

# Northville Record



Your hometown newspaper serving Northville for 136 years

Thursday, February 9, 2006

northvillerecord.com

50¢

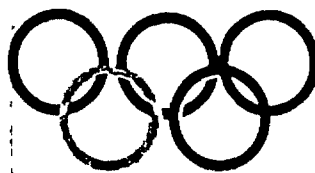
Volume 136 Number 30

Northville, Michigan

Look inside for your  
**GREEN SHEET**  
Classifieds

Greensheetclassifieds.com

## Record Numbers



### The Cost

Training a child for the Olympics, including lessons, travel, uniforms and equipment:

Skiing .....	\$295,449
Figure Skating .....	\$232,178
Snow-Boarding .....	\$339,923

## Marketplace



### Orin Jewelers

At Orin Jewelers in downtown Northville, quality jewelry and professional customer service make the difference.  
— Page 10B

## Record Sports

Seven Northville student-athletes signed letters of intent last week, including six girls soccer players. See who's heading where — in Record Sports!  
— Page 1B

## Obituaries

List Ann Smith, 43  
Michael D. Bennett, 63  
Katherine E. Krauter, 87  
John K. Cooper, 74  
James Miller McCurdy, 82  
William McDevitt, 74  
— Page 6A

## INDEX

Classifieds .....	3D
Class Notes .....	13A
Commentary .....	17A
Engagements .....	4A
It's Always Something .....	2A
Letters .....	16A
Obituaries .....	6A
Sports .....	1B
What's Going On? .....	15A

## CONTACT US

- Classifieds: (888) 999-1288
- Newsroom: (248) 349-1700
- Home Delivery: (888) 840-4809



6 53174 33333 9

Postal Information:  
000000 00002  
NORTHVILLE MI 48161  
HAG & SONS BK BINDERY  
PO BOX 162  
SPRINGPORT MI 49284-0162

# Battling the boom

■ District says seventh elementary school would ease growth concerns

Sixth of an ongoing series previewing the Feb. 28 public school bond election, totaling \$70.7 million.

By Victoria Mitchell  
RECORD STAFF WRITER

## 2006 NORTHVILLE SCHOOL BOND

Leonard Rezmierski expects more than 600 new kindergarten through fifth graders will call Northville home during the next five years.

But the Northville Public Schools superintendent said he has no place to put them.

Rezmierski said 800 single-family homes built in the district since Ridge Wood Elementary School opened in 2003 is testament to Northville's ever-growing population — and the district's need to keep pace.

He said that's why Northville Public Schools is asking taxpayers to approve two Feb. 28 bond proposals, totaling \$70.7 million. One \$45.43 million bond proposal would shore up aging buildings, repair and replace technology and construct a \$17.3 million athletic field house at Northville High School.

A second \$25.24 million bond request would allow the district to purchase from Northville Township 23 acres located at the northeast corner of Napier and Six Mile roads and build the district's seventh elementary school.

Rezmierski said district officials have already signed a \$1.35 million option to purchase agreement with the township and could close the deal if voters approve the bond request later this month.

■ **School site**  
How safe is the proposed 23-acre elementary school site, located near a landfill? Page 14A.

■ **What's the deal?**  
Why did the township agree to sell park land, and will it make similar deals in the future? Page 14A.

■ **Going rate**  
How do municipal construction costs vary — and why? Page 14A.

■ **'Super' column**  
Superintendent Leonard Rezmierski makes a case for the Feb. 28 school bond. Page 18A.

Architecturally, district officials said the building would mimic Ridge Wood, with slight facade changes. "We can't make every building look the same, but we can make learning comparable," said Joan Wadsworth, Northville Public Schools board of education treasurer.

continued on 14A

# Power struggle

■ State pulls plug on former state hospital, ignites township furor

By Tracy Mishler  
RECORD STAFF WRITER

Paul Landry doesn't want to see anyone get hurt, even if they're intentionally breaking the law.

But he knows the 414-acre former Northville Regional Psychiatric Hospital, still under the state's watchful eye until litigation procedures are settled with the property's new owner Real Estate Interest Group, Inc., has become the playground for curious trespassers.

And even though state of Michigan security and the Northville Township Police Department, have caught trespassers regularly, Landry said it

won't stop until the site's 28 buildings are demolished.

The state of Michigan shut off power at Seven Mile Road property Jan. 30 to save money, but Landry, former power plant operator, fears the lack of power will be an invitation to more trespassers.

"The steam was shut off and if the pipes break, there will be a big problem," Landry said. "Every building on that property is filled with asbestos."

"If that asbestos breaks and gets into the air, there will be a lot of sick people."

Landry said he pulled all the fuses at the power plant on his last day, Jan. 31, to ensure anyone in the building could not access the pumps.

continued on 9A



### Raising awareness!

Northville resident Natalie Lomske hit the street last week to raise awareness about Muscular Dystrophy. Page 5A.



Photo by JOHN HEIDER/NORTHVILLE RECORD

Mustang Nick Kaldis files to the hoop Tuesday night against the Canton Chiefs.

# who's got NEXT?

The undefeated Northville Mustangs (14-0) are piling up victories, including Tuesday night's 59-53 victory over the Canton Chiefs. For a picture story, see Page 18A. More coverage, Page 1B.

# A day for wine and roses

■ No love lost for those who prepare Valentine gifts

By Maureen Johnston  
RECORD STAFF WRITER

Dewey Gardner's Super Bowl is Tuesday. It all comes down to one day for the 39-year floral veteran; whether he has the right players, the playbook down and the nerves for execution.

His roster includes wives, lovers and significant others who will end the day in triumph or despair. He can't afford to fumble.

Preparation has taken weeks. "It's a one day and only one day holiday," Gardner said of the upcoming Valentine's Day holiday. "The pressure of trying to see every customer is satisfied, that's so hard to do."

"People want a red rose. Love. Period."

### Pre-game countdown

Owner of IV Seasons on Main Street since 1967, Gardner's professional reputation is at the whim of weather, wholesalers and customers.

■ **Love List**  
What gift are you entitled to, based on the gift you give? Page 19A.

Some local residents are making their own mark with homemade cards. Page 19A.



Photo by JOHN HEIDER/NORTHVILLE RECORD

Four Seasons florists Dewey Gardner and Mary Lane will be busy arranging rose bouquets for Valentine's Day.

Everyone procrastinates. "People don't hardly realize until it's upon them," Gardner said.

continued on 19A

Find what you're looking for in the  
**Green Sheet Classifieds** Call 1-888-999-1288

# Council balks at \$75 parking bite, opts for \$10 nibble

Yee-haw! How about some wild, wild west fun at the Northville Chamber of Commerce's upcoming Business Showcase? It's a whole new event noon-4 p.m. March 18. For the first time it's on a Saturday, ticket prices are reduced, many children's activities were added and exhibitors can enjoy a brunch. Speaking of exhibitors, want to meet peers and potential customers? Call the chamber to reserve a space at (248) 349-7640.

The hearts and flowers can wait! Get on over to the Northville High School gym Tuesday night! The Mustangs have asked their fans to pack the stands for their Feb. 14 game against Walled Lake Central. Don't miss it!

How about pitching some pennies? Throughout February, Annual Lost Penny Month, the Northville Senior Community Center will have a container at the front desk for people willing to donate pennies long forgotten in pockets, bowls and sofa cushions. Proceeds will go to senior programming.

Driven by the intersection of Six Mile and Napier roads lately?

The Northville Police Department got F.A.T.S. The city council gave the department the nod for \$2,500 to buy into a new firearms training simulator. The insurance carrier for Northville,



Northville Township, Livonia, Plymouth, Plymouth Township, Redford and Westland provided a grant for the bulk of the \$70,000 sophisticated computerized video equipment. Northville Police Chief Jim Petres said this system, with interactive scenarios of various potential shooting situations, will supplement live fire training done at the range.

Still time to plan a night out on the town with your honey. One of several local restaurants offering dinner Feb. 14, Genitti's is offering "The Big Game Scramble" about a blizzard hitting Detroit just days before the Big Game. For those of you still Super Bowl giddy...

Movie in the afternoon, movie in the evening. The Northville Senior Community Center is continuing its 1 p.m. Friday Flicks tomorrow with "Flight Plan," starring Jodie Foster as an airplane engineer whose daughter disappears mid-flight. Tomorrow night, Allen Terrace will be screening the new classic, "Pretty Woman," starring Julia Roberts and Richard Gere at 7 p.m.

In accordance with state law, people who illegally park in handicapped spaces will receive a \$100 ticket.

Wanted: Optimists. The Optimist Club of Northville/Novi members invite people curious about their club to attend a meeting 6:30 p.m. next Wednesday at Rocky's on Seven Mile Road. After a brief cocktail hour, members will describe the club and answer questions about how their activities benefit local youth.

Like hotcakes, they're selling! Northville Civic Concern's hot-off-the presses cookbook, that is. The \$10 "Recipes to Remember" is available in several locations, including the Northville Record office. For more information, call (248) 344-1033.

People who park in city lots more



Photo by JOHN HEIDER/NORTHVILLE RECORD

Judy Merrell walks her Labrador retrievers, Marky and Caesar, through Maybury State Park. Caesar, right, visits nursing homes as a therapy dog.

than the three-hour limit will receive a "freebie" warning, then a \$5 ticket, then a \$10 fine for a third offense. The city council fell short of imposing the graduated fine

scale previously associated with the police department's new hand-held zappers, including a \$75 fine for habitual offenders. The downtown development authority discussed

the fines — but how long before making their recommendation to council? More on that next week.

Do people say "WOW" when they see your lighting?

MINKA-LAVERY

**Carlson**  
Home Luxuries

Crystals • Lighting • Home Ware • Furniture

FINE JEWELRY

**20% OFF SALE**

MOISSANITE COLLECTION

Special Buy \$349

10 Ct. t.w. stud earrings, Reg. \$490.

Offer valid now thru Sunday, February 12, while supplies last. Excluded from 20% off sale.

MORE BRILLIANCE... MORE FIRE... MORE COMPLIMENTS...  
than the finest diamonds at a fraction of the price!

Moissanite is the jewel everyone is talking about. With more sparkle than diamonds, Moissanite creates dramatic light effects unmatched by any other gemstone. EACH KAG CREATIONS MOISSANITE DESIGN COMES WITH A LIMITED LIFETIME WARRANTY INSURING ITS OPTICAL PROPERTIES.

\*CT. T.W. IN EQUIVALENT DIAMOND WEIGHTS FOR SAME SIZE JEWELS

MOISSANITE  
CHARLES & COLVARD

KAG Creations

PARISIAN

**Charter One**  
Not your typical bank.®

Give us five days and we'll give you all kinds of money.

Introducing the Charter One Xpress Home Equity Loan.™

- Have an answer in minutes.
- Get your money in days.
- Available as a Loan or Line of Credit.

You need a home equity loan. And you want it fast. Well, at Charter One, that's no problem. Just fill out our simple application. We'll get you an answer in minutes and you can close in just five days. That's right. Five days. Plus, our helpful bankers will be there with you from start to finish. The Charter One Xpress Home Equity Loan. It's that easy. To apply, visit any of our 124 Michigan branches, go to [charterone.com](http://charterone.com) or call 1-877-TOP-RATE.

Certain conditions apply. Charter One Xpress Home Equity Loan is available on applicable Home Equity Loans or Lines of Credit of \$100,000 or less on qualifying single-family owner-occupied properties or condominiums only. Application must be submitted by 4PM, local time, Monday through Friday. Closing dates may be five business days after application date and must be Monday through Saturday. Property may not be in a flood zone nor held in a trust. Loan-to-value (LTV) must not exceed 70%. Other rates and terms are available. Loans for other property types and uses also available. Rates and terms vary by property type, loan amount and LTV ratio. Offer subject to change without notice. Property insurance required. Not available for homes currently for sale or intended to be sold within six months of closing. All accounts are subject to individual approval. Answer in minutes applicable to completed loan applications submitted at branch or by phone, and limited hours apply. Other restrictions may apply. See a banker for details. © Equal Housing Lender.

**BUSCH'S**  
Fresh. Food. Ideas.

PRICES EFFECTIVE THROUGH SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 2006

SHOP ONLINE AT [WWW.BUSCHS.COM](http://WWW.BUSCHS.COM)

**\$5.99** per pound  
FAMILY PACK  
USDA CHOICE  
BONELESS  
NEW YORK  
STRIP  
STEAKS

**\$6.99** per pound  
KEY WEST  
UNCOOKED  
PINK  
SHRIMP  
26-30 CT.

**\$9.99**  
SAINT-  
HILAIRE  
LIMOUX  
750 ML

**\$24.99**  
LONG STEM  
ROSE BOUQUET  
RED OR ASSORTED  
COLORS, DOZEN

Great Deals for Valentine's Day - Tuesday, Feb. 14th!

# Going, going, gone!

■ Mothers' Club fund-raising auction promises a snappy time for attendees

By Maureen Johnston  
RECORD STAFF WRITER

A Labrador retriever puppy pumped up the bidding two years ago.

This year, an autographed Red Wings jersey might spark the competition.

That's the animated — and profitable — atmosphere Mothers' Club wants to create at their fifth strolling dinner-dance auction March 11.

"This is an event that many people in our community wait for," said Laurie Wooderson, event co-chair with Libby Smith. "I think the huge appeal is the strolling dinner, giving the guests the opportunity to mingle, view the auction items and enjoy the entertainment."

"I think the format being a little less formal gives everyone more of an opportunity."

## A tradition

The 35-member group alternates years hosting the dinner auction with publishing its community phone directory. The two projects are the club's biggest fund-raisers.

While the \$75 per person entry covers the cost to host the event, profits come from the auction of donated items. The strolling dinner is included in the ticket price; there is a cash bar.

Wooderson said they are expecting about 350 people to attend. The invitation list begins with club members and friends and extends to anyone interested in supporting Northville schools.

The five-hour event begins at 6:30 p.m., with the live auction starting at 9 p.m. Suggested dress is "snappy casual."

"There's a range from cocktail dress to casual pant suits," Smith said.

Entertainment will be provided by Northville High School acapella groups, The Backbeat Boys and Treble Makers, and the Shawn Riley Band, featuring Hillside Middle School Principal Jim Cracraft.

"I think the huge appeal is the strolling dinner, giving the guests the opportunity to mingle, view the auction items and enjoy the entertainment."

Laurie Wooderson  
Event co-chair, Northville Mothers' Club

## Mothers' Club of Northville

Auction & Strolling Dinner  
6:30-11:30 p.m.  
Saturday, March 11  
The Inn at St. John's  
\$75 per person  
For more information  
(248) 348-8764

## Event Information

What: "Stepping Out" auction and strolling dinner dance  
When: 6:30-11:30 p.m., Saturday, March 11  
Where: Inn at St. John's  
Host: Northville Mothers' Club  
Proceeds to: Northville school children  
Cost: \$75 per person  
For more information: (248) 348-8764

## Members contribute

Diana Birdsell and Carolyn Holloway created a "Wake up Sunshine" basket to be auctioned, including a one-year Northville Record subscription, a dozen Panera Bread bagels per month, a Starbucks gift certificate and more.

All club members were asked to create a theme basket, Wooderson said.

"A lot of local businesses donate, which we're grateful for," she said.

The theme baskets will be among 200 items available by silent auction. Starting from the



Photo by JOHN HEIDER/NORTHVILLE RECORD

Northville Mothers' Club members Libby Smith and Laurie Wooderson, right, review a "Wake Up Sunshine" gift basket, one of the many auction items available during a March 11 fund-raiser.

minimum bid listed, visitors can write the amount they are willing to pay for the item, vying for the top slot by the time clipboards are collected.

About 10 higher-ticket items, including event tickets and sports memorabilia, will be auctioned off live, Wooderson said.

## Students benefit

Last year, the Mothers' Club

donated more than \$51,000 to Northville schools. The money paid for a variety of items, including new video editing equipment for the broadcast classroom, computer-operated Leggo robotics and learning bins filled with puzzles, software and books.

Past projects paid for with fund-raising proceeds include: the pewabic tile mural outside the high school media center; a

natural habitat pond at Silver Springs Elementary School and supplies for a district-wide elementary art show.

Maureen Johnston can be reached at (248) 349-1700, ext. 103, or via e-mail at mjohnston@gannett.com.

Your Valentine Deserves the Best

Visions

SPA SALON

Voted  
Best in Michigan for Three Years



248-344-9944

The Experience is waiting

26800 Beck Rd. • Novi, MI 48374

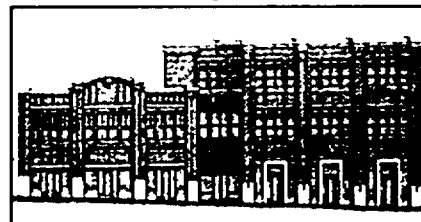
Thank you Northville for voting us  
Best Accountant!

RINGO  
& ASSOCIATES, P.C.

Certified Public Accountants

We've moved to the  
new Long Building

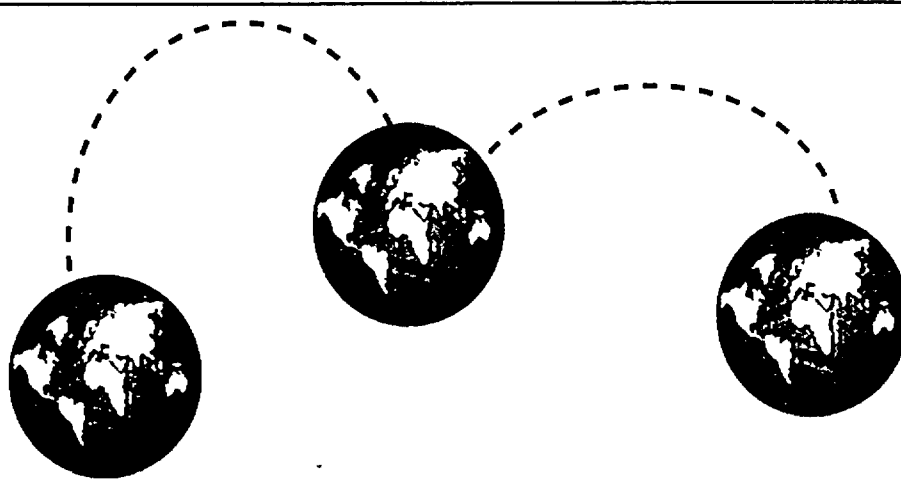
- Individual Tax Preparation
- Bookkeeping Services
- Audits of Financial Statements
- Business Valuations
- Corporate, Partnership, Estate Tax Preparation & Planning



ringocpa@msn.com

120 W. Main Street • Suite 207 • Northville, MI 48167

248-735-2407 • fax 248-735-2426



## The Basketball Planet Is Coming

A state-of-the-art basketball facility  
created by basketball people for basketball people  
in Northville.

For Pre-Opening Special Memberships or  
additional information, call

(734) 656-0091



## ENGAGEMENTS



Barent-Dennis

Bill and Pat Barent of Northville announce the engagement of their daughter, Heather Ashley Barent to Michael Raymond Dennis, son of Elaine and Ray Dennis of Trenton.

The bride-elect is a 2003 graduate of Northville High School. She is currently attending Schoolcraft College, graduating May 2006, with an associates degree in business. She is employed at CVS, Northville.

The groom-elect is a graduate of Trenton High School and is currently employed as a manager of CVS, Plymouth.

A June 2006 wedding is planned.



Kapusky-Knighton

John and Carol Kapusky of Northville announce the engagement of their son, Michael John Kapusky to Samantha Louise Knighton, daughter of Dave and MaryJane Knighton of Doylestown, Ohio.

The groom-elect is a 1994 graduate of Northville High School. He is a 1999 graduate of GMI (Kettering University) with a bachelor of science degree in mechanical engineering and a 2005 graduate of the University of Michigan with a master of business administration and MSE of industrial and systems engineering. He is currently employed by Johnson Controls of Plymouth as a Product Engineer.

The bride-elect is a 1998 graduate of Chippewa High School, Doylestown, Ohio. She is also a 2004 graduate of the University of Toledo with a bachelor of arts degree in management and organizational development with a minor in business law. She is currently employed as the Accounting and HR Manager at Business Technical Consulting, Toledo, Ohio. She is also a PADI Open Water Scuba Instructor.

A May 2006 wedding is planned.



Banks-Oliva

Angela Leigh Banks of Northville and Jonathan Oliva of Sterling Heights announce their engagement.

The bride-elect is a 2000 graduate of Northville High School and a 2005 graduate of Madonna University with a bachelor's degree in social work. She is currently a graduate student at Madonna University, with her studies focusing on a masters of science degree in hospice.

The groom-elect is a 2000 graduate of Sterling Heights Stevenson High School and a 2004 graduate of Kalamazoo College, with a bachelor's degree in biology. He is currently a PhD student at University of Michigan, with his studies focusing on microbiology and immunology.

A June 2006 wedding is planned.



Brugeman-Sathe

Prakash and Laura Sathe of Bloomfield Township announce the engagement of their daughter, Valerie Lynn Sathe to Joshua John Brugeman, son of John and Mary Jane Brugeman.

The bride-elect is a 1999 graduate of Cranbrook Kingswood and a 2003 graduate of the University of Michigan with bachelor of arts degrees in economics and spanish. She is currently pursuing a masters of public policy at the University of Michigan.

The groom-elect is a 1998 graduate of Northville High School and a 2002 graduate of the University of Michigan. He is currently employed at Perich Advertising and Design, Ann Arbor.

An August 2006 wedding is planned.



Oshanski-Hostetter

Jim and Karla Oshanski of Northville announce the engagement of their daughter, Nicole Marie Oshanski to Gregory Michael Hostetter, son of Mike and Vicki Hostetter of Holland, Ohio.

The bride-elect is a 2002 graduate of Northville High School. She is currently attending the University of Michigan pursuing a degree in sports management with graduation in April 2006.

The groom-elect is a 1995 graduate of Central Catholic High School, Toledo, Ohio. He graduated in 2000 from the University of Cincinnati with a bachelor of science degree in materials engineering. He graduated in 2002 from the University of Michigan with a master of science degree in engineering (materials science engineering.) He is currently employed at Advent Engineering Services, Ann Arbor.

A September 2006 wedding is planned.



Mittman-Check

Jerome and Teresa Mittman of Northville announce the engagement of their daughter, Kathryn Marie Mittman to David Drew Check, son of Dr. Richard and Nancy Check of Minnetonka Beach, Minn.

The bride-elect is a 1996 graduate of Northville High School and a 2000 graduate of Miami University with a bachelor of science degree in business.

The groom-elect is a 1996 graduate of Blake High School and a 2000 graduate of Colgate University with a bachelor of arts degree in economics.

A June 2006 wedding is planned.

THE NORTHVILLE RECORD  
Published Each Thursday  
By The Northville Record  
104 W. Main Street  
Northville, Michigan 48167  
Periodical  
At Northville, Michigan

Subscription Rates:  
Inside Counties \$26 one year home delivery. Outside Counties (in Michigan) are \$40 per year, prepaid. Out of state, \$50 per year.

The Northville Record is published by Federated Publications, Inc a wholly owned subsidiary of Gannett Co. Inc. Postmaster, send address changes to: The Northville Record, Post Office Box 470, Howell, MI 48844. POLICY STATEMENT: All advertising published in The Northville Record is subject to the conditions stated in the applicable rate card, copies of which are available from the advertising department, The Northville Record, 104 W. Main Street, Northville, Michigan 48167. (248-349-1700). The Northville Record reserves the right not to accept an advertiser's order. The Northville Record ad-takers have no authority to bind this newspaper and only publication of an advertisement shall constitute final acceptance of the advertiser's order.

Publication Number USPS 3989-20

## Is your child's school the perfect fit?

Ask ten parents and you'll get ten different answers.

**Why do NMS parents feel it is the perfect fit?**

- "Individualized education"
- "Small class size"
- "Parental involvement"

**New Morning School**  
14501 Haggerty • Plymouth, MI  
734.420.3331 • Pre K-8  
www.newmorningschool.com

PDF 060411141

**OPEN HOUSE Sunday, February 19, 2006 at 1:00 PM**

# THE PERFECT OPPORTUNITY

## \$0 down

'06 ES330  
**\$424\***

36 mos/12K miles per yr

**LEXUS OF ANN ARBOR**  
(734) 996-1662  
(866) 645-3987  
www.lexusofannarbor.com

**Log-on & Save**

**LEXUS OF LANSING**  
(517) 394-8000  
(800) 539-8747  
www.lexusoflansing.com

*Features:*

- 6 disc CD, Powermoon Roof,
- Heated Leather Seats,
- Front Wheel Drive,
- Premium Sound

\*35 month lease, 12,000 miles per year. Plus 1st payment, acquisition fee, taxes, title & plate due at signing. Offer expires 2/11/06.

# SPEED PAST YOUR PAYMENTS

**AND GET**

Bring us your auto loan from another financial institution, and we'll pay you \$50. Plus you could have no car payment for up to 60 days, and we may be able to lower your monthly payment.

**Act now. This offer ends February 28.**

Some restrictions. Call for details.

**Anyone Can Join!**

**Voted Novi's Best Financial Institution and Mortgage Provider.**

**TELCOM CREDIT UNION**

**Canton**  
44300 Warren Rd  
248.784.7502

**Novi**  
44575 West 12 Mile Rd  
248.735.9500

**Southfield**  
21100 Northwestern Hwy  
248.784.7351

800.356.7465 • telcomcu.com



# Lomske: 'Dancing is fun'

■ 12-year-old Northville resident refuses to be different

By Tracy Mishler  
RECORD STAFF WRITER

Natalie Lomske doesn't look at herself as being different and she wishes everyone else would do the same.

"(People) look at me like there is something wrong with my brain," said the seventh-grade Hillside Middle School student. "I have a disease that affects my muscles, not my brain."

Lomske, of Northville Township, was born with Merosin-deficient Congenital Muscular Dystrophy, and although a wheel chair is her trusty

means of travel, she won't let a moment of life pass her by.

There are nine types of Muscular Dystrophy, a group of genetic, degenerative diseases primarily affecting voluntary muscles.

According to the Muscular Dystrophy Association, people with a Merosin-deficiency have very little muscle protein.

The 12-year-old said dealing with the disease is difficult.

"I'm in a wheel chair all day and people have to lift me if I want to go on the floor or move," she said, "but there are a lot of things I can do by myself."

Lomske has taken part in several fund-raisers, including her own, to raise money in finding a cure for the disease.

"For the past two years, a group of friends and I started fund-raising for Muscular Dystrophy," she said. "Just this school year, we've raised \$250."

Lomske is currently working on plans to have a Super Bowl can drive and would like to host a fair and spaghetti dinner in the future.

## Red Hot Romantic Evening

Host: Northville Township Fire Department

When: 6 p.m.

Saturday, Feb. 11

Location: Italian American Hall, 39200 Five Mile Road, Livonia

Cost: \$100 per couple, \$60 single ticket, public is welcome

Proceeds: benefit the Muscular Dystrophy Association

What: dinner, dancing, raffle, live auction, open bar

## Raising awareness

Aside from working on her own fund-raisers, Lomske has taken part in the Red Hot Romantic Evening fund-raiser hosted by the Northville Township Fire Department for the past four years.

"(This event) is important because it helps raise money for a cure," she said, "and it helps to send kids (with Muscular Dystrophy) to camp."

Bradley Neuhart hopes to raise more than \$10,000 during Saturday's fourth annual event.

"This is just such a worthy cause," said the 26-year-old Northville Township fire fighter. "A lot of times when we meet with citizens, it's not in the best of terms. This is a good way to get out and help out in other ways."

Neuhart said 99.9 percent of the money raised goes toward research for the disease and sending kids to camp. The remaining balance goes back to the union to begin next year's party plans.

"It costs about \$600 per child to go to camp," he said. "It's also for their needs. Some may need wheel chairs and if the family can't afford it, this money will help."

## Party on

This year's fund-raiser will be slightly different, Neuhart said.

"This year we will be having a raffle instead of a silent auction," he said. "We're also going to have a live auction, along with plenty of food and dancing."

Neuhart said the fund-raiser is open to the public, but tickets are selling out fast.

"We're just past 250 tickets sold," he said. "Each year keeps getting bigger and better. We just keep having more and more people get involved."

"We would sincerely like to thank the businesses in Northville and surrounding communities who have donated. We couldn't have done it without them stepping it up each year."

Lomske said she can't wait for Saturday, to dance and help out at the putt-putt golf.

"Dancing is fun," Lomske said. "I play ... and just have a great time."

Lomske's mom, Cecile, said she's very proud of her daughter.

"Any parent could identify," she said. "It's always hard to watch your child struggle, but Natalie



Photo by JOHN HEIDER/NORTHVILLE RECORD

Natalie Lomske, 12, with friends and family, passes out filers in Northville urging residents to leave their empty beverage cans outside their homes to be picked up and returned to gather money for the Muscular Dystrophy Association.

does a lot on her own and I couldn't be more proud."

Tracy Mishler is a staff writer for the Northville Record. She can be reached at (248) 349-1700, ext. 107, or at tmishler@gannett.com

## COME MEET CHRIS CHELIOS OF THE DETROIT RED WINGS!

BRING YOUR FAVORITE RED WINGS ITEM TO HAVE AUTOGRAPHED.

One item per person please. No photos allowed.

Come Celebrate the Grand Opening of Our New Northville Location.

Saturday, February 11 from 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Verizon Wireless Communications Store  
Three Generations Plaza  
20580 Haggerty  
Northville, MI 48167  
(734) 779-0143

verizon wireless

Offer valid until 03/15/06 at the Northville location. With a new 2 year Agreement on Calling Plans \$39.99 or higher, or with a purchase of an individually packaged accessory \$30.00 or more. Motorola RAZR VIRE™ Bluetooth® Eyewear, accessory bundles, special offers and memory cards excluded. The amount of any available Mail-in Rebate may apply against and reduce the amount of the \$20 discount. Offer is while supplies last. Void if copied or transferred. Void where prohibited. Taxes and other restrictions apply. Cash redemption value: 1/100th of 1 cent. Any use of this coupon other than as provided constitutes fraud. Employees of Verizon Wireless and its authorized agents are not eligible. One coupon per wireless customer. Cannot be combined with other special offers.



CPN70325EN

Use the Above Discount Reason Code #34 to discount equipment.

verizon wireless

\$20 off equipment or accessory purchase

## VERIZON WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS STORES

ANN ARBOR  
2570 Jackson Ave.  
(next to Blockbuster)  
734-769-1722

BRIARWOOD MALL  
(In Sears Wing, near Center Ct.)  
248-253-1799

COURTLAND CENTER MALL  
(near JC Penney)  
810-225-4789

BRIGHTON  
8159 Chaffin, Suite C  
(off Grand River, in front of Target)  
810-225-4789

BRIGHTON  
1295 S. Center Rd.  
(at corner of Lapeer Rd.)  
810-743-4846

COURTLAND CENTER MALL  
42447 Ford Rd.  
(corner of Ford & Lapeer)  
734-779-0143

DEARBORN  
24417 Ford Rd.  
(just West of Telegraph)  
313-278-4491

DEARBORN  
43025 12 Mile Rd.  
(Twelve Oaks Service Dr., North of Sears)  
248-305-6600

DEARBORN  
1913 E. Big Beaver Rd.  
(Troy Sports Center)  
248-526-0040

OAKLAND MALL  
(inside Main Entrance, next to Food Court)  
248-335-9900

Fairlane Mall  
(3rd floor next to Sears)  
313-441-0168

DETROIT  
14126 Woodward  
(Model 1 Plaza)  
313-869-7392

FARMINGTON HILLS  
31011 Orchard Lake Rd.  
(S.W. Corner of Orchard Lake Rd. & 14 Mile Rd.)  
248-538-9900

FENTON  
17245 Silver Pkwy  
(in the Sears Plaza)  
810-629-2733

FT. GRATIOT  
4129 24th Ave.  
810-385-1231

LAKE ORION  
2531 S. Lapeer Rd.  
(Orion Mall 2 miles N. of the Palace)  
248-393-6800

NORTHVILLE  
Three Generations Plaza  
20580 Haggerty Rd.  
734-779-0143

NOVI  
43025 12 Mile Rd.  
(Twelve Oaks Service Dr., North of Sears)  
248-305-6600

NOVI  
1913 E. Big Beaver Rd.  
(Troy Sports Center)  
248-526-0040

OAKLAND MALL  
(inside Main Entrance, next to Food Court)  
248-335-9900

ROCHESTER HILLS  
3035 S. Rochester Rd.  
(at Auburn Rd.)  
248-853-0550

ROYAL OAK  
31921 Woodward Ave.  
(at Normandy)  
248-549-4177

ST. CLAIR SHORES  
26401 Harper Ave.  
(at 10 1/2 Mile)  
586-777-4010

SOUTHFIELD  
28117 Telegraph Rd.  
(South of 12 Mile Rd.)  
248-358-3700

STERLING HEIGHTS  
45111 Park Ave.  
(M-59 & M-53, Unga Park Plaza)  
586-997-6500

STERLING HEIGHTS  
Lakeside Mall  
(Lower Ct. play area)  
586-997-6500

TAYLOR  
23495 Eureka Rd.  
(across from Southland Mall)  
734-287-1770

Southland Center  
23000 Eureka Rd.  
(in the JC Penney wing)

TROY  
1913 E. Big Beaver Rd.  
(Troy Sports Center)  
248-526-0040

OAKLAND MALL  
(inside Main Entrance, next to Food Court)  
248-335-9900

WESTLAND  
35105 Warren Rd.  
(S.W. Corner of Warren & Wayne Rds.)  
734-722-7330

OR VISIT THE VERIZON WIRELESS STORE AT CIRCUIT CITY

ANN ARBOR  
AUBURN HILLS  
BRIGHTON  
DEARBORN  
HARPER WOODS  
LAKESIDE  
NOVI  
ROSELAND  
TROY  
WESTLAND

See store for Return/Exchange Policy.

Proud sponsor of the Detroit Pistons

Free Boost Software Upgrade!

BUSINESS CUSTOMERS

PLEASE CALL 1.800.888.2862

## AUTHORIZED RETAILERS

Equipment prices & return policy vary by location. Authorized Retailers may impose additional equipment related charges, including cancellation fees.

ANN ARBOR  
Ann Arbor Wireless  
734-327-5500

CUSTOM COMMUNICATIONS  
734-677-6600

BLOOMFIELD HILLS  
Global Wireless  
1-888-607-1800

BRIGHTON  
Auto One Brighton  
810-227-2808

CANTON  
Cellular and More  
734-981-7440

CLARKSTON  
Cellular Technologies  
248-625-1201

CLARKSTON  
Communications USA  
248-290-6390

COMMERCIAL  
Cellular Source  
248-360-9400

DEARBORN  
Wireless Tomorrow  
248-669-1200

DEARBORN  
Wireless Tomorrow  
248-669-7800

DEARBORN  
Kali Cellular  
313-582-1130

FARMINGTON HILLS  
Dianer Tech  
248-615-1177

FARMINGTON HILLS  
Cellular City  
248-848-8800

FENTON  
Cellular and More  
810-629-7440

FENTON  
Communications USA  
248-542-5200

FT. GRATIOT  
Wireless Solutions  
810-385-3400

GRAND BLANC  
Communications USA  
810-694-0500

GRAND BLANC  
GOSPEL POINT  
Authorized Cellular  
1-800-VIP-PLUS

HOWELL  
Cellular  
517-548-7705

HOWELL  
Authorized Cellular  
1-800-VIP-PLUS

HOWELL  
Cellular  
517-548-7705

HOWELL  
Authorized Cellular  
1-800-VIP-PLUS

HOWELL  
Cellular  
517-548-7705

HOWELL  
Authorized Cellular  
1-800-VIP-PLUS

HOWELL  
Cellular  
517-548-7705

HOWELL  
Authorized Cellular  
1-800-VIP-PLUS

HOWELL  
Cellular  
517-548-7705

HOWELL  
Authorized Cellular  
1-800-VIP-PLUS

SOUTHFIELD  
Wireless USA  
248-395-2222

STERLING HEIGHTS  
Authorized Cellular  
1-800-VIP-PLUS

STERLING HEIGHTS  
Authorized Cellular  
1-800-VIP-PLUS

STERLING HEIGHTS  
Authorized Cellular  
1-800-VIP-PLUS

STERLING HEIGHTS  
Authorized Cellular  
1-800-VIP-PLUS

STERLING HEIGHTS  
Authorized Cellular  
1-800-VIP-PLUS

STERLING HEIGHTS  
Authorized Cellular  
1-800-VIP-PLUS

STERLING HEIGHTS  
Authorized Cellular  
1-800-VIP-PLUS

STERLING HEIGHTS  
Authorized Cellular  
1-800-VIP-PLUS

STERLING HEIGHTS  
Authorized Cellular  
1-800-VIP-PLUS

STERLING HEIGHTS  
Authorized Cellular  
1-800-VIP-PLUS

STERLING HEIGHTS  
Authorized Cellular  
1-800-VIP-PLUS

STERLING HEIGHTS  
Authorized Cellular  
1-800-VIP-PLUS

Proud to be a part of this great community

O'BRIEN SULLIVAN

FUNERALS, CREMATIONS, PREARRANGEMENTS

41555 Grand River Avenue

Novi, Michigan 48375-1822

(248)348-1800

John J. O'Brien John P. O'Brien  
Michael D. Watt

State Licensed-Board Certified Funeral Directors

Family owned

www.obriensullivanfuneralhome.com

Offering Prearrangements & Prefinancing



SPOTLIGHT ON:

## ALLERGY & ASTHMA

Presented by  
Michael S. Rowe, M.D., F.A.C.P., C.C.R.I.  
IMMUNOTHERAPY

Immunotherapy is an effective allergy treatment, unique in that it potentially changes the course of an allergic disease in patients. Unlike medications, which cease working immediately after a person stops taking them, immunotherapy has been shown to have long-term positive effects in reducing symptoms. The treatment involves regular appointments during which a patient is injected with a tiny amount of the allergen to which he or she is allergic. The treatment works by gradually changing the way the patient's immune system responds to the allergen so that symptoms lessen over time. The best time of year to start immunotherapy is when symptoms are minimal. For instance, if spring allergies are a problem, immunotherapy would be advised in the winter months.

If you have questions about allergy testing, allergy shots, or would like advice on how to avoid the things that trigger your allergies,

call the ALLERGY AND ASTHMA CENTER OF MICHIGAN. We are dedicated to old-fashioned patient centered care using cutting edge allergy and asthma technology and treatment methods. For an appointment, call (248) 473-6400. Our office is located at 24120 Meadowbrook Road, STE 201, Novi. New patients are welcome. "The Caring Allergist Who Gets Results."

P.S. Asthma patients have been found to enjoy greater lung function after undergoing immunotherapy.



www.allergyinfo.org

OUR STAND

NOW YOU CAN PUT THE SPARK BACK IN YOUR INSURANCE.



Call me today to hear about these new optional features: New Car Replacement, Accident Forgiveness and Deductible Rewards.

(248) 344-8280



Paul Rogacki  
420 N. Center  
Northville



Allstate  
You're in good hands.

Features are optional and subject to terms, conditions and availability. Deductible amounts apply to collision coverage. Policy Pending. Allstate Property and Casualty Insurance Company, Northbrook, IL 60062. Allstate Insurance Company.

\*Our Surcharge (incl. 2.25% Federal Universal Service Charge) varies quarterly. \*\*Regulatory & 40% Administrative Fee. \*\*\*Other charges and surcharges are added to your bill. Activation fee: \$35. IMPORTANT CONSUMER INFORMATION: Subject to Customer Agreement, Calling Plan & credit approval. \$175 termination fee, up to 45¢/min after allowance, other charges & restrictions. Usage rounded to next full minute. Shipping charges may apply. Offers and coverage not available everywhere. Network details, coverage limitations & maps at verizonwireless.com. Nights 9pm - 5:59 am M-F. Limited time offer. © 2006 Verizon Wireless



## POLICE BRIEFS

### Northville Township

#### Caught red handed

Police were called to Wendy's on Haggerty Road after a 24-year-old male employee allegedly stole money from the cash register. According to reports, the suspect took a customer order and voided the transaction when complete. The customer later called the restaurant reporting missing food, but the transaction was not in the store's records. Wendy's officials watched a surveillance video of the sale and witnessed the employee putting money in his pocket. The man was arrested for embezzlement. Police searched the suspect and also found a bag of marijuana in his pocket. He was given a Feb. 16 court date at the 35th District Court in Plymouth. The case remains open.

#### Threats made

A 58-year-old Northville Township man called police after finding a threatening message taped to his garage door. According to reports, the threats referred to the victim's Indian descent. The man said he had a good relationship with all of his neighbors. Police dusted the piece of paper for fingerprints but found nothing. The case is closed.

#### Busted, again

A 42-year-old Detroit man was arrested at the Meijer store on Haggerty Road after he allegedly tried to steal more than \$712 in sale items. Loss prevention officials said they recognized the man from previous thefts. He was arrested for larceny and given a Feb. 16 court date at the 35th District Court in Plymouth. The case is closed.

#### Child neglect

Police were called to the Innsbrook Apartments off of Seven Mile Road after a maintenance worker found a four-year-old boy walking around the complex in his underwear. According to reports, the mother was washing laundry and checking her mail while the child was sleeping and called police when she returned and her child was missing. The Wayne County Department of Human Services was contacted. The case remains open.

#### Leaking air

Police were called to the Oasis Golf Dome on Five Mile Road after an alarm was reported by Guardian Alarm Services. According to reports, a five-foot hole was made in the dome and air was leaking out. Police notified the owners. The case is closed.

#### Fraudulent accounts

A 25-year-old Northville Township woman called police after receiving a letter from a collection agent requesting payment of \$1,119 for a Cingular Wireless account. According to reports, the woman said her identity had been stolen a few years ago and was used to open fraudulent accounts. Police advised the woman to contact a credit bureau and advise them of the letter. She was also told to have a fraud alert put on all of her accounts. The case is closed.

#### Latte bad luck

Police were called to Starbucks on Haggerty Road after a 51-year-old Southfield woman became upset with store officials for not allowing her to return her coffee. According to reports, the woman left Starbucks and went to Trader Joe's where she was later arrested. Police discovered a warrant for her arrest for failure to complete misdemeanor probation with a \$1,500 bond. The woman was also advised she was driving on a suspended license. The woman was arrested and given a court date for today at the 46th District Court in Southfield. The case is closed.

continued on 7A

## OBITUARIES

### MICHAEL D. BENNETT

Hamburg, MI. Died January 30, 2006 in Boynton Beach, Florida at age 63. Michael was born October 11, 1942 the son of the late Harry and Margaret Bennett. Beloved husband of Eileen (Douglas). Children, Nancy (Jerry) Tasselmyer, Mark (Peggy) Antonik, and grandchildren, Brandon, Megan, Everett, Avery and Chloe. Brother of Gary Bennett. Uncle of Tim Bennett, Kevin (Debbie) Bennett, Leslie (Mike) Moore and Zachary Bennett. A Memorial Mass for Michael will be held Saturday, February 11, 2006 at 11:00 a.m. at St. Joseph Roman Catholic Church in South Lyon. Memorial contributions are suggested to a charity of one's choice.

### KATHERINE E. KRAUTER

Age 87 of South Lyon passed away February 4, 2006 in Ann Arbor. She was born on March 11, 1918 in Dearborn, MI to Claude and Lulu (Holser) Green. She married Herman Krauter in 1940. Mrs. Krauter moved to South Lyon in 1986, after spending 42 years in the same house on Rayson Street in Northville. Mrs. Krauter was a life member of Northville Women's Club. She was active in Lutheran Child and Family Services and served on the After Society at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, where she was a member. Katherine was an excellent seamstress; she made the vestments for the Pastors at St. Paul's Lutheran Church and also made clothing for her children. Her heritage was very important to her; the Green side of her family fought in the Revolutionary War. She was a relative of Nathaniel Green, who served under Washington as the Quarter Master General, whose duty it was to supply the troops their needs. The Holser side of her family owned many farms in the Pontiac area and her relative Louis Holser owned a plumbing company in Pontiac. Survivors include her sons, Ronald (Barbara) Birtles and Christian Krauter; her siblings Clarice Nesbitt, James Green and Daniel (Doris) Green; her grandchildren John Birtles, Mary Eicher, Bob Birtles and David Birtles; and 8 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband; son Thomas Claude Krauter in 1970; parents; brothers Wilfred Green, Glenford Green, Marvin Green and sister Janice Green. A Funeral Service was held Tuesday at St. Paul's Lutheran Church of Northville. Pastor Christopher Fairbairn officiated the service. Mrs. Krauter was laid to rest at Oakland Hills Memorial Gardens in Novi. Memorial Contributions to St. Paul's Lutheran Church Missionary Fund, 201 Elm St., Northville, MI 48167 would be appreciated. Arrangements entrusted to Casterline Funeral Home, Inc.

### JOHN K. COOPER

John Kenneth Cooper, age 74, of South Lyon, previously of Northville, passed away February 2, 2006. He was born May 3, 1931 to John Stanley and Dorothy Maude (Bacon) Cooper. John had a long career as an auto engineer who loved creating designs by hand. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge. John liked history, especially the civil war era. He loved old movie classics and also enjoyed reading, going to museums and presidential libraries, and traveling. He is survived by his wife, Marian K. (Redfern), whom he married on June 6, 1953; his children, Lesley (John) Ripper of Northville and Paul (Sandra) Cooper of Arkansas; his grandchildren, Lauren and Eric Ripper; and his brother Stanley Cooper. A graveside service was held Monday at Rural Hill Cemetery. Pastor James McGuire from Ward Presbyterian Church officiated the service. Arrangements entrusted to Casterline Funeral Home, Inc. of Northville.



### WILLIAM "BILL" MCDEVITT

William "Bill" McDevitt, age 74, of Northville passed away January 27, 2006 after a short illness. He was born January 1, 1932 to Robert B. and Katherine (Maher) McDevitt. Bill was a graduate of Xavier University; and had a long career in the pharmaceutical sales field. He was a member of the Northville FOE and American Legion. Bill was an avid sports fan; he served many years as a coach at St. Hillary and Epiphany schools. He recently worked as a gatekeeper at the Enclave in Novi. Per his wishes, Bill's body has been donated to science. He was loved by his wife, Jo (Hildebrandt), whom he married in 1952; and his five daughters Connie (Dave) Jaskot, Pat (Larry) Watson, Peggy (John) Wright, Marybeth Atzinger, and Karen (John) Evans. He was Papa or "Pops" to his eight loving grandchildren: Danielle, Cymbre, and Rebecca Jaskot; Pete Watson; JJ and Matthew Wright; Chelsea Atzinger; and Michaelene Zawacki; and his brother Robert and his wife Ruth. A celebration of Bill's life, allowing friends to visit with the family, will be held in his honor at the Northville Senior Center, 303 W. Main Street, on Saturday, February 11, 2006 from 11-3pm. In lieu of flowers, the family request donations be made to the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, c/o Casterline Funeral Home, 122 W. Dunlap, Northville, MI 48167.



### JAMES MILLER MCCURDY

died at his home on January 31. He was 82. James was born on March 9, 1923 to George Smith McCurdy and Anna Miller McCurdy in Scottsdale, Pennsylvania. He attended Carnegie Tech (now known as Carnegie Mellon) in Pittsburgh where he joined the ROTC and received a degree in Chemical Engineering. As a member of The Core of Engineers, James served in Okinawa during WWII as a First Lieutenant and was stationed in Germany during the Korean War. Mr. McCurdy was a loving husband to Luanne for 53 years. Dearest father to Cindy (Jim), Candy and Suzy. Grandfather to Keri (Brian), Ryan (Lindsay), Kate, Alex, Glen, Grant, Luke and Jack. He was looking forward to becoming a great-grandfather in May. James worked as a Sales Representative for DuPont from 1952-1985. He married his bride on July 27, 1952 and they moved to Northville in 1964 and became members of the Northville Presbyterian Church soon after. A memorial was held at The Northville Presbyterian Church on February 4. Memorials would be appreciated to the Michigan Humane Society or Feed the Children.

### OBITUARY POLICY

The first seven lines of an obituary are published free of charge. After that, there is a fee of \$3 a line. Pictures may be published for \$25.

\*Deadline for obituaries is Tuesday at 10:00 a.m. for publication in Thursday's newspaper.

For more information, call 888-999-1288, or contact your funeral home.

\*Holiday deadlines are subject to change

ONE DAY A YEAR...  
DEDICATED  
TO THE ONE YOU LOVE.  
TURN OFF THE NOISE.  
OPEN YOUR HEART.

*The Inn at St. John's*  
VALENTINE PACKAGE  
VALID FEBRUARY 11-14



METRO DETROIT'S NEW UPSCALE BOUTIQUE HOTEL, THE INN AT ST. JOHN'S  
PROVIDES A PERFECT BLEND OF COMFORT AND LUXURY.  
CONVENIENTLY LOCATED AT SHELTON AND FIVE MILE ROADS  
IN PLYMOUTH, THE INN IS JUST AROUND THE CORNER BUT WORLDS APART.

TO RESERVE YOUR ESCAPE, PHONE (734) 414-0600  
OR VISIT US AT WWW.THEINNATSTJOHNS.COM.

### PACKAGE INCLUDES:

- LUXURY KING ACCOMMODATIONS
- BREAKFAST FOR TWO AT FIVE RESTAURANTS
- IN-ROOM GROOMING AND THERAPIES
- ST. JOHN'S SIGNATURE ROSE PETAL THERAPY DOWN SERVICE
- SPECIAL SIGNATURE PACKAGE

A LIST OF CONTEMPORARY BREAKFAST SUGGESTIONS WILL BE AVAILABLE AT CHECK-IN

*The Inn at St. John's*  
GOLF RESORTS & CONFERENCE

44045 FIVE MILE ROAD  
PLYMOUTH, MI 48170  
(734) 414-0600







# \$750,000 MAKEOVER

## The Elegant *New* Sports Club of Novi

From the stunning new lobby, to the state of the art all-new equipment, to the safe and secured locker rooms with their gorgeous marble showers and full size custom wood lockers and finally to that short walk to the nearby parking lot, you feel good about your choice for having joined a truly elite fitness center.

Big enough to offer all the upscale amenities such as separate men's and women's steam, sauna and whirlpools, yet small enough so that each member matters. The Sports Club of Novi is Just Right. Receive a **"Free Week"** to try us out and decide for yourself. The price is just \$55 per month. No up front fee\*.

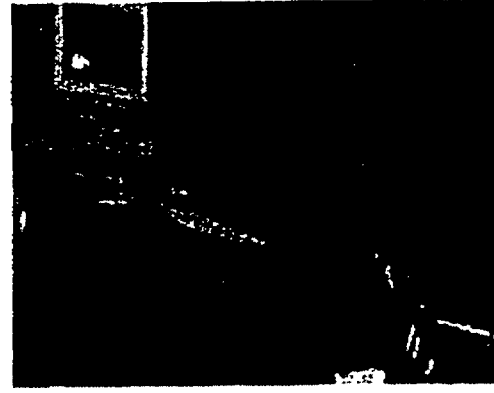
**The  
Sports  
Club**  
of Novi

*Just Right*

42500 Arena Drive • Novi, MI 48375 (Just South of 10 Mile Road)  
**248.735.8850** • [www.thesportsclubs.com](http://www.thesportsclubs.com)

\*Offer ends February 28, 2006. Must be 19 years of age. Nonmembers only.





## Vote YES! For Northville Schools February 28

Manage the Growth, Maintain the Excellence, Protect Your Investment

The Bond proposals encompass critical school funding issues including:

- ☒ Construction of a seventh elementary school to alleviate severe overcrowding at all elementary schools.
- ☒ High School Gymnasium addition
  - The "field house" is a physical education (gym) addition needed to accommodate explosive student population growth
  - Will meet the requirements of the proposed state-mandated physical education curriculum
  - The school has completely outgrown its physical education and athletic facilities
  - Current gym space is so limited, that on a typical day, kids are practicing in corridors and the cafeteria
- ☒ Desperately needed improvements to Main Street School, transportation facility, Eight Mile Stadium field and facilities, technology upgrades, and musical program improvements.

Don't have kids in Northville schools? You still benefit. Quality schools increase your real estate values: National Realtors Survey reports that for two-thirds of prospective home buyers, the quality of community schools and proximity to those schools as the **primary factors** for influencing their choice of where to buy.

If you have questions, please visit [www.cenc.org](http://www.cenc.org) or [www.northvilleschools.org](http://www.northvilleschools.org) for a complete list of bond proposal and voting information.

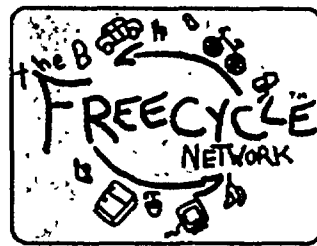
**Your vote counts! Please vote YES! On February 28.**



**Vote YES! On February 28th for ✓Proposal 1 and ✓Proposal 2**



# Got stuff? Don't throw it out, give it away



## How does it work?

When you want to find a new home for something, you simply send an e-mail offering it to members of your Freecycle group.

Or, maybe you're looking to acquire something yourself. Simply respond to a member's offer, and you just might get it.

Our main rule: Everything posted must be free, legal, and appropriate for all ages.

Source: Freecycle.org

## Web site offers plenty of free stuff

By Maureen Johnston  
RECORD STAFF WRITER

When Jerry Mittman replaced his printer, he faced the dilemma. Children? No. Garage sale? No thanks. Basement? Not this time.

Mittman considered depositing the operable unit at the curb, but he knew the garbage truck destination was the landfill. So instead he visited a Web site he'd heard about called, "Freecycle.org."

Bing! Minutes after his Internet posting appeared, he had a taker. It was the same story with shelf boards he removed while updating the family room.

"Immediately, I got four responses," Mittman said. "They were coming in faster than I could handle them almost."

Bing! Gone.

### Environmentally friendly

The Web site is an option for people wanting to give away items they no longer want and

"You think, 'I'm going to use it again.' Well, guess what, you're not going to."

Jerry Mittman  
Resident, City of Northville

people looking for goods costing no more than the gas and effort it takes to pick them up.

Freecycle's main rule: Everything posted must be free, legal and appropriate for all ages.

"It's a win-win situation for both sides," Mittman said. "We're at a point, 'What are we saving it for?'"

"You think, 'I'm going to use it again.' Well, guess what, you're not going to."

The environmental benefit doesn't hurt either, Mittman said. "What it's doing is minimizing what goes into the landfill."

Internet posters rid themselves of unwanted items. The recipient gets whatever it is that he gets, for free.

The big decision: Is it what I

really want, and how far is free worth driving?

Like Mittman, Northville resident Sue Petres passed along items through the Novi-based group. Although, she said she has found western Wayne County and Ann Arbor Freecycle sites more active.

### Specifically needed

When Petres was looking for a one-person kayak for her daughter, she connected online with the owner of a 15-foot boat.

"He was willing to give us this huge kayak," she said. She declined the offer because of the size.

Mittman warned items aren't gone until they are in the recipi-

ent's hands. In the "free" world, commitments aren't always kept. So, a poster can assign a "pending" status to an item.

"When someone actually picked it up, you put 'taken,'" Mittman said.

Freecycle.org allows finders to limit their search by a specific item of interest and location.

To me, that's an important part," Mittman said. "You're not going to go a far distance for something nominal. To me, (including the location in a posting) is extremely helpful."

### All in the timing

Local volunteer moderators screen new postings before they hit the Internet. Seekers can opt for new-item bulletins and day-end reports.

If a newly posted item is a hot commodity, it will be gone by the day's end, Mittman said.

Petres said she has sought items a couple of times. She was too slow on the draw for a compact printer and case for her new laptop.

"If you don't jump on things

right away, you don't even have a prayer," she said. "It sounds like just get bombarded. They say, 'Don't bother responding if you're not going to pick it up.'"

It was a simple transaction when Petres posted her microwave. Bing! Gone.

"Within a minute it was snatched up," she said. "And she had picked it up within 24 hours."

Part of it is timing, Petres said, citing a week without hits when she announced she had office partitions available.

"Then a week later someone was looking for partitions," she said. "I still had them in the garage and wanted to get rid of them." So, she answered the "wanted" post.

All initial contact is via e-mail, Mittman said. But you connect a face at the time goods change hands.

"They're extremely thankful," he said. "They've sent me thank-you notes after the fact."

Maureen Johnston can be reached at (248) 349-1700, ext. 103, or via e-mail at mjohnston@gannett.com.

Steer clear from harm, install smoke alarms!

A working smoke alarm may reduce risk of dying in a fire by as much as 60 percent.

Place alarms in each sleeping area and on every floor in your home.

**PREVENT FIRE. SAVE LIVES.**  
http://www.usfa.fema.gov

United States Fire Administration  
Federal Emergency Management Agency

Good Neighbor.  
**GREAT RATES.**

Looking for great rates and a secure place to grow your money? Call your local State Farm agent today for more information about a CD from State Farm Bank.

**CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT**

90 days	4.00%APY*
180 days	4.25%APY*
1 year	4.25%APY*
2 years	4.35%APY*
3 years	4.35%APY*
4 years	4.35%APY*
5 years	4.35%APY*

**State Farm Bank.**

LIKE A GOOD NEIGHBOR, STATE FARM IS THERE.

\*Annual Percentage Yield as of 2/1/06. Rates subject to change without notice. Minimum balance to open an account and to earn the stated APY is \$500. Rates apply to deposits of less than \$100,000. A penalty may be imposed for a withdrawal of funds from a certificate of deposit prior to its maturity date. See your agent for more information.

**VARSITY LINCOLN MERCURY COLLISION CENTER**  
2 exits west of 12 Oaks Mall at Grand River and Wixom Road  
**1-248-449-6901**

**PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARD WINNER**  
"BEST COLLISION SHOP" 2005

*It's your choice so choose the best!*  
Tell your insurance company  
*"I'm going to Varsity Lincoln Mercury's Collision Center"*

- We Repair All Makes & Models
- Direct Repair For All Major Insurance Companies
- Guaranteed On Time Repairs
- 90 Days Same As Cash On Your Collision Deductible\*

**Varsity Collision Center Special\***  
Save this in case of an accident for  
**FREE TOWING**  
Courtesy of Varsity Lincoln Mercury Collision Center  
**248-896-8888**

**Varsity Collision Center Special\***  
**IN CASE OF ACCIDENT - CLIP THIS COUPON & SAVE**  
**FREE Collision Loaner**  
Courtesy of Varsity Lincoln Mercury Collision Center  
**248-449-6901**

Please join Walsh College for the

# Walsh Gala

A Unique Evening for the Arts

**Friday, March 10, 2006**

**Hotel Baronette**  
27790 Novi Road, Novi, MI 48377  
(At the intersection of Twelve Mile & Novi Roads)

The evening will include art by local artists  
Kegham Tazian and Carol Hennessey.

A strolling dinner will be catered by Matt Prentice Restaurant Group. The highlight of the evening will be a VIP Reception where master sommelier Madeline Triffon will lead a presentation and tasting on rare wines donated by private collectors.

There will also be a silent auction and music by the Acoustic Jazz Network.

Tickets  
**VIP \$150**  
**General Admission \$75**

For more information please call 248-823-1204

Sponsored by

- \* Emagine Theatre
- \* Hennessey Capital
- \* Plastipak Packaging
- \* Walsh College Alumni Association

**ENERGY answers**

## Can't pay your heating bill?

► **CALL 800-477-5050 NOW**

The cost of natural gas to heat your home will be higher this year. If you're worried about how you're going to pay your heating bills and keep your family warm this winter, you should know that help is available from the state of Michigan.

The Michigan Home Heating Credit helps low-income families pay their winter heating bills. You may be eligible for assistance. But don't wait. The time to apply is now. For more information, visit [consumersenergy.com/energyanswers](http://consumersenergy.com/energyanswers), or call 800-477-5050. A customer service representative is ready to help.

Call to request our free brochure on assistance programs. Or view it online.

[consumersenergy.com/energyanswers](http://consumersenergy.com/energyanswers)

**Consumers Energy**  
Count on Us

# Main Street takes another turn

■ Latest store vacancy leaves yet another hole in downtown fabric

By Maureen Johnston  
RECORD STAFF WRITER

Theresa Schierloh felt like she was divided in thirds.

The owner of Dancing Eye Gallery on the northwest corner of Main and Center streets fielded countless inquiries last week about what happened on the southeast corner at Across the Street.

"You couldn't make it?" "Are you closing this store, too?" "What about your mom?"

After a five-year run, Schierloh closed her eclectic boutique at the end of January. Her decision followed her opening three months earlier of a second Dancing Eye Gallery in Walled Lake.

"I couldn't be in three places at one time," she said. "I want to give more personal attention to my customers — let alone the extra time going back and forth Across the Street."

## Dance continues

Schierloh's shift of purses, jewelry, scarves, cards and clothing to her Dancing Eye showroom is the latest step in downtown

Northville's continuous retail shuffle.

Down the street, Northville shoppers recently saw a similar consolidation of stores at 145 N. Center, when retailer Margene Buckhave moved her scrapbooking supplies into her stamp store, Stampodder Plus.

Home décor store, Traditions, snatched the Old Church Square front-and-center space. Their move from 120 N. Center opened the door for Heritage Building and Remodeling, which took over their space.

Next month, Pear-aphernalia will move from 107 N. Center to 184 E. Main, the Long building location emptied last summer by The Moss Rose's move up the street to 124 E. Main.

The 110 N. Center St. site, occupied by Yard Art for the holiday months, and Across the Street and Pear-aphernalia storefronts mean vacancies at the core of Northville's commercial district.

Schierloh said her decision to consolidate doesn't mean business is bad in Northville.

"It is a great town to do business in," she said. "I've been here 10 years and I don't plan on leaving Northville."

"I have really carved a niche for myself in Northville. I do well here."

**"It is a great town to do business in. I've been here 10 years and I don't plan on leaving Northville."**

Theresa Schierloh  
Owner, Dancing Eye Gallery

## Transition complete

Schierloh sold some of Across the Street's display fixtures to fellow retailers and donated racks to others.

Downtown Northville's void in clothing offerings five years ago helped her decision to open Across the Street, she said. She wanted to cash in on her gallery customers' frequent comments about her own trendy, artsy style of dress.

"I wanted to hone in on the concept of the store and perfect it," Schierloh said. "Instead of being too fragmented in one town, I realized that all the products worked well in one location."

"I still want to carry the stuff I love. I want to be here to sell that stuff."

So, Schierloh's overhead of rent, utilities, staff, inventory and insurance expenses went from two stores to three, back to two

again.

The arrival of several clothiers coincided with the opening of her second gallery in Walled Lake. Schierloh said it's time for new retailers to pick up the ball in Northville.

"I want to see new things move in."

The retailer said her mom, Connie Schierloh, a familiar face at Across the Street, retired.

"I am one woman," Schierloh said. "It just made sense for me. I'm happy with the business. I wanted to simplify things for myself."

Maureen Johnston can be reached at (248) 349-1700, ext. 103, or via e-mail at mjohnston@gannett.com.



Photo by JOHN HEIDER/NORTHVILLE RECORD

Dancing Eye Gallery owner Theresa Schierloh added a changing room prior to closing her "Across the Street" store last week.

## BIRTHS

### Jacob Dean Spinazze

Marisa and Jordan Main of South Lyon are proud to announce the birth of their son, Jacob Dean, on Aug. 30, 2005 at Providence Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds, 14 ounces and was 20 and one half inches long.

Proud grandparents are Greg and Cheryl Spinazze of Northville and Ron and Judy Main of Midland.



THINKING ABOUT  
A NEW  
FURNACE  
**LENNOX**  
FREE ESTIMATES  
(734) 525-1930  
Our 31st Year!  
UNITED TEMPERATURE  
8919 MIDDLEBELT • LIVONIA  
OF 0840084

free gift  
Choose your shades!  
You'll receive convenient travel-sizes  
FREE with the purchase of two or more Merle Norman cosmetic products. Cosmetic accessories not included. Offer valid while supplies last at participating Merle Norman Cosmetic Studios beginning February 15, 2006. Limit one per customer.  
43428 West Oaks Dr. • Novi  
248.348.4020  
MERLE NORMAN

## NOVI INTERNAL MEDICINE and PEDIATRICS

Specializing in the Care of Adults and Children



Daniel M. Rosenberg, M.D.



