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Township hall on hold — again

Missed deadlines delay opening

By Kim Kovel
RECORD STAFF WRITER

Nearly four months after it was supposed to open, Northville's new township hall still isn't complete. And after two cancelled opening dates this month, Chip Snider is not a happy township manager.

"Upon inspection ... I felt that to occupy this building would be an embarrassment to the township board and to the constituents they serve," Snider said. "It was dusty and dirty. There would have been nowhere up there to store the files. The general overall condition was extremely behind schedule."

Tuesday, he announced the opening of the 40,000-square foot building will be postponed indefinitely.

"It is the opinion of this office that Usztan Construction can complete the building and when its pristine condition suits the board, then we will occupy," Snider said.

Previously, the opening was set for Oct. 11, and then Oct. 18. Whenever the move happens, the old hall and finance and building departments likely will close on a Friday and reopen the following Monday.

The incomplete list includes counters for the ground-floor departments, floor tiling in the lobby and stairwell, toilets in restrooms, heating and air-conditioning systems and outdoor landscaping.

Director of Public Services Don Weaver said when the hall opens it will bring all major township departments under one roof for the first time in more than a decade.

"We're all disappointed we weren't able to meet the deadlines. There's just no area that's done yet," Weaver said. "We want to make sure it's right. They need to have every worker they can muster."

On average, Snider said, 60 workers with

Usztan Construction are busy at the building during the day.

Usztan Project Manager Mark Turbeville said he couldn't comment on the delays, but an inspection for a temporary certificate of occupancy was slated for yesterday.

"It's going well," Turbeville said. "It's going to be a beautiful building when it's done."

The hall is part of a three-pronged project approved by the board of trustees last year. It includes a \$6.17 million hall, a new \$3.35 million fire headquarters and renovation of the old hall into a police base at \$1.63 million.

An additional \$3.9 million covers fees and interest on the 20-year bonds used to fund the work.

Weaver said Usztan's work has been peppered with problems. The original mechanical contractor's bankruptcy early this year prevented closing in the building by winter. Even the arrival of ceiling tiles from Pensacola, Fla. was delayed due to hurricanes

Once open, the building will house water and sewer, building and finance, planning and finance departments on the first floor. The second floor will have offices for the manager, supervisor and clerk.

It will contain custom-made carpeting and furniture in the township's trademark maroon color.

Fronted by a columned facade and stairs, the outside will feature heated sidewalks for winter and a waterfall that will circulate under a bridge connecting the main building to the 132-seat community room.

Township Supervisor Mark Abbo said he was also disappointed.

"It didn't occur through lack of effort," Abbo said. "We'll just make the best of the situation. The building will be opened when we'll be in a situation to best provide for meeting the needs of our residents."

For more details, see Page 21A.

Hitting the books!



Nithea Ravindran pays close attention during her advanced placement biology class at Northville High School.

BUCKLING DOWN: students and homework

For some, parent-teacher conferences yield harsh realities

By Victoria Sadlocha
RECORD STAFF WRITER

Parent-teacher conferences are finished and the first round of progress reports have delivered good or bad news to Northville parents.

The looming question: what next? Especially for parents at the receiving end of somber news.

When it comes to raising grades and making sure assign-

ment logs are complete, educators agree tackling homework is the first step toward an improved academic career.

But being successful at homework goes beyond tutoring. There is more involved in being a homework whiz kid.

Get organized

"I really think kids who take school seriously are organized 99 percent of the time," said Mary Parent, Hillside Middle School math teacher. "And the kids who don't seem to be less organized."

Parent is co-organizer of the middle school's homework helps program. The program is sponsored by Northville Youth Assistance and is available to all Hillside students at the end of the school day Monday through Thursday.



"Rarely do you see a kid in school who does well and is not organized," Parent said.

The middle school teacher attributes students' less organized habits to a variety of reasons: They are discouraged, frustrated and don't know where to start.

In response, teachers involved with the homework helps program discuss discipline, time management and organizational skills.

"Sometimes we will just help

them organize their work and teach them how to keep track of things better and teach them some systems that work," Parent said. "If you show them how to manage themselves and make them feel like they have control over the situation then hopefully it will lead to where they feel confident enough to tackle their homework."

At the high school level, using a planner is emphasized as a tool for homework management.

All students are issued a Northville Mustangs planner at the beginning of the year.

Diane Costlow, Northville High School counselor and co-organizer of the school's homework help program, said a good goal for some students is just writing their assignments down.

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Main Street project sparks local parking shift

By Maureen Johnston
RECORD STAFF WRITER

Recently begun construction of a new building located at 120 W. Main St. will mean fewer parking spaces for local shoppers and downtown employees.

And the beginning of the end for Northville's "orange-dot" parking system.

During the next few days, Department of Public Works crews will begin painting over familiar orange

dots previously designating all-day parking places for permit-holding employees.

The dots are familiar icons located in several downtown parking

lots, including the Main and Wing street lot where construction is now taking place.

The goal: open more spaces for downtown shoppers by requiring local employees to use nearby all-day free parking lots.

The Northville Downtown Development Authority's plan, endorsed by the city council, will remove half of the 60 orange dots from the Main and Wing street lot. Other public parking lots will not be revised at this time, said public works director Jim Gallogly.

The parking shift was prompted by last week's Main Street construction project.

"For many years the owner of this property has let the public park on his land," Gallogly wrote in a letter to affected businesses. "But with this new construction, these parking spaces will be gone."

Last week, Jim Long, who

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Northville's sweetest hearts seal each day with a kiss

By Maureen Johnston
RECORD STAFF WRITER

Arnold Hix on three occasions watched Helen visit the club where his orchestra played before he mustered the courage to meet her.

That was in 1933, the year three lyricists penned "their song."

In the light of a "Paper Moon," the couple's love blossomed and weathered sunshine and storm. It

took deep root, grew healthy branches and still remains strong.

Earlier this week, 90-year-old Helen gently rested her hand on her 91-year-old husband's as she leaned toward him to speak. He smiled back at her, then chimed in the details he remembered of their initial encounter.

Beyond the words, the couple shared an unspoken bond of communication. They are 70-year sweethearts.

"We better be," Arnold said

with a chuckle. The husband and wife throughout their marriage have spent each day together, caring for their home and each other, ending each day with a kiss.

"I have arthritis and he's hard-of-hearing, but other than that I think we're doing pretty good," Helen said.

The Hix family earlier this month celebrated the couple's Sept. 29, 1934 wedding. Their

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SWEETEST DAY

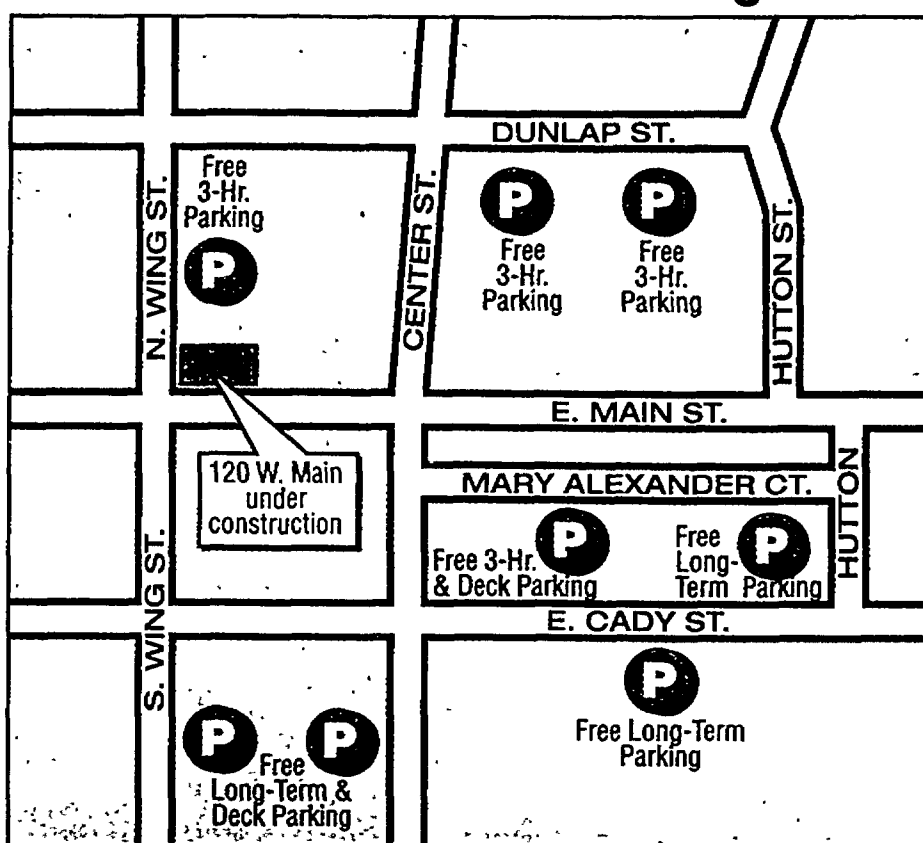
Saturday is Sweetest Day, a day when joined hearts celebrate their love — and spend money for a greeting card.

Submitted Photo

Northville residents, Arnold and Helen Hix, who recently celebrated their 70th wedding anniversary.



Downtown Northville Parking



SOURCE: Chamber of Commerce

WHERE DO I PARK?

Forty parking spaces will be eliminated to make room for local business man Jim Long's new retail-office building, located at 120 W. Main St.

Within two weeks, a gated fence will be erected 30 feet north of the current temporary chain-link barrier, and will encompass the construction zone and staging area.

The fence will also block the parking lot's Wing Street entrance through July or August of next

year, public works director Jim Gallogly said. "That will be up until he's substantially complete and it can be reopened safely," he said.

Access from Main and Dunlap streets will remain open.

Crews will remove orange dots at a rate of 8-10 a time, Gallogly said. Designated all-day parking for permitted drivers will remain along the Wing and Dunlap edges of the lot.

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began construction of a new \$2 million building. The retail-office building will feature Main Street frontage and is scheduled for a fall 2005 completion.

"We're encouraging people to park south of Cady Street so there is room for customers this Christmas season," Gallogly said. There are all-day lots behind the Michigan

Gift Mart, on the deck behind the MainCentre building, as well as further east on Cady where business owners and their staff members can park, Gallogly said.

For store patrons, there is free three-hour parking in the Main Street lots and free two-hour parking on downtown streets.

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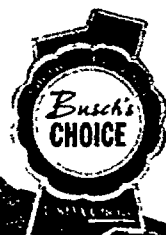
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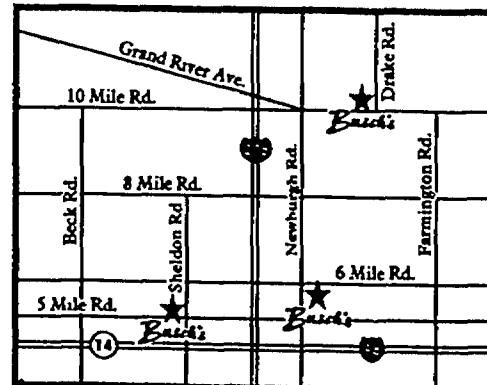
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Downtown Northville's website enjoyed record traffic during the month of September.

About 8,800 people used the website and viewed about 18,000 pages, said Curt Anderson of Municipal Web Services, the company creating and maintaining the site. The most popular page was the events page, attracting 1,000 viewers, he said.

The business guide was used by 660 people during the month to find information on downtown merchants; 400 people used the interactive walking tour application to tour the downtown.

Current and past stores recognized on the site as "Business of the Month" attracted many views, Anderson said, including 200 for this month's honoree, Girly Girl, 125 E. Main St.

He also tallied hits for Kitchen Witch, 104 views; Dancing Eye Gallery, 67 views; Vine2Wine, 65 views; Serenity Day Spa, 61 views; and VanDam's, 59 views.

Visitors find these past "busi-

ness of the month" honorees on the site because they are linked from each merchant's profile in the business guide or because search engines continue to point to these pages, Anderson said. For more information on the site, contact Lori Ward of the Northville Downtown Development Authority at (248) 349-0345.

'Your Patriot' program

The Daughters of the American Revolution, Sarah Ann Cochran Chapter of Plymouth-Northville, is hosting a sandwich luncheon at noon, Monday, Oct. 18.

The program, "Your Patriot," will be at the Northville District Library, 212 W. Cady St. Club members and potential members are invited.

For more information, call (734) 420-2775.

Gifts welcome now

Northville Civic Concern is planning its annual Christmas Adoption Program providing gifts for families, singles and

seniors in Northville community.

People interested in participating can adopt a family or individual or donate items to ensure the agency's clients have a gift to open on Christmas day.

Suggested gift items are: gift cards or gift certificates; gasoline vouchers; food; theater vouchers; telephone cards; book certificates; restaurant certificates; hair cut certificates; or gift cards from stores such as Target, Kohl's, Kmart or Meijer.

For more information, call (248)344-1033.

Women in art

The Brown Bag Lecture Series with the Detroit Institute of Arts, "Celebrate Women in Art" continues at the Art House, 215 Cady St.

The next installment in the series is 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m., Wednesday, Oct. 20. The cost is \$10 per person.

Discussion will center on "Queens, Goddesses and Divas," women as subjects for artists from around the world and throughout the centuries. See how some of these works of art

portray women of power, prestige, beauty and refinement. Coffee and dessert is provided.

Nasrziadi at (248) 348-5820.

Southwest up next

Northville Arts Commission chairman Ken Naigus will continue his travelogues from 7:30-9 p.m., next Thursday, Oct. 21, at the Art House, 215 Cady St.

His slide presentation will focus on national parks of Arizona, Utah, New Mexico and Texas. The cost is \$5 per person. Naigus, who has been photographing the park system for more than 25 years, will narrate the presentation.

Watershed planning

The public is invited to an Oct. 25 meeting on potential recreational and watershed-based education opportunities related to the Johnson Creek.

The Coldwater Springs at Johnson Creek master plan meeting is at 6:30 p.m. that Monday in the Northville Senior Community Center, 303 W. Main Street. For more information, contact Northville Township engineer Anne

Ancient Egypt

Renowned art historian, lecturer, and world traveler, Michael Farrell, will discuss the art and architecture of the Ancient World when he returns to town Tuesday, Oct. 26.

The presentation is 7:30-9 p.m. at the Art House, 215 Cady St. The cost is \$10 per person.

His talk will cover ancient Egypt — the longest continuous culture in Western Civilization — the mysteries of the pyramids, the Sphinx, and the splendor of Tutankhamen's tomb.

Sock hop

Get out those poodle skirts and saddle shoes!

New Hope Center for Grief Support of Northville is hosting a fundraiser/dance with raffle, burgers and prizes, including one for the coolest costume.

The sock hop is 7 p.m.-midnight, Friday, Nov. 12, at the Hellenic Cultural Center, 36375 Joy Road (between Newburgh

and Wayne Roads) in Westland. The cost of \$20 per person — \$12 of which is tax-deductible — includes unlimited burgers and fries. Cash bar.

New Hope is a non-profit Christian-based bereavement outreach center that provides services at no charge to those who are grieving.

To reserve a full table of 10, call New Hope by Oct. 18. A full table is \$185 (\$15 savings) and advance payment is required. For information, call (248) 348-0115.

Single Place Thursdays

First Presbyterian Church, 200 E. Main St., every Thursday hosts Single Place programs. The evening begins with social time at 7:30 p.m., opening and announcements at 7:45 p.m., with the program to follow at 8 p.m. The cost is \$5. For more information, call Sandy at (248) 349-0911.

To contribute an item for consideration in this column, e-mail mjohnston@ht.homecomm.net.

LOCAL PEOPLE

Inspired by the Salem Witch Trials, Brian Steimel, Northville High class of 1975, and his partner Raymond Masters decided to create a theatrical event that relates the lessons learned from the 1692 New England experience to the difficulties facing conviction "crucibulum infidelium" and scheduled it for completion in April 2005. A New York company

accepted several scenes of the show for preview in November.

Brian also serves as the head of circulation at Eastern Michigan University's library and is a Master of Fine Arts candidate in Drama/Theater for the Young at EMU. His father, John Steimel, served as postmaster in Northville for many years. His mother, Lorraine Steimel, is a life-long Northville resident.

BORDERS

Meet Best-selling Children's Authors Christopher Paul Curtis & Tamora Pierce



Christopher Paul Curtis - *Bucking the Sarge*
Tuesday, Oct. 19, 7:00 PM

Which author would you have chosen from the celebrated author of *Bud, Not Buddy* and *The Watson's Go to Birmingham - 1963* is here! Newbery Award-winning author Christopher Paul Curtis will sign and discuss his new release, *Bucking the Sarge* (Wendy Lamb Books).

Tamora Pierce - *Trickster's Queen*
Saturday, Oct. 23 7:00 PM

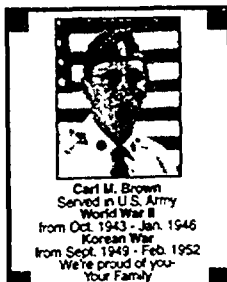
Over the past twenty years, Tamora Pierce has consistently provided young readers with stories about girl knights and warriors — all positive female role models who many fans claim have inspired in them a newfound self-confidence. Her new book, *Trickster's Queen* is the conclusion to her 2003 *Trickster's Choice* (Random House)



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SWEET HEARTS: couple enjoys 70 years as loving married couple

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daughter, Northville resident Patricia Kilgore, hosted a party of 50, including two sons, Gary and his wife Peggy of Milford and Charles of Connecticut; five grandchildren; and six great grandchildren.

Twenty years earlier, the couple celebrated their 50th anniversary in the newly constructed garage at the Six Mile Road family homestead.

A 1932 graduate of Northville High School, Helen spent most of her childhood in that house, gave birth to her oldest son there and now enjoys a leisurely pace of housework, canning tomatoes, watching daytime dramas and preparing three home-cooked meals a day.

"They don't depend on us for anything," Kilgore said. "They don't go anywhere without each other."

When Arnold drives, Helen is the navigator, she said. But mostly, Helen said, "we're homebodies."

Arnold keeps busy gardening and maintaining the yard in the warmer months and clearing snow in the winter. His preference indoors: any kind of sports. Sometimes he will watch two contests at once and listen to a third, his daughter said.

The couple fondly recalled

attending their children's high school competitions — home and away — in athletics, cheerleading and forensics. Through weekly, and sometimes daily phone calls, the Hixes keep in touch with their two sons and daughter.

From the time the newlyweds moved from the Hix farm in Gregory in 1935, their lives have intertwined with the area's history. He and she worked at Ford plants in Northville and Plymouth. Arnold worked at the Willow Run plant during World War II, they both retired from Burroughs.

They encouraged their children through Northville Public Schools and watched the community grow up around them.

"When I lived here when I was young it was too farm-like," Helen said. "Now, I love it out here."

Forty years of their marriage, the Hix family lived on Rayson Street downtown. The first room they rented cost \$10 a month, Helen recalled with a smile.

Arnold's older brother Emery and Helen Fleishman's sister, Mabel, matched up their younger siblings. Then-farmer Arnold drummed in a four-member combo as a hobby at the Grange Hall in Plymouth.

Memories of their early years together are filled with dancing —

"They don't go anywhere without each other."

Patricia Kilgore
Daughter

the Charleston, square dancing and other moves to the "pop" music of the day. At granddaughter Pam's wedding reception in 2002, the pair returned to the dance floor.

One of the couple's favorite stories is when Arnold was courting Helen, he serenaded her with "It's only a Paper Moon" during an audition at the Graystone Ballroom in Detroit. A return appearance did not land Hix a job, but his young lady was smitten.

After an 11-month courtship, they headed for Toledo to get married. On the way to their wedding, a flat tire re-routed the nuptials to a justice of the peace in Monroe.

The ceremony during the Depression was without gown, fanfare and photographs. But the vows were for life.

This Sweetest Day Saturday, Garry and Peggy will escort the

STRONG MARRIAGES

Residents are invited to hear Sandy Pourcho, from Access Christian Counseling, explore the challenges of marriage and provide tools couples can put into action immediately. Attendees will go home with a game plan for a stronger relationship.

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elder Hix to dinner.

Helen and Arnold both smiled at the suggestion they are still "sweethearts." The key to their long marriage, Helen said, is "always be together."

Maureen Johnston can be reached at (248) 349-1700, ext. 103, or mjohnston@ht.homecomm.net.



Photo by JOHN HEIDER/NORTHVILLE RECORD

Helen and Arnold Hix share a moment together in their Six Mile Road home. The two have been married for 70 years.

A match made — in a garage

By Kim Kovelie
RECORD STAFF WRITER

Three summers ago, a lonely widow and widower found love in the most unlikely place: a garage sale.

Bernie Kurzawa, 70, lost his wife to cancer a year earlier. He decided to visit and help his sister and niece sell household knick-knacks in Northville.

Northville resident Therese Bock Kurzawa, 67, stopped by to browse. "Therese came with her mother and they went in the garage and shopped around," Bernie said. "She was standing there waiting for her mother. She looked like she was a schoolteacher, and I thought she looked real pretty."

As she headed to her car, Bernie asked his matchmaking sister, Toni Forfinski, why she'd let this candidate slip by. Forfinski literally leaped.



Photo by KIM KOVELIE/NORTHVILLE RECORD

Northville residents Bernie and Therese Bock Kurzawa.

"She ran back and talked to them," Bernie said. "My sister asked her, 'Are you a widow?' first

— are you married? Are you Catholic?"

Every answer Therese gave was

promising. Forfinski rushed back to tell her brother, and Bernie headed straight to Therese.

Therese never bought a thing. Still, she got more than she bargained for. She gave Bernie her phone number.

"I figured it was safe because the family that the garage sale was with, they were with Our Lady of Victory," Therese said with a smile. When he asked if she could golf, she said no, but that she could learn.

Kurzawa called the next day. On their first date, they strolled downtown Northville.

"I was a little nervous not dating anyone for three years, but he was very friendly," Therese said. "He wanted to hold my hand and we held hands. That was sweet."

Four days later, Bernie gave her a bouquet of yellow roses with a card that read, "Thank you for the last for days. They were wonderful."

He proposed two years ago, and on Aug. 12 they were wed at Our Lady of Victory in Northville.

Between the two, there are eight children and 13 grandchildren. She

never did learn to golf, she admits, but both shop together, and he cooks.

"It's probably on your hands and toes you can count how many times I didn't call her" in the three months they dated, Bernie said. "I still call her 'honey,' too."

A year after they met, Tammy Morris, Bernie's niece, hung up a sign at a new garage sale congratulating the "Garage Sale Couple." She said her new aunt still blushes around her uncle.

This past weekend, the couple had a garage sale of their own. They sold items from the home where

Therese's mother had lived for 60 years before recently passing on.

They'll soon move to Hamburg, Mich.

"I think that they can appreciate that they're very fortunate to have a different time, but a another great love," Morris said. "I (take) credit for just stocking the garage full of junk."

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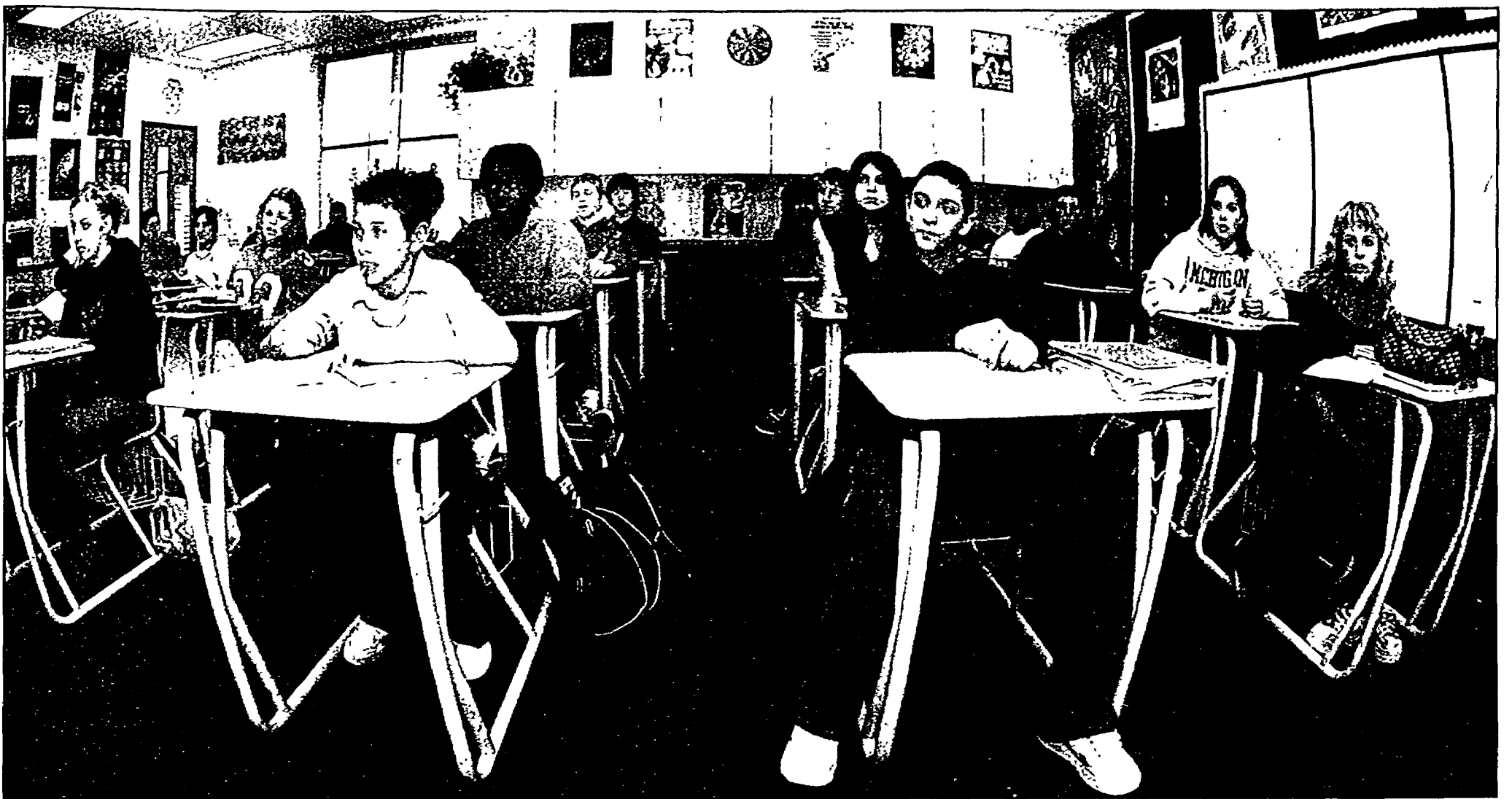


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Northville High School sophomores John Shelly, 15, and John Marshall, 15, sit at the front of the class and listen during teacher Cheri Warner's informal Algebra II class.

HOMEWORK: an assignment a day is what keeps the bad grades away

continued from front page

"That is a huge goal because some of them don't use their planners at all, so say to yourself, I will use my planner to write down what my homework is and my parents will check it and in the morning my parents will check to see the homework is done," she said.

The school's homework help program is offered Tuesdays and Thursdays from 2:30-3:30 p.m. in the forum.

It's all in the routine

Establishing a routine when it comes to homework is key.

According to the publication, "Helping Your Child with Homework," issued by the U.S. Department of Education, parents can help their students establish a successful homework schedule.

Steps include setting a daily time homework is done, removing distractions, providing supplies, pre-identifying helpful resources and choosing a predetermined study place.

According to the document, a child's homework area doesn't have to be fancy.

A desk in the bedroom is nice, but for many children, the kitchen table or a corner of the living room works just fine. The area should have good lighting and it should be fairly quiet.

The publication also suggests allowing a child to decorate a special area for homework, adding extra incentive to visit.

Parent said some students participating in the middle school's homework helpers program use the opportunity as a study hall.

"They learn good study habits, and I think they realize it is a routine," she said. "They feel comfortable, they stay and they don't leave until they get their homework done. And parents love it because they have somewhere quiet where their kids can

"I really think kids who take school seriously are organized 99 percent of the time. And the kids who don't seem to be less organized."

Mary Parent

Math teacher, Hillside Middle School

work with less distraction and when they come home their homework is done."

Kathy Michel, Sylvan Learning Center of Novi director, agrees homework should be viewed as an everyday activity.

"I think what parents need to realize is that they are the biggest advocate for their child and they have to be as involved in their education as they are in their health," Michel said. Instead of dance class, hockey or other extra curricular activities, kids may come here."

Study smart

Northville High School offers a "Y.E.S. Peer Academic Mentoring" program, matching high social and academic achieving students with those seeking help.

Costlow said one of the program's goals is having students who are looking for homework or grade enhancement help set SMART goals.

SMART stands for specific, measurable, attainable, results oriented and time bound.

Costlow said a goal for a students struggling in the homework department would be to do better at school, but a SMART goal would be to have no missing assignments appear on their next progress reports.

The counselor said the SMART goal meets the necessary criteria, better ensuring success.

For Sylvan Learning Center, studying smart means offering students a homework support program.

"We offer homework support for students who are working at grade-level but just need an extra explanation," Michel said. "They are doing fine, but sometimes just what the teacher is offering in class isn't enough for that particular student so they bring their homework in and sit with a different instructor for a different perspective."

Additional suggestions

Costlow said beyond tutoring, other homework help suggestions exist. She recommends taking long-term assignments in steps.

"If a paper is due in three weeks, don't wait until the last minute because that is what a lot of students do," Costlow said.

"Another important tip the counselor backs is reading ahead.

Costlow said if students would get in the habit of reading ahead, they would be familiar with the material and able to ask questions during class lectures.

"You know how that goes, most kids just sit there and look," Costlow said. "Most kids don't have any questions because they don't know what to ask because the subject matter is all new to them and they have not studied. If a student reads a chapter ahead then when it is presented they are more engaged."

Sylvan parent Adam Mitchell agrees getting ahead is key.

"Sylvan was an excellent resource for improving

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my son's school grades and helping him get ahead of schedule," he said.

Mitchell said his son's fourth-grade math grade improved from a C to a B-plus after receiving help with his math homework.

Costlow also credits the group Making High School Count for some great homework tips.

The group spoke to freshman, sophomore and junior students at the beginning of the school year.

"A key suggestion included dividing your notepad in half when taking notes," Costlow said.

The group explained on one side take regular lecture notes and on the other side write down questions most likely to appear on the next exam.

Costlow said the tip is fun and helps organize students thoughts while studying.

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Northville High School junior Sandra Shoukair listens during her advanced placement biology class.

Beating procrastination — in 15 steps

1. Pinpoint the fear: What is preventing you from action? Fear of pain as in going to a dentist? Fear of rejection, embarrassment or disapproval as in a class assignment or social interaction? Sometimes even fear of discovery as in going to a doctor or realizing success in an area can prevent us from proceeding.

2. Stop trying to be so perfect: Doing something is better than not doing it at all. You can refine it later.

3. Think progressively: By the time procrastination has gotten us into trouble, the tasks may seem insurmountable. Beating procrastination is a gradual process.

4. Slice the project into smaller, more manageable pieces. It doesn't have to be done at once. Start with a piece of the task so simple

that you cannot possibly justify not doing it.

5. Be specific about each piece: "I will read three pages of chapter 6 on Saturday before lunch," rather than "read chapter 6 this week."

6. Make lists of things to be done: And check them off as you complete each one. Being able to cross something off often inspires us to do another.

7. Use odd time as an ally: 10 minutes while waiting for a friend or a ride can be used to jot notes about a paper or sketch a plan for a project. Don't expect to get it all done in one sitting.

8. Try a buddy system: Arrange with someone to exchange and give feedback on each other's plans and progress.

9. Avoid distractions: They'll

only give you excuses to delay further.

10. List the pros and cons of procrastinating: Make note of the positive results completion will bring and of the negative factors that will go away once the task is done.

11. Stop threatening yourself: Positive reinforcement is more effective.

12. Reward your non-procrastinating behavior: Make it tangible and personal so that it has significance for you and doesn't require anyone else's participation. Make it appropriate; e.g., more than a jelly bean for finishing a term paper, but not a trip to Florida because you made it to class.

13. Avoid time-consuming rewards: They defeat the purpose, an afternoon uptown after you

read two chapters hampers progress. Read two chapters, take a brisk walk alone and have a cold drink. Read two more chapters, phone a friend. Remember that you want to keep working.

14. Envision completion: How did you get there? What are you free to do now? Consider bartering with the mechanics of completion. Offer to do someone's laundry or wash their car if they'll type your paper, or exchange papers with another typist.

15. Don't expect miracles: Procrastination, like any other habit formed over time, takes many new experiences to make a permanent change. Notice improvement.

Source: Willamette University

Merit Scholar shares homework suggestions

By Alexandra Hollmeyer
SPECIAL WRITER

Homework is a necessary evil, even for National Merit Scholars.

Daina Zeng, a Northville High School senior and National Merit Scholar who carries a 4.0 grade-point average, said a few simple tips and solid personal study habits are the main keys to academic success.

She said any student can apply these tips to their daily regime. Zeng said homework must become a priority.

"You have to pick and choose," she said. "Prioritize yourself and do the important assignments first."

Zeng said simply completing homework and reading assigned material makes class work easier. Staying calm is key to dealing with heavy homework loads.

"Don't stress out, just take two deep breaths and realize it's not worth it," she said.

Studying for tests also ranked high on Zeng's priority list.

"You should read and outline the chapter or material you're being tested on and then study night by night," she said. "Also, I always get up a half an hour earlier than usual on the day of a test to skim the chapter so it's fresh in my mind."

Keeping a planner and being organized are other key steps to achieving success, Zeng said. Whether you're a National Merit scholar or not, she said the same stairway to success can be climbed by anyone.

"Always get help, and never be afraid to ask questions," she said.

Alexandra Hollmeyer is a Northville High School senior and a Northville Record intern.



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Students and teachers agree, the keys to maintaining good grades is keeping up with daily homework. Doing so requires commitment, organization and routine. For some students, study groups also do the trick. Northville High School sophomore Christie Saleh, 15, gets a head start on some of her informal Algebra II classwork. Experts say getting a head start on homework is the first step to getting better grades.

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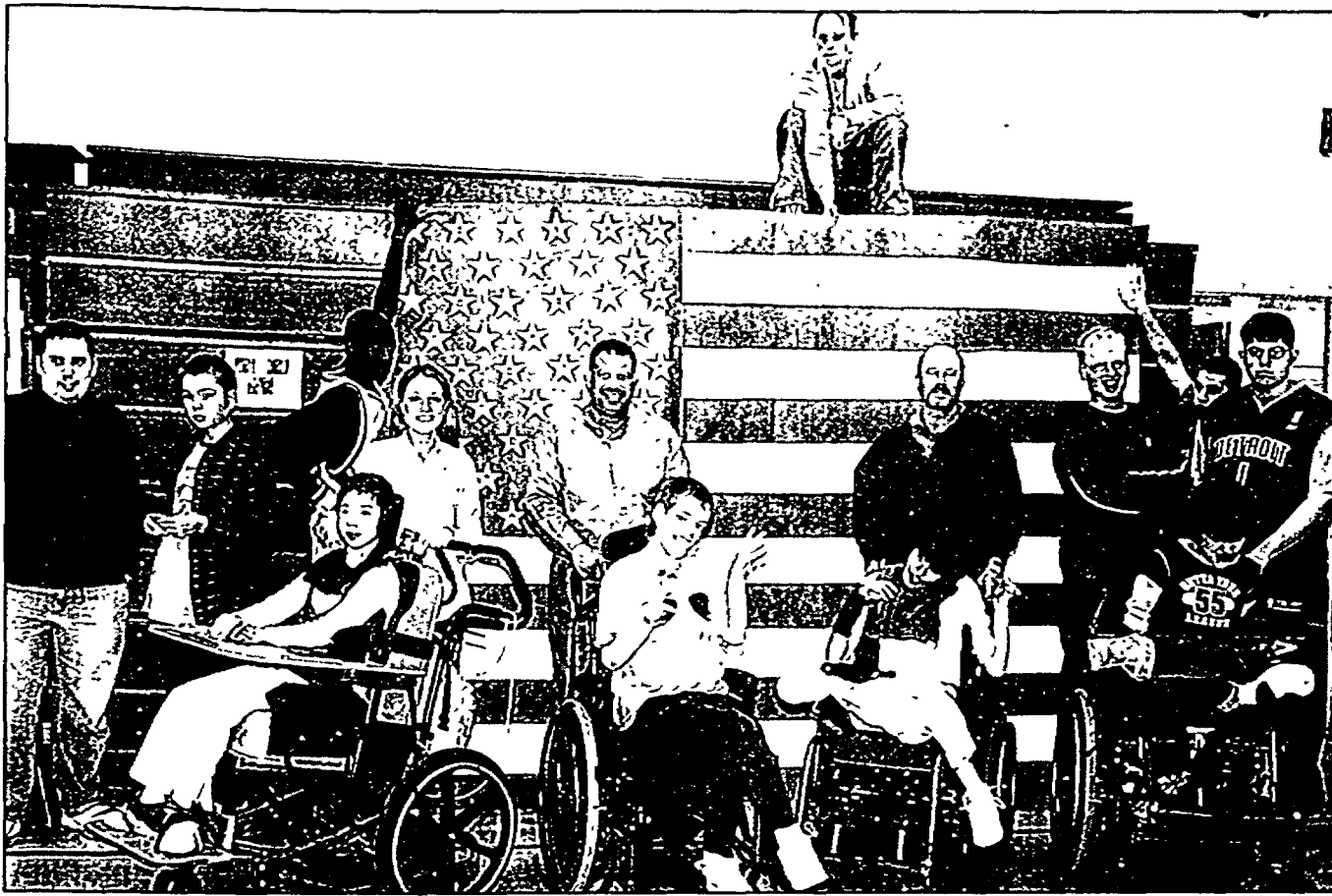


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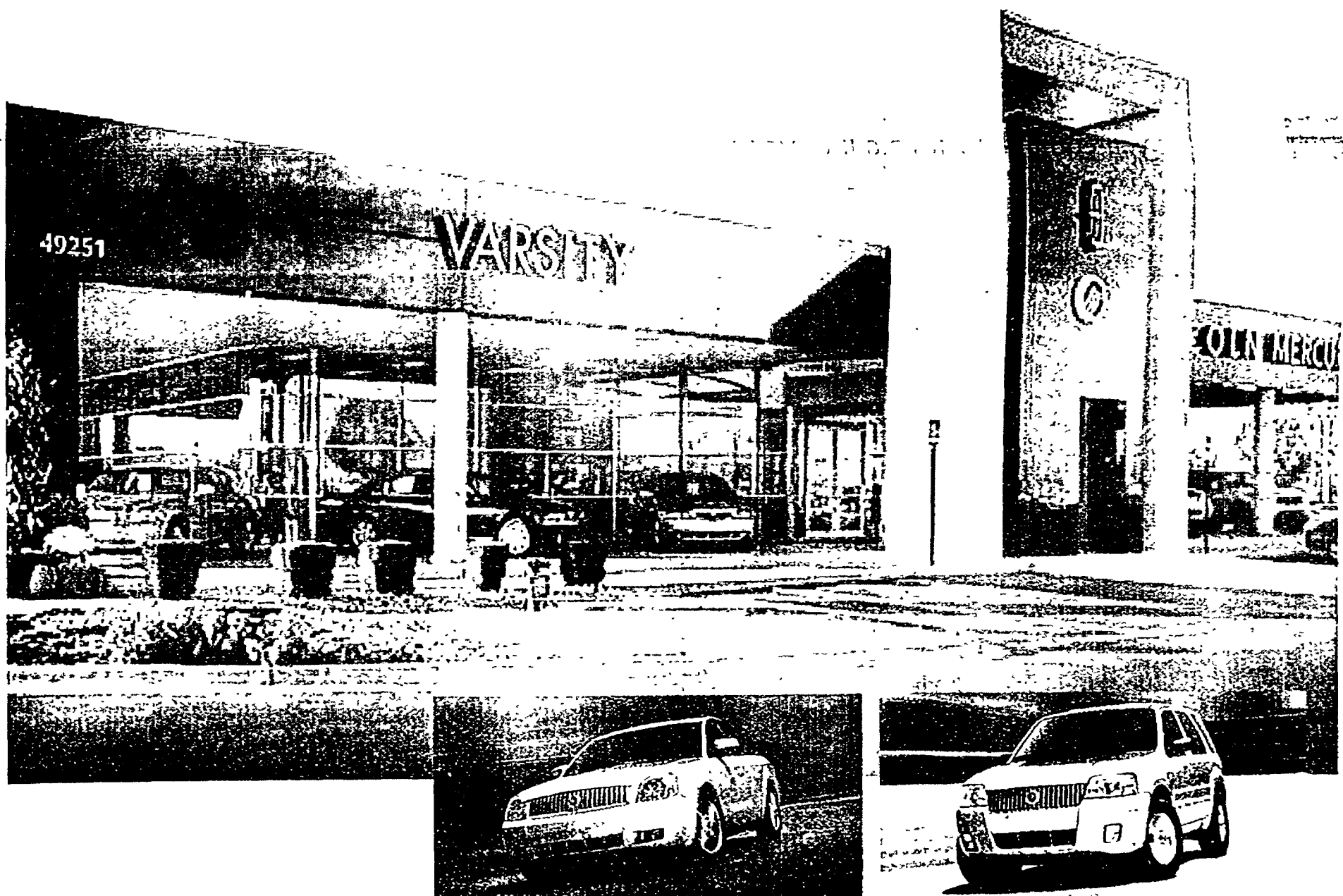
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Lillian G. Mosser, 73

Lillian Mosser of Northville died Oct. 6, 2004 at St. Mary Hospital, Livonia. She was 73. Mrs. Mosser was born on April 19, 1931 at Sault Ste Marie to the late Harvey M. Hodge and Bertha Pretty.

She was raised in Northville and moved to Plymouth. She was a graduate of Northville High School in 1949 and was an accountant for Consumers Energy for thirty-two years. She was active in the First United Methodist Church of Plymouth, an animal and nature lover who especially enjoyed gardening, bird watching and feeding. She adored cats and loved to spend time with her grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Survivors include her husband of thirty-four years, Donald H. Mosser; two children, Cindy (John) Stone of Lansing and James (Christine) Biddle of Northville; one sister, Shirley (David) McElravy of Calif.; five grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Preceding her in death was two brothers, Harvey Hodge and Homer Hodge.

A funeral service was held Oct. 12, 2004 at Casterline Funeral Home in Northville with Dr. Dean A. Klump of First United Methodist Church of Plymouth officiating. Interment will be at Rural Hill Cemetery, Northville.

Memorials may be made to Angela Hospice, 14100 Newburgh Road, Livonia, Mich. 48154, American Cancer Society, 18505 W. Twelve Mile Road, Southfield, Mich. 48076 attn: Memorial Dept., or American Diabetes Association, P.O. Box

1132, Fairfax, Va., 22038-1132. Arrangements were made by Casterline Funeral Home.

Charlene E. Charlesworth, 86

Charlene Charlesworth died Oct. 4, 2004 in Marycrest Manor, Livonia. She was 86. Mrs. Charlesworth was born on Oct. 26, 1917 in Ironton, Ohio to the late Charles Hacker and Genevieve Lipker Hacker.

She was a former resident of Northville. Prior to her retirement she was a secretary with an appliance company.

Survivors include two daughters, Terry (Peter) Baltrusz of Southfield and Nancy (Carl) Pawlowski of Plymouth; five grandchildren, Stacy Baltrusz, Michele Beesley, Mark Baltrusz, Jay Pawlowski and Rachel Pawlowski; three great-grandchildren, Paige Beesley, Shawn Beesley and Annalise Knieper; and four sisters, Helen Flegel, Mary Bartholomew, Catherine Van Deweigh and Eva Van Beck.

She was preceded in death by her husband Matthew (Jay) Charlesworth.

Funeral services were held Oct. 7, 2004 at the Northrop-Sassaman Funeral Home, Northville with Father Terrence Kerner officiating. Interment will be at Northview Cemetery, Dearborn.

Edward H. Trapp, 92

Edward Trapp died Oct. 9, 2004. He was 92. Mr. Trapp was a resident of Northville for 55 years.

Survivors include his beloved

wife, Martha Jane; and many nieces and nephews.

A funeral service was held Oct. 13, 2004 at Harry J. Will Funeral Home, Livonia. Interment will be at Glen Eden Memorial Park.

Arrangements were made by Harry J. Will Funeral Home, Livonia.

Thomas Alan Walters, 44

Thomas Walters died Oct. 9, 2004. He was 44. Mr. Walters graduated from Northville High School and was active Outward Bound and other wilderness activities. He loved drawing, cartooning, music and understanding how things worked. He had resided at the Saline Evangelical Home since 1979.

