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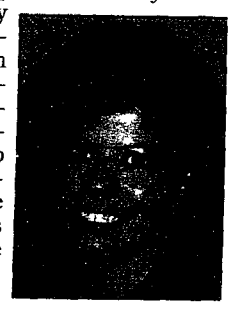


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Northville takes hit in pocketbook

■ State holds back more than $90K in funding

By LON HUHMAN
Staff Writer

Northville's budget-watchers were surprised to see state funding for the city take as big a nosedive as they did, but at the same time said the handwriting may have been on the wall.

The City of Northville will see a major decrease in state shared revenue, as well as state transportation financing. According to Northville finance director Nickie Bateson, while state officials prepared the Michigan budget for the 2001-2002 fiscal year, it had become known that the state's revenues had decreased from what they had been projected in January.

Bateson said the bottom line for the city is a total decrease of $91,105 in state funding, which was made up of a loss of $72,341 from the state shared revenue and $18,764 from transportation funding.

"The factors, specifically the recent slowdown in the economy, made it apparent that this would happen. On the other hand, we are surprised by the significant amount of the decrease from what was projected prior to our preparation of our budget," Bateson said. "In spite of the major decrease, there will be no significant impact on our services, staff or programs. However, this may have an impact on smaller items within individual departmental budgets."

According to the Michigan Department of Treasury, the most recent census revenue estimates projected another decrease in the minimum growth percentage to revenue-sharing payments received by individual local governments. The treasury department projected the minimum growth percentage to be -2.6 percent for the State's fiscal year ending Sept. 30. In January. the state had projected the minimum growth to be a 1.4 percent increase.

According to Plante and Moran LLC, Governor John Engler's original budget introduced in January for the state's 2001-2002 fiscal year projected that the total monies available for distribution by the state for revenue sharing would increase 5.4 percent. Plante and Moran is the city's auditing firm. The budget bill for the 2001/2002 fiscal was passed in July, but it still awaits Engler's signature.

The budget includes a $50,000,000 reduction to the total revenue sharing monies to be distributed to local units of govern-

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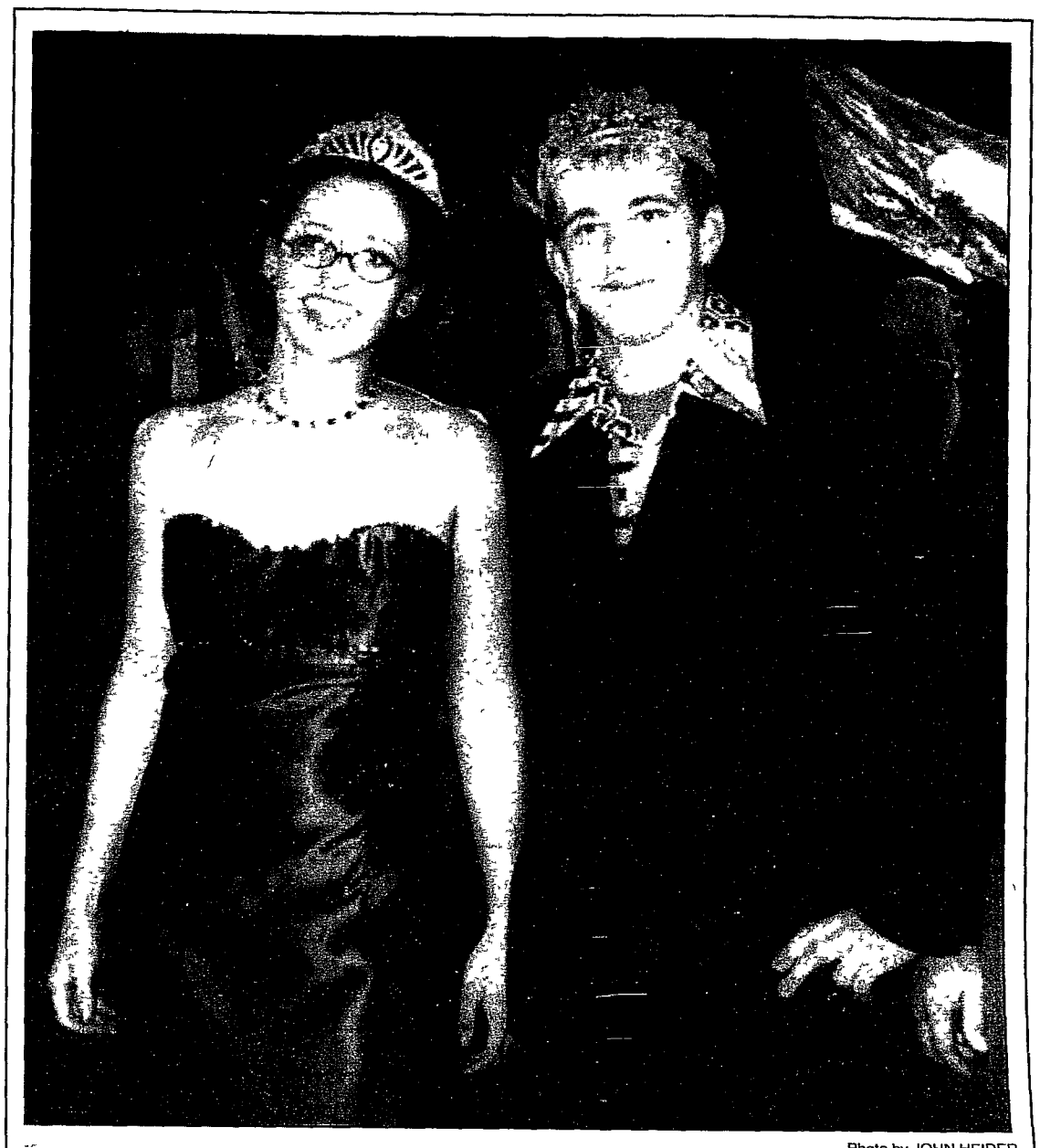


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The royal Mustangs

Northville High School's Homecoing king and queen, Brad Justusson and Katie Banks, are introduced at halftime of last Friday's football game. More pictures and stories on the Mustangs' homecoming week appear throughout this week's edition.

Resident writes children's story

By JENNIFER NORRIS
Staff Writer

Northville author Toulla Palazeti has a constant source of inspiration — children.

In fact, Palazeti has patterned one of the characters in her first book after her own son.

Her first book, "Nick and Pete" was recently published by Huckleberry Press of Connecticut and entertains readers with three separate stories as youngsters riffle through the pages.

Palazeti said she modeled each of the stories within the book after real-life events occurring between her son and his friend, Pete.

"It's easy to write ideas because my kids are always doing something," she said. "They give me lots of ideas."

Palazeti described her book as a three-part adventure story geared for preschool and early elementary age students. Her premiere book includes three stories entitled "Boo Who", "When Will Pete be Home" and "The Best Dog."



Photo by JOHN HEIDER

Northville author Toulla Palazeti wrote the book "Nick and Pete."

"It's really a first-grade reading level but it can be enjoyed by 3-8 year olds," said Palazeti. "I've read [the book] to third graders and they laugh at the stories."

Palazeti said she submitted the first story in the book to Huckleberry Press and it was accepted. She said she was then asked to write the other two stories to make "Nick and Pete" a three-part story.

"The first story was so easy to write because the boys were outside scaring people," said Palazeti, who was formerly a teacher at Our Lady of Grace in Dearborn Heights.

Palazeti said she began writing after her daughter was born in 1989. Although the Northville author has had some of her work published in magazines, "Nick and Pete" is her first book to hit the market.

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Bond approved, district charges ahead to Step 2

By JENNIFER NORRIS
Staff Writer

$28.3 million for Northville Schools BOND FOR BUILDING

For Northville Public Schools, Sept. 25 was a day of triumph.

After Northville voters approved a $28 million dollar bond proposal, school administrators are beginning to set the wheels into motion to begin implementing the bond projects.

The multi-million dollar bond will be used to build a brand new elementary school, fund additions to Moraine and Winchester Elementary schools, construct a storage addition at Amerman elementary, build classroom additions to Northville High school to accommodate 2,200 students and install fiber optic cabling to the new elementary school and a "redundant loop" to continue the information system connection between all school facilities.

The bond proposal passed with 2,651 votes to 1,830 votes.

One of the first bond projects that will receive attention is the construction of the district's sixth elementary school.

David Bolitho, assistant superintendent for Northville Schools, said officials will be reviewing the design team process for each school included in the bond. A design team is being implemented to help plan the most effective way of implementing each of the projects. Once the process is reviewed, it will later go to the board for consideration, he said.

According to Bolitho, the new elementary school design team met last spring and programmed

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BUCKS FOR COPS

An $84,000 grant by U.S. Rep. Joe Knollenberg, R-Bloomfield, will provide funding for the Northville Township police department to purchase a variety of high-tech cataloging instruments, including:

- Digital fingerprinting
- Electronic photo sorting
- Laptop computers

Township police get biggest grant to date

By LON HUHMAN
Staff Writer

One major task for all police departments is to modernize, and keep up to date with improved technology. With the help of a federal grant, the Northville Township Police Department will be able to keep in step with modernization and update its methods for fingerprinting as well as taking mug shots.

"This is the largest grant to date that we've received," Northville Township Police Chief John Werth said. "We are ecstatic about it. However, I was disappointed that our department was not contacted sooner."

The Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS) Making Officer Redeployment More Effective (MORE) program will now make it easier for the Northville Township Police Department to purchase new technology. U.S. Representative Joe Knollenberg (R-Bloomfield Hills) announced on Sept. 27 that the township department would be receiving an $84,000 federal grant to aid in the purchase of technology and equipment that will enable the department to operate more efficiently.

"Law enforcement agencies consistently cite technology as one of their most critical needs, but many do not have the resources to access new technologies," Knollenberg said. "I am pleased that the Northville Township Police Department will receive much needed assistance for the purchase of this equipment, which will translate into more efficient operations and greater time in the communities it serves."

According to Knollenberg, the grant can cover up to 75 percent of the cost of technologies such as mobile computing systems, computer aided dispatch systems, crime analysis hardware and software, automated booking, video arraignment systems and automated fingerprint identification systems. The COPS program is a nationwide initiative to deploy additional officers devoted to community policing on the streets of the nation.

Werth said the new technology that will be acquired will be a live scan fingerprinting system as well as a digital camera for mugshots that will work with the new computer software. Both finger printing and mugshots will be computerized, which will make the tasks simpler. Werth said the new technologies will also allow the department greater access to other area and state-wide police department information.

Werth said the new fingerprinting system will be the Automated Fingerprinting Informational System. He said the system will

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Police Briefs

NORTHVILLE TOWNSHIP POLICE REPORTS

THEFT FROM TRUCK: A 21-year-old Northville man reported to the Northville Township Police Department that his Chevy S-10 had been broken into while it was parked at Silver Springs Elementary during the overnight hours of Sept. 27 and 28. He told the reporting officer that his truck had been locked and that such items as CD's, a paintball gun and speakers were taken from the back seat of the vehicle.

The police have no physical evidence, witnesses or suspects at this time.

BLUEGRASS STATE BLUES: According to a township police report, a 35-year-old Northville man reported to police that his brother had stolen the rental car that he had at his home on Ravina Lane. The incident took place on Sept. 23. The complainant said as he was eating his dinner, his brother took the keys and left the home. The rental car was a 2001 Buick Century.

The man said he received a telephone call from his brother after he arrived in Kentucky at their father's home. The Northville man then reported the incident to police and the car was reported as stolen. A short time later, Kentucky's National Car Rental office informed the township police that the car had been turned in and was in good condition. No charges were filed.

VANDALISM: On Sept. 30 there were three, separate incidents of vandalism on Whitehaven Court. Three homeowners reported to township police that their mailboxes had been destroyed. There are no suspects at this time.

VRROOOM! While out on patrol on southbound Beck Road near West Main Street on Sept. 30 a township police officer observed a red racing-style motorcycle speeding northbound on Beck. The motorcycle was clocked at going nearly 40 mph over the speed limit. The officer then performed a U-turn in order to stop the speeding bike, but the motorcycle sped up.

The reporting officer kept the bike in range up until Nine Mile Road, it was then dispatched over to Novi Police.

NORTHVILLE CITY POLICE REPORTS

BUSTED: On Sept. 30, a Northville city police officer was conducting a vacation check on a home on Randolph Street and found a side door unlocked. As the officer waited for backup he heard the door swing shut. The officer then approached the door and found it locked.

The backup finally arrived and the first officer on the scene said there was someone in the house Dispatch then telephoned the home and the occupant came out. It was discovered that the occupant, a 22-year-old Northville man, did have permission to enter the home and he did have house keys. However, a computer check on the man revealed he had two misdemeanor warrants out of Novi and Farmington Hills. He was then placed under arrest and later turned over to the Farmington Hills Police Department

DRINKS ON THE LINKS: A 47-year-old Livonia man was stopped by a Northville city police and issued multiple violations for speeding down eastbound Eight Mile Road on Sept. 29.

The reporting officer said he was conducting radar patrol near Amerman Elementary when the man was observed traveling at 57 mph in a 40 mph speed zone. The man was stopped near Novi Road and the officer detected the odor of intoxicants as he approached the vehicle. The man told the officer that he had quite a bit to drink and had been at a golf outing the entire day.

The man's preliminary breathalyzer test registered a 0.21 percent BAC. He was arrested and later released after posting bond and sobering up.

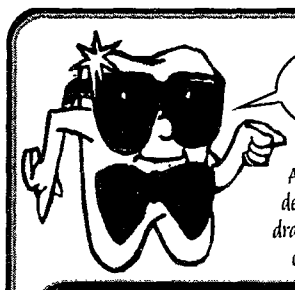


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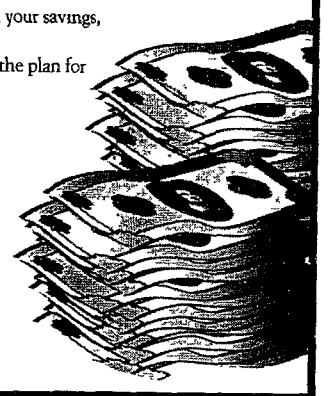


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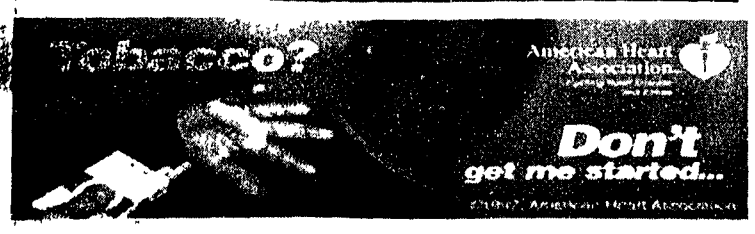
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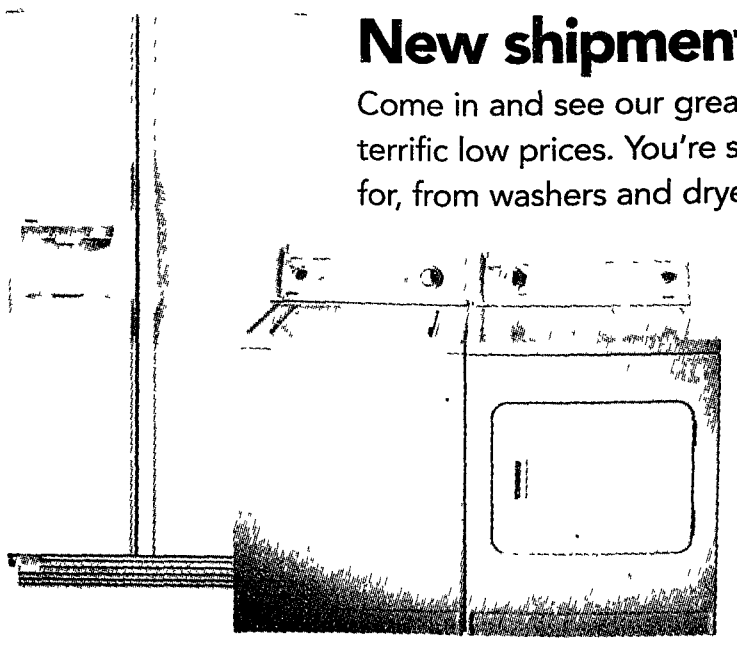
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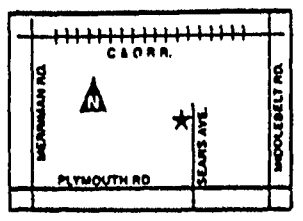


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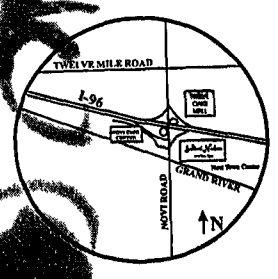
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Breakage may pay for city improvements

By LON HUHMAN
Staff Writer

Horses — and more specifically, the people who bet on them — may provide the financial shot in the arm the city of Northville needs to see a series of capital improvement projects through, city officials said Monday.

State law requires Northville Downs to supply the city with the breakage, which is a specific amount collected each time a person wins at the track. After an annual increase that lasted from the mid-90's to 2000, the breakage total had taken a dip. For fiscal year 2000, the total breakage was $521,854. However, for fiscal year 2001 it will be $451,511.

The city council designated six areas to distribute the track payment:

- $25,000 for the future installation of sidewalks where none currently exist.
- $225,000 for the future Senior Center project.
- $90,000 for the Rural Hill Cemetery expansion.
- $25,000 for the Mill Pond restoration.
- $50,000 for future sewer improvement requirements.
- $36,511 toward contingency and grant matching.

Breakage funding has been used in the past to finance such projects as renovating or constructing municipal buildings as well as for bolstering the fund balance. One recommendation — that of providing lighting of Pheasant Hills subdivision — didn't sit well with council member Jerry Mittman. He recommended removing the project from the list of proposed items, saying the project wouldn't benefit the community as a whole.

Questions were raised about the breakage projects by several council members, but by Mittman in particular. He said the city should explore and develop a better plan for installing sidewalks. He said a five-year plan should be created in regard to constructing new sidewalks. Mittman's sentiments were supported by council member Thomas Swigart.

Northville city manager Gary Word said it has been proposed that sidewalks will be constructed on Potomac and Rogers streets.

The plan for a future Senior Center is still on hold because Northville Township has not completed its strategic planning initiative. The initiative is an examination of the township's current property and facilities as well as the future needs that should be addressed before any further facilities are planned and constructed. The current Senior Center on Cady Street is a shared service between the township and city through the Northville Parks and Recreation Department.

Mayor Chris Johnson said the Mill Pond was one project that needed particular attention. Johnson's beliefs were mirrored by council member Kevin Hartshorne, who said the Department of Public Works needed to look into placing a silt detention basin at the pond as soon as possible to prevent further erosion.

DPW Director James Gallogly said designating money for future improvement to the sewer system was crucial. He said in a short time improvements may be required by the state.

Mittman was concerned more attention was not being devoted to other projects such as the placement of restrooms at Ford Field, as well as improving several city entrances. One city entrance that may be improved first may be the city-owned property at Eight Mile and Novi roads. Mayor pro-tem Carolann Ayers said these were designations and nothing was "set in stone." She said that the contingency/grant matching portion of the designations could help address funding needs for the other projects.

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BREAKING POINT

Here's what may happen to the $522,000 in breakage received by the city from Northville Downs this fiscal year:

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Obituaries

FAYE COOK

Faye Cook, 75, of Sammamish, Wash., formerly of Northville, died Sept. 25 at Providence Marianwood in Issaquah, Wash. She was born Aug. 17, 1926, in Flint to David and Marion Rutherford.

Mrs. Cook was a graduate of Flint Central High School. She received her registered nurses degree from the University of Michigan and later studied at UCLA. Mrs. Cook specialized in women's health care and was one of the earliest in the medical field to gain the certification, Certified Registered Nurse Practitioner. Her background included positions in industrial nursing at General Motors Corp., public health in Jackson County, Mich., several private physicians, University of Washington Hall Health Center, and over 13 years with Planned Parenthood in Bellevue, Wash. She enjoyed water color painting, pen and ink drawings, quilting, and traveling. Mrs. Cook married Mahlon H. Gane in 1947, and in August 1983, she wed Eugene K. Cook, a resident of Northville for 25 years.

Mrs. Cook is survived by her husband, Eugene K.; daughter, Janis Gane-Johnson of Redmond, Wash.; four sons, Mahlon H. Gane Jr. of Stanwood, Wash., David H. Gane of Seattle, Wash., Steven J. Gane of West Seattle, and Randall R. Gane of North Bend, Wash.; foster son, Jim Kuo of Seattle; three stepchildren, Margaret (Peggy) Bernthal of River Forest, Ill., Charles Cook of Chicago, Ill., and Thomas Cook of Norwell, Mass.; one brother, John Rutherford of Brighton, Mich.; and four grandchildren and 10 stepgrandchildren.

A memorial service was held on Monday, Oct. 1 at Northlake Unitarian Church in Washington.

Arrangements were made by Flintoft's Issaquah Funeral Home of Issaquah, Wash.

Memorials may be made to a charity of choice or Habitat for Humanity of East King County, where Mrs. Cook was a board member for several years.

JEANNE E. MURTON

Jeanne Ellison (Lowrie) Murton died Sept. 24 at the age of 93.

Through the years, Mrs. Murton lived in Novi, Waterford, Detroit, Pontiac, and Clarkston. She was a graduate of Clarkston High School and Eastern Michigan University. Mrs. Murton was an elementary school teacher for 39 years in the Pontiac school system. Her memberships included Westminster Presbyterian Church of Detroit, John G. Paton Circle, the Altar Guild of Canterbury on the Lake in Waterford, a Girl Scout leader, and a counselor at Camp Westminster, Higgins Lake.

She is survived by a daughter, Ellison (James) Franklin of Northville; sons, James (Sue) of Eaton Rapids and John (Pamela) of Portland, Maine; grandchildren: Frank Seaver IV, Claire (Doug McKenna) Seaver, Dean Seaver, James (Jennifer) Murton, Jon (Shannon) Murton, Jason (Kelly) Murton, Rachel Murton, Galen Murton, and Christopher Murton; and five great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Murton was preceded in death by her husband of 49 years, Clarence J.

A memorial service was held on Saturday, Sept. 29 at Westminster Presbyterian Church in Detroit.

Arrangements were made by Vermeulen Funeral Home of Plymouth.

Memorials to Angela Hospice, 14100 Newburgh Road, Livonia, MI 48154-5010 or Camp Westminster, Westminster Presbyterian Church, 17567 Hubbell Ave., Detroit, MI 48235 would be appreciated.

HARRY WEISER

Harry Weiser died Sept. 29 in Battle Creek. He was born Nov. 12, 1949, in Detroit.

Mr. Weiser was a former resident of Northville and Brighton. He was a graduate of Northville High school and a veteran of the United States Army.

Mr. Weiser is survived by his mother, Audrey Jane Koven of Pinckney; one sister, Renee Carr; and a brother, Ken.

He was preceded in death by his father, Harry Sr.

A military funeral service was held on Wednesday, Oct. 3 at Fort Custer National Cemetery in Augusta, Mich.

Arrangements were made by Spencer Family Funeral Home, Athens, Mich.

Memorials to Dearman Foster Home, 25 Massachusetts St., Battle Creek, MI 49014 would be appreciated.

DOUGLAS C. BOLTON

Douglas Cass Bolton of Northville died Oct. 1 at the age of 78. He was born June 28, 1923, to Cass and Alberta (Thompson) Bolton of Northville.

Mr. Bolton attended Northville schools. He served in the Army aviation engineers during World War II, from 1943-1945, and was stationed in the Pacific Theater.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
CITY OF NORTHVILLE

The City of Northville Planning Commission will consider a text amendment to the Zoning Ordinance regarding regulations for front setbacks, private roads, common driveways and lot splits. The proposed changes are described as follows:

Section 15.01 – (Footnote 16) delete the word new from the term new construction.

Section 15.01 – (Footnote 19) modify minimum square footage for residential lots not having frontage on a public road in the R-1B Zoning District.

Section 18.18 – add new regulations to private road/driveways.

Article 26 – Definitions – add new definitions for:

Common Driveway
Driveway
Driveway Approach
Lot Corner
Private Road

The proposed text amendments will be considered by the Planning Commission at the October 16, 2001 meeting at 7:30 p m , at the City of Northville, 215 W. Main St., Council Chambers. The purpose of this hearing will be to consider public input on these proposed changes The complete text of the proposed changes can be reviewed at the City Hall during normal business hours

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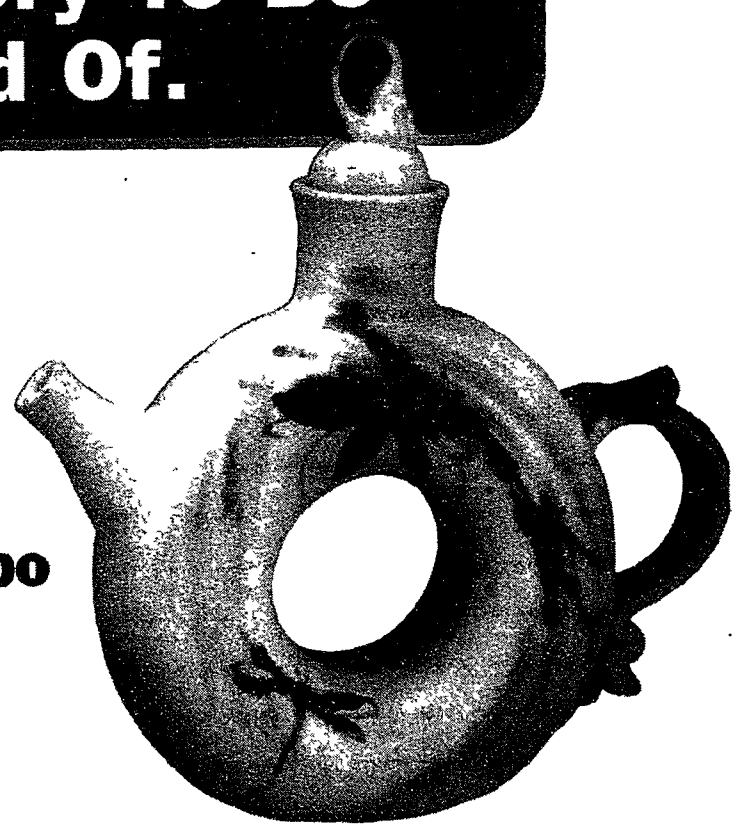
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Mustangs pull together for Homecoming week

By JENNIFER NORRIS
Staff Writer

On Friday afternoon, the Northville High School gymnasium erupted with the sounds of students cheering as they celebrated the final day of spirit week and prepared for the remainder of the 2001 Homecoming activities.

Donning the school colors of orange and black, students, faculty and parents packed the gymnasium bleachers, clapping and shouting as the pep rally progressed.

"I was having a real good time," said Candice Simons, Student Congress president and a member of the Homecoming court. "I think that being our senior year, everyone was just excited about it and just wanted to have a good time. The organization of it was really good. We made sure in Student Congress that everything was taken care of beforehand. We had to make sure every detail was covered."

During the pep rally, several students were recognized for their academic achievements. The Northville seniors who had been designated as National Merit Semi-finalists and commended students were identified and the student body was also introduced to the fall team captains.

Students also had the opportunity to publicly perform for their peers.

Musical performances were given by members of Backbeat and Trebblemakers as well as the high school band.

Athletic performances were also highlighted during the assembly. The freshman cheerleaders, JV Pom Pon, JV cheerleaders, Varsity cheerleaders and Varsity Pom Pon members displayed their various cheers and dance routines.

A tug-of-war competition and a flipper relay race also had spectators rooting and cheering for their classmates.

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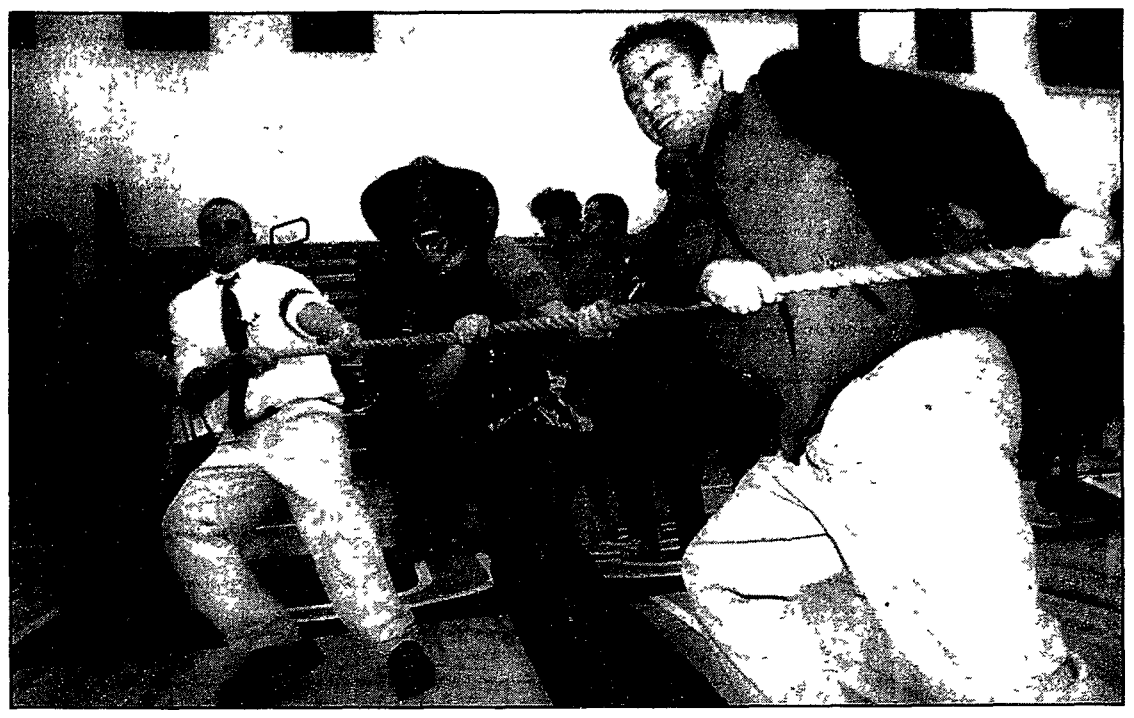


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Northville High School students battle class against class during Friday afternoon's Homecoming Pep Assembly.

2001 Northville Citizen of the Year Award

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. Send nominations to the Northville Chamber of Commerce, 195 S. Main Street, Northville, Mich. 48167, or fax them to (248) 349-8730.

The 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 the nomination: **(please return materials to the office by Oct. 5.)**

The nominee must:

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- Show concern for community, environment and family.
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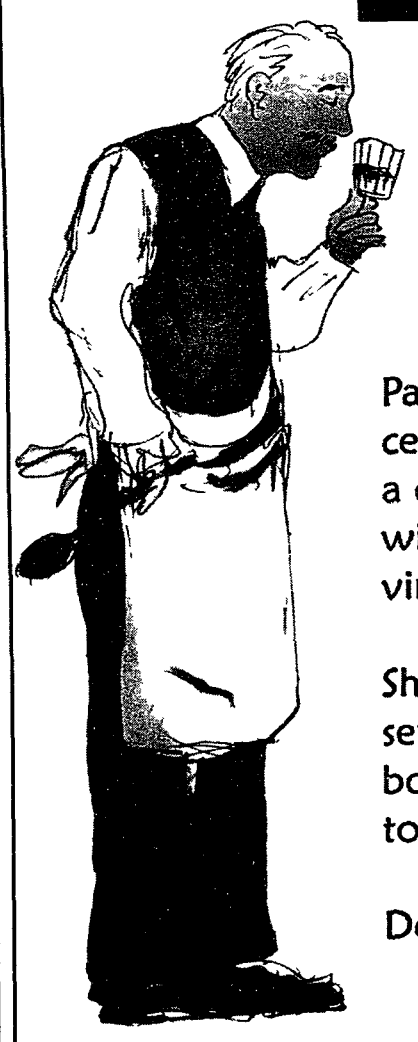
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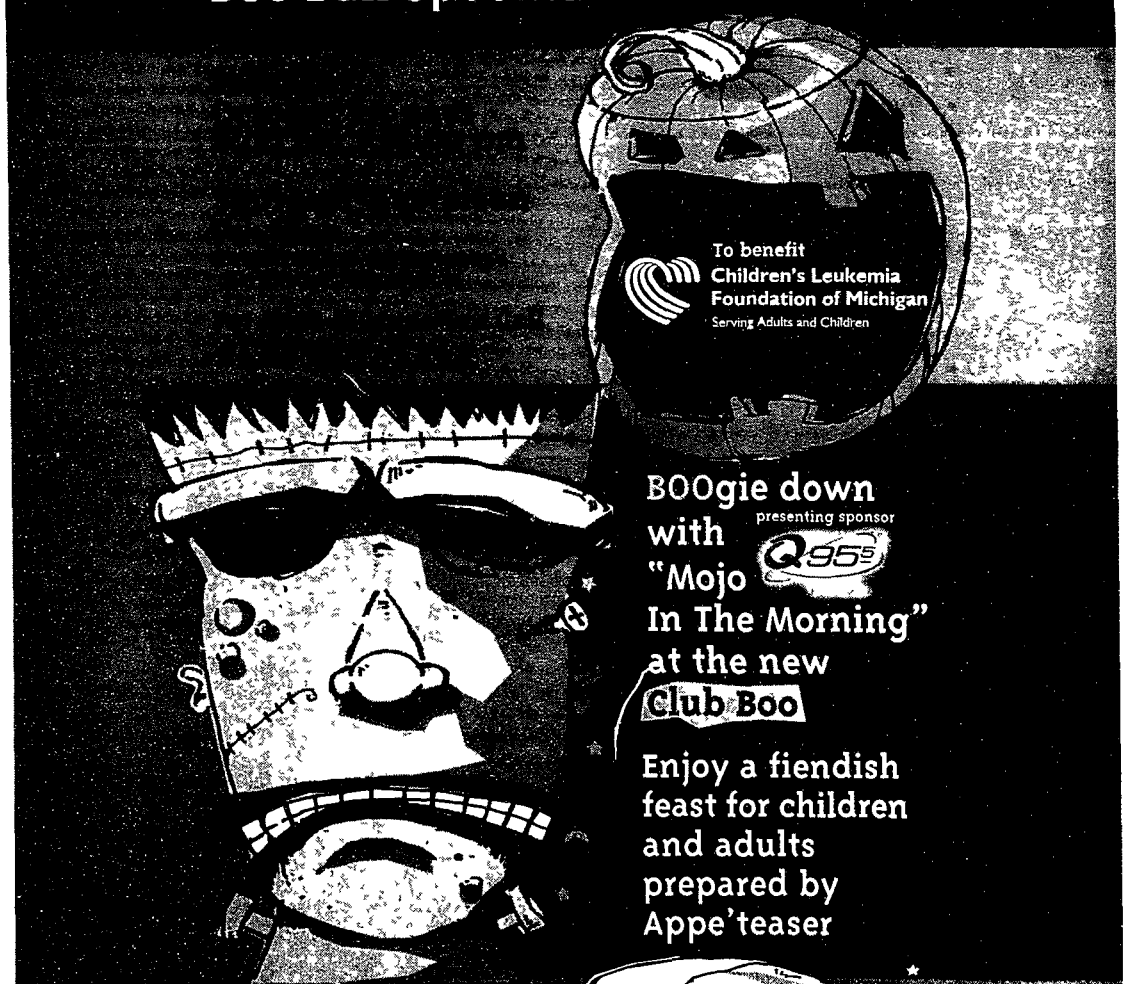
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Silver Springs does the right thing...just because

By JENNIFER NORRIS
Staff Writer

"Do the right thing."

It's more than an expression. It's a motto that has been adopted at Silver Springs Elementary as part of a year long character building program initiated at the school.

According to school representatives, in response to parent and teacher requests as well as the PTA membership's approval of a character building initiative, a Character Building Committee was formed last spring and met during the summer. The PTA-sponsored action plan is designed to heighten the awareness of positive student interactions and lay the groundwork for responsible decision-making, officials said.

To better reinforce the concepts within the character building program, a slogan was adopted to reflect the program's theme. The slogan, "Do the right thing...because it's the right thing to do" was selected as the program's main theme.

Kathy Bernard, a co vice-president on the Silver Springs PTA board, said a number of elements are being proposed to initiate the building-wide objectives.

"We decided we needed some professional support so we worked together with Character Unlimited," she said.

Character Unlimited is a consulting firm that specializes in creating community-based character building programs and is located in Battle Creek, said Bernard.

To further promote students' understanding and implementation of the program's goals, Bernard said each student and teacher was given a T-shirt, emblazoned with the school's name and the "Do the Right Thing" motto.

"The idea behind it is [when] we are proudly wearing our T-shirts, people will know that Silver Springs Elementary is trying to do the right thing," said Bernard.

> "What we want is for people to do the right things..."
>
> Kathy Bernard
> co-vice-president, Silver Springs PTA

She said the school is planning to implement the character development program throughout the remainder of the year and possibly continuing it during future years.

"What we want is for people to do the right things, because it's the right thing to do," said Bernard.

She also said that the program concept has received full support from the building principal, Ken Pawlowski, and the teaching staff.

"It's reassuring to know the principles kids are learning at home are being reinforced all day long at school," said Bernard.

She also said a different theme will be concentrated on each month. For example, during the month of September, students learned about making choices. In upcoming months, students will learn about such character building principles as respect, caring and compassion, responsibility, courage and non-violence, honesty and service to community.

Similar programs are also being implemented at other Northville schools.

Bernard said the Silver Springs program was modeled after Moraine Elementary's "Stand Up for Justice" program.

"We modeled it after the Moraine program with the help of Character Unlimited," she said.

Bernard also said that teacher support and training will also be an important part of the "Do the Right Thing" program.

In addition, a monthly newsletter is planned to be generated.

According to school representatives, a monthly newsletter to parents will feature Character Building articles from a local psychologist. Furthermore, each class will have an opportunity to submit articles to a monthly newsletter based on the featured character theme of the month.

Parent Education workshop program are also being planned to present practical tips on developing strong character in children.

"It's important to build character education awareness with parents, educators, students and the community," said Bernard. "Ideally, we're going to educate the students, the parents, the teachers and hope to gain community support along the way."

Jennifer Norris is a staff writer for the Northville Record. She can be reached at (248) 349-1700 ext. 107 or by e-mail at jnorris@ht.homecomm.net.

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CROP Walk seeks to assist local agencies

By JENNIFER NORRIS
Staff Writer

Area residents are slated to commence a six mile trek in the Northville/Novi CROP Walk 2001 on Sunday, Oct 7, to help fight hunger locally and globally

Carol Ann Donnelly, public relations coordinator for the CROP Walk, said some of the local agencies that will be benefited include the Northville Civic Concern, Novi Emergency Food Program, First Step, a shelter for women and children of domestic violence in Canton and Active Faith, an organization providing food and clothing in South Lyon.

Donnelly said the walk begins at St. James Church in Novi and will end at Our Lady of Victory in Northville.

Registration for the 6.2 mile walk will start 1:30 p.m. and the walk is scheduled to begin at 2 p.m.

According to Donnelly, a number of churches have become sponsors for the event including First United Methodist Church of Northville, Our Lady of Victory, The First United Presbyterian Church of Northville, St. James Church in Novi, Church of the Holy Family in Novi and Faith Community Presbyterian Church in Novi.

"We found that [by] joining hands and working together we can do a better job," said Donnelly. "We can be more successful."

Donnelly also said she would like to have 350 walkers participate in the fundraising event.

"We'd like to raise $30,000 — that's the goal," she said.

She said the main way the money will be raised is through sponsors, but donations will also be accepted.

Refreshments stands will be set up along the established route.

Donnelly said anyone is welcome to participate in the CROP walk.

"Working together makes a difference," she said. "You don't have to belong to a church to walk. It's a way of helping others and one of the slogans is 'we walk because they walk.' Many people have to walk miles to a well just to get water. We're only walking one day just [as] a symbol of what they do every day."

For more information about the 2001 CROP walk, call (248) 349-8553.

Jennifer Norris is a staff writer for the Northville Record. She can be reached at (248) 349-1700 ext. 107 or by e-mail at jnorris@ht.homecomm.net.

Obituaries (cont'd)

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Mr. Bolton was a tool and die maker by trade. After retiring he continued working as a carpenter doing remodeling and repair work in the area. His memberships included the Plymouth First United Methodist Church, where he served as head usher for over 25 years; and American Legion Post No. 147. He was an avid fisherman and loved gardening.

Mr. Bolton is survived by his wife of 55 years, Marjorie (Edmondson) of Northville; two daughters, Linda M. Koch of Howell (John Koch of Northville) and Lois Ann Bolton of Bozeman, Mont.; son, Robert D. (Ann) of Parker, Colo.; one sister, Laura (Fred) Hicks of Northville; and four grandchildren, Holly Koch of Denver, Colo., Shawn Koch of Howell, Cass and Ben Bolton, both of Colorado; and several nieces and nephews.

Mr. Bolton was preceded in death by a granddaughter, Heather Koch.

The family will receive friends and relatives on Thursday, Oct. 4, from 2-6 p.m. and 7-9 p.m. at Vermeulen Funeral Home, 46401 W. Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth. A memorial service will be held Oct. 5 at 1 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church of Plymouth.

Interment will follow at Riverside Cemetery, Plymouth.

Memorials to the First United Methodist Church of Plymouth or the First United Methodist Church of Northville would be appreciated.

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Existing - 1999 Program Year
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Activity Description - Emergency Rehabilitation
Amount: $18,420.49

Proposed - 1999 Program Year
Activity Number 3580
Activity Description - Sidewalk Improvements
Amount: $18,420.49

Existing - 2000 Program Year
Activity Number 2720
Activity Description - Emergency Rehabilitation
Amount: $35,000

Proposed - 2000 Program Year
Activity Number 3580
Activity Description - Sidewalk Improvements
Amount. $20,132.51

Proposed - 2000 Program Year
Activity Number 3188
Activity Description - Minor Home Repair
Amount. $14,867 49

All interested citizens are requested to attend this Hearing

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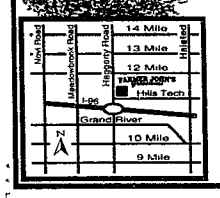
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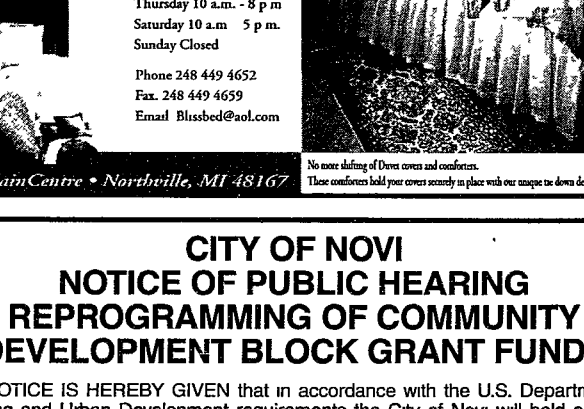
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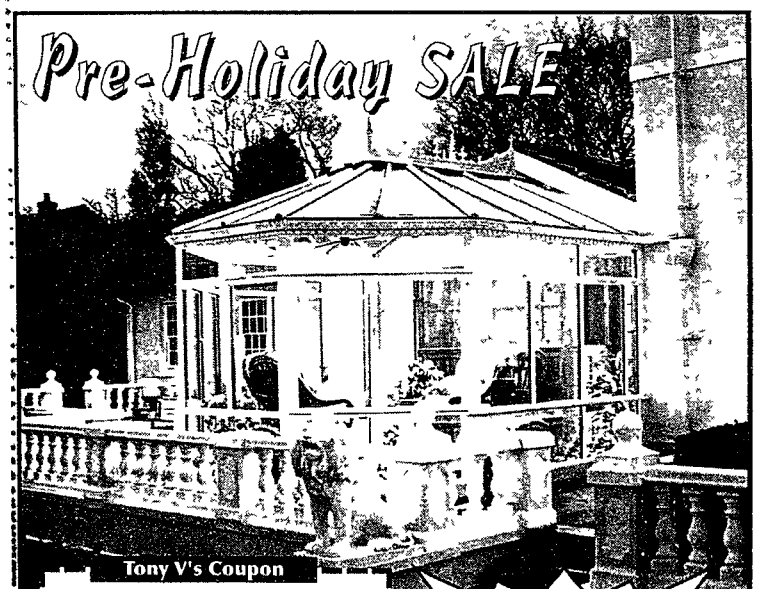
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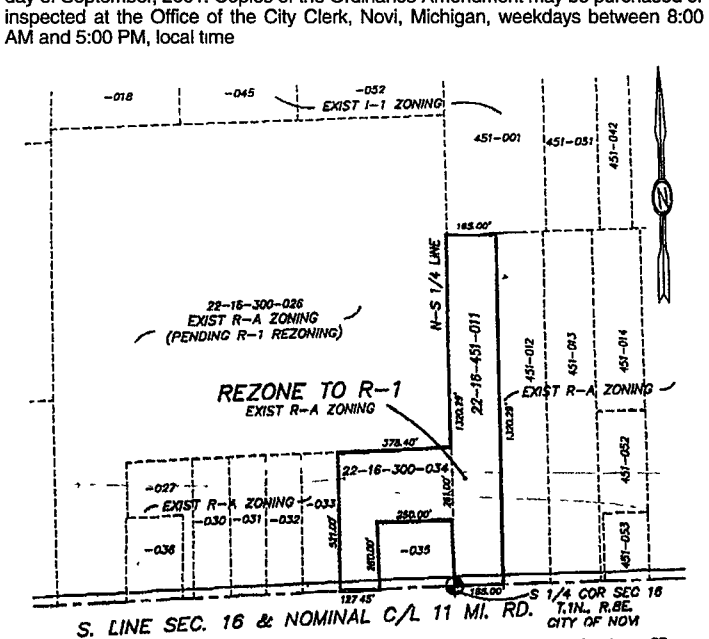
THE CITY OF NOVI ORDAINS:

Part I. That Ordinance No. 97-18, known as the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Novi is hereby amended as indicated on ZONING MAP NO. 18.612, attached hereto and made a part of this Ordinance.

Part II. CONFLICTING PROVISIONS REPEALED. Any Ordinance or parts of any Ordinance in conflict with any of the provisions of this Ordinance are hereby repealed

Part III. WHEN EFFECTIVE. The provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared to be necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety and is hereby ordered to take effect fifteen (15) days after final enactment The effective date of this Ordinance is October 9, 2001.

MADE AND PASSED by the City Council of the City of Novi, Michigan this 24th day of September, 2001. Copies of the Ordinance Amendment may be purchased or inspected at the Office of the City Clerk, Novi, Michigan, weekdays between 8:00 AM and 5:00 PM, local time



To rezone a part of the SE 1/4 of the SW 1/4 and a part of the SW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of Section 16, T.1N., R.8E., City of Novi, Oakland County, Michigan being parcels 22-16-300-034 and 22-16-451-011, more particularly described as follows:

Parcel 22-16-300-034
Beginning at a point on the South line of Section 16 (nominal C/L of Eleven Mile Road) said point being West 250.00 feet from the S 1/4 corner of Section 16; thence West 127.45 feet along said South line; thence N00°39'00"E 521.00 feet; thence East 378.40 feet; thence S00°45'00"W 261.00 feet; thence West 250.00 feet; thence S00°45'00"W 260.00 feet to the point of beginning. Containing 3.0 acres.

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Homecoming week brings out cheer in Mustangs

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At the end of the pep rally, the Homecoming court members were presented and the chosen queen and king were named. Seniors Brad Justusson and Katie Banks were selected as Northville High School's 2001 Homecoming King and Queen.

Senior members of the Homecoming court included Tom Borda, Robbie Harmer, Andrew Herpich, Brad Justusson, Kevin McKee, Jeff Mnich, Katie Banks, Samantha Drouillard, Katie Gulian, Sarah Shirock, Candice Simons and Lauren West.

Representing the Junior class were Matt Cornelius, Greg Johnson, Steve Masterson, Kailyn Knight, Erica Johnson and Bethany Sprader.

Sophomore Homecoming court members included Mike Calabrese, Tim Downing, Steve Mnich, Katie Beger, Kim Warnke and Andrea Watts.

The Freshman court members were represented by James Hannah, Michael Jameson, Michael Kelleher, Marie Ambler, Jessica Markstrom and Stefanie Sherman.

Northville High School students said the Homecoming activities and events would be long remembered.

"The pep rally I thought overall went really well," said Kelly Driscoll, an NHS senior and vice-president of Student Congress. "I think this year we did a better job of including teachers or administrators within the Spirit Week."

Sophomore Alyssa Hinds said, "NHS always has a lot of spirit. We just totally support our school."

The newly crowned king and queen agreed.

"Spirit week really is my favorite time of year," said Brad Justusson, the newly elected Homecoming king and vice-president of Student Council. "For once, the school all pulls together. It went well."

Donning her new crown, Homecoming queen Katie Banks said, "The best part of Homecoming is just being with your friends."

Neither of the seniors believed they would be elected by their classmates.

"I was pretty geeked," said Justusson, shortly after he was crowned king.

Banks said, "I was so surprised to win. I was not expecting to get crowned or anything."

Northville High School principal, Dennis Colligan, said he was pleased with Friday's afternoon pep rally.

"It was great," said Colligan. "I think the kids had a good time. It's nice to be able to showcase all the different groups. They've worked so hard. The students enjoy seeing their classmates out there."

Colligan commended the efforts of Student Congress members, the student activities director and the assistant principals for their contributions in running the various activities.

Following Friday's pep rally, students and residents flocked to downtown Northville for the Homecoming parade and later to the Homecoming football game played against Farmington Hills Harrison.

This year's parade began at the Northville Recreation Center and ended at the NHS football field, said Simons.

"There was a big turnout this year as opposed to other years," said Simons, who also said that attendance at the football game was equally tremendous.

"There was so many people there," she said. "It was unbelievable how many people showed up to support the Mustangs. At the game, you couldn't even move."

Student Congress members also worked to prepare the school for the Homecoming dance Saturday night.

Simons said the Student Congress members had to be at the school at 8 a.m. on Saturday and the team was busy decorating until about 1 p.m.

"It turned out really well," she said. "We got these huge pillars and we had streamers and balloons everywhere. I really think these were probably the best decorations that I've seen in all my four years."

According to Simons, approximately 1,400 students came to the dance that reflected the Homecoming theme "Only in Dreams."

"It was the best homecoming I ever had," she said. "There was a lot of energy there."

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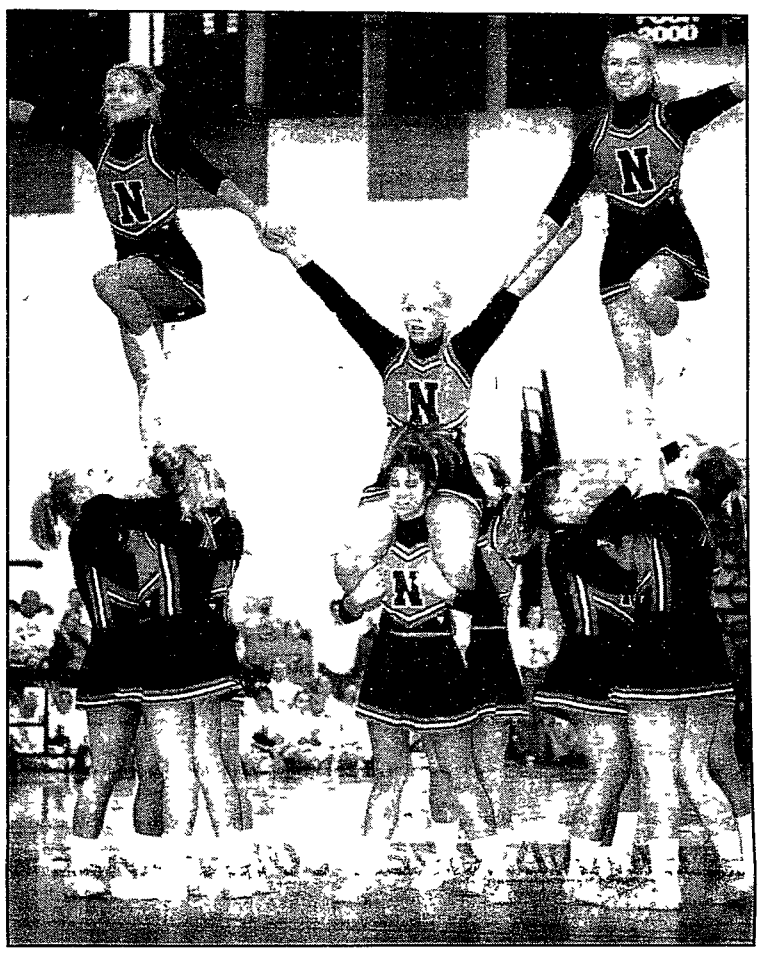


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Northville High School cheerleaders perform during last Friday's homecoming pep assembly.

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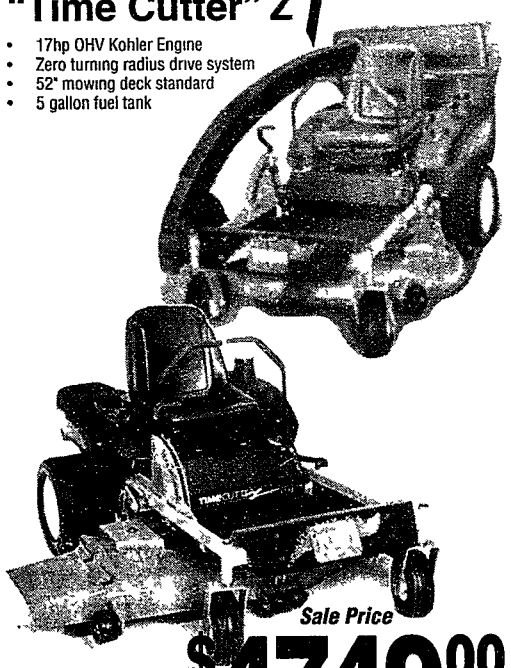
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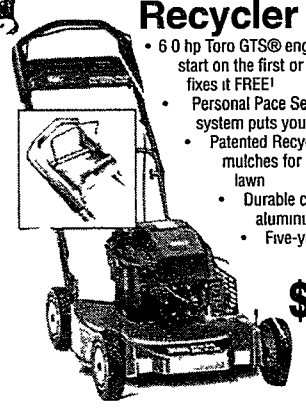


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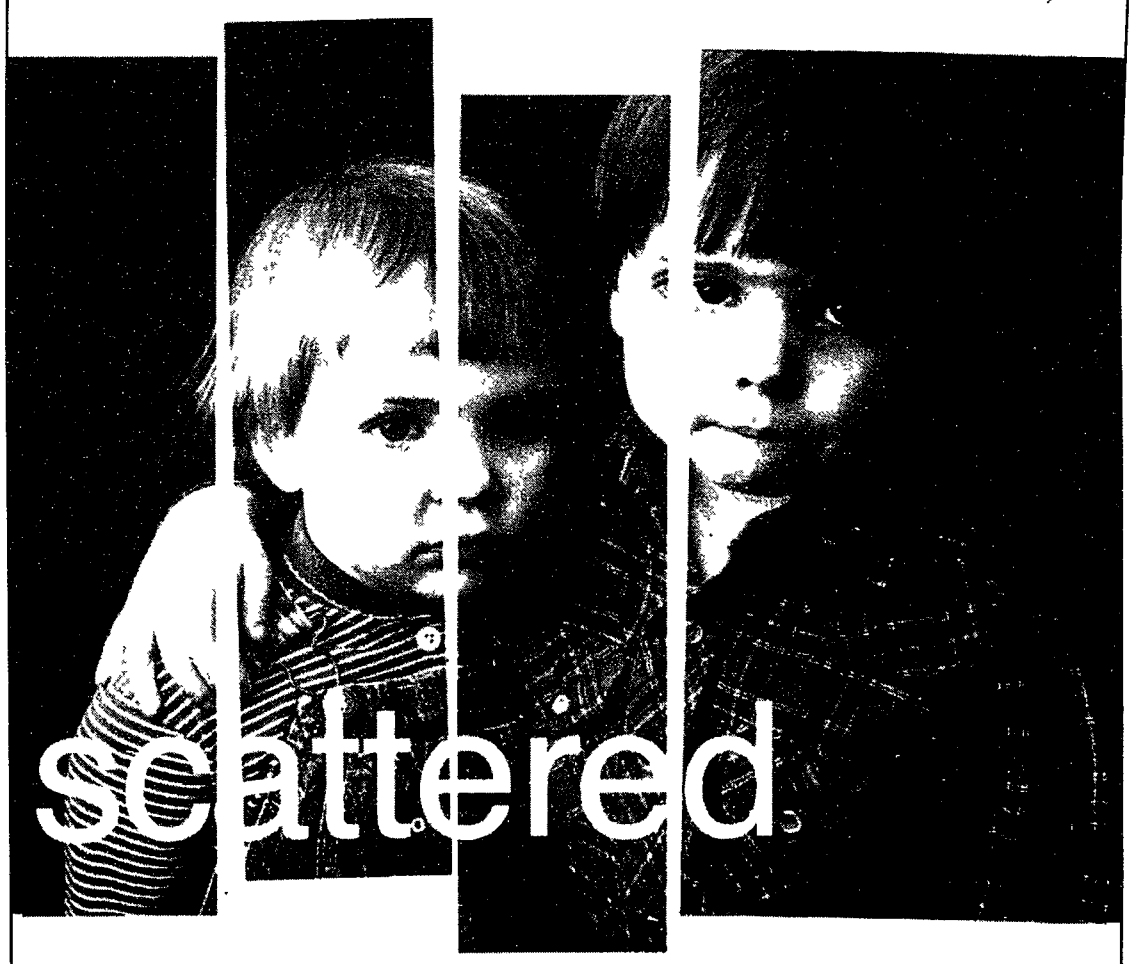
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Cooperation links public safety between communities

By LON HUHMAN
Staff Writer

There is a large amount of money and time put into having an effective police and fire department, but the common courtesy displayed between neighboring departments in times of need goes beyond prepared budgets.

"If Northville city, both Plymouths as well as Livonia or Novi is in need of our support, it's just professional courtesy to come to their aid," Northville Township police chief John Werth said. "We have an obligation to share our resources as much as we can. Our neighboring departments would do the same for us."

Working in conjunction with neighboring departments is not a new thing for the Northville Township police department. In the past, several departments have been on hand during situations such as a major st ucture fire, vehicle accident on . ajor road or when back-to-back medicals emergencies are reported. Werth said if requested, Livonia police officers would assist the township when there is an accident on Haggerty Road and Novi police for accidents on Eight Mile Road.

"It's a matter of calling for support," Werth said in reference to how the department links up with neighboring police departments and emergency help.

This past year there have been several incidents that warranted multiple departments to be on hand. Last winter, the township fire department was assisted by the Northville City department as well as the Plymouth Township department during a house fire on Beck Road, Northville Township Fire Chief William Zhmendak said. Werth said the attempted armed robbery of Hiller's Supermarket on Haggerty Road was a classic example of neighboring departments lending their support to the township. Zhmendak said the support is crucial because not every department has all of the proper equipment or staff.

"Without the support pacts it would be costly to have all of the staff and equipment required in certain emergency situations," Zhmendak said.

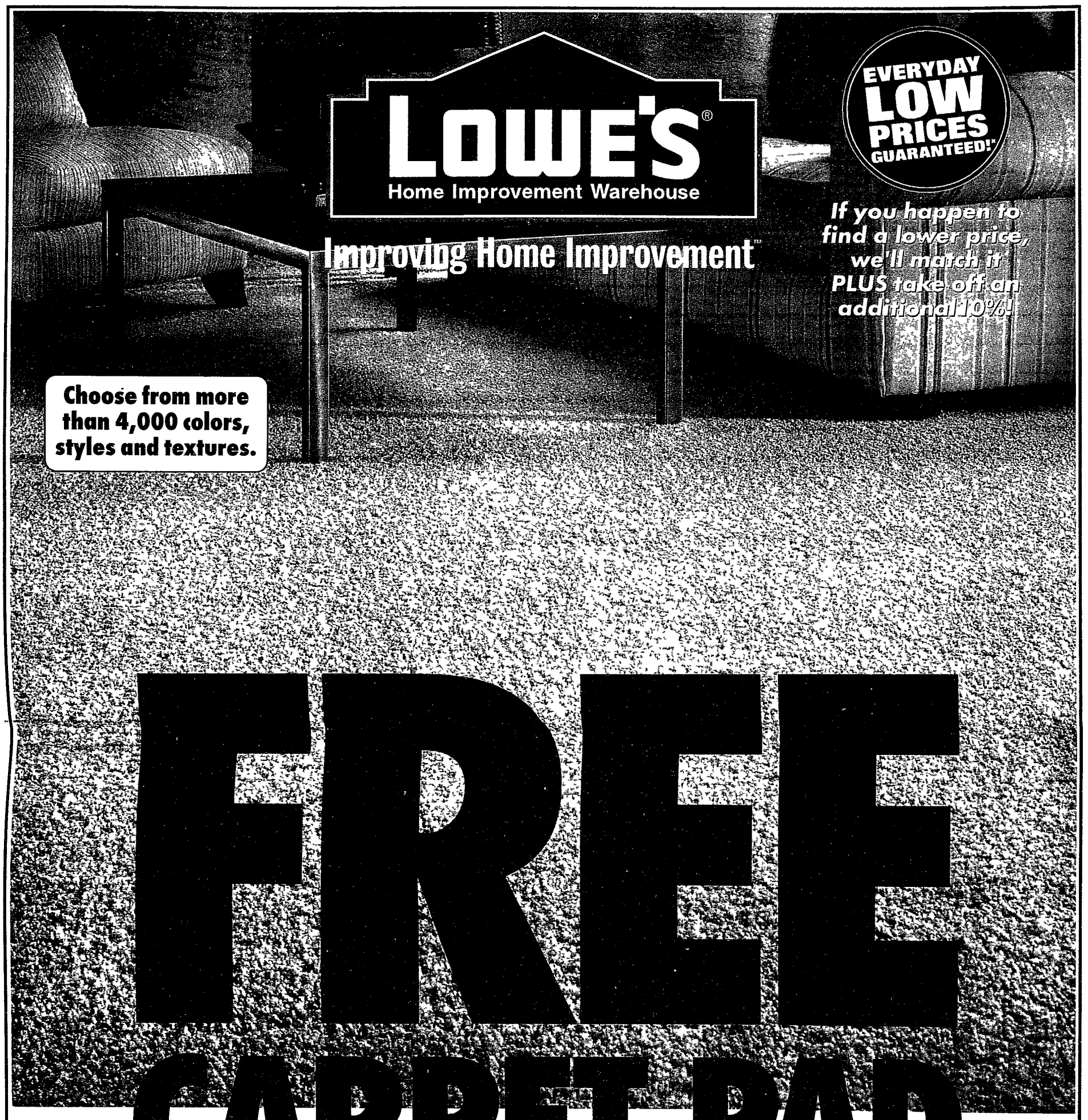
Zhmendak said the department is also a part of Wayne County's hazardous materials recovery and containment team. The township department has two staff members on the team.

Werth said in the times when assistance is needed there still remains the fact that the specific department lending support still needs to watch its own neighborhood for other emergencies. He said such instances require a "moving up" of neighboring departments to the areas in need. For example, if several Northville Township officers moved up to assist Livonia, then Northville city or Novi would offer their aid to the township areas in need.

Werth said communication is the principal tool in enabling the success of joint operations. In the case of the Hiller's attempted robbery, once on the scene, responding officers were paired with other neighboring department officers to facilitate better communication because of the different communication equipment that might be used.

Werth said improvements could always be made to improve the service, and that he hoped to see an expansion of the auto theft and narcotics teams already in service in Wayne and Oakland counties.

"There are crimes common to western Wayne County that are not common to Detroit or other metro areas," Werth said. "A major crimes team, similar to the auto theft and narcotics teams, for western Wayne County, would be a very useful and reliable tool. There are major crimes specific to our areas that need a greater concentration on the part of the western Wayne communities."



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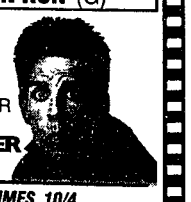
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Zarra Williams was recognized for her drawing abilities at the Michigan State Fair. Here she poses at her Northville Township home.

She's five, and an award-winner

■ Girl's drawing wins acclaim at state fair judging

By JENNIFER NORRIS
Staff Writer

One child's artwork has received statewide acclaim.

Five-year-old Zarra Williams of Northville won first place at the Michigan State Fair in the youth division for drawing.

Williams is currently in first grade at Moraine Elementary.

According to Zarra's mother, Laurie Williams, the family attended the state fair for the first time last year. During that initial visit, Laurie said her daughter became enthusiastic about entering the competition the following year when she met the age eligibility requirement.

"The kids like to go and see all the animals and all the things they have at the fair," said Laurie. She said the family went to arts and crafts exhibit and Zarra had the opportunity to see what other children had submitted for judging.

"She was really excited about the pictures she saw and the drawings the kids had done," said Laurie. "They do all these different things. It's really cute. She saw it and she was excited. She wanted to enter something too, but she wasn't old enough."

She then requested the rule book listing the requirements to

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Mill Race Matters

Thursday, Oct. 4
Archivists, Cady Inn, 9 a.m.
Wedding Rehearsal Dinner, Church, 4:30 p.m.
Friday, Oct. 5
Wedding Rehearsal, Church, 7 p.m.
Saturday, Oct. 6
Wedding, Church, 4 p.m.
Sunday, Oct. 7
Mill Creek Community Church, 10 a.m.
All Buildings Open to the Public, 1-4 p.m.
Tuesday, Oct. 9
Stone Gang, Cady Inn/Grounds, 9 a.m.
Wednesday, Oct. 10
Mill Creek Community Church Prayer Meeting, Church, 7:30 p.m.

Tickets are available through the Parks and Recreation Department at Hillside for the cemetery walk taking place on Oct. 28 at Oakwood Cemetery. Local personalities will take on the persona of some individuals who are known for their contributions to the Northville area.

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BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
REGULAR MEETING SYNOPSIS
3:00 P.M., MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2001

Regular meeting called to order at 3:16 p.m.
Present Thomas Yack, Steve Mann, Richard Henningsen.
Agenda – adopted as amended, adding items VIII(a) and VIII(b).
Minutes of the regular meeting of August 27, 2001 – approved.
Schedule of operating expenses totaling $1,120,162.23 – approved.
Operations & Maintenance Report for August 2001 – received and filed.
Director's Report for September 2001 – received and filed.
Second Amendment To Final Order of Abatement No. 2138 – approved.
Emergency Wet Weather Treatment System; Administrative Consent Order – draft accepted.
Award of Contract; Grit Removal and Disposal from Sanitary Sewer Pump Stations – purchase order contract awarded to Genessee Industrial Services of Detroit, Michigan.
2001 Goals Update – received and filed.
SCADA Phase 3 Approval – purchase order contract awarded to Aggressive Systems, Inc , of Farmington Hills, Michigan.
YCUA Plant Expansion Update – received and filed
The regular meeting was adjourned at 4 35 p.m.

Chairman,
THOMAS J YACK

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21260 Haggerty Road – Nazarene Church
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(734) 216-7454 Ron Schubert Pastor

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Children's Church 10 AM
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Worship 10am
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Wednesday Meeting 7 30 p m

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Sunday 7 30 9 11 a m & 12 30 p m
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Church 349 3140 School 349-3146
Sunday Worship 8 30 a m & 11 00 a m
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Sunday Worship at 9 45 a m
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Sunday School 9 15 11 00 Nursery both services (year round)
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Sunday Worship 10 45am & 6 30 p m
Wed Youth Meetings 7 00 p m
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Sunday School 9 30 a m

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Father Joseph Horn Assoc Pastor
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Northville School Briefs

WINCHESTER FALL SOCIAL

Winchester Elementary School will hold its annual fall social on October 12, 2001, from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

There will be plenty of fun for everyone. The festivities will include a moonwalk, slide, food, games, a silent auction, DJ and special entertainment. Food and game tickets will be sold at the door. Winchester is inviting the community to bring the entire family for this event.

THORNTON CREEK DONATES

The children at Thornton Creek Elementary collected $6,441 in four days for the families of the victims in the Sept. 11 tragedy in New York City, with the support and contributions of their families.

Of the amount, $935 came in the form of coins, with children emptying their piggy banks and bringing the change to school in plastic bags and containers.

A school note about the "New York Relief Fund" went home with children on Sept. 18. The next day children filled a large jar with money and replenished it with checks, bills and coins all week.

On behalf of the Thornton Creek Elementary School students, PTA President Romie Bruns deposited the money into the American Red Cross fund, matched by Comerica Bank, for direct aid to those affected hardest in the tragedy.

OLV CONTRIBUTES TO RED CROSS

Students and families from Northville's Our Lady of Victory have raised $1,500, which will be sent to the American Red Cross.

According to Jaylee Lynch, principal of Our Lady of Victory, students participated in a number of fundraising events. On Sept. 17, students donated $1 and donned red, white, and blue clothing, in lieu of their uniforms. Lynch also said students made red, white and blue ribbons and sold them for $1 a piece. The school also hosted a two-day bake sale Sept. 19-20.

"This became one massive service project from the seventh grade class," said Lynch.

She also said that the amount raised by Our Lady of Victory is being matched by Comerica Bank in Northville.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO REPRESENT MEADS MILL

Meads Mill Middle School is looking for individuals interested in serving on the district's Technology Committee and on the district's Curriculum Council. These committees meet no more than once a month.

The technology committee works with our computer people, teachers and other parents. Traditionally, the committee has written policy and monitors the district technology systems.

Another committee seeking Meads Mill parent representation is the District Curriculum committee. This group meets once a month in the late afternoon. The charge of this committee is to review the curriculum and textbook recommendations for every level. There is a master plan for timing and what areas are reviewed during what years. The volunteers are provided the curriculum for review prior to the meetings. Participants need not be experts with computers or curriculum.

Interested volunteers are to contact Sue Meyer at (248) 344-8435.

MIDDLE SCHOOL FOOTBALL GAME

The fifth annual middle school evening football game is slated to take place Oct. 30 at 5:30 p.m. at the Northville High School football stadium. The Hillside Raiders will be taking on the Meads Mill Patriots.

Admission for adults and visitors is $1.00. There is no admission charge for students. The concession stand will be open.

DESTINATION IMAGINATION

There will be an organizational meeting for Destination Imagination (formerly called Odyssey of the Mind) on Monday, Oct. 15, 2001, at Meads Mill Middle School at 7 p.m. in the media center. Participants are encouraged to come to this meeting with an idea of when your child is available to meet with a team and what assistance parents are able to give either by coaching or organizing Destination Imagination activities.

Check the Destination Imagination Web site for information on the problems for this year at *www.dini.org*

For more information about this meeting contact Diane Farquhar at (734) 420-2127 or Joan Wadsworth at (248) 348-5881.

HERMAN BOONE COMING TO NHS

The Northville Youth Assistance and the Northville Area Council of PTAs will welcome coach Herman Boone, the inspirational and triumphant coach from "Remember the Titans" who will be speaking on respect, teamwork and character. Boone is slated to speak in the Northville High School auditorium at 7:30 p.m. on Nov. 1.

Admission is free and afterward, Boone will autograph video tapes and DVDs of the Disney film.

For more information, call (248) 344-1618.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

The Northville Co-op Preschool will be celebrating its 50th anniversary during the 2001-2002 school year. A combination fundraiser auction and 50th anniversary buffet celebration are planned for the evening of Nov. 9 at the St. John's Golf and Conference Center located at 44045 Five Mile Road in Plymouth.

Alumni, current members, family and friends of the Northville organization are welcome to help celebrate this special milestone.

Interested persons are invited to contact the Northville Co-op Preschool at (248) 348-1791.

OVS PARENT GROUP

All parents with children in the Old Village program are invited to join the school's Parent-to-Parent Group. This group provides a relaxed atmosphere for parents to gather in a social setting to discuss common concerns. For the past few years, the group met in different homes, but it was decided that having the meetings at Old Village best met the group's needs.

The first Parent-to-Parent meeting is scheduled at 10 a.m. on Friday, October 12, 2001. The meeting will take place on the third floor of Old Village School and will last until approximately 11:30 a.m.

For the first meeting, Diana Rignato from the Family Support Network and Children's Special Health Care Services will give a brief overview of her program. Questions and answers will follow. Parents will then be given time to network with other parents of students from Old Village School.

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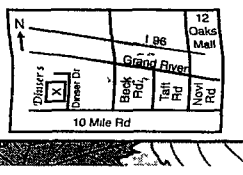
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Pint-size Picasso gets saluted at state fair exhibit

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submit drawings.

Zarra Williams was grouped with other children in the 5-7 age bracket range. She said for her age category, Zarra could choose to submit a drawing which had to be done in crayon only, a painting that used no pencil or crayon, or a clay sculpture.

Zarra opted to turn in a crayon drawing for the competition.

Laurie said the picture measured about 8½ by 11 inches and depicted flowers, a butterfly, two balloons and green grass.

Five-year-old Zarra further described how she created her prize-winning drawing.

"There was a couple flowers attached to the big flower," she said. "It was almost my mom's birthday. I was going to make a card for her."

However, according to Zarra, her picture which was intended as a gift for her mother was so large it filled the entire page.

"I didn't get to fold it," said Zarra. "It took up all the room on the paper."

Laurie said the family was thrilled when the family discovered the outcome of the judges' decision.

"When we got [to the exhibit], the blue ribbon was just hanging from it," said Laurie. "They had all the drawings and paintings hanging on huge feltboards. We looked around and found Zarra's and they had the blue ribbon attached. We were thrilled. We were really excited for her."

Laurie also said that her daughter had no parental assistance in creating her piece.

"She had my help getting the rules and mailing it in," Laurie said. "I didn't tell her what to draw. She did everything. She reminded me she wanted to enter something into the art exhibit and I called for the rulebook and mailed the picture for her."

She also said the first-place ribbon is hanging in her bedroom along with the picture.

Zarra said in future years she plans to submit additional entries.

"I love to draw," she said.

Laurie and her husband Michael reside in Northville with their two other children, Tully Ann and Michael, in addition to Zarra.

Jennifer Norris is a staff writer for the Northville Record. She can be reached at (248) 349-1700 ext. 107 or by e-mail at jnorris@ht.homecomm.net.

District maps out next steps in bond proposal

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the new school, determining the number of spaces necessary, the kind of spaces needed and the size of spaces required.

"We needed that specific information for the bond application," he said.

Bolitho also said the elementary design team also helps plan the schematics and examines the layout of the school building. Afterward, he said, the team looks at interior finishes and considers what kind of furniture, color scheme, tile, paint, and cabinetry should be used.