Derek A. Einhorn, MD

### KEEP YOUR NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTION - SEE A DOCTOR!!!

The beginning of the New Year is the perfect time to schedule an appointment and come in and see us. Whether your goal is weight loss, being fit, or just getting established with a new primary care doctor; we can help you achieve your healthy resolutions.

Our physicians are board certified in both Internal Medicine and Pediatrics and are on staff at Beaumont Hospital.

We are conveniently located at 42450 W. 12 Mile Rd. Ste. 105 (between Meadowbrook and Novi Rd.) in Novi

### MEDICAL SERVICES OFFERED

- Routine and specialized care for adults
- Newborn care
- Check-ups and Immunizations
- Annual physical examinations
- School, sports and camp physicals
- Education and preventive care
- In-office medical testing
- Same day appointments

For an appointment or for any questions, call us at:  
Phone: (248) 374-0502 • Fax: (248) 374-0567

We Accept Most Major Insurances

ENTRY BLANK

Fill Out This Award Ballot  
And You'll Be Registering To Win A  
GIFT CERTIFICATE To One Of The  
Award-Winning Restaurants

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Day Time Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Date Sent \_\_\_\_\_

Drop Off Or Mail In Ballot To:  
People's Choice Awards - Northville Record  
104 W. Main St.  
Northville, MI 48167

Only one entry per person per week. 18 years or older. Only original newspaper ballots, no copies.  
Ballot box stuffing will not be allowed. Partial ballots may be disqualified.

## Hey...Northville

It's Time to Pick Your  
**PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARDS**

We Need Your Input On The Best Places To Shop...  
Best Places To Eat...Best Place For Great Service.  
This is NOT scientific! It's a fun, readers poll.  
Join in on the Balloting!

### FOOD OUTLETS

- Best specialty coffee house \_\_\_\_\_
- Best place for breakfast \_\_\_\_\_
- Best Sunday brunch \_\_\_\_\_
- Best fast food restaurant \_\_\_\_\_
- Best family restaurant \_\_\_\_\_
- Best place for soup \_\_\_\_\_
- Best salad bar \_\_\_\_\_
- Best place for burgers \_\_\_\_\_
- Best place for hot dogs/coneys \_\_\_\_\_
- Best place for subs \_\_\_\_\_
- Best place for ice cream \_\_\_\_\_
- Best place for chicken \_\_\_\_\_
- Best quality dining restaurant \_\_\_\_\_
- Best place for desserts \_\_\_\_\_
- Best Italian restaurant \_\_\_\_\_
- Best place for seafood \_\_\_\_\_
- Best oriental restaurant \_\_\_\_\_
- Best Tex-Mex restaurant \_\_\_\_\_
- Best place for pizza \_\_\_\_\_
- Best place for steak \_\_\_\_\_
- Best place for barbeque ribs \_\_\_\_\_
- Best wine selection (restaurant) \_\_\_\_\_
- Best beer selection (restaurant) \_\_\_\_\_
- Best place for romantic dinner \_\_\_\_\_
- Best after work meeting place \_\_\_\_\_
- Best sports bar \_\_\_\_\_
- Best place for dancing \_\_\_\_\_

### BEST SERVICE PROVIDERS

- Best hair salon \_\_\_\_\_
- Best place to bank \_\_\_\_\_
- Best place to get nails done \_\_\_\_\_
- Best real estate company \_\_\_\_\_
- Best real estate agent \_\_\_\_\_
- Best auto service \_\_\_\_\_
- Best oil change shop \_\_\_\_\_
- Best collision shop \_\_\_\_\_
- Best insurance agent (agency) \_\_\_\_\_
- Best veterinary service \_\_\_\_\_
- Best travel agency \_\_\_\_\_
- Best childcare service \_\_\_\_\_
- Best house painter \_\_\_\_\_
- Best landscaping company \_\_\_\_\_
- Best health/fitness company \_\_\_\_\_
- Best waitress/waiter (include restaurant) \_\_\_\_\_
- Best tanning salon \_\_\_\_\_
- Best accountant \_\_\_\_\_
- Best chiropractor \_\_\_\_\_

### BEST RETAIL STORES

- Best appliance store \_\_\_\_\_
- Best pharmacy \_\_\_\_\_
- Best eyecare store \_\_\_\_\_
- Best bakery/baked goods \_\_\_\_\_
- Best floral shop \_\_\_\_\_
- Best grocery store \_\_\_\_\_
- Best party store \_\_\_\_\_
- Best jewelry store \_\_\_\_\_
- Best lumber yard \_\_\_\_\_
- Best children's wear \_\_\_\_\_
- Best wine selection (store) \_\_\_\_\_
- Best beer selection (store) \_\_\_\_\_
- Best men's wear \_\_\_\_\_
- Best women's wear \_\_\_\_\_
- Best resale shop \_\_\_\_\_
- Best sporting goods \_\_\_\_\_
- Best antique store \_\_\_\_\_
- Best hardware/home improvement store \_\_\_\_\_
- Best gift/card store \_\_\_\_\_

All Entries Must Be Received By March 7th  
For A Chance To Win A GIFT CERTIFICATE To An Award-Winning Restaurant

## CLASS NOTES

### Meeting

The next Northville Board of Education regular meeting is 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Feb. 28 at Moraine Elementary, 46811 W. Eight Mile Road. For more information, call (248) 349-3400.

### Love and Logic

Amy Morelli and Ulla Gmelin, school social workers, will be offering "Becoming a Love and Logic Parent" training 10-11:30 a.m. Thursday, Feb. 23. There will be seven sessions at Ridge Wood Elementary School, 49775 Six Mile Road. The cost is \$20 and includes a workbook. For more information or to register by tomorrow, call Joyce Greywall, (248) 344-8453.

### Parenting Seminars

Dr. Jim Fay will conduct a seminar on "How to Discipline Kids Without Losing Their Love." The event will take place 4:30-6 p.m. (Part I) and 7:30-9 p.m. (Part II) Monday, March 6 in the Northville High School Auditorium, 45700 Six Mile Road. No registration is required, suggested donation is \$5 per family.

### Kindergarten

Northville Public Schools is accepting kindergarten registrations for fall 2006. Guardians of children age 5 on or before Dec. 1 should contact their local elementary school for registration information. Ridge Wood area kindergarten students for the 2006-07 school year will attend other district schools as follows: Moraine: Fox Hollow, Pine Creek and Paramount Estates; Silver Springs: Woodlands North, Woods of Edenderry, Hills of Crestwood and Links of Northville; Thornton Creek: Northville Ridge and Stone Water; and Winchester: Northville Hills West and Woodlands subdivisions. All Arcadia Ridge subdivision stu-

dents will attend Thornton Creek for the 2006-07 school year.

### Gifted

The Northville Public Schools will be accepting testing nominations for the Alternative Learning Program (ALPS) housed at Amerman elementary from parents of current district second graders and fourth graders who are new to the district. Nominations are for the 2006-07 school year. Forms may be picked up at each child's school March 1 and 17 only. Testing for second graders will be April 6 and 7 for the full academic day. The final schedule will be communicated to nominating parents. Testing for new fourth graders who did not take the ITBS/CogAT test as third graders will be during the week of March 20 when all fifth graders will take this exam. For more information about the program or process, contact director Katie Parker at (248) 344-8447.

### School Closing Update

In the event of inclement weather, the decision to cancel school for the day will be made as soon as possible, prior to 7 a.m. All announcements regarding school closings, bus delays and emergencies are made on these radio stations: WNIC-FM (100.3), WJR-AM (760) and WWJ-AM (950).

### Senior All Night Party

The Northville High School senior class graduation, all-night party will take place 10 p.m.-4 a.m. Saturday, June 3 at the school, 45700 Six Mile Road.

Tickets are \$70 each. Make your check payable to Northville Senior Class Party and include student's name and T-shirt size. Mail to Susan Margle, 21936 York Mills Circle, Novi, MI 48374 or place in the Senior All Night Party box in the school office.



Photo by JOHN HEIDER/NORTHVILLE RECORD

### Give me some credit!

Hillside sixth-graders Elaina Weber, right, and Jennifer Buckingham utilize the school's credit union, with help of teller Mallory Weber, left.

• Donations of merchandise, services and/or cash are needed from local businesses and individuals and are tax deductible. The names of donors will be displayed at the party and published in the Northville Record. Contact Carol Grimmer, (248) 380-7244 or Linda Daul, (248) 349-9394.

• Volunteers are needed to work on decorations. Contact Chairwoman Vessa Fefopoulos at 248-347-4389 or e-mail her at Fefop@comcast.net. Drop-in 7-9 p.m. Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday at

Northville Plaza, Seven Mile Road in the old Rite Aid location.

### Books

The Early Childhood Center has something special for families of newborn children to welcome them into the learning community of Northville Public Schools. Contact the ECC Office at (248) 344-8465.

## ON CAMPUS

### Loyola University Chicago

Northville resident, Nicole Brants, has been named to the dean's list for fall 2005 semester at Loyola University Chicago.

### Central College, Pella, Iowa

Peter Cohen, of Northville, was selected to participate in Central College's dean's scholar days this month. He is a senior at Northville High School.

**WHOLE HOUSE WATER FILTER**  
NEW TECHNOLOGY • NON ELECTRIC

**FREE INSTALLATION**

**\$9.95 A Month**  
Rent-to-Own

NO FILTERS for you to change EVER!

Systems Eliminate: Yellow Water, Iron, Odors, Radium, Hardness & Removes Chlorine

**clearwater** **KINETICO**

SINCE 1946

**1-800-633-7114**

Exp. 3/15/06

**M MAZZONI JEWELERS**  
In the Jewelry Business Since 1970

**Pandora**  
"Preferred Gold Dealer."

We carry the entire line of Pandora products

32726 GRAND RIVER AVENUE  
1/4 mile east of Farmington Road  
FARMINGTON

In the Farmington Village Complex next to Belladino's  
Ph: 248-478-3300  
www.mmazzonijewelers.com

— STORE HOURS: —  
Mon-Wed 10-6 • Thurs-Fri 10-7 • Sat 10-5

Special auto insurance savings for GM and GM Supplier Employees

**GMAC Insurance**

Call Mark Tarplinian for a FREE quote  
**TFI Insurance & Benefits**  
217 S. Center St.  
Northville, MI 48167  
**248-347-3525**

**Lose Weight for Life!**

**St. Mary Mercy Bariatric Center...a Minimal Surgical Approach to Treating Obesity**

**Tallal Zeni, MD, Bariatric Center Director**  
Minimally Invasive and Bariatric Surgery

- Fellowship, Evanston Northwestern Healthcare, Chicago, IL
- Experienced in advanced laparoscopic gastric bypass surgical techniques

**Paula Magid, Bariatric Program Director**  
• Program Manager of the Year Award 2004  
• A post-op patient happy to share her experience

The **NEW** St. Mary Mercy Bariatric Center offers weight loss surgery, performed laparoscopically, resulting in minimal pain • less scarring • shorter hospitalization and recovery time.

**Gain control of your health and prolong your life!**

- Team approach to treatment and care
- Specially trained registered nurses, dietitians, behavioral specialists and exercise physiologists.

**WHY WEIGHT?**  
Learn more at one of our **FREE** educational seminars:  
**February 15 • March 22 • April 19**  
6:30 pm - St. Mary Mercy Hospital Auditorium  
Meet Dr. Zeni and the Program Director  
Call 734.655.2692 to register **NOW!**

St. Mary Mercy Bariatric Center • Marian Professional Bldg., Suite 311 • 14555 Levan Road • Livonia, MI  
Call 734.655.2692 (toll free 800-686-9940) • www.stmarymercy.org

**ST. MARY MERCY HOSPITAL**

**COMMUNITY FINANCIAL**  
Thinking forward. Banking right.

**COMMUNITY FINANCIAL THANKS OUR 2005 BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR THEIR OUTSTANDING DEDICATION AND SUPPORT.**

**Front Row, Left to Right**  
**Ronald Carlson**, Mathematics and Computer Science Teacher, Canton High School  
**Albert Berrie**, Program Manager, Ford Motor Company  
**Dan Herriman**, CEO, Herriman & Associates, Inc.

**Back Row, Left to Right**  
**Michele Kelly**, Attorney, Kelly & Kelly PC  
**Hank Salla**, Certified Public Accountant  
**Sam Messina**, Realtor, Keller Williams Plymouth Market Center  
**Denise Varner**, Volunteer Coordinator, Our Lady of Good Counsel Church

**Not Pictured**  
**Philip Curtiss**, Retired Information Technology Manager  
**Teresa A. Folino**, Claims Technical Consultant, AAA Insurance - Auto Club Group

(734) 453-1200 (877) 937-2328 toll free [www.cfu.org](http://www.cfu.org)

NCUA Your savings federally insured to \$100,000 by the National Credit Union Administration, a U.S. Government Agency. Your savings also privately insured up to an additional \$250,000 by Excess Share Insurance Corporation (ESI). ESI is a subsidiary of American Share Insurance. An Equal Opportunity Lender. ©2006 Community Financial



# Going rate

■ Municipal construction projects vary in scope, price

By Victoria Mitchell  
RECORD STAFF WRITER

More than one year ago, Northville Township employees unpacked box after box while moving into their new digs.

Impressive structures on Six Mile Road were the new home for fire-fighters and township employees with a price tag of \$14.5 million.

The Northville Township 2004 overhaul included:

- 40,000 square-foot Northville Township Civic Center costing \$7.9 million located at Six Mile and Sheldon roads. Now it serves as the combined site of administrative, public works and finance departments;

- 24,000 square-foot Northville Township Fire Headquarters costing \$4.3 million located between Beck and Sheldon roads. It includes a training tower, eight apparatus bays, training/administrative wing, day room, shower room, eight bunk rooms, kitchen and patio; and
- renovations to police headquarters on Six Mile at Winchester roads costing \$2.3 million.

The township police department was expanded from 14,000 to 24,000 square feet. The bill was picked up by the township.

## Sum difference

Nearly two years later, taxpayers in the Northville public school district will be asked Feb. 28 for their approval to construct an elementary school at the northeast corner of Six Mile and Napier roads.

The cost of the proposal, including land acquisition and equipment: \$25.24 million.

School officials said the proposed township school is a 92,864 square-foot building, more than double the square footage of the civic center and close to four times the size of the fire station.

While some residents question how the township came up with two new buildings and a renovation for less than one elementary school, SKANSKA USA Building, Inc. Vice President Andrea Atherton cautions against comparing municipal construction project prices.

Atherton said while obvious factors come into play like height and square footage, hidden factors like site work may cause significant cost differences.

"There can be huge swings if you don't know what you are comparing," Atherton said.

She said other cost variables include durable building materials, structure, permitting, fees, equipment, price escalation, labor and right of way costs.

Plymouth-Canton Community Schools Director for Community Relations Frank Ruggirello said his neighboring district is in the process of building a new elementary school at the corner of Cherry Hill and Denton roads.

Ruggirello said the 70,780-square-foot school carries a \$15 million cost. "The project was passed as part of a 2004 bond," he said.

In other area elections, Trenton Public Schools will ask voters to approve a \$54.2 million May bond proposal to build two elementary schools.

Ridge Wood Elementary School was the last construction project for Northville Public Schools. Voters approved a \$27.5 million bond in 2001, including constructing the school located at Six Mile and Ridge roads.

Northville Public School Assistant Superintendent for Administrative Services David Bolitho said the district will use the Ridge Wood Elementary School blueprint for the proposed seventh school to cut costs.

Victoria Mitchell can be reached at (248) 349-1700, ext. 122 or [vmitchell@gannett.com](mailto:vmitchell@gannett.com).

## School construction

According to U.S. Census data, spending on school and university facilities has increased 213 percent over the past 10 years, and is growing almost twice as fast as spending on new residential construction.

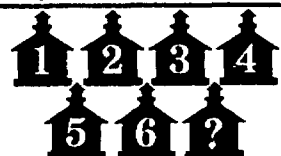
School districts spent more than \$29 billion nationwide on new schools, additions and modernizations in 2004.

In Michigan, school construction spending is up dramatically.

According to the Anderson Economic Group, between 1994 and 2004 property taxes dedicated to school debt activity increased 217 percent.

Source: The Michigan Privatization Report, Winter 2005

## QUESTION:



## Does Northville Schools need a seventh elementary school?

■ More bond info  
Visit online at  
[www.northville.k12.mi.us](http://www.northville.k12.mi.us)  
and click the "Bond 2006  
Election Information" icon.



Photo by JOHN HEIDER/NORTHVILLE RECORD

Home building is brisk at Arcadia Ridge, at the southwest edge of Northville Township, an area school officials expect to continue growing rapidly.

# Nearby landfill stirs resident concerns

■ District officials say preliminary testing proves proposed 23-care school site is safe; some worry about stench, leakage and aesthetics

By Victoria Mitchell  
RECORD STAFF WRITER

Laurie Williams placed a home-made sign in her front yard: "schools + landfills = disaster."

She fears the Northville Public Schools proposed elementary school located catty-corner from Onyx Arbor Hills Landfill in Salem Township will be environmentally harmful to children.

"I am not against the bond," Williams said. "I am against the location."

The district is asking voters to approve a 92,864-square-foot school located at the northeast corner of Six Mile and Napier roads as part of a \$70.7 million Feb. 28 bond proposal.

School officials said they stand by their choice of land location and initial investigations of the property show no cause for alarm.

"I am reassured that there isn't a problem at this site," said Northville

Public Schools Superintendent Leonard Rezmierski. "Obviously we would never knowingly bring a recommendation to the board, nor would the board ever accept one that wasn't thoroughly and comprehensively done to assure safety of kids, parents and staff."

School officials cite a Jan. 31 Phase I Environmental Site Assessment conducted by CTI and Associates, Inc. as preliminary assurance the location is acceptable.

Findings detailed in a property review issued by the civil, geotechnical, environmental and construction materials firm of the proposed school site include:

- A groundwater remediation program for affected groundwater operated by a closed landfill to the south; and
- documented high levels of methane gas in the landfill's perimeter gas monitoring wells.

Documents issued by the firm

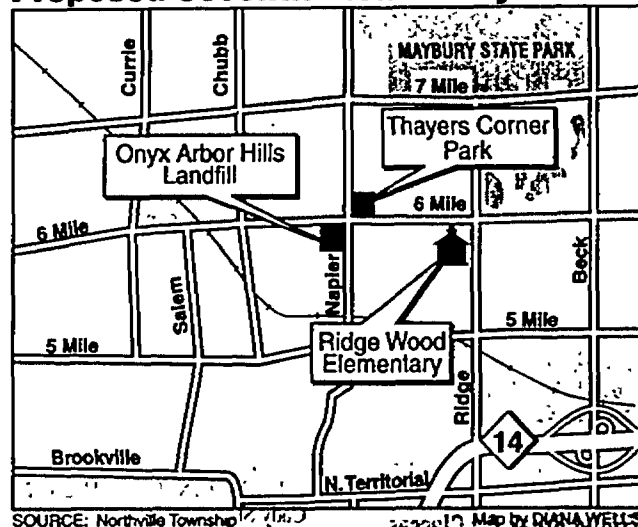
"If Northville is known as the love canal of the midwest it is going to affect us all."

Laurie Williams  
Resident, Northville Township

also state a review of the regulatory databases surrounding the property revealed:

- One state hazardous waste site within a one-mile radius;
- two solid waste management landfill sites within a one-mile radius; and
- one leaking underground storage tank site within a one-half mile radius.

## Proposed Seventh Elementary School



SOURCE: Northville Township, CTI and Associates, Inc.

According to documents issued by CTI, the leaking underground storage tank site does not pose a "significant risk."

CTI recommends additional investigations to assess the impact of the state hazardous waste site and two solid waste management landfill sites.

The firm also recommends further investigation of subsurface soils and groundwater to determine if the groundwater remediation program and methane levels have adversely affected the property.

CTI and Associates, Inc. Director

continued on 22A

# Township land sale hinges on Feb. 28 bond outcome

■ Officials say \$1.35M deal would be win-win for schools, township

By Tracy Mishler  
RECORD STAFF WRITER

Linda Shepard's on the fence about whether or not using park land to build an elementary school is the right thing to do.

In December, the Northville Township Board of Trustees unanimously decided to sell approximately 23 of 56.41 acres at Thayer Corners Park, located at Six Mile and Napier roads, to Northville Public Schools in order to build a seventh elementary school.

"There's no doubt we need a new school," said the 48-year-old township resident, "but I'm just not sure about taking the land away from our recreational areas. There are plenty of other options they could have looked into."

According to township officials, the 56.41-acre Thayer Corners Park was purchased from the Clarke family in March 1999 for \$1.8 million.

The district has one year to exercise a \$1.35 million purchase option for the 23 acres it covets.

Ann Arbor-based Gerakl Alcock Company appraised the land in July for \$1.9 million.

According to the company's president, Michael Williams, the land had to be sold at fair market value.

"Fair market value, in this case, is what a knowledgeable buyer and seller would sell and pay for a piece of property," Williams said.

In order to get the fair market value, Williams said the property had to be appraised at its highest and best use.

Williams said appraisers use a set of four criteria, including: physical use, zoning, demand and financial feasibility.

"We then look for land sales within the township or city, or comparable townships or cities nearby," he said. "And then we compare them and make adjustments based on market trends."

The land is zoned as public, recreation, facilities and open space.

## Acting responsibly

Township Supervisor Mark Abbo said the prospective sale was based on the school districts need for the land.

"One of the reasons Northville Township and the community is viewed so fondly is because of the school system," Abbo said. "The school district's need is being generated due to all the new development, and we feel the responsibility to help them."

## District land search

Northville Public Schools Superintendent Leonard Rezmierski said the district's land search for a proposed seventh elementary school began with a plea.

"We contacted out, and I sent out letters to various developers and we had not one response back," he said. "Is it possible we could put together a consortium of lets say 20 acres somewhere? Possibly, but we didn't receive one response back."

Rezmierski said building on a portion of the 40 acres owned by the district at Garfield and Eight Mile roads was another option stricken from the list.

"We are holding that because we are concerned with the immediate future. What will we do should that quadrant pop up?" Rezmierski said. "That is one scenario we can't just willy-nilly discount."

Township Manager Chip Snider said the township board is not looking to sell future park land.

"The township board looked at the entire parcel," he said, "and while they could satisfy the school board's need for land, there would still be park land available for recreational use."

Township assistant manager and finance director Thelma Kubitskey said the money for the sale will be placed into the general fund and must be allocated for public use.

"The district is asking for a millage to purchase the land from us," Kubitskey said. "Yes, the taxpayers dollars are going to pay for the land again, but we are going to be able to put (the money) back into the community by purchasing more land."

Kubitskey said taxes would not rise due to the land purchase.

Residents will vote Feb. 28 to approve a \$25.24 million proposal, which includes construction of a seventh elementary school. Combined with a second bond request, the district is asking for voters to approve \$70.7 million overall.

"If the millage passes," she said, "then (the district) will probably move forward in getting the property secured in order to get the elementary school built by 2007."

Tracy Mishler is a staff writer for the Northville Record. She can be reached at (248) 349-1700, ext. 107, or at [tmishler@gannett.com](mailto:tmishler@gannett.com)

# BOND: schools have 'growing' concerns

continued from 1A

David Bolitho, Northville Public Schools Assistant Superintendent for Administrative Services, said plans for the seventh elementary school include a computer lab, English as a second language classroom and full-size early childhood education rooms.

Early childhood education rooms at Ridge Wood Elementary School are smaller than traditional classrooms, a model Bolitho said the district will not be repeating at the new township school.

"It is more of a comprehensive building that matches existing and future offerings," he said.

According to 2006 bond documents, the school would have two driveways, one exclusively for busses and another exclusively for parents dropping off their kids.

Bolitho said the district is interested in

## Changing borders

Northville Public Schools Assistant Superintendent for Administrative Services David Bolitho said parents should know the opening of the proposed seventh elementary school will bring another attendance boundary change to the district.

And Bolitho said, "all schools will be affected." School officials said boundary change discussions will begin following the result of the election.

Next up on the district's radar: Lyon Township growth and development of the former Northville Psychiatric Hospital along Seven Mile Road. Northville Public Schools owns 40 acres at Garfield and Eight Mile roads.

utilizing adjacent nature trails and partnering with nearby developers to construct a walkway to the school.

School officials said the bond cost includes building furniture, shelving and copiers, along with technology and connecting to the district's wide area network. The bond also includes professional fees.

School officials said operational costs for the proposed seventh elementary school

will come from the district's general fund, and an operational millage will not be needed.

Pending voter approval, the school is scheduled to open in the fall of 2007.

Officials said a bond failure will result in redistricting, expanded use of portables and larger class sizes.

Northville Public Schools Director of Business and Finance John Street said the

## Seventh Elementary School: \$25.24M

On Feb. 28, Northville residents will consider two Northville Public Schools bond proposals, totaling \$70.7 million. The \$25.24 million proposal includes construction of a seventh elementary school, and includes:

- \$1.35 million purchase of 23 acres owned by Northville Township and located at Six Mile and Napier roads;
- \$17.97 million to construct the school; and
- \$5.92 million to open the school, including equipment and LAN.

owner of a \$400,000 home would pay an additional \$180 per year, if both bond proposals pass

Victoria Mitchell can be reached at (248) 349-1700, ext. 122 or [vmitchell@gannett.com](mailto:vmitchell@gannett.com)

# WHAT'S GOING ON?

Northville's Official Events Calendar • For a complete calendar, visit [www.northvillerecord.com](http://www.northvillerecord.com)... Northville Record... Around Town

## NORTHVILLE EVENTS

### Grief Support Groups

**DATE/LOCATION:** Tuesday, Library, 212 W. Cady St.; Wednesday, Arbor Hospice and Home Care, 331 Center St.  
**TIME:** 7-8:30 p.m.  
**DETAILS:** Groups run through March 7 and are open to the community. There is no fee. Advance registration is required.  
**CONTACT:** Sandy Van Koeveing, (248) 348-4980

### Art Exhibit

**DATE:** Through February  
**LOCATION:** Sherris Gallery of Fine Art, 109 N. Center St.  
**DETAILS:** Exhibitors include Russian-born, Felix Braslavsky and Indiana artist, Tom Slack.

### Art Exhibit

**DATE:** Through February  
**LOCATION:** Studio 427, 122 W. Main St.  
**DETAILS:** This is an exhibit of large canvas acrylic paintings by Jeff Spade.  
**CONTACT:** (248) 449-6501

### Valentines Dinner Dance Fund-raiser

**DATE:** Saturday  
**TIME:** 6 p.m.-midnight  
**LOCATION:** Italian American Banquet Hall, 39200 Five Mile Road, Livonia  
**DETAILS:** Northville Township Firefighters are hosting this fund-raiser for the Muscular Dystrophy Association. The cost is \$60 per person or \$100 per couple and includes dancing, buffet, live auction, raffles, and an open bar. The event is open to the public.  
**CONTACT:** Steve Leach, Dan Dipple, Jesse Marcotte or Rob McAllister, (248) 348-5807

### Movie Premiere

**DATE:** Saturday  
**TIME:** 7 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** Northville High School, 45700 Six Mile Road  
**DETAILS:** This is the screening of a local documentary, "ONE THE MOVIE." Studio 427 is hosting this event. Tickets are \$11 at the door.

### Winter Break Art Classes

**DATE:** Monday through Thursday  
**TIME:** Various times  
**LOCATION:** Awakening...The Artist Inside Studio, 111 N. Center St.  
**DETAILS:** Classes are available for ages 3 to 15 years. The theme is "The Chronicles of Nami-ART."



Photo by JOHN HEIDER/NORTHVILLE RECORD

**Dan Schnelder hitches up a pair of Percherons at Maybury Farm. Schnelder, who helps farmer John Beemer, said more field work will soon be handled by horses rather than tractors. The farm is open noon-5 p.m. Wednesday-Sunday.**

**Registration is required.**  
**CONTACT:** Robyn Mewha, (248) 347-0807

### Northville Garden Club

**DATE:** Monday  
**TIME:** noon  
**LOCATION:** Cady Inn, Mill Race Village  
**DETAILS:** Kim Roth will be presenting a program called "Vivacious Vines." The meeting is open to the public.  
**CONTACT:** Julie Mantay, (248) 349-1602

### Gardeners of Northville and Novi

**DATE:** Monday  
**TIME:** 6:30 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** Novi Civic Center, 45175 Ten Mile Road, Novi  
**DETAILS:** This meeting will be on "The joy of scented geraniums."  
**CONTACT:** (248) 348-1946

### Northville Arts Commission

**DATE:** Wednesday  
**TIME:** 7:30 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** The Art House, 215 Cady St.  
**DETAILS:** This is a slide lecture of French Impressionist paintings presented by Michael Farrell. The cost is \$10 for adults and \$5 for students. Tickets are available at the door.  
**CONTACT:** (248) 449-9950

### Choir Concert

<b>ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN MISSOURI SYNOD</b> High & Elm Streets, Northville 1 Lubeck, Pastor Church 349-3140 School 349-3146 Sunday Worship: 8:30 a.m. & 11:30 a.m. Contemporary Service at 11:00 a.m. Sunday School & Bible Classes 9:45 a.m.	<b>FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF NORTHVILLE</b> 200 E. Main St. at Huron - (248) 349-0911 Worship & Church School - 9:30 a.m. & 11 a.m. Childcare Available at All Services Youth Group: Wed. 4:15 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. M.S. & H. Single Place Ministry - Thurs. 7:30 p.m. Rev. W. Kent Ciba, Senior Pastor Rev. James P. Russell, Associate Pastor
<b>NORTHVILLE CHRISTIAN</b> Experiencing Life Each Week Sunday Worship 10:15 AM Children's SuperChurch 10:15 AM For more information, contact us <a href="http://www.northvillechristian.org">www.northvillechristian.org</a> 41355 Six Mile Road - Northville 248-348-9030	<b>OUR LADY OF VICTORY CATHOLIC CHURCH</b> 770 Thayer, Northville WEEKEND LITURGIES: Saturday 5:00 p.m. Sunday 7:30, 9 AM, 11 AM, 12:30 PM Church 349-2621, School 349-3610 Religious Education 349-2559 Rev. Terrence Kemer, Pastor
<b>MEADOWBROOK CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH</b> 21355 Meadowbrook Rd. Novi at 8 1/2 Mile Morning Worship 10 a.m. Sunday School & Nursery 10 a.m. 248-348-7757 Minister: Rev. Dr. E. Neil Hunt Minister of Music: Patrick Kuhl	<b>GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH</b> 9 Mile & Meadowbrook Wisconsin Ev Lutheran Synod Sunday School and Adult Bible Class 8:45 a.m. Worship 10:00 a.m. Thomas E. Schroeder, Pastor - 349-0665
<b>CHURCH OF THE HOLY CROSS EPISCOPAL (Anglican)</b> 10 Mile between Meadowbrook & Haggerty Phone 248-427-1175 Sun. 7:45 & 10:00 am Holy Eucharist Sunday School & Nursery 10 am Rev. Karen Henry, Pastor <a href="http://www.churchoftheholycross.com">www.churchoftheholycross.com</a>	<b>FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF NORTHVILLE</b> 349-1144 8 Mile & Tott Roads Worship Services 8am, 9:15am & 11am Rev. John Hice Rev. Lisa Cook <a href="http://www.fumcnorthville.org">www.fumcnorthville.org</a>
<b>FAITH COMMUNITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH</b> 44400 W 10 Mile, Novi, 248-349-2345 1/2 mile west of Novi Rd Sunday 9:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. Service Dr. Richard J. Henderson, Pastor	<b>FIRST CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE</b> on Haggerty Rd. North of 8 Mile Rd Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Morning Celebration 10:50 a.m. (248) 348-7600 Dr. Ron Blake, Pastor
<b>ST. JAMES ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH</b> NOVI 43325 10 Mile Rd. Novi, MI 48374 Saturday 5:00 p.m. Sunday 8:30 & 11:30 a.m. Reverend George Charnley, Pastor Parish Office: 347-7778	<b>BETHLEHEM EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH, ELCA</b> Let us go now to Bethlehem and see the King that has been born. 35300 W 8 Mile, Farmington Hills, MI (248) 478-6520 (2 mi E of Haggerty, N. side of 8 Mile) Sunday Morning Worship: 8:30 & 10:45 AM Sunday School (All Ages) 9:30 AM
<b>CHURCH OF THE HOLY FAMILY</b> 24505 Meadowbrook Rd., Novi, MI 48375 Masses: Sat. 5 p.m.; Sun. 7:30 a.m., 8:45 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 12:15 p.m. Holy Days: 9 a.m., 5:30 p.m., 7:30 p.m. Fr. John G. Budd, Pastor Fr. Robert Shaffer, Associate Pastor Parish Office: 349-8847	<b>OAK POINTE CHURCH</b> At Novi High School 10 Mile & Tott Roads Sunday 9:30 a.m. and 11:15 a.m. Casual, contemporary, live band (248) 912-0043 <a href="http://www.oakpointe.org">www.oakpointe.org</a>
<b>NATIVITY OF THE VIRGIN MARY GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH</b> 39651 Five Mile Rd (S & Haggerty) Plymouth, MI 48170 Phone: 248-201-0131 Sunday Services Matins (Orthros) 9:00 a.m., Liturgy 10:00 a.m. Rev. Fr. George M. Vaportis, Pastor <a href="http://www.nativitygocchurch.org">www.nativitygocchurch.org</a>	<b>CROSSPOINTE MEADOWS CHURCH</b> Pastor Danny L. Langley Traditional Service - 9:00 A.M. Contemporary Service - 10:30 A.M. Meeting at Novi Civic Center 248-444-7755 <a href="http://crosspointemeadows.org">crosspointemeadows.org</a>
<b>WARD EVANGELICAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH</b> Dr. James H. McQuinn, Senior Pastor 4000 W. Lake Road - Northville, MI 48347-1700 Traditional Worship: 9:00 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. Contemporary Service 11:40 a.m. Sunday School & Nursery Provided Sunday Evening Service 7:00 p.m. Service Broadcast 11:45 AM/11:00 a.m.	<b>CONG. BEIT KODESH</b> 1-248-477-8974 31840 W. Seven Mile Rd., Livonia Friday Night Services 8:00 p.m. Saturday Services 9:00 a.m. HIGH HOLIDAY SERVICES Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sept-May

## CHURCH DIRECTORY

For Information regarding rates call  
The Northville Record or Novi News (248) 349-1700

### Art Walk

**DATE:** First Friday of every month  
**TIME:** 5-9 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** Downtown Northville  
**DETAILS:** Art galleries, arts and crafts stores and restaurants will be open; art demonstrations and exhibits available in shops.  
**CONTACT:** Tom James, Northville Camera and Digital Imaging, (248) 349-0105

### Marquis Theater

**LOCATION:** 135 E. Main St.  
**CONTACT:** (248) 349-8110 or [www.northvillmarquistheatre.com](http://www.northvillmarquistheatre.com)

### "The Little Mermaid"

**DATE:** Various days beginning March 18  
**TIME:** 2:30 p.m.  
**DETAILS:** Tickets are \$8 per person; no children under 3 years old.

### "Vaudeville Tonight"

**DATE:** Friday, March 24, 31 and April 7; Saturday, March 25, April 1 and 8  
**TIME:** 8 p.m.  
**DETAILS:** Tickets are \$12 for adults and \$10 for seniors and students; no children under 6 years old.

### Genitti's Little Theater

**LOCATION:** 108 E. Main St.  
**CONTACT:** (248) 349-0522 or [www.genittis.com](http://www.genittis.com)

### Lunch/Dinner Theater

**DATES:** Friday and Saturday  
**DETAILS:** The theme is "Super Bowl Scramble." Tickets are \$45 per person which includes dinner and show.

### Maybury Park/Farm Programs

**LOCATION:** Maybury State Park, Eight Mile Road between Beck and Napier roads.  
**CONTACT:** (248) 349-8390

### Library Lines

**LOCATION:** 212 W. Cady St., near Northville City Hall; parking off Cady Street  
**CONTACT:** For information about programs, services or to request or renew library materials, (248) 349-3020  
**TIME/DAY:** 10 a.m.-9 p.m.,

Monday-Thursday; 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Friday and Saturday; and 1-5 p.m., Sunday

### Northville Genealogical Society

**DATE:** Sunday  
**TIME:** 2:30 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** Northville District Library, 212 W. Cady St.  
**DETAILS:** Kathy Mutch will speak on the history of naming Novi.  
**CONTACT:** Grace Wilfong, (248) 349-9079 or visit [www.rootsweb.com/~mings](http://www.rootsweb.com/~mings)

### Little Me Storytime

**DATE:** Friday, Feb. 17  
**TIME:** 10:30 a.m.  
**DETAILS:** Babies to 2-year-olds, along with their parents or caregivers, can enjoy music, beanbag fun and simple stories at this lap-sit program. Older children are also welcome to attend. No registration required.

### Tot Storytime

**TIME/DATE:** 10:15 a.m. Monday (through Feb. 27); 10:15 a.m. and 11:30 a.m., Wednesday (through March 1); 10:15 a.m., Thursday (through March 2)  
**DETAILS:** This storytime is for 2- and 3-year-olds with a parent or caregiver. Additional children may not attend.  
**CONTACT:** To register, call (248) 349-3020

### Stories for Children

**TIME/DATE:** 4 p.m. Monday (through March 13); 10:15 and 2 p.m. Tuesday (through March 14)  
**DETAILS:** Sessions are designed for children who are 4, 5, or in kindergarten and comfortable attending without a caregiver present.  
**CONTACT:** To register, call (248) 349-3020

### Kids Club

**DATE:** Thursday, Feb. 16, Amazing Balloons  
**TIME:** 4:30-5:15 p.m.  
**DETAILS:** This is an program for first, second and third grade students featuring stories, games and crafts.  
**CONTACT:** To register, call (248) 349-3020

continued on 25A

**More Within Reach**

**6.25% APR\***

Home Equity Line of Credit

**OR**

**6.24% APR\***

10 Year Fixed-Rate Home Equity Loan\*\*

**Bring calm to your financial chaos.**

LaSalle Bank can help you take control of your finances. Enjoy the security of a Fixed-Rate Home Equity Loan and your payment will never change, even if rates go up. Or, take advantage of a flexible Home Equity Line of Credit and borrow what you need, when you need it. Whether you want to give your home a new look or save money by consolidating your bills, more is within reach. Applying is quick and easy. Plus, there are no closing costs, no application fees, and no appraisal fees.\* But these rates won't last long. So act now. Call (800) 326-8062, stop by any LaSalle Bank, or visit [lasallebank.com](http://lasallebank.com) today.

**Making more possible**

**LaSalle Bank**  
ABN AMRO

LaSalle's Home Equity Lines of Credit and Fixed-Rate Home Equity Loans are limited to owner-occupied, 1-4 family principal residences and are subject to no less than a second lien position on your property. Collateral property must be located in Illinois, Indiana, Michigan or Ohio. Bridge lines of credit do not qualify. You must carry insurance on the property that secures this loan. Flood insurance required if necessary. Closing costs paid by LaSalle are limited to appraisal, title insurance, flood certification and recording fees. Any additional fees or conditions including, but not limited to, those imposed by the city, state or county where the subject property is located will be the borrower's responsibility. Rates are subject to change without notice. Consult your tax advisor concerning the deductibility of interest. Promotional offers are subject to change, may not be combined with any other home equity offer and may be withdrawn at any time without notice. Application must be received by March 31, 2006 to qualify for promotional rates. \*The Annual Percentage Rates (APR) on LaSalle's Home Equity Lines of Credit are tied to Prime. Prime is the highest Prime Rate as published in the "Money Rates" section of The Wall Street Journal on the last publishing day of the calendar month immediately preceding the billing cycle. The margin tied to Prime varies and depends on the approved credit line amount and combined loan-to-value. On December 30, 2005 Prime was 7.25% and the APR on LaSalle Bank's Home Equity Line of Credit products varied between 6.25% and 10.25%. Quoted APR of 6.25% assumes 80% or less loan-to-value, a credit line of \$125,000 or greater, and a 1% rate discount for lines \$125,000-\$249,999 and 0% discount for lines \$250,000 or greater. It also requires making an initial draw of \$15,000 in new money at the close of the rescission period which must remain outstanding for at least 180 days. Prime is a variable rate; as it changes, the APR on your account will change. The maximum APR is 21%. A balloon payment will result at the end of the ten-year draw period. There is a \$50 annual fee after the first year. Annual fee may be waived for customers participating in certain LaSalle checking account programs. Home Equity Line of Credit Promotional Offer: New home equity customers must draw a minimum of \$15,000 at the close of the rescission period and keep it outstanding for 180 days or the Annual Percentage Rate will increase by the applicable discount as referenced above for the remainder of the term of the line. Existing LaSalle home equity customers must pay off a current Home Equity Line of Credit or Fixed-Rate Home Equity Loan with their new Line of Credit, and must activate an additional \$15,000 in new money at the close of the rescission period. The combined amount of the pay off balance and the \$15,000 advance must remain outstanding for 180 days or the Annual Percentage Rate will increase by the applicable discount as referenced above for the remainder of the term of the line. \*\* On December 30, 2005, the Annual Percentage Rate (APR) on LaSalle's Fixed-Rate Home Equity Loan products varied between 6.24% and 11.60%, depending on the loan amount, combined loan-to-value (LTV) and term. The advertised rate of 6.24% APR is available for qualifying properties with an LTV of 80% or less, loan amount of \$100,000 or more, and a 10 year term. For example, a loan amount of \$100,000 for 10 years, at an interest rate of 6.24% APR, will have a monthly payment of \$1,122.30. LaSalle Bank N.A., LaSalle Bank Midwest N.A., Members FDIC ©2006 LaSalle Bank Corporation.



## Northville Record

Rich Ramhoff  
PRESIDENT & PUBLISHER  
Grace Perez Perry  
GENERAL MANAGER  
David Aguilar  
EDITOR  
Richard Perlberg  
EXECUTIVE EDITOR

Our fundamental purposes are to enhance the lives of our readers, nurture the home towns we serve and contribute to the business success of our customers.

## City Council: Make up your mind

Don't worry Mr. and Mrs. City Taxpayer, it only appears as though city council can't make up its mind.

Rest assured, all their "visioning," "expert" studies and orange-dotted easels and parking lots will eventually result in action.

Yes, city officials have already paid \$38,500 for the Gibbs Report, an already outdated snapshot of the retail sector. Don't be dismayed they are now spending \$54,500 to another consulting firm, Beckett & Raeder, to authenticate concepts circulating among local planners for years.

And certainly don't worry that Monday night city officials, so convinced that parking is Northville's paramount concern, backed away from its own escalating fine system which intended to deter habitual parking malcontents. Apparently, no one previously considered that such a system might actually deter shoppers who chose Northville for the day — instead of

Bloomfield, Grosse Pointe, Franklin or Milford.

What about the \$41,660 cost of the automated parking enforcement equipment needed to enforce the scuttled plan? Don't worry. It's only money.

Get real. What the city needs is leadership, not high-tech gadgets or battleship parking decks. What the city thirsts for is action, not council members who thumb their nose at every new idea, then offer no solutions of their own. Howl at the moon on your own time — and on your own dime.

Downtown Northville is not Hobbytown. Each week, people's livelihoods sway in the balance and hinge on the off-chance city council can get its act together. Many residents and business owners are anxious to get to work. The risk is they'll be burned out and fed up by the time there's actually a plan.

Wake up, Council. The time for leadership is now. Stop wasting precious time and taxpayer money. Get to work.

## City: Beware 'opportunity' costs

Monday night, the Northville City Council voted to hold a special, closed meeting with the Downtown Development Authority at 7:30 p.m. Feb. 13 to discuss buying a piece of downtown property. The discussion was billed as "an opportunity" for possible land acquisition. Keep in mind, recent financial forecasts include state revenue sharing cuts, the looming impact of tax revenues capped by legislation and increasing non-discretionary expenses. The council first and foremost must consider whether the "opportunity" will be a value for the tax-paying majority during these sketchy economic times. Or whether a penny saved ...

## Township: The cost of noble land deals

Pending the outcome of the Feb. 28 bond election, the Northville Township Board of Trustees has opted to sell 23 acres of the Thayer Corners Park to Northville Public Schools for a future elementary school site. And while the noble proposed sale price would nearly cover the \$1.8 million cost the township paid for the 56-acre site seven years ago, trustees should look no farther than Novi to remember how limited a resource park land can be — especially land already paid for once by township taxpayers.

## Schools: Time to take a (mid-winter) break

Northville Public Schools is gearing up for a big break. Mid-winter break officially begins at the end of the school day Friday, Feb. 10 and concludes with the beginning of the school day Monday, Feb. 20. The week-long vacation was included in the school calendar during past teacher contract negotiations. The next scheduled day off for students is a teacher professional day Monday, April 3 followed by spring break April 17-21. Spend it well.

## Athletics: Athletes form perfect seven

The Northville Mustangs have seven good reasons to promote athletics. Seven senior athletes signed their national letter of intent to play collegiate sports last Wednesday. Most will pay for a good chunk of college thanks to scholarships. Soccer players Katie Weicksel, Simone Toney, Lauren Hill, Lindsay Blair, Vanessa Bailey and Jennifer Ulmer each earned a trip to the collegiate level, as did football standout Evan Duey. Congratulate.

## GUEST COLUMN

# Northville counts on education

■ Bond proposals will keep schools on pace with growth, protect current investment

When I began my tenure as Superintendent of Northville Public Schools 15 years ago, we were a school system of just 4,000 students. The Northville community and its schools were still, for the most part, undiscovered gems on the outskirts of the Detroit Metro Area, known only to those of us who lived, worked and went to school here.

More than a decade later, the attraction of Northville, due in part to the quality of Northville Public Schools, has brought new families to our community at a pace none of us could have imagined.

Today, our school system boasts an enrollment of more than 6,700 students, with an increase of 26.4 percent, or 1,400 new students, in just the past five years alone. Another 1,400 students are expected over the next five years.

Northville Public Schools is recognized at both the state and national level for its outstanding academic programs. Our MEAP scores rank in the top five for the entire state, and Northville High School graduates are consistently among the top scholarship earners in Michigan with many going on to study at some of the most prestigious universities in the country. On average, 13 Northville seniors are recognized each year as National Merit Scholars. Standard & Poor's also has recognized Northville Public Schools as an "outperforming school district" in Michigan.

We are, also, tightly woven into the fabric of the community. The Parks and Recreation Department is housed at Hillside Middle School. The annual Victorian Festival is a part of our elementary and high school curriculums. And our Friday night high school football games attract a wide audience from throughout the community.

As many of you are aware, on Tuesday, Feb. 28, we will ask the community to decide two bond proposals totaling \$70.67 million.

Proposal I requests \$25.24 million to purchase land and construct the district's seventh elementary school to help accommodate the more than 600 new K-5 students expected over the next five years.



Leonard R. Rezmierski  
SUPERINTENDENT,  
NORTHVILLE PUBLIC  
SCHOOLS

Proposal II asks for \$45.43 million for strategic projects that include:

- A field house addition at the high school to provide much-needed space for the school's growing physical education curriculum and after-school athletic programs;
- Improvements to the Eight Mile Road stadium and artificial turf at the stadium and high school fields;
- Replacement of the 40-year-old transportation facility and the purchase of five new buses;
- Renovation of the historic Main Street School building;
- And capital improvements, technology upgrades and music program improvements at all school buildings.

The two bond requests, coupled with the growth in property values, will result in a .90 mill increase. This translates into an annual property tax increase of \$180 on a home with a taxable value of \$200,000 (or a market value of \$400,000).

We don't come to the community asking for money lightly. We are mindful that these are uncertain economic times in our state. We, too, have felt the impact through cutbacks in funding brought on by the state's economic downturn. We have had to cut our budget significantly, over the past four years, forcing us to delay repairs and improvements to district buildings in an effort to protect the outstanding educational programs this community has expected and supported over the years.

But, given what we know about the district's projected enrollment growth and the state of our aging facilities, we feel compelled to bring

these two bond proposals before voters now. These projects will protect the investment the community has made in our facilities, help us manage record enrollment growth, and continue the tradition of excellence that makes Northville's students among the best educated and prepared in the state.

The projects contained in the two proposals are the culmination of more than eight months of study by three community committees as well as input from two community town hall meetings and more than 200 hours of careful study and consideration by our Board of Education.

As always, the school board has remained fiscally conservative, asking voters only for what is needed most immediately for the benefit of our students. If approved, the seventh elementary school would open in the fall of 2007 just in time for the influx of elementary students that will come from the neighborhoods springing up around it. In addition, many of these projects, including replacement of the outmoded transportation facility and repairs and improvements at our school buildings, have been put off for many years as the school board has remained stalwart in its commitment to protect classroom programs, curriculum, staff, and class sizes.

At the same time, our school board has been a respectful steward of the community's tax dollars. In the past nine years, Northville School District residents have approved three important bond issues totaling \$125.5 million in response to the community's robust growth. Since these bond issues were approved, increasing property values have enabled the district to lower its debt millage by 1.05 mills. This has meant a property tax reduction of \$210 per year on that same home with a taxable value of \$200,000.

The success of Northville Public Schools extends beyond the walls of our classrooms and the doors of our schools to the community that has supported our mission to provide the optimal learning experience for all our students.

I encourage you to learn more about the two proposals by visiting our Web site at [www.northville.k12.mi.us](http://www.northville.k12.mi.us) and to vote on Tuesday, Feb. 28.

Leonard R. Rezmierski, Ph.D.  
Superintendent, Northville Public Schools

## COLUMN

# Revisiting Northville: 25 years later

■ 2006 version of Northville is a head-turner for former local employee

Rocky's was Northville Charley's, acres of subdivisions were still woods and downtown streets were lined with family-named businesses.

Flash forward onto Main Street the eyes of a person who had not visited Northville since 1981. Gary Backos stepped into that time machine last weekend.

In town for the Super Bowl, the San Diego resident brought his wife Maureen to visit Northville, a town he hadn't set foot in for 25 years.

While Backos was waiting for his former co-workers to return to the state police post on Seven Mile, he and his wife strolled Center and Main. They were both wearing Steelers jackets on the eve of the Super Bowl; I had to stop them.

After we went through the introduction pleasantries — Backos grew up in Pittsburgh, Maureen in San Diego, me here — I had to ask.

What do you think of Northville, 2006? "It's so different," Backos said. "There was nothing. You had Main Street and nothing." Gary's impressions contained no mention of

the amount of available parking. Nor was he aghast at the "new" buildings or frustrated by shops stocked with all things he didn't want to purchase.

He marveled at what a beautiful downtown it had become. And he congratulated the planning invested to get it to this point.

"The growth is nice," he said. "It's a beautiful downtown here. Whoever's in charge of planning, they did a good job."



Maureen Johnston  
RECORD STAFF WRITER

In the eye of an objective beholder, Backos said Northville boasted character like Sausalito in his adopted home state. That town is respectfully historic, blending old and new, with an appealing mix of shops, residences and restaurants.

The couple relayed their conversation with a Northville gallery owner who mentioned the First Fridays Art Walk. That sounded like a neat concept, they thought.

"I just think the entire street is very nice," Backos said. "It reminds me of some of the places we've gone to."

The couple makes a hobby of visiting cities, traveling the country to watch football games. Backos said since he left Michigan, he changed his profession from training and lab work to financial investments.

He said the Northville community too, had undergone a transformation! Backos remembered few landmarks between I-275 and the

police post besides the restaurant and state hospital.

Down Haggerty Road, Schoolcraft College has grown. Never mind the retail explosion. The expressway even has two Seven Mile Road exits.

"When I was leaving, they were just starting to build some of the houses," he said. "It was all woods."

"It's a very well-developed, well-maintained area."

Funny what we remember 25 years later. Returning to Northville jogged Backos' memory about the police post's proximity to the state psychiatric hospital, then still in operation.

He recalled one night when a group of his Mercy College students reported to the Seven Mile lab for hands-on training. Lesson done. Backos went to leave the post about 11 p.m.

"That's when the siren went off," he said, recalling the chill that ran up his spine. "That meant one of the guests of the state were not where they were supposed to be."

I also have memories of Northville in 1981. As teenagers, our perception was we were known for our race track and our hospital.

Maybe the growing pains we've endured the past couple of decades haven't turned out so bad. In fact, things have turned out quite well indeed.

Maureen Johnston can be reached at (248) 349-1700, ext. 103, or via e-mail at [mjohnston@gannett.com](mailto:mjohnston@gannett.com).

# LETTERS

## Bond concerns

We moved our family to Northville seven years ago because of the excellent reputation of the schools, just like so many other people who have moved here. At that time, our children were still a few years away from entering the school system, but we wanted our children to have the best education available. Yet, I am personally disturbed by the latest bond proposals. We are smart people and know that when we buy a home in an area growing by leaps and bounds, bonds will be proposed. But are these current bonds going to improve our children's education? I don't think so.

I find the high school already has a lot of unnecessary extravagance,

as well as Ridgewood. Couldn't the board be a little more creative and find a way to cut costs in these proposals? Our schools do not need have halfway ceilings that reach to the sky, or state of art designs. Are we trying to attract new people to enter the schools system? I hardly think we need these things for that. The reputation of the schools and our teachers alone attract new home buyers. So what if our kids have to warm up in the hallways and use the hallways for sports. Doesn't anyone else out there think this is a great use of existing space? Do we need to spend \$17.2 million on a Field House for this? What is wrong with the band practicing in the parking lot? Also, a creative use of space. And let's not forget our kinder-

garden classes separated from their siblings and attending other "excellent" schools in our district. We knew when these schools were built that we would outgrow them. So, why did the board give the Early Childhood Center a large portion of the space at Ridgewood? This would be an excellent place to put actual students. Why did we give Parks and Recreation a portion of Hillside? Couldn't that have been used for additional future classrooms? The board had to know that eventually we would need them ... I did. I think the board has made some poor decisions that I do not wish to pay for. The board needs to fix its own mistakes before asking taxpayers to fix it for them.

We live in an affluent area and our children are lucky to have so many

wonderful opportunities to become the best at whatever they want to do. So what if they have to live without a few luxuries in their schools. Will denying these things make them less successful later? I think it will make them more well-rounded individuals who have had the opportunity to experience less-than-perfect surroundings.

I will be voting "no" on both proposals until I see the board make more realistic and more creative changes to the district. I will not fix the board's past mistakes out of my pocketbook.

Judy Huggins  
Northville



# COMMENTARY

David Aguilar, editor (248) 349-1700, ext. 102 daguilar@gannett.com

## Michigan's future could be up in the air

Dreaming of good jobs and new big-time economic development in Michigan? Here's a vision for you:

Imagine it is 2016, and an entirely new community, Airport City, has turned into Michigan's most rapidly growing town.

The town was established by state law as a special multi-transportation port authority, framed by air passenger service at Detroit Metropolitan Airport on the east and freight facilities at Willow Run Airport on the west. Now, in less than a decade, it has mushroomed from largely undeveloped land into a thriving area with 20,000 residents and more than 100,000 jobs.

Quick and economical transportation has long been a necessary part of any economic development strategy. Airport City offers a remarkable combination of air — two first class airports — road — it's adjacent to the intersection of I-94 and I-275 and rail — a line connecting Chicago with Detroit runs along the northern boundary. Finally, water is nearby as well. The Port of Detroit offers easy shipping access to the entire Great Lakes basin and, through the St. Lawrence Seaway, to the Atlantic Ocean.

And there's more. Offering more than 7 million square feet of first-class office space, together with warehouses and advanced laboratory and assembly facilities depending on its transportation assets, Airport City has become a diversified economic powerhouse.

In a breathtakingly short time, it has turned around Michigan's manufacturing job losses of the early 21st century and become the keystone of the state's emerging economic renaissance.

I could go on, but you get the general idea.

The Aerotropolis/Airport City idea came one step closer to reality late last month, when a design workshop pulled together 75 architects, urban planners, economic development and local government officials and academics and students from the University of Michigan's Taubman College of Architecture and Urban Planning.

Together, they worked all weekend to study the site's potential. The event (called a "charrette," from the French word for "wagon," but meaning "an intensive workshop and brainstorming session") is intended to jump start public and private development in the area.

Eventually, three design teams submitted the results of their work at a public hearing. All envisaged Ecorse Road becoming a wide boulevard running the length of Airport City like a spine. And all saw the existing railroad tracks to the north as providing the potential for a core public transit resource.

Airport City would bring workers from throughout Southeastern Michigan to the area and link them via light rail, bus and expanded People Mover connections to various parts of the city.

One group even imagined "jetominiums," apartments and meeting spaces easily accessible to families and executives by air.

John Kasarda, head of the Kenan Institute of Private Enterprise at the University of North Carolina, is a world expert on how airports spark economic development. His verdict: the potential of the area between Detroit, Metro and Willow Run "is the greatest in the world."

Kasarda pointed to similar developments that have driven job growth and economic development at Schiphol Airport in Amsterdam, in Dallas-Fort

Worth and on Lantau Island next to the new Hong Kong International Airport.

Wayne County Executive Robert Ficano, who joined officials from Washtenaw County, Belleville, Romulus, Taylor, Ypsilanti and Huron and Van Buren Township, called the Airport City idea "the largest economic development project in the history of Michigan."

Others pointed to the unprecedented cooperation among local authorities, who joined together to foot the bill for the charrette.

Ficano also noted that up to now, "Everybody has been wringing their hands, saying that Airport City is a great idea, but not doing very much. This charrette is a way to get some momentum going, to show a concrete vision of what this area could become in the relatively near future."

Wayne County's top man is exactly right. I came away from the event enthused at the enormous potential — and irritated at the slow pace of progress. I don't understand, for example, why Gov. Jennifer Granholm, facing a tough election campaign that will focus on Michigan's lagging economy, has soft-pedaled her support for the potentially single largest economic development project in our history.

There are a lot of naysayers, of course. One Lansing insider sniffed, "Too many moving parts," while another commented, "It takes for ever to get anything done in Wayne County."

That has been true in the past. But now, with local government officials coming together and exciting development concepts on the drawing board, the ingredients seem in place.

What Airport City needs now is a push from the top to fulfill its enormous potential. Gov. Granholm, your move.

*Phil Power is a longtime observer of politics, economics and education issues in Michigan. He would be pleased to hear from readers at ppower@hcnnet.com.*



Phil Power

### NORTHVILLE RECORD STAFF



Grace Perry - General Manager  
gperry@gannett.com  
(248) 349-1700, ext. 120



David Aguilar - Editor  
daguilar@gannett.com  
(248) 349-1700, ext. 102



Ed Fleming - Acct. Exec.  
efleming@gannett.com  
(248) 349-1700, ext. 118



Maureen Johnston - Staff Writer  
mjohnston@gannett.com  
(248) 349-1700, ext. 103



Victoria Mitchell - Staff Writer  
vmitchell@gannett.com  
(248) 349-1700, ext. 122



Tracy Mishler - Staff Writer  
tmishler@gannett.com  
(248) 349-1700, ext. 107



Sam Eggleston - Sports Writer  
seggleston@gannett.com  
(248) 349-1700, ext. 104



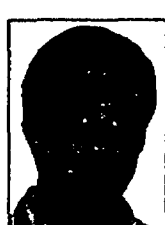
John Heider - Staff Photographer  
jheider@gannett.com  
(248) 349-1700, ext. 106



Marcia Croma - Receptionist  
mcromas@gannett.com  
(248) 349-1700



Karen Whitehart - Receptionist  
kwhitehart@gannett.com  
(248) 349-1700



Billy Fraser - Graphic Designer  
bfraser@gannett.com  
(248) 349-1700, ext. 116

## Carpal Tunnel Syndrome?

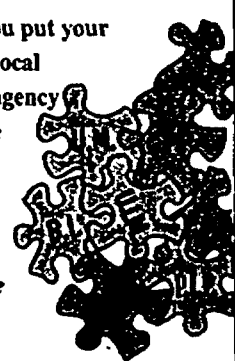
Washington, D.C. — A Carpal Tunnel Syndrome hotline has recently revealed a "missing" location that is often overlooked by many physicians when they diagnose and treat their carpal tunnel and wrist pain. To discover what your doctor may not know about carpal tunnel symptoms, call the carpal tunnel/wrist pain hotline toll-free at 1-800-253-9372 (24 hr. recorded message) or go to [www.freewristpaininfo.com](http://www.freewristpaininfo.com).

**GRAND OPENING**  
Millennium Psychic Readings  
by Susan  
TAROT CARDS • PALMS • SPIRITUAL THERAPY  
AURA CLEANSING  
ADVICE ON LOVE, HEALTH, BUSINESS AND CAREER  
All Readings Private & Confidential  
Available for Private Parties  
Call for an appointment 734-674-7178  
1836 Franklin • Downtown Plymouth

## Puzzled ?

Wish somebody could help you put your car insurance puzzle together? As a local professional independent insurance agency representing Auto-Owners Insurance Company, we're up to the challenge. For peace-of-mind protection and all your insurance needs, contact us today!

**Auto-Owners Insurance**  
Life Home Car Business  
The 40 Problem People



**C. HAROLD BLOOM INSURANCE**  
108 W. Main, Northville  
349-1252

## Michigan Heritage Bank. We mean business.

Managing your small business is hard work.

Managing your small business checking account should not be.

No fees for excess items.  
No fees for excess debits.  
No fees for excess deposits.

No confusion.  
No frustration.  
No headaches.

No matter what.  
End of story.

Call one of our friendly customer service representatives today at  
(248) 538-2525.

Questions? Comments?  
Call us, and we'll respond personally within the same business day. That's our guarantee.

**Farmington Hills**  
Mark Julien  
248.538.2552

**Wixom**  
Bill Vance  
248.465.9584

**Novi**  
Craig Rogers  
248.538.2563

**Macomb County**  
Tim Cuttle  
(586) 677-9955

**Troy**  
Mark Boettcher, J.D.  
248.689.3151

**Livonia**  
Rich Klein  
248.538.2548

**MICHIGAN HERITAGE Bank**  
[www.miheritage.com](http://www.miheritage.com)

Member FDIC Equal Housing Lender

Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the government for a redress of grievances.

-First Amendment to the U.S. Constitution

## Historically speaking!



Photo courtesy of NORTHVILLE HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Children's buildings at the former Northville Sanatorium, circa 1930s.

### Letters to the Editor

We welcome your comments on editorials, columns and other topics important to you in the Northville Record. Only submissions that include name, address and day and evening phone numbers, and that are verified by the Northville Record, can be considered for publication.

Letters to the editor of 400 or fewer words have the best chance of being published. All submissions may be edited for length, accuracy and clarity.

Letters to the editor, opinion and editorial columns, and articles submitted to the Northville Record may be published or distributed in print, electronic or other forms. Letters to the Editor, David Aguilar, Northville Record, 104 W. Main St., Northville, MI 48167. Fax (248) 349-9832. E-mail: [daguilar@nl.homecomm.net](mailto:daguilar@nl.homecomm.net)

## SPORTS EXTRA

## UNDEFEATED!

Mustangs, 14-0, have foes hearing hoof beats



Mustangs cheer their teammates from the bench as they pull ahead of the Canton Chiefs in the third quarter. Northville won, 59-53.

## ■ A numbers game

There's no denying the numbers. The Northville Mustangs boys basketball team has compiled an impressive 14-0 record with a win over Canton Tuesday night, 59-56. Their season performance ties the best-ever start in the school's history.