Survivors include his mother, Valeta Howe; his father, Herman (Connie) Walters; one brother, John (Evan Eyler) Walters; one sister, Kathy (Martin) Overington; one niece, Kathie; one nephew, Devin; two stepbrothers, Kevin (Debbie)

Podolski and Stephen (Kim) Podolski; and three step-sisters, Dawn M. Kee, Debbie (Timothy) Grange and Cheryl Lynn Podolski.

Cremation has taken place. A celebration of Tom's life will be held at 6 p.m., Friday, Oct. 15, 2004 at Borek Jennings Funeral Home, Hamburg Chapel, 7425 M-36 in Hamburg. The family will receive friends on Friday from 3 p.m. until time of service. Please sign Tom's guestbook at www.BorekJennings.com.

Tom received excellent and loving care at the Saline Evangelical Home and was a part of that community for 25 years. Memorials, in lieu of flowers, may be made to the Saline Evangelical Home in recognition of these relationships and of the devoted care that Tom received.

Arrangements were made by Borek Jennings Funeral Home, Hamburg.

Herbert Harold Genendlis, 73

Herbert Genendlis of Tampa, Fla. died Sept. 30, 2004. He was 73. Mr. Genendlis was born in Detroit and moved to Tampa in 1985. He was a retired Master Sergeant having served in the U.S. Marine Corps.

Survivors include his companion, Barbara Gordon; three daughters, Karen Marie Genendlis of Calif., Victoria Ann (Mark) Cumings of Wash. and Mary Louise (Phillip) Stark of Northville; two stepsons, Robert Rosen of Calif. and Bryan (Nina) Gordon of Mich.; one stepdaughter, Shellie (Mark) Jelink of Australia; two brothers; three sisters; and ten grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by one son, Louis and one sister, Beverly.

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Orthodontic Specialist
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TAKE A BOW

Students

The 2005 Northville High School National Merit Scholarship Program semi-finalists are: Adam Ajlouni, Steven Bennett, Andrew Buran, Christopher Kawatsu, Anne Kirkpatrick, Sarah Manley and Justine Sheu. The seven students will move forward in the scholar-

ship competition. The 2005 National Merit Scholarship Program commended students from the high school are: Robin Abbey-Lee, Nicholas Kuneman, Casey Lwo, Renee O'Neill, Nikita Patel, Alicia Raisinghani, Vanessa Sheu, Sarah Tochman, Brigitte Warner and Daina Zeng. Northville resident Kyle

VanHemert was named as a 2005 Greenhills School National Merit Scholarship Program semi-finalist. VanHemert is a senior at the Ann Arbor school.

The arts

Northville High School senior Micaela Drolshagen will perform as a principal dancer in the

Grosse Pointe Dance Center and Pointe Ballet Detroit production of the "Nutcracker." Performances will take place 7 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 11 and 2 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 12 at Parcels Middle School in Grosse Pointe Woods. The 17-year-old student recently located to the community from Grosse Pointe.

Former Northville High School graduate Amy Frankel continues appearing in the touring production of "42nd Street," making a stop on Broadway this month. She performed at the Ford Center in New York on Oct. 1. The 1996 graduate began touring with the production in 1992, making a stop in Detroit.

Local resident fishes for a football tune

Northville resident Matthew McClish will perform at Ford Field Sunday, singing the national anthem at the Detroit Lions versus Green Bay Packers football game. The Central Michigan University student is one of nine members in the a cappella group, Fish 'n' CHIPS. The group, created in January 2003 and based in Mount Pleasant, performs around the CMU campus and in the local community. Fish 'n' CHIPS' largest performance to date was for an audience of 650 at Mount Pleasant High School. On Sunday, Oct. 17 the group expects to perform for a national television audience and 60,000 fans. Kickoff is at 1 p.m. and may be seen on WJBK-TV.

Memorial golf shoot-out slated for Bushwood Oct. 24

Golfers can tee off or putt away at a chance for prize money at a memorial shoot-out Oct. 24.

Bob Legel is hosting the event in memory of his wife Mignonne, who died in May last year. The goal of the event at Bushwood Golf Club, 39430 Dun Rovin Dr., is to increase awareness of the need for anti-nausea research.

There is no cost for participation. Bushwood is allowing the Legel family's use of the first hole and

putting green for two contests: one-shot nearest the pin and one-putt nearest the cup. There are \$100 prizes for both categories.

"Min died of bone cancer and suffered intolerable nausea right up to her death," Legel said. Eleven doctors in four facilities saw or treated her on an emergency and out-patient basis for six weeks prior to her diagnosis and could not alleviate her constant nausea and vomiting; seven prescription drugs also

failed, he said.

The shoot-out is Legel's way to increase awareness of the affliction in an effort to establish treatment before diagnosis and hospice, he said.

Bushwood is providing golf balls and clubs, general manager Pete Zaranek said. George Dimopoulos, owner of the soon-to-open Senate Restaurant on the premises, will donate warm beverages and snacks to participants, Zaranek said.

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Bullying bill sees legislative daylight Turning the teasing corner

Stewart pitches bill aimed at thwarting school harassment

By Victoria Sadlocha
RECORD STAFF WRITER

Last year, State Rep. John C. Stewart (R-Plymouth) introduced a bill against bullying in Michigan schools.

House Bill 4957 was introduced July, 2003 and referred to the Committee on Education. But it was not until last week the bill attracted great attention.

Stewart said his phone has been ringing off the hook following the publicity surrounding Novi High School student, Alexandra Burris.

Burris became the center of a national media frenzy following her appointment to the high school's homecoming court.

Rumors spread throughout the school the 15-year-old sophomore was appointed to the court as a prank, largely because she did not fit the trim physical bill of high school royalty.

Stewart said the notion is an example of high school bullying and that is why his bill was thrust in the limelight.

"I don't agree with mocking this girl at all," Stewart said. "That is not going to help her weight problem."

Stewart said if it is found students were behind the controversy, they should be counseled and sent through sensitivity training.

Punishment is part of the representative's initiative.

The bill states by May 1, 2005 public school

districts and academies must adopt and implement a bullying policy.

According to the bill, "at a minimum, the policy shall define bullying, prescribe consequences for pupils for bullying and establish a procedure for the investigation of a report made by a pupil or employee that an incident has occurred."

Stewart said the concept is simple.

"The bill is based on two old-fashioned rules," he said. "One, you never touch someone else without their consent and two, you don't use vulgarity in public."

Cyber-bullying is another aspect Stewart is proud to tackle as part of his drive.

"What if some middle school boy sets his sights on some middle school girl," Stewart said. "In my generation the girl would say get away from me you pest, go. But kids aren't doing that these days."

Stewart said now, the girl is being propositioned at school and then when she finally makes it home, the propositioning continues through computer instant messaging.

"If you put someone in a very, very uncomfortable situation by your speech, by your repeated contacts, it goes from harassment to bullying," Stewart said. "People have to have someone to turn to."

The representative's decision to sponsor the bill came after the number of problems he heard from teachers, social workers and school

psychologists.

"You can call it harassment, you can call it whatever you want, but the new term is bullying," Stewart said. "We talk about stress relief and drugs and we talk about kids and suicide. What we have got to do is give them a little freer environment to be themselves."

Stewart said he hopes a signature by the Governor will result in reducing the amount of bullying and harassment, raise a level of awareness and send a message there is going to be consequences if people don't go back to the basics.

Stewart's anti-bullying bill sits in the House of Education Policy committee.

"We have a duty to provide a safe environment. A non-harassment, non-bullying environment," he said. "The obese person doesn't need the hassle and the skinny, little person doesn't either."

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More than 10 years ago, Northville High School was the site of a homecoming prank.

"One year they (the students) elected a young man who was a special education youngster," said Dennis Colligan, principal of Northville High School.

"A group of guys did the nominating and we had to get involved. It was so similar to how Novi handled it, I think they did a great job. We had to do an interview with the young man and had to interview the young man's parents and make sure they wanted to continue to go through with it."

"And you know what happened? It rallied everyone to be so supportive and to support the situation that it ended up being a real positive and a real positive experience for the young man and he was elected homecoming king."

Colligan said homecoming

events have run smoothly ever since.

"We have had no problems lately, the kids have been absolutely great," he said. Although recent coverage of homecoming pranks at Novi High School has piqued the principal's attention.

Colligan said the topic has generated discussions in student and administrator circles. He does not anticipate Northville will make any changes, but is examining all ideas put forth in recent weeks.

One idea Colligan likes is having nominees validate their nominations by agreeing to run.

The school's current policy advocates students nominating classmates followed by a voluntary, school-wide vote.

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Hot school topic

Firefighters offer safety tips to students

By Victoria Sadlocha
RECORD STAFF WRITER

When third-grade students at Silver Springs Elementary School were asked if they slept with their bedroom doors closed, less than half of the children raised their hands.

To Northville Township firefighter, Dan Dipple, the response meant the majority of the class was not practicing the best fire-safety practices.

"You want to keep the smoke out and keep the room very safe," Dipple said. "When the door is closed, smoke doesn't come into your room."

Dipple said statistically rooms with closed doors have nearly one hour before they are in danger, plenty of time for firefighters to arrive and help occupants to safety.

Firefighters said another tip to remember is do not jump out of a window or slide down a gutter, as one student suggested.

The tips were part of a Wednesday, Oct. 6 presentation by members of the Northville Township Fire Department before students of the Northville school during National Fire Prevention week.

Uniformed firefighters discussed the importance of a safe home using the department's Hazard House as a visual aid.

The doll-house size home is a model equipped with many safety blunders, smoke, audible fire alarms and the zapping buzz of electrical mishaps.

Township firefighter Hugh Jordan had the enjoyable job of activating the home's effects, causing jumps and giggles out of the petite crowd.

"We want you guys to be safe wherever you're at, but especially at home," Dipple told the students.

Lessons in each room ranged from do not use water on a stove fire, never overload electrical outlets and keep all cupboards containing cleaners and chemicals closed or better yet locked.

A refresher course on when to dial 9-1-1 also entered the discussion.

"Would you call it for fun?" Dipple asked the students.

"Would you call it to order a pizza? No, you call it for emer-

FIRE SAFETY TIPS

Room-by-room fire safety tips:

Kitchen:
• Do not place items over a stove that could catch fire
• If faced with a stove fire, replace the lid, turnoff the stove and use a fire extinguisher or baking soda if necessary

Bathroom:
• Do not keep radios or other electrical equipment over a bathtub
• Never place a curling iron on a bath towel after use

Bedroom:
• Never fall asleep with a lit cigarette — cigarettes can sit for hours and still cause a fire
• Never place portable heaters by flammable items
• If fire is suspected, go to the door and touch the handle to see if it is hot — if it is hot, do not open
• If fire is suspected on the other side of a door, go to a window and yell for help

Family room:
• Always have something in front of a fireplace like screens or doors

• Do not place rugs in front of a fireplace in case of sparks
• Use power strips and never overload electrical outlets
• Never place rugs or blankets over electrical cords — the coating may rub off and a fire could start

Utility room:
• Always keep gas cans and outdoor items like barbecue grills and lawnmowers outside
• Do not ever leave the house when the clothes dryer is on

Everywhere:
• Keep key rooms equipped with fire extinguishers
• Every home should have as many smoke detectors as possible, with a minimum of one per floor

More fire-safety rules:
• In case of a fire, always drop on the floor and crawl to safety
• Always make sure firefighters can easily locate house members inside

• Never hide under a bed or in a closet
• People first, animals second — when able, firefighters will bring pets to safety
• Never go back into a house if fire is suspected

Source: Northville Township Fire Department

gencies only."

Students participated in the presentation by placing smoke detectors and fire extinguishers in the house where needed.

"I learned that fire can injure you very badly if you don't get help quick," said Nikola Jakic, Silver Springs third-grade student. "And I learned things can get electrocuted and catch fire quickly and find a meeting place."

The importance of having a home escape plan, including a meeting place, was stressed during the presentation.

Dipple said every plan must outline two ways out of the

house and include one predetermined meeting place.

"You always want to make sure you have on place to go," he said. "Firefighters need to know everyone is accounted for."

On Tuesday, Oct. 5, township firefighters presented a fire-safety program for the school's kindergarten students.

The program was a part of the Silver Springs Elementary School Junior Enrichment Series.

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Northville Township firefighters Hugh Jordan and Dan Dipple brought their instructional "fire house" to a Silver Springs Elementary assembly last week. The house allow kids to see room by room how to make their homes safe from fire hazards.

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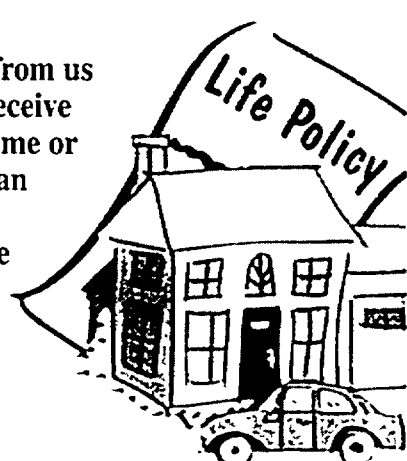
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A petition is circulating asking Northville Public Schools to include stringed instrument instruction at district schools. The initiative was started by a group of families called, Stings in Our Schools. Group representatives said the district offers several choir and band opportunities at the middle and high school levels, but no opportunities to play violin, viola, cello or bass. Representatives said they would like to see stringed instrument involvement offered from sixth to 12th grade. Reasons group members said they would like to see string participation include research shows playing a musical instrument "re-wires" the brain to make it more receptive to higher-level mathematical reasoning; a stringed ensemble would enhance the culture of the community with performances at major festivals; about 50 area students play stringed instruments; and districts

like Birmingham, Bloomfield Hills and Grosse Pointe provide stringed instrument instruction. The petition is located at the Northville Center for Music and Art, 145 N. Center Street. For more information, call Andrea Logan at (248) 596-9980 or e-mail at a2logan@aol.com.

Rummage Sale

St. Paul's Lutheran School will hold its annual rummage sale 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Friday, Oct. 15 and 9 a.m.-noon Saturday, Oct. 16 at the school, 201 Elm St. Sale proceeds will go toward school building improvements. For more information, call (248) 349-3146.

Poetry Contest

The Food Bank of Oakland County is sponsoring a poetry contest for students in third through eighth grades, aiming to heighten awareness of hunger and the food bank program. Poems will be judged on creativity, appropriateness to the theme of hunger and overall poetic style. Entries must be post marked by Nov. 1. Winners will be announced Dec. 1 and invited to a

poetry reading and awards reception in mid December along with receiving a cash prize or gift certificates to Star Theaters. For contest rules and other information, call Denise at (248) 332-1473 or visit www.fboc.org.

Food Drive

Hillside Middle School will be holding a food drive benefiting Civic Concern 7:30-8:10 a.m. every day the week of Oct. 25-29 in the hallway outside of the auditorium. Requested items include tuna fish, macaroni and cheese, canned meat stews, cereal, breakfast bars, liquid laundry detergent, diapers, tissues, dishwashing detergent, bars of soap, shampoo, conditioner, paper plates, napkins, Band-Aids and toothpaste. No expired foods will be accepted. The drive is part of the middle school's spirit week activities.

Community Credit Union

The newest branch of Community Financial's student credit union opened last week at Thornton Creek Elementary School. During the afternoon Thursday, Oct. 7 grand opening,

representatives from the credit union presented members of the Northville Education Foundation with a cash donation. Following the presentation, students began making deposits.

Early Learning Series

Northville Public Schools Early Childhood Center will host an Early Learning Series program 6:30-8:30 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 26 in the auditorium of Hillside Middle School, 775 N. Center St. Mark Tompkins will discuss intrinsic motivation and praise versus encouragement. Tompkins is an elementary school principal in East Grand Rapids; a former High Scope trainer; and an international presenter on childhood development, active learning and early learning success. The free program is geared toward Northville area parents with children newborn to age 5. For more information and to register, call (248) 344-8465.

NYA lecture

New York Times best-selling author Dr. Dan Kindlon will speak 7 p.m. Monday, Oct. 18 in the Hillside Middle School auditorium, 775 N. Center St. Kindlon is a clinical psychologist, Harvard University professor and author of "Raising Cain: Protecting the Emotional Life of Boys." While in Northville, he will discuss the social and emotional challenges boys encounter in school and show parents how they can help boys cultivate emotional awareness and empathy, giving them the connections and support needed to navigate the social pressures of youth. Admission is free and open to non-residents. For more information, call Mary Ellen King, director of Northville Youth Assistance, at (248) 344-1618.

Ladies night

Organizers of Hillside Middle School's Ladies Holiday Shopping Night Out are accepting applications from home-based vendors interested in rent-

ing a booth at the annual fundraising event. The fee is \$15 and applications are being accepted through mid-October. More than 25 vendors have already been approved with limited spots available. Some of the vendors include Creative Memories, Arbonne, Pampered Chef and many jewelry, handbag, wreath and glassware makers. The event will take place 6-9 p.m. Friday, Nov. 5 and is one of the Hillside Middle School PTSA's largest events of the year. For more information, call Debbie Laya at (248) 349-1720.

School board meeting

The next Northville Board of Education meeting is 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 26 at Hillside Middle School, 775 N. Center St. For more information, call (248) 349-3400.

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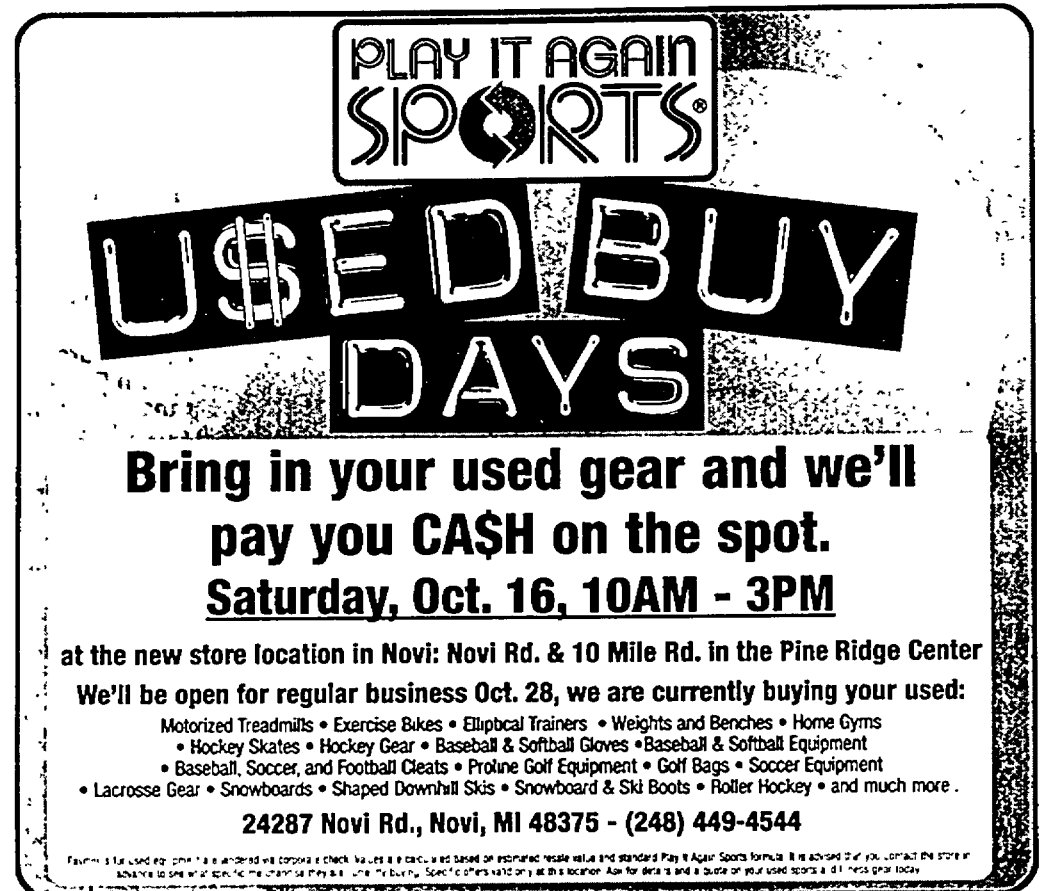
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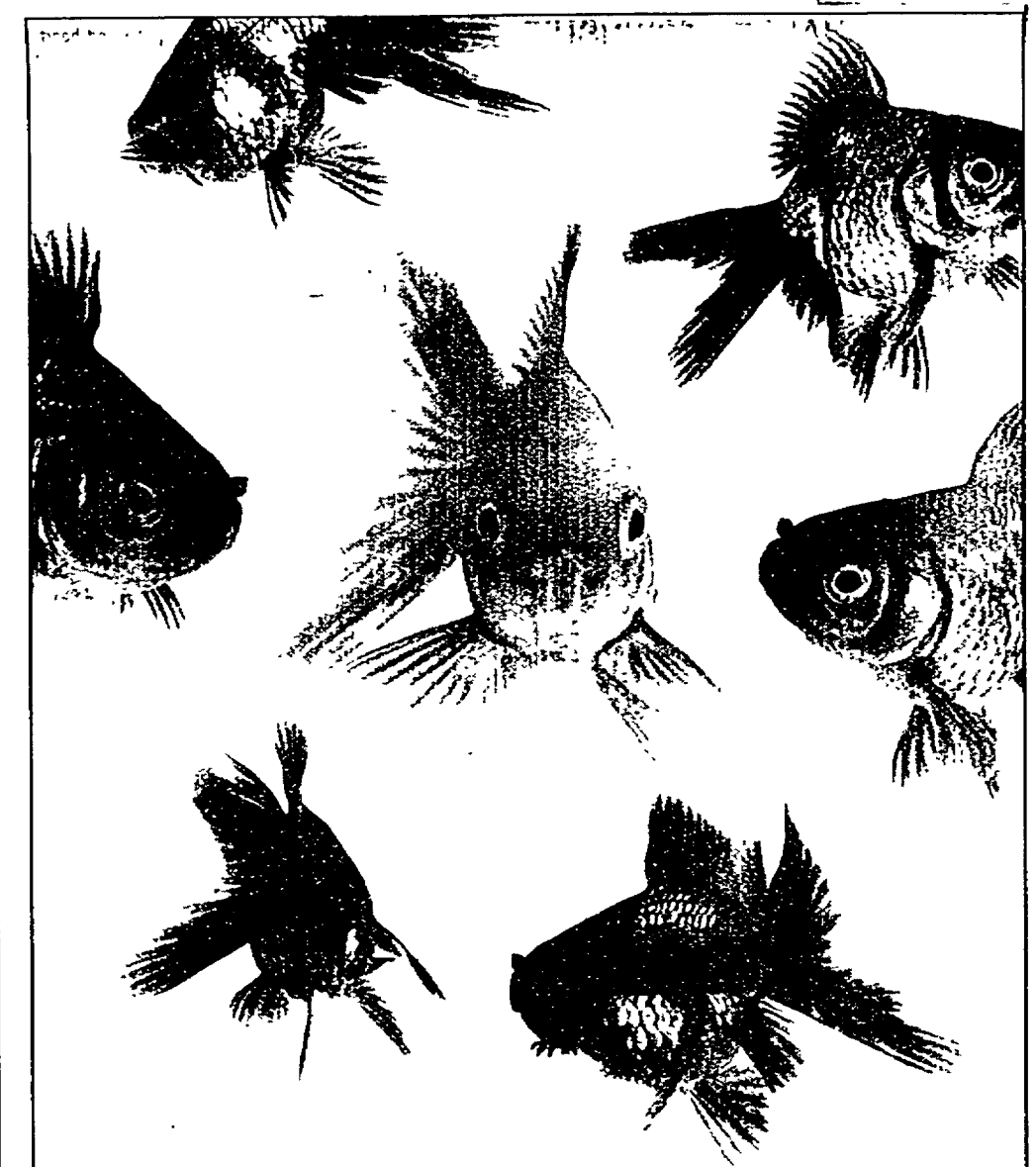
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Corriveau hits campaign trail

Northville attorney challenges for House seat, vows reform

By Maureen Johnston
RECORD STAFF WRITER

Marc Corriveau wants to tone down partisan divisiveness in Lansing and tune in hometown priorities.

The Northville attorney is challenging Rep. John Stewart (R-Plymouth) for the 20th District seat in the Nov. 2 election. His experience representing clients in resolving conflicts has helped prepare him for this new role, he said.

Corriveau, a Democrat, said partisan politics in the state Legislature — like the rhetoric at the national level — prevent consensus building that could lead to solutions to real-life issues.

The challenge of rising health-care costs brought him into the race. "Right now, nothing is being done," Corriveau said.

He said residents need a common-sense approach to providing quality health care and prescription coverage without sacrificing quality of care. As owner of a small business, he said he has personal experience when it comes to making difficult choices.

He said Michigan's high health care costs often lead businesses to find homes in other states. They also prevent Michigan from successfully recruiting new businesses. "We're losing jobs at a critical level," Corriveau said.

Building a foundation

Corriveau said escalating health care costs would be a top legislative priority, if elected. He also favors tax abatements and small business tax credits and would support a bipartisan task force to help Michigan better recruit out-of-state businesses.

"Creating a business environment that's friendly will bring businesses into Michigan," he said. Keeping companies in the state would mean creating jobs, growing the economy and spending, which produces taxes that benefit schools.

As a true public servant,

Corriveau said, he will work toward bi-partisan solutions. "Hard decisions need to be made," Corriveau said. "We need to decide what services are important to us, then decide how we're going to fund them."

He said a small group of Democrat and Republican representatives from the Senate, House and governor's office should find a way to tweak Proposal A, the method by which public education is currently funded.

Both sides agree it is not working, he said. "We need to come up with a proposal each side can agree on how to fix it," he said. Corriveau said he would bring a willingness to explore fresh suggestions to the state representative's office.

"We have to be open to the idea of changing it and fixing it," he said. The state needs to act on education before the funding dilemma becomes a crisis like health care has on a national level, he said.

The candidate said he endorses President George W. Bush's "No Child Left Behind" goal of quality education. But the mandate must be properly funded. "We need to equip (school officials) before we hold them accountable," he said.

Willing to listen

Corriveau said he does not have all the legislative answers, but he will work hard to find those posed by constituents.

Police and fire protection, infrastructure and roads remain strong priorities for residents of Northville, Plymouth, Wayne and Canton, Corriveau said. He said people are willing to pay for services they determine are essential.

The job of a good legislator is to have a pulse on what is important, then go and speak up on behalf of those concerns in Lansing, Corriveau said. Balancing the budget also is essential, he said.

"Part of the problem is there's not a lot getting done because of a real rift in the state," he said. "It's tangible."

Corriveau said he personally supports Proposal 1, a ballot initiative allowing local communities to decide for themselves if they want electronic gambling. For years, Northville Downs officials have tried to convince the state legislature to allow video gambling at the Sheldon Road racetrack.

Ideally, Corriveau said casinos should be centralized in Detroit. Term limits for state lawmakers

"We need to decide what services are important to us, then decide how we're going to fund them."

Marc Corriveau
Candidate, 20th District State Representative

are not necessarily the answer, Corriveau said. Continuous turnover in representative positions lends an air of disruption. There also is a disproportionate number of attorneys who take on the job, he said. Law is a profession relatively easy to leave and return.

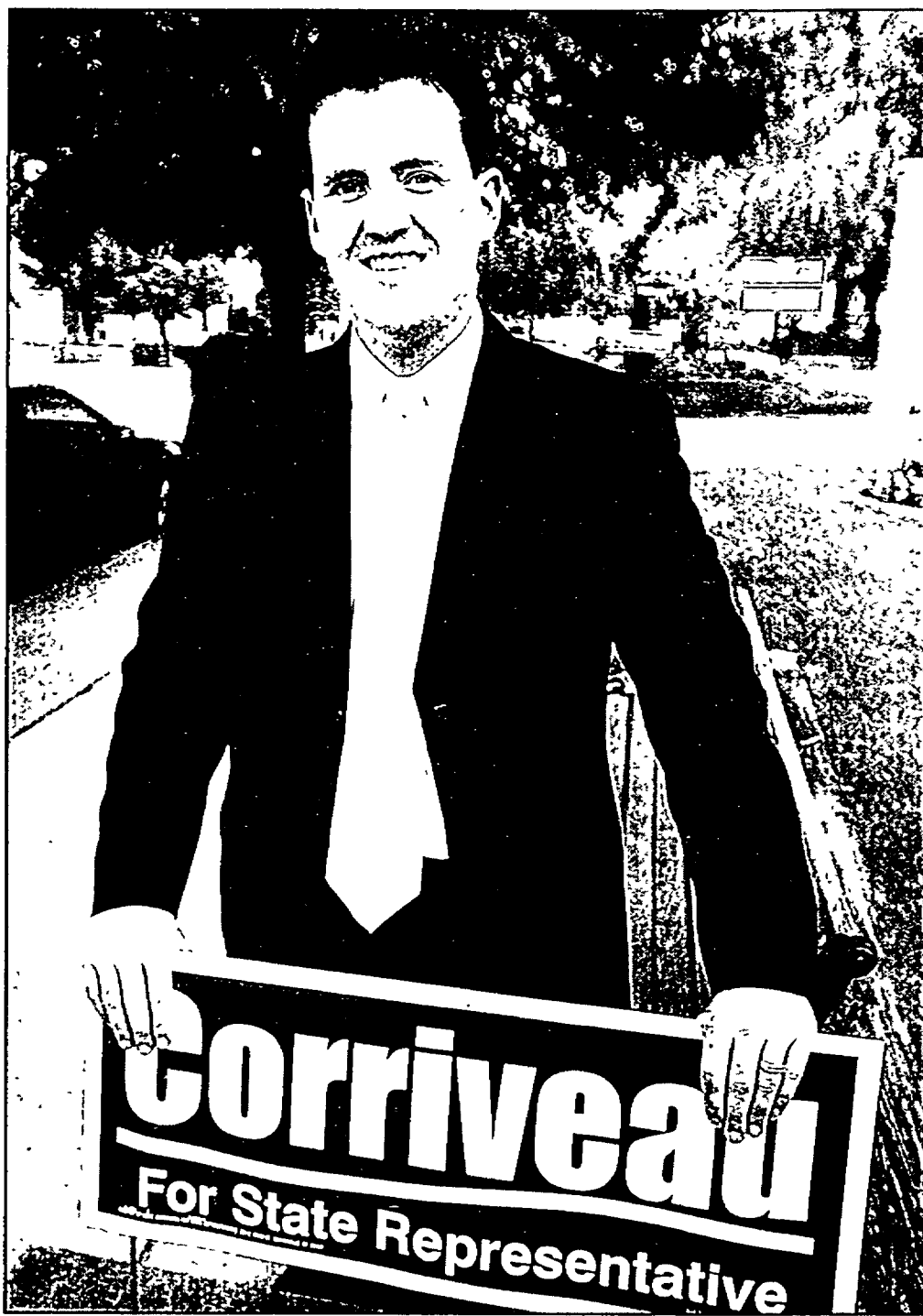
Corriveau said he takes seriously the impact a state representative can have on residents' daily lives. "What's important to you is important to me," said the father of two. "I know it sounds a little hokey."

"You want to put in place a representative who you trust to represent your interests. I think that's what a public servant is supposed to be."

Maureen Johnston can be reached at (248) 349-1700, ext. 103, or mjohnston@ht.homecomm.net.

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NORTHVILLE RECORD

Northville attorney Marc Corriveau is a 20th District candidate for the Michigan State House of Representatives.



CITY OF NORTHVILLE NOTICE OF PUBLIC ACCURACY TEST

A public accuracy test for the November 2, 2004 General Election has been scheduled for Tuesday, October 19, 2004 at 9:00 a.m. at the Northville City Hall, 215 W. Main Street, Northville, Michigan 48167. The public accuracy test is conducted to determine that the program and the computer being used to tabulate the results of the election, counts the votes in the manner prescribed by the law.

Candidates and other interested parties are invited to attend

(10-14-04 NR 171839)

DIANNE MASSA,
CITY CLERK

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SCHOOLCRAFT COLLEGE PUBLIC NOTICE

Published in accordance with Public Act 331 (1966), as amended. Schoolcraft College announces that the financial audit for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2004, has been completed by Plante & Moran, LLP, Ann Arbor, Michigan. It has been presented to the College Board of Trustees and has been accepted by them.

Notice is hereby given that the audit is available for public inspection in the Finance and Business Services Office in the McDowell Center at the College, 18600 Haggerty Road, Livonia, Michigan, on weekdays, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

JILL F. O'SULLIVAN
Vice President and CFO

Publish October 14, 2003

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE NOTICE OF 2nd PUBLIC HEARING

Date: Thursday, October 21, 2004
Name of SAD: Pine Creek Estates
Purpose of SAD: Lighting Improvement
Special Assessment District (SAD)

To the residents and property owners of the Charter Township of Northville, Wayne County, Michigan, and any other interested persons:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that as a result of petitions signed by the record owners of land whose area constitutes more than 51% of the total area of the hereinafter described Pine Creek Estates Lighting Improvement special assessment district, the Township Board believes the project to be in the best interests of the subdivision and the township, and to create a special assessment for the recovery of the cost thereof by special assessment against the properties benefited therein.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the district within which the foregoing improvements are proposed to be made and within which the cost thereof is proposed to be assessed is more particularly described as follows:

Pine Creek Estates Subdivision - Lots 1 through 17

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the Township Board has received costs for the improvements and energy costs in the approximate amount of \$138.24 per parcel per year and \$75.73 per parcel per year, respectively, has placed the same on file with the Clerk, has passed a resolution tentatively declaring its intention to make such improvements and to create the aforementioned Special Assessment District and has further tentatively found the Petition, for the improvement, to be in compliance with statutory requirements.

That the Supervisor has further reported that the assessment against each parcel of land within said district is such relative portion of the whole sum levied against all parcels of land in said district as the benefit to such parcels bears to the total benefit to all parcels of land in said district.

FURTHER that the Board of Trustees, of the Charter Township of Northville will meet at Township Hall, located at 44405 W. Six Mile Road, Northville, Michigan on Thursday, October 21, 2004 at 7:30 p.m. for the purpose of reviewing said special assessment role and hearing any objections thereto. Said role may be examined at the office of the Township Clerk during regular business hours of regular business days until the time of said hearing and may further be examined at said hearing.

An owner, or party of interest, or his or her agent may appear in person at the hearing to protest the special assessment, or shall be permitted to file his or her appearance of protest by letter and his or her personal appearance shall not be required.

(9-30 & 10-14-04 NR 166817)

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE PRIMARY ELECTION NOTICE

To the qualified electors, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a General Election will be held in the Township of Northville on Tuesday, November 2, 2004, for the purpose of nominating candidates of all participating parties for the following offices:

President and Vice President
Representative in Congress
State Representative
State Representative - 20th District
State Board of Education
University of Michigan Regent
Michigan State University Trustee
Wayne State University Governor
Prosecuting Attorney
County Clerk
Judge of the Circuit Court - 3rd Judicial Circuit Incumbent
Judges of the Court of Appeals - 1st District Incumbent
Judge of the Circuit Court - 3rd Judicial Circuit Non-incumbent
Judge of the Circuit Court - 3rd Judicial Circuit Incumbent
Judges of the Circuit Court - 3rd Circuit Incumbent
Judges of the Probate Court - Incumbent
County Commissioner
Township Supervisor
Township Clerk
Township Trustees
Justices of the Supreme Court
County Treasurer
Northville District Library Board
Register of Deeds
Sheriff

And to vote on the following two statewide proposals:

PROPOSAL 04 - 1

A PROPOSAL TO AMEND THE STATE CONSTITUTION TO REQUIRE VOTER APPROVAL OF ANY FORM OF GAMBLING AUTHORIZED BY LAW AND CERTAIN NEW STATE LOTTERY GAMES

The proposed constitutional amendment would:

- Require voter approval of any form of gambling authorized by law after January 1, 2004.
- Require voter approval of any new state lottery games utilizing "table games" or "player operated mechanical or electronic devices" introduced after January 1, 2004.
- Provide that when voter approval is required, both statewide voter approval and voter approval in the city or township where gambling will take place must be obtained.
- Specify that the voter approval requirement does not apply to Indian tribal gaming or gambling in up to three casinos located in the City of Detroit.

Should this proposal be adopted? Yes No

PROPOSAL 04 - 2

A PROPOSAL TO AMEND THE STATE CONSTITUTION TO SPECIFY WHAT CAN BE RECOGNIZED AS A "MARRIAGE OR SIMILAR UNION" FOR ANY PURPOSE

The proposal would amend the state constitution to provide that "the union of one man and one woman in marriage shall be the only agreement recognized as a marriage or similar union for any purpose."

Should this proposal be adopted? Yes No

Polling Locations for Northville Township

The following polling locations will be open at 7:00 a.m. and will remain open until the close of polls at 8:00 p.m.

Precincts 1, 15
Moraine Elementary School 46811 Eight Mile Road
Precincts 2, 8, 9, 13, 14
Silver Springs Elementary School 19801 Silver Springs Drive
Precincts 7, 12, 16
Meads Mill Middle School 16700 Franklin Road
Precincts 6, 10, 11
Winchester Elementary School 16141 Winchester Drive
Precinct 5
Kings Mill Clubhouse 18120 Jamestown Circle
Precincts 17, 18
Ridge Wood Elementary School 49775 Six Mile Road
Precincts 3, 4
Northville High School 45700 Six Mile Road

Absentee Ballots for said election are available to qualified electors at the Office of the Township Clerk, 44405 Six Mile Road. The deadline for receiving applications for ballots to be mailed is 2:00 p.m. Saturday, October 30, 2004. The Township Clerk's office will be open on Saturday, October 30, 2004 from 9:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m.

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Where to meet?

With the delay of the new township hall, the current hall's meeting room will be closed for election work the rest of the month.

In the meantime, the township will tentatively hold October meetings in the new fire headquarters at 41600 Six Mile Rd.

The next zoning board of appeals meeting is still set for Oct. 20. The board of trustees meets Oct. 21; the planning commission will convene Oct. 26.

When the new hall finally opens at 44405 Six Mile Rd., then meetings will be held in the 132-seat community room there.

Remerica comes to town

Last Thursday, Remerica Integrity celebrated its grand opening in Northville Township.

Located at 41000 W. Seven Mile Road, west of Haggerty, the real estate office opened about a month ago and is

made up of six partners who live in the Northville area.

A member of Northville's chamber of commerce, the Remerica focuses on residential property in Northville, Novi, Plymouth and Livonia. Realtor Owner Phil Ausman said.

"We had almost within the first 30 days over 40 listings," Ausman said. "The reception has been great from the community."

Remerica is open Monday-Thursday from 9 a.m.-8 p.m., and Friday-Sunday from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. For more information, call (248) 912-9990 or visit www.remericaintegrity.com

Flu shots at Farmer

Now until Oct. 26, Northville's Farmer Jack will team up with the Visiting Nurses Association to offer flu shots for the 11th year.

Township Briefs

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Four hundred flu vaccines will be administered per select store. Shots are available for those 65 years and older and for those 9 years of age or older with a chronic medical condition. Pneumonia immunizations also are offered.

Flu immunization cost is \$17 and pneumonia immunization cost is \$25. Farmer Jack is located at 17447 Haggerty Rd. For times and details, go to www.farmerjack.com or call (888) 882-4FLU.

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Meet and protect creek

The Johnson Creek Protection Group will meet Monday, Oct. 18 at 7 p.m. in the forum room of Northville High School, located at 45700 Six Mile Rd. For more information, contact Michelle West at (734) 761-1010 or mwest@alnm.com.

Hunt for bugs

The Friends of the Rouge Fall Bug Hunt is scheduled for Oct. 16 from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Schoolcraft College's

VisTaTech Center in the Waterman Room. The college is located at 18600 Haggerty Road in Livonia. To register or for more information, email picoordinator@therouge.org or call (313) 792-9621.

Have a news tip or story idea about a person, group or place in Northville Township? Contact Kim Kovel at (248) 349-1700, ext. 107, or via e-mail at kkovelle@ht.homecomm.net.



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Halloween Crafts for Kids!

Children of all ages are invited to make fun Halloween crafts in the library's meeting room, Tuesday, Oct. 19, from 4-5 p.m. Children younger than age 5 must be accompanied by a caregiver. No registration required.

ABC's of Fall with The Farm Lady

Children of all ages are invited to listen to a fall

apple story, meet a goat, learn how to make apple cider and watch the Farm Lady turn herself into a clown, Tuesday, Oct. 26, from 4:15-5 p.m. in the library's meeting room. A limited number of free tickets for this event will be available, just before the program begins, at the Information Desk at 4:10 p.m. Tickets not available in advance.

Pumpkin Guessing Jar Contest!

Children of all ages are invited to guess the number of goodies in a jar for a chance to win one of three spectacular painted pumpkins just in time for Halloween. The contest begins Monday, Oct. 25. Winners will be chosen Saturday, Oct. 30.

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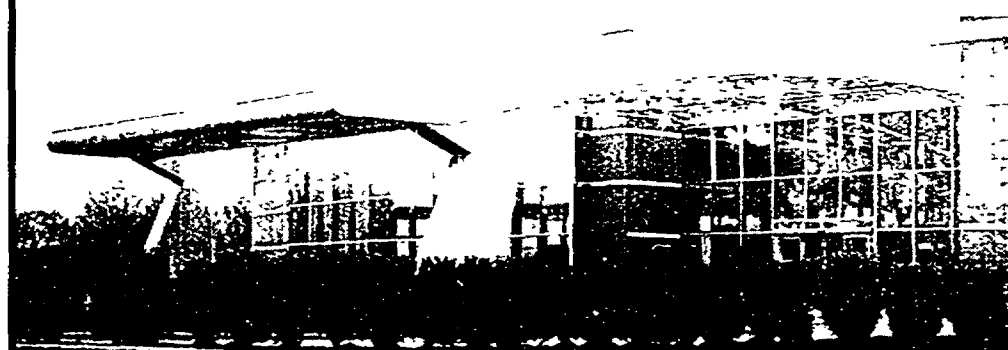
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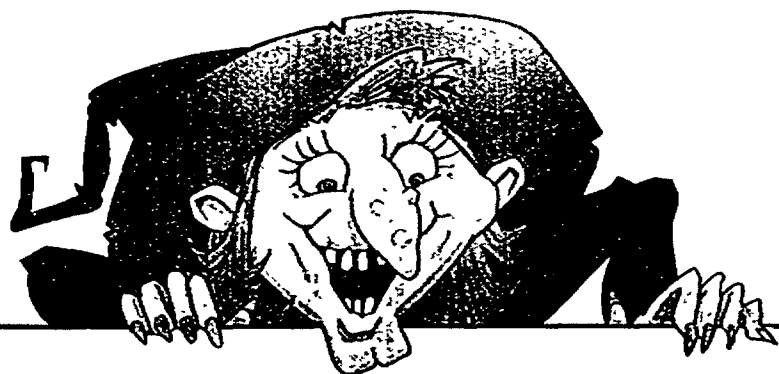


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ing, mathematics and science. It takes three hours to complete. The test fee is \$28. Free sample tests are available from high school counselors and sample questions can be found on ACT's website, which also offers inexpensive practice tests.

Beginning in February, 2005, an optional writing test will be added to the ACT Assessment. Since many colleges will not require a writing score, students will only have to take the writing test if their college requires it. Otherwise, they may opt for the regular ACT Assessment without the writing test.

Students who plan to start college in the fall of 2006 should check with prospective colleges to find out if a writing score is required.

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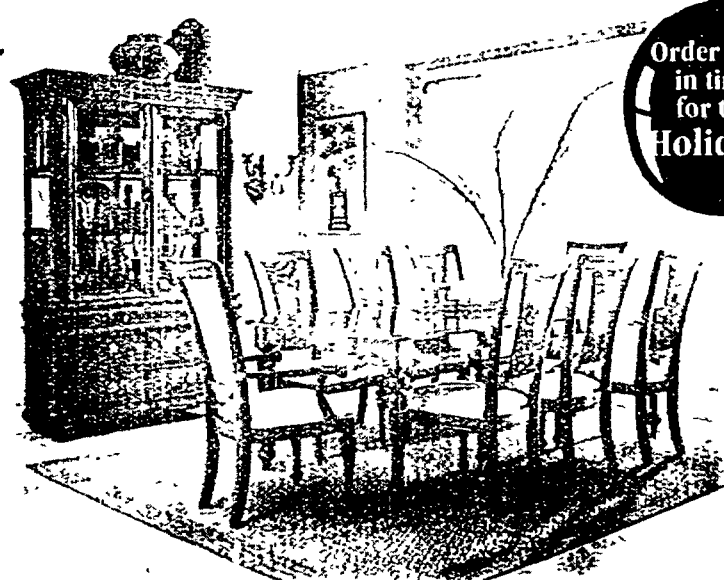
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Proposal 1: A reluctant no

On Election Day, voters will be asked to approve Proposal 1, a state constitutional amendment that would make it much harder to start new forms of gambling anywhere in Michigan.

