free finish
- Comfortable palm grip design
- Uses 5" hook-n-loop abrasives
- Easy-empty sandtrap dust collection canister

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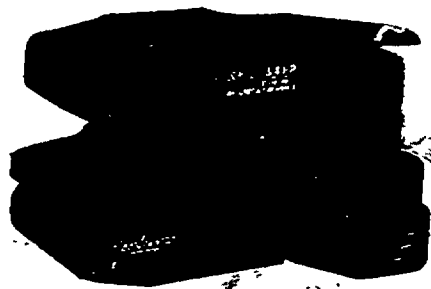
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### 5" Random Orbit Sander

- Powerful 3.3 AMP
- 4,500-13,000 OPM
- Ball bearing motor
- Pad dampening system protects surfaces
- Adjustable front handle
- Double insulated

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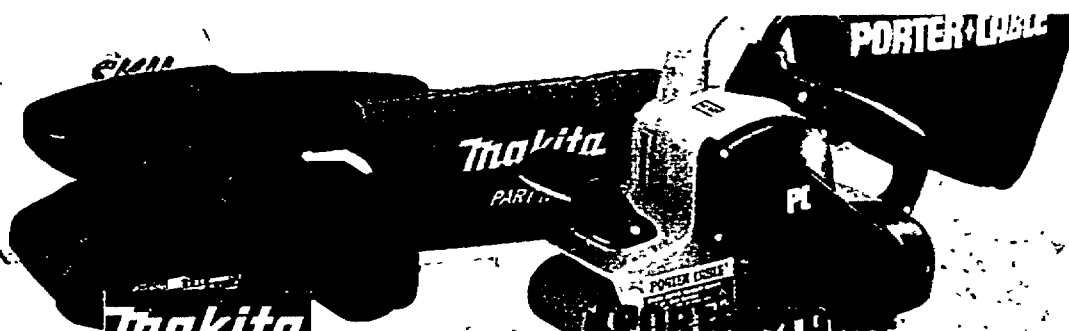
# Sanders & Routers



**SKIL**  
**\$53**

## 3" x 18" Belt Sander with Dust Bag

- 3/4 HP
- 700 ft/min. belt speed for fast surface removal
- Ball & roller bearing construction
- 7313 (344184)



**ThinkIt**  
**\$99<sup>97</sup>**

## 3" x 18" Belt Sander

- Powerful 6 AMP motor for the really tough jobs
- Unique flat side design allows flush sanding
- Auto-belt adjustment for operator convenience
- Portable and lightweight
- Super efficient dust collection system
- Easily attached to a table using optional clamp
- 9910 (356670)



**PORTER-CABLE**  
**\$186**

## 3" x 21" Variable Speed Belt Sander with Dust Bag

- Extra heavy duty 7 AMP
- 850-1,300 SFPM
- Center of gravity positioned directly over plate
- Dependable belt/gear drive train with all metal pulleys
- Dust bag minimizes belt clogging
- Extra large dust bag swivels for better sanding in tight areas
- 352VS (672407)



**BLACK & DECKER**

**\$49<sup>96</sup>** **CASE INCLUDED**

## The Mouse Sander/Polisher

- Includes 23 accessories and user guide
- Ideal for sanding, polishing and scrubbing projects
- Patented accessories designed to extend the life of each pad
- MS500K (413758)

**DREMEL**

**\$79<sup>97</sup>** **CASE INCLUDED**

## Contour Sander Kit

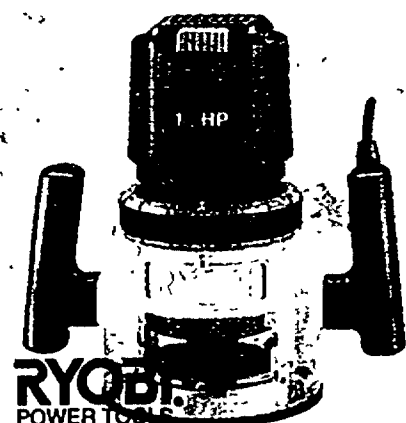
- Kit includes: variable speed tool (4,000-8,500 variable strokes per minute), 10 sanding contours, 1 detail sanding pad, 3 sanding tubes, 3 sheets of hook & loop paper and instruction manual
- Quick-change accessory release
- Compact, lightweight design
- 6000 (729457)

**PORTER-CABLE**  
PROFESSIONAL POWER TOOLS

**\$99<sup>97</sup>** **CASE INCLUDED**

## Profile Sander

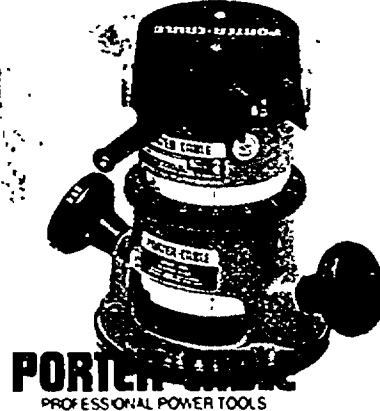
- Includes 17 assorted profile pads
- 6,000 SPM replaces hand sanding
- For radius & angle profile sanding
- Includes dust wand for use with vacuum for dust-free sanding applications
- 9444 (575388)



**RYOBI**  
**\$59<sup>97</sup>** **CASE INCLUDED**

## 1 1/2 HP, 8 AMP Router

- 8 AMP ball-bearing motor
- 25,000 RPM
- Die cast aluminum base
- Depth indicator ring can easily be read from upright to inverted position
- R1160K (530076)



**PORTER-CABLE**  
**\$159** **CASE INCLUDED**

## 1 1/2 HP, 10 AMP Router

- 23,000 RPM
- New self-releasing collet system automatically frees bits
- Permanently sealed ball bearing construction
- Micrometer depth of cut control
- 1/4" and 1/2" collets
- 9690 (215118)



**PORTER-CABLE**  
**\$199** **CASE INCLUDED**

## 1 1/2 HP, 10 AMP Router Kit

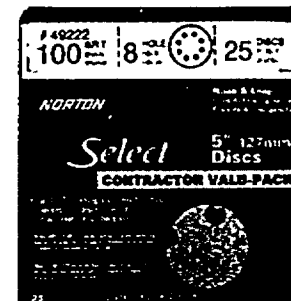
- Includes router motor, fixed base, plunge base, collet wrenches, allen wrench & operation manual
- 23,000 RPM heavy duty motor (AC only)
- Plunge base features 2-1/2" plunge range, depth rod & 6 position stop turret
- Fixed base features accurate micrometer, depth-of-cut adjustment
- 693PK (191925)



**NORTON**  
**\$1<sup>97</sup>**

## All Purpose Sandpaper

- Available in very fine, fine, medium, coarse & assorted grits
- Fits popular palm sanders
- 6 sheets per pack
- 48132 (127176) (127212)
- (127209) (127193)



**NORTON**  
**\$8<sup>99</sup>**

## Contractor 25-Pack Sandpaper

- 49218 (186460) (186542)
- (186510) (186475)



**NORTON**  
**\$4<sup>79</sup>**

## 3" x 21" All-Purpose Sanding Belts

- 2-pack
- Available in fine, medium, coarse & extra coarse grits
- Fits 3"x21" belt sanders
- 48490 (239399) (239410)



**DREMEL**  
**\$17<sup>98</sup>**

## Spiral Cutting Guide Kit

- Easily attaches to corded Rotary Tool in place of the housing cap
- 565 (257429)



**DREMEL**  
**\$13<sup>90</sup>**

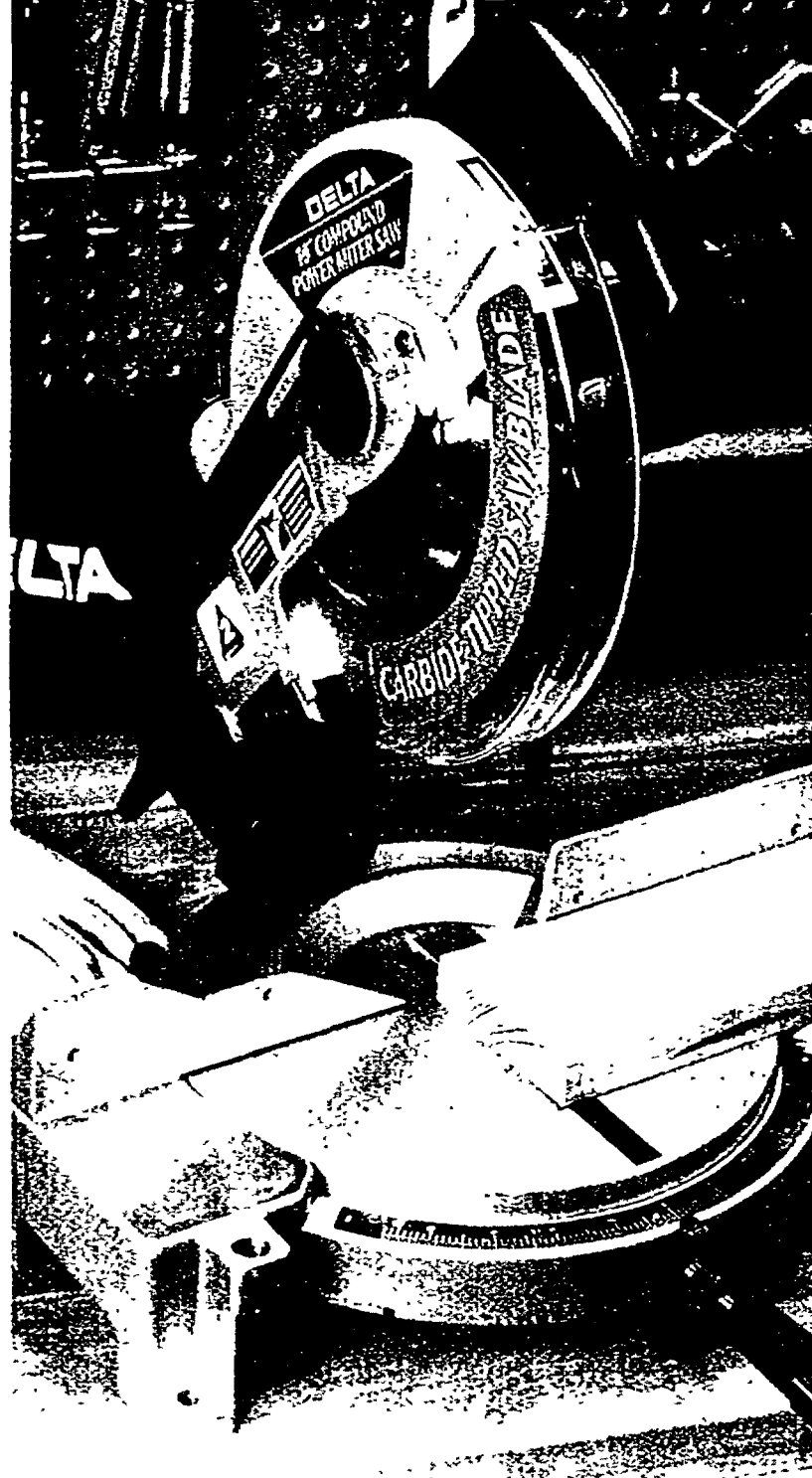
## 65-Piece Cut-Off Wheel Assortment

- Includes assorted cut-off wheels & 2 mounting mandrels
- For slicing, slotting & cutting metals & plastics
- 690 (952335)



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# Bench Top & Stationary Tools

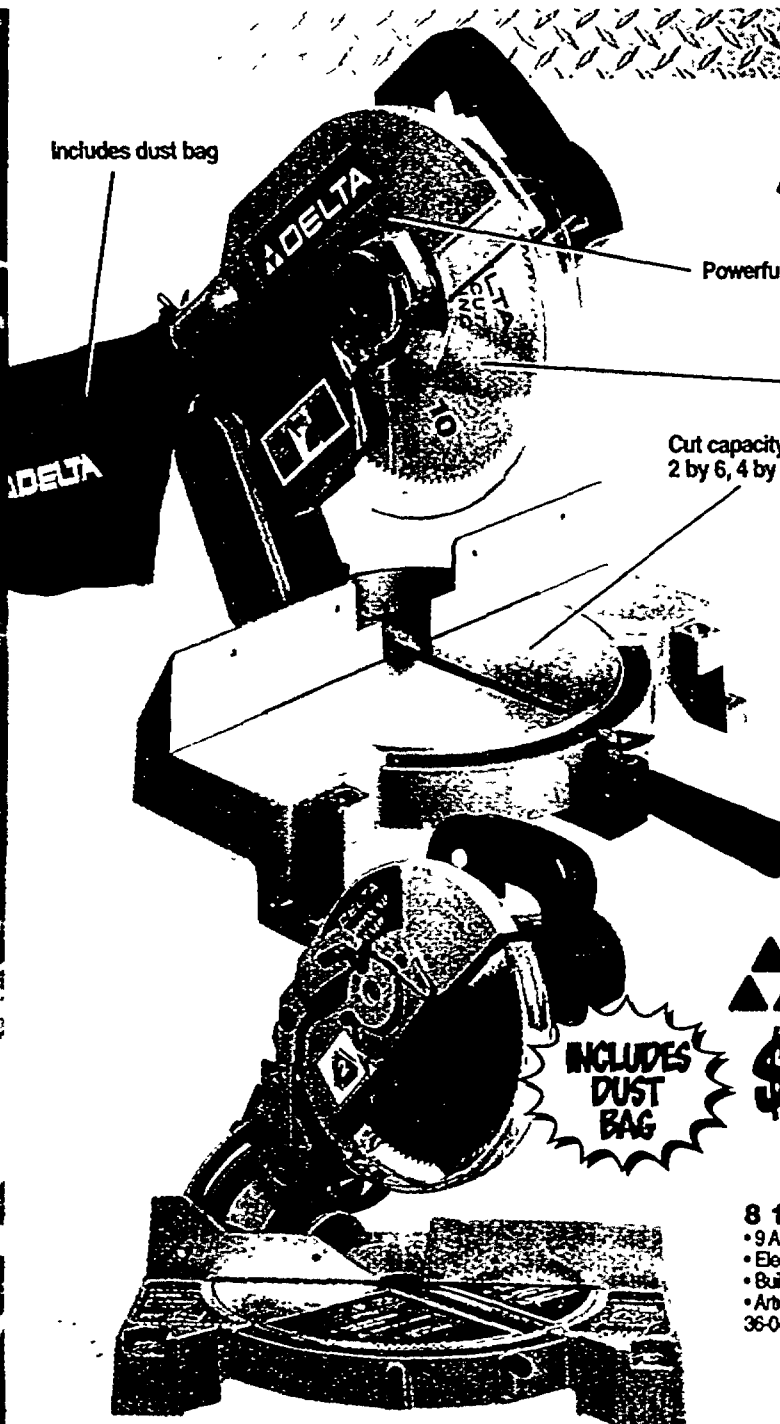


**DELTA**

**\$179**

## 10" Compound Power Miter Saw

- Powerful 13 AMP motor
  - 40-tooth carbide blade
  - Cut capacity at 90°: 2 by 6, 4 by 4
  - Dust bag included
  - Lightweight for portability
- 36-075 (772309)