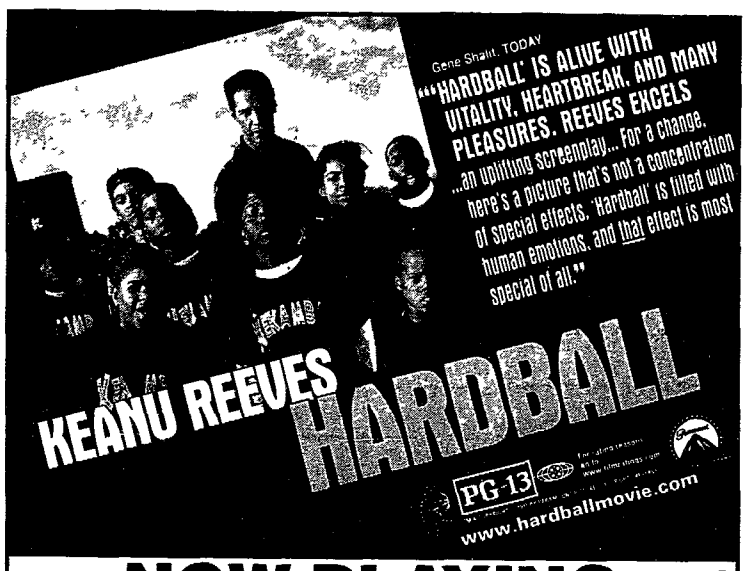
Visits to new schools, such as Deerfield Elementary in Novi, are also being planned.

The entire process will go before the board of education at a later date for their vote, said Bolitho.

The newest Northville school will be built on 15.2 acres of land that has been donated to the district by Gary Sakwa of Grand Sakwa Properties, LLC. That property is located west of Ridge Road and south of Six Mile Road. The proposal, which gave the land to the district in exchange for oversight of construction of the school was approved in mid-September.

The new elementary school is slated to be completed by the fall of 2003.

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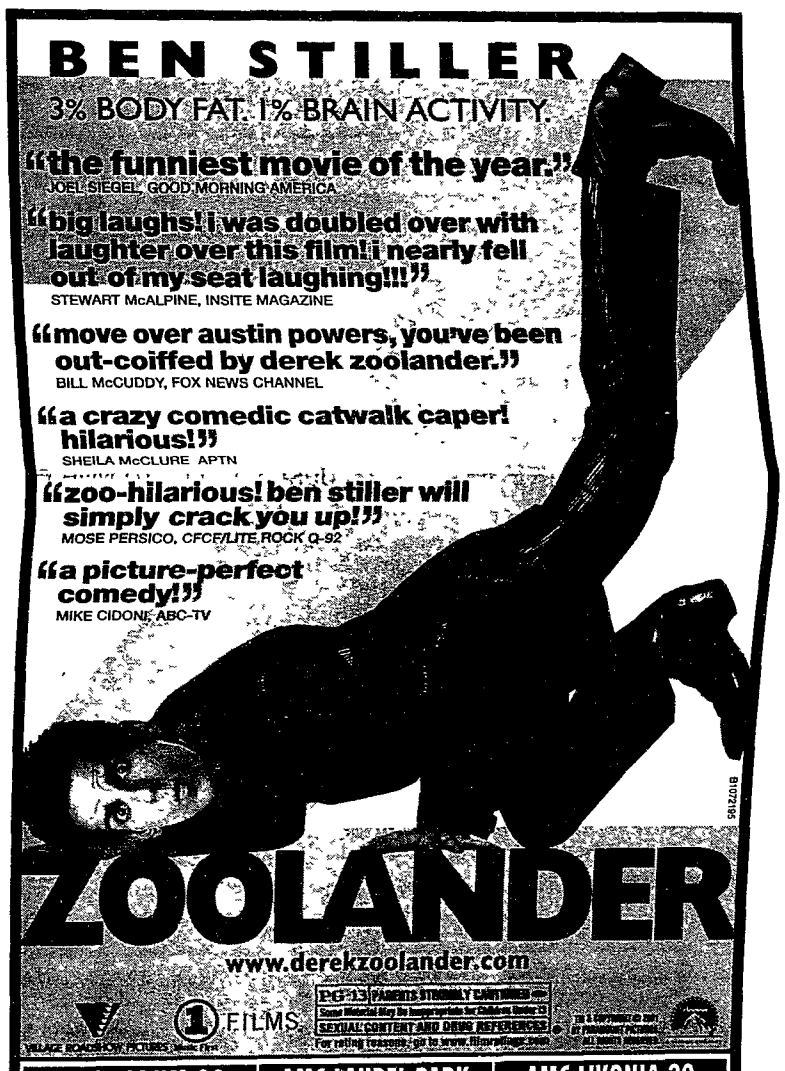
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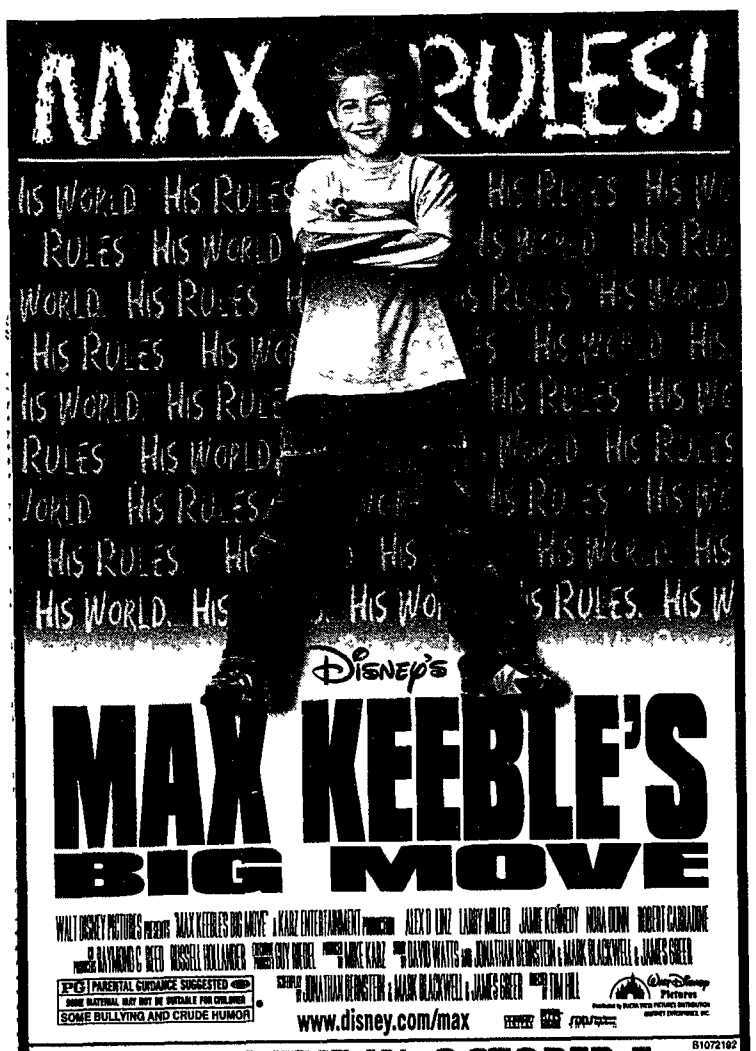
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American spirit is shining through

Three weeks have passed since that fateful day when four ordinary commercial airplanes turned into deadly torpedoes, shattering landscapes, buildings and more importantly, families.

But what terrorists were unable to shatter is Americans' tenacious spirit and a sense of hope. They were also unable to disjoint our mission and our responsibility to carry on and keep our nation moving forward.

We have seen our local community's response and we have watched with a sense of pride the support and assistance pouring in from the entire nation. Since Sept. 11, Americans have donated countless dollars, endless fundraising drives have been effectuated, schoolchildren have written letters and organized their own fundraisers, blood has been donated, banners have been created and signed by innumerable supporters and churches have held prayer sessions and offered counseling.

America has mourned this loss. Our community has mourned for the souls aboard the airplanes, the workers in the Pentagon and the World Trade Center, the families who have lost loved ones and the emergency crews that gave their lives attempting to help others.

We have all grieved this loss and shed rivers of tears. Now our community and country is beginning to face the ultimate challenge of resuming their normal activities and returning to a sense of normalcy and security. Is this possible?

The terrorists would love it if our nation kept trembling, but instead, we have committed ourselves to making our nation stronger.

We have seen signs all around us that Americans are slowly returning to that state of mind. On Novi Road, American flags are flying high and are no longer at half-mast. Citizens have returned to work and even the Reagan National Airport is slated to get back to business.

The terrorists would love it if our nation kept trembling, mourning, and began to turn on each other. But instead, we are doing what never thought we would do. Americans have in a sense bonded together to do the impossible. We have committed ourselves to making our nation strong and secure and we're pledged our prayers and financial support to those affected by this crisis.

Coping with this tragedy will not be without heartache and struggle, but as each new day unfolds, we believe Americans will find the strength and the stamina to continue their regular routines. We have faced tragedy before and we believe it has made us stronger.

We have a responsibility to do what the terrorists thought we could not. Instead of falling apart and rebelling against each other, the majority of Americans have joined hands to provide whatever support they could.

We can prove our nation has only been bruised and not beaten. Our mission now is to heal and continue to support our neighbors to the east.

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Silver Springs school students and teacher Merilee Zane add their thoughts to a giant get-well card intended for the victims of the terrorist attacks on New York City. The kids are Brittany Snively, Lucas Ronk, Eugene Kim, Menal Shoukair, Preet Gulati, Robby Buschbacher, and Ian Lovdahl.

LETTERS

■ Thanks for help with OVS golf event

On Sept. 22, the second annual Old Village/Cooke Golf Outing was held at the Woodlands of Van Buren Golf Course. Eighty-four golfers arrived for a perfect day of fun and golf. Thirty-six hole sponsor signs dotted the golf course in support of both schools.

A total of $6,500 was raised and has been divided between both schools. These monies will be used for student equipment, music therapy and leisure recreation activities, such as swimming, bowling and roller-skating.

The students of Old Village and Cooke schools would like to express their appreciation to the following very generous hole sponsors who supported this outing: Mr. and Mrs. Fosgard, Jim and Anne Holycross, E.W. Smith Agency Inc., Michigan Educational Credit Union, Northville Education Association, HAF Industries, W.H. Greenwalt C/O: Rochester Metal Products, Northville Federation of Paraprofessionals, Northville Police and Command Officers Association, the Karoub Family, Northville Downs, Highland Lakes Shopping Plaza, Trader Tom's Tobacco and Gifts-Highland Lakes Shopping Plaza, Old Village Realty, Plymouth; AAA Insurance, Northville; Wild Card Stables, Novi; Ron Wisniewski, Mr. and Mrs. Eric Prevost, Councilman Joseph M. Eadeh, the Dunbar Family, Starting Gate Saloon, Northville; S&J Asphalt Paving Co., Robert O. Sornson, Northville Director Special Education; HomeTown Newspapers, Copy Boy Printers, Vincent Electronics, A-1 Cement Inc., Precious Children Respite House, Gil-Mar Mfg. Co., Bill James Inc., Northville Gourmet & Wine Shoppe, Mid America Group, John A. Papalas & Co., Gardenviews inc. of Northville, Rep. Laura M. Toy, Northville fraternal Order of Eagles, Dennis and Marilynn Bachorik, and Bill and Lynda Waldeck.

It is through the generosity and thoughtfulness of people such as those who supported our golf outing that we can provide high quality programming for our students.

Arthur H. Fischer Jr.
Principal, Old Village School

Marilynn Bachorik
Principal, Cooke School

■ Election day had its problems

On Sept. 25, I attempted to vote in the school bond election. Unfortunately I was turned away from my precinct, being told I was not listed in that precinct. I have been voting in precinct 2 for nearly 20 years, while still residing at the same location. Upon further investigation and according to the precinct map, I still live in Precinct 2 but for some unknown reason, my school voting registration was reassigned to Precinct 5. I do not live anywhere near Precinct 5.

I returned home and called the school administration office and spoke to John Street in the business office. He confirmed that I was indeed correct and an error had occurred. His "explanation" was that the state had taken over school election registration but that a mistake had occurred. (My daughter's voter registration also had incorrectly been transferred to the wrong precinct.)

I then made a trip to the township office to straighten out the mistake. I had to insist that the clerk check the precinct map to verify that I was indeed correct before she would make the necessary corrections. She then printed new voter registration cards for my daughter and myself and "assured" me that the error had been corrected. Only time will tell.

My reason for writing this letter is to inform the Northville School District community of this incident. If this happened to me, how many other residents may have been turned away from their legitimate voting precincts? I can only hope that this was an isolated incident.

Melody J. Lang

■ Old Glory was lost — can you help?

Last week, I lost a very special flag. It is a large flag with 48 stars. It was the flag used in the military funeral for my godfather in 1955. He was a decorated Marine sergeant in World War II.

Last week, while attempting to hang the flag on my house, I placed it on the back roof of my wife's Explorer. Minutes later, as I was in the house, she drove off to work, not knowing it was there.

There is no name on the flag, so if someone found it, they would not know how to return it. It is very likely it blew off of our car roof on Novi Road between Nine and Ten Mile Roads. Perhaps it stayed on the car on Ten Mile Road.

If anyone knows where my flag is, I would certainly appreciate hearing from you. Thank you for taking good care of it. Please contact this newspaper.

Thank you. God bless America!

Michael Shebak

■ Pro-bond group thanks community

On behalf of Continuing Excellence for Northville's Children, we want to thank Northville voters for your overwhelming support of the $28.3 million Northville Public Schools bond proposal on Sept. 25. Your action will allow the district to construct the additional facilities needed to provide a high-quality education to all students in our growing community.

We also want to thank everyone who helped make this campaign a successful one. Whether you volunteered your time and/or gave financial support, you contributed to the educational needs of all of our children. We feel privileged to have worked with and gotten to know so many of the people who make Northville a very special place to call home.

Nancy Clarkson
Mike Poterala
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■ Assistance was plenty in OLV cause

I am writing on behalf of the kindergarten classes and third grade class at Our Lady of Victory school to thank a few very special people that work in our community for their efforts in making our popcorn drive for alopecia such a success:

Michael Hollard (Coca-Cola distributing manager) provided the collection bags for the drive. Hiller's Market on Main Street for allowing us to return them, especially Day Nied and Dave Collins.

Based on the wonderful response we received, we are sending a check for $700 to the Alopecia Arcale Foundation on behalf of their classmate, Joey Silvestri.

Josephine Silvestri

■ Anti-war folks don't understand

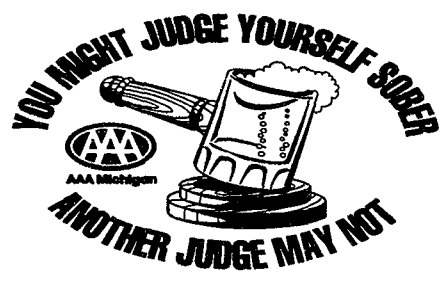
All cultures are not equal, nor are all ideologies, nor all ideas. Most of the students protesting on the college campuses these days want the Bush administration to eschew the "search and destroy" tactics as the best way to preclude further terrorist attacks on our Country. The students, proving to be lackeys and dupes of the socialist teachers in the classroom, mouth their protestations along with continued chants for fairness and equality for the peoples of the world. Their socialist blathering condemns the United States as the Country most responsible for the world's ills, the disease and famine rampant in many lands.

Their egalitarian, socialist, suggestions for solving the problems of Countries that have not yet reached the 21st Century, are "solutions" that would result in greater want and need, and certainly, less freedom than we now experience. Their socialist ideas have been disproved by von Mises and other economists who, when they contrast and compare socialism with capitalism, show the free market system to be vastly superior. Socialism is not an idea that should share equal consideration for adoption for it is a system of slavery. Slavery should not have equal status with other suggestions that can be made to accomplish a plethora of goods.

Not many realize that socialism is slavery, but what else would you call an economic system that chooses to encourage a selected few to arbitrarily determine production and consumption, conscript workers assigning them to jobs other than their choosing, precluding any discussion or bargaining for working conditions and pay scales for the workers, forbidding the schooling for advancement, and the denial of mobility and change of jobs? And the socialist system means much less freedom than has already been identified.

The columnists who have recently cheered the protest efforts of students, with little background, education, knowledge, understanding, and experience, students foiling for the left, are suspect "Americans." It is the most disagreeable facet of my life today that there are anti-Americans around me, people who know so very little about our Country's history and culture, who would behave to deny all the others of our land our peace, our prosperity, our culture, our way of life, our very freedom.

Neil Goodbred



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OTHER OPINIONS

The party's over in next election

Next year's election will be the biggest in years.

With Gov. John Engler leaving office, the governorship is up for grabs. Term limits will purge most sitting members of the state Senate. Ambitious House members are jostling to move up. Poised to run for the state House are shoals of local politicians.

Those contemplating the wonders of running would do well to remember the old adage: Be careful in what you wish for; you just might get it.



Phil Power

The fact is that the 10-year boom that made holding office so much fun — plenty of revenue to pay for both tax cuts and more spending — is over. Done. Finished. Instead, financial experts are predicting Michigan's economy is heading into a downturn comparable to the tough times in the 1970s and early 1980s produced by the Arab oil embargo and the Gulf War in 1991.

Tax collections were headed south even before the terrorist attacks on Sept. 11. With a full-blown recession almost certainly in the cards, the revenue picture looks very, very bleak. It's clear the state budget that begins this week (on Oct. 1) is based on wildly optimistic revenue estimates, and some in Lansing are saying the budget for next year could be out of balance by $1 billion or more.

That puts candidates who were looking forward to more fun and games while in office in a real bind. The obvious financial policy remedy is to cut costs and — gasp! — raise revenue. But advocating the obvious becomes tough in a competitive and uncertain election year.

When it comes to cutting appropriations, most Democrats roll their eyes and look for ways to sidle out of the room. Most Republicans are fixated on cutting taxes. Both are utterly unprepared to answer the simplest questions about what they would do about the state's financial situation if elected.

In an attempt to be helpful to those running for office, I offer two modest proposals.

First, postpone the scheduled reduction in income and business taxes until the economy picks up. Freezing the present rates at current levels would yield around $200 million in revenue this fiscal year and almost $600 million next year. Although this isn't going to cure budget shortfalls of $1 billion, it ain't chicken-feed.

Second, stop burying our head in the sand about imposing sales taxes on purchases made over the Internet.

There is no doubt that shopping on the net is the wave of the future. Customers accustomed to pointing and clicking with their mouse are perfectly aware they aren't paying sales tax when the Fed Ex package arrives.

The Michigan tax form has a line where taxpayers can enter the 6 percent sales tax owed on purchases made from retailers who do not have a physical presence in Michigan. Hands up, everybody who has meticulously kept records and entered the appropriate six cents on every dollar spent!

Treasury estimates that not taxing purchases made on the Internet will cost Michigan $240 million this year. With retail sales still surging on the Internet, the revenue lost is likely to increase substantially in years to come. (While we're at it, consider that not taxing out of state retailers is in fact a 6 percent penalty against companies that have stores in Michigan and provide jobs to our citizens.)

I realize neither of my suggestions are as much fun as having it both ways, as we did in the prosper of the 1990s, but any candidate with even a shred of responsibility is going to come up with a plausible policy.

From his position as chairman of the National Governors Association, Engler is leading an attempt to set up a collection system for taxes on Internet purchases. Some 20 states have already signed up, not including Michigan, yet.

The bill stalled in House Tax Policy Committee this spring, where conservatives assailed it as a new tax that will stifle the promise of e-commerce. Leadership managed to bypass Tax Policy by running a new bill through House Commerce. Once it reached the floor, representatives narrowly approved the measure in a 57-50 vote.

I realize neither of my modest suggestions are as much fun as having it both ways, as we did in the 1990s. But any candidate with even a shred of responsibility is going to have to come up with some plausible policy for resolving what, as of now, looks like a very tough economic dilemma.

Phil Power is chairman of HomeTown Communications Network Inc., the company that owns this newspaper. He welcomes your comments, either by voice mail at (734) 953-2047, ext. 1880, or by e-mail at ppower@homecomm.net.

It depends on who tells the tale

Depending on who is telling the story, Sen. Loren Bennett, R-Canton, and Rep. Marc Shulman, R-West Bloomfield, might just rank as the heroes of the business community this week.

Either that or it was just another day of budget negotiations.

Bennett and Shulman were key players in the debate over who should be covering the costs of administration of workers compensation. Earlier this year, Gov. John Engler began pushing to drop the state's $15.8 million support for the office and cover the costs through an assessment levied on businesses.



Mike Malott

Business people, who already cover the entire cost of benefits paid to workers injured on the job, reacted strongly to the proposal. They argued that both the state and workers derive some benefit from the program, so it would not be unreasonable for the state to continue funding administration from the General Fund through the budget for the Department of Consumer and Industry Services.

The debate, which started in the spring and caused the delay of passage of the $570 million CIS budget, had to be settled before the Oct. 1 start of the new fiscal year.

Bennett, who initially drafted the CIS budget with funding for workers comp in it, and Shulman, head of House Appropriations, both opposed the governor's plans.

As Rich Studley of the Michigan Chamber of Commerce tells it, the pair of lawmakers became the target of intense lobbying by the administration as the budget bill neared a final vote on the House floor. The two were reportedly dragged into Sen. Harry Gast's office in the Capitol building and subjected to some heavy arm-twisting.

The administration spelled out the choices, assess the cost to businesses through some new form of tax on businesses or draw money from a penalties and interest account in the unemployment compensation system.

That wasn't much more acceptable, Studley contended, because it would be inappropriate to use money intended for unemployed workers to pay for services to injured workers. Essentially, that would constitute mingling the accounts.

Bennett and Shulman countered with an ultimatum of their own, according to Studley's version. Either the administration could find the money somewhere else in the budget in one hour or lawmakers would go in search of another place to cut themselves.

Todd Harcek, chief of staff for Shulman, goes along for the most part with Studley's version.

The two lawmakers had to be firm with the administration that the bill was not going to pass without funding for workers compensation administration in it. Lawmakers only get two shots at passing a bill. Having been rejected once before, had the bill gone down again, it would have had to be redrafted and the process would have had to start all over again.

Ultimately, they told the governor's office that to come up with the money, they would have to "look within."

But Bill Sullivan, aide to Bennett, says there is only a kernel of truth to the story. Yes, Bennett and Shulman went to Gast's office to meet with the administration, but only because it was the only office available for them to use.

He says there were no ultimatums, no arm-twisting.

Yes, Shulman and Bennett did give the administration one hour to find money from elsewhere in the budget, but only because time was running out and the bill was on deadline for passage.

It took a little longer, an hour and half actually, for Engler's office to find enough money to cover cost from two lapsing accounts in Securities and Corporations, Sullivan explained, but it was enough of a compromise to allow the bill to pass.

It can be pretty uncomfortable when lawmakers find themselves in the position of facing down their own governor.

Of course when it happens, they also are not eager to point out that there has been dissension in the party ranks either.

Either way, it appears the business community won the day, and folks in business have Bennett and Shulman to thank for it.

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Surprise! Generosity blossoms

Thirty days ago if someone told me that an unprecedented American disaster was going to unite the country and result in a massive public display of patriotism and religious signage, I probably would have laughed.

But nobody is laughing now.

Thirty days ago, I also would have been hard-pressed to find something nice to say about society in general, but since mid-September it seems like society's general attitude has taken a 180 degree turn for the better.



Jennifer Norris

I particularly noticed this Thursday afternoon when I was dining in a Northville restaurant with one of my co-workers. What was supposed to be an average lunch break, soon became a lesson in humility and generosity.

My co-worker, Diane Deel, and I entered the bustling, crowded restaurant and were seated near a window. That afternoon, the restaurant was overflowing with hungry lunchtime patrons and the waitstaff were scurrying to keep the guests well-fed and content. Some visitors were standing in line, waiting to be seated and served.

After our orders were placed, Diane and I had a fairly lengthy wait since the waitstaff had patrons at just about every table. As we were waiting, we happened to be sitting next to a married couple from Novi who turned out to be in the restaurant business as well. To help pass the time, we struck up a friendly conversation with the couple sitting across from us. We discovered that Diane and the other woman had ironically ordered the same exact dish.

What happened next reminded me that although our nation has been ravaged and pummeled with the effects of terrorism, there are still warm-hearted individuals out there who have not lost sight of the importance of showing compassion for others.

When our food and the married couple's order was brought out simultaneously, we discovered that Diane had received the wrong dish. Instead of her favorite sandwich, she was served a noodle pasta dish.

The married man sitting across from us noticed Diane's disappointment and without hesitation, told the server that he would eat the pasta dish and he gave his selection to his wife to eat. His wife, who had originally ordered the same sandwich that Diane had requested, volunteered to give her plate to Diane.

I immediately thought how chivalrous and gracious these two people were to voluntarily swap their requested selections to appease a total stranger. After the plate exchange, neither the man nor the woman sitting across from us had what they originally wanted to eat. But they said it didn't matter.

Diane and I offered to help pay the couple's bill since they had been so affable towards us, but they flatly refused to accept any money.

In times such as these, the trend of displaying a sense of nationalism seems to have been resuscitated. A heightened regard for public fellowship and companionship has blossomed. More than ever, it appears that humanity has grasped and re-knotted the thread that weaves us together.

Thirty days ago, I would have been hard-pressed to find something nice to say about society in general, but since mid-September, things seem to be taking a turn for the better.

It's invigorating and reassuring to think that when calamity strikes, most Americans respond with service, support and benevolence.

This past Thursday, my co-worker and I personally witnessed an example of the caliber of the human spirit during a chance encounter with a married couple from Novi at mealtime.

The husband and wife did more than volunteer to trade meals with a stranger, they sacrificed their own desires to make someone else happy. That day, those people taught me a lesson in humbleness and reminded me that serving others has its own very special rewards.

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Silver Springs rallies for NY cause

By JENNIFER NORRIS
Staff Writer

Students at Silver Springs Elementary have stepped to the forefront to show their support for the victims of the Sept 11 tragedy that ravaged New York City

A school-wide donation drive was organized and a special banner was prepared to send to New York As of Sept 19, Silver Springs families had donated $780 which is to be donated to the American Red Cross

Students had the opportunity to verbally express their condolences and thoughts on a die-cut heart which was later glued to a large banner The banner was displayed in the front hallway at the elementary school

Fourth grade students in Merilee Zane's class initiated the idea for the banner and the donation drive which then evolved into a building-wide project, said Kathy Bernard, a PTA vice president for Silver Springs.

According to Zane, the project came as the product of a class discussion on heroes. Zane said students inquired how they could be heroes and show their support.

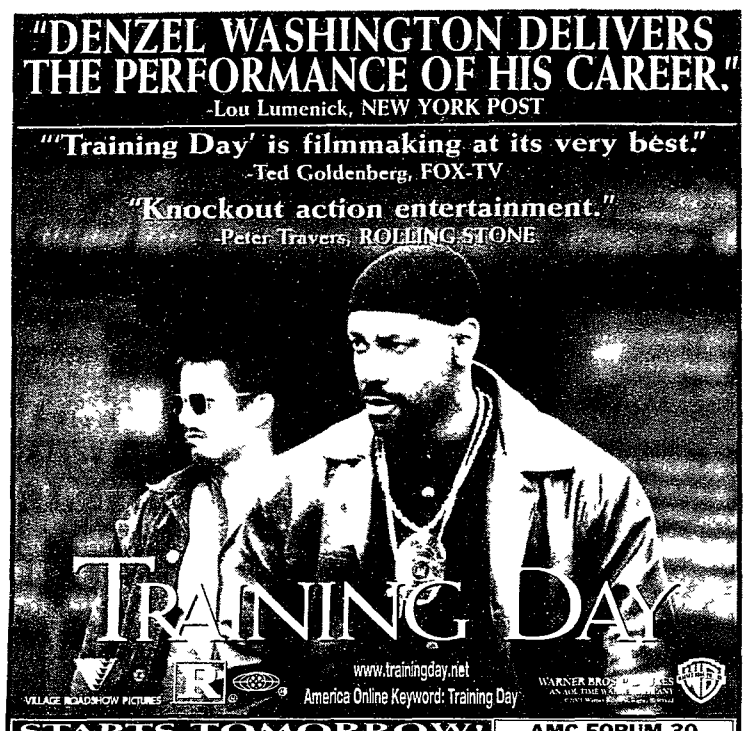
She also said that the plan to help those affected by the terrorism disaster can be linked to the character development school theme of "doing the right thing."

"They wanted to help the people in New York," she said.

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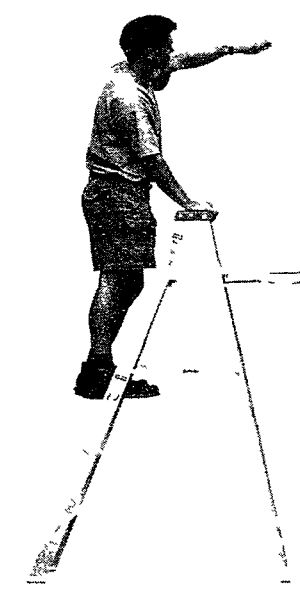
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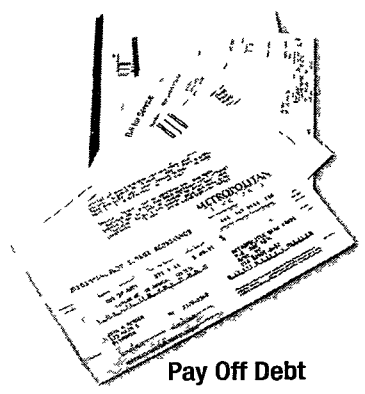


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Northville alum records song for Sept. 11

By JENNIFER NORRIS
Staff Writer

Grieving for the lives lost on Sept. 11 can take many forms, but one former Northville resident used his musical talent to help others find their voice.

Greg Poulos, a 1989 Northville High School graduate, has written and produced a song entitled "9-11." His song can be heard online at *www.psilo.com.*

After learning of the terrorist attacks in New York, Washington D.C. and Pennsylvania, Poulos felt compelled to create this ballad.


Greg Poulos

"It's very timely," he said. "I think it fulfilled an immediate need to express what I was feeling and help others heal."

Poulos said he wrote the words to the song in about ten minutes and recorded the music to the song in his studio.

"It conveys a message of hope and healing," he said. "That's what I want it to say. It basically tells a story of what I witnessed [on television]. I didn't move all day. The song came out a day later."

Poulos described "9-11" as a folk song, which features a mixture of guitar and piano sounds. The song is slightly over three minutes in length.

Although Poulos does not produce music on a full-time basis, he said he has been writing songs for ten years and is in the process of recording his first solo CD.

He said most of his songs reflect events he has personally experienced. In this case, the events of Sept. 11 prompted Poulos to put his thoughts into music and help others cope.

"Some songs just write themselves and this was one of them," he said.

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City braces for reduced state funds

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ment. The $50,000,000 reduction from the revenue sharing budget has been reallocated by the state into other programs and state budget line items.

Since the city boundaries fall within Wayne and Oakland counties, population totals — as well as growth — in these two counties are factored in to determine the amount of revenue a city, township or village would receive. Revenue sharing is distributed funding that was accumulated by the sales tax. The city's Oakland County population and overall growth has been relatively stagnant compared to other Oakland communities.

"The change from the projection to the actual amount for our Wayne County section is not that significant, but the Oakland County change was," Bateson said. "This is most likely due to our relative growth compared to other communities in Oakland County. Our growth has not compared to others."

The 1990 census population figures for the Oakland section of the city was at 3,367 and for 2000 it was 3,352. For the Wayne area it was 2,859 in 1990 and 3,107 in 2000.

The state also distributes funding for the city's major and local street funds through Act 51. The funding for this year's distribution will decrease by $19.2 million. Bateson said major and local street projects include such daily, routine undertakings as cleaning and snow removal.

"Our contingency fund could cover any unforeseen problems such as a great amount of snow removal this winter. I will also be recommending to the city council to increase the general fund contribution to the street projects," Bateson said. "However, we are not planning any changes to this program."

Bateson and city staff will also be reviewing the overall budget as well as specific departmental budgets in order to adjust expenditures to revenue. Bateson said budget amendments will be made in October.

"This has clearly been the worst year in recent history for significant negative variances the State of Michigan's Treasury Department for revenue sharing estimates," Bateson said. "Based upon this level of volatility, and the tight parameters that the general fund budget is prepared under, we may want to consider an allowance of minus-10 percent in future budget years."

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'Nick and Pete' hits the streets

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She said she has a contract for two more books with Huckleberry Press, which have already been written. Those two books are slated to be available in 2002. One of Palazeti's upcoming books is a religious story and the other is about a little boy with a strange name.

Although Palazeti is excited to have her first book available to the public, she said the path to publication is long and arduous.

"Most of my stories come back rejected before anybody buys them," she said. "A writer's life is full of rejection. This was the first time I sent [Nick and Pete] out and Huckleberry Press signed a contract for it."

She said it was a rare for one of her pieces to be accepted immediately.

"I've only had that happen to me one other time in 12 years and that was for a magazine article," said Palazeti. "Most of the time it takes several attempts before my stories are purchased."

Palazeti also said that she enjoys visiting local schools and speaking with students about her work.

"I love going to schools because I feel comfortable in front of the kids," she said. "Kids are always enthusiastic about writing. Writing is such a big part of the curriculum. Children seem to enjoy it so much."

Palazeti said she has spoken to students at Winchester Elementary and Amerman Elementary School.

She said "Nick and Pete" is written at an age-appropriate level for young readers.

"It works well for children that are just learning how to read. It's easy to read, but it has a chapter book format."

Palazeti resides in Northville with her husband, Jeff, and two children, Maria and Niko.

She also said "Nick and Pete" can be purchased online at *www.HuckleberryPress.com* or at *www.amazon.com*. Her first book is also available for sale at the Northville Library Bookstore for $6.95.

Palazeti said she will be doing a public book signing at the Northville Public Library on Nov. 13.

For information on scheduling school presentations the author may be reached at (248) 348-7783 or by e-mail at tpalazeti@hotmail.com

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U.S. rep secures big grant for police

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enable the department to have a suspect's fingerprint taken by the computer, such that if the suspect gives a false name or information the AFIS will relay the correct name or info to the department. Werth said with the system becoming computerized, the obtaining of information will only take a matter of minutes.

With the mugshot system becoming computerized, Werth said the department will be able to relay its photographs of criminals and receive mug shots from other departments over the interdepartmental computer system with greater ease. He said the quick transfer will allow the department to eliminate wasted time sorting through photos by having the computer do the sorting.

"We will be able to share more information and technology with other departments," Werth said. "The new software systems will also give us access to a larger informational database. New technology will permit officers to devote less time to processing an individual, which is good."

In addition, the new technology will help the department's training of new recruits. Werth said the department will also acquire four new laptop computers to aid officers in writing reports. He said the new software will make it easier and more organized to track a new recruit's training history.

"Ultimately, this grant allows us to place more police officers on the road to patrol and protect the township," Werth said. "We are looking forward to implementing the new technology."

The township department has applied for five grants from the state and federal governments since January, and has received three of them so far. Werth expects to receive word on the other two shortly. He said they will be devoted toward placing a school resource officer in the schools on a full-time basis.

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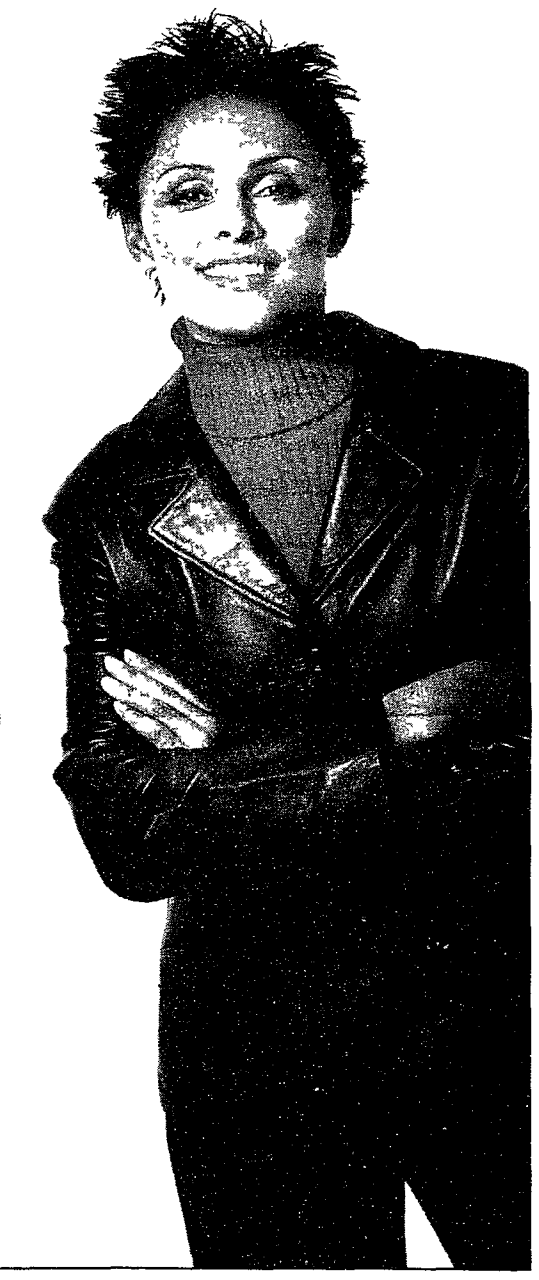
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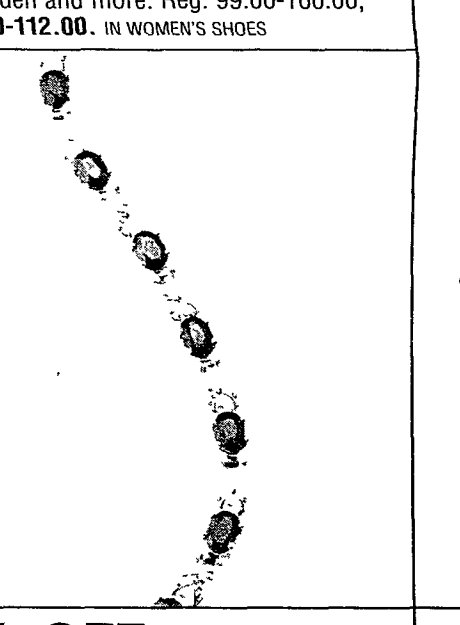
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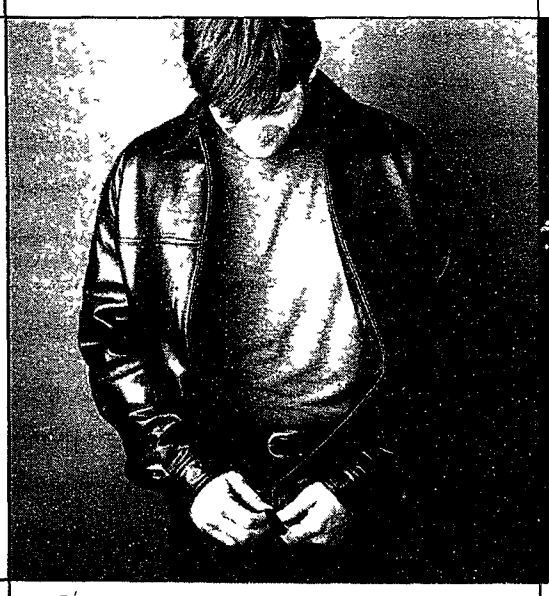


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Mustangs' trickery can't beat Hawks

Northville can't stop powerful Harrison

BY BRIAN DOYLE
Special Writer

Mustangs football

The Northville Mustang football squad was not planning to roll over for defending state champion Farmington Hills Harrison.

Trick plays and an emphasis on the passing game were all attempts to hand Harrison their first loss of the season. Unfortunately, even the best surprises were not enough to knock off the Harrison Hawks.

Farmington Hills Harrison rolled to a 61-20 victory over the Mustangs. Harrison's powerhouse offense proved to be too much for Northville's defense, but Northville's offense made a strong showing. They scored 20 points and allowed no turnovers against a strong Harrison defense.

"We wanted the kids to compete," Northville coach Darrel Schumacher said. "They hit them pretty hard, they competed."

Harrison struck often and early against the Mustangs. On their sixth play, quarterback Drew Stanton broke loose from 41 yards out to take an early 7-0 lead.

The Northville offense came out with no intentions of yielding to the Harrison juggernaut. On their first play, Northville attempted a pitch pass, but junior running back Matt Cornelius overthrew sophomore Tim Downing.

Schumacher said his game plan was to be creative and try to surprise Harrison.

After the snap for a punt flew over Cornelius, he made a good play to evade Harrison rushers and kick the ball out to Northville's 43. That wasn't enough as Harrison scored after three plays and made a two point conversion to go up 15-0. Stanton struck again on a five-yard pass when two Mustangs collided in the end zone.

Northville seemed to wake up in the second quarter. The Mustang offense drove 83 yards on 13 plays in just under 7 minutes. Again, Northville set up the score with a 26-yard reverse pitch pass to bring the offense within one yard of the red zone. Quarterback Drew Herpich hit Tim Downing on a slant to bring the ball down to the four. Downing ran the ball into the end zone with two rushes up the middle to bring Northville within 15.

Northville actually ended up outscoring Harrison 7-6 in the second quarter and Herpich's offense continued to roll as it scored two touchdowns in the third quarter. Unfortunately, that was no match for the four that Harrison scored.

Another pitch pass from Cornelius to Downing beat the defense and went 84 yards for the touchdown. The other touchdown was a 53-yard pass from Herpich to receiver Bill Adkins.

"The offensive line played well," Schumacher said.

The line was a big part of the reason Northville never turned the ball over. They protected Herpich and gave him time to throw the ball.

According to Schumacher, the team worked on passing a lot in the week preceding the game. The quick strike attack of a passing offense is needed to compete with Harrison.

The Mustang defense, however, had trouble containing Stanton. In the third quarter, Stanton scored on passes to Condeni and Agim Shabaj and on one rush from four yards out. By the end of the third quarter, Harrison was up 54-20 and added the final touchdown of the game in the last quarter to end up 61-20.

Stanton's passes to Shabaj was successful all night. Repeatedly, the pair made big plays for big yards

"They're exceptional athletes," Schumacher said of the pair.

"Everyone played well," he added and pointed out the noteworthy play of Herpich, who went 9 for 16, 135 yards and one touchdown, and Cornelius, who threw the 86-yard pitch-pass touchdown

A loss, even to a powerhouse like Harrison, has its downfalls.

"We need to work on our intensity and staying focused," Schumacher said.

The Mustangs are 3-3 as they head into the last 3 games of the regular season. The team faces Livonia Churchill (1-5, 0-5) next week and hopes to inch one step closer to a state playoff birth.

"Even though we're 3-3 right now, I think we're in good shape," he said "We're going to take it one game at a time."

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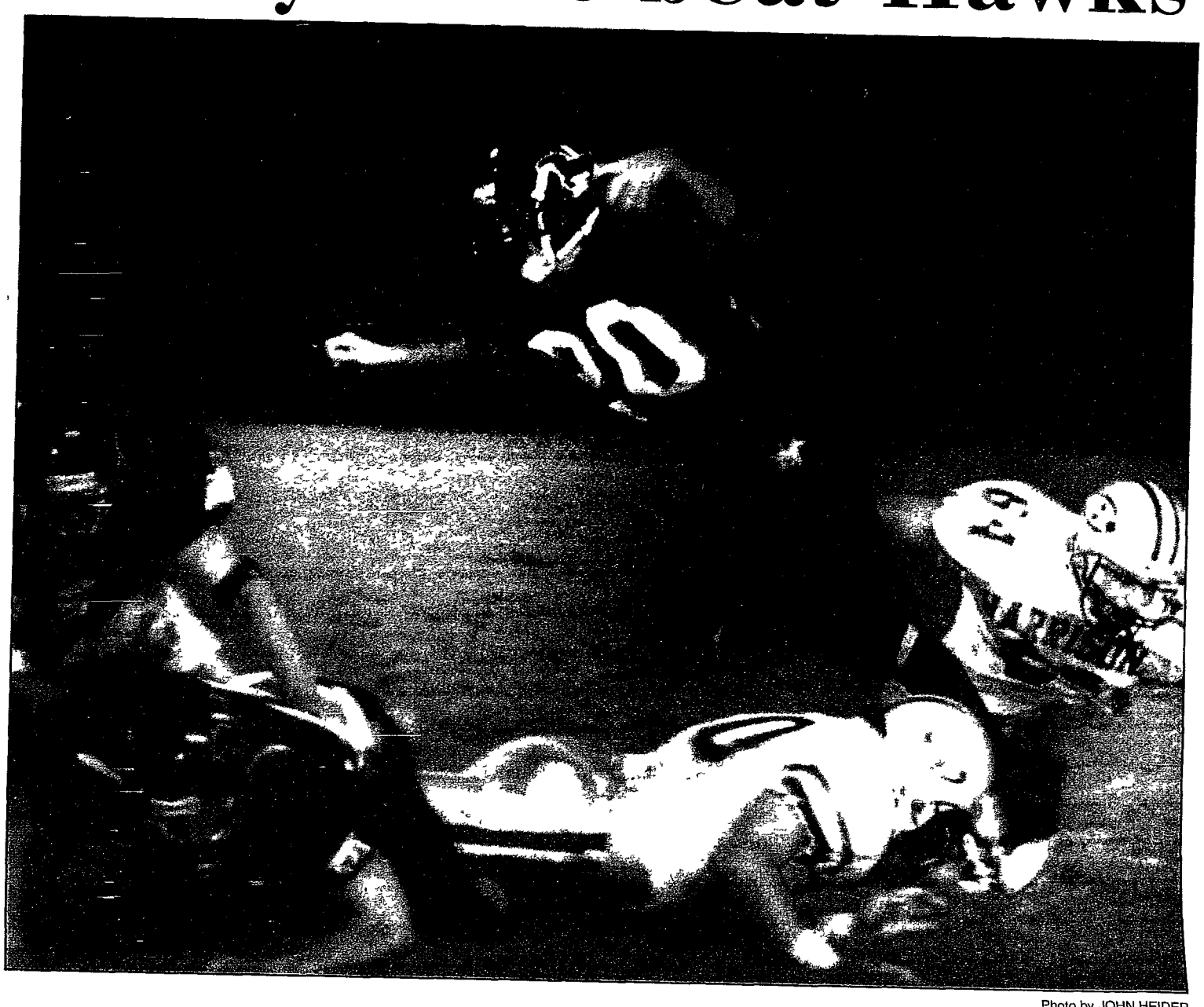


Photo by JOHN HEIDER

Mustang Tim Higgins goes airborne to get over some Farmington Hills Harrison linemen in Friday's game.

Farris plays role of senior well

Mustang loves sports, mom's M&M cookies at Christmas

By SAM EGGLESTON
Sports Reporter

Senior Spotlight

Name	Lauren Farris
School	Northville High School
Sports	Tennis, golf
Hobbies	Swimming, shopping, hanging with friends
GPA	3.7
Favorite Athletes	Williams sisters
Future Plans	Attend either Purdue or or DePaul to study fashion merchandising

Senior Lauren Farris is like many other high school girls — she like to shop and hang out with her friends and her family.

Unlike many other high school girls, Farris has a mean serve on the tennis court, a smooth putt on the links and a future she has thought long and hard about.

"I would like to go into fashion merchandising," Farris said, who was recently accepted to Purdue and is looking at DePaul University in Chicago. "That is when you can be a buyer for a store and decide what goes into that store."

Farris, who said she has "a closet full" of clothes, has plenty of experience when it comes to the ins and outs of the shopping industry.

"I like Guess and Wet Seal," she said. "I am really into clothes and they have a lot of different styles there."

Though Farris, who is a captain on the Northville tennis team as well as the golf team, could probably wear a different outfit each and every day, she said they are not just given to her.

"I have to work for them," Farris said of her clothing collection. "My parents are not the type to let me have everything. I am definitely not spoiled."

Farris has collected paychecks working at Max and Erma's, at a country club and at her grandfather's company — Signed Pros.

"They make signs and banners there," Farris said. "Some of my uncles work there too. I have to work in between tennis and golf season and in the summer and have to keep my grades up in school and do chores around the house."

When it comes to music, Farris said she listens to pretty much everything — except classical and a majority of the country music selections. She noted that her favorite movie is "What Lies Beneath" starring Harrison Ford and Michelle Phieffer, even though the movie doesn't star her acting heartthrob — Paul Walker.

"This summer I saw The Fast and the Furious something like three times," she said, but added it wasn't just her who wanted to see it. "It is because all of my guy friends wanted to see it and I went with them."

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Photo by JOHN HEIDER

Northville's Lauren Farris awaits a serve during a doubles game at home last Friday afternoon.

Mustang tennis continues to win

By SAM EGGLESTON
Sports Reporter

Northville tennis

The Northville Mustangs girls tennis team notched another win Friday after defeating Livonia Churchill.

The Mustangs dominated the majority of the meet, defeating Churchill 6-2.

"We had a good match against Churchill," Northville coach Sandy Woolfall said. "We played some very consistent opponents and did well."

The Mustangs used wins in all four doubles spots and two singles wins to capture the victory.

Wins came for the Mustangs as second doubles Jamie Lindholm and Erica Dobson edged Meagan Yachal and Sophia Luong 6-4, 7-5 and first doubles Lauren Farris and Sarah Poirier topped Leslie Ligeski and Danielle Russo 6-3, 6-2.

"Most of our doubles didn't have much of a problem," Woolfall said. "Second doubles got a little behind in the second set and then started concentrating a little more to come back with a win."

Fourth doubles Amanda Retzbach and Megan Bensette defeated Sarah Wight and Miti Saxene 6-0, 6-3 while third doubles Stephanie Patterson and Kelly Harrison pounded Tiffany McLann and Sandra Snubb 6-0, 6-2.

"Most of our doubles had it pretty easy," Woolfall said.

First singles found Lauren West notching another victory as she blasted Denise Zheng 6-0, 6-1 while fourth doubles Ashley Potchynok edged Yuliyn Polyackenco 6-7, 6-3, 6-1.

"Lauren West definitely dominated her opponent and was finished with her match in about 45 minutes," Woolfall

'Stangs at home again

By SAM EGGLESTON
Sports Reporter

Home is where the heart is — and the wins.

The Northville Mustangs girls basketball team will be looking to continue their success on their home court as they take on Churchill today for their third home game of the year.

The Mustangs are led by a very competent senior squad which includes guard Kelly Anderson and post players Maggie Ossola and Emily Ott.

Ossola's presence in the paint is felt by many of the Mustang opponents who try to go inside. Ossola, who stands 5-foot-7, has a season total 14 steals on players who drive to the hoop and has gathered 43

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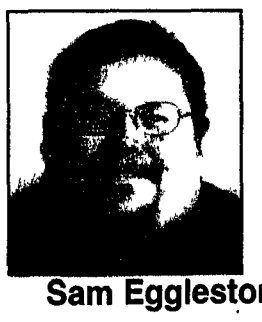
Northville Mustangs

vs.

Livonia Churchill Chargers

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Mustang tankers deserve our applause



Sam Eggleston

These girls definitely deserve a round of applause.

The Northville girls swim team, coached by Tom Silak, has been doing great throughout their season behind the leadership of senior captains Kim Veres, Ali Stewart, Laura Sheppard and Tara Karebian.

The girls, all 60 of them, have done a fantastic job this season with some having qualified for the state swim meet.

The team is made up of a slew of girls from different grades and include — Jen Zibbell, Brigette Warver, Robin Abbey-Lee, Becky Tracz, Jenny Houslander, Jessica Albosta, Elizabeth Hrivnak, Lindsay Cohn, Illyssa Golan, Veres, Krissy Kelly, Heather Atkinson, Angela Ruiz, Lauren Vershave, Heather Zinser, Stephanie Nevelle, Renne Christopher, Sarah Yanachik, Lisa Peterson, Laura Whitbeck, Jenny Carr, Kelly Smith, Sheppard, Jayne Young, Ashley Miller, Molly McClymont, Martha Pettijohn, Rachel Kowolski, Carly Matleey, Laura Nelson, Kathryn Kusuplos, Kristin Grant, Shannon Farris, Shannon Hogan, Erin Schubert, Kaitlyn McCann, Alex Teresczenko, Rebecca Kurtl, Sonja

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Mustangs should do well at home

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points in the eight games Northville has played (5.4 average).

Ott is equally effective in the paint as well as a tough player on the boards. The 5-foot-9 senior has collected 32 rebounds (four per game) as well as seven blocks, seven steals and 47 points (5.9 average).

Anderson is the team leader in more ways than one. She is the leading team scorer with 106 on the season (13.3 average) as well as the team leader in steals with 19 and field goals attempted and made (16-of-62). Watch for Anderson to light up the scoreboard against Churchill and to lead her team in scoring once again.

A great compliment to Anderson and a threat anytime she touches the ball, junior Nicole Cauzillo has notched 61 points on the season (7.6) with 36 of her total coming from three-point land. Cauzillo leads the Mustangs in assists (15) and ties Anderson for the most 3-pointers attempted and made (12-of-31). Cauzillo is a threat to any defense whether it be from the 3-point arch or her passing ability.

One of the brightest statistics to stand out for the Mustangs is the team-leading 56 rebounds hauled down by 5-foot-8 junior Lauren Temple. Temple has racked up seven rebounds a game for Northville while adding 26 points (3.3) and six blocks.

Laura Lemasters will also be a key player for the Northville cagers. Lemasters has only eight points on the season but makes her presence felt whenever she is on the hardwood. Playing the supportive role of depth will be juniors Amanda LaRiche, Kristin Moran, Jenn Larson, Erica Johnson and Lisa Bowen. All five of these players are vital to the success of the Mustangs throughout the rest of the season.

If the Northville starters can put points on the board in a fast and furious manner, watch for these players to get a chance to strut their stuff on their home court in front of their family, friends and teammates.

The Mustangs will no doubt play their hardest when they take on Churchill today — a game which shouldn't be missed, especially considering there will be only four more home games after this one.

The scheduled start of the contest is 7 p.m. at Northville High School.



Photo by TOM HIBBELN

Northville's Amy Black gets congratulated after winning the 500 yard freestyle event with a time of five minutes, 26.41 seconds.

Tankers looking to keep winning

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Tersczenko, Kaitlin Biocchi, Cassy Higgins, Kathryn Hicks, Michelle Grimmer, Kelly Auwers, Stewart, Amy Black, Katherine Fritz, Julie Schoenheide, Elizabeth Underwood, Allison Greenlee, Arielle Greenlee, Morgan O'Donnell, Jessica Smith, Deirdre Schwiring, Lisa Longeway, Jessica Stuber, Megan Houslander, Becky Nickels and Eileen Sheehy.

These girls, who will have taken on Novi Tuesday (after the *Northville Record* went to print), are some of the best and brightest swimmers in the Western Lakes Activities Association.

They deserve credit for their accomplishments, their abilities and their dedication to a sport they love to participate in.

Hopefully, everyone was able to truck over to Novi High School to see these girls in action, but if not there are still a couple of chances.

The Northville Mustangs — or would they be Sea Horses? — will be hosting Farmington Hills Harrison Hawks October 11 with the start time scheduled for 7 p.m. before heading over to Livonia Churchill to face the Chargers October 18 with another 7 p.m. start.

The last regular meet of the season, and the last home meet, will be when the Mustangs host the Plymouth Canton Chiefs October 25 at 7 p.m.

If given the chance go and see this swim and dive team in action. They are worth the time and the gasoline it will take you to get there.

Time is fading fast so make sure you get over to a meet and show these girls you support with a big round of applause.

Northville boys cross country falls to Churchill

By SAM EGGLESTON
Sports Reporter

Northville Mustangs coach Chris Cronin has been pointing to September 27 on the calendar since last June.

Cronin knew that his team would have to run its best race against division rival Livonia Churchill if they expected to retain the division title they earned in 2000.

"We knew about their top three and what they can do to us," Cronin said. "We saw it first hand at South Lyon Invitational."

In a dual meet, any team running one, two and three usually wins automatically — that's just what happened to the Mustangs September 27 when they fell to Churchill 25-30.

Wil Chapman ran an impressive time of 16:37 to lead all runners.

"Chapman looked like he wanted to prove something today and he did," Cronin said.

"He's a good runner who will be a factor for the WLAA's top runner."

Following close behind were Churchill's number two and three runners in Ryan Gall (16:54) and Logan Schultz (16:57).

"They have the best one, two and three combination in the WLAA and that makes them very tough in a dual meet," Cronin said. "We couldn't break them up and as a result, we never had a chance."

The Mustangs did have a strong race with their top seven runners setting personal records on the team's home course of Cass Benton.

Northville took spots fourth through eighth with Nick Moroz leading the charge in 17:10.

Phil Santer (17:12) and Clark Paciorek (17:14) were fifth and sixth.

"Phil has really come on these past few weeks," Cronin said. "I think he will be a factor at the Conference Meet."

Joe Lunn (17:24) and Tim Dalton (17:28) closed out the Mustang scoring.

"Our pack was all within 18 seconds of one another today and that will be a key to our success," Cronin said. "Can we all get better and can we all run in a pack like that? That team structure makes for good scores at larger invitationals."

Cronin also noted his team knew exactly what they had to do to win.

"Today we knew what we had to do and we came up short," he said.

The Mustangs' freshmen and sophomores will run at the John Glenn Freshmen/Sophomore Invitational before the team heads to the WLAA Triangular against Walled Lake Western and Canton.

"This will decide who gets the division title," Cronin said. "If we win this meet, we will tie with Walled Lake Western and Churchill."

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No horsing around

The member so fthe 2001 Northville High School Equestrian team are (on horseback from left to right) Lauren Karney (co-captain), Laura Snearly, Laura Prendergast, Emily Devendorf (co-captain) and Lindsey Scheer (holding the banner). The team is coached by Andrea Durham. They are a class C team competing in the Michigan Interscholastic Horse Association.

Northville cagers topple Harrison

By SAM EGGLESTON
Sports Reporter

The Northville Mustangs girls basketball team had to hold on and come back from behind against the fast-paced Farmington Hills Harrison Hawks September 27.

The Mustangs came back from behind in the fourth quarter to defeat the Hawks 46-45 with the assistance of an injured Nicole Cauzillo while three of the team's top players fouled out in the crucial final minutes.

"There was a huge momentum swing in the third quarter when we were up by 10," Mustang coach Pete Wright said. "We really had to show a lot of composure to stay in the game late in the fourth quarter when we ended up down by five."

With time expiring in the fourth quarter and the Hawks holding onto a minuscule lead, Northville's Cauzillo hit a free throw following two successful free throws by senior Maggie Ossola, just before she fouled out, and another by Lauren Temple.

"Cauzillo was injured late in the third quarter or early in the fourth," Wright said. "She came back and played the last 20 seconds for us when Maggie went out. She hit one-of-two free throws to put us up by three."

The Hawks drove back down the court in a last-second operation just to be greeted by all five Mustang players hugging the three-point arch. A quick dish inside and a lay-up at the buzzer left the Harrison players walking away with a 46-45 loss.

"They came down and shot a two instead of a three," Wright said. "We were yelling for the girls to guard against the three and all five of them came out to the arch. Harrison passed the ball inside to one of the two players we left open and they scored the basket at the buzzer."

The Mustangs followed the scoring lead of senior Kelly Anderson, who fouled out of the contest with nearly seven minutes remaining, and Temple with 11 points apiece.

The Hawks, who had their coach ejected out of the game with three technical fouls in the third quarter, were led by stellar guard Ayana Richmond who poured in 20 points, while Victoria Christian added 12.

Anderson's 11-point game pulled her past the century mark for the season, climbing her point total to 106 — a big change for last season.

"Anderson has had to pick up a lot of the scoring we lost from last year when we graduated three seniors," Wright said. "We lost close to 30 points a game with the seniors we graduated. Kelly needed to pick up the scoring and she had done an excellent job doing that."

The Mustangs will have visited John Glenn Tuesday (after the *Northville Record* deadline) before hosting Churchill today at 7 p.m.

"Churchill is a division game," Wright said. "They are better than they have been. They have a very good senior guard and a freshman guard that has been scoring too."

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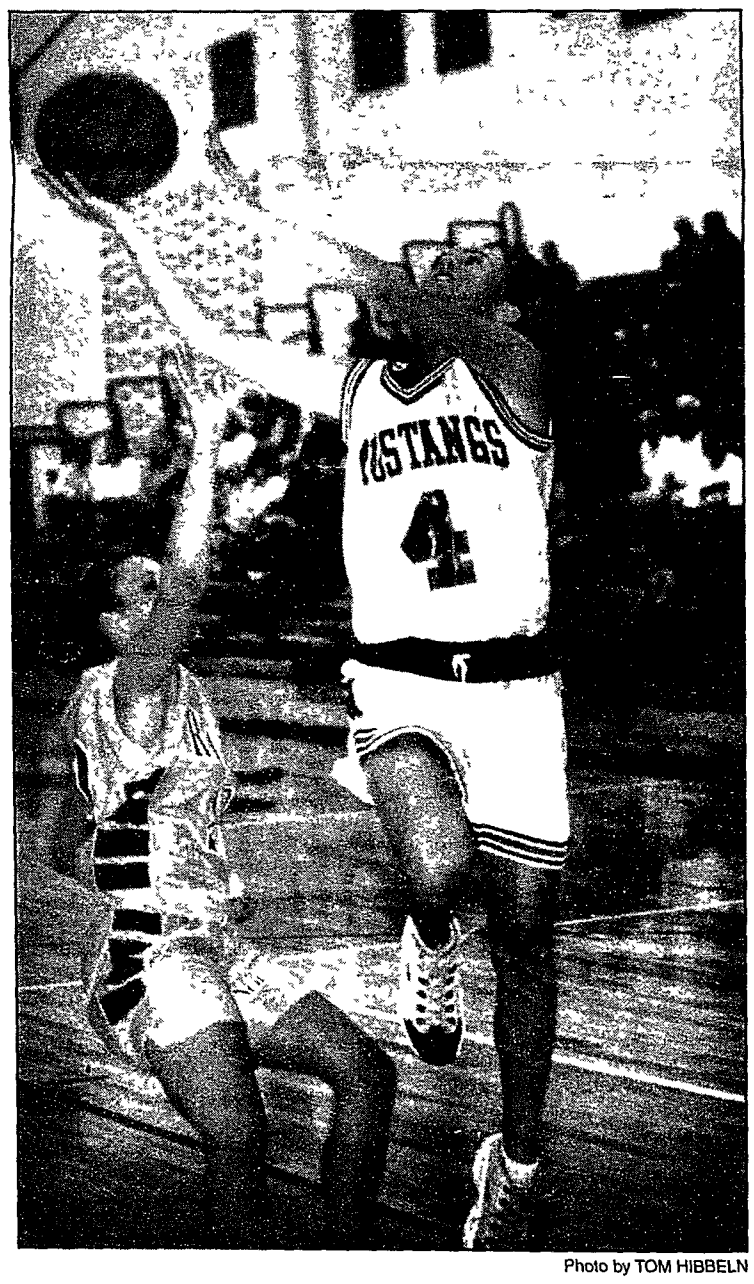


Photo by TOM HIBBELN

Northville Mustang senior Maggie Ossola goes up for a layup against the North Farmington Raiders September 20.

Colts have great day

It was a banner day for the Northville-Novi Colts this past Sunday afternoon as all three football teams traveled to Pontiac and took the field in the Silverdome. Freshman, JV and Varsity teams all came away with wins over the Multi-Lakes Gators.

The varsity Colts were led by David Carnegie who easily clipped the 100-yard mark and scored three touchdowns. The road to the end zone was paved by big blocks from the offensive linemen, Joe Perpich, John Kinville, David Stewart, Nick Zoroya, and Zach Schwartz. The offensive line also got solid blocking from their tight ends Craig Lawler and Wiley Moss. Dan Thomas added another touchdown on a great run from scrimmage midway through the second quarter. The sure-footed Corey Patterson added three extra points to round out the Colts scoring.

On the defensive side of the ball, the Colts were led up front by linebackers Alex Bartlett, Nick Wright, and Nick Zoroya. John Kinville and Joe Perpich also led a defensive surge that has been solid all season. The defensive backfield also pitched in with Chris McGuire getting in on a host of tackles, Brandon Carnegie with a one-handed interception helping to thwart the Gators passing attack.

The final score was 30-0, as the Colts set their sights on the playoffs with two games remaining in the regular season. Their record is now 4-1. Their only loss coming at the hands of the perennial powerhouse Brighton Bulldogs.

Clearly the most exciting game of the day was the Junior Varsity game, which went into overtime before the Colts managed to pull out a 12-6 win. The offense was led by the hard running of Joe Kinville who scored in the third quarter on a toss sweep and tied the score for the Colts. But the teams played to a 6-6 tie at the end of regulation.

In overtime, the Colts defense led by Greg Hasse held tough and stopped the Gators on their first series of down from the 10-yard line. And they would not get another chance at pay dirt, as the Colts Keenan Hart made a diving catch in the end zone to seal the victory for the Junior Varsity squad.

For the freshman squad, Doug Beason was unstoppable as he rushed for over 100 yards and three touchdowns. The freshman Colts rolled into a 20-0 win.

The Colts would like to invite the entire community out to participate in their Homecoming activities this Sunday, Oct. 7 at Northville High School and a parade through downtown Northville starting at Northville Downs and ending up at the high school. The colts will then take on the Clarkston football club as all three teams battle for playoff births.

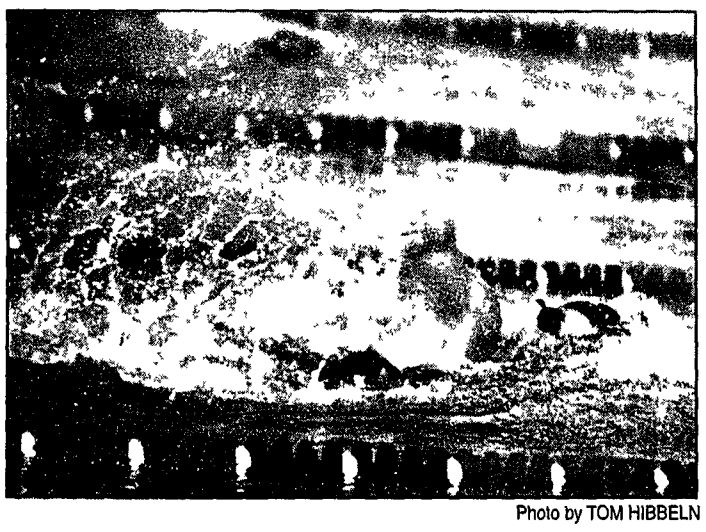


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Making waves

Northville swimmer Shannon Hogan, on her way to winning the 100-yard freestyle.

Tennis looking strong

Doubles sweep their opponents

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said. "It was not a problem."

The only Mustang losses came to second singles Allison Long as she fell to Kristen Tomastic in a close match, 6-3, 1-6, 3-6 and to third singles player Sarah Price as she stumbled against Michelle McManaway 3-6, 2-6.

"Allison Long played an exceptional first set," Woolfall said. "Her opponent was very consistent and she came back for the rest of the match. The same for Sarah Price. Both had played very consistent players and just came up a little short."

The Mustangs will have resumed action Monday when they visited Walled Lake Western and Canton Tuesday before hosting Stevenson Wednesday (all three games were after the *Northville Record* went to print).

The Mustangs will finish up a match that ended due to a rain delay today when they travel back to Farmington.

"We got in half a match against Farmington and are going to try to get the rest in Thursday," Woolfall said. "We play Walled Lake Western, Canton and then Stevenson before going back to Farmington."

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Northville soccer can't stop Canton

By SAM EGGLESTON
Sports Reporter

The Northville Mustangs boys soccer team added a win, a tie and a loss to their record when they took to the task of playing Canton, John Glenn and Saline last week.

The Mustangs, who climbed to 9-2-2 on the season to be ranked 10th in the state of Michigan, tied 1-1 with Saline Saturday after shelling John Glenn 6-0 September 26 and dropping a tight game to rival Canton 2-0 September 24.

"Any time a team from the Western Lakes (Activities Association) plays a non-conference game it is a big deal for them," Northville coach Henry Klimes said of teams like Saline. "They get a lot of respect when they beat a Western Lakes team so they are usually out gunning for us."

The Saline Hornets may have been out for a win, but the Mustangs were not about to roll over even after falling to a 1-0 halftime deficit.

The 'Stangs used an assist from Pat Kelleher to captain Robbie Harmer, who put the ball in the back of the net, to tie the contest at 1-1 to cap the scoring for both sides.

"We also had three hit the goal posts as well," Klimes said. "Mike Hagedorn, Clark Paciorek and Dave Wendland hit the post in the game."

Klimes said the Hornets are a team which puts up quite a fight.

"I think they were pretty strong," he said. "They are going to do well in their conference. They have real good ball movement and our guys didn't go in thinking they were going to blow these guys out."

The Mustangs will have resumed action against Farmington Monday before hosting Churchill Wednesday in a division game (both games were after the Northville Record went to print.)

NORTHVILLE 6, JOHN GLENN 0

The Mustangs notched a 6-0 win over the Rockets September 26 with consistent play and good composure.

"I think the composure and confidence came back in the second half," Klimes said of his team who led only 1-0 at the half before blowing the game wide open. "Not to be disrespectful to John Glenn, but we do have a little more talent on our squad. We just had to use that talent."

Though Klimes did not have any statistics to report on the game, he said his team had a chance to give everyone some playing time.

"A lot of people got an enormous amount of playing time," he said. "We were able to use everybody on a very rainy, wet afternoon."

The rain did all but destroy the Mustang statistics and Klimes notes he would rather not give the wrong statistics for the contest.

CANTON 2, NORTHVILLE 0

The Northville Mustangs felt the sting of only their second loss of the season as they fell to rival Canton 2-0 September 24.

The Mustangs had the unfortunate task of playing the top-flight Chiefs on a very windy day that helped dictate the game.

"It was a game that meant the division," Klimes said. "The wind was so strong that whoever took the wind in the first half had the advantage. I think playing defense the whole first half took a lot of energy out of our legs."

The Chiefs scored in the first half on a penalty kick to take a 1-0 advantage at the half, but the Mustangs could not seem to get their game going in the right direction.

"I thought it was a bit of a moral victory," Klimes said of the 'Stangs holding Canton to only one goal in the first half. "We had the wind in the second half but we could not seem to muster any offense. A couple of mistakes led to a Canton score and a 2-0 second half."

Klimes noted that the inexperience of the team may have played a small factor in the loss.

"We lost a little composure with our inexperienced team," he said. "Not to take anything away from Canton. They played great. They were the better team that afternoon and not to take away from Canton, but I think the wind had a lot to do with it."

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Photo by JOHN HEIDER

A Northville soccer player heads the ball over his Canton opponent in a home game. The Mustangs fell 2-0 to rival Canton.

Look for Farris, her big, red car

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Though Farris would choose Walker over the rest of the world if forced to go out on a date with an actor, the chiseled big-screen hunk isn't the apple of her eye — she leaves that job to her boyfriend Nick Brazen, a 2001 Northville graduate.

"We usually go out with a group of friends," Farris said. "We go to dinner and the movies and sometimes to someone's house."

Farris said she and Brazen, who attends Western Michigan University and hopes to one day be a sports agent, frequented Applebees throughout the summer.

Farris noted the food at Applebees was good, though she would have probably preferred to drag him to Big Boy's for a little dessert.

"I love food," Farris said. "I really like the Big Boy's desserts — especially that one with the cake and ice cream and the hot fudge."

Not to mention she has a favorite dish in common with a Sesame Street character — the Cookie Monster.

"My mom makes the best M & M cookies at Christmas time," Farris said, who added her mother only makes them during that season because of the readiness of green and red M & Ms. "I really look forward to those."

The people that Farris considers her closest friends are her tennis doubles partner Sarah Poirier, fellow senior and Northville swimmer Deirdre Schwirng and her mother.

"I am really close with my mom," Farris said. "I can tell my mom anything. I consider her one of my best friends."

Farris said that the closeness she feels with both her mother, Diane, and her father, Bob, comes from their interest in her life.

"They have always been interested in what I have to say and the way I feel about things," she said. "They are the kind of parents that always ask about my day and listen to what my opinions are."

According to Farris, being an athlete is something her whole family takes an interest in doing. Her younger sister, Shannon, is 14 years old and a freshman swimmer at Northville while her little brother, Brad, is a 13-year-old eighth grader who participates in swimming and in tennis.

"We get along better than most siblings do," Farris said.

Farris, who said her favorite class ever at Northville was Creative Writing, takes an interest in athletics and the refined side of life as well.

"I really like to write," she said. "Creative Writing really gave us a chance to open up a little. It isn't so strict on how things have to be done. It lets you do more free-writing like poetry and stuff.

"Poetry was my favorite. I think a lot of feeling came out when I was writing my poems."

Anyone who hasn't had the opportunity to meet Farris can watch her on the links during the girls' golf season or on the tennis courts — or they can just wave as she drives by in the red Bonneville.

"We should be getting rid of that car pretty soon," said Farris, who added she would like to get her hands on her parents' Chrysler Sebring convertible.

"We've had it since I was in the fourth grade. We have a joke with my car, everyone calls it The Big Red Car."

Mustang girl harriers running strong

By SAM EGGLESTON
Sports Reporter=



Submitted Photo

Northville harrier Devon Rupley gets ahead of the pack.

The Northville Mustangs girls cross country team felt the sting of their first dual meet loss Saturday when they ran against the Churchill Chargers.

The Mustangs, led by Heather Moehle, fell to the Chargers 22-35.

"Even though this was Northville's first dual meet loss of the season, the girls did not go down without fighting," Northville Coach Nancy Smith said.

Moehle led the Mustangs, finishing in second place, with a time of 19 minutes, 55 seconds while Devon Rupley finished fourth (20:02), Katy Miller was eighth (20:52), Molly Gavin finished ninth (21:01), Kate McClymont collected a 12th place finish (21:37) and Ramona Maza was 13th (21:38).

"I am really proud of the way the girls ran today," Smith said. "We knew coming into today's meet that it would be a tough one. Everyone of our girls ran season best times at Cass today and I couldn't of asked for anything else from them."

Gavin returned to cross country action after being out for the last two weeks.

"(She) ran a great race," Smith said. "She is running better now than she was before her injury."

The Mustangs will have returned to action when the freshman and sophomores compete in the John Glenn Invitational before the team takes to the course against Walled Lake Western and Canton today at Cass Benton.

The Mustangs will be running in the Wayne County Invitational Saturday before beginning to gear up for the Conference and Regional meets.

MSU INVITE

The Northville squad did what they could September 21 as they took the ninth overall place out of 24 teams in the Michigan State University Invitational with tough performances by their top seven runners.

Moehle led the Mustangs, finishing in 15th place with a time of 19 minutes, 35.9 seconds for a personal best time.

"Heather continues to improve with every race she runs," Smith said. "She is so dedicated and determined and it continues to show as the season progresses."

Rupley finished close behind Moehle in 24th place with a season best time of 19:56.

"Devon Rupley also continues to excel with every race," Smith said. "We are still running without freshman Molly Gavin, who has been out with an injury the past two weeks. With Molly back in the top seven, we will become even more competitive than we have been over the last few weeks."