If enacted, it would require both a local and a statewide vote in every case before any new gambling would be allowed. That means, for example, that if Hazel Park wanted to add video gaming — the so-called "racinos" — to boost the dwindling revenues of its racetrack, it could only do so after both a local and a statewide vote on the matter.

Practically speaking, that would mean no new gambling would ever be approved. And that seems highly sensible at first glance. We've got casinos, racetracks, various lotteries, and scarcely need more ways for people to throw their hard-earned money away.

Yet there is more to this than meets the eye. What this is in fact is a crass attempt by the

casino interests to stifle any potential competition. One of the Detroit Casinos, MGM Grand, has donated more than \$3.5 million to the drive to pass Proposal 1.

The Chippewa Indians, who own Soaring Eagle in Mount Pleasant, have tossed in \$3.2 million, and the list goes on.

Nobody wants more gambling. But locking the casino monopoly into our constitution would be both a tawdry precedent and a dangerous one. Gov. Jennifer Granholm worries it might hurt the state's ability to do creative things with the lottery. The Michigan Education Association has similar fears.

New gambling should usually be severely limited, if not prohibited. But doing so is the job of local officials and our state legislators, who get paid to make tough decisions. We don't need the casinos making our decisions for us.

Vote NO on Proposal 1.

Rethinking school fund-raisers

Let's give everyone the benefit of the doubt in the mild lingerie flap that emerged recently in a Northville's Silver Springs Elementary School.

Certainly, it was no more than an oversight that items of lingerie — pictured on models — were included in a catalog that was part of a PTA fundraiser.

And just as obviously, the parents who complained had a valid point. Elementary students will be exposed to such views in today's media, but there is no reason for the school to provide the eye candy that can be perused on the bus ride home.

The mistake is easily fixed. It's doubtful there is any lasting harm.

Still, one might wonder if the excitement is misdirected. Perhaps it is time to question the very act of the school fund-raiser, sometimes viewed as little short of extortion by friends, family and neighbors who are plied for donations for candy, gift-wrapping paper, popcorn, pizza and, yes, lingerie.

Oddly enough, some felt the mistake was that the children had the catalogs at all. It was the parents, they said, who were supposed to peddle the product.

Indeed.

Perhaps it is time to

acknowledge that the parents and their would-be customers have already supplied a healthy sum to support public education through the property tax, the sales tax and, in some cases, the lottery.

Through such payments, Northville has a funding level better than most schools in the state and much higher than the state average.

As such, shouldn't necessary items be included in the school budget rather than sending out student solicitors to ask for more? The total amount raised by these fund-raisers can only be a small fraction of the district's \$60 million annual operating budget.

If the school board really feels the items purchased by these fund-raisers don't deserve to be in the budget, then the public shouldn't be asked to underwrite such low-priority items. If they are important, find room in the budget for them, even if it means taking a slightly firmer stance in current teacher contract negotiations.

This doesn't at all negate the fine work done by the districts PTAs. But wouldn't their efforts better serve our students if the PTA could spend more time supporting the classroom and less time selling pizza? Or lingerie?

Thanks, Hidden Springs!

I just have to tell those who read this paper of the exceptional, loving care my dog "Guncha" received from the staff of Hidden Springs Veterinary Clinic. They cared for her from six weeks to age 13 and, when it came time to let her go, I realized that the staff truly loved her as much as I. With a knowing smile they all comforted me as I cried saying "never again." Three weeks later I walked into the clinic with an abandoned nine month puppy who now needed their care and attention. Somehow they knew. So, to the terrific, caring staff at Hidden Springs I want to say thank you for taking care of my pets, and me.

Susan B. Galli
Northville

Glass houses

I drove by Thayer and Eaton in the Orchard Heights neighborhood looking for the new Home Depot store as Ms. Conder suggested. No sign of the familiar orange letters however I did notice a new custom home being built. Perhaps Ms. Conder should provide her home's location so the owners of this new home could offer their personal opinion of her home.

Ed Funke
Northville

Proposal 2

This is in response to the editorial in the Oct. 7 issue of the *Northville Record* about Proposal 2. Without commenting on the proposal itself I do take issue with your statement that the amendment is unnecessary as there is a state as well as a federal law against same-sex marriage. The current Michigan law, with the right combination of Supreme Court Justices, could always be declared unconstitutional, something they cannot do if it is part of the Michigan Constitution.

Also, the federal law didn't stop the courts in Massachusetts from ruling that it is legal. Whether Proposal 2 will pass muster with the U.S. Supreme Court is another story.

Tim O'Callaghan
Northville

Truth about Kerry

Please, Donald Lindemier, give us a break. Your rambling, somewhat incoherent defense of John Kerry is replete with Democrat propaganda, misguided beliefs, and outright nonsense.

John Kerry was only in Vietnam for four months. His three purple hearts (two wounds, at least, were self-inflicted and not caused by enemy fire) got him out. No one can say he invented them to get out, but the truth is that he did not spend one day off duty for all three purple hearts.

Whether or not he won his medals honestly or not is immaterial. When he got home, in a grand gesture he (at least symbolically) threw them away. (Actually, he lied to his fellow protesters — he threw someone else's away.)

You say that he "courageously fought against it (the war)." If you call testifying to congress that our service men and women were war criminals and guilty of a laundry list of atrocities, and when asked, couldn't document a one of his charges, "courageous," I'll disagree. I believe it was lying under oath — a felony.

As a U.S. Army veteran, I believe his testimony (along with his visits with the North Vietnamese in Paris during the war) crossed the line. I don't believe he was on our side during that war.

According to the book by the swift boat people, the Hanoi museum of the war has a picture of John Kerry among the many who "helped them win the war."

I think everyone should read that book, and check the hundreds of credible people who endorsed it.

Mr. Lindemier, you should read the book. In my opinion, the Democratic Party could have run any half decent candidate and walked to victory. They failed.

Also in my opinion, I think that the Democratic Party should be ashamed to run such a man for president and owes us all an apology for doing so.

In your letter, I noticed that you defended Mr. Kerry by attacking the Bush administration. Why don't you start defending him by highlighting his record as a United States senator — a record in which he voted consistently to raise taxes (including a 50-cent per gallon increase in gas taxes) and against a strong military and intelligence community.

The truth is that you can't defend his "courageous" actions after the war, and you can't defend his legislative record.

American voters, including those of us in Michigan, should reward the Democrats with the most overwhelming defeat in history, and tell them never, ever again, offer a candidate as flawed as John Kerry.

(Oh, yes. You can't "fire the liar". You don't live in Massachusetts.)

John Colling
Northville Township

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Truth about Bush

Yes, the recent letter writer was right. George W. Bush shows consistency and resolve, in other words he is resolute. Bush was resolute in invading Iraq even though there was no evidence that Saddam Hussein was in any way connected to the 9/11 invasion or had weapons of mass destruction or the means of making any.

He was resolute in invading Iraq with insufficient troops to guard the country after the expected easy victory, despite the pleas of his generals that more were needed, so now we have a quagmire there. He again was resolute in getting a huge tax cut for the rich with a pittance for the middle class, thereby squandering the surplus funds he had inherited and putting the country into a financial hole. He and his friends and advisers, Cheney, Wolfowitz, Perle, and others have all been resolute in avoiding military service for themselves and their children while sending others, mostly from less affluent families to be killed and maimed. In fact, if this movie scenario featuring the strutting, smirking would-be cowboy, George W. Bush were brought to its logical end, we would be seeing the townsfolk tar and feather the varmint and run him out of town.

Irene Piccone
Northville

Step up, Kerry!

Donald Lindemier's letter to the editor (10-7-04) shows how the left wing of the Democratic party has selective understanding of the facts. Kerry was not sent, he volunteered for swift boat duty. His record in Vietnam as a swift boat commander is questionable. The medals he received are questionable by other officers and sailors that were there at the time. Mr Kerry has yet to allow his official military record become public. He must sign a Department of Defense form 180 to have them released. It is strongly suspected there is very damaging information in those records that reflect on his honesty and integrity. So far the media has given him a free pass on this. Keep in mind he met with the North Vietnamese delegation in Paris while he was still in the Navy Reserves. This is a court martial offense.

The media set up a daily howl until George Bush released all of his records which showed he served honorably. Bush was on active duty for three years as a National Guardsman. It takes two years of intensive training to become a fighter pilot. Bush has over 600 hours as an F-102 pilot. The third year he flew regular missions in support of SAC. This is no small accomplishment. The fourth and fifth years the F-102 was no longer used by the Air Force so he could not do any more flying unless he would re-qualify on another aircraft. He chose not to but accumulated sufficient points by attending meetings to get credit for those years. Two hundred veterans have signed their name to a letter asking Kerry to release his records which he has ignored with apparent approval of the major media outlets.

John Hamann
Northville

'No' on Proposal 1

The Michigan lottery is an integral part of education funding in our state. It currently contributes nearly \$600 million to K-12 public education. Passage of Proposal 1 on the November ballot would eliminate the ability of the lottery to revise, improve, and introduce new games to remain competitive with other forms of legalized gambling.

There are daily new reports about education budget cuts. Class sizes continue to increase in most districts, pay-to-play sports programs are now common and support staffs are shrinking. At a time when school funding in this state is so critical, I hope the lottery has the ability to do everything possible to increase their proceeds. Any increase in revenues to the school aid fund from any form of gambling will help the children in our public school system and reduce the burden on state taxpayers.

Former Lieutenant Governor Dick Posthumous and other supporters of Proposal

I are trying to camouflage their anti-gambling bias with the "Let Voters Decide" campaign. The Native American and Detroit casinos, as contributors to the campaign, are only trying to prevent competition. Gambling is not the issue here; gambling has been legal in Michigan for over 50 years. The question now is, Should there be a level playing field for all forms of gaming in our state?

The casinos should not have a monopoly on gaming in this state. I believe competition is good for business, and will vote 'No' on Proposal 1 in support of a level playing field for all forms of gambling.

Marilyn Breuer
Northville

Cemetery Walk thanks

On behalf of the Northville Historical Society I would like to thank all those who participated in the Oct. 10 Cemetery Walk at Oakwood Cemetery.

Tom Swigart set the tone as "Sexton", aided by Sonia Swigart, sending more than 300 people on a tour of the final resting place of Northville's founding citizens.

Thanks to Shirley Halas, Patti Mitchell, George Fomin, Debbie Eleson, Fred Shadko, Russell Dore, Ann Phillips, Kevin Wine, Bill Basse, Marlene King, Stephanie Flynn, Sherry Underwood, Lizzie Morgan, Melissa Cooper and Alex Drayback for putting so much effort and enthusiasm in the portrayal of their characters.

The cemetery was breathtaking, lit by more than 400 luminaria, as well as the additional lighting added by each character to set the stage for their presentation. Although the weather was absolutely beautiful, a long night standing in a cemetery was a chilling experience. I hope they have all warmed up by now.

Thanks also to all the volunteers who served as guides and helped with refreshments at the reception held at our beautiful new Senior Center. We also greatly appreciated the donation of all the Voortman cookies from the Basse brothers, Roger and Rick, and the delicious baked goods prepared by Sonia Swigart. Thanks also to Judy Davis, Historical Society Board Member and proprietor of Mill Race's General Store, for her display of books and other items for sale. Thanks also to those who aided in the cleanup effort, both indoors and outdoors, and to the City of Northville for maintaining this historical treasure and allowing us to use it for this event.

Our committee, consisting of Sonia Swigart, Sandy Basse, Barbara Davies, and Mary Harris, worked hard the past few months to make the Cemetery Walk a success. We thank all those who supported this event and our efforts to keep history alive in Northville.

Sandy Basse, Archivist
Northville Historical Society
Mill Race Village

Limit school fundraising

I love the Parent Teacher Association and all they do for our children. I worked with, and belonged to the PTA for almost 40 years, and received their Distinguished Service Award in 1966.

As a school administrator, I would meet with the president elect in the spring of each year, and have a clear understanding of how we could work together for the benefit of the children.

One thing we always had a clear understanding about was that there would not be any using of the children to raise money for the PTA. The national and state bylaws of the PTA do not encourage activities of this nature.

It appears to me that there are more and more activities where our children are collecting soup labels, selling pizza, etc. as well as Avon products to raise money. Activities of this nature are time consuming on the part of the children and staff at the local schools. Principals are under pressure to cooperate in these endeavors and have a difficult time saying no. I believe a strong directive, from the superintendent, would limit or curtail these activities. In the event the superintendent will not make a directive of this nature the school board must step up to the plate and develop a policy limiting or curtailing activities of this sort.

William Craft
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Southeast Michigan cleared for landing Airport Cities concept

"Airports are not just airports any more. They're the pivotal elements in a regional economic development strategy that foresees the creation of a new kind of urban form — airport cities."

So says John Kasarda, professor at the University of North Carolina's Kenan-Flagler School of Business and a world authority on the ways airports stimulate jobs and economic growth. He was the keynote at "Airport Cities," a conference held last week

that attracted some 200 economic developers, airport managers and airline executives from around the world. The conference, sponsored

by Wayne County, was held at the Westin Hotel, adjacent to the new (and world-class) Detroit Metropolitan Airport's new McNamara terminal.

For years, the economic development project with by far the biggest potential for Michigan has been the potential linking of the passenger facility at Metro with the freight operation at Willow. Run into a coherent "airport city" capable of rivaling those at Dallas-Fort Worth or Amsterdam's Schiphol. Done properly, that would create tens of thousands of jobs. Dr. Kasarda thinks the potential in Southeastern Michigan is

as good as any in the world, in part because both Metro and Willow Run are not landlocked the way many other airports are. They also bookend some 25,000 acres of largely undeveloped land running along I-94.

Despite strong bipartisan support from two governors, John Engler and Jennifer Granholm, and two Wayne County Executives, Ed McNamara and Bob Ficano, and virtually the entire business community, the airport city project has never quite lifted off. Part of the reason is that Ficano took nearly two years after his election to find a new economic development director for Wayne County. He finally recruited Dr. Mulugetta Birru from Pittsburgh, and Birru says he's totally on board with the program.

Let's hope so, because the lack of progress on this is disgraceful. Michigan is bleeding manufacturing jobs

while trying to execute the painful but necessary transition from a brawn-based economy to a brain-based one. The potential benefits of a first class airport city are overwhelming: In quick passenger connectivity to the rest of the world, in just-in-time parts delivery, in the potential for warehousing, for corporate headquarters, for tight links to road, rail and sea transit.

And the project fits today's straitened economic realities. What is needed just now is planning and coordination, which is relatively cheap, not the big-ticket capital investment dollars that neither the state nor the county have on hand.

I asked Prof. Kasarda what the immediate priorities were. They're simple: "First, you have to reinvigorate the marketing of the Pinnacle Project (the 1,500-odd acres adjacent to Metro designated as first priority for commercial develop-

ment.) You need to bring in a blockbuster lead tenant, like Alabama did with the Mercedes manufacturing plant. A world-class business putting roots down near Detroit Metro would bring high visibility and great credibility to what you're trying to do here."

"Second, you have to work up a master plan for the 25,000 acres that could form an enormous development zone. You need to put together coherent land use plans and get the local communities involved to realize they're not competitors but collaborators. Without a master plan, you'll get the haphazard, inefficient, uncoordinated land planning that has dogged other airports that have tried to develop on this scale."

I asked Kasarda how long it should take to put a master plan together. "A year to 18 months," he replied, setting out a useful time check for Birru, Ficano, Granholm

and anybody else who wants to see some real economic growth for our state.

Leaving the conference, I reflected on the famous way in which Sherlock Holmes once solved a case by noting "the curious incident" in which a dog did not bark at night.

Over the years, there have been precious few dogs barking in the night around the proposed airport city. Maybe this conference will finally set off a few much-needed howls.

Phil Power is the Chairman of the Board of the company that owns this newspaper. He would be pleased to get your reactions to this column either at (734) 953-2047 or at ppower@homecomm.net.



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For more information on the Airport Cities concept, please turn to page 18A.

As written, Proposition 2 would create more problems

On Election Day, Michigan voters will be asked to outlaw something that is already illegal, but to do so in a way that will invite lawsuits, threaten health care for children, and have other unintended consequences.

The issue is called Proposal 2, and if enacted, it is apt to create a real mess. But every sign is that voters will do so anyway. The issue, of course, is gay marriage, which is already against the law in Michigan and across the nation.

Now, however, those opposed to it want to enact a proposed state constitutional amendment specifying that "the union of one man and one woman in marriage shall be the only agreement recognized as a marriage or similar union for any purpose." That amendment

got on the ballot this fall, despite its rejection by the conservative, Republican-led Michigan legislature, which said it was unnecessary and feared it might have far-reaching effects beyond gay marriage.

But a group called Citizens for the Protection of Marriage then managed to collect nearly half a million signatures to get the issue on the ballot. Polls show it passing easily, despite bitter opposition from civil rights groups.

Similar propositions are on the ballot in Ohio and eight other states this November, many of them spurred by reaction to San Francisco and Massachusetts' brief experiments in recognizing gay marriage earlier this year.

However, many of them —

including Michigan's — may have effects far more sweeping than their framers intended. The main problem is in the last six words of the amendment — "or similar union for any purpose."

That was clearly meant to also outlaw civil unions between gay couples. But it would also prevent public officials from extending marriage benefits, such as health care coverage, to same-sex partners of unmarried employees.

A number of cities, universities and a few private employers provide such benefits now. Some even fear the amendment would also outlaw so-called domestic partner benefits for any unmarried people, even opposite sex couples. That would affect health care coverage for an unknown number of children.

That would mean, of course, lawsuits galore. The Coalition for a Fair Michigan, an ad hoc group of those opposed to the amendment, has been making that argument in an effort to persuade voters that Proposal 2 is bad

news.

But that argument isn't working. "I think that marriage is between a man and a woman, period," said Randall Shafer, a Republican candidate for Congress in the hopelessly Democratic 12th District. Shafer doesn't have a chance, but many who vote against him are certain also to vote against gay marriage.

Surveys have found that black voters, who overwhelmingly back liberal Democratic candidates, are also some of the strongest supporters of the gay marriage ban. Their signatures, many collected in packed churches, went a long way towards helping get it on the ballot.

Some who are bitterly opposed to gay marriage have indicated to pollsters the hope and the mistaken belief that the amendment will outlaw gay sexual activity, period. But even if Michigan voters wanted to do that, they could not. The U.S. Supreme Court ruled last year in Lawrence v Texas that the state could not prohibit sexual activity between same-sex

persons.

The hope of those who believe in equal rights for same-sex unions now largely centers on the U.S. Supreme Court. Robert Sedler, a distinguished professor of law at Wayne State University in Detroit, predicts that eventually the high court is bound to decide the issue.

Many lawyers — including some who oppose same sex marriage — think the current amendment is clumsily written and apt to be overturned by the courts, which may rule that it is too vague to be enforced.

But it would be especially ironic if, Michigan voters outlaw same sex marriage this fall, and the Supreme Court later not only overturns the law, but decides that gay marriage is a constitutionally protected right.

Sedler, a Southfield resident, isn't willing to predict that will happen. "I learned a long time ago that you can't predict how the court will decide."

But he thinks that is exactly what the courts should do.

"Indeed, I see Lawrence as providing ... impetus to recognition of a constitutional right to same-sex marriage," Sedler said.

The professor, who has been married for 44 years and whose children are all married and heterosexual, believes strongly that not only is the current amendment wrongheaded,

"the Constitution should protect the right to same-sex marriage under the equal protection clause. There is no logical or rational reason why marriage should be limited to opposite-sex couples."

Polls show that his is the minority view today. But they also show that the state's youngest voters are in favor of a right to gay marriage. Thirty years from now, Michigan may be a very different place.

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Milestones: three friends enjoy timely Northville tributes

Three of Northville's most distinguished gentlemen have been celebrating heartily lately.

In a month-long series of birthday bashes, John McGuire marked 96 years, Mike Allen arrived at 90 and youngster Bruce Turnbull hit milestone 85.

Each occasion included crowds of friends and relatives. And at the center of each celebration was a gentle man recognized for his faith, dedication to his family and contributions to the community.

At Turnbull's party in Genitti's Hole-in-the-Wall this past Sunday, Our Lady of Victory's Father Terry Kerner offered the blessing. He called the trio "pillars of the community."

"These are some of the great city fathers of Northville," He further paid tribute to their role as father to their families.

Brian Turnbull, who emceed his dad's party, offered a wish for love, great health and happiness. He said it is a privilege to be in the same town, living on the same street as his father.

McGuire, Allen and Turnbull have resided in Northville all or most of their life, raising their families here, operating dairy, monument and electrical businesses and giving themselves in community service.

"It's fun to see all the familiar faces — Mayor Allen, Mr. McGuire," said Mike Turnbull, who now resides in Indiana. He recalled fond memories of growing up with his four siblings in Northville and his parents love for the community.

"His tours, his committees, his love for the town, his love for Our Lady of Victory, his love for his family," he said. "That's what his children learned. Dad is the true example of that."

Well-wishers gathered Oct. 2 to toast Allen at the new Northville Senior Community Center. Daughter Sharon and son Jim, the city's fire chief, celebrated their dad's big day with his wife Betty, political dignitaries and more than 100 friends and neighbors.

The city's senior housing complex, monuments in municipal buildings and memories of long-time residents recognize the contributions of Northville's longest-serving mayor.

In addition to his 20-year term as the mayor — 1958-78 — the long-time leader continues his public service at his First Presbyterian Church, administering endowment funds and through involvement in the area's economic development efforts. His receipt of the Northville Chamber of Commerce second-ever Citizen of the Year award immortalized his dedication to the community.

More than 400 guest-book signatures will remind McGuire of the all-day extravaganza his 14 children, 49 grandchildren and 42 great-grandchildren hosted at his home Sept. 5.

After 9 a.m. Mass, they personally prepared, served and cleared breakfast, lunch and dinner for friends and neighbors who visited until 11 p.m. Live music throughout the day included an Irish singer the family flew in from Baltimore for their father's delight.

Just two years after buying the Guernsey Dairy in 1940, the patriarch purchased the Orchard Drive property where he still resides. The day of the party, there was, of course, ice cream with hot fudge for everyone.



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Mike Allen, Bruce Turnbull and John McGuire enjoyed time together Sunday at Genitti's Hole-in-the-Wall.

McGuire's donation of ice cream at school and to the community was one of the memories the Turnbull boys recalled. As far back as anyone can remember, Guernsey's collaborated with the Langfields, then the Casterlines, to distribute free ice

cream after the downtown Memorial Day parade.

On Sunday, McGuire, Allen and Turnbull gamely stepped to the sidewalk outside Genitti's to pose for a photo together. The backdrop for the dapper group was Main Street in Northville.

A town with solid foundations — laid by gentlemen like these.

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Airport cities conference a boost for metro development plans

By Kurt Kuban
HOMETOWN NEWSPAPERS

The highly anticipated Airport Cities Conference at Detroit Metropolitan Airport last week went off without a hitch, and provided Wayne County officials and regional planners a glimpse of what the area around the county-owned airport might look like some day.

Airport officials from every continent in the world attended the two-day conference, which explored the concept of airport cities, a phrase that has come to define the way airports and their surrounding environs are developed. Presentations were made about some of the world's most notable examples of airport cities, which have become destinations unto themselves.

Wayne County officials believe the idea of an airport city is particularly relevant to Metro Airport, because of all the development potential that exists around the airport. According to Mulugetta Birru, executive director of Wayne County Economic Development, the county hosted the conference not only to learn from other airport officials, but also in hopes of stirring the interest of local municipalities and the development community.

"The whole purpose of hosting this conference was to create awareness among all the stakeholders — the communities, the developers, the vendors, the universities — that there can be an airport city right here in our backyard. People need to know this is a concept that is accepted around the world," Birru said. "We believe the airport cities idea could have major implications on this region."

Birru made a presentation about the long-planned Pinnacle Aeropark project, a state-of-the-art business community the county will soon begin developing

south of Metro Airport. He said the project's first phase, covering 150 acres, should begin construction next year. It will be a mix of high-tech and light industrial facilities. In addition, he said there are 25,000 acres of undeveloped land, stretching across six communities between Metro and Willow Run airports, which, if developed correctly, could become a new high-tech corridor unrivaled in the region.

"The theme of this conference — creating airport cities — really fits with what we are trying to do with the Pinnacle project. Wayne County fits the model. We have 25,000 acres available for development between the two airports, and all the infrastructure in place to support it, including the roads. We just have to have a collective vision to see it come together," Birru said.

The conference also included numerous presentations from local business officials, who said they also have an interest in the development at and around the airport. Doug Rothwell, executive director of worldwide real estate for General Motors, which is headquartered in downtown Detroit, said the automaker is keeping a close eye on what happens around the two airports. In fact, he said GM would offer economic strategies and marketing assistance to the airport communities as they begin to develop all the vacant land.

"GM promotes economic development. It's in our best interest, because people need money to buy our cars," Rothwell said. "We see the airports as being absolutely critical in the local business atmosphere. If Detroit didn't offer a cargo airport like Willow Run and a passenger hub like Metro, we probably wouldn't be here."

Wayne County officials weren't the only ones benefiting from the conference. Airport officials from

around the world did some serious note-taking during the two days of presentations. Some said they would take what they had learned at the conference and employ the new economic and development strategies at their own airports.

Donald Willis, land acquisition manager for Hartsfield Atlanta International Airport in Georgia, said this was the first Airport Cities Conference he had attended. Based on what he learned, he plans to attend more in the future.

"For an airport professional this is great, because you get an opportunity to see what other airports are doing," he said. "You're always looking for new ways to increase revenue, so it's beneficial to hear about strategies being employed by others."

Chris LeTourneur, a Canadian who chaired the second day of the conference and is a leader when it comes to planning airport cities, said the event exceeded his expectations.

"I think we added new definitions to the concept of airport cities. Some of the aspects that we explored I've never even thought of," he said.

Now that the conference is over, Wayne County Airport Authority CEO Lester Robinson hopes it will lead to the right kind of development around the two airports.

"Will we have strip malls and gas stations? Or will we have carefully-planned, dynamic, forward-thinking development?" he said. "I hope historians will look back at this conference and truly see it as a crossroads for this region."

VISITORS IMPRESSED

Wayne County officials and the other participants who attended the Airport Cities Conference held at Metro Airport last week were dazzled by images of exotic destinations around the globe.

From a beautiful travel video of the Middle Eastern city of Dubai in the United Arab Emirates to striking images of Malaysia's Kuala Lumpur International Airport, which features a Formula One Race Track and an environmental park with numerous recreational facilities, attendees were treated to the sights and sounds that make other notable airports tick.

But what did the visitors, who came from every corner of the world, think of Metro Airport and the Detroit area? Most said they were left with a great impression.

Wayne County officials, who hosted the event, said that's exactly what they were hoping for when they began planning the conference. In addition to being lodged at the luxurious Westin Hotel at the airport's new McNamara Terminal, guests were treated to a cruise on the Detroit River, dinner at the Renaissance Center in Detroit, and a tour of the Henry Ford Museum in Dearborn.

Lucianella Corbetti, head of external relations for the Italian Civil Aviation Authority, which will host the next Airport Cities Conference in Rome, said her impression of the improved Metro Airport and the Detroit area was "quite positive." It was her first time to the area.

"I'm very impressed with Metro Airport. It is a beautiful, modern facility," she said. "And Detroit is a very interesting place. The cruise was nice, and gave a great view of the city. It was just a fascinating conference."

Metro Airport, which has undergone \$1.2 billion in improvements in recent years, was a highlight for some of the airport officials, including Gordon Falk, head of planning for Canada's Calgary Airport Authority.

"It's been great to be here, and hear from all the major players in the airport world" Falk said. "What they've done here in Detroit is just amazing, especially from our perspective, because we have such a small airport in Calgary."

Dato' Hamid A Moh'd Ali, the general manager of Malaysia Airports Holdings Berhad, which operates Kuala Lumpur International Airport, also visited the Detroit area for the first time. In addition to the other activities such as the cruise, he was able to do some shopping at Fairlane Mall in Dearborn. He said the conference was very good, as were his impressions of the area.

However, Ali said the area is lacking in one aspect: public transportation.

"The only problem I noticed is public transportation. We had to take taxis everywhere we went, and that can get very expensive. That is something they should work on," he said.

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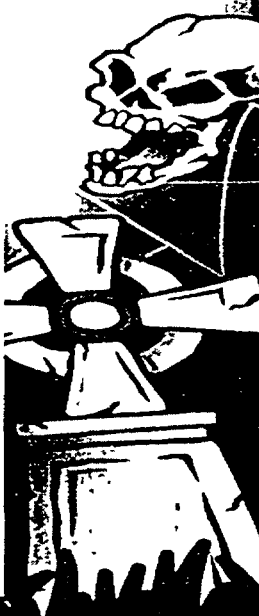
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Central Michigan University

Elizabeth Fischer, of Northville, has been named to the Summer Honors List, 2004, at Central Michigan University.

Albion College

Northville resident, Justin Ferriman, is a member of the varsity men's soccer team at Albion College. He is a graduate of Northville High School and is the son of Edward Ferriman and Cynthia Ferriman.

Colgate University

Stephanie Macomber, of Northville, is among the more than 700 students who entered Colgate University with the class of 2008 in August. The class is among the most diverse and academically gifted in Colgate's history. She is the daughter of Mr. Gordon Macomber and Mrs. Deborah Macomber of Northville.

Madonna University

The following Madonna University students were named to the Dean's List: Sandra Baughman, Jennifer Craig, Lynne Cummins, Kristie Elliott, Beata Gioutos, Michelle Gorton, Lauren Gugala, Amanda Hambell, Monique Haslam, Jennifer Hunley, Jacqueline Katrich, Ellen Klein, Esther Maize, Jenda Mills, Karen Naszradi, Andrea Nelson, Catherine Pinkelman, Ashley Rogale, Brock Smith, Suzanne Stroull, Rory Thelen, Natalja Tinina, and Trina Vanerian.

Savannah College of Art and Design

Tiffany Hare of Northville was named to the Dean's List at Savannah College of Art and Design in Savannah, Ga. for summer quarter, 2004. Full-time undergraduate students who earn a grade point average of 3.5 or above for the quarter receive recognition on the Dean's List. Tiffany is a fashion major and is the daughter of Richard Hare and Linda Jo Hare.

Building a better Moosetrap!

Parlour Theatre Productions returns to the Novi Sheraton in a new mystery play: "Moosetrap," by writer-director Angela Krist. Parlour Theatre is a Northville-based repertory company that has been performing locally and throughout eastern lower Michigan for over 12 years. For "Moosetrap," Krist has assembled a motley group of actors at Moose Lake Lodge, located on a remote island in the middle of a large northern lake. As the story goes, they are there to rehearse for the first American production of "The Mousetrap." Soon it becomes clear some of the cast members are harboring some unsavory little secrets — and someone is out to make sure "The Mousetrap" never hits the boards. The audience is invited to solve the murder before darkness reveals the final ending. "Moosetrap" will premier Oct. 30 at the forum in the Novi Sheraton, Haggerty Road at Eight Mile. There are two performances, 3 p.m. and 8 p.m. Admission is \$10. For information, call Parlour Theatre at (248) 349-6540.



Submitted Photo

Township hall construction delay causes election disruption

By Kim Kovel
RECORD STAFF WRITER

Township hall delays have inconvenienced many, but with a major presidential election coming Nov. 2, Township Clerk Sue Hillebrand is really feeling the pinch.

"The goal was to get in there before the election," Hillebrand said. "That goal's come and gone. It is extremely disappointing."

But she, with the rest of township government, is pulling up bootstraps.

Now the election must be run in the current township hall, so its meeting room will be closed for the rest of the month. Meetings will tentatively move to the new fire headquarters.

"We're going to have to clear it out and have our training here," Hillebrand said. The 130 volunteers needed to run 18 precincts will be trained Oct. 27 and 28.

The cramped quarters will delay current efforts to renovate the hall into the police headquarters.

Also, the township must test its 200 voting booths. That process will take 12 days, but could have been done in six at the new hall, Hillebrand said.

Plus, 20 new machines are on the way.

Fortunately, absentee ballots won't be an issue. Hillebrand said 4,000 have been requested — a recent record — but requests are tapering down. The clerk said she's staying focused.

"Everyone's putting on a straight face here," she said. "This election will be fine. You will not see a hiccup. I will guarantee that we will get it done."

"The goal was to get in there before the election. That goal's come and gone. It is extremely disappointing."

Sue Hillebrand
Clerk, Northville Township

WHO'S PAYING

Usztan Construction's paycheck from Northville Township is docked every day they miss deadlines.

For the hall, the township extended an original June 1 deadline to July 20. After that, Usztan has been docked \$500 daily for the first 30 days, and \$750 per day after that. As of Sept. 30, they've lost \$36,000.

For the fire headquarters, the township stretched an Apr. 8 deadline to Apr. 27. The penalties were the same, and Usztan lost \$51,750.

The saved money will be used by the township for future costs in the two buildings and the police station.

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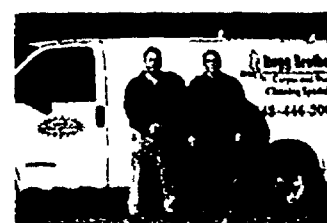
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The Northville Mustangs' qualified for the state football playoffs last Friday, thanks to a convincing 42-24 win against Wayne Memorial. Next up, Livonia Stevenson tomorrow night. — Page 5B



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Hrivnak's 'harried' pace is one for the record books

Senior cross country runner Liz Hrivnak is happy her name will read at the top of the list when it comes to the all-time-best cross country girls at Northville High School.

But Hrivnak is the first to say she would never have gotten there if it hadn't been for a great team to push her along.

"Last year a lot of the varsity runners were injured and there wasn't a whole lot of inter-team competition," Hrivnak said. "You might think that's a good thing, but this year there are a lot of good girls and they are healthy and that has helped push me."

Hrivnak set the school record two weeks ago when she competed in the Western Division Jamboree at Cass Benton park. She finished the course, widely known as one of the more difficult, in 19:13. That time set a new school record by 10 seconds. The former record holder was Heather Moele, who set the pace in 2001 with a 19:23.

"Heather was such an amazing runner," Hrivnak said. "To be up there with her is really cool." Hrivnak had no idea she was running fast enough to break the school's record. Instead, she felt the hills of her home course were slowing her down.

On the largest hill of the course, one that typically makes or breaks a good run at Cass Benton, Hrivnak said she thought she was running slower than she had in other races. "I was really surprised it was as fast as it was," she said. "I thought I was going a lot slower."

Hrivnak will have the chance to set an even tougher mark. Not only are the majority of the remaining courses less demanding than Cass Benton, the race at Schoolcraft College, where the regional will be held, is on a nearly flat course.

"I'm hoping to run in the 18s," she said. "Even if it's the high 18s, I just want to break 19 minutes."

The senior harrier keeps her excitement subdued. To many, it seems as though she's more interested in talking about how well the team is doing instead of her personal accomplishments.

"The girl, she's wonderfully humble, for a lack of a better term," said Hrivnak's mother, Diane. "She revels in everybody else doing well."

Hrivnak's Jamboree run was one for the record books — and one finished with a smile on her face.

"Her dad is always saying she better be smiling, so she knows he's enjoying it," her mother noted.

Now, Hrivnak looks to the conference and the regional tournaments to see if she and her team have what it takes to earn a couple of titles and a berth to the state finals meet. The finals are held in Brooklyn, Mich.

"That would be really cool," Hrivnak said of making a finals trip. "I haven't gone before. The team hasn't gone for the past two years. I think it would just be an awesome way for everyone to end their season."

Hrivnak has applied her cross country work ethic to her classroom work as well. She maintains a 3.8 grade-point average and currently takes four collegiate-level classes.

But she has no intention of running in college, despite offers from various institutions.

"I just want to focus on my academics," she said, indicating she's likely to attend the University of Michigan. "I don't see running as a career opportunity for me. Even though I like it a lot, I want to focus on my academics and sports just seems like it will get in the way of that."

Breaking Hrivnak's new record won't be easy. But if it happens, she won't mind.

"I guess I'd have to say just to work hard and that I won't be mad at you," she said. "They really deserve it if they're running that fast."

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Photo by JOHN HEIDER/NORTHVILLE RECORD

Mustang soccer player Phil Yutzy has been drinking about a half a gallon of milk a day to speed the healing of a broken bone in his foot so he can get back to his playoff-bound team.

TRIPLE YUTZY!

Yutzy hopes rest, luck and plenty of milk will return him to the field for Mustangs' state title run

By Sam Eggleston
RECORD SPORTS WRITER

For Northville senior soccer captain Phil Yutzy, dairy is a word synonymous with miracle.

Yutzy was diagnosed with a broken foot following an injury on the pitch against South Lyon Aug. 28. The doctors weren't very optimistic, telling him he would have to wait at least two weeks before he could walk on it again.

"I actually recovered quicker than they said I would," Yutzy said, noting he has been cleared for light practices just over 30 days.

The reason? He attributes a lot of his recovery time to the calcium-giving properties of milk.

"I've been drinking a lot of milk," he said. "We call it the 'dairy diet.'"

The idea was actually one stemming from his coaching staff. Head coach Henry Klimes, who operates the Trading Post in Plymouth, had an employee who broke his collarbone and was out of hockey for what was expected to be the majority of the season. He drank a gallon of milk a day and recovered much quicker than expected.

Yutzy, however, isn't pounding back a gallon a day.

"He's been doing the half-gallon deal," said Klimes. "I know he's drinking as much as he can and getting as much calcium as possible."

The senior midfielder has also spent a lot of time in the swimming pool doing non-impact activities such as water running, treading water and swimming laps.

He said that with the work he has been doing in the pool and the recent release he received from doctors to start non-contact drills with the soccer team, he will be ready to enter the game come the district tournament.

More importantly, Yutzy wants to make sure he's on the pitch if his team ends the season with a loss or with a win.

"That's the dream," he said. "I want to just be able to play in my last game. I'm not one for a spectator sport."

The Mustangs are looking forward to having him back as well. As a captain and a senior, Yutzy is widely recognized as one of the most formidable players on the team.

"It's going to be a huge lift," Klimes said of when the midfielder gets to play again. "A senior captain with his skills and his capabilities, anyone would like to have Phil on the pitch."

Being on the sideline for much of the season has found Yutzy cheering his squad on through their undefeated regular season, a division championship and the first-ever first-place ranking in the coaches' association polls. He has, however, made sure to stay an active member of the program.

During practices he was shouting directions and giving tips to the more inexperienced players and during a game he was just as vocal and supportive.

"I was basically another assistant coach," he said. "When I'm there it's my job to keep the boys ready to play."

But, it's not a role he intends to keep forever. In fact, Yutzy noted that if he had to watch too many more games from the sidelines he was going to flip.

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Mustangs topple Vikings, 4-0; win division title

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RECORD SPORTS WRITER

It was the first title in what could prove to be a long road of them.

The Northville Mustangs boys' soccer team, coached by Henry Klimes, secured the Western Division championship with an undefeated run through the regular season and a victory over the Walled Lake Central Vikings, 4-0.

The win came from the play of a very deep bench and a remarkable performance from junior Mike Cornelius.

"Mike played an outstanding game for us," said Klimes. "Even though he only played about half the game because of a tender ankle, he did a great job. He helped keep the machine rolling."

That's the Mustang Machine, for those wondering. Klimes is well aware his squad needs strong back-ups to keep the winning rolling along like a well-oiled machine. He definitely has them.

Against the Vikings, Northville was without five starters. Senior captain Phil Yutzy is still out with a broken foot, Mike Blasius is also out with an injury as was Nick Kaldis and Brandon Barkowski. Senior captain James Hannah sat out due to a red card that found him ejected the game before — a penalty that requires the player to sit the next game as well.

Illness and injuries, like the one to Cornelius, kept another top player from performing through the entire game as well. Senior midfielder Mike Kelleher sat half the game from being sick.

Fans, however, weren't much the wiser and the Mustangs had hoped it would work out that way.

"I'm someone who believes everything happens for a reason," Klimes said. "Everyone stepped up and played great games. It showed the kids that if something happens we have to change the line-up, we can still win."

Northville scored their first goal of their game with 9:15 left in the first half as Alex Racket scored on a crossing pass from Cornelius. Five minutes later, Jon Junca added a goal of his own on an assist from Cornelius to make it a 2-0 game.

The second half found Justin Lockwood adding the third goal of the game as he stole a pass from a Viking player and turned it into an unassisted score. The final tally came from the strong leg of Alex Wood, who took a pass from Junca before blazing it past the Central goalie.

Senior Steve Besk earned the shutout in goal. Northville climbed to 17-0-1 on the regular season with the victory and will play in the district tournament starting Tuesday.

"We've been preparing the boys," Klimes noted of his squad, ranked first in the state by the coaches' polls. "It's a season of two parts. After the regular season is done, the play-offs start and

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Running for glory Sixth-ranked girls harriers out-pace rivals, gear up for states

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The Northville Mustangs girls' cross country team took the opportunity to scout their main competition for the Western Lakes Activities Association meet and the regional — and they beat them head-to-head while they were at it.

Last Saturday the Mustangs proved why they are currently ranked sixth in the state by the coaches' association by beating rivals Churchill and Salem in the Oakland County meet.

The Mustangs earned 48 points while Churchill finished second with 52 and Salem was third with 61.

"Northville was prepared to go out and run their best today and show the others what they're made of," Nancy Smith said.

Liz Hrivnak was the overall champion of the meet, running a career best time of 18:56 to shatter the school record and place her name above everyone else.

Her lead was followed by her fellow harriers. Molly Gavin notched a sixth-place finish in 19:33, while Kate McClymont ran a 19:38 for seventh. Not far behind was Bryn Smetana, who ran a 19:58 for 11th while Mary Sprader ran to a 23rd-place finish in 20:43 and Megan Sheremet ran a 20:59 for 25th.

Rounding out the Mustangs showing was Kelly Hardenbergh, who collected a 30th place with a time of 21:21.

"All seven girls received medals and Liz, Molly and Kate were honored with first-team Wayne County," Smith said. "All seven of these girls did an outstanding job today."

Northville prepped themselves prior to the race.

"Before the race we talked about what we had to do and they put their hearts into this race and succeeded," Smith said.

"All season we have been working on getting our top five in the 19s and today we managed to get four of them there. The girls worked throughout the entire race, picking off some of their toughest competition."

The Mustangs will now compete for a chance to win the Western Division today at 4:15 p.m. the girls will run at Willow Metro Park.

"This will not be very challenging for us, but it will give us another opportunity to run the conference course and work on getting our pack a little closer together," said Smith.

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BOYS CROSS COUNTRY

The Northville boys' cross country team did some winning of their own, earning the top spot in the John Glenn Freshman-Sophomore Invitational held at Westland Central City Park.

The team collected 21 points to win the seven-team event.

Jasen Turnbull was the overall winner of the race with a Northville school record time for the Westland course.

"All of Northville's seven runners earned medalist honors," Northville coach Chris Cronin said.

Taking third overall was Tommy Farrell, a freshman. Tommy Sugawara was fourth overall while Ian Gunn-Boyar finished fifth and Jake Myers finished the scoring with eighth.

"We ran an aggressive race today," Cronin said. "I was pleased with the entire team's effort today. We had our best day of the season, easily."



Photo by JOHN HEIDER/NORTHVILLE RECORD

Northville scored on its way to victory against Salem last week.

For an injury update and district play-off brackets, see page 4B.

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SCOREBOARD



Two big wins for cagers

The Northville Mustangs girls basketball team earned two convincing victories last week when they took on and defeated Walled Lake Western and Livonia Franklin, 48-27 and 38-25, respectively.

Against Western, the Mustangs pounded out their win with impressive interior shooting. Danielle Toney led the team with 11 points while Chrissy Castelli added seven and Heather Cox scored six.

"I'm pretty happy," Northville coach Pete Wright said when asked how he felt with the way his bench is playing. "We've been working through some injuries and we've got some people playing out of position. I'm pretty happy with how everyone is contributing."

Northville was lucky enough to have Castelli back to play down low after coming off of a knee injury, but they are still without Emily Weaver in the post.

That has been forcing Evonna Karchon to move inside on the defense and Cox to step off the bench and play at her full potential.

"With our two interior players hurt, Heather has been doing a very nice job on both ends of the floor," Wright said.

Cox hit a perfect 2-for-2 from the free-throw line, had five rebounds and two steals to help

Northville to the victory.

She was just as effective against Livonia Franklin. Against the Patriots, Cox had seven points, one block and all four of her rebounds were defensive.

Leading the team in scoring was Karchon, who netted 14 points, while Simone Toney added 10 — including two three-point field goals.

In both victories, Northville was able to play every cager that wasn't injured.

"I think anytime you get everyone involved it makes for a lot of good things in practice and in games," Wright said. "This team is good in that respect. They come to practice working hard every day."