Includes dust bag

**DELTA**

Powerful 13 AMP motor, 5,200 RPM

Includes 40-tooth carbide blade

Cut capacity at 90°:  
2 by 6, 4 by 4

**\$139**

## 10" Power Miter Saw

- Portable - only weighs 28 lbs.
  - Electric blade brake
  - Extra wide one-piece fence
  - See-through blade guard covers blade at all times
- 36-070 (307684)



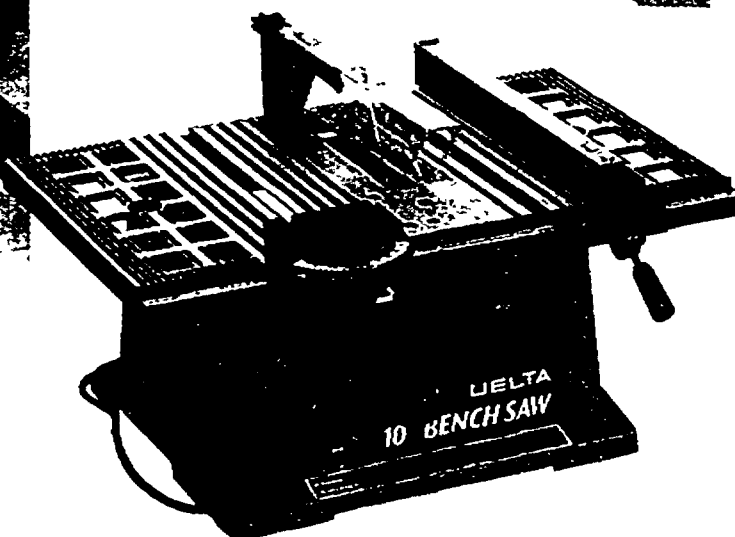
INCLUDES  
DUST  
BAG

**DELTA**

**\$124**

## 8 1/4" Compound Miter Saw

- 9 AMP motor crosscuts up to 2 1/8" x 5 1/8" thick
  - Electric brake automatically stops when trigger is released
  - Built-in arbor lock for easy, single wrench blade changes
  - Articulating blade guard offers continuous protection
- 36-040 (440795)



**DELTA**

**\$155**

## 10" Motorized Bench Saw

- 13 AMP, 115 volts with built-in overload protector
  - 16" x 26" aluminum table
  - Capacity to cut 3" at 90° & 2 1/2" at 45° blade tilt
- 36-540 (982377)



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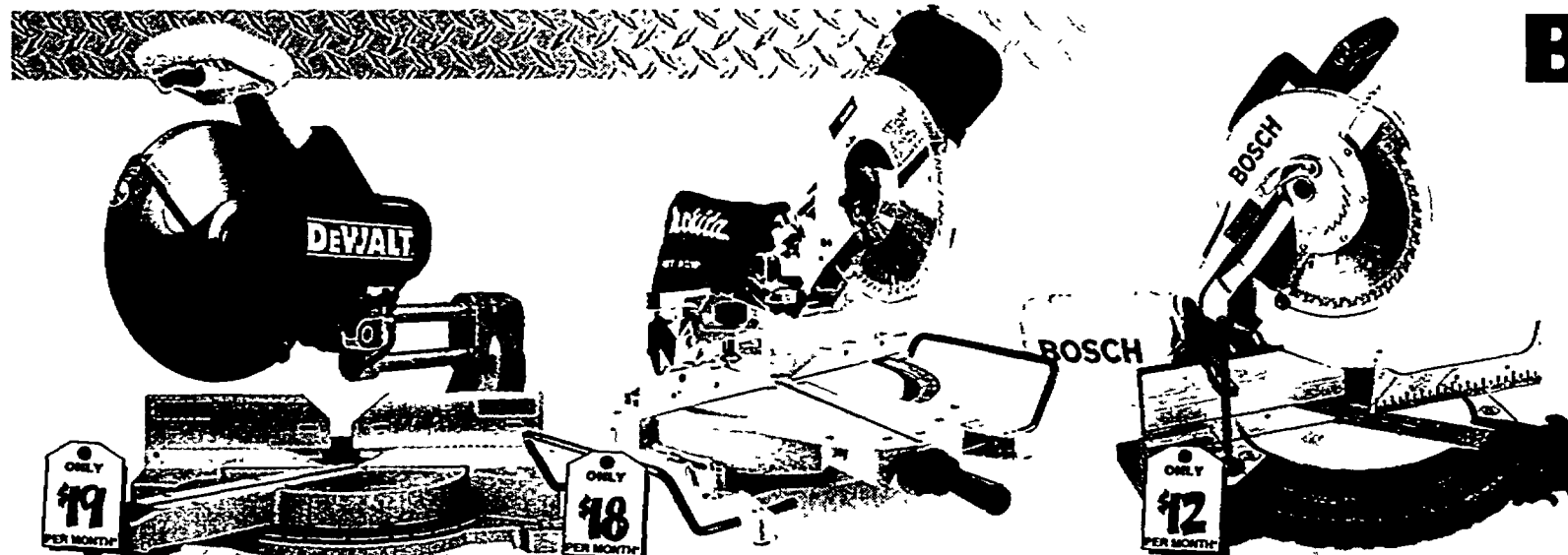
**\$194**

## 10" Table Saw with Stand & Extension

- No load RPM: 4,800; 13 AMP
  - Self-aligning quick-set fence
  - Large die cast aluminum table
  - Table extension: 20" cutting capacity
  - Adjustable out feed support: 4" to 15"
  - Includes leg set, carbide tooth blade
- 3400-12 (218830)



# Bench Tools



**DEWALT**  
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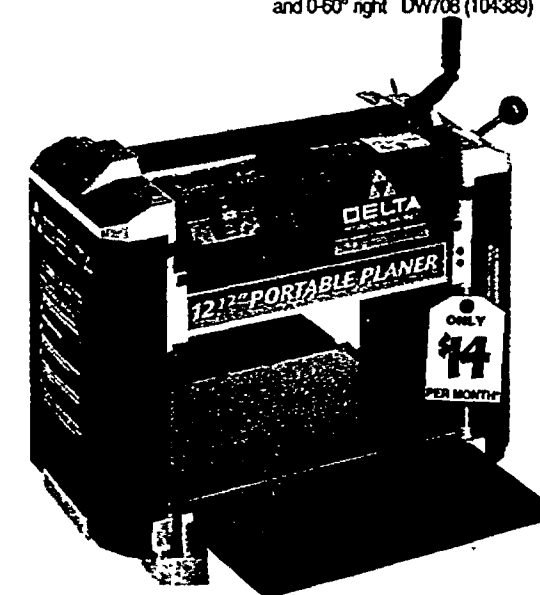
**12" Heavy Duty Double Bevel Sliding Compound Miter Saw**  
• 13 AMP, 4,000 RPM  
• Electric brake  
• Includes 60-tooth carbide blade  
• 0-48° bevel capacity  
• 12" crosscut capacity at 90°  
• Precision miters 0-50° left and 0-60° right DW708 (104389)

**Makita**  
\$598

**10" Twin Rail Slide Compound Saw**  
• Two pole linear ball bearing mounted sliding cutting head  
• Precision bevel cutting up to 45° both left or right  
• Miter cuts 0-47° left and 0-52° right with 9 positive stops  
• Powerful 13 AMP motor with electronic speed control LS1013 (336172)

**BOSCH**  
\$298

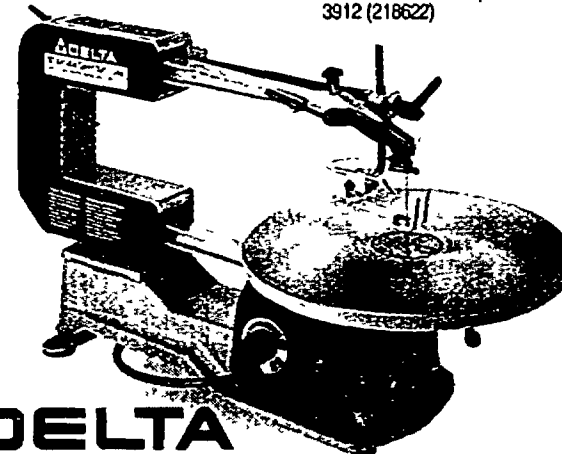
**12" Compound Miter Saw**  
• 15 AMP motor  
• 0-52° miter range  
• Includes 40-tooth carbide blade, dust bag & quick clamp  
• 25" aluminum base for more work pieces support  
• Front cast scale, repetitive cuts 3912 (218622)



**DELTA**  
\$339

**12-1/2" Portable Planer**  
• Includes extra set of knives  
• 15 AMP motor, Full 12 1/2" x 6" thick capacity  
• Exclusive lock stabilizes the cutterhead during operation for superior snipe control  
• Patented cutterhead-adjustment system raises and lowers on four precision ground columns 22-560 (272782)

**DELTA**  
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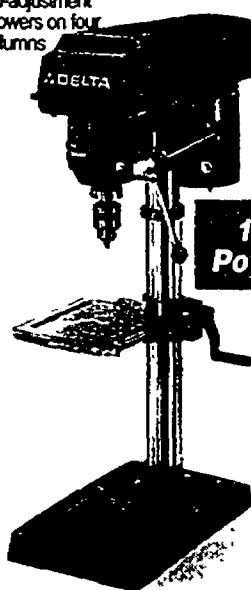


**16" Variable Speed Scroll Saw**  
• Quickset 1 1/2" blade chuck snaps open & closed for fast blade threading & changing  
• Offers 2" depth of cut for thick workpieces 40-540 (117217)



**DELTA**  
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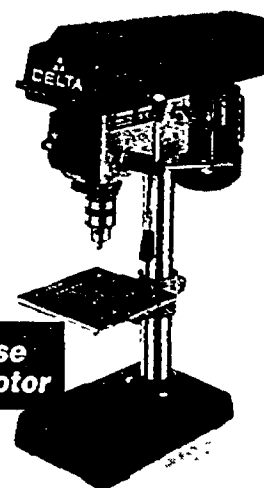
**4" Belt/6" Disc Sander**  
• Includes 60 grit sanding belt, 60 grit sanding disc & miter gauge  
• 1/3 HP, 4 AMP induction motor offers 3,100 RPM disc speed, 2,000 SFM belt speed  
• Aluminum table tilts 45° down for bevel sanding 31-460 (832529)



1/3 Horse Power Motor

**DELTA**  
\$184

**12" Bench Drill Press**  
• 1/3 HP, 115 volt single phase induction motor  
• Five spindle speed options, 620-3,100 RPM  
• 1 1/2" chuck capacity and key  
• Position-locking depth stop makes repetitive drilling jobs easier 11-990 (306375)



1/4 Horse Power Motor

**DELTA**  
\$99

**8" Drill Press**  
• 1/4 HP induction motor  
• 5-spindle speeds (620, 1100, 1720, 2340, 3100)  
• Drill to the center of 16" stock  
• Tiling table with side ledges and slots 11-950 (832472)

**Oldham**  
\$20<sup>89</sup>

**10" Carbide Finishing Blade**  
• 60-tooth  
• For plywood, particle board, cellotex, hard & soft woods  
• Fits all 10" saws 100-60TP (354445)

**Vermont American**  
\$21

**10" Carbide Blades 2 Pack**  
• Ultra smooth cutting blades; (1) 40-tooth & (1) 28-tooth  
• Fast cutting blade for ripping and cross cutting 033877PP (153868)

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**10" Flat Saw Blade**  
• 80-tooth  
• Premium quality hook carbide TK806 (330489)

**DEWALT**  
\$59<sup>96</sup>

**12" Thin Kerf Carbide Tipped Saw Blade**  
• 80-tooth  
• Provides maximum speed & ease of cut DW3128 (278499)

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**12" Carbide Tipped Miter Saw Blade**  
• 72-tooth TK407 (636010)