The Mustangs rounded out the race with Miller finishing at 44th with a season best time of 20:56 with the rest of the top seven Northville runners being McClymont in 83rd (21:47), Maza finished 85th (season best time of 21:49), Rachel Santer was 117th (22:38) and Kelly Driscoll was 121st (22:47).

"The girls all ran an excellent race," Smith said. "The race was delayed about one hour due to bad storms that moved through Lansing."

Smith said the Mustangs are looking forward to the rest of the season.

"These girls are looking forward to next month and will be training hard for the upcoming regional meet at the end of October," she said. "They have an excellent chance of making it to the state meet as a team if we continue to improve and train the way we are capable of."

CATHOLIC CENTRAL INVITE

September 22 found the rest of the Northville Mustangs girls cross country team competing at the Catholic Central Invite where the team finished in 11th place.

Whitney Forsthoetel was the leading runner for the Mustangs, finishing in 24:07 for 55th place. Kathy Hayes finished right on her tail at 61st place (24:37) and Alex Barcelona was next in 62nd (24:39). Amanda Lee finished in 75th place in the race with a time of 25:09.

"These four girls ran excellent races," Smith said. "All of them improved their season best time by 30 seconds or more. The training over the last week really paid off for these girls and it showed in how they raced on Saturday."

Rounding out the Mustangs that competed in the run was Kelly Lazure, who finished in 26:42, and Emily Shebak, who completed the race in 27:38.

"They did an excellent job," Smith said. "I couldn't have asked for any more out of them."

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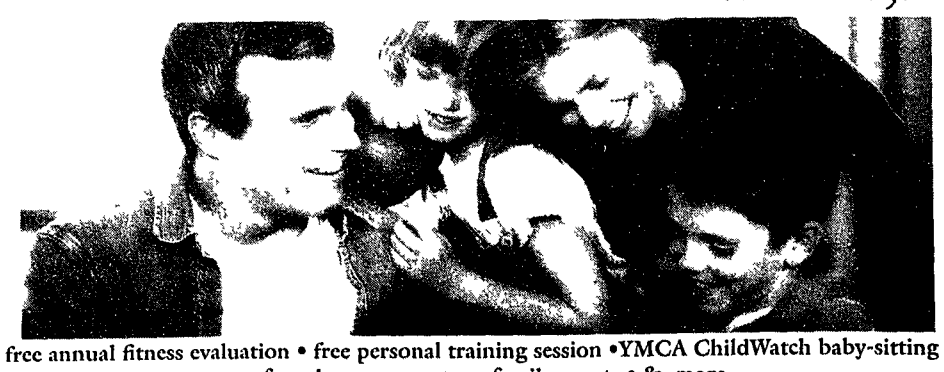
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Contact: Al Qualman
Phone: (248) 349-1343

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS
Where: Faith Community United Presbyterian Church, 44400 W Ten Mile Road, Novi, MI. 48375
When: General meeting: Tuesdays at 7:30 p.m.; Couples meeting: Tuesdays at 7:30 p.m.; Women's meeting: Sunday at 4 p.m.
Contact: Stanley
Phone: (734) 522-8971

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF RETIRED PERSONS
Phone: (248) 626-0877

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN - NORTHVILLE/NOVI BRANCH
What: Promotes equity for all women and girls, life-long education and positive societal change.
Contact: Barbara Wilson (248) 348-3999

AMERICAN BUSINESS WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION - NOVI OAKS CHARTER CHAPTER
What: Bring together businesswomen of diverse occupations and provide opportunities for them to help themselves and others grow professionally.
Where: Wyndham Garden Hotel, 42100 Crescent Blvd , Novi.
When: Every third Monday of the month
Contact: Bettie Johnson
Phone: (248) 960-9559

AMERICAN LEGION NORTHVILLE - POST 147
Phone· (248) 349-1060

AMERICAN LEGION NOVI - POST 19; AUXILIARY POST 19
What: Service group open to all eligible veterans of all wars and conflicts as prescribed by the U.S. Congress. Auxiliary is open to all female members of eligible veterans' families
Where: Novi Expo Center, 43700 Expo Center Dr., Novi
When: Every second Tuesday for business and every fourth Tuesday for social event at 8 p.m
Contact: (248) 344-8236; Auxiliary (734) 981-5125

AMVETs
What: *Provide services and assist with obtaining benefits for veterans and their families of military service during and after World War II through present*
Where: Novi Expo Center, 43700 Expo Center Dr., Novi
When: First Wednesday of each month at 8 p.m.
Phone: (248) 349-2835

BUSINESS NETWORK INTERNATIONAL
Greater Novi Chapter
Where: Novi Hilton, 2111 Haggerty Road, Novi
When: Every Wednesday from 7-8:30 a.m.
Contact: BNI regional office
Phone: (810) 323-3800
Wixom Chapter
Where: Leon's Restaurant, 29710 S. Wixom Road, Wixom, between Pontiac Trail and I-96
When: Every Friday from 7-8:30 a.m.
Contact: BNI regional office
Phone: (810) 323-3800

CALLING CART
Contact: Sonja Lane
Phone: (248) 348-0628

CIVIC CONCERN
Contact: Marlene Kunz
Phone: (248) 344-1033

CIVIL AIR PATROL-NORTHVILLE
Phone: (734) 591-0360

CIVIL AIR PATROL/SIXTHGATE COMPOSITE SQUADRON - NOVI
Phone: (248) 349-2607

COMMUNITY CLOTHES CLUB
What: Assists with emergency needs and helps low-income families with clothes and baby items
When: Every Monday from 9 a.m. to noon and 6:30-8:30 p.m.; the first two Thursdays from 9 a.m. to noon; and the last two Saturdays from 9 a.m. to noon
Phone: (248) 349-8553

DETROIT/OAKLAND CHAPTER - GENTLEMEN SONGSTERS CHORUS
Contact: Fran Durham
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FRIENDS OF MAYBURY STATE PARK
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FRIENDS OF NORTHVILLE PARKS AND RECREATION
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FRIENDS OF NORTHVILLE DISTRICT LIBRARY
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FRIENDS OF NORTHVILLE MILL POND
Phone: (248) 349-0712

GOODFELLOWS
Phone: (248) 349-2357

HURON VALLEY GIRL SCOUT COUNCIL
Phone: (800) 497-2688

KIWANIS CLUB
Phone: (248) 349-0611

KIWANIS EARLY BIRDS
Phone: (248) 347-3470

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
Phone: (734) 453-9833

LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF NOVI/WEST OAKLAND
What: Promotes responsibility through informed and active participation of citizens in government and action on selected governmental issues
Phone: (248) 380-8474

LOYAL ORDER OF MOOSE - LODGE NO. 1190
Phone: (248) 344-0920

MARINE CORPS LEAGUE - NORTHWEST DETACHMENT NO. 162
What: A service-oriented organization dedicated to the purpose of uniting all U.S. Marines, both discharged and on active duty. They also assist and help all needy veterans and their families
Where: Novi Expo Center, 43700 Expo Center Dr., Novi
When: Second Monday of every month at 7:30 p.m.
Phone: (734) 421-8298

MASONIC TEMPLE ASSOCIATION
Phone: (248) 476-0320

NORTHVILLE ACTION COUNCIL
Phone: (248) 349-1237

NORTHVILLE ANIMAL AID
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Phone: (248) 349-6104

NORTHVILLE ATHLETIC BOOSTERS
Phone: (248) 380-6459

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Contact: Linda Lestock
Phone: (248) 349-1300

NORTHVILLE COMMUNITY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
Contact: Laurie Marrs
Phone: (248) 349-7640

NORTHVILLE CO-OP NURSERY SCHOOL
Phone: (248) 348-1791

NORTHVILLE EAGLES
Phone: (248) 349-2479

NORTHVILLE GARDEN CLUB
Contact: Marjorie Faessler
Phone: (248) 349-7709

NORTHVILLE GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY
Phone: (248) 348-1857

NORTHVILLE HISTORICAL SOCIETY
What: To discover, collect, observe advance and disseminate knowledge of history of the Northville Region. The group's focal point is Mill Race Historical Village.
Contact: Pat Schimmer
Phone: (248) 348-1845

NORTHVILLE LIONS CLUB
Phone: (248) 348-9075

NORTHVILLE MOTHERS CLUB
Phone: (248) 344-1585

NORTHVILLE NEWCOMERS
What: To help newcomers to the area, as well as, current residents who would like to become more familiar with the community on a social and civic level. Newcomers hold fund raisers to aid the Northville community
When: Once a month, September through May. Meeting dates vary. Social interest groups meet once or twice a month.
Contact: Sally Bettes
Phone: (248) 735-0192

NORTHVILLE PARKS AND RECREATION
Phone: (248) 349-0203

NORTHVILLE RAINBOWS NO. 29
Phone: (248) 349-1714

NORTHVILLE ROTARY CLUB
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NORTHVILLE SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER
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NORTHVILLE WOMAN'S CLUB
Contact: Virginia Martin
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NORTHVILLE YOUTH ASSISTANCE
Contact: Mary Ellen King
Phone: (248) 344-1618

NOVI AMATEUR RADIO CLUB
What: Serves the public through amateur radio service. It offers help during all emergencies and disasters. The club also provides parade control in Northville on July 4 and works with R.A.C.E.S. and the tornado alert system.
Where: Novi Civic Center, 45175 W. Ten Mile, Novi
When: First Tuesday of every month at 7:30 p.m.
Phone: (248) 349-4064

NOVI BAND
Where: Novi High School or Novi Middle School, throughout school year
When: Tuesday evenings, 7:30 p.m.
Phone: (248) 932-9244

NOVI CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
What: The chamber of commerce is an organization which coordinates the talents and resources of business and professional men and women.
Where: Novi Expo Center, 43700 Expo Center Drive, Suite 100, Novi
When: Membership meeting: third Tuesday of every month at noon and board of directors meets at 6 p.m. on the fourth Tuesday
Phone: (248) 349-3743

NOVI CHESS CLUB
Phone: (248) 344-9833

NOVI HISTORICAL SOCIETY
What: Gives residents of the community a knowledge of their common heritage; fosters the collection and preservation of records and objects; and loans historical material to other historical societies or educational institutions have a curator. It is also the purpose of the society to establish a historical museum in Novi.
Contact: Kathy Mutch
Phone: (248) 349-6774

NOVI JAYCEES
What: Group of men and women ages 21-39 working on community projects, leadership and spiritual and management skills. The Jaycees sponsor fund raising projects for muscular dystrophy, St. Jude, March of Dimes and local charities affiliated with the Jaycees
Where: Novi Civic Center, 45175 W. Ten Mile, Novi
When: First Thursday of every month at 8 p.m.
Phone: (248) 348-6684

NOVI LIONS CLUB AND LIONESSES CLUB
What: The Lions' objectives are to help the blind, sight-impaired and blind physically and mentally challenged children and to help find cures for preventable blindness. Lionesses work with the Lions Club but also host their own projects and programs
Where: Kim's Garden Restaurant, 26150 Novi Road, Novi
When: Lions: every second and fourth Wednesday; Lioness: every third Tuesday. Social hour is at 6:30 p.m. with dinner at 7 p.m.
Phone: Lions: (248) 348-0531; Lioness: (248) 348-9098

NOVI MINISTERS ASSOCIATION
Phone: (248) 349-8847

NOVI NEWCOMERS AND NEIGHBORS
What: To help newcomers to the area, as well as, current residents who would like to become more familiar with the community on a social and civic level. Newcomers hold fund raisers to aid the Novi community
When: Once a month, September through May. Social interest groups meet once or twice a month.
Phone: (248) 349-2414

NOVI REBEKAHS LODGE 482
What: A fraternal organization; the women's division of the Independent Order of Oddfellows
When: Second and fourth Thursday of every month at 1 p.m.
Phone: (248) 349-2835

NOVI ROTARY CLUB
What: A service-oriented club composed of business and professional people within the community. The Rotarians hold a variety of fund raising events every year
Where: Novi United Methodist Church, 41671 W. Ten Mile, Novi
When: Every Thursday at noon
Phone: (248) 380-6500

NOVI YOUTH ASSISTANCE
What: Prevention program that relies on local citizens who volunteer their time and skills toward the goal of preventing juvenile delinquency. They are aided by a professional staff person in implementing programs such as Summer Teen Center, parenting classes, and Substance Abuse Prevention
Where: Novi Community Education Office, 25345 Taft Road, Novi
When: Committees meet every fourth Tuesday at 7 p.m.
Phone: (248) 347-0410

ORDER OF ALAHAMBRA
Phone: (248) 349-2903

PRESERVATION NOVI
What: Non-profit corporation whose stated goal is to promote and encourage preservation of historic buildings in Novi, for example, restoration of the Fuerst Farm property
Where: Annual meeting is in the second quarter and open to all interested residents
Phone: (248) 349-6774

SWOCC
What: Southwestern Oakland Cable Commission serves Novi residents with community access television. Residents interested in registering for the TV or radio workshops can call for more information.
Contact: Caren Collins
Phone: (248) 473-7266

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN CLUB
Phone: (248) 348-9077

VETERANS ALLIANCE OF NOVI
What: VAN is a coalition of the following veterans groups: Novi Post 19, The American Legion; Perry Kenner Post 76, AMVETs; Northwest Detachment 162, Marine Corps League; and Novi Post 2165, Veterans of Foreign Wars.
Where: Novi Expo Center, 43700 Expo Center Drive, Suite 100, Novi
When: First and third Monday every month at 7:30 p.m.
Phone: (248) 349-2835

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS - NOVI POST 2165
What: Service oriented organization dedicated to helping military veterans, their families and the community. Membership is open to all honorably discharged veterans of active foreign duty during a wartime as prescribed by the U.S. Congress
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Brown-Knue

W. Charles and Joan M. (Gerhard) Brown of Green Oak Township announce the engagement of their daughter, Donna Janette, to Scott Duvol Knue, the son of Rob and Jacquelin E. (Stone) Knue of Highland.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Brighton High School and a 1992 graduate of the Schoolcraft Community College culinary arts program.

The groom-elect is a graduate of Milford High School and a 1996 graduate of the Culinary Institute of America in Hyde Park, N.Y.

Donna and Scott met while employed at Duet Restaurant in Detroit, where she was chef and he was general manager. Both are currently residing in Northville.

An Oct. 27 wedding will be held in Milford.

Weddings



Holmberg-Pugh

Megan Michele Holmberg and Robert Bradford Pugh were married June 23 at Faith Lutheran Church in Livonia. Pastor Robert Carr officiated the ceremony; the bride was given in marriage by her father. A reception for 285 guests followed at the Fairlane Club in Dearborn.

The bride is the daughter of Paul and Cheryl Holmberg of Northville. She received her bachelor's degree in English from the University of Michigan, and her master's degree in elementary education from Wayne State University. Megan is currently employed with the Livonia Public School District.

Attending the bride was Erin Braun, with Elizabeth Faremouth, Shannon Price, Stephanie Pugh, and Karen Vogt serving as bridesmaids.

The bridal gown was of an A-line design in natural matte satin. The spaghetti strap bodice was detailed with delicate rosebud embroidery and accented with pearls. The back featured a satin rosebud cluster at the waist, which was repeated in the headpiece of the satin trimmed veil.

The bridal bouquet was of verbenium, lavender hydrangea, lavender stock, and stephanotis.

The groom is the son of Robert and Geraldine Pugh of Farmington Hills. He was awarded a mechanical engineering degree from the University of Michigan, and a master's degree in engineering from Oakland University. Robert is now employed at DaimlerChrysler.

Mark Temple was best men; groomsmen were Toby Ghosh, Jason Lukz, Jeff Uller, and Tim Wiggins.

The couple went on a Mediterranean cruise for their honeymoon and now reside in Huntington Woods.

Births



Shaylyn Rose Eggleston

Christie Kathlene and Samuel Edward Eggleston of Northville are happy to announce the birth of their daughter, Shaylyn Rose, born Sept. 14 at 10:20 p.m. in Providence Hospital, Southfield. She weighed 8 pounds, 10 ounces and was 20½ inches in length.

Shaylyn's grandparents are Michael and Rosemary Plourde of Marquette and Mark and Suzette Eggleston of McFarland. Her great-grandparents are Winefred Eggleston of McFarland and the late Edward Eggleston, Ronald and Shirley Werstein of Belleville, Dee Wisniewski of Utica and the late John Wisniewski, and Concetta Plourde of Shelby Township and the late Lawrence Plourde.

Community Events

The **Northville Woman's Club** will be hosting consumer advocate Esther Shapiro at its opening luncheon on Oct. 5 at Meadowbrook Country Club. The luncheon will also honor past presidents and welcome honorary members and new life members to the club. The event begins at 11 a.m. with cocktails and lunch begins at noon. For more information, call (248) 349-3064.

Northville-based **New Hope Center for Grief Support** will be offering **free support for widows and widowers** with children on the second and fourth Tuesday night of each month at St. Kenneth's Parish in Plymouth from 7 to 8:30 p.m. New Hope for KIDZ meets at the same time, and is designed to assist children ages 4 to 11. For more information, call (248) 348-0115.

Pet-A-Pet is seeking volunteers from the Novi area. The organization allows volunteers the chance to share their pets with others unable to have or access pets of their own. Pets must be vaccinated, good with people and able to be handled by people. For more information, call (734) 449-8339.

A **reunion of D-Day veterans** will take place in England and France on May 17, 2002. Veterans of the historic invasion of Nazi Europe will have the chance to tour Omaha and Utah Beach cemeteries, as well as the D-Day villages of Cherbourg, Caen, and Ste. Mere Eglise.

For more information, call (561) 865-8495.

The **Novi-Northville CROP Walk** is slated for Oct. 7, beginning at 1:30 p.m. at St. James Roman Catholic Church on Ten Mile Road in Novi. The 10K walk raises money to fight hunger. Some 25 percent of the pledges raised go towards local causes, with the balance going overseas. Organizers hope to raise $30,000 and utilize the help of 350 walkers. The walk ends with an ice cream social.

For more information, call (248) 349-8553.

Comerica Bank is accepting cash donations in support of the **American Red Cross National Disaster Relief Fund**, and will match those donations up to $250,000.

For more information, call (248) 380-8215.

The **Sarah Ann Cochrane Plymouth-Northville** chapter of the **Daughters of the American Revolution** will be hosting a noon luncheon Oct. 15 luncheon at the Plymouth Historical Museum. The featured speaker will be Nancy Darga, design manager for Wayne County Parks, whil will be speaking on the Rouge Waterway and the Underground Railroad. Non-perishable blankets and toiletry items will be collected for veterans. All DAR members and non-members are welcome. For more information, call (734) 455-5525.

The **Northville Parks & Recreation Department** will host an open house on Oct. 12 beginning at 6 p.m. at the department's new Hillside Middle School location. The evening will include entertainment, refreshments and activities for all ages.

For more information, call (248) 349-0203.

Religion

An **anxiety and panic attack support group** will be meeting the First Tuesday of every month at **Ward Evangelical Presbyterian Church.** The group will meet from 7 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. For more information, call (248) 374-5904.

Detroit First Church of the Nazarene will be hosting a **morning and evening Bible study program** entitled "The Challenges of Womanhood," mornings from 9:30 to 11:15 a.m. and evening from 7 p.m. to 8:15 p.m.

Also at First Church of the Nazarene — the church will be running a seminar on the **Prayer of Jabez**, a book based on Old Testament scripture.

The seminar is slated for 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. on Oct. 6. Advance registration is $15 or $20 if lunch is also desired.

For more information on either event, call (248) 348-7600, ext. 110.

The **14th Annual Novi-Northville CROP Walk** will take place Oct. 7 from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. through the streets of both communities. Walkers will take pledges to help raise money for economically-depressed nations. For more information, call (248) 349-1144.

Members of **Holy Family Roman Catholic Church** inNovi will be discussing the motion picture "The Deep End" in the parish's library on Oct. 14 at 7 p.m. Interested persons should see the film at their leisure, then meet to discuss the film. For more information, call (248) 349-7814.

Jews For Jesus will be making a stop at **First Baptist Church of Northville** on Oct. 6 to explain the significance of the Feast of the Tabernacles. Larry Dubin will explain how the feast is a vibrant part of today's Jewish life and how the holiday offers meaning for Christians who value Old Testament heritage. For more information, call (248) 348-1020.

Anniversaries



Cavanagh 50th

The 50th wedding anniversary celebration for Harold J. and Betty J Cavanagh of Novi will be shared with family and friends at a luncheon held at a Novi country club.

Family members are Collen (Dan) Kosuth of Metamora and Kevin (Barb) of Novi, and two grandchildren.

Harold and Betty were married Oct. 20, 1951, in St. Cecilia's Church, Detroit.

Harold was born in Detroit and before retirement, he was employed at Burroughs Corp.

Betty was also born in Detroit. Before her retirement, she was employed at Bell Telephone Co.

On Campus

The following local area students were named on the Dean's Honor Roll at Lawrence Technological University in recognition of their earning a 3.5 grade point average or better for winter term:

Northville

Philip D. Ventimiglia, Robert A. Sonnenbert, David L. Draper, and Wendy W. Gutowski.

Novi

Neill A. Quinlan, Thomas Grigg, Kathleen G. O'Hearn, Garrett J. Polk, Robin M. Duncan, and Alan D. Hendry.

Walled Lake

William E. Reutter and Lisa M. Dykstra.

Wixom

James A. Darkangelo, Jhana R. Frederiksen, Jean Marie Joassin, and Ryan J. said.

Secretary of State race heats up as nominations sought

By MIKE MALOTT
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The Republican party's Leadership Conference, held every two years to give candidates a launching point for their campaigns, was notably different that previous events, according to party regulars — the most hotly contested seat this time was for Secretary of State.

Three are running — State Sen. Loren Bennett, R-Canton, former Kent County Clerk Terri Land; and Calhoune County Clerk Anne Norlander.

Campaign supporters for all three were visible and active on Mackinac Island Friday-Sunday, Sept. 21-23, while the party faithful — from statewide party leaders to county and district committee chairmen and members — gathered there for the conference.

The nomination of the party's candidate is to be made at the state convention following the primary next August. "So it would be as if they transported every voter in my district to the island where I could meet them one by one and shake their hands," said one state lawmaker, explaining the significance of the conference to that race.

Attorney General nominees are also named at the convention, so Sen. Dan DeGrow, R-Port Huron, who wants that job was campaigning hard on the island. Sen. Bill Schuette, R-Midland, just as visible and active, is also expected to seek that nomination. But he didn't actually name the job he's after, position to be designated later.

Norlander is the most recent candidate to enter the race for Secretary of State. She said she had several motivations for getting in, including gender and geography. She's concerned the party will produce an all-male ticket for November 2002, a concern expressed by other Republicans at the conference as well. She also wants to provide an alternative to the east-west contest a Bennett-Land face off would present. Bennett is from Canton; Land from the Grand Rapids area. And there is a traditional rivalry for control of the party between the western shore and southeastern Michigan. Calhoune is in the south central portion of the state.

Norlander said she has presided over an update of the county's elections equipment, now nearly complete. Current Secretary of State Candace Miller (who will be term limited out of the office next year) has proposed all state polling places be switched to optical scan balloting, a move Norlander supports and said she knows how to implement.

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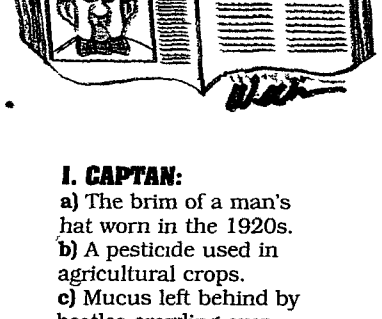
XTRA

Scenes of Fall

Balderdash

There may only be 26 letters in the alphabet, but you should see some of the screwy combinations some geniuses whipped up. They've been featured in the popular board game Balderdash, which asks players to see if they can determine the definitions of some truly stupid words that — yes — really exist.

We put the XTRA's intern right on this project, seeing that it involved little more than flipping cards and typing definitions. (Did we say 'intern'? We meant 'pre-professional assistant.' That other word has such a nasty connotation to it these days.) Not only that, but we took our best shot at guessing what these things were. See if you can pick out the real definition from the steaming piles o' you-know-what.



1. CAPTAN:
a) The brim of a man's hat worn in the 1920s.
b) A pesticide used in agricultural crops.
c) Mucus left behind by beetles crawling over sewage
d) A synthetic jewel similar to a ruby

2. FESCENNINE:
a) Rude songs sung at rustic weddings
b) An artificial sodium topping used for persons with high blood pressure
c) The term given to urine once it's dumped overboard on space shuttle missions
d) The sport of hunting fish by diving underwater and stabbing them with a dagger

3. SCROOT:
a) An Amish backscratcher made from a corn cob
b) To gallop haphazardly
c) A greyhound dog used mainly in "Major Hoople" cartoons
d) The deepest root of an ash tree, used for extracting iron from the soil

4. LEKVER:
a) A prune jam used as filling in Hungarian pastries
b) An eight-stringed instrument played in ancient Egypt
c) Sugar-saturated water
d) A Ukranian delicacy of yak intestine stuffed with potatoes

5. TEASEL:
a) Pine sap extract
b) The flair that comes out of the top of a napkin folded like a lily
c) A support beam on a swingset
d) A prickly burr used in finishing napped fibers.

6. NEXUS:
a) Interplanetary dust
b) Things linked together
c) Derogatory Latin term for one's mother
d) The pivot point on a windmill

ANSWERS: 1-B; 2-A; 3-C; 4-A; 5-D; 6-B

Scenes and thoughts from around Northville as autumn settles into place

Don't lie. You really *do* like October.

Yes, you do. You may swear to the heavens that turning leaves, shorter days and cooler weather is a grind, but deep inside, you really like it.

Northville is a pretty great place to experience autumn at its best. Just in case you're new to the community, here's my Top Ten list of reasons why Northville is super for fall.

10. Homecoming: I'm a sucker for football. No, wait — I'm worse than that. I'm an *addict*. I love high school football, and seeing the pageantry and the true love for the game is a breath of fresh air in a sea of free agency, corporate stadiums and milliondollar paychecks. Give me the Mustangs any day of the week.


Chris C. Davis

9. The southwest side of Northville Township: In the area of Six Mile and Ridge roads, there are some stands of trees and relatively quiet roads that embody the spirit of autumn. If you get a chance to take a spin out this way on a Sunday morning, when things are especially silent, you can hear the geese flying overhead and watch as the wind blows leaves from the branches.

8. A cup of coffee on Main Street: When you work in the newspaper business, you tend to drink so much coffee that it gets tough to distinguish the good stuff from the bad stuff. But I'm here to tell you that a cup of coffee on Main Street early in the morning is something that has no parallel.

7. Pumpkins: I never figured it out...is a pumpkin a vegetable or a fruit?

6. More stars at night: I don't know why, and maybe it's just a figment of my imagination, but I swear I can see more stars in the fall than I can at just about anytime of year. (I probably see fewer in winter simply because I'm making a dash indoors, trying to avoid freezing my eyeballs.)

5. The smell of Joseph's Coney Island at 8:30 a.m.: When there's a chill in the air, the aroma of bacon and toast warms the soul.

3. Maybury State Park: Not many communities in this state can boast having a state park in its own backyard. We can, and the color you can see in the acreage at Eight Mile and Beck is second to none.

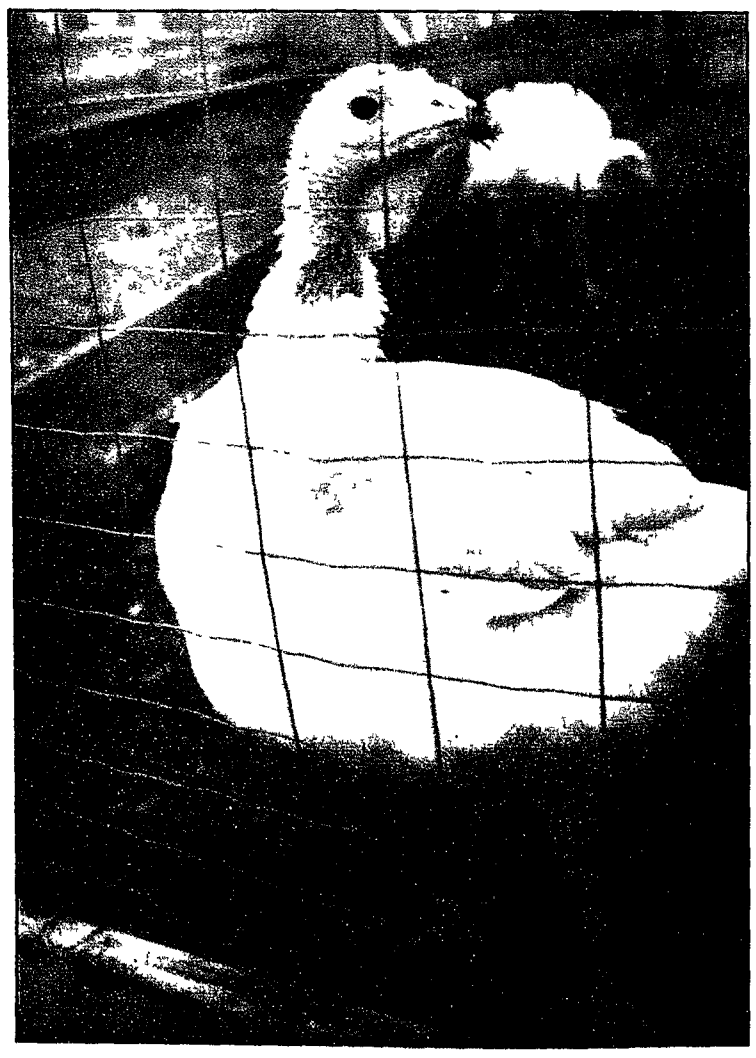
2. Parmenter's Cider Mill: You can have all the homogenized, pasteurized store-bought apple juice you want. Nothing beats the taste of fresh-pressed apple cider. When you've got a place in your own backyard that makes the stuff, you're in good.

1. The Mill Pond: If there's a finer picture of middle America experiencing all the beauty of fall, I don't know where it's at. I'm willing to wager that more than a few shutterbugs have snapped photos in the middle of October when color is at its peak. The air is crisp and there's a distinctive fog floating right over the water in the morning. Nothing beats it.

Welcome to October.

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Another sure sign of autumn: harvested corn lies in traditional stacks in the fields of Maybury, drying before it's fed to the farm's livestock.


As fall approaches, these turkeys at the working farm at Maybury State Park take on a "any word from the governor?" look. They're being fattened up on a rich diet of grains.


Pumpkins and color squash gourds herald the beginning of the autumn season at Northville's Farmer's Market.


As fall approaches the maple trees light up with reds, oranges and yellows.

photos by John Heider

UP IN SMOKE

Fireplace safety starts with a clean chimney

By Steven Spearie
COPLEY NEWS SERVICE

The warm glow from a fireplace can have practical and aesthetic qualities. But unmanaged chimneys and unattended fires can spell trouble.

According to statistics from the U.S. Product Safety Commission, more than 30,000 residential fires originated in fireplaces, wood-burning stoves and chimneys. That translated into $181.8 million in property damage, 220 injuries and 70 deaths.

Bill Klein, owner and operator of Klein's Chimney Sweep Service in Springfield, Ill., says chimneys should be swept after a homeowner has burned a cord of wood, or approximately a year. If creosote buildup over the damper is "thicker than a nickel," or if creosote can be shaken loose, says Klein, it's time to have the chimney swept.

Chimney fires, he says, are most likely the result of bad construction or too large a fire in the fireplace.

Bad tubing, especially in older chimneys, is a main culprit, says Klein.

"The last five to 10 years, the quality of fireplace construction has been excellent," says Klein.

That's because Underwriters Laboratory has tightened up mandates, the most prolific being the stainless-steel metal lining that can withstand fires of up to 2,000 degrees.

An out-of-control fire, propelled by flammable material like wrapping paper or old Christmas trees, can make for a dangerous situation. The myth that burning apples or beer cans in the fireplace prevents creosote buildup is just that: a myth, says Klein.

A fire should consist of no more than a couple of logs, good seasoned hardwood, such as hickory or oak, says Klein. Pine, in addition to being highly flammable, can gum up the fireplace flue and give off a maleficent odor.

Start with a small kindling fire, says Frank Kruger of Marx Energy Systems. Don't start a fire with charcoal lighter or kerosene and don't burn charcoal, plastics or plastic foam indoors because of potential carbon monoxide poisoning, he says.

Gradually building up fires also is recommended if you have a newer unit, says Kruger. The metal should be cured, and a large fire in a new unit may burn off the paint and oil.

Most in the industry recommend mesh fire screens to prevent sparks and cinders from flying out. Objects should be kept 3 feet away from the fireplace. No flammable materials should be placed on the hearth, says Kruger.

Tongs, a shovel and a brush are requisite materials near the fireplace.

Keep a fire extinguisher in the home, and install smoke and carbon monoxide detectors. Batteries in smoke detectors should be checked at least twice annually.

Chimney caps, says Klein, keep 95 percent of moisture out of the chimney, in addition to birds, spiders and other creatures. A chimney cap, which runs about $60, can prove a wise investment in preventing a potential chimney fire.

Leave a thin layer of ash in the fireplace, but don't let ash build up past the grate, says Kruger.

When removing the ash, make sure it's put in a fireproof container, says Klein.

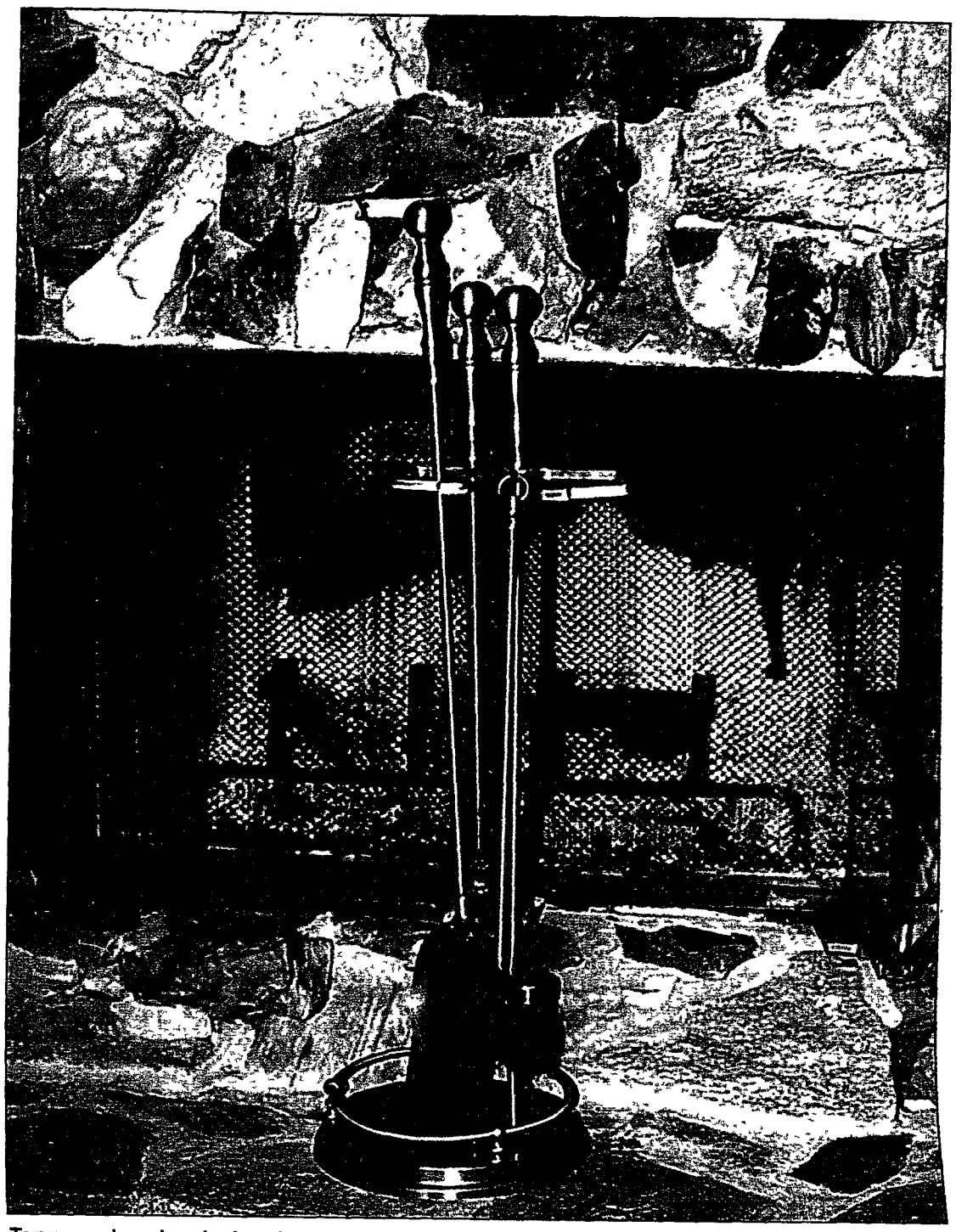
Flues and chimneys should be checked for cracks and other obstructions; dampers should be checked for operability.

Never leave children unsupervised in rooms with open fires, and keep matches and fire-lighters up.

There are alternatives to traditional wood-burning fireplaces. Gas or electric fireplaces allow you to simply hit a switch on the wall to ignite and a remote can control the flame and fan, says Kruger.

Unvented fireplaces, while having the highest heat output, are also the less realistic, says Kruger, and may provide problems to people with respiratory problems.

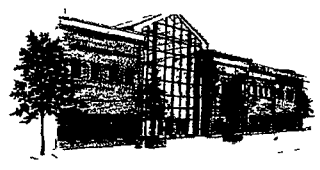
Fireplaces can be installed in existing houses for $2,000 to $3,000, although some systems run more, says Kruger. Most prefabricated fireplaces come with up to 25-year warranties



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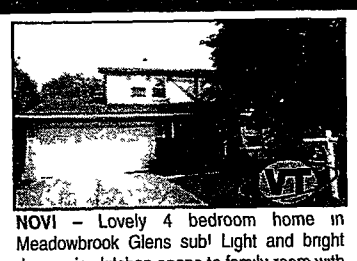
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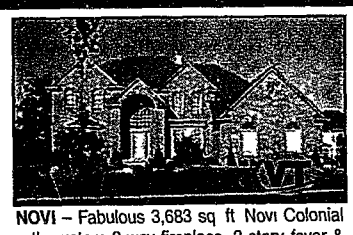


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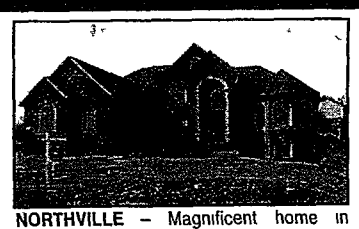
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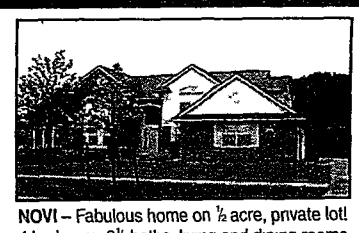
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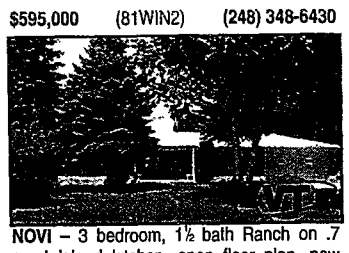
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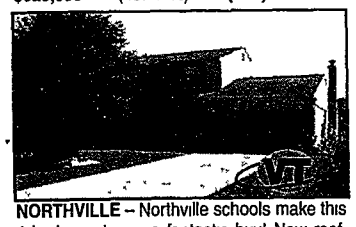
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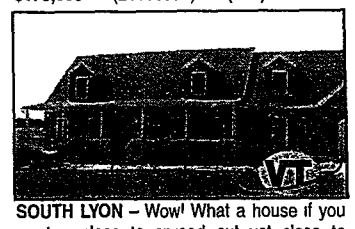
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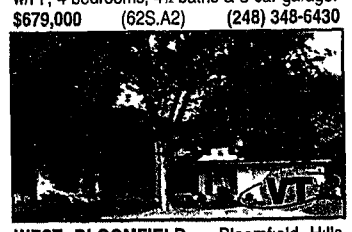
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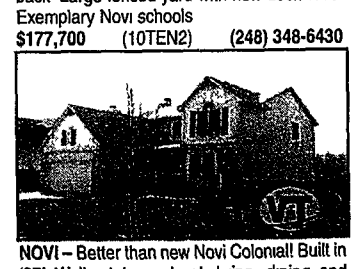
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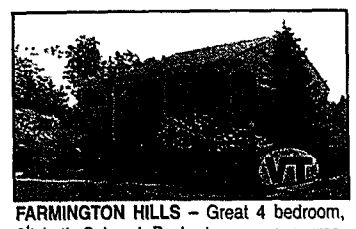
SOUTH LYON – Wow! What a house if you want a place to spread out yet close to everything Better than new energy efficient 4 bedroom, 3½ bath Cape Cod beauty. From the moment you walk through the front door you will appreciate the many upgrades
$314,900 (21027049) **(248) 437-3800**



WEST BLOOMFIELD – Bloomfield Hills schools. Fast occupancy, elegant, large, flowing, 4 bedrooms, pool & property!
$469,000 (64RID2) **(248) 348-6430**



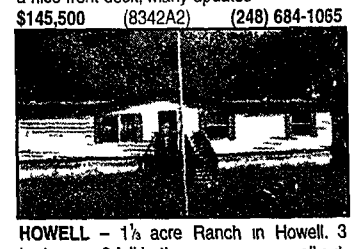
NOVI – Better than new Novi Colonial! Built in '97! Walkout lower level, living, dining and family room with lovely fireplace, large master suite with cathedral ceiling and more!
$314,900 (69SAN2) **(248) 348-6430**



FARMINGTON HILLS – Great 4 bedroom, 2½ bath Colonial Backs to commons area, updates galore: White kitchen, baths, hardwood floors, carpet and more Family room with gas fireplace and wet bar, basement and 2 car garage
$324,900 (79CON2) **(248) 348-6430**



HIGHLAND – Neat and clean ranch in Highland. 1,211 sq ft., 3 bedroom, 1 bath, basement and 2 car garage Fenced-in yard. covered patio, lake privileges on White Lake, huge kitchen and nice tiled bath Neat as a pin
$147,900 (2309) **(248) 684-1065**



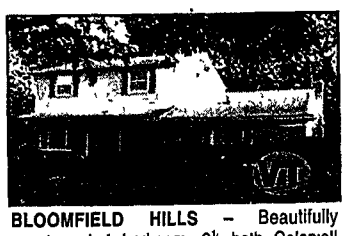
HOWELL – 1⅓ acre Ranch in Howell. 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths on open acre walkout. Unfinished basement, wooded land corners this spacious home with family room and fireplace.
$117,500 (7011M2) **(248) 684-1065**



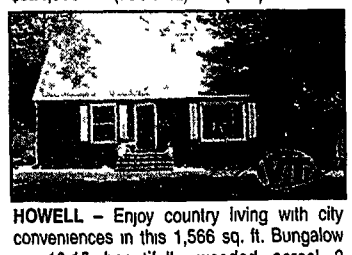
GREEN OAK TWP. – Terrific Phase One walkout Ranch with lake view. Open floor plan freshly painted and new carpet All windows and doorwall have been upgraded Adult complex 55+ with club house and beach available
$139,900 (21056672) **(248) 437-3800**



FARMINGTON HILLS – Beautifully situated on .70 acre lot in Quaker Valley Farms sub. 4 bedrooms, 2½ baths, updated carpet. Side entry garage..
$365,000 (45QUA2) **(248) 348-6430**



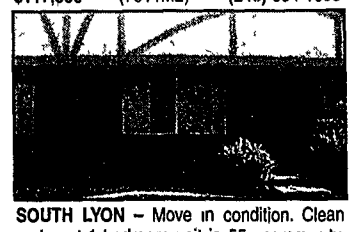
BLOOMFIELD HILLS – Beautifully maintained 4 bedroom, 2½ bath Colonial! Updated kitchen, baths, windows, newer furnace, large treed yard with deck. Pool and tennis courts in sub. It's a 10!!
$259,600 (50FOX2) **(248) 348-6430**



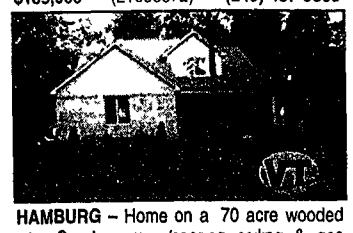
HOWELL – Enjoy country living with city conveniences in this 1,566 sq. ft. Bungalow on 10.15 beautifully wooded acres! 3 bedrooms, 1 bath, full basement, 2 car garage & more!.
$249,900 (05KEL2) **(248) 348-6430**



HIGHLAND – All sports White Lake front! Fabulous views! Panoramic lake frontage with dock just outside your front door. 3 bedroom, 3 bath, home built in 1988, huge cement drive and oversized 2½ car garage, 12x10 shed. Move in condition!
$299,911 (3112L2) **(248) 684-1065**



SOUTH LYON – Move in condition. Clean and neat 1 bedroom unit in 55+ community Extra enclosed Florida room for rest and relaxation. Lower level finished with extra half bath. All appliances stay.
$69,000 (21055986) **(248) 437-3800**



HAMBURG – Home on a 70 acre wooded site. Great room w/soaring ceiling & gas fireplace w/oak mantel. Master w/vaulted ceiling & whirlpool Hardwood floors in foyer, dining room, kitchen & nook. Open staircase w/loft overlooking great room Many updates.
$349,900 (21075550) **(248) 437-3800**

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Intriguing on many levels, this contemporary home steps down to a sitting room that's rich in Afro-centric overtones.

Multilevel still modern

By Rose Bennett Gilbert
COPLEY NEWS SERVICE

Q. We've been interviewing architects about the house we're planning to build ... our real "dream house," now that the children are grown and we can have what we really want. More than one architect has suggested a kind of split-level plan (our site is on a hillside), but I remember "sunken living rooms" and "conversation pits" as things my parents' friends had, old-fashioned, I'm thinking. What do you think?

A. I think that variety is the spice of home life, that differing levels within a home's space can create different moods, attitudes, and experiences. Yesteryear's sunken living room still evokes a sense of drama, of arrival at a new and special place within the house, and there's nothing old-fashioned about that.

Think of my photographer friend Everette Short, who created a multilayered "mansion" from a two-room apartment in New York by raising, rather than sinking, the seating space in his living room. Step up to sofa-level and you feel you're in a different place, indeed.

Clodagh, the New York-based designer who uses one name only, says it gives a house "breathing room." The split-level living room we show here is a good example, taken from her new book "Total Design" (Clarkson Potter, publishers). Stepping down to the Afro-centric sitting space leaves the dining area poised dramatically above and separated, both emotionally and actually, from the relaxing room on the lower level (nobody calls them "conversation pits" anymore).

The same platform idea would work in a bedroom, Clodagh says, to "make a stage for a throne-like bed." She also suggests dropping part of the ceiling to create "a warm nest within a larger room," and using a low archway in an entry to invite traffic to flow forward into the taller spaces.

All this considered, I think you can feel comfortable with any architect who suggests varying floor levels within your new floor plan. He or she is on the level after all.

Q. We're decorating the nursery ... our first baby is due in three months ... and we are confused about choosing the crib. I found a wonderful Victorian antique that would be just perfect in our old Queen Anne, but my mother-in-law said she read somewhere that there is a law regarding the way the side slats are spaced so the baby's head won't get caught. Please help me find more information.

A. According to the American Furniture Manufacturers Association (AFMA) in High Point, N.C., crib slats or spindles should be spaced no more than three-eighths inches apart to insure Baby's safety. Most recently made cribs will meet that standard, but antiques and many family hand-me-downs were obviously not subject to such considerations.

For the future generation's sake, I'd put precaution over style. Bed Baby down in safety and fill your charming Victorian crib with toys or flower pots instead.

P.S. from the AFMA: Check also that all the hardware on the crib is securely installed and that the mattress fits snugly with no more than two-fingers' width between the edge of the mattress and the crib. You might also want to check out the Juvenile Products Manufacturers Assn Web site ... www.jpma.org ... for more information.

While you're in research mode, have a look at the new baby bed furnishings from a company called Peacock Alley. Everything from a ruffled crib skirt to bumpers and duvet covers is available in an unexpected pattern for a nursery. The Web site: www.peacockalley.com.



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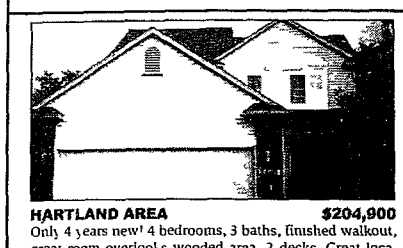
HARTLAND AREA $179,895
$11 000 plus in upgrades! 1st floor master, 1st floor laun dry, 2 decks walkout basement, neutral decor, close to expressway Priced right! MLS#20082948



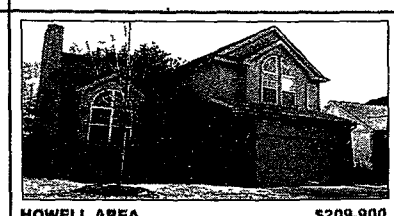
PINCKNEY AREA $184,900
Home set in privacy and mature landscape 3 bedroom Quad with living room, family room, 4th level rec room Cordley Lake & Chain of Lakes privileges MLS#21055479



SOUTH LYON AREA $189,900
Park-like setting with mature landscaping Immaculate move in condition with numerous updates 3 bedrooms, updated kitchen, hardwood floors MLS#21053253



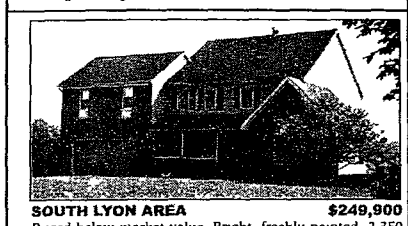
HARTLAND AREA $204,900
Only 4 years new! 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, finished walkout, great room overlooks wooded area, 2 decks Great location great neighborhood MLS#21061152



HOWELL AREA $209,900
Home has excellent open floor plan and is beautifully decorated 3 bedrooms, 2 baths fireplace central air, Thompson Lake Park MLS#21024810



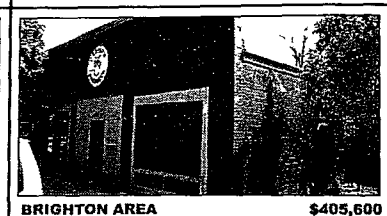
HOWELL AREA $239,900
New construction features hardwood floors, 3 bedrooms, 2 5 baths, 2 story entry, gorgeous views Close to Lake Chemung MLS#21044731



SOUTH LYON AREA $249,900
Priced below market value Bright, freshly painted, 2,350 sq ft 2 story in executive sub Full walkout lower level and much more Brighton Schools MLS#21072171



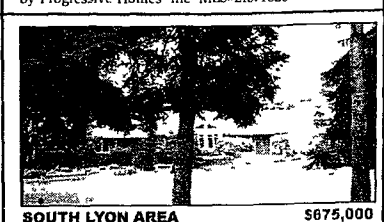
HOWELL AREA $359,900
Newly constructed 1 5 story in family oriented sub Close to I 96 access and Marion Oaks Golf Course Built by Progressive Homes Inc MLS#21071820



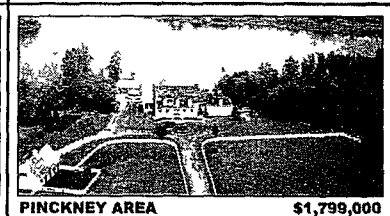
BRIGHTON AREA $405,600
Large commercial/rental building in downtown Brighton Tenant in place Restaurant also available, call for details MLS#21042533



HOWELL AREA $545,900
Spectacular decor in 3,400 sq ft Exquisite antique wood and marble bar 1 acre fieldstone lined pond with fountains 3 car pole barn, additional acreage MLS#21039138



SOUTH LYON AREA $675,000
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PINCKNEY AREA $1,799,000
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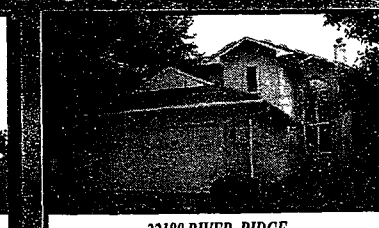
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Grmt Isld Kit (w/double ovens-microwave stovetop-fam rm w/12' ceil & custom F/P, A/C, sec sys, upgraded neutral carpet, 1st flr laun mstr bth w/ whirlpool tub & oversize shower huge deck, S E Gar **$384,900.** Call (248) 380 8800 (99 LYN)



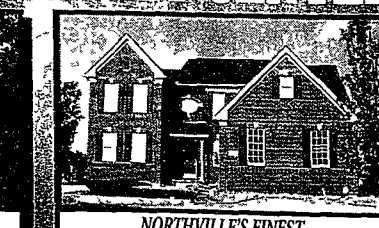
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22180 RIVER RIDGE
Desirable River Pines detached condo backing to woods and stream W/o bsmnt, newer neutral carpet, freshly painted t/o, bridge overlooking 2 story great rm/ fp, CA, huge mst ste 2 5 bths Jacuzzi tubs 2 car att gar Lovely! **$239,900.** Call (248) 380-8800 (80-RIV)



NORTHVILLE'S FINEST
4 br, 4 1/2 bath colonial on a premium golf course Lot w/ pond Gourmet kit, designer baths, prof fin walkout, 2 fps, 2 A/Cs & furnaces, extensive crown molding, loaded w/upgrades! **$699,000.** Call (248) 380 8800 (60 BAY)



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55+ adult community condo, master br & bath upstairs, br & bath lower level, berber carp t/o, att gar, enjoy clubhouse & beach access **$125,900.** Call (248) 380 8800 (55-NAN)



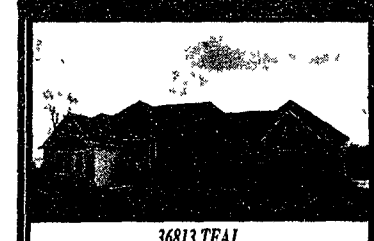
PARK LIKE SETTING
New wood deck overlooking almost 1/2 acre treed lot New carpet, paint, roof (99) & 2 5 car garage (99) 1st flr laundry Stove, washer, dryer, dishwasher, refrigerator & disposal incl **$159,900.** Call (248) 380-8800 (20 PAR)



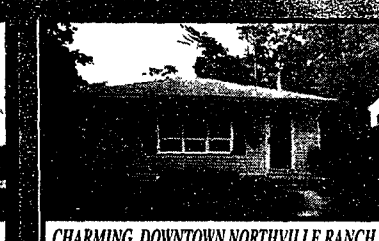
LARGE NOVI CONTEMPORARY
Features large Fam Rm w/nat fp 1st flr laundry, library for din rm& liv rm 4 bdrms, 2 5 baths updates, private yard w/beautiful pool **$310,000.** Call (248) 380 8800 (65 SIL)



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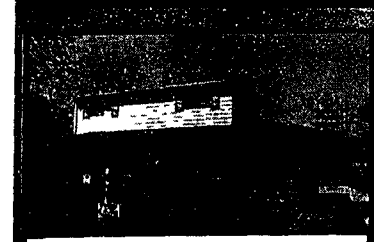
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Prime location! 2 br, 3 full bths, cath ceiling, lovely hrdwd flrs, gourmet kit, fp in liv rm, neutral decor t/o, prof fin daylight LL w/huge fam rm-rec area, wic and full bth, Extra lg deck & 2 car att gar w/opener **$424,900.** Call (248) 380-8800 (26-LAK)



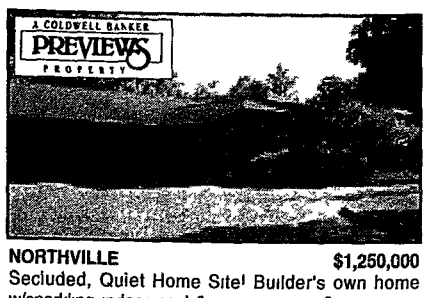
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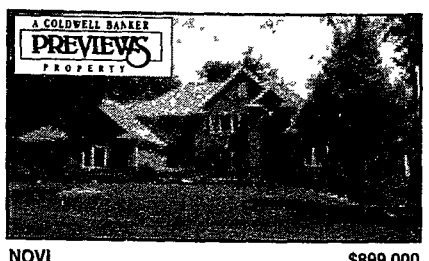
HOWELL **$159,900**
Charming 2 story. w/1450 sq ft in Howell. Move in condition 3 BR, 1 5 bath, remodeled ktchn, glassed and screened porch, great bsmnt for hobby rm 1 car att. garage, fenced side yard (BGSLY21SIB) 248-437-4500



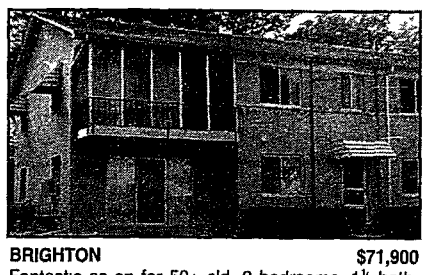
NORTHVILLE **$315,000**
Truly Unique! 4 br, 2.5 bath home w/tons of updates! Open kitchen, formals, master br w/private bath, 2nd master br, finished basement w/office, deck, fireplace, waterfront! (BGN76SCE) 248-347-3050



NOVI **$325,000**
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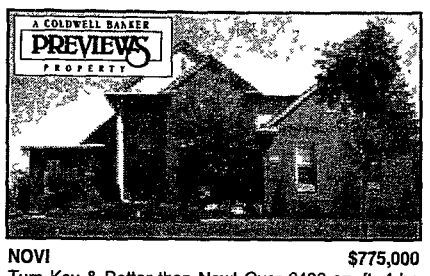
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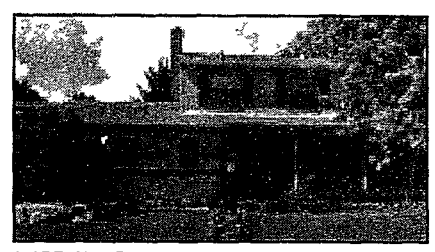
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Turn Key & Better than New! Over 6400 sq. ft, 4 br, 6 baths, gourmet kitchen, library w/custom built-ins, finished lower level, walk-out w/in-law or au pair suite. Spectacular! (BGN26SUN) 248-347-3050



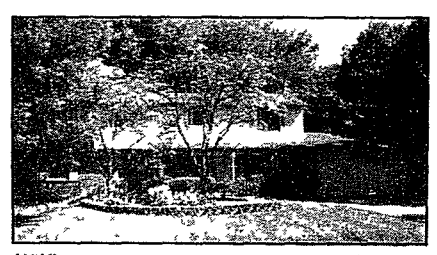
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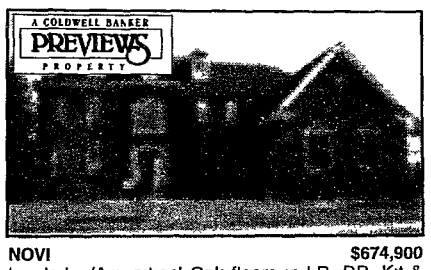
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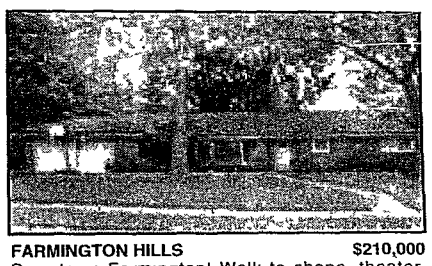
NORTHVILLE **$269,900**
Incredible Value w/A Fabulous Resort in Your Own Backyard! 4 br, 2.5 baths w/finished basement Many updates – roof, new A/C, furnace, kitchen & more Hurry on this jewel (BGN20BEA) 248-347-3050



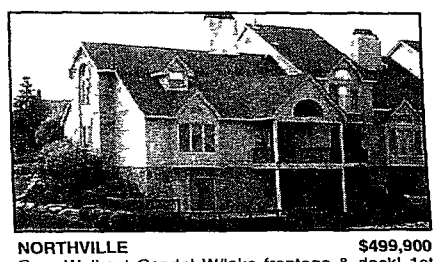
NOVI **$310,000**
Park-like Setting! Updates galore, 4 br, 2 2 baths, hdwd floors, new kitchen, formal living & dining rooms, family room w/fireplace, finished basement, 3 car garage, deck (BGN66BAL) 248-347-3050



NOVI **$674,900**
Loaded w/Amenities! Oak floors in LR, DR, Kit & Mstr. Bath White kit. w/upgraded cabinets, 2 staircaes, unfin extr. deep w/o w/rough-ins, 5 bdrms, 3.5 baths, 3.5 car garage & immediate occupancy (BGN58SUN) 248-347-3050



FARMINGTON HILLS **$210,000**
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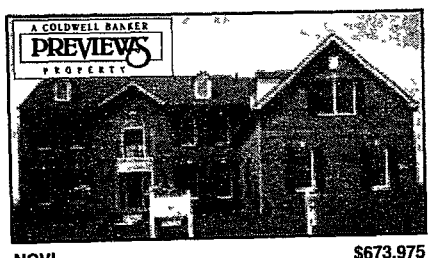
NORTHVILLE **$499,900**
Rare Walkout Condo! W/lake frontage & dock! 1st floor master ste , library, great room w/2-way fireplace - fabulous finished lower level w/bar, fireplace, br & bath A 10 plus! (BGN60BLU) 248-347-3050



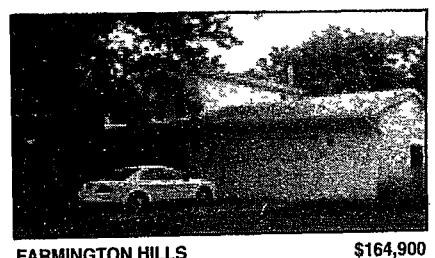
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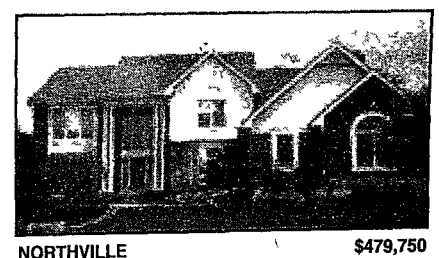
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Absolutely Wonderful Novi Colonial! 600 sq ft addition (94), newer windows t/o, new roof shingles (95), updated kitchen & baths, 2 fireplaces, private backyard & immediate occupancy (BGN15SHA) 248-347-3050



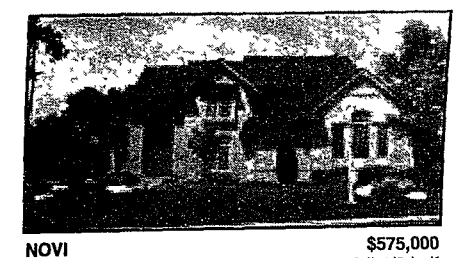
NOVI **$673,975**
New Listing! Brand New 4300 Sq Feet! 4 br, 3.5 bath, 2-story, gourmet kitchen, turned staircase by entry, library, sunroom, family room w/bridge, fully landscaped! Wow! (BGN17ANC) 248-347-3050



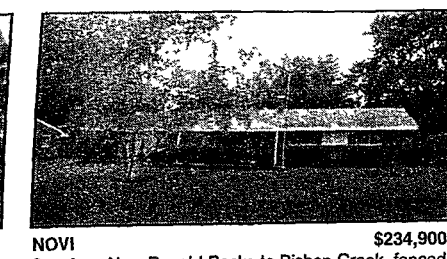
FARMINGTON HILLS **$164,900**
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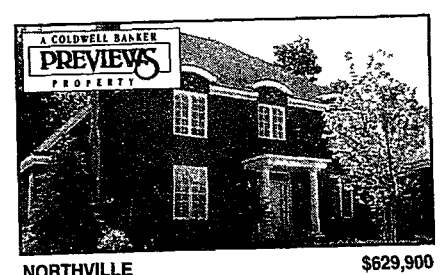
NORTHVILLE **$479,750**
Unmatchable! 1993 Custom Built! 4 br, 2 2 baths, formal living/dining room, family room w/fireplace, library, 9' ceilings, kitchen w/center island. Master suite w/glamour bath (BGN34ROL) 248-347-3050



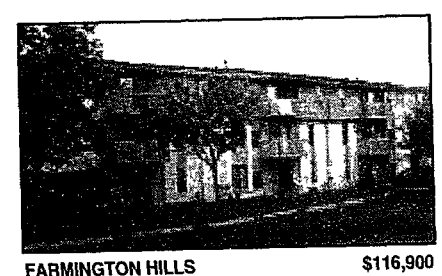
NOVI **$575,000**
Simply Elegant! Better Than New! 4 br, 4 full 1/2 half baths, formal living/dining room, gourmet kitchen w/hardwood floor, butler's pantry, library, finished lower level w/wet bar (BGN39BAR) 248-347-3050



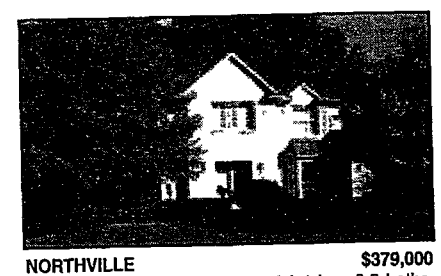
NOVI **$234,900**
Spacious Novi Ranch! Backs to Bishop Creek, fenced yard, huge great rm, covered paver patio, tranquil yard, study, 2 5 car garage w/workshop & more! (BGN03RIP) 248-347-3050



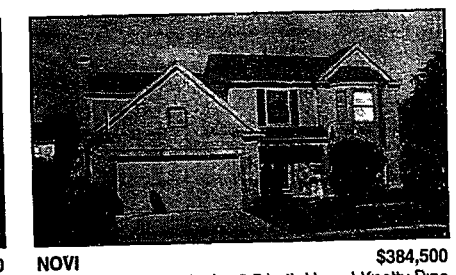
NORTHVILLE **$629,900**
One Year New! This spectacular walkout backs to woods. Gorgeous views from 2 story windows in great room. Luxurious master suite-gathering rm style kitchen w/fireplace. A 10+ (BGN35DEE) 248-347-3050



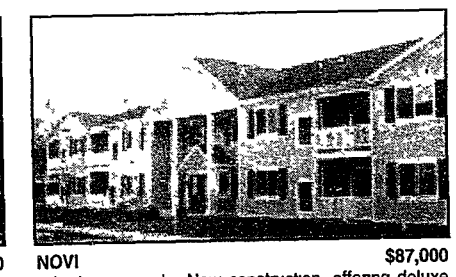
FARMINGTON HILLS **$116,900**
Move In Condition! Condo In Popular Farmington Hills Complex, Close To Everything, Just Off 696 and Orchard Lake, 2 Br., 2 Full Bath, Close To Pool, All appliances Included (BGN-13TWE) 248-347-3050



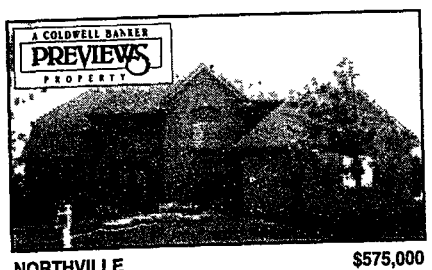
NORTHVILLE **$379,000**
One of the Finest Brick Colonials! 4 brs, 2.5 baths. Beautifully landscaped wooded lot. Family room w/nat fp leading to beautiful custom deck. Side entrance garage. Original owner (BGN19CRE) 248-347-3050



NOVI **$384,500**
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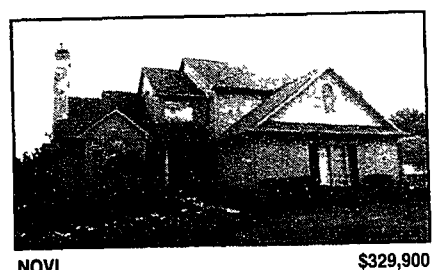
NORTHVILLE **$575,000**
Magnificent 1998 Custom 2 Story! Gourmet kitchen w/hardwood floor, family room w/fireplace, formal living/dining room, 4 br, 4.5 baths, finished lower level w/custom bar & more. (BGN97DEE) 248-347-3050



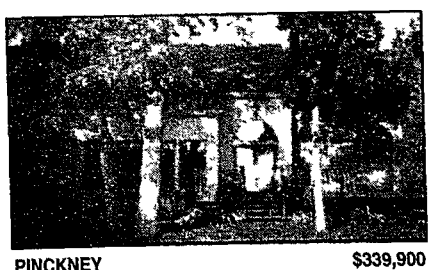
HOWELL **$229,900**
HOWELL CAPE COD. 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath, built in 1995 as model w/many upgrades. Corner lot, professionally decorated and landscaped. Sprinkler system, alarm system, 1st floor master suite (BGSLY02OAK) 248-437-4500



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NOVI **$329,900**
Woods of Novi Colonial! Finished bsmt, deck, C/A, Oak floors, heated garage, 1st floor laundry, white bay cabinets, vaulted ceiling in fr & Cathedral Ceiling in mstr. bdrm. (BGN53WIM) 248-347-3050



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314 Farmington/Farmington Hills

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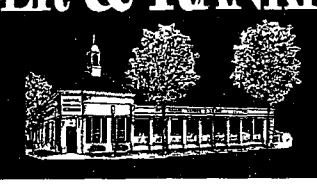
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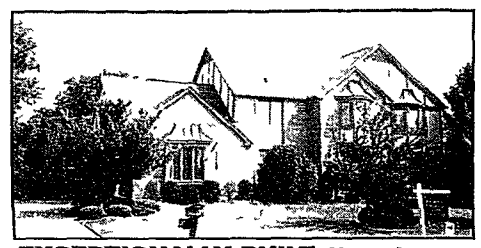
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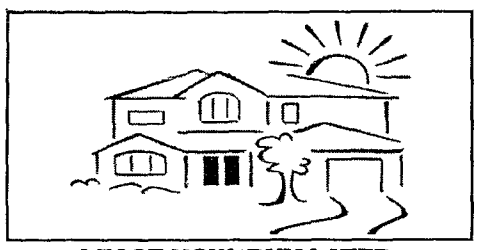
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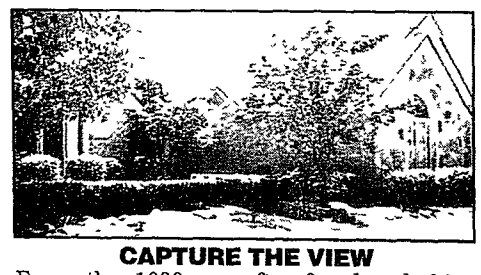




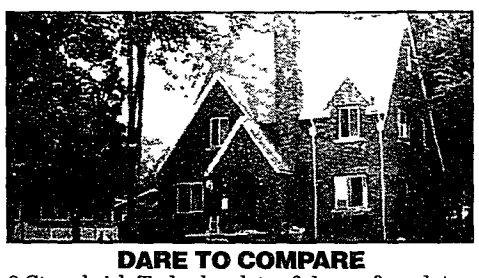
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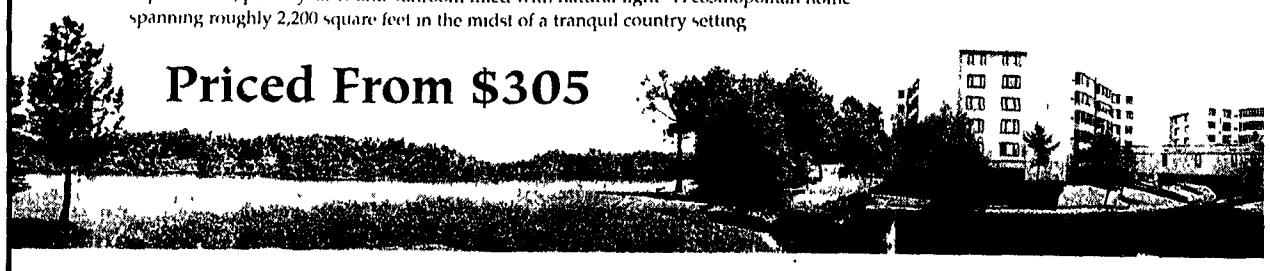
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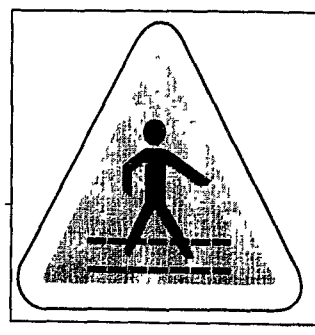
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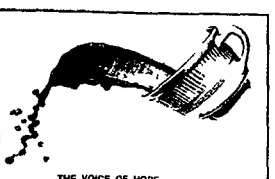
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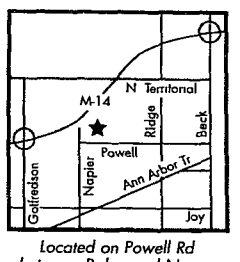
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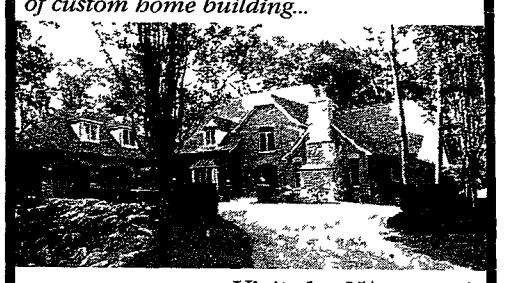
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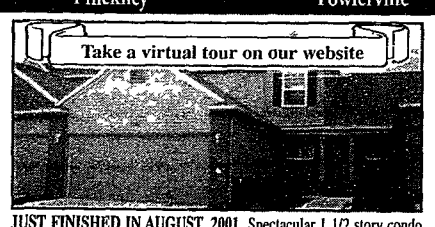
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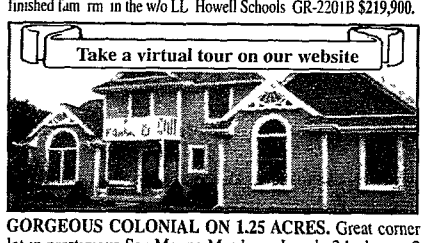
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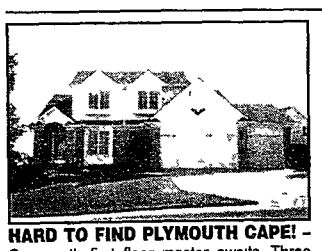
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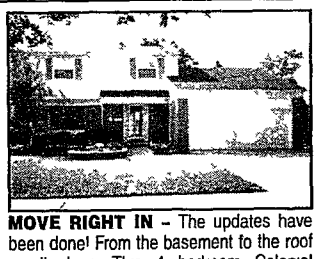
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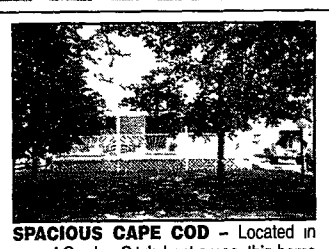
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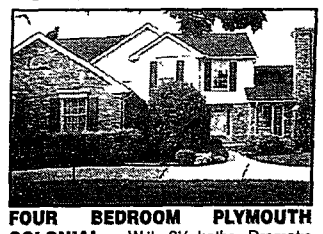
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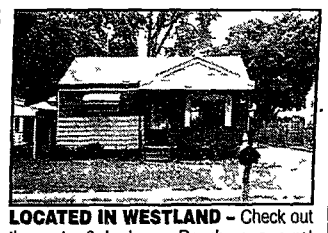
DETACHED CONDO - Enjoy 9 foot ceilings, maple cabinetry, Corian counters, upgraded appliances, spacious loft overlook, study and premium trim package in this nearly new 3 bedroom, 2½ bath Plymouth Country Club Estates detached Condo $372,500 (148NO)