Next up for Northville is the always-powerful Canton. The game is scheduled for today at 7 p.m. at Canton.

"Canton is always difficult," Wright said. "They always play you very tough defensively."

Mustangs still making a splash

The Northville Mustangs girls' swimming and diving team is making it crystal clear that they have full intentions of continuing on their hot streak.

The girls pounded out a 101-85 victory over Plymouth Salem last week.

Against the Spartans, Northville found their girls putting on some of their best shows of the season.

In the 200 freestyle, Alex Tereszczenko earned a first-place finish in 1:57.24, while Sarah Bardsley took first in the 200 individual medley with a time of 2:24.31. Emily Hopcian took third in the 200 IM, finishing in 2:28.39.

In the 50 freestyle, Ashley Miller made a splash, swimming to second place in just 26.73 seconds. The 100 free was con-

trolled, for the most part, by Northville as Kathryn Kusuplos took second in 57.49 seconds and Tanya Tereszczenko took third in 58.21.

In diving, Rebecca Mills scored 147.45 points for the Mustangs, good for third. Morgan Daul was fourth in 139.95.

Northville recorded a nice showing in the 100 butterfly, finishing in first and second. Alex Tereszczenko took first in 1:02.49 while Hopcian took second in 1:05.62.

The Mustangs also benefited from a first-place showing in the 500 freestyle. Sarah Carr swam a 5:28.69 for the top spot.

The 200-freestyle relay found the Mustangs swimming to the top spot. Heather Zinser, Ashley Miller and Alex and Tanya Tereszczenko took first in 1:48.11. The Tereszczenko sisters also combined their talents with Carr and Kusuplos to take first in the 400 freestyle in 3:49.58. Taking third in the 400-freestyle relay was Bardsley, Zinser, Katie Stewart and Julie Gotberg with a time of 4:03.14.

The 100 backstroke found Kusuplos taking first in 1:05.02, while Bardsley was third in 1:09.72. The 100 breaststroke was won by Carr in 1:12.21 while Yvonne Lunn took third in 1:17.80.

Tankers crush Franklin

Northville had little to worry about on their way to earning a 148-37 win over Livonia Franklin in the swimming pool last week.

In fact, the team dominated nearly every event and even set a pool record.

In the 200 medley relay, the Mustangs earned both first and second places. In first was the team of Sarah Bardsley, Sarah Carr, Emily Hopcian and Ashley Miller with a time of 2:06.29. The second-place relay team finished

in 2:14.71.

In the 200 freestyle event, Julie Gotberg swam a 2:11.46 while Tanya Tereszczenko took second in 2:11.71. The 200 individual medley was swept by the Mustangs with Carr taking first in 2:22.84 and Lindsay Cohen taking second in 2:38.30 and Keegan Warner taking third in 2:44.96.

Northville also swept the 50 free with Alex Tereszczenko taking first in 26.08 seconds while Sarah Anker took second in 29.02 and Kiernan Sedam was third in 30.37.

In the diving event, Rebecca Mills took first with 171.50 total points and Morgan Daul was second with 149.35.

Sweeping events was the name of the game for the Mustangs. They took the broom to the 100 butterfly, the 100 freestyle, the 100 breaststroke and the 500 freestyle.

In the 100 butterfly, Northville found Hopcian taking first in 1:06.97 while Bardsley took second in 1:07.88 and Farrell was third in 1:13.20. The 100 freestyle found Tanya Tereszczenko taking the top spot in just 58.98 seconds with Alyssa Schwirring notching second in 1:01.80 and Christa Rocco was third in 1:07.77.

Alex Tereszczenko broke the pool record in the 500 freestyle, swimming an impressive 5:15.24 to qualify for the state finals while Amanda Suokas took second in 6:00.43 and Anker was third in 6:19.15.

The 100 breaststroke saw Cohen notching a 1:19.19 for first, Lunn taking second in 1:19.77 and Gotberg took third in 1:20.77. The 400-freestyle relay team of Zinser, Gotberg, Rachel Englert and Schwirring took first in 4:10.96 and the 200 freestyle relay team of Carr, Miller and the Tereszczenko sisters took first in 1:47.96.

'O,' snap!



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Quarterback Charlie Thomas and center Steve Berry ready the Mustangs' offense against Wayne Memorial last Friday. Northville's 42-24 victory qualified them for the state playoffs.

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Mustangs head tennis coach Sandy Woolfall.



Mustangs doubles team of Amanda Darish, left, and Jen Harkness share a low-five after winning a point against their opponents during last week's regional.



Mustang Jackie Taylor goes to the net during MHSAA regional tennis action at Dearborn High.

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TOP FLIGHT

Northville girls take a swing at state championship

By Sam Eggleston
RECORD SPORTS WRITER

In the pre-season, Northville tennis coach Sandy Woolfall was told her team was ranked as one of Michigan's top 10 teams.

She questioned the early rankings. And wondered upon what, besides a crystal ball, such numbers could be based.

The prophecy is proving true.

The Mustangs, undefeated in dual meets and owners of several tournament titles, made another statement at last week's tennis regional. The Mustangs earned a berth to tomorrow's state finals tournament. Friday's winners advance to play Saturday.

"We're really excited," Woolfall said. "We had a clean sweep of the regionals. Everyone played very well. I thought we could do it and we did it."

The girls thought they could do it too. Every flight for the Mustangs earned a regional championship. That accomplishment came on the heels of division and conference titles during the past two weeks.

Now the girls will try to keep their magic season alive.

"I was at the seeding meeting (Monday) and we actually got some seeds this year, which is a change for us," Woolfall said. "With those seeds and possibly a little luck in our draws, I think we can really make a statement up there. Hopefully, we finish in the top three."

Northville will face Clarkston, West Bloomfield and conference-rival Livonia Stevenson. But the

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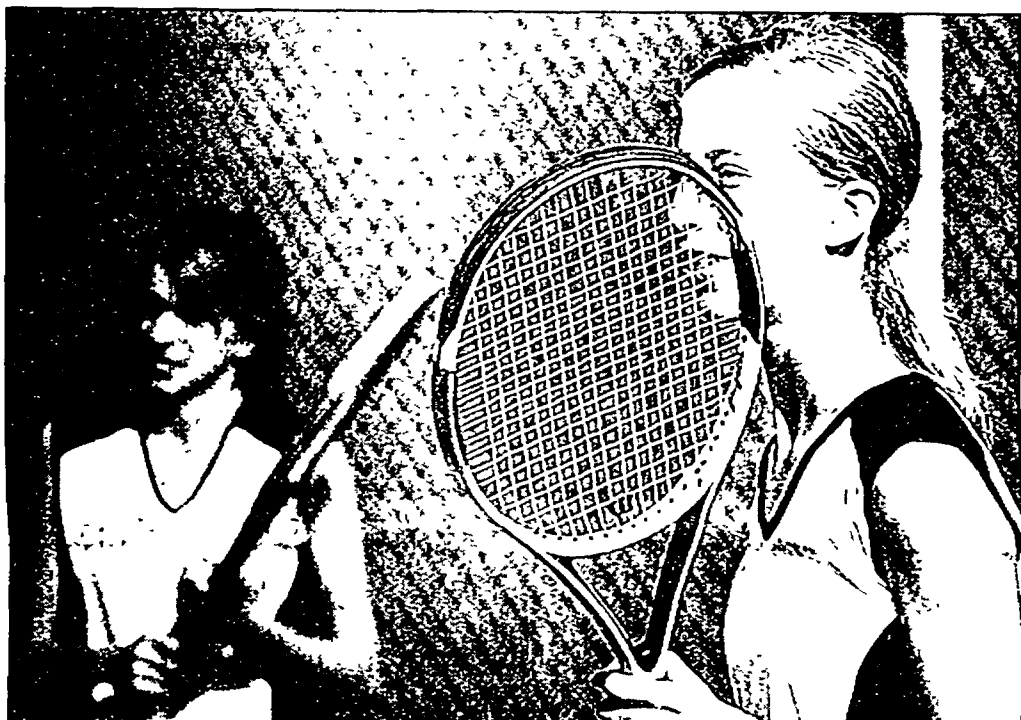
Novi Wildcats will not be part of their post-season shopping list.

"It's disappointing that Novi is not there," Woolfall said. "They should be. It was stated several times at the state meeting that something should be done about that regional (Novi plays in). Novi is as strong as, if not stronger than Stevenson and they should be there."

Mustangs sophomore Christina Ruiz is tentatively seeded third. Chelsea Johnston is seeded first at third singles.

Jen Harkness and Amanda Darish are looking at a doubles team fourth seed, and Jackie Taylor and Shannon Farris are tentatively slated for a sixth doubles seed.

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Christine Curran, right, and No. 8 doubles partner Lindsay Hagan await a serve from their opponents during last week's regional match at Dearborn High School.

DESTINATION: STATES

The Northville Mustangs made short work of their opponents in the regional tournament, taking all 32 possible points. Livonia Stevenson also escaped the regional, earning second with 24.

Because flight championships are hard to come by, Northville is excited about sweeping the tournament. The following Mustangs earned their stripes as regional champs and some where conference champions as well.

Singles

- First — Christina Ruiz won regional and conference titles
- Second — Erica Dobson won regional title and

was conference runner-up

- Third — Chelsea Johnston won regional and conference titles
- Fourth — Jonnie Powers was regional and conference champion

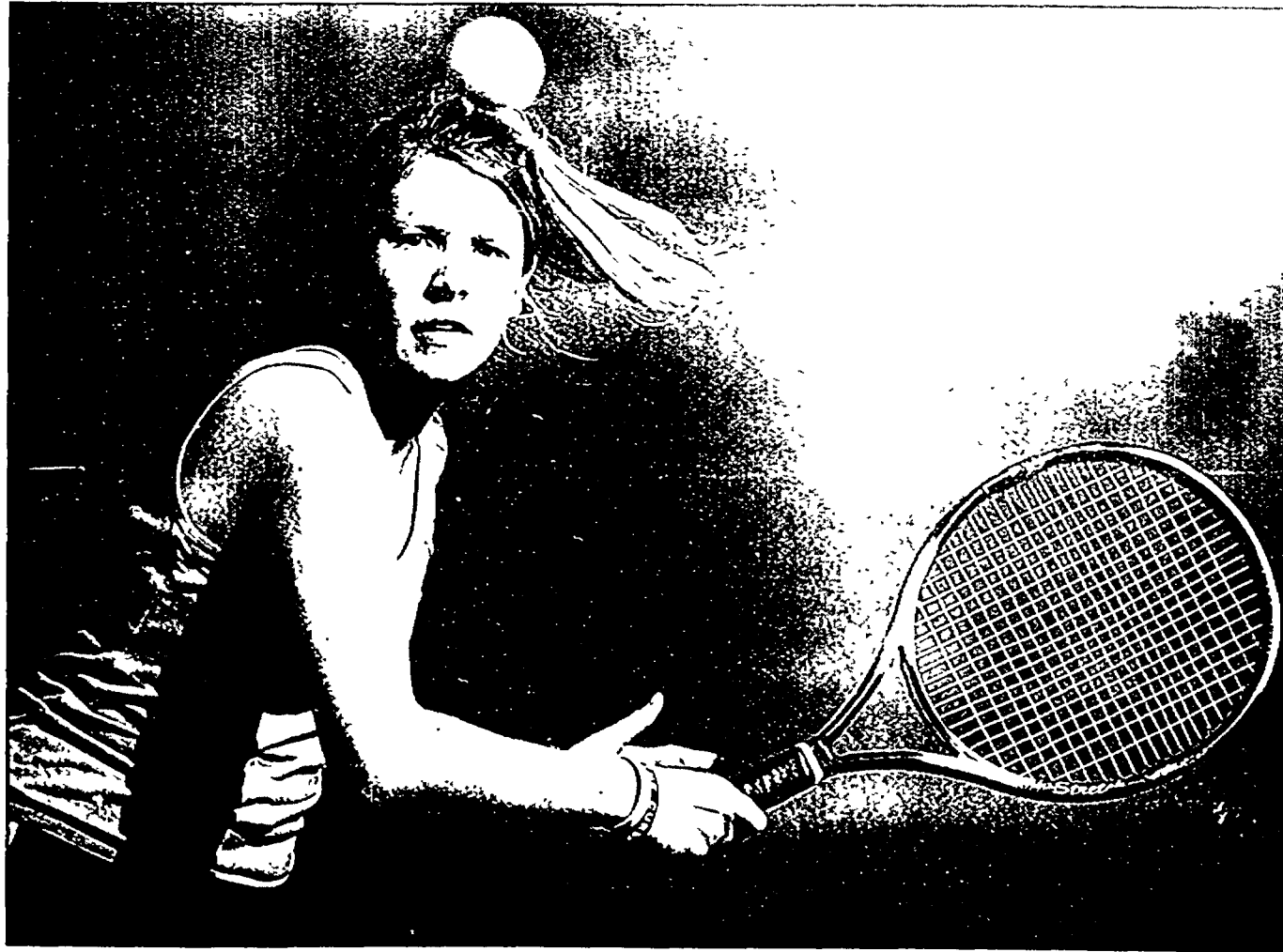
Doubles

- First — Amanda Darish and Jen Harkness were regional and conference title winners
- Second — Jackie Taylor and Shannon Farris were conference and regional champs
- Third — Lindsay Hagan and Christine Curran earned a conference and a regional title
- Fourth — Amy Kroth and Brocke Burnell earned a regional title and were conference semi-finalists

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Northville No. 2 doubles teammates Shannon Farris, left, and Jackie Taylor prepare to receive a serve from their opponents during last week's regional action.



Mustang Amanda Darish tracks down a tennis ball during last week's regional tennis match.

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YOUTH SPORTS

Colts run away from Falcons, 36-0

The junior varsity Northville Colts used a solid running game and a team effort last week to run past the Livonia Falcons, 36-0.

The Colts' (4-1) started the game with key runs by quarterback Brett Gardner and fullback Jeffrey Hewlett. Runningback Jonathon Alandt scored on a 20-yard run, sprung by tight end Drew Baldwin's punishing block.

Victor Bodrie added the point-after conversion to give the Colts an 8-0 lead.

A solid team defensive effort featured linebackers Michael Bagian, Ken Campbell and Eric Hutting and linemen Blake Bonatz, Cody Schwartz and Steven Toth.

Gardner started a second-quarter drive with a 15-yard run, hurdling tacklers, then hit Hewlett on an 18-yard pass. Alandt capped the drive with a 15-yard touchdown run behind a blocking of tight end Daniel Brenner and flanker Joel Pennington.

Bodrie added the point-after conversion and gave the Colts a 16-0 lead. Defensive standout Michael Sugawara and ends Max Williams and Michael Walukas each made big plays to shut down the Falcons next drive. Connor Pollifrone made a big fourth down stop for the Colts. On the next play, Alandt didn't waste any time for the Colts going 68 yards on a sweep for his third touchdown of the game.

Hewlett ran in the extra point and the Colts were up 23-0.

The Colts' offense didn't slow down in the second half. Following runs by Ryan Bailey and quarterback Dawson Laabs, tailback Connor Pollifrone broke free for a 30-yard touchdown run. Laabs found Trevor Maresh for the point after attempt that gave the Colts a 30-0 lead.

Laabs continued to run and pass the ball effectively behind his offensive line of Garrett Wiska, Bradley Stegmeyer, Matthew Sopha, Nick Mencotti and Collin Koschny. Tight ends Marshall Williams, Maresh and Max Williams and flanker Emily Poland also blew open big holes for Colts' backs. Pollifrone ended the scoring on a 29-yard pass from Laabs.

The defense preserved the shutout behind Brad Currier, David Francis, Kyle Hammer and Andrew Kowalski. The Colts next game is 1 p.m., Sunday at Hillside Middle School Field against the Novi Bobcats. The Colts and Bobcats will celebrate homecoming.

Freshmen Colts lose, 33-7

The freshman Colts suffered an overwhelming loss to the Livonia Falcons Saturday at Livonia's home field.

The Colts started strong when quarterback Cameron Thomas passed to Robby Parks, who ran 55 yards for a touchdown. Parks then ran in the extra point, giving the Colts an early 7-0 lead.

Great tackles by Thomas Huber, Rini Jusufi, Ryan Gardner, Tyler Gozдор, Mark Guidobono, Kyle Heinz, Brock Drogosh and Julian Gjonaj allowed the Colts to take over on downs. During its next possession, the Colts maintained control with three more completed passes by Thomas and big gains by Sam Tacconelli and Huber.

Offensive players Greg Stewart, Kyle Clary, Alex Carson, Tyler Kwasny, Jude Jordan, Nick Koehler, Lincoln Boutilier, David Blough, Jack Ellis and Chris Komorous contributed to the first quarter success.

But the second quarter featured a Falcons kickoff return touchdown and a fumble recovery for another touchdown. Colts Chad Berryman, Taggart McCreadie, JT Kahn, Benny Marsalese, Gozдор, Drogosh and Clary played solid defensively. The Falcons added another touchdown late in the third quarter.

Despite strong efforts by RJ Holloway, Kyle Brenner, Sean Wagner, Jake Slominski, Max VanAntwerp, David Borthwick and Robby Sneed, the Colts fell, 33-7.

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Special Kay

Sidelined Mustang takes field — via teammates

By Sam Eggleston
RECORD SPORTS WRITER

Every time a Northville Mustang football player scores a touchdown or makes a tackle, Number 80 is there.

Though he can't suit up and be on the field with his teammates, each player makes sure Kevin Kay is somehow with them. Kay has suffered injuries to his shoulders which keeps him from playing. His teammates, however, wear his jersey number, 80, on their arm bands, shoes or gloves.

"It means a lot to me that they want me out there with them," said Kay. "The guys mean so much to me. They think of me as their friend on the field. No, they think of me as their comrade, a fighter on the field with them even though I'm not."

The beginning of the end

Kay's injuries began while he was a member of the junior varsity team. In his second game, he dislocated his left shoulder during a punt.

"After that I came back and I lifted all of the off season to get myself ready," said Kay.

The work didn't seem to be the answer. The next year, he dislocated his left shoulder again.

Kay said at that point doctors became more involved. They told him that due to damage done to the cartilage and muscle tissue a surgical operation on the shoulder would be best. Afterwards, he did four months and was determined to make a come back.

Once again, Kay lifted weights during the off season, building himself back into playing shape and preparing himself for his senior season.

And then it happened. "During the first day of pads I dislocated my right shoulder," Kay said.

The risks were now too severe. If he dislocated his left shoulder again he'd be looking at another operation. If Kay dislocated the right a third time, the damage could be severe.

"I basically spent three years working toward playing football and I won't even be able to play," said Kay. "It was like a slap in the face."

But his teammates are trying to make him a part of the victories nonetheless. Northville went from winning only two games last year to a winning record so far this season. They've turned the program around and Kay

finds himself on the sidelines watching each game.

"It's hard," he said. "It's a lot easier because of my friends on the team. They keep me a part of everything that happens during a game."

Mountains to climb

There hasn't been much in Kay's life that hasn't been a challenge. At 12, Kay received the news that no one ever wants to hear — his dad was dying.

A brain tumor left his dad deteriorating. He died eight months later.

"I had the support of my family and my friends," said Kay. "It was just so hard for me to see such a powerful man barely able to walk or do anything by the end."

Kay's father taught him the value of weight lifting and hard work.

"He was an avid lifter," said Kay. "He was a health nut in general. He stayed in shape by running on a treadmill and working out."

Though his father is gone, Kay said he is always watching. Such a belief stems from Kay's strict faith as a Christian — something that may have wavered slightly when his dad died. It's strong once again.

"I was obviously angry," he said. "I kept my faith though and it has helped make me the person I am today."

Kay knows Northville football has seen its share of hard knocks as well.

"Football symbolizes my life," he said. "There has been lots of heart breaks, but we're stronger as a team because of it."

A father figure

Kay hasn't been without a father figure in his life, however. In many ways, head coach Clint Alexander has filled the role.

"Coach Alexander has really filled in for my father," said Kay. "He has comforted me and encouraged me. He's a lot like a father. He's someone to talk to and someone to share things with."

His teammates also offer unconditional support. Friendship fills the gaps life has left behind.

"I know Coach Alexander and the guys on the football team aren't my father, they never can be," said Kay. "They're great though. I love all of them like



Photo by DAVID AGUILAR/NORTHVILLE RECORD EDITOR

Injuries kept Kevin Kay off the playing field this season — but not entirely, thanks to teammates who occasionally still call the offensive play named in his honor.

family and they've done the best they can to help fill in the part of my life that was lost."

And without being able to be on the field, the players and the coaches have found a way for Kay to always be a part of their winning combination

Numerous times this year, the Mustangs have galloped into the endzone using a new play developed this year — "Kay Right."

"It's like I'm out there helping them out," said Kay. "Coach told me that as long as he's coaching there will always be a Kay Right."

It's a great to be a part of the program in that way. It's really great."

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Yutzy returns; Hannah lost — maybe for six weeks

By Sam Eggleston
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As the Northville Mustangs soccer team prepares to get senior captain Phil Yutzy back from an injury, they've lost senior captain, James Hannah to one.

Hannah, who is a candidate for Mr. Soccer this season as well as the team's leading scorer, was told last Friday that he could miss up to six weeks of soccer — but only three weeks remain if the Mustangs manage to make the state finals.

"They said I should be able to play in four to six weeks," said Hannah. "At that point, it's over. I think I'll be ready when it feels good enough to play."

The injury occurred last Thursday during soccer practice. The team was having a typical scrimmage when Hannah's leg got wrapped up with another player's and he felt a pop.

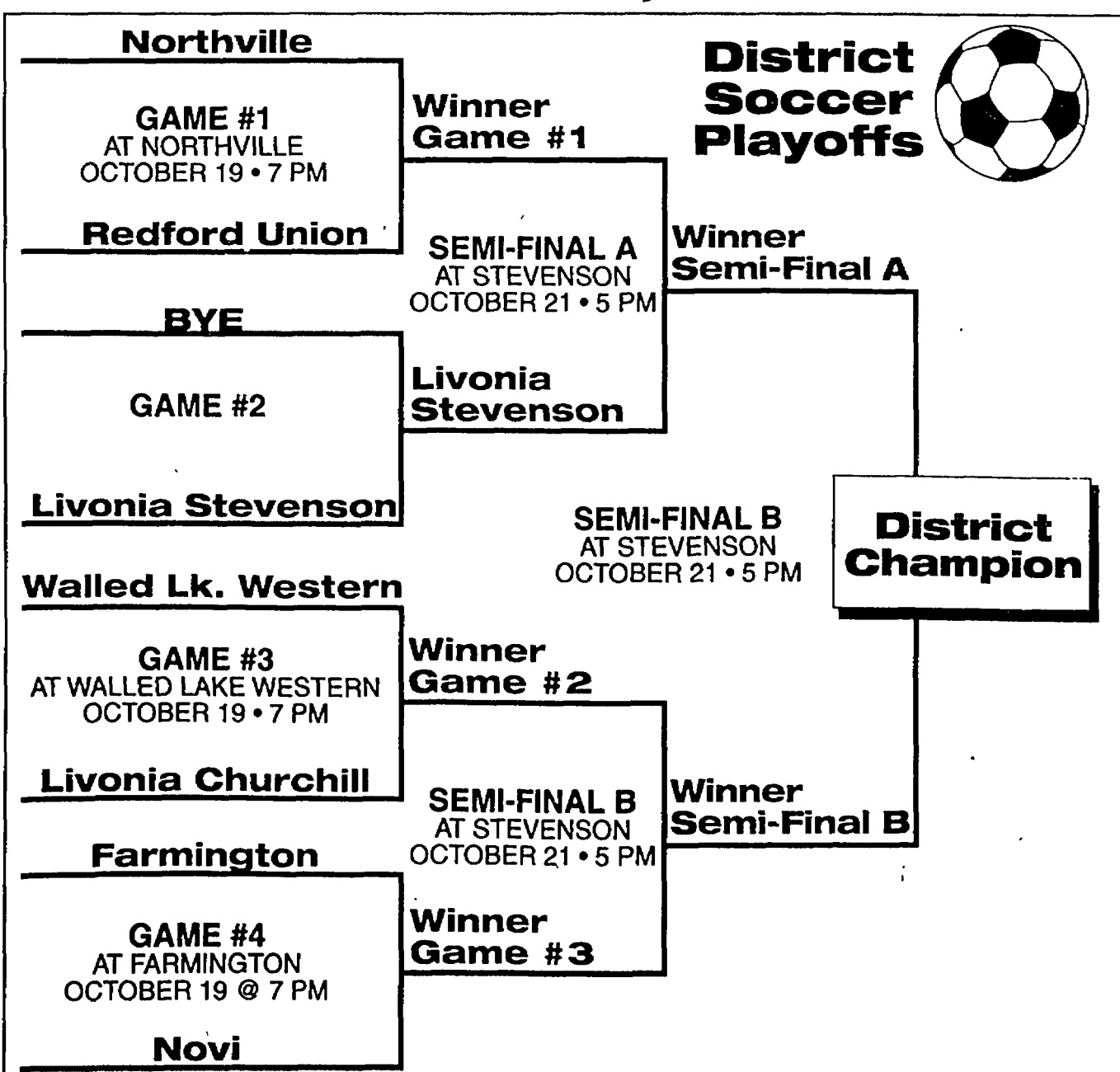
"When I heard it pop, I knew something was wrong," he said.

Hannah is confident he'll be return before the end of the post-season, if his team advances. The Mustangs won two games last week without him, beating both Salem and Walled Lake Western. Hannah was on the bench after getting a red card, an automatic ejection and one game suspension.

Northville coach Henry Klimes is confident his top scorer will be back. "I've seen sprains before that look much better in a week," he said. "I've been told James is a very quick healer and if his mind is set on playing he'll return."

Until then, he plans on running in the pool and treading water. Hannah said he will also do cardiovascular exercises that won't put weight on the ankle and sit-ups.

"I'm going to be back," he said. "I'm not going to end my senior season on the bench."



FRIDAY NIGHT LIGHTS

Northville Record

HAPPY BERTH-DAY

Mustangs wash away consecutive two-win seasons, qualify for state playoff party



Mustangs ready for Stevenson, slice of WLAA pie

By Sam Eggleston
RECORD SPORTS WRITER

Northville earns playoff stripes against Zebras, 42-24

By David Aguilar
RECORD EDITOR

Amid an autumn rain shower, the Northville Mustangs earned a state playoff berth last Friday, defeating the Wayne Memorial Zebras, 42-24.

"This is very satisfying," head coach Clint Alexander said. "Moreso for the kids. They have worked so hard for this."

The Mustangs (5-1) last qualified for the state playoffs in 2002. During each of the last two seasons the team has won two games.

Friday night the Mustangs ruined the Zebras' homecoming party early when runningback Mac Stilec capped a game-opening touchdown drive. A two-point conversion made the score 8-0.

Stilec and junior quarterback Charlie Thomas added first half touchdowns, giving the Mustangs a 21-6 lead. The tandem then added second half touchdowns, along with runningback Cody Sivie.

"It was all business," Alexander said. "We needed this win. Now, they're starting to believe."

He said more work is ahead. "We've got two big games ahead of us (Livonia Stevenson tomorrow night and Novi for the battle of the Baseline Jug the week after).

"The jug is probably as important to these kids as the playoffs."

Alexander said the 2004 Mustangs have proven themselves.

"I just really believed this was a special group of kids," he said. "They just really came together, and I am very proud of them."

The Northville Mustangs football team may technically be playing for third place in the conference, but in the hearts and minds of the team's players they are shooting for second.

The team, coached by Clint Alexander, will play host to the Livonia Stevenson Spartans tomorrow at 7 p.m. in the Western and Lakes Division cross-over game.

The Mustangs (6-1 overall; 4-1 Western Division) will have to beat the Spartans (6-1; 4-1 Lakes Division) if they hope to be able to make a case for second place. John Glenn is first in the Lakes Division and Canton is first in the Western Division. The two teams play for first place in the WLAA tomorrow.

"We beat John Glenn head to head," Alexander said. "If we beat Stevenson, that would technically make us second in the conference. I don't think anyone would have predicted us to be second out of 12 teams this year."

But beating the Spartans is key. Northville will have to employ their spread-offense strategy against a team that has also learned how to effectively pass the ball.

"They are definitely trying to throw more," Alexander said of the traditionally run-based Spartans.

The Mustangs don't plan on changing their practice routines for the Spartans. But Alexander said getting a win is priority one.

"Right now we feel if we win out we'll be first or second in our (playoff) district," he said. "So, we're going to be looking to win."

Stevenson's passing attack starts with junior Chad Casey. His favorite target this season has been wide receiver Trevor Hearn.

The Mustangs, however, are the perfect example of passing in the WLAA this year. Charlie Thomas, the team's junior passer, leads the entire conference in passing with 889 yards. Receiver Mike Jameson is second in the WLAA in yards

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Clint Alexander
Mustangs' Head Football Coach

with 430 while Richie Nejman is fourth with 221 receiving.

Northville also brings a steady rushing attack. Senior Mack Stilec has gathered 654 yards on the ground while Thomas has sprinted for 514 this year.

Stilec, however, has been injured with a sore hamstring the past two weeks and has seen limited playing time.

"He'll be back for us," said Alexander. "But if we find that we're in a position where we don't need him we're not going to push it. Cody Sivie is capable of running the football and is averaging something like eight yards a carry."

Northville's defense will be looking to get some credit too. Joe Perpich leads the league in sacks with four, while Joe Prain is tied for second with three and Andrew Kirby has two.

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(Top) Mustangs defenders worked hard to keep the athletic Zebras from running free last Friday night; (Below, left) Mustangs wide receiver Mike Jameson picks up valuable yardage after the catch; (Bottom, right) Defensive lineman Joe Hogan joins other Mustangs defenders during a timeout.



Western Lakes Activities Association Football Standings

LAKES DIVISION						
TEAM	OVERALL	PCT	DIVISION	PCT	PF	PA
Westland John Glenn*	6-1	.857	5-0	1.000	230	112
Livonia Stevenson*	6-1	.857	4-1	.800	221	103
Walled Lake Central	4-3	.571	3-2	.600	139	177
Livonia Churchill	4-3	.571	2-3	.400	87	103
Salem	3-4	.429	1-4	.200	140	147
Walled Lake Northern	0-7	.000	0-5	.000	59	224

WESTERN DIVISION						
TEAM	OVERALL	PCT	DIVISION	PCT	PF	PA
Canton*	7-0	1.000	7-0	1.000	322	46
Northville*	6-1	.857	4-1	.800	249	182
Walled Lake Western	4-3	.571	2-3	.400	196	221
Plymouth	2-5	.286	2-3	.400	185	279
Livonia Franklin	1-6	.143	1-4	.200	131	214
Wayne Memorial	1-6	.143	1-4	.200	117	202

* Qualifies for State Playoffs



WHAT'S GOING ON?

Northville Record

NORTHVILLE'S OFFICIAL EVENTS CALENDAR

— To submit information about local events to 'What's Going On?' please e-mail to nrevents@ht.homecomm.net. —

Library Lines

Storytime

Registration for the fall series of storytimes for children who are 4, 5 or in Kindergarten begins on Sept. 14. Designed for children who are comfortable attending without a caregiver present, these six-week series feature stories and creative activities. Each session lasts 45 minutes and is limited to 20 children. Select from one of the following series: Mondays at 4 p.m., until Nov. 8; Tuesdays at 10:15 a.m. or 2 p.m., until Nov. 9.

Library Hours

The Northville District Library is open 10 a.m. - 9 p.m., Monday-Thursday, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m., Friday and Saturday. The library is located at 212 W. Cady St., near Northville City Hall, with parking off Cady Street. For information about programs, services, or to request or renew library materials, call (248) 349-3020.

Library Board Meetings

The Northville District Library Board of Trustees typically meets at 7:30 p.m. on the fourth Thursday of the month. The public is welcome to attend.

Local Events

Steak Grill Out

The public is welcome to attend Marine Corps League Detachment 162's October "Steak Grill Out" Saturday, Oct. 16 at the VFW Post 4012, 438 S. Main St., between 5 and 7:30 p.m. Come and enjoy the "best steaks" in town for the best price. All proceeds are used to help local veterans and veteran organizations. There are two sizes to choose from, \$8 for a 10 oz steak and \$12 for a 16 oz steak. This will be the last Steak Grill Out for 2004. Come grill with the Marines and support your local veterans. For more information visit our web site at www.semperpari162.org or call (248) 390-5481.

Flu/Pneumonia Shots

The Visiting Nurse Association will be providing Flu and Pneumonia shots again this fall. Available for persons 9 years and older; you do not need to be a Northville resident. You must call the Senior Center at (248) 349-4140 to register.

Shots will take place on Thursday, Oct. 14 from 9 a.m.-3 p.m. at the Senior Community Center on 303 W. Main St. in Northville. The fee is \$17 for a flu shot and \$25 for a pneumonia shot. Medicare/Medicaid will be billed for the vaccine. Bring picture ID with current address and Medicare Part B/Medicaid card.

Halloween Madness

This October enjoy an afternoon of "Halloween Madness" at Northville's historic Marquis Theatre. The show is about some average, fun-loving creatures who live in an old castle with their servants and pets. You won't want to miss this comedy! Bring the entire family and come dressed in your favorite Halloween costume.

Performance dates and times are Saturdays at 2:30 p.m., Oct. 16, 23 and 30; Saturdays at 11 a.m., Oct. 23 and 30; Sundays at 2:30 p.m., Oct. 17, 24 and 31; Friday at 7 p.m., Oct. 29. Tickets are \$7.50. Please no children under age 3.

The Marquis Theatre is located at 135 E. Main St. For group rates and reservations call (248) 349-8110.

Hollows Eve Dance

All 9th -12th graders are invited to dress in (church appropriate) costume and attend the dance at Our Lady of Victory Church in Social Hall, 770 Thayer Blvd., Oct. 23. The cost of the 7 - 9:30 p.m. dance is \$5 and includes swing dance lessons and refreshments. For more information, call (248) 349-0216.

Halloween

Halloween Trick or Treat Hours for the City of Northville are Sunday, Oct. 3 between the hours of 6 and 8 p.m.

Halloween Open House

Food and fun for all! Hours are 6-8 p.m. in conjunction with trick or treating. The siren will sound to start and end trick or treating hours. During this time the fire department will be serving popcorn, cotton candy, cider, doughnuts and pop and will hold a costume contest for all ages. Judging starts at 7:30 p.m.

For further information on any of these events you can contact the Fire Department at (248) 449-9920.

Pumpkin Walk

Bring the family out for the pumpkin walk at Mill Race Historic Village Oct. 17, 6 - 8 p.m. Ages 3-8, tickets are \$6. For more information, please contact Northville Parks and Recreation at (248) 349-0203 ext.1411.

Cemetery Walk

Re-enactors will portray some of Northville's prominent past citizens buried in Oakwood Cemetery 5:30 -8:30 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 10. Dressed in period costumes and standing at their characters' graves, they will tell history tales of their subject's life.

Tickets are \$10 adults and \$8 students and can be purchased beginning in September at Mill Race Village, from 1 - 4 p.m. every Sunday. The cemetery is located on West Cady Street. For more information, call (248) 348-1845.

Corn Maze

The Corn Maze, sponsored by Farmer Jack stores, opened to the public Friday, Sept. 17 and will be open every weekend through Oct. 31.

The Maze is at Maybury Farm, 50255 Eight Mile Road (half mile east of Napier Road) in Northville. Please use the Maybury State Park entrance in the Maybury Farm Welcome Center.

Tickets are \$8 for adults and \$4 for children, children under 3 are free. Tickets are available at the Maybury Farm Welcome Center, the Northville Chamber of Commerce or the Northville Community Foundation. All proceeds will go towards the feeding of the animals and the rebuilding of Maybury Farm.

Holiday Lighted Parade

Sponsored by the Northville Central Business Association will take place Nov. 19. For more information, please call (248) 349-0611.

Christmas Walk

Begin your holiday season with a special visit to downtown Northville. Wrap yourself in the warmth of Northville and attend the 23rd Annual Christmas Walk on Sunday, Nov. 21 from 12 - 5 p.m.

Various downtown merchants will be welcoming visitors with free holiday treats and special activities in their stores. Local organizations will be selling Christmas items. There will be free horse and carriage rides with Santa and his reindeer.

Holiday performances in the Bandshell include Roy Scoutz and the Center Stage Dancers. The Plymouth Community Chorus and a strolling minstrel will be spreading the holiday spirit throughout town.

Children's Christmas Workshop

Registration for the Children's Christmas Workshop begins on Nov. 5 at 6 p.m. for members, 7 p.m. for non-members. The Children's Christmas Workshop will take place at Mill Race Village on Dec. 4 from 10 a.m. - 12 p.m. and 1 - 3 p.m. For more information, please call the Northville Historical Society at (248) 348-1845.

All A-Glow/Illumination for Education

Sponsored by the Mother's Club will take place Dec. 10. For more information, please call (248) 349-6364.

Candlelight Walk

Sponsored by the Northville Central Business Association will take place Dec. 10. For more information, please call (248) 349-0611.

Babes in Toyland - Northville Youth Theatre

This holiday classic will run at the Senior Community Center on Dec. 17, 18 and 19. Tickets go on sale Aug. 18. Presented by Northville Parks and Recreation and Serendipity Productions.

Holiday Home Tour

The Holiday Home Tour is upon us once again and the homes are gorgeous - and that is without holiday decorations. Five absolutely beautiful homes have been selected and will be decorated by the most requested decorators over the past several years. The homes selected are breathtaking and worth seeing



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There's always something happening in downtown Northville. To find out what, check out, "What's Going On?"

as they will truly be a dream when our decorators finish. This tour has been a sell out each and every year and we anticipate the same this year.

The tour will take place Nov. 12-13 at 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. Tickets are available for \$18 at the following locations: Northville Chamber of Commerce, 195 S. Main St., (248) 349-7640; Preferences, 103 E. Main St., (248) 344-8790; Gardenviews, 202 W. Main St., (248) 380-8881 and Northville Community Foundation, 18600 Northville Road, (248) 374-0200. You may also purchase your tickets by charging them to your Visa or MasterCard by calling (248) 374-0200.

Poetry Contest

A \$1,000 grand prize is being offered in a special religious poetry contest sponsored by the New Jersey Rainbow Poets, free to anyone who has ever written a poem. There are 50 prizes in all totaling almost \$5,000.

The deadline for entering is Oct. 30.

To enter, send one poem only of 21 lines or less to: Free Poetry Contest, 103 N. Wood Ave., PMB 70, Linden, N.J. 07036. Or enter online: www.rainbowpoets.com.

"We think great religious poems can inspire achievement," says Frederick Young, the organization's Contest Director. "Our desire is to inspire amateur poets and we think this competition will accomplish that. Michigan has produced many wonderful poets over the years and we'd like to discover new ones from among the Northville-area grassroots poets."

Handcrafter's Craft Show

More than 90 juried artists will display their wares. At the Recreation Center at Hillside Middle School, 700 W. Baseline (center on Sheldon/Center Street), Friday, Dec. 8, 6 - 9 p.m.; Saturday, Dec. 10, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. and Sunday, Dec. 10, 11 a.m. - 4 p.m. Admission is \$2. For more information, please call (734) 459-0050. No strollers please.

Family Night at Maybury

Maybury State Park is having a family night every second Sunday of the month at the Hickory Shelter from 7 - 9:30 p.m. until Oct. 10. Each night features a new theme. Activities vary from crafts to stories and songs.

Bring a flashlight, bug spray and blanket. The program is free, the events are sponsored by the Friends of Maybury State Park.

Speaker Dan Kindlon

New York Times best-selling author, Dan Kindlon, author of *Raising Cain: Protecting the Emotional Life of Boys* will be speaking in Northville on Monday, Oct. 18 at 7 p.m. in the Hillside Middle School auditorium (located on Sheldon Road at Eight Mile Road). Dr. Kindlon is a Clinical Psychologist who teaches at Harvard University. He has been a frequent guest on *The Today Show*, *20/20*, *CNN*, and *National Public Radio*.

Dr. Kindlon will discuss the social and emotional challenges that boys encounter in school and

show parents how they can help boys cultivate emotional awareness and empathy - giving them the vital connections and support they need to navigate the social pressures of youth. Admission is free and open to non-residents. Contact Mary Ellen King, director of Northville Youth Assistance at (248) 344-1618 for additional information.

Looking for You

Mentors Needed

Northville Youth Assistance, a program dedicated to preventing the problems faced by youths by matching them one-on-one with a volunteer mentor, needs volunteers. Mentors undergo 15 hours of training before being matched with a Northville youth.

They are then asked to spend 1-2 hours per week with the youth for the period of approximately one year. The training session began Sept. 30, 2004. NYA also offers free tutoring to elementary students. To volunteer as a mentor or tutor, please call (248) 344-1618.

Tutors

Northville Youth Assistance (NYA) is in need of adult volunteers for a new program that provides free tutoring for elementary school students in Northville. Volunteers should be able to commit to one hour per week. This is a great opportunity to show our local students that their community cares about them and their success in school. If you are interested, please call the NYA office at (248) 344-1618 or e-mail the NYA office.

Woman's Club

The Northville Woman's Club is looking for members. The club is a group of women from the area who meet every two weeks. Various programs are provided. For information on joining, call (248) 449-6319.

Camera Club

The Northville Arts Commission and Northville Camera have teamed up to create a camera club. The club will meet at the Art House on the second Tuesdays of the month at 7:30 p.m. Meetings will feature guest speakers and opportunities for members to show their work and receive feedback. Next meeting is Nov. 9. Anyone interested should contact Tom James of Northville Camera or Ken Naigus of the Arts Commission at (248) 449-9950.

Maybury Stables

Bring the family to Maybury Park to enjoy horseback riding. The riding stable is open Tuesday-Sunday, 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. (closed on Mondays) until Nov. 21. Riders must be on a horse by 6 p.m. to make the last ride.

Kids must be at least 54 inches tall to ride. There is also a 240 pound weight limit for all of the horses. For more information, call (248) 347-1088 or visit www.mayburyridingstable.com.

Cider Mill

Parmenter's Northville Cider

Mill is opening this season from 10 a.m. - 8 p.m., until Nov. 21. Gather the family and get into the spirit of fall with fresh apple cider, doughnuts and caramel apples.

Wine tasting is also available. Parmenter's Northville Cider Mill is located at 714 Baseline Road. For more information, call (248) 349-3181.

Vine2Wine

Customize your own bottle of wine to suit your taste. The downtown Northville winery carries red and white wines and is open year round, closed on Monday. For more information, call (248) 465-9463.

Regional

Art Show

The Chelsea Invitational Art Show features ninety specially invited and juried artists. Contemporary, traditional and progressive styles are all featured. This will be the first major public exhibition to be held in Chelsea's new high school.

Works include painting, jewelry, sculpture, fabric, ceramic and glass priced for every budget. The show will be held on Saturday, Oct. 23, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. at Chelsea High School on Freer Road in Chelsea. Tickets available at the door, admission is \$2 (children 12 and under are free). Money raised from the cost of admission will help support the Chelsea Area Senior Citizens Group. Take I-94 to Exit 159 or 162 and follow the signs.

Annual Craft Fair

Hot lunch and bake sale available at the Livonia Craft Fair. The show is from 9:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. Oct. 16, 17500 Farmington Road, Livonia. Admission is \$1 and it buys you a chance to win a raffle prize. For more information, call (734) 422-1527.

Crafters Show

Crafters are needed for the 18th annual juried art show held at West Middle School from 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. Oct. 23. West Middle School is located at 44401 W. Ann Arbor Trail in Plymouth. For more information, call Jan at (734) 844-1707.

Photography at the DIA

Early in the 20th century as the industrial age was evolving and America and the world were in a period of dramatic change, Charles Sheeler began documenting the United States as no other photographer had ever done. Initially turning to photography to support a painting career, Sheeler ultimately became one of the most celebrated photographers of his generation. The Photography of Charles Sheeler: American Modernist is the first major retrospective to focus exclusively on his photographic work created between 1915-1939 and can be viewed through Dec. 5.

The Detroit Institute of Arts is located at 5200 Woodward Ave., for more information, call (313) 833-7900.

DIA Hours of Operation: CLOSED Monday and Tuesday 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. Wednesday and

Thursday 10 a.m. - 9 p.m. Friday 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday

Independent Film Series

The Detroit Institute of Arts Film Theater is presenting a selection of independent features and ground breaking films. Tickets are \$6.50 or \$5.50 for senior citizens, students with valid ID and DIA members. Tickets are available at the DIA box office an hour before show times or by phone at (313) 833-3237.

- Tarnation 10 a.m. - 9 p.m. Friday
- 7 and 9:30 p.m., Friday, Oct. 15.
- 7 and 9:30 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 16.
- 4 and 7 p.m., Sunday, Oct. 17.
- Cowards Bend the Knee 7 and 9:45 p.m., Monday, Oct. 18.
- Zelary 7 and 9:45 p.m., Friday, Oct. 22.
- 7 and 9:45 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 23.
- 4 and 7 p.m., Sunday, Oct. 24.
- Point of No Return 7:30 p.m., Monday, Oct. 25.