2005-06 RESULTS

Northville 56, South Lyon 47  
 Northville 50, Milford 38  
 Northville 78, Detroit Chadsey 58  
 Northville 50, Dexter 47  
 Northville 54, Hartland 45  
 Northville 47, Novi 37  
 Northville 70, Livonia Churchill 53  
 Northville 77, WL Northern 40  
 Northville 75, Westland John Glenn 37  
 Northville 47, WL Western 45  
 Northville 61, Livonia Stevenson 43  
 Northville 64, Livonia Franklin 48  
 Northville 65, Wayne Memorial 39  
 Northville 59, Canton 53

REMAINING SCHEDULE

Feb. 10 .....Salem.....7 p.m.  
 Feb. 14 .....WL Central .....7 p.m.  
 Feb. 17 .....Plymouth .....7 p.m.

Home games are bold



Mustangs forward Doug Hasse has his shot blocked by Canton's Steve Paye.



Northville's Bret Spencer has the ball knocked away as he heads to the net during Tuesday night's game.



Chris Lorente elevates for a jump shot.



Brandon Barkoski prepares to take a Canton Chief to the hoop.

Photos by JOHN HEIDER/Northville Record





## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR (CONT'D)

continued from 18A

## Be heart smart

February is American Heart Month and during this time of heart health awareness you may take notice of landmarks, buildings and people in the media going red to support the Go Red For Women movement.

Go Red For Women is the American Heart Association's national call to increase awareness of heart disease — the leading cause of death for women — and to inspire women to take charge of their heart health.

As a survivor of heart disease I feel very lucky to be alive in an age of incredible medical advancements and am grateful to the generous people that have invested in the American Heart Association's research mission all these years.

That's why the Go Red For Women movement is so important to me — because it's personal. So many heart defects go undetected until it's too late. My advice to all women is, know your numbers. Track your blood pressure, cholesterol, glucose and weight and keep

them in a healthy range. Working physical activity into your daily routine is also essential for long-term health.

So, if you haven't been to the doctor recently, make an appointment in February. Women who understand their risks of heart disease, and know the steps to prevent it, are better equipped to avert this serious — and mostly preventable — threat to their health.

Katie McManus  
Northville

## Bond: vote 'no'

Your article (last) week that quotes Joan Wadsworth is disturbing. Your article tries to make the new tax appear modest and not a problem for us taxpayers. We are retired and on fixed incomes. The chart in your article for my house with a market value of just over \$300,000 would be \$374. What part of our food, drugs (now at 6,000 per year) or modest lifestyle would you have us give up so Northville schools can have a \$17 million field house, etc. We think our school dis-

trict and the parents with kids in school here are totally out of touch with many of the rest of us. I also know that as soon as the hospital property is developed the school district will on us for another bond. They never stop and keep coming back at us until we get it right and give them what they want. They have two "no" votes in my house

William G. Gesler  
Northville

## Barn thanks

I was pleased to see the "Raise the Barn" article in the Northville Record. Saving and restoring our historic buildings is so important. This is the year of the barns ... the white barn that sat on Sheldon Road for over a century has found a new home in the Thayer Corners park on Napier Road in Northville Township, thanks to the efforts of Marv Ganz and the support of the Northville Township Board of Trustees.

Now the Windy Acres that used to be on Six Mile Road just east of the hamlet of Salem will be restored

to its former glory. The Salem Historical Society is privileged to have Ken Brock of Brock and Associates as its restorer. Ken has had much experience in both restoring and moving barns. He was the main planner for the moving of the Maybury barns from their location on Napier Road near 11 Mile, and the planner and restorer for the Thayer Corners barn.

Jean Bemish  
Northville

## Bond: vote 'yes'

On Tuesday, Feb. 28, voters will be asked to consider two bond proposals that address the Northville school district's ever-increasing student enrollment. This bond proposal

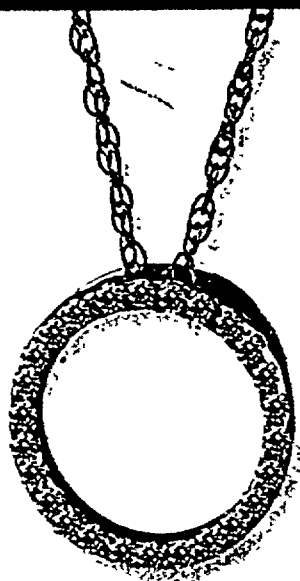
is needed to ensure the continued excellence of our public schools. With the explosion of new housing development that is occurring in the western parts of our district, 600 new elementary-aged students are expected to enter the schools over the next five years. These projections do not include the yet to be determined development of the former state hospital site on Seven Mile Road. The district's six elementary schools are already near or over capacity. Without a new elementary school, our existing schools will become overcrowded and class sizes will become unmanageable.

Without needed upgrades, we cannot expect our school district to continue in the tradition of excellence that has characterized the Northville schools for decades. The high school has outgrown its current

physical education and athletic facilities. The proposed additions, including an indoor track and additional gym and workout space, are needed to meet the increasing demand for physical education classes and extracurricular activities, and are necessary if we hope to make our facilities comparable with those of many other area schools. Our football stadium has not been upgraded or repaired significantly in 17 years and is badly in need of renovation. The request to upgrade the district's transportation facility and other school buildings seems very reasonable, given the explosive growth our community is experiencing. I view all of these enhancements as necessary steps to maintaining a healthy and safe learning

continued on 21A

The only thing better around her neck this Valentine's Day, is a hug.



ORIN  
JEWELERS  
YOUR FAMILY DIAMOND STORE SINCE 1933

CERTIFIED GEMOLOGISTS  
REGISTERED JEWELERS

NORTHVILLE

101 East Main Street at Center  
248.349.6940

GARDEN CITY

29317 Ford Road at Middlebelt  
734.422.7030

www.orinjewelers.com

POPCORNA10054

**10% OFF**  
DISCOUNT COUPON

**Day Care**

Valid 2/9/06 through 3/11/06

Coupon must be presented at time of service. Prior services excluded. Limit one coupon per customer.

**15% OFF**  
DISCOUNT COUPON

**Boarding**

Valid 2/9/06 through 3/11/06

Coupon must be presented at time of service. Prior services excluded. Limit one coupon per customer.

**20% OFF**  
DISCOUNT COUPON

**Grooming**

Valid 2/9/06 through 3/11/06

Coupon must be presented at time of service. Prior services excluded. Limit one coupon per customer.

**Dog Centers of America**

Bed • Bath • Play

16926 Magellan • Wixom, MI 48393 • Tel 248.960.0800 • Fax 248.960.3491 • info@dogcenters.com

★ ★ ★ [www.dogcenters.com](http://www.dogcenters.com) ★ ★ ★

One Great Hospital.  
Two National Awards.



## Diagnostic Treatment that Gets Results.

When you need a diagnostic test, you want it done fast and accurately. At St. Mary Mercy Hospital, our doctors have access to the most up-to-date technology, such as Fast CT Scans, MRI and P.E.T. Scans. And our Primary Emergency Angioplasty that provides life-saving treatment for heart attacks.

Advanced technology like this is why St. Mary Mercy Hospital received HealthGrades 2005 Distinguished Hospital Award for Clinical Excellence™ and the Distinguished Hospital Award for Patient Safety™, one of only 30 hospitals nationwide to receive both of these prestigious awards in the same year.

For diagnostic care that's nationally recognized, come to St. Mary Mercy Hospital. To schedule a diagnostic test, contact your physician or call (734) 655-2961.



**ST. MARY MERCY HOSPITAL**

DIAGNOSTIC SERVICES  
Livonia, MI

Physician Referral  
Call 1.888.464.WELL

[www.stmarymercy.org](http://www.stmarymercy.org)

HealthGrades is a nationally recognized independent healthcare quality company.

GREAT DOCTORS AND NURSES IN YOUR OWN BACKYARD

## Key Optimum Money Market Savings

**4.55%**  
APY\*

for balances of \$50,000 to \$99,999.99

## No teasers, just great rates.

With a Key Optimum Money Market Savings Account, it's not an introductory rate — it's a terrific everyday rate. And whether it's a personal or small business account, you always have easy access to your money. Plus, as an Optimum account holder, you're automatically eligible for our best personal checking account package.

Stop by any KeyCenter, call 1-888-KEY-1234, or visit Key.com



Achieve anything.

\*All annual percentage yields (APY) are accurate as of 01/28/2006 and are subject to change without notice. All interest rates and APYs for all balance tiers are variable and may change at any time after the account is opened. This is a ten-tiered account. At any time interest rates and APYs offered within two or more consecutive tiers may be the same. When this is the case, multiple tiers will be shown as a single tier. As of the date stated above, for Personal and Small Business accounts the APYs and minimum balances are as follows: \$0.01-\$24,999.99, APY is 0.10%; \$25,000.00-\$49,999.99, APY is 4.00%; \$50,000.00-\$99,999.99, APY is 4.55%; \$100,000+, APY is 4.55%. Requires minimum opening deposit of \$25,000.00 from funds not currently on deposit with KeyBank. Fees may reduce the earnings on this account. Public funds are not eligible for this offer. Key reserves the right to limit the sale of Optimum Money Market Savings accounts to small businesses with annual sales of \$10 million or less. Key.com is a federally registered service mark of KeyCorp. ©2006 KeyBank Member FDIC

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR (CONT'D)

continued from 20A

environment for our children. I have known this school board and administration to be hard working and responsible, acting only in the best interest of our kids and community. The board and administrators have done their homework, and their recommendations are backed by considerable research and analysis. Historically, this administration has an excellent financial track record. The community has approved three school bond issues in nine years, and each time the money has been used prudently to protect classroom programs, curriculum, staff, and class sizes in the face of rapid community growth and reductions in state funding. As the population has grown, bond costs have been spread across more taxpayers each year and the burden of

each individual taxpayer has decreased.

My family decided to move to Northville 12 years ago, rather than to a neighboring community, largely because of the excellent reputation of the school system. This reputation is at risk, as is the quality of our kids' education and our real estate values, should voters fail to approve this important school bond proposal. Please vote "yes" on Proposal I and Proposal II on Tuesday, Feb. 28.

Sally Lorimer  
Northville

### Bond: vote 'no'

We must vote "no" to Proposal I. Because of one reason: location, location, location.

Do I support Northville Public

Schools? Yes, Do I think Northville needs another elementary school? Yes. Do I think it is in our town's best interest to build a school next to dump? No.

The Center for Health, Environment and Justice states, "No school should be built within 1,000 feet of a landfill. Children are not little adults, toxins and gases affect them stronger and longer. Among other health issues, there could be an increase in asthma, recurring respiratory illnesses, ADD, lower I.Q., and cancer."

The board of education does not own this land yet, the purchase is part of Proposal I. However, they do own land on Garfield and Eight Mile Road. A much safer location for a new school.

The board of education has conducted Phase I Environmental Testing, which finds a "state haz-

ardous waste site and a leaking underground storage tank." We need answers to questions, including: How big is the storage tank? What is it leaking? Where is it located? What is in the hazardous waste site? Is it still in use? What is being dumped there?

I spoke with the Center for Health, Environment and Justice. The representative said I could quote her in stating, "There is not one single landfill in the country that has not leaked."

We need answers before land is bought and a building is started.

In Webster's, the word community is defined as: a group of people living in a particular local area usually with some common interest.

We need to think not just of ourselves but of our community of students and vote "no" until a more suitable location is found for a

school. I would much rather my child spend a year or two in a portable, than be faced with health issues later in life from the toxins he was exposed to as a child.

Laurie Williams  
Northville Township

### Kiwanis says thanks

On behalf of the Northville Evening and Morning Kiwanis Clubs, I would like to thank the community at large for their support for our Polar Bear Plunge during the Fire and Ice Festival on Saturday, Jan. 28. The crowds were spectacular. Specifically, I would like to thank Mayor Chris Johnson and Township Supervisor Mark Abbo

for their judging of the costumes, the city and township fire dept, Traci Sincok, Chris Klebba and the WaterWheel Health Club for providing the site and use of their facility (an outstanding club and staff), and Andy Genitti for his emcee talent in raising awareness of our purpose for raising additional funds on site. The Northville Record did an outstanding job in covering this event for us and provided an excellent story and pictures of the event and gave our club the exposure we were looking for, thank you. We look forward to this event becoming a regular staple of the Fire and Ice Festival and can only hope for fine weather and seeing Mrs. Doubtfire plunge again next January.

Kristine Wilson,  
President of Evening Kiwanis,  
Northville

# Beautiful YOU



Look Beautiful From Any Angle  
the new  
**Salon Innovations**  
201 South Center  
In the house at S. Center & Cady  
248-449-1966

**SALON MARZEJON**  
A full service salon conveniently located in the heart of Downtown Northville  
Hair Care • Manicures • Pedicures • Facials • Waxing  
First Time Clients -  
Bring in this ad for a FREE Haircut with Dinah or Leza  
Expires March 31, 2006  
**Schwarzkopf L'ORÉAL**  
PROFESSIONAL PROFESSIONNEL  
Hours: Tues. & Thurs. 9-9 Mon. 10-6, Wed. 9-6, Fri. 9-7 Sat. 8-5  
(248) 344-1940  
114 Main Centre, Northville

## Relaxing home setting perfect for Northville's newest salon



Walking into Northville's newest salon, on the corner of Cady and Center, a feeling of calm descends on you. It is home to familiar faces, Donna Thompson and Barbara Sheehy, the owners of Salon Innovations. From the cocoa walls, to the chandelier hanging in the window, Barb and Donna's style presents itself. The partners, who met working side by side at the now-closed Justin York Salon on Main Street, pooled their 30-plus years of experience to start their own business. "We worked so well together in the past," Donna said, "I don't think I could have picked a better partner. Things are working really well here."

Donna and Barb realize the importance of integrating their clients' personalities with the most up-to-date trends. That commitment means a variety of services for women's, men's and children's hair: Master level cutting, dimensional coloring, color correction, Japanese straightening, and special occasion styling.

"Everyone that works here must attend classes" says Barb, who is a L'Oréal educator, "so we can provide our clients with the most updated and innovated hair fashions." The owners believe it is important to learn and keep up on the ever-changing products that are used to create today's styles. Their salon carries a full line of L'Oréal products, including the premium line Serie Expert. You will also find Textureline, Matrix Biolage, and Redken on their shelves, as well as several types of hair accessories. Gift certificates can be purchased for all of these at the reception desk.

Part of the charm of Salon Innovations is its setting in the city's historic district. The 130 year-old house that is home to the salon lends itself to the cozy family atmosphere the staff is dedicated to. "We're friendly," Barb said. "It's just comfortable to be here. We wanted it to feel like somebody's home."

The salon is open every day but Sunday, offering six days for the clients' convenience. "Very few salons are open on Monday," Barb said. "We cater to all ages, anyone who wants to have beautiful hair that's easy to manage," she said. "And we teach our clients how to do their own hair. Personally connecting with visitors is the salon's greatest strength."

### Be On The Winning Team

Margo's is proud to introduce the newest member of our team Sheri Morgan. She brings with her Quality, Integrity, Experience, and an impeccable Personality the whole family will enjoy.

A New You in '06 begins with a "NEW DO".

Sheri offers Color, Cuts, Hilites, Perms, Straightening and much more at affordable prices.

"LET'S DO IT"

10% Off New Clients Only  
Looking Forward to Seeing You

**Margo's**  
of Northville  
Salon & Spa



141 East Cady Northville, MI  
248-348-9130  
1-888-53-MARGO  
www.margossalon.com



If your business is involved in making people more beautiful your ad could be here.

Call Ed Fleming  
at the  
Northville Record.

248-349-1700 x117

# SCHOOL: landfill stirs concern; officials contract more testing

continued from 14A

of Environmental Services Matthew Jerue said groundwater contamination and dangerous levels of methane gas are unlikely.

## Another view

A spokeswoman for the Center for Health, Environment & Justice said under no circumstances should a school be built on top of or within 1,000 feet of a site where hazardous or garbage waste was landfilled, or where disposal of construction and demolition materials occurred.

The Center for Health, Environment & Justice is a Virginia-based environmental organization known for advocating for environmental issues and against schools placed by landfills.

According to center documents, several childhood illnesses are linked to exposures to toxic chemicals, including cancers, learning disabilities, attention disorders, reduced IQ and asthma.

Williams said she does not feel comfortable with the district's Phase I environmental study and needs

## What is methane?

Methane is a natural, combustible gas found commonly in landfills and manure pastures. As compost naturally decomposes, methane gas is emitted.

more testing.

"It is just the wrong thing to do for the entire community," she said. "If Northville is known as the love canal of the midwest, it is going to affect us all."

Northville parent Karen Howe said she is concerned with the appalling appearance of the landfill and the smell.

"I think in the long-term it will affect the property values," she said.

## Next step

School officials said they will continue digging into the condition of the proposed school property.

"This matter is under review due to reaction from segments of the community," said David Bolitho, Northville Public Schools assistant superintendent for administrative services.

School officials contracted CTI and Associates, Inc. to perform a Phase II Environmental Site Assessment on the proposed property.

Jerue said monitoring wells will be installed today or tomorrow to search for methane gas and sample ground water for contamination.

He said the firm should know methane results by Monday and water results by the end of next week.

"We're trying to push it along," he said.

Jerue said air samples are not traditionally taken in a Phase II assessment and will not be conducted at

the site.

Rezmierski said action will be taken after the second assessment is released.

"We are going to follow up and have the board discuss that further before we make a decision. Again with the support and help of the township, we have an option to pur-

chase and that is where we are," he said. "I don't believe we have entered into a bad faith agreement."

Victoria Mitchell can be reached at (248) 349-1700, ext. 122 or [vmitchell@gannett.com](mailto:vmitchell@gannett.com).

## CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE NOTICE TO THE RESIDENTS OF THE SPECIAL LAND USE PUBLIC HEARING

A public hearing will be held on February 28, 2006 at 7:30 p.m. at the Northville Township Municipal Offices, 44405 Six Mile Road, Northville, MI 48168. The Planning Commission will consider a Special Land Use for a drive up pharmacy window at the Meijer store located at Eight Mile & Haggerty Roads.

The public is invited to attend this hearing and provide their comments and ask questions. Written comments regarding the development proposal will be received by the Township Planning Commission, 44405 Six Mile Road, Northville, MI 48168.

(2-9-23-06 NR 266685)

GEORGE MCCARTHY  
PLANNING COMMISSION

## NORTHVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT NORTHVILLE, MICHIGAN NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Northville Public Schools is soliciting sealed bids for the following:

- Installation of three (3) Onan Natural Gas Generators at Hillside Middle School, 775 North Center, Northville, Michigan. Bids should be returned to the Business Office at 501 West Main Street, Northville, Michigan, no later than Monday, February 27, 2006, at 2:00 p.m. A mandatory pre-bid meeting will be held at 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, February 15, 2006, just inside the main entrance at Hillside Middle School.

Bids should be in sealed envelopes clearly marked "Generator Bids". Bid packets are available for pick-up at 501 West Main Street, between 7:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Please contact Chris Geams at (248) 344-8445 if you have any questions.

(2-9-06 NR 266621)

## CITY OF NORTHVILLE - NORTHVILLE HOUSING COMMISSION REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS- LAWN MAINTENANCE ALLEN TERRACE

The City of Northville - Northville Housing Commission requests sealed proposals for the lawn maintenance contract at Allen Terrace.

Proposal details may be received by contacting: Joanne Inglis, Housing Director, 401 High Street, Northville, MI 48167 (248) 349-8030.

An original proposal must be submitted by Thursday, February 23, 2006 at 2:00 p.m. at which time they will be opened and read to: Dianne Massa, City Clerk, 215 West Main Street, Northville, MI 48167. Proposals must be sealed in an envelope marked "Allen Terrace - Lawn Maintenance Proposal". Faxed and emailed proposals will not be considered. The City of Northville reserves the right to accept and/or reject any or all proposals and to waive any irregularities in the proposals that are in the best interest of the City of Northville.

(2-9-06 NR 265922)

JOANNE A. INGLIS, HOUSING DIRECTOR  
DIANNE MASSA, CITY CLERK

## INVITATION FOR BIDS CITY OF NORTHVILLE 116 E. DUNLAP BUILDING DEMOLITION PROJECT

Sealed bids will be received in the City of Northville Council Chambers, City Hall, 215 W. Main Street, Northville, Michigan 48167 until 2:00 p.m. local time on Thursday, February 23, 2006 for a "Building Demolition Contract - 116 E. Dunlap Street."

This project calls for the proper demolition of a 2,600 s.f. commercial building located at 116 E. Dunlap Street along with proper site clearing, filling, gravel placement, and final grading. Contract documents and bid proposals can be obtained by contacting the Northville Department of Public Works at (248) 449-9930.

The City of Northville reserves the right to waive any irregularity or informality in bids, to reject any and/or all bids, in whole or in part, or to award any contract to other than the low bidder, should it be deemed in its best interest to do so.

(2-9-06 NR 266568)

DIANNE MASSA  
CITY CLERK  
JAMES P. GALLOGLY  
DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS

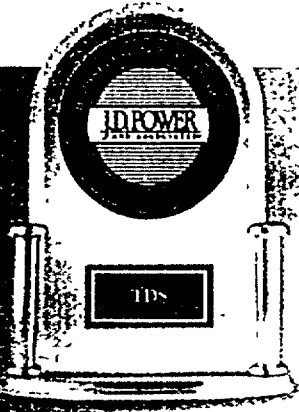
*It's time to dump your current phone company.*

DEAR GIANT  
PHONE COMPANY

*I don't  
Love You  
Anymore!*

**SWITCH TO TDS.** *Feel the love and save.*

**TDS** metrocom  
Clearly different.



Does it feel like something has come between you and your phone provider? Namely, a big fat phone bill. TDS has local phone service starting from \$11.99 per month. You deserve a relationship built on honesty, respect and, of course, a super-low monthly phone bill.

~~\$25.99~~  
**NOW JUST \$11.99**

- Keep your current phone number
- Unlimited local calling
- Caller ID Name & Number
- Call Waiting
- No installation fee
- Long Distance starting at \$3.00 per month

Add high-speed Internet for just \$9.95! Call for details!

Spend less, save more. Call toll free today!

**1-800-490-4933**

Hurry! Offer ends February 28.

\* Offer ends February 28, 2006, and is available in WI and MI only. Promotional price is good for the first six months of a 24-month service agreement, after which the price returns to the regular rate. Early termination incurs fees. Other terms and conditions may apply. Please call for details. Prices apply to new, residential service only and do not include local, state, or Federal taxes or fees associated with the FCC or Emergency 911. Long distance applies to domestic calls to all 50 states. \*\* Requires Caller ID compatible phone—not included. †† Must be a TDS Metrocom voice-service customer to qualify for high-speed Internet. High-speed Internet is a distance-sensitive technology—speeds and availability may vary. Promotional price is good for the first six months of a 24-month service agreement, after which the price returns to the regular rate.

† J.D. Power and Associates 2005 Residential All-Distance Telephone Customer Satisfaction Study. Study conducted among 10,292 customers who receive their local and long distance service from one provider. The North Central Region includes 5 states. [www.jdpower.com](http://www.jdpower.com)

PDF06050007 1A

**Charter One**  
Not your typical bank.®

With Circle Gold Checking you get all this:

**2.00%** APY on checking balances  
**Prime - 1%** VAR APR on Home Equity Lines  
**4.50%** APY 9-month CD

**Banking. Fully Loaded.**

To switch to Circle Gold Checking with Interest, visit any of our 124 Michigan branches or call 1-877-TOP-RATE.

Member FDIC. Circle Gold minimum opening balance is \$50. Checking balances mentioned above refer only to Circle Gold Checking with Interest balances. You may be charged a fee by other banks or financial institutions for use of their ATMs. The \$20 monthly fee is waived with a combined relationship of \$20,000. Annual Percentage Yield (APY) on Circle Checking and Certificate of Deposit is accurate as of this publication date. APY on checking is subject to change without notice. CD offer: Limited-time offer may be withdrawn at any time. Minimum CD opening deposit is \$1,000. Penalty for early withdrawal. Fees, if any, may reduce the earnings on the checking account and certificate of deposit. Home Equity Variable APR based on The Wall Street Journal Prime Rate ("Prime") published on the last business day of the month. Prime minus 1.81% (8.24% APR as of 1/1/06) available for qualifying properties in IL, IN, MI and OH for lines of \$50,000 or more with a loan-to-value (LTV) of 85% or less, with a balance of \$25,000 at closing. These conditions are for applications received between 1/29/06 and 2/1/06 - after 2/1/06, minimum line amount is \$100,000, and in IL, a closing balance of \$50,000, to receive Prime - 1.01%. Circle Checking Account with \$50 minimum opening balance required. Rate and terms may change at any time and vary by property type, loan amount and LTV ratio. Maximum APR 18%, minimum APR 2.5%. Annual fee of \$100 is waived for the first twenty-four (24) months after account activation. Ask a banker how subsequent annual fees may be waived. Not available for homes currently for sale or intended to be sold within six months of closing. Property insurance required. Flood insurance may be required. Trust review fees ranging from \$85 to \$175 apply for properties held in trust. Accounts and services subject to individual approval. If Line of Credit Agreement is canceled within one year of activation, a prepayment fee of \$350 will apply. Consult a tax adviser regarding deductibility of interest. See a banker for details. © Equal Housing Lender.



# Happy Valentine's Day

## Flowers of Novi

Local & worldwide delivery  
Corporate accounts are welcome

Let Our Designers Dazzle  
Her with A High Style  
Tropical Arrangement



Starting  
**\$59.99**  
and up



TeleFlora's MOULON ROUGE BOUQUET  
Six Red Roses, Misty Blue Lilies, Million Star Gypsophila  
& Assorted Greens Accented with a band of  
Clear Rhinestones and a Red Heart

**\$59.99**

Order Early  
to Guarantee  
Availability

### The Works

One Dozen Premium Roses Bound A  
Water Packed with Bubble Wrap, Greenery,  
A Bow and a Large Chocolate Box

**\$54.99**

Wire orders excluded. No limit. Must present  
coupon at time of purchase. Not to be com-  
bined with any other offer. Expires 2/28/06

### One Dozen Premium Long Stem Roses

Including Greenery

**\$39.99**

Wire orders excluded. No limit. Must present  
coupon at time of purchase. Not to be com-  
bined with any other offer. Expires 2/28/06

### \$5.00 Off

Any Valentine's  
Day Arrangement  
over \$30

Wire orders excluded. No limit. Must present  
coupon at time of purchase. Not to be com-  
bined with any other offer. Expires 2/28/06

**24261 Novi Rd. • Pine Ridge Center**

(Just North of 10 Mile Rd.)

Novi • 48375 • 248.380.8250

Hrs: M-F 9-6, Sat 9-3 Closed Sun.

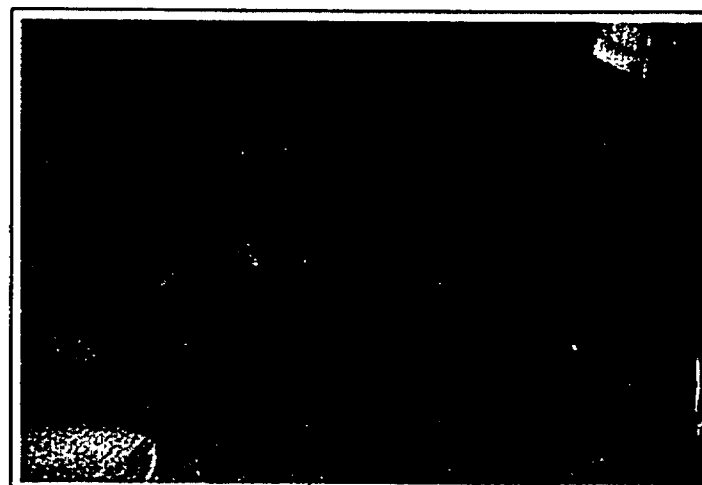
Shop for flowers on our website 24 hours a day - 7 days a week [www.flowersofnovi.com](http://www.flowersofnovi.com)

Everyone has a charge at Flowers of Novi simply phone and use your



## GINA AGOSTA

HAIRCOLOR-DESIGN & SPA



## VALENTINE'S DAY GIFT CARDS AVAILABLE ONLINE

## MASSAGE

### Physical Benefits of Massage Therapy

Helps relieve stress and aids relaxation  
Helps relieve muscle tension and stiffness  
Improves circulation of blood  
Enhances the health and nourishment of skin

### Mental Benefits of Massage Therapy

Fosters peace of mind  
Promotes a relaxed state of mental alertness  
Enhances capacity for calm thinking and creativity

### Emotional Benefits

Satisfies needs for caring nurturing touch  
Fosters a feeling of well-being  
Reduces levels of anxiety

BEST MASSAGE - 2006  
Best of Citysearch  
Citysearch.com

BEST SALON IN NOVI  
People's Choice Winner 2005  
Novi News

248.477.2266

[WWW.AGOSTA.COM](http://WWW.AGOSTA.COM)

39831 Grand River Ave. Novi, MI 48375

## Salon Agape

AN AVEDA CONCEPT SALON

For the one you love  
on Valentine's Day

### AGAPE GIFT CERTIFICATES

Specially priced gift packages

or

"Pure Privilege" Certificates  
in any \$\$ amount

to be redeemed for any service or product

Manicures, Pedicures, Facials, Massage,

Reflexology, Body Treatments

A Gift of exquisite Relaxation and Nurturing

## Salon Agape

43155 Mainstreet Suite 310

Novi, Michigan

248-735-1584

An Aveda Concept Salon

[www.salonagape.com](http://www.salonagape.com)

## Diamond Castle Jewelers

Voted #1 Jewelry Store - People's Choice 2005  
Jewelry Repair on premises. Watch Repair Available.



Heart Bracelet 14k white & Rose gold

**\$279.99**



SWAROVSKI

Matte White Crystal  
from Swarovski Silver Crystal  
1165

Large  
selection of  
EGL & GIA  
Certified  
Diamonds

Real Roses  
Dipped in Gold  
"The rose that  
lasts forever"  
**\$59.99**

DISCOVER THE MAGIC OF CRYSTAL  
[www.swarovski.com](http://www.swarovski.com)

**20% Off**

All in Stock

Swarovski Crystals

With coupon expires 3-31-06

**30% Off**

All in Stock Retired

Swarovski Crystals


With coupon expires 3-31-06

39555 Grand River Ave • Novi

248-442-2440


[www.diamondcastlejewelers.com](http://www.diamondcastlejewelers.com)

# Happy Valentine's Day



**Tri Colore**

- 18K White, Yellow & Rose Gold
- Fine pave White Diamonds
- Pink & Yellow Sapphire



**FÉRAUD**  
PARIS

Exclusively at  
**Goldsmith Galleries**  
101 MainCentre, Downtown Northville  
248-380-8430

**Larson Jewelry Design**



**PANDORA**  
Jewelry  
Largest in stock selection in the state!

**BRIDAL MASTERS**  
Hours:  
Mon.-Sat. 9am-5pm  
Thurs. 9am-7pm

**Come Meet:**  
Brian J. Larson G.G.(GIA) Graduate Gemologist, Jeweler  
Nancy Larson A.J.P. (GIA) Jewelry Professional  
Angelina M. Larson G.G. (GIA) Graduate Gemologist

43155 Main St. Suite 304 • Novi, MI 48375 • (248) 347-4653

**We Have a Fresh New Look!**



**Let Us Give You One Tool!**

- ♥ Complimentary Haircut  
with a color service on your first visit

**OR**

- ♥ Complimentary Manicure  
with a facial on your first visit

Offer good through February 2006

**Maria Cisar**  
salon & spa

43536 West Oaks Dr.  
Next to Kohl's • Novi  
248-348-3544

**Tirami Su**  
RISTORANTE ITALIANO

**For a Romantic Valentine's Day**  
Make Your Reservations Now!

- Excite Your Senses
- Live Music
- Romantic Setting



146 South Center St.  
Downtown Northville  
(248) 735-0101

Experienced Waiters & Waitresses wanted

## WHAT'S GOING ON (CONT'D)

continued from 15A

### Junior Books, Chat and Chow

DATE: Wednesday, Feb. 22  
TIME: 4:15 p.m.  
DETAILS: This program is for fourth and fifth grade students. It will include snacks and discussing the book, "The Library Card" by Jerry Spinelli. To register, call (248) 349-3020.

### Valentine Craft

DATE: Today  
TIME: 4-5 p.m.  
DETAILS: Designed for children of all ages to make a valentine beaded heart or heart picture frame for someone special. Children ages 5 and younger must attend with a caregiver. No registration required.

### Dance Competition

DATE: Saturday, Feb. 11  
TIME: noon  
DETAILS: Teens are invited to this dance competition. Prizes will be awarded. Registration is required. CONTACT: (248) 349-3020

### Adult Book Discussion

DATE: Monday  
TIME: 7 p.m.  
DETAILS: "Lucy" by Jamaica Kincaid, will be discussed.

### Variety Show

DATE: Wednesday  
TIME: 3 p.m.  
DETAILS: Vikki Gasko's Fun Variety Show includes ventriloquism, laughter, silliness, magic and audience participation for all ages. One hundred free tickets will be available at the information desk five minutes prior to the program. Tickets not available in advance.

### Sudan: War In Darfur

DATE: Tuesday  
TIME: 6:45 p.m.  
DETAILS: The Northville/Novi American Association of University Women (AAUW) invites participants to come and discuss foreign policy topics. At the conclusion, opinion ballots are distributed, information gathered will be presented to the White House, Department of Defense and U.S. Congress. CONTACT: Beth Ann Knisely, (248) 305-8992

### Ireland Presentation

DATE: Wednesday  
TIME: 7 p.m.  
DETAILS: Tour guide, Kathy Thornton will present slides of castles, towns and historic sites of Ireland. The program is free but space is limited. CONTACT: To register, call (248) 349-3020

### Friends Store

DETAILS: The Friends Store, located inside the library, offers a variety of gifts for all ages. All proceeds benefit the library.

### Book Donations

DETAILS: Used books and materials are needed by the Friends of the Library. The library adds to the collection and donates the rest to the Friends for sale, with proceeds benefiting the library. Donations are tax deductible. If you need assistance unloading books from your car, call (248) 349-3020 in advance to make arrangements.

### Library Board of Trustee Meetings

DATE: Fourth Thursday of every month  
TIME: 7:30 p.m.  
DETAILS: Public is welcome.

### Church Events

#### St. Paul Lutheran Church, Northville

CONTACT: (248) 349-3140

#### Book Study Groups

DETAILS: These groups will be studying the best selling book "Purpose Driven Life" by Rick Warren during Lent. Books will be available through the church. Study groups will meet at various homes in Northville, Novi, South Lyon and Plymouth. Contact the church for information on dates, times and locations.

#### First Presbyterian Church of Northville

LOCATION: 200 E. Main St.

#### Single Place Ministry

DATE: Thursday  
TIME: 7:30-9 p.m.  
DETAILS: This includes a series of "Divorce Recovery" and "Living Beyond Divorce" workshops. CONTACT: (248) 349-0911

For a complete listing including Parks and Recreation activities, visit online at [www.northvillerecord.com](http://www.northvillerecord.com)

(248) 347-3525

#### First United Methodist Church

LOCATION: 777 W. Eight Mile Road

#### Healing Service

DATE: First Monday of every month  
TIME: 4 p.m.  
CONTACT: (248) 349-1144

#### Grief Support Group

DATE: Fourth Monday of every month  
TIME: 7-8:30 p.m.  
DETAILS: New Hope Center for Grief Support is offering this support group to those who have lost a loved one to suicide. No registration is necessary. CONTACT: New Hope Center for Grief Support, (248) 348-0115 or [www.newhopecenter.net](http://www.newhopecenter.net)

### Senior Events

Thursday, Feb. 9  
9 a.m.: Taking Off Pounds Sensibly  
12:30 p.m.: Pinochle  
1 p.m.: Tai Chi  
By appointment: Massage  
By appointment: Taxes  
Friday, Feb. 10  
10 a.m.: Strength Training  
11:30 a.m.: Computer II  
1 p.m.: Movie: Flight Plan  
By appointment: Massage  
Monday, Feb. 13  
10 a.m.: Line Dancing  
10 a.m.: Oxyze I  
11 a.m.: Oxyze II  
12:30 p.m.: Pinochle  
12:30 p.m.: Euchre  
1 p.m.: Computer I  
Tuesday, Feb. 14  
10 a.m.: Heart Truth  
10 a.m.: Blood Pressure Checks and Glucose Checks  
11:30 a.m.: Valentine's Luncheon, pre-registration req.  
noon: Rummy  
12:30 p.m.: Pinochle  
1 p.m.: Computers I  
Wednesday, Feb. 15  
10 a.m.: Oxyze Level I  
10:30 a.m.: Aging Wisdom for Ageless Living  
11 a.m.: Oxyze Level II  
noon: Bridge  
1 p.m.: Computer II  
1 p.m.: Corn Hole Game

### Board Games

DATE: Tuesday, ongoing  
TIME: 1 p.m.  
LOCATION: Senior Community Center, 303 W. Main St.  
CONTACT: (248) 349-4140

### Ongoing Card Games Bridge

TIME/DAY: noon-3:30 p.m., Wednesday

#### Pinochle (double deck)

TIME/DAY: 12:30-4:30 p.m., Monday and Thursday

#### Pinochle (single deck)

TIME/DAY: 12:30-3:30 p.m., Friday

#### Euchre

TIME/DAY: 12:30 p.m., Monday  
LOCATION: Senior Community Center, 303 W. Main St.

### Healthy Walking

DATE: Monday through Friday  
TIME: 8-10 a.m.  
LOCATION: Senior Community Center gym, 303 W. Main St.

### Computer Courses

TIME/DAY: 1-3 p.m., Tuesday

and Thursday, Beginning Computers I: 1-3 p.m., Wednesday and 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m., Friday, Intermediate Computers II  
LOCATION: Library, 212 W. Cady St.  
CONTACT: (248) 349-4140

### Mill Race Historical Village

LOCATION: Griswold Avenue, north of Main Street, near Ford Field  
CONTACT: (248) 348-1845  
Thursday, Feb. 9: Archives open, 9 a.m.; Service Unit B Scouts, 9:30 a.m.; Brownie Scout Meeting, 3:45 p.m., Cub Scout Meeting, 6:45 p.m.  
Friday, Feb. 10: Archives open, 9 a.m.; Brownie Scout Meeting, 4 p.m.; Rehearsal, 6 p.m.  
Saturday, Feb. 11: Wedding, 4:15-6:15 p.m.  
Sunday, Feb. 12: Mill Creek Church, 10 a.m.; Heirloom Rug Hookers, 1 p.m.  
Monday, Feb. 13: Northville Garden Club, 11 a.m.; Lions' Club, 6:30 p.m.  
Tuesday, Feb. 14: Stone Gang, 9 a.m.; Cub Scout Meeting, 6 p.m.  
Thursday, Feb. 15: Archives open, 9 a.m.; Brownie Scout Meeting, 3:30 p.m., Northville Historical Society Board Meeting, 7 p.m.  
\*Grounds closed to public

# Get the answers to your Medicare Questions

## Where can I find an affordable Medicare Advantage plan?

Imagine getting more for less. With HAP's Medicare Advantage plans, you get all your Medicare-covered benefits:

- + enhanced health care benefits
- + your choice of prescription drug plans subject to limitations
- + worldwide emergency coverage \$50 copay for Medicare-covered services

All for less money than you probably pay for health care now! That's the HAP advantage.

Starting as low as **\$20**/mo

**Doris Biscoe**

Former TV News Anchor  
HAP Spokesperson\*

powered by



Health Alliance Plan (HAP) and Alliance Health and Life Insurance Company each have a Medicare contract with the federal government. To take advantage of these plans, you must continue to pay your Medicare Part B Premium.

**1-800-651-3525, TTY/TTD 1-313-664-8000**

PPO is a product of Alliance Health and Life Insurance Company, a wholly owned subsidiary of Health Alliance Plan. PPO is powered by HAP.

\*Paid spokesperson; Doris Biscoe is powered by HAP.

**www.hap.org**

H2312 H2322 604NP

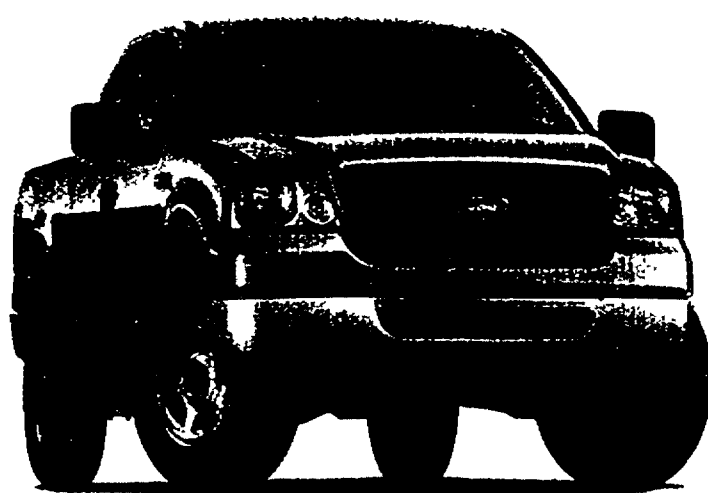


# YOUR SUBURBAN FORD DEALERS



## WILL MAKE YOUR FIRST PAYMENT

## AND WAIVE YOUR SECURITY DEPOSIT\*

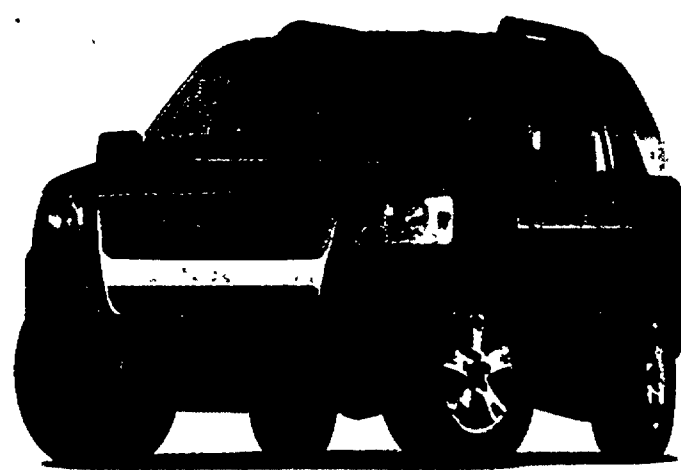


Eligible Ford Employees can Lease a 2006 F-150 SC 4x4 XLT

For as low as **\$127** A month(1) with a 24 month low mileage Red Carpet Lease \*

With \$3,095 customer cash due at signing.

Includes acquisition fee; security deposit waived. Excludes tax, title and license fee. Cash due is after \$2,500 cash back.

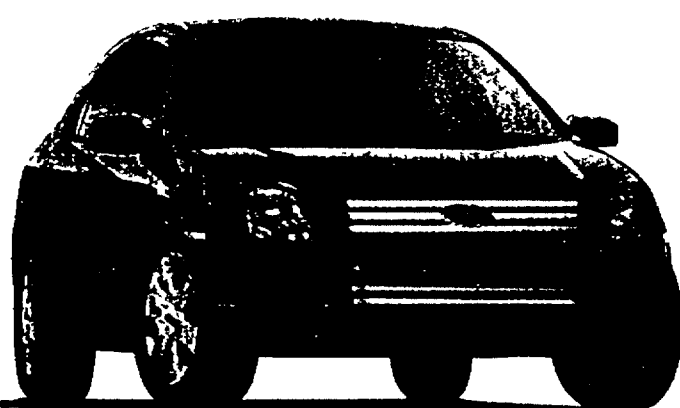


Eligible Ford Employees can Lease a 2006 Explorer XLT 4x4

For as low as **\$189** A month(1) with a 24 month low mileage Red Carpet Lease \*

With \$2,795 customer cash due at signing.

Includes acquisition fee; security deposit waived. Excludes tax, title and license fee. Cash due is after \$3500 cash back.



Eligible Ford Employees can Lease a 2006 Ford Fusion SE

For as low as **\$159** A month(1) with a 24 month low mileage Red Carpet Lease \*

With \$2,870 customer cash due at signing.

Includes acquisition fee; security deposit waived. Excludes tax, title and license fee. Cash due is after \$1000 cash back.



Eligible Ford Employees can Lease a 2006 Escape XLT fwd

For as low as **\$186** A month(1) with a 24 month low mileage Red Carpet Lease \*

With \$3,095 customer cash due at signing.

Includes acquisition fee; security deposit waived. Excludes tax, title and license fee. Cash due is after \$1000 cash back.



**SUBURBAN  
FORD DEALERS**  
OPEN SATURDAYS

## TAKE A RIDE IN A FORD...

(1) Not all buyers will qualify for Ford Credit Red Carpet Lease. Payments may vary; All payment examples are for Current Ford Employee and eligible family member Lessees. Residency restrictions apply. \* First payment up to \$500.00 and security deposit waived. For special lease terms, RCL Cash and FMCC bonus cash, take new retail delivery from dealer stock by 2/28/2006. Supplies are limited, not all dealers will have all featured models. See dealer for complete details. Customers must finance through Ford Credit.

# HINES PARK FORD

I-96 at Milford Rd.

248-437-6700



## OPEN SATURDAYS



**Signing day**  
The Northville Mustangs soccer team hasn't even started playing yet and they already have six athletes headed to college to play next year.  
— Page 3B



Regional Marketplace — Page 8B

**Basketball blog**  
Northville Mustangs forward Steve Clark has been blogging to give Record readers an inside look at the undefeated basketball team.  
— Page 4B



# RECORD SPORTS

www.northvillerecord.com

Thursday, February 9, 2006

NORTHVILLE RECORD, PAGE B1

## WIN FUEGO

### Undefeated Mustangs on fire

■ Alvin Storrs helps Northville keep fans on their feet, in the bleachers

By Sam Eggleston  
RECORD SPORTS WRITER

**J**unior captain Alvin Storrs felt the ball slip as he launched himself into the air and his heart scurried into his throat.

He was in midair, fully extended with a basketball raised above him, ready to dunk. It wasn't something he'd done in a game before, but when the opportunity presented itself against Livonia Stevenson he decided to bring the crowd to their feet.

"It was an intense game and I was trying to figure out a way to boost the team," Storrs said, a 6-foot-2-inch Mustangs point guard. "We had to win that one. It was at home."

Storrs thought about trying to do something to incite the crowd prior to tip-off as he looked at the packed stands. When a pass from a Stevenson player was within arms reach he stole it and sprinted down the court on a fast break.

"I knew I was going to try to dunk," Storrs said of the fleeting moments between the steal and the finish. "I didn't know if I was going to make it or not, but I was going to try."

And then he felt it slip. His fingers grazed the rim and he hit the hardwood.

The crowd went wild.

"I think I was more surprised than the crowd was," Storrs said. "I didn't think it went in."

#### Lucky, or just plain good?

Storrs was goaded into his first dunk.

As a sophomore, the day after Northville's season came to a close, he was shooting hoops with fellow standout Chris Lorente in the school gymnasium.

A little friendly teasing pushed him to test his limits.

"Chris was yelling at me, telling me I couldn't dunk,"

Storrs said. "He was embarrassing me in front of the whole gym. So I did it just to prove him wrong."

Since then, Storrs has tested his vertical limits on several occasions, but never during a contest.

He said it's not a big part

continued on 5B

More basketball  
coverage, pages  
2B and 4B

### MUSTANGS

#### POINTS

v. South Lyon	56
Milford	50
Chadsey	76
Dexter	50
Hartland	54
Novi	47
Churchill	70
WL Northern	77
John Glenn	75
WL Western	47
Stevenson	61
Franklin	64
Wayne	65

#### STORRS POINTS

v. South Lyon	10
Milford	22
Chadsey	28
Dexter	15
Hartland	11
Novi	11
Churchill	19
WL Northern	17
John Glenn	16
WL Western	16
Stevenson	22
Franklin	25
Wayne	21

© Northville Mustangs Basketball Association

By the numbers

15

The largest shoe size worn by any player on Northville's hoop team.

2

Number of players on Northville's team that wear that size shoe.

13-0

Northville's record to date after beating Wayne Memorial last Friday.

4

Class A teams left in Michigan with an unblemished basketball record.

2

Games won this year by the cage squad on last-second shots by Campy Smith.

1962

Last year the Northville cage team went undefeated in the regular season.

Feb. 14

The day the Mustangs will host Walled Lake Central and hope to pack their gym.

# UNSTOPPABLE!

## Mustangs cruise past more foes, now 13-0

By Sam Eggleston  
RECORD SPORTS WRITER

There are few things Northville basketball coach Darrel Schumacher hasn't achieved in his career.

As a football coach he went to the state playoffs, earned an All-Star coaching nod and coached and All-American. As a basketball coach, he's seen ups and downs and now a lot of success, but Wayne Memorial had always eluded him as a coaching victory.

Now, that's another check in the box.

The Mustangs rumbled past the Zebras last Friday, blowing the doors off the gym with a 65-39 whipping.

"We played really well," Alvin Storrs said, a junior guard and captain. "I'm just proud to be a part of this team."

Not that Storrs didn't have a hand in the victory, hitting 21 points to tie with Wayne's Justin Collop as the game's top scorer.

Northville took charge of the contest early, leading 18-5 at the end of a first quarter closed out with a Campy Smith lay-up. The second quarter wasn't much different as they jumped out to a 39-14 difference heading into the locker room.

The defense came out strong in the first half, led by seniors Chris Lorente, Nick Kaldis, Brandon

Barkoski, Doug Hasse, Smith and Steve Clark.

In the second half, fresh legs were being substituted by Northville, which didn't make much of a difference as the Mustangs held their 25-point advantage by the end of the third stanza, 50-25. Northville ended the game with 15 more points in the fourth while Wayne added 14.

Smith tied his season-high with 11 points in the game while Kaldis notched seven along with Andrew Manor. Lorente collected six points while Brad Birdsall and Phil Snow had three each. Barkoski, Spencer and Mike Rogers had two points and Clark added one in the winning effort.

The Mustangs climbed to 13-0 on the season, tying the school's best start attributed back to the 1962 team that went to the state semifinals before losing to River Rouge. A notable on that team included All-American athlete Steve Juday.

Northville is one of just four class A schools without a loss so far this season.

### Mustangs toppled Patriots

In the first seven minutes, the Northville Mustangs looked as though they were going to have their hands full with the Livonia Franklin Patriots as they stood

6-6. A few minutes later, they actually trailed, 20-17. When the second half started, they found their feet and galloped to an impressive 64-48 victory over their division rivals.

"We've had to rely on our defense a few times this year," said Northville coach Darrel Schumacher. "Thankfully we play as a team and we're able to overcome slow starts."

The Northville Mustangs highlighted their defensive efforts in the game when Brad Birdsall, a 5-foot-10-inch senior, blocked Franklin's Jeremy Peer, standing at 6-3. The block went into the stands, drawing a boisterous cheer from the student section.

Leading the Mustangs in the contest was Alvin Storrs, who scored 25, including going 5-for-5 from the free-throw line. The junior guard has nearly 18 points per game.

Senior Chris Lorente added 11 points in the victory while Campy Smith added 10, Nick Kaldis had six, Bret Spencer notched five, Mike Rogers earned four and Doug Hasse scored two. Birdsall rounded out the scoring with a free-throw.

Andrew Bell led Franklin with 16 points.

Sam Eggleston can be reached at (248) 349-1700, ext. 104 or at seggleston@gannett.com.

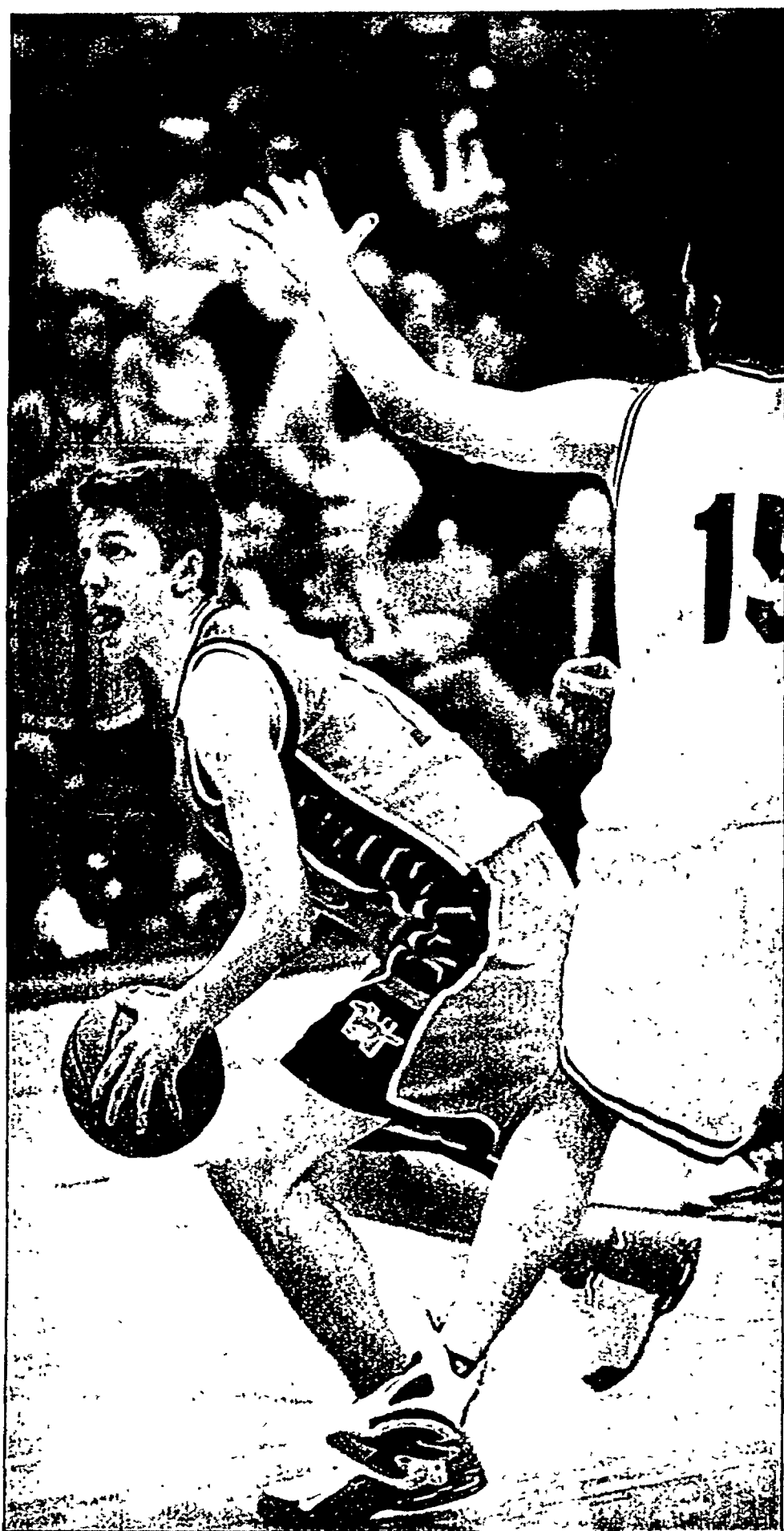


Photo by LYNN KIRKPATRICK

Andrew Manor looks for an opening for a jump shot against Wayne.

## Mustangs finding improvement

By Sam Eggleston  
RECORD SPORTS WRITER

The Northville Mustangs cheerleading team can officially say they've competed against some of the best teams and put up a good fight.

The squad earned 573.90 points in the Livonia Ladywood Invitational to finish ahead of Port Huron and just behind a tough Chippewa Valley team. Taking first was Novi, a consistent state contender, and Bedford finished second followed by Franklin and Stevenson.

The Mustangs earned 159.5 points in their first round of competition before adding 154.9. The Mustangs were in last place until the third round when they wowed the judges to move ahead in the final standings with 259.5 points.

### Swimmers earn another win

Rich Bennetts should be one

happy coach.

His Northville Mustangs swimming and diving team didn't have to bring out the big guns to decimate Livonia Franklin last week, sinking the Patriots with ease.

The squad used the talents of swimmers like Greg Sheppard, Jack Temple, Mark Stuber, Joe Kargula and Colin Smith. Chris Folas, Jon Bardsley and Jake Lane all contributed in big ways to the victory as well.

### Gymnasts rolling along

The Northville-Novis gymnastics team knew heading into their dual meet with Livonia it was going to be a tough match, especially without Julie Foucher, an all-around gymnast who was out with an injury.

The Wild 'Stangs put up a good fight but couldn't edge Livonia, falling 146.85-139.8.

Leading the way for the team on the vault was Jacqueline Gazette with an 8.9 while Megan

Wallen and Lauren Duda each collected an 8.65. Amy Reynolds, a freshman, earned an 8.9 on the bars while Sarah Ilkhani-Pour and Gazette each earned an 8.8.

On the beam, Emma Platt scored a 9.15 while Ilkhani-Pour collected an 8.45 and Wallen notched an 8.35. Rachel Deneau led on the floor, scoring a 9.45 while Gazette had a 9.1 and Ilkhani-Pour notched 8.7.

All-around contributors were Gazette with 35.15 while Platt had a 34.3 and Ilkhani-Pour collected a 34.1.

The Wild 'Stangs then competed in the Canton Invitational where they finished seventh — just 1.1 points out of third place.

On the vault, Gazette showcased her abilities with a 9.1 while Wallen earned an 8.95 and Platt scored an 8.8. On the bars, Reynolds took fifth overall and scored a 9.3 while Ilkhani-Pour notched a 9.175 and Gazette scored a 9.1, which was good for fourth overall in Division II

standings. Reynolds scored a 9.1 on the beam, seventh overall, while Wallen earned a 9.05 and Deneau an 8.95. On the floor, Deneau had an 8.9 while Ilkhani-Pour scored an 8.65 and Wallen notched an 8.525.

It wasn't a great week for the Wild 'Stangs in terms of bad news. The team learned Foucher didn't sprain her foot, instead breaking a bone. The senior will miss the remainder of the sea-

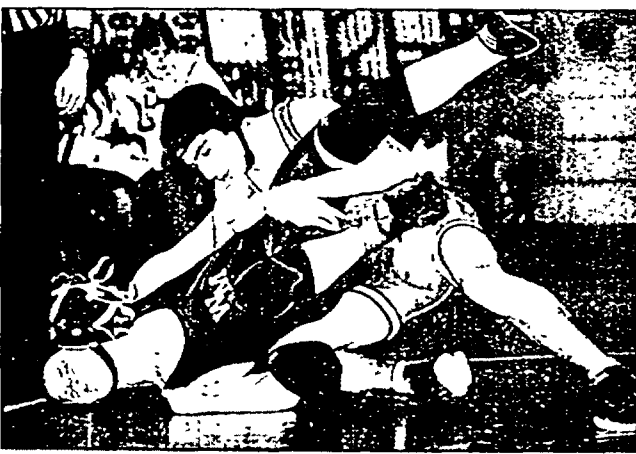
son, but she has said she is committed to supporting the team at the remaining meets as well as when they qualify for states in early March.

### Wrestlers showcase ability

The Northville Mustangs wrestling team showcased their ability in the Dexter Invitational with some big wins. The team upended Ann Arbor Pioneer, 47-

24, before beating Dexter, 51-37, and Lahser, 51-22. The team also took tough losses against Chelsea and Ida and in a dual meet against rival Walled Lake Western.

Some of the highlights include Jonny D'Anna's 18-2 decision against Pioneer, D'Anna's pin against Dexter, Bagian's pin against Dexter and Brian Dulzo's 6-3 decision against Lahser.



Submitted photo

Wrestler Joe Gholami takes down his opponent

**TODAY TRY SOMETHING ROMANTIC, SOMETHING SEXY, SOMETHING TRUE...**

**"SOMETHING RARE! GOOD-NATURED, INTELLIGENT AND HUMOROUS!**  
Sweet and funny supporting roles are filled out by an uncommonly good cast."

**"A SEXY, STYLISH TREAT!"**

Sanaa Simon Mike Blair and Arie  
LATHAN BAKER EPPS UNDERWOOD WOODARD

**something new**

Romantic comedy with a whole lot of drama.

**GET A TASTE OF THE SEASON'S MOST IRRESISTIBLE ROMANTIC COMEDY!**

<p>Bedford Avenue RENOVATED EAST CHINA 2000 1st St. N. Bedford 313-946-7500</p> <p>Phonix Theatre 800-488-0000 800-488-0000</p> <p>Phonix Theatre 800-488-0000 800-488-0000</p> <p>Phonix Theatre 800-488-0000 800-488-0000</p> <p>Phonix Theatre 800-488-0000 800-488-0000</p>	<p>Phonix Theatre 800-488-0000 800-488-0000</p> <p>Phonix Theatre 800-488-0000 800-488-0000</p> <p>Phonix Theatre 800-488-0000 800-488-0000</p> <p>Phonix Theatre 800-488-0000 800-488-0000</p> <p>Phonix Theatre 800-488-0000 800-488-0000</p>	<p>Phonix Theatre 800-488-0000 800-488-0000</p> <p>Phonix Theatre 800-488-0000 800-488-0000</p> <p>Phonix Theatre 800-488-0000 800-488-0000</p> <p>Phonix Theatre 800-488-0000 800-488-0000</p> <p>Phonix Theatre 800-488-0000 800-488-0000</p>
---	---	---

Will Ferrell Drew Barrymore Original Songs by Jack Johnson

**Show Me The Monkey!**

**Curious George**

**STARTS FRIDAY**

<p>AMC FORUM 30 11:00 PM 11:00 PM</p> <p>AMC SAN GREG 20 11:00 PM 11:00 PM</p> <p>AMC SAN GREG 20 11:00 PM 11:00 PM</p> <p>AMC SAN GREG 20 11:00 PM 11:00 PM</p> <p>AMC SAN GREG 20 11:00 PM 11:00 PM</p>	<p>AMC SAN GREG 20 11:00 PM 11:00 PM</p> <p>AMC SAN GREG 20 11:00 PM 11:00 PM</p> <p>AMC SAN GREG 20 11:00 PM 11:00 PM</p> <p>AMC SAN GREG 20 11:00 PM 11:00 PM</p> <p>AMC SAN GREG 20 11:00 PM 11:00 PM</p>	<p>AMC SAN GREG 20 11:00 PM 11:00 PM</p> <p>AMC SAN GREG 20 11:00 PM 11:00 PM</p> <p>AMC SAN GREG 20 11:00 PM 11:00 PM</p> <p>AMC SAN GREG 20 11:00 PM 11:00 PM</p> <p>AMC SAN GREG 20 11:00 PM 11:00 PM</p>
---	--	--

**"FLAT OUT HILARIOUS."**  
STEVE MARTIN IS INCREDIBLE!

**"A WONDERFULLY FUNNY COMIC GEM."**

STEVE MARTIN  
KEVIN KLINE  
BEYONCE KNOWLES

**THE PINK PANTHER**

**STARTS FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10**

<p>Phonix Theatre 800-488-0000 800-488-0000</p> <p>Phonix Theatre 800-488-0000 800-488-0000</p> <p>Phonix Theatre 800-488-0000 800-488-0000</p> <p>Phonix Theatre 800-488-0000 800-488-0000</p> <p>Phonix Theatre 800-488-0000 800-488-0000</p>	<p>Phonix Theatre 800-488-0000 800-488-0000</p> <p>Phonix Theatre 800-488-0000 800-488-0000</p> <p>Phonix Theatre 800-488-0000 800-488-0000</p> <p>Phonix Theatre 800-488-0000 800-488-0000</p> <p>Phonix Theatre 800-488-0000 800-488-0000</p>	<p>Phonix Theatre 800-488-0000 800-488-0000</p> <p>Phonix Theatre 800-488-0000 800-488-0000</p> <p>Phonix Theatre 800-488-0000 800-488-0000</p> <p>Phonix Theatre 800-488-0000 800-488-0000</p> <p>Phonix Theatre 800-488-0000 800-488-0000</p>
---	---	---



# Aloha!

■ Northville's Vanessa Bailey earns scholarship to University of Hawaii



Photo courtesy of STEVE FECHT

Vanessa Bailey signs her letter of intent to play soccer with the University of Hawaii Rainbow Warriors.