ROOM FOR TOYS AND YOU - Two story home featuring 24 x 36 pole barn '95, wrap-around deck for entertaining, large living room 27 x 14 with natural fireplace, furnace-air conditioning '97 All on 1 8 acres Clean, clean, clean $274,900 (191MO)



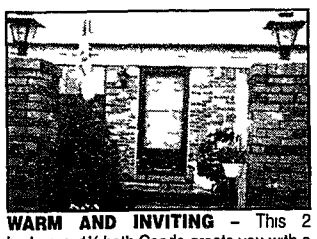
FOUR BEDROOM PLYMOUTH COLONIAL - With 2½ baths Dramatic great room with cathedral ceilings and huge bay window Ceramic foyer, large master bedroom with bath and walk-in closet. Large kitchen and library with French door leading to magnificent 2-tiered deck with screened-in gazebo overlooking beautiful commons $369,900 (828PI)



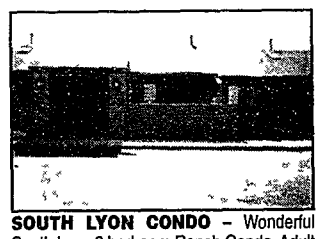
LOCATED IN WESTLAND - Check out this cute 3 bedroom Ranch in a quiet Westland neighborhood, newer central air, windows, furnace, nice deck off back of house & over 1,000 square feet. $110,000 (085WI)



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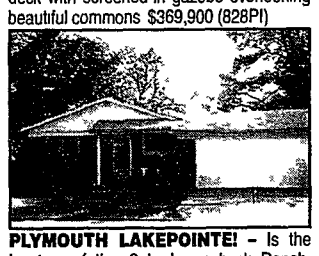
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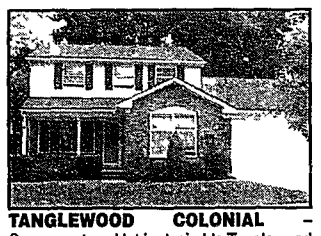
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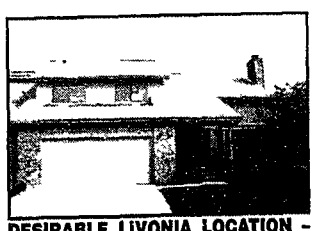
PRICED TO SELL - Three bedroom, 2½ bath Canton Ranch with finished basement and nice private lot alongside small creek Very affordable $159,900 (788EL)



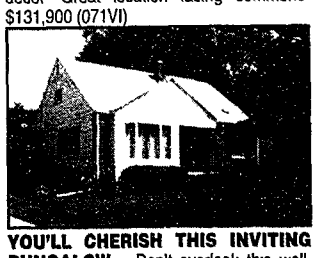
PLYMOUTH LAKEPOINTE! - Is the location of this 3 bedroom brick Ranch Updated baths, central air, roof and furnace. Huge kitchen Finished basement with fireplace. Two car attached garage $179,900 (335SH)



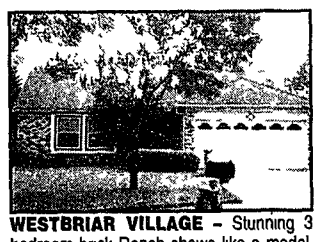
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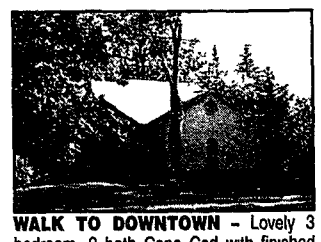
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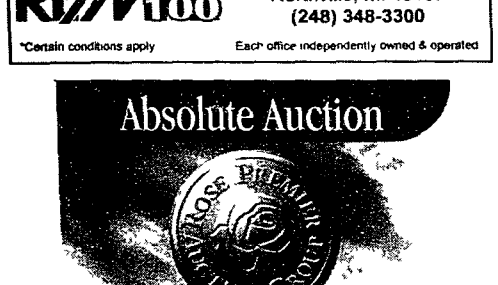
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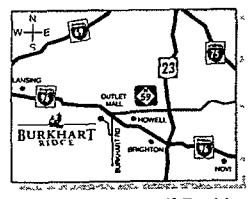
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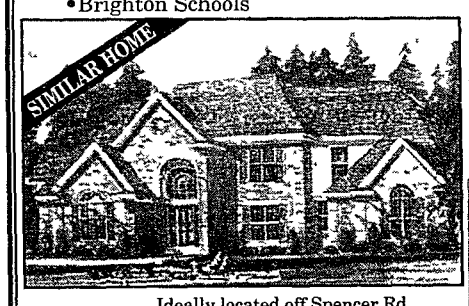


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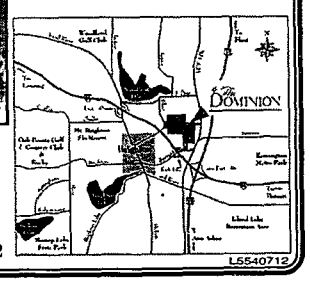
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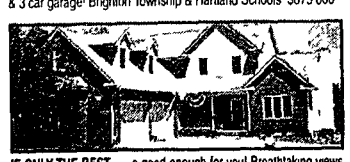
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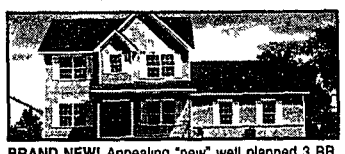
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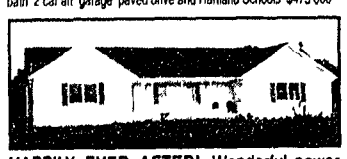
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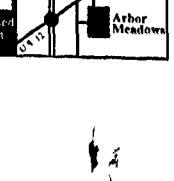
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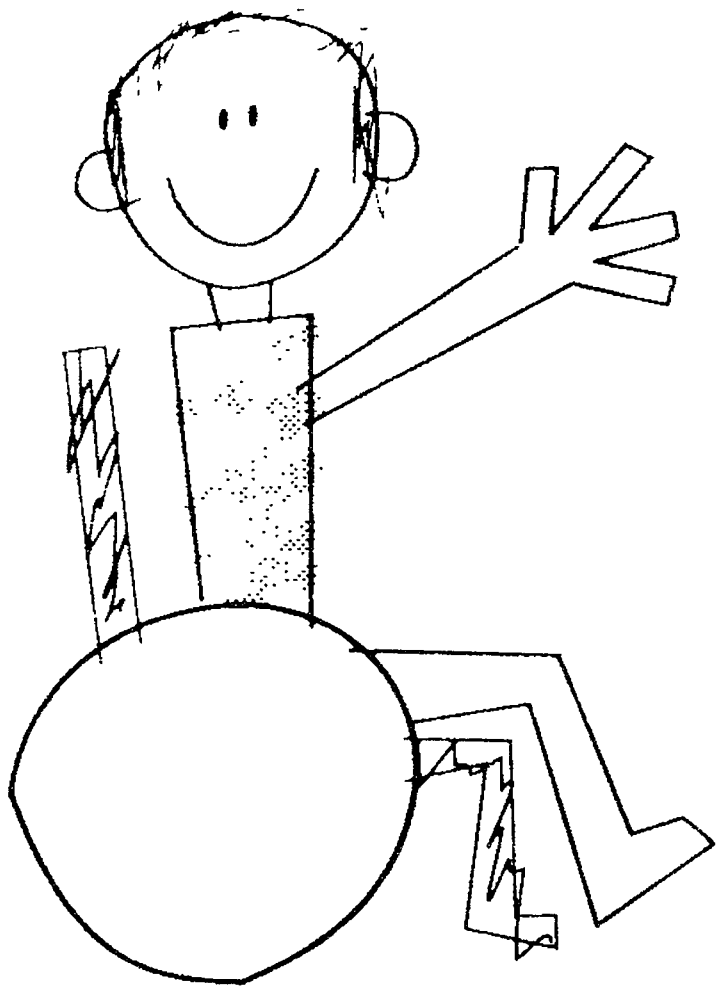
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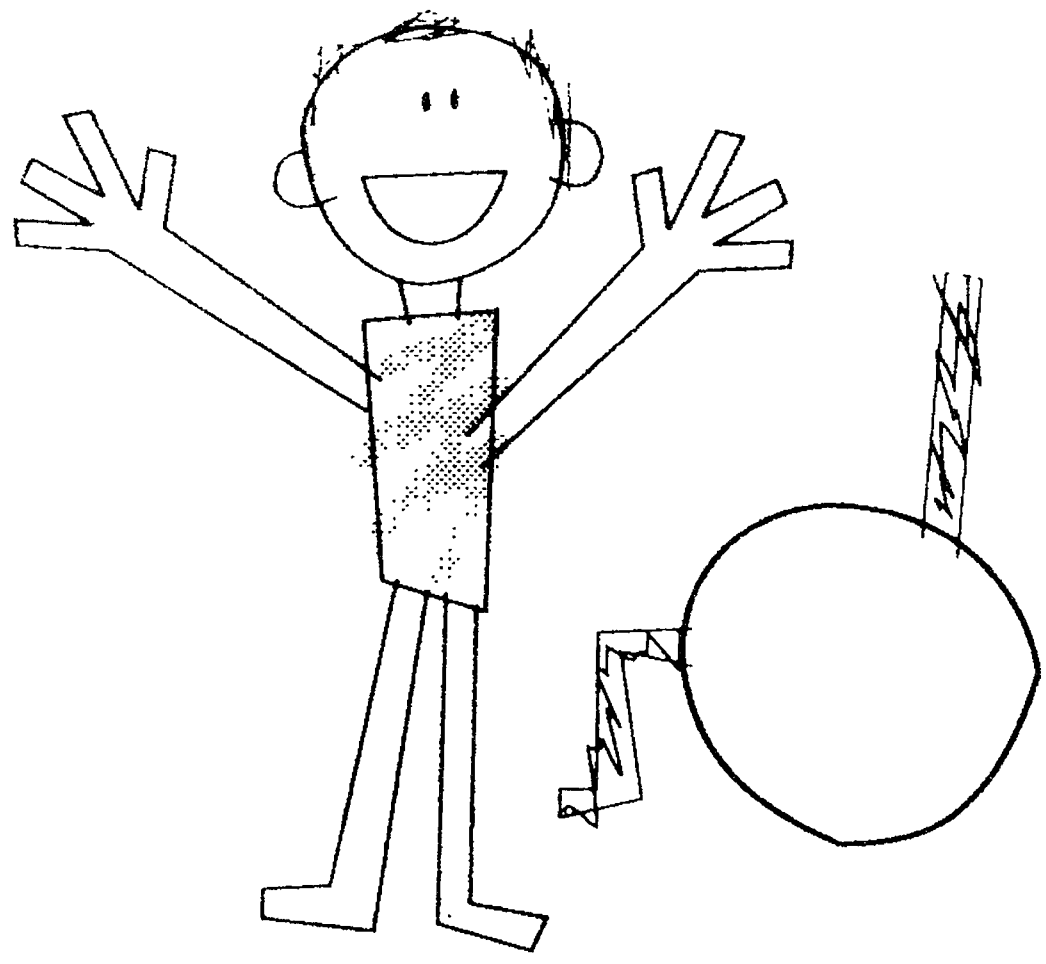
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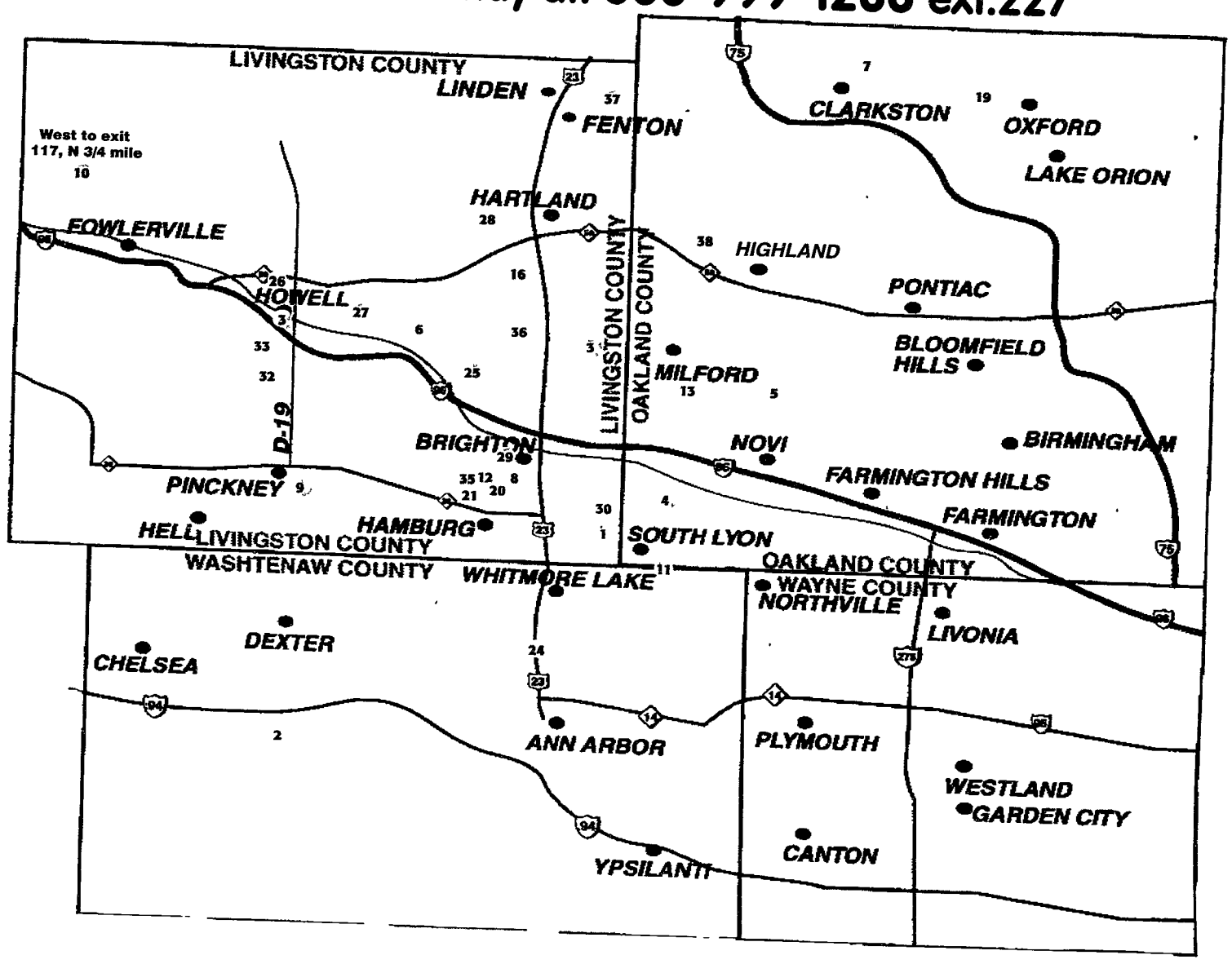
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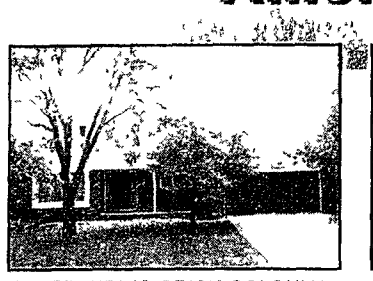
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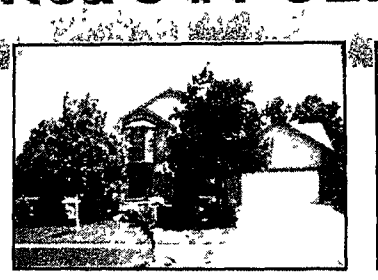
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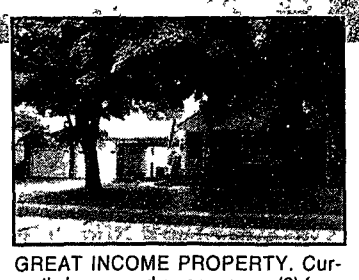
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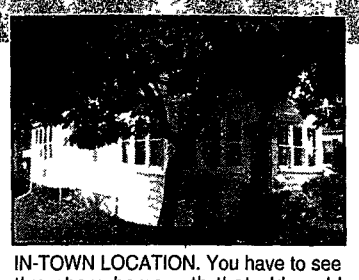
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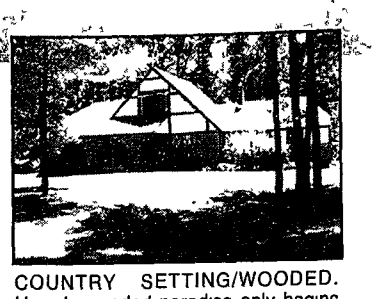
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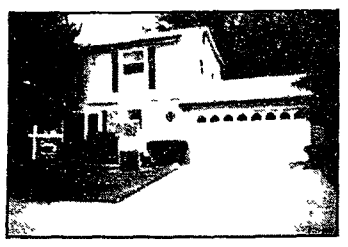
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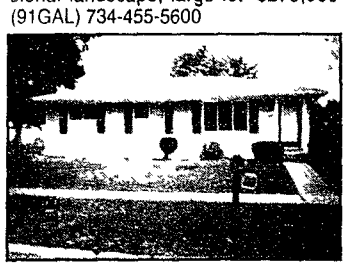
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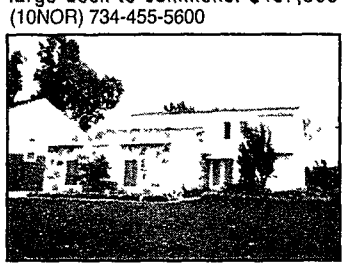
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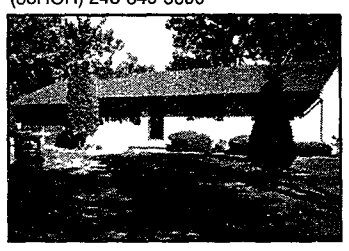
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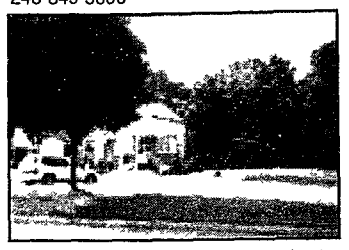
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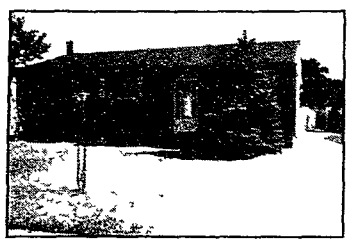
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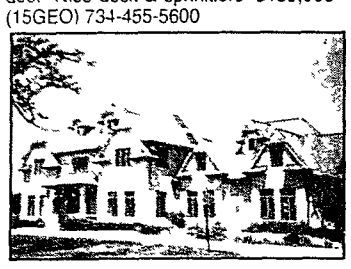
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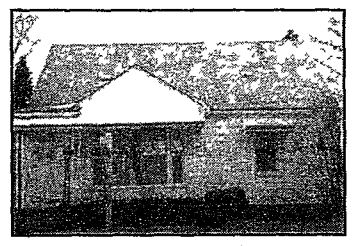
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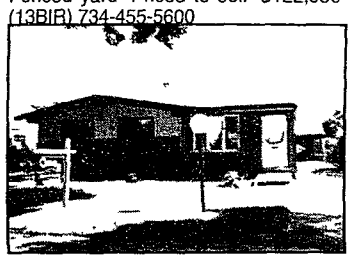
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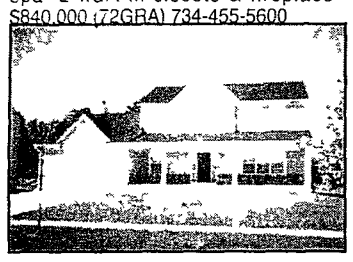
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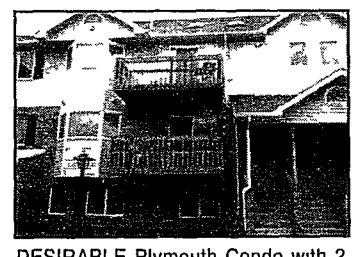
BETTER THAN NEW Four bed, 2½ bath Colonial with an open floor plan Family room with vaulted ceiling & fireplace Upgraded island kitchen with Corian tops, walk-in closet & bath in master, den/library, wood deck & trees $329,000 (20HAN) 248-349-5600



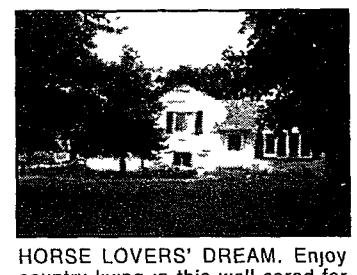
HANDY-MAN SPECIAL RANCH! Three bedroom with "Important Updates" done Located on prime lot facing Westland Municipal Golf Course Updates furnace, central air, roof, windows, steel entry door $105,000 (59BIR) 734-455-5600



WHAT A GREAT BUY! Stone front 3 bedroom, 2½ bath Colonial with large front porch First floor laundry, family room with fireplace & cathedral ceiling, & large kitchen with island & work station Master with cathedral ceiling, bath with garden tub & his & her closets! $222,500 (61HIC) 734-455-5600



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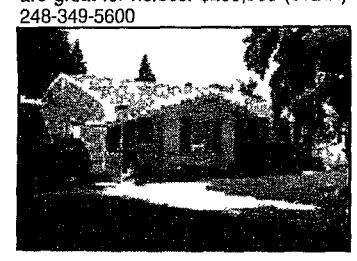
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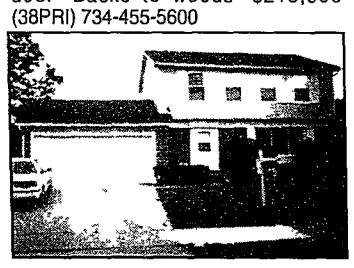
PICTURE PERFECT Park-like fenced back yard with covered patio & barn-type shed. This brick 3 bedroom Ranch home is very clean, well-maintained & move-in ready. Hardwood floors, newer kitchen floor, windows, gutters, roof, hot water heater & much more. $132,900 (36SOU) 248-349-5600



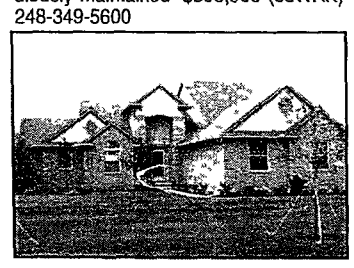
CLEAN AND NEAT BUNGALOW! Three bedroom, two bath, hardwood floors, updated kitchen, brick patio, fenced yard, central air, full bath in basement Ventless gas fireplace, nicely landscaped yard! $134,900 (12CRO) 734-455-5600



UPDATED FOUR BEDROOM BUNGALOW! With extra - buildable lot Home and lot not in flood zone! Home is being sold "AS IS" Home shows well, but is not a drive by $99,900 (97KIN) 734-455-5600



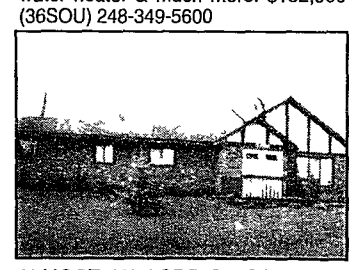
PLENTY OF ROOM TO GROW! Four bedroom, 2½ bath Colonial with fifth bedroom in basement! Fresh paint & newer carpet (family room), vinyl windows, circuit breakers, steel entry door, doorwall to large deck! $166,000 (03PRI) 734-455-5600



2001 CAPE COD IN CANTON. Seller just got all the amenities complete & are relocated. Ready to just move in & enjoy Four bedroom, 2½ bath, great room, den, dining room, oak kitchen, open floor plan, full basement, 3 car garage, 2 decks, sprinklers & central air $349,900 (10RIV) 248-349-5600



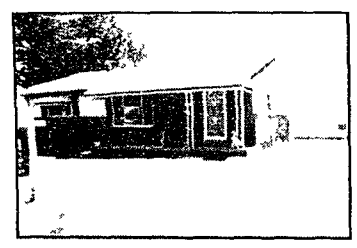
PERFECTION THROUGHOUT Awesome executive home features first floor master suite, 4 bedrooms, 3 full & 2 half baths, 2 story great room, cherry & granite kitchen $599,900 (60POI) 248-349-5600



ALMOST AN ACRE OF COUNTRY LIVING. Totally updated Ranch with 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, hardwood floor in kitchen, dining room & hall. French doors, quality baths, jetted tub & fireplace in living room & dining room. $244,900 (21STO) 248-349-5600



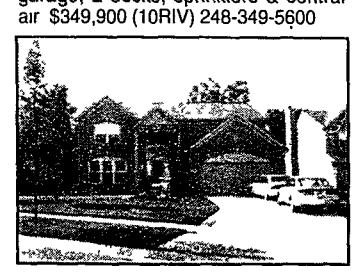
GREAT SURPRISES HERE! Three bed, 2 bath brick Ranch with newer roof (home & garage), kitchen with all appliances, windows & doors, electric, glass block windows Finished basement with wet bar & full bath, new sun room Furnace & central air updated. Privacy fence $147,900 (94DEE) 734-455-5600



WELCOME HOME! Completely updated! Everything including the bath tub within the last 5 years! Beautiful oak kitchen with dishwasher & microwave Newer roof shingles & furnace with central air Oversized 2 car garage & finished basement! $126,900 (43LYN) 734-455-5600



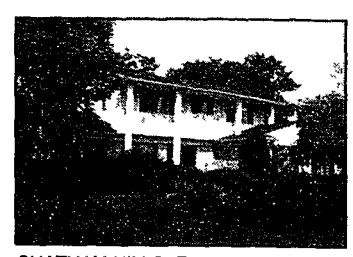
PLYMOUTH PRIME! Walk to downtown, parks & schools. Well maintained & freshly painted. Brick 1½ story with part finished basement. Living room with coved ceiling & hardwood floors. Completely renovated kitchen with appliances. Family room with fireplace. $235,000 (81ROO) 734-455-5600



NEWER 4 BEDROOM BRICK COLONIAL This home has a large oak kitchen with island, hardwood floors & 2 story foyer. Neutral carpeting throughout. Large master. Pro-landscaping with private back yard. Basement has garden windows. Close to schools $314,900 (01WES) 248-349-5600



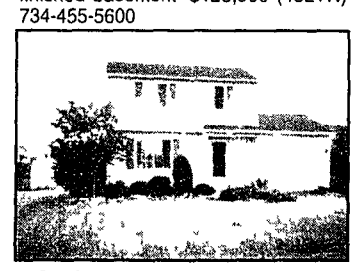
ALMOST TOTALLY REBUILT. Like new construction. Quality built 3 bedroom, 2 bath, walk-in closet, first or second floor master bedroom, first floor laundry, front & back porch, newer furnace, central air, roof & the list goes on. Corner lot with room for a large garage $139,900 (50WIL) 248-349-5600



CHATHAM HILLS. Four bedroom Colonial with newer furnace, large family room, formal dining room, walk-in closet in master bedroom and fenced yard. $269,900 (48LAN) 248-349-5600



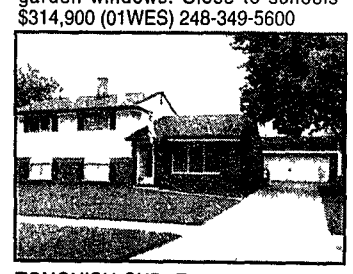
OUTSTANDING HOME! Great home! Beautiful yard! Ready to move in & enjoy! Stove, refrigerator, washer & dryer stay. Five ceiling fans & window air conditioner Three bedroom, part finished basement & garage $119,900 (68FOX) 734-455-5600



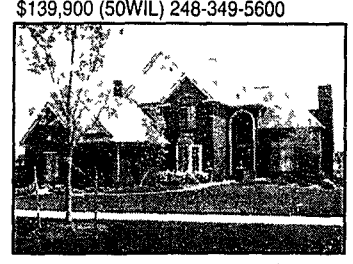
NICE OVERSIZED LOT! Three bedroom, 1½ bath Colonial. Doorwall to large deck Open floor plan. Almost like new! Enjoyable oak kitchen. Immediate occupancy Large shed for extra storage! $169,105 (75NOR) 734-455-5600



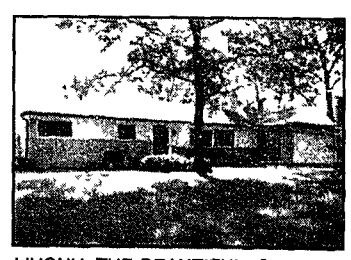
ON 2 ACRES! BREATHTAKING HOME! Four bed, 4½ bath Colonial with South Lyon schools! Master suite with 2 walk-in closets & Jacuzzi, pro-finished walk-out, cedar deck, 3 car garage, 2 fireplaces, gorgeous kitchen & decor. $574,900 (68TUS) 734-455-5600



TONQUISH SUB. Four bedroom, two bath Tri-level with 2½ garage. Open floor plan with plenty of storage. Neutral decor. Great family neighborhood with sidewalks. $159,900 (01COM) 248-349-5600



LAKEFRONT PERFECTION Sunsets from this Teal Lake home are breathtaking. Franklin IV model upgraded throughout Maple & granite kitchen, walk-out basement, sun room, cedar decks, brick paver patio, walks & much more $947,000 (54PAR) 248-349-5600



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Home Expressions in Season

New home decor retail store opens in Lyon Township

By Anna Troppens
STAFF WRITER

Express yourself.

Seasonal Expressions, a new retail store in Lyon Township, offers "something for everyone," said Store Manager Karen Gula.

General Manager Lois Heerema said Seasonal Expressions features home decor items, gifts, furniture and seasonal items. For example, shoppers will find hand lotions, candles, floral arrangements and wreaths, patriotic/Americana decorations, rugs, Christmas decorations, wildlife decorations, a selection of gazing balls and stands, picture frames, fountains, fall decorations and lamps.

"We specialize in one-of-a-kind merchandise," Heerema said. "We order different lamps, furniture and rugs so every time people come in and shop, it's a different store."

Seasonal Expressions includes a variety of gifts for men as well, such as home decor objects with a safari or lodge theme.

Employee Suzi DeLap creates floral arrangements for any occasion, including custom work. She said she attended a vocational floral school and has a degree in the retail plant and floral industry.

DeLap's creations rival those of people worldwide, said Heerema, who viewed arrangements from other countries at industry gatherings. "She's one of the top designers."

The other items for sale at Seasonal Expressions are made in other portions of the United States or are imported. Prices vary to fit individual budgets.

Some customers have been Christmas shopping already, and people who collect snowmen and Santas purchase these items year-round, she said.



PHOTO BY HAL GOULD

Meet the staff at Seasonal Expressions, a new store in Lyon Township. From left to right are Ruth Spearman, Charlene Atchison, Suzie Delap, Janet Marrocco, Tina Peabody, Carrie Witkowski, Karen Gula, Suzanne Weaver, Liz Osborne, Lois Heerema, Sylvia Johnson, Paulette Bensley, Diann Tymensky.

Seasonal Expressions serves the local market, while the wholesale store housed in the same building, Boutique Trims, manufactures products sold all over the world.

There are plans to add another room to Seasonal Expressions sometime in the future.

"It's so new," Heerema said. "We're letting the customers dictate to us what they want."

The store, which opened around the beginning of August, will have its **grand opening Oct. 5, 6 and 7 during Pumpkinfest.** Christmas and Halloween decorations will be available.

During the grand opening, customers will be treated to sales and door prizes, including a drawing for an antique reproduction desk.

For more information, contact Seasonal Expressions at (248) 437-2017 or visit the store at 21200 Pontiac Trail in Lyon Township.

The best marketing ideas are usually the simplest ones

By Tim Kissman
SBAM DIRECTOR OF PUBLICATIONS

I make it a practice to visit local businesses whenever I can. That usually means walking downtown from my office for lunch, stopping at the various shops along the way.

At the local card store, I bought a card for my dad.

"Here's your change. Thank you for stopping."

"Thanks. Have a good one," I said.

"Yes. I'll see you tomorrow."

I did a double take. Did she know something I didn't? Did I forget my anniversary again, because I'd be in deep, deep trouble? Am I fired and need a new job? She must be the only one who knows. Maybe she wants me to work there. I'll need to get another card if that's the case -- a sympathy card, for myself.

Oh, goodness, what was going on?

She smiled as I walked out the door. I couldn't take my eyes off the woman and I nearly knocked a shelf full of glass frogs I'm sure were expensive. It took me just 42 more steps (a 43rd would have sent me into oncoming traffic) before I had the epiphany — she was being nice. What a great idea! She was trying to get something to stick in my head that was out of the ordinary by being extra nice and suggesting a return visit.

She was marketing me and I loved it. I checked my Handspring Visor and I didn't need to go back there tomorrow, but she was letting me know I was welcome to come any time.

I looked both ways, then crossed the street, running to the office. There I tried to think of a few other free or inexpensive ways to market to customers.

Here's what I came up with:

- Offer a mailing list. This may take a few minutes, but give your clients a chance to sign up for a mailing list when they make a purchase. Then send them notices about your sales and your business on a timely basis. It also is a great way to provide a hand-written note, thanking them for their purchase. I know I'd go back again and again if I received a special note from the store owner.
- Offer special perks. There's the old maxim that 20 percent of your customers represent 80 percent of your business. If that's the case, give those special folks a little break at the register. Offer private showings to them. Offer special sales. Offer anything, just make them feel unique and let them know you care.
- Let them know you care. No matter what you decide to do, try to keep in touch. If you can learn their names, use it when they come into the store. Make them feel like a regular. I love it when places know my name. It also opens the door to special mail correspondence. Again, address them by their first names. Friends are likely to be repeat business. Make a lot of friends.

If you can't get return customers you'll be out of business. Cater to those that always show up and let them know you care. I know a great card shop that can help you with that if you're in the neighborhood.

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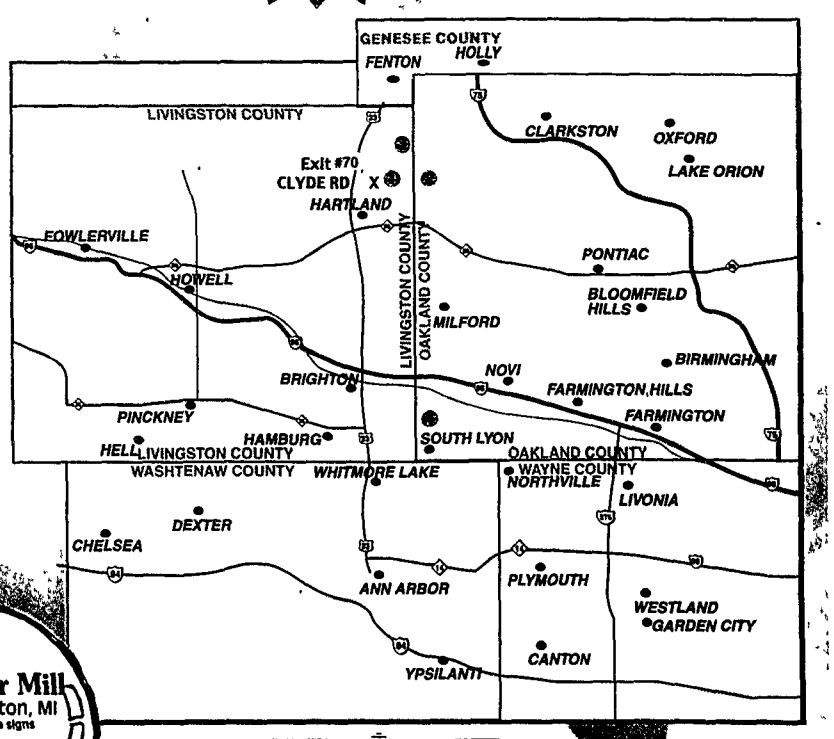
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815 Auto Misc
876 Autos Over $2,000
816 Auto/Truck-Parts & Service
878 Autos Under $2,000
817 Auto Rentals/Leasing
819 Autos Wanted
802 Boats/Motors
804 Boat Docks/Marinas
803 Boat Parts/Equipment/ Service
805 Boat/Vehicle Storage
812 Campers/Motor Homes/Trailers
814 Construction, Heavy Equipment
806 Insurance, Motor
828 Jeeps/4 Wheel Drive
820 Junk Cars Wanted
824 Mini-Vans
807 Motorcycles/Mini Bikes/Go-Karts
808 Motorcycles-Parts & Service
809 Off Road Vehicles
810 Recreational Vehicles
811 Snowmobiles
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WAIT STAFF
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511 Help Wanted Professionals

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New Hudson, MI 48165
Fax (248)437-3884
E-mail JBHR@jerrybaker com

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520 Help Wanted Part-Time

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Market Day is an established consumer food products company with 25 years of exp
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524 Help Wanted Domestic

HOUSE MANAGER wanted for non-smoking Novi/Northville resident. Duties: housekeeping, laundry, ironing, cooking & errands Must have experience, references, enjoy your work and be self-motivated. Ask for Nichole.....(734)453-7500

HOUSEKEEPER NEEDED in Ann Arbor/Plymouth area estate. Full time position. Benefits available. Must have experience with fine furnishings. References required.
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DUAL TONES Entertainment
Professional disc jockey service
Music for all occasions
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534 Jobs Wanted- Female/Male

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536 Childcare Services - Licensed

A TREE House Daycare. Full/ part-time openings. Preschool/ close to freeways, 5 yrs exp **(248)486-1354**

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537 Babysitting/ Childcare Services

26 YRS. EXP. Daytime babysitter in Redford home, close access to 96 expressway All ages. Snacks included. (313)534-3078

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538 Childcare Needed

BABYSITTER NEEDED part time for 3 children Great pay & kids South Lyon (248)767-6498

CHILD CARE 7am-9am weekdays in Novi Caring, responsible person w/child care experience to get child to school and daycare. Must have references & clean driving record (248)349-5744

CHILDCARE GIVER NEEDED in Livonia home on Mon -Wed - Fri for kids ages 4, 8 & 9 Exp., reliable car, references required (734)422-7046 after 6pm

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INFANT CARE needed for 10mo old in our Northville home 1 day/wk Thurs. approx 8am-4pm. Non smoker. References required Please call (248)380-9813

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PART-TIME IN our downtown Northville home, after school 2-3 days week, some Saturdays, for our 6 & 10 year olds Times flexible. Mature person w/car preferred (248)380-9017

540 Elderly Care & Assistance

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560 Education/ Instruction

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PRESCHOOL AIDE for Novi/ Wixom area, full or part-time, top pay. Call Eve 248-348-2780

562 Business & Prof. Services

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564 Financial Services

READERS: Since many ads are from outside the local area, please know what you are buying before sending money.

574 Business Opportunities

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A WORKING MOM'S DREAM: Did you miss the first laugh, first step, first word? Call me today to learn how to earn money from home. (248) 348-4577

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LOOKING FOR small office space (8x10) in downtown Northville for a desk & 2 file cabinets. Will need to put in own phone line Will share office if available Call Marianne, (248) 755-1019.

RESTAURANT & Real Estate with Liquor License for sale or Lease. Call Carl Vagnetti Days (810)844-2253 Eves (810)227-3633

600-678 ANNOUNCEMENTS

622 Legal Notices/ Accepting Bids

PUBLIC NOTICE of NON-RENEWAL of SELECT CARE MEDICARE GOLD in the STATE of MICHIGAN
Effective January 1, 2002, SelectCare will no longer offer coverage of Medicare+Choice benefits to our Medicare Gold members in the State of Michigan If you are a current member, you may remain enrolled until December 31, 2001 We have closed enrollment effective with this notice
For additional information, contact SelectCare toll free at 1-800-816-7675 Monday thru Friday from 8am to 5.30pm Members who use a telephone device for the hearing impaired can contact SelectCare around the clock at 1-800-649-3777 For help and information about Medicare, please call 1 - 800 - M E D I C A R E (1-800-633-4227) Individuals that use a telephone device for the hearing impaired can call 1-877-486-2048

PUBLIC NOTICE of NON- RENEWAL of HAP SENIOR PLUS in WASHTENAW, LIVINGSTON, MONROE & ST. CLAIR COUNTIES
Effective January 1, 2002, Health Alliance Plan will no longer offer coverage of Medicare+Choice benefits to our Senior Plus members in Washtenaw, Livingston, Monroe and St. Clair Counties If you are a current member, you may remain enrolled until December 31, 2001.
For additional information, contact HAP at 1-313-664-7015 or toll free at 1-800-801-1770 Monday thru Friday from 7am to 7pm and on Saturdays from 8am until noon Members who use a telephone device for the hearing impaired can contact HAP around the clock at 1-313-664-8000. For help and information about Medicare, please call 1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227) Individuals that use a telephone device for the hearing impaired can call 1-877-486-2048

THE SOUTH Lyon Housing Commission is selling a 20-unit housing development complex located between Lotte, Donovan, Reese and Abel Streets in South Lyon. The units are presently vacant and can be toured Oct. 8, 9 and 10, 2001 between 1:00pm and 3:00pm Please call for an appointment The units will be sold on an AS-IS basis Sealed bids will be accepted at the office located at 1160 Shendan Street, Plymouth, MI until 3:00pm on Monday Oct 15, 2001. For information concerning the bids, please contact Sharon Thomas or Cindy Rapson at (734) 455-3670. The South Lyon Housing Commission reserves the right to reject any and all bids

630 Cards of Thanks

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640 Transportation/ Travel

DISNEY - Beach Vacation, 6 nights, nice hotel, will sacrifice for $199 (517) 372-0934.

642 Health, Nutrition, Weight Loss

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702 Antiques/ Collectibles

ANTIQUE SALE! Fri. 10am 1900 circa oak desk & oak chest of drawers, etc. Commerce Meadows Mobile Home Park Wixom (248)684-0030

ANTIQUE WALNUT sideboard, excellent condition $500 (734)665-4213 evenings.

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SLOTS, PINBALL,
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(313)770-1008

VICTORIAN COUCH, circa 1880's, burgundy velvet, carved mahogany, 72", exc cond. Must see $2,500 (517)546-3076

704 Arts & Crafts

9TH ANNUAL Howell Band Boosters Craft Show at Howell High Cafeteria. Sat., Nov. 17, 10-4pm For available space, contact Kathy at (517)552-0557

CRAFTERS WANTED. Highland United Methodist Church for Nov. 3 show Call Jamie (248)684-9120

706 Auction Sales

ABSOLUTE AUCTION Sun., Oct. 7, 12 Noon to be held at Imlay City Fairgrounds, 1/2 mile north of I-69 on M-53 in Imlay City. Loaders, Backhoes, Farm Tractors, Dozers, SkidSteers, Compact Diesels, Lawn & Garden Tractors, Utility Vehicles, Trailers, and Closeouts Much More!! Phone 810-749-8836 E-Mail· Gvpsyispr@aol com
Jim Calvert Auctioneers

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Sunday, Oct. 7, 12:00PM
preview at 10:30AM
Howell, MI
6153 Byron Rd: I-96 to exit 133 (M-59). Proceed N. approx. 2 miles to Byron Rd. Then north on Byron Rd 5 miles to the auction
A few features. 70+ pieces of 1990-1980's furniture, 10' oak boarding house table w/benches and chairs; cherrywood wall clock, buffets, servers, dressers, bookcases, 4 poster bed, ice cream chairs, hutches; plant stands; Collector plates; Sebastian miniatures, German tapestry, lanterns; fine jewelry, Amana refrigerator, washer and dryer; TV's; VCR's, stereo equipment; misc electronics, Bolens lawn tractor w/blade, 6HP Craftsman SP mower, 5.5HP Craftsman 25 ga ; Compressor, Lawnboy 552R snowthrower, Coleman power washer, holiday indoor/outdoor decorations; many primitives, Victorian style wrought iron patio furniture, iron mail box...over 1000 pieces to sell This will be a great sale!
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AUCTION
Mon. Oct. 8th - Noon
Ole Gray Nash Auction
202 S Michigan Ave., Howell, MI
Take I 96 to exit 137 - head north to downtown Howell corner of Michigan & Sibley
An antique/collectable shop is reducing it's inventory to make room for the new Head vases; Cumer & Ives plates, sewing items, old postcards & greeting cards, Staffordshire teapot/creamer; pottery incl∪ McCoy, advertising marbles; hand painted plates; old magazines & books, variety of nice glassware; milk glass fish plates, beautiful serving pieces of white china, salt & peppers Items still coming in Collectors add to your collection...Dealers add to your inventory
Gary T. Gray Auctioneer
517-546-2005

710 Estate Sales

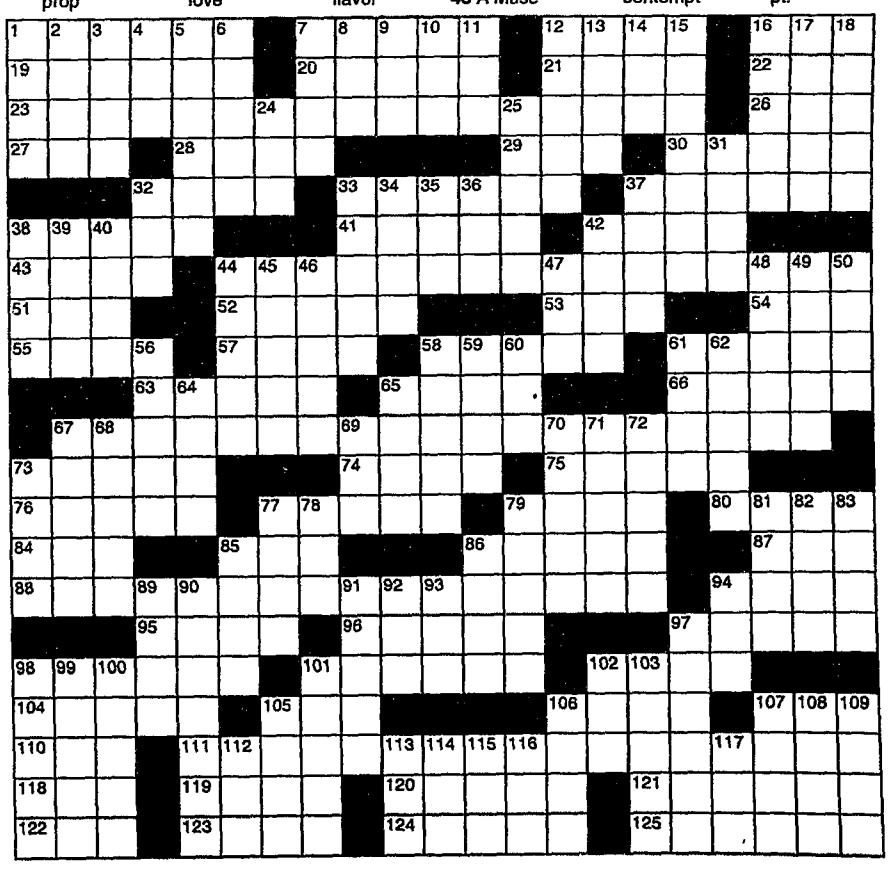
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Second sale featuring lots of books, tools, household, antiques, Victorian beds, garage to pick, hundreds of interesting items 9am-3 30. Thur -Fri -Sat 1960 Chalmers off Wastenaw Numbers at 8am.

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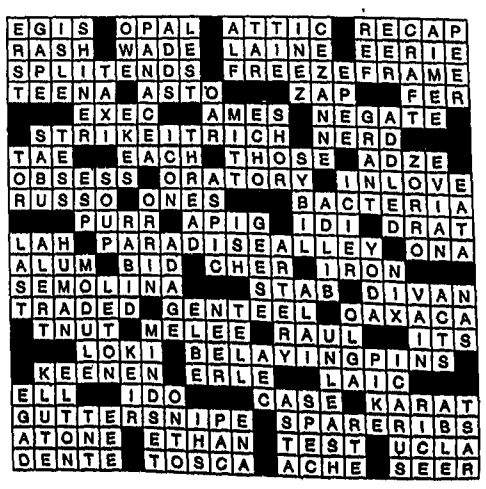
IT'S A LIVING

ACROSS
1 Cochise or Geronimo
7 Paul of "Watch on the Rhine"
12 Extend across
16 Taxi
19 Enlarge a garment
20 — terrier
21 Composer Wolf
22 Soissons season
23 What butchers must do
26 Mil rank
27 Qty.
28 Singer Pitney
29 Impersonate
30 Technique
32 Burns of "Dear John"
33 Danson role
37 Designer McCartney
38 Fancy fiddle
41 Actress Verdugo
42 Healing plant
43 "May I interrupt?"
44 What cobblers must do
51 Word with cow or horse
52 Declaim
53 Theater prop
54 Co. kingpin
55 Leander's love
57 "Do I dare to — peach?"
58 Java joints
61 More congenial
63 Way to go
65 Across, informally
66 Grownup
67 What croon-ers must do
73 Leroy Brown weapon
74 Roof edge
75 Kilmer classic
76 Bring bliss
77 Bluesman Waters
79 Obligation
80 Canvas cover
84 Botanist Gray
85 NASA affirmative
86 Work hard
87 Quid pro —
88 What models must do
94 Mrs. Jupiter
95 Besides
96 Art supporter?
97 Reluctant
98 Channel swimmer of '26
101 Ophelia's love
102 Neck and neck
104 Actress Thomas
105 Rock's Fleetwood —
106 — plaid
107 Stroke a Saluki
110 Jacket feature
111 What ornithologists must do
118 Antiquity, archaically
119 Burrowing critter
120 Murcia mister
121 Beethoven piece
122 New York city
123 Markey or Bagnold
124 Symbol
125 Phillips — Academy

DOWN
1 Goya's "Duchess of —"
2 It'll curl your hair
3 Keep — (persevere)
4 Pro foe
5 Embraced
6 A great composer?
7 Lifesaver flavor
8 Mary of "Where Eagles Dare"
9 Little fox
10 — blond
11 Woman or mare
12 Contour
13 Brownish purple
14 Past
15 Incessant
16 Beaton or Rhodes
17 Coral outcrop
18 Congress-woman Abzug
24 Waugh's "The Loved —"
25 Trite
31 Borrow permanently?
32 Bread spread
33 Maestro Zubin
34 Nautical adverb
35 Berlioz's "— Troyens"
36 The Plastic — Band
37 Hit hard
38 Belt for a bishop
39 What you used to be
40 Bring up
42 Warts and all
44 — bourguignon
45 A Muse
46 Spud
47 Meadow mama
48 Happen
49 Fishing supplies
50 Legal wrong
56 "Ripley's Believe It —"
58 Comic Chase
59 Racer Luyendyk
60 Mink's coat
61 Spine start
62 What i e stands for
64 Mythological meany
65 Senator Cochran
67 Taco topping
68 Writer Walton
69 Cassidy of "The Addams Family"
70 Dutch artist
71 Citified
72 Trivial
73 Enlarge a hole
77 Italian statesman Aldo
78 Luau instrument
79 Resided
81 Blue hue
82 Litter's littlest
83 Cry of contempt
85 Cathedral area
86 "Graf —"
89 Nobleman
90 '84 Steve Martin film
91 Share knowledge
92 Flat hat
93 Fashion monogram
94 Vickers or Bon Jovi
97 Heavyweight Lewis
98 Fireplace fragment
99 Newspaper type
100 Disintegrate
101 Hardly popular
102 Elm City collegian
103 Stuff in a sonnet
105 Saharan nation
106 Microbe
107 HS exam
108 Kitchen addition
109 Dictator
112 Two or more eras
113 Cornerstone abbr.
114 Auto acronym
115 Big bang letters
116 Scuffle
117 Compass pt.



ANSWERS TO LAST WEEK'S PUZZLE



AN EXCEPTIONAL ESTATE SALE
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FRI., OCT. 5th, Sat , Oct 6th, Sun , Oct 7th, 9 am -5 pm 12352 Cambridge Blvd , Green Oak, near Rushton/10 Mile Rd

WALLED LAKE Estate Sale furniture & household items, cash only No children please Friday Oct 5, 9-4 p m Saturday Oct 6, 9-1pm NO Early birds Hidden Meadows Condo N of Pontiac Trail, E of Decker

713 Garage Sales/ Moving Sales

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BRIGHTON - *Loads of collectibles! Furniture, old stuff, glassware, tools sports, toys records, CDs, household & new items Dealers welcome, NO EARLY SALES! Oct 5 6 9-5pm. 7628 Towering Pines Dr., N of Maltby, E off Hamburg Rd.*

BRIGHTON - *Oak Pointe 4633 Oak Tree Ct. (enter Brighton Lk Rd.) Oct 5 6, 9 30 2pm. Multi family - Household toys, misc*

BRIGHTON - *Sporting Goods Sample Sale Hunting clothing fishing & camping. Hodges Green Sub, S of Lee, E of Rickett Thurs , Fri., Sat , 9-5*

BRIGHTON. 4103 *Anchor Ln. Brighton Rd. to Clifford to Anchor Great variety desk/chair, sectional, household & garage items Thurs-Sat. 9 5*

BRIGHTON. 8134 *Lee Rd. Household items, furniture baby clothes/toys. Oct 5, 6, 9am to 4pm.*

BRIGHTON. FRI., *9 5. Sat., 9 4 Bunk beds, formal dining set, misc 8765 McClements Rd . off Old 23, N of Hyne.*

BRIGHTON. FRI./SAT., *9-4 7713 Towering Pines, off Hamburg Rd N of Maltby Furniture, toys, rugs, clocks, baby furniture, garden tractor & much more!*

BRIGHTON. *Sat 10 6, 8am-4pm. E on Silver Lk Rd. off 23, 3 5 mi. to 11276 McCabe (248)437 5153 for directions*

BRIGHTON/ HOWELL. *Fri./Sat . 9 4 Brighton Rd. W past Chilson, S on King to 4177 Richman Farms Dr.*
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HAMBURG *- October. 5 6, 9 5pm. 11025 Hamburg Road second house South of Strawberry Lake Rd*

HARTLAND. FRI., *Sat., Oct 5, 6, 9am to 5pm. Huge garage & basement sale Rain or shine. Furniture household, unique antiques, garden decorating items, old tools, marbles, collectible items, bottles, barber chair, lots of stuff 5222 South Fenton, north of Clyde*

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HOWELL *- 4600 Brophy Rd . N of M-59, E of Latson Rd Oct. 5, 6, 9am-5pm.*

HOWELL *- 4900 Curdy Rd , take Latson 2 miles N of M 59 right on Curdy. Bicycles, freezer, tools, new generator, horse tack, pool table, window air conditioner & misc Oct 6 & 7, 10am 5pm.*

HOWELL *- 5 family sale Oct. 5 7, 9-6pm. Twin beds, tread mill, tractor. tools, 1994 Jeep wedding dress, kitchen items, etc 8038 Latson, 1 mile N of Fausett*

HOWELL *- Fri & Sat. 10/5 6, 8 30 3 Household, furniture, etc. 924 McPherson/Byron*

HOWELL *- Garage Sale. Fri., Sat. 9-5pm. 4457 Mason Rd , ¼ mile W of Burkhart.*

HOWELL *- Multi Family Oct. 5-6 9-5 2801 Cedar Valley Dr., off County Farm Rd.*

HOWELL-OCT. 4-6. *Guns, ammo, power & hand tools, table saws, dressers Camping items 2198 W M 59*

HOWELL. 5 FAMILY SALE! *Thurs /Fri./Sat., 9 5 223 Byron Rd. Loads of stuff!!*

HOWELL. FRI./SAT. *9 5 Moving! Microwave, furniture, phones, boys clothes. Beanies. much more! D-19 to W on Coon Lake Rd. to right on Dutcher to 2793 Dutcher.*

HOWELL. HUGE *garage sale! Organ. clothes, books, dishes, bike, heater, pictures shoes, hockey stuff, old tools CD's, video games, microwave car top carrier, misc Thurs /Fri./Sat , 8 30-? 2890 Faussett, W of Latson.*

HOWELL. INSIDE *Sale 3095 Dutcher, N of Coon Lake, Oct 5, 9-3pm.*

HOWELL. MOVING! *Sat./Sun., 10 2 1247 Sunrise Park, Lake Chemung. Furniture, tools, mower, misc !!*

HOWELL/ OAK *Grove Garage/basement sale! 4 families. Clothes, furniture kitchen, toys, Christmas, art work, tools, 5th wheel. Fri./Sat./Sun., 10 4 7493 Fisher Rd. 1/2 mile N of Faussett Rain or shine*

MILFORD *- Tons of baby items & clothes 227 Franklin St. Oct. 5-6, 8-5pm. Rain or shine ?'s call (248) 676 0706*

NORTHVILLE *- 342 E Main. Kids, toys, some antiques, misc Oct. 6, 10 3pm. only*

NORTHVILLE *- GE washer, dryer $250 Electric stove $80 Zenith console TV $40. Dresser - $70 Wicker chest - $80 Mirror w/corner shelves - $50, etc. (248) 924-2269*

NORTHVILLE. MOSTLY *furniture Oct 5 & 7, 1-5. Oct. 6, 10 5pm. 22110 Cumberland, S of 9 Mile & Center*

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NOVI *- 23683 Willowbrook, S of 10 mile, W Haggerty Oct. 4, 5, 6 9-6pm.*

NOVI *- Moving Sale! Oct. 4-5, 9-2 pm. Toys & misc household. 25970 Arcardia Dr , off of 11 Mile, E of Beck, W of Taft*

NOVI. MULTIFAMILY. *Beckenham Sub , 9 & Beck. Sat. 10 6, 9am-1pm. Tons of items*

PINCKNEY *- Village Edge Sub 248 Coyote Ct. D-19 & M-36, Oct 5-7, 9:30 4 pm. Look for signs (no early birds).*

PLYMOUTH FURNITURE, *small appliances, decorative objects Friday, Oct. 5th & Saturday, Oct 6th from 9-4 44572 John Alden, W of Sheldon 1st block S of Ann Arbor Road.*

SALEM TWP. *HUGE SALE! 100's of items, everything from misc. to antiques 6026 Mae Lane, ¼ Mile S. 8 Mile, off Pontiac Trail. Thurs -Sun 9-6*

SOUTH LYON *12776 Dejarol off Rushton between 9 & 10 Mile Oct. 4 & 5 (9 5pm). (Oct. 6?, 9 noon)*

SOUTH LYON *7625 Tower, 1 mile E of Pontiac Trail S of 6 Mile Fri. & Sat only 8-5 Appliances, household, etc CHEAP!!*

SOUTH LYON. *BIG sale - great deals! Fri., Sat., 9 to 5pm. No early sales. King waterbed, furniture, games, household and lots of nice womens size clothes. 1104 Colt Dr , in Trotters Pointe Sub, 11 Mile & Pontiac Trail*

SOUTH LYON. *Oct 5, 6 & 7, 8-5 26211 Stancrest, 11 Mile, E. of Martindale. Kids clothes, toys, tools, building materials.*

SOUTH LYON. *OCT. 5, 6 9am to 3pm 4 family sale 22660 Sandra. S of Ten Mile E of Pontiac Trail*

WHITMORE LK. *Multifamily* **Dance Team Fundraiser**
238 Jennings Rd 10-6, 9 5

WIXOM *- Oct 5, 8 30 4, Oct 6 8 30 noon 1052 Beechnut. N of Maple, W of Beck Stereo equipment, quality men s/women s clothes 3/$1 00. furniture, framed art books, cassettes luggage, many other household items at cheap prices*

714 Clothing

DANCE SUPPLY & Costume Sale Make excellent Halloween costumes Every Saturday in October, 9 am-1 pm , at Milford Dance Academy, Main St in Milford (248)685-0930

716 Household Goods

5 PC. bedroom set, maple, $425 single bed complete, $60 Lg microwave, $80 Desk $150 2 Lazy Boy chairs, $160 ea (248)926-0096

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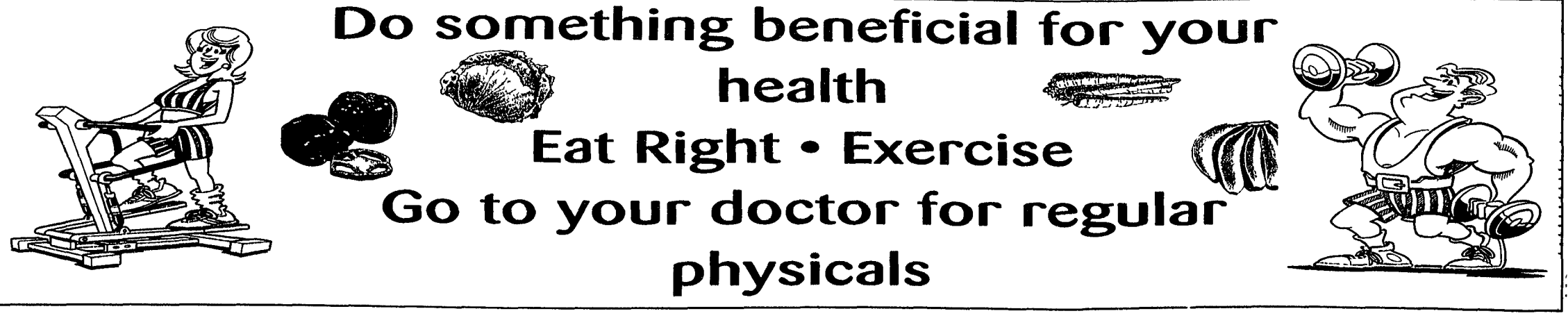
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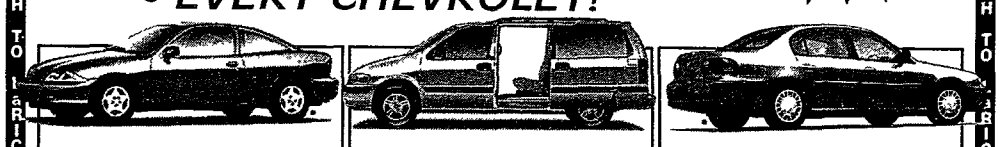
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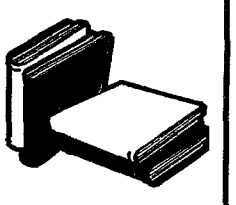
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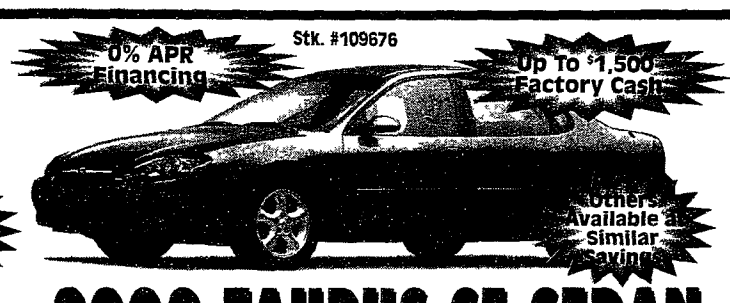
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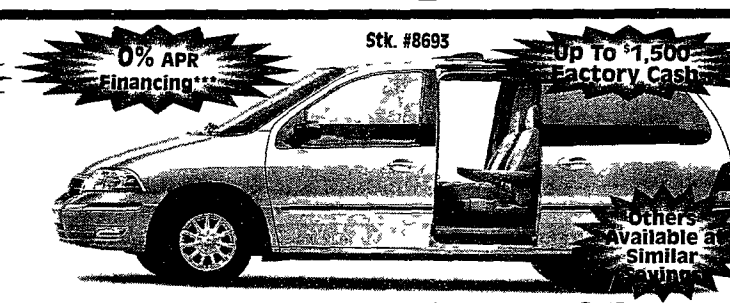
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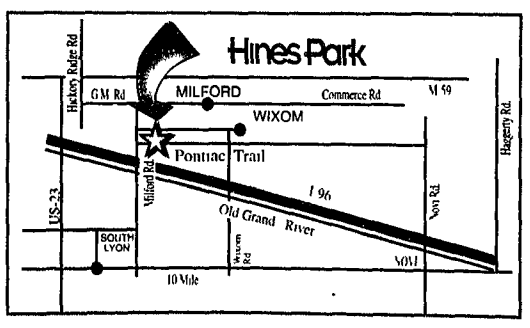
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"We are a people-oriented company producing customized work. Tom and I are out on every job, and get the customer's feedback. We want to know what the customer wants and put their ideas into play," said Allen Vasquez. "We are hands-on owners," he stressed.



The crew at Xtreme Measures includes, from left to right: Kenny Damron, Amy Baffi, Tom Decaminada, Wendy Porter, Tom McNally and Allen Vasquez.

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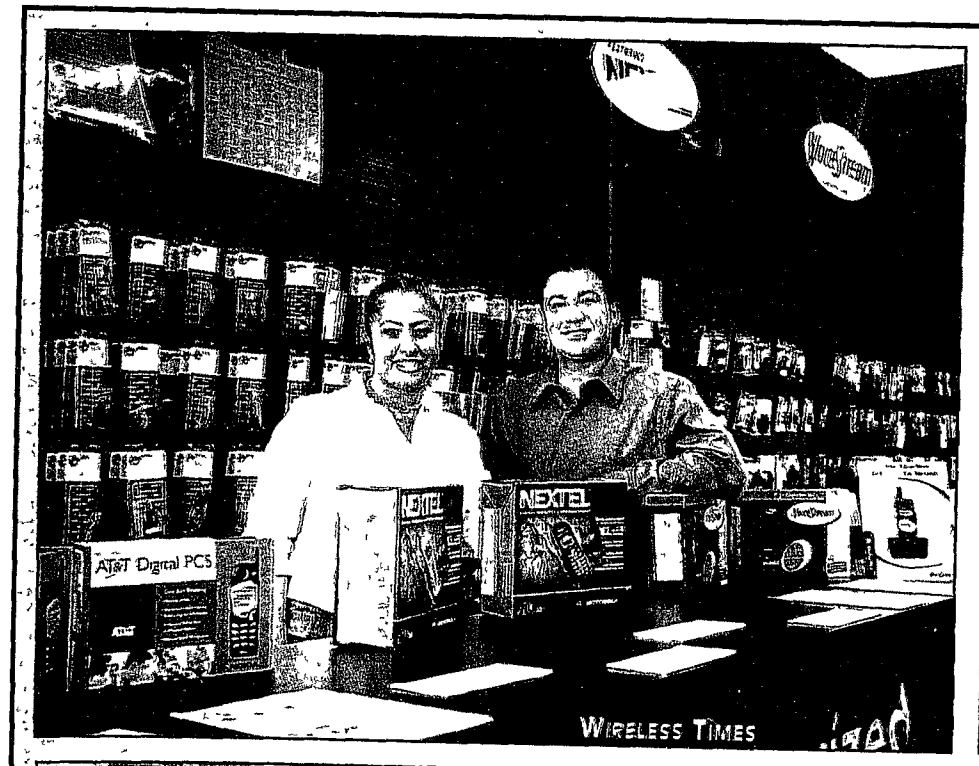
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F.A.O. Jewelers beautiful building at 333 W. Grand River Ave., Brighton.

F.A.O. Jewelers — Diamond specialists and more

"Wow, what a beautiful building! ... Your new building is a fantastic improvement to downtown Brighton." These are just a couple of the numerous compliments the owner's of F.A.O. Jewelers say they've heard over the past two years regarding the construction of their new expanded location at 333 W. Grand River in downtown Brighton. "We are very proud of our new building," say John and Lisa Okoniewski, owners of F.A.O. Jewelers.

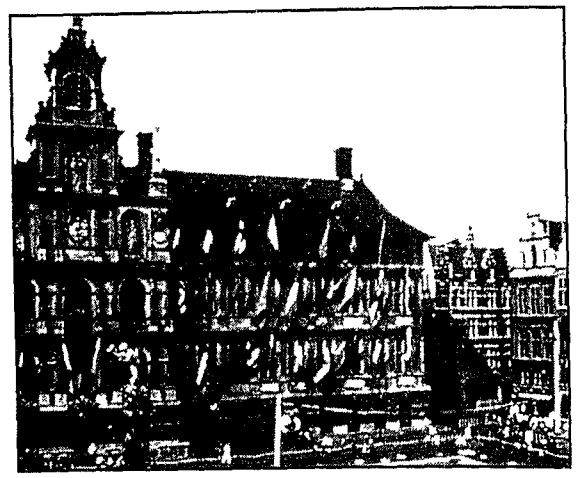
"We're simply amazed at the response and attention the construction of this building has generated. We knew that business would obviously increase when we moved into our new building, with it being more visible and having plenty of parking, but what we are so surprised about is how our sales have skyrocketed the last two years in our current location."

The new store boasts approximately 3,000 square feet of fine jewelry and has an expanded Fine Gift Gallery. The Fine Gift Gallery features the full lines of Waterford Crystal, Llardó, figurines, and Howard-Miller clocks; some of which are available exclusively at F.A.O. Jewelers for all of Livingston County. The store's inventory is immense. It ranges from a wonderful selection of Italian gold necklaces, bracelets, and earrings to beautiful colored gems like ruby, emerald, sapphire and the now popular tanzanite. However, F.A.O. Jewelers' main focus always has been and always will be DIAMONDS.

DIAMOND SPECIALISTS

John and Lisa frequently travel to Antwerp, Belgium, the diamond trading capitol of the world. "We deal directly with some of the finest diamond cutters in the world in Belgium," says John. "The reason we take the time and effort to make this trip directly ourselves is simple: We want to personally hand-pick every diamond and make sure it meets our very strict guidelines regarding cut proportions, excellent color, and excellent clarity. "Antwerp, Belgium is where more diamonds are traded after being cut than anywhere in the world."

This is part of what separates F.A.O. Jewelers from most



Diamonds of all shapes and sizes can be found in Antwerp, Belgium.

every other "normal" jewelry store. F.A.O. Jewelers' employees help every diamond client make their diamond buying decision in a very professional, and educational manner. "We've found that our clients love how we take the time and effort to share with them so much information," says Lisa. "In our new store, we have expanded our Diamond Lab, adding even more state-of-the-art technology so every person looking at our loose diamonds can have the utmost confidence that the diamonds are of the highest quality, and properly and honestly graded.

F.A.O. Jewelers has purchased the latest computer-aided machines from the Gemological Institute of America (G.I.A.) that help prove a diamonds' level of quality.

"Any person looking for a diamond should definitely comparison shop. Fortunately for us at F.A.O. Jewelers, most people in the area now realize that we specialize in diamonds and consider us the store at which they want to shop," says John. "The Diamond Lab makes all the difference in the world to them. Almost every aspect of the diamond is analyzed by computer, and this allows our clients to see very objectively what the exact qualities are of the diamonds they are considering purchasing. No one else in the area has this advanced equipment, so our clients really appreciate the fact that we do!" Because of these reasons, F.A.O. Jewelers has steadily become THE SOURCE for diamonds in the area.

CUSTOM JEWELRY

After diamonds, F.A.O. Jewelers next specialty is to handmake custom jewelry. Lisa states, "We have employed the best craftsmen available. People that can virtually create anything. Our clients are consistently amazed at the quality and attention to detail that our master jewelers are capable of."

Creating fine custom jewelry fills a void that area residents have been looking for. Until now, people wanting this type of service have had no choice but to drive to Birmingham or other areas known for this service. Not anymore. F.A.O. Jewelers has established a solid reputation over the past nine years as the store to trust to create the piece of jewelry of your dreams!! John has a saying he uses frequently with his clients, "We have Birmingham quality, right here in Brighton!!"

WONDERFUL CUSTOMER SERVICE

"We pride ourselves on having the best customer service possible," boasts John. "Each and every client is treated with the utmost respect. Our goal is to try and help every client who comes to us, no matter what they may be looking for. We've done anything from the most intricate jewelry work to soldering Silver Tea Pots back together."

"Our staff is what really makes our store special," says Lisa. "I'm sure we have the most well trained and knowledgeable jewelry staff around. All of our associates have taken advantage of classes offered by the G.I.A., and regularly attend seminars to keep their skills at the most advanced levels.

The gem and diamond industry has evolved greatly the

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Going mobile

Wireless Times can help with your communication needs

Confused about cell phones and wireless services?

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Whether it's your first or fifth phone, Zina and Andy Patros at Wireless Times can help you select the best service and phone for your needs. A family operation, brother and sister Andy and Zina Patros own the business. And when you visit the state-of-the-art storefront in South Lyon, which is located at 570 N. Lafayette in the Huntington Square Plaza next to Country Market, you're like family.

Andy Patros explains, "We regard everyone that walks in here as our clients, and we will accommodate their necessities with the proper plans and services."

Indeed, from the minute you walk in the door, the Patros' make you feel at home. It's not a high-pressure environment with a buy now to catch-the-special-price-this-week atmosphere. Rather, customers are encouraged to ask as many questions as necessary to make them comfortable with their purchase.

And when it comes to all the confusing details, the Patros' have the knowledge, experience, and expertise to ensure the client will be confident using his/hers phone and services.

"We know that the small things go a long way, and we really want our clients to know we care and recognize their needs," Andy said.

"Many of our customers don't want to go to the bigger stores, they want to stay in the community so we're sure to offer them everything they need right here," Zina said.

In keeping pace with the ever-changing technology, Wireless Times offers the latest in cellular phones, accessories and a wide variety of phone cards. It is also bringing cable and wireless Internet.

Want to keep your phone?

Wireless Times can offer minor repairs on site or can send the phone to an authorized repair center. Another convenient service it provides is to accept utility payments for gas, electric, phone and several other companies (call for details). Wireless Times also offers special institutional and corporate accounts to cater to those customers' particular needs.

"We're looking for someone who wants instant communication," Andy said.



Whether it's your first or fifth phone, Zina and Andy Patros at Wireless Times can help you select the best service and phone for your needs.

Zina designed the attractive high-tech look of the South Lyon facility where rows and rows of phones in every size, shape and major brand fill the display cases.

Andy or Zina are there to help select the best phone and the best plan for each person's needs. When you offer a good product and good service, growth and expansion are sure to come. A second in Livonia is open now, with plans for other locations in the near future.

"The wonderful thing about the South Lyon location is the approachment of the people who embraced us," Andy said.

Although Wireless Times is new to the community it feels strongly about becoming actively involved. It intends to initiate various partnership programs not only with the city but local organizations as well.

Wireless Times is also in the process of developing a Web site to be up and running at www.wirelesstimesmi.com. Contact the Patros' for all your communication needs at (248) 437-9800.

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past several years. There are constantly issues we must keep up with in order to service our customers in the most knowledgeable and honest way possible."

NO SALES!
WHAT'S UP WITH THAT?