Friday Night at the DIA

Fine Arts Friday, Oct. 8 includes a Drop-in Workshop: Sugar Skulls (all ages) 6 - 8:30 p.m. Decorate sugar skulls and learn how they are used for Day of the Dead celebrations in Mexican and Mexican American communities.

Jazz Music: T. S. Monk Quintet 6:30 and 8 p.m. Drummer, bandleader, composer, and vocalist T. S. Monk received the New York Jazz Awards first "Recording of the Year" award and Downbeat's sixty-third annual album of the year Reader's Choice Award for Monk On Monk, an eightieth birthday tribute to his father, jazz great Thelonious Monk.

Drawing in the Galleries for Youth* (Ages 6-14) 6 - 8:30 p.m. Artist/instructors Vera Smith and Molly Murphy help participants create drawings. Drawing in the Galleries for Adults* (Ages 15 and older) 6-8:30 p.m. Artist/instructor Renee Jarmolowicz helps participants create drawings. Adventures in Drawing (Ages 8 and younger accompanied by an adult) 6 - 8:30 p.m. Children explore creative expression through drawing.

Greatest Hits Guided Tours 6 and 7:30 p.m. "Highlights of Europe & America" and "Art of Four Continents & the Ancient World" offered both times.

The Palace of Auburn Hills

For more information on any event, call (248) 377-0100 or visit www.palacenet.com. To charge tickets by phone, call (248) 645-6666.

- Barry Manilow - One Night Live! One Last Time! 8 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 23. Tickets - \$89.50, \$69.50 and \$39.50.
- Avril Lavigne 7:30 p.m., Wednesday, Nov. 3. Tickets - \$37.50 and \$32.50.
- Bette Midler 8 p.m., Friday, Nov. 5. Tickets - \$178, \$93, \$63 and \$42.50.

HALLOWEEN HAUNTS

Northville

Pets on Parade is planned

The Howl-O-Ween Pet Festival and Parade is scheduled from 2-5 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 30. Costumed pets and their owners will have the opportunity to participate in games, contests and more at Ford Field in downtown Northville. The pet parade will begin at 5 p.m. Ford Field is located just north of Main Street and to the east of Sheldon Road/Center Street. The event is being organized by the Northville Department of Parks and Recreation.

Pumpkin Walk set at village

The 2004 Pumpkin Walk will be at the Historic Mill Race Village in downtown Northville. The Mill will once again open to provide young children with a safe and non-scary chance to trick-or-treat, create craft projects, and play games. The event will take place between 6-8:30 p.m., Sunday, Oct. 17. Tickets must be purchased in advance. Mill Race Village is located north of Main Street on Griswold Street, east of Sheldon Road/Center Street. Tickets are available through the Northville Department of Parks and Recreation.

Corn Maze helps Maybury

The Pumpkin Patch at Maybury Farm is open for early pumpkin shoppers. Tractor rides to the patch are available for a \$2 donation per adult, \$1 per child (4-11), under 4 free and \$3 per pumpkin. The Corn Maze is still going strong and is open on Fridays, 5-9 p.m., as well as Saturdays and Sundays, 2-9 p.m. Tickets are \$4 per child and \$8 per adult. All of the proceeds from these two events will go toward rebuilding Maybury Farm. For additional information call 248-374-0200.

Canton

Family Fright Night Fiesta set

Do the mash-the monster mash from 7-9 p.m. on Oct. 22 at the Summit on the Park grand ballroom. The First Annual

Halloween Dance will feature music, light refreshments, door prizes and a costume contest. Tickets will not be sold at this event and walk-ins will not be accepted. Tickets must be purchased beforehand through the leisure services office and are priced at \$5 for residents and \$6.50 for non-residents. Children 3 and under will be admitted free. For more information, call leisure services at (734) 394-5460.

Pumpkins on the Pond

Carve a spooky jack-o-lantern and bring out to Heritage Park from 6-9 p.m., Friday, Oct. 15. The pumpkins will be lined up around the pond and lit up in the dark. The event is free of charge. Pumpkin drop-off begins at 5 p.m. There will be music and refreshments as well. For more information, call leisure services at (734) 394-5460.

Octoberfest

For those who want to keep their little ghouls and goblins safe this Halloween, Octoberfest offers a trick or treat alternative. From noon-4 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 16, children will be treated not only to candy, but to Barnyard John as well as a variety of games, contests and refreshments. This event is free. For more information, call leisure services, at 734-394-5460.

Plymouth

Costume contest

The Great Pumpkin Caper costume contest will be 5:30-6:30 p.m., Friday, Oct. 29 at the Band Shell at Kellogg Park in downtown Plymouth. To register, pick up a ticket number at the Band Shell between 5:30 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. and winners will be announced at 7 p.m. For more information contact the Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce at (734) 453-1540 or visit www.plymouth-mi.org.

Candy giveaway

There will be trick or treating Friday, Oct. 29, 5:30-6:30 p.m. at downtown Plymouth merchants. There will be members of the Plymouth Rotary Club serving as crossing guards to help keep children safe.

Children can dress up. For more information contact Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce at 734-453-1540 or visit www.plymouth-mi.org.

Wagon rides

Plymouth Orchards and Cider Mill offers wagon rides on weekdays from 10 a.m.-3 p.m. for \$1 per child and free for children 0-3 years. Weekend rides are from 10 a.m.-6 p.m. are \$3 per child. The orchard is located at 10685 Warren Road in Plymouth. For more information about the orchard call (734) 455-2290.

Haunted House

Estate of the Damned is a haunted house located at 13001 Eckles Road in Plymouth. For more information call (734) 453-8404.

Wayne County Hines Park

Wayne County Parks presents Halloween Festival on Saturday, Oct. 23, 1-3 p.m. There will be games, entertainment, hayrides, and candy at this special event. Come out and join the spook-free fun. New to this year's festivities are a Finding Nemo Kiddy Crawl, 9 hole Putt-Putt Golf and two moonwalks. There will also be special performances by Harpbeat at 1:15 p.m. and Comedian/Juggler Josh Casey at 2 p.m.

The Nankin Mills Area of Hines Park is located in Westland off of Hines Drive, east of Ann Arbor Trail. For more information call (734) 261-1990 or visit www.waynecountyparks.org.

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\$9 per person, \$5 for children 52 inches and shorter
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• 61475 Silver Lake Road, South Lyon (248) 432-0150
www.Erwinorchards.com
Oct. 2-31 Saturday and

Sunday 1-5 p.m.
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Features state of the art animatronics, special effects and robotics; no live actors.

Halloween Hayride and Spook Village

• 2125 Denby, Waterford (248) 674-2119
Oct. 22-23 and 29-30; 7-9:30 p.m.
\$6 per person

Haunted Winery

• 31505 Grand River, Farmington (248) 477-8833
Oct. 8-10, 15-17, 22-24 and 28-30; Thursday and Sunday 7-10 p.m., Friday and Saturday 7:30 p.m.-midnight.
Group rates available.

Night Realm

• Newton Road, between Oakley Park and Commerce Roads (248) 363-9109
Oct. 21-23, 28-30; Opens at dusk
\$9 for Adults and \$7 for children 48 inches and shorter. \$1 off the price of admission if you bring a can of food for charity.

This old archery range has many scary surprises in store for its visitor's.

Ages 7 and older

Realm of Darkness

• 79 S. Glenwood, Pontiac (248) 338-0029
www.therealmofdarknesshaunt.com
Oct. 7-10, 14-17 and 21-31; 7:30 p.m.
Group rates available
The Realm of Darkness is an interactive haunted house. Using the clues found in each room, find the wizard and win a prize.

Redford Jaycee's Slaughterhouse

• 15534 Beech Daly, Redford www.Redfordjaycees.org
Oct. 8-9, 15-16, 21-24 and 28-31; Sundays and weekdays 7-10 p.m.
\$10 for adults and \$8 for 12 and under

Spooky Barn - Erwin Orchards

(see Barn of Horrors for location and dates)
\$2 per person (includes wagon ride)

PUMPKIN WALK

Northville Parks and Recreation has a limited number of Pumpkin Walk tickets still for sale. The Walk is to be held at Mill Race Village on Oct. 17 from 6 - 8 p.m. Tickets for this annual Halloween family event are just \$6. To purchase tickets, visit the Recreation Center at Hillside or call (248) 349-0203.

Reminder: Come to the Early Morning Open Swim at the Recreation Center at Hillside Pool, Tuesday and Thursday from 6-7 a.m. Cost is \$2 per person. No swimming on Nov. 11 and 25.

Slaughter House

• 5510 W. Grand River, Farmington
Open through Oct. 30; Friday and Saturday 7:30-11 p.m.; Also open on Thursday, Oct. 21 and 28.
\$12 per person
Highly rated walk through that takes 15 to 20 minutes with lots of illusions
Ages 13 and up
Also offering:
Haunted walk through trail, same as Slaughter house; \$9 per person
Ages 10 and up
Corn maze in shape of solar system, not haunted; \$6 per person
Open Friday 6-11 p.m., Saturday 1-11 p.m. and Sunday 1-7 p.m.

Terrorfied Forest

• Pinckney (734) 878-3737
www.terrorfied.com
8 p.m. to Midnight
Costs: \$15 for Haunted Forest, \$7 for Haunted Manor, \$20 for the combo
Group rates are available, call for more details or visit the Web site
Recommended for children 12 and up

This haunted attraction features a haunted forest and manor complete with both animatronic features and scaractors. Gourmet cuisine is available at the site.

For the kids, every Saturday and Sunday from noon - 5 p.m. children are welcome to come with a parent to check out this attraction. The cost is \$5 per person. No scaractors are used during this event, only animatronics. Parents who keep their tickets, can use them during the evening for a \$5 credit toward their admission.

The Haunted Opera House

• 123 W. Grand River, Howell
www.hauntedoperahouse.com

HALLOWEEN MADNESS

This October enjoy an afternoon of "Halloween Madness" at Northville's historic Marquis Theatre, Oct. 9-Oct. 31.

Halloween Madness is a musical about some average, fun-loving creatures, who live in an old castle with their servants and pets. You won't want to miss this comedy. Bring the entire family and come dressed in your favorite Halloween costume.

Performance dates and times are: Saturdays, Oct. 16, 23, 30 (2:30 p.m.); Saturdays, Oct. 23, 30 (11 a.m.); Sundays, Oct. 17, 24, 31 (2:30 p.m.); Friday, Oct. 29 (7 p.m.).

Tickets to all performances are \$7.50. Please no children under the age of 3. For school reservations, birthday parties and group rates, call the Marquis Theatre at (248) 349-8110. The Marquis Theatre is located at 135 E. Main Street, in historical downtown Northville.

Sept. 30 - Oct. 30; Thursday 7-10:30 p.m., Friday and Saturday 7-midnight

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The 26th Annual Children's Christmas Workshop will be held Saturday, Dec. 4, 2004 in the New School Church at Mill Race Village. Children in grades one to six are invited to participate in the opportunity to make seven old fashioned, handmade gifts for the special people on their Christmas list.

The intent of the workshop is to surprise family members with handmade gifts.

There will be a morning session from 10 a.m.-noon and an afternoon session from 1-3 p.m., accommodating 150 children total.

Enrollment is \$14 per child, with \$2 off if you bring an empty coffee can that measures 5 inches across the top, payable by cash or check made out to the Northville Historical Society. Registration is first Friday in Nov. at 218 W. Dunlap in Northville. This year it will be Nov. 5 at 7 p.m., 6 p.m. for Historical Society members. Contact the Stockhausens at (248) 349-2833 for more information.

Thursday, Oct. 14: School Tour (9:45 a.m.), Junior Scouts (4 p.m.), Rehearsals (4:30, 6 and 7:15 p.m.)

Friday, Oct. 15: Northville Woman's Club (noon), Brownie Scouts (4:15 p.m.), Wedding* (4:30-6:30 p.m.)

Saturday, Oct. 16: Photo Shoot* (7 a.m., 3:30 p.m.), Wedding* (4-6 p.m.)

Sunday, Oct. 17: Mill Creek (10 a.m.), Village Open (1-4 p.m.), Pumpkin Walk (5 p.m.)

Monday, Oct. 18: Junior Scouts (3:45 p.m.), Cub Scouts (6:15 p.m.)

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Wednesday, Oct. 20: School Tour (9:45 a.m.), Brownie Scouts (3:45

p.m.), Mill Creek (7 p.m.)
Thursday, Oct. 21: Quilt Workshop (all day), Northville Historical Society Board Meeting (7 p.m.)

*Grounds closed to public

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Got fired? Start a small business

Getting fired by Donald Trump before a television audience of 20 million people might be painful for those getting the boot, but they should be consoled by the fact that Americans hold a favorable view of those who pursue a career in business, even when they aren't successful.

Although small-business owners can't get fired, they sometimes fail. But even in failure, they continue to be viewed as good guys. The public, by an overwhelming majority —



Jack Faris

nearly 90 percent — consider bankruptcy a good-faith effort that just didn't pan out, according to a recent public opinion poll, "The Public Reviews Small Business," conducted by the NFIB Research Foundation.

The poll revealed that the nation enjoys a culture that strongly supports small business and entrepreneurial activity. Those favorable opinions have a significant influence on the ultimate success of small firms.

Getting ahead in this country demands perseverance, sacrifice and a strict focus on one's goals. Along the way, there are certain to be setbacks and challenges, especially by those who take the path of entrepreneurship.

If you want to get ahead in America, own a small business. Two-thirds of Americans hold that view and it's even stronger among the nation's minorities, 81 percent of whom see business ownership as an avenue to opportunity. What's more, an overwhelming majority of Americans — 90 percent — would approve if a daughter or son started a small business.

Sorry, Donald, but the public by a large margin believes that small business exerts an even greater positive influence on the nation than television. Actually, small business ranks well ahead of many major institutions including higher education, federal government and even big business. And here's a heads-up to politicians in this election year: 67 percent of those surveyed said big business has too much influence on the way things are going in America and 58 percent believe small business has too little say.

Public support is vital to those who take the entrepreneurial plunge because it influences the number and type of people who attempt to start businesses and how often they will try. Additionally, it shapes the formal and informal rules that govern commerce.

Why does the American public have such a close bond with small business? Because many have "been there, done that." One-in-four Americans have been self-employed full time at some point in their lives; over half have had a direct association with private business ownership and operation. Many have worked in small firms and many have personal relationships-particularly friendships-with small-business owners.

Most Americans think small-business owners possess desirable personal attributes. Ninety-one percent of those surveyed say these business people work harder than people like themselves, and 82 percent believe that the owners of small firms contribute more to the betterment of the community than they do.

So, would-be apprentices, don't sweat Mr. Trump's pink slip. Take your entrepreneurial skills and join the growing number of men and women who are starting their own small businesses. Americans will applaud you for it.

Jack Faris is president of NFIB (the National Federation of Independent Business), the nation's largest small-business advocacy group. A non-profit, non-partisan organization founded in 1943, NFIB represents the consensus views of its 600,000 members in Washington, D.C., and all 50 state capitals. More information is available on-line at www.NFIB.com.

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Advertorial



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Michael and Patrick Rugg are carpet and duct cleaning specialist. Ducts and ventilation systems should be cleaned every seven to 10 years, and Rugg Brothers has the experience, equipment and expertise to do the job right.

Rugg Brothers have answers to cleaning

The sad news is, we can't always control how much air pollution there is in our cities. The good news is, we can control how much indoor air pollution there is indoors, inside our homes, offices and other indoor areas we use frequently. One of the ways to control indoor air pollution is by regularly cleaning your air ducts. The term "ducts" refers to various components heating and cooling components of forced air systems around your house, such as:

- Supply and return air ducts and registers
- Grills
- Diffusers
- Heat exchangers
- Heating and cooling coils
- Condensate drain pans and drip pans
- Fan motor and fan housing

Why clean your ductwork?

Patrick Ruggiero says Since the ventilation system/duct work is often the biggest culprit in poor indoor air quality, inspecting the ductwork should be the first order of business. In most cases, this system has been operating for some time without much attention. Dirty ducts can circulate odors, contaminants like mold, and irritating dust, dust mites pollen and dander throughout your building or home. Recently found items in duct work such as beer cans, bottles, glass, saw dust, rocks, sand and other construction debris and one dead mouse.

Think about this. Do not vacuum under your bed for five, 10 or 15 years and see what would accumulate. That is what is found in duct work.

How much of a difference does duct cleaning make?

Rugg Brothers says, you would be amazed and they even offer to show you how dirty they are.

How often should your duct work be cleaned?

Michael Ruggiero answers: "If the ducts in your house have not been cleaned in seven to 10 years it is time to get them cleaned."

Does every house need to have their duct cleaned?

Patrick and Michael Ruggiero both answer, no do not have the duct work cleaned until it has been inspected. Rugg Brothers

will give you a free duct work cleaning inspection.

Where did Rugg Brothers learn to clean duct work?

Michael Ruggiero states, "While enlisted in the United States Navy I was a Hospital Corpsman and while on board a ship he learned how to clean duct work. It is a necessary task to clean the duct work every three months to ensure healthy living and preventing fuel (such as dust) for a fire to run through out the ship. But, a house only needs to be cleaned every seven to 10 years.

Be careful when hiring a duct cleaner.

Michael Ruggiero states "I have been to customers houses just after they had their ducts cleaned, and when asking the homeowner how they did it, they said they used a leaf blower and shop-vac." So make sure you hire a company that has invested time and money in the equipment and that their employees to do the job right.

How long should duct cleaning take?

Patrick Ruggiero answers, "Duct cleaning done the right way in a 1,200-square-foot house should take about two to three hours."

How does Rugg Brothers do their duct cleaning

- The duct work is inspected at no charge.
- All vents and grill covers are removed.



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• As the duct brush is scraping the lining, all debris is being removed by the powerful truck-mounted equipment.

• The process is done through-out the house.

• The furnace filter is checked and turned back on.

• All vent and grill covers are replaced.

In addition to ridding your home of the hidden dirt in your ventilation system, cleaning your air ducts can save you money by increasing the efficiency of your heating and air conditioning system. It can also help prolong the life of your expensive HVAC components. Air Cleaning Systems strives to provide you with the highest level of service available in the industry. Our service technicians are trained to protect your home and perform the job in a clean and efficient manner. When inside your home our technicians wear booties to ensure they will not soil your carpets. To avoid leaving fingerprints on your walls, they wear surgical gloves when cleaning your vents.

When cleaning your HVAC system we are thorough and we never rush through a job. Since most of the dirt in your ventilation system is hidden, it could easily be overlooked during the cleaning process. To prevent re-contamination of your system it is important to remove all the contaminants from the site and not just mask them with chemical sprays and deodorizers.

When does duct cleaning make sense?

There are several situations when duct cleaning could make sense. If you have a problem with water in your ducts, this may result in mold growth in the duct. In this situation, solve the water problem first, clean and disinfect the ducts where mold growth has occurred, and have the rest of the ducting system cleaned as well. In some cases, it may be necessary or more cost effective to simply replace the affected duct

areas.

• If you are moving into a newly constructed house, and have doubts about the diligence of the construction crew, duct cleaning can be useful. Drywall dust, fiberglass pieces, and sawdust have no place in ducts. Duct cleaning will also catch the occurrence where lunch bags or soft drink cans have fallen or been swept into ducting. For similar reasons, duct cleaning may be advisable for older houses following major renovations.

• If you are having trouble with furnace airflow, a duct cleaning could reveal significant blockages. Have the ducts cleaned before you embark on more expensive duct replacement or rerouting to solve an airflow problem. has been shown to make difference in duct air flow.

• If you look in the return air registers and see an accumulation of debris in the duct below, you may want to have it removed. Its probably worse further in where you can not see. research showed that return air ducts, which are relatively big and have slow moving air, are generally far dirtier than the supply ducts.

How often should residential HVAC systems be professionally cleaned?

Frequency of cleaning depends on several factors, not the least of which is the preference of the home owner. Some of the things that may lead a home owner to consider more frequent cleaning include:

- Smokers in the household.
- Pets that shed high amounts of hair and dander.
- Water contamination or damage to the home or HVAC system.
- Residents with allergies or asthma who might benefit from a reduction in the amount of indoor air pollutants in the home's HVAC system.
- After home renovations or remodeling.
- Prior to occupancy of a new home.
- How much of the dirt, debris, and microbial growth do you get out of my system?

We would love to say that we got 100 percent of the material out of the mechanical system during our cleaning, but we

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Mother, daughter team up in real estate business

By Duane Ramsey
SPECIAL WRITER

The mother-daughter duo of Cheri and Stephanie Palmarchuk have teamed up to become one of the top teams in "customer first" real estate service. Energy, experience and results are what clients get from the "Forget-Me-Not" Sales Team as Cheri and Stephanie are known in the Northville Market Center of Keller Williams Realty.

"We listen to what people desire and then develop a plan for meeting their desires," said Cheri. "We will achieve that by demonstrating superior service that goes beyond ordinary means of action to pursue their goals."

"You can count on the 'Forget-Me-Not' team to give you personal attention and extraordinary commitment as we serve your real estate endeavors," said Stephanie.

Together, Cheri and Stephanie have provided an unparalleled level of service and attention to clients when it comes to their important moves. The mother-daughter team has extensive knowledge of the Novi and Northville area based on personal experience.

Cheri grew up in nearby Livonia but moved her family to Novi about 20 years ago and currently works in Northville. Stephanie was raised there and attended Novi Schools.

"People need to trust their realtor and listen to what they say," Cheri said. "We don't make the decisions for our clients but advise them to ask themselves this question: Will you be comfortable in this home and location? You need to be comfortable in your surroundings."

The Palmarchuks are concentrating their real estate business in new residential and new home construction. They currently have several clients who are building new homes in the Novi and Northville communi-



Mother and daughter, Cheri (left) and Stephanie Palmarchuk, have teamed up to create the "Forget-Me-Not" Sales Team at Keller Williams Realty in Northville.

ties. Cheri has worked at the Northville Township Building Department for more than seven years where she has been involved in the new residential development in the township. She knows building codes and requirements, as well as planning and zoning ordinances that apply to home building.

"We work with the client to make sure the builder builds a house to meet all the requirements," Cheri said. "Most people don't understand the whole picture and need an agent to understand it in order to meet their present and future needs."

Cheri understands all aspects of building homes that the average person doesn't know such as easement, egress, setback and other requirements of the Michigan 2003 Residential Code. She previously worked for a residential builder and a mortgage company.

The Palmarchuks make sure that their clients understand the rules and regulations of homeowner associations found in many subdivisions. Stephanie emphasized that people need to know what they can do on the property as far as additions, enhancements or improvements are concerned.

Stephanie has worked for a mortgage company in the past closing department and understands the mortgage and title process. She worked as a real estate assistant before getting her real estate license.

Before teaming up with her mother at Keller Williams, Stephanie worked at another local real estate firm. She is currently working on a degree in business administration.

The "Forget-Me-Not" team works out of the Keller Williams Realty's Northville Marketing Center, which is home to about 200 real estate agents. The Northville Center

DETAILS

Stephanie & Cheri Palmarchuk
 "Forget-Me-Not" Sales Team
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 22260 Haggerty Road,
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is managed by Broker Louis Ronayne and Associate Broker Peter Costa.

"It's an awesome office," said Stephanie. "The agents are very friendly and helpful."

"They do a lot of great things together but let you run your own business the way you want," Cheri added.

Cheri and Stephanie invite people to visit their Web site at www.sfnhomes.biz for more information about their services and the local communities they serve.

Good location key to successful veggie garden

Q I had so much fun growing vegetables this year I want a bigger garden next year. I can't make this one bigger, but where would be a good place in my big yard to put another? And what do I do to this garden after harvest is finished?

A Congratulations on a great gardening season. The next garden has a few requirements for a good location. You need to get eight or more hours of sun on the area for good veggie growth. This should also be an area that you can drag the hose to when you need to water. It needs to be convenient to stop by on a daily basis to see how your garden is doing. The farther from the house, the more attractive it is for livestock to stop by and eat. Deer, rabbits and woodchucks don't need any more encouragement to dine-in.

It is best to pick an area that isn't lower than the surrounding terrain — these areas can have cold air and frost drain in. This is a perfect time to check this because of our early morning fogs. Look for areas in your yard where these are accumulating and these will not be the garden area.

For your current garden, remove any plants that were diseased from the garden and don't toss them in the compost pile. Many fungal diseases can come back to haunt you next year, especially if compost comes back to the garden. Pull out any stakes, tomato cages or temporary pea fences. Mow down plants. You may not be able to do this well if you grew corn. You can till the soil to loosen it and add organic matter like manure and till again. Toss in raked yard leaves and trash them with the mower. It's all organic and it's all good. By tilling them in, they won't blow away in the next windstorm.

If you had a soil recommendation for sulfur, lime, phosphorus or potash, this can also be tilled in. Save the nitrogen for the next gardening season. Don't add these unless you have a soil test that recommends them. Store the stakes and cages somewhere they will be out of the way until the next big gardening extravaganza.

Q Why do I keep killing the orchids that I buy? I put them in a north window and have added

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Gretchen Voyle



some rich potting soil to all the bark-junk they come potted in. I use well water to keep them constantly damp. I have other houseplants that are fine. So why do the orchids die?

A Because orchids are like no other houseplant you own. It's like taking the information for keeping chickens and using it for parrots.

If you want orchids, you have to learn new rules. All plants are minimally adaptive — they get even by dying. If you don't know the rules, they die. Buy some books at a bookstore. Since it takes a bit to read and learn, it is better to buy than to borrow. Check the American Orchid Society Web site. There's good stuff to be had a click away. The site is orchidweb.org.

North windows cannot supply enough light for most flowering plants, orchids included. This window may be too cold in the winter. These are tropical beauties, not snow bunnies. They need a relative humidity of about fifty percent.

Tap water has too many minerals for orchids. Distilled water doesn't have enough. Rainwater is pretty good — store some in milk jugs for the winter. Orchids need to grow in a medium that allows the roots to get air, supports the plant and holds some moisture. The smaller the roots on the orchid, the better the medium needs to be at holding moisture. Buy an orchid mix when potting. Just using bark may be too dry, but using potting soil will destroy your orchids.

Orchids are called epiphytes; they grow in bark and mosses off the ground. They cannot tolerate soil. If your orchid potting mix breaks down too much, it will hold too much moisture and rot the roots off the orchids. Read up before committing "orchidicide" again.

Gretchen Voyle, MSU Extension-Livingston County horticulture agent, can be reached at (517) 546-3950.

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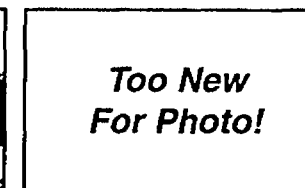
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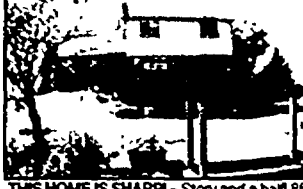
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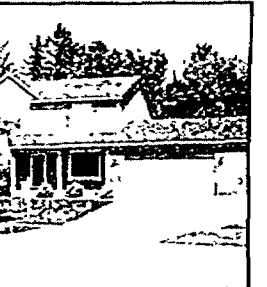
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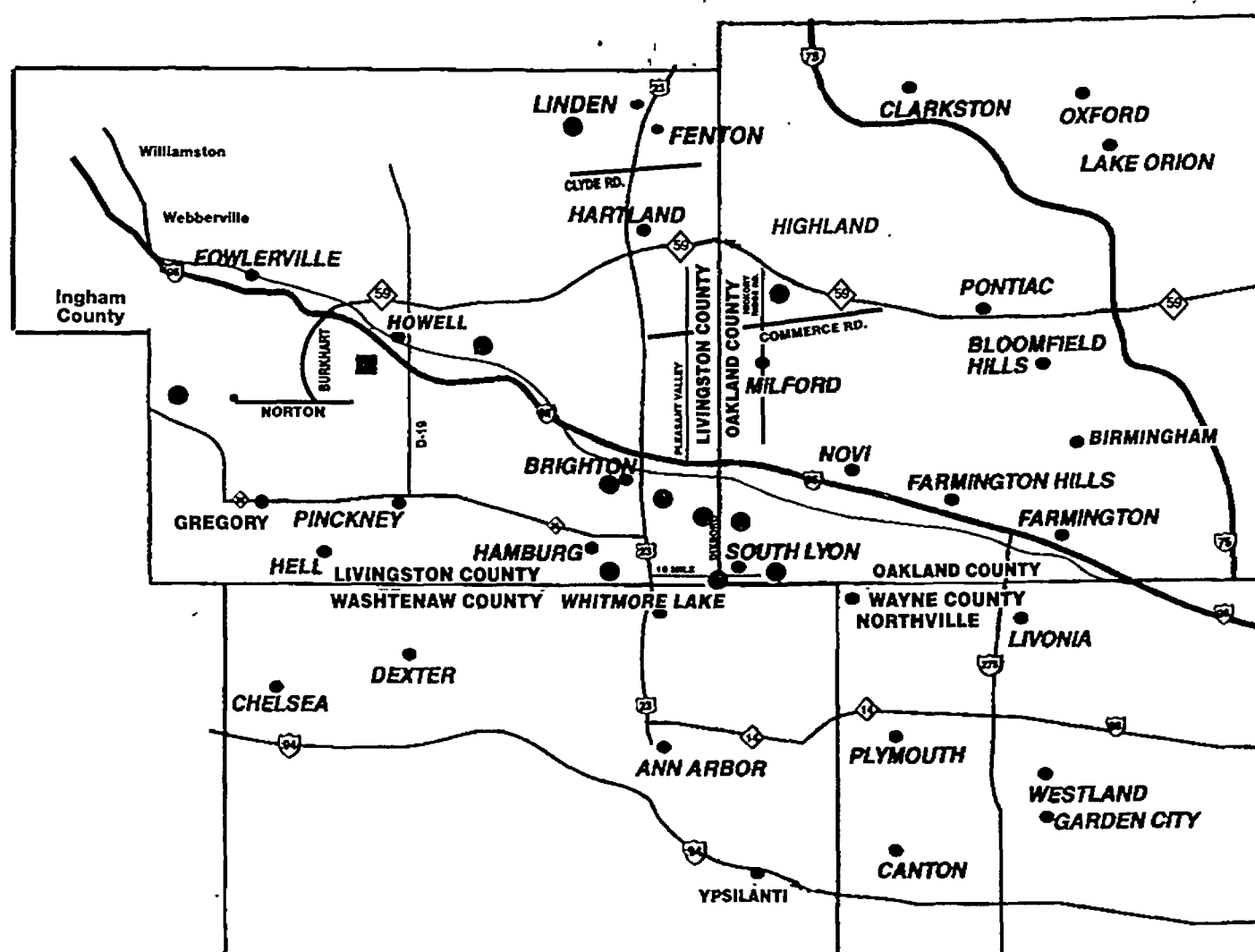
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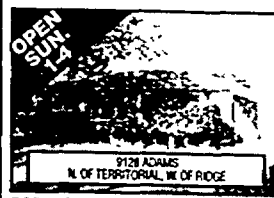
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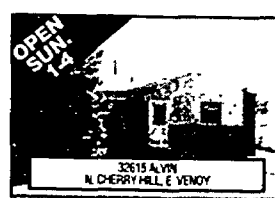
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BRAND NEW RANCH - Top of the line Anderson windows, maple cabinetry & granite counters. 4BR/3.5BA plus a bonus room with a 14x13 alcove and a 3 car garage situated on a huge one acre lot. Numerous upgrades and special features. \$489,000 (825CE)



TOTALLY UPDATED CANTON RANCH - 3BR/2BA and in move in condition! Updated kitchen w/ appliances, furnace, windows & roof shingles. Fresh paint inside & out. Neutral carpet, nice finished basement w/wet bar and luxury bath. 2 car garage and screened in porch. \$189,900 (592CH)



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CLASSIC PULTE - Private resort best describes this '97 built colonial. Rich hardwood floors, professionally finished basement w/ wet bar and an awesome deck with paver patio overlooking a water pond/falls. \$299,900 (119CR)



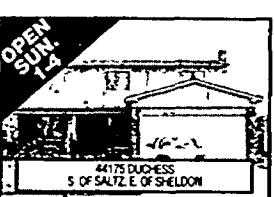
NOVI 2002 BUILT COLONIAL - 4BR/3.5BA colonial with 3375 sq ft. located deep in Churchhill Crossing Sub. Full basement w/egress window, neutral décor throughout, ceramic and hardwood floors, huge kitchen with large island, 3 car garage and much more. \$499,900 (473CA)



DOUBLE LOT - Gorgeous brick ranch with many updates including maple kitchen w/appliances, roof, furnace, windows and air. Covered patio overlooking a huge treed and fenced yard. \$119,900 (636CO)



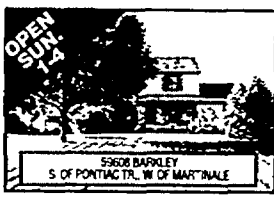
HIDDEN HAVEN - 1600 square feet of living space with a Florida room, 3 beds, and 1.5 baths. Situated on over a half an acre with a patio, deck and in-ground pool! New windows, hardwood floors, updated kitchen and AC. \$237,900 (211CH)



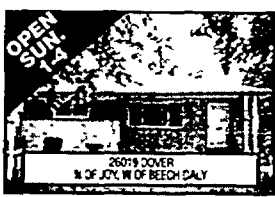
TASTEFULLY UPDATED - 4 bedroom Canton Colonial. Newer Anderson windows, newer furnace, H2O heater, roof, flooring, and paint. Updated kitchen & baths. Fenced yard with private patio & deck, garage & shed. This one is a 10 plus! \$229,900 (175DU)



SUPER CANTON BEAUTY - Walking distance to parks and schools. 4 bedroom colonial featuring a family room w/fireplace, formal living & dining, partially finished basement & Florida room. Nice landscaping & attached garage. \$234,900 (214DU) plus! \$229,900 (175DU)



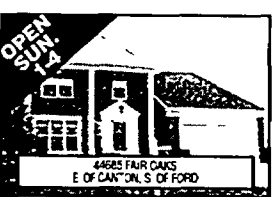
NEW HUDSON/LYON TWP. - Nice 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath colonial with a huge master suite, family room w/ fireplace and a large yard that overlooks a pond. Sit back and enjoy the sunsets in this great setting. \$254,990 (608BA)



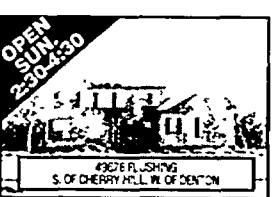
BEAUTIFUL BRICK RANCH - With 3 bedrooms on a tree lined street. Open floor plan with updated oak kitchen, Pergo floor, newer vinyl windows and roof, new tiled deck, new lighting and plush carpeting. Main bath completely redone. Don't miss this one! \$152,900 (019DD)



LAVISHLY LANDSCAPED - Impeccably maintained with dual side-lit covered entry, balcony, full extensive use of crown moldings, oak floored entry to oak kitchen w/ island & desk. Master w/cathedral ceiling and fireplace. Side entry garage & brick pavers. \$419,750 (821EA)



WELCOME HOME! - Nice Pulte built home with neutral décor. Wood deck overlooking a private setting and park. Hardwood floors, newer vinyl windows, and clean, clean, clean! Walk to Hoben Elementary. \$246,000 (685FA)



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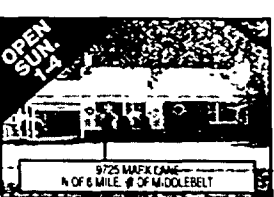


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14 ACRE BACKYARD - Great opportunity in this Canton Colonial backing to a commons area. Nice floor plan with 3 bedrooms and 1.5 baths. Pergo floors on 1st floor with some upgraded windows and carpet. \$219,900 (661ME)

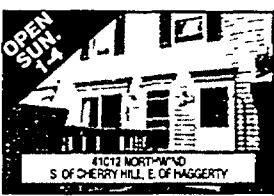
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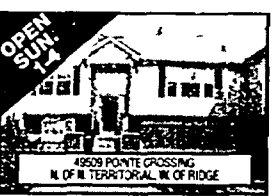
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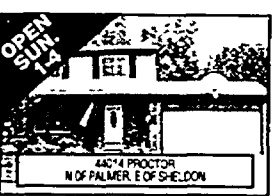
SPOTLESSLY CLEAN - Townhouse condo with many updated items including roof, windows, kitchen cabinetry, flooring, furnace and Berber carpeting. Huge master with dual closets - even a rec room! \$126,900 (012NO)



STUNNING NEWER RANCH - Pulte built in '96 with 3 full baths, 2 fireplaces, tasteful decor, over 1100 sq. ft. of finished area in the basement, newer carpeting, large patio, nice landscaping and Livonia schools! \$277,500 (256PA)



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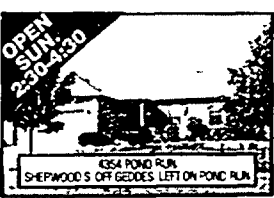
GREAT LOCATION! - Great curb appeal & beautifully landscaped. This 1999 colonial with 4 bedrooms, 2.5 bath is landscaped to perfection & ready for its new owner. Full basement, 1st floor laundry and much more. Super nice home! \$249,900 (850HA)



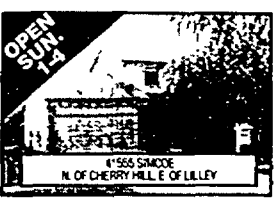
SHARP CANTON COLONIAL - This home has 4 beds, 3.5 baths, & many desirable features. Family Room, 1st floor laundry, Formal Dining professionally finished. Bsm't Maintenance free exterior, deck & sprinklers. \$279,900 (371RE)



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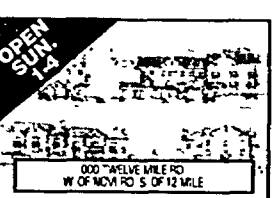
GREEN OAK TOWNSHIP - 3450 sq ft ranch with 4 bedrooms and 3 baths in a quiet sub. Oak island kitchen opens to great room w/fireplace, finished walkout complete w/ kitchen, family room, bath and it's own furnace. \$274,900 (990TI)



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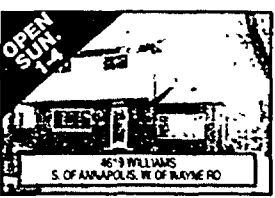
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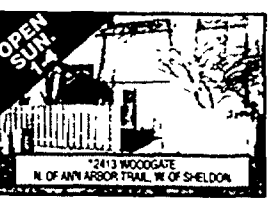
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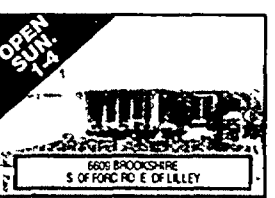
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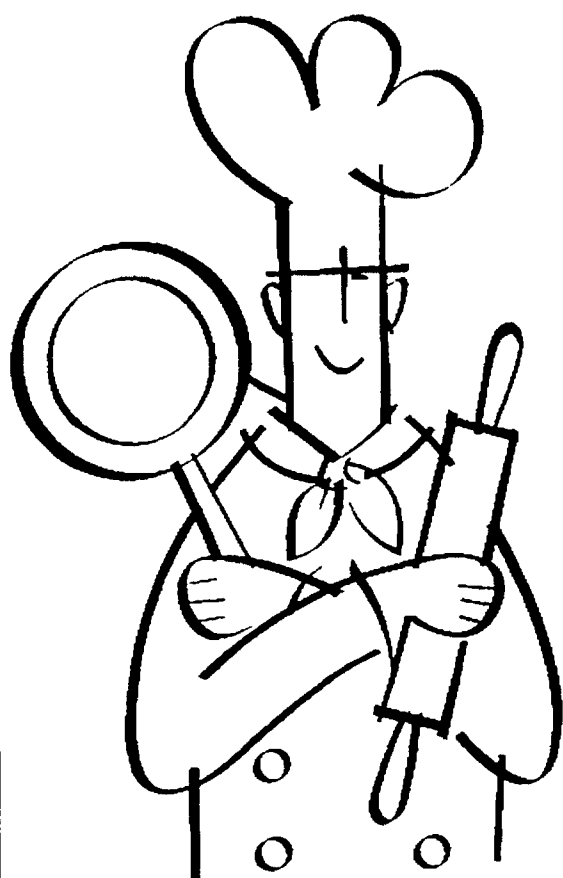
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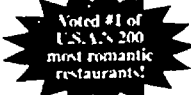
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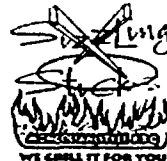
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FENTON SCHOOLS \$154,900
Up and down duplex including 3 refrigerators, 2 gas stoves, landlord pays water, sewer and taxes and insurance. Tenant pays utilities and maintains grounds. Duplex features one 3 bedroom unit and one 2 bedroom unit with garage and basement. (24111418)



DAVIDSON SCHOOLS \$155,900
Nice ranch in Davidson (Belle Meade Sub). House sits on beautiful wooded lot w/fenced back yard. Major updates incl. furnace, central air, roof shingles, water heater, well & pump. All appliances stay! (24124523)



HOWELL SCHOOLS \$159,000
Beautifully updated home located in the wonderful small village of Oak Grove. Near water and state land. Move right in and enjoy this 3 bedroom home. The perfect place to raise your family. (24109195)



HOWELL SCHOOLS \$160,000
Come see this great ranch home offering many amenities! Pergo flr in Liv Rm, 2 full baths, part fin bsmt w/possible w/o access waiting for your finishing touches! 13x13 rec rm, 2 car garage w/possible 3rd-12x19 workshop. Wooded lot w/26x26 dog pen and 16x10 shed. This home won't last long! (24125124)



HOWELL SCHOOLS \$161,900
Charming 3 bedroom home on almost an acre. Updates within the last 10 years including roof, oak kitchen, siding, windows, electrical, and located only minutes from town on a paved road. Garage has 220 volts on separate disconnect. (24122591)



FOWLerville SCHOOLS \$169,500
Historical school house on almost 1 acre in Fowlerville just 5 miles from I-96 & M-52. 3 bedrooms, 1 bath, part-fin bsmt. Two out-buildings: carport & workshop w/wood stove. All updated electrical, windows, heating & cooling system. Lots of room for storage! 1 year home warranty. (24126051)



BRIGHTON SCHOOLS \$174,500
End unit Ranch condo 2 large suites with baths. Large living and dining rooms. Immediate occupancy! All appliances stay! Nice fireplace and deck. Free home warranty. 2 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, and 1,434 sq ft. (24102658)



FENTON SCHOOLS \$174,900
Forethought describes this comfortable contemporary tucked on a tree-lined lot in the city of Fenton. Private paver patio, horseshoe pit and spacious side yard for the kids. (24120532)



HOWELL SCHOOLS \$179,000
Charming 4 BR, 2.5 BA, 1694 sq ft colonial. Master w/ luxury bath features jet tub, sep shower, double sinks, ceramic tile & more. Country oak/ceramic kitchen w/built ins. Phenomenal lake views. (24121861)



BRIGHTON SCHOOLS \$179,900
Like new well cared for Ranch home located 200 yards from lake access. Features updated flooring, roof, and deck. Fireplace in living room, 2 car garage, one year home warranty provided and completely remodeled recently. (24117898)



LINDEN SCHOOLS \$180,000
Peaceful setting accents this stock built home on 1.97 wooded acres. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, 2,089 sq ft. Master bedroom w/bath. Ceramic and oak kitchen. Pole barn and a garage. (24125974)



PINCKNEY SCHOOLS \$184,900
Charming centennial home in Village of Hamburg updated inside & out. Maple flr in kit & dining rm, new carpet, new windows, 3 br, 1 bath. Great patio for outside gathering with white picket fenced yard and mature trees. 2-1/2 car garage w/workshop. (24124945)



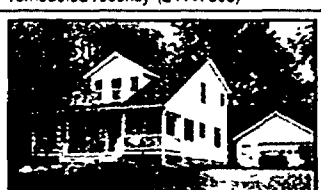
PINCKNEY SCHOOLS \$187,900
Great house to raise a family! Lots of kids in friendly neighborhood. Award winning Pinckney Schools. House is well kept and spacious. 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths, large kitchen. (24123543)



PINCKNEY SCHOOLS \$188,900
Motivated sellers say make an offer! Lake access and beach on beautiful no-wake Bass Lake. Mature trees, perennials, large deck with pond and waterfall. All appliances stay and a home warranty too! (24123031)



FOWLerville SCHOOLS \$194,900
Convenient location close to Howell & M-59 yet out in the country. This ranch is perfect for downsizing or first time home buyers. Brand new open kitchen w/cupboards galore, eating area leads out to 18x18 deck overlooking private wooded backyard. Home warranty provided. (24115523)