By Sam Eggleston  
RECORD SPORTS WRITER

Vanessa Bailey felt the tropical sun beating down on her and she smiled.

It was paradise and it was going to be her future home.

The Northville senior soccer standout earned a scholarship offer from the University of Hawaii and last Wednesday sealed the contract with the signing of a national letter of intent.

"She was looking at some different California schools and then she took a visit to Hawaii," said her father, Terry. "She called and said that was where she was going to school."

The Rainbow Warriors, known as the Rainbow Wahine to islanders, first saw Bailey while she was subbing for a club team from Livonia. During a game at a southern tournament, Bailey scored two goals in the first half as a forward. Hawaii coach Pinsoom Tenzing happened to be watching.

At the time, Bailey was talking with schools like Pepperdine, San Diego State, University of California-Riverside and U-C Santa Barbara.

"I always wanted to play on the West Coast and I thought I'd go to California," Bailey said. "When Hawaii contacted me, I went out for a visit and I realized it was a better fit than any

of the California schools."

At Hawaii, Bailey is expected to play forward and come in vying for playing time. She said one of the team's top forwards will graduate this year.

"Vanessa is tactically sound and very visible up front," Tenzing said. "She is in constant motion the entire game and we hope to exploit that."

## Beyond high school

Bailey is the perfect example of how well club programs can work for soccer players.

A member of the prestigious Michigan Hawks, Bailey made a name for herself by helping the Hawks to four-straight State Cup championships and was a national championship runner-up. She was selected to the All-Tournament team for the Super Y League Championships

## Family tradition

Heading off to college to play sports is nothing new to Vanessa Bailey's father, Terry.

Terry Bailey was a two-time All-American basketball player for the University of North Texas and was a selection in the 1976 draft by the Kansas City Kings before going to play in Europe.

and was part of the Michigan Olympic Development Program from 2001-04.

"The Hawks have done a lot for me," Bailey said. "I definitely don't think I'd be playing at the level I'm playing at now without them. They taught me a lot and I'm thankful to be a part of such a great club."

Unfortunately, she hasn't had the same success in high school thanks to an injury. As a sophomore, she helped Northville to their state championship but missed almost her entire junior season.



Photo by JOHN HEIDER/NORTHVILLE RECORD

Northville High student Vanessa Bailey will play soccer next fall at the University of Hawaii.

Northville coach Ron Meteyer said he believes Bailey made the right choice.

"Most kids in the area want to stay in this area," he said. "Vanessa always wanted to play in California and on the West Coast. When she went to Hawaii, she found where she wanted to go and, more importantly, where she felt she fit in."

"She decided what she wanted to do and she can't pass it up."

## The perfect fit

On her visit to Hawaii, Bailey was introduced to the island life. "It's really a small world," she said. "Here's this island in the middle of nowhere, but it's amazing."

"Half the team is from Hawaii, so when I went to visit they showed me the local side. It was pretty cool."

She said she likes how relaxed the Hawaiian atmosphere was. Shorts and T-shirts, she said, were more appealing to her than

Abercrombie & Fitch.

She plans to return during school break, but concedes she'll be looking forward to the return.

"I'll want to see everyone and that's exciting in itself," she said. "I'll come back home for the Christmas season and all the snow, but then I'll be able to leave again and go back to paradise."

While in college, Bailey wants to study in the medical field and take a few lessons learning how to master the

waves as a surfer.

The biggest thing she's looking forward to? Being able to pay for her collegiate career by playing soccer.

"It's an amazing feeling to be able to pay my parents back, too," she said. "Soccer is really an expensive sport to play and getting a scholarship to play for Hawaii really helps them out. It's such an honor."

Sam Eggleston can be reached at (248) 349-1700, ext. 104 or at seggleston@gannett.com.

# Soccer stars sign college letters

By Sam Eggleston  
RECORD SPORTS WRITER

Five veteran Northville Mustangs soccer players and a newcomer announced their road to the collegiate level has officially begun.

Senior standouts Simone Toney, Lauren Hill, Lindsay Blair, Katie Weicksel and Vanessa Bailey and first-year Northville student Jennifer Ulmer took turns sitting in front of friends, family, school administrators and classmates last Wednesday for photos and the signing of their national letter of intent.

"This is a great moment for Northville High School," said athletic director Bryan Masi. "All of these athletes have dedicated themselves to the sport, and now they'll be able to compete in college."

With the girls soccer season still to come, the signings will most likely keep Northville as one of the top-two ranked teams in the state, along with defending champion Novi Wildcats, who had two ath-



Photo courtesy of STEVE FECHT

Six Northville Mustangs will play soccer in college. Right to left: Lindsay Blair, Vanessa Bailey, Lauren Hill, Simone Toney, Katie Weicksel and Jennifer Ulmer.

letes sign their letter of intent last week.

Several Mustangs chose colleges close to home. Blair signed with Oakland University and Ulmer and Hill committed to Michigan State University. Toney chose Bowling Green, while Weicksel will head to Alma. Bailey decided to attend the University of Hawaii.

## Toney headed south

Bowling Green State

University felt right for Simone Toney, a four-year starter with the Mustangs.

"I think that Bowling Green and Simone are a good match," said Northville soccer coach Ron Meteyer. "She's going to excel there."

Toney had interest from other schools, but a visit to Bowling Green, just south of Toledo, helped her make up her mind. Meteyer said that's what he suggests to all his potential next-level athletes.

"I tell them to go to the

campus and get the flavor of it," he said. "They need to get the look of it, the feel of it and the walk of it. You don't just get a car without sitting in the seat. It makes all the difference."

Toney has been an impact player for the Mustangs since her arrival with the team as a freshman, a feat by itself.

"I only take freshmen if I think they can contribute a great deal," Meteyer said. "Simone is one of them who paid off. She proved to be that

good."

## Future Spartan

It's not very often the player who holds the school's career points still has another season to play.

With 101 career points and a full season left ahead of her, Lauren Hill holds that distinction. Last season, she scored 29 goals and collected 19 assists.

A four-year player for the Mustangs, Hill drew plenty of

attention from colleges but chose Michigan State University as her future team.

Meteyer said he expects Hill will continue to add to her already impressive resume.

"Sometimes when players get a scholarship, everything is just a breeze from there," he said. "That's not the case for Lauren. She's going to go out and she's going to prove she's deserving of all the attention she got."

continued on 5B

# THE SECOND HALF

## My space: Clark gives insight to Mustangs hoops



Photo by LYNN KIRKPATRICK

Assistant coach Ed Kritch explains the finer points of the game to Steve Clark.

Login: Steve Clark  
Password: MustangsRule

**Sunday,  
January 29, 2006**

Friday was crazy! The team really stepped up in the third quarter to go on a 20-0 run and bring us a lead against Stevenson that we never let go. When Alvin dunked, the crowd went nuts!

We all love the fans along with the support and energy they bring every night.

Practice was fairly light today, and we had Saturday off so we could recuperate. However, the best part of this team is that we all push each other. Practice was no picnic; all of us work everyday to make each other better. That's probably one of the main reasons we are 11-0 right now.

It feels really good; especially after a rough football season. However, it has been hard for me personally. It's been rough adjusting from playing offense, defense and special

teams in football to coming off the bench as a role player in basketball. But last time I checked, as a team, we have 11 wins and zero losses, and that's all that matters.

why we voted him captain by playing through his obvious pain.

We have to stay focused and work harder everyday to continue winning.

**Tuesday, January  
31, 2006**

We beat Franklin today to keep our winning streak alive. Everyone played really well. They came at us with a few runs but we stayed strong and kept the lead.

My favorite part of the game was when

Brad blocked their best player. The ball went all the way into the stands! His celebration brought a smile to everyone's face. The crowd's reaction was really special.

**Wednesday,  
February 1, 2006**

Wow, today's practice was extremely tough! Coach says we have to continue to improve on our endurance if we want to continue to play at a high level.

Today was spent working on our fast break and full court press.

All that running can really take a lot out of a guy, but it is worth it because we keep on winning.

**Thursday,  
February 2, 2006**

We had a light practice today to recuperate for our big game against Wayne tomorrow. This game will really mean a lot,

because Coach "Schu" has never beat Wayne as



Photo by JOHN HEIDER/NORTHVILLE RECORD

Mustang Steve Clark takes notes in an art class on a Monday afternoon.

a head coach.

My favorite part of pre-game practice is the shooting game we play. Everyone grabs a partner and goes against other partners, making as many shots as they can, to try and get to the main hoop. Whoever ends up at the main hoop, wins. I love playing with Campy, but today Coach made us switch it up because we always dominate.

**Friday,  
February 3, 2006**

Even as the away team, we played great as a team tonight; We had more fans than the home team and we dominated Wayne from the very beginning.

At the end of the first quarter it was 17-3. Our hard work in practice is really paying off on the defensive side.

As a forward, I was a little nervous when Coach put me in at point

guard to give Alvin a rest. I had to handle the ball against a few kids that were smaller and quicker; thankfully, my teammates stepped up and made it an easier adjustment.

I'm really starting to realize how special this season has been.

**Saturday,  
February 4, 2006**

We didn't have practice today, so I spent the day gathering football game film for Kalamazoo. I visit the college next Saturday and will try to decide if I really want to pursue college football. It's a large commitment, and I still have a big decision to make.

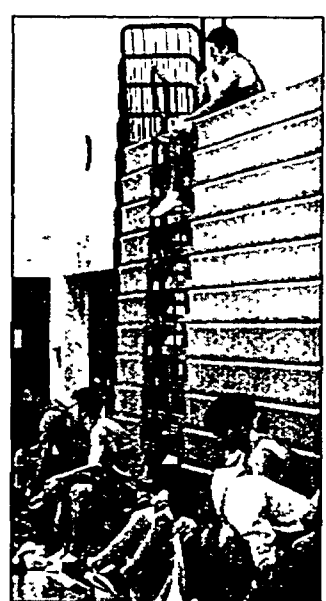


Photo by LYNN KIRKPATRICK

Steve Clark sits on top of the bleachers after practice as he puts on his shoes.



Photo by LYNN KIRKPATRICK

Steve Clark guards Alvin Storrs during practice.



Photo by LYNN KIRKPATRICK

Northville coach Darrel Schumacher does some explaining at practice.



Photo by LYNN KIRKPATRICK

Steve Clark looks over the floor at Wayne Memorial's gym.



# En fuego: Storrs is simply on fire

continued from 1B

of his play and he'd rather stick to the jump shots that have kept him as the team's leading scorer in nearly every game.

"It's not my forte," he said. "I stay on the ground most of the time. I really wasn't thinking I'd have any dunks this year, so I wasn't expecting it when it happened."

Storrs' high-flying antics weren't just a single play for two points. Instead, it was a statement. An exclamation mark.

The momentum the play carried with it also helped sum up Storrs' contributions to Northville's undefeated 13-0 record.

"He's been our leading scorer and a clutch scorer when we've needed it," said coach Darrel Schumacher. "He has a knack for finding the ball and hitting a big shot. It's not things that can be coached, it's just him."

With their unbeaten record, the Mustangs are only one of four Class A schools left in the state with no blemishes.

Storrs admits the fast and furious start has been surprising and he's quick to point out the team has had plenty of luck on their side.

"I really didn't think we'd start like this, not at all," he said. "I thought maybe we'd be 10-3 or 9-4. I wasn't expecting 13-0."

"We could easily be 11-2 right now, too, if it weren't for those two big shots by Campy (Smith) against Walled Lake Western and Dexter."

## Headed for the finish line

It's been 44 years since the Northville Mustangs had an undefeated regular season record. That year, the team advanced in the state playoffs, losing in the semifinals to end their run.

This year, the team had made it's mark with strong defense and intense games. But they're hoping to finish just as strong as they started.

"We can't think about how

**"It's great to see how many people are coming out to support us. There are lots of people coming to the games and even some random super fans."**

**Alvin Storrs**  
Northville Mustangs Junior Guard

long it's been," Storrs said. "We have to think about who is next and how we're going to beat them. We can't overlook anybody. Not Canton. Not Salem. Everyone wants to beat us right now and we have to want to beat everyone."

Storrs and Schumacher both said the Mustangs have multiple goals. First, they want to win the Western Division. Then the Western Lakes Activities Association crown. Finally, a district title. From there, they'll dive as deep as they can into the state playoffs.

Storrs said it's refreshing to know they'll have plenty of support in the bleachers.

"It's great to see how many people are coming out to support us," he said. "There are lots of people coming to the games and even some random super fans."

"We're enjoying the wins right now, but we're not enjoying them too much. We have to focus on our path and each of us has to do what's best for our team. That's what has got us where we are now and that's what we have to keep doing to win."

Sam Eggleston can be reached at (248) 349-1700, ext. 104 or at [seggleston@gannett.com](mailto:seggleston@gannett.com).



Mustang Alvin Storrs stuffs down a dunk.

Photo by JOHN HEIDER/NORTHVILLE RECORD

## SPORTS SHORTS

### 3-on-3 basketball youth tournament

Northville Parks & Recreation will be hosting the first March Madness 3-on-3 Basketball Tournament March 25-26 at the Recreation Center located at Hillside Middle School on the corner of Eight Mile Road and Center Street.

The cost is \$85 per team with three or four players on each team. T-shirts will be given to all participants and awards will be given to the first-place team.

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

### Adult hockey

Sign-up now for the winter session of the Breakfast Club Adult Hockey Series.

Registration is underway for the Breakfast Club presented by Labatt-Suburban Hockey's weekly morning skills and conditioning series for adult hockey players of all ability levels. The 10-week session will run through March 16.

The Breakfast Club will take place at Suburban Ice-Farmington Hills on Tuesday and Wednesday; Suburban Ice-Macomb on Tuesday; Onyx-Rochester Ice Arena and Dearborn Ice Skating Center on Thursday. Suburban Ice-Farmington Hills will also be the site of the Advanced Breakfast Club program on Thursday.

The goals of the program are to improve players' overall knowledge of the game, teach new drills, increase enjoyment of the game, build confidence, conditioning and develop skating and puck skills in a competitive and fun environment. Coaches include former professional and collegiate players with vast coaching and playing experience.

All youth hockey coaches receive 50 percent off tuition to the Breakfast Club. New this year is a special offer from RBK Hockey — all registered players may purchase an RBK 5K Modano pattern hockey stick for just \$75 (retail is \$150).

In addition, players who refers a new player to the Breakfast Club will receive \$50 off their tuition.

This is a popular program and there is limited enrollment.

For more information on the Breakfast Club or any other Suburban Hockey program, contact (248) 478-1600 or [www.suburbanhockey.com](http://www.suburbanhockey.com).

### Novi Heat fund-raising event

The U13 Novi Heat baseball team will be holding a fund-raising event at Gennitti's Hold In The Wall restaurant Feb. 12 at 2 p.m.

The team over the past two seasons were USSSA World Series consolation finalists as well as last year's run to Puerto Rico, which included being Michigan District champions, Ohio Regional champions and a berth to the World Series in San Juan.

The team also played in the Cooperstown Dream Park tournament.

The cost is \$50 per ticket, which includes dinner and wine with dinner. A cash bar is also available.

For more information or to purchase tickets, please contact Pete Talbot at (248) 349-5688 or (734) 905-4578.

### Ten Star All Star Basketball Camp

Applications are now being evaluated for The Ten Star All Star Summer Basketball Camp.

This camp is by invitation only. Boys and girls, ages 10-19, are eligible to apply. Past participants include: Michael Jordan, Tim Duncan, Vince Carter, Jerry Stackhouse, Grant Hill and Antawn Jamison. Players from every state and 18 countries attended the 2005 camp.

College basketball scholarships are possible for players selected to the All-American Team. Camp locations include: Lebanon, Tenn., Prescott, Ariz., Thousand Oaks, Calif., Sterling, Colo., Bridgeport, Conn., Babson Park, Fla., Gainesville, Ga., Champaign, Ill., North Manchester, Ind., Towson, Md., Ypsilanti, Glassboro, N.J., Schenectady, N.Y., Hickory, N.C., Commerce, Texas, Blacksburg, Va., Lyndonville, Va. and Beloit, Wis. For more information and a free brochure, call (704) 373-0873.

Want your sports shorts in the Northville Record? Send them to [seggleston@gannett.com](mailto:seggleston@gannett.com) by noon Monday each week.

# Soccer: Six Mustangs sign college letters

continued from 3B

Hill will still play forward for the Mustangs, and Meteyer said he expects she'll be a valuable asset again this year.

He said her specialty won't just be scoring goals — it will be giving defenders fits.

"She's constantly moving around the field," Meteyer said. "She's tough and she's hard for anyone to mark. She's active and she's dangerous, making her very difficult to defend."

## Headed to East Lansing

Though Jennifer Ulmer never suited up for the Northville Mustangs soccer team, she's already making an impact for them.

Ulmer transferred to the school from Ohio, standing out as one of their top athletes in several sports before moving to Northville. Prior to her arrival, she was already committed to Michigan State University.

"MSU recruited her last year, but I haven't seen her play yet," Meteyer said. "She comes highly touted and it sounds as though she's really talented and really good."

"I'm looking forward to seeing what she can do."

At her former high school, Ulmer stood out on her soccer team and was one of the school's top sprinters, said Meteyer. He expects she'll play defense for the Mustangs.

"That's probably the only area where I think we need a little strengthening and stability in," he said. "We'll try her there and see what happens."

## Becoming a Golden Grizzly

The morning of the signing, Lindsay Blair still wasn't quite sure where she'd be going to college. Then,

Oakland University let her know.

"She was on the line, wondering what was happening," Meteyer said. "She was heavily recruited by the coach over there, who had her for some clinics and a club team."

Then, the call came. She was ready to become a Golden Grizzly.

Though Blair doesn't have the biggest stature on the field, she plays tough.

"She's the energizer bunny out there," Meteyer said. "She's one of the smallest on the field and plays like one of the biggest."

Blair scored 11 goals last year as a defensive center midfielder. She also was key in many of the team's scoring plays.

Her field awareness made her an invaluable part of Northville's success.

"She's a creative kid that knows how to hit open people," Meteyer said. "She wins balls that you would say she has no business winning. She plays much bigger and more physical than what she is."

## Alma bound

Likewise, Katie Weickel is one tough goalie.

As a sophomore, when the Mustangs made a run to the state title, Weickel was injured to the point she probably shouldn't have been playing. Northville didn't have a backup in her position so she stayed between the posts and helped bring home the championship.

Her toughness is just one of the reasons Alma was interested in having her attend their southeast Michigan school.

"Katie was a nice surprise," Meteyer said. "I didn't know if she was planning on playing in college or not."

Meteyer said Alma was a good fit for Weickel, who excels in the classroom. He said the academic demands of the institution and Weickel's ability in

## What is the National Letter of Intent?

The Collegiate Commissioners Association administers the National Letter of Intent program. Started in 1964 with seven conferences and eight independent institutions, the program now includes 55 leagues with more than 500 participating institutions.

The National Letter of Intent program originally called for a prospective student-athlete to sign an "Inter-Conference Letter of Intent" on a specific date. The terms of this Letter of Intent required a parent or legal guardian and an institution's athletics director to sign along with the prospective student-athlete. This Letter served as certification that the student intended to enroll at a specific institution during the coming fall academic term. At the time of the Letter's signing, the athletics director would indicate the type and extent of financial aid the institution was willing to provide. Following the signing, other cooperating conferences and institutions would then respect his/her decision to attend a specific college or university, and would cease further recruitment of the prospective student. This agreement was subject to the prospective student qualifying for admission to the institution of his/her choice and meeting the NCAA requirements for receipt of financial aid.

Over the years, some of the terms of the National Letter of Intent agreement have changed, yet the program's basic goals have remained the same:

- To reduce and limit recruiting pressure on student-athletes; and
- To promote and preserve the amateur nature of collegiate athletics.

By signing a National Letter of Intent, a prospective student-athlete agrees to attend the designated college or university

the classroom help make it a good fit.

"I think it's a great place for Katie," he said. "She's a really good student and she's very focused on her academics."

"I think she'll fit in well with their soccer team, too."

ty for one academic year. Pursuant to the terms of the National Letter of Intent program, participating institutions agree to provide athletics financial aid for one academic year to the student-athlete, provided he/she is admitted to the institution and is eligible for financial aid under NCAA rules. An important provision of the National Letter of Intent program is a recruiting prohibition applied after a prospective student-athlete signs a Letter of Intent. This prohibition requires participating institutions cease recruitment of a prospective student-athlete once a National Letter of Intent is signed with another institution.

The National Letter of Intent has many advantages to both prospective student-athletes and participating educational institutions:

- Once a National Letter of Intent is signed, prospective student-athletes are no longer subject to further recruiting contacts and calls.
- Student-athletes are assured of an athletics scholarship for one full academic year. (If not for the National Letter of Intent program, a student could find his or her scholarship taken by a more highly recruited student only weeks or days before classes begin.)
- Institutions can be certain that once the student-athlete has signed a Letter of Intent, there is no need to continue recruiting for that position. (Without the program, last-minute changes by student-athletes could open scholarships and positions on teams.)
- By emphasizing student-athletes' commitments to educational institutions, not particular coaches or teams, the program focuses university athletics on educational objectives. The program promotes student-athletes' academic objectives and helps to sustain the amateur nature of college sports.

Sam Eggleston can be reached at (248) 349-1700, ext. 104 or at [seggleston@gannett.com](mailto:seggleston@gannett.com).

## Are you an organ & tissue donor?

Ask your family today, and let them know your decision, too. That way you'll know, they'll know, and there will be no question later.

For a free brochure, call 1-800-355-SHARE.

Share your life. share your decision.™

Michigan Coalition on donation



The biggest threat to depression is your awareness of it.

UNTREATED DEPRESSION

[www.siv.org](http://www.siv.org) • 1-888-511-SAVE



# IN THE KITCHEN

## cupcakes ALL GROWN UP

FAMILY FEATURES  
EDITORIAL SYNDICATE

**Cupcakes**, once reserved for elementary school parties, kids' birthdays and picnics, have grown up. And oh, so beautifully. Great for today's more casual, grab-and-go way of eating and entertaining, these individual mini-cakes don't require the skill of a professional to slice and serve and can be hand-held in most cases.

Also new on the scene are great cupcake trees that allow you to show off your creations with the appropriate flair. And the sophistication of flavors is only limited by your imagination. Here are three great ideas and one easy but spectacular decorating idea. So whatever your spring celebration, these cupcakes are sure to "take the cake." Or, should we say, "take the place of the cake?"

For more great cupcake ideas, visit [bettycrocker.com](http://bettycrocker.com).

### Key West Cupcakes

Prep Time: 25 minutes  
Start to Finish: 1 hour 30 minutes

#### Filling

- 1 box (4-serving size) instant vanilla pudding and pie filling mix
- 1 1/2 cups whipping cream
- 1/4 cup fresh Key lime or lime juice
- 4 drops green food color
- 1 1/2 cups powdered sugar

#### Cupcakes

- 1 box Betty Crocker SuperMoist yellow cake mix
- Water, vegetable oil and eggs called for on cake mix box

#### Frosting

- 1 container (12-ounce) Betty Crocker Whipped fluffy white frosting
- 1 tablespoon fresh Key lime or lime juice
- 1/2 teaspoon grated Key lime or lime peel
- Lime wedges (optional)

1. In large bowl, beat pudding mix and whipping cream with wire whisk 2 minutes. Let stand 3 minutes. Beat in 1/4 cup lime juice and the food color; stir in powdered sugar until smooth. Cover and refrigerate.
2. Heat oven to 350°F. Make and cool cake mix as directed on box for cupcakes.
3. Spread 1 rounded tablespoonful filling on top of each cupcake. Stir frosting in container 20 times. Gently stir in 1 tablespoon lime juice and the peel. Spoon frosting into 1-quart resealable plastic food-storage bag. Cut 1/2-inch opening across lower corner of bag. Squeeze 1 tablespoon frosting from bag onto filling. Garnish with fresh lime wedge, if desired. Store in refrigerator.

24 cupcakes

### Strawberry and Cream Cupcakes

Prep Time: 30 minutes  
Start to Finish: 45 minutes

- 1 box Betty Crocker SuperMoist white cake mix
- 1 1/4 cups strawberry-flavored soda pop
- 1/3 cup vegetable oil
- 3 egg whites
- 1 container (1-pound) Betty Crocker Rich & Creamy cream cheese frosting
- 1 to 3 drops red food color
- 1/2 cup white jimmies sprinkles

1. Heat oven to 350°F. Place paper baking cups in 24 regular-size muffin cups. In large bowl, beat cake mix, soda pop, oil and egg whites on low speed 30 seconds. Beat 2 minutes on medium speed, scraping bowl occasionally. Fill each cup 2/3 full of batter. Bake 15 to 20 minutes or until toothpick inserted in center comes out clean. Remove from pan to wire rack. Cool completely, about 20 minutes.
2. Stir frosting in container 20 times. Stir in 1 to 2 drops red food color. Frost cupcakes.
3. Place sprinkles and 1 drop red food color in small resealable plastic food-storage bag; seal bag. Gently shake and massage sprinkles until mixture is various shades of pink; sprinkle around edges of frosted cupcakes.

24 cupcakes

### Molten Chocolate Mini Cakes

Prep Time: 30 minutes  
Start to Finish: 2 hours

- 1/2 cup whipping cream
- 1 cup semi-sweet chocolate chips
- 1 box Betty Crocker SuperMoist devil's food cake mix
- 1 cup water
- 1/2 cup vegetable oil
- 3 eggs
- 1 container (1-pound) Betty Crocker Rich & Creamy chocolate frosting
- Powdered sugar
- Sliced strawberries

1. In 1-quart saucepan, heat whipping cream over medium-high heat until hot but not boiling. Stir in chocolate chips until melted and mixture is smooth. Refrigerate about 1 hour or until thick, stirring occasionally.
2. Heat oven to 400°F. Grease and flour 16 (2 3/4 x 1 1/4 inch) muffin cups. In large bowl, beat cake mix, water, oil and eggs on low speed 1 minute, scraping bowl constantly. Place 1/4 cup batter in each muffin cup. Spoon 1 tablespoon cold chocolate mixture on top of batter in center of each cup.
3. Bake 13 to 16 minutes or until top springs back when lightly touched. Cool 1 minute. Carefully remove from pan; place on parchment paper. Cool 10 minutes. Frost with chocolate frosting. Just before serving, dust with powdered sugar. Garnish with strawberry slices. Serve warm.

16 mini cakes

## DRESSING UP THE classic cupcake

### Decorative Designs

On waxed paper, draw small decorative designs. Fill a small heavy-duty plastic food-storage bag with melted white chocolate, seal it and cut one of the corners with scissors. Squeeze bag, gently tracing the design drawn on the waxed paper. Sprinkle with colored sugar. Let stand to allow chocolate to set. Carefully remove waxed paper from chocolate design. Top cupcake with design.

### White on White on White

Pull a sharp vegetable peeler down the edge of a white chocolate candy bar to produce chocolate shavings the perfect size for a cupcake. Frost cupcake with Betty Crocker Rich & Creamy creamy white frosting. Top with white chocolate curls and dust with powdered sugar.

Classic cupcake tree holds 23 cupcakes.  
12 1/2-inch x 12-inch. \$22.99 plus shipping.  
Order item #5025 under Catalog Shopping  
at [bettycrocker.com](http://bettycrocker.com) or 1-800-432-4959.



# TRICKS OF THE TRADE

Learn timesaving tips  
from personal chefs

FAMILY FEATURES EDITORIAL SYNDICATE

Gwyneth has two of them (one for savory, one for sweets). Oprah's has written his own cookbooks. The neighbors down the street may have one visit their kitchen once a month.

"It's easy to see why personal chefs are in hot demand," says Dave Lieberman, personal chef, author of *Young and Hungry* and host of the Food Network's *Good Deal with Dave Lieberman*. "People are busier than ever and looking for ways to eat well within their lifestyles."

"What many types of personal chefs do isn't necessarily that hard," explains Lieberman. "It's primarily about cooking smarter, and all that it requires is a little planning." Lieberman offers tips for incorporating personal chef know-how into your everyday kitchen routines:

- Prep your most-used ingredients ahead of time — then store them in "quick grab" packets made from a sealing wrap like Glad Press'n Seal wrap that seals air out to help keep food fresh. Chopped onion, grated cheese, pie crusts and bread dough are great items to have on hand in your fridge or freezer. Lieberman also suggests freezing stocks in ice cube trays. "This is great for leftover wine, too."
- Pre-prepping, flavorful meal starters is also a great way to jump-start weekday meals, still leaving room for last minute creativity. For example, boneless, skinless chicken breasts can be individually wrapped and frozen in a favorite marinade. By the time they thaw, they're packed with flavor and ready for a variety of recipes — from salads to fajitas.
- High-impact ingredients can transform even the most basic foods. "Adding a handful of fresh herbs to a pre-made dish — even if it's just yesterday's leftovers — is a great way to bring it to life," stresses Lieberman. One of his favorite flavor-boosters is to freeze small quantities of butter blended with herbs, spices and other seasonings, to top steaks, fish, grilled or steamed vegetables and baked potatoes.
- Whenever Lieberman cooks basics like potatoes or rice, he always ups the quantity, to keep some handy for later in the week. "That way you've always got the makings for a fast and easy side dish — simple sautéed potatoes, impromptu fried rice — you name it."

With simple ingredients and a little planning, family and friends might think you have a personal chef in your pantry.

## Portion Power

Pre-portioning is a great way to enjoy chef-worthy food in moderation. Portioning out meals also allows for easy transportation, from lunch boxes to dinner at Grandma's. Prep/cook once, then enjoy over and over.

- Grab the Good Deal: From a jumbo pack of pork chops to a whole beef tenderloin or side of salmon, "nice priced" main ingredients are the perfect place to start when looking for cooking inspiration. Even if you're not going to cook up all that meat or fish now, in just a few minutes you can create individual filets for the fridge or freezer.
- Divide and Conquer: Whip up super-size batches of favorite recipes, then package in smaller size portions. That way, whether you're setting a table for one or cooking for company, it's easy to thaw just the right amount. Glad Press'n Seal Freezer wrap is indispensable in packaging custom-sized items for the freezer.

For more great ideas and time-saving techniques, visit [www.glad.com](http://www.glad.com).



## Super Chocolate & Peanut Bar Brownies

- 1/2 cup (1 stick) butter, melted, plus a little more for greasing pan
- 1 cup sugar
- 2 large eggs
- 2 tablespoons water
- 1/2 teaspoon vanilla extract
- 1 pinch salt
- 1/2 teaspoon baking powder
- 1/2 cup unsweetened cocoa powder
- 3/4 cup all-purpose flour
- 8 fun-size chocolate, caramel, nougat and peanut candy bars, refrigerated

Preheat oven to 350°F. Grease 9- x 13-inch cake pan (aluminum is fine) with butter.

Beat butter and sugar together in large bowl until blended. Beat in eggs, one at a time; stir in water and vanilla. Sprinkle salt and baking powder over mix, then beat in. Do same with cocoa. Stir in flour just until blended.

Put candy bars in blender or food processor and pulse on low speed until all have been reduced to coarse crumble. Fold candy bar crumble into batter thoroughly. Scrape batter into prepared pan. Bake about 30 minutes, until center is set but still somewhat soft, and top starts to crack a little. Cool completely before cutting into squares.

Makes about 15, depending on how cut

## Oven-Roasted Plum Tomatoes

- 4 ripe plum tomatoes (about 1 pound)
- 1/4 cup extra-virgin olive oil
- Handful fresh thyme sprigs
- 4 pinches salt
- 10 grinds black pepper

Preheat oven to 400°F. Line baking sheet with aluminum foil.

Cut off tomato tips and top cores. Halve tomatoes lengthwise. Toss halves together in bowl with oil, thyme, salt and pepper. Lay tomatoes on baking sheet, cut side up, and pour over them any seasoned oil left in bottom of bowl.

Roast until skins are shriveled and tops are lightly browned, 20 to 25 minutes. Cool to room temperature, and then gently pinch off shriveled skins. Serve at room temperature.

Makes 4 servings

Note: These tomatoes freeze well by wrapping small quantities in Glad Press'n Seal Freezer wrap to keep freshness in and air out.

## Rosemary-Garlic Chicken Cutlets

- 12 (6- to 7-ounce) boneless, skinless chicken breasts
- 3 tablespoons extra-virgin olive oil
- 1/4 cup chopped fresh rosemary
- 5 garlic cloves, pressed
- 3 pinches salt
- Freshly ground black pepper to taste

Tear off two lengths of Glad Press'n Seal wrap, about 15 inches long each. Put 1 chicken breast in center on one sheet of wrap; cover with second sheet. Using either meat mallet or small, heavy pot, pound thick part of cutlet so that whole breast is about 1/2 inch thick. Repeat with remaining breasts.

Mix oil, rosemary, garlic, salt and pepper in bowl, add chicken and evenly coat with spice mixture. Can be prepared to this point up to a day before cooking chicken; just cover and refrigerate. To prep more than a day in advance, wrap individual cutlets in Glad Press'n Seal Freezer wrap before freezing. Then thaw a few hours before cooking.

Set up grill or stovetop grill pan. Grill chicken, turning only once, until browned and cooked through, about 6 minutes.

Makes 12 servings

All recipes adapted from *Young and Hungry*, courtesy of Hyperion.



# HEALTH

## Breaking down the facts on carbs

By Bryant Stamford  
GANNETT NEWS SERVICE

Sugar, complex carbs, simple carbs, starch, fiber. All are forms of carbohydrates, and understanding how they differ can be confusing. Let's simplify things a bit to help you make better choices about carbs.

### First, some basics

All forms of carbohydrate are composed of varying combinations of three sugar units - glucose, fructose and galactose. For easier interpretation, let's call them A, B and C.

Carbs that are considered "simple carbs" are composed of only A, B or C (monosaccharides) or various combinations of two of these bonded together. A plus A, A plus B or A plus C (disaccharides). Sucrose (table sugar equals A plus B) is the most common disaccharide.

Complex carbs (polysaccharides) are composed of varying combinations of three, four or more of these sugar units. The combinations at times can be quite large, with hundreds of links or more.

Even though the same three basic sugar units are used in all carbohydrates, carbs differ according to the ease with which the combinations break apart (simple carbs break apart quickly, while complex carbs break apart more slowly).

Complex carbs also are likely to be packed with nutrients, while simple carbs often have

little or none (so-called "hollow" calories).

In addition, the specific units that are released (A, B or C), combined with how quickly they enter the bloodstream, are important. Here's why.

### It's all about insulin

You no doubt have heard a lot about insulin lately. It's a hormone produced in the pancreas gland, and it is required to escort glucose into the cells.

Without sufficient insulin (or if there is resistance to the effects of insulin), glucose accumulates in the bloodstream, causing all sorts of mischief (diabetes, for example).

If circumstances such as insulin resistance should cause insulin to accumulate, it creates problems too.

Therefore, in order for the body to work properly, there needs to be an appropriate amount of glucose in the bloodstream and an appropriate amount of insulin to escort it into cells.

Glucose is the critical one of the three basic sugars because it's the one that triggers an insulin response in the body.

This is a key area where the simple-versus-complex carbs issue comes into play.

With simple carbs (candy and soft drinks), glucose is plentiful, and such foods break down quickly, allowing glucose to enter the bloodstream in a rush, alarming the body and causing it to overreact, pumping out excess insulin.

In contrast, complex carbs (vegetables, whole grains and other foods high in fiber) break apart more slowly, in a time-release fashion, slowing the entrance of glucose into the blood. This dampens the insulin response.

In addition, most complex carbs (polysaccharides) are combinations of A plus B plus C in chains of three or more, and when they break apart, the concentration of glucose (A) is diluted by other sugars.

Thus, when it comes to insulin, complex carbs are helpful while simple carbs are harmful. Unfortunately, this interpretation is oversimplified, and things can get a little tricky when it comes to starch.

### Starch

Starch is a type of polysaccharide - a complex carb - and that means it's supposed to be one of the good guys. Sometimes it is and sometimes it's not.

The problem is that starch is composed of long strings of glucose (A), and, therefore, when starch is broken down in digestion, every sugar unit that is released into the bloodstream is insulin-stimulating glucose.

Thus, some starchy foods (white "sticky" rice, potatoes, refined white flour products, many cereals) can cause an insulin response that is as great as or even greater than that caused by a sugary junk food (candy, soft drinks etc.). This has helped starch develop a bad reputation.

Does this mean all foods containing starch

are bad? Contrary to what proponents of some

diets would have us believe, the answer is no. Many foods high in starch don't overload the body with glucose (peas, whole-grain bread, pasta).

Sometimes it's the fiber content that helps, and other times it's the way the product is made.

Airy, fluffy foods like white bread are bad, while dense, concentrated foods like pasta are better.

Thus, it would be a mistake to brand all starchy foods as bad.

Fruit is another confusing exception. It's grouped with the complex carbs even though it is loaded with simple sugar. Good guy or bad guy?

What about honey? Sugary tasting, to be sure, but is it necessarily bad?

I'll explore these issues further in the next column to help you make good choices when it comes to carbohydrates.

*Bryant Stamford is an exercise physiologist and director of the Health Promotion and Wellness Center at the University of Louisville. If you have questions about sports injuries, health, exercise or fitness, write to BodyShop, Gannett News Service, care of The Courier-Journal, 525 W. Broadway, P.O. Box 740031, Louisville, Ky. 40201-7431, or e-mail bryant(AT)louisville.edu.*



Chris Klebba

### ASK THE EXPERT

Is body mass index (BMI) a good indicator of a healthy weight?

BMI indicates your health risks by comparing your height and weight. Males with a BMI above 27.8 and women over 27.3 are considered overweight. Males with a BMI less than 20.7 and women below 19.1 are classified as underweight.

BMI is a tool that can help determine health risks, like any tool it has limitations so it's important to realize that it is only an estimation of body fat. People who have valid reasons for maintaining weight outside of normal ranges (pregnant or breast feeding women, competitive athletes, body builders and people who are chronically ill) may experience inaccurate BMI values. People with a high percentage of muscle mass may appear overweight using BMI because muscle is more dense than fat. Anyone can log onto our affiliate web site [www.mypex.com](http://www.mypex.com) and click on fitness tools to calculate your BMI.

Bottom line — there is not one tool that can conclusively indicate one's overall health risks. Discover your BMI and utilize this tool for evaluating your health risks and more importantly where you can improve those risks.

*This column was written by Chris Klebba, who owns and operates the Water Wheel Health Club in Northville, and is a certified fitness trainer, regular columnist and public speaker. For more information call 248-449-7634 or go to [www.wtrwheel.com](http://www.wtrwheel.com).*

## Ovarian cancer test remains elusive

By Rita Rubin  
GANNETT NEWS SERVICE

Shelly Rozenberg meets many women who think they don't have to worry about ovarian cancer because they had a normal Pap test.

"We constantly have to educate women: The Pap test is not an early-detection test for ovarian cancer," says Rozenberg of the National Ovarian Cancer Coalition in Boca Raton, Fla.

Pap tests screen for malignant and precancerous cells in the cervix, not the ovary. Pap tests can detect ovarian cancer, but usually only advanced cases. The same is true for pelvic exams, which can pick up earlier cancers in other organs.

Scientists are studying several possible tools, mainly blood tests and sonograms, for screening for ovarian cancer. But they have yet to find a test that can pick up most early cases without mistakenly identifying many healthy women as having the disease. Over a lifetime, a woman has a 1-in-55 risk of getting ovarian cancer.

Nearly three in four ovarian cancers aren't diagnosed until they have spread beyond the ovaries, making the disease the fourth-leading cancer killer of U.S. women. And though studies have found that ovar-

ian cancer patients often report symptoms long before diagnosis, the symptoms resemble those of far more common ailments.

A year ago or so, doctors and women were excited about a blood test called OvaCheck, billed as a way of finding ovarian cancer at its earliest stages. But some scientists question the design and results of initial studies of OvaCheck, which looks for patterns of proteins.

Annette Fribourg of OvaCheck maker Correllogic Systems says the company is still discussing with the Food and Drug Administration how the test should be categorized, which would affect how long it takes to move through the agency. She said she could not predict when the test might reach the market.

Most screening research has focused on a blood test for a protein called CA-125, elevated in many women with ovarian cancer, and transvaginal ultrasound, an ultrasound performed with a small instrument placed in the vagina.

Scientists from the National Cancer Institute's Prostate, Lung, Colorectal and Ovarian Cancer Screening Trial found a large number of false positives - healthy women identified as possibly having cancer - when they screened 28,816 women with CA-125, trans-

### 'On the web

For more information about ovarian cancer screening:

[www.ovarian.org](http://www.ovarian.org), National Ovarian Cancer Coalition  
[www.ovariacancer.org](http://www.ovariacancer.org), Ovarian Cancer National Alliance  
[www.cancer.org](http://www.cancer.org), American Cancer Society  
[www.wcn.org](http://www.wcn.org), Women's Cancer Network

vaginal ultrasound or both.

Of that group, 1,338 had abnormal ultrasounds and 402 had abnormal CA-125 tests, the researchers wrote in November's American Journal of Obstetrics & Gynecology. Only 29 had cancer, but 570 had surgery to see whether they had cancer. Only 34 women had both abnormal ultrasounds and CA-125 tests, and nine of them were found to have cancer. But had doctors evaluated only women with two abnormal screening tests, they would have missed 20 cancer cases.

The trial will screen women for the next several years to see whether changes in test results over time relate to a woman's risk of dying from ovarian cancer, says lead

author Sandra Buys, a University of Utah cancer specialist. Still, Buys says, based on other research, women with a strong family history of breast cancer or ovarian cancer might consider regular screening with transvaginal ultrasound and CA-125. The greater a woman's risk of ovarian cancer, the lower her chance of having a false positive result.

Some ovarian cancer patients report that they had symptoms months before diagnosis, but doctors are more likely to suspect problems in the digestive tract. In a study in the journal Cancer in October, researchers examined medical claims for nearly 2,000 ovarian cancer patients and about 17,000 women who did not have ovarian cancer. The cancer patients were more likely to have sought care for abdominal pain and swelling, pelvic pain and digestive tract problems than the other women.

Lead author Lloyd Smith, chairman of obstetrics and gynecology at the University of California-Davis, stresses that the vast majority of women with such symptoms don't have ovarian cancer. But those who suddenly experience them should have a CA-125 test, transvaginal ultrasound or both, he and his co-authors say.

"Probably it's going to cost a lot, and most people are not going to have cancer, but how else are you going to find the people who do?" Smith says.

Not so fast, says Debbie Saslow, the American Cancer Society's director of breast and gynecological cancers. "What happens if for every 100 women who report one of these symptoms, one of them develops ovarian cancer in the next year? Are you going to do these tests on all 100 women?" Half the time, the tests will erroneously suggest something is wrong with the ovaries, which could lead to unnecessary surgery, Saslow says.

"I'm not saying don't look for ovarian cancer, but there's another side of this," she says. "If a woman comes in for abdominal bloating, not you're not going to look for ovarian cancer right away. If she's got a combination of symptoms, and they're getting worse over time, then by all means, do the tests."

Women must be their own advocates, Saslow emphasizes. If symptoms persist, and tests for more common ailments reveal nothing, she says, "make sure you get tested with the imperfect tests that are available."

## Pay attention to safety while biking, doctor warns

By Robert Preidt  
GANNETT NEWS SERVICE

Cycling is a wonderful activity for fitness and fun, but novice cyclists need to be aware of ways they can reduce strain, injury and infection.

Wearing a bicycle helmet is an obvious precaution. But many beginning riders aren't aware of the importance of proper bike fit. For example, a bike that's not correctly sized and fitted to the rider can cause knee, back, neck, arm and wrist problems.

A good bike shop will help a rider find the right-sized bike and adjust it to fit that rider, says Dr. Luis Palacios, an associate profes-

sor of family and community medicine at the University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center.

Improper riding techniques can also cause trouble. If you ride with too much pedal resistance, you can strain your quadriceps or knee. Too little pedal resistance can cause increased pressure on your back and the base of your pelvic region, Palacios said.

Experienced cyclists pedal at a cadence (pedal revolutions per minute) of between 90 to 100. A reasonable cadence for beginning cyclists is 60 to 80.

Nutrition and hydration are also important considerations.

"Research indicates that for someone in training, carbohy-

drates are an important source of energy. A healthy diet would include one with 60 percent carbohydrates, less than 30 percent fats, and 15 to 20 percent protein," Palacios said. "For activities, including warm-ups, lasting less than one hour, water is sufficient. If the activity lasts longer than an hour, carbohydrate supplements in the form of sports drinks, carbohydrate bars or gels would be beneficial."

Drinking adequate amounts of fluids helps prevent muscle cramping. Palacios recommends con-

suming 4 to 8 ounces of sports drink every 15 to 20 minutes while cycling.

"Most sports drinks have 6 percent to 8 percent carbohydrates, which have been found to cause fewer gastric problems and are ideal for absorption. Cyclists should also try different sports drinks during training to get an idea of which one works best for them, as research has shown that taste is the most important factor for consumers," Palacios said.

Saddle sores (chafing and skin irritation) are another potential

roadblock for cyclists. To help prevent saddle sores, cyclists should have properly fitted saddles and should wear cycling shorts with moisture-absorbing padding in the bottom to protect skin.

"In my experience the biggest problem I see with cyclists is hygiene. Cyclists should remove sweaty clothing as soon as possible after training or racing and shower. In addition, one should wash clothes after every use to prevent irritation or infection of broken skin," Palacios said.

Steer clear from harm, install smoke alarms!

**PREVENT FIRE. SAVE LIVES.**

<http://www.usfa.fema.gov>

United States Fire Administration  
Federal Emergency Management Agency

**"A BLAZING SUSPENSE THRILLER!"**  
**A GREAT TIME AT THE MOVIES!"**  
—MARC PASCIA, ENTERTAINMENT WEEKLY / CTV MONTREAL

**"OUTSTANDING!"**  
**A TAUT, INTELLIGENT ACTION THRILLER."**  
—TIM ROYCEMAN, ABC-TV

**HARRISON FORD**  
**PAUL BETTANY**  
**FIREWALL**

PG-13

firewallmovie.com

**STARTS FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10**

AMC FORUM 30	AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21
AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21
AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21
AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21

**WHEN A STRANGER CALLS**

**NOW PLAYING**

AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21
AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21
AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21
AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21

**"THE BEST 'FINAL DESTINATION' YET!"**  
—CHRIS CALL, IGN.COM

**FINAL DESTINATION 3**

**STARTS FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10**

AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21
AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21
AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21
AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21	AMC STAR 21



## D.R.I.V.E.

### Program targets the worst drivers

■ Thinking errors can be corrected

By Pam Fleming  
STAFF WRITER

Billy Joe Ferguson hasn't had a driver's license since 1988.

The Waterford resident lost his license after a crash that year that killed another driver. He was convicted of manslaughter and spent three years in prison.

In December 2003, he was pulled over in Novi for a "No Turn on Red" violation. This was the eighth time since his release he was caught driving on a suspended license.

He was assigned to enroll in the 52-1 District Court's D.R.I.V.E. program and started the program early last year.

D.R.I.V.E. (Driver Rehabilitation Incorporating Vehicular Education) was established in October 2004 by the 52-1 District Court staff in response to problems created by the worst drivers on the road.

Ferguson will have a hearing on his situation in the next few weeks.

"I hope that due to the program and the fact that I have not been driving on a suspended license that I can get my license back," he said.

#### How the program started

The court learned of a hidden epidemic of people killed by drivers who repeatedly outrun problems with the law.

An analysis of crash statistics revealed that one of every six traffic deaths in Michigan involves a driver whose license has been suspended.

Further, driving records of this group of drivers are characterized by multiple moving violations, crashes, substance abuse charges and more than one license suspension.

Suspended drivers are responsible for more fatalities than speeding or teen drivers, although drunk drivers still kill more. To further complicate the problem, police indicate these drivers pose a difficult enforcement problem because there is no easy way to identify them.

#### Bad drivers targeted

The target population for the D.R.I.V.E. program are offenders who are charged with driving while license suspended; driving while license suspended, second offense; reckless driving; and leaving the scene of an accident.

The program is based on the premise that bad drivers are characterized by thinking errors, a thought pattern which allows the driver to believe that rules need not be followed, the driver is special and won't be caught.

"The goal of D.R.I.V.E. is to change the thinking or self-talk that characterizes this group and, therefore, change their driving behavior," said Judge Brian MacKenzie, 52-1 District Court.

This is accomplished through monitored cognitive restructuring therapy provided by Oakland Family Services in Walled Lake, a



Photo by JOHN HEIDER

Nick Berry operates Senica Industries D.R.I.V.E. simulation at its Wixom headquarters. D.R.I.V.E. (Driver Rehabilitation Incorporating Vehicular Education) is utilized by Novi's 52-1 District Court in its driver re-education programs.

driver education class through Sears Driver Education, training sessions on a simulator provided by SINECA, a Sears on-road driver training program and probation supervision.

Participants who have retained their license are now also required to install a black box, which records their driving behavior.

The simulator has real driving controls which include tilt steering, accelerator and brake pedals, turn signals, cruise control and other features. Through use of the simulator, suspended drivers can be retrained without driving on public roadways.

#### Program opened driver's eyes

Ferguson is eligible to get his license back in March.

He works for Speedway Corp.

and says the only thing that's kept him from being promoted is the fact that he doesn't have a driver's license.

"Hopefully, in the next couple of years that won't be a problem," he said.

"I have a wife and a stepdaughter, and it's created a hardship on the family with me not driving."

Ferguson hopes once he gets his license back he'll be promoted to associate manager for Speedway Corporation, a division of SuperAmerica.

If he does, he knows it will be partly because of the D.R.I.V.E. program.

"It's opened my eyes to a lot of things that I needed to take care of," Ferguson said. "When I get on the road, I think I'll be a more responsible driver."

## Little black box controls drivers

■ Simulator also in program

By Pam Fleming  
STAFF WRITER

Novi criminal defense attorney Todd Levitt and business partner, psychiatrist Bryan Weinstein co-founded SINECA, a local company that assists court systems throughout the area.

The firm offers substance abuse counseling, anger management classes and a program to help bad drivers.

The company has a driving simulator and distributes the "little black box" that monitors drivers' behavior for a year while they're in the 52-1 District Court's new driver rehabilitation program, D.R.I.V.E.

"We are an education rehab facility providing services to the Michigan court systems and the general public," Levitt said.

From his perspective, the D.R.I.V.E. program is designed as an education program for bad drivers. The goal is to change the way these people drive by changing the way they think when they drive.

For those ordered by the courts to have one of the black boxes installed in their vehicle, once a month the driver returns to SINECA to have the information from the box downloaded. A report is then sent to the court.

The report describes how many times that individual went over the speed limit. It also tells how often

the driver accelerated at a high rate of speed from a stop, failed to wear a seat belt, made turns too sharp or came to an abrupt stop.

The computer program in the black box is connected to the vehicle's computer system. The box's loud, buzzing sound won't stop until the driver corrects the bad driving behavior.

"The box is so loud you can hear it over music, people in the car, cell phones," Levitt said. "It's annoying. You cannot ignore it."

If a driver disconnects the device, it records that, too, which is a violation of the court's order to use the device.

Levitt added that this is the first time that a court system in the U.S. has used a driving simulator to help bad drivers improve.

"We can put someone in the simulator and simulate every driving condition on the road

— from rainy conditions to snowy conditions to emergency vehicles on the road to construction zones," he said.

SINECA, headquartered in Westland, sells the black box to the general public for anyone who wants to improve their or a loved one's driving behavior. The box costs about \$260, and the owner must install the device themselves. The box can also be rented for \$25 a month plus a \$75-\$150 installation fee, depending on the model of the vehicle.

For more information, call SINECA toll free at (888) 266-9349 and ask for Cindy.

#### What the program costs

Although participants normally take the 52-1 District Court's new driver rehabilitation program because they're ordered to by the court, members of the general public can also take the course. Costs include:

- \$25 a week for 12 weeks of therapy plus a \$90 assessment fee prior to the beginning of the counseling sessions;
- \$69 for a Sears authorized driving school;
- \$195 for three sessions on a driving simulator; and
- a \$75 to \$150 installation fee, depending on the model of the vehicle, plus \$25 a month for the device that monitors driving behavior. The device stays in the vehicle for one year.

For more information about the D.R.I.V.E. program, call the 52-1 District Court at (248) 305-6144.

#### What crash stats reveal

An analysis of crash statistics revealed that one out of every six traffic deaths in Michigan involves a driver whose license has been suspended.

#### Where to get the black box

The "little black box" that monitors driving behavior is manufactured by Road Safety International, Inc., a company in Thousand Oaks, Calif.

Want to purchase one of the monitoring devices? Call (805) 498-9444 or toll free at (800) 252-2594 or send an e-mail requesting information to info@road-safety.com.

All stories by Pam Fleming, a staff writer for the Novi News. She can be reached at (248) 349-1700, Ext. 105, or by e-mail at pfleming@gannett.com.

## Drivers say new 52-1 program has helped them in many ways

■ Experiences were positive

By Pam Fleming  
STAFF WRITER

Colin Williams of Walled Lake just forgot to pay the balance on a traffic ticket.

But, after being ordered to have a monitoring device installed in her car by the 52-1 District Court in Novi, because of the oversight, she will hopefully become a better driver.

Williams, of Walled Lake, does data entry for a local mortgage company.

She said because of a death in her family in 2003 that she forgot to renew her license plate. She was stopped by police, who issued her a ticket. Then, her license was suspended because she still owed a portion of the fine.

She appeared before Judge Brian MacKenzie, who said that although she didn't have a moving violation that he thought she could be helped by enrolling in the D.R.I.V.E. program, which stands for Driver Rehabilitation Incorporating Vehicular Education.

"The program is great," Williams said. "I learned a lot. I was enlightened about a lot of things related to driving."

Drivers in the program pay \$25 a month for the little black box installed on their vehicle which monitors driving.

Williams will have the black box on her car until her probation ends in August.

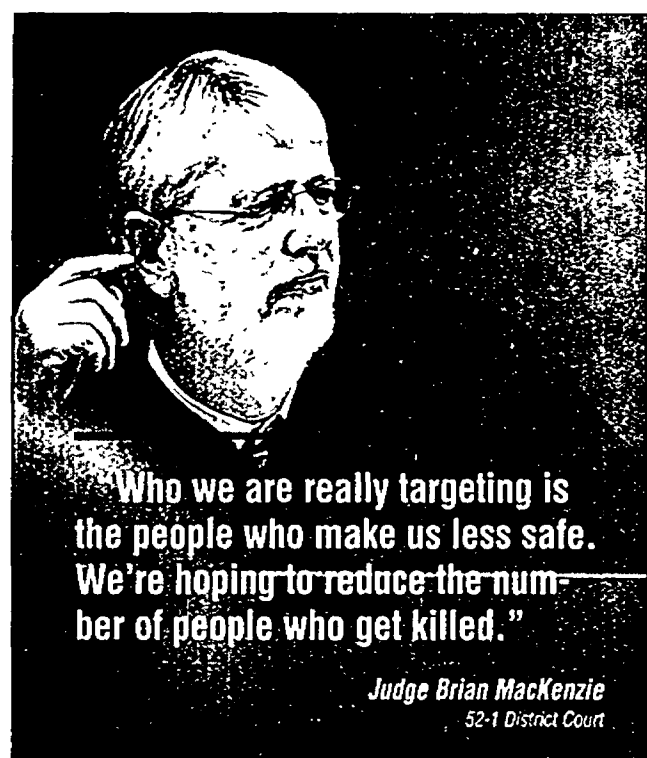
When a motorist makes a driving mistake, the monitoring device emits a loud noise.

For example, drivers cannot go over 70 mph without the device making a sound until the bad driving behavior is stopped.

MacKenzie said a driver has to be involved in at least two motor vehicle accidents before they're ordered to enroll in the program.

"This is the first way of looking for the dangerous driver," MacKenzie said.

"They're really guilty of thinking errors by saying that the law



"Who we are really targeting is the people who make us less safe. We're hoping to reduce the number of people who get killed."

Judge Brian MacKenzie  
52-1 District Court

Photo by JOHN HEIDER/Novi News

doesn't apply to them."

Jason Smith of Shelby Township was in the first D.R.I.V.E. program class and graduated about six months ago.

"I was on my way to a golf outing, driving in Novi," Smith recalled. A policeman driving in the opposite direction noticed he didn't have his seatbelt on.

When Smith was pulled over for the violation, the officer learned Smith was driving without a license. His license had been suspended because he had two unpaid tickets from the city of Detroit.

"At that time, I was thinking I would just take my time and delay the whole process," Smith said. "I should have paid the tickets. I thought I was above the law. I was being bold and brash by not paying the tickets."

Why does someone still get in the car and drive when they have a suspended license?

"I was arrogant," Smith said. "I thought I could away with it."

Now, after having gone through the driver education program, he's a changed man.

"I'm very thankful that Judge

MacKenzie wanted to see it his way, because it was one of the most worthwhile things I've ever done," Smith said.

"There are some crazy drivers out there, and I was one of them," Smith said. "I had no regard for the laws. I've even been in physical altercations with people over driving. I was a perfect person for the D.R.I.V.E. program."

Smith said when he first started the class, he was in total denial about his negative driving behavior.

"The program doesn't just teach you about driving but about life in general," Smith said.

"It really opened my eyes, and has helped me in my relationships, too. It was a wakeup call. If they sent me to jail, I wouldn't have learned anything."

Smith is still on probation until June.

"I think the class could help anybody and everybody," Smith said.

"Who we are really targeting is the people who make us less safe," MacKenzie said. "We're hoping to reduce the number of people who get killed."

Jason Smith  
D.R.I.V.E. student

"If they'd sent me to jail, I wouldn't have learned anything."

## Novi police now on lookout for students

■ Extra driving check targets three offenses

By Pam Fleming  
STAFF WRITER

Novi police officers are jumping on the bandwagon when it comes to finding students for a new 52-1 District Court driver education program.

Beginning this week, Novi officers will run an extra driving check to see if a driver has been involved in any other

motor vehicle accidents when they encounter individuals at the scene who are:

- driving while their license is suspended;
- driving recklessly;
- leaving the scene of a property damage accident.

"If our officers encounter individuals who are involved in any of these three offenses, they will run an extra driving check on them to see if they've been involved in any crashes," said Novi Police Chief David Molloy.

Once those individuals are convicted of those crimes, they can then be put into the D.R.I.V.E. program.

"I think it's an outstanding program. The statistics speak for themselves," Molloy said.

He noted that out of 84 who were enrolled in the program, only six have been ticketed for driving infractions, and only four have been ticketed for a misdemeanor driving charge.

"Out of the 74 who have actually completed the program, no defendant has been charged with a new traffic offense," Molloy said.

Molloy believes the driver education will help reduce the number of bad drivers on area streets.

"This is a perfect opportunity for the police department to partner with the District Court in keeping the streets of Novi safer," Molloy said.

## Home Owners...Do you use your fireplace?

If you do read this article for helpful information and gaining knowledge.

**TRADITIONAL FIREPLACES** - The fire burns in a firebox lined with firebrick (or newer metal liners). The heat creates a draft that pulls smoke up through the throat to a smoke chamber then up the flue, which is brick, tile, or a metal liner inside a masonry chimney. A flue damper regulates the draft and keeps air from escaping up the flue when the fireplace is not in use. The smoke shelf behind the damper stops backdrafts of outside air that could push smoke into the living area. Most draw air from inside the house - a grate holds the logs so that air can stoke the fire from underneath - while others draw air from the outside through an air intake. An intake damper seals the intake when the fireplace is not in use. A heat-circulating fireplace produces some radiant heat, but mainly warms air that circulates around the firebox. Some have a fan that increases the air flow. They achieve a high efficiency by enclosing the fireplace with glass doors and are equipped with an outside air intake.

**FIREPLACE GAS INSERT** - These units can fit into an existing fireplace. They operate at efficiency levels of 30 to 50% compared to a traditional fireplace. The space around the unit must be covered with sheet steel plate and sealed with a cement grout or mortar. A flue liner must



Randall Patterson

extend from the unit through the top of the chimney. This improves the draft, keeps the gases hotter, which reduces creosote building up, and reduces the risk of flue gases seeping back into the house.

**WOOD STOVE** - A modern wood stove is more efficient than a standard fireplace. Some only radiate heat while others also heat air passing around the firebox in convection currents. Advanced systems create conditions to burn combustible gases without the use of catalysts. With catalyst stoves, a catalytic combustor (a ceramic honeycomb) extracts heat from flue gases. Pellet stoves use manufactured pellets that are fed into the combustion chamber by a timed screw auger. Clearance Requirements from Walls and Floor: Wood stoves must sit on a non-combustible hearth which must extend a least eight inches beyond the sides and back and 18 inches in front of it and be at least 24 inches from side walls and 30 inches from back wall (check with your local building or fire codes.) Only black steel stovepipe (24 gauge min.) should be used between a wood stove and chimney. The overall run of stove pipe should be under 10 feet with no more than two 90° elbows.

### RECOMMENDED MAINTENANCE ITEMS:

**CLEAN THE CHIMNEY** - creosote can start fires, chimney should be cleaned when creosote buildup reaches 1/8 inch thickness

**FIREBOX AND MASONRY REPAIRS** - any cracks can pose a fire hazard and should be filled with refractory masonry; repoint masonry joints and replace broken bricks.

**SAFETY TIPS**  
• DO NOT BURN TRASH OR CHARCOAL IN A WOOD-BURNING UNIT

• DO NOT BURN PRESSURE-TREATED OR PAINTED WOOD (CAN PRODUCE DANGEROUS FUMES).

• DO NOT BURN PINE OR SOFT WOOD, CAUSE RAPID CREOSOTE BUILDUP

• NEVER OVERLOAD FIREPLACE OR WOOD STOVE - REDUCE AIR FLOW/COMBUSTION

• REMOVE ASHES - FIREPLACES AND WOOD STOVES PERFORM BETTER IF CLEAN

• OLD CHIMNEYS SHOULD BE LINED WITH TILE OR METAL LINER (FIREPLACES BUILT BEFORE 1950 DO NOT HAVE LINERS)

• PURCHASE ONLY DIRECT-VENT FIREPLACES RATED BY UNDERWRITERS LABS(UL) or THE AMERICAN GAS ASSOCIATION AGA

**CHARACTERISTICS OF WOOD WHEN BURNING:**

Types - Apple  
Ease of Starting - Poor  
Heat Value - Good  
Fragrance - Excellent

Types - Ash  
Ease of Starting - Fair  
Heat Value - Good  
Fragrance - Slight

Types - Birch  
Ease of Starting - Good  
Heat Value - Good  
Fragrance - Slight

Types - Cherry  
Ease of Starting - Poor  
Heat Value - Good  
Fragrance - Excellent

Types - Cedar  
Ease of Starting - Excellent  
Heat Value - Fair  
Fragrance - Good

Types - Elm  
Ease of Starting - Fair  
Heat Value - Good  
Fragrance - Fair

Types - Hickory  
Ease of Starting - Fair  
Heat Value - Excellent  
Fragrance - Slight

Randall Patterson  
Certified Pillar To Post®  
NAHI-CRI Home Inspector  
(248) 755-3422

For additional information please visit our website at: [www.pillarpost.com/westlandlivingston](http://www.pillarpost.com/westlandlivingston). We also provide home owner with the following Environmental Testing Services to ensure your home does not have elevated levels of Radon, Mold, or various other issues. We use only Nationally Certified Labs to provide the lab results to our clients. Call us today to schedule a home check up and ensure your family has a healthy and safe living environment, even if you are not planning to sell your home.

- Radon Measurement
- Testing
- Mold Sampling
- Well & Septic Inspections
- Lead Paint & Asbestos Sampling
- Water & Air Quality Testing
- Pest Inspections
- Home Energy Surveys
- Customized Inspections for Home Owners

ADVERTISEMENT

ADVERTISEMENT



Photos by JOHN HEIDER/NORTHVILLE RECORD

At Orin Jewellers, (left-right) Orin Mazzoni Jr., Orin Mazzoni III, Gina Mazzoni, Carole Urban and Joshua Summers value customer service.