John and Lisa both feel very strongly that many retailers, in all different kinds of businesses, have overused "Sales" to try and get customers in the door. "There was a time when a business had a sale, it really meant they were having a sale. The merchandise was marked down from its original, normal price," explains John.

"Those days are over. Now what many businesses do is mark their merchandise up to a more expensive level than they need to sell it for, and then constantly have sales to try and attract attention, bringing the price down to what it should have been in the first place. We simply don't do that here. Our motto is to price it right the first time."

"Our clients feel very comfortable once we explain our policy," said sales associate Eleonore Talley. "My clients tell me they actually like our way better, rather than haggling with stores, wondering if they're ever getting the right price. They appreciate getting our best price right up front. I've found selling jewelry here to be extremely fun and rewarding. The best is when my client comes back after comparison shopping and says, "Let's make that ring, Eleonore, no one even compared to your prices, service, and quality.'"

"Many people have brought items into us to compare, to see if they have paid a fair price," adds John. "The latest example is a client who bought a 14kt gold necklace at a discount store advertising 50-70 percent off regular price. We had the same exact necklace, not on sale either, for $25 dollars less. She was very upset with the other store, and she said we gained a customer for life with our 'no-nonsense' pricing."

You won't see a sign in front of F.A.O. Jewelers saying 25 percent off, every other week or month. "What that says to me is that their merchandise was priced too expensively in the first place," comments Lisa.

F.A.O. Jewelers strictly stand by their everyday fair pricing year round. Then for one week in August they have started a tradition of having an Anniversary sale. As mentioned above, this is a real sale. "We take merchandise that has been in stock a little longer than we would like, and mark it down substantially so we can take that money and invest it into new, fresh designs for fall," says Lisa. "We do a tremendous amount of business in that one week. It really helps us to prepare for the upcoming Holiday season by providing us with a substantial amount of money to invest in creating new designs."



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The knowledgeable staff at F.A.O. Jewlers pride themselves on providing the best customer service around.

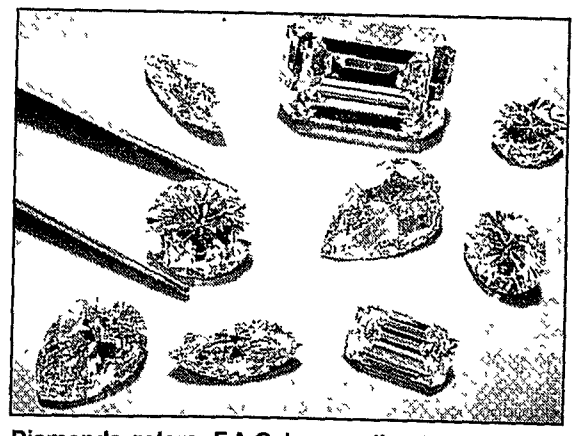
LOCALLY OWNED AND OPERATED

F.A.O. Jewelers is owned by John and Lisa Okoniewski, who are residents of Brighton. "It's funny how many people think we are a large national chain, saying they've heard the name before. It's flattering in a way that people have that impression of us. I guess that means our advertising is really working, but we'd rather have people know we are a locally owned and operated company," says John and Lisa. "Livingston County residents are great for supporting their hometown businesses."

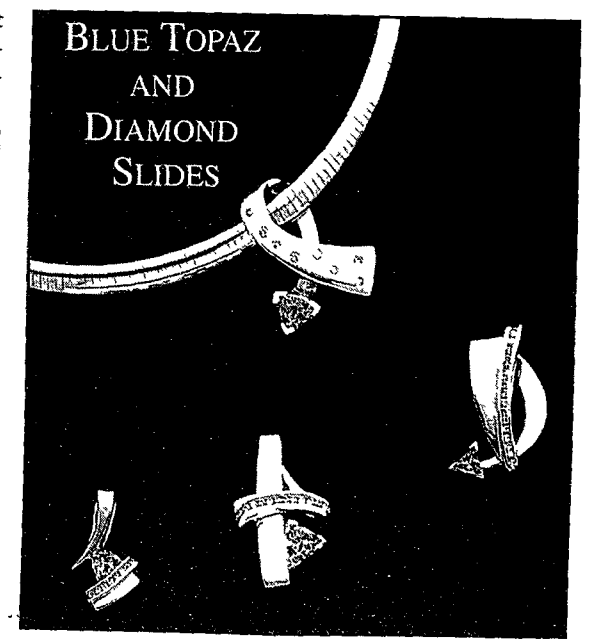
HOURS OF OPERATION

F.A.O. Jewelers is open Monday through Saturday, and on some Sundays during the Holiday and for special events. Their hours are Monday, Wednesday, and Friday 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Tuesday and Thursday 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Saturdays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. You can reach F.A.O. Jewelers at (810) 229-5335, or (800) 887-GEMS. The address of their new building is 333 W. Grand River, Brighton. Internet Web Page is www.faojewelers.com. E-mail to fao@ismi.net.





Diamonds galore: F.A.O. has quality diamonds set in creative, stunning designs. Omega necklaces (right) with slides are very popular.



Customers benefit from Cooper & Binkley Jewelers' friendly and knowledgeable service



The friendly staff at Cooper & Binkley Jewelers: Millie Spencer (standing from left), Celestial Hendricks, Mark and Barb Binkley, Julie Nowicki; Lucinda Unger (seated), Rita Pace, and Joe Cayuela, offer service based on knowledge and integrity.

Diamonds aren't just for formal occasions anymore.

The industry is changing, and so much is happening in the world of diamonds. It's finally common to see them being worn in fun, fashionable and funky ways, as well as traditional.

Today's jewelry customers also know more than ever about diamonds, due to Internet access, documentary-style television programs and home shopping channels.

Cooper & Binkley Jewelers has been closely observing trends in diamonds for the last five years, and thanks to sophisticated microscopes and continuing education, owners Barb and Mark Binkley and staff are able to give customers complete, detailed information about their diamonds.

The four C's — color, cut, clarity and carat weight— are the qualities that drive the price of a diamond. Cooper & Binkley Jewelers examines and evaluates diamonds for these qualities, and explains how the four C's relate to value.

Characteristics play a role in the value of a diamond. The more colorless, clear, well-cut and large of a diamond you have, the more valuable it is going to be. The price of a one-carat diamond can range from $3,500 to $10,000.

"The better proportioned a diamond is, the prettier it will be, it's called an ideal diamond," Mark said.

While color and clarity are aspects usually examined closely only by experts, the cut of a diamond is something people instantly see. The goal of Cooper & Binkley Jewelers is to provide a diamond with an ideal cut or close to ideal proportions.

"When you look at a great cut diamond it just fires out at you and all the colors come alive, it's beautiful," Barb said.

"A great cut diamond screams at you," Mark added.

It takes a very skilled person to cut a diamond, and diamond cutters generally apprentice for 10 years before they start cutting on their own.

"Mark grades every loose diamond that comes in. If it doesn't meet our standards we send it back to the supplier," Barb said.

Mark is certified by the Gemological Institute of America, and as a member of its alumni association attends seminars and trade shows regularly.

More trends in the diamond industry that the Binkleys are noticing are enhancement, black diamonds and radiated diamonds.

Enhancement, improving the clarity of a diamond that has large internal characteristics, meaning it is not as clear as it could be, involves inserting filler material into cracks and spaces. The process is not yet perfected and not necessarily permanent, so the Binkleys don't usually recommend it. New kinds of diamond simulants are popping up too. There is carbon, based simulant that closely mirrors the look of a diamond.

Black diamonds are popular in the fashion industry right now, and although it may be awhile before we see black diamond pieces locally, "Our industry is telling us it's the next trend," Barb said.

But the Binkleys can't rely solely on trade shows to dictate the future of diamonds. Whenever they are out, they observe pieces people are wearing, and when they travel through small towns they check out the stock in local boutiques to get a feel for what jewelry truly is in circulation.

Diamonds come in a range of colors from blue to pink to red, but you're likely to these kinds of diamonds only in a museum. Red diamonds are so rare that they are not functional, but rather museum quality.

However, jewelers today are able to perform a permanent enhancement on a diamond that will change it's color to imitate the rarer shades occasionally found in nature. This is called a radiated diamond.

"Gemstones like sapphire, topaz and tanzanite just don't have the same brilliance of a diamond," Mark said.

Also, an exciting recent find in Canada has breathed new life into the diamond industry. A new diamond mine exporting what are being called Polar Bear Diamonds is the only commercially viable gem-quality diamond mine in North America. The majority of diamonds still come from Russia and South Africa.

Despite recent trends, diamond solitaire necklaces, classic tennis bracelets (or line bracelets as they're now called), anything platinum, engagement rings and anniversary ring upgrades are popular all year long.

"Diamonds are one universal symbol in this world that has lasted for over 500 years. Diamonds are the symbol of engagements, romance and love all over the world," Mark said.

Formerly known as Coopers Jewelry, Cooper & Binkley Jewelers was established by Marshall Cooper in 1949. The Binkley family purchased the store in 1971. The Binkley name was finally added in 2000 when Cooper & Binkley Jewelers underwent a total renovation, adding an additional 900 square feet, greatly expanding the showroom and ultimately the product line. New showcases and spacious store-front windows show off Cooper & Binkley's prize pieces.

Since the expansion Cooper & Binkley Jewelers is able to produce more special orders and custom designs, and all the stone work is done on the premises. They also do in-house repairs and polishing.

"It's still the same friendly staff," assured Mark. "Integrity is of utmost concern for us."

The Binkleys enjoy giving back to the community by sponsoring local school and downtown events. Mark serves as a board member for the Greater Brighton Area Chamber of Commerce, and Barb is the chairperson for the Celebrity Holiday Fashion show, an annual fund-raiser for The Arc of Livingston.

Visit Cooper & Binkley Jewelers at 105 W. Main St. in downtown Brighton. Hours are 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday and noon to 4 p.m. Sunday. Call (810) 227-2221 with questions about jewelry.

Finding total body wellness



Dr. Paula Ruffin with Palmer, the office dog, who makes everyone feel welcome. Dr Ruffin says Palmer helps banish the usual doctor office nerves.

Looking for total body wellness? New Hudson's newest chiropractor is eager to help you begin your journey to good health and well being.

Dr. Paula Ruffin is accepting new patients at New Hudson Chiropractic, her friendly practice that opened in early April. Through word of mouth the practice has already grown, and many families have found their way to the non-traditional office where staff go out of their way to make patients comfortable.

"We're unique; it's a fun atmosphere," says Mark Katzman, the self-avowed man behind the scenes.

"People come in to just see us and talk, maybe have a cappuccino," Dr. Ruffin added.

Palmer, the office dog, happily makes everyone feel welcome, and helps banish the usual doctor office nerves. Dr. Ruffin points out that he has been a great asset for her practice, and is named after BJ Palmer, the developer of chiropractic healing.

You're always greeted with a friendly smile by the courteous staff, which Dr. Ruffin states is the heart and soul of her practice. Office manager Heather Stevens and new team member Daniella McKirdy puts everyone at ease with their warm caring manner.

Before opening her practice, Dr. Ruffin worked for five years as a physical therapy assistant in exercise rehabilitation training. She has a degree in exercise physiology from the University of Michigan. As an athlete herself, Dr. Ruffin understands the importance of keeping the body in top shape to help prevent injuries and brings her experience to play in counseling her patients. In fact, she looks forward to becoming involved with area businesses by instructing their employees in how to prevent on-the-job injuries.

Dr. Ruffin sees many children in her office, and says most people are unaware of how important chiropractic techniques are in aiding typical childhood problems such as asthma, allergies, scoliosis, ear infections, attention deficit disorders and colic. "It all starts here," she said. "If we can help the little people now, then they don't grow up to have big people problems."

"We are always focusing on patient education and getting patients to be proactive in promoting health,"

Dr. Paula Ruffin,
New Hudson Chiropractic

Dr. Ruffin stresses that standard of care will remain a top priority for her practice. She makes a point to keep up with the latest research so her patients benefit from the best methods in the health care field.

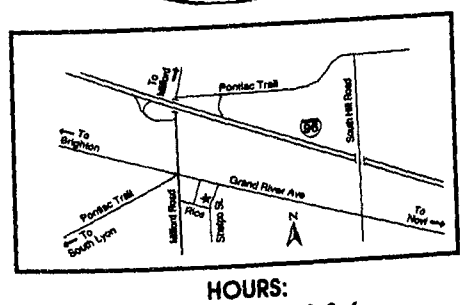
"We are always focusing on patient education and getting patients to be proactive in promoting health," said Dr. Ruffin.

In addition to exercise and physical rehabilitation advising, nutrition counseling is offered and many products are available at her office. Watch for the monthly drawing for a free orthopedic pillow — a great aid for a good night's sleep and to relieve neck and head pain. Come in and complete and entry form and if you see your name in the paper, just call the office to claim your prize.

Dr. Ruffin's office is located at 30033 Shefpo in New Hudson, a quarter mile east of Milford Road off Grand River Avenue. Expanded new hours are in effect: 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., 3-6 p.m. Monday and Wednesday; 3-6 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday; and 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Friday. Call (248) 486-5684.

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"We have over 100 years of combined experience here," says Brisbois.

Even triple bypass surgery hasn't kept Warren from the job — especially on Saturdays.

It's the people at Country Water Treatment that form the core of the business, and it's all on a first-name basis. Working alongside Warren and Dean is Karen, the bookkeeper who spends as much time keeping the guys in line as she does doing the books.

"We have such quality here and the people are so unique that the place wouldn't be able to run without them," Brisbois said.

The office is computerized, and with a data entry system with exact instructions and past service histories on file for all their customers, Brisbois explained that they can access information to perfectly assess a customer's needs. Brisbois takes pride in that his business does not deal in pressure sales.

"A lot of companies offer free service calls but end up using them as sales leads. We don't do that," he said.

The services that Country Water Treatment provides includes delivery of Dura-Cube water softener salt, reverse osmosis systems, purified water delivery, and water cooler and softener rentals. Country Water also carries filters for all water softener makes and models as well as cartridges to fit all systems. Regular brand-name parts are in stock.

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The sales, service and salt delivery pros are: Mark, Hugh, Warren and Dean.



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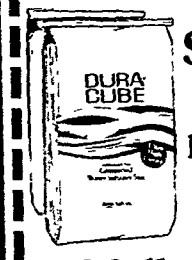
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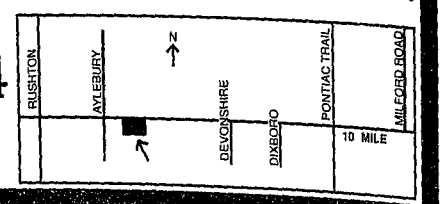
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Everything at Mesquite Creek Seafood and Steakhouse is cooked over the charcoals of the mesquite tree for which the town and restaurant were named, adding a unique flavor to the seafood and mouth-watering steaks.

Family operated, Mesquite Creek was originally opened in Clarkston in 1992 by brother and sister, Matt and Beth Hussey.

"We're very proud because we've worked hard to create a warm atmosphere," Beth said.

The two allow for their entire staff to feel a part of the family, and the staff in turn make the customers feel right at home while dining at Mesquite Creek.

"We have friendly servers and an outgoing host staff," Beth said. "And we have an excellent children's menu," Matt added.

The Novi location of Mesquite Creek opened in May at the corner of Market Street and Main Street.

"We're known for our great food and great service (in Clarkston), and we're trying to do the same thing here," Beth said.

Mesquite Creek, known for "great food, great friends," serves only certified Angus beef and holds high quality standards for its seafood, produce and alcohol. The Novi restaurant is steadily building a very strong repeat clientele, mostly through word-of-mouth.



Mesquite Creek is known for it's "great food and great service."

"We're extremely consistent with what we do with the food," said Matt. "If you come in 100 times, you'll have 100 great meals."

Aside from the famous seafood and steaks, Mesquite Creek is known for it's signature baked potatos, either original or topped with with chicken, seafood or steak.

Mesquite Creek offers a variety of food to choose from. Serving soups, salads, Mexican dishes, chicken dishes, steaks, pastas, sandwiches, seafood and dessert, the restaurant has a bit of something for everyone, and at every price range too. High quality and huge portions bring customers back again and again.

Mesquite Creek also offers outside catering, and has banquet or meeting rooms available. Located in Novi's newly-created downtown, it is located on the corner of Main and Market streets next to Vic's World Class Market.

Convenient parking is available along both Market and Main streets, at the rear of the building, and in an underground parking structure with elevator doors leading right up to the restaurant.

For additional information, contact Mesquite Creek at (248) 380-5400. The restaurant is open for lunch and dinner Monday through Friday and for dinner only on Saturday and Sunday.

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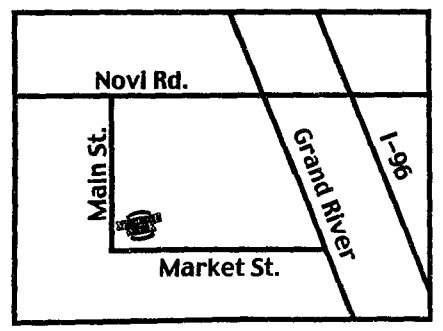
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Better service through education

The CPA firm of Brenda W. Smith and Associates P.C. feels it's important to take the time to educate their customers.

"We provide tax and accounting services but we also like and need our clients to understand what they are doing and why," said Brenda, "You can't run a business if you don't know what comprises your financial statement or what's on your tax return. We don't just let them sign on the dotted line. We make them understand what they're signing. I think our clients appreciate that."

The firm was started in 1993 by Brenda who has been in the public accounting profession since 1985. Brenda says that even though her name is on the door she has three other people with over 50 years of experience between them that help service their clients.

"We're a legitimate firm, this isn't just Brenda W. Smith anymore," said Brenda, "This is Brenda W. Smith with two degreed accountants and a bookkeeper who is working on her degree. We have the experience, the education, and the depth to do jobs for a wide range of customers. We can help the smaller businesses because we are a small business, but we also have the capabilities to service mid-size clients."

The firm consists of Brenda W. Smith, who has a BBA from Georgia State University. She started the business from her home in 1993 and moved into their current location on Grand River in New Hudson in November 1999.

Amy Haselhuhn joined the firm in January of 2000. She graduated from Michigan Technological University in 1986 with a BBA in accounting and passed the CPA exam last November.

Mary Nolff has been part of the firm since October of 2000. She graduated from Walsh College and successfully completed the CPA exam in November of 1998. She has been working in the accounting profession for the last 10 years and enjoys the organizational and problem solving aspects of her accounting duties.

Rita Dillingham is currently working on her Public Accounting degree at Cleary College. Prior to joining Brenda in June of 2000, she worked for 15 years in the restaurant industry.

Brenda says the firm recently did a survey of their customers and received a good response back with comments like very friendly, accurate, and great customer service. "I feel we have a friendly, courteous staff," said Brenda, "We laugh around here that we're the 'friendly firm'. People like us; we aren't stuffy at all. I mean yes, we get the job done, and yes, it's accurate, but we're also very personable."



Brenda W. Smith (front left), Mary Nolff, Amy Haselhuhn (back), and Rita Dillingham offer friendly, knowledgeable, and accurate service.

The firm provides a full range of services including bookkeeping, accounting, computer training services, and management consulting. Tax services include complete federal, state and local taxes as well as tax planning for corporations, individuals and estates.

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Dr. Kenneth Stopa provides adjustments, nutritional counseling and supplements, physical rehabilitation, massage therapy and yoga classes.

Voted Northville's best, the Main Street Family Chiropractic Center focuses on healing patients without the use of surgery or drugs.

Dr. Kenneth Stopa and his staff provide adjustments, nutritional counseling and supplements, physical rehabilitation, massage therapy and yoga classes.

The majority of patients who come into his office arrive with complaints of tingling in their feet or fingers, or burning and numbness down their legs or hands, all of which are generally caused by pinched nerves.

Dr. Stopa explains that pain in the upper and lower back, neck, hip, shoulder; headaches; discomfort; and restricted range of motion is often caused by spine misalignments.

With adjustments, patients often experience a greater range of motion, allowing them to freely turn their head, bend over and to perform day-to-day tasks more easily and without pain.

However, the days of chiropractors cracking backs and sending patients on their way are over. Stopa said he deals with a lot of nutritional issues as well as other chiropractic symptoms.

"I've dealt a lot with ear infections, headaches and sinuses, taking care of those problems," he said. "And they would say, 'Wow, I would never think that a chiropractor would help me with things of that nature,' but that's what we help every day."

Stopa worked alongside Dr. Robert Potter in Canton before moving his practice to Northville, and has taken Dr. Potter's emphasis on good nutritional health along with him to his new office.

"The reason (we deal with nutrition) is because you have to treat the person as a whole," Stopa explained. "If you're adjusting their spine you have to also treat the body nutritionally. If they're not getting the vitamins and minerals, you could have problems. You have got to look at the whole picture."

Stopa also emphasized the importance of finding the source of a patient's complaint, rather than simply prescribing medication to treat the symptoms.

"I search for the cause of the problem," he said, "not cover up the problem with drugs."

Many alternatives to drug treatments exist today to help people of all ages. Dr. Stopa provides treatment for children as young as three months of age. He can also ease the discomfort of pregnancy with adjustments, and afterward screen newborns to correct any spine misalignments caused during the delivery process. This procedure can also remedy ear infections and colic.

Massage therapist Megan Gray specializes in deep therapeutic work at the Main Street Family Chiropractic Center. Gray, who is certified as well as licensed by the state of Michigan and the city of Northville, was trained at the most accredited massage school in Michigan in the most recent therapeutic techniques.

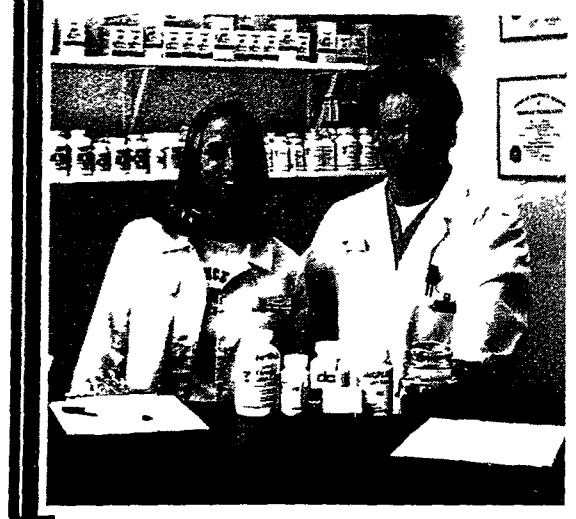
Benefits of receiving regular massages include the release of painful or tight muscles, relief from pain or tingling in arms and legs, increased circulation, improved sleeping patterns, stress relief, and improved posture.

The integration of chiropractic care, nutritional evaluation, and massage therapy can help people reach and maintain optimal health using natural methods of health care.

Main Street Family Chiropractic Center is located at 109 W. Main St. in downtown Northville. Hours are Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 3-7 p.m., and Tuesday and Saturday from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. Call (248) 735-9800 for more information or to schedule an appointment.

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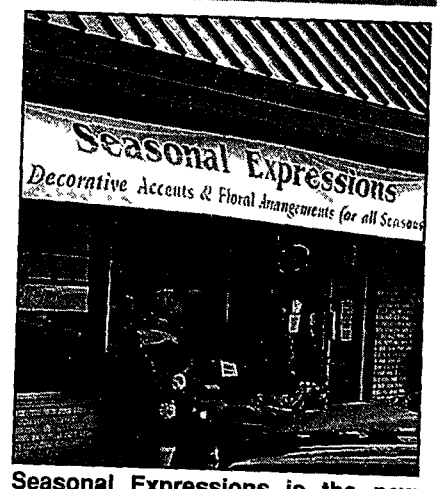
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Boutique shop is chock-full of unique items



A virtual garden surrounds Amy Williams in the floral room at Boutique Trims.



Seasonal Expressions is the new retail store at Boutique Trims, Inc. where the most unusual and one-of-a-kind can be found.

Looking for the exceptional in boutique shopping has become a snap in South Lyon. Seasonal Expressions, a Boutique Trims company, opened recently at 21200 Pontiac Trail.

"People would often walk in, not understanding this was originally a wholesale business. The retail store now gives everyone the opportunity to purchase our unusual items," manager, Lois Heerema said.

Seasonal Expressions is chock-full of the unique and one-of-a-kind. It's where you'll find a great array of reproduction furniture, Tiffany lamps, candles, rugs, pictures, country and traditional accessories.

Lawn art and garden accessories such as bird feeders, fountains, and wind chimes mingle with giftware like lotions and potpourri and seasonal specialities which provide a colorful, eclectic mix. Heerema stresses the one-of-a-kind approach.

"If you see something you like, it very well might not be here later as we usually don't reorder items," she said.

She is working hard to change the store constantly, keeping the selection and arrangements fresh and interesting. And she is planning to expand the store to offer even more exceptional merchandise for the discriminating boutique shopper.

Boutique Trims is truly a family affair, beginning 32 years ago as a mail order business from the home of Lois Heerema and her mother. As the business grew, they built their current location on Pontiac Trail, moving into craft supplies, giftware and eventually into floral lines.

"About five years ago we went back to our beginnings, which was supplying findings for egg decorating," Heerema said.

Packaging the metal findings for worldwide distribution became a mainstay of the business. Another facet of Boutique Trims is the wholesale market for crafts, floral arrangements and seasonal decorating. Interior decorators, crafters who sell at shows, and others with a sales tax license can enjoy shopping the warehouse. Boutique Trims talented floral designer produces custom-made arrangements and wreathes for customers.

Heerema's son-in-law, Kevin Williams bought the business a few years ago, with Heerema continuing as general manager. Employees include many other family members, including Amy, Kevin's wife.

"It's a fun business," Heerema said. "Many of our employees have been here 20 years or more."

Hours at Seasonal Expressions are Monday through Friday, 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday from 10:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Call (248) 437-2017.

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October's Candle of the month - Pumpkin Pie - 20% off
sale dates 10/5 - 10/7



The staff at Bob Sellers lives by its motto, "Reputation is Everything." The dealership recently celebrated 30 years of service to the community.

Bob Sellers now sells and services medium-duty line of Isuzu trucks

If there's one word that best describes Bob Sellers Pontiac commercial vehicles, it's versatility. In addition to its fine selection of cars, trucks and automobiles, Bob Sellers is now the only dealer in Southeast Michigan to offer sales and service for the medium-duty line of Isuzu trucks. The entire group from sales to service is excited about the new venture.

"Because of the great reputation we have for service, we can now take that to the commercial market," said Chris Schroeder, sales manager for Bob Sellers.

Here customers can custom order a truck to their exact specifications, no matter what their business. And in serving those customers, the staff is finding out there are more applications for these vehicles than they imagined. Some of the uses include catering, landscaping, deliveries and towing. Trades such as carpenters, builders, electricians and plumbers can all make use of these durable commercial vehicles.

"We work hard to understand their business so we can better help them customize their trucks," said Keith Wilson, general manager of Community and Corporate Services. "We don't profess to know their business, we're one of the few places that really listens to them. We do that with trucks or cars, we try to listen to the customer first."

Working hand-in-hand with this venture, is the service department that's so critical to this element.

"Maintenance is highly important considering the high mileage and stop-and-go traffic of these kinds of trucks endure," said Sam Slaughter, vice president at Bob Sellers. "The up-time is so important for these businesses so they can get their trucks back as quickly as possible."

Service consultant Ed Vusick agrees.

"I try to have my diagnoses to the customer in two hours."

He also points out that the staff employs Isuzu trained technicians who continually update their education. There's also a convenient Quick Lube service for customers on the go. Finally, Bob Sellers offers state-of-the-art body shop facilities.



In addition to its fine selection of cars, trucks and automobiles, Bob Sellers is now the only dealer in Southeast Michigan to offer sales and service for the medium-duty line of Isuzu trucks.

Its philosophy and motto that "Reputation is Everything," applies not only to the new commercial trucks but the full line of cars, trucks and vans, says Keith Wilson.

The nice thing about the commercial service is that it compliments the existing line of pick-up trucks and vans the dealership already offers. With the Isuzu line, Bob Sellers now carries commercial vehicles up to 33,000 pounds in gross vehicle weight. Engines are available in diesel or gas, all with cab-forward design.

Bob Sellers is proud to announce its recently celebrated 30 years of service to the community.

For information on commercial trucks or any of the other fine vehicles and products available, stop by Bob Sellers at 38000 Grand River Ave. at 10 Mile Road in Farmington Hills or call (248) 478-8000.

Practicing the 'soft touch'

Dr. Kathy Duncan uses Pressure Point Treatment, which can bring about substantial results

It's surprising how much we ignore pain. Just everyday tension and stress can build up to create discomfort.

Dr. Kathy Duncan observes that people often try to ignore pain, but find out that it's just not going to go away.

That's where Dr. Duncan and Soft Touch Chiropractic services can help. Often, tight muscles caused by strains, tension and stress pull the spinal column out of alignment.

"It's not just something that people think 'I just need to relax and it'll go away,' sometimes the muscles are in a constant state of tension and spasm," she said.

Dr. Duncan uses Pressure Point Treatment, a treatment used widely in the Southwestern United States. She said the results in many cases are substantial. Pressure Point Treatment can be used to cure or alleviate pain caused by numerous problems, such as pinched nerves, sinus drainage, headaches, back and leg pain, and more.

The spine and nervous system are the most overlooked and neglected organs of the body, she points out. She believes a checkup once or twice a year and a "tune up" with Pressure Point Treatment can be a great stress reliever.



Dr. Kathy Duncan of Soft Touch Chiropractic has been in practice for 11 years.

"I believe everybody needs chiropractic care at some point, even if it's for preventative maintenance," said Dr. Duncan.

Soft Touch Chiropractic is located at 23895 Novi Road, Suite 400, south of 10 Mile Road, in Novi where Dr. Duncan is in sole practice. She likes the rapport she is able to establish with her patients because of it. She's familiar with each and every patient and since she's been in the area for 11 years, she's treated some entire families, from grandma and grandpa on down.

"I try to treat everyone as a family member," says Dr. Duncan.

Dr. Duncan has the unique background as a registered nurse, who formerly staffed critical care and the emergency room. She and her father were the first father/daughter team to graduate from Life Chiropractic in Atlanta, where she distinguished herself as president of the class, graduating magna cum laude. She takes pride in the fact that her father is still a practicing chiropractor in Allen Park.

Dr. Duncan stays active locally in the American Business Woman's Association, where she is a former president, Woman of the Year and program chairperson for the Novi Oaks chapter.

Contact Soft Touch Chiropractic by calling (248) 348-2000.

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Dr. Kathy Duncan, R.N., D.C. is a former registered nurse who changed career paths after learning about the benefits of chiropractic care through a personal success story.

Dr. Duncan suffered from severe migraine headaches, which physicians attributed to stress. As a last resort, she sought chiropractic treatment. The chiropractor informed her of a misalignment in her neck, corrected the source of her pain, and eliminated her migraine headaches. She's been a believer in chiropractic ever since.

Dr. Duncan so strongly supported the achievements of chiropractic, she decided to pursue a degree as a Doctor of Chiropractic and attended Life Chiropractic College in 1983. Three years later, she graduated from the college and was president of her class.

Dr. Duncan established the successful Soft Touch Chiropractic clinic in Novi during 1990.

Dr. Duncan practices soft, gentle, noninvasive pressure point treatment for all types of pain or discomfort in the back, neck, head or legs. With the spine as the focal point, muscles are relaxed by using pressure on the points along the muscles in conjunction with the spine. With the muscles relaxed, the spine readjusts itself naturally.

Tight muscles caused by stress, tension, strains or trauma can pull the spinal column out of alignment. This can produce many types of pain or discomfort in the body. "There are no chemicals or drugs masking any symptoms," she said. "We treat the cause, rather than the symptom."

Soft Touch Chiropractic is open four days a week. Dr. Duncan can be reached at **(248) 348-2000**.



Dr. Kathy Duncan can relieve many aches and pains with her gentle pressure-point treatment.



RE/MAX 100 in South Lyon, consisting of 100 full-time real estate agents, is looking to grow and expand.

RE/MAX 100 celebrates new ownership

The RE/MAX office in South Lyon has a lot to celebrate with the recent new ownership that has now made them part of the RE/MAX 100 group.

RE/MAX 100 was founded in 1986. Crystal Halley, broker/owner, opened the first office in Novi. The company has since expanded and currently has four locations including Novi, Commerce Township, Northville, and South Lyon.

RE/MAX 100 has been consistently listed in Crain's Detroit Business as one of the top 20 largest residential brokers in the metropolitan area. It had over $400 million sold in 2,000 and nearly 1,500 transactions closed.

Crystal says she bought the South Lyon location in March of this year with the intent of growing her RE/MAX 100 operation. "This location made sense to me to add to the other three locations," Crystal, "My goal is to grow this office since the market is moving to this area."

Crystal says she credits the success of her company to an undying commitment to change, relentless pursuit of the top agents in town, and a commitment to providing technological advances that allow agents the tools necessary to succeed.

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> **Crystal Halley**
> broker/owner, RE/MAX 100

"We are in the agent business," said Crystal, "Our goal is to provide a top-notch environment for top-notch agents so that they can better serve their clients. We are a niche marketer of the top talent in town. There is a reason why the best Realtors in the area have chosen to be part of the RE/MAX 100 team."

The firm offers residential, commercial, horse farms, vacant land and new construction real estate services.

RE/MAX 100 consists of 100 full-time real estate agents with 13 agents at the South Lyon office and they are looking to add another five-to-10 more.

"We're looking to grow and expand," said Karen Nouhan, office manager for the South Lyon RE/MAX 100 office, "In all of Crystal's offices, the agents are top-notch professionals, full-time real estate agents and we're hoping to be a premier market presence in South Lyon. The growth in this area is just phenomenal."

The office will also continue to be involved in community events including the Pumpkinfest and the Holiday Jingle.

A ribbon cutting ceremony and open house is planned for 5 p.m., Nov. 8, at the office located at 417 S. Lafayette.

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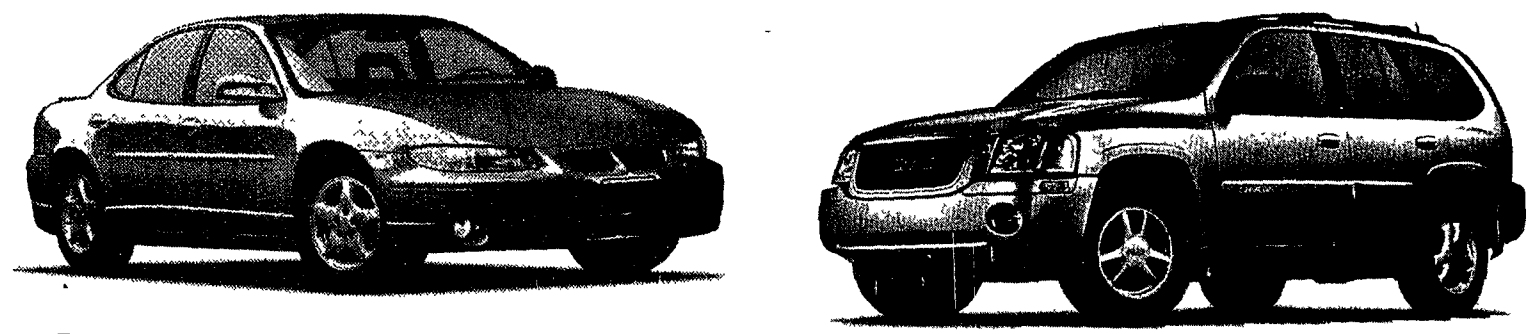
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A ribbon cutting ceremony and open house is planned for 5 p.m., Nov. 8, at the RE/MAX 100 office located at 417 S. Lafayette.

Find out more about the RE/MAX 100 offices by checking out its Web site at www.whyremax100.com or call the South Lyon office at (248) 486-5000.

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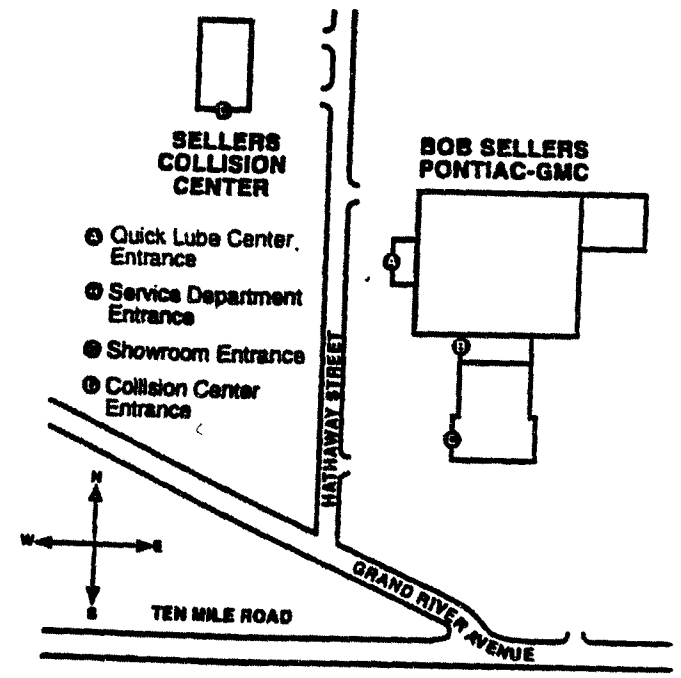


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Salem Township home to National Class guitarist/songwriter



National Class guitarist and songwriter, Mike Apostle, is a guitar man living the good life on a secluded six-acre estate in Salem Township. Awards and plaques recognizing his talents and efforts, including Volunteer of the Year from South Lyon's Recreation Council, fill his home studio.

Mike Apostle is a guitar man living the good life on a secluded large six-acre estate in Salem Township. He's traveled the world and met and played with some of the best in the music industry. His home studio is filled with awards and plaques recognizing his talents and efforts. But along the way he's learned a valuable lesson he is quick to pass to anyone who listens: Money doesn't make you happy.

Mike has found his happiness in teaching.

"My heart and soul are really in teaching," he said. "I volunteer my time at South Lyon Community Education teaching students the complexity of guitar playing."

Mike also teaches privately in his home studio. His students are put through a hard-grilling acoustical course. He teaches the tablature method and says his teaching method is so advanced that he wishes he would have had himself for a teacher when he was young.

He prefers the tablature method of teaching because he can give students an identically-arranged piece for guitar and they will each play it differently. That's because tablature allows them to be creative and to develop their own style of playing.

Mike grew up in the Redford/Livonia area and began playing guitar at age 9. Everyone was playing electric guitar back then, he said. He took some formal lessons but eventually his circle of friends simply started showing each other how to play. His best friend lived next door to Ted Nugent and the boys would go listen to the band practice. "Of course, that was before they hit it big with 'Journey to the Center of the Mind,'" he said. By age 13 Mike was playing professionally and he's never looked back.

An expert in his field and backed by his own studies on the affects of music, his corresponding theories have received validation, he says, and the television show "60 Minutes" aired a version of his study in 1998. Mike said research is showing that children who learn music at an early age excel in math, science and other areas.

Beyond the ways music helps children educationally, parents should realize that music is something that grows with a child. It develops over time, and Mike said, children as young as 5 can touch on their talents.

With the guitar as the instrument of focus the theories applied can be used for every instrument known. With this, students can branch off to different interests, such as flute or piano. In fact, Mikes teaches his advanced students how to transpose their guitar music on to the piano.

His lessons are intense and last for a full hour. He has about 30 students and sees maybe 15 each week.

"There comes a point in time where my teachings become so challenging that it's not worth it to come every week," he said. He makes videotaped lessons for his more advanced students so they can study technique. "It's easy for them to get it that way, and if they don't, they have the rewind button."

Mike's students range in age from 7 to adult and classes at South Lyon Recreation Council prove to be so popular that they are already filled for this session. Mike is known throughout the music industry for his recordings, studio work and level of guitar playing, but says he is fortunate to still have his anonymity. However, that could be short-lived: The Recreation Council recognized Mike as Volunteer of the Year for 2001 for his teachings.

"God has blessed me with just a wonderful life," he said.

For more information on programs offered through Mike or South Lyon Recreation Council, call (248) 486-7000.

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Taking the team approach

HealthStyles staff work as cohesive unit to ensure success for their patients



Lisa Krec (back left), Donna Luma, Sandy Jenkins, Vicky Albers, Linda Bevier, Barb Herzog (front), Ellen Lecureux, Kathy Rigley, Cristina Mellas and Tom Demeniuk take the team approach at HealthStyles Rehabilitation.

It's been nine years since HealthStyles Rehabilitation opened for business at its current location in downtown South Lyon. Co-owners Barb Herzog and Sandra Jenkins are pleased with the facility and opportunities it has offered.

After completing a demographic study of the area they determined a need for the services of a therapy clinic. They believe patients prefer the convenience of the center's hometown atmosphere to that of a more traditional institutional setting.

HealthStyles is staffed with licensed physical, occupational and speech therapists serving patients who have a variety of needs. They currently serve 40-50 patients a day at their facility.

"Our patient caseload varies from children with physical impairments to sports and work-related injuries to neurological conditions, arthritis and joint replacement, and lymphedema secondary to breast cancer," Barb said.

A team approach is utilized at HealthStyles. The physical and occupational therapists work as a cohesive unit. They also engage in close communication with their patient's physicians to ensure that the highest quality care is provided for each patient.

If a patient is unable to leave home, HealthStyles will also provide home therapy. Before HealthStyles can work with a patient, a physician referral is required for therapy.

Once that occurs, the therapist work together to develop an individual program designed to improve the patient's well-being.

HealthStyles' primary goal is meeting each patient's personal goals. This may include self-care and independence, overcoming back pain, learning to walk after surgery, or safely regaining their prior functional status.

"We are most proud of setting up an independent office and watching it grow in a changing medical environment. As many people have noticed, we are building a 6,200-square-foot addition. The focus will be on wellness/fitness with open membership. Watch for details of our grand opening as our project progresses."

Currently HealthStyles offers four specialty programs: Aquatic Therapy, Fitness Enhancement for Golf Excellence, Lymphedema Clinic for Breast Cancer Patients, and Hand Rehabilitation. HealthStyles is a certified rehab agency, which allows it to serve patients with Worker's Compensation, Medicare, Blue Cross Blue Shield, PPOM, Cigna, Aetna, Selectcare and several other commercial insurance carriers.

Contact Vicky Albers, office manager, for further insurance inquiries. HealthStyles is located at 301 S. Lafayette in downtown South Lyon, they welcome your questions. Call (248) 486-1110.

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South Lyon Gardens big on ideas



This unique front-yard pond area was created by South Lyon Gardens.



Inside, shoppers will find popular furniture and home-decor items.

The retail store at South Lyon Gardens may be small in size, but it's big on ideas. Those who visit South Lyon Gardens for landscaping items such as trees and shrubs or ponds are pleasantly surprised when they step indoors.

Inside, a variety of unique merchandise can be found, resembling a country-store look. Big pieces include one-of-a-kind hand-crafted Amish furniture from Lancaster, Pa., including rockers and hand-painted cabinets. Other fun home and garden accents include copper pieces, silk flowers and artist prints.

South Lyon Gardens is owned by Bill O'Connor and Tom Bullock. Its primary focus is landscaping and ponds and outside there is more nursery stock and pond supplies than meets the eye. The Gardens is known for its sales and installation and much of its business is done through word-of-mouth from satisfied customers.

"A big part of our business is our repeat customers who as they move to new homes come back to us for all their landscape, brick pavers and pond work," Bullock commented.

When it comes to ponds, South Lyon Gardens can handle the complete installation or the do-it-yourselfer can come in for whatever is needed, such as liners, pumps, plants and fish. O'Connor and Bullock believe in keeping prices reasonable and affordable, for example, the koi.

"We think our pond fish are very reasonable with Japanese koi starting at $10," Bullock said.

South Lyon Gardens is a full-service landscape company that can complete an entire landscape project including trees, shrubs, and flowerbeds as well as brick pavers. Free landscape and design help is available as well as expert installation. The Gardens offers free home delivery of plant sales for customer's convenience as well.

Once the planting season is over the shop converts to a holiday look and will still be offering great merchandise.

"We always have wonderful fresh-cut trees from the mountains of North Carolina as well as from Michigan," Bullock said. Holiday ornaments and decorations will be available and then look for an old-fashioned visit from Santa, complete with warm cider.

O'Connor and Bullock have been a part of the South Lyon business community for over nine years, and partners for 24 years. Both men serve on the board of the South Lyon Area Chamber of Commerce and are active in the community.

South Lyon Gardens would like to remind gardeners that fall is a great time to plant trees and shrubs. Look for specials and promotions. Find the little shop with big ideas in downtown South Lyon at 557 South Lafayette. Hours are Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Saturday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; and Sunday 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.; and whenever the sign says "open."

Fall is For Planting!



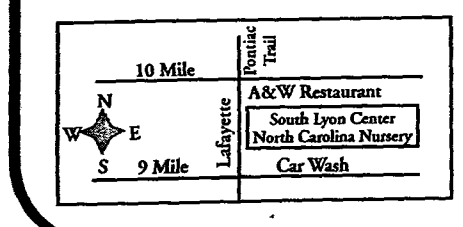
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Mondi Miller, owner of Heirloom Oriental Rug Gallery in downtown Brighton, enjoys sharing her expertise of Oriental rugs with people.

Expansion brings more space for Miller's Heirloom Oriental Rug Gallery

Don't be afraid to put a beautiful Oriental rug on the floor. Mondi Miller, owner of Heirloom Oriental Rug Gallery in Brighton, can assure you they're durable as well as beautiful. They are an investment in your home that you'll enjoy for a lifetime.

Soon Heirloom Oriental Rug Gallery will be able to offer an even wider selection of its exquisite merchandise at its new gallery located at 307 W. Main St. in Brighton. The new gallery is currently under construction with a projected opening date of early December, 2001.

Mondi says the new gallery was needed to provide more space.

"Basically, we ran out of room. We have had demand for larger rugs and no space to show them," Mondi said.

The larger gallery will provide 3,800 square feet of showroom space with an open two-story atrium. She plans to carry both carpet-sized and area rug-sized pieces as well as large and small tapestries, some furniture and home accents and original oil paintings.

When it comes to an important purchase like an Oriental rug, Mondi wants to make sure the customer gets only the best.

"We don't carry any so-so quality. I carry only rugs that I trust in quality and weave," she said.

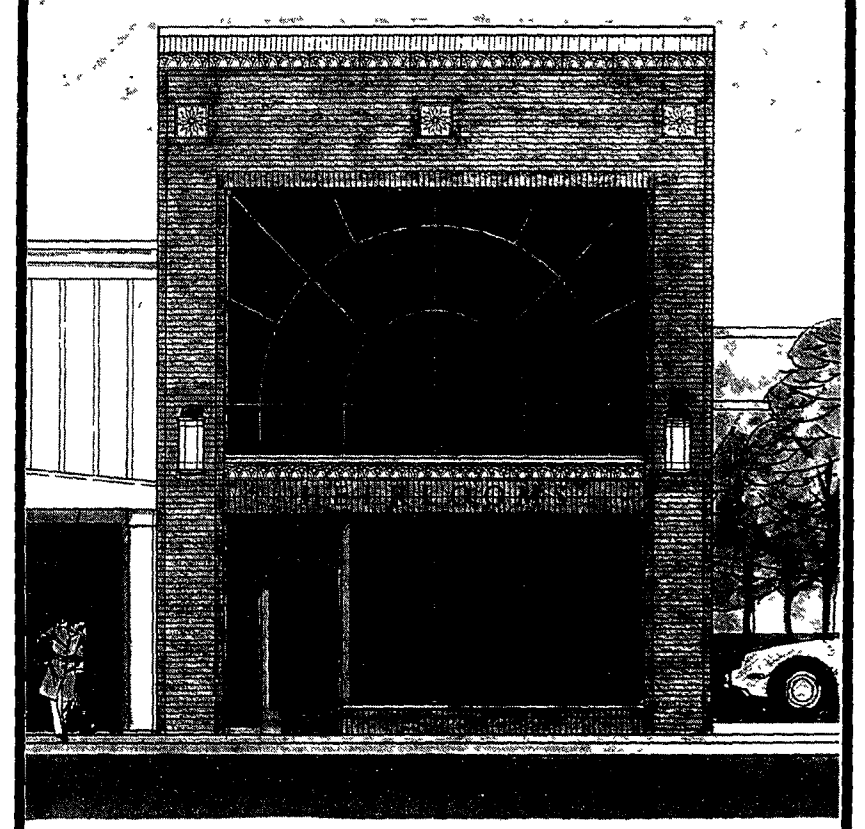
She is an expert in the trade having been in the business for 28 years, and has owned her own retail store for the past eight years. Oriental rugs are made in just about every corner of the world and searching for the best keeps her traveling extensively. Most recently she discovered a source for beautiful rugs in England.

The majority of Mondi's customer's learn about her by word-of-mouth, the highest praise a retailer can get. To educate people on the selection and care of Oriental rugs, Mondi is planning to hold seminars once the new gallery is open.

For beautiful Oriental rugs of incomparable quality, visit Heirloom Oriental Rug Gallery, temporarily located at 409 W. Main St. in Brighton, across from Great Harvest Bread, or call (810) 227-4751.

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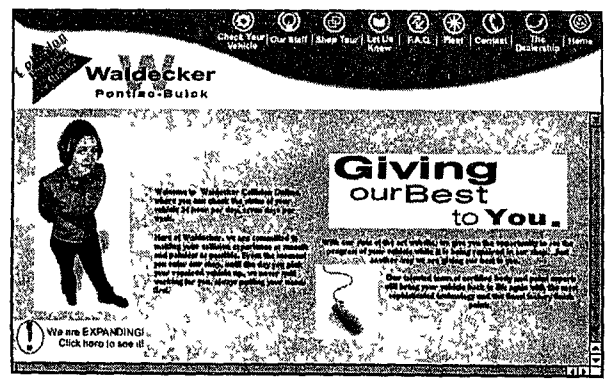
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Waldecker Collision Center, located at 7885 Grand River Ave. in Brighton, opened its doors in the spring of 1991. Hundreds of vehicles are processed each year through the center that has continued to expand to meet the needs of the community. In its most recent expansion the body shop was more than doubled in size to allow room for more vehicles to be prepped for the delicate and precise work of repainting.

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Waldecker's Collision Center customers receive individual attention and its state-of-the-art Web site is just another tool to ensure customer satisfaction.

Your vehicle is an investment not to be taken lightly and if the repairs and paint job need to be done anyway, why not take it to the center where the technicians take care of each vehicle as if it were their own.

"We take care of each customer as if they are the only customer," said Brian Buczek, Waldecker Collision Center manager. "We give individual attention whenever possible."

Buczek has been with Waldecker since 1985. He attributes much of the Collision Center's success to its loyal and long-time staff.

"The staff is the backbone of the Collision Center. The combined experience of this staff makes it easy to complete repairs and satisfy customers," Buczek said.

Waldecker measures success of its Collision Center by the number of satisfied customers, not by how many vehicles are repaired there. Customers continue to choose Waldecker because they are treated with dignity and respect, and most of all, fairly.

With the addition of Waldecker Collision Online, technology has also played its part in customer satisfaction. When Waldecker Collision Center begins the process to repair and restore your vehicle, photos are taken regularly and posted to www.waldeckercollision.com. By logging on customers can take an active role in following the progress of their vehicles' repairs. The interactive program has enhanced communication and comfort levels for the customer. It also makes response time to questions and concerns immediate.

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People make the difference at Serra Floor Covering

Servicing the community for over 28 years, the husband and wife team of Jim and Vicki Serra has made Serra Floor Covering, Inc. a mainstay in downtown South Lyon.

A move and expansion came in 1998 to the store's present location at 21946 Pontiac Trail. Serra Floor Covering, Inc. provides area residents with a vast selection of hard surface flooring, carpets and are rugs as well as custom window treatments.

Its knowledgeable and experienced sales staff assist customers in their selection of the most cost-efficient and durable flooring for their needs. They will also point out the best variety of products to blend with a customer's home decor.

"We, the sales staff, and the installers specialize in the products we sell," Vicki said. "Customers can rest assured that they are in good hands."

The trained professionals at Serra Floor Covering create a custom package of sales and installation that will fit even the most difficult room. Do-it-yourselfers will also find what they need at Serra.

Samples of name-brand carpeting such as Mohawk, Shaw, Coronet and Milliken are displayed throughout the store. Carpets are available in a multitude of colors and textures and remnants are in-stock and available for purchasing as well. Area rugs are growing in popularity and Serra Floor Covering offers many styles, patterns, and sizes to choose from.

When it comes to other flooring options, Serra Floor Covering offers a full selection of hardwood, vinyl and laminant. Laminant is the newest in hard-surface options and offers the latest technology in durability and a whole new look. Serra offers such brand-name laminants as Pergo, Formica, Witex and more.

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Serra Floor Covering is a step above the rest and what makes the family-owned business different is its people. Owners Jim and Vicki oversee all installation, guaranteeing a professional, quality installation. Customers receive nothing but the best in knowledgeable and personal service from the sales staff, whom they recognize year after year.

Stop in and take a look around. Business hours are from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday; 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Thursday; and from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday. Call (248) 437-2838 for more information.



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No shortage of personability at this dental office

It is truly a family affair.

Husband and wife, Drs. Therese and Bill Shortt, along with Therese's brother Dr. David Fiorillo work together in their spacious office at 22320 Pontiac Trail in South Lyon.

Bill is, in fact, a third generation dentist and continues to practice a day a week with his father in Northern Michigan.

Dr. Dave joined the practice four years ago after completing his training at U of M's dental school. He is enjoying the area with wife Dr. Sara Filstrup, who is finishing her graduate work in pediatric dentistry.

The doctors and staff are truly enjoying their office completed in September of 1999. The office accommodates nine operatories complete with state-of-the-art equipment, including a laser, a KCP air abrasion unit and intra-oral video cameras.

The laser is used for situations involving soft tissue or gums. The air abrasion unit is a wonderful tool, ideal for smaller cavities on children and adults. The machine uses an ultra-fine aluminum-oxide power to abrade the tooth and remove the decay and because it doesn't have the friction and cold water of the high speed drill, it usually does not require anesthetic. This is why it is so ideal for children. The intra-oral cameras help the dentists to diagnose treatment and allow them to show the patient what they are seeing.



The friendly and personable staff greet patients to Drs. Therese and Bill Shortt and Dr. David Fiorillo's practice in South Lyon.

The office also provides a comfortable waiting room with a children's play area complete with television, video games and toys. The operatories are equipped with televisions for the patient's enjoyment and distraction. Nitrous oxide is available as well.

The Shortts' office was established 14 years ago. They firmly believe in extensive continuing education in order to provide the best treatment for their patients.

Materials and techniques are changing at such a rapid pace they feel it is imperative to stay on top of it all.

"We pride ourselves on providing high quality services and we made sure our staff as well as ourselves are dedicated to this end."

"It has been a pleasure to live and work in South Lyon all these years. We enjoy knowing so many families and seeing them in town at events and our children's sporting events. Our office is very personable and frequently patients are joining in conversations across operatories!"

The office welcomes anyone to visit and speak with dentists free of charge.

The office is open 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday, Tuesday and Thursday, Wednesday noon to 8 p.m., and Friday from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. It can be reached at (248) 437-8189.

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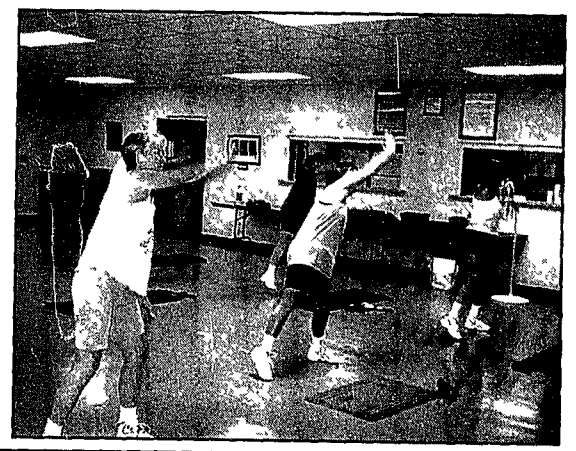
Want a great way to start the day, or top one off? How about a look-good feel-great workout at Jacki's Aerobic Classes? It's not only affordable, but getting in shape can be fun, especially with the high energy and enthusiasm of instructors, Vickie Kolar and Gayle Schroeder. Most importantly, the greatest result is feeling healthy. The instructors agree the greatest benefit of regular exercise is better health and having more energy. Not only that, it's a wonderful stress reliever.

"It's the single most important thing you can do to feel better," notes Kolar. She should know, having taught the program for 11 years.

It's also wonderful for women facing menopause. It seems to make the transition so much easier according to Kolar.



Vicki Kolar and Gayle Schroeder (above, right) are the dynamic duo behind their high-energy program. This group (right) works out to some Rod Stewart music.



"As we age it really helps with prevention of all kinds of things like diabetes and osteoporosis," said Kolar.

"Studies show that exercise lowers the bad cholesterol and raises the good cholesterol. And, you feel good," Schroeder said.

The program was originated in the 1960's by Jacki Sorensen, a dance choreographer with a background in fitness and dance. It's still active today as a nationwide program across the United States and even Europe. Through the years it's evolved to a more athletic, but easier-to-follow program that's being used today. In South Lyon its been offered for over 20 years, helping women to get fit.

And since the workouts are professionally choreographed, it teaches students how to use proper form. This is the best way to prevent aches and pains as well as injuries. Kolar and Schroeder stress that it's important for people to understand that it's okay to work at your own pace. People truly come in at all ages and different fitness levels. There's no pressure to perform or keep up here. It's a friendly low-key atmosphere. It's more like a fun get together with friends. Universal cues help keep everyone on track.

"We've had them from 12 on up. We've had actually quite a few mother daughter teams come," Schroeder said.

And for those moms who feel isolated at home, they offer free babysitting for the morning classes. Realizing that some people have a preference, they offer traditional aerobics as well as step, morning as well as evening classes in both Walled Lake and South Lyon at the affordable price of $3 per session.

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***Morning classes** are held at the First Presbyterian church, on 10 Mile Rd., just east of Pontiac Trail.*
***Evening classes,** are held at the South Lyon High School Dance Room.*

Any questions or need further information? Feel free to call us anytime?
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The 20 men and women staffing Advanced Behavioral Medicine have advanced degrees and certification in psychiatry, psychology, social work, addictions, and marriage and family counseling: Dr. Michael Rockwell (seated, front from left), Karen Sulkowski, Eileen McHenry; (second row) Sue Wilson, Olga Bachmann, Matruka Sherman, Jeri McKeon-Andersen, Collen Doran, Lynn Weber, Beth Gasperich, Steve Bon, Casey Wilhelm; (back) Lynn Simmer-Dvonch, Sandra Kazor, Dr. Viken Matossian, Ann McMahon; (not pictured) Peggy Altenburg, Pam Dailey, Phil LaCourse, Heidi Lasser, Kerry Miller, Diana Sandall, Dale Simmerman.

Clinic focuses on lifelong development and advancement

We all have problems, the difference between people is that some will admit to the problems in their lives and do something to fix them. A first-class counseling and psychiatry agency has been part of that life-mending glue in our community for a quarter century. Advanced Behavioral Medicine, Livingston County's first agency to receive accreditation with the prestigious Council on Accreditation, continues to improve with age. In this case "All the Kings Men" are 20 men and women with advanced degrees and certification in psychiatry, psychology, social work, addictions, and marriage and family counseling. Clinic director Viken Matossian, MD, a Board Certified child and adolescent psychiatrist, keeps the agency focus on lifelong development and advancement. "Learning is living; it makes you alive. When people lack long term goals they soon burn out. Really effective help goes beyond holding someone's hand through a dark time in their life. Effective help reignites youthful ideals so people can see their own way and lead others," says Matossian. "People have to hear something they did not already expect to hear each time they come to a counseling session. We try not to be defined by stereotypes of how psychiatrists or therapists should act, and that helps us see new options for our clients."

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> **Clinic director Viken Matossian, MD,**
> Advanced Behavioral Medicine

The clinic staffing is all about finding the right option for each individual. Each clinical staff member has been hand picked to provide a specialized area of expertise that is then shared among other staff members. Cross training and consultation between staff members ensures that clients receive the specific type of help that they need, not just one or two treatments with which their therapist happens to be familiar. Important new treatments for a variety of problems, like obsessive compulsive disorder, trauma recovery, panic disorder, attention deficit disorder, depression, bipolar disorder, and many others, have been introduced at the clinic, often before they have been commonly available. Only proven approaches are utilized. Before a treatment is offered at the clinic, it must be supported by sufficient scientific literature demonstrating that the treatment has value.

Michael Rockwell, MD, a Board Certified psychiatrist, supervises adult services at Advanced Behavioral Medicine. Dr. Rockwell, a Michigan native, took his training in the world-renowned psychiatry programs at Northwestern University and the University of Chicago before starting into practice seven years ago. He has extensive technical knowledge and experience, and a lifelong commitment to constantly improving his skills, but also a listening ear and a gentle, open manner. Dr. Rockwell has special expertise in treating adult mood disorders and anxiety.

Dr. Matossian, an expert in personality development and brain functioning, trained at the prestigious Washington University Medical School, and studied genetics and personality as an NIH Research Fellow before settling with his family in Michigan. He particularly enjoys working with challenging children and adolescents, and has made a special study of physical causes of personality changes caused by head injuries or hormonal disorders, autism, schizophrenia, manic depressive disorder, and treatment resistant cases of attention deficit disorder. Matossian frequently provides commentary on scientific and social issues for local papers, as well as producing the clinic's widely distributed newsletter, Better Living. He often speaks to metropolitan area physicians and consumer groups on a variety of topics. Dr. Matossian is available via E-mail at vikenabm@earthlink.net to answer questions about mental health or mental performance issues. Questions about services at the clinic should be directed to Office Manager Susan Wilson at (517) 548-1537.

Keeping your chimney safe

"You wouldn't think about driving your car without changing the oil or checking the brakes," Rob Glenn points out. "A fire hazard is gambling with your family's home and safety".

Rob, a full-time firefighter/paramedic, sees all too often the results of improper operations and maintenance of fireplaces. Rob, owner of Priority One Chimney Services, says keeping your chimney safe and in good working order requires proper maintenance.

"Most people don't think of fireplace maintenance ... especially since it's something you may not use for six months at a time."

Chimneys, just like anything else, require a regular maintenance to perform properly and prevent potential problems, such as chimney fires. There's a lot more involved with a chimney than some may think; a variety of problems can arise. Rob can put your mind at ease with a thorough chimney checkup, looking for problems with cleanliness, blockage or the integrity of your chimney. Priority One handles most any services or repairs that are needed, including chimney cleaning, brickwork, caps, waterproofing or replacing flue tiles.

Doing a thorough job is important to Rob and the company's reputation. Priority One is a family-owned and operated business. Rob's wife Brenda assists with office work and scheduling. Their son Daniel helps out with cleaning and repairs, as do the other members of the Glenn family (Melissa, Rebekah, Holly and Joshua).

Priority One has been in business for over 10 years, and was recently established as one of the few authorized dealers in the nation for Thermocrete Ceramic Flue Sealant. The Glenn family traveled to Maine to be trained in the proper installation of Thermocrete which can withstand temperatures up to 3,000 degrees Fahrenheit. Rob said it can "repair fire damaged, or otherwise deteriorated flue tiles for any fuel." Thermocrete is often less expensive than other repair alternatives. "It provides another very good tool for the toolbox," he said.

Priority One Chimney Services serves all of Livingston County and most of Washtenaw, Oakland and portions of Wayne. Since this is Priority One's busiest season, its best to schedule an appointment early. To contact Priority One for any of its many services, call (248) 486-5146 or toll free at (800) 555-6054.



Rob Glenn, Priority One Chimney Services owner, and son Daniel can put your mind at ease with a thorough chimney checkup, looking for problems with cleanliness, blockage or the integrity of your chimney.

2001 Fall Guitar Class Students from South Lyon School District Recreation Council



Private Guitar Students of Mike Apostle Adult Advanced Students Not Pictured:
Steve Howder, Rick Katalenid, Chris Nielsen, Gene Pulice, Romney Spencer, Dina Benyo, James Morris, Tom Johnson, Doug Pakkala

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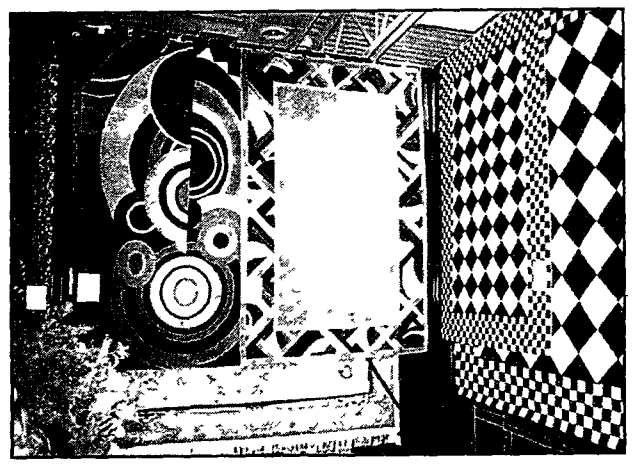

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Expect the unexpected when shopping at Classic Rugs and Accents. It's like embarking on an exotic journey for unique home decor items not available everywhere. The thought and selection of these items demonstrates a desire to secure for its customers unique and varied items of distinction with French country contrasting with the exotic look of Raj. There are also items with a woodsy, Northern Michigan feel that is gaining in popularity.



Classic Rugs and Accents offers a vast selection of rugs and unique decorating pieces.

Tapestries and wall hangings, framed art prints with unusual matting and frames, fabulous mirrors and table-top items such as ginger jars, lidded boxes, candles and non typical holders — all these unusual and one-of-a-kind pieces are displayed against accent furniture pieces, hutches, tables and shelving, from painted pieces to those with an antique European flair. And chests of all shapes and sizes can be found to fill that hard-to-decorate niche.

Classic Rugs and Accents offers a vast selection of rugs from machine-made to hand-made with new and traditional styles, including Persians and contemporary surface patterns, even the newest trend in floor coverings — leather rugs. Classic Rugs and Accents specializes in odd-shaped rugs that just might help complete the decorator touch — rounds, octagons, unusual-edged rugs, and odd sizes.

Adding a specialty line to its already diverse offerings, Classic Rugs and Accents has included a collection of Bulova clocks in Art Deco, Frank Lloyd Wright cases and classic award winners from the Smithsonian Collection. Chimes and pendulums abound.



Even with all these offerings, the store manager, Katrina Kuderko-Coy stresses customer service. Her first priority is to help the customer solve their decorating needs and to pull a room together with distinction. Katrina wants to sell the right rug, not just any rug and will work with the customer on special orders, yet keep prices reasonable. Its personalized customer service and unique home decorator items are the emphatic points of Classic Rugs and Accents. The business values its customers and works closely with them to find just that special item.

Classic Rugs and Accents is proud of its hometown status wanting to provide unique choices for the best value. It appreciates the community's support and wants to give back to them by offering exceptional quality at reasonable prices.

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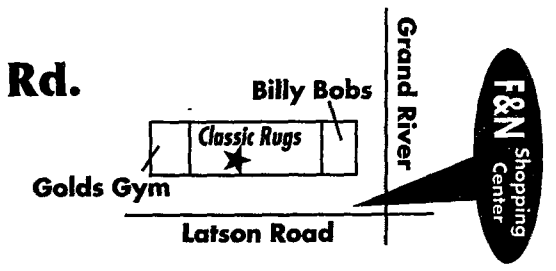
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Panic attacks literally strike terror into confident, high achieving individuals. Its victims may call an ambulance for chest pains, pounding heart beat, a feeling of suffocation, sweating, and dizziness. What they won't call for is the most important symptom of all: gut wrenching, all-consuming terror. If the fear is not recognized as the main symptom then people may go through costly medical tests and even hospitalizations without a cause emerging.

Without treatment, panic disorder can often be progressive and incapacitating. Panic attacks represent the abnormal activation of the brain's fear circuit to full intensity, much like a "fear seizure". Unlike worrying, panic attacks strike suddenly and then fade over 15 minutes to an hour. In some cases, many panic attacks may occur in a row over hours or days. Many people are convinced they are dying, or they may feel an urge to flee from an unidentifiable danger. Some people many have panic attacks at night and wake up suddenly in a sweat with a full panic attack already under way.

After a panic attack a deep footprint of fear remains.

This fear arises at a primitive level and the brain may unconsciously connect the fear to any aspect of the situation that existed when the attack started. Sights, sounds, smells, normal bodily sensations and even particular thoughts can later become triggers for future panic attacks. Situations in which it is hard to get help or there is a danger of embarrassment are particularly linked to become triggers for attacks. Avoidance of crowds, tunnels, elevators, large department stores, bridges, and remote rural locations occurs commonly. More and more thoughts and situations are avoided with each attack, until some people are completely house bound with fear.

Panic attacks are most likely to strike enthusiastic, competitive excitable people. This is because the same brain chemical involved in fear, called noradrenaline, also control alertness, excitement, and anger. When this chemical is activated the resulting emotion can either turn to terror, enthusiasm, or rage, depending on how the rest of the mind interprets the signal. At different times in their lives, people with panic attacks may also be extremely hyperactive, quick tempered, or intensely cheerful. The tendency toward excitability is probably transmitted genetically, while the channeling of that excitement into panic is a learned event that occurs at any stage of life.

Panic attacks are often accompanied by other serious problems.

Serious depression occurs in about half of panic disorder sufferers. The noradrenaline surges that cause the attacks can also cause fits of violent rage, especially in men. Self medication with drugs leads to alcoholism in 30% and drug abuse in 17% of people with panic disorder. The combination of alcoholism and rageful temper in men is very likely to be accompanied by some history of panic attacks, especially during periods of alcohol withdrawal. Irritable bowel syndrome and mitral valve prolapse also occur more frequently with panic disorder. About 20% of people with panic disorder attempt suicide.

Panic disorder is among the most easily treated psychiatric disorders.

It responds well to a relatively new type of psychotherapy, cognitive-behavioral therapy; but poorly to traditional psychotherapy, but no one medicine works for everyone. The most frequently prescribed medicines, tranquilizers like Xanax, Valium, and Arivan, are actually the least preferred options. Tranquilizers interfere with learning mental skills to overcome panic attacks and can lead to dependency without completely eliminating the symptoms. Various other medicines, most antidepressants and certain blood pressure medications are highly effective and have few adverse effects. Tragically, most people with panic disorder still suffer in silence rather than seek psychiatric treatment.

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Michelle Wilson at Mortgage 1 Inc. gets the job done

It's often said we learn best from our life experiences. That's proven to be true for Michelle Wilson, Loan Officer for Mortgage 1 Inc. Michelle works hard to take care of her clients, to make sure they understand every aspect of purchasing or refinancing their home.

Michelle states, "I decided to get into the mortgage lending business after I was taken advantage of when I purchased my first home. After I learned all the aspects of the mortgage business, I realized there was a real need for a loan officer that would explain the entire process in an easy to understand method. This is when I knew I found my calling." Michelle continued by saying, "I am not satisfied until my customers feel at ease with their new mortgage."

Michelle has been in the mortgage business for about six years. She joined the Mortgage 1 Inc. team a year ago and has been making great advances with this 10-year-old company. Mortgage 1 Inc. is a mortgage broker offering home equity loans, refinancing, and purchases for owner occupied, investment and second homes anywhere in the state of Michigan.

"Purchases are our specialty," Michelle said. "I deal with FHA, VA, Conventional, Non-Conforming, whether you have good credit, bad credit — pretty much everything across the board we most likely can do."

As a broker, Mortgage 1 Inc. is able to compare many different banks and investors to find financing to fit each individual customer's needs.



Michelle Wilson

"For example, if someone needs a zero money down program, or can only get approved on an FHA program, I can inquire numerous different banks and get the lowest rate possible for them." Mortgage 1 Inc. has the advantage of being able to shop around to fill the needs of its clients. Michelle adds, "Being a broker, banks want our business and can sometimes offer special discounts or make special exceptions for us to send our customer through their program.

"We're out to build a program based on what the customer needs, and we try to find the bank that best fits their requirements, every person has different circumstances."

Mortgage 1 Inc. works with Realtors, as well as for-sale-by owners. Mortgage 1 Inc. has a legal department that, for a minimal fee, will draw up a purchase agreement for someone selling or buying a for-sale-by-owner home.

Michelle's dedication is to make you her "CUSTOMERS FOR LIFE." "When my clients purchase their first home I want to walk them through the process, whey they are ready to take out an equity loan to add on to their home, I want to offer the support, encouragement, and financial support they need to do the renovations, and when they are ready to down-size back to the cozy home for two, I want to help them with the transition."

It's pretty obvious Michelle takes care of her clients and that they're extremely satisfied with her efforts, because 98 percent of her business is referrals. "I really try to do everything I can for my clients because I want them to come back to me and speak highly of me to someone else. Reputation is everything," Michelle said

As a wife and mother of two, she understands that time is a precious commodity in most people's lives. Michelle make a point to work with anyone's schedule. She says she's available just about 24/7 and can work with people via phone, fax, Internet or in person.

"I'm reachable, you need to be in my business," Michelle said. "I can meet at homes or offices; if someone can't come to me, I'll go to them. There have been numerous times I've completed a file start-to-finish without ever meeting the client until the closing." However, she did add that she works a little differently than other loan officers, in that she follows the job from start-to-finish and attends 95 percent of her closings. Working from her home and office, she handles everything.

"The most important thing for people to remember when purchasing a home or refinancing, is that they need to feel comfortable with the person they are working with. If unsure," Michelle said, "get a second opinion." She adds, "You want to make sure you're getting the best service and program. That's what I want to do for you."

Michelle is currently in the process of moving into her new home in South Lyon with husband, Mark, a full-time firefighter; son Gunner, 2-years-old; and daughter Brandi, 9-months-old. She's hoping to open an office in the South Lyon area, but until that time will work from her home office and existing office. Contact Michelle at (248) 408-9900 or check the Web: www.michelleloan.com.

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With all of the great features offered at Collex Collision Experts, it's no surprise Collex repairs more vehicles than any other collision company in Michigan.

Serving customers in eastern Michigan since 1975, Collex Collision Experts is the largest independantly-owned collision repair center in the state. Headquartered in Clinton Township, Collex prides itself on its degree of excellence in repair work and its customer service. In fact, its motto: "Doing nice things for people and the cars they drive" says it all.

"Our customer service is excellent," said Harvey Steffke, business development manager for Collex.

He said the team of experts at Collex understands the anxieties and worries people feel following an accident. That's why the Collex team is committed to helping you get your vehicle back on the road as quickly and conveniently as possible.

"We know that when there's been an accident, customers tend to be upset," Steffke said. "When they come in here, we try to ease all the anxieties … and handle every aspect of the job."

Collex Collision helps ease the pain of an accident by dealing directly with your insurance company. It offers nine convenient locations, free computerized estimates, pick-up and delivery service (upon request), as well as late-model courtesy cars for those whose automobile insurance policies don't cover rental cars.


Collex Collision's repair center in Brighton boasts 20,000 square feet of repair space and is equipped to handle larger trucks, motor homes and buses.