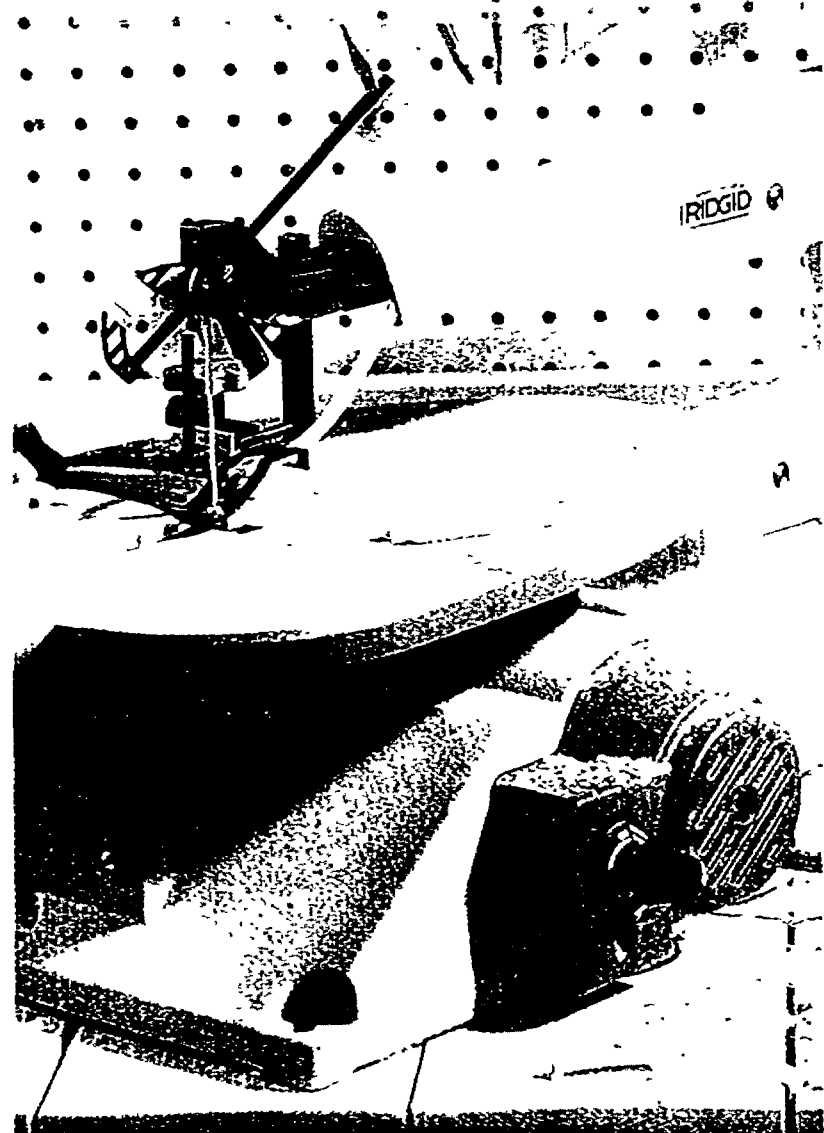
**Where Low Prices Are Just The Beginning!**

# RIDGID®

## Up to \$100 Off†

Get up to \$100 off the price of these RIDGID® Table Saws & Scroll Saw when you Trade-In your old Table Saw or Scroll Saw

†Bring in a table saw or scroll saw by any manufacturer, make or model, in any condition to your local Home Depot and get \$50, \$75 or \$100 off on select Ridgid product. When you bring in a scroll saw you will get \$50 off a new Ridgid 16" Scroll Saw (302980), bring in a table saw and get \$75 off a new Ridgid 10" Table Saw (306293) or \$100 off a new Ridgid 10" Table Saw with Rolling Platform (306360). Limited to one trade-in per purchase. This Ridgid Trade-in promotion is running October 10, 1999 to October 31, 1999. See your local Home Depot for more details.

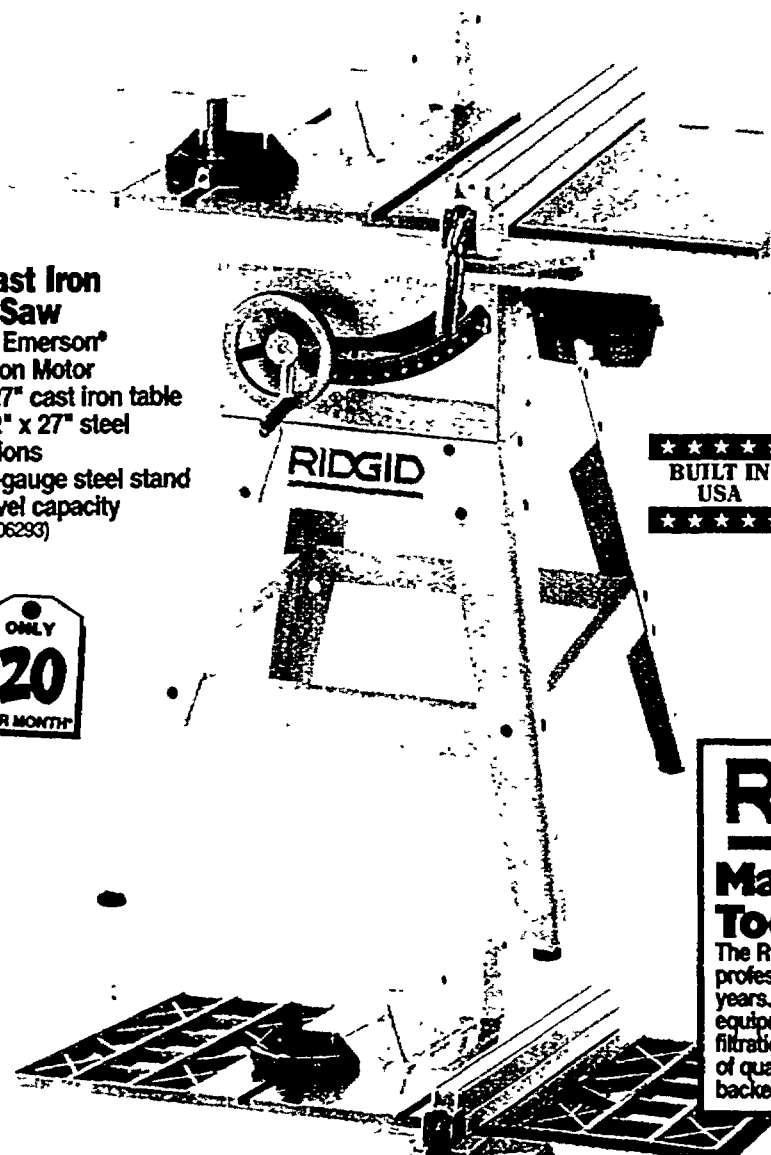


### 10" Cast Iron Table Saw

- 1.5 HP Emerson® Induction Motor
- 20" x 27" cast iron table with 12" x 27" steel extensions
- Heavy-gauge steel stand
- 45° bevel capacity

TS2412 (306293)

ONLY \$20 PER MONTH\*



### 10" Table Saw with Caster Platform

- Emerson® Induction Motor develops 3 HP operates on 120 or converts to 220 volts
- Seamless aluminum fence and rails
- Large 20" x 27" cast iron table with 12" x 27" cast iron extensions
- 24" rip capacity left and right of the blade
- Assembly video included
- Includes carbide tipped blade, caster platform, deluxe miter gauge and hold down clamp

TS2424 (306360)

ONLY \$20 PER MONTH\*

# \$469

**\$75 Off†**  
when you Trade-in your old Table Saw†  
**That's Only \$394 after Trade-in!**

## RIDGID

**LIFETIME WARRANTY**  
AGAINST MANUFACTURING DEFECTS

### Maker of Tradesmen's Tools for 75 Years...

The Ridgid® brand has been the badge of the professional tradesman for more than seventy-five years. Now, a complete line of woodworking equipment, wet/dry vacs, dust collection and air filtration equipment, built to strict Ridgid® standards of quality, reliability and durability is available. All backed by the Ridgid® Lifetime Warranty!

# \$649

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when you Trade-in your old Table Saw†  
**That's Only \$549 after Trade-in!**

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**\$50 Off†**  
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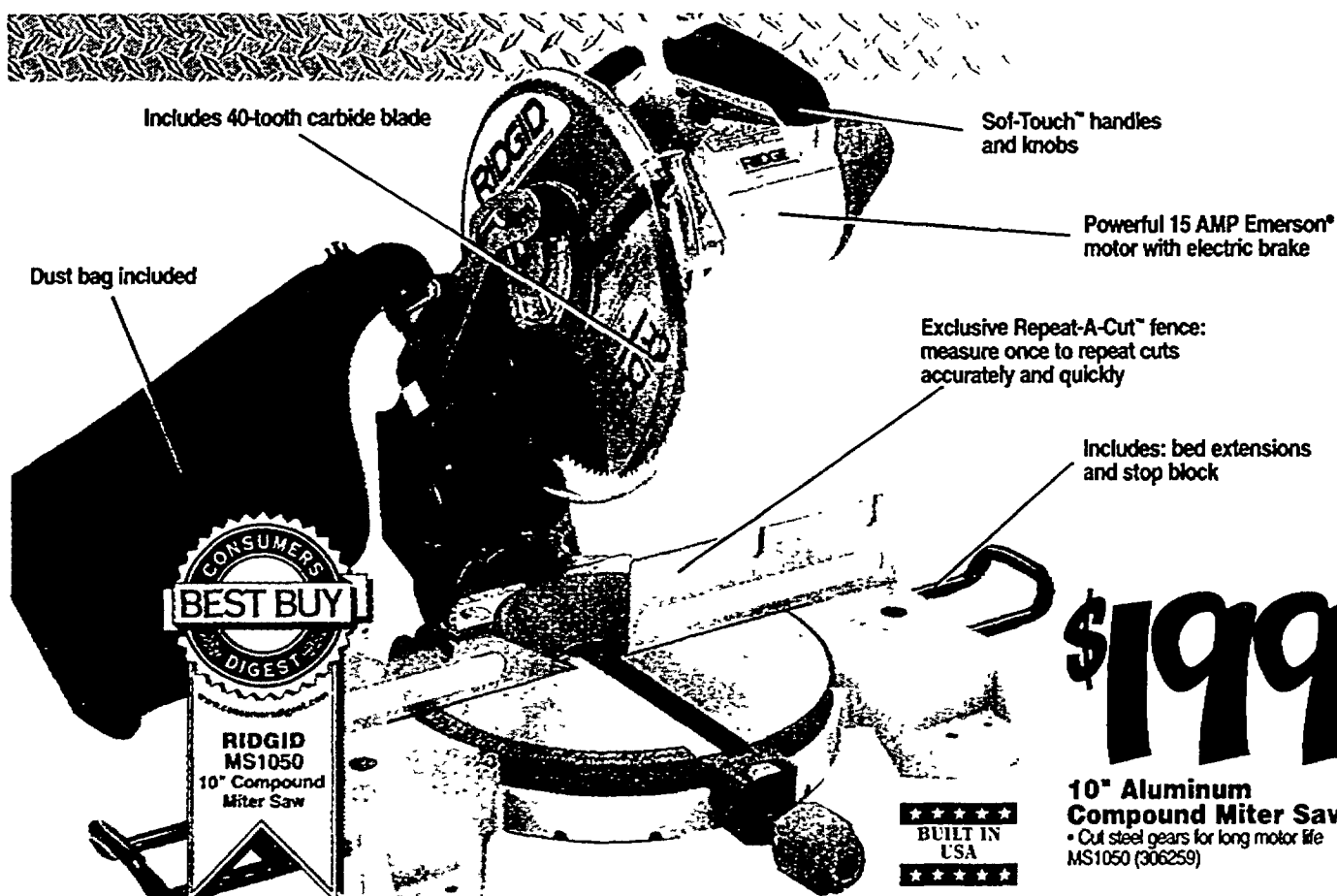
### 16" Variable Speed Scroll Saw

- Instantly adjust from 500-1700 strokes per minute
- Quick, easy blade changes-plain or pin end
- 7/8" blade stroke, 2" depth of cut
- Includes hold down foot and patented sawdust blower
- On-board blade storage

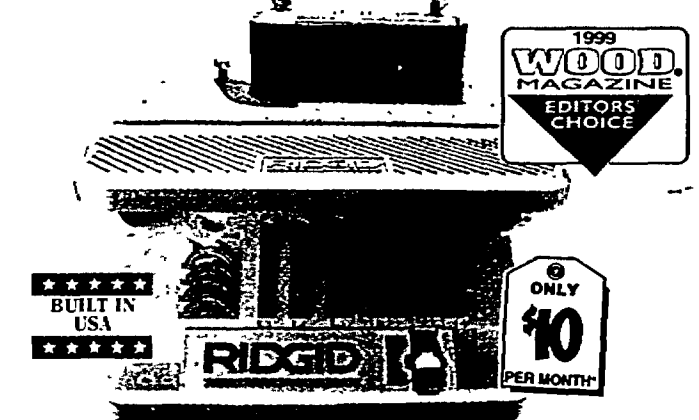
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# RIDGID®

## Tools For A Lifetime™



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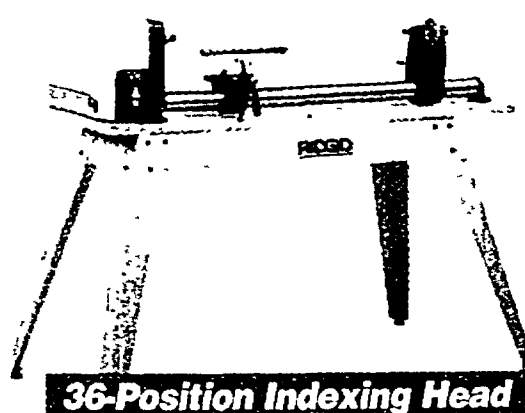