## Orin Jewellers thrives in downtown Northville

### Serving local customers for 23 years

Orin Jewellers has been serving local customers for 23 years from its store in the historic building on the corner of Main and Center streets in downtown Northville.

The jewelry business has been a tradition for three generations of the Mazzoni family for more than 70 years. Orin Jewellers has operated for 53 years in Michigan and 23 years in Northville.

Orin Mazzoni opened his first store in West Virginia in 1933. Orin and his wife, Mary, moved their family to Michigan in 1953 and opened a store in Garden City under the name Orin Jewellers. When he retired in 1969, Orin Jr. took over as president and CEO of the business.

The family decided to expand in 1983 and opened their second showroom in downtown Northville at their present location. Orin Jewellers has become a fixture in the community under the direction of the Mazzoni family.

Orin Mazzoni III joined the family business in 1998 and today serves as manager of the Northville store. In the tradition of his namesakes, Orin strives to provide customers with fine quality jewelry, personal customer service and superior jewelry repair, all at affordable prices.

"Trust is very important in the jewelry business," said Orin III. "We have built our reputation for honesty and integrity."

Orin Jewellers offers a large selection of fine jewelry, quality crystal and gift items. The store carries designer jewelry created by the world's leading designers, including J.B. Star, Peter Storm, Scott Kay, Tacori, Mikimoto, and D'Annunzio.



Siblings Gina and Orin Mazzoni III help customers feel at home at Orin Jewellers in downtown Northville.

With Valentine's Day coming next week, Mazzoni wants to emphasize their tremendous selection of gifts for \$25 and up for special loved ones in our lives. Orin's carries a variety of beautiful diamonds and colored stone jewelry for every age and taste.

"Our mission is to have a friendly jewelry store, a human store that places customer satis-

faction above all else," said Orin. "A store where our customers can recommend their friends and relatives and be assured they will be thanked for their recommendation."

Orin Jewellers is one of only 500 jewelers in the world that carries "Hearts On Fire" diamonds and jewelry. Hearts on Fire is the world's most perfectly cut diamond. They offer a large

### ORIN JEWELLERS

Northville: 101 East Main at Center, in downtown Northville; (248) 349-6940  
Garden City: 29317 Ford Road; (734) 422-7030  
Web: [www.orinjewelers.com](http://www.orinjewelers.com)

selection of engagement and wedding rings, and other bridal jewelry.

Along with the "Nominations" Italian charm bracelet, Orin's has a large selection of the Pandora bracelet. It is a new type of charm bracelet that allows people to customize their own with different links (charms). The bracelet, starting from \$19 with the charms costing from \$6 each and up, makes a great gift for Valentine's or other special occasions.

"You want to come in and see the affordable things they have to offer," said Tammy Morris of Northville, who is president of the Catholic Central High School Mother's Club. "You get the quality and the service and you're now part of the Orin family."

Orin Jewellers is truly a family business with everyone in the family working in the business. Orin's sister Gina works with him in the Northville store, while his father, Orin Jr., works between the Garden City and Northville stores. Carole Urban has also been part of the Orin family for over 25 years since she started working in the Northville store.

"We treat all our customers like family," said Orin III, who remembers his grandfather teaching him and his sisters that philosophy from a very young age.

"We have more professional jewelry titleholders through the Gemological Institute of America or the American Gem Society than any other jeweler in the

state," said Orin, Jr. emphasizing the qualifications of their staff.

The backbone of Orin Jewellers has always been its quality repair and design department. It's how Orin Sr. started his business and is still a very important part of it today.

All of the repairs are done in the Garden City store where Orin Jr. personally makes sure that every piece of jewelry receives the highest care and quality.

"We are very customer-oriented," Orin III said. "We welcome everyone to visit our store and offer free jewelry cleaning and inspection for anyone bringing their jewelry into the store without having to make a purchase."

Orin Jewellers' business has grown tremendously over the years. They attribute their success to the dedication of their staff to make sure every customer is satisfied, having the best customers in the world, being involved in the community, and having a great landmark building in downtown Northville.

"We had a great Christmas season and it is a wonderful feeling to know that we made so many people feel special during the holiday season," said Orin III.

Orin Jewellers is pleased to be part of the community and supports the local schools and many local events which bring people downtown to shop at the variety of businesses located there.

"With many new businesses in town, we have almost everything you need downtown with clothing, gifts, restaurants and specialty stores," said Orin III. "People enjoy shopping downtown throughout the entire year and the goal of downtown merchants is to make it a more enjoyable experience in the future."

Orin Jewellers in Northville is open 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Monday through Wednesday; 10 a.m.-8 p.m. Thursday and Friday; and 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday.

**ORIN**  
JEWELLERS

Garden City  
Northville



MORTGAGE MONITOR									
		30 Yr.	Pts.	15 Yr.	Pts.	ARM	Pts.	Other	
First Choice Mortgage Lending	(734) 466-0782	5.875	0	5.875	0	4.125	0	J/A	
A Best Financial Corp	(800) 839-8918	5.5	1.025	5.5	1.5	4.5	1.5	J/A	
AAA Discount Mortgage	(877) 728-3566	5.875	0	5.875	0	4.375	0	J/A	
AFI Financial	(877) 234-0500	5.75	0.5	5.375	0.25	NR	NR	J/A	
America's Premier Mortgage	(800) 885-9730	5.875	0	5.875	0	5.625	0	J/V/F	
Ameriplus Mortgage Corp	(248) 740-2323	5.875	0.25	5.5	0.25	5.25	0	J/A	
Brighton Commerce Bank	(616) 220-9548	5.875	0	5.875	0	5.25	0	J/A	
Brinks Goldstar Mortgage	(800) 785-4755	5.5	2	5.125	2	4.875	0.375	J/V/F	
Capital Mortgage Funding	(248) 568-7283	6.125	1.25	5.75	1.25	NR	NR	J/V/F	
Charter One Bank	(800) 342-5336	6.5	0	6.125	0	NR	NR	J/V/F	
Client Services by Golden Rule	(800) 569-5905	5.5	1.75	5.125	2	2.5	2.5	J/V/F	
Co-op Services Credit Union	(734) 466-6113	6.375	0	6.125	0	4.875	0	J	
Community Bank of Dearborn	(734) 961-0022	6.125	0	5.875	0	5.625	0.5	J/A	
Credit Union One	(800) 544-5567	6.375	0	6	0	5.25	0	J/A	
Dearborn Federal Savings Bank	(313) 565-3100	6.125	0	5.75	0	5.25	2	A	
DFCU Financial	(800) 739-2770	5.875	2	5.375	2	NR	NR	J/A	
Fifth Third Bank	(800) 792-8630	6.25	0	5.875	0.125	5.375	0	J/V/F	
First Alliance Mortgage Co	(800) 292-7357	6.125	0	5.75	0	NR	NR	J/V/F	
First International Mortgage	(248) 258-1584	5.875	0	5.625	0	NR	NR	J/A	
GMAC Mortgage Corp	(800) 888-4822	5.75	3	5.75	1	4.125	1	J/V/F	
Golden Rule Mortgage	(800) 961-9922	5.5	1.625	5.125	1.875	2.25	2	J/V/F	
Goldstar Mortgage	(800) 784-1074	5.75	0.5	5.5	0.5	3.125	0	J/V/F	
Group One Mortgage	(734) 963-4000	6.125	0	5.875	1.0	5	0	J/V/F	
Home Finance of America	(800) 358-5626	5.875	0	5.375	0	5.5	0	J/A	
Horizon Financial Group	(888) 638-7887	5.75	2	5.25	2	NR	NR	J/A	
JMC Mortgage Corp	(248) 489-4020	5.625	3	5.125	3	NR	NR	J/A	
LaSalle Bank Midwest	(800) 466-3800	6	2	5.625	2	4.125	2	J/V/F	
Una Financial	(588) 226-0900	5.875	0	5.5	0	3.125	0	J/V/F	
Mainstreet Mortgage	(800) 900-1313	5.875	0	5.5	0	NR	NR	J/V/F	
Manufacturers	(588) 777-1000	6	0	5.5	0	4.25	0	J/A	
Michigan Schools & Gov. CU	(588) 263-8800	6.25	0	5.875	0	4.875	0	J/A	
Mortgages by Golden Rule	(800) 991-9922	5.625	1	5.25	1.5	2.5	1	J/V/F	
National City Bank	(588) 825-0825	5.75	2.125	5.375	1.75	5.375	0.875	J/A	
Northlawn Financial	(248) 568-5458	5.875	0	5.625	0	NR	NR	J/V/F	
Pathway Financial LLC	(800) 726-2274	5.875	0	5.5	0	3.375	0	J/V/F	
Peoples Mortgage	(800) 730-5087	5.75	0.5	5.375	0.25	NR	NR	J/A	
Shore Mortgage	(800) 678-6663	5.5	2.75	5	3	3.5	3	J/V/F	
United Mortgage Group	(588) 286-9500	5.875	0	5.5	0	5.25	0.25	J/A	
York Financial Inc.	(888) 639-9875	5.875	0	5.625	0	4.5	0	J/A	

Above information available as of 2/7/06 and subject to change at anytime. Rates are based on \$200,000 loan with 20% down. Jumbo rates, specific payment calculations & most current rates available Fridays after 2:00 P.M. at www.mcrreport.com. Key to "Other" Column - J = Jumbo, A = Arms, V = VA, F = FHA, R = Reverse Mtg & NR = Not Reported. All Lenders are Equal Opportunity Lenders.

© Copyright 2006 Residential Mortgage Consultants, Inc. All Rights Reserved.

**The MARYLYN J. SNYDER Team**  
 MarilynJ.Snyder.com Marilyn@MarilynJ.Snyder.com  
 248-348-3300 x 105 • 248-348-8366  
 Top 1% of Realtors Nationwide & Locally

## Recently Sold Properties

**Highland Twp.**  
 1650 Highland Park ... \$120,000  
 730 Park St. ... \$142,900  
 3421 Harvey Lake Road ... \$170,000  
 4675 Desert Bridge Ct. ... \$222,500  
 260 Middle ... \$131,750  
 4142 Loch Ct. ... \$232,000

**Lyon Twp.**  
 30835 Hill Road S. ... \$205,000  
 57640 Apple Lane ... \$276,000  
 29446 Emelbe Dr. ... \$300,000  
 25906 Hunter Lane ... \$70,000  
 25345 Villagewood Ct. ... \$101,500  
 54435 Villagewood Dr. ... \$102,500

**Milford Twp.**  
 1839 Scenic Dr. ... \$440,048  
 1941 Scenic Dr. ... \$461,869

**Milford Village**  
 865 Panorama Dr. ... \$170,000  
 808 Ridgeway Dr. ... \$171,000  
 607 Village Lane ... \$183,525  
 772 Byron Ct. ... \$197,500

**Northville City**  
 862 Center St. N. ... \$191,000  
 21285 Summerside Lane ... \$275,500  
 965 Grace St. ... \$320,000

**Novi City**  
 41331 Liorac Lane ... \$310,000  
 43536 Galway Dr. ... \$350,000  
 45449 Irvine ... \$336,000  
 21865 Dunnabeck Ct. ... \$353,000  
 24870 Reeds Pointe Dr. ... \$435,867  
 24966 Samoset Ct. ... \$529,356  
 25654 Island Lake Dr. ... \$537,175

24458 Terradelmar ... \$569,642  
 25905 Terradelmar ... \$588,202  
 24981 Reeds Pt. ... \$599,127  
 24794 Terradelmar ... \$603,280  
 49820 Leyland ... \$671,185  
 47590 Edinborough Ln. ... \$694,900  
 50413 Drakes Bay ... \$734,511  
 50039 Drakes Bay ... \$854,535  
 50406 Drakes Bay ... \$950,129  
 22813 Renford St. ... \$125,000  
 24545 Bashlan Dr. ... \$135,000  
 22162 Edgewater ... \$143,000  
 41614 Hamlet Lane ... \$201,000  
 23253 Cranbrook Dr. ... \$255,000  
 43630 Wendigo Ct. ... \$311,000  
 23567 Hickory Grove Ln. ... \$315,000  
 20819 Veranda ... \$430,000  
 20819 Veranda ... \$430,000  
 21874 Picadilly ... \$600,000  
 2300 Novi Road ... \$115,000  
 44719 Tiverton ... \$120,000  
 45096 Tiverton ... \$120,000  
 44881 Revere ... \$142,500  
 44899 Revere ... \$142,500  
 44880 Lafayette ... \$142,500  
 27976 Declaration ... \$164,900  
 28004 Declaration ... \$166,665  
 27686 Declaration ... \$170,490  
 28002 Declaration ... \$171,965  
 28010 Declaration ... \$182,240  
 44876 Revere ... \$197,500  
 43000 Twelve Oaks Crescent ... \$249,500  
 44932 Paine ... \$279,000  
 44965 Paine ... \$280,500  
 41499 Burroughs ... \$505,000

**South Lyon City**  
 1183 Gentry Dr. ... \$90,000  
 1161 Polo ... \$335,000



**CALL ABE**  
 Call 248-939-6432 Virtual Tour Provided With Every Listing  
 Office 248-486-9227 EMAIL: sales@abe.com

Information provided by First American Real Estate Solutions



# Bonus\$ homes

Go to **BonusCashHomes.com** for complete details.  
 For tens of thousands of homes visit **RealEstateOne.com**

Look for the Dollar Sign symbol to receive \$2000-\$5000 when you purchase a participating property by April 15, 2006.

The Real Estate One Family of Companies: Real Estate One • Max, Brock, Realtors • Johnstone & Johnstone • Capital Title Insurance Agency • Insurance One Agency • On Your Terms Mortgage Company • Relocation America

 \$369,900 - South Lyon Spectacular Carriage Trace colonial! 248-437-3800	 \$374,900 - Pinckney Beautiful home on 1 acre tree lot! 248-437-3800	 \$334,900 - Wixom Stunning 4 BR colonial w/large deck! 248-437-3800	 1095 Gallop Lane \$339,900 - South Lyon 4 bedroom, 2 bath, bsmt, garage 248-437-3800	 \$189,900 - Green Oak 3 bedroom ranch with canal frontage! 248-437-3800	 \$174,900 - South Lyon Completely remodeled col in town! 248-437-3800
 \$355,000 - Novi 4 bed, 2.1 bath, bsmt, gar 248-348-6430/349-6200	 \$219,000 - Novi 3 bed, 1.5 ba, gar 248-348-6430/349-6200	 \$314,900 - Northville 3 bed, 2.1 bath, bsmt, gar 248-348-6430/349-6200	 \$223,000 - Northville 2 bed, 2.1 ba, gar 248-348-6430/349-6200	 \$269,900 - Novi 3 bed, 2.5 ba, bsmt, gar 248-348-6430/349-6200	 \$239,900 - Novi 4 bed, 2.1 ba, bsmt, gar 248-348-6430/349-6200
 \$2000/month - Brighton 4 bed, 3 ba, gar 248-348-6430/349-6200	 \$489,900 - Brighton 4 bed, 3.1 ba, bsmt, gar 248-348-6430/349-6200	 \$424,900 - Novi 3 bed, 3.1 ba, bsmt, gar 248-348-6430/349-6200	 \$139,900 - Northville 2 bed, 2 bath, condo 248-349-6200/348-6430	 \$829,900 - Novi 5 bed, 3 ba, bsmt, gar 248-349-6200/348-6430	 \$184,900 - Commerce 2 bed, 1 bath 248-349-6200/348-6430
 \$199,900 - Milford 4 beds, 1 bath, bsmt, gar. 248-684-1065	 \$334,900 - Milford 4 beds, 3.5 baths, bsmt, gar. 248-684-1065	 \$144,900 - Highland 2 beds, 1 bath, shed, corner lot. 248-684-1065	 \$304,900 - Milford 3 beds, 2.5 baths, bsmt, gar. 248-684-1065	 \$282,900 - Milford 3 beds, 2 bath, bsmt, gar. 248-684-1065	 \$215,000 - White Lake 3 beds, 2.5 baths, bsmt, gar. 248-684-1065
\$369,900 - South Lyon Carriage Trace col backs to woods! 248-437-3800	\$184,900 - South Lyon Remodeled 122, new pnt, crpt, kit 248-437-3800	\$349,900 - Hartland Cust ranch, 6 acres w/private barn! 248-437-3800	\$189,900 - Northville 3 bed, 2.5 bath, bsmt, gar 248-348-6430/349-6200	\$289,900 - Commerce Twp 4 bed, 3.5 baths, bsmt, gar 248-348-6430/349-6200	\$199,900 - Brighton 3 beds, 2 baths, bsmt, gar. 248-684-1065
\$299,900 - Green Oak 3000+ sq ft home w/quest suite 248-437-3800	\$199,500 - South Lyon Updated 3 BR ranch-walk to dwnwn 248-437-3800	\$329,900 - South Lyon Immaculate in Trotters Pointe 248-437-3800	\$570,000 - Northville 3 bed, 3.1 bath, bsmt, gar 248-348-6430/349-6200	\$399,900 - Plymouth 3 bed, 2 bath, bsmt, gar 248-348-6430/349-6200	\$269,900 - Highland 4 beds, 2.5 baths, bsmt, gar. 248-684-1065
\$288,900 - Green Oak Family home in Sand Crane Crossing! 248-437-3800	\$224,500 - Salem Nice w/beautiful yard, 1+ acres 248-437-3800	\$217,500 - Northville 2 bed, 2.5 bath, bsmt, gar 248-348-6430/349-6200	\$450,000 - Novi 4 bed, 2.1 bath, bsmt, gar 248-348-6430/349-6200	\$369,900 - Farmington Hills 3 bed, 3 bath, bsmt, gar 248-348-6430/349-6200	\$489,900 - Highland 3 beds, 1.5 baths, bsmt, gar. 248-684-1065
\$194,500 - South Lyon 3 BR ranch, beautiful country lot! 248-437-3800	\$329,900 - South Lyon Spac 3 BR ranch in Carriage Club! 248-437-3800	\$199,900 - Farmington Hills 3 bed, 1.5 ba, bsmt, gar 248-348-6430/349-6200	\$599,900 - Northville 4 bed, 3.5 bath, bsmt, gar 248-348-6430/349-6200	\$189,900 - Milford 3 beds, 2 bath, bsmt, gar. 248-684-1065	\$216,900 - Commerce 3 beds, 1.5 baths, bsmt, gar. 248-684-1065
\$319,900 - New Hudson Col w/mpl cabs, w/ firs & lg closets 248-437-3800	\$349,900 - Green Oak Gorgeous 4 BR col in quiet sub! 248-437-3800	\$168,000 - Novi prem 1 acre lot 248-348-6430/349-6200	\$243,000 - Wixom 3 bed, 2.1 bath, gar 248-348-6430/349-6200	\$315,000 - Milford 3 beds, 2.5 baths, bsmt, gar. 248-684-1065	\$229,000 - Highland 3 beds, 1 bath, lakefront. 248-684-1065
\$309,900 - South Lyon GR col backs to pond & nat prsrve 248-437-3800	\$394,900 - New Hudson Beautiful col, large wooded lot! 248-437-3800	\$184,900 - Novi 3 bed, 1.5 ba, bsmt, gar 248-348-6430/349-6200	\$595,000 - Novi premium-sized lot 248-348-6430/349-6200	\$179,900 - Milford 3 beds, 1.5 baths, gar. 248-684-1065	\$174,900 - West Bloomfield 3 beds, 2 bath, gar. 248-684-1065
					\$149,900 - White Lake 3 beds, 1.5 baths, gar. 248-684-1065
					\$879,000 - Milford 4 beds, 4.5 baths, bsmt, gar. 248-684-1065
					\$159,900 - Highland 5 acres, wooded lot, priv rd. 248-684-1065
					\$229,900 - White Lake 4 beds, 2.5 baths, bsmt, gar. 248-684-1065
					\$199,900 - Waterford 4 beds, 2 baths, bsmt, gar. 248-684-1065

Milford (248) 684-1065 • Northville (248) 349-6200 • Novi (248) 348-6430 • South Lyon (248) 437-3800



# CREATIVE LIVING

www.hometownlife.com

3000-4980  
REAL ESTATE

Homes 3000

## POLICY STATEMENT

All advertising published in Green Sheet Classifieds, Livingston County Daily Press & Argus, Milford Times, Novi News, Northville Record & South Lyon Herald is subject to the conditions stated in the applicable rate card, copies of which are available from the advertising dept., 323 E. Grand River, Howell, MI 48843 (517)548-2000. We reserve the right not to accept an advertiser's order. Sales reps have no authority to bind this newspaper and only publication of an advertisement shall constitute final acceptance of the advertiser's order. When more than one insertion of the same advertisement is ordered, no credit will be given unless notice of typographical or other errors is given in time for correction before the second insertion. Not responsible for omissions. Publisher's Notice: All real estate advertising in this newspaper is subject to the Federal Fair Housing Act of 1968 which makes it illegal to advertise "any preference, limitation, or discrimination." This newspaper will not knowingly accept any advertising for real estate which is in violation of the law. Our readers are hereby informed that all dwellings advertised in this newspaper are available in an equal housing opportunity basis (FR Doc. 724983 Filed 3-31-72, 8-4-5am). Classified ads may be placed according to the deadlines. Advertisers are responsible for reading their ads the first time it appears and reporting any errors immediately. Our newspapers will not issue credit for errors in ads after first incorrect insertion.

CAPE COD 2400 Sq Ft., 4 bd 2 bath on 5 acres, 6 yrs old, walkout, pond, Fowlerville schools \$225,000 By Owner 517-223-0481



## ENHANCE YOUR AD WITH A PHOTO

Now available! You can add photos to your classified ads to show what you are selling, in addition to ad copy. Ads will appear whenever you want them to run, under the classification you choose. The cost for the photo will be \$10 for the first day and \$5 per day for each additional day, plus the cost of the ad copy based on the number of lines used. Email or mail your 3x5 or 4x6 photos. Call for addresses. Photos will not be returned. Prepayment required. No refunds. To place your ad and get more info call: The Green Sheet Classifieds at 888-999-1288, Mon & Fri, 8am to 5pm. Tues thru Thurs, 8:30am to 5pm. Excludes business/commercial ads. Deadlines for Sunday publication is Thursday at Noon. Deadline for Thursday publication is Monday at Noon. Some restrictions may apply.

GOVERNMENT FORECLOSED HOMES!!! \$0 or Low Down! No credit OK! Bank & Government Reps available now! HUD, VA, FHA For Listings 800-755-9719 Fee

## STUNNING 4 BR COLONIAL

Living room and great room with hardwood floors, gas fireplace, kitchen with ceramic tile and all appliances. Finished basement with 3 car attached garage. \$264,900.

Rae Lynn Darby  
517-404-1987  
Heritage-GSIAC

## READERS:

SINCE many ads are from outside the local area, please know what you are buying before sending money. Green Sheet Classifieds 888-999-1288

## Open Houses

HARTLAND, SUNDAY, 2-5PM. Contemporary, 1998, all sport bike access, 3 br., 2 bath, 2 car garage, appliances. \$209,900. 11578 Timberlane Trail (810)632-5871

HOWELL condo Outstanding end unit, \$128,000. Sun, 1-3 556 Old English Dr., bld 8 M-59 to Byron Rd. N. to English Garden Condos. Much Home Buyers 734-709-1875

Open Houses 3030

Homes 3000

HOWELL - RENOVATED, Historic, MUST SEE! 3 br, 2.5 car, \$179,000. Wed, 5-6pm. Sun, 1-3pm. 422 Soley owners com. /ATG1705, MLS # 11051093 517-545-1554

MILFORD - Open Sun, 2-12, 1-4 2601 Old Plank 6 scenic acres, ranch, 2315sq ft, 3 br, 2.5 bath, 2.5 car garage, barn, 4 stalls, water, electric. Close to riding trails. Hometown Realtors Inc. (248)486-5358

NOVI Open Sun, 1-4 2 bdrm condo overlooking woods, path, \$122,500. 24632 Old Orchard 248-958-2206 Coldwell Banker Schaefer

## HOUSE & REAL ESTATE AUCTION

February 11, 2006, 2:00 pm  
165 Westdale,  
Howell, Michigan  
1 block off Grand River Lake access, 1349 sq ft, 3 bedroom, fireplace, 2 car garage, corner lot, very nice home.  
Arrow Auction Service  
810-227-6000  
517-712-7349

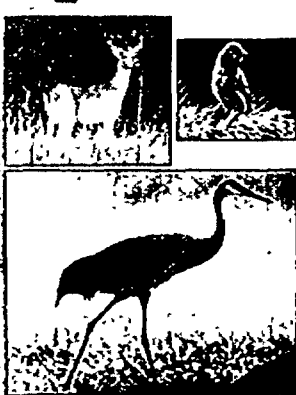
## By Owner

SOUTH LYON  
OPEN SUN, FEB 12, 1-5  
WILL CO-OP  
1122 Colt Dr. Trotters Pointe 4 Bdrm Colonial, 2.5 baths. Immed occupancy \$309,900 (248) 445-0146

WHITMORE LK-OPEN HOUSE  
Saturday 2-11-06 - 2-4pm  
7820 Whitmore Lake Rd.  
N. of N. Terminal, W. of US23. Large 3 BR ranch with 2 car attached garage \$174,900. Call Van Esley Real Estate 734-459-7570 or Joe Van Esley #313-413-3183

Homes 3000

## MEET THE NEIGHBORS AT Mystic Ridge



With 183 acres permanently preserved at Mystic Ridge, you'll share the land with nature's bounty, from wondrous creatures to rolling meadows, picturesque prairies and towering trees. You'll find spectacular views from every homesite and homes that have more features for less money. Come visit us soon... and claim your favorite view.

Special Savings at [www.mysticridge.com](http://www.mysticridge.com)

## SINGLE FAMILY HOMES

From the \$270's

## RANCH CONDOS

Attached and Detached  
From the \$240's

## ESTATE HOMES

From the high \$400's

Low Hamburg Township Taxes

Dexter Schools

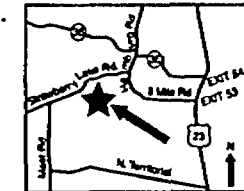
Walking Trails,  
Soccer Field,  
Baseball Diamond

## MODEL OPEN 1 - 5

Daily Except Thursday

(734) 449-4625

5 minutes to US 231



Marketing by Edward Surovell Realtors  
1898 W. Stadium, Ann Arbor, MI. 48103



www.prudentialcranbrookrealtors.com

35 YEARS IN MICHIGANI  
TROY 4850 Investment Drive  
FRANKLIN 32440 Franklin Road  
ROYAL OAK 27100 Woodward  
WEST BLOOMFIELD 7115 Orchard Lake  
ROCHESTER HILLS 1460 Walton Blvd.  
FARMINGTON HILLS 39395 Twelve Mile  
BIRMINGHAM/BLOOMFIELD 34122 Woodward

One of the largest and most experienced Realtors® in Michigan



FARMINGTON HILLS. Natural beauty road leads to stunning home on approx. 2 scenic acres. Soaring ceilings & choice amenities. GR w/2-story FP. Master ste w/sitting rm & huge WIC. Gourmet kit. w/tiered Corian island, Profile appl's. Outstanding LL. \$664,900 (26008033HOW) 248-851-4400



SOUTH LYON. Excellent 4 bdrm colonial on approx 1/2 acre in Pembroke Crossing sub! 2-story entry. Hwdw flrs. Dream kitchen w/center island. Huge family rm w/FP, Berber carpeting. Prof fin lower level! Massive master ste. Deck w/nature views. \$289,000 (26002601PEM) 248-324-3800



NOVI. Very well maintained 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath home in Meadowbrook Glen. Beautiful & large lot in the sub. \$225,900 (26004578PAR) 248-851-4400



NORTHVILLE. Close to downtown. Great 2 bdrm, 2.5 bath unit in popular North Lexington complex. Freshly painted 1st flr w/updates. Newer doorways to deck. New roof & vinyl siding in '05. Living rm w/FP. Fin lower level & 2 car attached garage. \$172,900 (26002940CHA) 248-324-3800



NOVI. Wow! Stunning colonial in awesome Greenwood Oaks neighborhood. Mint condition & upgrades throughout this spacious home where pride of ownership shows from every corner. 'Move-in' ready! Priced right for quick sale. \$425,000 (25120219HOL) 248-324-3800



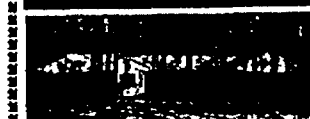
NOVI. Beautiful, well maintained 3 bdrm/2.5 bath colonial. Nice neighborhood, many updates, hwdw flrs. Cathedral ceiling in living rm & dining area. Family rm has recessed lites & built-in shelving. Finished bsmt. \$239,900 (26004626CLO) 248-851-4400



HOLLY. 3 bdrm, 2.5 bath split level w/2 car garage. Newer Pergo flooring. Master ste w/doorway to deck, bath w/skylight. Kitchen w/skylight, granite counters ('04). Living rm w/FP. 2 chandeliers plus all appliances. 1 yr home warranty. \$176,000 (25147005PON) 248-547-2000



MILFORD. 23 gorgeous, private acres or divide into 8 lots. Survey available. Call for more information. \$999,900 (25128350SOU) 248-626-8700



THERE'S NO PLACE LIKE HOME! Appealing 3 bedroom ranch on pretty 2.54 acre setting! Great location on paved road with natural gas. This spacious 2438 sq. ft. home includes great room, family room w/fireplace, 3 season room, large mud room, full finished basement, fenced yard, nice kitchen with eating area, 2 car attached garage and more! Hartland Schools. \$319,900.



A STAND OUT! Immaculate 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath 2 story home on peaceful 3.7 acre setting with pond! Home includes lovely kitchen, formal dining area, cozy family room with fireplace and door-wal to deck, 2nd fireplace in living room. Basement is plumbed for bath, 2 car attached garage plus a 30x40 pole barn with 220 & cement floor! Hartland Schools. \$289,900.



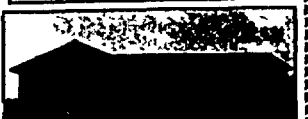
THIS IS LIVING! Wonderful 3 bedroom home on all sports Charick Lake with out-of-the-way setting. Freshly painted with new carpet in family room and bedrooms plus many updates. Nicely finished walkout lower level. Fireplace in family room. Downhill off breakfast area to large deck. Manufactured lawn with sprinkler system. Huron Valley Schools. \$237,500

VACANT LAND  
LINDEN SCHOOLS. White Oaks Drive. South off Lahning and east of Seymour Very peaceful country setting comes with these 2 acre parcels on private road. Please call for restrictions and park information. Three 2 acres parcels priced at \$64,000 each.

HOWELL TOWNSHIP. 2433 Burkhardt Road. Opportunity awaits for this splitable 3.3 acre site. 1100 sq. ft. home on property currently used as residence. Property is zoned regional service commercial. Sewer available. Call for more details. \$324,000

HARTLAND  
12316 HIGHLAND RD. (M-59)  
Call (810) 632-7427 OR  
(248) 887-9736

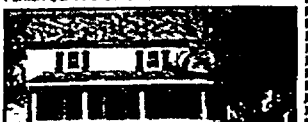
SERVING LIVINGSTON, OAKLAND,  
GENESEE AND SURROUNDING  
COUNTIES SINCE 1970



ENJOY PEACE & QUIET! Desirable 20 acre setting surrounds this newer quality built country ranch. Delightful well planned oak kitchen with snack bar opens to living room w/bay window. 3 spacious bedrooms, 2 with walk-in closets. Den, daylight basement, oversized 2 car attached garage plus 34x48 insulated pole barn with 220 electric. Linden Schools. \$328,000



SO NICE TO COME HOME TO! Spacious 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath 2 story home in nice Fenton neighborhood! Home offers formal living room, wonderful kitchen with island, large family room, master suite with bonus room, 2nd floor laundry, part. finished walkout lower level with daylight windows. 2 car attached garage and nice yard. Fenton Schools. \$275,000.



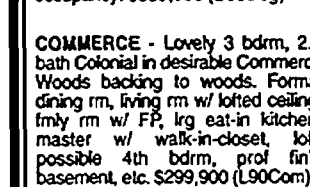
HOMESPU! Old fashioned charm with this newly remodeled 3 bedroom farmhouse. Home offers a large wrap around front porch, refreshed pine plank floors and 1st floor laundry. Large 19x200 country setting Swartz Creek Schools. \$168,500.



BRIGHTON - Huge price reduction for this custom built Colonial on over 1 acre private wooded lot. Offers: vaulted ceilings, large kitchen w/oak cabinets, large great rm w/FP, library, fabulous 3-season cedar sun rm, walk-out LL & 3 car garage. \$359,900 (D835R)



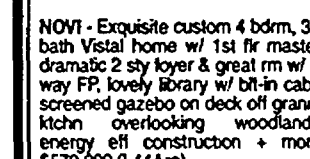
NOVI - Priced to sell! Fantastic 3,600 sq ft 4 bdrm, 3.5 bath Colonial is less than 1 yr old! Formal liv & dining rm + lg fam rm, music rm, library w/ built-in book cases, gorgeous kitchen w/ granite, dual staircase, 3 car garage + immed occupancy! \$559,900 (D90Dog)



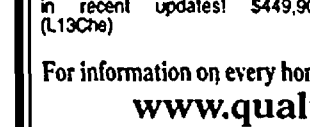
LYON TWP - Exquisite Colonial on spacious lot overlooking 5th fairway! 2-way FP sets off 12x12 hearth rm & great rm. Library w/ cat ceilings & French drs. Lg master suite w/ dbl walk-in-closets. Priv bath in both upper bdrms. Immed occupancy! \$549,900 (L60Spy)



BRIGHTON - Like new custom built 2 story home offering soaring ceilings, huge gourmet kitchen w/ Jenn-Aire cooking island-endless cabinets, lg sunken great rm w/FP & custom built-in/French drs to FB, fin'd LL, 3 car garage, wooded lot, etc. \$356,000 (L35Lau)



NOVI - Exquisite custom 4 bdrm, 3.5 bath Vista home w/ 1st flr master, dramatic 2 sty foyer & great rm w/ 2-way FP, lovely library w/ foyer in cab, screened gazebo on deck off granite kitchen overlooking woodlands, energy eff construction + more. \$579,900 (L44Arg)



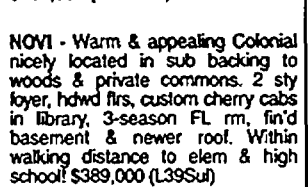
NOVI - Totally updated 4 bath, 2.2 bath Colonial is decorated to perfection. Gourmet kitchen w/ granite & hwdw flrs overlooking new deck w/ enclosed gazebo. Library w/ French door, prof fin'd LL w/ full bar. \$80,000 in recent updates! \$449,900 (L13Che)



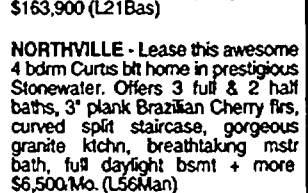
NOVI - Fantastic 2 bdrm, 1.5 bath Condo w/ open flr plan, neutral carpet, new kitchen cabinets & ceramic flr, updated baths, master w/ cathedral ceiling & walk-in closet, cedar deck & privacy fence, etc. Complex offers club house, pool & tennis! \$149,900 (D02Woo)



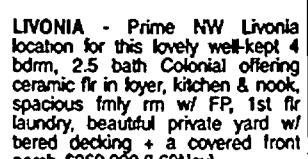
LIVONIA - Exquisite 4 bdrm Colonial w/ year-round sun rm, lg family rm, library w/ built-in book cases, living & dining rms, kitchen w/ granite counters & island, fin'd LL w/ add'l kitchen, exercise rm & add'l family rm, master w/ lg walk-in closet. \$424,900 (D55Pem)



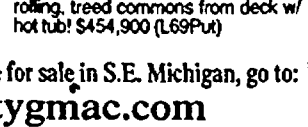
NOVI - Warm & appealing Colonial nicely located in sub backing to woods & private commons. 2 sty foyer, hwdw flrs, custom cherry cabinets in library, 3-season FL rm, fin'd basement & newer roof. Within walking distance to elem & high school! \$389,000 (L39Sui)



NOVI - Immediate occupancy for this great Condo offering fresh paint, neutral colors, oak kitchen w/ plenty of cabinets, lg living rm & dining area, 2 spacious bdrms each w/ own bath. Private yard, great fin'd bsmt w/ bar & built-ins, 1 car garage, etc. \$163,900 (L21Bas)



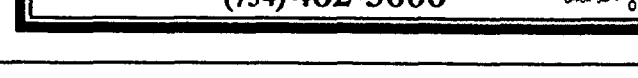
NORTHVILLE - Lease this awesome 4 bdrm Curtis bld home in prestigious Stonewater. Offers 3 full & 2 half baths, 3' plank Brazilian Cherry flrs, curved split staircase, gorgeous granite kitchen, breathtaking master bath, full daylight bsmt + more \$6,500/Mo. (L56Man)



NORTHVILLE - Northville's newest development offers this 4,000 sq ft Cape w/ full walk-out LL w/ gorgeous view of lake! This spectacular home gives you 4 bedrooms, 3.5 baths, spacious kitchen, great rm plus family rm, 3 fireplaces, etc. etc! \$990,000 (L06Ove)

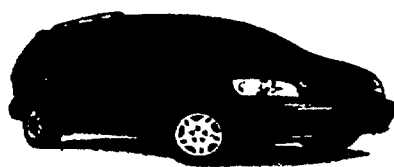
For information on every home for sale in S.E. Michigan, go to:  
[www.qualitygm.com](http://www.qualitygm.com)

Quality **GMAC** Real Estate  
(734) 462-3000



COMPARISONS

SEARCH CARS.COM



Find the right car for you.™





### TOP WOMEN'S FITNESS FRANCHISE FOR SALE

Turnkey operation. Incl. equipment, sign and all the extras. \$22,500. 248-760-5755

### Investment Property

**DUPLEXES-SOUTH LYON-2 PROPERTIES AVAILABLE!** 2br., large master, 1100sq.ft. bsmt, large yard, exc. cond. appliances. (248) 471-0028.

### Apartment/Unfurnished

**ARGENTINE/LINDEN** 1 and 2 bedrooms. Starting at \$600/mo. All new kitchens, baths, appliances, carpet and more. Excellent Water. Silver Leaf Apts (248) 676-9000 (248) 789-8396

**BRIGHTON** 1000sq ft. 1st floor 1 br., washing, air, balcony. security \$550 810-441-1133

**BRIGHTON** 2 br., great location. walk to shopping & x-ways. No pets. Immediate occupancy \$595/mo. (810) 220-1449

**BRIGHTON** 2 br., lakefront, covered carport, pets ok w/ approval, minutes to Howell or Brighton. Nature setting and close to state parks. \$625/mo. \$400 security (810) 225-7042

**BRIGHTON TWP.** Woodland Lakefront. 2 br., all utilities incl. cable & garbage pick-up \$725/month. (810)229-5674

**BRIGHTON** 1 br. Furnished \$500/mo., utilities incl. No pets/smoking 810-231-2051

**BRIGHTON** 1 br. FREE HEAT. IMMACULATE! \$585/mo & 1 mo free rent. (810)229-5167

**BRIGHTON** 940 E. Grand River. Spacious. 1 & 2 br., heat incl. No pets. \$555 & \$65/mo. 517-404-2866 or 248-521-1980

**BRIGHTON** WINTER Special! Spacious. 2 br., \$650/mo 1 br., \$635/mo Low security deposit. Short term lease avail. No Pets. 810-229-5167

**Darshing/Holly** 2 br., private, w/ owned, like new, incl. deck, blinds, laundry, appliances & more. \$785. Close to x-ways No pets. 248-634-3298

**COME HOME TO OUR TOWN...**

**\$99 Special**  
Short Term Lease Available  
248-437-9959  
Ten Mile Road 3/4  
Mile E. of Pontiac Trail  
Mon - Fri 9am - 5pm  
Sat 10am - 2pm

**BROOKWOOD FARMS**

**Your Search Ends Here**  
No matter what you're looking for you can find it in the

**GREEN SHEET Classified**  
Or to place an ad call  
1-888-999-1288

**The**  
**A B C S**  
**of Writing a Classified Ad that Works**

### Apartment/Unfurnished

**PINCKNEY** in country. Large apt. No animals. Heat, air & laundry facilities. Large storage area. Appliances. Not suitable for children. \$700/mo. + deposit. Call 734-878-6067

### Plymouth

**\*FREE RENT!**  
• 1 Bdrm apts. \$602/mo  
• Ranch style, patio  
• Private entrance  
• Washer/dryer in apt.  
• Lots of storage  
• Dogs welcome

### PRINCETON COURT

\* call for details  
734-459-6640

**\* RENT A BRAND \***  
NEW 3 BED-2 BATH  
MANUFACTURED HOME  
IN BEAUTIFUL NOVI  
FOR AS LITTLE AS  
\$850 TOTAL PER-  
MONTH!  
Pre-owned homes start  
at \$675

**HOMES COME COMPLETE WITH STOVE, REFRIGERATOR, DISHWASHER, MICROWAVE, WASHER, DRYER, COVERED DECK, SHED & CENTRAL AIR.**

**HURRY-ONLY 11 MODELS REMAINING!**  
HOMETOWN NOVI  
888-251-4353  
HOMETOWNAMERICA.COM/HOMETOWNNOVI

**SOUTH LYON 1 & 2 br Heat & water included \$630/mo. No pets. Call for rent specials (248)437-1290.**

**SOUTH LYON 1 br. apt. Clean, quiet. \$450. No pets. Non-smoker. (734) 455-0454**

**South LYON - MEADOWS OF SOUTH LYON** townhouse style apts. 2 & 3 bdrms, laundry, free cable. Starting at \$750 per mo. 248-767-4207

**SOUTH LYON - Lg 1 BR.** very nice, quiet, carpet, heat & water, must see 248-437-2494

**HOWELL** QUAIL CREEK APTS. 1-2 bedroom, \$545-\$645 includes covered carport. Fully equipped kitchen. Quiet Country setting. Close to shopping & main highways. Block to hospital. Balcony, C/A. Ask about Specials!! (517)548-3733

**HOWELL** CLEAN, affordable senior living. 1 & 2 br., \$539 + \$569. Reduced security deposit, \$99. 517-548-3811

**LYON TWP.** 2 br., 1.5 bath, patio, 1150sq ft., \$750/\$825. \$500 security (248) 640-7531

**MILFORD 2 br., special.** Close to downtown, heat & water incl. First months rent free with good credit (248) 685-1524

**MILFORD VILLAGE** 1 br., \$595/mo., \$99 Security! Utilities incl. (248)622-6856

**MILFORD WINTER SPECIAL!** \$50 off next 3 months rent 1 & 2 br apts., starting at \$517. Fully carpeted. Central air heat incl. No Pets (248) 684-0841

**Northville** 2 bdrms from main street. 1 br apt. & 2 br lower flat. Avail now 734-420-1027

**Northville** 2 Bedrooms starting at \$750 Available now Call (248) 349-6612

**NORTHVILLE CONDO** FIRST MONTH FREE! Large 1 bdr., 1 bath. Close to historic downtown Northville. \$695/mo rent. Heat & water included. 24 hr recorded message 866-237-2647 ext. 21

**NORTHVILLE DOWNTOWN** Near 1 br. appliances, washer/dryer, bsmt storage, no pets. \$500 248-349-7482

**NOVI** Meadowbrook N of 10 Mile

**ONE MONTH FREE** Hurry...includes our beautifully remodeled apartments with new kitchens and in-unit washer / dryers! Limited availability...come see why! EHO

**TREE TOP MEADOWS** (248) 348-9590

### Condo/Townhouses

**NOVI 2 br. condo, first floor,** 1 car attached garage, patio, all appliances, lockbox. Heat. \$820/mo. Call (810) 231-1934

**NOVI** Brand new townhouse 2 br., 1.5 bath, 1,050 sq ft. Attached garage. Nov schools. \$1,100/mo. 810-459-8075

**NOVI** Liberty Park, 2 Br. 1 1/2 bath, C/A, garage \$990/mo. 1 1/2 mo. sec. dep. 248-762-9047

**PINCKNEY** new construction, 2 br., 2.5 baths, walk out bsmt. 2 car garage, lease/option. \$1000/mo. 517-404-0060

**SOUTH LYON.** 1 bedroom condo, \$700/mo. Immediate occupancy. (248)437-8189

**WALLED LK.** 2 br., 1 bath, 1 car garage, \$900/mo. (734) 718-9990

**WIXOM.** RENT to own. 2 br. 1 1/2 bath, bsmt, age 50 + \$750, heat incl. 734-427-9748

**REDUCED RENT OR 3 MONTHS FREE HEAT!**  
Howell - Clean, 1 bed upper, high ceilings, close to town. \$495  
South Lyon - Clean, 2 bed ranch duplex. All appliances, washer/dryer & more! \$635

**810-220-2360**  
TandRProperties.com  
\*must qualify

**FOWLERYVILLE** duplex for rent, 1450 sq ft. 3 br. 2 bath. Very nice, no pets. \$995/mo (517) 861-6102.

**HAMBURG** 2 br., \$725/mo & 2 br., w/garage, \$850/mo 734-449-2239, 734-260-1244

**HARTLAND** Country setting, spacious 2 br. in two unit home on 2 acres, all utilities. \$850/mo. includes utilities. 517-861-0452.

**HOWELL - 3 br.** \$900/mo 517-548-4945 Details at: Kingstontenants.com - #18

**HOWELL** 2 br., recently remodeled, large yard \$675. No dogs (517) 548-7091

**NORTHVILLE** Spacious duplex, quiet street, short walk to town, 2 br., 1.5 bath, nice yard, full basement. \$1050/mo 248-767-0064

**SOUTH LYON** 2 br 1.5 baths, attached garage, laundry room - locked storage, all appliances (From \$750. Plus utilities. (586) 914-2890

**SOUTH LYON.** Great location. Very clean, 1100sq ft., 2 br., (lg master) 1 1/2 bath, bsmt, appliances, c.a., lawn service \$750. No pets. 248-347-0028

**WHITMORE LAKE** Lake view, 2 BR, finished bsmt. Rent negotiable 248-921-0152

**ANY AREA** Many homes to choose from. All Price Range. Ask for Jeff Scott, call 248-344-1800. Remerica United Realty

**1500 Sq. Ft. Upper**  
3 Bedrooms & garage. Private entrance. Peaceful, wooded setting. Perfect for working couple. Minutes from freeway.  
\$895/Month  
248-887-7500

**Need To Sell Your Car?**  
Call The Green Sheet Classifieds at  
1-888-999-1288

**Waters Edge**  
Luxury Apartments in Brighton

**New Construction**  
• ALL APPLIANCES INCLUDING WASHER & DRYER  
• PRIVATE PATIOS  
• CENTRAL A/C  
• SENIOR DISCOUNTS  
• HUGE CLOSETS

• 1 BEDROOMS STARTING AT \$695-  
• 2 BEDROOMS STARTING AT \$795-

Located on Bendix Drive Between Grand River & Hacker Rd  
Ph: 810-225-2228  
Call For Appointment  
www.watersedgebrighton.com

### Apartment/Unfurnished

**BRIGHTON** 3 br., 1 bath on Mirror Lake Dr. 2 car garage. \$850/mo., + \$50 security dep. 1 yr lease. 810-227-1058

**BRIGHTON** 3br, \$1000/mo rent. \$800 security (810) 333-3845

**BRIGHTON** 4 br., all sports Island Lake. \$1,250 + utilities. Rent or buy. 248-446-8205

**BRIGHTON** Hartland schools. Large 6 br., nice sub. Abundant storage. close to E-way \$1700/mo. (810) 227-9772.

**BRIGHTON TWP.** 5 BR, 5 car garage, 2.5 acres. \$1800/mo or for sale. Call 734-645-5645.

**BRIGHTON, WATERFRONT,** Riverside Dr. 1,600sq ft. 4 br., 2 bath, bsmt, garage. \$1,200/mo. (248)349-3404

**BRIGHTON** New home on a small lake, 3 BR, avail. now \$1,100 + sec. 517-404-1199.

**BRIGHTON** 2,400sq ft., 4 br., all appliances. Family room w/fireplace, 2.5 baths, finished basement. Spa room with 8 person hot tub overlooking Koi pond. \$1,800/mo. \$2,000 security. 810-231-3484

**BRIGHTON** 3 br., 1 bath, fenced yard, storage shed \$1,000/mo. (810)691-2696

**BRIGHTON** WALK to town. 2 br., study/laundry room, 2 car garage, fenced yard \$1,000 + security. 248-486-0988

**COHOCTAH.** Quiet country living, newly remodeled, approx. 2000sq ft. home. \$1,000/mo + security. (517)545-6491

**FARMINGTON HILLS** Updated 3bdrm, 2 car garage, fenced yard. \$825/mo. Call TODD A. SMITH at RE/MAX Classic 248-449-6263

**FARMINGTON SCHOOLS** Clean 3 bedroom, garage, fenced yard, credit, small pets no problem \$950/mo. Call TODD A. SMITH at RE/MAX Classic 248-449-6263

**FENTON** new construction, for rent or possible land contract, 3 br., 2 full baths, gorgeous view of lakes. \$1150 mo. All appliances incl. Serious inquiries only! 810-515-4750

**FOWLERYVILLE** 3 br., large living room, 1 1/2 bath. Newly renovated. 2 car garage. Large lot. NO PETS. \$975/mo. + security. (517)684-5002

**HARTLAND SCHOOLS** Small 2 br., 1.5 garage, laundry, \$695/mo \$795 deposit. (517) 223-7349

**HIGHLAND** farm hand house rental, 1 br., cottage, real setting \$590/mo (248)634-8909

**RENT A BRAND**  
NEW 3 BED-2 BATH  
MANUFACTURED HOME  
IN BEAUTIFUL NOVI  
FOR AS LITTLE AS  
\$850 TOTAL PER-  
MONTH!  
Pre-owned homes start  
at \$675

**HOMES COME COMPLETE WITH STOVE, REFRIGERATOR, DISHWASHER, MICROWAVE, WASHER, DRYER, COVERED DECK, SHED & CENTRAL AIR**

**HURRY-ONLY 11 MODELS REMAINING!**  
HOMETOWN NOVI  
888-251-4353  
HOMETOWNAMERICA.COM/HOMETOWNNOVI

**HOWELL** 2002. 2 br., 2.5 baths, 2000 sq ft. \$1,250/mo. (517)518-0929

**HOWELL** 3 br., ranch, all appliances, air, attached garage. 517-304-0258.

**HOWELL** 3 br., 1 bath, attached garage. No pets. Great neighborhood. Available now! \$900/mo 810-231-2335

**MILFORD-IMMACULATE** 3BR, bsmt, garage, appliances, good location, lease, no smoking/pets. \$1000 248-681-6115

**NEW HUDSON** 3 Br. hardwood floors, first floor laundry, lots of storage, lg yard, S. Lyon Schools. Pay own utilities. \$875/mo \$900/sec. 248-437-1660

**NORTHVILLE** -3 BR, 2 bath, bsmt, garage, fireplace, air, fireplace. \$1100/mo + security. (248) 344-1321.

**NORTHVILLE** 549 or 539 Grace \$1495/mo. 45801 W. 7 Mile, \$2500/mo 49744 Park Side Dr. \$2995/mo 248-762-9047

**NORTHVILLE** Beautiful detached condo 2 bdrm, 3 bath, secluded deck, finished walk-out bsmt, 2 car attach garage. \$1800/mo. 248-789-9440

**NOVI LAKEFRONT** 3 br., Appliances, Fireplace, Air, Garage, Newly Remodeled, \$1,500/mo Call (248)470-7352

**PINCKNEY** 2 br., 1,000sq ft., 1.5 car garage. Rush Lake access. NO PETS! \$800/mo + deposit. (734) 881-8915

**PINCKNEY** 1,300sq ft. ranch. 2 br., 1.5 baths, full bsmt, all appliances, maintenance incl. \$1,200/mo 810-231-0250

### Apartment/Unfurnished

**HOWELL** 2002. 2 br., 2.5 baths, 2000 sq ft. \$1,250/mo. (517)518-0929

**HOWELL** 3 br., ranch, all appliances, air, attached garage. 517-304-0258.

**HOWELL** 3 br., 1 bath, attached garage. No pets. Great neighborhood. Available now! \$900/mo 810-231-2335

**MILFORD-IMMACULATE** 3BR, bsmt, garage, appliances, good location, lease, no smoking/pets. \$1000 248-681-6115

**NEW HUDSON** 3 Br. hardwood floors, first floor laundry, lots of storage, lg yard, S. Lyon Schools. Pay own utilities. \$875/mo \$900/sec. 248-437-1660

**NORTHVILLE** -3 BR, 2 bath, bsmt, garage, fireplace, air, fireplace. \$1100/mo + security. (248) 344-1321.

**NORTHVILLE** 549 or 539 Grace \$1495/mo. 45801 W. 7 Mile, \$2500/mo 49744 Park Side Dr. \$2995/mo 248-762-9047

**NORTHVILLE** Beautiful detached condo 2 bdrm, 3 bath, secluded deck, finished walk-out bsmt, 2 car attach garage. \$1800/mo. 248-789-9440

**NOVI LAKEFRONT** 3 br., Appliances, Fireplace, Air, Garage, Newly Remodeled, \$1,500/mo Call (248)470-7352

**PINCKNEY** 2 br., 1,000sq ft., 1.5 car garage. Rush Lake access. NO PETS! \$800/mo + deposit. (734) 881-8915

**PINCKNEY** 1,300sq ft. ranch. 2 br., 1.5 baths, full bsmt, all appliances, maintenance incl. \$1,200/mo 810-231-0250

**RENT A BRAND**  
NEW 3 BED-2 BATH  
MANUFACTURED HOME  
IN BEAUTIFUL NOVI  
FOR AS LITTLE AS  
\$850 TOTAL PER-  
MONTH!  
Pre-owned homes start  
at \$675

**HOMES COME COMPLETE WITH STOVE, REFRIGERATOR, DISHWASHER, MICROWAVE, WASHER, DRYER, COVERED DECK, SHED & CENTRAL AIR**

**HURRY-ONLY 11 MODELS REMAINING!**  
HOMETOWN NOVI  
888-251-4353  
HOMETOWNAMERICA.COM/HOMETOWNNOVI

**HOWELL** 2002. 2 br., 2.5 baths, 2000 sq ft. \$1,250/mo. (517)518-0929

**HOWELL** 3 br., ranch, all appliances, air, attached garage. 517-304-0258.

**HOWELL** 3 br., 1 bath, attached garage. No pets. Great neighborhood. Available now! \$900/mo 810-231-2335

**MILFORD-IMMACULATE** 3BR, bsmt, garage, appliances, good location, lease, no smoking/pets. \$1000 248-681-6115

**NEW HUDSON** 3 Br. hardwood floors, first floor laundry, lots of storage, lg yard, S. Lyon Schools. Pay own utilities. \$875/mo \$900/sec. 248-437-1660

**NORTHVILLE** -3 BR, 2 bath, bsmt, garage, fireplace, air, fireplace. \$1100/mo + security. (248) 344-1321.

**NORTHVILLE** 549 or 539 Grace \$1495/mo. 45801 W. 7 Mile, \$2500/mo 49744 Park Side Dr. \$2995/mo 248-762-9047

**NORTHVILLE** Beautiful detached condo 2 bdrm, 3 bath, secluded deck, finished walk-out bsmt, 2 car attach garage. \$1800/mo. 248-789-9440

**NOVI LAKEFRONT** 3 br., Appliances, Fireplace, Air, Garage, Newly Remodeled, \$1,500/mo Call (248)470-7352

**PINCKNEY** 2 br., 1,000sq ft., 1.5 car garage. Rush Lake access. NO PETS! \$800/mo + deposit. (734) 881-8915

**PINCKNEY** 1,300sq ft. ranch. 2 br., 1.5 baths, full bsmt, all appliances, maintenance incl. \$1,200/mo 810-231-0250

### RESIDENTIAL BUILDING LOT

**FENTON RESIDENTIAL ACRES**  
Three beautiful acres, located in Oakfield Twp., wooded, partial and surveyed. Owner ill. \$108,900

**FENTON LOT**  
Beautiful lot, cleared and ready to build. Partial and surveyed. 203 x 207. \$88,900

**Lease with Option. No Banks needed! Rents Reduced!**  
Howell: 3588 Hillendale 4 bd, 2 ba, 5 acres. \$1295/month  
Pinckney: 8020 Chilton 5 bd, 4 ba, \$1695/month  
248-421-1335  
MajesticRentals.com  
Compass Property Solutions, LLC

**WHITE LAKE Home For Rent**  
1 Bedroom, Lake Privileges, Large Lot.  
\$695/Month  
248-887-7500

**WHY JUST RENT WHEN YOU CAN RENT-TO-OWN!!**  
No Bank Qualifications  
"PICK YOUR OWN HOME!"  
Or stop Foreclosure!!  
**MARKETPLACE HOMES, LLC**  
(734) 277-1762  
harm@marketplacehomes.com

**Lakefront/Waterfront Homes Rental**

**BRIGHTON** 4 acres w/pond. 2300 sq ft. 3 Br 2 bath, appliances, fireplace, spa. \$1800/mo (845) 238-3018

**BRIGHTON** Waterfront. Walkout basement & deck, 3 br., \$1,100/mo Call 231-779-9903

**BRIGHTON-PRIVATE** Waterfront. All sports lake 3 BR, \$1700/mo. + deposit. Call (313) 295-3795

**Living Quarters To Share**

**CANTON/YPSILANTI.** Seeks male. Executive home, 5 acres. Clean & quiet. \$355, incl. utilities, cable. 734-658-8823

**COMMERCE TWP** \$400/mo + 1/2 all utilities (248) 933-6449

**HIGHLAND** Female to share condo, \$500/mo must have references. (734) 751-8974

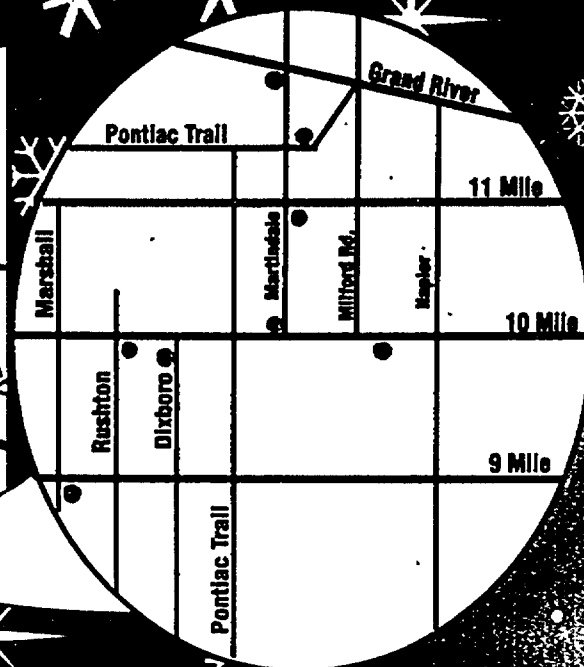
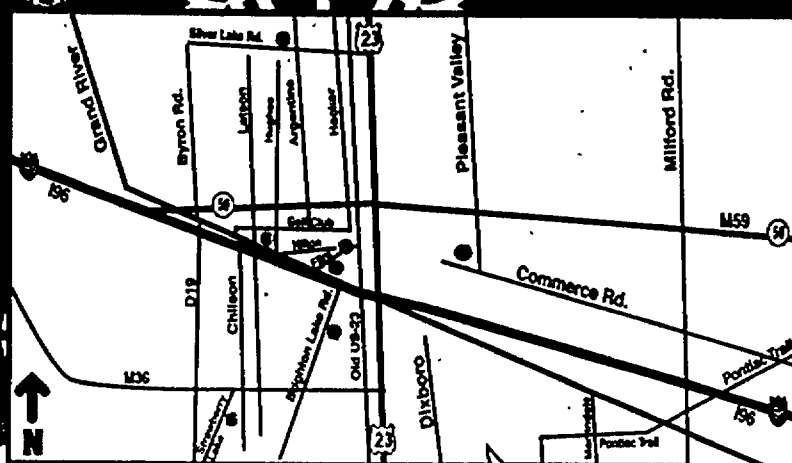
**APARTMENTS/Unfurnished**

**APARTMENTS/Unfurnished**

**APARTMENTS/Unfurnished**



# Make this your new address!



**1**

**ESTATES NORTH**

Custom Homes  
Priced from \$284,900  
South off 10 Mile between  
Rushion & Dixboro

(248)  
486-2930  
(or)  
(248)  
437-0261  
Tony Van Oyen  
Development, LLC  
www.tonyvanoyenbuilder.com

**2**

**ARBORS OF LYON**

Custom Homes  
Priced from the \$290's  
North of Pontiac Trail  
between Milford & Martindale  
www.tonyvanoyenbuilder.com

(248)  
437-2070  
(or)  
(248)  
437-0261  
Tony Van Oyen  
Development, LLC  
www.tonyvanoyenbuilder.com

**3**

**Collinsburgh ESTATES**

OPEN SUNDAY 1-3 PM  
COMMERCIAL RD. - 1 MILE W OF PLEASANT VALLEY  
Lots starting from \$69,950  
Brighton Twp., Harland Schools  
Bring your builder or use ours  
156 Lots....Only 72 Left!

(810)  
844-2207  
Bonnie Lane  
(810)  
844-2298  
Christine  
Migliore  
Michigan Group

**4**

**THE PENINSULA**

Brighton Homes and Condos  
Fall Closeout on  
Immediate Occupancy  
No Mortgage Payments  
for 6 Months!

CALL  
NOW  
(810)  
229-7680

**5**

**CARRIAGE CLUB**

PHASE 3  
GRAND OPENING  
Homes Starting  
from the Low \$290's  
East off of Martindale.  
Between 10 and 11 Mile Roads.

(248)  
486-2985  
www.healyhomes.com

**6**

**MARTINDALE ESTATES**

CUSTOM HOMES  
FROM THE \$250's  
WEST OFF MARTINDALE ROAD  
NORTH OF TEN MILE  
www.tonyvanoyenbuilder.com

(248)  
437-2070  
(or)  
(248)  
437-0261  
Tony Van Oyen  
Development, LLC

To  
Advertise Here,  
Call Leslie  
517-548-7392

**8**

**SUMMERFIELD POINTE**

Condo's Starting  
from \$180,900  
Ranches and 1st floor masters  
full basements, 2 car garages  
1-96 to Howell, Exit 141  
W. on Grand River, N. on Lawson Drive

(517)  
548-9066  
www.healyhomes.com

**9**

**Brighton Lake Village**

Single Family Homes  
from 260's  
on Brighton Lake Road 1 Mile  
West of Grand River  
www.advancecraft.com

(248)  
437-2070  
(or)  
(248)  
437-0261  
Tony Van Oyen  
Development, LLC

**10**

**WOODWIND GLEN**

Elegant Condominiums  
Starting in the 250's  
Ten Mile Rd., just West of  
Johns Rd., Lyon Twp.  
A&M CURTIS

(248)  
488-7000

**11**

**NICHWAGH RIDGE**

West off Dixboro Rd.  
Between 9 & 10 Mile  
1/2 Acre Lots, Wooded  
& Walkout Homesites.  
Custom Homes

(248)  
486-2643

**12**

**LAKE DOMINION CONDOMINIUMS**

From the \$300's  
Lake Views • 2,340 sq. ft.  
Lower Level Masters • Walkouts  
400 sq. ft. Storage • Granite Throughout  
9089 Lake Dominion Dr - Brighton

(810)  
225-4418

**13**

**STONE RIDGE**

- South Lyon
- Pre-Construction Pricing
- New Homes from the \$180's to the \$290's
- Located on Marshall, S. of 9 Mile

CALL  
NOW  
(248)  
446-9905

**14**

**River Ridge**

Well appointed single family  
traditional homes from \$160's.  
Open Sun 12-5 and by appointment.  
US23 North to Exit 79, West on Silver  
Lake 7 miles, just past Argentine Road.  
Harrold Developments, Inc.