"This service is very convenient because if the (customer's) car is in our shop being repaired, rather than going to rent a car at $30 per day, we give them a free one," Steffke said.

And with its guaranteed delivery times and lifetime warranty on workmanship and paint, customers are assured peace of mind.

Collex Collision's commitment to customers doesn't end there. Its team of technicians are all certified and employees attend periodic training seminars to keep abreast of changes and improvements at its training center, Collex University.

The Collex Collision Experts repair center at 12865 Silver Lake Road in Brighton boasts 20,000 square feet of repair space. Because of its size and specialized equipment, the Brighton center has been designated as the company's truck fleet center and is equipped to handle larger trucks, motor homes and buses.


Serving customers in eastern Michigan since 1975, Collex Collision Experts is the largest independantly-owned collision repair center in the state.

"We have a 60-foot down-draft spray and bake paint booth. We can fit a whole tractor trailer in our paint booth," Steffke said.

Collex Collision Experts also take an active role in the community. The Brighton location is a member of the Greater Brighton Area Chamber of Commerce and has also been a sponsor of such events as the Michigan Challenge Balloonfest.

Collex Collision Experts other locations are in Clawson, Clinton Township, Livonia, Novi, Rochester, Sterling, Warren and Washington. Learn more about Collex Collision Experts by visiting its Web site: www.collexcollion.com. Contact Collex in Brighton at (248) 446-2000.

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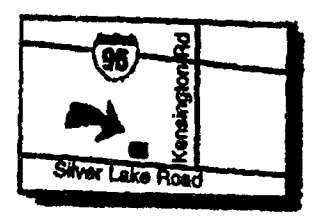
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SELLING FUN

Wide selection found at Kensington Motorsports

It's like Christmas every day for sports lovers at Kensington Motorsports. Inside the 10,000-square-foot building you'll find wall-to-wall fun from motorcycles and wave runners to All Terrain Vehicles, otherwise known as ATV's.

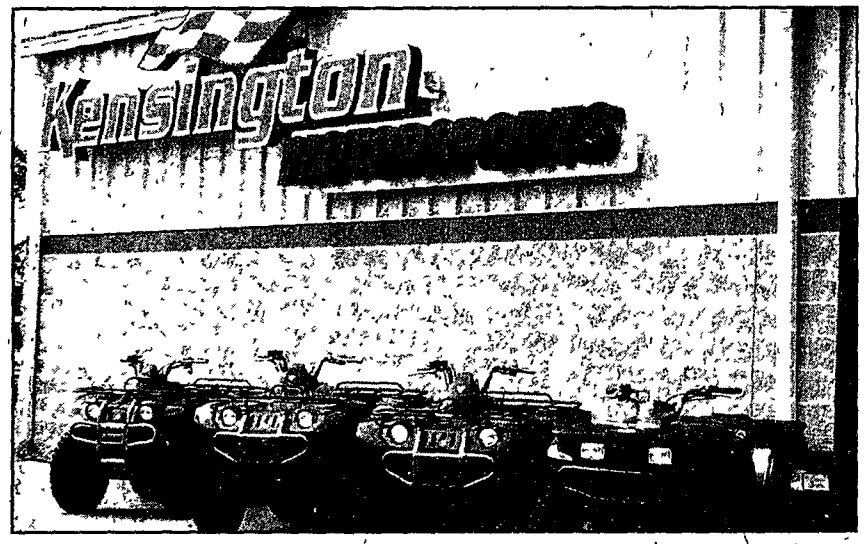
Just because the seasons are changing, doesn't mean the end of fun, reminds co-owner, Tim Mooney. He and partners, Fred Grove and Tim Thomas are ready for the snow with a wide selection of Yamaha and Polaris snowmobiles.

"The speed at which technology has progressed in the snowmobile industry is astonishing," he said.

Snowmobiles are also more complex than many people may think. Much thought goes into improving these machines. For example, great strides have been made in areas such as the suspension for a smoother ride, improved ergonomics as well as more power and improved fuel economy.

How about a four-season All Terrain Vehicle? Now a phenomenal success, the four-season ATV makes up about 50 percent of the sales at Kensington Motorsports, Mooney notes. But, he's not surprised at its popularity.

"It's because it's such a broad-use item. Being in Michigan and Oakland County, a lot of people have acreage or "up North" property," he points out.



ATV's are incredibly versatile for uses such as hunting, farming, gardening or just for working around the yard. And the accessories available for these vehicles make them even more useful. With these tools, the ATV's can perform tasks such as snow plowing, grass cutting with pull-behind mowers and general hauling. Other attachments include seeders, spreaders, plows or discs.

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Another hard working cousin of the ATV is the Kawasaki Mule, a personal favorite of Mooney's.

"They're the coolest things around," he adds. "They're a bit larger than a typical ATV and are designed to work hard."

The store is actually three businesses in one, including a sales department, parts and accessory store, and a top-notch service department.

"Our service department has received a 5-Star rating from Yamaha Motor Corporation, its highest level of accreditation," said Mooney.

And even though the season is changing, Kensington Motorsports still carries a huge selection of state-of-the-art motorcycles.

With the holidays approaching, don't forget that performance parts, clothing and accessories make great gift ideas, says Mooney. And what little fellow wouldn't love to find a brand-new bright-blue Yamaha dirt bike under the tree?

"We do a tremendous business in youth ATV's and dirt bikes," he said.

Since its opening in April 1998, Kensington Motorsports has become an enduring success. The business has been featured twice by Dealer News, being named among the Annual Top 100 Dealers, which Mooney is proud of. The Top 100 program recognizes exceptional powersports dealerships for their creative store designs and marketing techniques. Mooney credits his entire staff with the business success including finance manager, Ray Skaggs; parts manager, Glen Keaton; and sales manager, Al Ezell.

Kensington Motorsports also makes purchasing convenient by offering complete and competitive financing. This is another strong point of the business since it deals with numerous banks and participates with most manufacturers' financing programs.

If you're looking for a great deal on a fun machine visit Kensington Motorsports at its convenient location near the I-96 expressway at Milford Road, across from Hines Park Ford at 56605 Pontiac Trail in Milford or call (248) 446-0000.



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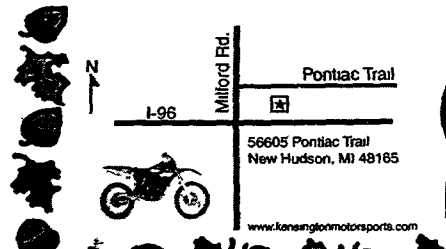
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SOUTH LYON CYCLE offers an extensive parts and accessories inventory including, suspension seat posts, gel saddles, cycle computers, bike trailers, child carriers, and bike carriers. The extensive accessory selection also includes quality tire pumps for at home use and small, portable pumps to attach to the bike for emergency use when needed on a ride.

Even with such a large selection of bikes, parts and accessories, sometimes a particular item desired by a customer is not in stock. Not to worry! SOUTH LYON CYCLE will special order that bike, part or accessory from one of its many suppliers and have it usually in three to seven business days or less.



Brothers Mark and Gary Childs offer an extensive inventory of bikes, parts and accessories.

SOUTH LYON CYCLE supports our community through the Chamber of Commerce and the Downtown Development Authority — of which Mark is President and Vice-Chairperson, respectively. SOUTH LYON CYCLE also donates time and supports local school, scout, recreation, civic and library groups and functions.

SOUTH LYON CYCLE sponsors two charitable bicycle events — The American Diabetes Association Tour de Cure and the Multiple Sclerosis Society MS 150.

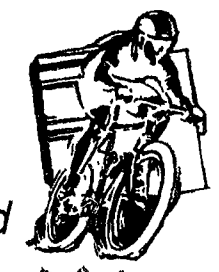
SOUTH LYON CYCLE, at 209 S. Lafayette (Pontiac Trail), two blocks south of Ten Mile Road, is conveniently located near the bike riding areas of Island Lake State Recreation Area, Kensington Metro Park, Maybury State Park and the bike trails in the Huron Valley Trail System.

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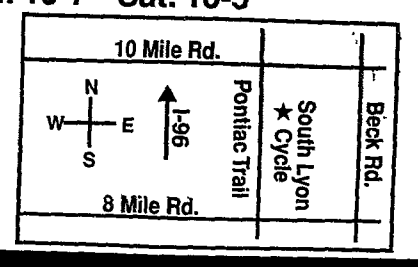
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Brighton Ford has been in the community since 1987 when it was established in downtown Brighton. The dealership moved to its current location in 1991 when owner Jerry Spitler moved the operation to a brand-new building at 8240 W. Grand River Ave., near I-96.

Brighton Ford Mercury prepares for opening of new 18,000-square-foot body shop in 2002

It's been an exciting year for Brighton Ford Mercury. The dealership, located at 8240 W. Grand River Ave., near I-96 in Brighton, has remodeled its showroom, started a new commercial sales department, and launched a new Internet sales service that allows customers to do their vehicle shopping online.

The Web site, www.brightonford.com, is extremely user friendly and makes buying or selling a vehicle as easy as "one-two-three." The site gives the user the option of going into any of three areas that provide information on searching out the price of a vehicle.

The dealership is very serious about providing a complete and useful Internet sales service, and has hired an Internet manager.

"We're already starting to get customers online and we're starting to solicit Internet business," says Perry McKimmy of Brighton Ford.

McKimmy says that one of the exciting things about doing business on the Internet is the level of service Brighton Ford Mercury can provide its customers. For example, customers that send them an e-mail will get almost immediate feedback. The Internet site manager will have a special pager that lets him know when someone sends an e-mail so that he can respond to it right away.

"People aren't used to getting an answer that quickly," McKimmy said. "We'll be able to respond to them on a very timely basis."

By shopping Brighton Ford through the Internet, he said, customers will find very consistent and fair prices, and a listing of MSRP retail prices. They will find the dealer invoice amount and the customer price.

"There are no secrets about how much a vehicle costs. It's all available on the Internet anyway, so we might as well hand it to the customer," he said.

One of the most useful things about the Web site is that it offers a complete array of information for the person interested in buying or selling a new or used vehicle.

There is also information on financing as well as Blue Book values for customers who are interested in selling or trading in their used vehicles. A customer can even go to the Internet site to schedule service appointments.

Brighton Ford's commercial vehicle department offers on-site professional consultations; complete Ford and Mercury car, van, SUV and truck lines up to the F-750; special finance and leasing options through Ford Credit commercial lending; and specialized maintenance programs.

"We understand the high expectations of our business in Livingston County because we share (those expectations)," McKimmy said.

Brighton Ford has been in the community since 1987, when it was established in downtown Brighton. The dealership moved to its current location in 1991, when owner Jerry Spitler moved the operation to a brand-new building.

"The continuous growth and expansion of our dealership is a sign of dedication to our customer," McKimmy said. "Our mission is to continually improve our services and quality commitment and meet our customers' needs, allowing us to prosper as a business."

The dealership has a large selection of Ford and Mercury cars and trucks as well as a computer system locator with the ability to find the exact vehicle a customer desires.

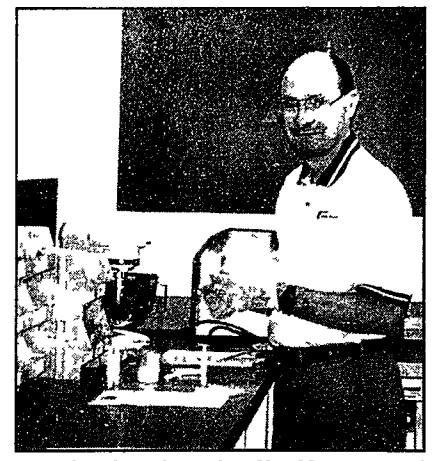
Scheduled to open in January 2002, the new 18,000-square-foot, state-of-the-art body shop, has the latest down-draft paint booths that offer the closest thing to factory paint jobs. It is open Monday through Friday and the customer can drive right up and eliminate the waiting period. The body shop enhances the service area by 11 bays and has a Quick Lube drive-up service as well. The service area is prepared to handle any collision repair or auto body needs and the fact that it is a direct-repair facility for most major insurance companies, guarantees the job will be warranted for as long as the vehicle remains with the same owner.

The parts and service department at Brighton Ford is working for continuous improvements in the quality of service its customers receive, as are the used vehicle sales outlets located in downtown Brighton and the Michigan Auto Group at 9990 Highland Road in Hartland. With so many options for customers, it's easy to see why Brighton Ford Mercury customers are "customers for life."

Visit the sales department at Brighton Ford Mercury 9 a.m. to 9 p.m., Monday through Thursday; 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Friday; and 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Saturday. Call (810) 227-1171.

Old-fashioned concern combines with modern technology





South Lyon Family Pharmacy, owned by husband and wife Kenny and Michelle Walkup, was recognized as Pharmacy and Business of the Year.

"Let our family take care of your family," say South Lyon Family Pharmacy owners husband and wife Kenny and Michelle Walkup.

South Lyon Family Pharmacy is an old-fashioned town pharmacy in a world that can be hectic and impersonal.

"We combine old-fashioned concern and service with 21st century technology and pharmaceutics," says Kenny Walkup.

South Lyon Family Pharmacy truly is a family operation. Both Kenny and Michelle are pharmacists, and Kenny is a compounding pharmacist. Tara Burley joins the Walkups as a third pharmacist at the store. Michelle's father oversees lab operations and mother is bookkeeper.

Custom compounded medications is the specialty of South Lyon Family Pharmacy.

"Compounding is the art of customizing medications to fit individual needs," says Walkup. "The lab is where we spend most of our energy."

The pharmacists mix creams, gels and lotions on the premises in the 500-square-foot compounding lab. A capsule machine allows them to pack their own capsules, an electronic balance ensures accurate weighing, an ointment mill produces cosmetic quality creams and a laminar flow hood lets them prepare sterile injections and eye drops.

Kenny is a member of the Professional Compounding Centers of America, a Texas-based organization, and he travels to Texas several times yearly to brush up on the latest aspects of compounding medications.

South Lyon Family Pharmacy cooperates with your health professionals to produce the most complete and accurate treatment for whatever ails you or loved one, including domestic and exotic pets.

"We consider ourselves problem solvers," says Walkup.

The pharmacists work with your physician or vet to determine the exact medication that you or your pet may need. They purchase the chemicals and prepare medications according to those needs.

Animal medications are prepared proportionally to your pet, small pills for small dogs and large pills for sizable animals like horses. Medications can even be disguised as tasty treats, like tuna-flavored medication for cats and liver-flavored for dogs.

"You name it, we can compound it!" Walkup says.

The preparation of these customized medications requires chemicals and equipment that are not available in most pharmacies.

South Lyon Family Pharmacy also provides an entire span of medical products for customers. The pharmacy stocks crutches, canes, walkers and bathroom aides like shower chair and transfer benches. Vaccination programs, like flu shots in the fall, let customers play it safe without traveling far for vaccinations.

A private consultation room with VCR lets pharmacists show customers how to properly use medications and hold individual counseling services about diseases and medications.

A prescription delivery service, a Web site for on-line refills, coupons and a monthly newsletter puts South Lyon Family Pharmacy in touch with your family. Walkup is glad to report that customers like the services offered at South Lyon Family Pharmacy.

"South Lyon has been very supportive," he says. "We gladly accept the responsibility of taking care of your family. Please call if you have any questions about the services we offer."

South Lyon Family Pharmacy was voted Pharmacy of the Year and Kenny R. Walkup, R.Ph. was voted Pharmacist of the Year by South Lyon area readers of Hometown Newspapers. In addition, the pharmacy was 2000 Chamber of Commerce Business of the Year.

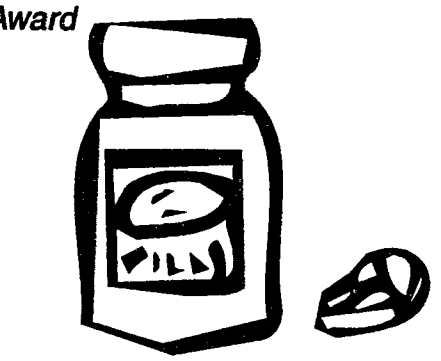
Store hours are 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday through Friday and 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday. South Lyon Family Pharmacy is at 116 N. Lafayette St. in downtown South Lyon. Call (248) 437-6225 with any questions.

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The trip is scheduled for Nov. 17, 2002. That gives you a year to save for this cruise of a lifetime! Although a year away, don't wait to make your reservations. Cabins will be going fast at this price, says Jennifer Phillips. Phillips' has secured group space to keep this great price of $1,729 per person. The price includes airfare and an 11 night itinerary in the Hawaiian Islands. "I wanted to offer this because it's such a wonderful deal," notes Gretchen Phillips.

The trip begins by flying into Ensenada, Mexico where guests depart for Hawaii. First they'll spend four days at sea. Later stops include one day each at Kona and Hilo, Hawaii; followed by one day at Nawiliwili, Kauai; two days in Lahina, Maui; and finishing with one day in Honolulu, Oahu before departing back to Detroit by air.

Meals are included in the cruise. And each cabin will have a picture window to enjoy the spectacular scenery or a veranda depending on personal selection. "A veranda view will enhance the vacation a great deal and is available for only $300 more," said Gretchen Phillips.



Say Aloha with the gang from Phillips Travel Service. Set to leave Nov. 17, 2002, Phillips Travel has made all the arrangements for a fantasy trip to the Hawaiian Islands. Price includes airfare and an 11-night itinerary.

The Cruise is scheduled aboard the Infinity of Celebrity Cruises, a sister company to Royal Caribbean. The Infinity is a newer ship and one of the largest at 91 thousand tons. "The average ship out there is 73 thousand," said Jennifer Phillips.

Phillips Travel Service is no stranger to group tours. They have their own group department consisting of Dallas and Jennifer Phillips and Darla Goudie. "We are the longest established educational tour operator in the state of Michigan," said Jennifer Phillips. They regularly take student groups from Ohio and Michigan all over the country. They also custom design tours to Europe for Art History Professors from U of M and the Birmingham Bloomfield Art Association.

The company is a family-owned business that began with Dallas' father, who eventually brought it to the South Lyon area.

Phillips Travel wants to remind its customers that their travel agents are the last unbiased source of help and information in the industry. The airlines are trying to encourage customers to book direct or online, by cutting travel agencies commissions almost in half over the last five years. However, Phillips Travel wants to remind you that without a travel agent you're on your own. "We're someone here, we're someone you can come to," said Jennifer Phillips. The agency recently installed a brand new state-of-the-art computer system to better serve its customers.

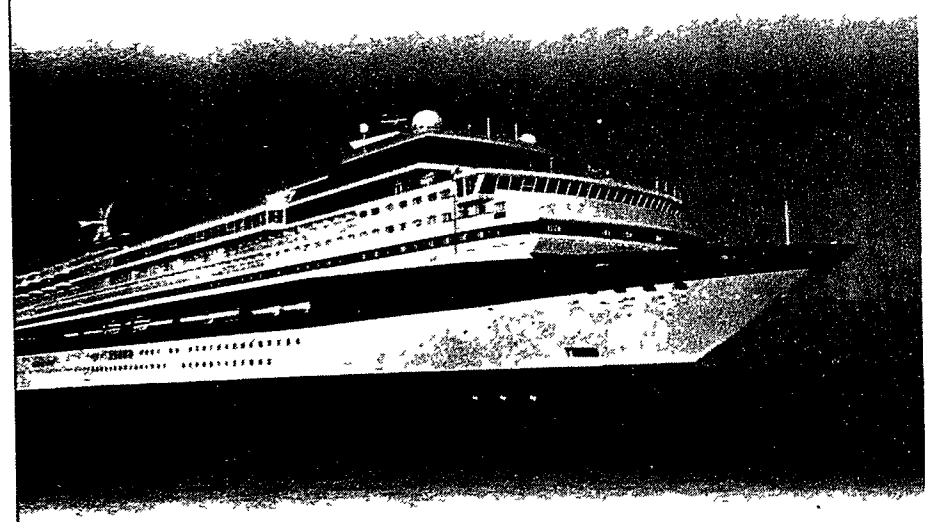
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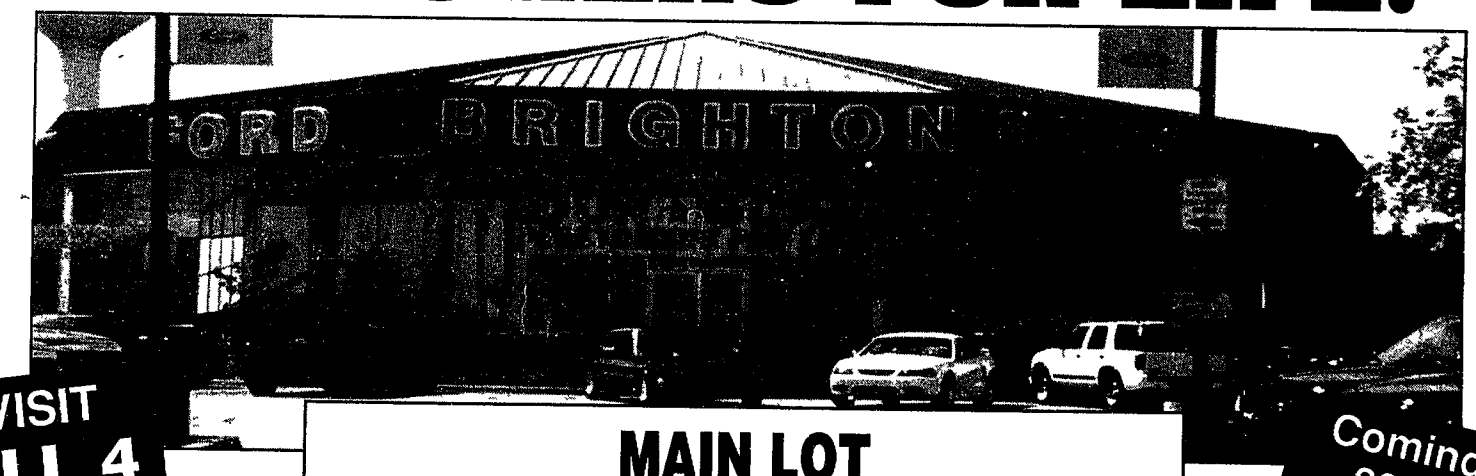
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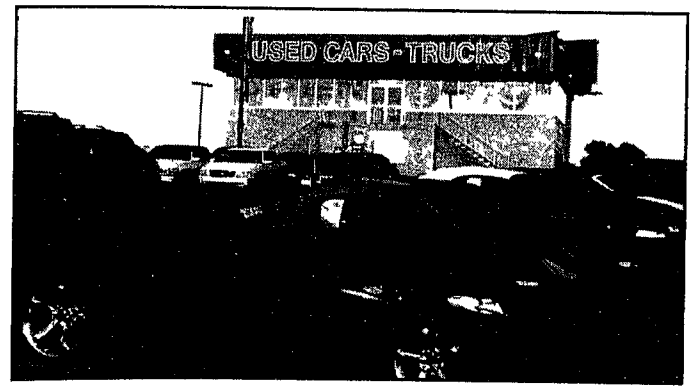
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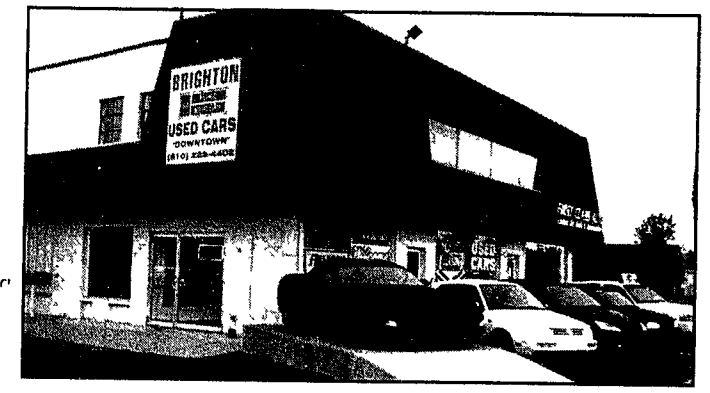
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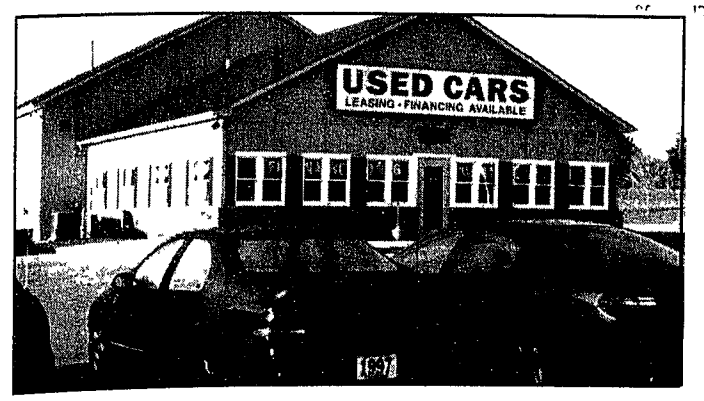
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John Taormina (top photo) and Carol Schreiber display the many varieties of breads available at Taorello's. Taorello's meat department and deli were awarded second place in the Peoples Choice Awards for the Best Meat Department and the Best Deli, respectively.

John Taormina has had a love for the food business since he was 10- years-old, bicycling to work, to work side-by-side beside his dad in his father's store. His father, serving as his mentor, instilled in him that every customer is important no matter what or how much they purchase.

It's obvious that John Taormina loves what he does. He's animated and excited when he talks about his gourmet market, Taorello's Marketplace, which is a combination of his name and his partner's name, Rod Kello.

Mornings find John visiting Detroit's downtown produce docks at 1 a.m. picking only the best and freshest produce. Nothing is ripened in the box. It's picked at midnight and on sale the same day. It's John's knowledge and experience that's there for the customer. He's competitive and gets the best produce at the best prices.

Recognizing a need for a gourmet market in Livingston County, Taorello's Marketplace has been operating for two years. It's a big hit with the surrounding community as John aims for a specialty market like no other in the area.

His deli meats are not pre-sliced but stay fresh until they are purchased. The fish and meats are all of the highest quality and with less waste per pound. The gourmet salads are different and unusual and made fresh daily by executive chef, Chris Jones, formerly of Chuck Muier's Restaurant.

Taorello's deli sells only whole, real foods made with fresh herbs and spices with no coloring or additives. It's the best food for the money. The deli also houses the bread and fresh pastry area. Featuring mouthwatering choices that are also feasts for the eye, the bread — from dark, crusty French country bread to a lighter Paesano — is fresh baked. Having to select from fresh cannolis to turtle cheese cakes and fruit tarts can be a difficult choice.

Taorello's is visually stimulating and merchandised with a user-friendly pattern. The market is planned to flow from the exciting rich colors of nature's bounty to the fresh meat department into fish and on to the deli. The meat department and the deli won second place in the Peoples Choice Awards for the Best Meat Department and the Best Deli, respectively.

Nothing is overlooked, from gourmet coffees to the choicest of olive oils, to imported canned goods. There's so much attention to detail. Produce is polished to bring out it's beauty and lit to the best advantage to enhance its color and freshness. The customer has a choice of not only garden variety fruits and vegetables, but the exotic and imported.

The full service wine department is watched over by Donna Hauser, the wine specialist and buyer. This extensive selection of wines has earned Taorello's first place in the Peoples Choice Awards for Wine Offerings and first place for the Best Place to Buy Wines.

In catering, Taorello's offers the simplest form of off-premise foods to the most elaborate, from a minimum order of sandwiches to tasty pasta and meat entries. Offering small servings for a few people to entire banquets, Taorello's strives to provide perfection in every dish. It's delighted to accommodate special requests and will assist in every way.

John Taormina feels that he should give back to the area for the support they have given him making his market the success that it is. It's imperative that Taorello's is willing to give and is involved in Chamber of Commerce activities. Proceeds from his wine-tasting parties have been donated to local charities such as LACASA and over $19,000 to Meijer's Skate Park. Proceeds have also helped purchase a new bus for the senior citizens. All proceeds of the wine tastings go to charity.

Taorello's is located at 1007 E. Grand River Ave., in Brighton. Call (810) 225-8900.

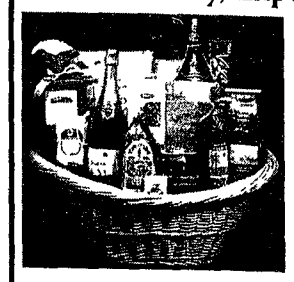
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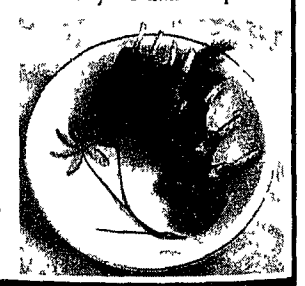
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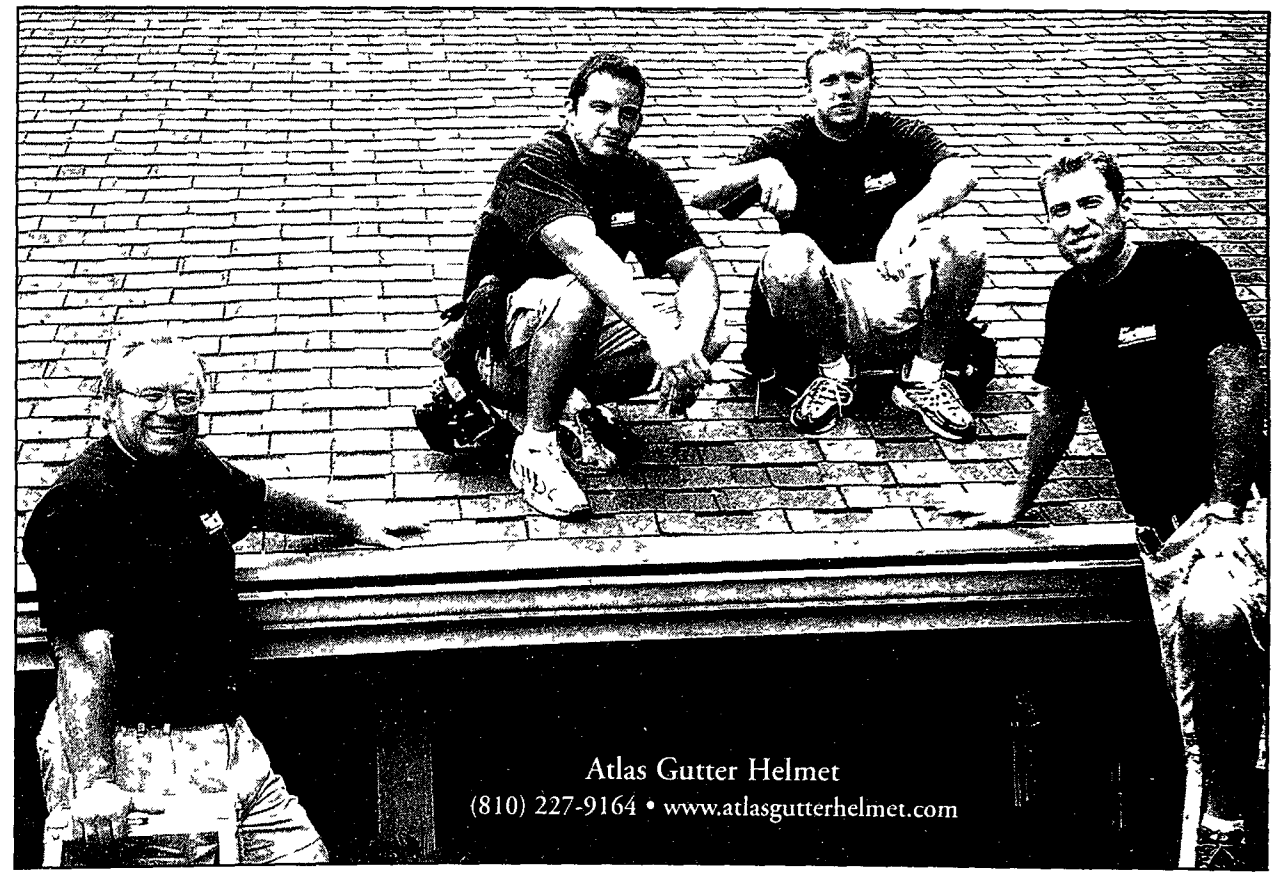


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Father/son duo serving special niche with start of Atlas Gutter Helmet



Owners David Bobby (above, left) and Darian Bobby (right) with installation crew members Dave Calvin and Nicholas Voltz take pride in a job well done.

Well-known home-improvement businessmen in our area, Darian and David Bobby have established solid reputations as The House Doctor, The Deck Doctor and The Window Doctor, serving customers since 1991

Now, they have started a new business called Atlas Gutter Helmet, serving a special-niche business in our community for Gutter Protection Systems.

"You know, a lot of people wish they had done a better job of cleaning their gutters and downspouts in the fall of last year," says David Bobby of Atlas Gutter Helmet "Many homeowners sustained damage to their gutter systems, roofs and home interiors in the unusually severe 2000 winter"

"It doesn't take much to plug up a downspout," adds Darian Bobby, co-owner with his father of Atlas Gutter Helmet and president of The Window Doctor, a professional window cleaning company "A few leaves and twigs, and before you know it, a gutter can fill up with frozen water As snow and water fill up the eavestroughs, the freezing water can back up onto the roof creating an ice dam.

"With repeated freeze-thaw cycles, some of the shingles can curl up, allowing water to work its way under the shingles, dripping down through the tar paper and into the attic. Once the insulation becomes wet, R-value (a measure of resistance to heat transfer) is reduced The compromised insulation material generally has to be replaced

Many homes, with shingles installed before building codes mandated the use of ice and water guard membranes, sustained water damage to their interior walls and ceilings The water ruins insulation and drywall, delaminates plywood and can create breeding grounds for harmful micro organisms.

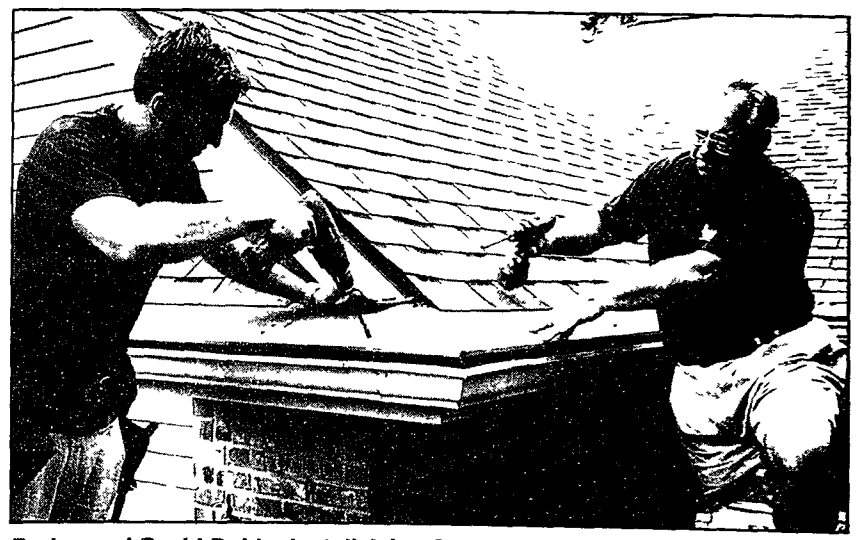
Atlas Gutter Helmet specializes in the installation of Gutter Helmet Gutter Helmet is a unique, multi-patented home improvement product that installs over your existing gutter system. It permanently prevents leaves, pine needles and other debris from accumulating in the gutters. That means that your gutter will stay clean and free-flowing forever Guaranteed The revolutionary design will handle twice the heaviest rainfall on record, at nearly 22 inches of rain per hour

Gutter Helmet is the original and pioneered the professionally installed Gutter Protection Industry almost 20 years ago, long before any other product was introduced. Only Gutter Helmet is known as The First, The Best, The No. 1 Gutter Protection System in the World!

"The problem is that most people hate to clean their gutters It's a dirty, dangerous, nasty job, at best," says David Bobby a licensed builder "In addition, the average homeowner doesn't have the proper ladders and equipment to do the job properly and safely So they either ignore the situation, which will cause bigger problems down the road, or they try, usually without success, to find someone capable of cleaning the gutters for them, two or three times a year, who is properly insured and licensed."

"It just makes sense to make an investment in the Gutter Helmet," says Darian Bobby "It's the best product on the market, with the best warranty in the industry. We come out and clean your gutters and downspouts thoroughly, check and repitch your gutters, if needed. We also caulk all inside, outside corners and end caps, whether they need it or not, and then install the Gutter Helmet. Why ever clean your gutters again?"

"You don't have to put yourself or a member of your family in danger, going on the roof or up a ladder to clean the gutters," stresses David Bobby. "And you don't have to worry any more about the liability involved with having somebody else clean the gutters for you The performance and materials of your Gutter Helmet Gutter Protection System are guaranteed."



Darian and David Bobby install Atlas Gutter Helmet.

"Gutter Helmet has no vertical openings and boasts a specially-designed "nose-forward" profile that pulls the rainwater down, around and over the nose and into the gutter." Darian, who has a degree in mechanical engineering, adds: "It's the simple principles of surface tension, and molecular adhesion that permits the water to behave like that. The same principle is involved when you hold a glass on its side under your kitchen faucet Notice how the water clings to the rounded sides of the glass and falls off at the bottom. Gutter Helmet works the same way. Rain goes in, leaves and other debris stay out!"

"We are very excited to be the authorized dealers for both Washtenaw and Livingston counties," says the father/son team. "We are seeing a tremendous response to this product. The challenge for us is that the product is unknown to many people. Homeowners don't know it exists. They think that the best products available to them are the plastic and aluminum mesh strips and downspout strainers at the home centers. We know from personal experience that these products will fail and end up adding to the problem of keeping your gutters clean and free-flowing.

"If you would like a free estimate and demonstration on the Gutter Helmet Protection System or would like to receive a complimentary brochure, call (810) 227-9164. You are encouraged to visit Atlas Gutter Helmet's Web site: www.atlasgutterhelmet.com to see some references and pictures of completed installations in the area.

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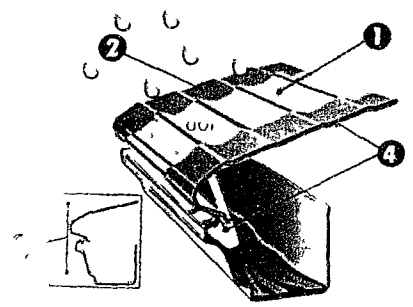


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As a full-service Aveda Concept Salon, Salon Agapé designers provide hair, skin and nail services using only Aveda products. The complete Aveda products line is available for you to purchase and use at home.

Team-based is the term used to describe the culture at Salon Agapé. During your visit you are the guest of the whole team, not just the person providing your scheduled service.

Your appointment begins with an Aveda Sensory Experience, a stress-relieving head massage with your shampoo and a hand massage, or for gentlemen, an aromatic hot-towel face treatment.

Salon Agapé also offers an Aveda Finishing Touch make up application at the end of your visit. A retail advisor is available to answer questions and offer education about the Aveda product line. She can also help you find solutions to any challenges you might be having with your hair or skin.

Guests feel confident in the expertise of their Salon Agapé designer. The team is constantly updating their skills during by-weekly classes held at the salon and all designers are required to take part in a minimum of two professional classes outside of the salon each year.



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Prices range according to the level of designer you are seeing. Designers range from level one to Aveda Color Specialist. The levels indicate the education and expertise of each designer. Level-one designers must mentor under an advanced designer for at least six months before they can begin accepting clients of their own. Level-four designers have an average of 10 years experience, and Aveda Color Specialists have completed advanced studies with top Aveda educators.

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Salon Agapé is a member of the Novi Chamber of Commerce and TSA, The Salon Association. It likes to show pride for the community by sponsoring events such as the Music and Motor Fest, Main Street Classic Car Wednesdays, the Novi High School senior all night Party and the Village Oaks Elementary spring fling fair.

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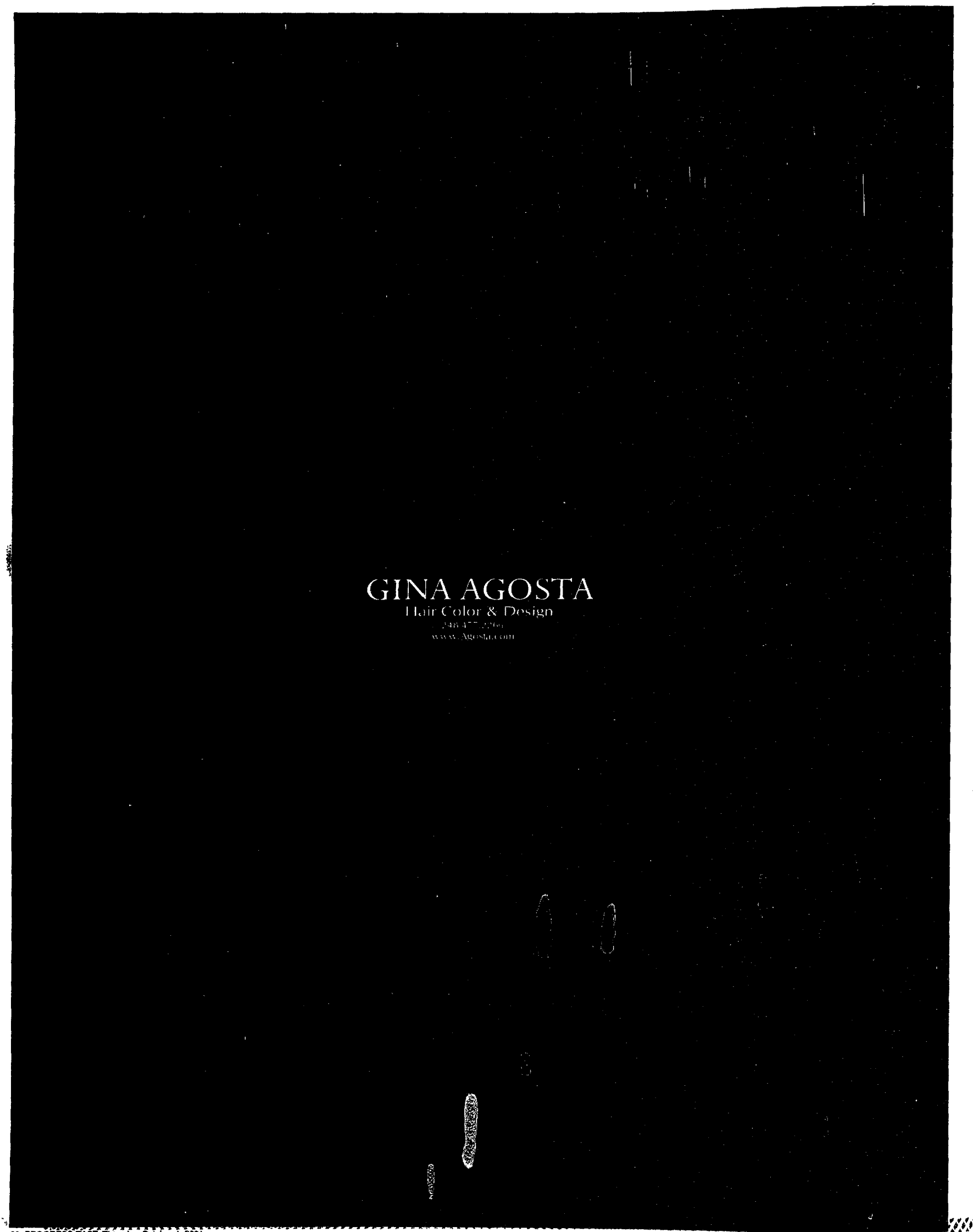
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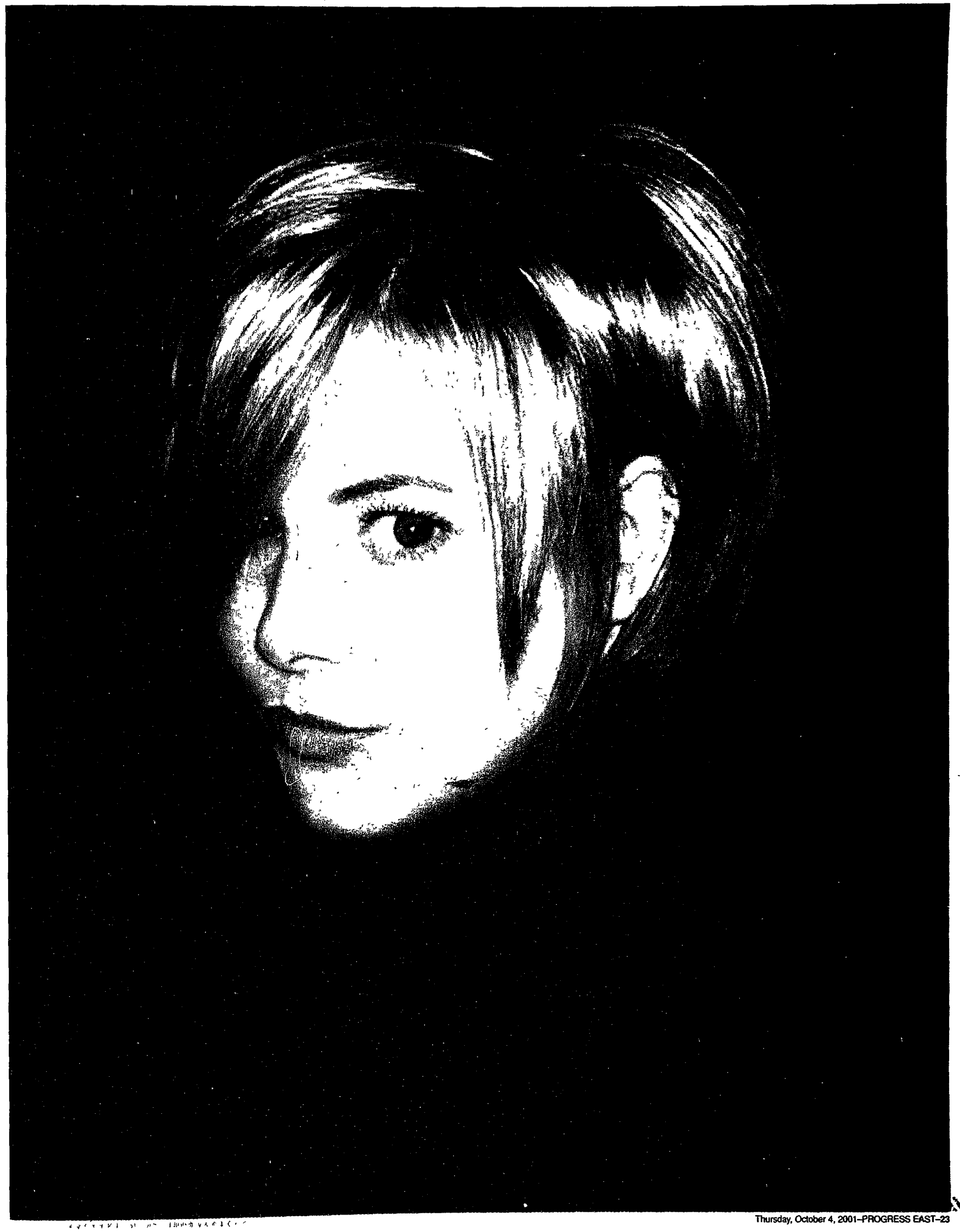
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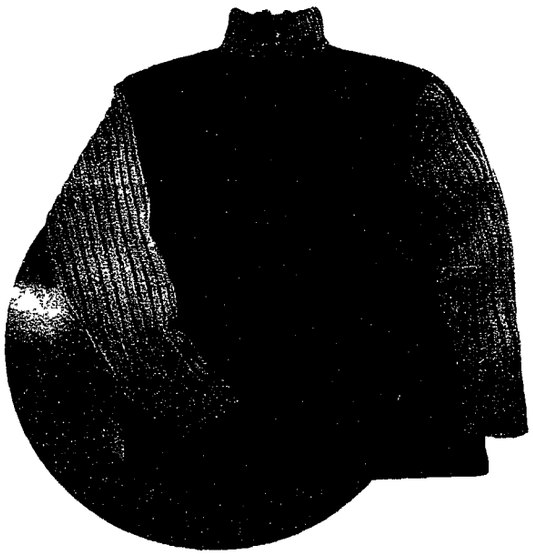


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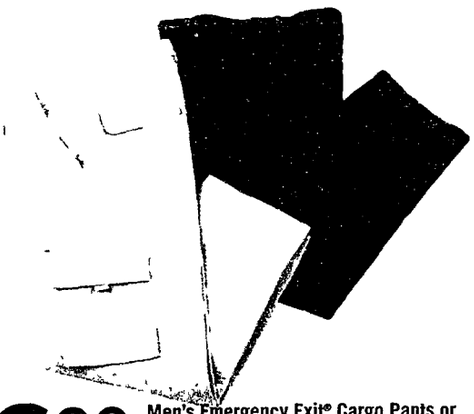
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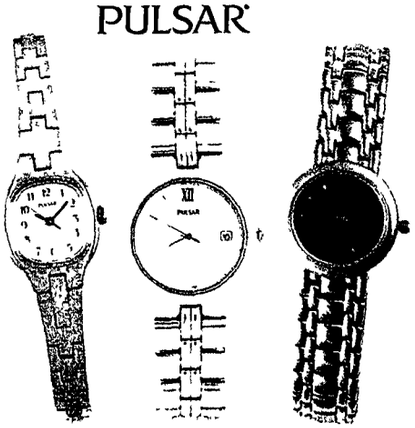


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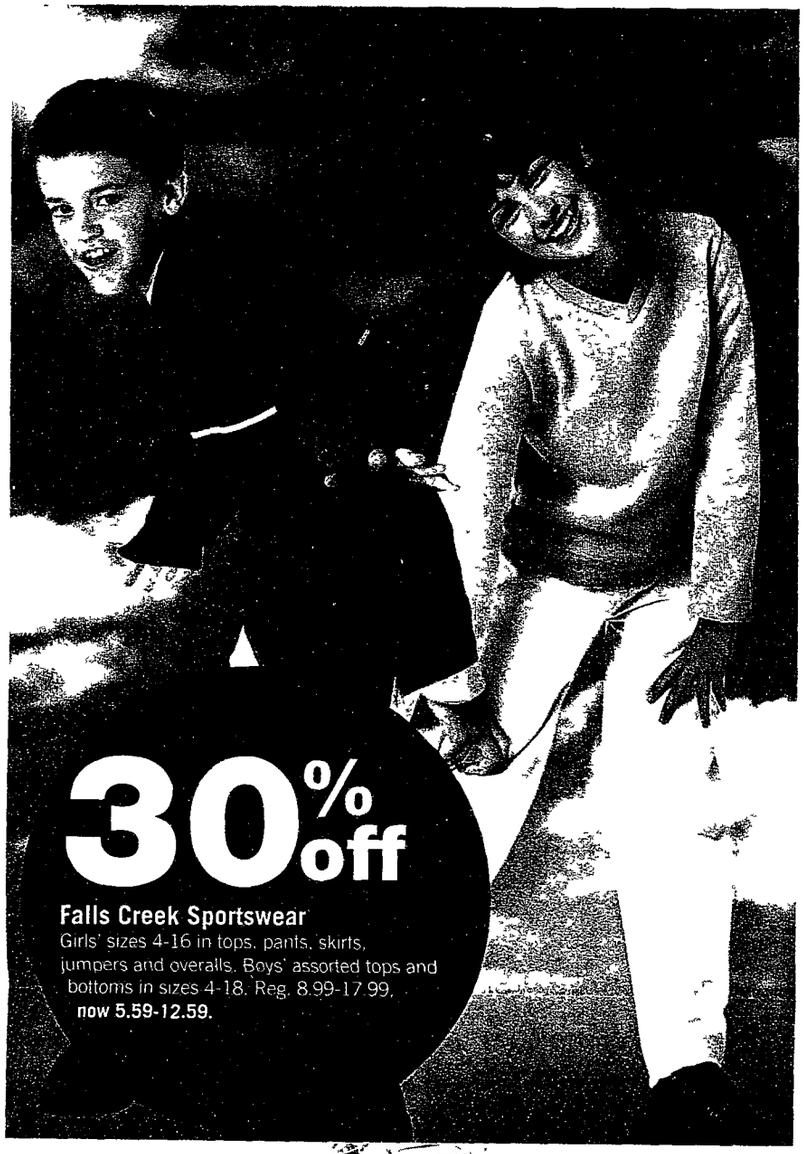


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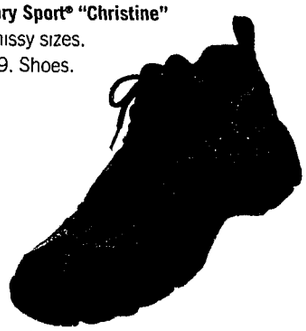
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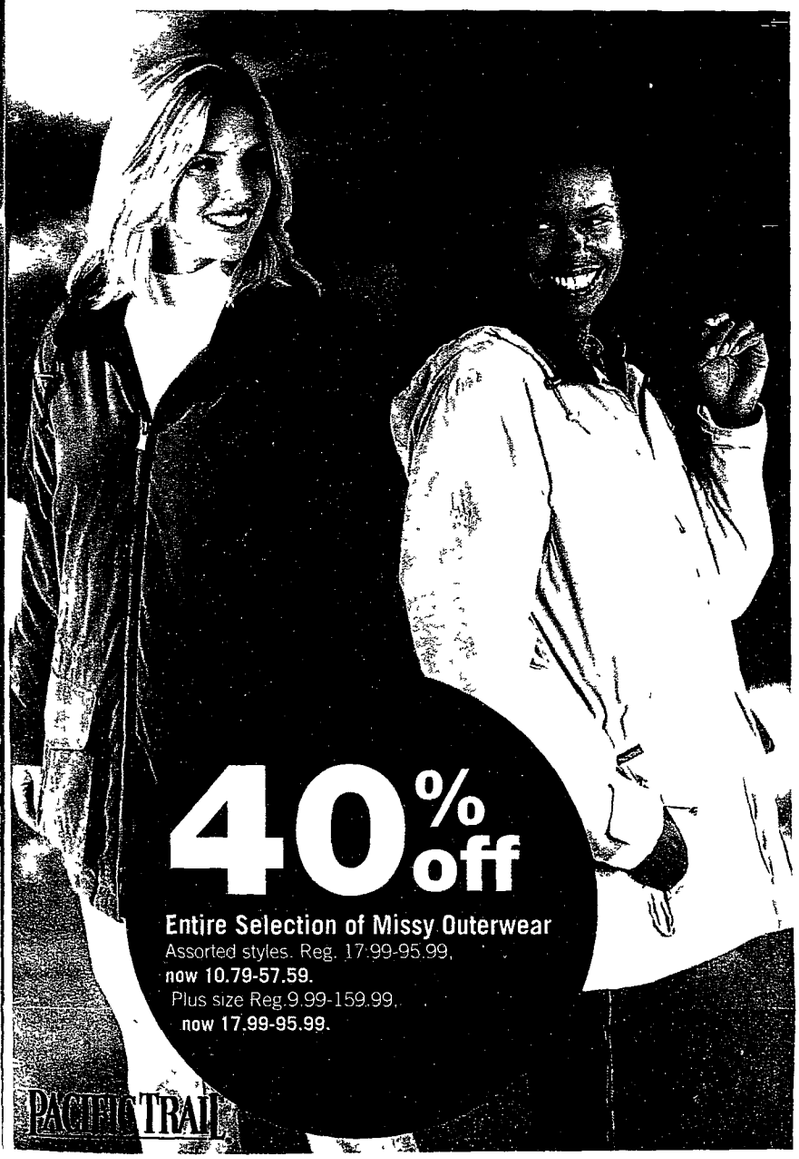
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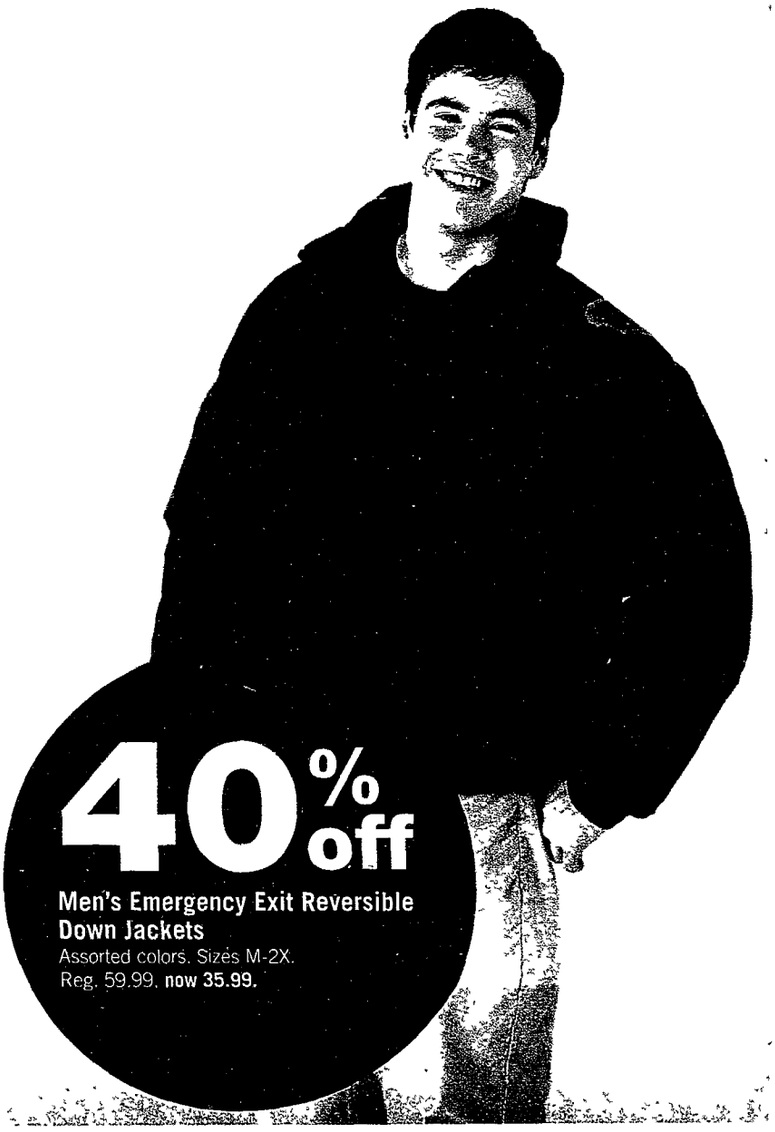
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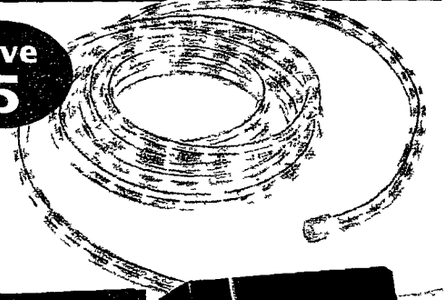


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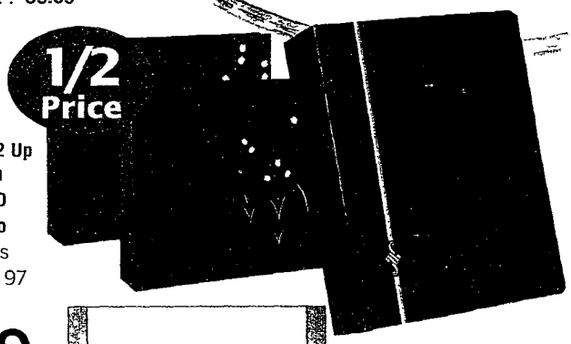
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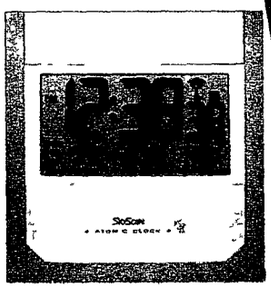
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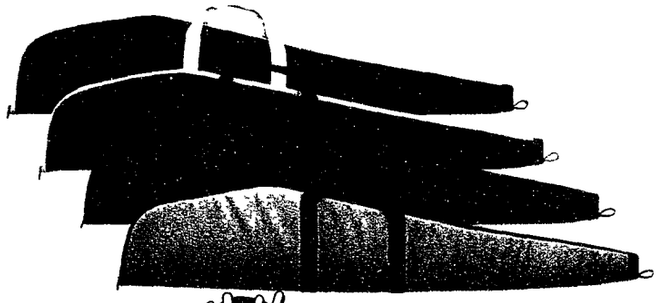
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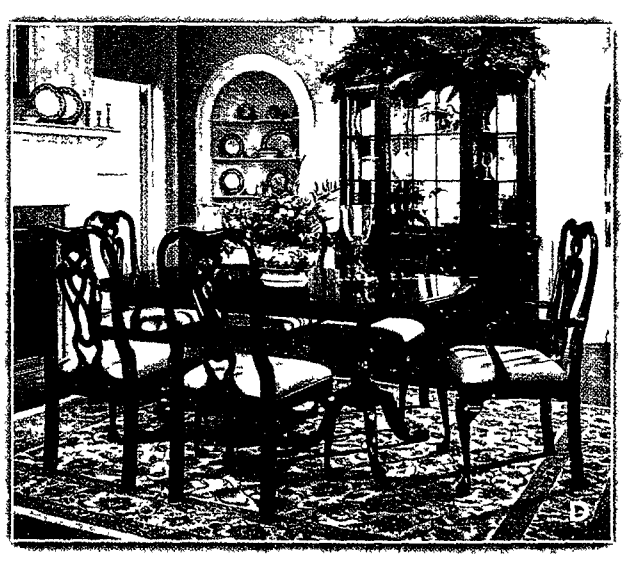
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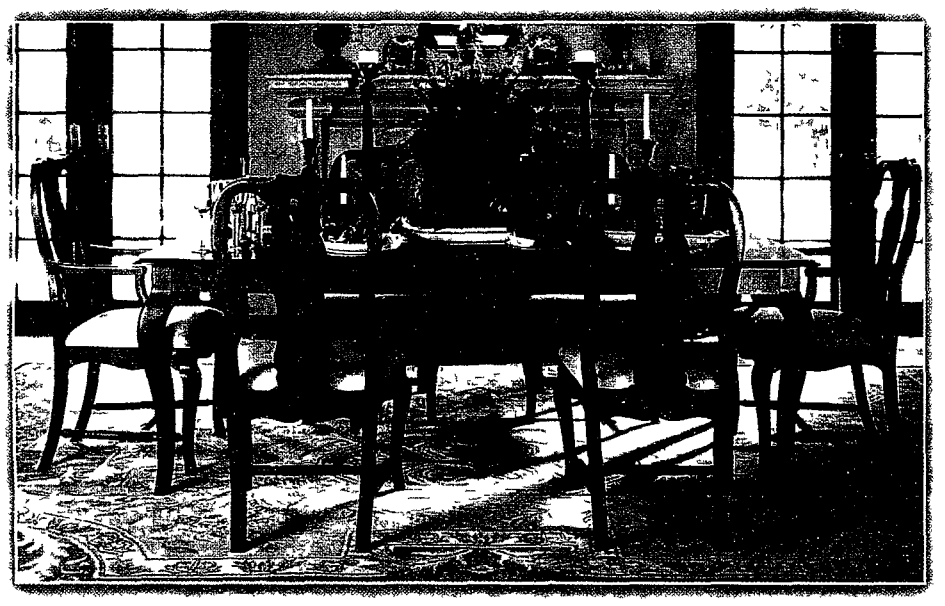
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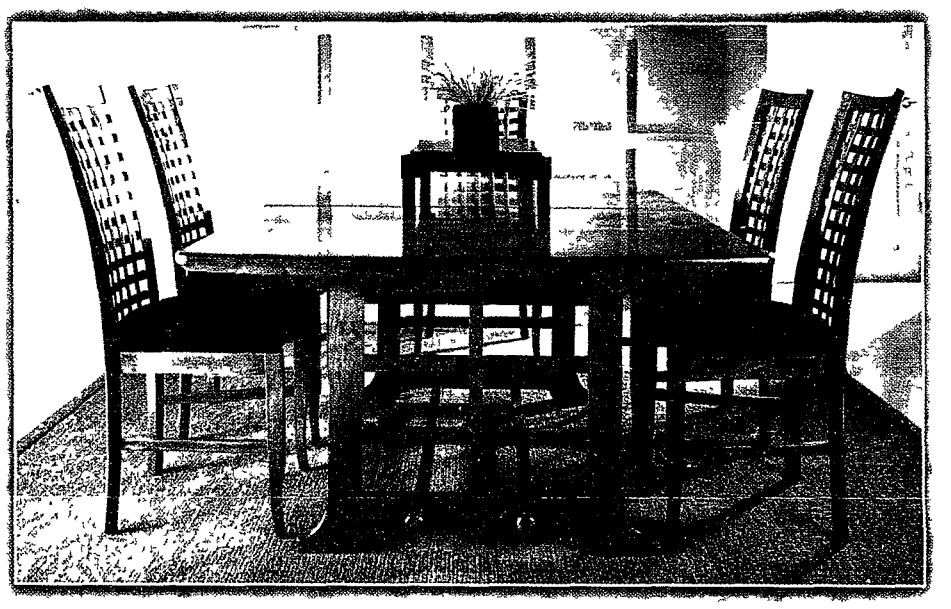
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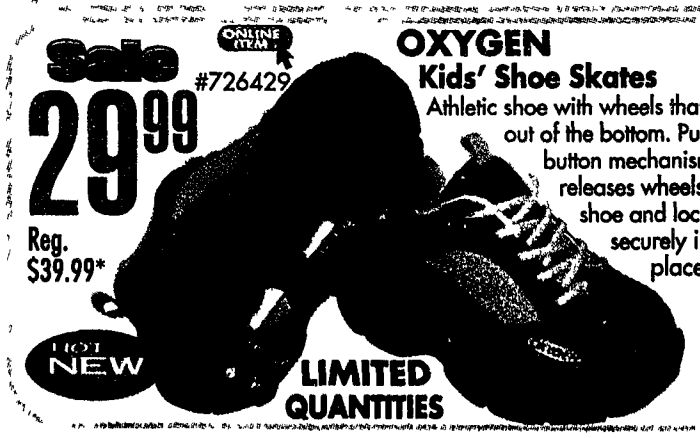
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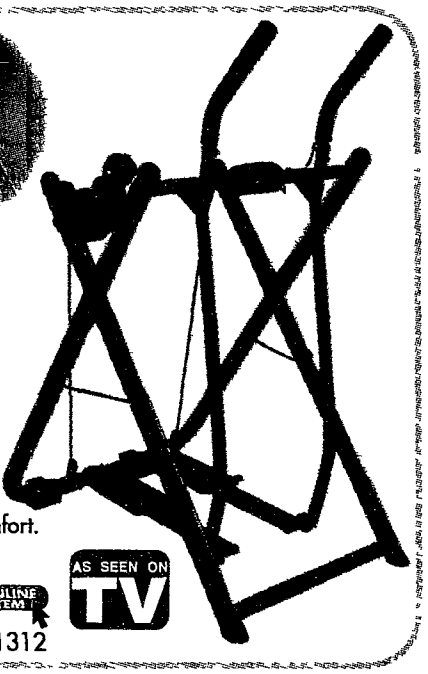
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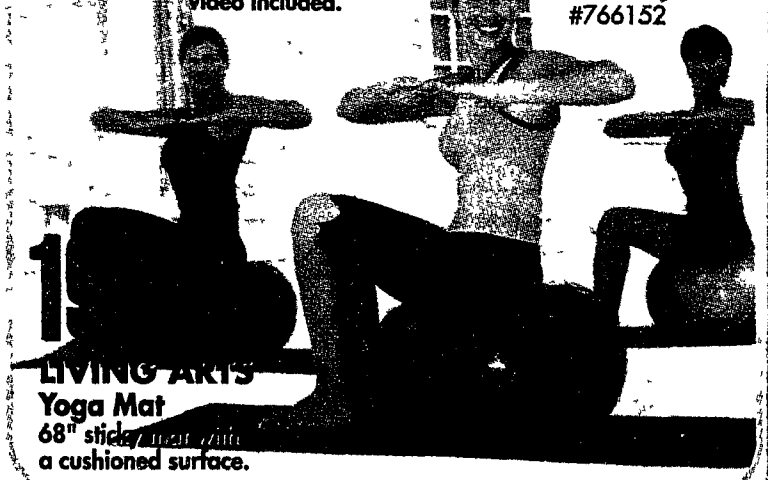
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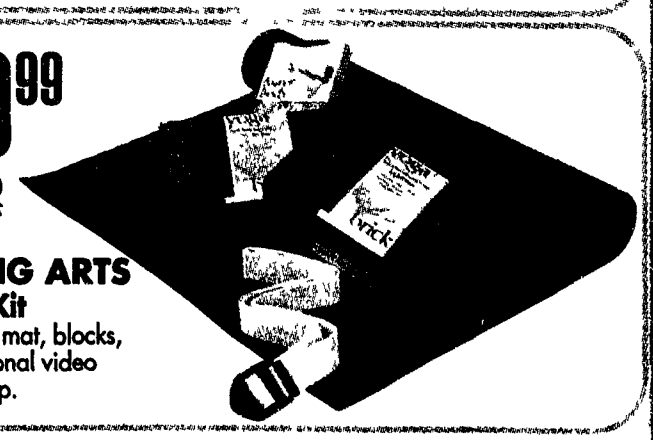
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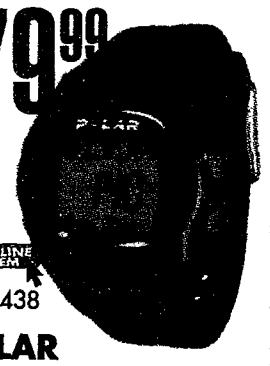
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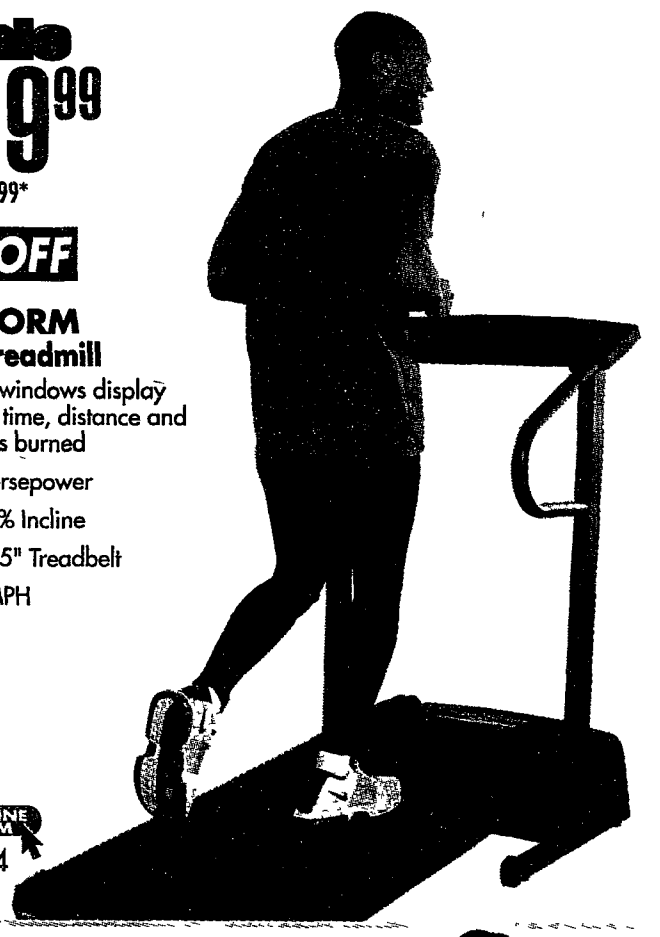
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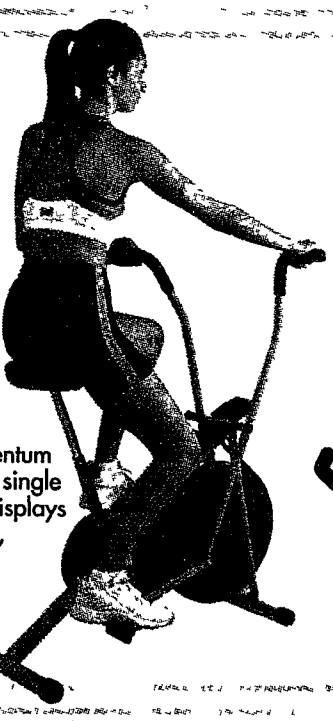
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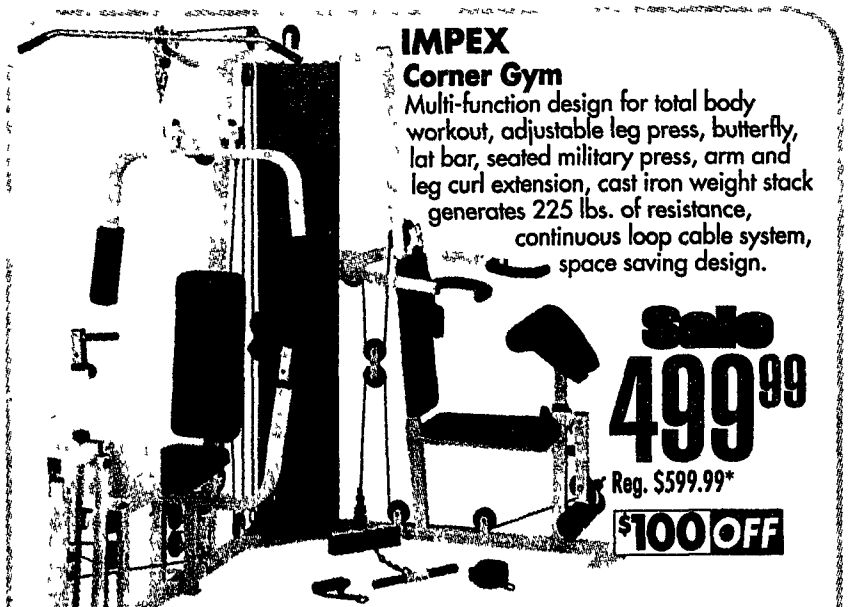
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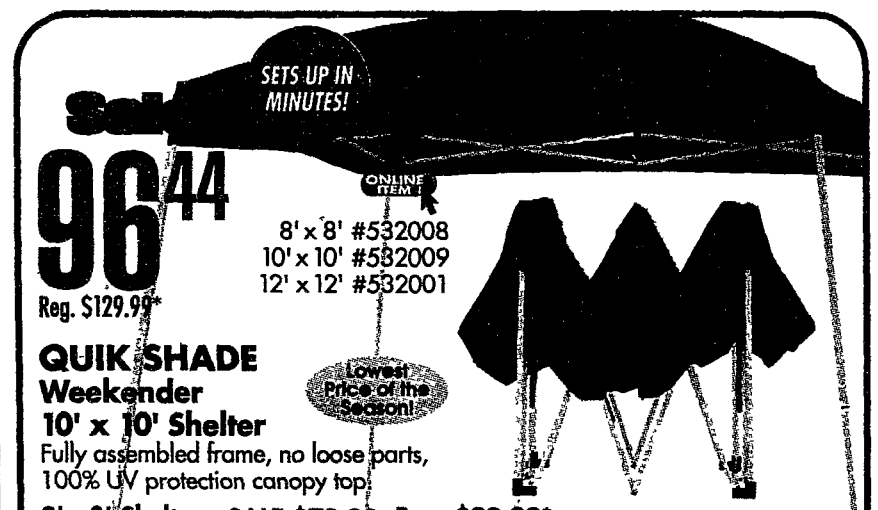
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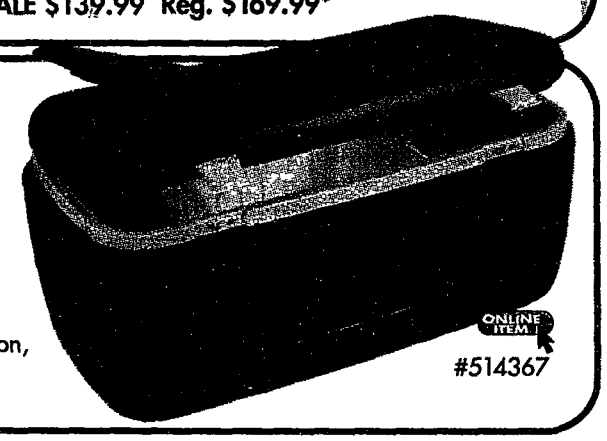
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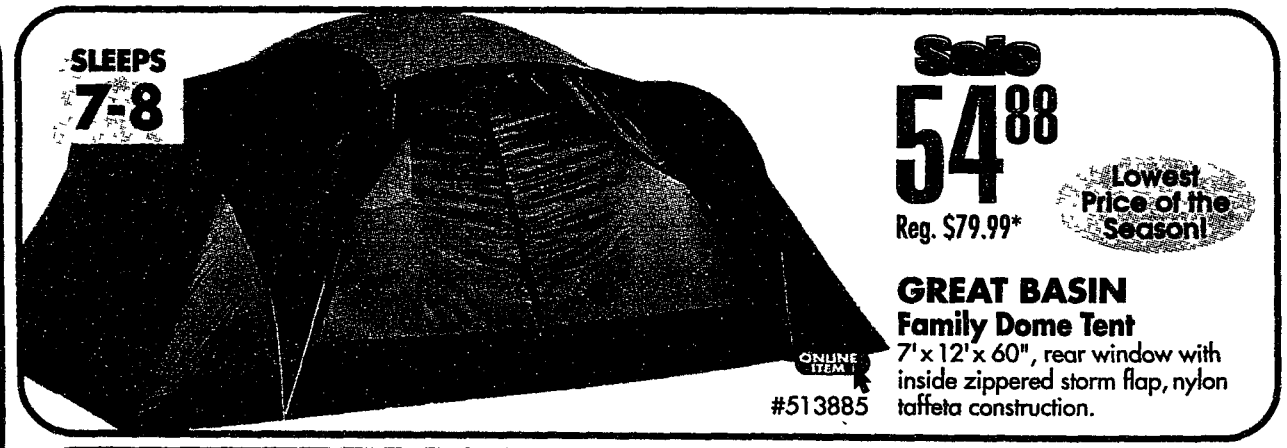
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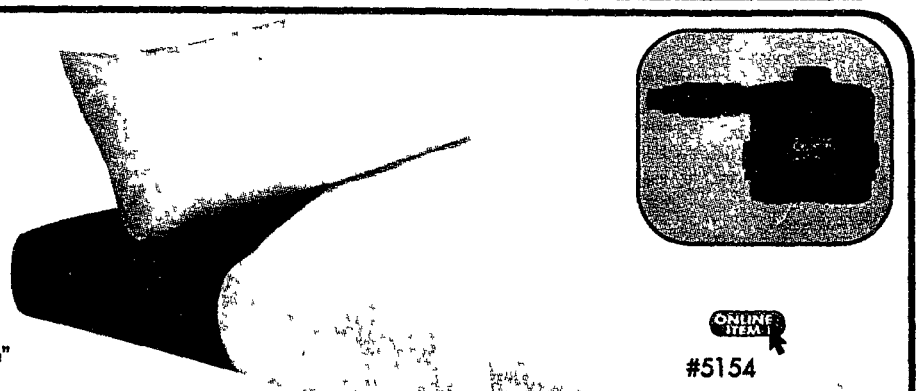
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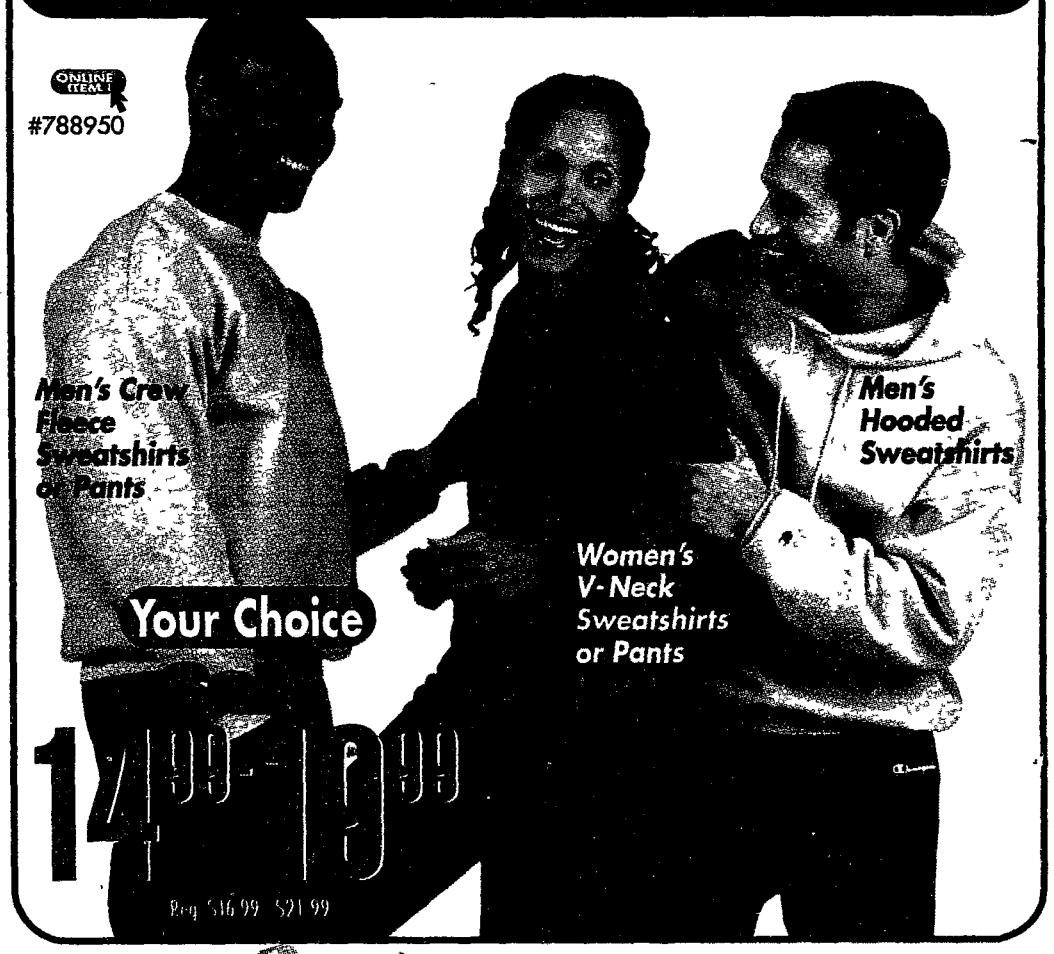
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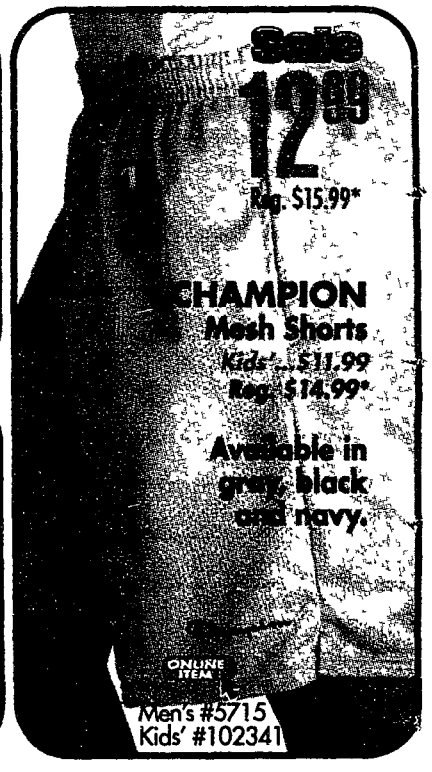
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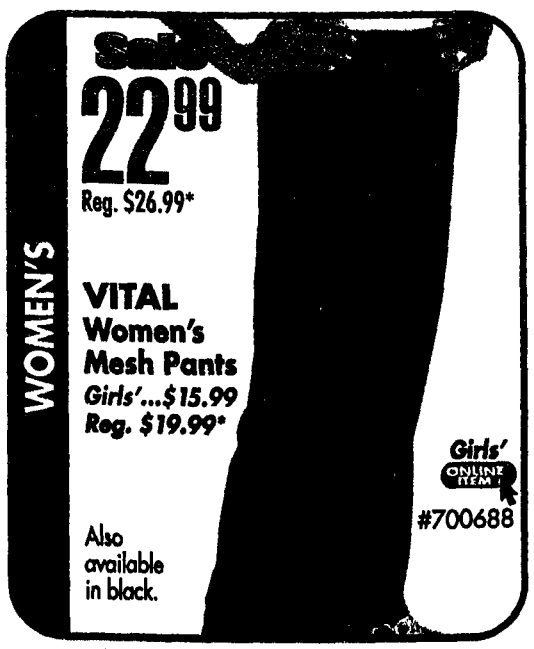
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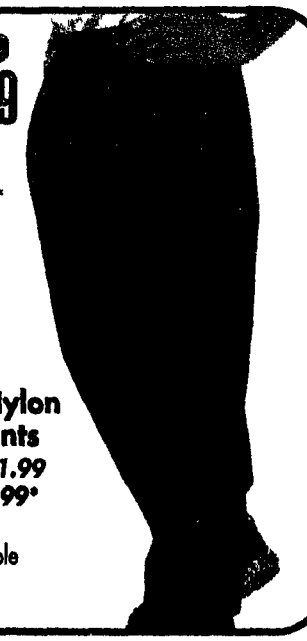
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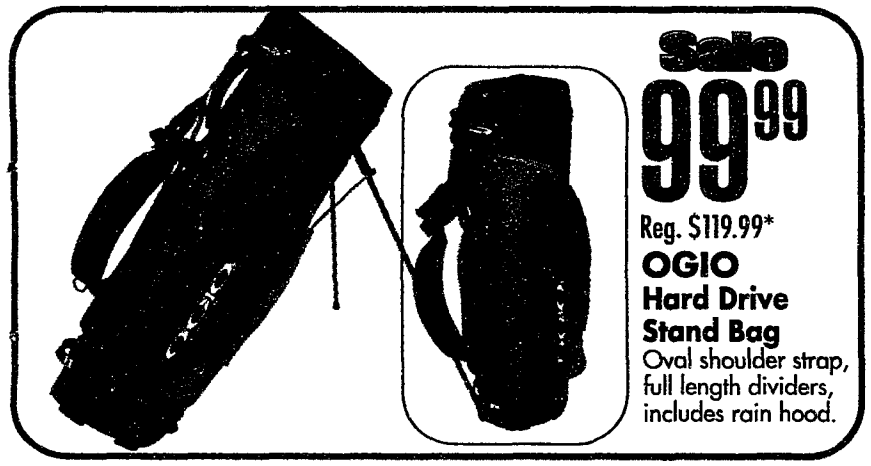