LINDEN SCHOOLS \$199,900
Deeded all sports lake access to Lobdell Lake, access to Bennett and Hosington Lakes. Lovely floor plan, built in 1997, huge heated garage, panoramic views. Large treed lot, room to expand. (24120288)



LINDEN SCHOOLS \$199,900
Beautiful 3 BR/2BA home in newer family sub close to Brighton, Fenton & Flint areas. Open floor plan, main floor laundry and all appliances incl. Daylight window bsmt ready to finish, 2 car garage & much more. Home warranty included. (24122449)



SOUTH LYON SCHOOLS \$209,900
Historic charm abounds in this beautiful Circa 1886 Colonial. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, large kitchen w/ vaulted ceiling, original claw footed tub in upper bathroom. Large sitting room overlooking stairs adds beauty and charm from a past era. (24125510)



HOWELL SCHOOLS \$217,000
Classic craftsman style beauty reflects the quality of a bygone era. Nestled in the historic Piety Hill area of Howell. Exquisitely patterned hardwood flrs on main floor. Formal DR. Pergo floor in updated kitchen. Brand new carpet upstairs. (24116071)



HOWELL SCHOOLS \$219,900
Great family sub in the city of Howell. This 1998 built home features 1748 sq ft, 3 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, living room, dining room, family room, office in the lower level security system and fenced yard. This home sits on a premium lot at the end of a cul-de-sac backing to common area and pond. (24105509)



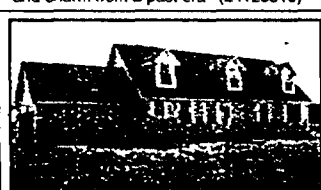
HOWELL SCHOOLS \$224,000
Don't miss this one! Beautiful home w/large fenced in lot located on a quiet cul-de-sac surrounded by commons area. Great room features cathedral ceilings w/skylights, & cozy fireplace. Large kitchen w/breakfast nook. Expansive tiered decking. 3 bedrooms, 2.5 baths. (24116803)



HARTLAND SCHOOLS \$224,500
Incredible details throughout that make this home a charmer. Soaring stone fireplace featured in vaulted family room. Impressive master suite. Oak kitchen, professionally finished daylight window lower level. Huge decking. (24119927)



BRIGHTON SCHOOLS \$219,900
Location, location! Secluded 2.28 acres near Grand River. New furnace and 20x50 pole barn, oversized 2 car garage, natural fireplace in family room, tile baths, and possible 4th bedroom in lower level. Minutes to I-96 and Brighton Mall. Home warranty included. Split variance approved. (24135442)



FOWLerville SCHOOLS \$243,900
Largest square footage compare new in area. Glamour 1st floor mstr suite w/jetted tub & separate stall shower. Oak trimmed staircase, large media rm upstairs for kids or home office. Low E glass, c/a, 1st flr laundry, 3 full baths, & much more. (24115925)



HOWELL SCHOOLS \$249,900
Conveniently located just north of M-59 & new Kroger shopping complex, this huge home w/large rooms, open floor plan, & huge pole barn, all on over 2 acres! Features incl. updated kitchen, natural fireplace in Fam Rm. Unique Mstr suite w/cedar trim & sauna. (24121318)



HOWELL SCHOOLS \$260,000
New home on over 2 acres with 4 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, hardwood road, mature pines on back of property line. Oversized 2 car attached garage. Hardwood floors, tile baths, leaded glass entry door and more. (24110997)



HOWELL SCHOOLS \$281,275
Magnificent, fully restored Greek Revival. Huge foyer, hardwood floors, formal dining room, custom woodwork, handcrafted walnut fireplace, balcony, gourmet kitchen, granite countertops, top of the line appliances. Updated plumbing, electrical, roof cedar siding. New garage and much more. (24110648)



SOUTH LYON SCHOOLS \$281,282
2386 sq ft, 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath colonial. White kitchen cabinetry and neutral carpet throughout. Two story open foyer, close to town, expressways and schools. Home warranty included. Motivated Seller. (24121241)



HOWELL SCHOOLS \$284,900
Custom ranch home w/partially finished w/out on 31 awesome acres some wooded and some wetlands. Lots of wildlife. Excellent hunting and total seclusion. Master suite w/beveled glass door overlooks woods and pond. Bay windows. Fireplace in living room, and basement is plumbed for a 3rd bath. (24115815)



SOUTH LYON SCHOOLS \$284,900
Room to roam on this 4.75 acre parcel with 24x36 horse barn w/ four stalls, 4 bedroom Colonial with fireplace in family room, 2 car attached garage, 4 bedrooms, 2 full baths, and more. Bring your horses. (24123326)



HOWELL SCHOOLS \$284,900
100% complete model home w/large family room, living room w/10' ceilings & transom windows. Also includes Jacuzzi tub, maple kitchen w/bay window wood windows, c/a, tile, heavily wooded sub close to I-96 & town. Great for commuters! (24116056)



HOWELL SCHOOLS \$309,000
4 bedroom, 2.5 bath, 2,350 sq ft home with 3 car garage and walkout basement on roomy site abutting nature/pond. Oak kitchen, sparkling master w/shower & jet tub. Sunroom, decking, patio, & pond. (24119671)



BRIGHTON SCHOOLS \$329,900
This awesome 4 bedroom, 3.5 bath, 2,656 sq ft. home is located across from Oak Pointe. Hardwood floors updated kitchen new roof, freshly painted, and more. Fenced rolling treed lot. (24122958)



HARTLAND SCHOOLS \$338,000
Previously a Cavalcade of Homes model with special detailing throughout. Open floor plan with first floor master suite. Nicely wooded large yard with professional landscaping & sprinklers. (24117774)



BRIGHTON SCHOOLS \$339,900
Beautiful 1-1/2 story contemporary in Woodland Hills in Brighton. Wonderful (heated) florida room. Finished office, exercise room & family room in lower level. Also back door. Many updates. Gorgeous landscaped corner lot. (24116917)



HOWELL SCHOOLS \$340,000
3 bedroom, 2 bath Colonial with marble floors in upstairs baths, upper floor has all hardwood floors, master suite w/large walk-in closet & large bath. 2 large decks overlooking lake. Home warranty included. Gorgeous lakefront home and view! (24112323)



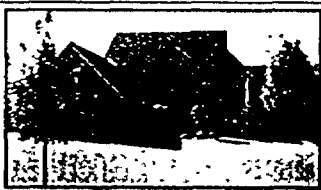
PINCKNEY SCHOOLS \$344,900
3 bedroom, 1 1/2 story home Cape Cod with 1st floor master suite. Extensively wooded, quiet setting. Easy access to major freeways. This home is immaculate and tastefully decorated. (24125842)



SOUTH LYON SCHOOLS \$354,900
Popular Toll Brothers home located on cul-de-sac in prestigious Trotters Pointe. Award winning South Lyon Schools. Andersen windows, wood floors, gas fireplace. 1st floor laundry, private backyard. Jacuzzi style tub and separate shower in private master bath. (24126450)



HOWELL SCHOOLS \$354,900
Dramatic open floor plan w/fireplace that faces great room and kitchen. Top of windows overlooking great back patio and wooded rear yard. 2-story great room for formal dining room, large kitchen and 1st floor master suite. 3 car garage, beautiful finished lower level. Lake access, community w/tennis and nature trails. (24111348)



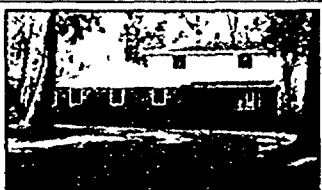
SOUTH LYON SCHOOLS \$369,900
Stunning Cape Cod with lots of upgrades and pre-wired sound system & alarm. Home includes acres of land with no houses behind you and plenty of woods. 3-car garage w/workshop area. Large bonus room used as family room, 1st flr master suite & more. (24121359)



PINCKNEY SCHOOLS \$369,900
Builder's model ready to sell. Home overlooks 8th fairway of Timber Trace Golf Course. Full year warranty on entire home. Ready for immediate occupancy. (24118427)



HARTLAND SCHOOLS \$389,000
Stunning 1 1/2 story in San Marino Sub. Gorgeous 1+ acre wooded lot w/small fenced area for dogs and kids. Granite countertops, updated lighting and flooring throughout home. All kitchen appliances included. Home warranty. (24124674)



SOUTH LYON SCHOOLS \$399,900
Secluded setting on approx. 3.41 wooded acres on a private road. Beautiful Colonial features 4 bedrooms, 2.5 baths, great room w/fireplace. Formal dining room, living room w/gas fireplace, 12x30 heated sun room, 2 car attached garage, 24x30 pole barn. (24123152)



LINDEN SCHOOLS \$425,000
192' frontage on all sports Squaw Lake w/access to Lake Pontemah and Tupper Lake. Over 3000 sq ft in this impeccably maintained home. Pride of ownership is an understatement, 4 bedrooms, 3 baths, lots of storage too! (24119956)



HOWELL SCHOOLS \$434,900
Located on the nicest lot in great sub... 2+ acres, 4 BR w/finished bonus RM which could be 5th BR. Fabulous master suite w/ceramic in bathroom. Quality built, only the finest amenities throughout. Will not last long. (24123172)



HOWELL SCHOOLS \$439,900
The 112 story Contemporary new construction home offers everything you want and need. Huge master suite & office, formal dining room, 25x14 bonus room for 5th BR or entertainment area, walkout bsmt loaded w/windows, plumbed for a bath, and 17 ceilings for unlimited finishing options. Granite counters, stone granite & hardwood floors. (24100551)



HARTLAND SCHOOLS \$449,999
Secluded, wooded 3.31 acre site. Only 5 minutes from US-23, M-59 & Schools. Great family home w/5 bedrooms, 3.5 baths, & 85% finished walkout basement. Priced below appraised value, seller motivated. (24120984)



BRIGHTON SCHOOLS \$460,000
2 private, secluded wooded acres in Genoa Township. 3000 +/- sq ft of living space in this 4 bedroom, 3.5 bath Colonial with a walkout lower level. 118' long covered wrap around porch, central vac, a/c, and more. Home warranty included. (24124763)



PINCKNEY SCHOOLS \$495,000
Stunning mini-estate on 10 acres w/pond, horse barn & indoor riding arena. Custom built home w/luxury floor plan, catwalk & loft area. Finished w/o L.L. white & bar. Great for entertaining. First flr master w/private bath & Jacuzzi. Upgrades L.L. w/granite, tray ceilings, & wood flrs. (24121669)



HURON VALLEY SCHOOLS \$499,000
Stunning custom built 1 1/2 story home on 3 beautiful acres in Midland. Built in 1997, 2710 sq ft w/an additional 1,800 sq ft in the walkout basement. Great room w/2 sided fireplace, Master bath w/Jacuzzi tub. Pella windows, central vac and more. (24124913)



BRIGHTON SCHOOLS \$799,900
Sunning design, 2004 Parade of Homes award winner. Upscale development w/all Sports Lake, beach area, amphitheater, & nature Home includes 1st floor master, w/o L.L., two fireplaces, wrought-iron balusters, professional landscaping, & much more. (24121458)



BRIGHTON SCHOOLS \$1,095,000
Fabulous Country estate! 14 beautiful acres, Woods, meadows, ponds, horse country! 4BR, 5-1/2 baths, dramatic, great room, deluxe island kitchen, glamour master suite, Full finished w/o bsmt, 3-1/2 car garage, 3 fireplaces, covered porches, great location. (24116449)

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DEARBORN. Welcome Home
Custom brick ranch offers 3BR, 1.5BA w/open floor plan & freshly painted. Updated oak kitchen, newer carpet, newer roof & windows. Great house & location. Walk to schools, parks, Dineen Child. A must see.
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WYANDOTTE. Move Right In
cute 2 bedroom dollhouse w/updated kitchen with appliances, updated furnace, H2O tank, roof, oversized 2 car garage, bath & windows & hardwood floors under carpet.
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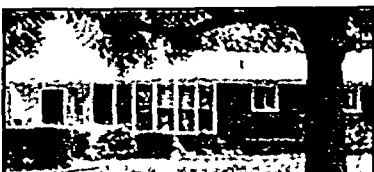
CANTON. Canton Colonial
Newer hardwood in LR, DR, kit, entry & lav on 1st floor. 4BR, 2.5BA, tied basement, 2 car att garage, deck w/2 levels. Fenced. Big yard in great sub w/easy access to freeway, shopping and medical facility.
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NOVI. Novi For Under \$125,000
Priced to sell. Clean, well-maintained 2-story town home. 2 BR, 1.5BA with private entrance and private patio in back. Updated kitchen, newer windows to, newer carpet, newer front door.
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NORTHVILLE. Silver Spring Lake Frontage
3BR, 2.5BA 2 story with W/O to your private deck area down to the sandy beach. Rebuilt in 2001. Ceramic foyer, kitchen & baths. Enjoy the cool evenings on the huge L shape porch. Great investment opportunity with maple cabinets. Partially finished lower level.
(E91SCE) 248-349-5600 \$219,900



WAYNE. Updated Home
Wonderful 3 bedroom, 2 bath brick ranch offers 2 car garage, finished basement, newer oak kitchen, bath, plumbing, roof on house & garage, carpet & hardwood floors, heating & cooling + 19x12 heated sun room.
(B93PIN) 734-455-5600 \$164,900



REDFORD. Country Pleasure
Great 3 bedroom brick ranch on approx. 48 acre lot, CA, newer vinyl windows, updated kitchen, full basement, hardwood floor, neutral decor, 2 car garage w/opener. Move in condition. Must see!
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LIVONIA. Welcome Home
Immaculate 3BR, 2BA brick ranch. Newer carpet, roof & custom triple pane redwood windows. Open kitchen w/door wall to large deck. 2.5 car extra deep garage. Finished basement w/bar area, FR & Exercise rm.
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F. HILLS. Now This Is A Great Deal
Spacious 2BR, 2BA ranch unit with underground 2 car garage & elevator LR w/tile & doornail to large private balcony. Seller to pay 12 mos of buyer's assoc fees.
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CANTON. Welcome Home
Absolutely gorgeous colonial in popular Meadow Village sub 4 spacious BRs, 2.5BAs & gourmet kitchen. Master suite w/walk-in closet & garden tub. Brick patio, 2-story entry. Awesome-a must see.
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CANTON. Oversized Interior Lot
offers this 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath colonial has a great architectural design w/open flr plan w/soaring ceilings, hardwood flrs & spacious rms. Gourmet kitchen w/marble cabinets opens to family rm, +3 car att gar & bsmt.
(B01FLU) 734-455-5600 \$489,900



WESTLAND. Great Westland Starter
w/Livonia schools offers this 3 bedroom, bungalow w/hardwood floors, some newer carpet, updated kitchen, dining room & ceramic bath + new roof in 04. One year home warranty.
(B02HUG) 734-455-5600 \$125,000



LIVONIA. Livonia Bungalow
Remodeled kit includes appliances & laminate flr also in nook. Berber in FR, 2 upper BRs & stairs LR & 2 lower BRs have hndwd flrs. Michigan bsmt. 2.5 car gar, patio & wide driveway. Partially fenced. Super clean.
(E71FTV) 248-349-5600 \$169,900



MILFORD. Lakeview, Hillside Haven
4BR, 2BA home w/lake privileges, fplc, wood stove in GR, updated kitchen cabinets & counter, deck & MBR overlook Sears Lake. Almost 1/2 acre wooded lot. Close to downtown Milford.
(E64PAR) 248-349-5600 \$174,900



YPSILANTI. Historic District
Character abounds this 5BR, 1.5BA colonial w/hardwood floors & covered ceilings. Updates include newer roof and furnace. Enjoy the cool evenings on the huge L shape porch. Great investment opportunity.
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NORTHVILLE. Spectacular Colonial
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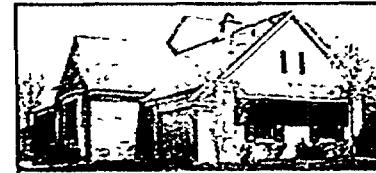
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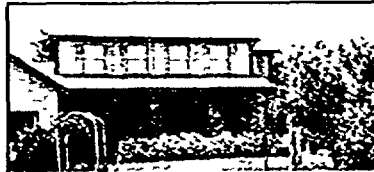
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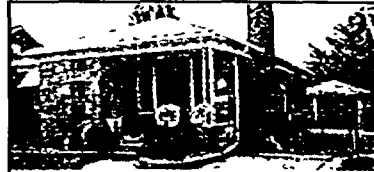
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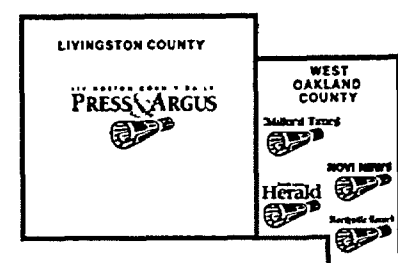
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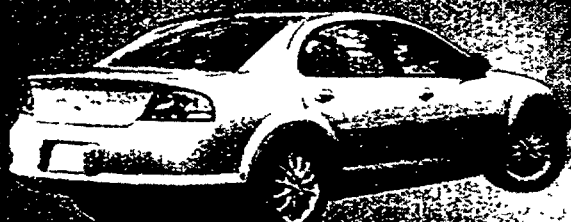
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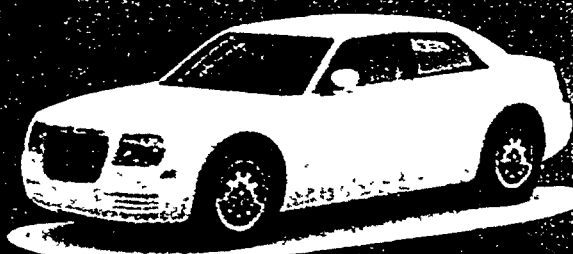
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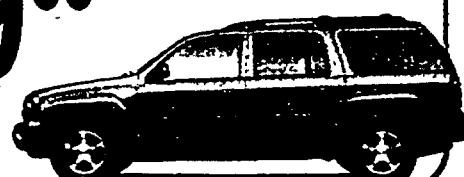
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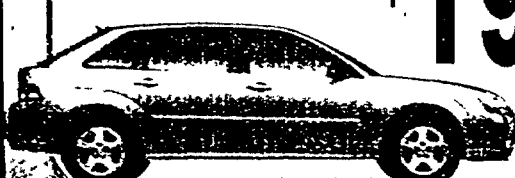
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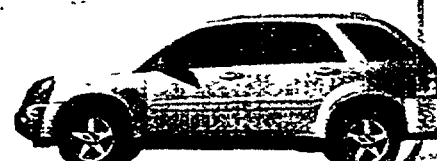
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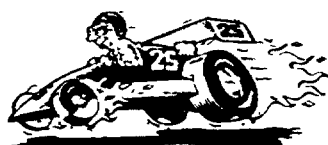
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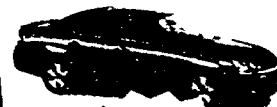
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Finding order amid the chaos of a makeover project

By Harriet Schechter
COPLEY NEWS SERVICE

It was the worst of times, it was the best of times. In other words it was remodel time.

"Having a remodeling deadline finally forced us to confront our clutter demons," says Tana Fletcher, a Maryland-based writer. When she and her husband decided to transform their basement into a combination workout room and writing studio a few years ago, they dreaded the daunting task of dealing with over two decades' worth of accumulated "stuff."

Remodel sooner. "That basement felt like a depressing dungeon for too many years," she says. "After we got it cleared out and fixed up, it became our favorite part of the house."

Yes, preparing for a remodel can be an ideal opportunity to lighten your load and "unstuff" your life. Of course, if you have a pack-rat tendencies at all, this can be a major challenge — but it's nothing compared to living with the actual day-in, day-out chaos of the remodeling process.

So if you're planning any type of home remodel, it's never too soon to get advice from experts who know which pitfalls can be avoided — and which ones can only be predicted and endured.

Lesa Heebner, a Del Mar, Calif.-based kitchen designer and life coach, believes clear communication is a step toward the successful outcome of any remodel. "But keeping the end result in mind is equally important," she adds. Heebner, who has been involved in hundreds of kitchen remodels (including her own), also

notes that problems often result from a lack of awareness on the part of the homeowner who is naive about how disruptive a kitchen remodel will be. "When you can't use your kitchen, your life can get pretty chaotic — unless you've prepared yourself," Heebner says.

To help clients get prepared, she shows them how to apply her seven-step Recipe for Clarity to the remodeling process, which focuses on "ingredients."

"Ingredients are the material components. In this case, that would mean identifying which appliances and supplies you'll need to set up and stock a temporary kitchen," Heebner explains. "Keep in mind the probable lack of a kitchen sink, which creates the major challenge. Stock up on disposable items to minimize having to wash anything."

Another type of preparation for this kind of remodel involves clearing out your kitchen — don't even consider leaving anything in drawers or cabinets, let alone out on counters. Heebner recommends purging anything that either doesn't work or doesn't work well. "And check your lids. If you have pots or containers that are missing them, or vice versa, this is a great opportunity to toss."

Remodeling veteran Paula Jung, who calls herself "the anti-cleaning guru," is the author of "How to Avoid Housework" (Fireside Books, \$14.95). Jung's recollections of her own remodeling experiences revolve around the overall lack of privacy inherent to the process. "You are never alone," she recalls ruefully. "It's no longer your home. You're living with all these characters who look at you

sometimes as if you shouldn't be there."

Her advice? "Move out. But not far away — you need to be near enough so you can keep an eye on how things are going. You want to get there early in the morning especially, to answer questions." If you do plan to rent a home away from home during your remodel, ascertain whether there will be any construction going on, in or near the place.

Jung is bluntly pragmatic about the inevitability of dust. "Trying to dust during a remodel is like shoveling in a snowstorm," she says. "Learn to embrace dust, otherwise you'll go nuts." If you have dust allergies, obviously you'll need to make special arrangements.

Jung suggests having your home professionally cleaned from top to bottom as soon as the remodel is finished. "Don't try to do it yourself," she cautions. "For one thing, it will kill your vacuum cleaner."

Hire professionals who know how to clean every nook and cranny. Your heating/air-system vents should be cleaned professionally too, she advises; there are companies which specialize in doing that.

Jung points out that even though you may need to budget for these costs (some contractors do include cleaning costs in their bid), it's well worth it. "To finally walk in and see clean windows," — she sighs at the memory. "It's so uplifting to have it done — and done right — before you start putting back all your stuff."

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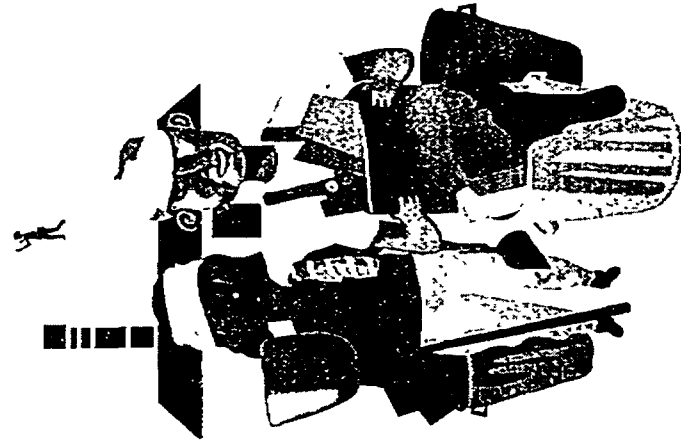
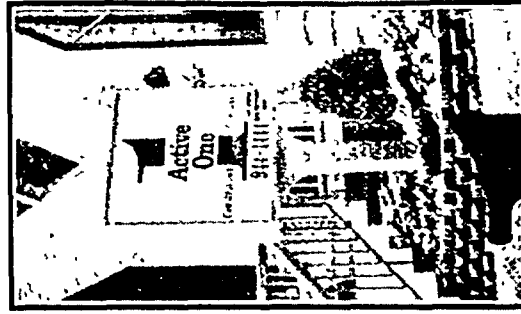


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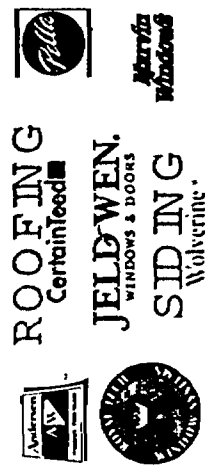
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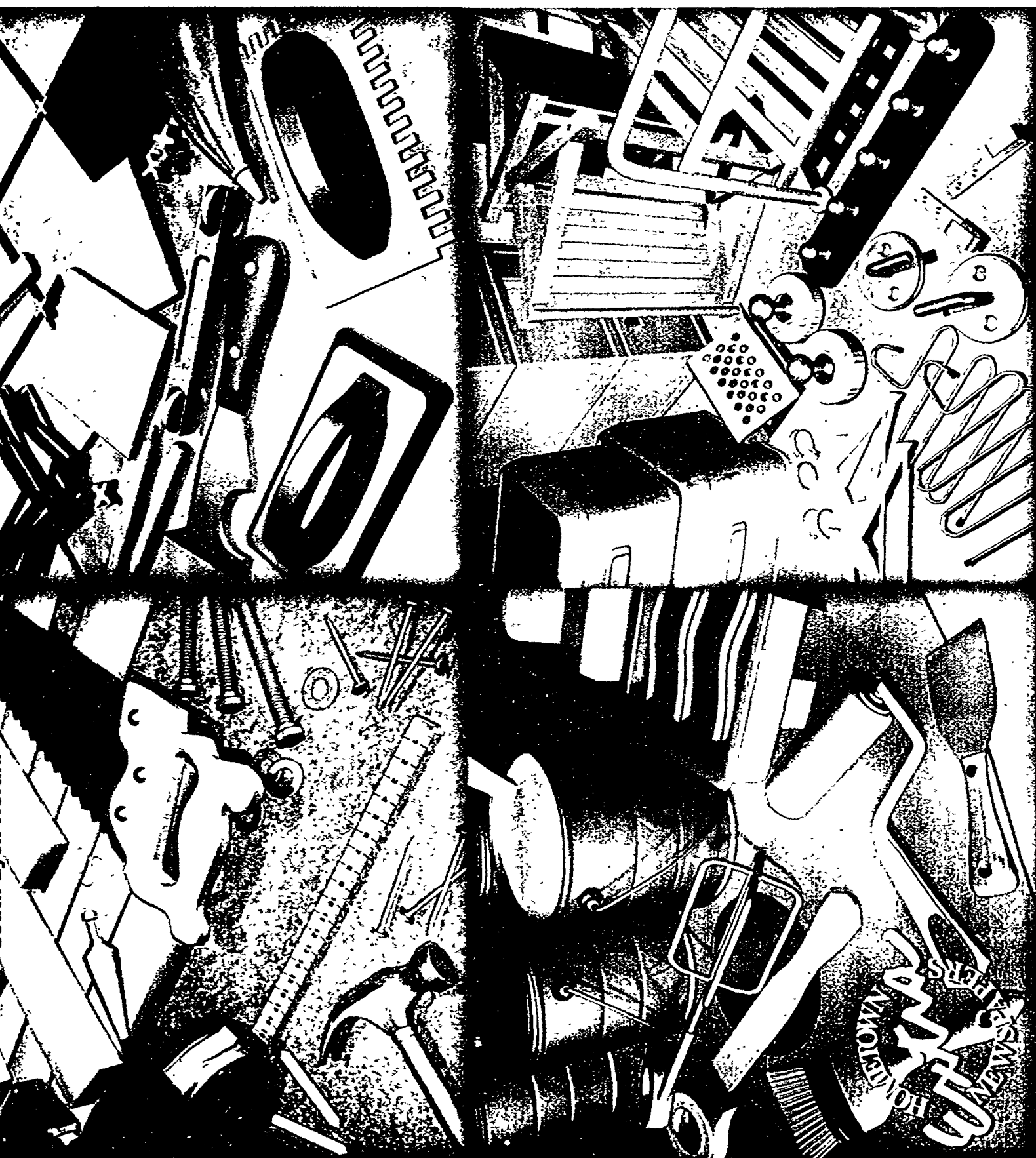
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Smarter, not harder, the recipe for conquering kitchen clutter

By Harriet Schechter
COPLEY NEWS SERVICE

If you've ever watched a cooking program (and nowadays, who hasn't?), you may have noticed the phenomenon of the "fantasy kitchen."

Whatever the celebrity chef needs is always at his or her fingertips. Counters aren't cluttered with groceries or piles of paper. And you never see a mess after the cooking is done — just a lovely close-up of a perfect-looking meal.

Clutter-covered counters and crammed cupboards are enough to make even the most talented cooks lose their appetite and order takeout.

If you spend more time in your kitchen looking for things than cooking, here are three steps to help you:

Evaluate tools and supplies
Evaluate and edit tools and supplies, including replenishables, such as meal ingredients and cleaning products.

If your kitchen drawers have become a jumble of strange, sharp objects that make

finding or putting away utensils a hazardous experience, it's time to take action. Discard or donate items you never seem to use.

Feeling overwhelmed about how and where to begin? Set a ticking timer for 10 to 15 minutes per drawer and start with the most accessible one. The same process applies to cleaning out cabinets and cupboards.

Don't expect to get it all done in one session; try going through one drawer or shelf at a time. You can even do this while talking on the phone.

Set up smarter storage systems

Store the most frequently used tools and supplies where they'll be easily accessible.

For example, if you're not already storing dishes, cutlery and other regularly used items close to the sink or dishwasher, you'd be wise to do so — it usually saves time when putting things away.

There are many excellent yet inexpensive drawer and cupboard organizers available that can help maximize space and minimize chaos. Some are designed to be used in sp-



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All the ingredients for organizing your kitchen are right at your fingertips.

cliff areas, such as under the sink or along-side the fridge.

Others are multifunctional for use in a variety of spaces. Just beware of organizing devices that are more clever than useful, or you'll end up adding to your clutter.

Maintain order — periodically purge
The price of organization is vigilance. Therefore, it's a good idea to reevaluate the contents of kitchen storage areas periodically.

Keep your cooking and dining supplies and tools under control by periodically purging extras and replacing pieces that are worn out, damaged or just plain unappeal-

ing.

Watch out for common clutter-causers such as rapidly multiplying mugs (often the result of a fondness for "free gifts"), countless quantities of bags and way too many ketchup packets from fast-food outlets.

Set limits by deciding how many of each item it is reasonable to have on hand (for example, do you really need more than 100 grocery bags?), and choose to stay within those limits — or suffer the chaos consequences.

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Furnace season requires forethought

By Cynthia Grochowski
HOMETOWN NEWSPAPERS

As the leaves and temperatures drop, homeowners everywhere are crossing their fingers before they switch the thermostat to heat.

Anxiety can be greatly reduced by performing low-tech maintenance checks on the furnace filter.

"Filters are probably the biggest service call item," Mark Santoni, of Wilom's Selective Heating & Cooling, said.

"Filters become plugged and the furnace turns off because a limit switch senses inad-

equate return air," he explained.

Periodically checking the furnace air filter for particle build-up is a low cost maintenance exercise. In most instances the homeowner can clean and reinstall the filter or totally replace it.

Supplied with the filter's size (stamped on the side of the existing filter), a homeowner can select a suitable replacement at the local hardware store.

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"It's a matter of good, better, best when it comes to furnace filters," Santoni said.

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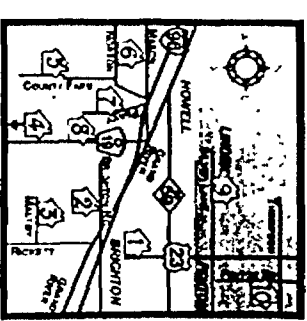
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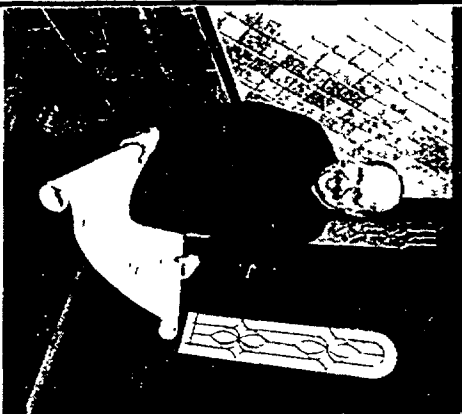
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High-tech houses go beyond entertainment

By Debra Landis
COPLEY NEWS SERVICE

Not that long ago, it used to be considered rather upscale if a new middle-income home had wiring for two telephones and two TVs.

Today, of course, it's different. Homes are built with lighting and security systems, as well as cable and phone outlets, in practically every room. To accommodate Internet usage and avoid constant busy phone signals, many homes are equipped to handle at least two phone lines.

It's part of living in a high-tech age. Such changes and consumer demands have created new businesses.

Just some of the technology changes already in place, according to Better Homes and Gardens Web site include:

- Rain-sensing roof windows.
- Computers that answer the phone.
- Lattices that never need paint.
- Programmable locks and lighting.

High tech isn't just confined to the family room or office. It's part of the kitchen and bathroom, too.

The Web site for "Kitchen and Bath News" notes, "while most of the industry's attention is focused on the impact of the technological revolution on the Internet and e-business, kitchen and bath designers should not fail to lose sight of other key high-tech issues when planning residential environments."

It adds, "The Leviton Institute, the educational arm of the Flushing, N.Y.-based Leviton Manufacturing Co., notes that high-speed

telecommunications wiring, video cabling and low-voltage wiring are becoming increasingly important technological upgrades to specify in both new homes and remodeling projects.

Whether building or remodeling, wiring for technology improvements needs to be considered, say experts.

Options to consider when building or buying:

- Wiring for high-speed Internet and broadband cable.
- Low-voltage wiring for whole-house lighting control, for control of heating and air-conditioning systems, and for integrating security and property-protection systems into the other low-voltage systems in a home, such as lighting and heating, ventilation and air-conditioning equipment.

• Running speaker wiring from the main entertainment center to other rooms in a home. This allows both video and audio signals to be directed to outlets in every room of the home.

Advances the Silicon Valley Association of Realtors, located in the hub of technological activity: "New homes are being built to handle sophisticated networks of integrated products (phone, PC, television, etc.), but older homes are facing some real challenges in upgrading to accommodate large bandwidth (the amount of electronic space that is needed to send and receive data, video or voice signals) services like the Internet.

Some issues buyers will be able to address themselves -- such as installing PC-to-PC networks so that children can play computer games with each other or share modem features for dialing out to the Internet. Issues, such as the type of phone wiring and hookups that were

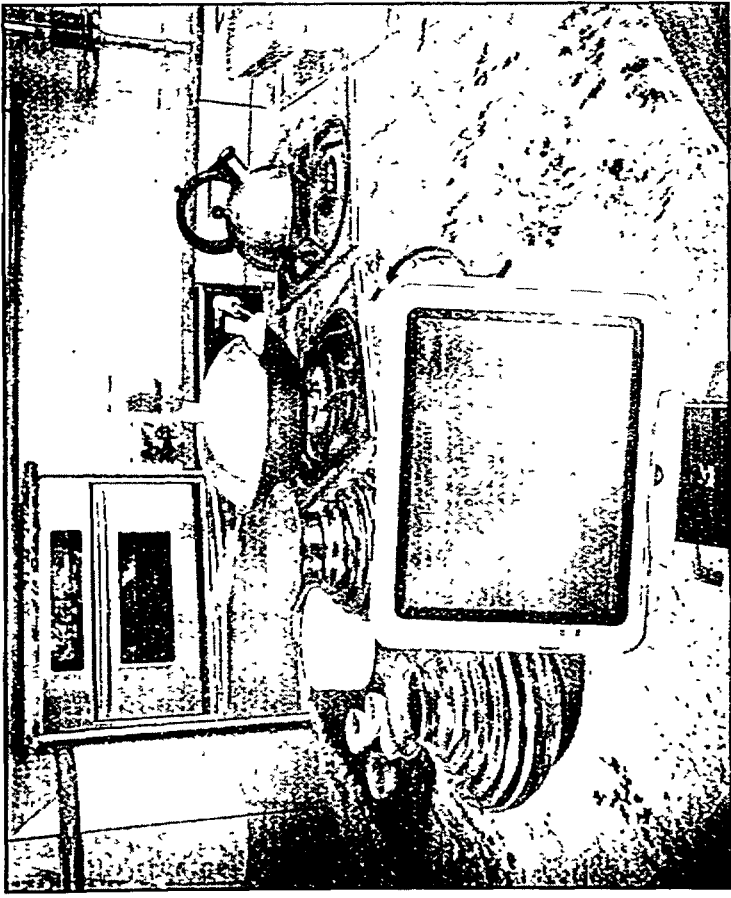


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In today's homes, technology isn't confined to the living room or bedroom — it can also be found in the kitchen.

are being built in new homes. If selling or buying older homes, it might be wise to consider costs of remodeling or installing such systems.

Light up the home — with style

By Doris A. Black
MULTIAD SERVICES

Lighting is an essential ingredient of any home. It can balance and supplement the natural light in a room, illuminate dark corners, provide adequate task lighting and create vibrant focal points of interest.

There are many fun ways to light up a room.

Use a torchiere to create accent or ambient lighting. Place a canned uplight behind a potted plant to light up a dim corner or a small lamp on the table next to the front door to illuminate the foyer. Use small spotlights to highlight works of art or family photos.

Lamps offer more versatility to lighting options than any other type of fixture. A variety of styles are available to reflect the character of any home. For a contemporary home might use sleek, metal floor lamps with articulating arms for task lighting and a slim-stemmed table lamp for reading. An arts and crafts home might use stained-glass pendant lights for task lighting and a square wooden table lamp for reading. The possibilities are endless.

Consider the function of the lamp before purchasing one.

A floor lamp used for reading, for example, should illuminate a reader's book, not their face. It should be tall enough so that when placed behind a chair the light will

shine over the reader's shoulder onto their book.

To buy a lamp at just the right height, measure the piece of furniture it will be placed by and the lamp itself from the base to the bottom of the shade. When considering a floor lamp to illuminate a reading chair, measure from the floor to the reader's eye level when seated in the chair.

The industry standard for a floor lamp is between 40" and 42" high, but that doesn't mean a lamp will be the right height for whomsoever sits in that particular chair. The person's height and the firmness of the chair could make a big difference in whether or not a lamp will work for the purpose intended. Nothing is worse than trying to read with the constant glare of a light bulb shining in the face, so take personal measurements before heading out to shop.

Can't find the exact lamp? Consider making the lamp. Lamp kits are now available at most hardware stores. With a little imagination, the perfect one-of-a-kind lamp sought can be created.

Make-A-Lamp Basics

Select a base

Just about anything will work from a teapot to a yard ornament, as long as a hole can be drilled through the top and bottom.

Purchase a lamp wiring kit

Follow the instructions to piece together

the components — rod, harp, socket, washer, cord and wires. A hacksaw may be needed to cut the rod to the desired height.

Choose a shade
Shades come in hundreds of shapes and sizes. They can be tall and thin, short and wide, linen or bamboo. Choose a shade that will match the style of the lamp and its dimensions. As a general rule, the lampshade should be wide enough to conceal all the mechanical components while flattering the base.

Top It Off

Add fancy finials or beads to the lamp for a unique finishing touch.

Have a lamp that you adore but is out of date or doesn't match your décor? Consider changing it. Give the base a new coat of paint, add a new shade and presto, you have a whole new lamp for minimal time and money.

To revive an old shade, recover it. Just lay the shade on its side on top of the fabric you've chosen and roll it across the fabric, drawing an outline of it as you go. Cut the fabric, allowing an extra inch on each edge, and hot glue it onto the shade, folding over the top and bottom edges and attaching them to the inside.

Lighting can liven up a room and make it feel inviting and warm. Pay attention to the lamps and fixtures you use and spread them throughout your home for a warm glow.

By Diane Schlindwein
COPLEY NEWS SERVICE

When it comes to decision making when building or remodeling a home, homeowners have their work cut out for them. Brick or siding — or both — for the exterior? What brand of cabinets? Carpeting, tile or hardwood on the floors? What color schemes?

Yet, before they make any of those decisions, homeowners have to choose a home plan.

They can find a suitable plan by looking through books and magazines. They can have a designer draw up their plans. Or they can hire an architect, says Steve Stone, owner of Caditex in Springfield, Ill.

Stone says it is usually up to the client to decide where and how they'll obtain a house plan.

"Sometimes it is a hard decision for clients," Stone says. "Do you need a drafting and design firm, or do you need an architectural firm?"

By the time they meet with Stone, most of his clients have some idea about what they desire in a home. At the very least, they know that they want a one-story or two-story house, how many bedrooms they need and about how much square footage they can afford.

Most people who are picking out a plan have already purchased their land, Stone says. He keeps up-to-date on building

codes, but usually relies on his customers to furnish covenants for their particular neighborhood or subdivision.

"Basically we get their ideas put down on a piece of paper for them," Stone says.

Some clients have as many as three plans they like and want to use parts of each plan in their home, Stone says. Others like one house plan in particular, but want the rooms to be smaller or larger. Some might want the garage on the opposite side of the house.

"These days, a lot of people pick out a house plan with a two-car garage, but they really want a three-car garage," he adds. "That happens a lot."

When he and his staff are finished with a first draft, they supply the client with a set of plans they can mark up.

"You always look at it differently when you see it all on paper," Stone says. "We put in walls, basic plumbing, fixtures and cabinets."

In the end clients have a fully dimensioned floor plan, a foundation plan and a elevation plan that shows the outside view of the home.

Stone says some people don't necessarily need a designer.

"We always say if you like a plan you find in a book, buy that plan and build just like that."

Stone also admits that sometimes clients want to build a home that is architecturally or structurally complicated. "We might get

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plexity of the project. Finally, some people don't want to build an entirely new home -- rather they want to radically change the home they are living in.

Petty says it is "absolutely" necessary to work with an architect when modifying an existing home. "When you remodel an existing home there are just so many factors you are working with in those instances. You have to know whether you can do it structurally, you have to work with building setbacks, and building codes. I think that people should most definitely work with an architect if they are doing an extensive remodeling or addition," Petty says.