(810)  
735-1121  
www.hartforddevelopment.com

**15**

**TWIN PINES Condominiums**

Grand Opening  
Ranch & 1-1/2 Story Condos  
Starting Mid \$200's  
S. of Grand River  
West Side on Martindale  
www.twinpinescondos.com

(248)  
486-1665

**16**

**Mystic Ridge**

South side of Strawberry Lake Rd  
between Mast and Merrill Rd.  
Homes from the \$270's  
Attached and Detached Condos  
from the \$240's  
183 breathtaking acres permanently  
preserved as open space  
www.mysticridge.com

(734)  
449-4625

Leslie Dev  
517-548-7392  
anett.com

# Century 21

## Town & Country

Preview Hundreds of SUNDAY OPEN HOUSES  
Throughout the Week at  
[www.Century21Town-Country.com](http://www.Century21Town-Country.com)

OPEN HOUSES  
Search for this week's  
Open Houses. **GO>>**

■ Printable Feature Pages ■ Color Photos, Multiple Views ■ Directions and More

Take Your Search for a New Home to the Next Level.




**NORTHVILLE** Spectacular Colonial  
Huge 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath home w/stonework drive, gourmet kitchen, maple cabinets & hardwood floors. Winding staircase, MBR w/master bath & WIC, 2 fireplaces, 3 car garage, W/O basement & dual heating & cooling.  
(T65HIL) 248-349-5600 \$649,900



**WESTLAND** Spacious Home  
Great home in walking distance to schools and features 3 bedrooms, 1.5 baths, huge living room & family room, newer vinyl windows, updated bath, 2 car garage, nice landscaping, private yard, patio & pool.  
(T72CAR) 248-349-5600 \$159,900



**TROY** Gorgeous Colonial  
4 BR, 2.5 BA home on deep wooded lot. Neutral decor, oak ceilings & ceramic floor. Lg LR w/bay window. Fireplace in FR. French doors into library/den. Island kit w/loads of cab space. Mstr sta w/W-I closets. 1 yr. warranty.  
(T71GAT) 248-349-5600 \$419,900



**WEST BLOOMFIELD** Private Wooded Setting  
For exquisite contemporary 2 story home. Hardw. fir in foyer, kitchen, family room & powder rm. Kit has granite island, bay window overlooks deck & woods. Mstr sta has triple & 2 WICs, fin walk-out w/hall bar & bath.  
(T37MIS) 734-455-5600 \$499,000



**DEARBORN** Shows Like A Model  
Super clean & well maintained. From the recently redone hardwood floors on main flr and staircase to the 30+ replaced windows. Partially finished basement, fireplace in living room, 2 car garage all in this 3 bedroom colonial.  
(T53APP) 734-455-5600 \$164,000




**WIXOM** Beautifully Maintained  
Very nice 3 bedroom, 1.5 bath home with open floor plan, neutral decor, vinyl siding, central air, 2 car attached garage. Private yard and many updates. All this and a 1 year home warranty.  
(T34WID) 248-349-5600 \$179,900



**HOWELL** Awesome Condo - Great View  
Must see luxury condo w/deck, garage, porch. Premium site facing woods. Great room w/2-story windows - lots of light facing east. Open floor plan. Upgraded appliances. Huge MBR. Freshly painted. Warranty.  
(T77ABH) 248-349-5600 \$149,900



**HIGHLAND** Larger Than It Looks  
3 BR, 1st floor, 4th & 5th in finished walkout. 2 bedrooms, hardwood floors T/O. Newer furnace, A/C, guest house att to 2 car garage. Huge pole barn, porch, patio, deck, triple in LR, rec & kit, on over 3 acres.  
(T30HIC) 248-349-5600 \$285,000



**VAN BUREN** An Enchanted Life  
Move right into this elegant 4 bedroom colonial w/3 car attached garage w/alc, fin bsmt, 2 story foyer, DR w/bay window, hardwood floors in kit, DR & foyer. Oak lot w/land + FFL. Mstr sta w/vaulted ceiling & mstr bath.  
(T36ANN) 734-455-5600 \$298,900



**REDFORD** Super Sharp Brick Ranch  
Finished basement in this 3 bedroom, 1.5 bath home w/2 car attached garage, updated kitchen & bath, hardwood floors T/O. Beautiful yard w/patio, deck & in-ground pool. A must see & a great buy.  
(T14WES) 734-455-5600 \$137,900



**BELLEVILLE** Lakefront Property  
Open floor plan w/Anderson downstair onto patio or deck overlooking wooded yard & all sports lake. Fishing & boating (look out). Prof landscaped w/circular drive. 2 trunks, LR & FR. Newer A/C & HWK. Also for lease.  
(T07HAR) 248-349-5600 \$600,000



**WATERFORD** Beautiful  
31 built ranch w/open flr plan, vaulted ceilings. Fin bsmt w/FR, 2nd flr BA & laundry rm. Prof landscaped, treed lot, 12' ceilings formal DR, beautiful kitchen w/ maple cabinets & granite, island & desk. W/O bsmt. Prof landscaped. Lake access on Cass or Elizabeth St.  
(T01ORE) 248-349-5600 \$154,910



**TYRONNE TWP.** Charming Country Setting  
5 bedroom, 2.5 bath nicely updated home on over an acre. Newer roof, windows, siding & more. Oak kitchen w/skylight. Mechanics dream 2.5 car garage heated w/workshop. Large living room fireplace w/mantel.  
(T62MCG) 248-349-5600 \$279,900



**BROWNSTOWN** A Rare Find  
In this 3 bedroom condo in newer complex offering oak kitchen, formal dining room, living room w/gas fireplace, master suite w/WIC, C/A, 2 car attached garage, basement & close to x-way & shopping. Built in 2002.  
(T37MCC) 734-455-5600 \$208,900



**DEARBORN HGTS.** A Wonderful Condo  
Spacious 2 bedroom, 1.5 bath condo offering hardwood floors in large living room, formal dining room and bedrooms. Very nice layout and glass block windows in basement.  
(T28GAR) 734-455-5600 \$88,500



**WALLED LAKE** Gorgeous 2-Story Condo  
3 bedroom, 2 bath plus full area. Light oak kitchen with granite counters & snack bar. Two-way triple in DR & GR. Vaulted ceilings & skylights. Master BR w/walk-in. East Bay Village offers comm dock, pool & clubhouse.  
(T28SAN) 248-349-5600 \$339,900




**NORTHVILLE** Executive Home  
4 BR, 3 1/2 BA colonial on private cul-de-sac. Grand entry, volume ceiling, 2 story foyer. Open flr plan, MBR w/walking rm. His & hers closets. Dust kit w/grand, walk-in pantry, island & desk. W/O bsmt. Prof landscaped.  
(T44BEC) 248-349-5600 \$539,900



**STERLING HEIGHTS** Spotless Brick Ranch  
3 bedroom, 2 full bath. Family room with fireplace. Newer kitchen, roof, furnace & C/A. Finished basement. Tons of storage. Lovely hardwood floors, private yard w/patio. Sprinklers, sec system, curb appeal. All apps.  
(T03DRY) 248-349-5600 \$199,900



**DEARBORN** You'll Love This One  
2 full baths in this 3 bedroom ranch offering family room with natural fireplace, bright kitchen with spacious breakfast area, large yard, appliances, a garage sitting on a pretty street.  
(T15SYR) 734-455-5600 \$135,000



**BLOOMFIELD TWP.** Don't Miss This  
Wonderful ranch offering 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, wet plaster, huge living room w/fireplace, updated kitchen, lovely 4 season room overlooking deck, in-ground pool & patio. 2 car att garage w/alc, all apps & more.  
(T60HIL) 734-455-5600 \$299,900



**GENOA TWP.** Maintenance Free Home  
3 bedroom, 2.5 bath colonial on lg corner lot in Willow Creek. Prof painted, hardwood floors, granite, crown moldings, FFL. Huge mstr sta w/dressing area. Fenced yard w/sprinkler & prof landscaped. Fin daylight bsmt w/bat.  
(T23MEN) 248-349-5600 \$244,900




**NORTHVILLE** Premium Wooded Lot  
5 BR, 3 1/2 BA colonial on private cul-de-sac w/woods. Hardwood, newer carpet & fresh paint. Kit w/delicious chef. Huge GR w/dormer to huge cedar deck. 3 car garage. Commons area w/whirlpool & 2 ponds.  
(T63MAP) 248-349-5600 \$464,900



**FARMINGTON HILLS** Great End Unit Ranch  
2 bedroom, 2 bath condo with oak kitchen, formal dining room, two dormers to deck. Kitchen has breakfast room and pantry. Master bedroom with walk-in closet & Jacuzzi tub. Full fin bsmt and 2 car att gar.  
(T54SYL) 248-349-5600 \$249,900



**VAN BUREN** Attention To Details  
In this 4 bedroom, 2.5 bath colonial w/high ceilings, crown molding, maple cabinets T/O, hardwood floors & more. Mid-level master suite w/cath ceilings, large 3 car att gar, extra deep bsmt w/daylight windows. Spacious.  
(T91PON) 734-455-5600 \$329,900



**PLYMOUTH** A Pleasure To Show  
Shows like a model! Clean & many updates! 3 bdrm ranch has Andersen wood windows. Newer roof '03, open kit w/alc, desk, pantry, stove & frig incl. FR has downstair to deck & priv inbd yd, fin LL, 2.5 car gar.  
(T83RED) 734-455-5600 \$229,500



**DEARBORN** Great 2 Family Duplex  
Living has 3 bedrooms, full bath, formal dining, large living room. New '05 carpeting, newer roof and some hardwood floors. Upgraded electrical. Separate basements.  
(T67WIL) 248-349-5600 \$167,000



**WESTLAND** Nature's Handwork  
Creates the perfect setting for this 3 bedroom home. Wooded lot w/pond view. This turn key colonial has LR w/triple & 12' ceilings formal DR, beautiful kitchen w/ maple cabinets & nook w/bay. Den w/dormer to deck & fin bsmt.  
(T21ALM) 248-349-5600 \$299,900



**PLYMOUTH** Downtown Condo  
Very nice 2 bedroom, 1.5 bath townhouse in quiet complex. Fresh paint, ceramic kitchen & entry. Natural triple + bath master w/walk-in closet. Nicely finished space in LL. Newer windows, att garage, private deck & apps.  
(T18ANN) 734-455-5600 \$194,500




**CANTON** Freedom From The City  
Updated 3 bedroom custom brick ranch on approx 1 acre. Open floor plan, great room sizes, huge finished basement, fireplace in living room and heated workshop in 2 car garage.  
(T88DIO) 734-455-5600 \$249,900



**WESTLAND** A Place To Call Home  
Charming 3 bedroom, 2 bath ranch offers 2.5 car garage, family room w/fireplace & 2 downstair, partially finished basement & above ground pool. Newer roof & furnace. This one is waiting for you.  
(T69MAE) 734-455-5600 \$179,900



**NOVI** Golf Course Frontage  
Absolutely the best golf course in complex overlooking the 1st green & woodlands. Move in cond detached condo w/full fin walkout, open flr plan w/stud ceilings, LR w/marble & wood floor, mstr sta w/views, whirlpool.  
(T18CYP) 248-349-5600 \$400,000



**NORTHVILLE** Historic Northville  
Impeccable, best describes this impressive home. Newer window, roof, furnace, electrical. Large rooms, hardwood floor W/O upstairs in MBR, bonus room upstairs. All this plus income property over 3 car garage.  
(T05RAN) 248-349-5600 \$420,000



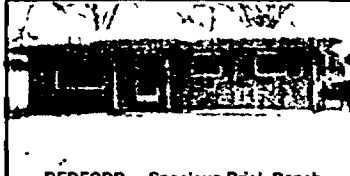
**INKSTER** Why Rent  
Very cute 2 bedroom brick ranch sitting on an oversized lot with 2 car garage, updated furnace, C/A, roof and electric panel. This is a must see.  
(T03SUN) 734-455-5600 \$94,500



**DEARBORN** 55+ Adult Condo  
Gorgeous 10th floor, 1 bedroom, 1 bath condo. Freshly painted w/newer carpet, disposal, shower door (all in '04). Custom mirrored foyer doors, blinds & drapery, updated kitchen. Assoc fee includes taxes & utilities.  
(T00MOR) 734-455-5600 \$74,900



**WESTLAND** Maplehurst Condo  
This immaculate premium location 2 bedroom, 1.5 bath condo backs to woods and pond offers full basement, spacious deck, attached garage and 2 walk in closets. Built in 1998.  
(T51SHE) 734-455-5600 \$174,900



**REDFORD** Spacious Brick Ranch  
Built in 1969. Great floor plan. Kit w/updated cabinets, floor & countertops overlooks FR w/natural fireplace. Vinyl windows 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 bath off master bedroom, basement, 2 car garage, hot tub & C/A.  
(T66NOR) 248-349-5600 \$165,000



**COMMERCE** Beautifully Updated  
4 BR ranch w/available access on All Sports Walled Lake! Tastefully decorated home includes 2 full baths, huge 4th BR/master suite or 4-season room, FR w/2 sided triple, LR, DR, remodeled kit & part fin bsmt.  
(T25DEK) 248-349-5600 \$189,500




**CANTON** 1.5 Story Ranch Home  
3 bedroom, 1 bath remodeled home. Newer kitchen cabinets, counters, apps. Newer wood laminate flrs & carpet T/O. Updated full bath. New roof '04. 1.5 car garage, natural fireplace, 2nd flr loft. Home warranty.  
(T00BEC) 734-455-5600 \$229,900



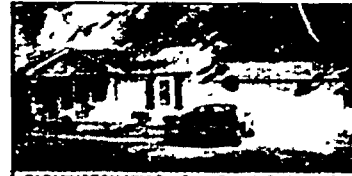
**CANTON** Stunning Colonial  
This 4 bedroom, 2 full & 2 half bath home is built with many custom features, open floor plan from kitchen to family room with fireplace, downstair to spacious deck, finished basement, 2 car attached garage. Apps. more.  
(T28HAN) 734-455-5600 \$329,000



**GARDEN CITY** Charm & Character  
Fill this 1930's farm house on lg private lot offers 4 bedrooms, 2 ceramic baths, oversized 2 car garage, basement, large Florida room on the 2nd floor & 2 tiered deck off kitchen - unique kitchen.  
(T17JOH) 734-455-5600 \$224,900



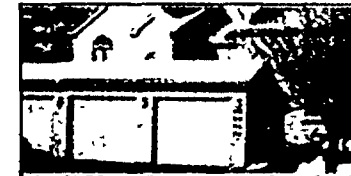
**REDFORD** Loads Of Updates  
Beautiful brick ranch on a corner lot with 3 bedrooms, 1 bath and partially finished basement. Fenced yard and attached redone, 1st time on market in over 20 years. Detached extra length 2 car garage. Central air.  
(T06OLY) 248-349-5600 \$144,900



**FARMINGTON HILLS** Cozy Ranch On Large Lot  
2 bedroom home on double lot in great neighborhood. Farmington schools. Two-car attached garage w/220 sq. ft. Nice deck and fenced yard. Large eat-in kitchen with downstair laundry. 1 year home warranty.  
(T32FLA) 248-349-5600 \$144,900




**DETROIT** A New Beginning  
Cute 2 bedroom ranch ready to move into. Newer roof, vinyl windows, carpet and paint. Also includes vacant lot next door. You won't be sorry.  
(T31WIN) 734-455-5600 \$43,900




**BRIGHTON** Exceptional 1st Floor Condo  
Offers 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, master bedroom has walk in closet and bath. Large kitchen with oak cabinets and all appliances, 1st floor laundry, partially finished basement and 1 car garage.  
(T10RID) 734-455-5600 \$169,900




**DETROIT** Own & Rent  
Wonderful multi-family home. Each unit offers 2 bedrooms. Upper unit has formal dining room, lower unit has mock fireplace & bay window with seat in living room. So live in one and rent the other.  
(T75KEN) 734-455-5600 \$135,500



**WEST BLOOMFIELD** Stately Brick Colonial  
Located in the Hills of Chelsea Park, 4 BR, master suite w/fireplace, grand master bath, cherry stain kitchen w/views of woods. Two-story family room, 2 staircases, 2 full baths on FF private library, 3 car side entry garage.  
(T49CHE) 248-349-5600 \$719,900



**NOVI** Opportunity Knocks Once  
Take a look at this diamond in the rough with a lake view. Walk across the street to launch your boat and enjoy this approx. 670 acre sports lake. Minutes from M-5 connector and shopping at 12 Oaks Mall.  
(T47LAK) 248-349-5600 \$170,000



**TAYLOR** This Is The One!  
Spacious 3 bedroom, 1.5 bath brick ranch with 2 car garage. Florida rm, updated entry doors and 6 panel interior doors, vinyl windows and roof. Updating in kitchen and vanities in both baths.  
(T43MON) 734-455-5600 \$111,888



**ANN ARBOR** Nicely Located Condo Alternative  
Lovely living space with refinished hardwood floors, updated kitchen and bath, newer windows and furnace all offered in this 2 bedroom, 1.5 bath ranch.  
(T85BEL) 734-455-5600 \$152,900



**CANTON** Absolutely Gorgeous  
3 bedroom, 2.5 bath condo w/stunning view of the beautiful pond. Master suite offers WIC, full bath with garden tub, fireplace in great room, formal dining room, appliances, attached garage and finished basement.  
(T69HUN) 734-455-5600 \$179,900

Relocation Services  
800-448-5817  
CENTURANT

Birmingham 248-842-8100	Chesterfield Twp. 586-949-5600	Clarkston 248-820-7200	Clinton Twp. 586-296-8000	Commerce Twp. 248-363-1200	Fraser 586-294-3655	Grosse Pointe 313-886-5040	Northville 248-349-5600
Plymouth 734-455-5600	Rochester 248-852-9000	Royal Oak 248-290-4777	Shelby Twp. 586-731-8180	St. Clair Shores 586-778-8100	Sterling Heights 586-939-2800	Troy 248-524-1800	West Bloomfield 248-626-8800



cars.com

Find the right car for you.

## GREEN SHEET

careerbuilder.com

## CLASSIFIEDS

Your #1 source for classifieds in your Home Town!

www.hometownlife.com



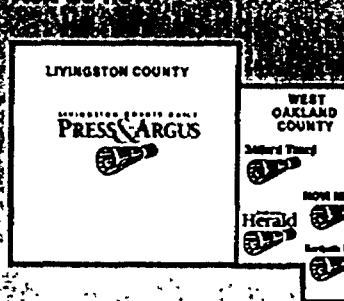
TO PLACE YOUR CLASSIFIED:

**1-888-999-1288**

Reach your HomeTown and

**MORE!**

Expand your audience by adding neighboring Livingston County. Ask us how.



WE ACCEPT:

Visa, MasterCard, Discover &amp; American Express



**CALL TOLL-FREE:**  
1-888-999-1288 or locally:  
Norfolk 248-895-8796  
Novi/Norville 248-348-3022  
South Lyon 248-437-4133

**MAIL:**  
Green Sheet Classifieds  
P.O. Box 2309  
Howell, MI 48844

**EMAIL:**  
Classifieds@h.hometownlife.com  
FAX: 248-437-9460

**HOURS: MONDAY & FRIDAY**  
8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.  
**TUESDAY - THURSDAY**  
8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.  
**DEADLINES:**  
Real Estate: Tuesday 4 PM  
All Others: Tuesday 4 PM

**5000-5980**  
EMPLOYMENT/SERVICES  
Help Wanted-General 5000

## TROY CLEANERS

Counter attendants: Troy Cleaners is seeking friendly, energetic and dependable persons for full time afternoon/evening shift at our Milford and Hartland locations. Please apply in person between 9am-7pm at

Hartland Store - M-59 and Old US 23, Waldenwoods Shopping Center (Farmer Jack Plaza) 810-632-7058

Milford Store - Milford and Highland Rds. (next to Hector & Jimmys) 248-684-4300

## Immediately Hiring

Encore Services is looking for friendly people to hand out samples in local supermarkets. We are currently hiring in Howell & surrounding areas! To apply please call 866.700.0748 or download an application at www.jobstaken.com

## LEASING CONSULTANT

Singh is seeking to fill an immediate Full Time leasing consultant position in the Novi area. Must be able to work weekends. We offer competitive wages, commissions, health, and dental insurance. EOE. Fax resumes to 248-349-8484 Attn: BZ

## 10% Discount "RENEW &amp; SAVE" Special

Renew your ad and receive a 10% discount off the cost of your ad. Call 888-999-1288 today!

## APPOINTMENT SETTER

Ideal for anyone who cannot get out to work. Work part-time from your home, scheduling pick-ups for Purple Heart. Call 9-5, Mon-Fri. (734) 728-4572

## ASSEMBLER, WALLED LAKE, \$12.00/hr.

Prototype environment. Must be mechanically/electrically inclined and be versatile to work with various hand tools. Call 248-960-9767

## ASSISTANT MECHANICAL TRAINEE

Full time position for machine spindle repair company. Must be organized, experienced in BP reading inspection equipment, and working to close tolerances. E-Mail available www.spindle-repair.com or mail resume to SMA 3895 S Old US 23, Brighton MI 48114

## AUTO TECHNICIAN 5 yr. min. exp. State or ASE certified

Apply in person: Brighton Auto Service Inc., 5402 S. Old US 23, Brighton MI

## Earn Extra Money!

The new Yellow Books are here! We need your help delivering and verification operators in the following areas:

- Birmingham • Bloomfield Hills • Clarkston
- Farmington • Highland • Lake Orion • Milford • Novi
- Oakland • Orionville • Oxford • Pontiac • Rochester
- Royal Oak • Southfield • Troy • Walled Lake
- Waterford • West Bloomfield • White Lake • Wixom

Call today at 1-800-373-3280  
Monday thru Friday 7:30 am to 7:00 pm CST

Temporary Positions  
**Yellow Book USA**

Must have valid driver's license, insured, dependable auto and be at least 18 years of age. Equal Opportunity Employer

**Help Wanted-General 5000**

## Banking

## Teller

## Part-Time Position with Benefits

Citizens Bank, a member of the \$8 billion Citizens Banking Corporation that serves the full range of commercial, consumer, mortgage, trust and financial planning needs of our Midwest clients, seeks an experienced teller for a Part Time Position for our new Novi location located at Wixom and Grand River Roads

After meeting eligibility requirements, benefits include medical/dental/vision, tuition reimbursement, pension, 401(k) with match, life insurance, paid holidays, paid vacation, and much more!

We are looking for tellers with at least 6 months of experience, high school diploma or GED, availability to work Mon-Fri from 8:45 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. and Sat 8:45 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Please apply online to www.citizensonline.com Click on Career Center.

Equal Opportunity Employer

## CITIZENS

## Caring Helpers Needed

Kind individuals needed to assist people with disabilities who are participating in their communities through volunteering recreational/social and nonvoluntary opportunities. Flexible schedule, no experience required. Paid training. Call Debbie Gerwitz: 517-285-3903

COL-A DRIVERS owner operators. Lessers/purchase available. \$0 down, \$3100 + per week average. Home weekly insurance discounts. 400% fuel surcharge, paid orientation. Immediate hiring 800-308-1893 or 866-250-3393

## CERTIFIED MECHANIC

Full-time, brakes & front end, cars & light trucks. Apply in person: 44170 Grand River, Novi 248-349-7550

## CLEANERS NEEDED

For Part Time Midnights for the Northville area. Please call: 248-395-4300

## CNC Cutter Grind Operator

Needed for sharpening various cutting tools in Farmington Hills, MI

We offer a competitive wage and benefit package. Send resumes to HR@starcutter.com or to Star Cutter Company, 980 Kneeland Rd., MI, MI 48647. For more information on our company visit www.star-cutter.com

## CNC MACHINIST

Minimum 5 years experience. Exc. pay, benefits & profit sharing. Brighton NC Machine, 7202 Whitmore Lake Rd., Brighton (810) 227-6190

## Customer Service Inbound Agents

Available immediately. Also bilingual positions available. Call 248-445-9500, or apply by sending a work history or resume to hrdept@datapassservices.com

## CUSTOMER SERVICE/SALES Part-Time/Full-time

No experience necessary. Call 248-489-9706

## DAVENPORT SCREW MACHINE OPERATOR

Must have at least 5 yrs. exp. BlueCross, IRA, paid vacations. Apply at AAA Industries - 24500 Capitol, Redford 313-255-0420

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

**Help Wanted-General 5000**

## DIRECT CARE

Positions available in Farmington Hills providing in-home assistance to children with autism. Part time, possibly leading to full time hours if desired. Must possess DMH training, HS diploma or GED, and valid driver's license. Apply in person or fax resume to Life Center, Inc. 15419 Middlebrook Road, Livonia, MI 48154 Fax: 734-261-8854

## DIRECT CARE HELP NEEDED

IN A GROUP HOME SETTING. Dependable people needed. Must like to help people and be flexible. All shifts available. \$8.25/hr. to start, increase after 90 days. Must have high school diploma or GED. No exp. necessary. Will train. Call bhm. 9-3pm. Angie 517-548-4495, Lana 517-545-9921

DRIVER FOR FED EX 22' long expediting truck. Need CDL Class B with Hazmat for over the road, must be gone for 2-3 weeks at a time. Great pay, great boss. (248) 486-5055.

DRIVER NEEDED for delivery and instruction of home medical equipment. EMT preferred. Fax resume to: 517-548-6749

## DRIVER/Production Assembly

Electrical Manufacturer, Green Oak Twp. Lifting required. Full time. Days, w/benefits. 248-486-1200

DRIVERS - Make 50K+ yearly! dedicated lanes! COL-A Training available. Brookings, INC. 888-343-6601.

DRIVERS - SEMI-OTR Top pay for Experience Benefits. Quality home Time plus Reffer Regional and Dedicated positions for upper Midwest. Call Baska 1-800-879-2486/286

DRIVERS - SEMI-OWNER OPERATORS! Earn up to \$1.41 per mile. Free Base Plates, Permits, Dual-Com. No touch freight! Drivers, Check us Out. 1-877-613-6385 x286

DRIVERS - CHECK OUT THE CHANGES! No experience? No Problem! COL Training Available. 100% Tuition Reimbursement. Top Trainer Pay! 1800-231-5209 www.SwiftTruckingJobs.com

## DRIVERS/DRIVING SCHOOL GRADUATES wanted

Tuition reimbursement, no waiting for training. Passenger Policy No NYC Guaranteed. Homebased. Dedicated and regional available. USA Truck 866-483-3413

DRIVERS: Check out the good life! Go online and visit www.HotDJ.com to find a Dedicated Driving Job and enter to win a Polaris ATV and other Prizes. Or call 1-888-423-8446 to enter by phone and hear about jobs in your area.

DRIVERS: NEED QUALIFIED TRACTOR TRAILER DRIVERS TO RUN DEDICATED/REGIONAL! MUST HAVE: Class-A CDL, Haz-Mat/Tank Endorsement, 1 yr exp Good MVR, Competitive Pay! ALL MILES PAID! Sign-on & Safety Bonus! PAID TOLLS, Insurance available 866-775-7717

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

**Help Wanted-General 5000**

## ELECTRICIAN

State-of-the-art manufacturing company in Dexter (west of Ann Arbor) seeks an experienced Electrician. Knowledge of electrical principles, electrical machines, controls and control circuits, NEC, and PLC's required. Qualified applicants should read, analyze, and work to diagrammatic and schematic electrical diagrams. Must understand pneumatics and hydraulics and their integration to electrical controls. Preferred candidate should be a State Certified Journeyman and have at least five (5) years experience in a manufacturing plant environment. Needs to be a self-disciplined, self-motivated, organized and committed to continuous improvement. This is a growing company in which a person can expand their career. Please send resume with wage history to: Dedeck 2110 Bishop Circle East, Dexter, MI 48130 Attn: Human Resources. Applicants extended a job offer will be required to take and pass a drug screening

## ELECTRICIANS - Helper

needed for residential wiring. Fax resume 517-548-9048

## Entry Level Technician for Auto Dealership

• Experience Needed  
• Some Tools Required  
• State Certification or Ability to Obtain  
• Training Certificate Required  
5 day work week with excellent benefits. Apply in person to Ken Ramsey at Brighton Chrysler 9827 E. Grand River Brighton. No phone calls please.

## ESTIMATOR

Part time for custom home builder/remodeler. Lead and manage bid work for custom homes and remodeling projects. Must have estimating experience, preferably with a design/build firm and master builder estimating software. Negotiating skills a must. Competitive salary. Fax resume and salary requirements to 248-685-1176

## EXPERIENCED Control Panel

we person, Autocad a plus. Inquire with Tecom Systems, 1337 Rocket Rd., Brighton.

## FINISHING PUNCH-OUT &amp; LABORER

Experience and reliable transportation needed. Fax resume to 734-455-7752

## Read then Recycle.

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

**Help Wanted-General 5000**

## FIRE PROTECTION SERVICE TECH

State wide fire protection company currently has two (2) positions available in the Metro Detroit Market. Qualified candidates will possess experience and / or certification in one or more of the following areas:  
• Fire Sprinkler and Suppression Systems  
• Fire Alarm Systems  
• Inspection & Service of Portable Fire Extinguishers  
Selected individuals will receive compensation commensurate with experience inclusive of an excellent benefit package. Please forward resume and salary requirements to:  
Attn: Human Resource Mgr  
P.O. Box 1044  
Grand Rapids, MI 49501

## FLOOR INSPECTOR

For heavy metal industry Entry level position. Must be able to read blueprints, micrometers & calipers. 40 hrs. per week. day shift plus benefits. Fax (248) 684-0688 e-mail qualitytestforings@comcast.net or apply in person at 4978 Technical Dr., Milford

FULL TIME exp. person for property maintenance in a mobile home community w/some mechanical abilities. 248-217-3185

## GENERAL LABOR

Day & Afternoon Shifts. Must be willing to work weekends, overtime & travel. Valid drivers license & transportation a must. \$12.50/hour. Hardworking & service applicants only.

## Duraline Systems

12500 Beech Day, Redford NO PHONE CALLS PLEASE!

## GROUNDKEEPER

Wanted full time for Meadowbrook Commons Apartments/Novi Senior Center. Compensation based on exp. Please fax resume-Attn: Cheryl 734-305-8914

## HAIR DRESSERS

With some client. Nail tech, client waiting. Charisma Salon-Nowi 810-516-9607

## HAIR STYLIST &amp; NAIL TECH

Full-time. Call Saahy at (810)231-6396 or (810)923-2981.

HELP WANTED: Want to work for a Michigan newspaper? Get a free weekly e-mail list of newspaper positions avail. Visit http://www.michiganpress.org/subscribe.php.

## HOME CARE PROVIDERS

CNA's & Caregivers wanted for all shifts in Oakland County. Please fax resume to 248-543-6625 or Call 248-655-9006

## HR SPECIALIST

Novi company seeks experienced individual for full time position. Wage + benefits. Please send resumes to: Box 1304 c/o The Livingston County Daily Press & Argus, 323 E. Grand River, Howell, MI 48843

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

**Index (Page)**

## 0010-0299

## Service Guide

Legal, Home & Domestic, Legal, Business, Medical Services, appear under this heading in this section.

## 3000-4640

## Real Estate

3000 Homes  
3030 Open Houses  
3060 Brighton  
3160 Fowlerville  
3190 Hamburg  
3200 Hartland  
3220 Holly  
3230 Howell  
3260 Milford  
3270 New Hudson  
3280 Northville  
3290 Novi  
3330 Pinckney  
3380 Salem Township  
3400 South Lyon  
3410 Stockbridge/Unadilla  
Gregory  
3420 Waterford/Union  
Lake/White Lake  
3460 Whitmore Lake  
3520 Livingston County  
3540 Oakland County  
3570 Wayne County  
3580 Lakefront/Waterfront  
Homes  
3710 Apartments for Sale  
3720 Condos  
3750 Mobile Homes  
3820 Lots & Acreage/Vacant  
3870 Real Estate Wanted  
Commercial/Industrial  
Sale or Lease  
3910 Business & Professional  
Buildings for Sale  
3980 Land  
Real Estate For Rent  
4000 Apartments/Unfurnished  
4010 Apartments/ Furnished  
4020 Condos/ Townhouses  
4050 Homes  
4060 Lakefront/ Waterfront  
Homes  
4070 Mobile Homes  
4230 Commercial/ Industrial  
4640 Misc. For Rent

## 5000-5740

## Help Wanted

5700 Attorneys/Legal  
Counseling  
5740 Business Opportunities  
5620 Business & Professional  
Services  
5360 Childcare Services  
Licensed  
5370 Childcare/ Babysitting  
Services  
5380 Childcare Needed  
5600 Education/ Instruction  
5400 Elderly Care & Assistance  
5300 Entertainment  
5640 Financial Service  
5000 Help Wanted  
5020 Help Wanted-Clerical  
Office  
5260 Help Wanted-Couples  
5040 Help Wanted-Dental  
5240 Help Wanted Domestic  
5100 Help Wanted Health &  
Fitness  
5060 Help Wanted-Medical  
5280 Help Wanted Movers/  
Light Hauling  
5200 Help Wanted Part-Time  
5220 Help Wanted Part-Time  
Sales  
5110 Help Wanted Professionals  
5080 Help Wanted  
Restaurant/Hotel/ Lounge  
5120 Help Wanted Sales  
5340 Jobs Wanted -  
Female/Male  
5680 Resumes/Typing  
5420 Nursing Care/Homes  
5660 Secretarial Service  
5760 Sewing/ Alterations  
5320 Students  
5500 Summer Camps  
5720 Tax Services  
6000-6460  
Announcements  
6460 Bingo  
6280 Car Pools  
6300 Cards of Thanks  
6020 Happy Ads  
6420 Health/Nutrition, Weight  
Loss  
6320 In Memoriam  
6440 Insurance

## 6220 Legal Notices/ Accepting

Bids  
6360 Lost & Found  
6240 Meetings/ Seminars  
6260 Political Notices  
6200 Announcements/ Meetings  
6380 Tickets  
6400 Transportation/ Travel  
6480 Wedding Chapel  
7000-7840  
Merchandise  
6400 Absolutely Free  
7020 Antiques/ Collectibles  
7180 Appliances  
7040 Arts & Crafts  
7060 Auction Sales  
7200 Bargain Buys  
7220 Building Materials  
7240 Business & Office  
Equipment  
7140 Clothing  
7280 Cameras and Supplies  
7420 Christmas Trees  
7300 Commercial/ Industrial/  
Restaurant Equipment  
7320 Computers  
7340 Electronics/ Audio/Video  
7100 Estate Sales  
7380 Farm Equipment  
7400 Farm Produce Flowers-  
Plants  
7440 Firewood  
7130 Garage Sales/ Moving  
Sales  
7160 Household Goods  
7450 Hobbies-Coin- Stamps  
7460 Hospital Equipment  
7470 Jewelry  
7480 Lawn & Garden Materials  
7490 Lawn, Garden & Snow  
Equipment  
7500 Miscellaneous For Sale  
7510 Musical Instruments  
7260 Office Supplies  
7190 Pools/Spa/Hot Tub  
7080 Rummage Sale/ Flea  
Markets  
7520 Sporting Goods  
7530 Trade or Sell  
7410U-Picks  
7360 Video Games, Tapes,  
Movies  
7540 Wanted To Buy

## 7800-7930

## Animals/Pets

7800 Animal Services  
7820 Birds/Fish  
7810 Breeder Directory  
7830 Cats  
7840 Dogs  
7850 Farm Animals/ Livestock  
7870 Horse Boarding  
7880 Horses & Equipment  
7890 Household Pets-Other  
7930 Lost and Found  
7890 Pet Grooming/ Boarding  
7900 Pet Services  
7910 Pet Supplies  
7920 Pets Wanted  
8000-8780  
Transportation  
8000 Airplanes  
8320 Antique/Classic Collector  
Cars  
8180 Auto Financing  
8150 Auto Misc.  
8780 Autos Over \$2,000  
8160 Auto/Truck- Parts &  
Service  
8780 Autos Under \$2,000  
8170 Auto Rentals/Leasing  
8190 Autos Wanted  
8020 Boats/Motors  
8040 Boat Docks/Marinas  
8030 Boat Parts/ Equipment/  
Service  
8050 Boat/Vehicle Storage  
8120 Campers/Motor  
Homes/Trailers  
8140 Construction, Heavy  
Equipment  
8060 Insurance, Motor  
8280 Jeeps/4 Wheel Drive  
8200 Junk Cars Wanted  
8240 Mini-Vans  
8070 Motorcycles/Mini  
Bikes/Go-Karts  
8080 Motorcycles -Parts &  
Service  
8090 Off Road Vehicles  
8100 Recreational Vehicles  
8110 Snowmobiles  
8300 Sports & Imported  
8220 Trucks For Sale  
826 Vans

## Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted-General 5000

Help Wanted



# SERVICE DIRECTORY

Reach over 54,000 households with your business message every week



A

0010 Accounting  
0020 Advertising  
0030 Air Conditioning  
0040 Alarm & Security  
0050 Aluminum Siding  
0060 Aluminum Ceiling  
0070 Antennas  
0080 Appliances Service  
0090 Aquarium Maintenance  
0100 Architecture  
0110 Asphalt/Blacktopping  
0120 Asphalt Sealcoating  
0125 Attorney & Legal Counsel  
0130 Audio/Video Repair  
0140 Auction Services  
0150 Auto Services  
0160 Auto/Truck Repair  
0170 Awnings  
B  
0200 Backhoe Service  
0210 Badges/Trophies Engraving  
0220 Basement Waterproofing  
0225 Bathrooms

0230 Bathroom Refinishing  
0240 Bicycle Maintenance/Repair  
0245 Blade Sharpening  
0250 Blind Cleaning  
0260 Boat Repair  
0270 Boat Dock  
0275 Boating/Kennels  
0280 Bookkeeping Service  
0290 Brick, Block & Cement  
0300 Building/Home Inspection  
0310 Building Remodeling  
0320 Building  
0330 Business Machine Repair  
0340 Bobcat Services  
C  
0400 Cabinetry/Formica  
0410 Carpentry  
0420 Carpets  
0430 Carpet Cleaning/Dyeing  
0435 Carpet Repair/Installation  
0445 Cakes, all occasions  
0450 Catering, Flowers, Party Planning  
0460 Caulking Interior/Exterior  
0470 Ceiling Work  
0480 Chimney Cleaning/Building & Repair  
0485 Cleaning Service  
0490 Cleaning Service  
0500 Closet Systems & Organizers  
0510 Christmas Trees/Holiday Decorating  
0520 Clock Repair  
0530 Commercial Cleaning  
0540 Computer Sales & Service  
0550 Computers  
0560 Construction  
0565 Counseling  
0570 Consulting  
0580 Contracting  
0585 Crane/Heavy Equipment  
0590 Custom PC Programming  
D  
0600 Decks/Patios/Sunrooms  
0605 Deck Cleaning  
0610 Deer Processing

0610 Delivery/Courier Service  
0620 Dirt/Sand/Gravel  
0630 Dolls  
0640 Dollhouses  
0650 Doors/Service  
0660 Draperies/Slipcovers & Cleaning  
0670 Dressmaking & Tailoring  
0680 Driveway Repair  
0690 Drywall  
E  
0695 Education & Instruction  
0700 Electrical  
0710 Electronics  
0720 Engine Repair  
0725 Entertainment For Hire  
0725 Environmental Services  
0730 Errand Services  
0735 Excavating/Backhoe  
0750 Exterior Cleaning  
0760 Exterminators  
F  
0790 Farm Services  
0800 Fashion Coordinator  
0810 Fences  
0820 Financial Planning  
0830 Fireplaces/Enclosures  
0840 Firewood  
0850 Floodlight  
0860 Floor Service  
0870 Framing  
0880 Furnace Duct Installed/Repaired  
0890 Furniture-Building/Finishing & Repair  
G  
0900 Gas Lines  
0910 Garages  
0920 Garage Door Repair  
0930 Garden Care  
0940 Graphics/Printing/Desktop Publishing  
0950 Glass, Block, Structural, Etc.  
0960 Glass-Stained/Beveled  
0970 Grave/Drainage Repair

0980 Greenhouses  
0990 Guns, Knives, Decoys  
1000 Gutters  
H  
1020 Handyman M/F  
1030 Hauling/Clean Up  
1035 Health/Nutrition  
1040 Heating/Cooling  
1045 Home Care  
1050 Home Food Service  
1060 Home Improvement  
1065 Horse Boarding  
1068 Horse Shoeing  
1070 Hot Tub/Spas  
1080 Housecleaning  
I  
1100 Income Tax  
1105 In Home Hair Care  
1110 Insulation  
1120 Insurance-All Types  
1130 Insurance Photography  
1140 Interior Decorating  
1145 Irrigation  
J  
1150 Janitorial Service  
1160 Jewelry Repair & Clocks  
K  
1200 Kitchens  
L  
1210 Landscaping  
1220 Laundry Service  
1230 Lawn, Gardening Maintenance Service  
1240 Lines, Garden Rotilling  
1250 Linen Mower Repair  
1260 Linoleum Service  
1270 Linoleum/Tile  
1280 Lock Service  
M  
1300 Machinery  
1310 Machine Shop  
1320 Mailboxes-Sales Installation

1330 Maintenance Services  
1340 Meat Processing  
1350 Mirrors  
1360 Miscellaneous  
1370 Mobile Home Service  
1375 Mold Removal  
1380 Moving/Storage  
1390 Musical Instrument Repair  
N  
1400 New Homes Services  
O  
1410 Office Equipment/Service  
P  
1420 Painting/Decorating Paperhangers  
1423 Paralegal  
1425 Party Planner  
1430 Personal Chef  
1440 Pest Control  
1445 Pet Services  
1450 Photography  
1460 Piano Tuning/Repair/Refinishing  
1465 Picture Framing/Matting  
1470 Plastering  
1475 Playground Equipment  
1480 Plumbing  
1490 Pole Buildings  
1500 Pool Services  
1510 Pool Water Delivery  
1520 Porcelain Refinishing  
1530 Pressure Power Washing  
1540 Printing  
1545 Professional Services  
R  
1600 Recreational Vehicle Services  
1610 Refrigeration  
1620 Remodeling  
1630 Road Grading  
1640 Roofing  
1650 Rubbish Removal  
1680 Skylights

1690 Sewer & Water Lines  
1700 Saws, Saws & Knife Sharpening  
1710 Screen Repair  
1715 Saw Mills  
1720 Seawall/Beach Construction  
1730 Septic Systems  
1740 Sewer Cleaning  
1750 Sewing/Alterations  
1760 Sewing Machine Repair  
1765 Shoe Repair  
1770 Siding  
1780 Signs  
1790 Site Development  
1800 Snow Blower Repair  
1810 Snow Removal  
1820 Solar Energy  
1830 Space Management  
1835 Sports Equipment  
1840 Sprinkler Systems  
1850 Stone Doors  
1860 Stone Work  
1870 Stucco  
1880 Swimming Pools  
T  
1900 Taxidermy  
1910 Telephone Service Repair  
1920 Television/VCR/Radio/CD  
1930 Tent Rental  
1935 Therapy Massage  
1940 Tile Work-Ceramic/Marble/Quarry  
1950 Top Soil/Gravel  
1960 Tree Service  
1970 Trenching  
1980 Trucking  
1990 Typing  
2000 Typewriter Repair  
U  
2100 Upholstery  
V  
2200 Vacuums  
2210 Vandalism Repair  
2220 Vending Machine  
2230 Ventilation & Air Fan

2240 Video Taping Services  
W  
2300 Wallpapering  
2310 Wall Washing  
2320 Washer/Dryer Repair  
2330 Water Control  
2340 Water Heater  
2350 Water Softening  
2360 Water Weed Control  
2370 Wedding Services  
2380 Welding/Service  
2390 Well Drilling  
2400 Windows Installation/Repair  
2410 Window Treatments  
2420 Window Washing  
2430 Woodburners/Woodstoves  
2440 Woodworking  
2450 Word Processing  
X  
2500 Xmas Trees  
2510 Xmas Lights  
2520 Xmas Decorations  
2530 Xmas Cards  
2540 Xmas Ornaments  
2550 Xmas Stockings  
2560 Xmas Wreaths  
2570 Xmas Candles  
2580 Xmas Bells  
2590 Xmas Socks  
2600 Xmas Mittens  
2610 Xmas Gloves  
2620 Xmas Scarves  
2630 Xmas Hats  
2640 Xmas Socks  
2650 Xmas Mittens  
2660 Xmas Gloves  
2670 Xmas Scarves  
2680 Xmas Hats  
2690 Xmas Socks  
2700 Xmas Mittens  
2710 Xmas Gloves  
2720 Xmas Scarves  
2730 Xmas Hats  
2740 Xmas Socks  
2750 Xmas Mittens  
2760 Xmas Gloves  
2770 Xmas Scarves  
2780 Xmas Hats  
2790 Xmas Socks  
2800 Xmas Mittens  
2810 Xmas Gloves  
2820 Xmas Scarves  
2830 Xmas Hats  
2840 Xmas Socks  
2850 Xmas Mittens  
2860 Xmas Gloves  
2870 Xmas Scarves  
2880 Xmas Hats  
2890 Xmas Socks  
2900 Xmas Mittens  
2910 Xmas Gloves  
2920 Xmas Scarves  
2930 Xmas Hats  
2940 Xmas Socks  
2950 Xmas Mittens  
2960 Xmas Gloves  
2970 Xmas Scarves  
2980 Xmas Hats  
2990 Xmas Socks  
3000 Xmas Mittens  
3010 Xmas Gloves  
3020 Xmas Scarves  
3030 Xmas Hats  
3040 Xmas Socks  
3050 Xmas Mittens  
3060 Xmas Gloves  
3070 Xmas Scarves  
3080 Xmas Hats  
3090 Xmas Socks  
3100 Xmas Mittens  
3110 Xmas Gloves  
3120 Xmas Scarves  
3130 Xmas Hats  
3140 Xmas Socks  
3150 Xmas Mittens  
3160 Xmas Gloves  
3170 Xmas Scarves  
3180 Xmas Hats  
3190 Xmas Socks  
3200 Xmas Mittens  
3210 Xmas Gloves  
3220 Xmas Scarves  
3230 Xmas Hats  
3240 Xmas Socks  
3250 Xmas Mittens  
3260 Xmas Gloves  
3270 Xmas Scarves  
3280 Xmas Hats  
3290 Xmas Socks  
3300 Xmas Mittens  
3310 Xmas Gloves  
3320 Xmas Scarves  
3330 Xmas Hats  
3340 Xmas Socks  
3350 Xmas Mittens  
3360 Xmas Gloves  
3370 Xmas Scarves  
3380 Xmas Hats  
3390 Xmas Socks  
3400 Xmas Mittens  
3410 Xmas Gloves  
3420 Xmas Scarves  
3430 Xmas Hats  
3440 Xmas Socks  
3450 Xmas Mittens  
3460 Xmas Gloves  
3470 Xmas Scarves  
3480 Xmas Hats  
3490 Xmas Socks  
3500 Xmas Mittens  
3510 Xmas Gloves  
3520 Xmas Scarves  
3530 Xmas Hats  
3540 Xmas Socks  
3550 Xmas Mittens  
3560 Xmas Gloves  
3570 Xmas Scarves  
3580 Xmas Hats  
3590 Xmas Socks  
3600 Xmas Mittens  
3610 Xmas Gloves  
3620 Xmas Scarves  
3630 Xmas Hats  
3640 Xmas Socks  
3650 Xmas Mittens  
3660 Xmas Gloves  
3670 Xmas Scarves  
3680 Xmas Hats  
3690 Xmas Socks  
3700 Xmas Mittens  
3710 Xmas Gloves  
3720 Xmas Scarves  
3730 Xmas Hats  
3740 Xmas Socks  
3750 Xmas Mittens  
3760 Xmas Gloves  
3770 Xmas Scarves  
3780 Xmas Hats  
3790 Xmas Socks  
3800 Xmas Mittens  
3810 Xmas Gloves  
3820 Xmas Scarves  
3830 Xmas Hats  
3840 Xmas Socks  
3850 Xmas Mittens  
3860 Xmas Gloves  
3870 Xmas Scarves  
3880 Xmas Hats  
3890 Xmas Socks  
3900 Xmas Mittens  
3910 Xmas Gloves  
3920 Xmas Scarves  
3930 Xmas Hats  
3940 Xmas Socks  
3950 Xmas Mittens  
3960 Xmas Gloves  
3970 Xmas Scarves  
3980 Xmas Hats  
3990 Xmas Socks  
4000 Xmas Mittens  
4010 Xmas Gloves  
4020 Xmas Scarves  
4030 Xmas Hats  
4040 Xmas Socks  
4050 Xmas Mittens  
4060 Xmas Gloves  
4070 Xmas Scarves  
4080 Xmas Hats  
4090 Xmas Socks  
4100 Xmas Mittens  
4110 Xmas Gloves  
4120 Xmas Scarves  
4130 Xmas Hats  
4140 Xmas Socks  
4150 Xmas Mittens  
4160 Xmas Gloves  
4170 Xmas Scarves  
4180 Xmas Hats  
4190 Xmas Socks  
4200 Xmas Mittens  
4210 Xmas Gloves  
4220 Xmas Scarves  
4230 Xmas Hats  
4240 Xmas Socks  
4250 Xmas Mittens  
4260 Xmas Gloves  
4270 Xmas Scarves  
4280 Xmas Hats  
4290 Xmas Socks  
4300 Xmas Mittens  
4310 Xmas Gloves  
4320 Xmas Scarves  
4330 Xmas Hats  
4340 Xmas Socks  
4350 Xmas Mittens  
4360 Xmas Gloves  
4370 Xmas Scarves  
4380 Xmas Hats  
4390 Xmas Socks  
4400 Xmas Mittens  
4410 Xmas Gloves  
4420 Xmas Scarves  
4430 Xmas Hats  
4440 Xmas Socks  
4450 Xmas Mittens  
4460 Xmas Gloves  
4470 Xmas Scarves  
4480 Xmas Hats  
4490 Xmas Socks  
4500 Xmas Mittens  
4510 Xmas Gloves  
4520 Xmas Scarves  
4530 Xmas Hats  
4540 Xmas Socks  
4550 Xmas Mittens  
4560 Xmas Gloves  
4570 Xmas Scarves  
4580 Xmas Hats  
4590 Xmas Socks  
4600 Xmas Mittens  
4610 Xmas Gloves  
4620 Xmas Scarves  
4630 Xmas Hats  
4640 Xmas Socks  
4650 Xmas Mittens  
4660 Xmas Gloves  
4670 Xmas Scarves  
4680 Xmas Hats  
4690 Xmas Socks  
4700 Xmas Mittens  
4710 Xmas Gloves  
4720 Xmas Scarves  
4730 Xmas Hats  
4740 Xmas Socks  
4750 Xmas Mittens  
4760 Xmas Gloves  
4770 Xmas Scarves  
4780 Xmas Hats  
4790 Xmas Socks  
4800 Xmas Mittens  
4810 Xmas Gloves  
4820 Xmas Scarves  
4830 Xmas Hats  
4840 Xmas Socks  
4850 Xmas Mittens  
4860 Xmas Gloves  
4870 Xmas Scarves  
4880 Xmas Hats  
4890 Xmas Socks  
4900 Xmas Mittens  
4910 Xmas Gloves  
4920 Xmas Scarves  
4930 Xmas Hats  
4940 Xmas Socks  
4950 Xmas Mittens  
4960 Xmas Gloves  
4970 Xmas Scarves  
4980 Xmas Hats  
4990 Xmas Socks  
5000 Xmas Mittens  
5010 Xmas Gloves  
5020 Xmas Scarves  
5030 Xmas Hats  
5040 Xmas Socks  
5050 Xmas Mittens  
5060 Xmas Gloves  
5070 Xmas Scarves  
5080 Xmas Hats  
5090 Xmas Socks  
5100 Xmas Mittens  
5110 Xmas Gloves  
5120 Xmas Scarves  
5130 Xmas Hats  
5140 Xmas Socks  
5150 Xmas Mittens  
5160 Xmas Gloves  
5170 Xmas Scarves  
5180 Xmas Hats  
5190 Xmas Socks  
5200 Xmas Mittens  
5210 Xmas Gloves  
5220 Xmas Scarves  
5230 Xmas Hats  
5240 Xmas Socks  
5250 Xmas Mittens  
5260 Xmas Gloves  
5270 Xmas Scarves  
5280 Xmas Hats  
5290 Xmas Socks  
5300 Xmas Mittens  
5310 Xmas Gloves  
5320 Xmas Scarves  
5330 Xmas Hats  
5340 Xmas Socks  
5350 Xmas Mittens  
5360 Xmas Gloves  
5370 Xmas Scarves  
5380 Xmas Hats  
5390 Xmas Socks  
5400 Xmas Mittens  
5410 Xmas Gloves  
5420 Xmas Scarves  
5430 Xmas Hats  
5440 Xmas Socks  
5450 Xmas Mittens  
5460 Xmas Gloves  
5470 Xmas Scarves  
5480 Xmas Hats  
5490 Xmas Socks  
5500 Xmas Mittens  
5510 Xmas Gloves  
5520 Xmas Scarves  
5530 Xmas Hats  
5540 Xmas Socks  
5550 Xmas Mittens  
5560 Xmas Gloves  
5570 Xmas Scarves  
5580 Xmas Hats  
5590 Xmas Socks  
5600 Xmas Mittens  
5610 Xmas Gloves  
5620 Xmas Scarves  
5630 Xmas Hats  
5640 Xmas Socks  
5650 Xmas Mittens  
5660 Xmas Gloves  
5670 Xmas Scarves  
5680 Xmas Hats  
5690 Xmas Socks  
5700 Xmas Mittens  
5710 Xmas Gloves  
5720 Xmas Scarves  
5730 Xmas Hats  
5740 Xmas Socks  
5750 Xmas Mittens  
5760 Xmas Gloves  
5770 Xmas Scarves  
5780 Xmas Hats  
5790 Xmas Socks  
5800 Xmas Mittens  
5810 Xmas Gloves  
5820 Xmas Scarves  
5830 Xmas Hats  
5840 Xmas Socks  
5850 Xmas Mittens  
5860 Xmas Gloves  
5870 Xmas Scarves  
5880 Xmas Hats  
5890 Xmas Socks  
5900 Xmas Mittens  
5910 Xmas Gloves  
5920 Xmas Scarves  
5930 Xmas Hats  
5940 Xmas Socks  
5950 Xmas Mittens  
5960 Xmas Gloves  
5970 Xmas Scarves  
5980 Xmas Hats  
5990 Xmas Socks  
6000 Xmas Mittens  
6010 Xmas Gloves  
6020 Xmas Scarves  
6030 Xmas Hats  
6040 Xmas Socks  
6050 Xmas Mittens  
6060 Xmas Gloves  
6070 Xmas Scarves  
6080 Xmas Hats  
6090 Xmas Socks  
6100 Xmas Mittens  
6110 Xmas Gloves  
6120 Xmas Scarves  
6130 Xmas Hats  
6140 Xmas Socks  
6150 Xmas Mittens  
6160 Xmas Gloves  
6170 Xmas Scarves  
6180 Xmas Hats  
6190 Xmas Socks  
6200 Xmas Mittens  
6210 Xmas Gloves  
6220 Xmas Scarves  
6230 Xmas Hats  
6240 Xmas Socks  
6250 Xmas Mittens  
6260 Xmas Gloves  
6270 Xmas Scarves  
6280 Xmas Hats  
6290 Xmas Socks  
6300 Xmas Mittens  
6310 Xmas Gloves  
6320 Xmas Scarves  
6330 Xmas Hats  
6340 Xmas Socks  
6350 Xmas Mittens  
6360 Xmas Gloves  
6370 Xmas Scarves  
6380 Xmas Hats  
6390 Xmas Socks  
6400 Xmas Mittens  
6410 Xmas Gloves  
6420 Xmas Scarves  
6430 Xmas Hats  
6440 Xmas Socks  
6450 Xmas Mittens  
6460 Xmas Gloves  
6470 Xmas Scarves  
6480 Xmas Hats  
6490 Xmas Socks  
6500 Xmas Mittens  
6510 Xmas Gloves  
6520 Xmas Scarves  
6530 Xmas Hats  
6540 Xmas Socks  
6550 Xmas Mittens  
6560 Xmas Gloves  
6570 Xmas Scarves  
6580 Xmas Hats  
6590 Xmas Socks  
6600 Xmas Mittens  
6610 Xmas Gloves  
6620 Xmas Scarves  
6630 Xmas Hats  
6640 Xmas Socks  
6650 Xmas Mittens  
6660 Xmas Gloves  
6670 Xmas Scarves  
6680 Xmas Hats  
6690 Xmas Socks  
6700 Xmas Mittens  
6710 Xmas Gloves  
6720 Xmas Scarves  
6730 Xmas Hats  
6740 Xmas Socks  
6750 Xmas Mittens  
6760 Xmas Gloves  
6770 Xmas Scarves  
6780 Xmas Hats  
6790 Xmas Socks  
6800 Xmas Mittens  
6810 Xmas Gloves  
6820 Xmas Scarves  
6830 Xmas Hats  
6840 Xmas Socks  
6850 Xmas Mittens  
6860 Xmas Gloves  
6870 Xmas Scarves  
6880 Xmas Hats  
6890 Xmas Socks  
6900 Xmas Mittens  
6910 Xmas Gloves  
6920 Xmas Scarves  
6930 Xmas Hats  
6940 Xmas Socks  
6950 Xmas Mittens  
6960 Xmas Gloves  
6970 Xmas Scarves  
6980 Xmas Hats  
6990 Xmas Socks  
7000 Xmas Mittens  
7010 Xmas Gloves  
7020 Xmas Scarves  
7030 Xmas Hats  
7040 Xmas Socks  
7050 Xmas Mittens  
7060 Xmas Gloves  
7070 Xmas Scarves  
7080 Xmas Hats  
7090 Xmas Socks  
7100 Xmas Mittens  
7110 Xmas Gloves  
7120 Xmas Scarves  
7130 Xmas Hats  
7140 Xmas Socks  
7150 Xmas Mittens  
7160 Xmas Gloves  
7170 Xmas Scarves  
7180 Xmas Hats  
7190 Xmas Socks  
7200 Xmas Mittens  
7210 Xmas Gloves  
7220 Xmas Scarves  
7230 Xmas Hats  
7240 Xmas Socks  
7250 Xmas Mittens  
7260 Xmas Gloves  
7270 Xmas Scarves  
7280 Xmas Hats  
7290 Xmas Socks  
7300 Xmas Mittens  
7310 Xmas Gloves  
7320 Xmas Scarves  
7330 Xmas Hats  
7340 Xmas Socks  
7350 Xmas Mittens  
7360 Xmas Gloves  
7370 Xmas Scarves  
7380 Xmas Hats  
7390 Xmas Socks  
7400 Xmas Mittens  
7410 Xmas Gloves  
7420 Xmas Scarves  
7430 Xmas Hats  
7440 Xmas Socks  
7450 Xmas Mittens  
7460 Xmas Gloves  
7470 Xmas Scarves  
7480 Xmas Hats  
7490 Xmas Socks  
7500 Xmas Mittens  
7510 Xmas Gloves  
7520 Xmas Scarves  
7530 Xmas Hats  
7540 Xmas Socks  
7550 Xmas Mittens  
7560 Xmas Gloves  
7570 Xmas Scarves  
7580 Xmas Hats  
7590 Xmas Socks  
7600 Xmas Mittens  
7610 Xmas Gloves  
7620 Xmas Scarves  
7630 Xmas Hats  
7640 Xmas Socks  
7650 Xmas Mittens  
7660 Xmas Gloves  
7670 Xmas Scarves  
7680 Xmas Hats  
7690 Xmas Socks  
7700 Xmas Mittens  
7710 Xmas Gloves  
7720 Xmas Scarves  
7730 Xmas Hats  
7740 Xmas Socks  
7750 Xmas Mittens  
7760 Xmas Gloves  
7770 Xmas Scarves  
7780 Xmas Hats  
7790 Xmas Socks  
7800 Xmas Mittens  
7810 Xmas Gloves  
7820 Xmas Scarves  
7830 Xmas Hats  
7840 Xmas Socks  
7850 Xmas Mittens  
7860 Xmas Gloves  
7870 Xmas Scarves  
7880 Xmas Hats  
7890 Xmas Socks  
7900 Xmas Mittens  
7910 Xmas Gloves  
7920 Xmas Scarves  
7930 Xmas Hats  
7940 Xmas Socks  
7950 Xmas Mittens  
7960 Xmas Gloves  
7970 Xmas Scarves  
7980 Xmas Hats  
7990 Xmas Socks  
8000 Xmas Mittens  
8010 Xmas Gloves  
8020 Xmas Scarves  
8030 Xmas Hats  
8040 Xmas Socks  
8050 Xmas Mittens  
8060 Xmas Gloves  
8070 Xmas Scarves  
8080 Xmas Hats  
8090 Xmas Socks  
8100 Xmas Mittens  
8110 Xmas Gloves  
8120 Xmas Scarves  
8130 Xmas Hats  
8140 Xmas Socks  
8150 Xmas Mittens  
8160 Xmas Gloves  
8170 Xmas Scarves  
8180 Xmas Hats  
8190 Xmas Socks  
8200 Xmas Mittens  
8210 Xmas Gloves  
8220 Xmas Scarves  
8230 Xmas Hats  
8240 Xmas Socks  
8250 Xmas Mittens  
8260 Xmas Gloves  
8270 Xmas Scarves  
8280 Xmas Hats  
8290 Xmas Socks  
8300 Xmas Mittens  
8310 Xmas Gloves  
8320 Xmas Scarves  
8330 Xmas Hats  
8340 Xmas Socks  
8350 Xmas Mittens  
8360 Xmas Gloves  
8370 Xmas Scarves  
8380 Xmas Hats  
8390 Xmas Socks  
8400 Xmas Mittens  
8410 Xmas Gloves  
8420 Xmas Scarves  
8430 Xmas Hats  
8440 Xmas Socks  
8450 Xmas Mittens  
8460 Xmas Gloves  
8470 Xmas Scarves  
8480 Xmas Hats  
8490 Xmas Socks  
8500 Xmas Mittens  
8510 Xmas Gloves  
8520 Xmas Scarves  
8530 Xmas Hats  
8540 Xmas Socks  
8550 Xmas Mittens  
8560 Xmas Gloves  
8570 Xmas Scarves  
8580 Xmas Hats  
8590 Xmas Socks  
8600 Xmas Mittens  
8610 Xmas Gloves  
8620 Xmas Scarves  
8630 Xmas Hats  
8640 Xmas Socks  
8650 Xmas Mittens  
8660 Xmas Gloves  
8670 Xmas Scarves  
8680 Xmas Hats  
8690 Xmas Socks  
8700 Xmas Mittens  
8710 Xmas Gloves  
8720 Xmas Scarves  
8730 Xmas Hats  
8740 Xmas Socks  
8750 Xmas Mittens  
8760 Xmas Gloves  
8770 Xmas Scarves  
8780 Xmas Hats  
8790 Xmas Socks  
8800 Xmas Mittens  
8810 Xmas Gloves  
8820 Xmas Scarves  
8830 Xmas Hats  
8840 Xmas Socks  
8850 Xmas Mittens  
8860 Xmas Gloves  
8870 Xmas Scarves  
8880 Xmas Hats  
8890 Xmas Socks  
8900 Xmas Mittens  
8910 Xmas Gloves  
8920 Xmas Scarves  
8930 Xmas Hats  
8940 Xmas Socks  
8950 Xmas Mittens  
8960 Xmas Gloves  
8970 Xmas Scarves  
8980 Xmas Hats  
8990 Xmas Socks  
9000 Xmas Mittens  
9010 Xmas Gloves  
9020 Xmas Scarves  
9030 Xmas Hats  
9040 Xmas Socks  
9050 Xmas Mittens  
9060 Xmas Gloves  
9070 Xmas Scarves  
9080 Xmas Hats  
9090 Xmas Socks  
9100 Xmas Mittens  
9110 Xmas Gloves  
9120 Xmas Scarves  
9130 Xmas Hats  
9140 Xmas Socks  
9150 Xmas Mittens  
9160 Xmas Gloves  
9170 Xmas Scarves  
9180 Xmas Hats  
9190 Xmas Socks  
9200 Xmas Mittens  
9210 Xmas Gloves  
9220 Xmas Scarves  
9230 Xmas Hats  
9240 Xmas Socks  
9250 Xmas Mittens  
9260 Xmas Gloves  
9270 Xmas Scarves  
9280 Xmas Hats  
9290 Xmas Socks  
9300 Xmas Mittens  
9310 Xmas Gloves  
9320 Xmas Scarves  
9330 Xmas Hats  
9340 Xmas Socks  
9350 Xmas Mittens  
9360 Xmas Gloves  
9370 Xmas Scarves  
9380 Xmas Hats  
9390 Xmas Socks  
9400 Xmas Mittens  
9410 Xmas Gloves  
9420 Xmas Scarves  
9430 Xmas Hats  
9440 Xmas Socks  
9450 Xmas Mittens  
9460 Xmas Gloves  
9470 Xmas Scarves  
9480 Xmas Hats  
9490 Xmas Socks  
9500 Xmas Mittens  
9510 Xmas Gloves  
9520 Xmas Scarves  
9530 Xmas Hats  
9540 Xmas Socks  
9550 Xmas Mittens  
9560 Xmas Gloves  
9570 Xmas Scarves  
9580 Xmas Hats  
9590 Xmas Socks  
9600 Xmas Mittens  
9610 Xmas Gloves  
9620 Xmas Scarves  
9630 Xmas Hats  
9640 Xmas Socks  
9650 Xmas Mittens  
9660 Xmas Gloves  
9670 Xmas Scarves  
9680 Xmas Hats  
9690 Xmas Socks  
9700 Xmas Mittens  
9710 Xmas Gloves  
9720 Xmas Scarves  
9730 Xmas Hats  
9740 Xmas Socks  
9750 Xmas Mittens  
9760 Xmas Gloves  
9770 Xmas Scarves  
9780 Xmas Hats  
9790 Xmas Socks  
9800 Xmas Mittens  
9810 Xmas Gloves  
9820 Xmas Scarves  
9830 Xmas Hats  
9840 Xmas Socks  
9850 Xmas Mittens  
9860 Xmas Gloves  
9870 Xmas Scarves  
9880 Xmas Hats  
9890 Xmas Socks  
9900 Xmas Mittens  
9910 Xmas Gloves  
9920 Xmas Scarves  
9930 Xmas Hats  
9940 Xmas Socks  
9950 Xmas Mittens  
9960 Xmas Gloves  
9970 Xmas Scarves  
9980 Xmas Hats  
9990 Xmas Socks  
10000 Xmas Mittens  
10010 Xmas Gloves  
10020 Xmas Scarves  
10030 Xmas Hats  
10040 Xmas Socks  
10050 Xmas Mittens  
10060 Xmas Gloves  
10070 Xmas Scarves  
10080 Xmas Hats  
10090 Xmas Socks  
10100 Xmas Mittens  
10110 Xmas Gloves  
10120 Xmas Scarves  
10130 Xmas Hats  
10140 Xmas Socks  
10150 Xmas Mittens  
10160 Xmas Gloves  
10170 Xmas Scarves  
10180 Xmas Hats  
10190 Xmas Socks  
10200 Xmas Mittens  
10210 Xmas Gloves  
10220 Xmas Scarves  
10230 Xmas Hats  
10240 Xmas Socks  
10250 Xmas Mittens  
10260 Xmas Gloves  
10270 Xmas Scarves  
10280 Xmas Hats  
10290 Xmas Socks  
10300 Xmas Mittens  
10310 Xmas Gloves  
10320 Xmas Scarves  
10330 Xmas Hats  
10340 Xmas Socks  
10350 Xmas Mittens  
10360 Xmas Gloves  
10370 Xmas Scarves  
10380 Xmas Hats  
10390 Xmas Socks  
10400 Xmas Mittens  
10410 Xmas Gloves  
10420 Xmas Scarves  
10430 Xmas Hats  
10440 Xmas Socks  
10450 Xmas Mittens  
10460 Xmas Gloves  
10470 Xmas Scarves  
10480 Xmas Hats  
10490 Xmas Socks  
10500 Xmas Mittens  
10510 Xmas Gloves  
10520 Xmas Scarves  
10530 Xmas Hats  
10540 Xmas Socks  
10550 Xmas Mittens  
10560 Xmas Gloves  
10570 Xmas Scarves  
10580 Xmas Hats  
10590 Xmas Socks  
10600 Xmas Mittens  
10610 Xmas Gloves  
10620 Xmas Scarves  
10630 Xmas Hats  
10640 Xmas Socks  
10650 Xmas Mittens  
10660 Xmas Gloves  
10670 Xmas Scarves  
10680 Xmas Hats  
10690 Xmas Socks  
10700 Xmas Mittens  
10710 Xmas Gloves  
10720 Xmas Scarves  
10730 Xmas Hats  
10740 Xmas Socks  
10750 Xmas Mittens  
10760 Xmas Gloves  
10770 Xmas Scarves  
10780 Xmas Hats  
10790 Xmas Socks  
10800 Xmas Mittens  
10810 Xmas Gloves  
10820 Xmas Scarves  
10830 Xmas Hats  
10840 Xmas Socks  
10850 Xmas Mittens  
10860 Xmas Gloves  
10870 Xmas Scarves  
10880 Xmas Hats  
10890 Xmas Socks  
10900 Xmas Mittens  
10910 Xmas Gloves  
10920 Xmas Scarves  
10930 Xmas Hats  
10940 Xmas Socks  
10950 Xmas Mittens  
10960 Xmas Gloves  
10970 Xmas Scarves  
10980 Xmas Hats  
10990 Xmas Socks  
11000 Xmas Mittens  
11010 Xmas Gloves  
11020 Xmas Scarves  
11030 Xmas Hats  
11040 Xmas Socks  
11050 Xmas Mittens  
11060 Xmas Gloves  
11070 Xmas Scarves  
11080 Xmas Hats  
11090 Xmas Socks  
11100 Xmas Mittens  
11110 Xmas Gloves  
11120 Xmas Scarves  
11130 Xmas Hats  
11140 Xmas Socks  
11150 Xmas Mittens  
11160 Xmas Gloves  
11170 Xmas Scarves  
11180 Xmas Hats  
11190 Xmas Socks  
11200 Xmas Mittens  
11210 Xmas Gloves  
11220 Xmas Scarves  
11230 Xmas Hats  
11240 Xmas Socks  
11250 Xmas Mittens  
11260 Xmas Gloves  
11270 Xmas Scarves  
11280 Xmas Hats  
11290 Xmas Socks  
11300 Xmas Mittens  
11310 Xmas Gloves  
11320 Xmas Scarves  
11330 Xmas Hats  
11340 Xmas Socks  
11350 Xmas Mittens  
11360 Xmas Gloves  
11370 Xmas Scarves  
11380 Xmas Hats  
11390 Xmas Socks  
11400 Xmas Mittens  
11410 Xmas Gloves  
11420 Xmas Scarves  
11430 Xmas Hats  
11440 Xmas Socks  
11450 Xmas Mittens  
11460 Xmas Gloves  
11470 Xmas Scarves  
11480 Xmas Hats  
11490 Xmas Socks  
11500 Xmas Mittens  
11510 Xmas Gloves  
11520 Xmas Scarves  
11530 Xmas Hats  
11540 Xmas Socks  
11550 Xmas Mittens  
11560 Xmas Gloves  
11570 Xmas Scarves  
11580 Xmas Hats  
11590 Xmas Socks  
11600 Xmas Mittens  
11610 Xmas Gloves  
11620 Xmas Scarves  
11630 Xmas Hats  
11640 Xmas Socks  
11650 Xmas Mittens  
11660 Xmas Gloves  
11670 Xmas Scarves  
11680 Xmas Hats  
11690 Xmas Socks  
11700 Xmas Mittens  
11710 Xmas Gloves  
11720 Xmas Scarves  
11730 Xmas Hats  
11740 Xmas Socks  
11750 Xmas Mittens  
11760 Xmas Gloves  
11770 Xmas Scarves  
11780 Xmas Hats  
11790 Xmas Socks  
11800 Xmas Mittens  
11810 Xmas Gloves  
11820 Xmas Scarves  
11830 Xmas Hats  
11840 Xmas Socks  
11850 Xmas Mittens  
11860 Xmas Gloves  
11870 Xmas Scarves  
11880 Xmas Hats  
11890 Xmas Socks  
11900 Xmas Mittens  
11910 Xmas Gloves  
11920 Xmas Scarves  
11930 Xmas Hats  
11940 Xmas Socks  
11950 Xmas Mittens  
11960 Xmas Gloves  
11970 Xmas Scarves  
11980 Xmas Hats  
11990 Xmas Socks  
12000 Xmas Mittens  
12010 Xmas Gloves  
12020 Xmas Scarves  
12030 Xmas Hats  
12040 Xmas Socks  
12050 Xmas Mittens  
12060 Xmas Gloves  
12070 Xmas Scarves  
12080 Xmas Hats  
12090 Xmas Socks  
12100 Xmas Mittens  
12110 Xmas Gloves  
12120 Xmas Scarves  
12130 Xmas Hats  
12140 Xmas Socks  
12150 Xmas Mittens  
12160 Xmas Gloves  
12170 Xmas Scarves  
12180 Xmas Hats  
12190 Xmas Socks  
12200 Xmas Mittens  
12210 Xmas Gloves  
12220 Xmas Scarves  
12230 Xmas Hats  
12240 Xmas Socks  
12250 Xmas Mittens  
12260 Xmas Gloves  
12270 Xmas Scarves  
12280 Xmas Hats  
12290 Xmas Socks  
12300 Xmas Mittens  
12310 Xmas Gloves  
12320 Xmas Scarves