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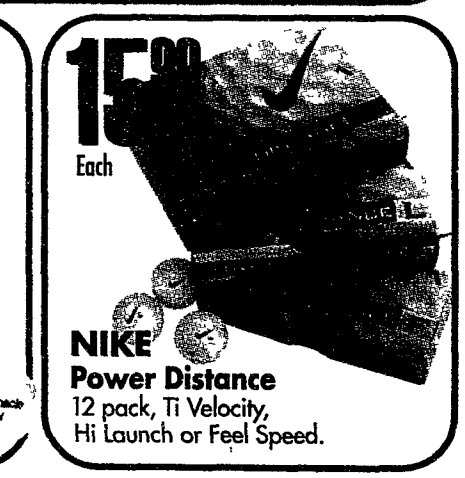


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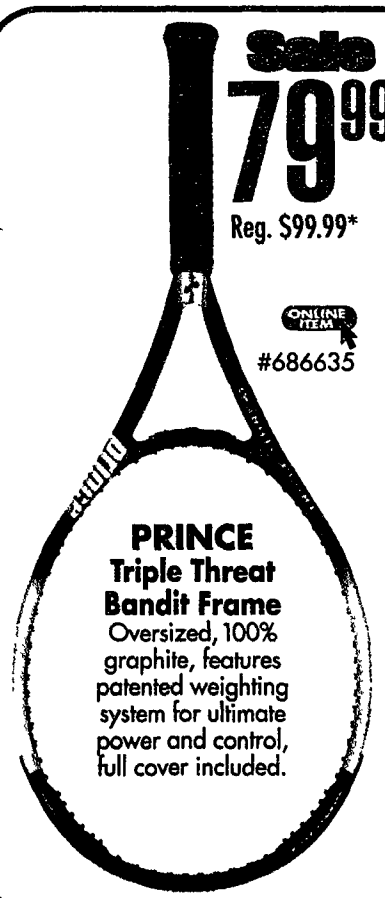
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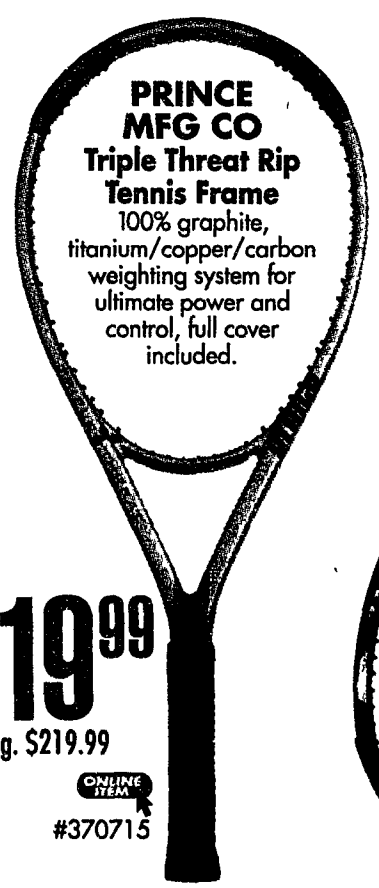


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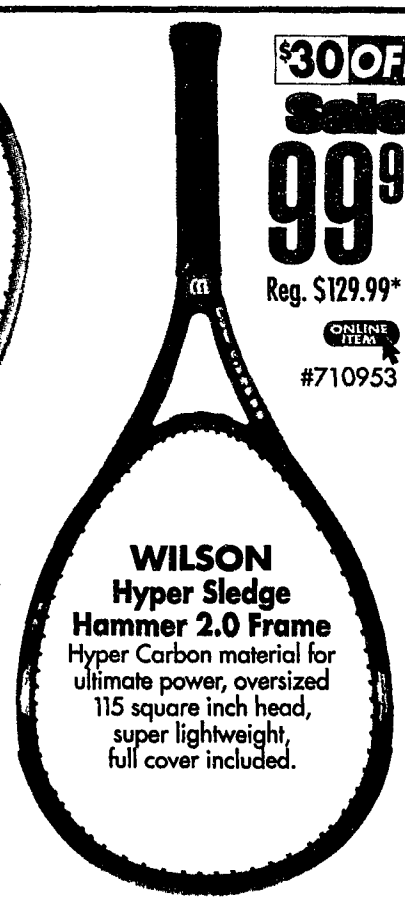


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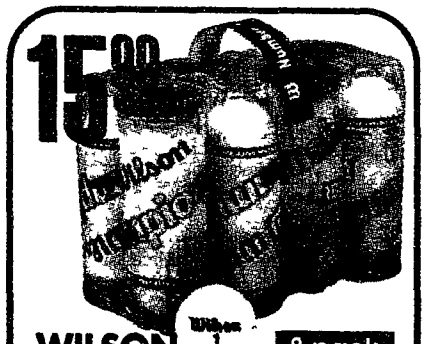


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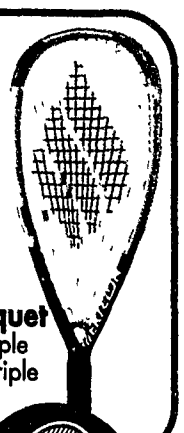


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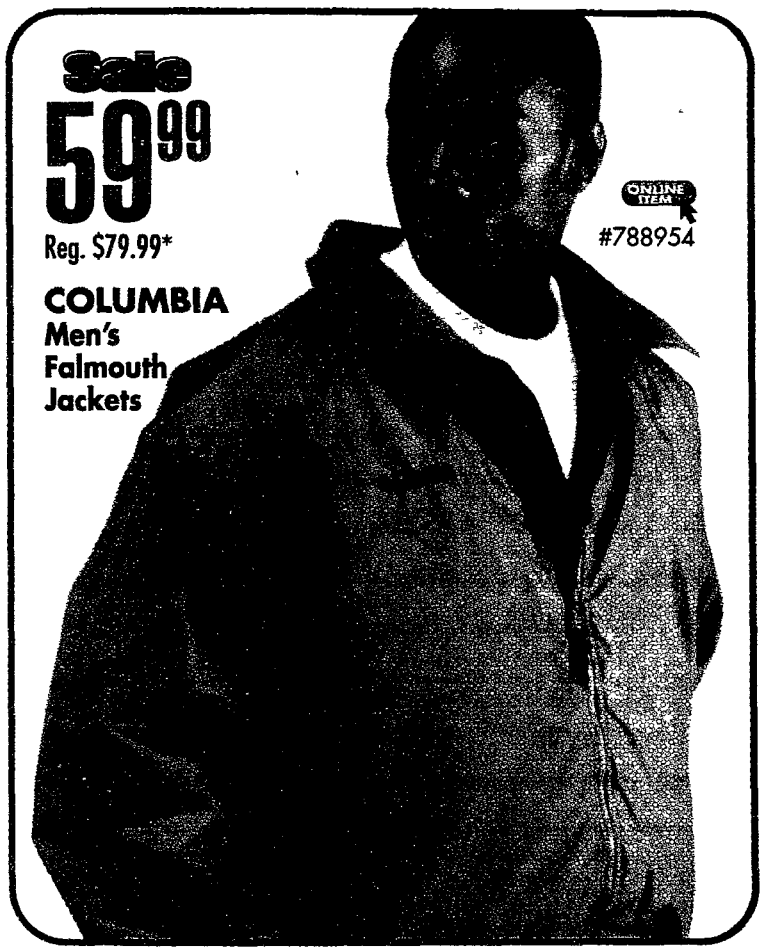
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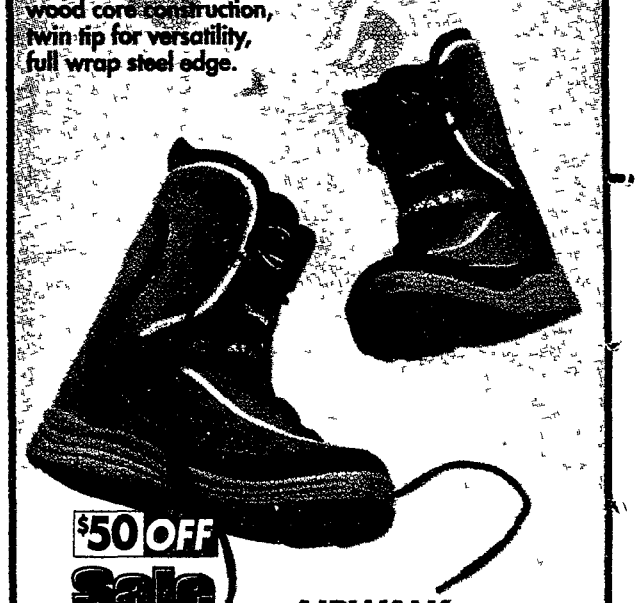
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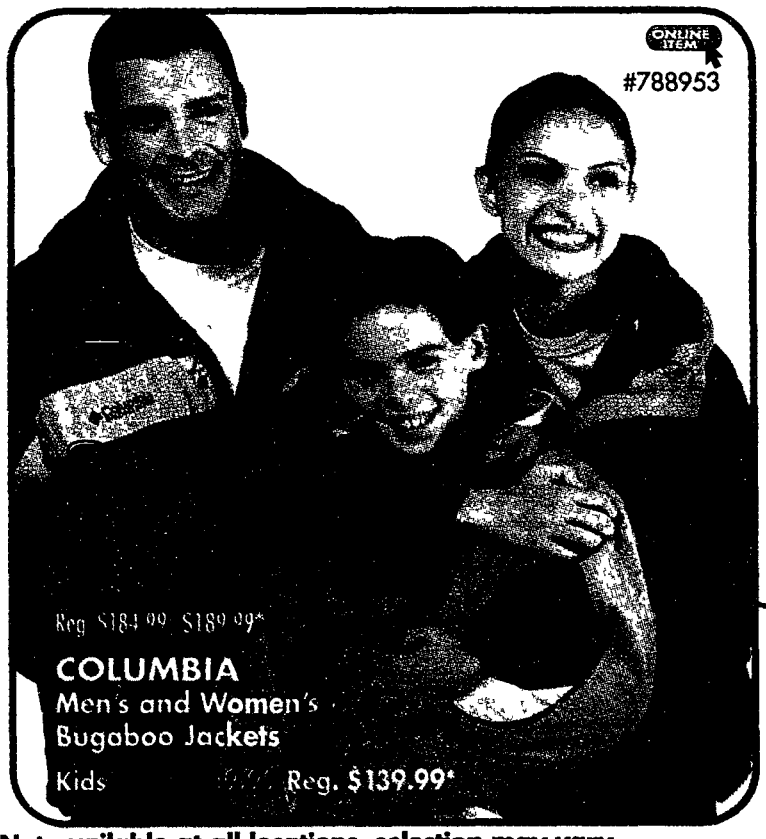
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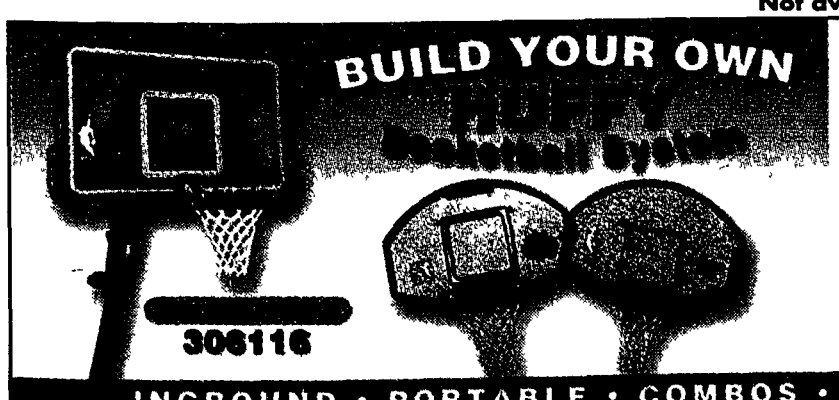
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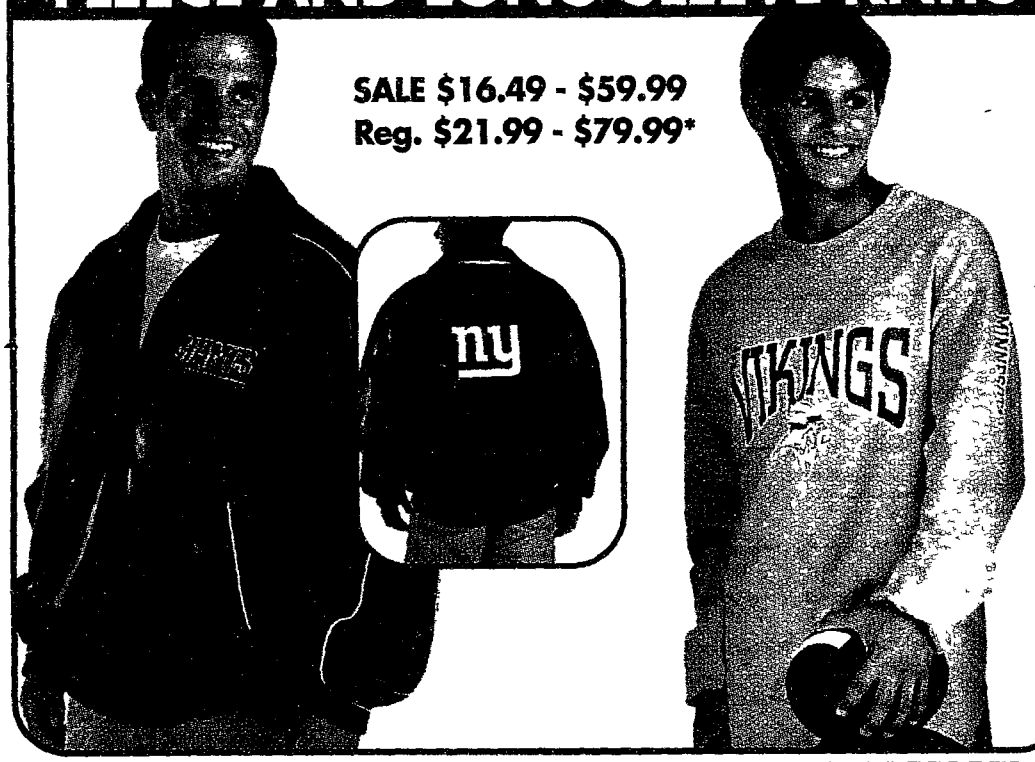
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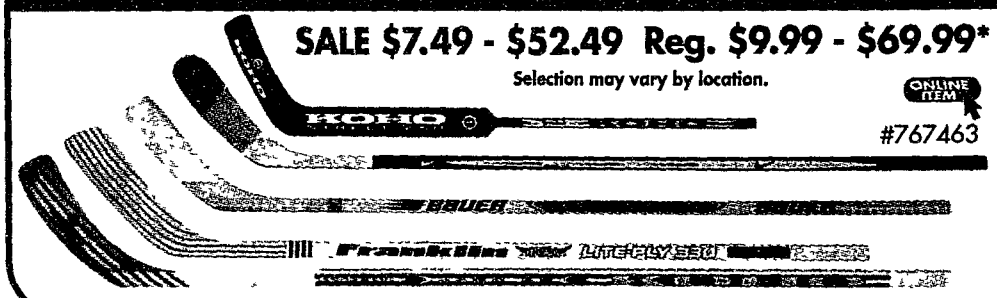
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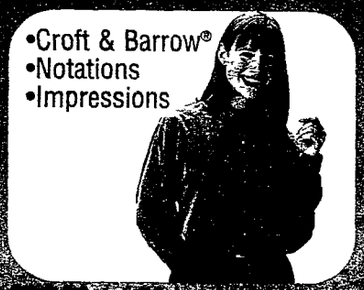
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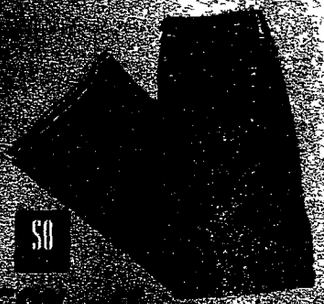




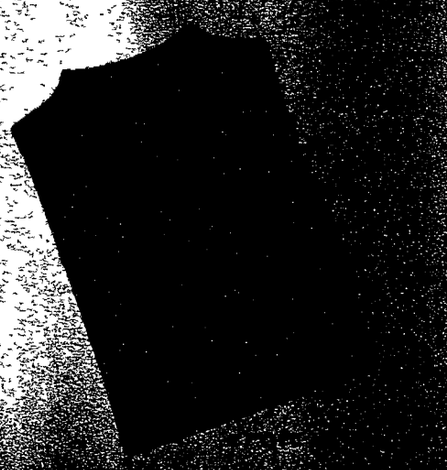


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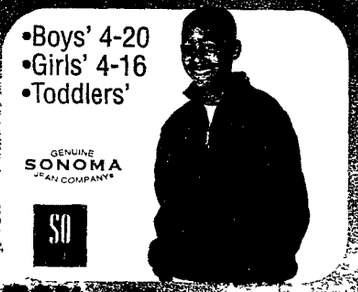












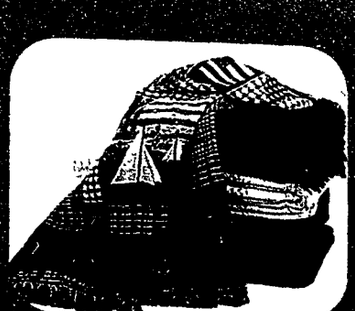


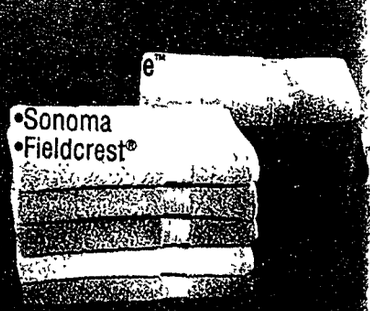


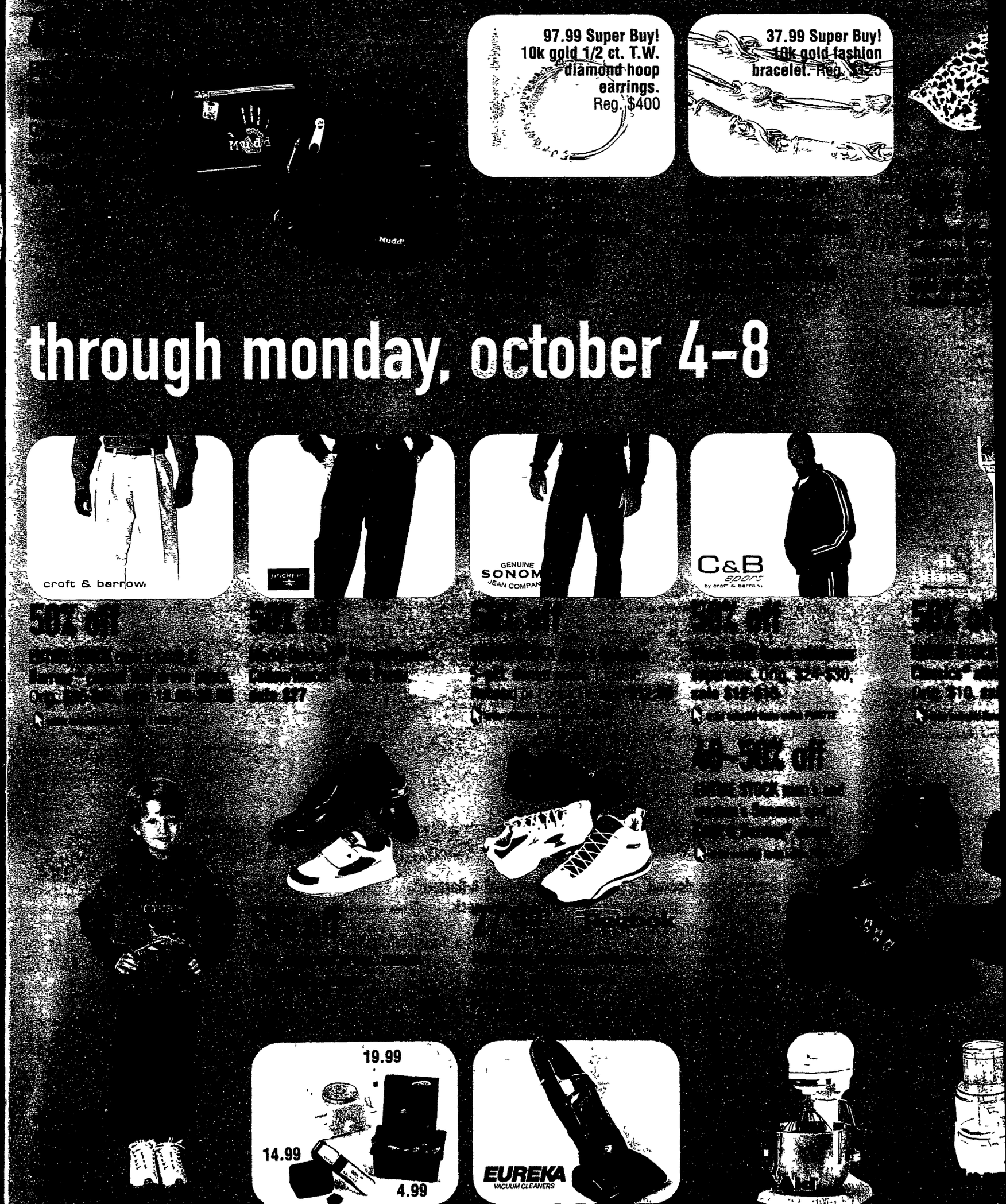











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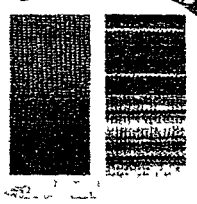
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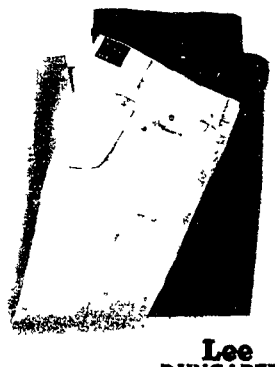
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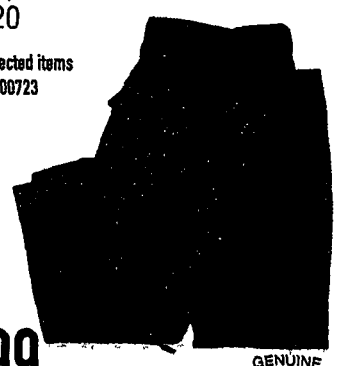
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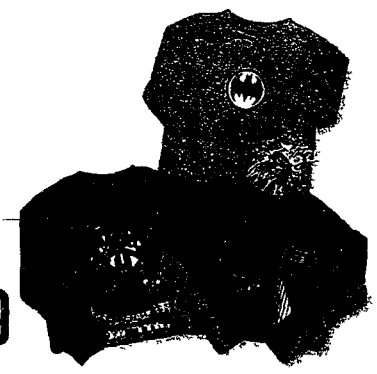


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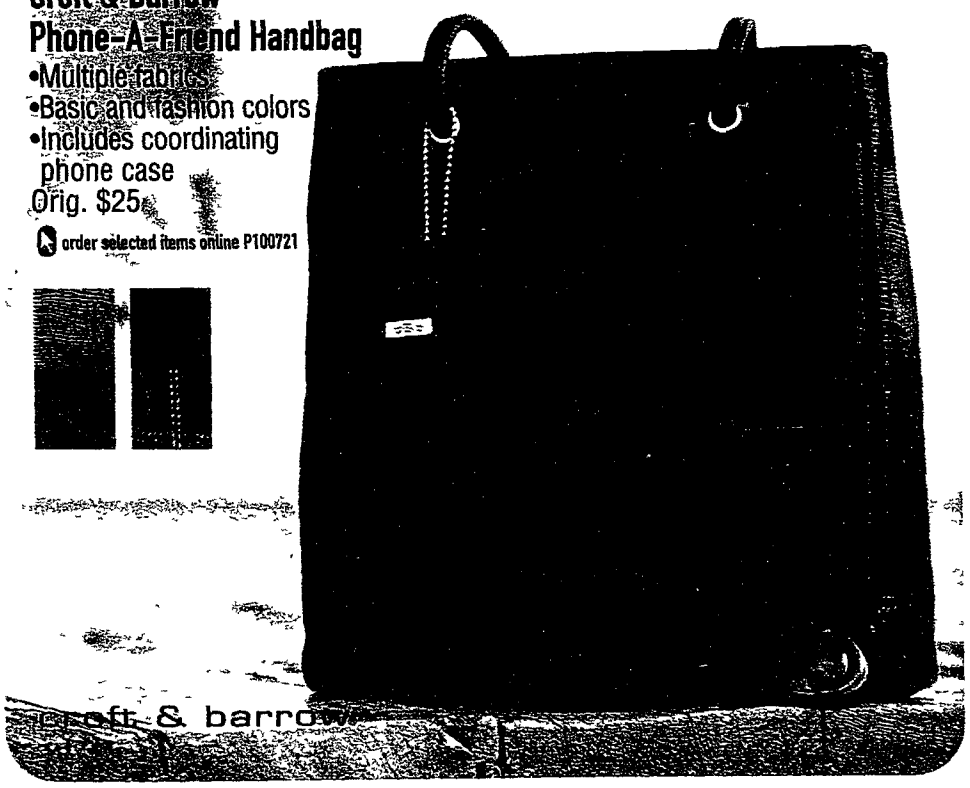
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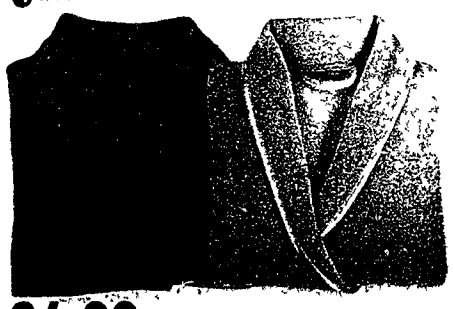
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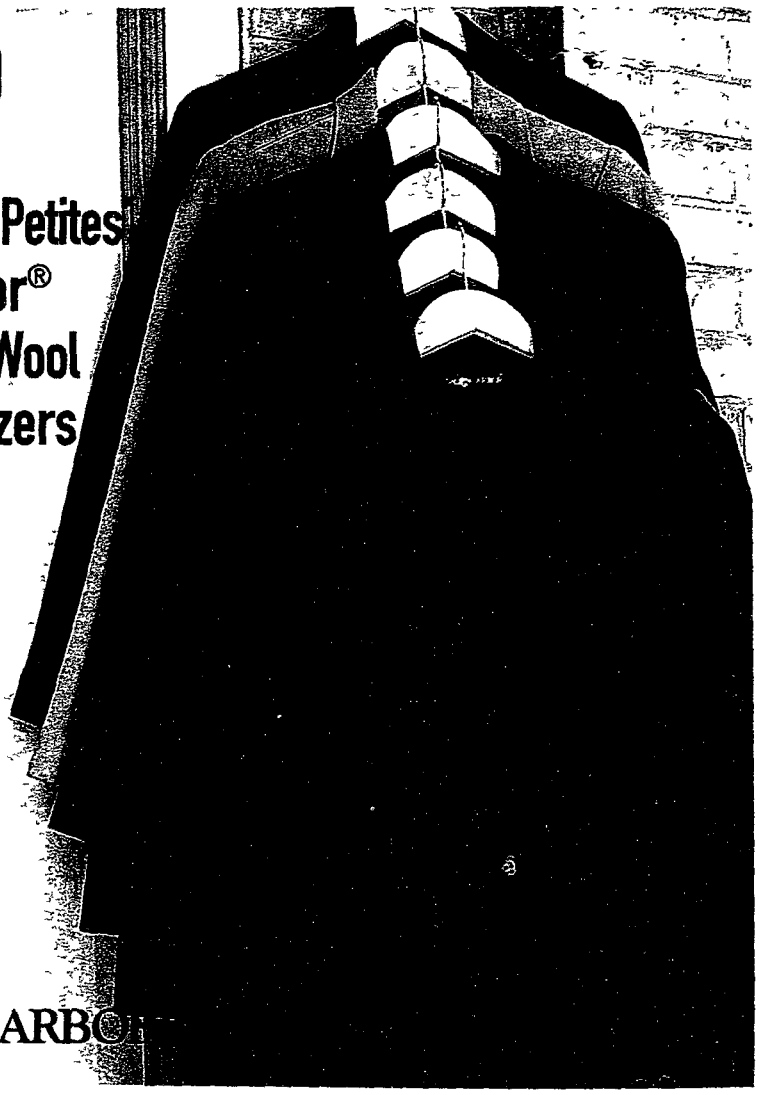
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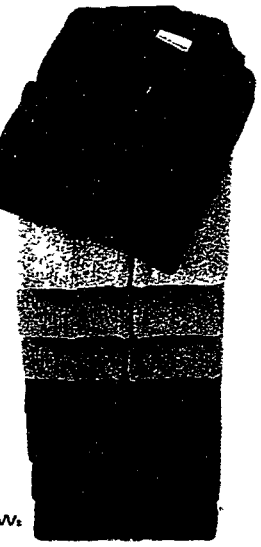
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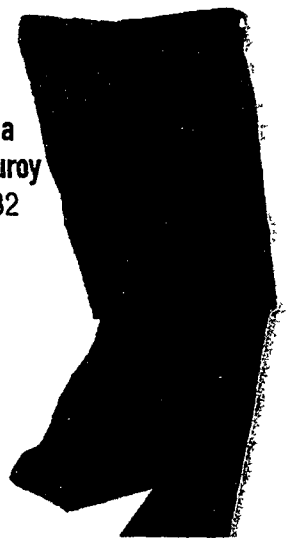


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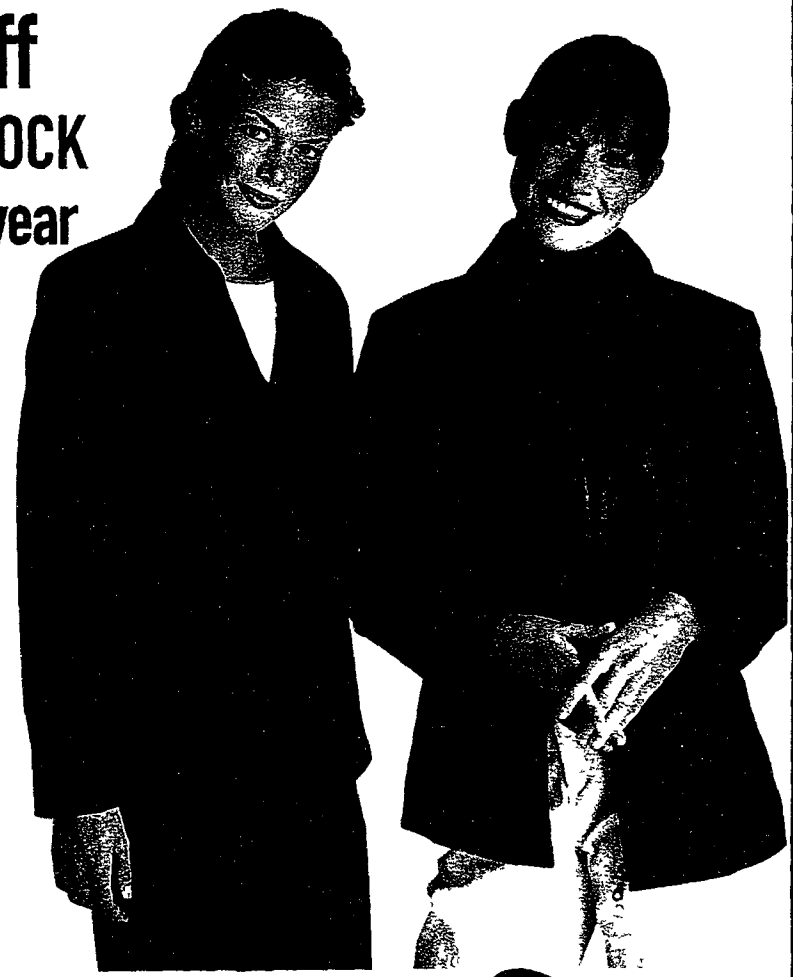
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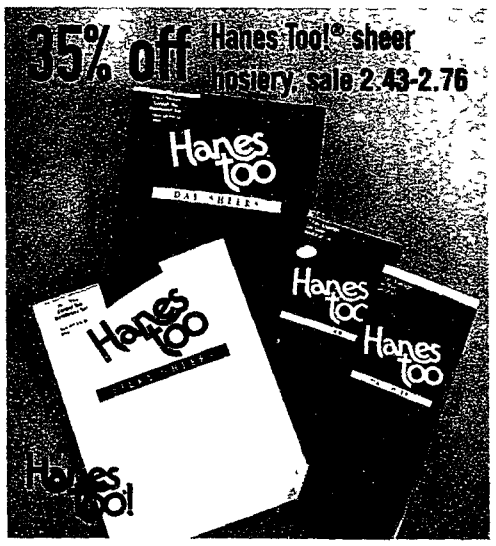
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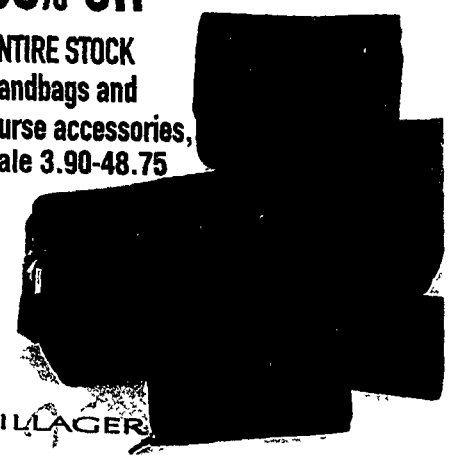
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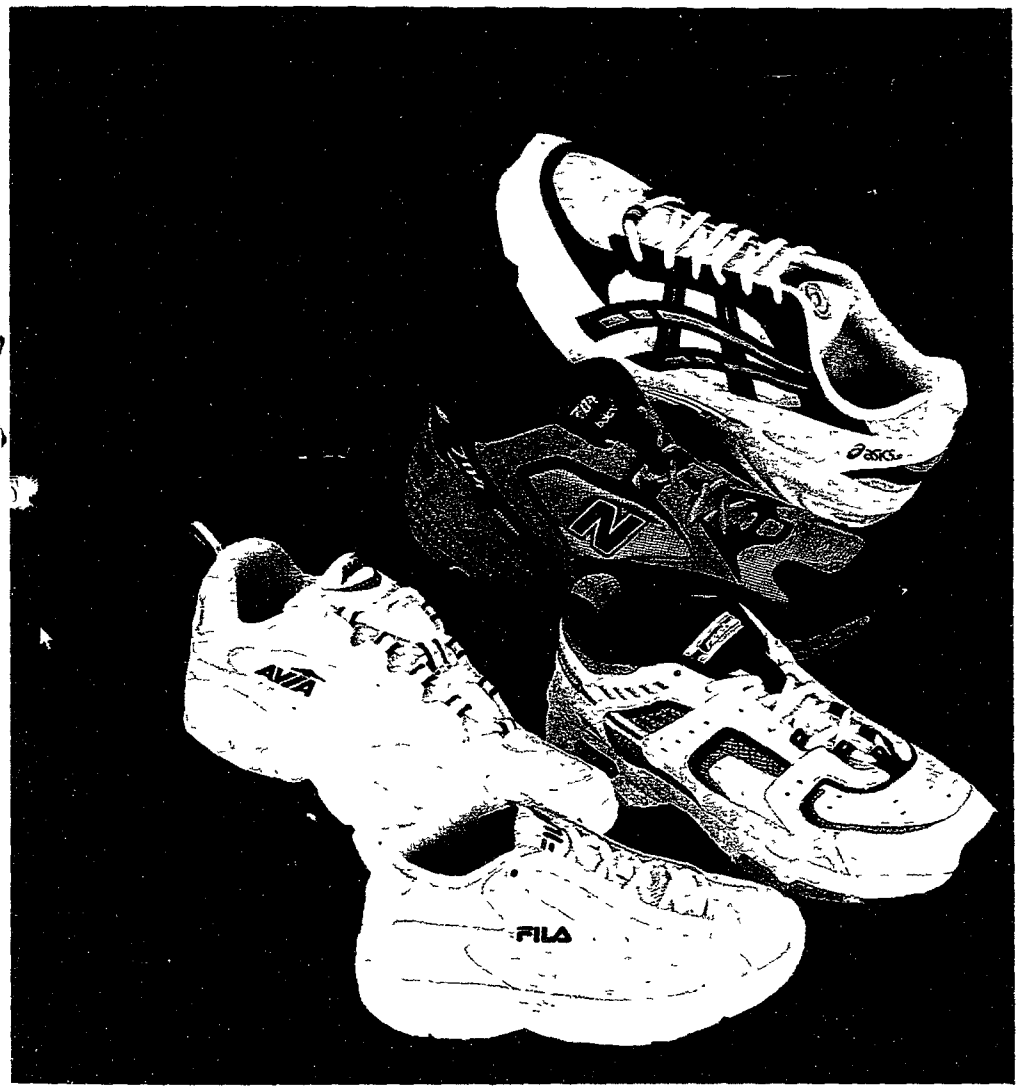


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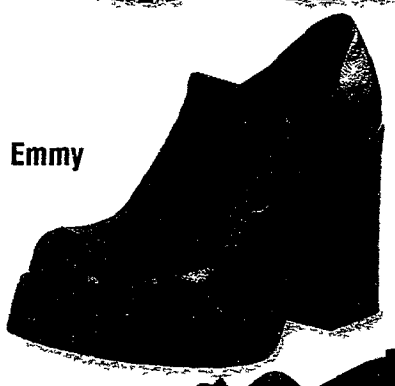
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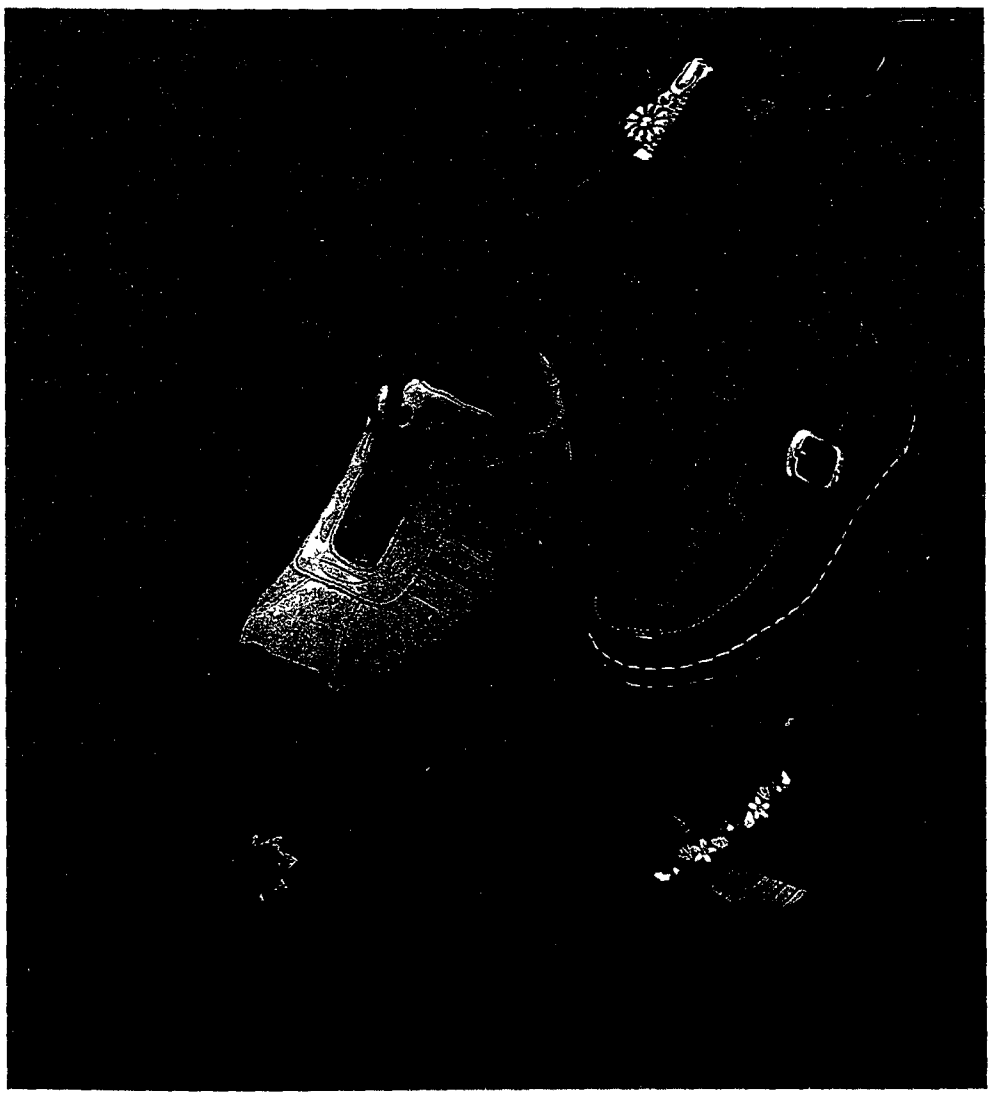
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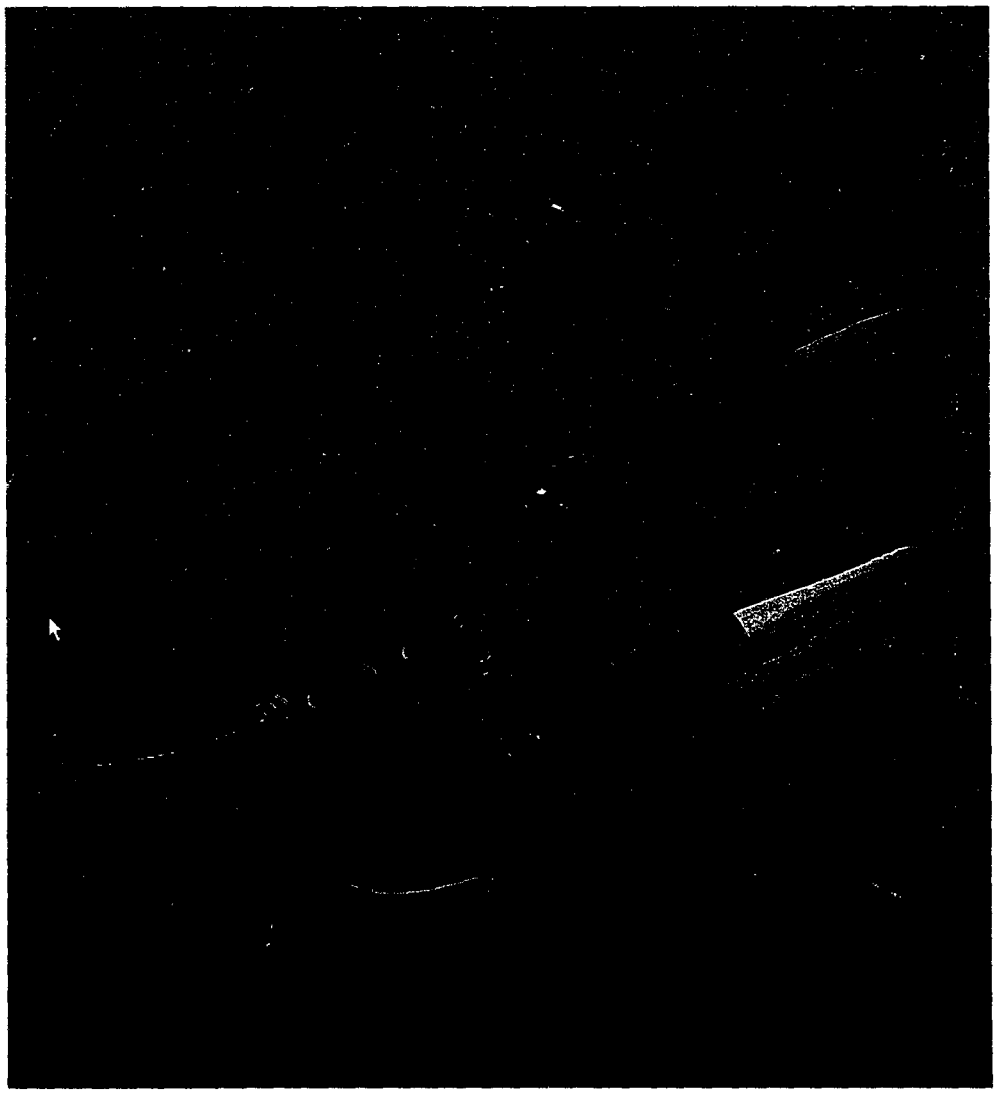
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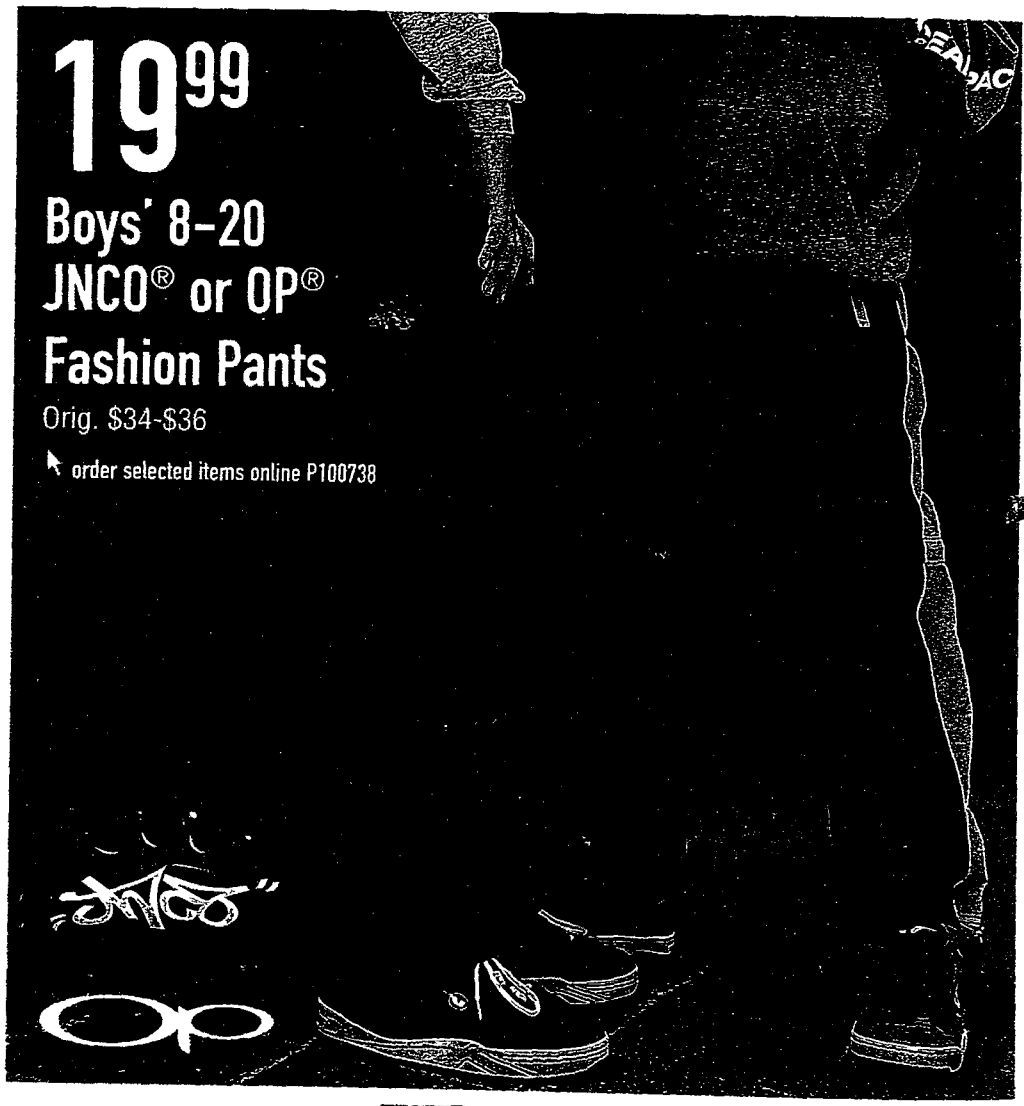


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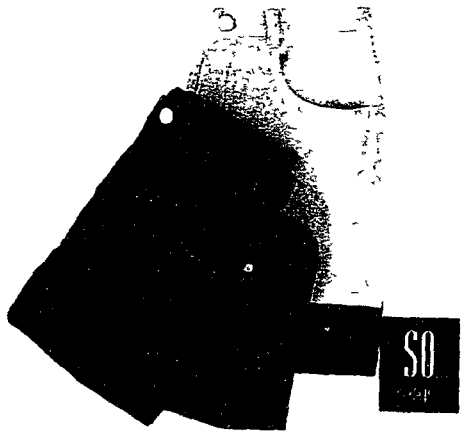
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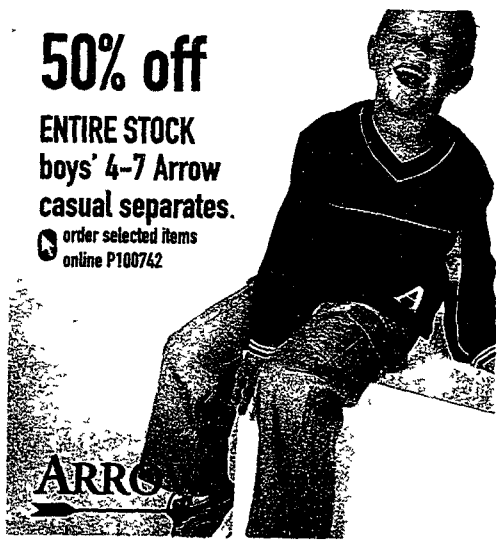
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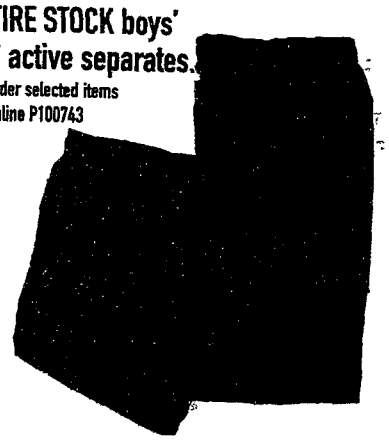
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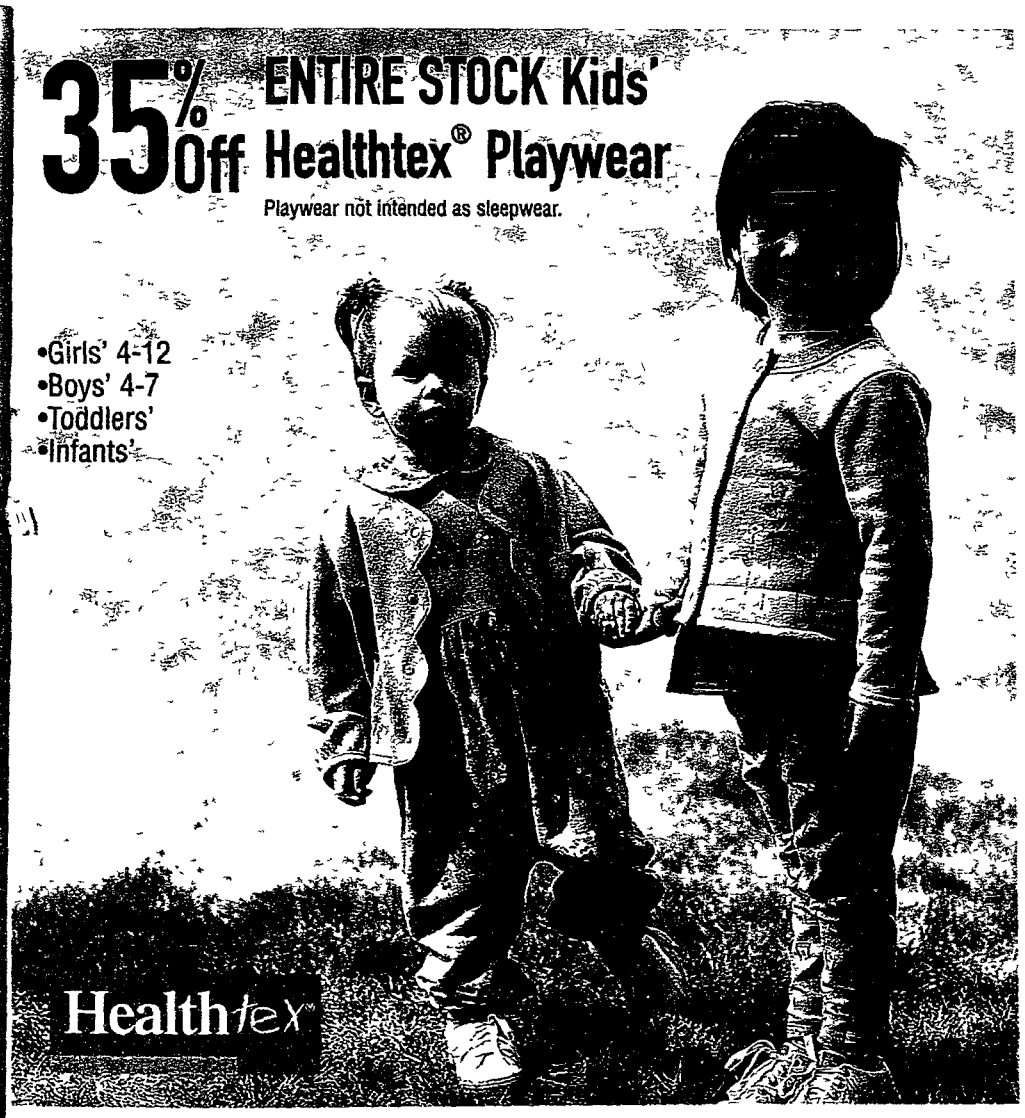


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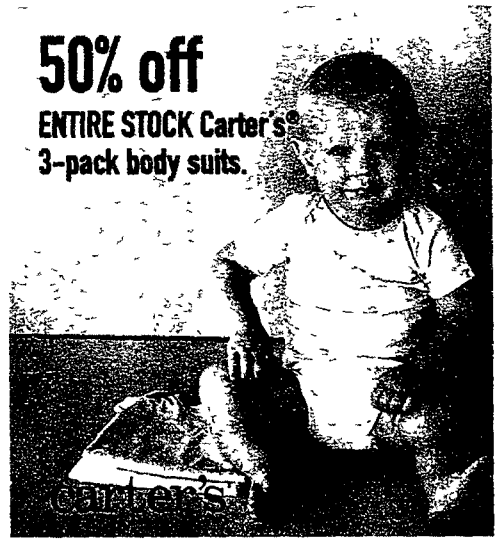
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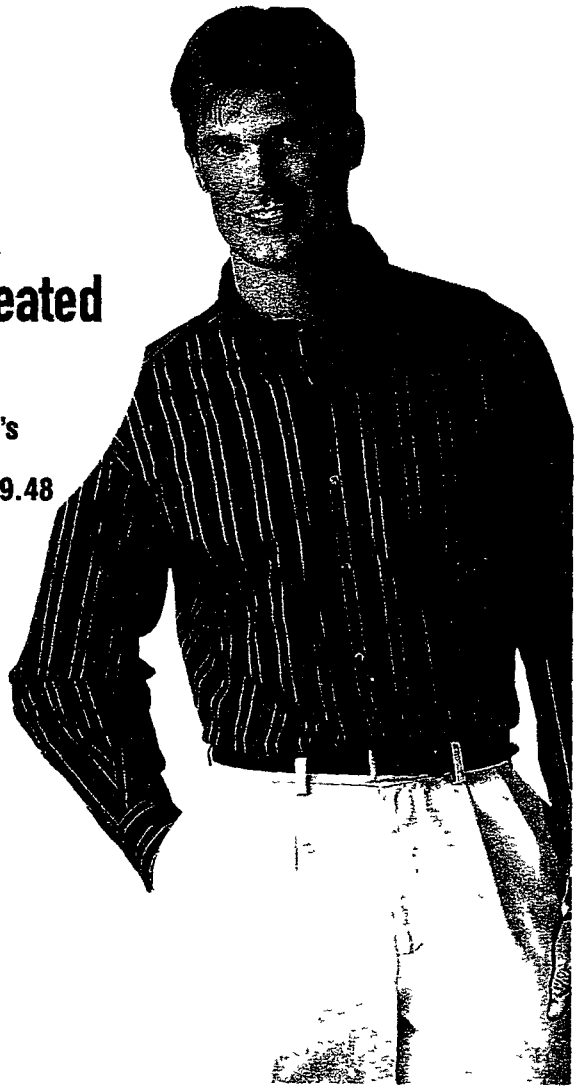


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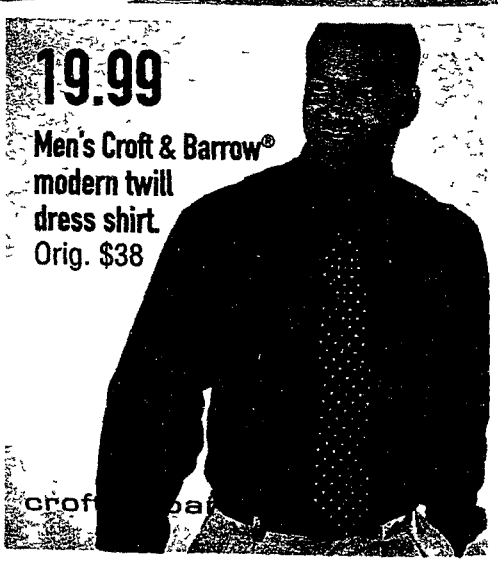
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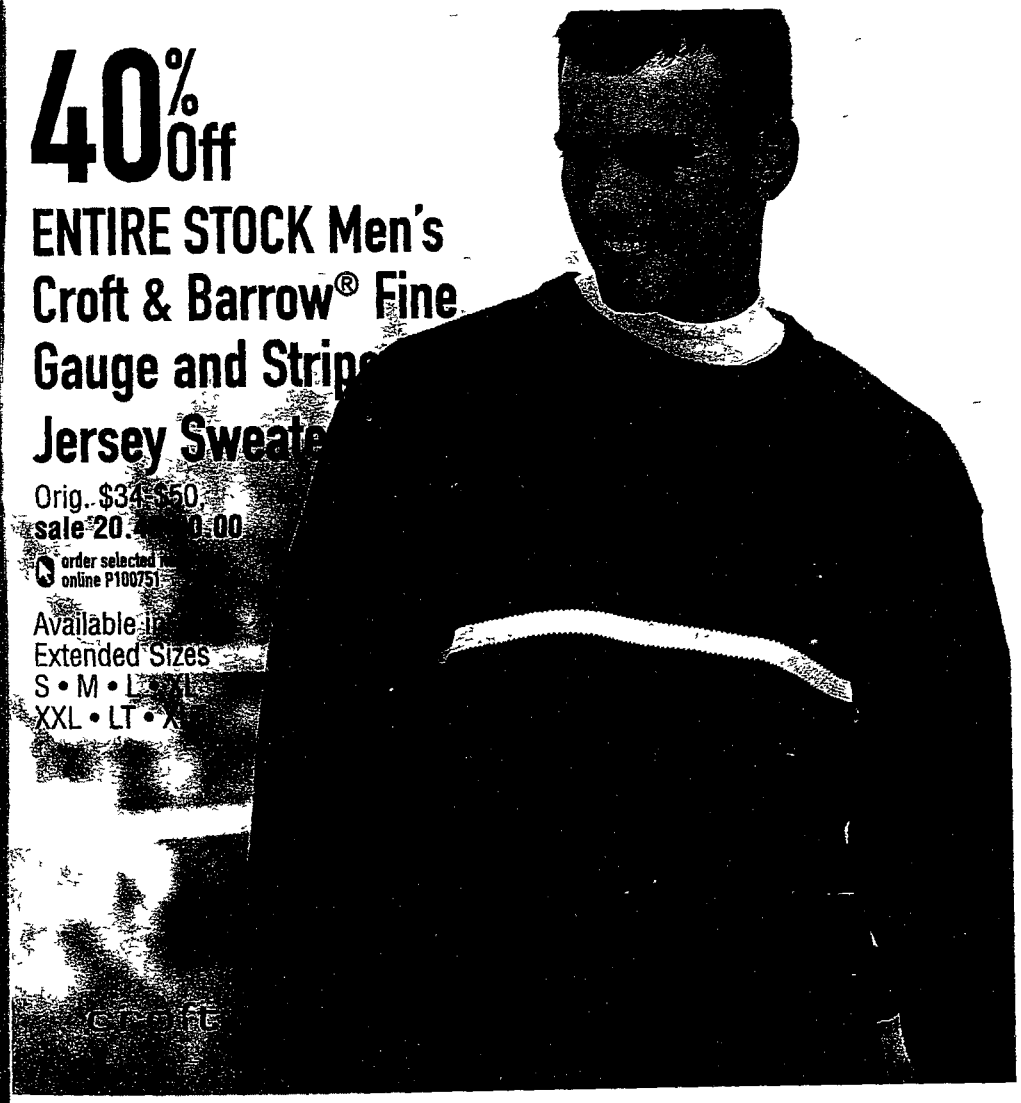
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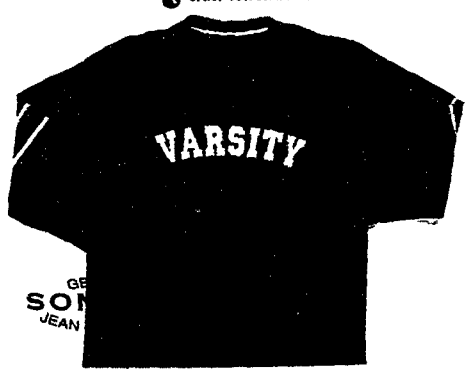
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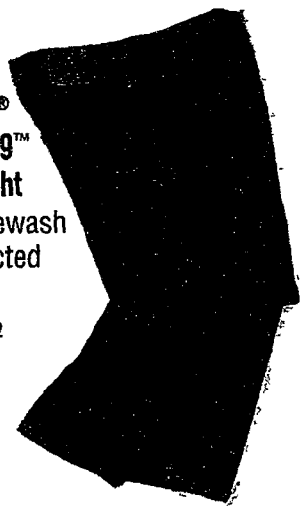
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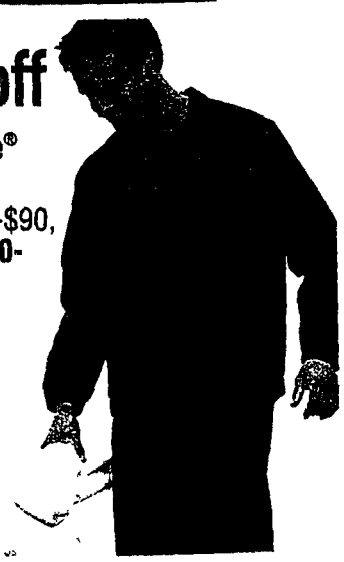
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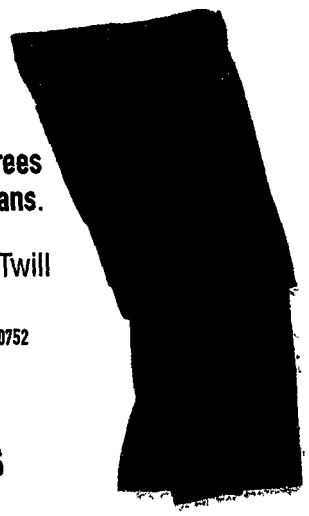
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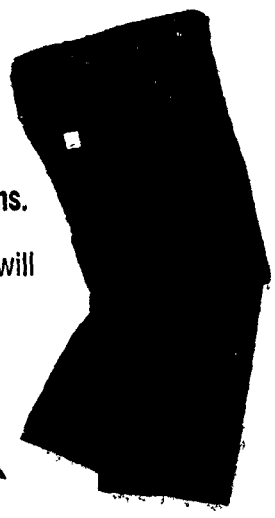
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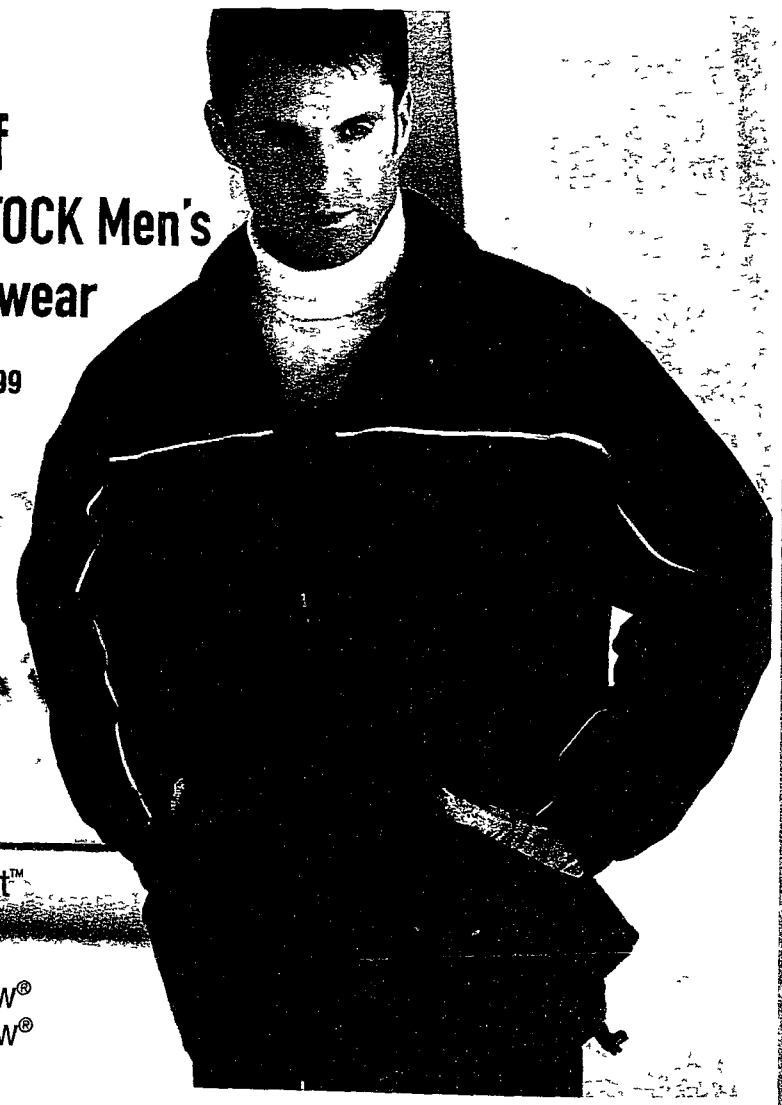