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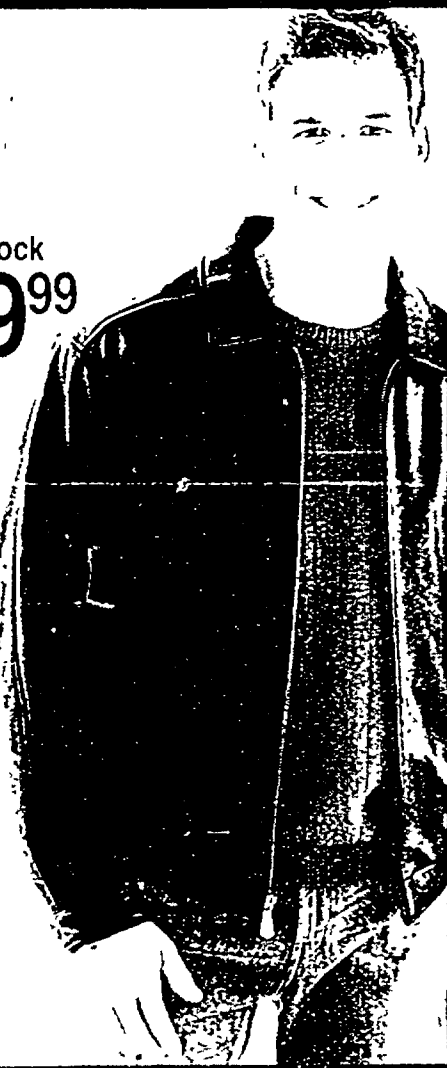
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from Croft & Barnard, Norton
McNaughton, Requirements,
Notations. Selected styles
orig. \$18-\$66, sale \$10-\$39

40-50% off
petites' sportswear
from Sonoma, Villager, Enka, Briggs
Selected styles
orig. \$16-\$44, sale \$9-\$26



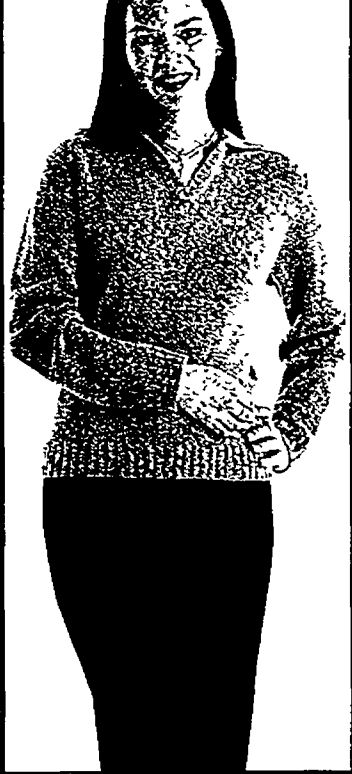
Entire stock
30-50% off
Activewear for misses from N.Y.L.,
Gloria Vanderbilt, Sport, FUDA,
daisy Fuentes, sport, Enka, Sport
orig. \$24-\$40, sale \$16-\$28
shop online P10151



Entire stock
33-50% off
Modern separates for misses
from Fred David, Gloria
Vanderbilt, Career, apt. 9
orig. \$28-\$189,
sale \$17.99-\$119.99



Save
40-50%
Classic separates for misses
from Harv Benard,
Briggs, Hagger
Selected styles. orig. \$36-\$54,
sale \$19.99-\$27.00



Entire stock
33-50% off
Sweaters for misses
from Carolyn Taylor,
Crystal-Kobe, Pierre Cardin
orig. \$28-\$40,
sale \$16.76-\$26.80



Entire stock
40% off
Pantsuits & dresses
for misses, petites, women
& juniors. Misses' shown.
orig. \$50-\$90, sale \$30-\$51
shop online W3800

one day savings for juniors



Entire stock
40% off
SO... fashion jeans,
corduroys & casual pants
for juniors.
orig. \$34, sale \$20.40



Entire stock
40-50% off
Sweaters
for juniors.
orig. \$24-\$70,
sale \$12-\$32



Entire stock
40-50% off
Outerwear
for her. Excludes Columbia
Sportswear Company.
orig. \$60-\$250,
sale \$30-\$125

19.99
all SO... sweaters
for juniors
orig. \$24-\$70, sale \$12-\$32

40-50% off
all SO... jeans
for juniors
orig. \$34, sale \$20.40

40-50% off
all SO... tops
for juniors
orig. \$24-\$70, sale \$12-\$32

50% off
all SO... outerwear
for juniors
orig. \$60-\$250, sale \$30-\$125

17.99
all SO... jeans
for juniors
orig. \$34, sale \$20.40

one day savings on accessories

40% off
entire stock sleepwear
for misses & juniors
orig. \$15-\$30, sale \$9-\$18

40% off
entire stock underwear
for misses & juniors
orig. \$2-\$10, sale \$1-\$5

40% off
entire stock outerwear
for misses & juniors
orig. \$20-\$100, sale \$12-\$55

40% off
entire stock
hair & nail care
orig. \$2-\$10, sale \$1-\$5

40% off
entire stock
small leather goods
orig. \$8-\$28, sale \$4.80-\$16.80



Entire stock
26.99
Nine & Company
3-pc. pajama sets
for her. Includes 1 top and
2 pairs of pants. orig. \$45



Save
30-50%
Selected cosmetic sets
and bath & body
Excludes
American
Beauty, Flirt
& Good Skin.
reg. \$3-\$50,
sale \$2.10-\$35.00



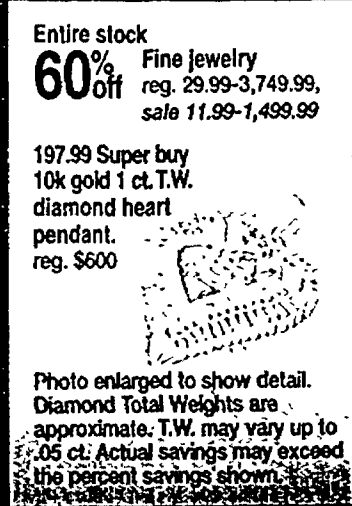
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15.99
Bras
from Lily of France, Maidenform,
Playtex, Warner's, Bali, Olga,
Barelythere, Vanity Fair
Women's Lingerie dept.
reg. \$18.00-\$29.75
shop online
P10152



Save
33-40%
Fashion jewelry for her
from Villager, SO...
Nine & Company
Selected styles
orig. \$2-\$26,
sale \$1.20-\$17.42



Entire stock
40% off
Watches for her
from Mudd, Lei.
orig. \$19.99-\$29.99,
sale \$11.99-\$17.99



Entire stock
60% off
Fine jewelry
reg. \$29.99-\$3,749.99,
sale \$11.99-\$1,499.99

197.99 Super buy
10k gold 1 ct. T.W.
diamond heart
pendant.
reg. \$600

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.05 ct. Actual savings may exceed
the percent savings shown. Excludes
diamond earrings.



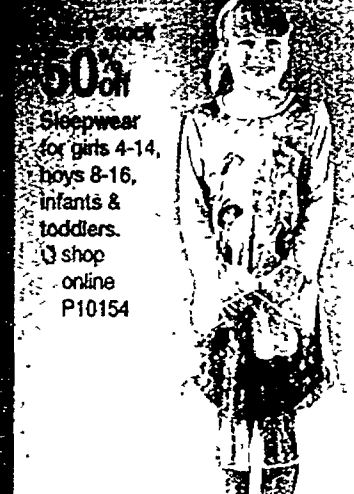
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35-40% off
Handbags
& minibags
orig. \$18-\$75,
sale \$11.70-\$48.75

40% off
all small
leather
goods
orig. \$8-\$28,
sale \$4.80-\$16.80



Entire stock
40% off
Cold weather
accessories, belts &
hair accessories
for her. Excludes
Columbia
Sportswear
Company.
orig. \$5-\$50,
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gloves or hat.
orig. \$25



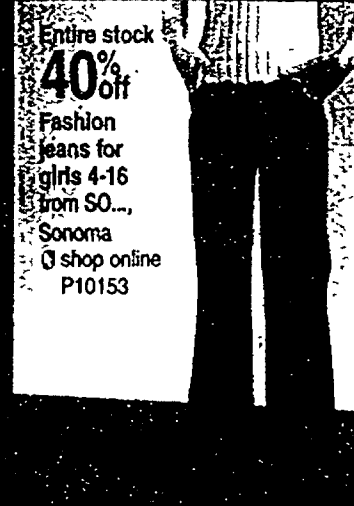
50% off
Sleepwear
for girls 4-14,
boys 8-16,
infants &
toddlers.
shop
online
P10154



Entire stock
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Sweaters
for girls
4-16 &
toddlers.



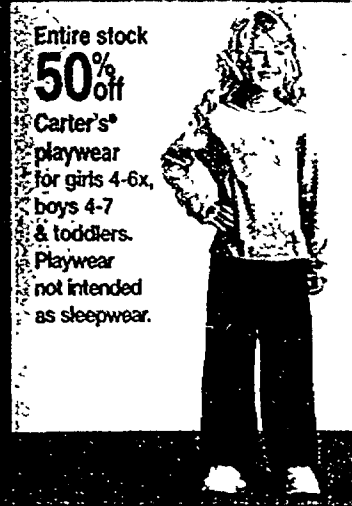
Entire stock
50% off
Sonoma
separates
for toddlers.
shop online
P10155



Entire stock
40% off
Fashion
jeans for
girls 4-16
from SO...
Sonoma
shop online
P10153



Entire stock
50% off
Carters®
playwear
for girls 4-6x,
boys 4-7
& toddlers.
Playwear
not intended
as sleepwear.



Entire stock
50% off
Carters®
playwear
for girls 4-6x,
boys 4-7
& toddlers.
Playwear
not intended
as sleepwear.

19.99
all SO... sweaters
for girls
orig. \$24-\$70, sale \$12-\$32

40% off
all SO... jeans
for girls
orig. \$34, sale \$20.40

50% off
all SO... outerwear
for girls
orig. \$60-\$250, sale \$30-\$125

50% off
all SO... playwear
for girls
orig. \$24-\$70, sale \$12-\$32

50% off
all SO... underwear
for girls
orig. \$2-\$10, sale \$1-\$5

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super saturday

October 16, 7am-10pm

one day savings for men

<p>40% off Haggar® striped rugby shirts for men. orig. \$40 shop online P10157</p>	<p>21⁹⁹ Haggar® striped rugby shirts for men. orig. \$40 shop online P10157</p>	<p>Save 50% Jantzen® sport crewneck sweaters for men. orig. \$55, sale 27.50</p>	<p>19⁹⁹ Axi® textured polos for men. orig. \$40</p>	<p>Entire stock 40-50% off Dress shirts for men. orig. \$30-\$40, sale \$15-\$24 shop online P10158</p>
<p>42⁹⁹ Haggar® striped rugby shirts for men. orig. \$40 shop online P10157</p>	<p>42⁹⁹ Haggar® striped rugby shirts for men. orig. \$40 shop online P10157</p>	<p>Entire stock 40% off Outerwear for men. Excludes Columbia Sportswear Company® & athletic outerwear. orig. \$60- \$380, sale 34.99- 227.99</p>	<p>Entire stock 25-50% off Athletic apparel for men. orig. \$15-\$120, sale 10.50-90.00</p>	<p>Entire stock 19⁹⁹ Lee® Performance Khakis for men. Repels liquids & resists stains; Wrinkle Free; flat front and pleated styles. reg. 24.99 shop online P10156</p>
<p>50% off Sonoma® life+style cotton quilts for men. orig. \$129.99- 139.99</p>	<p>50% off Sonoma® life+style cotton quilts for men. orig. \$129.99- 139.99</p>	<p>50% off Sonoma® life+style cotton quilts for men. orig. \$129.99- 139.99</p>	<p>50% off Sonoma® life+style cotton quilts for men. orig. \$129.99- 139.99</p>	<p>Save 50% Croft & Barrow® woven loungepants for men. Selected styles. orig. \$20, sale \$10</p>

one day savings for young men & boys

<p>10-20% off Young men's Urban Pipeline® long sleeved fashion knit shirts. Selected styles. orig. \$20-\$38, sale \$10-\$19</p>	<p>Entire stock 19⁹⁹ Young men's Urban Pipeline® fashion pants and jeans. orig. 39.99</p>	<p>27⁹⁹ Guys' Levi's® jeans 567™ Low Loose Boot, Low Rise Straight & Loose Straight Fits.</p>	<p>Entire stock 40% off Kids' outerwear for boys 4-20, girls 4-16, toddlers, infants & newborns. Excludes Columbia Sportswear Company® and athletic outerwear.</p>	<p>13⁹⁹ Boys' 8-20 Urban Pipeline® carpenter pants. Available in denim and corduroy. orig. \$28</p>
<p>Entire stock 50% off Boys' 4-20 loungepants orig. \$16-\$18, sale \$8-\$9 shop online P10157</p>	<p>Save 50% Boys' 4-7, girls' 4-6x & toddlers character graphic tees. Selected styles.</p>	<p>Save 50% Newborns'® sleep & play Selected styles.</p>	<p>Save 50% Newborns'® sleep & play Selected styles.</p>	<p>Save 50% Newborns'® sleep & play Selected styles.</p>

one day savings on all shoes

<p>38⁹⁹ New Balance® shoes for men or women. Selected styles. reg. 59.99</p>	<p>44⁹⁹ Nike® shoes for men or women. Selected styles. reg. 54.99-64.99</p>	<p>Save 40% Nine & Company® shoes for women. Selected styles. orig. 44.99, sale 26.99</p>	<p>Save 40% Mudd® shoes for juniors. Selected styles. orig. 44.99, sale 26.99</p>	<p>36⁹⁹ GBX® & Urban Pipeline® shoes for men. Selected styles reg. 59.99</p>
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one day savings for the home

<p>Save 40-50% Bedding coordinates from Gloria Vanderbilt®, Laura Ashley Lifestyles, Villager Lifestyles, and coordinating styles.</p>	<p>Save 50% Solid color sheet sets from Martex®, Sonoma, Home Classics®. Selected styles. shop online P101510</p>	<p>Any size 69⁹⁹ Sonoma cotton quilts reg. 99.99- 139.99</p>	<p>150% off Sonoma® life+style cotton quilts reg. 99.99- 139.99</p>
<p>Save 50% Solid bath towels & solid bath rugs from Martex® Supima®, Laura Ashley Lifestyles, Villager Lifestyles, and coordinating styles.</p>	<p>Save 40% Shower curtains & accessories. Selected styles.</p>	<p>Entire stock 40-50% off Throws</p>	<p>40-50% off Sonoma® life+style cotton quilts reg. 99.99- 139.99</p>
<p>Entire stock 40-50% off Accent, area & kitchen rugs and doormats. Selected styles. shop online for selected items RG100</p>	<p>Entire stock 50-60% off Luggage reg. 49.99-319.99, sale 24.99-159.99 shop online H1740</p>	<p>Entire stock 40% off Basic candles and decorative lighting</p>	<p>Entire stock 50% off St. Nicholas Square® ornaments. Excludes Hallmark® & Carlton.</p>
<p>Entire stock 10-50% off Cookware shop online CK100</p>	<p>Entire stock 30% off Pfaltzgraff® dinnerware 40-50% off all other dinnerware FREE COORDINATING PFALTZGRAFF® ACCESSORY With the purchase of a Pfaltzgraff® 16- or 20-pc. dinnerware set. A \$13.99-\$60.99 value</p>	<p>Entire stock 50% off Halloween & harvest home decor</p>	<p>150% off Sonoma® life+style cotton quilts reg. 99.99- 139.99</p>
<p>Entire stock 20-40% off Water purification sale 39.99 Your choice water purification. reg. 49.99 ea.</p>	<p>Entire stock 50% off North American Enclosures® wall frames, collages & mirrors</p>	<p>Entire stock 40-50% off Frames</p>	<p>30-50% off entire stock flatware</p>
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EARLY BIRD SPECIAL

Entire stock
40% off

Related separates for kids. orig. \$20-\$40, sale \$12-\$24



EARLY BIRD SPECIAL

Entire stock
50% off

Panties & innerwear. Excludes Jockey®. reg. 3/\$12 to \$36 ea., sale 3/\$6 to \$18 ea.



EARLY BIRD SPECIAL

50% off

Croft & Barrow® knit tops & sweaters for misses & petites. Misses' shown. Selected styles. orig. \$18-\$34, sale \$9-\$17. Q shop online P101513



EARLY BIRD SPECIAL

Entire stock
40% off

Related separates for girls 4-16.



EARLY BIRD SPECIAL

Entire stock
50% off


Classic & modern sportswear for misses. Selected styles. orig. \$24-\$74, sale \$12-\$36



EARLY BIRD SPECIAL

Entire stock
50% off

Sleepwear, loungewear & robes for her. orig. \$16-\$50, sale \$8-\$25. Q shop online Z100



one day only
October 16, 7am to Noon only

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EARLY BIRD SPECIAL

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Classic & modern sportswear for misses. Selected styles. orig. \$24-\$74, sale \$12-\$36

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Dockers® Soft Acrylic Sweaters for Men. orig. \$40



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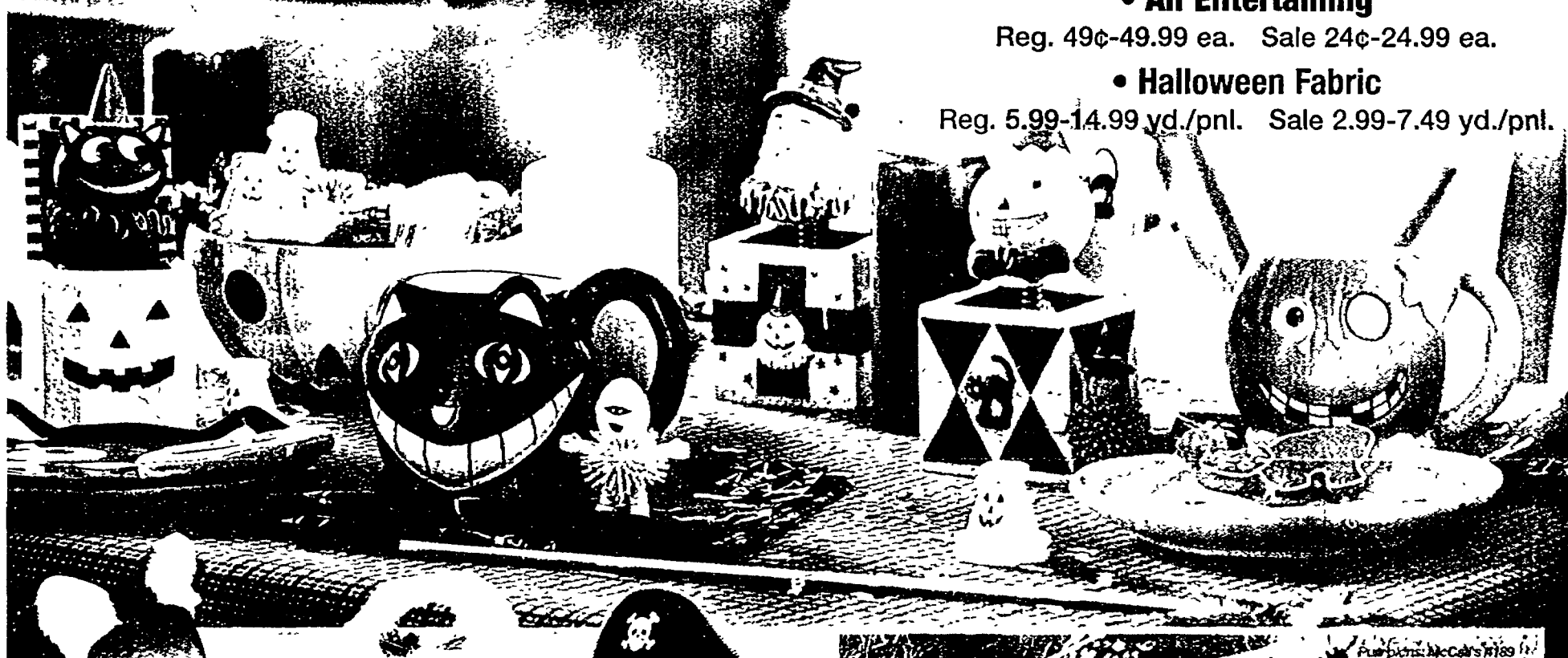
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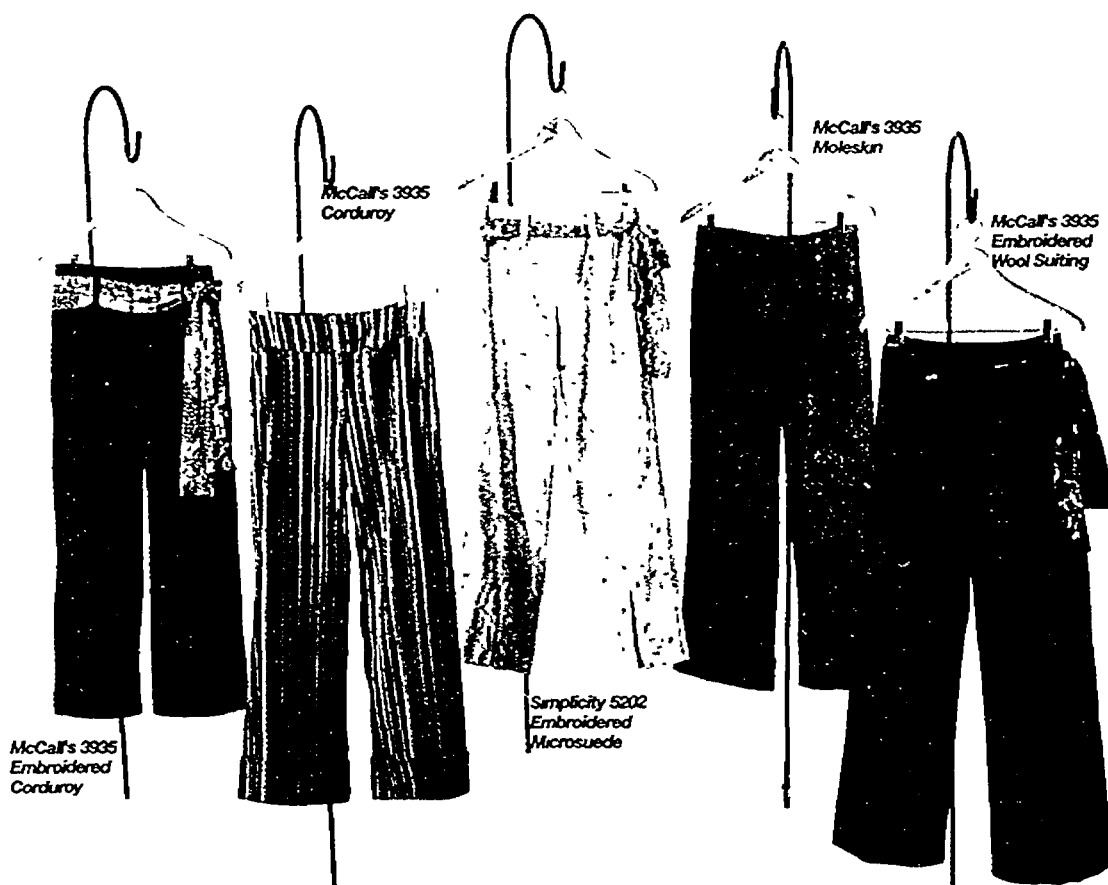
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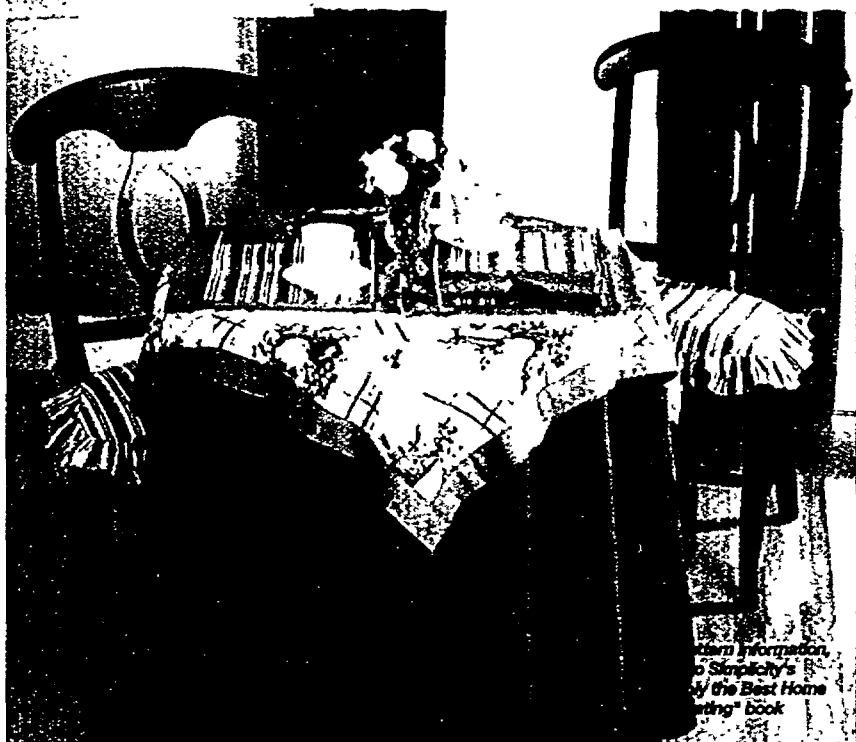
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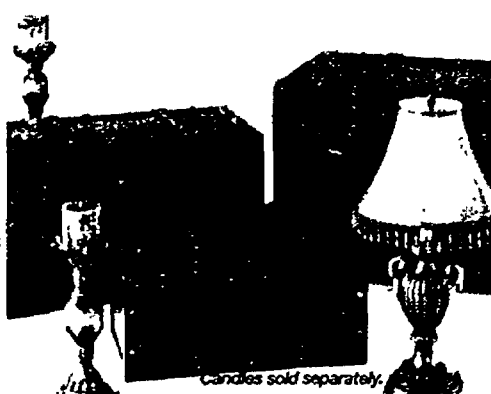
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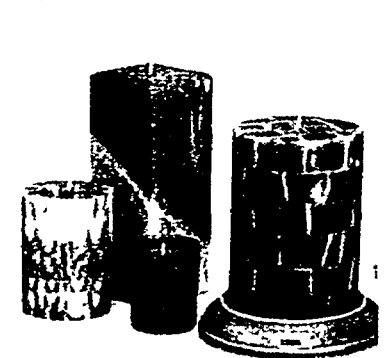
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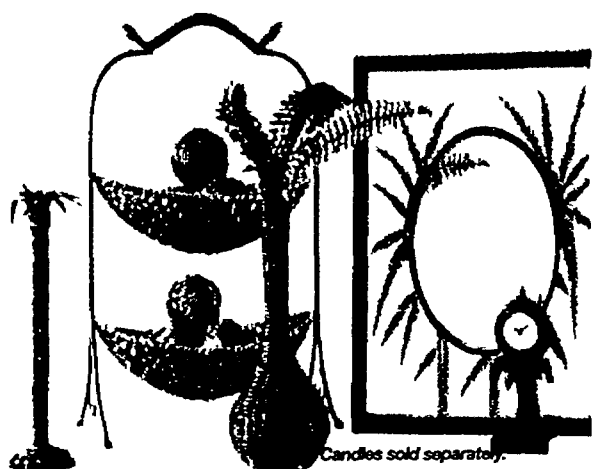
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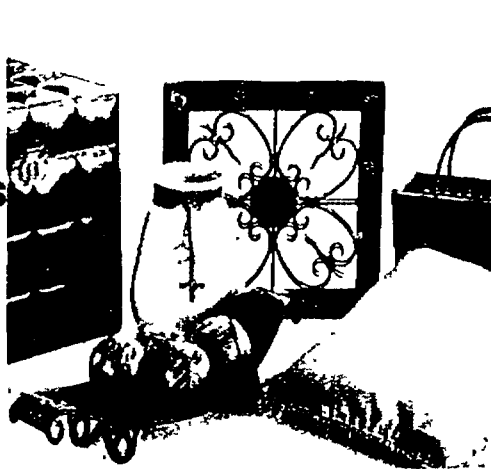
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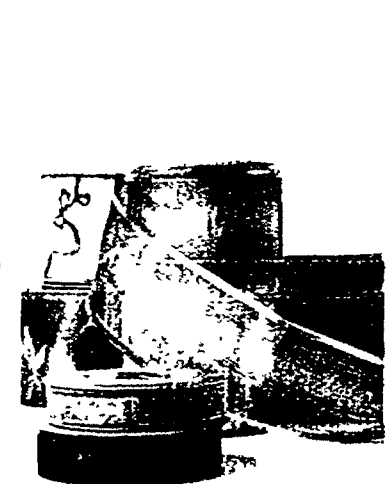
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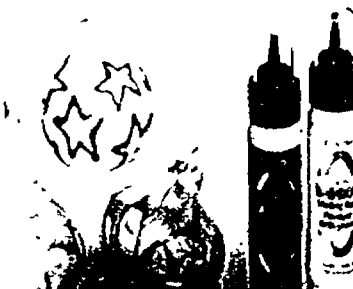


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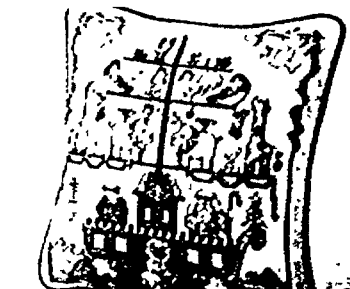
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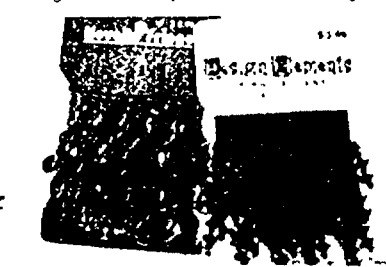
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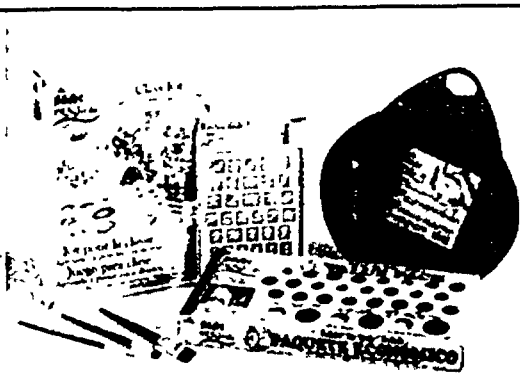
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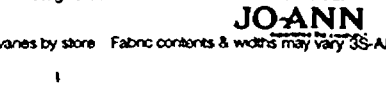
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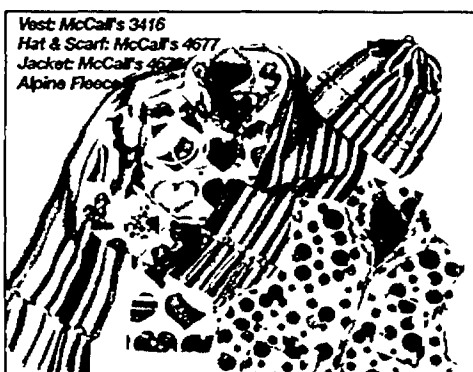
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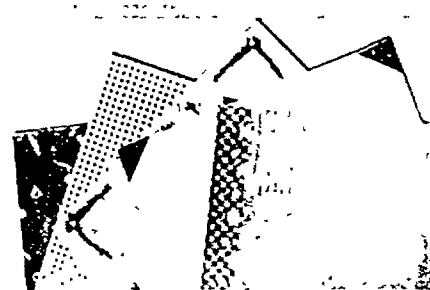
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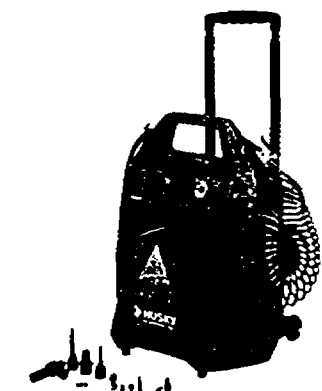
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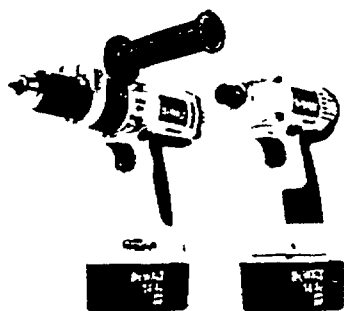
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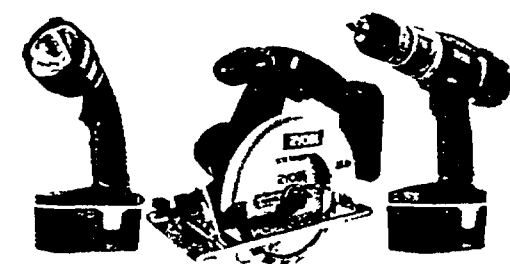
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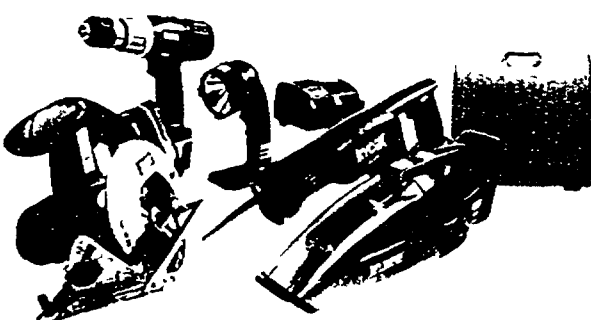
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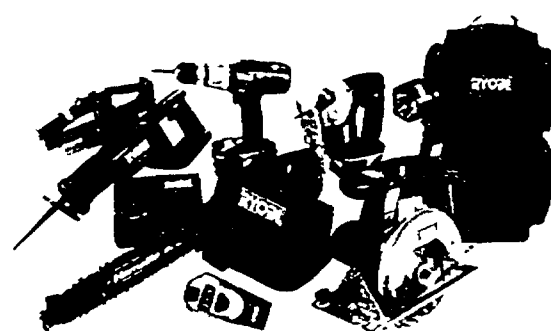
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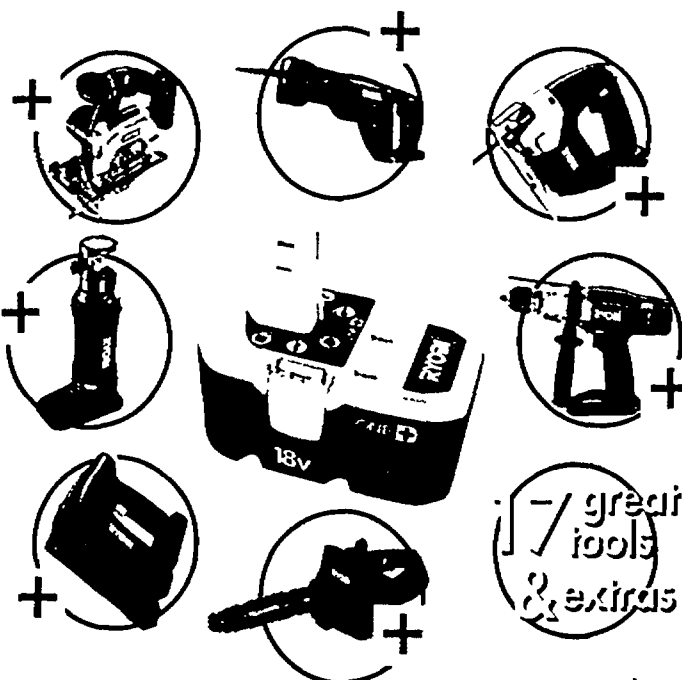
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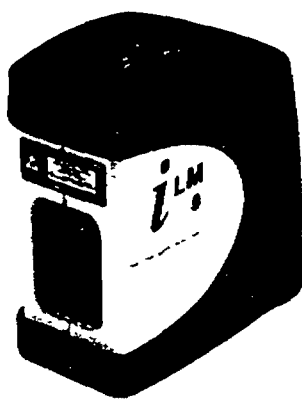
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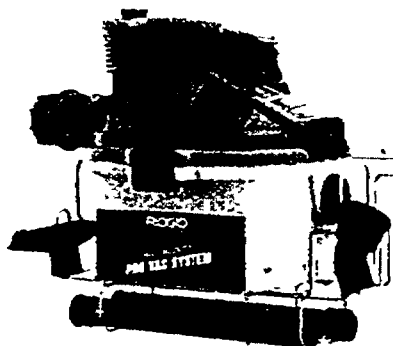
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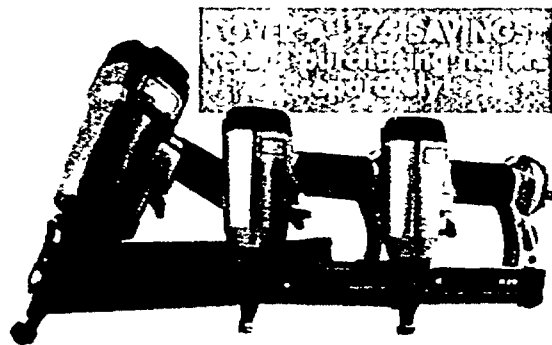


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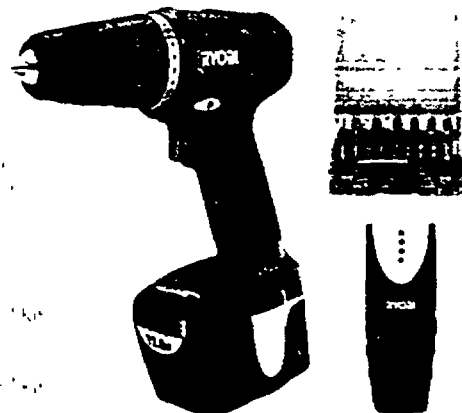
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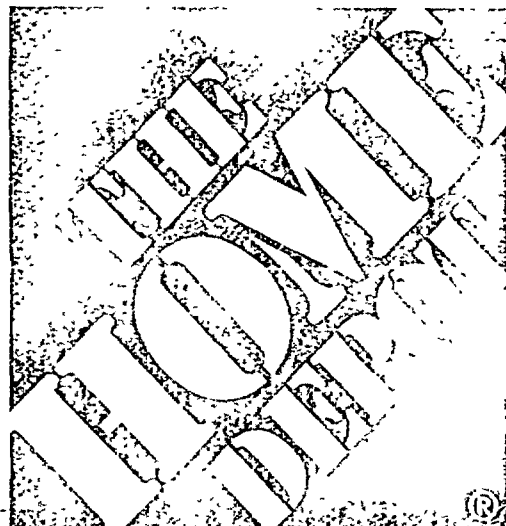
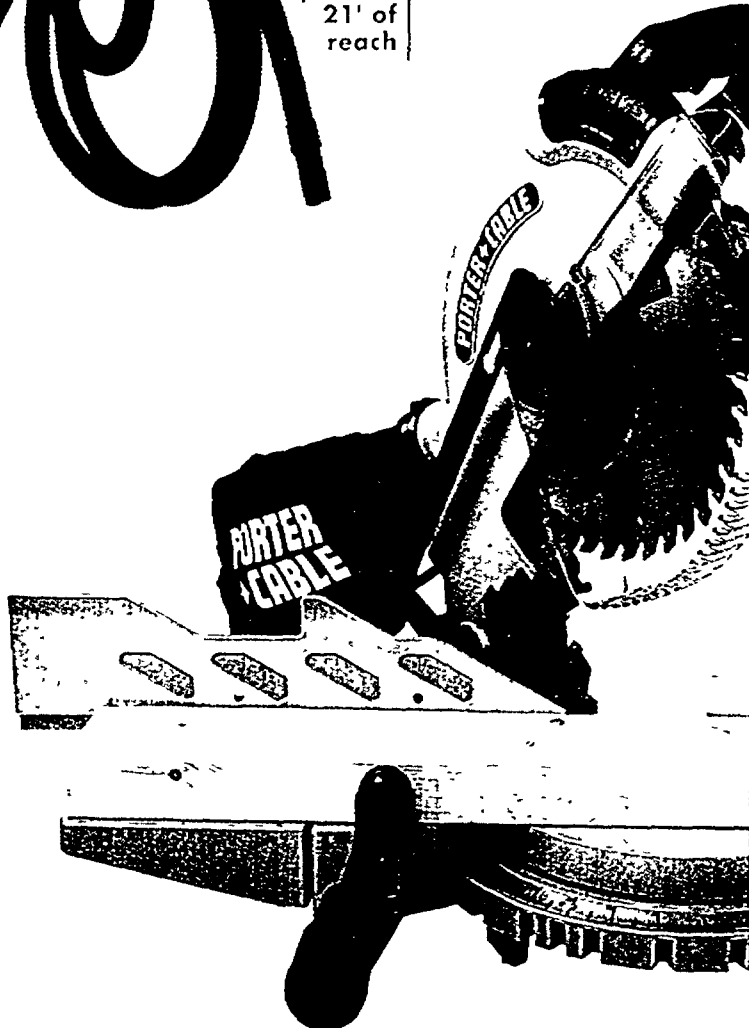


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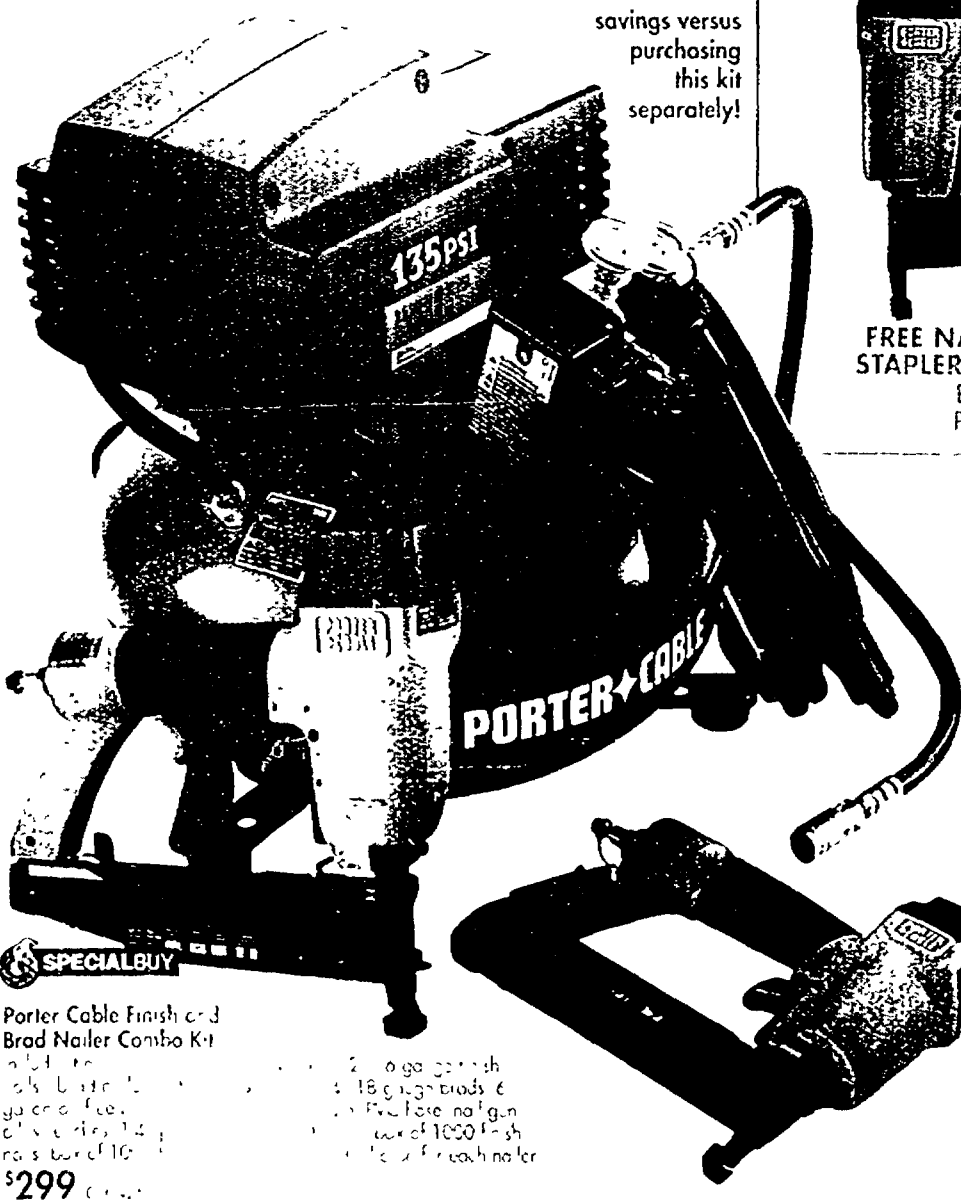


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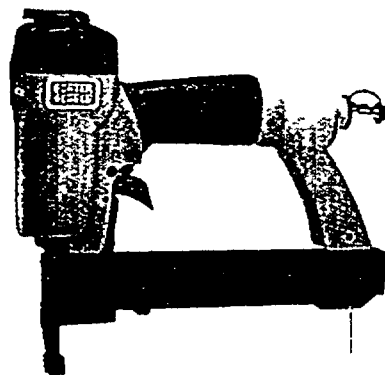
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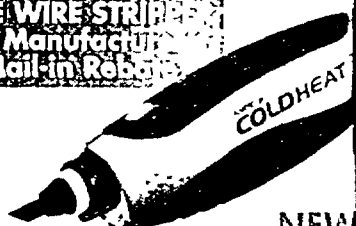
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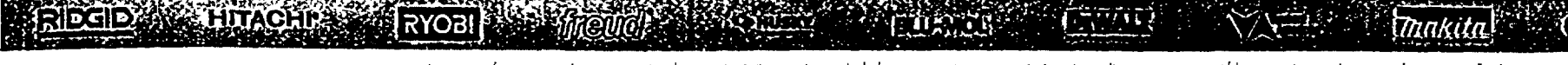
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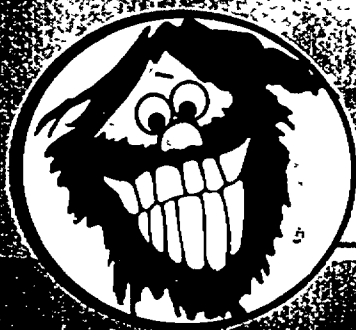


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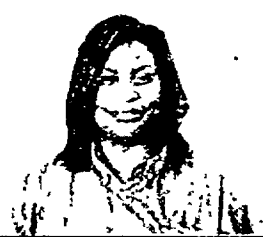
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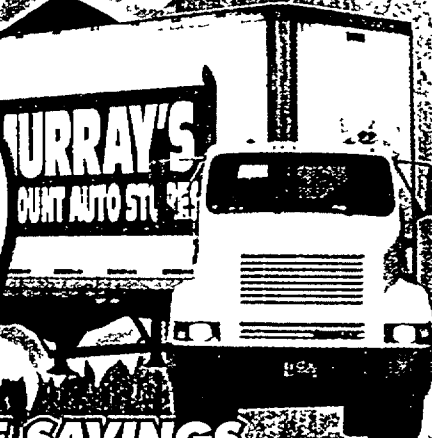