**\$239**

**Oscillating Edge Belt Sander**

- Converts easily from spindle to belt sanding - with no fumbling for tools
- Patented drive system has no belts or pulleys to slip or wear
- Tilting table allows accurate bevel sanding
- Built in dust collection port

EB4424 (431108)



**\$297**

**ONLY \$12 PER MONTH\***

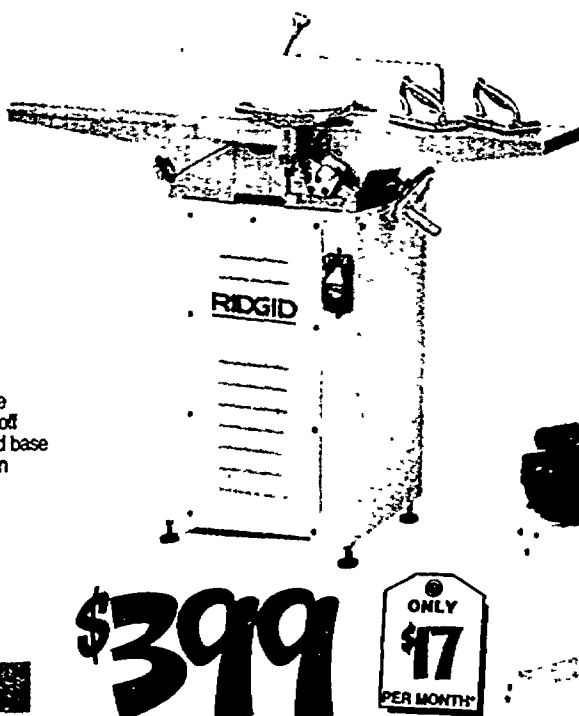
**12" x 36" Wood Lathe with Stand**

- Heavy duty Emerson® Motor
- Cast iron head stock, tail stock and tool rest for extra stability
- Permanently lubricated ball-bearing head stock spindle
- Tubular steel bed type with step pulley drive type
- Includes stand and mounting platform

WL1200 (299344)



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**6 1/8" Stationary Jointer/Planer**

- Totally enclosed, fan cooled 3/4 HP induction motor
- Center mount cast iron fence tilts up to 45°
- Sturdy steel cabinet with built-in sawdust collection port

JP0600 (297630)

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The Home Depot and Joe Gibbs racing are maintaining a winning partnership with rookie racing sensation Tony Stewart at the wheel. As part of the 1999 NASCAR Winston Cup Series, Stewart is showing racing fans what made him the 1997 Indy Racing League champion. Now quickly speeding into the year 2000, Stewart is a proud member of The Home Depot Winston Cup Race Team, focusing his skills and energy on "The Winston Cup Rookie of the Year" title.



### Dust Collection Equipment



**\$799\***

- System of tubing, fitting and elbows to help capture sawdust at it's source
- Vac and hoses sold separately

DCS000 (335178)



**Portable Air Filtration System**

- Transfers easily around the job or shop
- 200 CFM, 2-stage filtration captures fine dust made by woodworking and remodeling

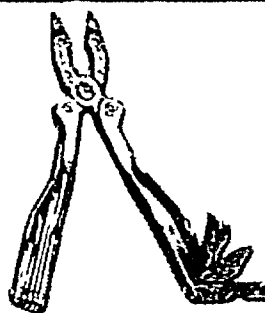
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# Hand Tools

## Pliers

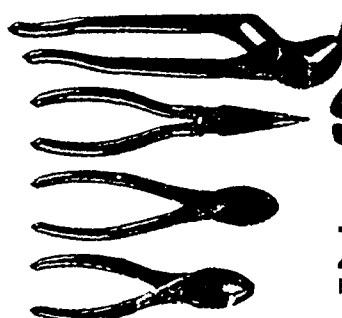


**SCHRADE CUTLERY**  
Build To Last A Lifetime.

**\$49**

**Tough Tool Plier with Nylon Pouch**

- 100% stainless steel
- Easy access to all implements in the closed position (307563)



**CHANNEL LOCK**

**\$29.97**

**The Ultimate 4-Piece Set**  
HD-1 (600148)



**WISE-GRIP**

**\$23.97**

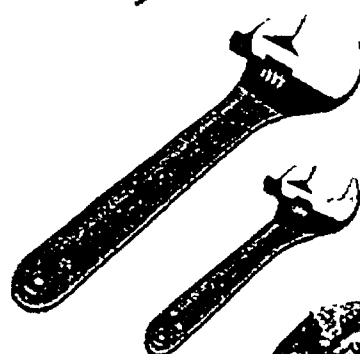
**3-Piece Tool Set with Roll Up Bag**

- Includes the 3 most popular vise-grip looks: 10" & 5" curved jaw & 6" long nose 321GS (420259)

**Cooper Tools Crescent**

**\$19.98**

**Crescent 6" & 10" Adjustable Wrench Set**  
AT610CS (350758)

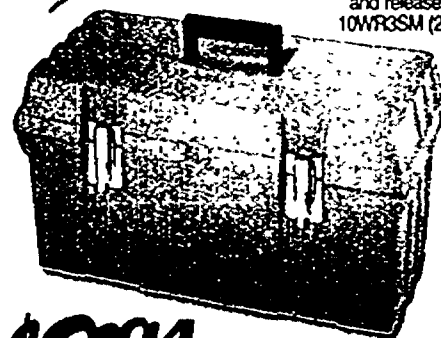
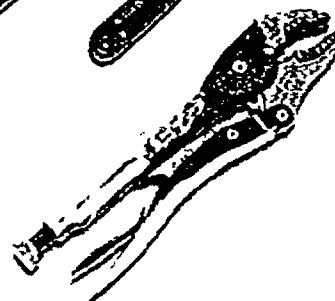


**WISE-GRIP**

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**Curved Jaw Locking Pliers**

- 10"
- Locks instantly, won't slip and releases quickly 10WVR3SM (232082)

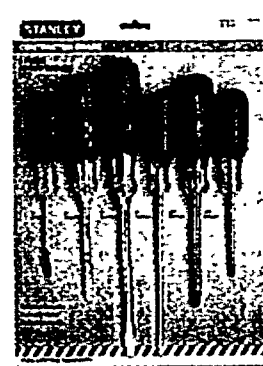


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**19" Homer Orange Tool Box**

- Includes lift-out tray 19001 (398551)

## Screwdriver Sets



**STANLEY**

**\$16.91**

**Contractor Grade 6-Piece Screwdriver Set**

- Includes 3" cabinet, 4" standard, 6" standard, 6" cabinet, 2PT Phillips & 1PT Phillips
- Full size rubber grip handles
- Boron steel bars 66-565 (524435)



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**8-Piece Bi-Material Screwdriver Set**

- Two textured handle for maximum comfort and turning power
- Nickel plated bars for corrosion resistance 69-458 (100153)



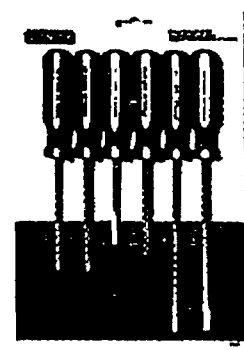
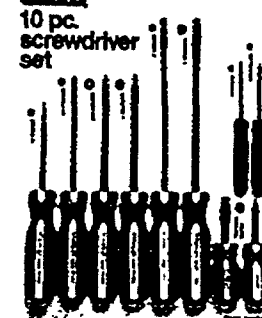
**STANLEY**  
10 pc. screwdriver set

**STANLEY**

**\$7.82**

**10-Piece Screwdriver Set**

- Includes 6 slotted & 4 Phillips screwdrivers 64-010 (185294)



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**6-Piece Thrifty™ Screwdriver Set**

- Plastic handles
- Nickel plated bars 64-457-J (186171)



**WORKFORCE**

**\$15.97**

**22" Industrial Tool Box**  
• Includes lift-out tray 22001 (219914)

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**\$9.98**

**1" x 25' Powerlock® Tape Rule**

- Mylar protected blade
- Stud markings every 16 inches
- Blade rigid up to 7'
- Belt clip 33-425-P (185663)

# Hand Tools

## Tape Measures



**STANLEY**

**\$14<sup>74</sup>**

- 25' x 1" Maximum Steel Tape Rule**
- Extra thick blade for longest stand-out available up to 9 ft.
  - Heavier and stronger spring for longer life
- 33-599F (821329)



**Plumb®**  
**\$10<sup>97</sup>**

**Plumb 100 Foot Fiberglass Tape**  
PL1706 (812717)

MADE IN USA



**HUSKY**

**\$9<sup>99</sup>**

- 25' x 1" Tape**
- Unique nylon coated blade that lasts up to 10X longer than traditional tapes
  - Patented End-Hook can hold a utility knife
- 54525 (410252)



**Lufkin**

**\$6<sup>97</sup>**

- 25' x 1" Tape Measure**
- Non-glare
  - Write on, wipe off
  - Easy to read markings
- Y-125NPAL (508539)



**OHIO FORGE**

**\$4<sup>97</sup>**

- 25' x 1" Power Lock Tape**
- Side thumb lock
  - Red stud marking every 16"
  - Nail slot for drawing circles
- 32800 (176658)



**CONNEL**  
**\$19<sup>97</sup>**

- 26" Heavy Duty Pro Tool Box**
- Lifetime warranty
  - Molded of struclolene, a rust-proof co-polymer resin
  - Removable inner tray
- 8260-32HD(421644)

## Hammers



**Estwing**

**\$19<sup>96</sup>**

- 20oz. Straight Hammer**
- All steel construction
  - Forged in one piece
  - Nylon-vinyl deep cushion grip
- E3-20S (362271)



**VAUGHAN**

**\$19<sup>97</sup>**

- 20oz. Hickory Handle Rip Hammer**
- Heads are forged high carbon steel
- 999L (477557)



**STANLEY**

**\$14<sup>71</sup>**

- 16oz. Fiberglass Hammer**
- High impact polycarbonate alloy jacket
  - Striking face is rim tempered™ to minimize chipping
- 51-110 (442777)



**Plumb®**  
**\$12<sup>76</sup>**

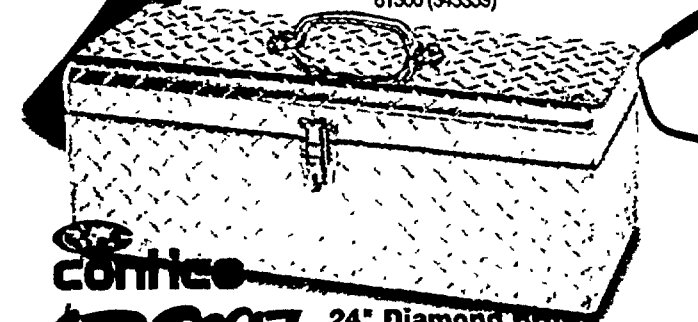
- 16oz. Fiberglass Handle Hammer**
- Polished head, bell with striking face
  - Rubber cushion grip
- 11-406 CDP (842127)



**OHIO FORGE**

**\$6<sup>97</sup>**

- 16oz. Fiberglass Claw Hammer**  
61300 (345339)



**CONNEL**  
**\$39<sup>97</sup>**

- 24" Diamond Brite Aluminum Box**
- Durable easy to clean bright aluminum finish
  - Lifetime warranty
  - Removable plastic tray
- ATB240HD-1 (355109)

**JOHNSON LEVEL & TOOL**

## Levels



**\$29<sup>97</sup>**

- 48" Mahogany Level with Case**
- 6-vial brass bound
  - Finest grade mahogany
- 548-LC-12 (267112)



**\$14<sup>97</sup>**

- 48" Precision Aluminum 3-Vial Level**
- Lightweight, heat treated aluminum alloy frame
- 1348 (376116)



**\$9<sup>91</sup>**

- 24" Precision Aluminum Level**
- Top-reading level vial
  - Protective end caps
- 1324 (376106)



**\$8<sup>93</sup>**

- 9" Aluminum Magnetic Professional Torpedo Level**
- V-groove for conduit and pipe
  - Large top-reading level vial
- 6500M (376310)



**\$2<sup>99</sup>**

- 9" Glo-Orange Plastic Torpedo Level**
- V-groove for conduit and pipe
- 7500B-ORANGE (199976)

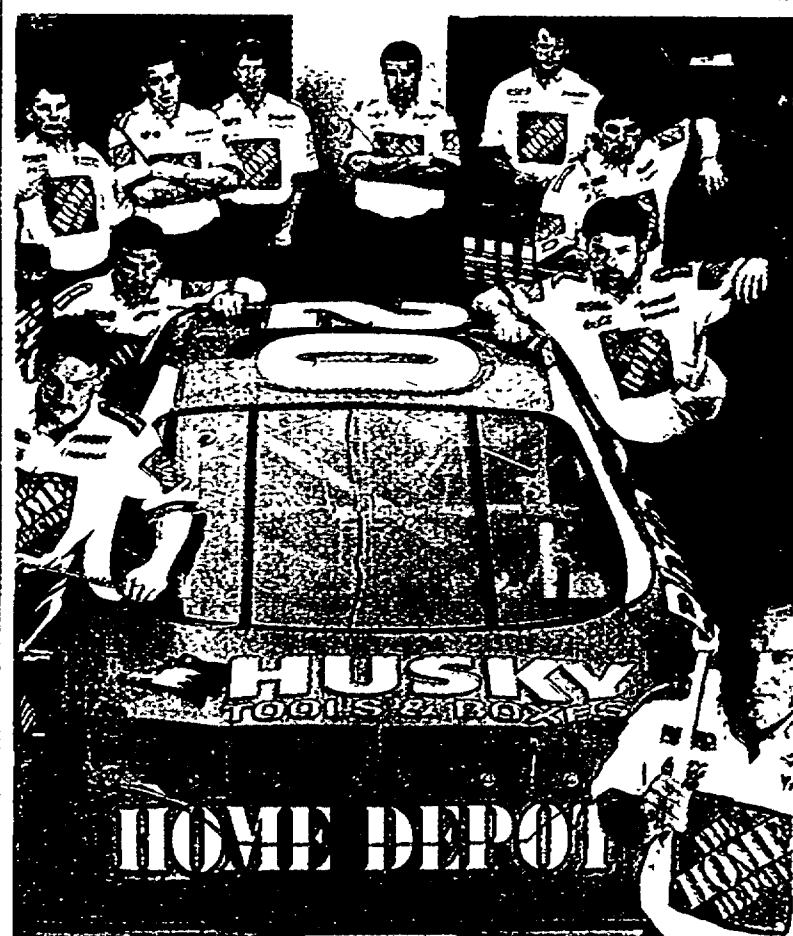


**\$44<sup>95</sup>**

- Mobile Tool Box**
- 24.4" x 15" x 16.5"
  - Two large trays inside
  - Heavy duty wheels and telescopic handle
  - Strong and durable
  - Easy to use and easy to move
- 33001 (411978)

# HUSKY®

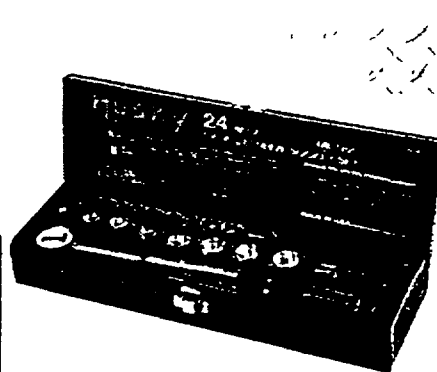
The Toughest Name in Tools™



Pit crew for the #20 Tony Stewart Home Depot Racing Team.