**Land & Tree Care Technicians**  
We seek motivated people to join our winning team! Applicants for these outdoor positions require good communication skills and a valid driver's license with good driving record. If you have a desire to learn, and can work with minimum supervision, give us a call! Medical benefits, 401k, year-round employment, full training, and up to 2 paid weeks off in your 1st year! Call us now at: (248) 477-4880 to schedule an interview.

**Leasing**  
Apt. community is seeking motivated individual with sales personality. Duties include: first contact with prospective clients, follow-up calls, outreach, taking service calls, processing leases & follow-ups by computer. Excellent pay. Minimum 3 yrs. exp. required. Fax resume to: 248-471-0033

**MACHINE OPERATORS/WALLED LAKE**  
\$9.10/hr. must be able to lift a minimum of 50 lbs., and be willing to work in Walled Lake. Days, Afternoons (248)960-9767

**MAINTENANCE PERSON NEEDED**  
for manufactured home community in Novi. Maintenance experience necessary. Valid driver's license required. Fax Resume To Eric: 248-474-8630

**MAINTENANCE TECH**  
Experienced. For luxury property in Novi. HVAC certified. For a great opportunity Fax 248-348-0271 or email: maintenanceposition@hotmail.com

**MAKE YOUR AD STAND OUT!**  
For an additional \$5 you can add the accent of the month.  
Call Green Sheet Classifieds today: 888-999-1284  
Some restrictions may apply

**MESSAGE THERAPIST NEEDED**  
for established salon in Brighton. 810-229-8883 810-623-8363

**MECHANIC**  
Heavy truck. Must be certified. Experienced. Have own tools. Howell, (517)545-4000

**MECHANIC light & heavy truck**, full time, days. Paid holidays, vacations & medical insurance. Pay based on experience. Please fax info to 517-545-4028

**HAIR TECH & RECEPTIONIST NEEDED**. Self motivated team member. Clientele preferred. Bring resume Sacron Salon, Med Spa, 816-825-9640.

**HAIR TECH, HAIR STYLIST & MASSAGE THERAPIST** wanted. Clientele preferred. Awesome pay. 810-220-6060

**NOW HIRING** Friendly, reliable, honest energetic people for full time, day shifts, 8am-2pm. We offer a clean, friendly atmosphere, insurance benefits, \$7.50/hr & up. Apply at Whitmore Lake Shell, 60 E North Territorial, at US-23

**PARTS DEPARTMENT COUNTER PERSON**  
Immediate full-time opening exp. Parts Counter person, position incl. taking care of retail, wholesale, and shop customers. Apply in person. Dick Scott Motor Mail, 3030 Fowlerville Rd., Fowlerville, MI 517-223-7438 E-mail: parts@dickscottchrysler.com

**PINKNEY DAYCARE CENTER**  
2 part time caregivers in infant, toddler & preschool rooms. Dependable, responsible & loving. 734-878-0457

**PLUMBERS / DRAIN CLEANERS**  
Minimum 2 yrs. exp. only. Call Nick @ 1-888-655-6700

**PRODUCTION MACHINE OPERATORS**  
No experience needed. We will train you to operate CNC mills and lathes on our afternoon shift. Our air-conditioned facility houses the latest technology capable of producing parts for everything from diesel engines to military planes. If you're a team player with a good work ethic, possess basic math skills and a desire to learn, we'd like to hear from you. Please apply in person. AB Heller, Inc. 1235 Holden Ave. Mifflin, MI 48381 (248) 685-9500 phone www.HiringMachinists.com

**RECEPTIONIST**  
Busy Novi hair salon. Part time Computer exp. a plus. Apply in person Charisma Salon, In the Novi Town Center or email resume khori0423@comcast.net.

**RECRUITER/STAFFING CONSULTANT**  
Experienced staffing consultant with prior industry experience needed for staffing office/human resource center. Ideal candidate will be self motivated, will be able to thrive in a fast-paced environment while having to help and serve people. Must be able to type 40 Words a minute and know MS Windows products. Please email resume to: katie.sanders@experssonnel.com

**ROUTE MANAGER**  
No experience necessary. Apply To: Green Chevrolet 48302 Wagon Tech Dr. Wagon. 248-960-1216 or Fax: 248-960-1468 EOE/M/F/D/V/A

**SALES / MECHANICS**  
Multiple locations. Shop experienced or will train for Full time/Part time. Call Mike B. 734-522-9410

**Sales Executive**  
Programmer, Data Entry, Bookkeeper

**SECURITY EXPRESS**  
New Novi Location

**Sales Executive**  
Highly-motivated account executive with a strong work ethic to sell new innovative products in bill payment and banking systems to retail locations.

**Programmer**  
Advanced knowledge of PERL, experience with Linux OS, MySQL, and web application development a must.

**Data Entry**  
Full time, must be extremely detail oriented and accurate. Some entry will be from customer over the phone. Good attendance mandatory

**Southfield Location Bookkeeper**  
Experienced in Quick Books and Creative Solutions must be able to reconcile multiple bank accounts.

**Please fax resume to:** 248-305-9728

**SUPPORT STAFF** needed for Howell group homes. Starting pay \$8.25 Paid training. Must have GED or high school diploma along with valid driver's license. Contact April 517-546-3915 Mon-Fri 9-2

**TEACHER** for Handland home day care, long term and reliable, pay based on exp and creativity. 248-863-7027.

**UNDECIDED WHAT CLASS YOU AD SHOULD BE IN?**  
Put the ad under 2 different classes for a Terrific Discount

**Call the Green Sheet Classified Dept. for details.**  
1-888-999-1284  
\*Some restrictions may apply.  
\*Must mention ad to receive discount.

**WAREHOUSE DRIVER**  
For Electrical Wholesale Distributor. Valid drivers license. Loading / Unloading trucks. Customer counter. People skills. Some electrical knowledge needed. Mon-Fri. 7:30am-4:30pm. Call 248-478-1282

**WAREHOUSE/ LIGHT MECHANIC**  
Apply To: Green Chevrolet 48302 Wagon Tech Dr. Wagon. 248-960-1216 or Fax: 248-960-1468 EOE/M/F/D/V/A

**WELDER/FABRICATOR**  
\$11-14/hr. Walled Lake. Must have all positions welding and prior fabrication exp. Call (248)960-9767

**WORK ICE CREAM BUSINESS**  
Share apt. ADC Ok. Call 248-895-9508.

**ZONING ADMINISTRATOR**  
Blair Township. Grand Traverse County. Full-Time. Benefits, \$25K-\$40K DOE. Full job description online at: www.BlairTownship.org. Submit Cover Letter & Resume to Blair Township Clerk Office, 2121 County Road 633, Gray, MI 49637 (231) 276-9263 ext. 1

**POLICY STATEMENT**  
All advertising published in GreenSheet Classifieds, Livingston County Daily Press & Argus, Mifflin Times, Novi News, Northville Record & South Lyon Herald is subject to the conditions stated in the applicable rate card. Copies of which are available from the advertising dept., 323 E. Grand River, Howell, MI 48843 (517)548-2000. We reserve the right not to accept an advertiser's order. Sales reps have no authority to bind this newspaper and only publication of an advertisement shall constitute final acceptance of the advertiser's order. When more than one insertion of the same advertisement is ordered, no credit will be given unless notice of error is given in time for correction before the second insertion. Not responsible for omissions. Publisher's Notice: All real estate advertising in this newspaper is subject to the Federal Fair Housing Act of 1968 which makes it illegal to advertise any preference, limitation, or discrimination. This newspaper will not knowingly accept any advertising for real estate which is in violation of the law. Our readers are hereby informed that all dwellings advertised in this newspaper are available in an equal housing opportunity basis. (FR Doc. 724983 4ed 3-31-72, 8-4-54m).

**CLASSIFIED ADS** may be placed according to the deadlines. Advertisers are responsible for reading their ads the first time it appears and reporting any errors immediately. Our newspapers will not issue credit for errors in ads after first incorrect insertion.

**Help Wanted-Computers/Info Systems** (500)

**EARN INDUSTRY STANDARD IT CERTIFICATIONS**  
Seeking 15 trainees for Computer Technology Training Program which features internships and job placement assistance. Classes begin March 6th. 1-866-663-0061

**ACCOUNTING ASSISTANT**  
Part Time  
A/P, A/R, Payroll, Computer Skills & general office duties needed. Call 248-912-1200

**ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT**  
Part time, 30/hr per wk. \$10/hr. 9:30 - 3:30 M-F. Office, phone, computer skills required. Fax resume to Lakes Area Youth Assistance (248-956-5075) or mail to L.A.Y.A. 615 North Pontiac Trail, Walled Lake, MI 48390

**ASSISTANT**  
Immediate opening for assistant to assist real estate executive. You should be an organizer, a fast learner, a positive person, and a great communicator. Good word-processing and computer skills are a must. You'll work in a fast-paced real estate office in Northville, MI. Email resume to: 248-477-4554

**ASSISTANT NEEDED**  
to schedule jobs, order parts, inventory, and misc. office work in a H- tech machine repair environment/office. Must be organized with strong computer skills. Email resume to: 248-477-4554 or fax to: 248-477-4554

**EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT**  
Part Time, Northville. Needed for busy real estate agent. You should be an organizer, a positive person, a good communicator - both written and verbal, have advanced computer skills and be very internet savvy, a fast learner with a quick mind to work hard and smart with the ability to multi-task. Experience in Real Estate office helpful. Email your resume with salary requirements and hours of availability to: Laura@yourbestinvestment.com

**GENERAL OFFICE**  
Fulltime position available for general office help. Duties will include answering the phone, data entry, typing, filing and various office related tasks. PC exp. a plus. Benefit package available. Starting pay \$8.12 per hour depending on exp. Interested applicants please call Rhonda at Mountain Top Tree Service in Northville 248-349-1870

**OFFICE POSITION**  
Are you a heads down individual who enjoys varied work assignments? Do you pride yourself on handling work responsibilities quickly, but with accuracy and attention to detail? Our well established company is looking for a person with experience in a general office setting with data entry and invoice processing background. Wagon, full benefits. Must reference office position. Email: anathan@natsco.net

**PERSONNEL COORDINATOR**  
This full time position requires a flexible work schedule between Wagon and Ann Arbor. The successful candidate should be ambitious, energetic, organized and outgoing. The job duties entail recruiting, interviewing, reference checks, and job placement with a strong focus toward customer service. Computer skills are required in Word and Excel at basic or intermediate level. If you are multi-task oriented, exhibit an exceptional personality and have previous office experience, this position may be for you. Compensation will be commensurate with qualifications. Please E-mail resume to: PerPers@natsco.net or fax to: 248-960-9080. Also include a cover letter with your salary requirements.

**RECEPTIONIST/ Chiropractic Assistant**  
Exp preferred 4 days. Fax resume to: 810-632-9770 or call 810-241-5541 Hartland Area.

**DENTAL ASSISTANT**  
Experienced full-time, for a beautiful new Novi office. Looking for team oriented individual that is dependable, energetic, with good communication skills. 248-349-7560

**DENTAL ASSISTANT**  
Full time, for modern Endodontics office in Novi, experience pref. 248-735-9700

**DENTAL ASSISTANT**  
Perfect career opportunity Northville family practice. Recent exp & X-ray certified necessary (248) 348-7997

**FRONT OFFICE**  
Progressive group practice seeking enthusiastic detail oriented team player to fill the critical position of team coordinator. Exc. communication skills, insurance billing & computer exp. necessary. Full time position with exciting benefit package and competitive salary. Please call Denise at Provident Dentistry 248-471-0345

**MULTI-OFFICE DENTAL PRACTICE**  
(Liveston & Walled Lake) Seeking exceptional insurance coordinator/front desk position in our patient-oriented, employee friendly practices. Part-Time/Full-Time possibilities. Fax resume to: (313) 557-0826 (Attn. HR)

**Help Wanted-Dental** (504)

**CLASSIC PRIVATE CARE**  
New Private Duty Agency Needs Reliable Personal Caregivers  
• CNA's  
• Nursing Students  
• Direct Care Workers  
• Homemakers  
Weekend classes available now in Livingston City. Please Call or Fax Resume to:  
Classic Private Care  
718 W Grand River  
Brighton, MI 48116  
Phone: (810) 494-7131  
Fax: (734)254-0460

**CROSSROADS HOME CARE**  
is now hiring nursing asst., home health aides & LPN's in the Brighton area for AM & PM care. 734-475-9902 EOE

**DIRECT CARE ASSISTANT**  
Enjoy the work you do. Support special population adults. We will train. \$8.50 hour plus benefits. 734-662-4685, 734-663-5637 S. Lyon

**DIRECT CARE ASSISTANT**  
Support special population adults in their home and in the community. We will train. \$8.00 plus benefits. 248-437-7535, 248-348-1290, 248-960-9657

**HOME HEALTH OPPORTUNITIES**  
Join Mid-Michigan's best home care provider. (see Medicare's Home Care Compare).

If your goal is to provide superior quality care, we invite you to join our family. We currently have the following positions available for home care and hospice:  
Registered Nurses, Physical Therapists, MSW, SLP, Occupational Therapists

We offer excellent compensation and benefits.

**GREAT LAKES**  
2810 West Grand River Suite 100  
Howell, MI 48843  
Phone: 517-552-8300  
Fax: 517-552-9700  
www.glbs.com  
EOE

**HOME HEALTH AIDES**  
Now hiring, will train. Part/full time. Liveston/Hartland County Area (810) 900-1516

**JOIN THE TEAM**  
at Citation Free (Medifodge of Howell). CNA class now forming for March. Get paid while you train. If interested apply in person at 1333 W Grand River, Howell.

**LICENSED CNA** for night shift & afternoons, apply at West Hickory Haven, 3310 W Commerce Rd., Mifflin, (248) 685-1400

**MA OR LPN**  
Agency office. Part time. Will train. Nora (248)685-2222

**MEDICAL BILLING & CODING TRAINEES**  
Needed for training program which features internships and job placement assistance. Program starts March 6th. 1-866-603-0062

**MEDICAL ASSISTANT INSTRUCTORS**  
Private career schools in Brighton and Ann Arbor have permanent Part Time positions available for allied health professionals to teach 2 afternoons or evenings per week. A&P, clinical, and medical office skills. Must have 3 yrs medical exp + degree or certificate. Competitive salary + sign-on bonus. Fax resume to: 810-227-9582 or Email: streamuth@crosslearning.com

**MEDICAL ASST.** full time, some evenings. Experienced in endoscopy, EKG, venipuncture & X-ray. Mifflin area. Benefits available. Fax resume to Diane at 248-684-5550

**MEDICAL RECEPTIONIST**  
For busy Ann Arbor practice. Full-time, exp. wages & benefits. No weekends, no holidays. Knowledge of insurance & computers preferred. Must be able to multi-task, and have a positive attitude in a busy environment. Please fax resume to: Attn. Deb 734-995-4366

**Medifodge of Howell**  
Want to be a winner? Come join our "Citation Free" Long Term Care Facility. We offer full benefits, paid days off and flexible scheduling. Now hiring RN's and LPN's for our PM & midnight shifts. If interested apply in person at 1333 W Grand River, Howell or call 517-548-1900

**PHYSICAL THERAPY AIDE**  
Part-time/full-time in new clinic in Mifflin. Patient care. Evenings required. Fax resume 248-684-4810

**RECEPTIONIST**  
Optical office in Novi area seeking full-time receptionist. Medical exp. required. Optician exp. preferred. Applicant must be friendly, responsible, able to multi-task, and be computer proficient. Please fax resume to 248-449-1081. No phone calls please.

**RECEPTIONIST**  
Front desk, check in/out. Some medical billing knowledge. Med Assoc. Farmington Hills. Fax resume Rita or Sara. (248) 477-2440

**RESPIRATORY THERAPIST**  
needed for PRN, part time, day shift. Subacute, non-vent facility in Howell. Fax resume or letter of interest with work exp. to: (517)646-7068 or Email: magila63@yahoo.com

**RN's or LPN's WANTED**  
2 FT positions available Days & Afternoons. Full benefit pkg. Christian Home/Team Atmosphere South Lyon Gardens, 700 Reynolds Street, Pkwy South Lyon, MI 48178

**KFC**  
is now hiring  
**SHIFT LEADER & ASSISTANT MANAGERS**  
Great pay, bonuses, insurance, paid vacations.  
\$19,500 - \$24,900  
Fax all resumes to: 248-363-5720

**JAVA ROASTERS**  
Learn to be a Barista. Position for mature, dependable person, 30-35 hours per week. Background in retail or food service a plus. Apply at 412 W. Main St., Brighton.

**KOSCH FOOD SERVICE**  
Full time position in Northville area. Grill Cook (caterer) 6:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Call Jason between 8am-10am 248-557-4754  
www.koschsoundsgood.com

**PART TIME COOK** Needed for assisted living facility, no exp. necessary, defendable a must. Ask for Candy (810) 225-7400

**SERVERS-SERVERS**  
River Bank Golf Course and Banquet Center, located at the corner of 10 Mile & Corbin Rd., is currently expanding their staff of Part Time Servers. Must be able to work on Fri. Apply in person call (248)486-5251

**Help Wanted Health & Fitness** (500)

**TAI-CHI & Yoga Instructors** at Core Studios. Please call 810-225-9212

**Help Wanted Sales** (520)

**IF YOU ARE** thinking of a career in Real Estate, please come to our Career Session every Thurs. 1pm, at 22180 Pontiac Trail, S. Lyon, The Michigan Group. Call for reservations: 248-437-5000

**LOG HOME DEALERS WANTED**  
ED Great Earning Potential, Excellent Profits Protected Territory. Lifetime Warranty American Made-Honest Value Call Daniel Boone, Log Homes 1-888-443-4140

**Mortgage Loan Officer**  
Novi, Michigan  
CNA Financial is expanding its operations in the Novi/Northville area and is looking for an experienced loan officer who would like the flexibility to schedule their own hours, have office facilities as well as the option to work from home. Work with over 20 lending institutions and can provide virtually every loan product known to the industry. Leads available. Competitive commission structure with bonuses. If you feel you are being held back or limited by your loan product line or stuck in a desk with banker's hours, please send your resume to: jolandac@cnaf.com, or fax to: 734-629-8398

**CHANGE YOUR LIFE!**  
**START A NEW CAREER.**  
Call...  
Mary Nicole  
(248) 437-3800

**Real Estate One**  
CEC0600834

**SELL THE AMERICAN DREAM**  
Real Estate is Booming!  
We're looking for self-directed individuals who want unlimited earning potential with an industry leader. Training available, flexible hours.  
Northville/Novi Area  
Diane Howard  
(248) 643-6430  
REAL ESTATE ONE  
CEC0600837

**REAL ESTATE CAREER Building Expansion! Doubling in Size!**  
Looking for someone who loves working with new people & new situations.  
Looking for those with good problem solving skills.  
Looking for "Sky is the limit" mentality.  
Call Me Today!  
Kathy Solan  
(248) 684-1065

**TELEPHONE SALES**  
Weedman Lawn Care, America's largest franchised lawn care company is seeking several people for our Novi Sales Office. We need people who are competitive and outgoing and able to think on their feet. We offer up to \$13.00 per hour while working Monday thru Thursday from 6:00 PM to 9:00 PM and Saturday from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM. We believe in an honest, fair and professional work place. Please Call for an interview today... 248-477-4880

**Help Wanted-Part-Time** (520)

**REAL ESTATE** agent in South Lyon needs help. Must have internet & computer skills & the ability to complete tasks. Perfect for Mom w/school kids. Fax resume to 248-437-3389

**Help Wanted-Domestic** (524)

**LIVE-IN COMPANION** Female. Preferred needed for elderly male, rent included, hours negotiable (734) 449-0470

**Help Wanted-Part-Time** (520)

**Help Wanted-Domestic** (524)

**EARN DEGREE** online from home! "Medical," "Business," "Paralegal," "Computers," "Criminal Justice" Job Placement. Computer provided. Financial aid & quality 1-866-858-2121. www.tedwa-tedonline.com

**Help Wanted-Domestic** (524)

**OVER QUALIFIED Nanny** Available Tuesdays. Exc. current & past Ref. Age 50, live in Novi, Dor. (248)668-1154

**Help Wanted-Domestic** (524)

**PART TIME NANNY** needed for our school-age children in the Novi home. Mon-Fri, generally from 2-6pm. We need a dependable, energetic, loving person. NON-SMOKING only. 248-349-4905 after 6

**PART-TIME NANNY** Exp. Education background preferred. 15-20 hours per week. References needed (248)437-4535

## CROSSWORD PUZZLE

POETIC PEOPLE

<p><b>ACROSS</b></p> <p>1 Gravy vessel</p> <p>5 Lord of the ring?</p> <p>8 School subject</p> <p>11 Energy</p> <p>14 Early bird's reward</p> <p>18 Competent</p> <p>19 Land mass</p> <p>21 Epoch</p> <p>22 Field of study</p> <p>23 Prime-time cartoon character</p> <p>25 Speed</p> <p>27 Discern</p> <p>28 Fill to the gills</p> <p>29 Rug material</p> <p>30 W. Hemisphere gr.</p> <p>31 Land on (listen)</p> <p>33 "Cheers" actress</p> <p>37 Marvels</p> <p>41 "Star Trek" navigator</p> <p>42 Novelist</p> <p>43 Ayn</p> <p>44 Late-night name</p> <p>46 Limber with language</p> <p>48 Proclamation</p> <p>52 "In the Heat of the Night" role</p> <p>56 Grant and Elwes</p> <p>59 Muckraker</p> <p>60 Actress</p> <p>61 Schoolboy's shot</p> <p>62 "Friends," e.g.</p> <p>63 NASA alternative</p> <p>64 Marley's music</p> <p>67 Blind part</p> <p>69 Common street name</p> <p>70 Egg on</p> <p>71 Gary</p> <p>75 Pacific archipelago</p> <p>76 Stalin</p> <p>79 To be, to</p> <p>80 Muzzies</p> <p>83 Hosp. area</p> <p>84 Snow White's dwarfs, e.g.</p> <p>86 Bach's "Bad du bel"</p> <p>88 Civil Rights org.</p> <p>90 "I did you"</p> <p>91 John of The Addams Family</p> <p>92 37 Masters winner</p> <p>95 Mournful sound</p> <p>97 Granola fruit</p> <p>99 Challenge</p> <p>100 Rf's specialty</p> <p>101 Spanish-American coin</p> <p>104 Shape</p> <p>106 Hung loosely</p> <p>109 TV pioneer</p> <p>112 Mintz or Whitney</p> <p>113 Offense</p> <p>114 A Ford</p> <p>116 Cinderella's soiree</p> <p>118 Gymnast</p> <p>122 Charm</p> <p>124 "The Pink Panther" director</p> <p>128 Prayer finale</p> <p>129 Pub potable</p> <p>130 — cut</p> <p>131 James of "Rollerball"</p> <p>132 Moreno or Hayworth</p> <p>133 Take-home</p> <p>134 What a letter does</p> <p>135 "— Day Now" (62 hit)</p> <p>136 Round wrestling?</p> <p><b>DOWN</b></p> <p>1 Humbug lead-in</p> <p>2 Bassoon relative</p> <p>3 Charly</p> <p>4 Home on the range?</p> <p>5 Looser to ODE</p> <p>6 San —</p> <p>7 Cookbook author</p> <p>8 Evaluate</p> <p>9 "Blame it on (84 film)"</p> <p>10 Catch some rays</p> <p>11 Problem for Pauline</p> <p>12 Pencil end</p> <p>13 Tropical treat</p> <p>14 Gum gob</p> <p>15 Sky stalker</p> <p>16 Price</p> <p>17 Giants Hall-of-Famer</p> <p>20 Intelligent</p> <p>24 Author</p> <p>26 Malady</p> <p>28 Channel</p> <p>32 Bagel or bialy</p> <p>34 Warm embraces</p> <p>35 Pipe connection</p> <p>36 Unmached</p> <p>37 Earlier</p> <p>38 Mazzo</p> <p>39 Encounter</p> <p>40 Impudent one</p> <p>43 Eckard competitor</p> <p>45 Stout</p> <p>47 Uncovered</p> <p>49 Bridge</p> <p>50 Support</p> <p>51 Little guy</p> <p>53 Tenor</p> <p>54 Emilia's husband</p> <p>55 "Petrouchka," for one</p> <p>57 Annoys</p> <p>58 Neighbor of Oman</p> <p>62 Tempestuous</p> <p>65 Llama</p> <p>66 "Aida" setting</p> <p>68 Cover girl</p> <p>70 Ordinary</p> <p>72 Foul-smelling</p> <p>73 Yankovic</p> <p>74 Completed</p> <p>75 Informer</p> <p>76 Computer image</p> <p>77 Burial</p> <p>81 Sample the</p> <p>82 Negative one?</p> <p>84 Honors</p> <p>85 Kind of paint</p> <p>87 Highway</p> <p>89 MBNA competitor</p> <p>92 Class ring?</p> <p>93 New Deal apcy.</p> <p>94 Hawaii's state bird</p> <p>96 Cholesterol letters</p> <p>98 Rocky hill</p> <p>102 Beakbeak's</p> <p>103 Stone sign</p> <p>105 Cross words?</p> <p>107 Be happy</p> <p>108 Fragrant flowers</p> <p>109 TV's "— Vice"</p> <p>110 Small bay</p> <p>111 Stephen</p> <p>113 Night light?</p> <p>116 Alias initials</p> <p>117 "— amle be your..."</p> <p>118 Spinks or Trotsky</p> <p>120 Writer</p> <p>121 Shirley Ann</p> <p>121 Leading man?</p> <p>123 — nurse</p> <p>124 Bani part</p> <p>125 Dill</p> <p>126 Word with cell or spell</p> <p>127 — Cat (winter vehicle)</p>	<p><b>ANSWERS TO LAST WEEK'S PUZZLE</b></p> <p>BEN AVAST CAAN DUMAS OLE SENTA DIRGE AGARN HOWCANYOU OCTET DORIA RICA DAWSON INTO DER APSE WHISTLEWHILE HOSPITAL LOST ERIE APT STROM NED DRAM LALO ACROBAT ESTEEMED FLESH SNARL MAR SELA LOU TACO URIS NEB FLOSSES YOU RIPTIDE BAH TARA SHIP EEN ADAM GIN OJAYS MIDST RESIDENT GLACIER TRIO DANA ORE APRES ALB SLOE EARN SECURITY WORKIFYOUREA UPON AHA FERN FESTER APES GATOR LOIRE LIBRARIAN ERODE ENTER INRED PTA RANDY TOES MOODS EAP</p>
--	--

©2006 by King Features Syndicate, Inc. World rights reserved.

**Help Wanted-Sales** (520)

**Sales Fortune 500**



**6000-6780**  
**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**READERS:**  
SINCE many ads are from outside the local area, please know what you are buying before sending money.  
Green Sheet Classified Dept.  
888-999-1288

**7000-7780**  
**MERCANDISE**

**Attention: PET LOVERS.**  
Green Sheet Classifieds encourages ads which offer pets for free. We suggest you charge a nominal price for your pet. If offered for free the ads may draw response from individuals who might use your animal for research, breeding or other purposes. Please be sure to screen respondents carefully. Your pet will thank you!  
888-999-1288

**BIRDS** 4 Little Finch w/cage & food, good home (734) 878-3383

**BRITNEY SPANIEL** 2yrs. old, female, spayed. Free to good home. S. Lyon. 248-437-0483

**COCKATIELS**, Call after 5pm, 517-548-9438

**DOG**, Tall thin mix needs good home, very loveable, great with children. 517-552-3127

**FEMALE black/white** 8 yr cat, declawed front. Very loving. 810-499-7344

**FIREWOOD**, hardwoods, some down. You cut at own risk. Call (734) 663-4886

**GOLDEN RETRIEVER** Male, 4 yrs old. Very loving. Great w/kids. Call 248-366-8454

**HAMSTERS DWARF** 4 WKS OLD, CUTIE. (810) 231-1098

**KITTENS** 3 mo old, 1/2 Persian, 1yo HIMALAYAN female. Al (248) 446-4087

**MAYTAG ELECTRIC WASHER & GAS DRYER**, good working condition (734) 449-8330

**OLD UPRIGHT PIANO** has new keys, you pick up (248) 543-3849 ask for Jeff

**PARAKEET** with cage, to good home (248) 437-4258

**Antiques/Collectibles** (7020)

**Antiques Bought!** Paper dolls, postcards, dishes, perfume bottles, Shelley bone china, factory badges. 248-624-3385

**GREAT MOVING SALE!** Antiques, armchairs, tables, hutches & more 248-467-6334

**VERY NICE** antique sofa & chair. Photo available via email. Call for details. 9600 (248) 676-9162, call eyes

**VICTORIAN FINGER ROLLED** Walnut side chairs (4), \$125 pr or best. Call 248-349-2982

**We Do The Work**  
You Get The Money!  
Bring us your estate items, antiques or treasures (lac, autos & rec. vehicles)  
**Auction-4 TODAY on eBay**  
248-684-2002  
Located in front of Midland High

**Auction Sales** (7060)

**HOUSE & REAL ESTATE AUCTION**  
February 11, 2006, 2:00 pm  
165 Westdale,  
Howell, Michigan  
1 block off Grand River Lake  
access, 1349 sq ft, 3 bed-  
room, fireplace, 2 car garage  
corner lot, very nice home  
**Arrow Auction Service**  
810-227-6000  
517-712-7349

**7100 Estate Sales** (7100)

**BRIGHTON**  
Feb 11th, 8am-6pm, 862  
Alpine Dr Fairway Trails Sub  
Every thing priced to sell, fur-  
niture, bedroom sets, kitchen  
items etc. children & teen  
items (517) 930-0570

**LADIES & GENTLEMEN** Come  
out to our inside estate sale  
sale. Lawn & garden equip-  
ment, household items, books  
look, too much to list. Fri-  
Sun, Feb 10-12, 10am-5pm.  
13015 Bancroft Rd, corner of  
Bancroft & Beard Rd, 12  
miles N of Farmville

**Moving Sales** (7130)

**MOVING SALE** Maple cabi-  
nets, chair w/ottoman, recum-  
bant exercise bike, king size  
bedroom set, treadmill, free  
weights/bench. 248-760-5755

**Home Goods** (7140)

**10% Discount**  
"RENEW & SAVE"  
Special  
Renew your ad and  
receive a 10% discount  
off the cost of your ad.  
Call  
888-999-1288  
today!  
\*Some restrictions  
may apply  
\*Ad must be currently  
running  
\*Green Sheet Classifieds  
Leads only  
\*Must ask for special to  
receive discount.

**A QUEEN Pillowtop Mattress**  
set, new in plastic. Sell \$150  
Can deliver. (734) 891-8481

**BAR-6 FL. & 2 STOOLS** Glass  
dinette table w/ 4 chairs  
Daybed, fold out to double  
bed 19" Cr. monitor, HP 900  
fax machine (734) 495-3017  
or 734-765-3197

**BED** - Brand New super pil-  
low-top mattress set, in plas-  
tic with warranty. Must sell!  
Can deliver. 248-866-5100

**BED King Pillowtop** mattress  
set, New, in bag only \$250  
Deliverable (734) 891-8481

**Bed, king, Craftmatic**  
adjustable foundation,  
SelectComfort mattress, like  
new \$4500 new, asking  
\$2500 810-459-0145 after  
4pm

**BERBER CARPET** 80 yards,  
beige, (new) Cost \$1,200,  
sell \$295/best. 517-719-0451

**BEVELED GLASS** dining room  
table, 42"x72". Brighton area  
Best offer. (248) 760-1067

**CARPET/KARASTAN NEW!**  
40 yards Rich olive green.  
\$20/yd (517) 546-0308

**DINING** - Mahogany table  
with 2 leaves & storage cov-  
ers, 4 chairs, pads & china  
cabinet. \$850 734-542-9912

**DINING ROOM FURNITURE**  
Cubex natural wood din-  
ing table w/ 2 inserts, 4  
side chairs, 2 armchairs,  
lighted curio china cabi-  
net, buffet, in-fold wood  
screen (black). Exc. cond.  
\$2000 248-318-3753

**DINING ROOM TABLE & 6**  
CHAIRS Ornate design, medi-  
um Oak, 2 extra leaves, like  
new \$900. (248) 288-1307

**DINING ROOM CHAIRS**  
8, chrome base, off white  
Haitian cotton. Best offer  
(248) 344-9429

**ENGLISH PRAM**, Antique  
Farm Table, Mission Rocker &  
pieces, like new. Fulton couch  
& frame. (248) 549-3035

**FULL SIZE Mattress** set, new  
still wrapped, with warranty  
Sacrifice \$135 (734) 891-8481

**FURNITURE**: Black with glass  
top dining table & 4 chairs  
\$200 Black-finish console  
piano & bench \$400 Black  
laminated coffee & end table  
\$100 Beige marble coffee  
table \$75 248-892-2022

**LA-Z-BOY** Double sofa bed,  
pump up mattress top. Like  
new \$400/best. 810-227-4766

**Maple Dining Room** 7 piece  
set, 1 mos. old. Cost \$1200,  
sell \$250. Call 517-204-0600

**MATCHING** couch/loveseat,  
mauve print, \$500 (248) 596-  
9796

**OAK KITCHEN** table w/leat  
light blue tile top, 4 chairs  
Good cond. \$300/best  
(248) 921-9069 Northville

**ROCKER** 2 seater, Tapestry  
covered, classically carved  
wood frame 45 in wide  
\$650 (248) 855-5116

**UNDECIDED WHAT**  
CLASS YOUR AD  
SHOULD BE IN?  
Put the ad under 2 d'er-  
ent classes for a  
Terrific Discount  
Call the Green Sheet  
Classified dept. for  
details.  
1-888-999-1288  
\*Some restrictions may  
apply.  
\*Must mention ad to  
receive discount.

**Appliances** (7180)

**KENMORE APPLIANCES**  
Like New! White-Slide in gas  
stove \$350, Microhood \$75  
Call 517-540-9807

**WASHER & ELECTRIC DRYER**  
good cond \$190 U-Haul  
(248) 390-5855

**App. Prices** (7140)

**WASHER & GAS DRYER**  
Whirlpool Duet, large capac-  
ity, front load. \$1000/ both  
(\$2000 value). Like new!  
(734) 425-6510

**Pools, Spas, Hot Tubs** (7190)

**Hot Tub New**, seats 6 lounge,  
still in crate. Retail \$5950, sac-  
rifice \$2950 734-732-9338.

**SUNDANCE CAPRI '03** 850  
Spa, sand-color shell, Sierra  
redwood cabinet. Exc. cond  
w/folding cover. U-Haul \$2875  
248-318-3086

**Bargain Buys** (7200)

**DOG KENNEL** - 1/2" x 21"x6",  
w/dog house and sun shade  
U-move. \$100 810-225-9980

**If you're selling**  
an item for \$100 or less  
Call 888-999-1288 today!  
AT A SPECIAL RATE  
Green Sheet Classifieds  
Call 888-999-1288 today!  
\*Some restrictions may apply

**MAYTAG**  
Washer & dryer (almond).  
Maytag stove, built in dishwash-  
er (white) \$100 ea./best offer  
U-haul. Call 734-454-0796

**PLAYSTATION 2** with 2 wire-  
less controllers, exc. cond  
\$70 (248) 344-1931

**TRUCK BED LINER** - 6 FT. for  
1996 Great cond \$80 (248)  
344-1931.

**Exercise/Fitness**  
Equipment (7215)

**BODY BY JAKE**  
Fitness machine, incl bench &  
300lb Olympic weights \$300  
(248) 446-1838

**Building Materials** (7220)

**Natural Granite**  
Countertops  
Beautiful prefabricated Natural  
Granite 25-1/2" x 84" with 1-1/2"  
full bullnose edges. \$410 each.  
36"x72" island tops with bull-  
nose edges. \$510 each. Many  
colors. We take Visa/MC.  
(248) 486-5444

**Farm Equipment** (7380)

**WANTED: JOHN DEERE**  
2 cyl. tractors. Running or  
not, also any other tractors  
248-625-3408

**Farm Produce-  
Flowers, Plants** (7400)

**HAY** 1st cutting hand loaded  
squares no rain. Call  
(810) 266-4299 anytime

**HAY Round Bales** 1st & 2nd  
All Natural Freezer Beel.  
517-404-4447

**Childcare/Baby-  
Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-  
Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-  
Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-  
Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-  
Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-  
Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-  
Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-  
Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-  
Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-  
Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-  
Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-  
Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-  
Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-  
Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-  
Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-  
Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-  
Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-  
Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-  
Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-  
Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-  
Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-  
Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-  
Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-  
Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-  
Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-  
Sitting Services** (5370)

**Auto Misc** (7150)

**Switch to Lou LaRiche**  
Over Stocked...  
OUR STORAGE LOT IS  
BUSTING AT THE SEAMS! \$189\*

**2006 Trailblazer**

Power windows, rear defog,  
deep tinted glass, cruise,  
with power windows/locks,  
locking diff., sun-roof,  
XM radio,  
6 disc CD.

**GM EMPLOYEE: Lease/Purchase**  
\$159\*/\$23,178\*\*  
\$159 1st Pay, \$2500 TOTAL DUE

**BUY \$24,861\*\***  
\$189 1st Pay, \$3068 TOTAL DUE

**2006 Silverado**

Auto OD, 4300 V6, locking diff, AM/FM  
stereo w/CD player, air, #8655

**\$189\*** Or Less  
\$3236 total due, 12,000 miles per  
year, w/lease loyalty.

**2006 Cobalt LS**

Real spoiler, air, #3076  
NO SECURITY DEPOSIT

**\$183\*** Or Less  
\$183 total due, 12,000 miles per year

**2006 Impala LT**

Power windows/locks, air, cruise, stereo/CD,  
#3334 NO SECURITY DEPOSIT

**\$197\*** Or Less  
\$2797 total due, 10,000 miles per year

**2006 HHR**

Running boards, chrome package,  
roof rack w/rails, air, stereo. #8512

**\$239\*** Or Less  
\$3111 total due, 12,000 miles per  
year, w/lease loyalty.

**LEASE PULL AHEAD!**

If your GMAC lease expires anytime this year, you are eligible to PULL AHEAD NOW!  
Don't make that next payment...See Lou LaRiche for details.

**Lou LaRiche**  
CHEVROLET  
1-866-385-8000  
40875 Plymouth Rd. • At Haggerty • Across From Unisys  
www.switchtolariche.com

**SS IMPALA and SS TRAILBLAZER IN STOCK**

**AN AMERICAN REVOLUTION**

**700 Cars, Trucks, SUV's, & Vans Available**

**Up To \$8,000 Rebates**

**Childcare/Baby-Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-Sitting Services** (5370)

**Auto Misc** (7150)

**Switch to Lou LaRiche**  
Over Stocked...  
OUR STORAGE LOT IS  
BUSTING AT THE SEAMS! \$189\*

**2006 Trailblazer**

Power windows, rear defog,  
deep tinted glass, cruise,  
with power windows/locks,  
locking diff., sun-roof,  
XM radio,  
6 disc CD.

**GM EMPLOYEE: Lease/Purchase**  
\$159\*/\$23,178\*\*  
\$159 1st Pay, \$2500 TOTAL DUE

**BUY \$24,861\*\***  
\$189 1st Pay, \$3068 TOTAL DUE

**2006 Silverado**

Auto OD, 4300 V6, locking diff, AM/FM  
stereo w/CD player, air, #8655

**\$189\*** Or Less  
\$3236 total due, 12,000 miles per  
year, w/lease loyalty.

**2006 Cobalt LS**

Real spoiler, air, #3076  
NO SECURITY DEPOSIT

**\$183\*** Or Less  
\$183 total due, 12,000 miles per year

**2006 Impala LT**

Power windows/locks, air, cruise, stereo/CD,  
#3334 NO SECURITY DEPOSIT

**\$197\*** Or Less  
\$2797 total due, 10,000 miles per year

**2006 HHR**

Running boards, chrome package,  
roof rack w/rails, air, stereo. #8512

**\$239\*** Or Less  
\$3111 total due, 12,000 miles per  
year, w/lease loyalty.

**LEASE PULL AHEAD!**

If your GMAC lease expires anytime this year, you are eligible to PULL AHEAD NOW!  
Don't make that next payment...See Lou LaRiche for details.

**Lou LaRiche**  
CHEVROLET  
1-866-385-8000  
40875 Plymouth Rd. • At Haggerty • Across From Unisys  
www.switchtolariche.com

**SS IMPALA and SS TRAILBLAZER IN STOCK**

**AN AMERICAN REVOLUTION**

**700 Cars, Trucks, SUV's, & Vans Available**

**Up To \$8,000 Rebates**

**Childcare/Baby-Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-Sitting Services** (5370)

**Childcare/Baby-Sitting**



**7405**  
**FIRST, SECOND & THIRD CUTTING ALFALFA HAY & STRAW.** Call Rocky Ridge Farm, 517-484-3335.

**HAY FOR SALE**  
1st & 2nd cut, small squares. Fenton 810-397-3516.

**MIXED HAY** 1st & 3rd cutting small square bales & round bales. (734) 323-7811.

**7440**  
**BLENDED HARDWOOD** - \$69 (4x16) delivered. Delivery, handling, stacking incl. 2 face cord minimum. 248-448-8281.

**DRY FIREWOOD**  
\$60 Face Cord Delivered. 4x16. Call (517) 449-2375.

**SEASONED HARDWOOD**  
SEASONED 2 YEARS  
\$65. 4x16. (517) 548-9475.

**PREMIUM HARDWOOD** seasoned 4x8 face cord \$70 per cord delivered. 517-404-0360.

**SEASONED** hardwood, \$65/facecord 4x16, \$80 full cord, 4x16. (248) 676-0208.

**SEASONED Cherry & Oak.** Delivered \$50/facecord, min. 2 cord, 4x16. (734) 216-6310.

**SEASONED 2 YEARS D&L.** \$70 face cord. 4x16-18. (517) 545-0970.

**SEASONED A-1 FIREWOOD** Hardwood. \$65 a face cord, 4x16. Money Back Guarantee. (517) 546-1069.

**SEASONED HARDWOOD** \$65 a cord, 4x16. Delivered (734) 637-8309.

**Lean, Garden & Snow Equipment** (7440)

**DR Trimmer-Mower** electric start, Briggs-Stratton engine. 5 yrs. old. (248) 437-5822.

**Lean, Garden Material** (7440)

**TRACTOR & MOWER** Craftsman Riding Lawn Tractor & Push Mower. Both run well. \$1000 & \$100. 734-395-8894.

**Billiard/Pool Table** New in box, solid wood. 8' x 12', \$1250. 734-732-9338.

**BUILDING SALE!** "Best Next Increase!" 20x26 Now \$3340. 25x30 \$4790. 30x44 \$7340. 40x66 \$11,490. Factory Direct... 26 years. Many others. Ends/accessories optional. Pioneer 1-800-668-5422.

**CLOSING NAIL SALON** Boutique. Everything must go! Wed-Saturday. 810-225-0836.

**DIRECTV 4 ROOMS, FREE** Installation. 150+ channels including HBO. Only \$29.99/mo. Call today for free DVD player and a \$50 bonus. For details call (800) 523-7556.

**7540**  
**DOORWALL & 2 WINDOWS** (1)-68. Anderson French glider doorwall in green. (2)-30x46 Anderson double hung windows in green. \$1300. (810) 231-5802.

**NEW POWER WHEEL CHAIRS**, scooters & hospital beds at absolutely no costs to you. New lift chairs starting at \$399 limited time offer. TOLL FREE 1-800-905-5744.

**SAWMILLS FROM ONLY \$2,795.00** Convert your LOGS TO VALUABLE LUMBER with our Norwood Portable band sawmill. Log skidders also available. www.norwoodindustries.com - Free info: 1-800-578-1363 ext. 300N.

**US Berta Meat Slicer \$488** Brio Sir Steak Cutter \$588 Hobart Bandsaw \$298 Earl (248) 982-6845.

**Musical Instruments** (7540)

**Bennett upright Piano.** Cherry with French legs. Good condition.

\$300/best Tel: 810-231-9213

**PAYING TOP \$\$\$** for old used musical instruments & equip. (517) 525-1601

**Scouting Goods** (7520)

**HUNT ELK, RED STAG, White** tail, Buffalo, Wild Boar. Our season: now - 3/31/06. Guaranteed license, \$5.00 - trophy in two days. No Game-No-Pay policy. Days (314) 209-9800; evenings (314) 293-0510.

**MICHIGAN ANTIQUE ARMS SHOW** FEBRUARY 11 AND 12. Open to all 9 to 5 Sat. 9 to 3 Sun. 500 tables of modern and antique arms. Buy or Sell. ROCK FINANCIAL SHOW-PLACE. Exit 1-96 at Beck Road. South to Grand River. Left half mile. 248-676-2750.

**MOVING MUST SELL.** Pool table, 1" inch slate, worth \$2000, first \$875. Call 248-884-3538.

**Wanted to Buy** (7540)

**\$ TOP Dollar Paid \$** for coins, gold, diamonds, guns, musical instruments. Uptown Exchange. (810) 227-8190.

**PAYING TOP \$\$\$** for old used musical instruments & equip (517) 525-1601

**SCRAP METAL** Highest Prices Paid. Copper 0.85¢-1.35¢ per lb. Brass 0.40¢-0.80¢ per lb. Alum. 0.25¢-0.50¢ per lb. Stainless 0.20¢-0.35¢ per lb. (248) 960-1200. Mann Metals Corp. 1123 Decker Rd., Walled Lk.

**7800-7980**  
**MINIATURE DACHSHUND** Puppies, \$600/best, black & tan, dapple. 517-546-9455.

**GOLDEN RETRIEVER PUPS** Purebred, shot, great whites. \$300. 517-546-3736.

**NEWFOUNDLAND PUPS AXC** 3 females, 4 mo. old, \$800 (517) 548-1485.

**PUG PUPS, CXC**, 1st shots, wormed, vet checked, w/ papers. \$500. 248-486-3446.

**PUPPIES** Schnoodles, Bachon Schnauzer Mix, Shots. 517-861-9379.

**PUPPIES!! AXC Yellow Labs**, Champion bloodlines, vet checked, 1st shots. Ready for a home (248) 676-0654.

**REDBONE COONHOUNDS** 8 wks. old. Shots & Wormed. 2 Females. Call 248-676-0208.

**REWARD** Lost Highland area. 1/29. Female Shepherd mix, very shy. Recent surgery/shaved. Call (517) 548-3720 or 248-887-8198.

**ROTTWEILER PUPS** Male \$400. 5 wks. old. Call (810) 632-7365 or 517-861-1902.

**SCOTTISH TERRIER PUPS** 2 males @ \$550, 3 females @ \$650. CXC registered, shots & wormed, 6 wks 989-619-6108.

**SHIH-TZU PUPS** Lg assortment, solids (black, chocolate, gold) & tri-colors. \$600/upt. (248) 349-2313.

**TOY POODLE PUPPY** AXC, 8 weeks, male, black, \$650. 248-684-0456.

**WANTED: American Cocker!** Male for stud. Part-colored or Blonde. (248) 344-1512.

**Horses & Equipment** (7640)

**Beautiful, Smart** 12 year old Arab Gelding. Needs work/exp. rider. Must sell. \$1000. 517-540-9812.

**SELLING YOUR HORSE?** Call Murhead Farms. (248) 486-1124. Ref avail.

**SOUTH LYON MJMHA** Tack Sale, Sun. Feb 12, 2006, 12-4pm. At S. Lyon Mallenium Middle School, 61526 W. Nine Mile. Door charge \$1/person. New & used items.

**7930**  
**FOUND female cat** - Torti Calico, front declawed. 2/5/06. Handy Twp. (517) 223-7179.

**FOUND Golden Retriever** Puppy, Harland Rd. 2-7, collar, no tags (810) 632-9750.

**FOUND 2/5 Chihuahua**, Black white paws. 10 mile near Lyon Blvd. (248) 486-1926.

**LOST cat**, gray tiger, yellow eyes, stout body, perhaps, 12-15 lbs., lost Fri. 1/27, in Northville on S. Ely Dr. Area of Sheldon & 8 Mile. Please call 313-277-2201 or 313-791-8370.

**8000-8990**  
**Automotive/Recreational Vehicles**  
**Argives** (8000)

**7440**  
**MAKE YOUR AD STAND OUT!**  
For an additional \$5 you can add the accent of the month.

**Call Green Sheet Classifieds today.** 888-999-1288  
Some restrictions may apply.

**7440**  
**MAKE YOUR AD STAND OUT!**  
For an additional \$5 you can add the accent of the month.

**Call Green Sheet Classifieds today.** 888-999-1288  
Some restrictions may apply.

**7440**  
**UNDECIDED WHAT CLASS YOUR AD SHOULD BE IN?**  
Put the ad under 2 different classes for a Terrific Discount.

**Call the Green Sheet Classifieds dept. for details.**  
1-888-999-1288  
\*Some restrictions may apply.  
\*Must mention ad to receive discount.

**7440**  
**Jet Skis**  
**POLARIS FREEDOM C2**, Low hours, intake great. \$4,000. Call 248-379-8092.

**7440**  
**ENHANCE YOUR AD WITH A PHOTO**  
Now available. You can add photos to your classified ads to show what you are selling. In addition to ad copy. Ads will appear whenever you want them to run, under the classification you choose. The cost for the photo will be \$10 for the first day and \$5 per day for each additional day, plus the cost of the ad copy based on the number of lines used. Email or mail your 3x5 or 4x6 photos. Call for addresses. Photos will not be returned. Prepayment required/no refunds. To place your ad and get more info call the Green Sheet Classifieds at 888-999-1288, Mon. & Fri., 8am to 5pm. Tues. thru Thurs., 8:30am to 5pm. Excludes business/commercial ads. Deadlines for Sunday publication is Thursday at Noon. Deadline for Thursday publication is Monday at Noon. Some restrictions may apply.

**MUST SELL AXC CHOC LAB PUPS**, 14 wks old, great w/ds, \$150. (248) 974-5500 (248) 437-8205.

**7440**  
**FOUND female cat** - Torti Calico, front declawed. 2/5/06. Handy Twp. (517) 223-7179.

**FOUND Golden Retriever** Puppy, Harland Rd. 2-7, collar, no tags (810) 632-9750.

**FOUND 2/5 Chihuahua**, Black white paws. 10 mile near Lyon Blvd. (248) 486-1926.

**LOST cat**, gray tiger, yellow eyes, stout body, perhaps, 12-15 lbs., lost Fri. 1/27, in Northville on S. Ely Dr. Area of Sheldon & 8 Mile. Please call 313-277-2201 or 313-791-8370.

**8000-8990**  
**Automotive/Recreational Vehicles**  
**Argives** (8000)

**7440**  
**MAKE YOUR AD STAND OUT!**  
For an additional \$5 you can add the accent of the month.

**Call Green Sheet Classifieds today.** 888-999-1288  
Some restrictions may apply.

**7440**  
**MAKE YOUR AD STAND OUT!**  
For an additional \$5 you can add the accent of the month.

**Call Green Sheet Classifieds today.** 888-999-1288  
Some restrictions may apply.

**7440**  
**UNDECIDED WHAT CLASS YOUR AD SHOULD BE IN?**  
Put the ad under 2 different classes for a Terrific Discount.

**Call the Green Sheet Classifieds dept. for details.**  
1-888-999-1288  
\*Some restrictions may apply.  
\*Must mention ad to receive discount.

**7440**  
**Jet Skis**  
**POLARIS FREEDOM C2**, Low hours, intake great. \$4,000. Call 248-379-8092.

**7440**  
**ENHANCE YOUR AD WITH A PHOTO**  
Now available. You can add photos to your classified ads to show what you are selling. In addition to ad copy. Ads will appear whenever you want them to run, under the classification you choose. The cost for the photo will be \$10 for the first day and \$5 per day for each additional day, plus the cost of the ad copy based on the number of lines used. Email or mail your 3x5 or 4x6 photos. Call for addresses. Photos will not be returned. Prepayment required/no refunds. To place your ad and get more info call the Green Sheet Classifieds at 888-999-1288, Mon. & Fri., 8am to 5pm. Tues. thru Thurs., 8:30am to 5pm. Excludes business/commercial ads. Deadlines for Sunday publication is Thursday at Noon. Deadline for Thursday publication is Monday at Noon. Some restrictions may apply.

**MUST SELL AXC CHOC LAB PUPS**, 14 wks old, great w/ds, \$150. (248) 974-5500 (248) 437-8205.

**7440**  
**FOUND female cat** - Torti Calico, front declawed. 2/5/06. Handy Twp. (517) 223-7179.

**FOUND Golden Retriever** Puppy, Harland Rd. 2-7, collar, no tags (810) 632-9750.

**FOUND 2/5 Chihuahua**, Black white paws. 10 mile near Lyon Blvd. (248) 486-1926.

**LOST cat**, gray tiger, yellow eyes, stout body, perhaps, 12-15 lbs., lost Fri. 1/27, in Northville on S. Ely Dr. Area of Sheldon & 8 Mile. Please call 313-277-2201 or 313-791-8370.

**8000-8990**  
**Automotive/Recreational Vehicles**  
**Argives** (8000)

**7440**  
**MAKE YOUR AD STAND OUT!**  
For an additional \$5 you can add the accent of the month.

**Call Green Sheet Classifieds today.** 888-999-1288  
Some restrictions may apply.

**7440**  
**MAKE YOUR AD STAND OUT!**  
For an additional \$5 you can add the accent of the month.

**Call Green Sheet Classifieds today.** 888-999-1288  
Some restrictions may apply.

**7440**  
**UNDECIDED WHAT CLASS YOUR AD SHOULD BE IN?**  
Put the ad under 2 different classes for a Terrific Discount.

**Call the Green Sheet Classifieds dept. for details.**  
1-888-999-1288  
\*Some restrictions may apply.  
\*Must mention ad to receive discount.