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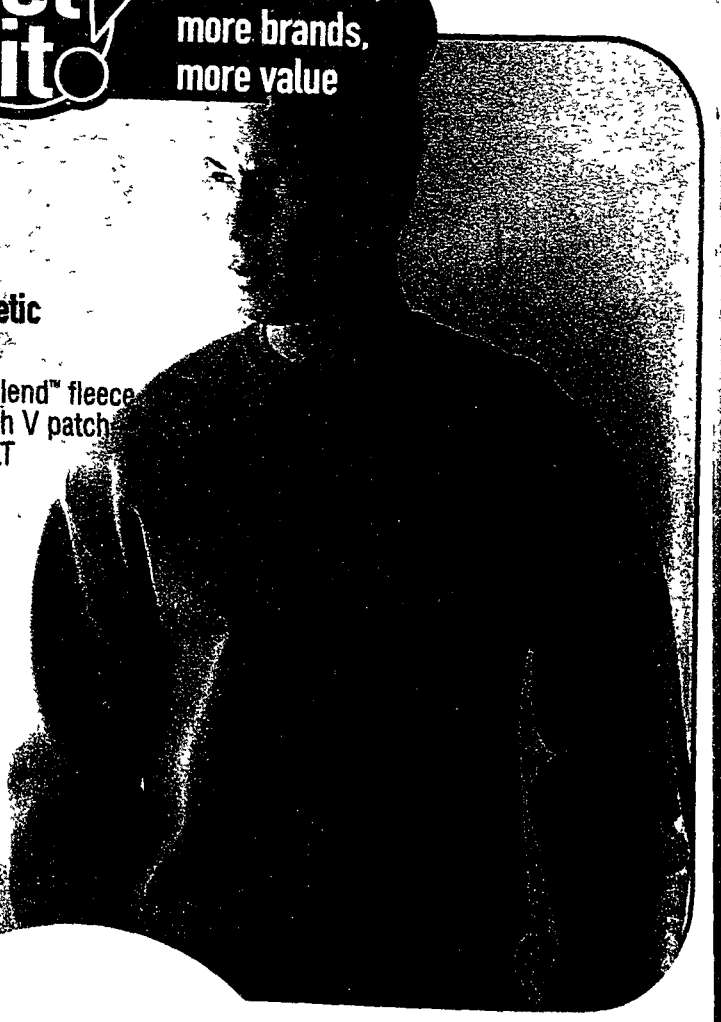
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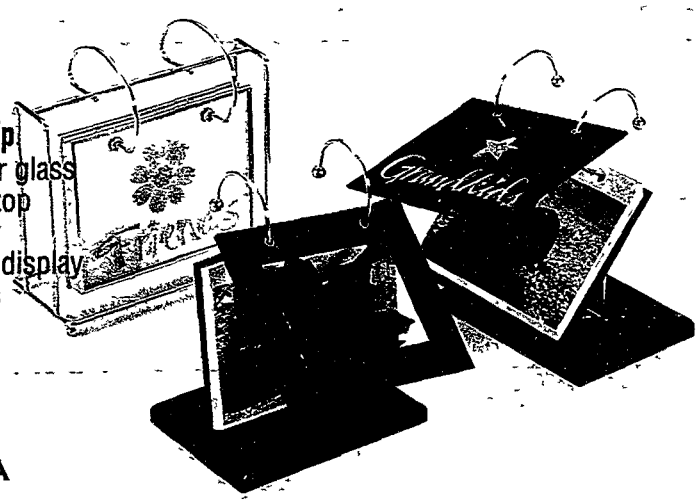


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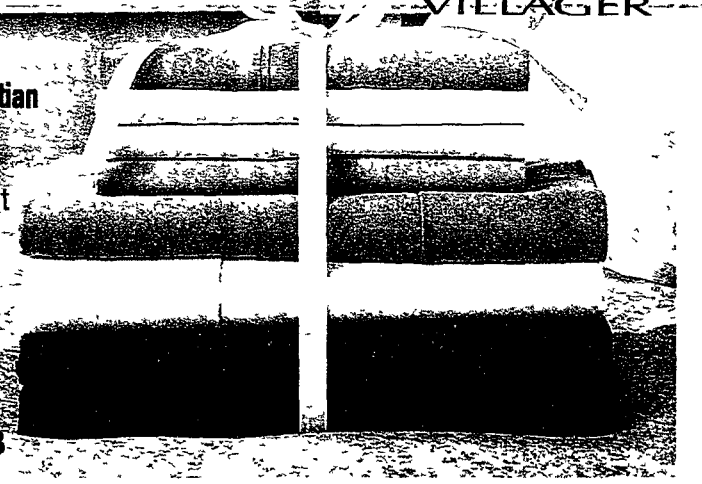
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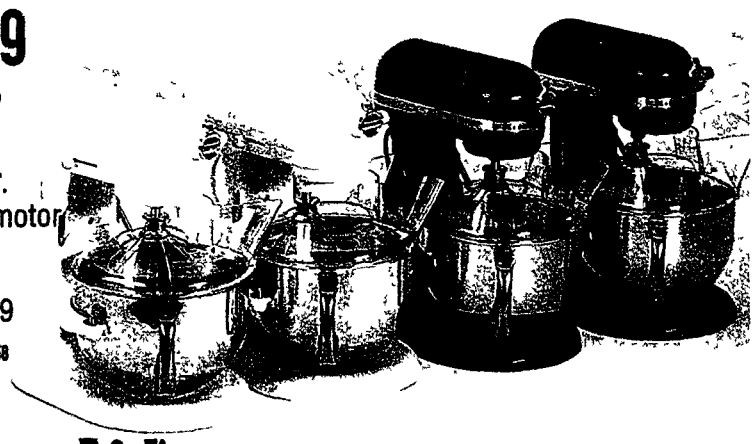
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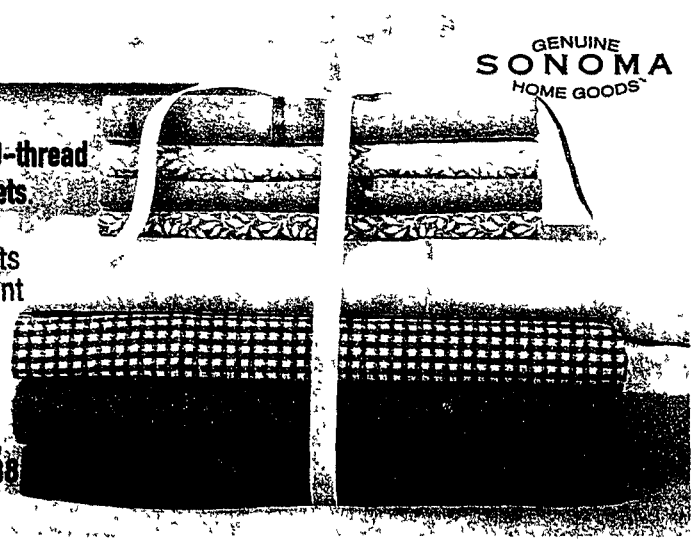
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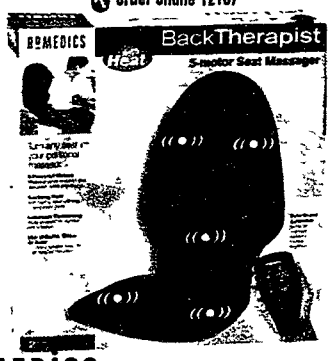
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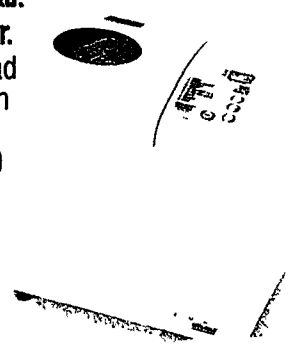
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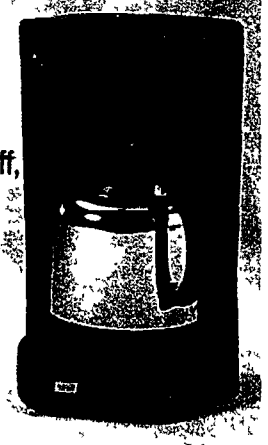
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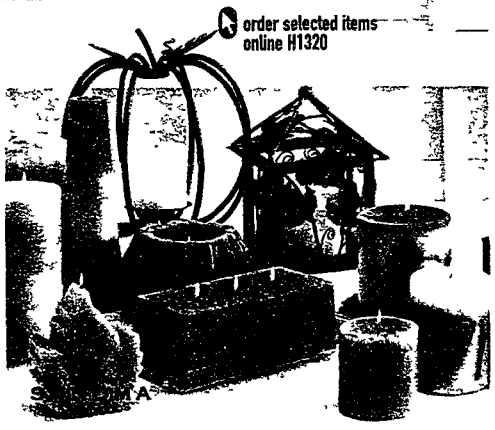
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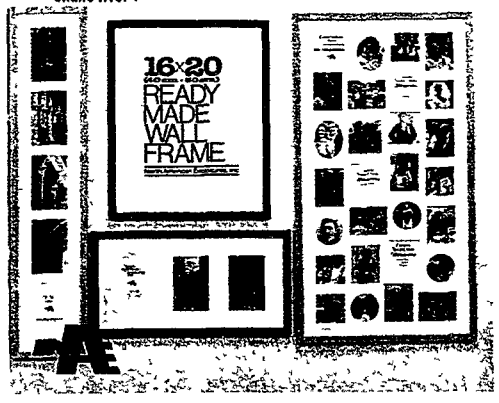
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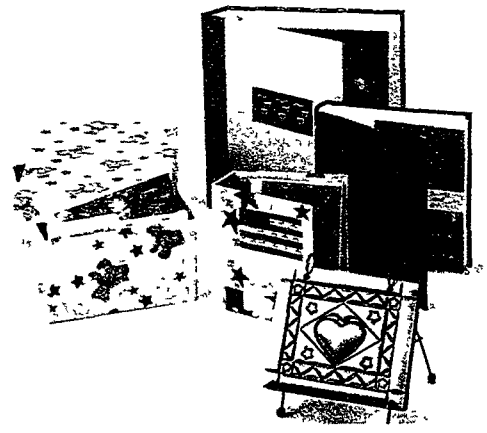


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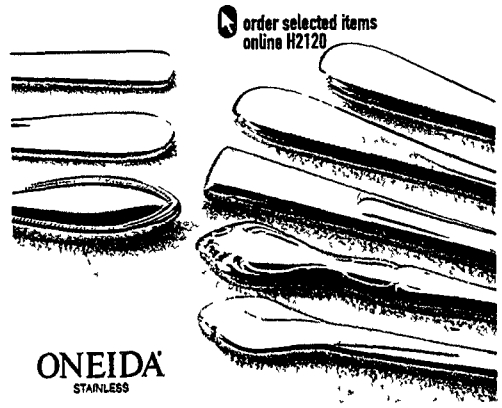
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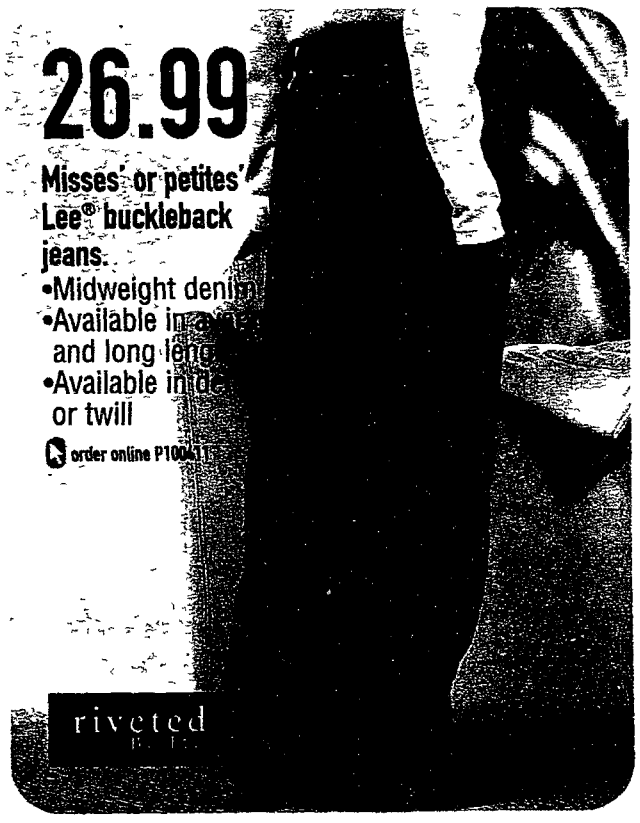
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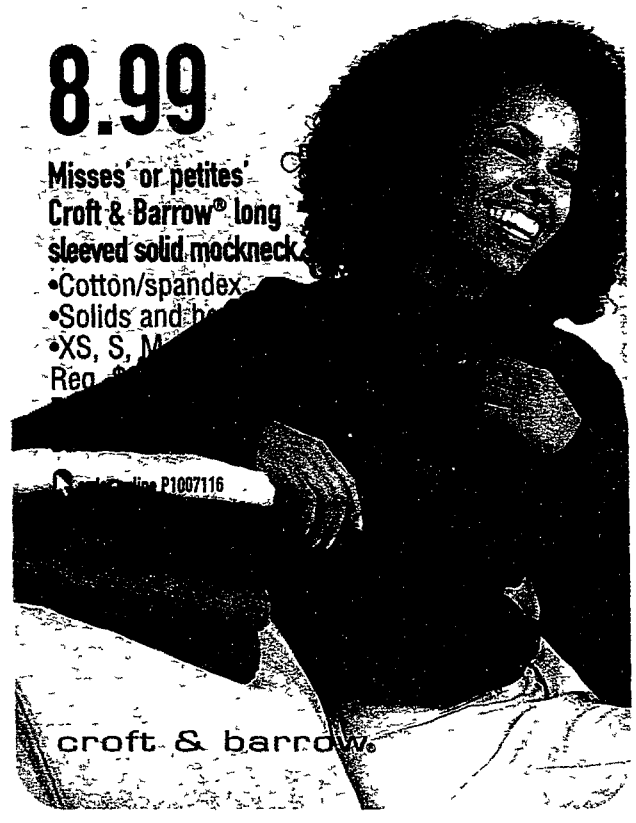
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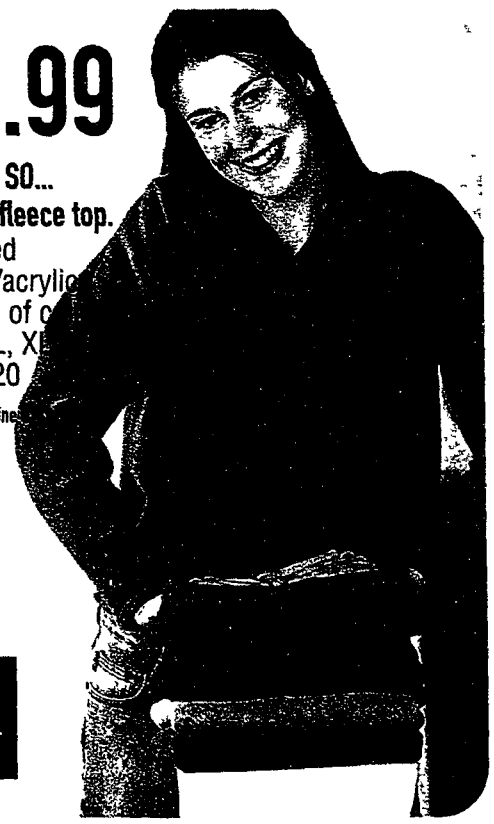
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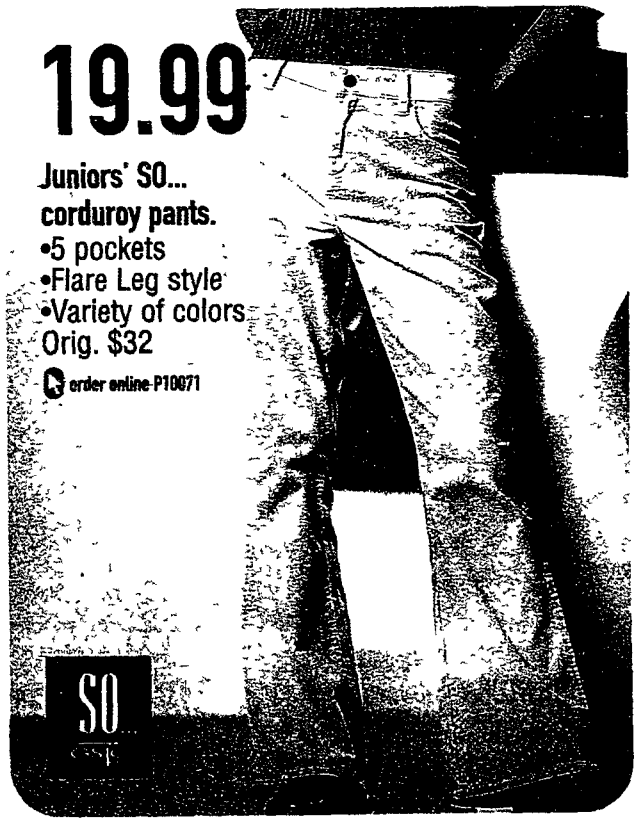
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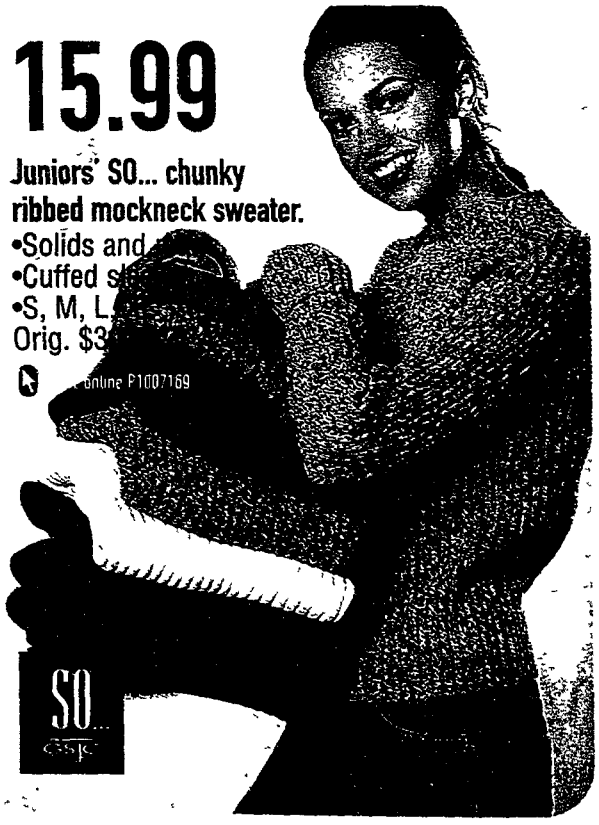
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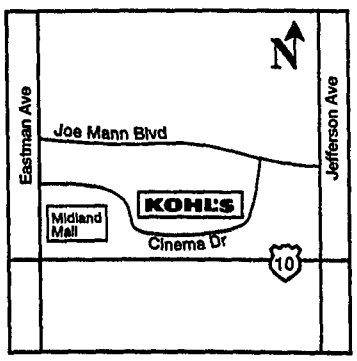
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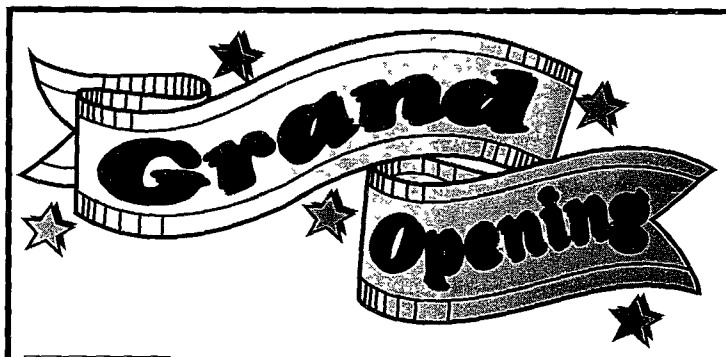
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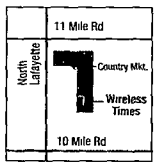
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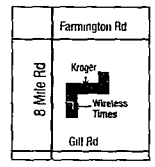
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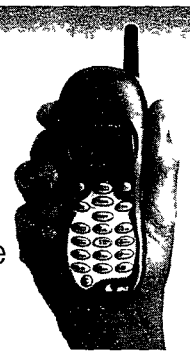


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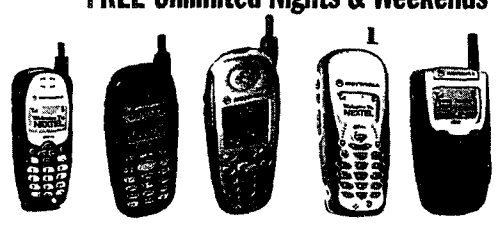
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Can Diet Prevent Breast Cancer?



By eating some foods and avoiding others, women may reduce their risk of breast cancer. Here's how:

- Try soy. A chemical in soybeans may offer protection from breast cancer.
- Limit red and fried meats to less than three ounces a day.
- Add fiber through whole grains and beans.
- If you drink alcohol, limit yourself to one drink daily or less.
- Keep fat to less than 20 to 30% of your daily calories.

A diet higher in total fat may contribute to breast cancer. But research is unclear about whether certain types of dietary fat increase breast cancer risk.

It may also help to eat more fruits and vegetables. Some studies have suggested a link between eating more fruits and vegetables and a lowered risk of breast cancer. But other studies haven't confirmed these findings. It may be that only specific fruits and vegetables are protective. Until more is known, it's probably best to eat a wide variety of these foods.

The government's dietary guidelines suggest three to five vegetable servings and two to four fruit servings daily. A serving is equal to ½ cup for most fresh or cooked vegetables, or a cup for raw, leafy green vegetables. A serving also is a medium-sized piece of fruit, ½ cup of canned or cooked fruit, or ¾ cup of fruit or vegetable juice.

Loading up on fruits and vegetables and limiting fat may offer an added benefit: weight management. Being overweight may raise a woman's risk of breast cancer. ✷

GREAT DOCTORS...

In Your Own Backyard

At St. Mary Mercy, we're working to provide you with quality health care—right in your own backyard.

Here's what's new...

- St. Mary Mercy was recently named as a Top Tier Hospital by Blue Cross/ Blue Shield of Michigan.
- St. Mary Mercy's cancer program was recently accredited by the American College of Surgeons, a distinction shared by an elite group of hospitals. We're planning to build a Cancer Center that will meet all your needs without traveling far from home.
- We've expanded our Emergency and Urgent Care Center to treat patients with minor injuries and illnesses quickly and efficiently.
- And, we recently opened the St. Mary Mercy Wound Care Center for treatment of hard-to-heal wounds in a more convenient outpatient setting.

Read about these and other health news in these pages. As always, I welcome your comments.

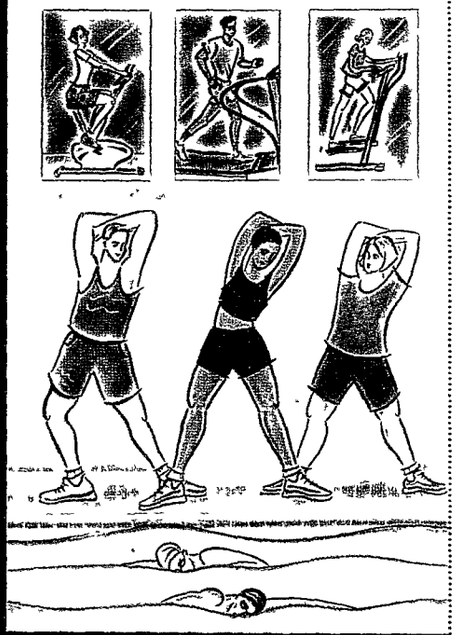
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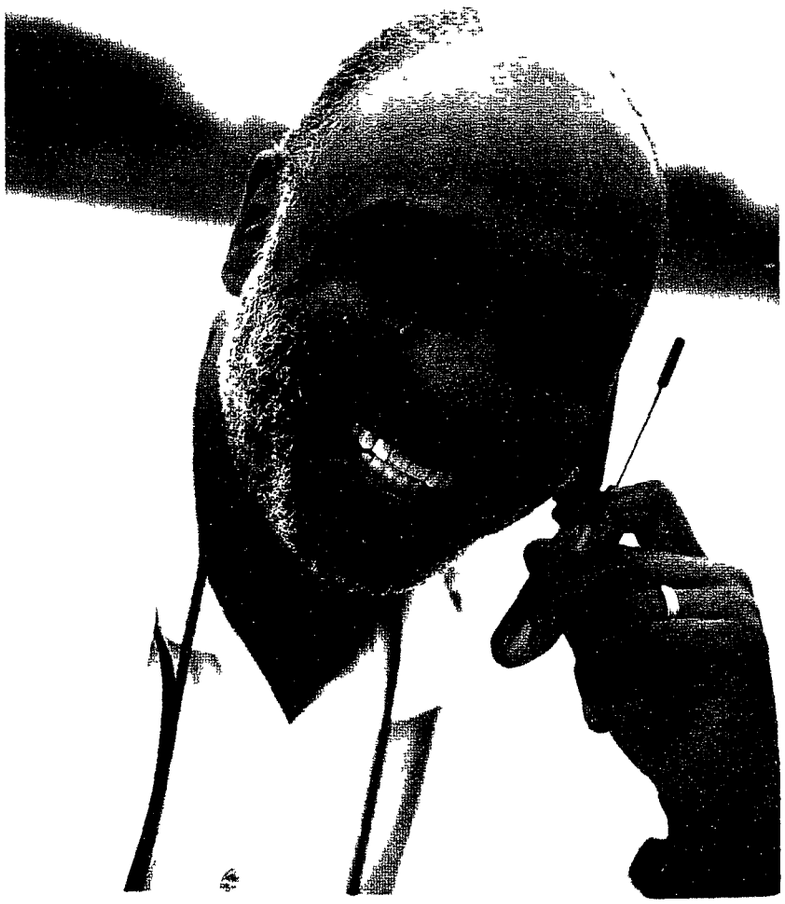


ABOUT FITNESS

◆ Traditional **sit-ups, abdominal crunches, and knees-to-your-chest moves can raise the risk of spinal fractures** for osteoporosis patients. And these exercises are unsafe whether they're done sitting, standing, or in water. It's safer to choose weight-bearing exercises, such as walking or mild weight lifting. If you have osteoporosis, ask your doctor to help you update your workout to best meet your needs.
Geriatrics

◆ **Walking** during a golf game can be a **safe and easy way to exercise.** More than 60 middle-aged, male golfers walked the golf course twice weekly during a 20-week season. They played 18-hole games during this time. A control group was not encouraged to golf at all. Researchers found that the **golfers raised their levels of HDL,** or "good," cholesterol, and improved their heart health. The golfers also gained trunk muscle endurance, which may reduce lower back problems.
American Journal of Medicine

Hear Ye, Hear Ye: Protect Yourself from Harmful Sounds



Every day, our ears register the sounds around us, from the laughter on the television shows we watch, to the chirping of birds in the trees outside the window. But how much noise is too much?

HOW HEARING LOSS HAPPENS

Noise-induced hearing loss happens when the sounds we hear are so loud that they damage sensitive structures in the inner ear. The longer the exposure to excessive noise, the greater the damage. But hearing loss can also result from even a single exposure to a very loud sound. Any noise louder than 75 decibels is dangerous. See these examples to find out if you are exposed to unhealthy noise levels in your daily life:

Decibel Levels	*Examples*
60	Normal conversation, typewriter, sewing machine
90	Shop tools, lawnmower, truck traffic
100	Chainsaw, snowmobile, jackhammer
115	Auto horn, loud rock concert, sandblasting
140	Jet engine, gun muzzle blast

PRACTICING PREVENTION

Research shows that avoiding exposure to dangerous noise levels—and taking "rest periods" between hazardous noise exposures—can help prevent or lessen noise-related hearing damage. For example, if you are attending a loud musical concert one evening, limit your contact with other loud environments for the rest of that day.

If you work or spend your free time in an environment where hazardous noise regularly occurs, experts advise wearing earplugs that fit inside the ear—or earmuffs that seal the space around the outside of the ear—to muffle the sound. But to provide protection, these products must provide a tight seal and be worn consistently. This includes whenever you mow your lawn, shoot a rifle or pistol, ride a motorcycle or snowmobile, or operate power tools. ✷

If you have trouble understanding conversation in a crowd, you may have hearing loss. But the cause may only be an ear infection or a buildup of earwax. Call your doctor to learn more about what may be causing your hearing problem.

Emergency Care...*Quick and Close*

The St. Mary Mercy Hospital Emergency Center provides state-of-the-art emergency care 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. "Our goal is to deliver the highest-quality medical care in an efficient and customer-friendly manner," states Ash Gokli, MD, Chairman, Emergency Medicine.

In an emergency, timely medical care by qualified medical professionals is vital. St. Mary Mercy Hospital Emergency Center physicians are residency-trained, board-certified, and have extensive training in Emergency Medicine They provide accurate and rapid medical diagnosis and state-of-the-art treatment. Our Emergency Center nurses are certified in Advanced Cardiac Life Support and have special training in the care and treatment of emergency medical conditions.

Patients with minor injuries or illnesses can visit Urgent Care. This independently staffed area is designed to treat medical conditions, such as minor upper respiratory infections, sprains, bruises, minor abrasions, lacerations, fractures, and suture removal. The staff in Urgent Care specializes in rapid assessment and treatment. The Urgent Care Center has been recently remodeled and expanded.

"The expansion has added six rooms to the Emergency Center for observation and treatment," says Marcy Steinbrenner, RN, Emergency Center. The new Urgent Care area is comprised of six exam rooms, a nurses' station, and a dictation room. It is open from 11 a.m. to 11 p.m., 365 days a year. The Emergency Center is open 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. ✷

St. Mary Mercy ER doctors and staff treat over 40,000 patients a year.



STROKE TREATMENT SAVES LIVES

Damage caused by a stroke can be reversed if treated rapidly. Clot-busting drugs given within three hours of a stroke make the difference, and the latest clot-busting treatment, TPA, is available at St. Mary Mercy's Emergency Center. Call 734-655-1200.



ABOUT CHILDREN

◆ Experts agree that children exposed to media violence may act more aggressively. But limiting TV and video time may help. Third- and fourth-grade students were encouraged to **reduce TV, videotape, and video-game** time. The students limited this time to only seven hours per week. After the six-month program, these students **acted less aggressively** than those who did not reduce media time.

Archives of Pediatric and Adolescent Medicine

◆ Breast-feeding lowers a child's risk of gastrointestinal infections. More than 16,000 mothers who planned to breast-feed split into two groups. Those in one group—the "intervention" group—fed their babies only breast milk whenever possible. And after one year, more women in this group than in the other were still **breast-feeding.** Experts found that children in the intervention group had a much **lower risk of gastrointestinal infection.**

Journal of the American Medical Association



HEALTHY HIGHLIGHTS

Surprising Mental Benefits of Exercise

Exercise may work as well as—or better than—medication in helping depression. Researchers divided 156 adults age 50 or older, all of whom had depression, into three groups. Group 1 walked, jogged, or rode a stationary bike three times a week for 30 minutes. Group 2 received a prescription drug. Group 3 tried a combination of exercise and medication.

After four months, the majority of patients in each group were symptom-free. But six months later, 38% of the drug group and 31% of the combination group had lapsed back into depression—compared to only 8% of the exercise group.



Information Overload: Are You @ Risk?

Experts say we're being bombarded with too much information. Consider this: The average manager has to plow through more than 1 million words each week. And email isn't helping.

Information overload can raise your blood pressure, upset your stomach, and cause headaches. It can affect your memory, shorten your attention span, and make you irritable and tense.

Here are ways to stem the tide:

- Turn it OFF. Turn off the TV, the cell phone, and the pager. Limit computer time.
- Identify priorities. Decide what's most important and discard everything else.
- Take a break. Go for a walk. Listen to music. Talk to friends in person instead of through email.
- Teach by example. Keep your own written communications short and simple. And try not to forward every email to everyone you know.

Menopause Symptoms: One Type Doesn't Fit All

If your menopause symptoms don't match what you read in magazines, you're not alone. A research team interviewed more than 16,000 women across five ethnic groups. They found surprising differences in the way women of different races experience menopause. Hispanic women were more likely to report urine leakage and heart pounding. African-American women were more likely to experience vaginal dryness than Caucasian women. And Asian women reported the fewest symptoms. Researchers aren't sure why the differences exist, but hormonal levels may play a role. Whatever your symptoms, be sure to tell your doctor if you're having trouble coping with them.

Antibiotics: Not Always the Best Medicine

With winter's cold and flu season looming ahead, it's time to brush up on antibiotic basics. Here's a quick review:

- Antibiotics are only effective against bacterial infections. Bacterial infections include strep throat and some types of ear infections. Only a doctor can decide if an infection is bacterial, often through a lab test.
- Antibiotics do not work against viruses. Viral infections include colds, flu, most sore throats, and most sinus infections. Viral infections may last two weeks or more. But if you feel worse after about two weeks, call your doctor.

Fall 2001

Calendar of Events

ST. MARY MERCY HOSPITAL

Programs • Classes • Support Groups • Events

St. Mary Mercy Hospital offers community programs, classes, support groups, and events to help you learn more about good health for you and your family. Unless otherwise noted, please call the number listed in each heading for more information or to register. You can also access these on our website at **www.stmarymercy.org.**

For a physician on staff at St. Mary Mercy Hospital, call **1-888-464-WELL.**

Call **734-655-8940** or **1-800-494-1650** (out-of-area only)

"55 Alive" Mature Driving Program

A refresher course to help drivers ages 50 and older improve their skills and prevent traffic accidents. Two-day class

Tuesday, November 13, and Wednesday, November 14, 5:30 to 8:30 p.m., West Addition B

Basic Life Support—

Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (BLS-CPR)

■ BLS-Healthcare Provider: This course is targeted to those who provide health care to patients. Participants will receive a written exam and Healthcare Provider Card. Instruction includes adult, infant, and child CPR, AED, and choking. (fee)

Thursdays, November 8 and 15, 6 to 10 p.m., Auditorium

■ BLS-Friends and Family: Includes infant and child CPR and choking safety information, as well as the rescue techniques for children up to age 8 and infants in a breathing or cardiac emergency; includes injury prevention for the layperson. (fee)

Wednesday, October 17, 7 to 10 p.m., Auditorium

Be Wise...Heart Wise Cardiovascular Education

Individual classes related to cardiovascular health. Registration required. (fee)

■ **Ups and Downs of Blood Pressure**—Will discuss the risks for developing high blood pressure and stroke and how lifestyle modification can reduce your risk.

Thursday, October 11, 7 to 9 p.m., West Addition A

■ **Fitness Wise**—Will assist in identifying how to become more active throughout the day, common myths about exercise, risks and benefits of exercise, and keys to success.

Tuesday, October 23, 7 to 9 p.m., West Addition B

■ **The Good, the Bad, the Ugly: Cholesterol Education**—Will discuss dietary sources of cholesterol and fatty acids, normal blood values, the role cholesterol and fat play in cardiovascular disease, and lifestyle modifications for risk reduction.

Thursday, November 29, 7 to 9 p.m., West Addition A

Blood Pressure Measurement

(NO CHARGE)

St. Mary Mercy Hospital Main Lobby (Five Mile Road)
First Monday of the month, 1 to 3 p.m.

Wonderland Mall—Center of Mall Plymouth and Middlebelt Roads, Livonia
Second Monday of the month, 8 to 10 a.m.

Laurel Park Place Mall Newburgh and Six Mile, Livonia
Fourth Monday of the month, 8 to 10 a.m.

Northville Senior Center 215 West Cady, near Sheldon Road/ Main Street
Fourth Monday of the month, noon to 2 p.m.

Diabetes Consultation (Individual)

Learn skills from a certified diabetes educator to improve blood sugar control and change your lifestyle. By appointment. (*fee)

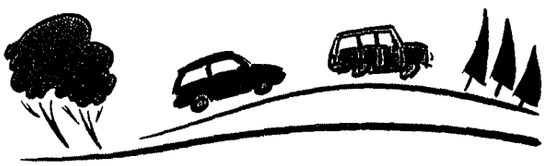
Diabetes Education Classes

Self-care and control of diabetes for persons 18 and older, including lifestyle changes, diet, foot care, blood testing, medication, complications, exercise, coping, and resources. (*fee)

October 9, 11, 16, 18, and 23, 12:30 to 2:30 p.m., Pavilion A

November 6, 8, 13, 15, and 20, 7 to 9 p.m., Pavilion A

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December 4, 6, and 11, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. and 12:30 to 2:30 p.m., Pavilion A*

**9:30 to 11:30 a.m. only*

**Medicare and other insurance companies may cover the cost of education classes and consultation.*

Durable Power of Attorney

Information to make medical treatment choices is available upon admission or by request.

HMR Weight Management

A medically supervised, weight management program with weekly classes and support. Interested participants must attend an orientation class before enrolling in the program. Call **734-655-1783** for more dates or information. (fee)

Orientation Dates:

Wednesday, October 3, noon to 1 p.m., Pavilion A
Tuesday, October 9, 4 to 5 p.m., Pavilion A
Wednesday, October 17, 4 to 5 p.m., Pavilion A
Tuesday, October 23, 4:30 to 5:30 p.m., Pavilion A
Tuesday, November 6, 4 to 5 p.m., Pavilion A
Wednesday, November 14, noon to 1 p.m., Pavilion A
Tuesday, November 27, 4 to 5 p.m., Pavilion A
Tuesday, December 4, 4 to 5 p.m., Pavilion A
Wednesday, December 12, noon to 1 p.m., Pavilion A

Classes Begin:

Thursday, October 25, 7 to 8:30 p.m.
Monday, November 5, 7 to 8:30 p.m.
Monday, December 10, 5 to 6:30 p.m.

Immunization Clinic—Infant and Child

Routine childhood vaccines and hepatitis B are offered to infants and children up to age 18.

Thursday, October 18, 5:30 to 8 p.m., Auditorium

Nutrition Counseling (Individual)

Individual dietary program for your personal health needs. By appointment. (fee)

Parish Nurse Program

This program assists churches, synagogues, and mosques develop a holistic, faith-based health and wellness ministry within their faith community.

Safe and Secure: Car Seat Safety for Infants

Did you know that 96% of caregivers believe they always install and use their child seats correctly? Yet actual car seat inspections show that at least 80% are improperly installed and restrained. Participants will learn how to install car seats properly for newborns up to age 1. (fee)

Wednesday, October 3, 7 to 8:30 p.m., West Addition B

Safe Sitter Class

This program teaches boys and girls ages 11 to 13 how to handle emergencies when caring for young children. Safe Sitters learn basic lifesaving techniques, safety precautions to prevent accidents, how and when to call for help, and tips on basic child care. (fee)

Senior Fitness

This class helps seniors maintain a healthy, active lifestyle. The Senior Fitness Classes include a slower but peppy pace with specific exercises to help arthritis, range of motion, flexibility, aerobic endurance, strength, balance, and relaxation. Exercise variations will be adaptable to each individual's level of fitness. Music from the past and encouragement will get you moving and inspired to maintain fitness forever.

Aerobics classes held on Tuesday and Thursday from 9 to 10 a.m., West Addition B

October 2, 4, 9, and 11

Balance/T'ai Chi classes held on Tuesday and Thursday from 9 to 10 a.m., Auditorium

October 2, 4, 9, 11, 16, 18, 23, 25—no class October 30; November 1, 6, and 8

Senior Health Connection

Join other adults ages 55 and older for special events, discounts on health education classes, and monthly lectures on health topics of special interest to mature adults. Lectures are held from 1 to 3 p.m. in the St. Mary Mercy Auditorium.

Stressed for Success—Stress Management

Learn how to decrease the stress in your life and manage the stress you cannot eliminate. (fee)

Wednesdays, November 7, 14, and 28, 6 to 8 p.m., Pavilion A

Wellness in the Workplace

A Wellness Program tailored to meet the needs of your business or organization.

Support Groups—Community

(NO CHARGE)

■ **Asthma Support Programs**

Discussion and support for adults and children suffering from asthma. Sponsored by Blue Care Network (Call **248-593-3755** for information.)

■ **Cancer Support Group—"Focus on Living"**

This group is designed to help cancer patients and their families come together to help each other live with a cancer diagnosis and treatment. Cosponsored by the American Cancer Society. Meets monthly.



First Wednesday of the month, 7 to 8:30 p.m., Auditorium

Diabetes Support Group

For adults with diabetes and their families Meets monthly.

Second Wednesday of the month, 7 to 8:30 p.m., Auditorium

Grief Support Group

For those impacted by the loss of a loved one or family member. Meets monthly. (Call Angela Hospice, at **734-464-7810** for information.)

Second and fourth Tuesdays of the month, 1 p.m. and 6:30 p.m., Angela Hospice, 14100 Newburgh, Livonia

Impotents Anonymous

Discussion on the causes and treatment of chronic impotence. Meets monthly.

Last Wednesday of the month, 8 p.m., Pavilion A (Call 734-462-5858 for information.)

Multiple Sclerosis Support Group

Discussion and support for MS patients and their families. Meets weekly. (Call Livonia Family YMCA at **734-261-2161** for information.)

Fridays, 6 p.m., Livonia Family YMCA, 14255 Stark Road, Livonia

Overeaters Anonymous

Support and discussion for compulsive overeaters. Meets weekly.

Sundays, 7 to 8:30 p.m., Pavilion A



Ostomy Support Group

Program providing information on ostomy surgery, colostomy, urostomy, ileostomy, or continent ostomy procedure. Sponsored by the United Ostomy Association. (Call **313-533-1020** for information.)

Scleroderma Support Group

Discussion and support for scleroderma patients and their families. Meets monthly. (Call **248-349-2899** for information.)

Third Thursday, 7 to 8:30 p.m., First Floor Conference Room

"Us Too" Prostate Cancer Support Group

Discussion and support on social, economic, emotional, and health problems related to prostate cancer. Meets monthly. (Call **734-432-1913** for information.)

Fourth Tuesday, 7 to 8:30 p.m., West Addition B

Behavioral Health Programs and Support Groups

Call **734-655-2944** or **1-800-494-0277** (out-of-area only).

Chemical Dependency Program

Group, individual, and family counseling for alcoholism, drug addiction, and related emotional problems, based on a thorough assessment. Reimbursable by most insurances.

Intensive Outpatient Substance-Abuse Program

A continuum of care for the alcohol or chemically dependent person.

Mental Health and Substance-Abuse Classes

Health care professionals in Behavioral Medicine offer classes on the third Monday of each month from 6 to 7:30 p.m. in West Addition B. Preregistration required.

October 15—Dementia: A Cognitive Impairment Disorder

November 19—Chemical Dependency and Adolescents

December 17—How to Prevent the Holiday Blues

Support Groups—Behavioral Health:

(NO CHARGE)

■ **Al-Anon**

Open to family members and friends of alcoholics. Meets weekly.

Mondays, 8:30 to 10 p.m., Cafeteria

■ **Alcoholics Anonymous (AA)**

Open to anyone with an alcohol dependency. Meets weekly.

Mondays, 8:30 to 10 p.m., Auditorium

■ **Gamblers Anonymous (GA)**

Open to anyone with a gambling dependency. Meets weekly.

Mondays, 7:30 to 9 p.m., Lower Level Conference Room E

■ **Mental Health Day Treatment Alumni Group**

First and third Thursdays of the month, 5 to 6 p.m., Pavilion A

■ **Mental Health Support Group**

Adult family members and friends of mental health patients will benefit from group interaction to help cope with a loved one's mental illness. Meets weekly.

Thursdays, 6 to 7 p.m., Fifth Floor Group Room

Call **734-655-2955** or **1-800-494-0422** (out-of-area only).

Back School

A licensed physical therapist discusses common back injuries, posture, and body mechanics the first Wednesday of each month, noon to 1 p.m. (no charge)

Children's Speech Program (C.L.A.S.S.)

A program for children with a diagnosis of speech language impairment and a current Individualized Education Plan (IEP). This program is designed to supplement services provided in the school system. Children's Language and Speech Services (C.L.A.S.S.) is offered four times a year, based on the school calendar year.

Women's and Family Health Programs and Support Groups

Call **734-655-1100** or **1-800-494-1615** (out-of-area only).

Baby Beeper Program

Pagers can be leased on a monthly basis towards the end of your pregnancy if you plan to deliver and/or attend a class at St. Mary Mercy Hospital.

Breast Health Clinic

Receive a breast exam and instruction on self-breast examination. If indicated, a mammogram is done for an additional fee. (fee)

October 10 to 24

Breastfeeding Class

Certified Lactation Consultants explain the benefits of breast milk, getting a good start in the hospital, and how to continue breastfeeding at home. (fee)

- ***Thursday, October 4, 7 to 9 p.m., Pavilion A***
- ***Tuesday, October 16, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., West Addition B***
- ***Thursday, October 25, 7 to 9 p.m., West Addition A***

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Thursday, December 13, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m., West Addition B
Thursday, December 20, 7 to 9 p.m., West Addition A

Breastfeeding Program

Individual consultation is available Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., in the Marian Women's Center with Certified Lactation Consultants before your delivery, while in the hospital, and once discharged home. Breast pump rental available. (Fee for outpatient lactation services.)

Childbirth Education

Classes for expectant mothers and partners using the Lamaze method, including relaxation and breathing techniques. Preregistration is required early in your pregnancy. Six weekly sessions (fee)



Wednesdays, October 24 through December 5, 7 to 9 p.m., West Addition A
Saturday Workshop, October 27, 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., West Addition A and B
Mondays, November 5 through December 10, 7 to 9 p.m., West Addition A
Tuesdays, November 6 through December 11, 7 to 9 p.m., West Addition A
Wednesdays, December 12 through January 23, 7 to 9 p.m., West Addition A

Foster Parenting Classes

Specialized parenting classes for foster parents. (Call **313-396-0262** for information.)

Infant Care Class: "Getting to Know Your Newborn"

Focuses on care of your well infant, including feeding, bathing, sleeping, and activity habits. For parents and those caring for an infant. (fee)

Thursday, November 1, 7 to 9 p.m., West Addition A

Infant Care Class: "Caring for the Sick Infant"

Focuses on infant safety (childproofing your home), immunizations, and signs of illness. For parents and those caring for an infant. (fee)

Thursday, November 8, 7 to 9 p.m., West Addition A

Natural Family Planning

Using the Billings Ovulation Method, this series of four classes teaches couples how to determine times of fertility and infertility. This program fulfills the guidelines of the Ethical and Religious Directives of the Catholic Church. Registration is required. (Call **248-926-9909** for information.) (fee)

Pre-Postnatal Fitness

This six-week class includes warm-ups, stretching, low-impact aerobics, cool-down, and relaxation techniques, as well as education. (fee)

Sibling Class

This two-hour class helps expectant parents and their children with sibling rivalry, signs of jealousy, and steps to take to minimize these behaviors. (fee per family)

Saturday, November 10, 10 a.m. to noon, West Addition A

Support Groups for Women

(No charge)

■ Breast Cancer Support Group

A self-help and education group addressing topics of concern for women with breast cancer.

Second Tuesday of the month, 7 to 9 p.m., West Addition B

■ Menopause Support Group

An opportunity for women to confidentially share feelings and concerns about menopause, midlife issues, and health-related matters.

First Wednesday of the month, 7 to 9 p.m., West Addition B

■ Mother-Baby Postpartum Support Group

Mothers and babies are encouraged to attend this group as a Certified Lactation Consultant discusses the postpartum period of adjustment.

Second Tuesday of the month, 10 to 11:30 a.m., West Addition B.

■ Tours of Birthing Center

Tours of the birthing center are designed for adults and children ages 10 and older. Children younger than age 10 are encouraged to attend the Sibling Class. Meet in the Pavilion Lobby.

October 2, 8, 16, 22, and 30, 6 p.m.
October 27, 4:30 p.m.
November 5, 13, 19, and 27, 6 p.m.
November 10, 11 a.m.
December 3, 11, 17, and 18, 6 p.m.
December 8, 11 a.m.

Hollywood Nights IX

Thursday, October 18, 7:30 p.m.
Laurel Manor Banquet and Conference Center
Livonia, Michigan

— Starring —
"The Platters"
and Jon "Bowzer" Bauman's
Rock n' Roll Review
6 p.m.–Cocktails, 7 p.m.–Dinner

Proceeds benefit the St. Mary Mercy Hospital Cancer Center

Call **734-655-2907** for sponsorship and ticket information.

GREAT DOCTORS IN YOUR OWN BACKYARD

Cancer Program Receives Highest Stamp of Approval

The Commission on Cancer of the American College of Surgeons granted a three-year unconditional approval with full accreditation to the St. Mary Mercy Hospital Cancer Program in June. Established by the American College of Surgeons in 1932, the Approvals Program sets standards for cancer programs and reviews them to make sure they conform to these standards Full accreditation is the highest approval level given by the commission.

"This mark of approval takes St Mary Mercy Hospital's Cancer Program to the next level, and provides support for coordinated cancer services for our community close to home," says David Spivey, President and CEO. Approval by the Commission on Cancer is given only to facilities that have voluntarily committed to provide the best in diagnosis and treatment of cancer and to undergo a rigorous evaluation process and performance review.

Only 25% of U S. hospitals with a cancer program are accredited, and over 80% of patients who are newly diagnosed with cancer are treated in these facilities

"At St Mary Mercy we stress the highest quality of care with personalized attention," says Omar Majid, MD, Chairman, Cancer Committee, Radiation Oncologist and Cancer Liaison Program physician for the American College of Surgeons. "For instance, with early-stage breast cancer our survival rates are above the national average "

"This distinction is a giant step forward for our cancer program," says Harmesh Naik, MD, Medical Director, Oncology Unit. "This accreditation reassures the referring physician, community, patients, and their families as to the quality of our care."

By receiving care at an approved cancer program, patients can expect.

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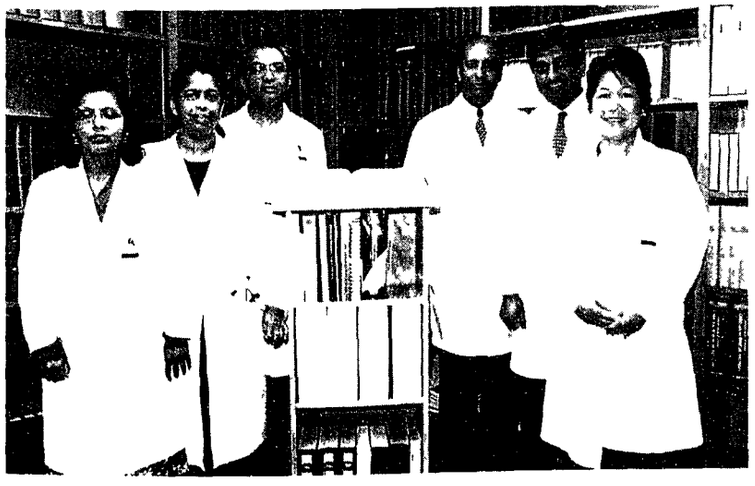
comprehensive care offering a range of state-of-the-art services and equipment

information about cancer clinical trials, education, and support

lifelong follow-up through a cancer registry that collects data on type and stage of cancers and treatment results.

The cancer program at St. Mary Mercy Hospital consists of a complete cancer treatment cycle, including diagnosis, assessment, treatment options such as chemotherapy, radiation therapy, and brachytherapy, and follow-up. Cancers treated include breast, lung, colon, and prostate, and cancer support groups are offered.

For more information about a physician on staff at St. Mary Mercy Hospital, call **1-888-464-WELL,** or check out our website at **www.stmarymercy.org.** ✷



Great doctors...oncologists and radiation oncologists at St. Mary Mercy are dedicated to providing complete cancer care for patients. Pictured left to right are Ranjan Sanghvi, MD; Amba Krishnan, MD; Oman Majid, MD; Ramesh Mohindra, MD; Harmesh Naik, MD; and Linda San Antonio, MD. Not pictured: John Eckenrode, MD; Enrique Signori, MD; Oscar Signori, MD; and James Gamero, MD.



Soothing a Sore Throat

The unpleasant, scratchy feeling that you sometimes get in your throat is most often caused by a virus and strikes when you have a cold or the flu. Viral sore throats usually occur with a stuffy, runny nose; sneezing; and body aches and pains. Unlike bacterial sore throats—such as strep throat—viral sore throats cannot be treated with antibiotics.

Tips for Self-Care

For a mild sore throat, try these self-care strategies:

Take an over-the-counter pain reliever.

Drink liquids. Gargling with warm salt water may help.

Use a humidifier to add moisture to the air.

Suck on throat lozenges or frozen desserts.

Signs that Should Arouse More Concern

If your sore throat is severe and lasts longer than 10 days—or comes with the following symptoms—be sure to see your doctor:

White patches on your tonsils or in the back of your throat

Swollen lymph nodes in your neck

Fever higher than 101 degrees Fahrenheit

Difficulty breathing, swallowing, or opening your mouth

Earache

Store Foods to Stay Fresh Longer

Make sure your cupboard is clean, dry, and away from any heat-producing appliances before placing food in it. Your sugar and cereals belong in airtight containers. And keep an eye on any canned goods lurking in your cupboard—they'll last for up to one year.

You can keep your food fresh and safe for eating by following these helpful storage guidelines:

REFRIGERATOR

Temperature:

■ Maintain between 34 and 40 degrees Fahrenheit. Most refrigerators use numbers for setting temperature—for instance, 1 is warmest and 8 is coldest. Check the refrigerator's temperature with a refrigerator thermometer and adjust the number.

Food Storage:

■ Refrigerate perishables—meat, dairy products, and fresh-cut produce—quickly. Refrigerate fresh produce within two hours of peeling or cutting, and leftovers no more than two hours after a meal.

■ Prevent moisture loss and absorption of odors by sealing storage containers well. Keep food in store wrapping unless packaging is torn.

■ Arrange food in refrigerator so that air can circulate around each item.

■ Avoid storing eggs inside the refrigerator door, where it's warmer. Keep them on a shelf.

■ Place packages of raw meat, poultry, or fish on the lowest refrigerator shelf, which is the coldest part of the refrigerator.

■ Before refrigerating leftovers, divide large portions into smaller portions and store in small, shallow containers for quick cooling.

Food Use Tips:

■ Eat refrigerated eggs within 30 days.

■ Eat refrigerated, uncooked ground meat, ground poultry, and seafood within two days.

■ Serve refrigerated leftovers within three days.

■ Eat refrigerated beef steaks, roasts, deli meats, and poultry within three to four days.

■ Use refrigerated mayonnaise within two months.



FREEZER

Temperature:

■ Keep temperature at zero degrees Fahrenheit.

Food Storage:

■ Store already frozen meat and poultry in their supermarket wrapping, which is airtight.

■ Use freezer containers or freezer wrap—such as aluminum foil or plastic freezer bags—to freeze home-prepared foods and to overwrap meat and poultry that hasn't been frozen. Remove air and seal wrap with freezer tape to keep packages airtight.

■ Don't freeze hard-cooked eggs, mayonnaise, or fresh tomatoes, since quality will diminish.

Food Use:

■ Use frozen raw ground meat within three to four months.

■ Serve frozen home-prepared soups or stews within two to three months.

■ Frozen whole chicken or turkey can be frozen for one year. ✷

If you're working with knives and other utensils, wash them thoroughly with hot, soapy water before cutting each food item. And wash countertops with a solution of water and chlorine bleach. This helps keep your work area free of bacteria.

St. Mary Mercy **Wound Care**

Convenience and coordinated care for patients with hard-to-heal wounds are the hallmarks of the St. Mary Mercy Wound Care Center. The unit opened June 21 under the direction of Medical Director John H. Iljas, DO.

"The center provides comprehensive, state-of-the-art wound management for hard-to-heal wounds," says Dr. Iljas. "We're coordinating and centralizing care through the center, adding another level of service to the community."

The Wound Care Center's first patient, Helen LoPrete of Plymouth, sought treatment for a foot sore she has had since January.



Helen LoPrete of Plymouth discusses her care in the St. Mary Mercy Wound Care Center with John Iljas, DO (right) and Sandy Oltersdorf, RN.

"I called and was able to get right in," says LoPrete. "It's very nice I know I'm going to get this foot healed up once and for all. I'll get going again."

A team of board-certified specialists will rotate in the Wound Care Center, including Morteza Hariri, MD, Thoracic and Vasculary Surgery; Jeffrey Horak, MD, General Surgery; Howard Kane, DPM, Podiatry; Daria Kiani, MD, Infectious Disease; Allen Mehler, DPM, Podiatry; Vellore Ramakrishnan, MD, Vascular Surgery; and Samson Samuel, MD, Plastic Surgery.

Providing nursing and support services are Sandra Oltersdorf, RN, nurse manager, and Celeste Walsh, patient registration associate.

Patients are cared for by a team of physicians without having to go from one office to another If further exams are indicated, appointments can be scheduled before they leave the center Sometimes appointments can be arranged for the same day. The goal is to have further exams and testing completed prior to their next Wound Care Center appointment.

Comprehensive services such as wound assessment, treatment plans, patient education, and transportation assistance are also available to patients.

State-of-the-art treatments include debridement, nutritional counseling, infection management, occupational and physical therapy, and support services. To schedule an appointment, call the St Mary Mercy Wound Care Center at **734-655-3800.**

GETTING A GOOD NIGHT'S SLEEP

More than 40 million Americans suffer from chronic sleep disorders, and St. Mary Mercy Hospital recently expanded its Sleep Clinic to meet this need.

Sleep specialists provide testing for narcolepsy, sleep apnea, sleep paralysis, and other sleep disorders in a restful, homelike room. A sleep history evaluation is available at no charge. "People spend approximately one-third of their lives asleep, but four out of ten routinely fail to get enough sleep," says Mark Villeneuve, MD, Pulmonary Disease. To schedule a sleep study, contact **734-655-3992.**



ABOUT NUTRITION

◆ **Eating less fat** now may help **preserve your vision** later After age 50, clear central vision may gradually deteriorate. Called macular degeneration, the condition is a major cause of blindness. Researchers studied the diets of more than 100,000 men and women age 50 or older. Those who ate high amounts of **linoleic acid**—a fat found in beef, pork, and lamb—had a 35% **higher risk of developing this vision loss.**

American Journal of Clinical Nutrition

◆ For people who have **lost** some of **their ability to taste and smell,** food just isn't as exciting as it could be. But losing interest in eating can lead to poor nutrition, unhealthy weight loss, and a weaker immune system. **To help boost a meal's appeal,** try these **flavor-enhancing** tips:

- ◆ Add **maple extract** to glazed vegetables.
- ◆ Top potatoes or vegetables with **butter-flavored** or **cheese-flavored seasoning.**
- ◆ Use **bouillon cubes** to enrich sauces and soups.

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Experts say that stretching can reduce muscle stiffness and increase flexibility in joints. It can also help you relax mentally and physically, and may help prevent injury.



STRETCHING THE RIGHT WAY

To get the most out of stretching:

- stretch three times a week for 10 to 20 minutes
- hold a stretch for 15 to 30 seconds
- stretch far enough to feel a slight pull, but not until it hurts
- avoid bouncing stretches.

BUILDING A STRETCHING ROUTINE

Here are ways to stretch the major muscle groups:

- **Neck:** Turn your head from side-to-side. Stretch ear-to-shoulder.
- **Lower back:** Lie on back and slowly pull both knees toward chest.
- **Groin:** Sit on the floor with heels together, hold ankles, lower knees toward floor.
- **Lower legs:** Stand and face a wall two feet away, place hands on wall between shoulder and forehead height, and lean your forehead toward the wall. Keep heels flat and back straight.
- **Front thighs:** Stand and face a wall one foot away with right hand on the wall. Reach back with left hand and pull right foot toward buttocks. Repeat with left foot and right hand.
- **Back thighs:** Lie on back with both knees bent. Bend right knee toward chest, grab behind right knee with both hands and straighten leg with foot flexed. Repeat with left leg. ✷

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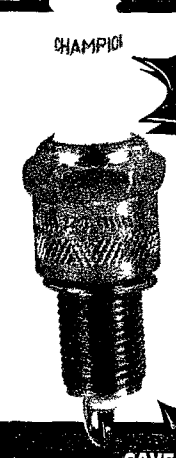
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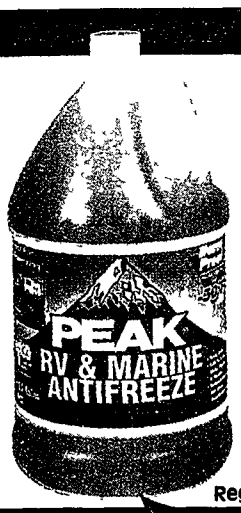
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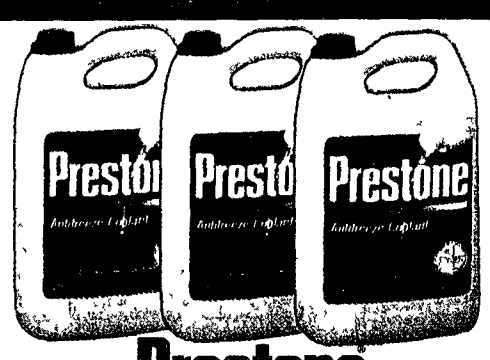


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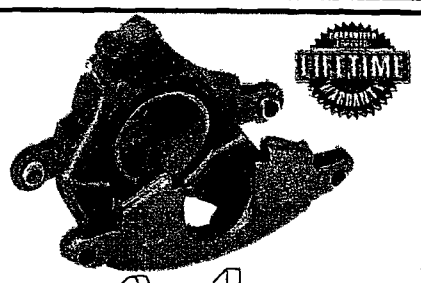
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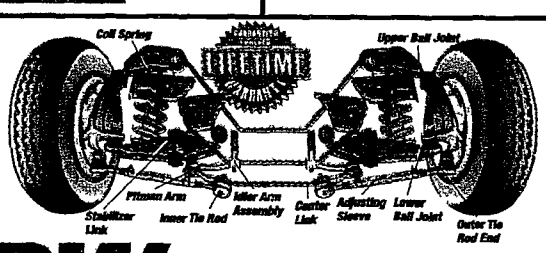
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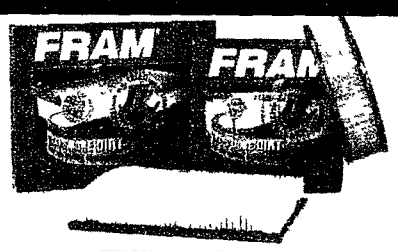
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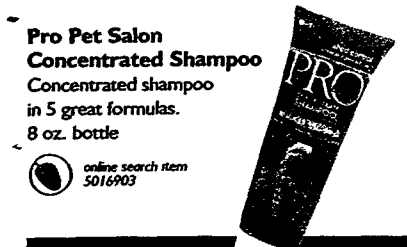
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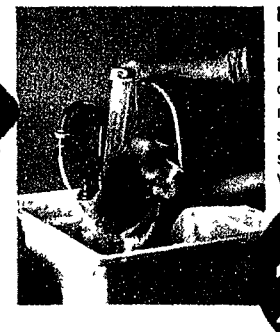
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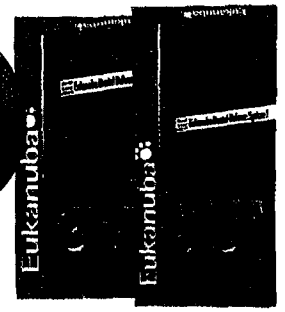


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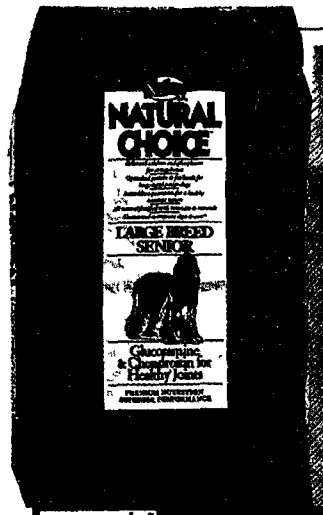


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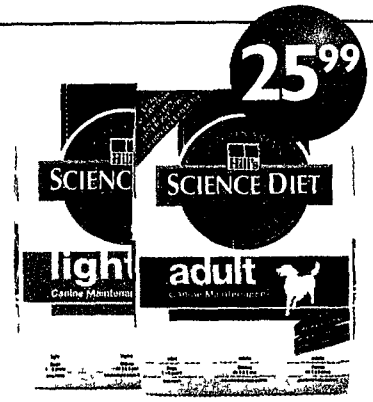




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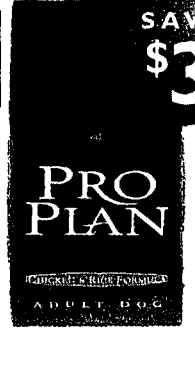
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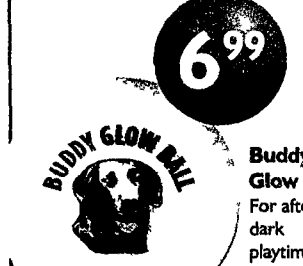
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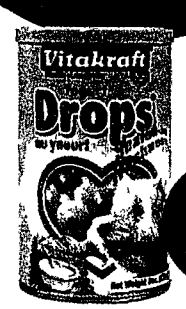
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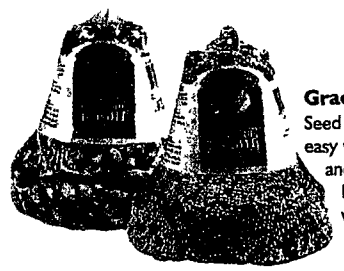
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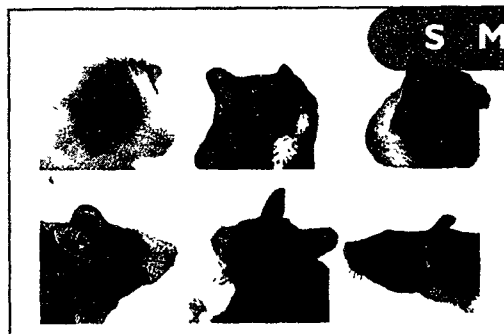
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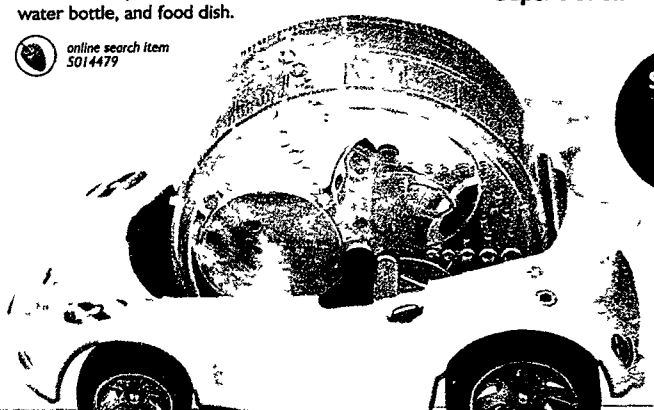
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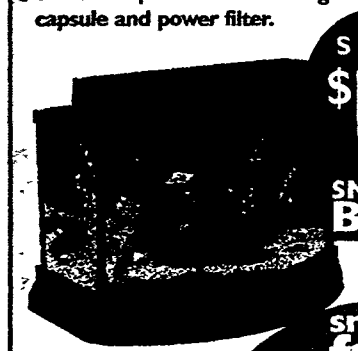
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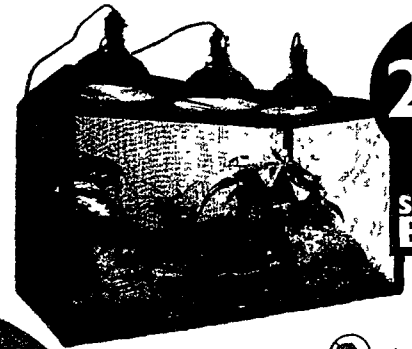
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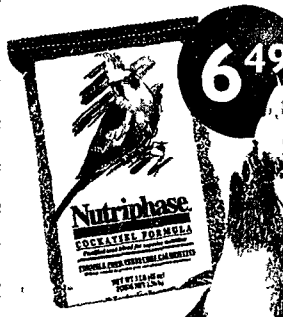


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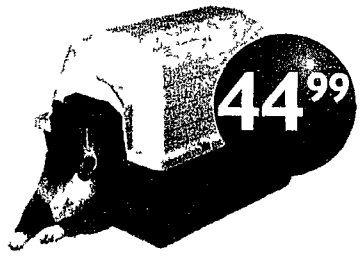
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Top Paw Toys
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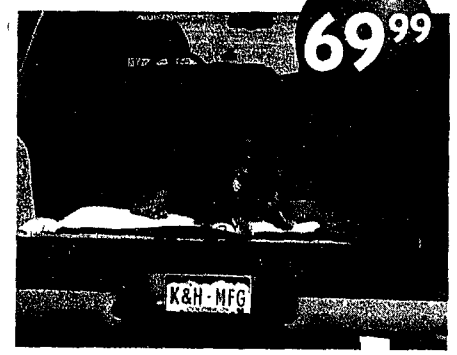
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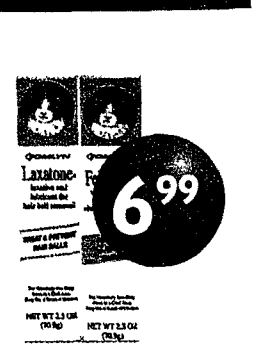
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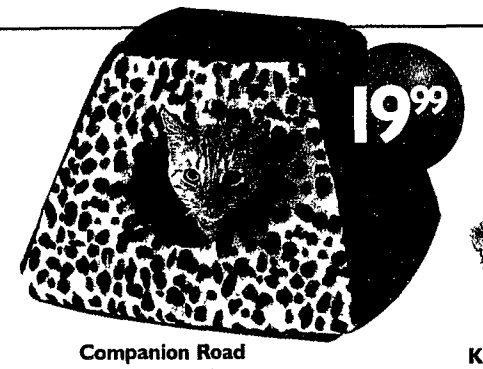
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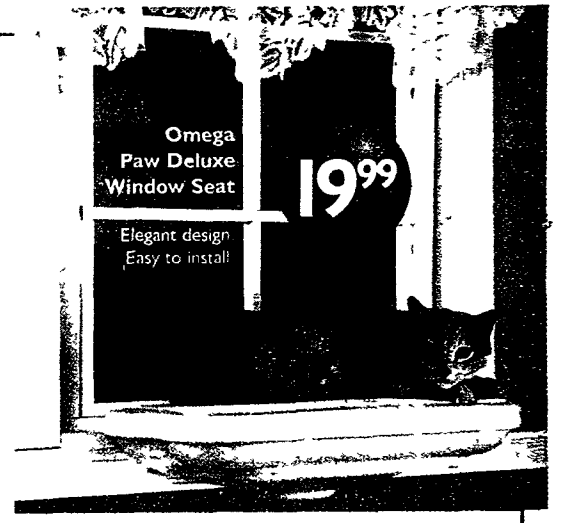
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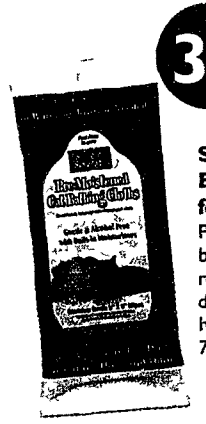
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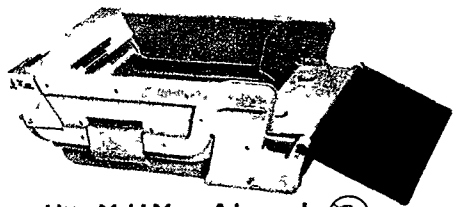
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