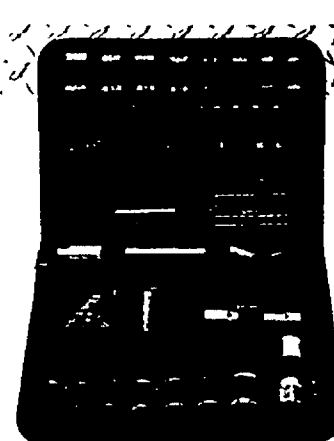
**YOU CAN'T OWN THEIR CAR.  
YOU CAN OWN THEIR TOOLS.**

Husky is proud to be a part of The Home Depot Racing Team. Made in the USA and guaranteed forever, we're the metal behind the pedal.



**\$27<sup>97</sup>**

**24pc 3/8" Metric Set**  
• 1/4" & 3/8" drive socket set  
40505 (880960)



**\$36**

**63-Piece Socket Set**

• Includes standard ratchet, 1/4" & 3/8" drive sockets, hex keys, screwdriver bits & soft side case  
• Standard & metric  
95063 (413397)

**Compared to  
\$75**  
When pieces are bought separately for this set



**\$39**

**52-Piece Mechanic's Tool Set**

• Includes 1/4" & 3/8" drive sockets, 2 quick release ratchets and carrying case with storage compartment  
• Standard & metric  
90001 (881011)

**Compared to  
\$105**  
When pieces are bought separately for this set



**\$49**

**70-Piece Mechanic's Tool Set**

• Includes 1/4" & 3/8" drive sockets, 2 quick release ratchets, 3 additional tools & case with storage compartments  
• Standard & metric  
90002 (881025)

**Compared to  
\$130**  
When pieces are bought separately for this set

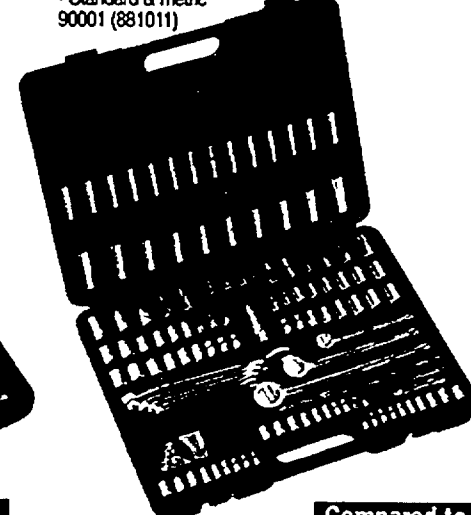


**\$57**

**93-Piece Mechanic's Tool Set**

• Includes 1/4", 3/8" & 1/2" drive sockets, 3 quick release ratchets, 2 extensions, spinner handle & carrying case  
• Standard & metric sizes  
90003 (881039)

**Compared to  
\$175**  
When pieces are bought separately for this set



**\$98**

**125-Piece Mechanic's Tool Set**

• Includes 1/4", 3/8" & 1/2" drive tools & sockets plus 3 quick release ratchets, 5 STD wrenches, 11 hex keys & carrying case  
• Standard & metric  
• 6 pt., 8 pt., 12 pt., standard & deep  
90125 (603778)

**Compared to  
\$220**  
When pieces are bought separately for this set

## HUSKY®

The Toughest Name in Tools™

Husky tools won't chip, peel or corrode. They're forged from superior steel hardened so tough, they're Guaranteed for Life!



The unique radius corner design on sockets and box end wrenches works on the flat sides of nuts and bolts instead of the corners. That means you don't round-off the corners of your bolts and

you also get increased torque capability. Husky torque strength meets and exceeds ANSI specifications!

Husky's top quality tools are available to you at an unbeatable everyday low price, only from The Home Depot.



**4-Drawer Chest**  
• 3,679 cu. in. storage capacity  
• Has removable tote tray  
(814664).....

**\$69**

**3-Drawer Cabinet**  
• 9,040 cu. in. storage capacity  
• Large storage compartment for bulky tools  
(887813).....

**\$94**

**\$163**

**7-Drawer Standard Duty Chest/ Cabinet Combo**  
• 12,719 cu. in. storage capacity  
91704/91-843HY  
(814664\_887813)



**6-Drawer Chest**  
• 4,443 cu. in. capacity (820296).....

**\$89**

**2-Drawer Intermediate Chest**  
• 1,550 cu. in. capacity (887763).....

**\$55**

**5-Drawer Cabinet**  
• 8,250 cu. in. capacity  
• Swivel casters with foot activated locking brake  
(887830).....

**\$107**



**13-Drawer Standard Duty Tool Chest/ Cabinet Combo**  
• 14,234 cu. in. storage capacity  
• Red baked enamel finish  
(820296\_887763\_887830)

**\$251**



**13-Drawer Professional Chest/ Cabinet Combo**  
• 13,600 cu. in. storage capacity  
92608/92-733-SHY  
(639137\_887648)

**\$308**

**8-Drawer Chest**  
• 4,600 cu. in. storage capacity  
• Has removable tote tray  
• Rear locking mechanism acts independently of lid so you can access all drawers when lid is locked  
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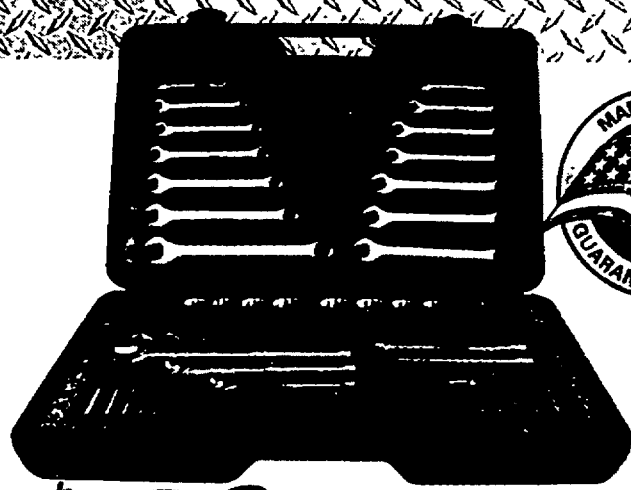
**\$159**

**5-Drawer Cabinet**  
• 9,000 cu. in. storage capacity  
(887648).....

**\$149**



# Mechanic's Tools



**\$139**

Compared to  
**\$255**  
When pieces are  
bought separately  
for this set

## 140-Piece Mechanic's Tool Set

- 1/4", 3/8" & 1/2" drive tools & sockets, 3 quick release ratchets, 7 SAE & 7 metric combo wrenches, 11 hex keys & storage case
- Standard & metric
- 6 pt., 8 pt., 12 pt. standard & deep

90140 (603793)

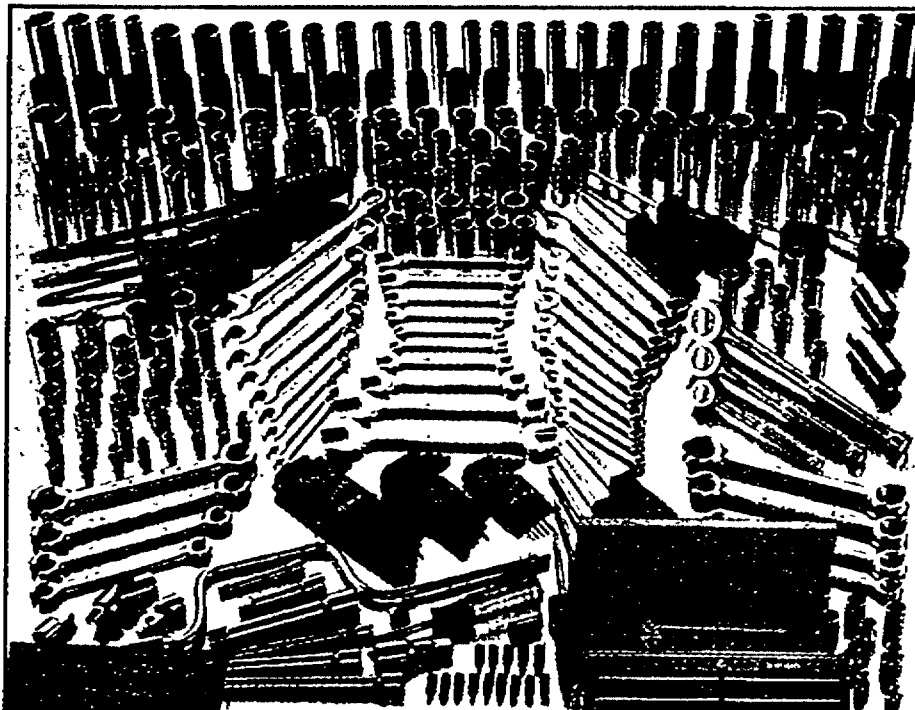


**\$198**

## 254-Piece Mechanic's Tool Set

- 1/4", 3/8" & 1/2" drive tools & sockets, quick release ratchets & extensions, combo wrenches, short-arm hex key set, 13 screwdrivers & bits
- Standard and metric
- 90006 (691580)

Compared to  
**\$510**  
When pieces are  
bought separately  
for this set



**\$338**

## 338-Piece Mechanic's Tool Set

- 1/4", 3/8" & 1/2" drive tools & sockets, 3 quick release ratchets, 222 sockets (55 deep/22 impact sockets), 38 inch/metric combo, open end flare nut wrenches, 13 screwdrivers & 33 hex keys
- Standard & metric
- 6 pt., 8 pt., 12 pt. standard & deep

90338 (603794)

ONLY  
**\$4**  
PER MONTH

Compared to  
**\$730**  
When pieces are  
bought separately  
for this set

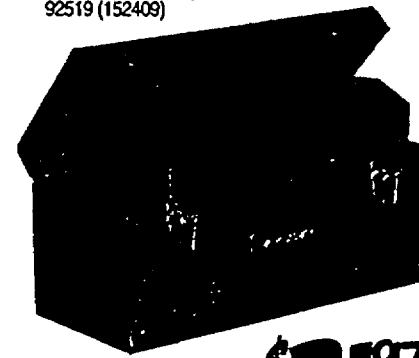


## 19" Portable Hand Box

- 19"W x 7"D x 7"H welded metal construction
- Over 900 cu. in. storage capacity
- Full length tote tray included

92519 (152409)

**\$1197**



## 20" Professional Tool Box

- 1,615 cu. in. storage capacity
- Full length tote tray with comfort grip handle
- Full width continuous hinge

92-520HY (887553)

**\$2197**

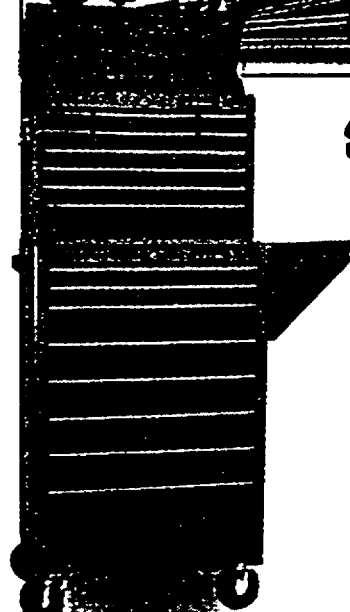


## 3-Drawer Portable Tool Chest

- 1,585 cu. in. storage capacity
- Box cover locks drawers when cover is shut
- Full width continuous hinge

92-653HY (887858)

**\$3990**



**\$488**

## 18-Drawer Professional Chest/Cabinet Combo

- 16,548 cu. in. storage capacity
- 92708, 92608 10FRLHY (887603\_639166)