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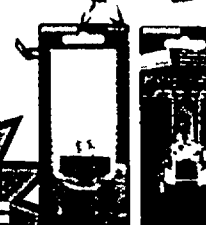
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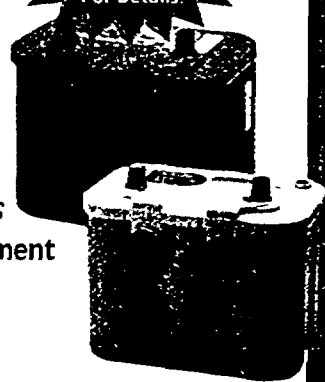
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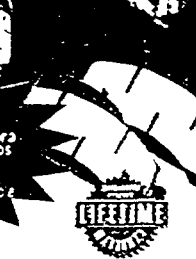
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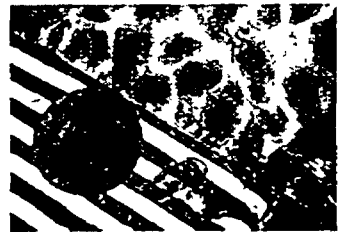
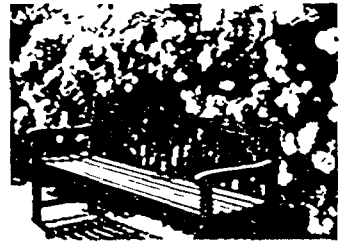
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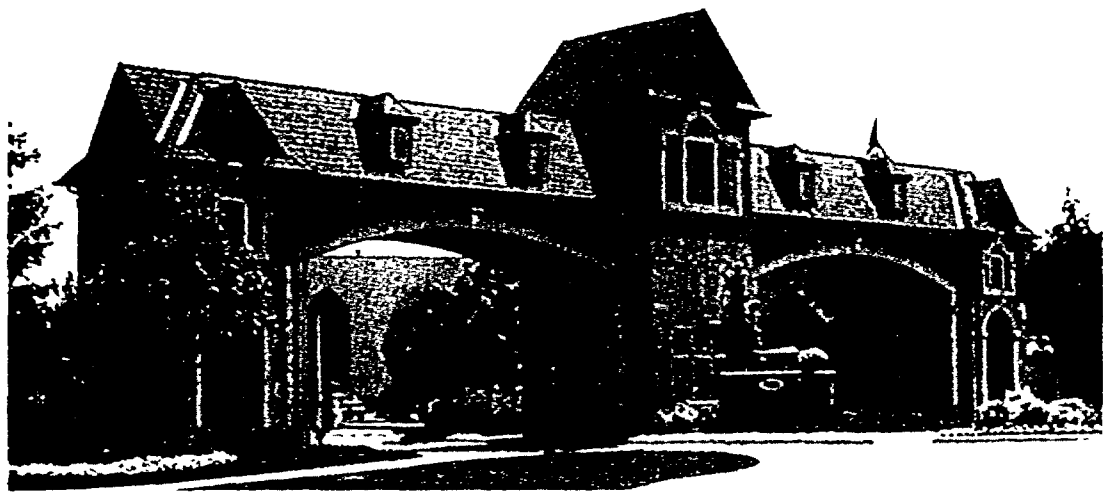
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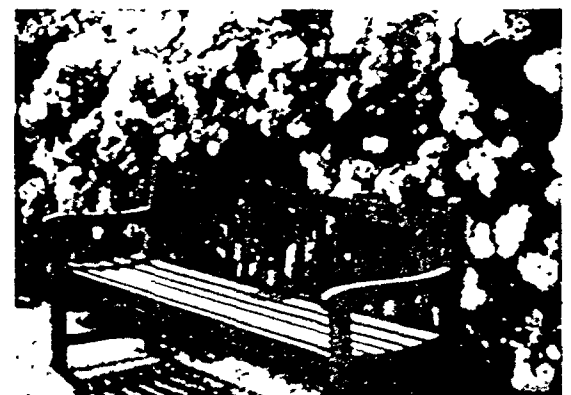
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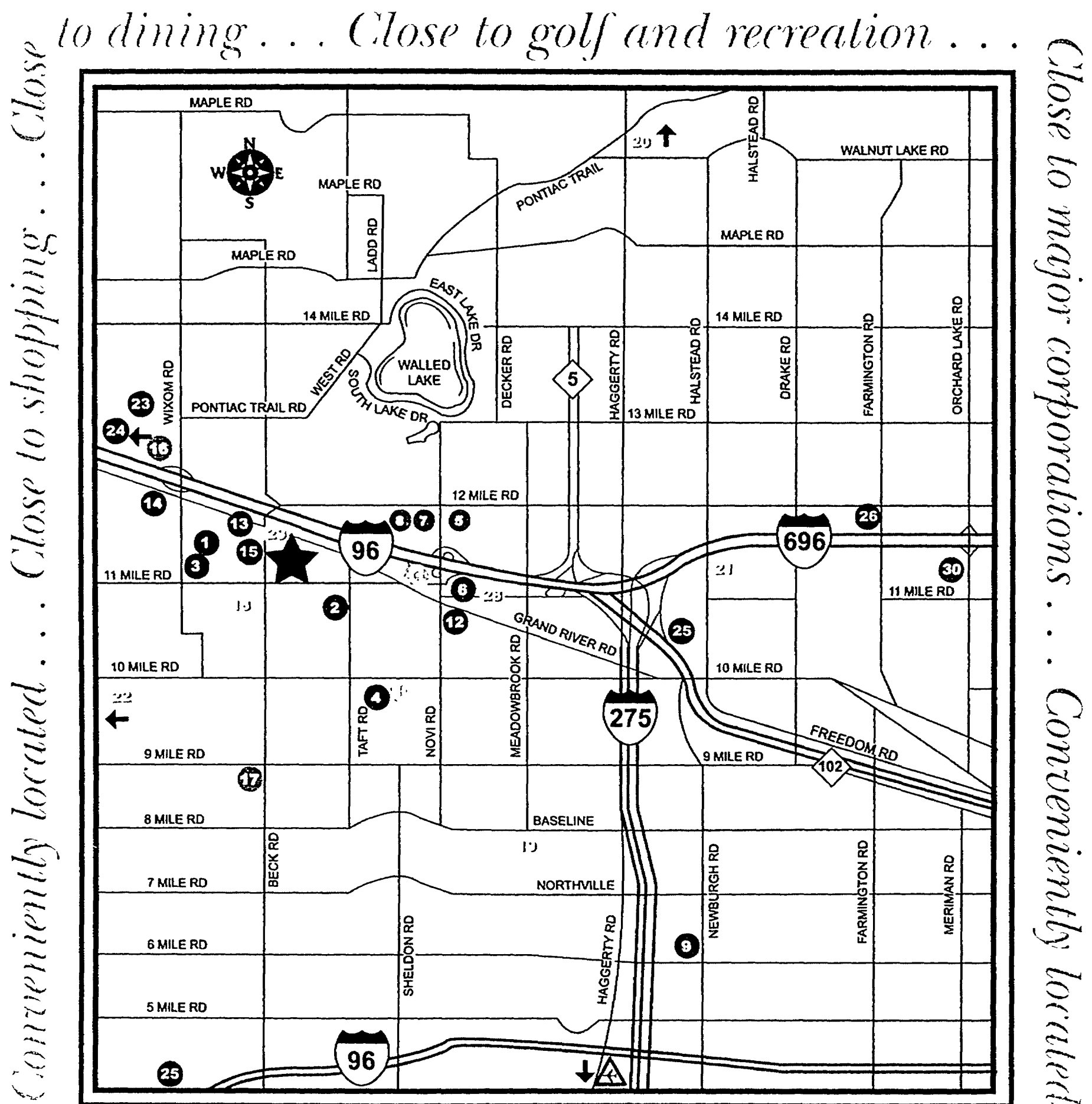
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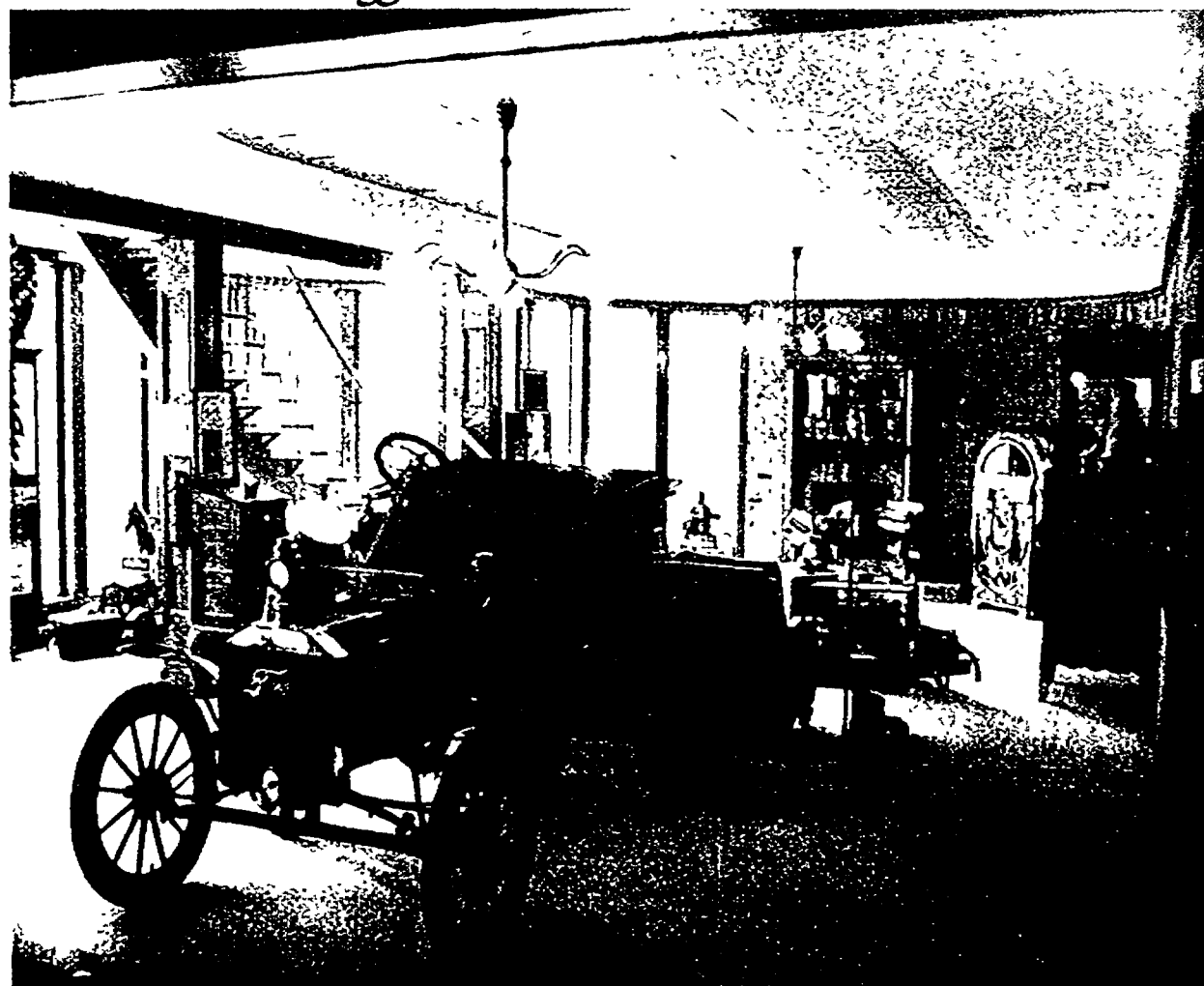
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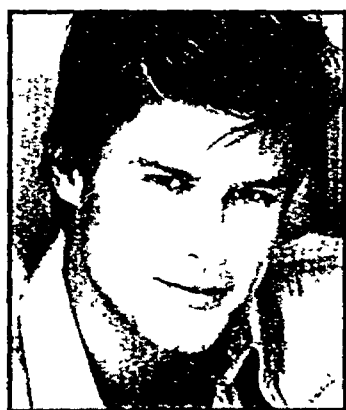
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Ask American Profile

Q I would like to know something about Angus T. Jones. He is wonderful on *Two and a Half Men*.

—Audry B., Minnesota

Jones' family moved from Austin, Texas, to California when he was 4, and an acting career soon followed. "I didn't really know what I was doing, just that I was having fun," the 11-year-old says. "My mom says I was a natural ham!" Starting out in commercials, he nabbed his first starring role at age 6 in the movie *Saturn*. He's also been in *The Rookie* and *George of the Jungle 2*. When he's not working, Jones is a regular boy. "I play guitar, play video games with my friends, and, in the summer, go to Texas and hang with my seven cousins."



Angus T. Jones, 11, portrays Jake Harper on the CBS sitcom *Two and a Half Men*.

Q Who was the love of John Denver's life before he died? Did he have children?

—Donna H., California

Denver, who died in a plane crash at age 53 seven years ago this week, had two children with his first wife, Annie, to whom he was married from 1967 until 1983. Daughter Anna Kate is 28 and son Zachary is 30. He married Cassandra Delaney in 1988 and they divorced in 1993. Their daughter, Jesse

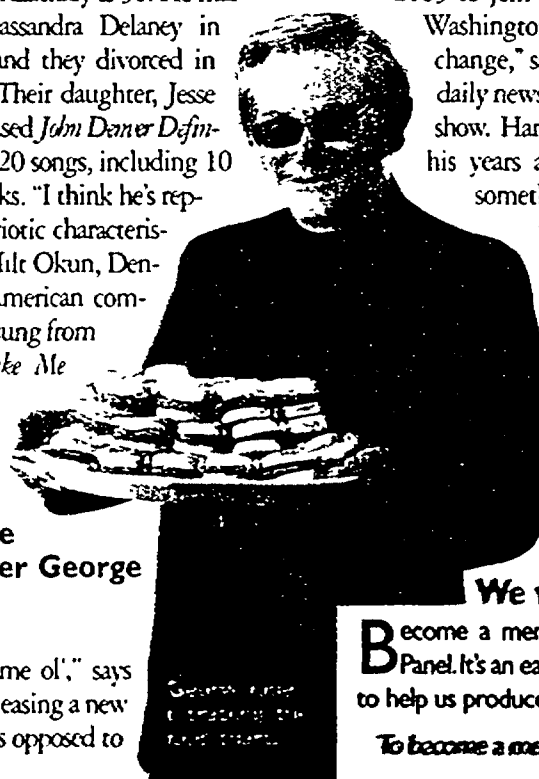
John Denver was a father of three.

Belle, is 15. Last week, BMG Records released *John Denver Definitive All-Time Greatest Hits*, which contains 20 songs, including 10 No. 1 hits and four never-before-heard tracks. "I think he's representative of the healthiest and most patriotic characteristics any American could ever have," says Milt Okun, Denver's producer. "He is one of the finest American composers, with songs that will continue to be sung from generation to generation. Songs like *Take Me Home*, *Country Roads* are sung in choruses, glee clubs and at campfires. His songs are in the bloodstream of America."

Q What can you tell me about my favorite country singer George Jones? What's he doing now?

—Neva W., New York

"I'm pretty much up to the same ol', same ol'," says Jones, 73, which means he's touring and releasing a new CD this fall. "It will be a country album (as opposed to



George Jones is releasing a new CD.

the current gospel CD) and will feature a few hits from other people—songs I wished I had recorded and loved by other people, like my dear friend, Johnny Cash's *Ring of Fire* or Ray Charles' *Busted*. Also, Willie Nelson and I are talking about putting together a different Highwaymen group with me and Willie and Kris Kristofferson and maybe Hank Williams Jr. I've also introduced a line of breakfast sausage: George Jones Country Style Sausage." The food line includes bacon, barbecue sauces and spring water. "The record business wants to cut us old guys out of the charts so I've just moved on to watching the food sales charts!" He and wife Nancy live in Franklin, Tenn.

Q Leon Harris celebrated 20 years with CNN last year. Where is he now?

—Robert M., Florida

The award-winning journalist left CNN in 2003 to join ABC 7 News/WJLA-TV in Washington, D.C. "It was time for a change," says Harris, who anchors three daily newscasts and hosts a political talk show. Harris says the best thing about his years at CNN was helping build



Anchorman Leon Harris.

something new, and Channel 7 offered him a chance to do that again. The station is revamping its newsroom and putting together "a great news team," Harris says. The Akron, Ohio, native was anchor of several different news shows during his 20 years at CNN. He won Emmy awards for coverage of the Sept. 11 terrorist attacks, the Oklahoma City bombing and the 2000 presidential race. He and his wife, Dawn, live in Potomac, Md. (pop. 44,822), with their three children. ✨

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Cole, 52, also provides a stage for local performers—young people in and around Port Townsend, Wash. (pop. 8,334)—making their public debut, as well as professionals who donate their time and talent for good causes.

"My idea from the moment I bought the place in 1998 was to have a casual place where the pressure would be off of young performers," Cole says.

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One of the many organizations Cole hosts at his 100-seat venue is the non-profit Youth Music Fund. "Mark saved our lives," says Harvey Putterman, who works with the fund. "The organization was without an appropriate place for both student and professional performances when Mark stepped right up."

The music fund, through fund-raising concerts and donations, assists aspiring young musicians with tuition to further their studies and pays for lessons and special training fees.

"The Upstage reflects Mark's personal philosophy—support of the arts and respect for the artists," Putterman says. "A small example is how he forgoes his business needs and stops serving food during performances. There's no pressure on anyone to buy a drink or stay for a meal. Most people leave a donation when we pass the hat, but Mark doesn't ask for anything in return."

Cole has always enjoyed an eclectic approach to entertainment in which people are given a chance to watch a live performance. "Anything that gets people out and away from the TV makes me very happy. I'm always amazed at how Port Townsend has drawn so many talented people to its shores. So why not come out and partake of live, affordable entertainment and support worthy, struggling organizations at the same time?"

Cole has made The Upstage, which hosts everything from Shakespearean plays to poetry readings, an appropriate setting for children as well as adults. "Kids are always welcome here," he says. "Recently we had a local teacher and his students in here playing the blues and rock 'n' roll."

"I see The Upstage as a place where people can view all of the beautiful colors of the arts kaleidoscope," Cole says. "Often we have musical performances, but at other times we book a storyteller, a mime, a comedy act or a small theatrical production. This is probably true for many small towns—if they had a casual place to perform and raise a little money, the town would be so much more vibrant."

Over the last six years, Cole has been able to realize his vision for The Upstage. "The restaurant reflects my philosophy: to provide a place that's dedicated to terrific food and live performances by generous professionals, emerging artists, and children just learning. You can have a place that generates income as a business, reflects your ideals and supports community causes."

With no small amount of effort, Cole has been able to bring it all together and come up with something that enriches everyone. "It might be easier to sell hot dogs and put in a TV," he says, "but once I made my decision to put my ideals into my business—to create something special and different—it all came together." ★

Barbara Clarke is a freelance writer from Port Townsend, Wash.

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The Upstage restaurant in Port Townsend, Wash.

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MICHIGAN—Volunteers built the Grand Haven Musical Fountain, the world's largest musical fountain, in 1962 in Grand Haven (pop. 11,168). The fountain pumps 40,000 gallons of water through 8,000 feet of pipes.

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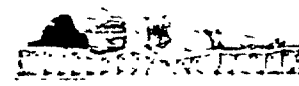
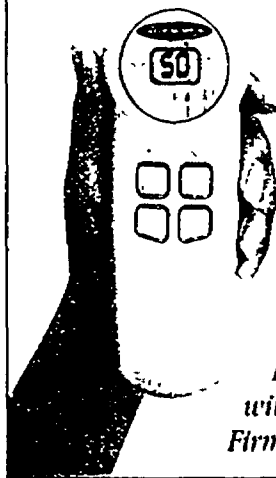
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Every person diagnosed with breast cancer begins an individual journey. Laura Taylor of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho (pop. 34,514), was just 27 when she began hers. Three doctors told her the lump in her breast was nothing. She was too young. She had no family history of breast cancer. A biopsy changed everything.

Taylor had part of one breast removed as well as nearby tissue that also was cancerous. Then she began a year of chemotherapy and radiation treatment to destroy any remaining cancer cells.

After three years of clean mammograms and the memory of treatment fading, Taylor says her life is returning to normal. "The trick is to not let cancer and its treatment consume you," says Taylor, now 30. "I don't think twice about looking at the incision—I call it my battle scar. I'm not a cancer patient. I'm a survivor and survivor is a powerful word."

The good news

More than 2 million people in the United States are breast cancer survivors, according to the American Cancer Society, and the number is increasing. Dr. Cheryl Perkins of Calhoun City, Miss. (pop. 1,872), counts herself among them.

In fact, Perkins, who is approaching five years of living cancer-free, says with technological advances and more effective

drugs and treatments, survival rates are improving.

"Treatment is more targeted for the individual patient, and we have options such as the lumpectomy instead of radical mastectomy," which removes most of the breast tissue, says Perkins, senior clinical advisor with the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation, a breast cancer awareness organization based in Dallas.

"We also have sentinel node biopsy. It allows us to determine whether breast cancer has spread to nearby lymph nodes," she adds. If the lymph nodes are disease-free, less aggressive surgery is needed, and recovery is easier. The chances of the cancer coming back are reduced as well.

Laura Taylor, 30, considers herself a survivor.



When Betty Odum was diagnosed with breast cancer in 1985, treatment was limited. She had one breast removed, plus 25 lymph nodes, which later proved to be cancer-free. Even after 19 cancer-free years, she's still concerned about a recurrence.

"Until you've had cancer, until you've walked in those shoes, you can't say you know what it's like," says Odum, 59, of Schriever, La. (pop. 5,880). But the grandmother of eight doesn't let her anxiety about the disease stand in the way of her annual mammogram. "I've known the fear of cancer, but everyone's journey is different, and it's not always a death sentence," she adds.

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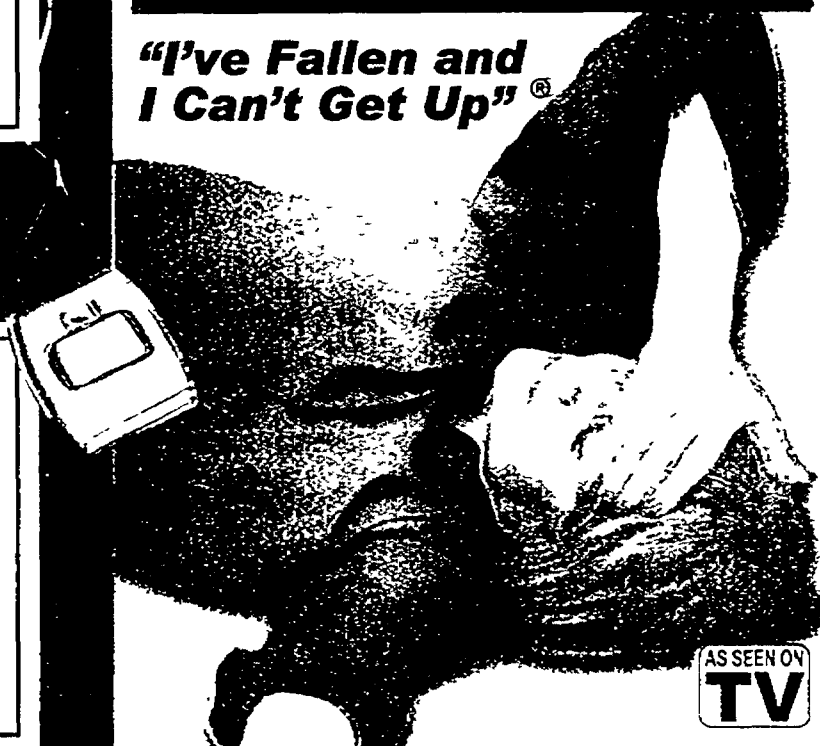
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Dr. Cheryl Perkins is nearing five years of living cancer-free.



Mark Goldstein, 71, diagnosed with breast cancer in 1988, with Joan, his wife of 48 years, at their home in Randolph, N.J.

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Inherited risks

Five to 10 percent of women are believed to be at risk of breast cancer because of genetic factors, meaning a female blood relative had the disease. But women who are genetically predisposed may be able to reduce their risk through lifestyle choices such as diet and exercise.

"My mother died of breast cancer at 36, when I was 6, and my grandmother when I was 14," says Sharon Goodrich, 60, of Fairfax Station, Va. (pop. 21,498). "I've lived in the shadow of breast cancer since I was a child."

Typically, women who are at genetic risk for breast cancer develop the disease before age 40. Goodrich never underwent genetic testing, because by the time it was avail-

able, she had passed that milestone. Still, she tries to maintain her health and reduce her risk by eating well and staying active. She also does frequent self-examinations and gets an annual mammogram.

"Some people think the disease is conquered, and some women think because they've had a mammogram, they're good for another year. It's just not that simple," she says. "Everyone knows someone who has had breast cancer. Even so, 70 to 80 percent of women who have it have no known risk factors. It's frightening."

While breast cancer primarily affects women, some 1,300 men nationwide are diagnosed with it each year.

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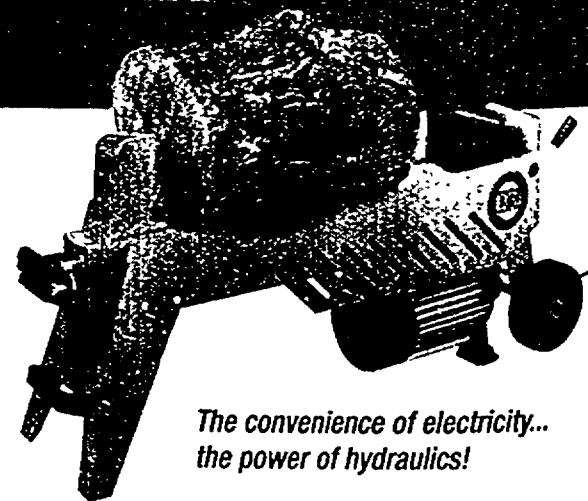
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Breast Cancer Risk factors & Symptoms

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The reasons that breast cells grow out of control remain murky, but certain factors seem to increase the risk. These include:

- Being over age 50 (77 percent of breast cancer patients are 50 or older).
- Having a family history of breast cancer among female blood relatives. (Five to 10 percent of female breast cancer patients have a blood relative with the disease).
- Having no children, or having a first child after age 30.
- Undergoing radiation therapy before age 30.
- Having dense breast tissue.
- Drinking alcohol.

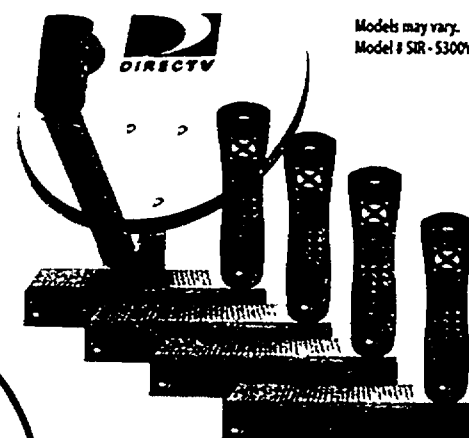
Then there's estrogen, a hormone produced by the body. Evidence suggests the longer a woman is exposed to the hormone—either produced naturally or taken as a drug—the more likely she is to develop breast cancer. Symptoms of breast cancer include:

- A lump or thickening in or near the breast or in the underarm.
- A change in the size or shape of the breast.
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Hometown Spotlight

Tending the Family Farm

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In 1983, Kenneth Poore's dying wish was to have his family farm in Stewartstown, N.H. (pop. 1,012), turned into a museum. That wish came true in 1994, thanks to the town's residents and the Poore Family Foundation for North Country Conservancy.

1820s, only five miles from the Canada border and settled on the 100-acre farm. Poore's father, John Calvin, also lived there, as did Poore, until his death at age 98.

Because Poore left the farm and its deteriorating building, but no money, years of financial difficulties passed before the grounds were open to visitors.

"It was in horrific condition. They all needed work," says the foundation's Executive Director Rick Johnsen of the eight buildings in various stages of collapse. "The blacksmith shop, the woodwork shop and the hops barn were all down," he says. Fortunately, dedicated townspeople, volunteers and craftsmen came to the rescue to keep the Poore family's agricultural legacy alive.

Today, the farm, known as the Poore Family Homestead Historic Farm Museum, stands as a monument to tough New England farmers. Last year, the farm was brought to life for nearly 2,000 visitors,



The Poore Family Homestead Historic Farm Museum offers a window into 19th-century farm life.

who walked through to see first-hand how New Hampshire farmers lived in the 19th and early 20th centuries.

During those times, the family farm was completely self-sustaining, providing food, clothing, shelter and income. If the Poores wanted a nail, they went to the blacksmith shed and made it. When they needed a shirt or a rug, they wove it. That required a loom, so they made one.

Dorrie Lee, a nurse and self-taught weaver, visited Poore with her father as a child. Now she provides weaving demonstrations, using the loom made by the original owner of the farm in the 1820s. His initials are on the loom.

"The older ones talk about having seen their mothers or grandmothers weaving," Lee says. "And the children are amazed to find that sweaters did not come from stores."

The main barn houses a display of tools, farm implements, oxen and horse wagons, churns, rakes, and thousands of other artifacts used in everyday life through almost two centuries.

New England frugality is no myth, as evidenced by what was saved, from Depression-era corn flake boxes to the dozens of letters John Calvin wrote from Civil War battlefields. But nothing is for sale here. Instead, the foundation will refurbish the farm's buildings as money allows.

Raising money to keep the farm operating is a constant effort, Johnsen says, and includes events—from bluegrass concerts to old-fashioned ice cream socials—on the grounds. The New Hampshire Historical Society also contributed \$10,500 to the cause.

Skill, volunteers do most of the restoration work. Each spring, Eugene Reid brings his Canaan, Vt. (pop. 1,078), high school carpentry class to work on the farm, which is an eye-opening experience for the students. "We look at those traditional methods and tools, and we use them," Reid says. They harvest timber on site

and discover that "a good sharp plane and ax work fast."

They've helped stabilize the main house, which still isn't safe for visitors, who must view it through the windows. The main barn and small barn also have been stabilized, but all that remains of some buildings is a "footprint"—the outline of the foundation—from which students hope to re-build the original structures.

But for all that remains to be done, volunteers have made the museum, which ended its 10th season in September, a living institution, a treasure trove and a window on history for people of today.

"It keeps people connected to the past," Lee says, "and I think generations need to be linked together." ★

Warren D. Jorgensen is a frequent contributor to American Profile.

For more information on the Poore Family Farm, log on to www.poorefamily.homestead.com.

Students playfully twist the farm's apple cider press.



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Volunteer Audrey Reid welcomes curious visitors to the Stewartstown, N.H., landmark.

The farm's history is a rich one. It came into existence when Poore's grandparents moved into the wilderness in the mid-



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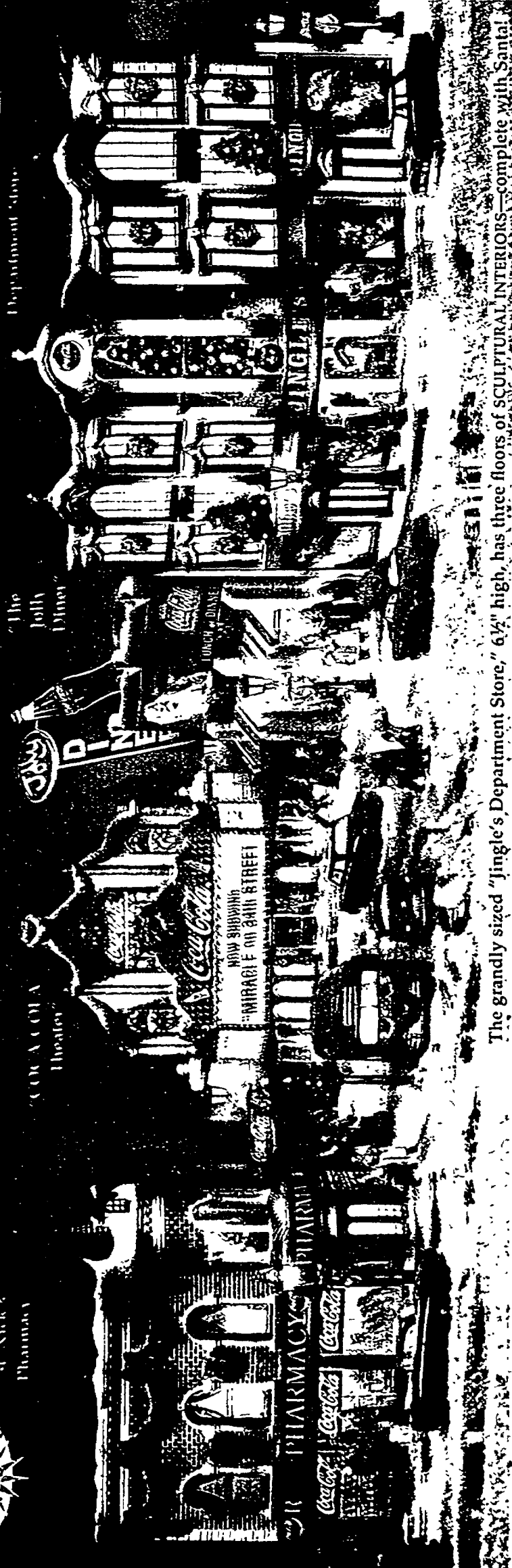
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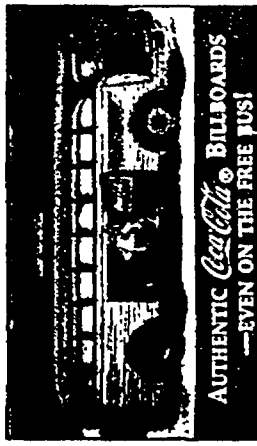


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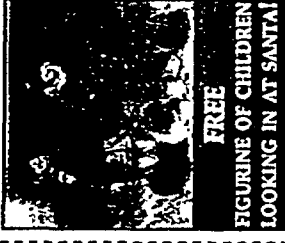
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Mark Goldstein of Randolph, N.J. (pop. 19,974), was 55 when he noticed his left nipple was inverted.

"In a typical male fashion, I ignored it," he says. "I had bought into the conventional wisdom that breast cancer was a woman's disease."

Three months later, he awakened after surgery having had a partial mastectomy and some lymph nodes removed. Since then, Goldstein, now 70, has taken breast cancer head on. In 1990, he became the first man to run in the New York City Race for the Cure, an annual fundraiser for breast cancer research. To date, he's run in 134 similar fund-raising events around the country and has a sponsorship from New Balance athletic shoes.

"It all comes down to attitude," says Goldstein, who counsels other men who are diagnosed with, or under treatment for, breast cancer.

Like women who feel their femininity is compromised, men with the disease must grapple with the perception that it is an assault on their masculinity. "I ask them, 'What's really changed, except that you've had a disease that's atypical in men?'"

Goldstein encourages men with the disease to step up to the challenge of survivorship. "When you're in the companionship of survivors and witness their tenacity and their optimism, that will

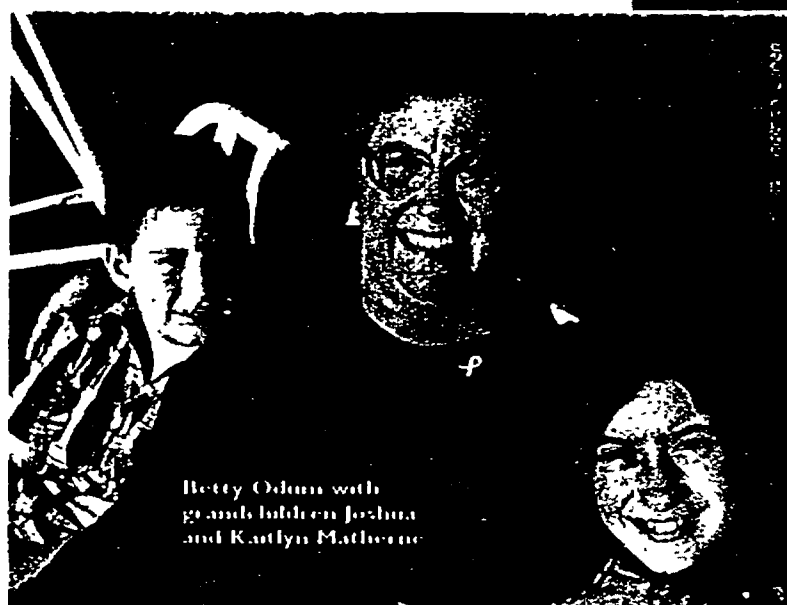
stay with you," he says. "You can't help but be changed for the better." ☆

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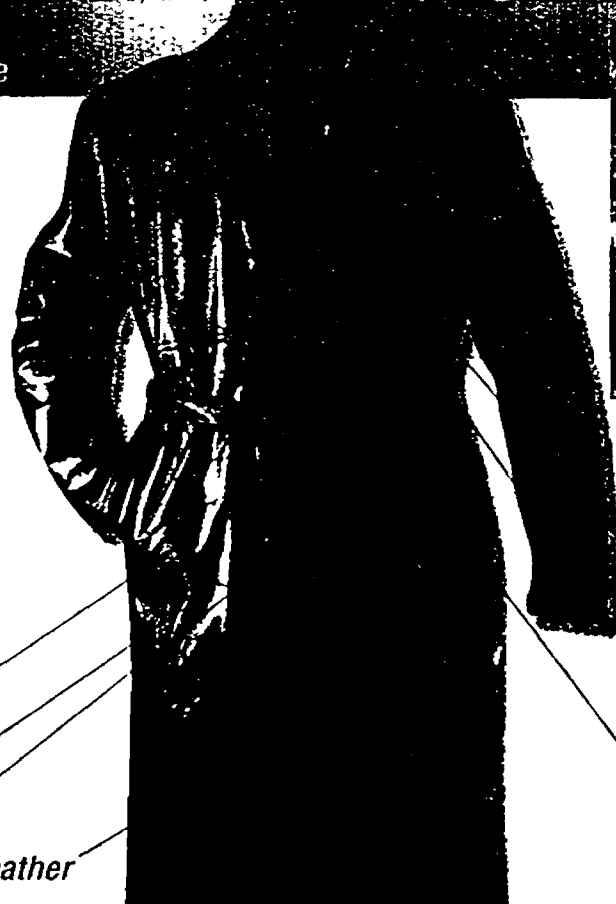
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HomeTown Recipes

Many of the main dish

recipes that we receive from readers each week call for either beef, pork or chicken as a primary ingredient. So we thought it would be a nice alternative to offer two "meatless" recipes for those of you who are vegetarian or just looking for something different.

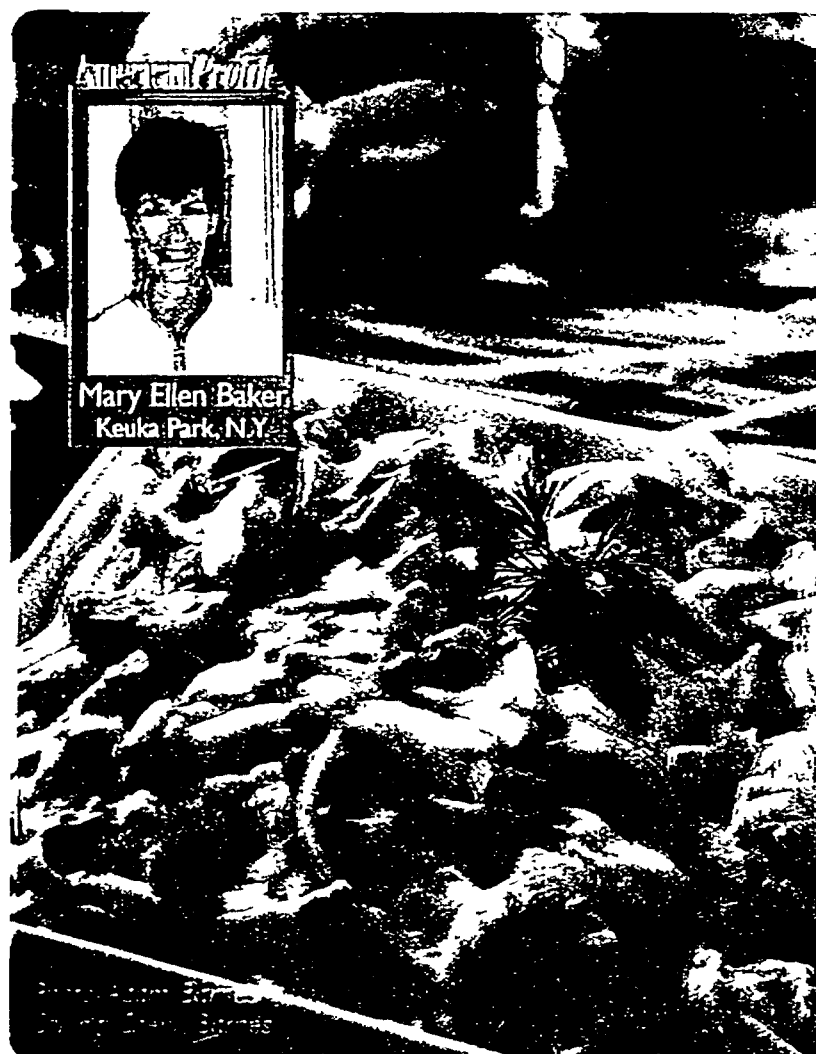
The first, from Mary Ellen Baker, is what she calls her One-Pot Noodle Stroganoff. "I have modified this recipe to lower the fat and salt content," she says. "It's full of nourishment and flavor and has been a favorite for many years." We think it will become a favorite of your family as well.

The second is a four-bean vegetarian chili from Sonja T. Carter. "As a vegetarian, I'm always looking for quick and nutritious dishes," Carter says. "My mom and I concocted this easy, meatless chili recipe."

This is a hearty and delicious soup that's great as a main dish or served with a grilled cheese sandwich as a lunch treat for the kids.

As always, we eagerly look forward each week to receiving your favorite family recipes and the stories behind them. They serve as a reminder of just how inventive and diverse America's tastes are and the stories underscore the important role recipes play in our family histories. Please keep them coming! ✨

One-Pot Noodle Stroganoff



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- 1 pound mushrooms, sliced
- 1 tablespoon olive oil
- 1 cup onion, chopped
- 1 quart low-salt tomato juice
- 2 teaspoons Worcestershire sauce
- 6 ounces whole wheat noodles, uncooked
- 1 cup low-fat, or no-fat, sour cream
- 1 teaspoon dried, or 3 teaspoons fresh, dill weed
- Pepper to taste

Sauté mushrooms and onions in olive oil until just browned. Stir in tomato juice, pepper and Worcestershire sauce. Bring to a low boil. Add noodles. Reduce heat, cover and simmer about 10 minutes, stirring occasionally until noodles are tender. Stir in remaining ingredients and heat through. Adjust seasonings to taste.

Tips From Our Test Kitchen:

For variety, toss in 6 to 8 ounces of baby spinach, 1 cup of shoestring carrots, or 1/2 cup of diced sweet peppers or fresh asparagus. Garnish with fresh sliced tomatoes, chopped parsley and fresh dill.

RECIPE: Four-Bean Vegetarian Chili



Four-Bean Vegetarian Chili

- 1 onion, chopped
- 2 tablespoons olive oil
- 1 15-ounce can black beans
- 1 15-ounce can pinto beans
- 1 15-ounce can northern beans
- 1 15-ounce can kidney beans
- 1 16-ounce jar salsa
- 1 cup water
- 2 tablespoons corn meal
- 3 tablespoons chili powder
- 1 tablespoon ground cumin
- 1 bunch fresh cilantro, chopped (optional)

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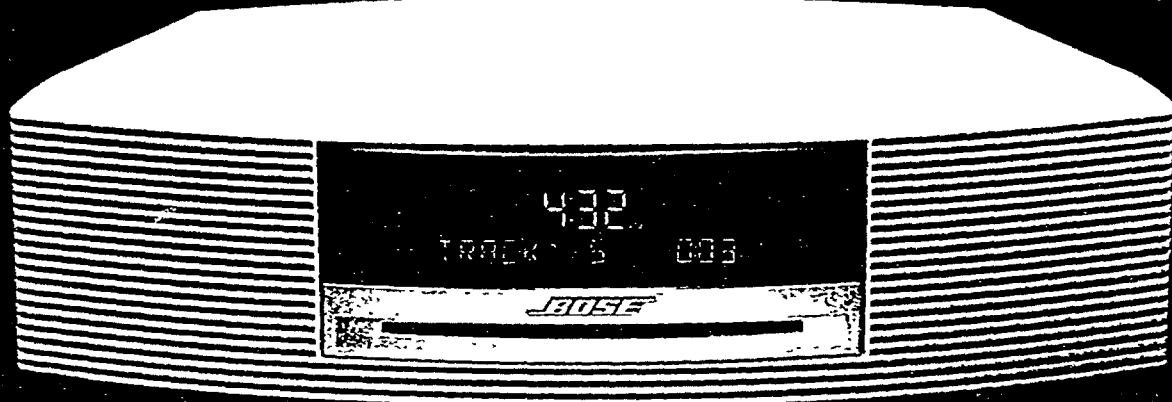


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