ONLY  
**\$20**  
PER MONTH

## 10-Drawer Chest

- 4,548 cu. in. storage capacity
- Includes tote tray with comfort grip handle

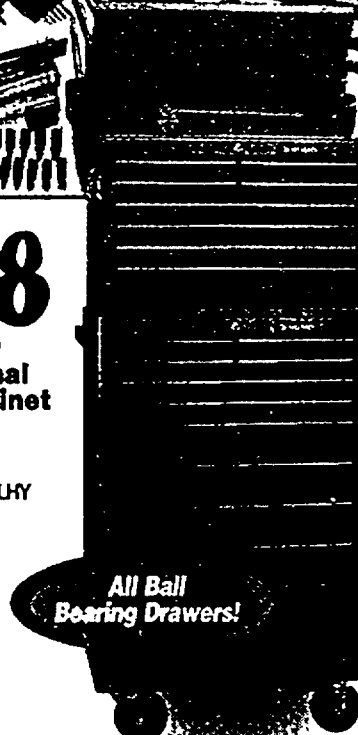
## 8-Drawer Cabinet

- 12,000 cu. in. storage capacity
- Swivel casters heat treated for increased load bearing strength

(887813)

**\$169**

**\$319**



**\$598**

## 19-Drawer "Pro Ball-Bearing" Chest/Cabinet Combo

- 18,533 cu. in. storage capacity
- Ball-bearing drawer slides on all full width drawers, provides additional load bearing capacity

92-822-8HY (383317\_383376)

ONLY  
**\$19**  
PER MONTH

## 8-Drawer Chest

- 6,600 cu. in. storage capacity
- Includes lift-out tote tray with comfort grip handle

(383317)

**\$259**

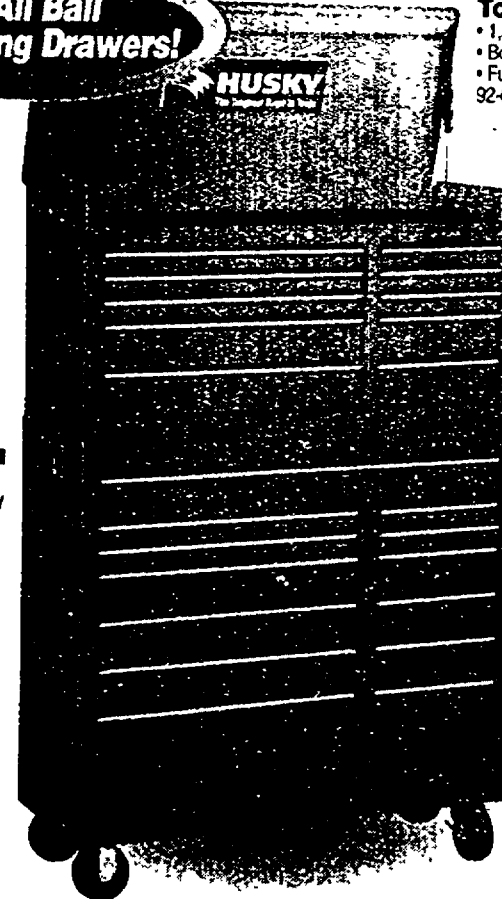
## 11-Drawer Cabinet

- 11,933 cu. in. storage capacity

(383376)

**\$339**

All Ball Bearing Drawers!



**\$985**

ONLY  
**\$27**  
PER MONTH

## 23-Drawer "Pro Ball-Bearing" Tool Chest/Cabinet Combo

- 24,200 cu. in. storage capacity
- Quick release ball bearing track slides on all drawers

(148898\_149719)

## 10-Drawer Chest

- 9,400 cu. in. capacity
- Gas filled lid lift cylinders for easy opening
- Easy access top compartment
- Single key lock mechanism opens the lid and drawers

(148898)

**\$396**

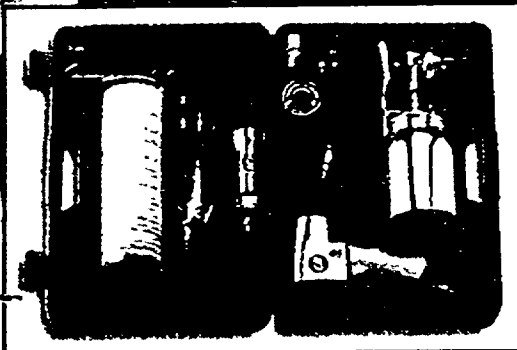
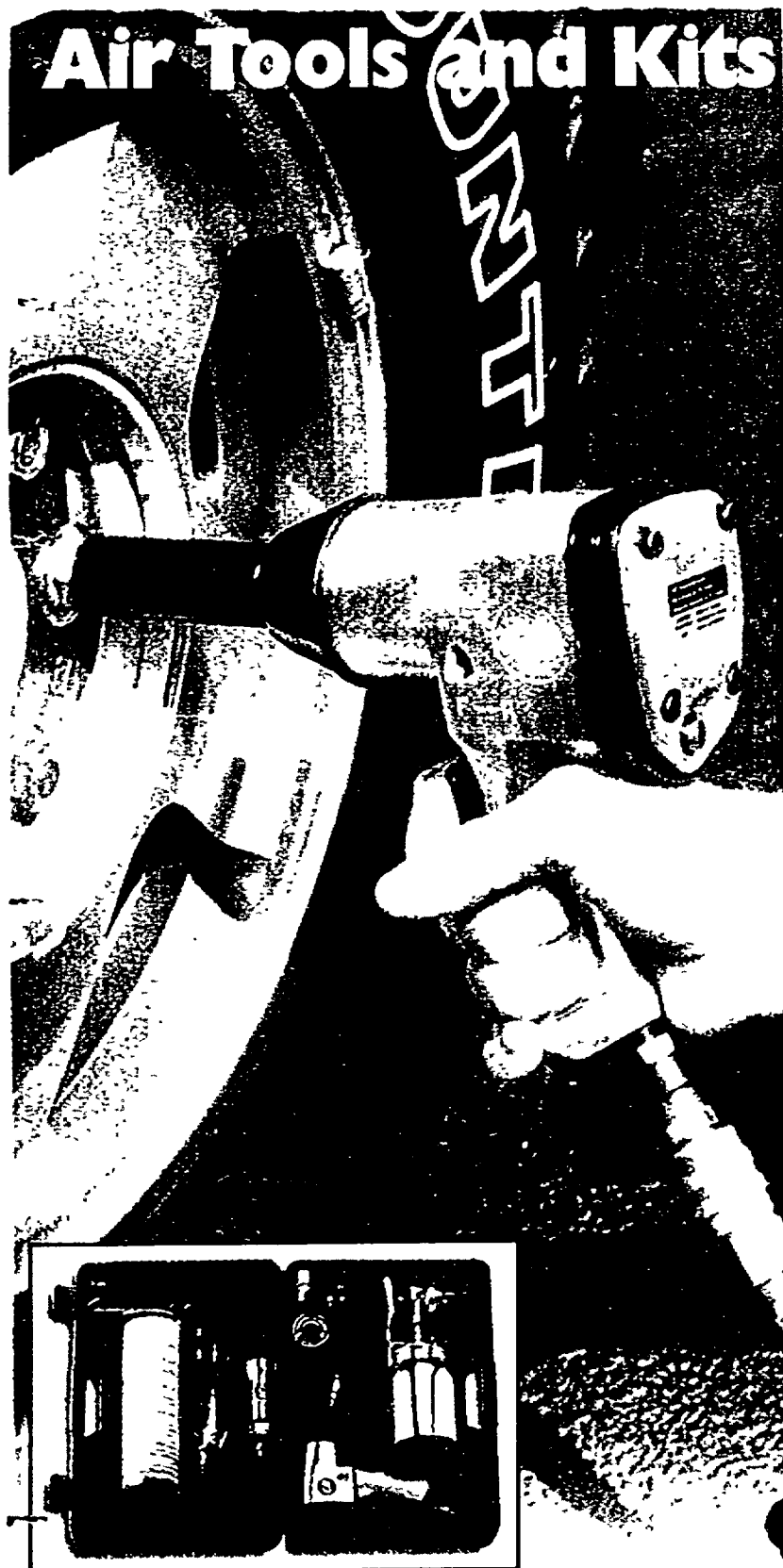
## 13-Drawer Cabinet

- 14,800 cu. in. capacity
- Full width top drawer- ideal for extra long tools/products

(149719)

**\$589**

# Air Tools and Kits



**CAMPBELL HAUSFELD.**  
BUILT TO LAST

**\$99**

**CASE INCLUDED**

## 27-Piece Air Tool Kit

- Perfect start-up kit for the home mechanic
- Includes three of the most popular tools: 3/8" air ratchet, 1/2" impact wrench and automotive spray gun
- Full selection of start-up accessories for use right out of the box
- Case protects tools from damage during transport or storage

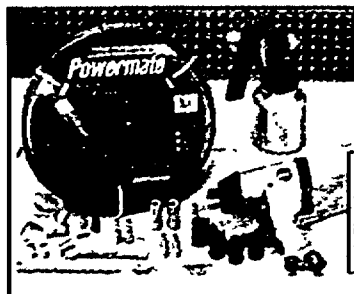
TL1063 (635083)

**Coleman Powermate**

**\$289**

## 5 HP 25 Gallon Oil-Free Air Compressor with Bonus Kit

- Delivers 8.2 CFM @ 40 PSI and 5.6 CFM @ 90 PSI
- VP0502510 (424831)



### Bonus Kit Includes:

- 1/2" Impact wrench with 4-piece socket set,
- air hammer, spray gun, air blow gun, tire inflator,
- 13-piece accessory kit, 25' PVC air hose

ONLY \$12 PER MONTH

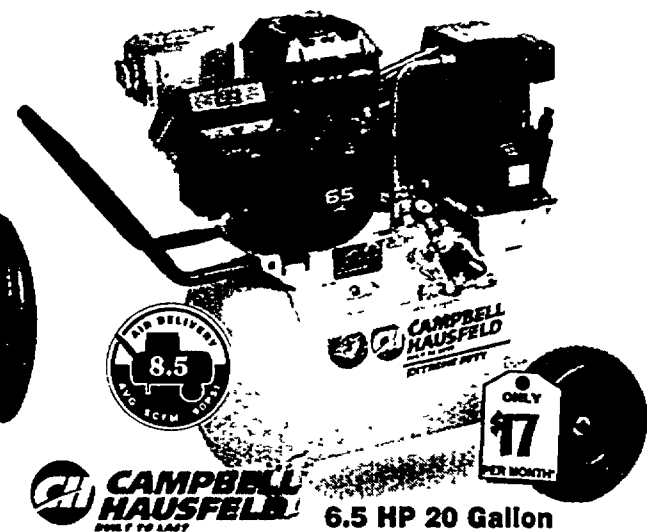


**\$199**

## 4 HP "Oil-Free" 13 Gallon Air Compressor

- ASME approved tank
- Permanently lubricated "maintenance free" design
- 125 PSI maximum
- Includes pressure switch, regulator, tank and outlet gauges

WL6040 (784998)

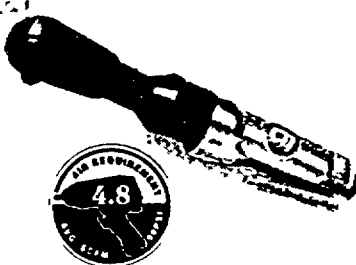


**\$549**

## 6.5 HP 20 Gallon Cast Iron Gas Compressor

- Powerful 6.5 HP Briggs & Stratton Intek OHV engine
- Air delivery: 10.3/8.5 SCFM @ 40/90 PSI; 125 PSI maximum pressure
- Features: oversized tires, regulator with outlet gauges, T-fitting with two quick couplers and a tank pressure gauge

438571/NT630255AJ (438571)



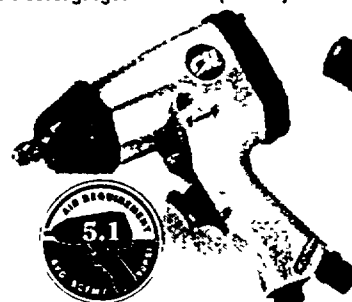
**CAMPBELL HAUSFELD.**  
BUILT TO LAST

**\$29<sup>98</sup>**

## 3/8" Air Ratchet

- Tightens and loosens bolts in automotive and do-it-yourself repair applications
- Requires 4.8 SCFM @ 90 PSI
- 1/4" NPT air inlet
- Ultimate torque: 50 ft. lbs.
- Free speed: 150 RPM

TL1001 (997870)

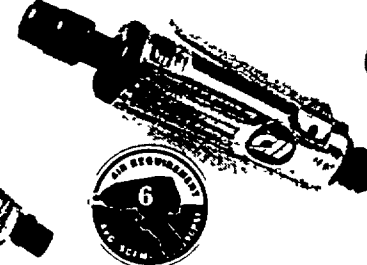


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BUILT TO LAST

**\$31**

## Pneumatic Impact Wrench

- Remove and replace stubborn lug nuts
- Impact action helps loosen rusted bolts on shocks
- Requires 2.0 CFM @ 90 PSI
- 1/4" NPT air inlet
- Reversible TL1002 (997889)



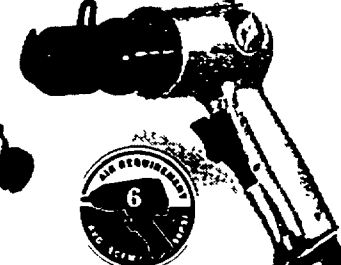
**CAMPBELL HAUSFELD.**  
BUILT TO LAST

**\$17<sup>98</sup>**

## Mini Die Grinder

- Works on wood, plastic and metal
- 1 piece collet design with front exhaust for light to medium-duty grinding applications
- Requires 9 SCFM @ 90 PSI
- 1/4" NPT air inlet

TL1020 (412637)



**CAMPBELL HAUSFELD.**  
BUILT TO LAST

**\$19**

## Pneumatic Chisel/Hammer

- For use with 3/4 HP or larger compressor
- Delivers 5000 blows/minute
- For shearing driving & automotive use
- Weighs 2 1/4 lbs

TL1003 (997897)

# Air Compressors



**Pro 3i**

**\$819**

ONLY \$23 PER MONTH

**6.5HP 2-Stage Vertical Stationary Air Compressor**

- Delivers 17.4 CFM @ 100 PSI & 16.9 CFM @ 175 PSI
- 80 gallon ASME tank
- Oil lubricated for long life
- Runs a variety of work-saving air tools
- 175 PSI maximum pressure
- Cast iron cylinder sleeves
- No magnetic starter required

PRLK6580V2 (323203)

**CAMPBELL HAUSFELD**  
BUILT TO LAST

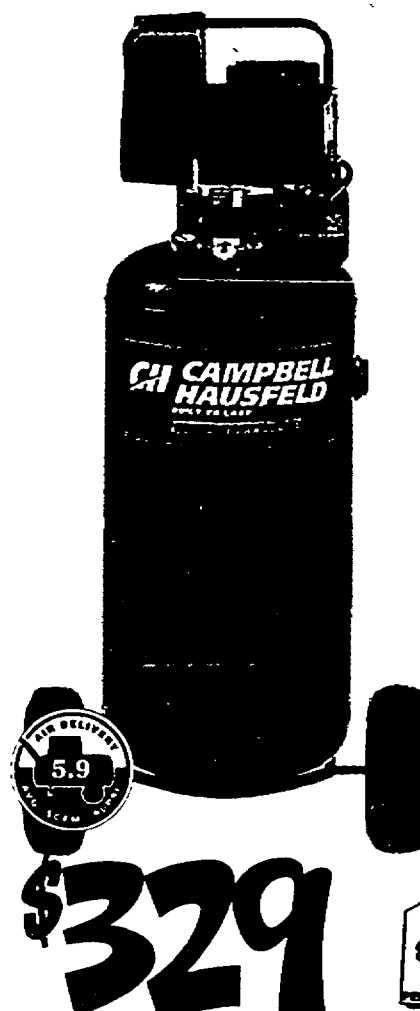


**6HP 60 Gallon Cast Iron Oil Lube Air Compressor**

- Delivers 12.1/10.0 CFM @ 40/90 PSI
- Maximum pressure - 125 PSI
- Runs on 230 volt circuit
- Cast iron compressor and 60 gallon ASME tank

VT6195 (412816)

**CAMPBELL HAUSFELD**  
BUILT TO LAST



**6HP 30 Gallon Oil-Free Air Compressor**

- Convenient, space saving, vertical tank design
- Maintenance free, oil-less compressor pump
- Handle for easy portability
- Aluminum head for excellent heat dissipation
- Solid copper exhaust tube

WL6112 (379625)



**High Speed Sander**

- RPM: 18,000
- Great for removing body filler and rough shaping and smoothing flat or contour surfaces
- Includes 3", 4.5" and 5.5" backup pads

TL1018 (360841)



**1/2" Impact Wrench**

- Heavy duty construction for automotive, farm & light truck work
- Powerful pin-clutch design provides 380' lbs. of ultimate torque
- 5.1 SCFM average air consumption at 90 PSI
- 1/4" NPT air inlet

PL1502 (837459)



**15-Piece Air Tool Kit**

- Kit includes: 1/2" impact wrench, air chisel, spring retainer and 4 chisel bits, SAE 3/4" and 13/16" lip socket, 3" extension, 3 quick connectors, blow gun and air tool oil

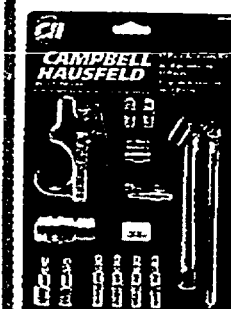
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**17-Piece Die Grinder Kit**

- Includes 1/4" die grinder, 1/4" collet, 1/8" collet, quick connector, 2 open end wrenches, 10 mounted grinding wheels & high-impact molded case

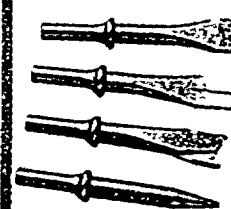
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**17-Piece Accessory Kit**

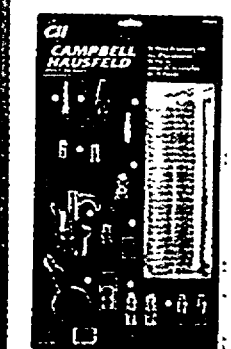
- Includes quick coupler, male and female hose connector, blow gun and adapter, safety nozzle, inflation needle, tapered inflator, male and female quick connects, tire gauge and tire chuck

MP2847 (997846)



**4-Piece Air Chisel Set**

MP287510AV (310666)



**16-Piece Air Tool Accessory Kit**

- Includes: 25' recoil hose, OSHA blow gun, 5 different blow gun tips, tire chuck, tire gauge and pneumatic fittings

MP3268 (198992)



**3/8" x 1/4" PVC Hose Assembly 50'**

554-50A-96 (828986)



**3/8" Hose Assembly 50'**

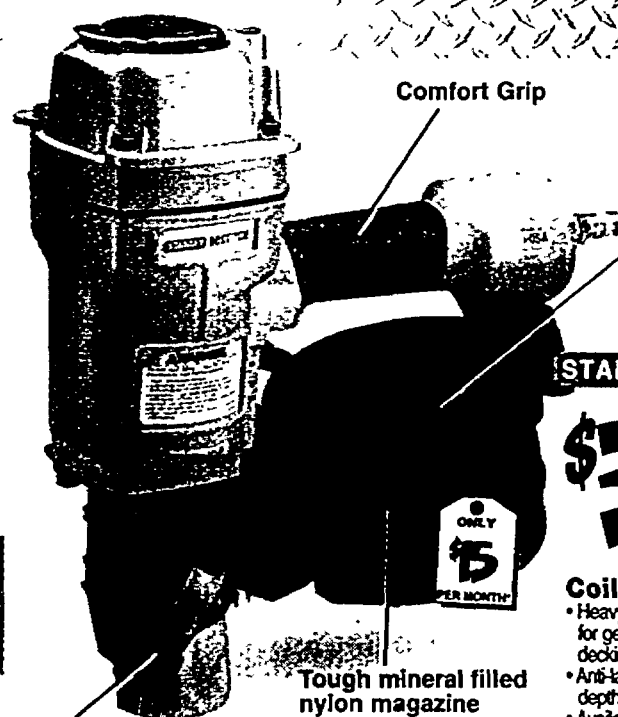
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**Where Low Prices Are Just The Beginning!**



# Nailers



Comfort Grip

Large capacity magazine holds between 225-300 nails, depending on nail size

STANLEY BOSTITCH

**\$349**

Coil-Fed Air Nailer

- Heavy-duty, lightweight, nailer designed for general purpose nailing, framing, decking, sheathing and other applications
- Anti-laddering control provides consistent depth in nailing
- Available in both contact and sequential trip models

N80CB-1 (491691)



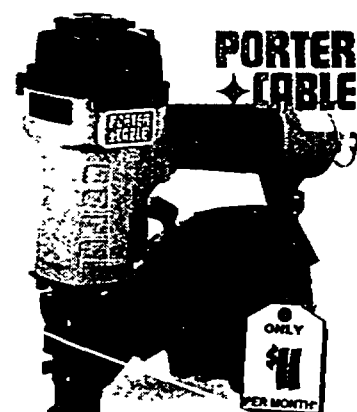
**\$299**

Straight-Drive Roofing Nailer

- Engineered for durability, productivity & comfort
- Comfort grip handle for 1-handed easy operation

SCN40R (588943)

Includes frame protectors



PORTER-CABLE

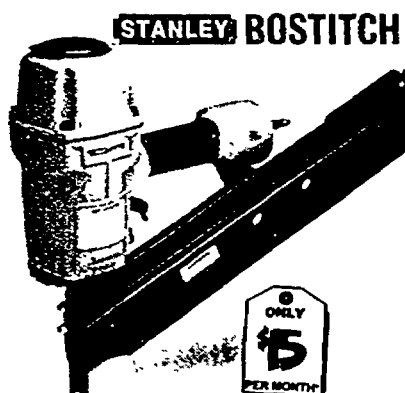
**\$279**

CASE INCLUDED

Co!! Roofing Nailer

- Drives standard .120 dia. from 7/8" to 1-3/4"
- Will fasten a full bundle of shingles
- Quick click depth adjustment
- Comes with safety glasses & oil

RN175 (204298)



STANLEY BOSTITCH

**\$349**

Pneumatic Framing Nailer

- Drives 2" - 3 1/2" 6D-16D common, screw and ring shank nails
- Easy loading - holds up to 75 nails in one load

N80SB-1 (491683)



**\$299**

CASE INCLUDED

SN600 FramePro Nailer

- Aggressive sawtooth safety really digs in for toenailing
- Drives ring, screw and smooth shank nails in 4 gauges (.113-.148) from 2" to 3 1/2"
- Adjustable Depth-of-Drive and is lightweight, only 8 lbs.

600003N (338617)

CASE INCLUDED

PORTER-CABLE  
PROFESSIONAL POWER TOOLS

**\$198**

16 Gauge 2 1/2" Finish Nailer Kit

- Uses standard 16 gauge finish nails from 3/4" - 2 1/2"
- Quick release nosepiece
- Includes box of 1,000 finishing nails and glasses
- Removable rubber safety nose
- Rugged top-load aluminum magazine
- Sequential and bump fire

FN250A (547395)



CAMPBELL HAUSFELD  
MADE IN USA

**\$197**

1 HP 125 PSI Hot Dog Air Compressor

- 3 gallon tank
- Delivers 3.5 SCFM at 40 PSI, 2.5 SCFM at 90 PSI
- Direct drive oilless pump
- Cool running compressor pump

WL5100 (685701)



CAMPBELL HAUSFELD  
MADE IN USA

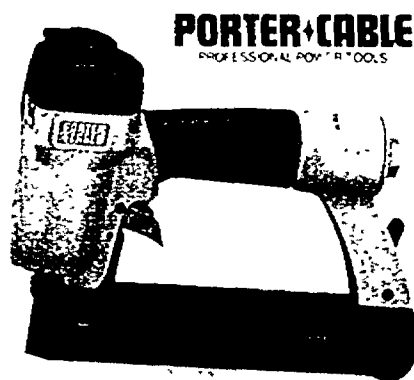
**\$227**

1.5 HP 4 Gallon "Oil-free" Pancake Compressor

- Low RPM pump increases durability while reducing job-site noise
- 120 volt/10 amps
- Great for operating nail guns and staplers at the job site

WL504355AJ (509094)

# Nailers & Compressors



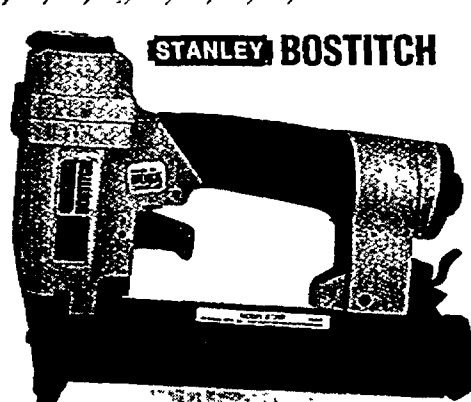
**PORTER-CABLE**  
PROFESSIONAL POWER TOOLS

**\$99**

## 1 1/4" Brad Nailer Kit

- Quick release nosepiece and sequential fire trigger
- Safety located behind driver for driving brads in tight spaces
- Depth of drive located on the tool
- Includes 1,000 brads, safety glasses, oil & wrenches

BN125A (222384)



**STANLEY BOSTITCH**

**\$129**

## Brad Nailer Kit

- Available in trigger operated, contact or sequential trip models
- Drives 5/8" to 1 3/8" nails

BT35-KIT (943059)

**CASE INCLUDED**



**SENCO**

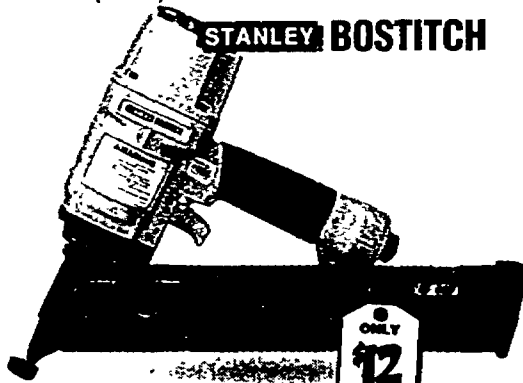
**\$189**

## Brad Nailer

- Never Lube™ oil-less technology
- For moulding, trim, dowel & joints, paneling & drawer assembly

43000IN (182985)

**CASE INCLUDED**



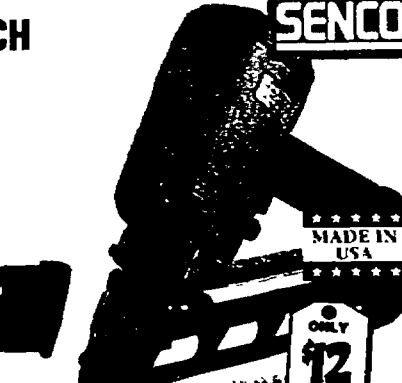
**STANLEY BOSTITCH**

**\$276**

## Pneumatic Finish Nailer Kit

- Includes oil and finish nails
- No-mar contact foot
- Fastener countersink control

N60FN-2KIT (790790)



**SENCO**

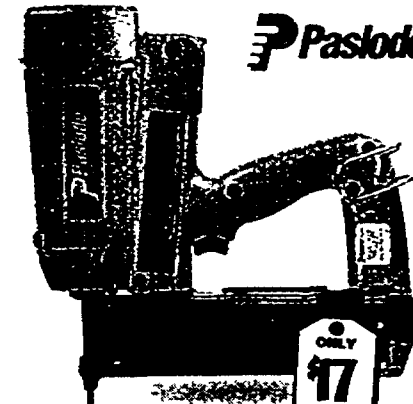
**\$299**

## Finish Nailer

- Never Lube™ oil-less technology
- Shoots round head 15 Ga. finish nails
- Adjustable depth of drive
- Lightweight, 4.7 lbs.

46000IN (954109)

**CASE INCLUDED**



**Paslode**

**\$529**

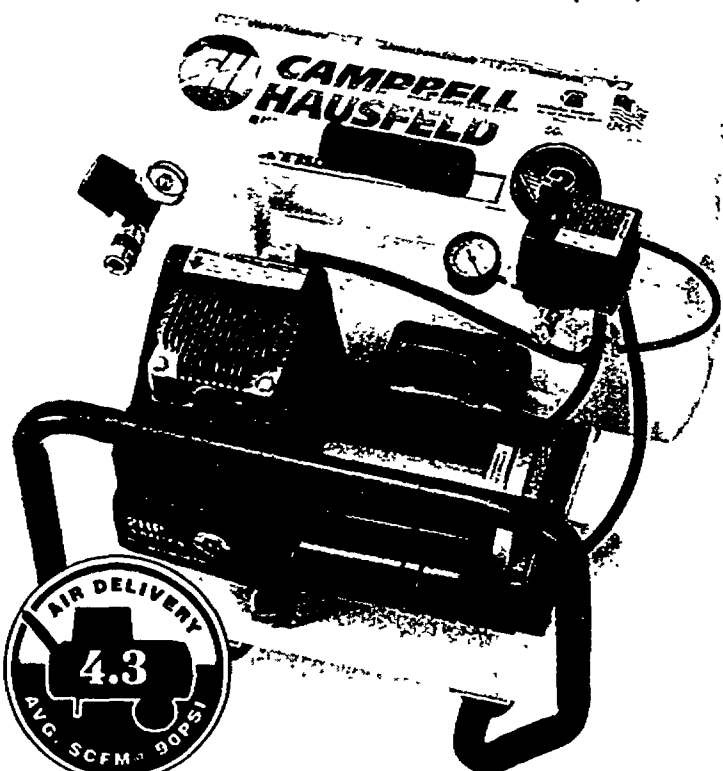
## Impulse® Cordless Finish Nailer

- Drives 3/4" - 2 1/2" F16 finish nails
- Drives 2,400 nails per fuel cell and 4,000 nails per battery charge
- Dial-in depth of drive adjustment

900400 (161869)

Brand	Type	Length	Box	SKU	Price
<b>PORTER-CABLE</b> PROFESSIONAL POWER TOOLS	16 GA. Finishing	1-1/4"	1000 ct.	(549207)	\$5.98
	16 GA. Finishing	1-1/2"	1000 ct.	(549211)	\$6.29
	16 GA. Finishing	2"	1000 ct.	(549212)	\$7.29
	16 GA. Finishing	2-1/2"	1000 ct.	(554689)	\$8.39
	18 GA. Brad	1-1/4"	1000 ct.	(549061)	\$2.98
	18 GA. Brad	1"	1000 ct.	(549047)	\$2.60
	18 GA. Brad	3/4"	1000 ct.	(549046)	\$2.30

Brand	Type	Length	Box	SKU	Price
<b>SENCO</b>	6D Finishing	2"	4000 ct.	(764741)	\$33.00
	10D Finishing	3"	3000 ct.	(654005)	\$29.97
	Finishing Nails	1-1/4"	5000 ct.	(336417)	\$17.46



**CAMPBELL HAUSFELD**  
BUILT TO LAST

**\$259**

## 4 Gallon 2 HP Air Compressor

- Includes regulator
- Twin stack tank
- 5.4/4.3 SCFM, 125 PSI max pressure
- Direct drive oilless pump
- 1,725 RPM long life pump
- 120 volt
- "Quietest" operation

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# RIDGID WET / DRY VACS- BUILT TOUGH TO LAST A LIFETIME!

## RIDGID

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RIDGID  
WET DRY VAC  
6.25 HP 16 gal.

**\$139**

### 16 Gallon Wet/Dry Contractor Vac

- High performance 6.25 peak HP Emerson® motor and high efficiency filter
- Comes with 2-stage high-efficiency filter
- Includes on-board tool storage
- Features Tug-A-Long™ positive locking hose - won't pull out
- Includes filter, hose, two wands and four different nozzles WD1730 (650727)

Includes Heavy Duty Cart with Large, Easy Roll Wheels!



**\$129**

- ### 2-in-1 16 Gallon Wet/Dry Vac
- High performance 6.25 peak HP Emerson® motor with detachable 210 MPH leaf blower
  - Features Tug-A-Long™ positive locking hose - won't pull out
  - Includes filter, hose, two extension wands, four different nozzles, air diffuser, tool caddy with 5 1/4" all-terrain rear wheels and on-board tool storage WD1660 (650724)

Includes Detachable Leaf Blower!



Accessories:



RIDGID  
5.5 HP 16 gal.

**\$94.96**

### 16 Gallon Wet/Dry Vac

- High performance 5.5 peak HP Emerson® motor
- Features Tug-A-Long™ positive locking hose - won't pull out
- Includes washable, reusable filter, hose, two extension wands and three different nozzles WD1630 (650707)

Accessories:



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4.25 HP 12 gal.

**\$69.97**

### 12 Gallon Wet/Dry Vac

- High performance 4.25 HP
- Includes 5 accessories
- Dual casters with built-in tool storage
- Long lasting pleated paper filter WD1200 (334985)

Accessories:



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## DRESS-UP DAYS!

FRIDAY - SUNDAY, OCT. 1-3

15% off

All Dress-up Clothes



Come see the latest and greatest in dress-up clothes. Whether you're shopping for Halloween or everyday dress-up adventures, now's the time to stock your costume closet. From boas, beads and baubles to badges, bolos and battle shields, we have everything you need for creative costuming.

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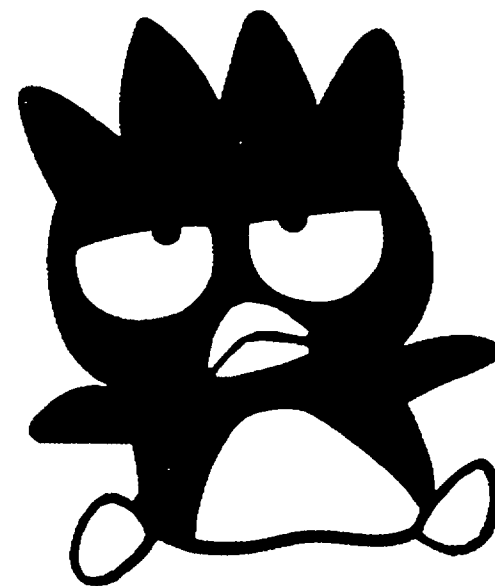
FRIDAY, OCT. 1

Anytime between 2 & 4

We have all the materials a little fairy princess needs to create her own wand, wings, and other magical accoutrements. Ages 4-8, with a little parental assistance. \$10 non-refundable materials fee. Register early! This workshop fills quickly.

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Woodland Plaza: 11 am

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SUNDAY, OCT. 31

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Face Painting!

Fun!

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Don't forget to wear your costume!

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All other Playmobil 10% off our already LOW prices!

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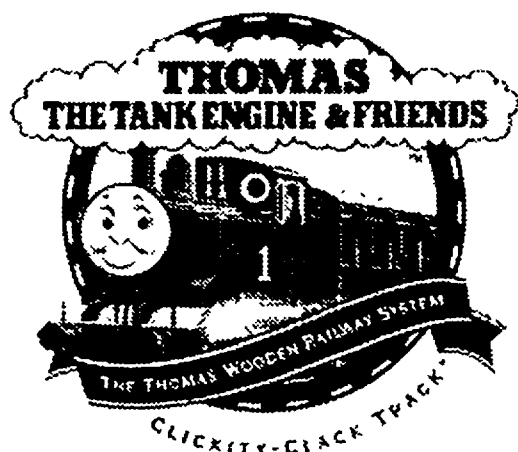
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### You'll love our service! We offer:

- ✓ Play areas -- lots of them
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**Stop by our store in the Novi Town Center and see how much fun shopping can be!**

# BE AWARE!

**THURSDAY**  
**OCT. 21**  
**9AM-8PM**

**FRIDAY**  
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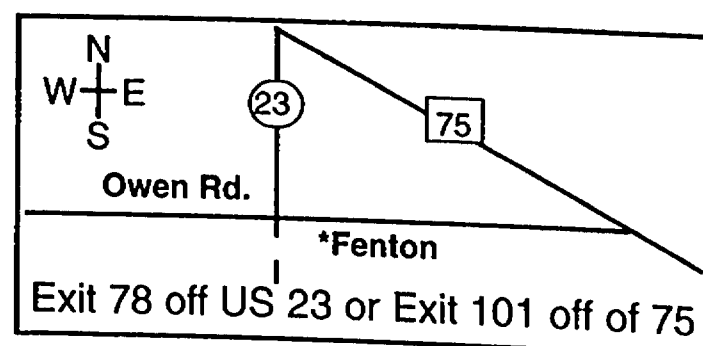
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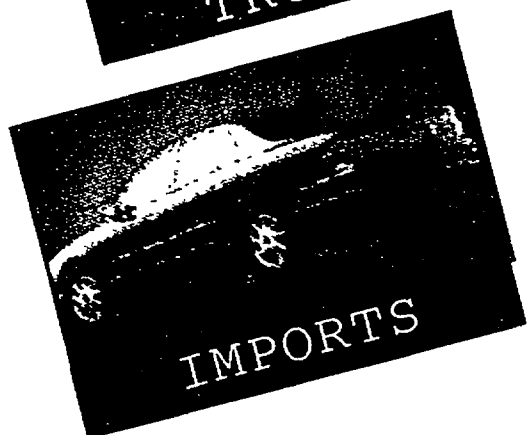
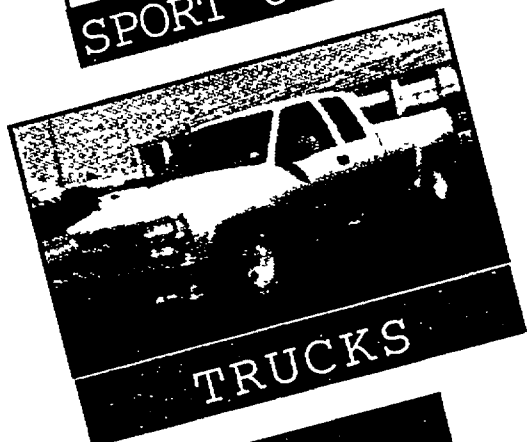
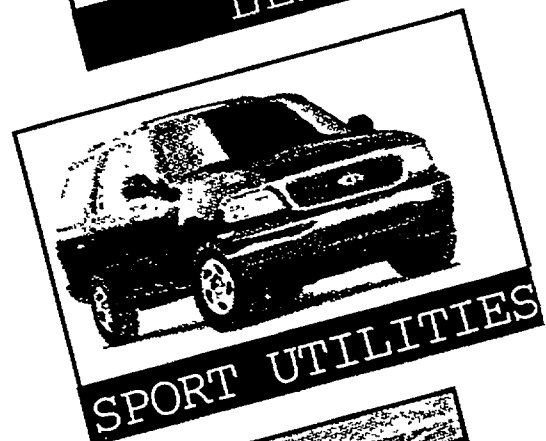
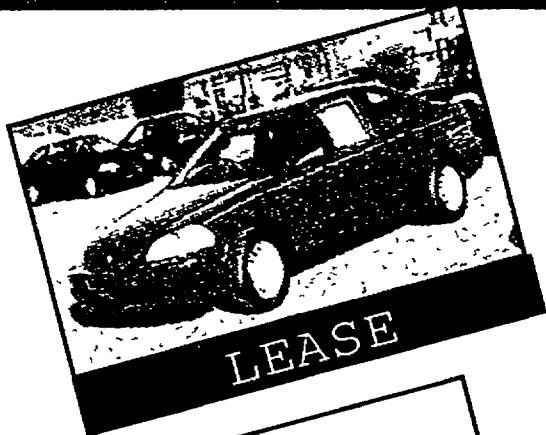
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**ALL VEHICLES WILL HAVE PAYMENTS CLEARLY MARKED  
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- .....

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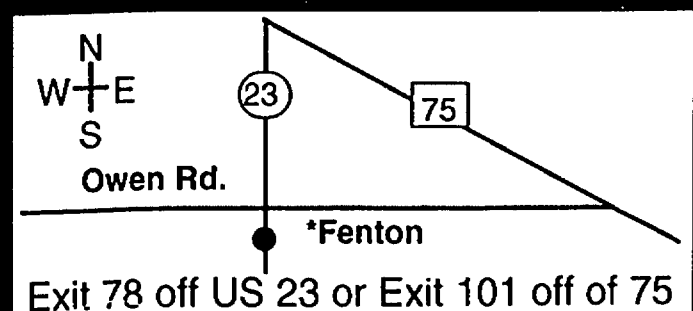
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