**7440**  
**Jet Skis**  
**POLARIS FREEDOM C2**, Low hours, intake great. \$4,000. Call 248-379-8092.

**7440**  
**ENHANCE YOUR AD WITH A PHOTO**  
Now available. You can add photos to your classified ads to show what you are selling. In addition to ad copy. Ads will appear whenever you want them to run, under the classification you choose. The cost for the photo will be \$10 for the first day and \$5 per day for each additional day, plus the cost of the ad copy based on the number of lines used. Email or mail your 3x5 or 4x6 photos. Call for addresses. Photos will not be returned. Prepayment required/no refunds. To place your ad and get more info call the Green Sheet Classifieds at 888-999-1288, Mon. & Fri., 8am to 5pm. Tues. thru Thurs., 8:30am to 5pm. Excludes business/commercial ads. Deadlines for Sunday publication is Thursday at Noon. Deadline for Thursday publication is Monday at Noon. Some restrictions may apply.

**MUST SELL AXC CHOC LAB PUPS**, 14 wks old, great w/ds, \$150. (248) 974-5500 (248) 437-8205.

**7440**  
**FOUND female cat** - Torti Calico, front declawed. 2/5/06. Handy Twp. (517) 223-7179.

**FOUND Golden Retriever** Puppy, Harland Rd. 2-7, collar, no tags (810) 632-9750.

**FOUND 2/5 Chihuahua**, Black white paws. 10 mile near Lyon Blvd. (248) 486-1926.

**LOST cat**, gray tiger, yellow eyes, stout body, perhaps, 12-15 lbs., lost Fri. 1/27, in Northville on S. Ely Dr. Area of Sheldon & 8 Mile. Please call 313-277-2201 or 313-791-8370.

**8000-8990**  
**Automotive/Recreational Vehicles**  
**Argives** (8000)

**7440**  
**MAKE YOUR AD STAND OUT!**  
For an additional \$5 you can add the accent of the month.

**Call Green Sheet Classifieds today.** 888-999-1288  
Some restrictions may apply.

**7440**  
**MAKE YOUR AD STAND OUT!**  
For an additional \$5 you can add the accent of the month.

**Call Green Sheet Classifieds today.** 888-999-1288  
Some restrictions may apply.

**7440**  
**UNDECIDED WHAT CLASS YOUR AD SHOULD BE IN?**  
Put the ad under 2 different classes for a Terrific Discount.

**Call the Green Sheet Classifieds dept. for details.**  
1-888-999-1288  
\*Some restrictions may apply.  
\*Must mention ad to receive discount.

**7440**  
**Jet Skis**  
**POLARIS FREEDOM C2**, Low hours, intake great. \$4,000. Call 248-379-8092.

**7440**  
**ENHANCE YOUR AD WITH A PHOTO**  
Now available. You can add photos to your classified ads to show what you are selling. In addition to ad copy. Ads will appear whenever you want them to run, under the classification you choose. The cost for the photo will be \$10 for the first day and \$5 per day for each additional day, plus the cost of the ad copy based on the number of lines used. Email or mail your 3x5 or 4x6 photos. Call for addresses. Photos will not be returned. Prepayment required/no refunds. To place your ad and get more info call the Green Sheet Classifieds at 888-999-1288, Mon. & Fri., 8am to 5pm. Tues. thru Thurs., 8:30am to 5pm. Excludes business/commercial ads. Deadlines for Sunday publication is Thursday at Noon. Deadline for Thursday publication is Monday at Noon. Some restrictions may apply.

**MUST SELL AXC CHOC LAB PUPS**, 14 wks old, great w/ds, \$150. (248) 974-5500 (248) 437-8205.

**7440**  
**FOUND female cat** - Torti Calico, front declawed. 2/5/06. Handy Twp. (517) 223-7179.

**FOUND Golden Retriever** Puppy, Harland Rd. 2-7, collar, no tags (810) 632-9750.

**FOUND 2/5 Chihuahua**, Black white paws. 10 mile near Lyon Blvd. (248) 486-1926.

**LOST cat**, gray tiger, yellow eyes, stout body, perhaps, 12-15 lbs., lost Fri. 1/27, in Northville on S. Ely Dr. Area of Sheldon & 8 Mile. Please call 313-277-2201 or 313-791-8370.

**8000-8990**  
**Automotive/Recreational Vehicles**  
**Argives** (8000)

**7440**  
**MAKE YOUR AD STAND OUT!**  
For an additional \$5 you can add the accent of the month.

**Call Green Sheet Classifieds today.** 888-999-1288  
Some restrictions may apply.

**7440**  
**MAKE YOUR AD STAND OUT!**  
For an additional \$5 you can add the accent of the month.

**Call Green Sheet Classifieds today.** 888-999-1288  
Some restrictions may apply.

**7440**  
**UNDECIDED WHAT CLASS YOUR AD SHOULD BE IN?**  
Put the ad under 2 different classes for a Terrific Discount.

**Call the Green Sheet Classifieds dept. for details.**  
1-888-999-1288  
\*Some restrictions may apply.  
\*Must mention ad to receive discount.

**7440**  
**Jet Skis**  
**POLARIS FREEDOM C2**, Low hours, intake great. \$4,000. Call 248-379-8092.

**7440**  
**ENHANCE YOUR AD WITH A PHOTO**  
Now available. You can add photos to your classified ads to show what you are selling. In addition to ad copy. Ads will appear whenever you want them to run, under the classification you choose. The cost for the photo will be \$10 for the first day and \$5 per day for each additional day, plus the cost of the ad copy based on the number of lines used. Email or mail your 3x5 or 4x6 photos. Call for addresses. Photos will not be returned. Prepayment required/no refunds. To place your ad and get more info call the Green Sheet Classifieds at 888-999-1288, Mon. & Fri., 8am to 5pm. Tues. thru Thurs., 8:30am to 5pm. Excludes business/commercial ads. Deadlines for Sunday publication is Thursday at Noon. Deadline for Thursday publication is Monday at Noon. Some restrictions may apply.

**MUST SELL AXC CHOC LAB PUPS**, 14 wks old, great w/ds, \$150. (248) 974-5500 (248) 437-8205.

**7440**  
**FOUND female cat** - Torti Calico, front declawed. 2/5/06. Handy Twp. (517) 223-7179.

**FOUND Golden Retriever** Puppy, Harland Rd. 2-7, collar, no tags (810) 632-9750.

**FOUND 2/5 Chihuahua**, Black white paws. 10 mile near Lyon Blvd. (248) 486-1926.

**LOST cat**, gray tiger, yellow eyes, stout body, perhaps, 12-15 lbs., lost Fri. 1/27, in Northville on S. Ely Dr. Area of Sheldon & 8 Mile. Please call 313-277-2201 or 313-791-8370.

**8000-8990**  
**Automotive/Recreational Vehicles**  
**Argives** (8000)

**7440**  
**MAKE YOUR AD STAND OUT!**  
For an additional \$5 you can add the accent of the month.

**Call Green Sheet Classifieds today.** 888-999-1288  
Some restrictions may apply.

**7440**  
**MAKE YOUR AD STAND OUT!**  
For an additional \$5 you can add the accent of the month.

**Call Green Sheet Classifieds today.** 888-999-1288  
Some restrictions may apply.

**7440**  
**UNDECIDED WHAT CLASS YOUR AD SHOULD BE IN?**  
Put the ad under 2 different classes for a Terrific Discount.

**Call the Green Sheet Classifieds dept. for details.**  
1-888-999-1288  
\*Some restrictions may apply.  
\*Must mention ad to receive discount.

**7440**  
**Jet Skis**  
**POLARIS FREEDOM C2**, Low hours, intake great. \$4,000. Call 248-379-8092.

**7440**  
**ENHANCE YOUR AD WITH A PHOTO**  
Now available. You can add photos to your classified ads to show what you are selling. In addition to ad copy. Ads will appear whenever you want them to run, under the classification you choose. The cost for the photo will be \$10 for the first day and \$5 per day for each additional day, plus the cost of the ad copy based on the number of lines used. Email or mail your 3x5 or 4x6 photos. Call for addresses. Photos will not be returned. Prepayment required/no refunds. To place your ad and get more info call the Green Sheet Classifieds at 888-999-1288, Mon. & Fri., 8am to 5pm. Tues. thru Thurs., 8:30am to 5pm. Excludes business/commercial ads. Deadlines for Sunday publication is Thursday at Noon. Deadline for Thursday publication is Monday at Noon. Some restrictions may apply.

**MUST SELL AXC CHOC LAB PUPS**, 14 wks old, great w/ds, \$150. (248) 974-5500 (248) 437-8205.

**7440**  
**FOUND female cat** - Torti Calico, front declawed. 2/5/06. Handy Twp. (517) 223-7179.

**FOUND Golden Retriever** Puppy, Harland Rd. 2-7, collar, no tags (810) 632-9750.

**FOUND 2/5 Chihuahua**, Black white paws. 10 mile near Lyon Blvd. (248) 486-1926.

**LOST cat**, gray tiger, yellow eyes, stout body, perhaps, 12-15 lbs., lost Fri. 1/27, in Northville on S. Ely Dr. Area of Sheldon & 8 Mile. Please call 313-277-2201 or 313-791-8370.

**8000-8990**  
**Automotive/Recreational Vehicles**  
**Argives** (8000)

**7440**  
**MAKE YOUR AD STAND OUT!**  
For an additional \$5 you can add the accent of the month.

**Call Green Sheet Classifieds today.** 888-999-1288  
Some restrictions may apply.

**7440**  
**MAKE YOUR AD STAND OUT!**  
For an additional \$5 you can add the accent of the month.

**Call Green Sheet Classifieds today.** 888-999-1288  
Some restrictions may apply.

**7440**  
**UNDECIDED WHAT CLASS YOUR AD SHOULD BE IN?**  
Put the ad under 2 different classes for a Terrific Discount.

**Call the Green Sheet Classifieds dept. for details.**  
1-888-999-1288  
\*Some restrictions may apply.  
\*Must mention ad to receive discount.

**7440**  
**Jet Skis**  
**POLARIS FREEDOM C2**, Low hours, intake great. \$4,000. Call 248-379-8092.

**7440**  
**ENHANCE YOUR AD WITH A PHOTO**  
Now available. You can add photos to your classified ads to show what you are selling. In addition to ad copy. Ads will appear whenever you want them to run, under the classification you choose. The cost for the photo will be \$10 for the first day and \$5 per day for each additional day, plus the cost of the ad copy based on the number of lines used. Email or mail your 3x5 or 4x6 photos. Call for addresses. Photos will not be returned. Prepayment required/no refunds. To place your ad and get more info call the Green Sheet Classifieds at 888-999-1288, Mon. & Fri., 8am to 5pm. Tues. thru Thurs., 8:30am to 5pm. Excludes business/commercial ads. Deadlines for Sunday publication is Thursday at Noon. Deadline for Thursday publication is Monday at Noon. Some restrictions may apply.

**MUST SELL AXC CHOC LAB PUPS**, 14 wks old, great w/ds, \$150. (248) 974-5500 (248) 437-8205.

**7440**  
**FOUND female cat** - Torti Calico, front declawed. 2/5/06. Handy Twp. (517) 223-7179.

**FOUND Golden Retriever** Puppy, Harland Rd. 2-7, collar, no tags (810) 632-9750.

**FOUND 2/5 Chihuahua**, Black white paws. 10 mile near Lyon Blvd. (248) 486-1926.

**LOST cat**, gray tiger, yellow eyes, stout body, perhaps, 12-15 lbs., lost Fri. 1/27, in Northville on S. Ely Dr. Area of Sheldon & 8 Mile. Please call 313-277-2201 or 313-791-8370.

**8000-8990**  
**Automotive/Recreational Vehicles**  
**Argives** (8000)

**7440**  
**MAKE YOUR AD STAND OUT!**  
For an additional \$5 you can add the accent of the month.

**Call Green Sheet Classifieds today.** 888-999-1288  
Some restrictions may apply.

**7440**  
**MAKE YOUR AD STAND OUT!**  
For an additional \$5 you can add the accent of the month.

**Call Green Sheet Classifieds today.** 888-999-1288  
Some restrictions may apply.

**7440**  
**UNDECIDED WHAT CLASS YOUR AD SHOULD BE IN?**  
Put the ad under 2 different classes for a Terrific Discount.

**Call the Green Sheet Classifieds dept. for details.**  
1-888-999-1288  
\*Some restrictions may apply.  
\*Must mention ad to receive discount.

**7440**  
**Jet Skis**  
**POLARIS FREEDOM C2**, Low hours, intake great. \$4,000. Call 248-379-8092.

**7440**  
**ENHANCE YOUR AD WITH A PHOTO**  
Now available. You can add photos to your classified ads to show what you are selling. In addition to ad copy. Ads will appear whenever you want them to run, under the classification you choose. The cost for the photo will be \$10 for the first day and \$5 per day for each additional day, plus the cost of the ad copy based on the number of lines used. Email or mail your 3x5 or 4x6 photos. Call for addresses. Photos will not be returned. Prepayment required/no refunds. To place your ad and get more info call the Green Sheet Classifieds at 888-999-1288, Mon. & Fri., 8am to 5pm. Tues. thru Thurs., 8:30am to 5pm. Excludes business/commercial ads. Deadlines for Sunday publication is Thursday at Noon. Deadline for Thursday publication is Monday at Noon. Some restrictions may apply.

**MUST SELL AXC CHOC LAB PUPS**, 14 wks old, great w/ds, \$150. (248) 974-5500 (248) 437-8205.

**7440**  
**FOUND female cat** - Torti Calico, front declawed. 2/5/06. Handy Twp. (517) 223-7179.

**FOUND Golden Retriever** Puppy, Harland Rd. 2-7, collar, no tags (810) 632-9750.

**FOUND 2/5 Chihuahua**, Black white paws. 10 mile near Lyon Blvd. (248) 486-1926.

**LOST cat**, gray tiger, yellow eyes, stout body, perhaps, 12-15 lbs., lost Fri. 1/27, in Northville on S. Ely Dr. Area of Sheldon & 8 Mile. Please call 313-277-2201 or 313-791-8370.

**8000-8990**  
**Automotive/Recreational Vehicles**  
**Argives** (8000)

**7440**  
**MAKE YOUR AD STAND OUT!**  
For an additional \$5 you can add the accent of the month.

**Call Green Sheet Classifieds today.** 888-999-1288  
Some restrictions may apply.

**7440**  
**MAKE YOUR AD STAND OUT!**  
For an additional \$5 you can add the accent of the month.

**Call Green Sheet Classifieds today.** 888-999-1288  
Some restrictions may apply.

**7440**  
**UNDECIDED WHAT CLASS YOUR AD SHOULD BE IN?**  
Put the ad under 2 different classes for a Terrific Discount.

**Call the Green Sheet Classifieds dept. for details.**  
1-888-999-1288  
\*Some restrictions may apply.  
\*Must mention ad to receive discount.

**7440**  
**Jet Skis**  
**POLARIS FREEDOM C2**, Low hours, intake great. \$4,000. Call 248-379-8092.

**7440**  
**ENHANCE YOUR AD WITH A PHOTO**  
Now available. You can add photos to your classified ads to show what you are selling. In addition to ad copy. Ads will appear whenever you want them to run, under the classification you choose. The cost for the photo will be \$10 for the first day and \$5 per day for each additional day, plus the cost of the ad copy based on the number of lines used. Email or mail your 3x5 or 4x6 photos. Call for addresses. Photos will not be returned. Prepayment required/no refunds. To place your ad and get more info call the Green Sheet Classifieds at 888-999-1288, Mon. & Fri., 8am to 5pm. Tues. thru Thurs., 8:30am to 5pm. Excludes business/commercial ads. Deadlines for Sunday publication is Thursday at Noon. Deadline for Thursday publication is Monday at Noon. Some restrictions may apply.

**MUST SELL AXC CHOC LAB PUPS**, 14 wks old, great w/ds, \$150. (248) 974-5500 (248) 437-8205.

**7440**  
**FOUND female cat** - Torti Calico, front declawed. 2/5/06. Handy Twp. (517) 223-7179.

**FOUND Golden Retriever** Puppy, Harland Rd. 2-7, collar, no tags (810) 632-9750.

**FOUND 2/5 Chihuahua**, Black white paws. 10 mile near Lyon Blvd. (248) 486-1926.

**LOST cat**, gray tiger, yellow eyes, stout body, perhaps, 12-15 lbs., lost Fri. 1/27, in Northville on S. Ely Dr. Area of Sheldon & 8 Mile. Please call 313-277-2201 or 313-791-8370.

**8000-8990**  
**Automotive/Recreational Vehicles**  
**Argives** (8000)

**7440**  
**MAKE YOUR AD STAND OUT!**  
For an additional \$5 you can add the accent of the month.

**Call Green Sheet Classifieds today.** 888-999-1288  
Some restrictions may apply.

**7440**  
**MAKE YOUR AD STAND OUT!**  
For an additional \$5 you can add the accent of the month.

**Call Green Sheet Classifieds today.** 888-999-1288  
Some restrictions may apply.

**7440**  
**UNDECIDED WHAT CLASS YOUR AD SHOULD BE IN?**  
Put the ad under 2 different classes for a Terrific Discount.

**Call the Green Sheet Classifieds dept. for details.**  
1-888-999-1288  
\*Some restrictions may apply.  
\*Must mention ad to receive discount.

**7440**  
**Jet Skis**  
**POLARIS FREEDOM C2**, Low hours, intake great. \$4,000. Call 248-379-8092.

**7440**  
**ENHANCE YOUR AD WITH A PHOTO**  
Now available. You can add photos to your classified ads to show what you are selling. In addition to ad copy. Ads will appear whenever you want them to run, under the classification you choose. The cost for the photo will be \$10 for the first day and \$5 per day for each additional day, plus the cost of the ad copy based on the number of lines used. Email or mail your 3x5 or 4x6 photos. Call for addresses. Photos will not be returned. Prepayment required/no refunds. To place your ad and get more info call the Green Sheet Classifieds at 888-999-1288, Mon. & Fri., 8am to 5pm. Tues. thru Thurs., 8:30am to 5pm. Excludes business/commercial ads. Deadlines for Sunday publication is Thursday at Noon. Deadline for Thursday publication is Monday at Noon. Some restrictions may apply.

**MUST SELL AXC CHOC LAB PUPS**, 14 wks old, great w/ds, \$150. (248) 974-5500 (248) 437-8205.

**7440</**

# BRIGHTON

## Ford - Mercury

**ROUSH MUSTANGS**  
(3 AVAILABLE)  
AT BIG SAVINGS

**REBATES**  
UP TO \$7500

FIRST PAYMENT WAIVED  
ON BUY OR LEASE ON MANY  
MODELS. SEE DEALER FOR  
DETAILS

NO CHARGE  
REMOTE STARTER OR  
NO CHARGE PREMIUM  
MAINTENANCE ON 500  
& FREESTYLE AWDs

ESCAPE AND  
MARINER  
HYBRIDS IN  
STOCK



INTEREST RATES  
AS LOW AS  
**0%**

FREE AUTO SHOW TICKETS  
WHILE THEY LAST WITH TEST  
DRIVE. COME ON IN!

## ANNUAL FORD EMPLOYEE AND ELIGIBLE FAMILY MEMBERS NOW IS THE TIME TO USE YOUR PROGRAM

Sik. #1233  
**2006 MARINER**  
LUXURY AWD  
Was \$27,040

**\$157** REBATES UP TO \$4000  
LEASE FOR x 24 MO. WITH \$2500 DUE

Sik. #469  
**2006**  
500 SE FWD

**\$187** REBATES UP TO \$3000  
LEASE FOR x 24 MO. WITH \$2500 DUE

Sik. #850  
**2006 FOCUS**  
ZX5 SES 5 P  
Was \$17,845

**\$56** REBATES UP TO \$4500  
LEASE FOR x 24 MO. WITH \$2500 DUE

Sik. #344  
**2006 EXPLORER**  
4DR 4WD  
Was \$27,040

**\$129** REBATES UP TO \$5000  
LEASE FOR x 24 MO. WITH \$2500 DUE

Sik. #1668  
**2006 F150**  
SUPERCAB  
Was \$30,390

**\$83** REBATES UP TO \$5000  
LEASE FOR x 24 MO. WITH \$2500 DUE

Sik. #1564  
**2006 ESCAPE**  
XLT 4 DR 4x4  
Was \$27,040

**\$136** REBATES UP TO \$4000  
LEASE FOR x 24 MO. WITH \$2500 DUE

Sik. #158  
**2006 MOUNTAINEER**  
LUXURY AWD  
Was \$34,650

**\$169** REBATES UP TO \$4000  
LEASE FOR x 24 MO. WITH \$2500 DUE

Sik. #450  
**2006 MILAN**  
4DR SEDAN  
Was \$20,840

**\$109** REBATES UP TO \$2000  
LEASE FOR x 24 MO. WITH \$2500 DUE

Sik. #1527  
**2006 FUSION**  
SE  
Was \$19,800

**\$99** REBATES UP TO \$2000  
LEASE FOR x 24 MO. WITH \$2500 DUE

Sik. #844  
**2006 MONTEGO**  
LUXURY AWD  
Was \$27,040

**\$153** REBATES UP TO \$4000  
LEASE FOR x 24 MO. WITH \$2500 DUE

Sik. #521  
**2006 FREESTYLE**  
4DR  
Was \$29,230

**\$163** REBATES UP TO \$3500  
LEASE FOR x 24 MO. WITH \$2500 DUE

Sik. #845  
**2006 MUSTANG**  
GT COUPE  
Was \$27,040

**\$273** REBATES UP TO \$1000  
LEASE FOR x 24 MO. WITH \$2500 DUE

Michigan's Largest  
**FORD MERCURY**  
DEALER!



8240 W. Grand River at I-96

# 1-800-836-7697

Or Buy Online

## www.brightonford.com



QUICK SERVICE  
CENTER  
OPEN SATURDAYS 9-1

All pricing based on A/Z Plan with UAW Refund Voucher (\$1000.00) on both purchase or lease. First payment waived by Ford on many models, see dealer for details. All rebates to dealer including lease renewal program. All pricing plus tax, title, plates. Leases set up at 24 months at 16,500 miles per year. All leases or purchases based on approved credit. All programs subject to change from Ford without notice. Auto Show \$500.00 bonus available while they last during the Auto Show. Expires February 28, 2006.

OPEN 9-9 MON. Thru THURS. OPEN SAT. 9-4, FRI. 9-7

OPEN 9-9 MON. Thru THURS. OPEN SAT. 9-4, FRI. 9-7

# The Love Life

Deserves it from

*Scappare*  
A FULL SERVICE SALON

- Exquisite Hair Services
- Pedicures
- Manicures
- Spa packages
- Massage
- Gift Certificates

"Where  
Beauty  
Lives"

Experience  
*Scappare*

21190 Pontiac Trail  
South Lyon, MI 48178  
248-437-1112

[www.salonscappare.com](http://www.salonscappare.com)





expect **great** things

2 DAYS ONLY FEB. 10 & 11

i  to  
save  
SALE

**everything you love for less**

featuring  
**POWER  
HOURS**

**DURING THESE SPECIAL EXTENDED HOURS, GET OUR BEST PRICES ON ITEMS THROUGHOUT THE STORE**



**SHOP  
NIGHT OWLS**

**FRIDAY, FEB. 10**  
**3PM-11PM**

Oxford Valley, PA store open until 10pm



# SHOP EARLY BIRDS

**SATURDAY, FEB. 11**  
**7AM-1PM**



**NIGHTOWL  
SPECIAL**



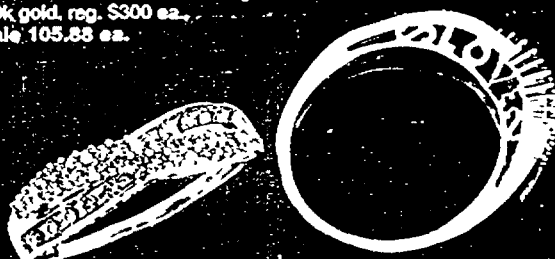
**EARLYBIRD  
SPECIAL**


**NIGHTOWL  
SPECIAL**
**EARLY BIRD SPECIAL**
**NIGHTOWL  
SPECIAL**
**EARLY BIRD SPECIAL**

**16.99 Final price**  
1/10 ct. T.W. diamond circle  
pendant. Sterling silver.  
reg. \$75, sale 19.99



**89.99 ea. Final price**  
1/4 ct. T.W. diamond Love ring.  
10k gold, reg. \$300 ea.,  
sale 105.88 ea.



**39.99 ea. Final price**  
Your choice 1/4 ct. T.W.  
diamond bracelets. Sterling  
silver. reg. \$125 ea.,  
sale 47.05 ea.



**60% off plus save an extra 15%** on entire stock of diamond jewelry

Q shop online for selected items F999

Photos enlarged to show detail. Diamond Total Weights are approximate. T.W. may vary up to .05 ct. Actual savings may exceed the percent savings shown. Extra 15% off excludes Super buy items & discontinued fine jewelry.


**NIGHTOWL  
SPECIAL**

**EARLYBIRD  
SPECIAL**

**60% off plus  
save an extra 15%**  
**on entire stock of  
sterling silver jewelry**



**16.99 ea. Final price**  
Your choice diamond  
accent heart charm  
bracelets. 18k gold over  
sterling silver reg. \$75 ea.,  
sale 16.99 ea.


**NIGHTOWL  
SPECIAL**

**EARLYBIRD  
SPECIAL**


**NIGHT OWL  
SPECIAL**

**EARLYBIRD  
SPECIAL**


**NIGHT OWL  
SPECIAL**
**EARLYBIRD  
SPECIAL**

**50-60% off**  
**access, Nine & Company®**  
**and daisy fuentes®**  
**sportswear**  
 for misses, petites & women. orig. \$22-\$74  
 sale **8.80-37.00** *Selected styles. Misses' shown*

999

**entire stock solid  
piqué polos for men**  
from Croft & Barrow® & Sonoma orig. \$24  
SONOMA 100% cotton. shop online P292

# 60% off

**all 300-, 400- and 500-  
thread count sheet sets**  
orig. 49.99-149.99, sale 19.99-59.99



**NIGHT OWL  
SPECIAL**


**EARLYBIRD  
SPECIAL**

**50-60% off**  
entire stock panties  
& innerwear for juniors  
from Mudd, i.e.i., SO., and St. Eve  
reg. 3/15.00 to 19.50 ea., sale 3/7.50 to  
**7.80 ea. SO. so real, so right.**

Shop online for selected items P295



HARBOR

Entire Stock  
**33-50% off**

Notations, Briggs® & Hagger® sportswear for misses.  
orig. \$18-\$36,  
sale 12.06-24.12



Entire Stock  
**33-50% off**

Croft & Barrow® sportswear for misses, petites and women.  
orig. \$14-\$40,  
sale 9.38-26.80  
Misses' shown.  
Shop online P2926



croft & barrow

Entire Stock  
**40% off**

Bras from Olga®, Playtex, Lily of France®, Vanity Fair®, Warner's®, Maidenform®, Bali® & Barelythere® reg. \$15-\$32,  
sale 9.00-19.20  
Excludes specialty & Maidenform® Dream® bras. Women's Lingerie dept.  
Shop online P296



Olga

entire stock  
**33-40% off**  
Sag Harbor®, Villager®, Norton McNaughton® and Requirements® sportswear

for misses, petites and women.  
orig. \$24-\$78, sale 14.40-52.26 Misses' shown

Entire Stock  
**33-40% off**

daisy fuentes®, excess and Nine & Company® sportswear for misses, petites and women.  
orig. \$18-\$79,  
sale 12.06-52.93  
Misses' shown.  
Shop online for selected items W2900



df

Entire Stock  
**33-50% off**

apl. 9" sportswear for misses, petites & women.  
orig. \$20-\$66,  
sale 12.99-44.22  
Misses' shown.  
Shop online for selected items P2520



apt. 9

Entire Stock  
**33-50% off**

Sonoma sportswear for misses, petites & women.  
orig. \$12-\$40,  
sale 8.04-26.80  
Misses' shown.  
Shop online for selected items P297



SONOMA

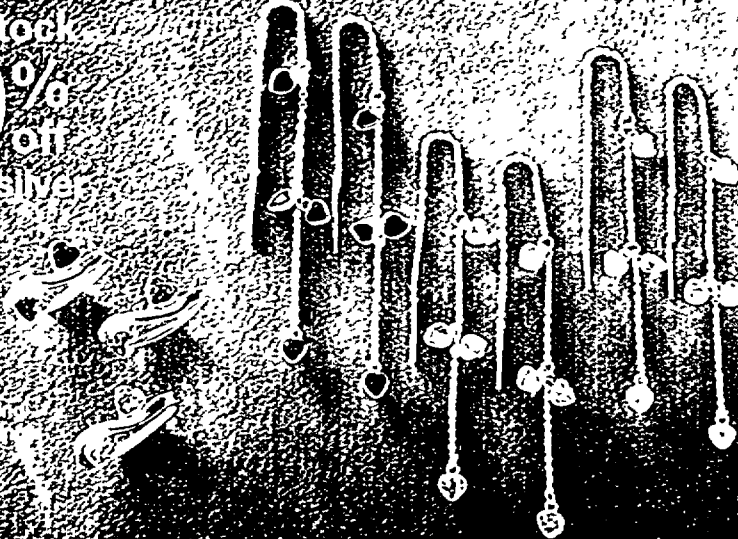
Save  
**25-50% off**

Active & fitness wear for misses from Nike®, adidas®, Russell® Athletic, Danskin®, Tek Gear®, daisy fuentes® sport, Gloria Vanderbilt® Sport, Fu Da® and N.Y.L.®  
orig. \$14-\$54,  
sale 7.00-40.50  
Shop online for selected items P2522



Entire Stock  
**60% off**  
Sterling silver jewelry

orig. \$10-\$110,  
sale \$3-\$33  
Shop online for selected items F999



Entire Stock  
**25-45% off**

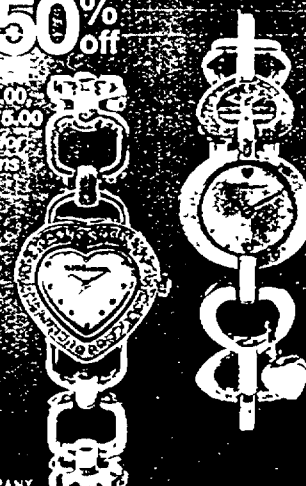
Fashion Jewelry  
orig. \$5-\$20,  
sale \$2.00-18.50  
Excludes Watches



1928

Entire Stock  
**25-50% off**

Watches  
orig. \$19.95-\$100.00,  
sale 14.99-\$75.00  
Shop online for selected items F999



NINE & COMPANY

New at Kohl's

**60% off entire stock fine jewelry** Shop online for selected items F999

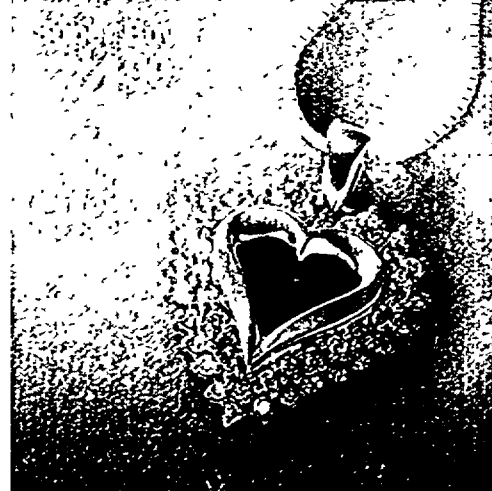
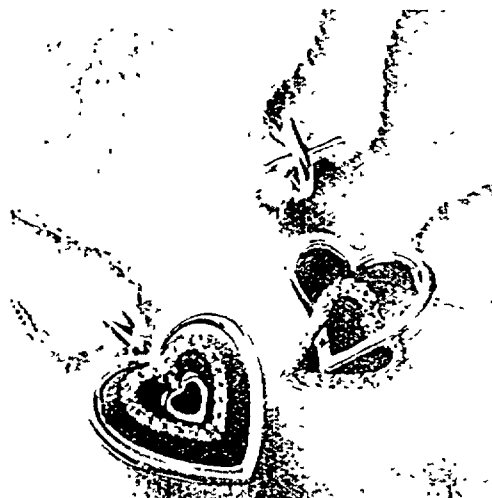
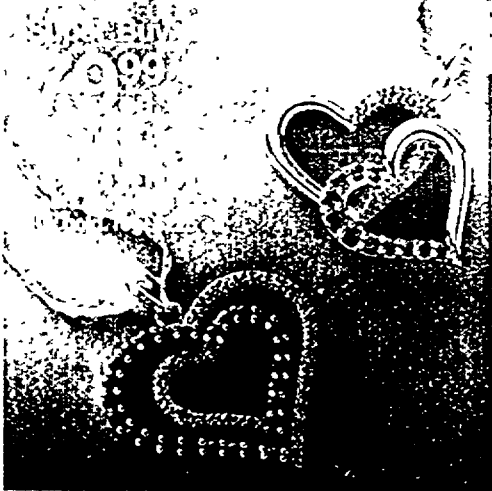
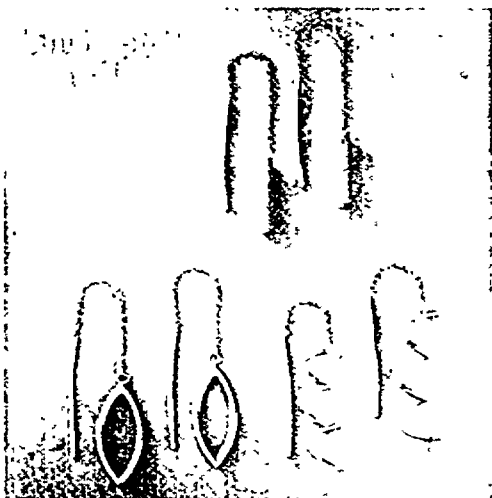
Some jewelry photos enlarged to show detail. Diamond Total Weights are approximate. T.W. may vary up to .05 ct. Actual savings may exceed the percent savings shown.



97.99

Entire stock  
T.W. diamond  
bracelets  
reg. \$350 ea.


77.99 ea. Super buy  
1/4 ct. T.W. diamond Love  
bracelet. 10k gold.  
reg. \$250 ea.



Entire Stock  
**40-50% off**

Sleepwear, loungewear and robes for her. orig. \$12-\$40, sale 7.20-24.00

shop online for selected items W2400



Entire Stock  
**199**

Valentino's Day socks orig. \$5

50% off all other novelty socks for her orig. \$5-\$8, sale 2.50-4.00



Entire Stock  
**35-40% off**

Handbags, minibags & handbag accessories orig. \$10-\$90, sale \$6-\$58

shop online for selected items W1600



Entire Stock  
**35-40% off**

Sunglasses for her or him & fashion accessories for her. orig. \$8-\$40, sale 5.20-26.00

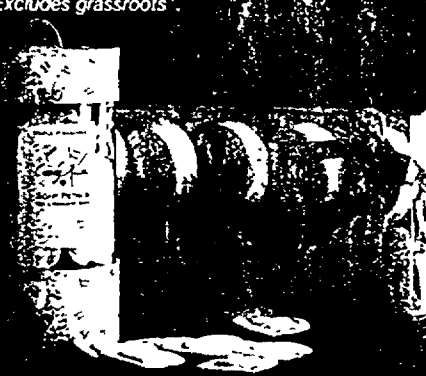
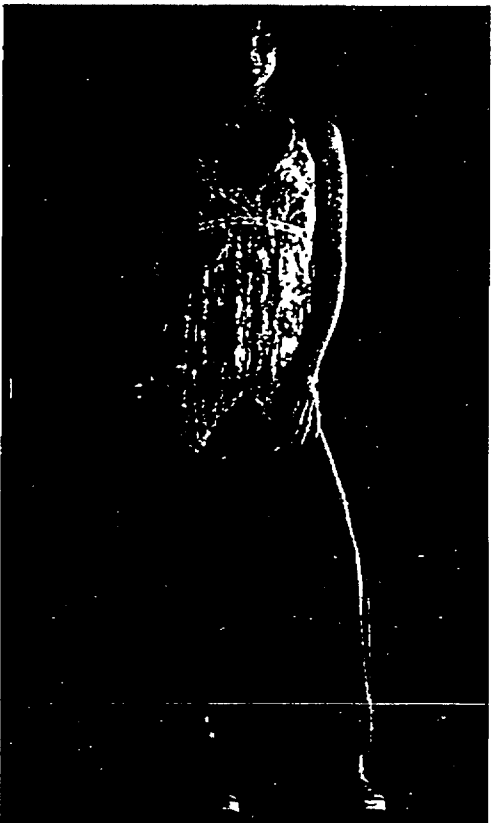


# SALE

## 2 DAYS ONLY

Entire Stock  
**30-40% off**

Bath & body reg. 1.50-30.00, sale 1.05-21.00 Excludes grassroots

entire stock  
**33-50% off**  
separate pants & skirts and collections  
for juniors. orig. \$30-\$58, sale 20.10-38.86



entire stock  
**29<sup>99</sup>**  
fashion jeans from Angels, Bongo®, l.e.i.® and more  
for juniors. orig. \$40  
shop online for selected items P2927

Entire Stock  
**25-40% off**

Fashion cropped and gaucho pants for juniors from SO, Paris Blues®, Unionbay® and more orig. \$28-\$34, sale 16.80-24.99


shop online for selected items P2910



Entire Stock  
**40-50% off**

Knit tops for juniors. orig. \$10-\$24, sale 5.99-14.40

shop online P298




Entire Stock  
**40% off**

Active pants for juniors. orig. \$26, sale 15.60


Excludes Candie's® & MJ Solfe®

shop online P299



Entire Stock  
**40-50% off**

Women tops & sweaters for juniors. orig. \$24-\$40, sale 14.40-20.00



## save on our entire stock of shoes

shop online for selected items: SHOES


Entire Stock  
**30-40% off**

Shoes for juniors from Dockers® and more orig. \$10-\$24, sale 6.99-16.00




Entire Stock  
**30-40% off**

Shoes for juniors from Unionbay® and more orig. \$10-\$24, sale 6.99-16.00



Save  
**40% off**


Shoes for juniors from Mudd® and more orig. \$10-\$24, sale 6.99-16.00



**40-50% off**

Shoes for kids orig. \$10-\$24, sale 6.99-16.00


Selected styles



29.99 Reebok® Galvant Trail running shoes for men. orig. \$49.99

23.99 Vans® leather skate shoes for boys. reg. \$34.99

44.99 Reebok® Classic Caspian shoes for women. orig. \$64.99



entire stock  
**30-50% off**  
Reebok® & Vans® shoes for the family  
reg. 34.99-69.99, sale 23.99-48.99 shop online for selected items P2911





Entire Stock  
**40-50% off**

Dress shirts and neckwear for men from access, Arrow, Axist and apt. 9  
orig. \$25-\$40, sale \$15-\$24  
shop online for selected items P2917

access

Entire Stock  
**50% off**

Casual & dress pants for men from Croft & Barrow, Sonoma, Braggi, Natural Issue and Axist Essentials  
orig. \$40-\$45, sale 20.00-22.50  
shop online P2918

croft & barrow

Entire Stock  
**40% off**

Shorts for men from Croft & Barrow and Sonoma  
orig. \$26-\$34, sale 14.99-19.99

croft & barrow

entire stock  
**40-50% off**

Arrow, Sonoma, Croft & Barrow, Wedge™ & Dockers® Knit & Golf Tops

for Men. orig. \$18-\$46, sale 10.80-27.60

i  to everything you love for less  
**save**

Entire Stock  
**40-50% off**

Woven tops for men from Arrow, Axist and Natural Issue  
orig. \$30-\$42, sale 18.00-25.20

ARROW

Entire Stock  
**40-50% off**

Tops for young men from U.S. Polo Assn., Dickies®, Avirex® & Urban Pipeline®  
orig. \$12-\$38, sale 7.20-22.80

urban pipeline

Entire Stock  
**40% off**

Urban Pipeline® tops for boys 8-20, orig. \$12-\$28, sale 7.20-16.80  
shop online for selected items P2915

urban pipeline

Entire Stock  
**50% off**

Loungepants for men from Sonoma and Croft & Barrow  
orig. \$20-\$24, sale \$10-\$12

SONOMA

Entire Stock  
**25% off**

Jockey® underwear for men. reg. \$13-\$22, sale 9.75-16.50  
shop online for selected items P2913

JOCKEY

shop online P2914

Levi's

entire stock

**27<sup>99</sup>**

Levi's® jeans

for men. Choose from 505® Regular Fit, 517® Boot Cut, 550™ Relaxed Fit, 559™ Relaxed Straight Fit & 560™ Loose Fit jeans.

Entire Stock  
**50% off**

Fashion Jeans and pants for boys 8-20, orig. \$30-\$42, sale \$15-\$21

urban pipeline



entire stock  
**40% off**  
activewear

for girls 7-16.

Excludes Nike®, Candie's® & MJ Sol's®.



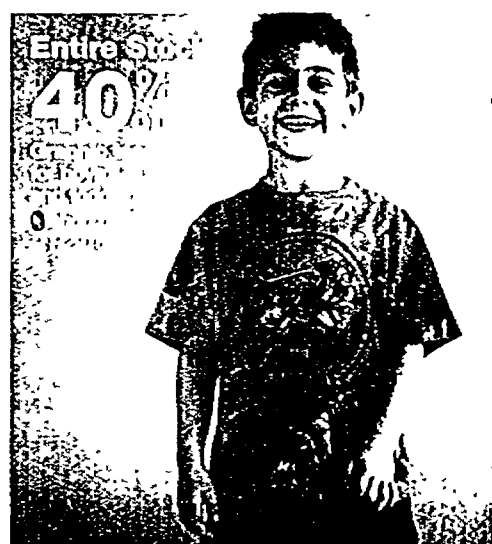
entire stock  
**40% off**  
sleepwear

for girls 4-16, boys 8-20, infants & toddlers.

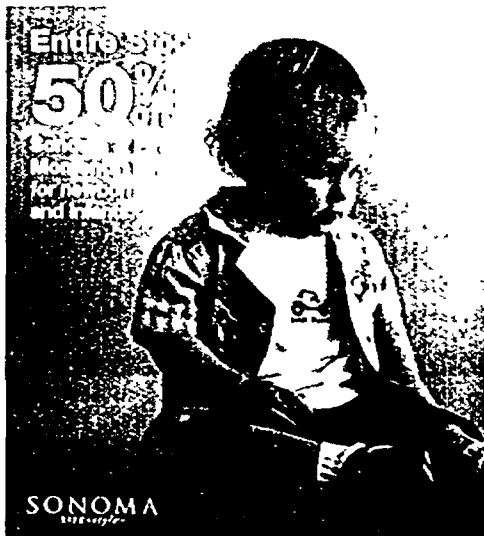
shop online for selected items K4100



Entire Stock  
**40% off**



Entire Stock  
**40% off**



Entire Stock  
**50% off**

Croft & Barrow, Sonoma, Braggi, Natural Issue and Axist Essentials




Entire Stock  
**40% off**

Croft & Barrow, Sonoma, Braggi, Natural Issue and Axist Essentials

gold star  
**clearance**

save **60%**

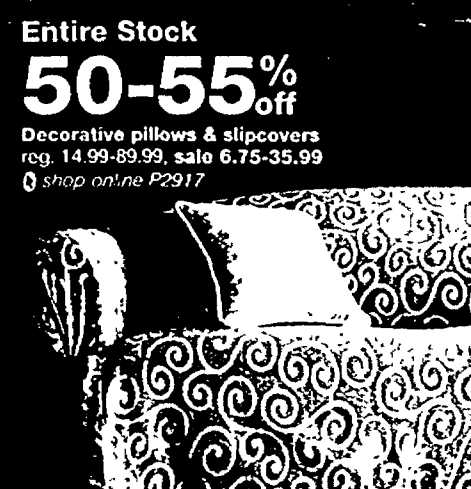
**Entire Stock**  
**50% off**  
Luggage  
reg. 49.99-379.99,  
sale 24.99-189.99  
shop online H1740



**Entire Stock**  
**50% off**  
Table linens and  
kitchen textiles  
orig. 1.99-49.99,  
sale .99-24.99



**Entire Stock**  
**50-55% off**  
Decorative pillows & slipcovers  
reg. 14.99-89.99, sale 6.75-35.99  
shop online P2917



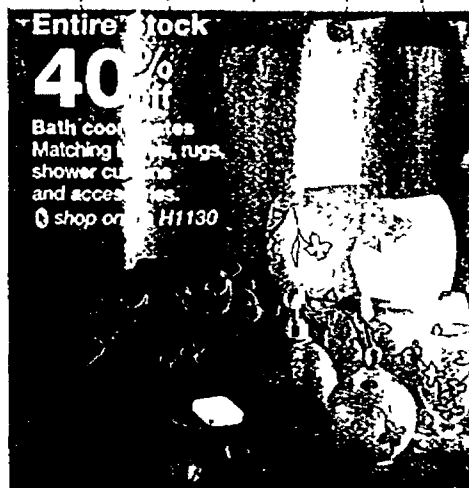
**Entire Stock**  
**50% off**  
Bed pillows,  
mattress pads  
and blankets  
shop online P2929



# SALE

## 2 DAYS ONLY

**Entire Stock**  
**40% off**  
Bath coolers  
Matching bath rugs,  
shower curtains  
and accessories  
shop online H1130



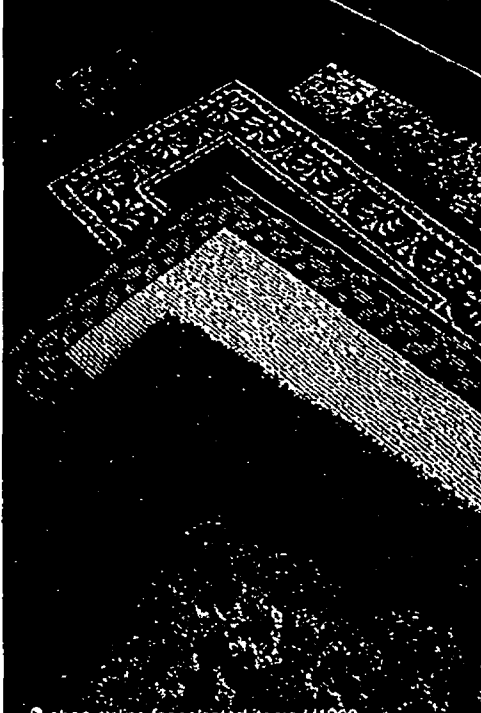
**Entire Stock**  
**15-50% off**  
Personal care  
shop online for selected items H2400

**14.99**  
Sunbeam®  
Toe Touch  
foot spa,  
reg. 39.99

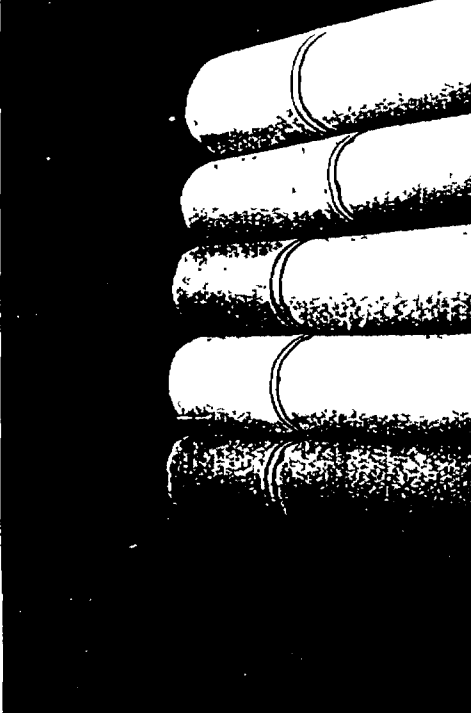
**59.99**  
HoMedics portable  
3-program Shiatsu back  
massager, orig. 119.99




shop online for selected items H1900



shop online for selected items H1900




shop online for selected items H1900



**10-55% off**  
Cookware  
shop online for selected items P2920

**9.99**  
Farberware® open  
stock cookware,  
reg. 19.99-29.99  
Selected styles.

FARBERWARE



**entire stock**  
**50% off**  
accent, area  
& kitchen rugs  
and doormats  
reg. 9.99-299.99, sale 4.99-149.99



**entire stock**  
**40-50% off**  
solid sheet sets  
orig. 26.99-179.99, sale 13.49-89.99  
shop online P2918



**entire stock**  
**50% off**  
solid bath towels  
and bath rugs  
shop online P2919



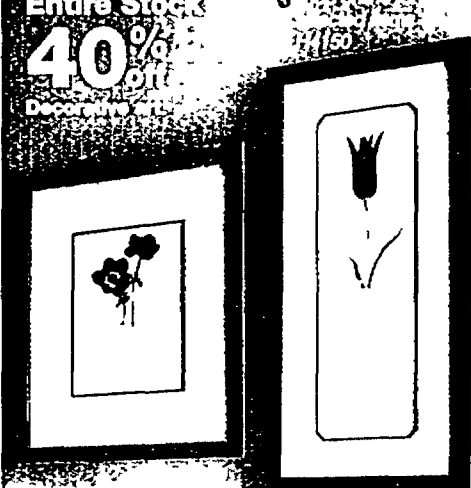
**entire stock**  
**40-50% off**  
dinnerware,  
flatware, glassware  
and pantryware



**entire stock**  
**40-50% off**  
frames, albums  
and scrapbooks



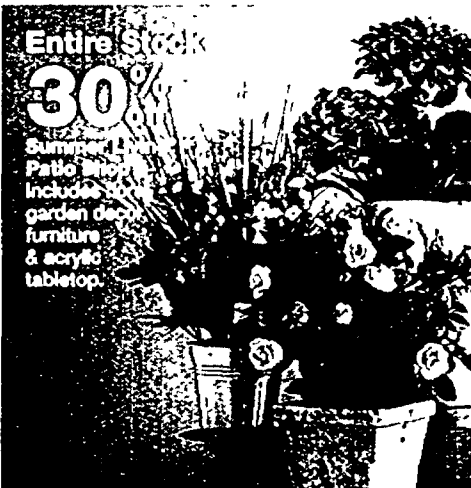
**Entire Stock**  
**40% off**  
Decorative art  
shop online H1150



**Entire Stock**  
**40% off**  
Ceramic figurines  
shop online H1150



**Entire Stock**  
**30% off**  
Summer Patio Set  
Includes  
garden decor  
furniture  
& acrylic  
tabletop



**Entire Stock**  
**50% off**  
Vintage &  
Modern  
Exotic  
shop online P2919



**and more on original prices**  
**when you take an additional 33% off our already-reduced yellow ticket clearance prices**  
Final prices given at register. Clearance prices represent savings off original prices. Selection varies by store. Interim markdowns may have been taken. Sorry, no price adjustments given on prior purchases.

# POWER HOURS

DURING THESE SPECIAL HOURS, GET OUR BEST PRICES ON ITEMS THROUGHOUT THE STORE  
Selected Early Birds and Night Owls also available online.

☾ **SHOP NIGHT OWLS**  
**FRI., 3PM-11PM**

Oxford Valley, PA store open until 10pm.


☀ **SHOP EARLY BIRDS**  
**SAT., 7AM-1PM**

**NIGHTOWL SPECIAL** **EARLYBIRD SPECIAL**

**50-60% off**

Women's sportswear from Sonoma, daisy Fuentes, Croft & Barrow & more. Sizes 8-16W, 18W. orig. \$14-\$77. sale \$5.60-\$30.00. Selected styles.

**SONOMA**




**NIGHTOWL SPECIAL** **EARLYBIRD SPECIAL**

**Entire Stock 50-60% off**

Handbags, shoes, jewelry & fashion accessories. orig. \$10-\$90. sale \$4-\$45. 0 shop online H1600.

**27.99**

Entire stock. Handbags, shoes, jewelry & fashion accessories.



**NIGHTOWL SPECIAL** **EARLYBIRD SPECIAL**

**Entire Stock 7.99**

Original price for men's, women's and kids. 0 shop online H1600.



**NIGHTOWL SPECIAL** **EARLYBIRD SPECIAL**

**25-50% off plus save an extra 10%**

Watches. orig. \$10-\$20. sale \$7.50-\$14. 0 shop online H1600.

**TIME**



**NIGHTOWL SPECIAL** **EARLYBIRD SPECIAL**

0 shop online for selected items H2924

**apt. 9**



**NIGHTOWL SPECIAL** **EARLYBIRD SPECIAL**

**16.99**

Entire stock. Sonoma for men.

**SONOMA**



**NIGHTOWL SPECIAL** **EARLYBIRD SPECIAL**

**entire stock 33-50% off**

fashion jewelry. orig. \$6-\$26. sale 4.02-17.42. Excludes Napa and 1926.




**NIGHTOWL SPECIAL** **EARLYBIRD SPECIAL**

**entire stock 50-60% off**

casual & dress pants for men from Braggi, Axiat Essentials, Sonoma and Croft & Barrow. orig. \$40-\$45. sale 16.00-21.99.

**BRAGGI**



**50-60% off**

**apt. 9™ sportswear**

for misses, petites and women. orig. \$20-\$44. sale 7.99-22.00. Selected styles. Misses' shown.

**entire stock 50-60% off**

**sleepwear, loungewear & robes**

for her. orig. \$12-\$40. sale \$6-\$20. Excludes Candie's.

**entire stock 33-50% off**

**fashion jewelry**

orig. \$6-\$26. sale 4.02-17.42. Excludes Napa and 1926.

**entire stock 50-60% off**

**casual & dress pants**


for men from Braggi, Axiat Essentials, Sonoma and Croft & Barrow. orig. \$40-\$45. sale 16.00-21.99.

**NIGHTOWL SPECIAL** **EARLYBIRD SPECIAL**

**Entire Stock 11.99**

Sonoma Regular and Relaxed Fit jeans for men. reg. 24.99. 0 shop online H2924.

**SONOMA**



**NIGHTOWL SPECIAL** **EARLYBIRD SPECIAL**

**Entire Stock 50% off**

Fashion tops and bottoms for girls 4-14. orig. \$12-\$14. sale 6.00-7.00. Excludes Croft & Barrow.



**NIGHTOWL SPECIAL** **EARLYBIRD SPECIAL**

**Entire Stock 50% off**

Sonoma separates for boys 4-14. orig. \$12-\$14. sale 6.00-7.00. Excludes Croft & Barrow.

**SONOMA**



**NIGHTOWL SPECIAL** **EARLYBIRD SPECIAL**

**3.99**

PowerLite 3.99. orig. \$12.99. sale 3.99. 0 shop online H1600.



**NIGHTOWL SPECIAL** **EARLYBIRD SPECIAL**

**entire stock 50% off**

**SO..., Sonoma and Croft & Barrow® shoes**

for men, women, juniors and kids. orig. 29.99-65.00. sale 14.99-32.50.

**SONOMA**



**NIGHTOWL SPECIAL** **EARLYBIRD SPECIAL**

**40-50% off**

**all Avia®, adidas® and Converse® athletic shoes**

for the family. reg. 34.99-69.99. sale 20.99-41.99. Excludes adidas® A1.

**adidas** **CONVERSE**



**NIGHTOWL SPECIAL** **EARLYBIRD SPECIAL**

**59.99 Final price**

Rowenta Professional Steam Press. orig. 119.99. sale 59.99.

**189.99 Final price**

KitchenAid Hand Mixer. orig. 249.99. sale 189.99.

**59.99 Final price**

FoodSaver® Vac 500 food sealer. reg. 159.99. sale 59.99.



**NIGHTOWL SPECIAL** **EARLYBIRD SPECIAL**

**129.99 Final price**

Velux® 129.99. orig. 199.99. sale 129.99.

**129.99 Final price**

Whirlpool® 129.99. orig. 199.99. sale 129.99.

**129.99 Final price**

PowerLite® 129.99. orig. 199.99. sale 129.99.



**entire stock 50% off**

**SO..., Sonoma and Croft & Barrow® shoes**

for men, women, juniors and kids. orig. 29.99-65.00. sale 14.99-32.50.

**40-50% off**

**all Avia®, adidas® and Converse® athletic shoes**

for the family. reg. 34.99-69.99. sale 20.99-41.99. Excludes adidas® A1.

**10-40% off plus save an extra 10%**

**on entire stock of small electrics**

0 shop online for selected items H1600

**10-40% off plus save an extra 10%**

**on entire stock of floor care**

0 shop online for selected items H1400

**KOHL'S**  
expect great things

Prices good Friday, February 10 & Saturday, February 11, 2006.

Store Hours: Friday, February 10 8am-11pm  
and Saturday, February 11 7am-10pm  
Oxford Valley, PA store open Friday 8am-10pm.

"Sale" prices and percentage savings offered in this advertisement are discounts from Kohl's "Regular" or "Original" prices. The "Regular" or "Original" price of an item is the former or future offered price for the item or a comparable item by Kohl's or another retailer. Actual sales may not have been made at the "Regular" or "Original" prices, and intermediate markdowns may have been taken. Clearance merchandise is excluded from "Entire Stock" promotions in this advertisement. In some events, actual savings may exceed the percent savings shown. KOHL'S® and KOHL'S brand names are trademarks of Kohl's Department Stores, Inc. ©2006 Kohl's Department Stores, Inc.

**Kohl's Gift Cards**

It's the gift that's everything to everyone. Kohl's Gift Cards can be purchased and used in store and online.

Terms and conditions apply. Call 1-800-655-0554.

For the Kohl's Store nearest you call 1-800-837-1500 or visit us on the Web at Kohl's.com



Athenian Koney Island	Baja Fresh Mexican Grill	Bally's Total Fitness	Bath & Body Works
Bodies in Motion	Bonefish Grill	Borders Books & Music	Boyer Country Sports
Casual Male	Charisma Salon	Christopher & Banks	Comp U.S.A.
Diamond Jim Brady's	Fitness Experts	Flowers & More	Foot Focus
Healthy Jones	Heslop's	L A Weight Loss	Lane Bryant
Linens & Things	Mattress & Futon Shoppe	Men's Wearhouse	Music Go Round
Novi Town Center 8	Old Navy	Pier 1 Imports	Pita Café
Running Fit	Salon Nadwa	TJ Maxx	

# 31 Different Ways to show "How do I Love Thee!"

Your Valentine's Day Gift Solution





NOVI



WALTONWOOD

AT TWELVE OAKS  
*Redefining Retirement Living*

# LEARN HOW TO ACCESS VETERAN'S BENEFITS AND ENJOY LUXURY SENIOR LIVING



**Join us to learn how the  
Veteran's program can  
work for you!**

**Thursday, February 16th  
from 7 - 9 pm**

**RSVP TODAY !  
(248) 735-1500**



# Novi's Premier Senior Living Community

## Independent Living:

Luxury 1 and 2 bedroom spacious apartment homes with full kitchens • Weekly flat linen service  
Continental breakfast and three course dinner • Tea time, sandwiches and sweets: 2pm every day • Courtesy transportation  
Emergency call system • Complimentary valet service and weekly trash removal • Excellent social activities  
Bi-monthly housekeeping • Medical doctor, podiatrist and physical therapy available on site  
Daily exercise program • Fitness center, movie theatre, beauty salon, gift shop and more! • Central location

## Licensed Assisted and Memory Care Living:

Luxurious studio, 1 and 2 bedroom apartment homes • Provides a warm, comfortable homelike environment  
Licensed Assisted and Memory Care Living • Three healthy meals served daily • 24-hour on-site care giving staff  
Emergency call system • Medical doctor, podiatrist and physical therapy available on-site

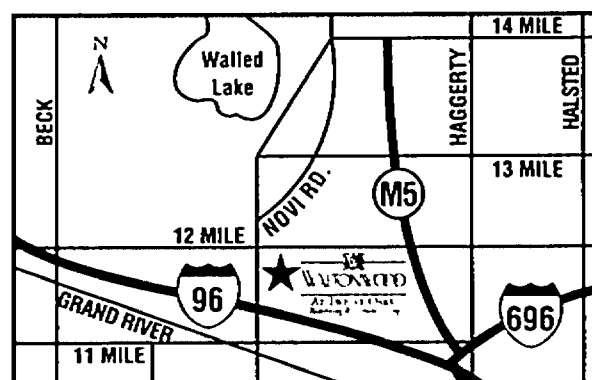


AT TWELVE OAKS  
*Redefining Retirement Living*  
**(248) 735-1500**

Fax: (248) 735-1501

[www.waltonwood.com](http://www.waltonwood.com)

email: [waltonwoodtwelveoaks@singhmail.com](mailto:waltonwoodtwelveoaks@singhmail.com)



**Novi**

**Waltonwood at  
Twelve Oaks**

27475 Huron Circle  
Novi, MI 48377

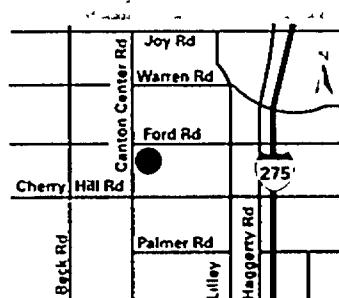
Adjacent to Twelve Oaks Mall.

**NO ENTRANCE FEES!**

## Other Luxury Waltonwood Senior Communities Located In:

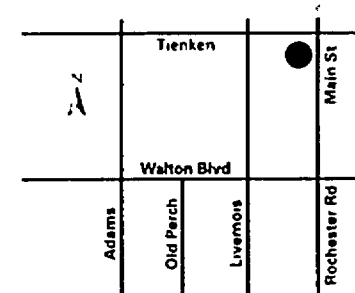
### CANTON

Waltonwood at Carriage Park  
2000 N. Canton Center Road  
Independent  
Licensed Assisted Living  
734-844-3060  
[waltonwoodcanton@singhmail.com](mailto:waltonwoodcanton@singhmail.com)



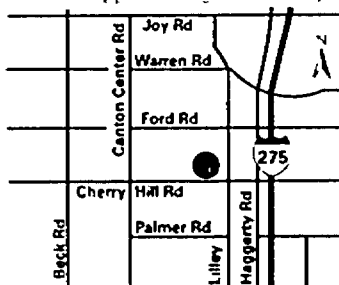
### Now Leasing - ROCHESTER HILLS

Waltonwood at Main  
1401 Rochester Road  
Congregate Care • Licensed Assisted Living  
Licensed Memory Care  
248-601-7600  
[waltonwoodmain@singhmail.com](mailto:waltonwoodmain@singhmail.com)



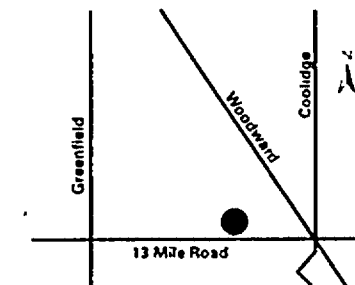
### CANTON

Waltonwood at Cherry Hill  
42600 Cherry Hill Road  
Independent • Licensed Assisted Living  
Licensed Memory Care  
734-981-7100  
[waltonwoodcherryhill@singhmail.com](mailto:waltonwoodcherryhill@singhmail.com)



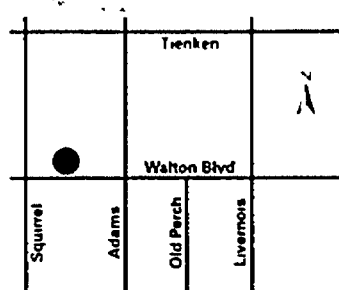
### ROYAL OAK

Waltonwood of Royal Oak  
3450 West 13 Mile Road  
Licensed Assisted Living  
248-549-6400  
[waltonwoodroyaloak@singhmail.com](mailto:waltonwoodroyaloak@singhmail.com)



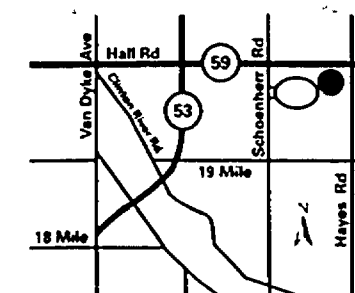
### ROCHESTER HILLS

Waltonwood at University  
3250 Walton Boulevard  
Independent • Licensed Assisted Living  
Licensed Memory Care  
248-375-2500  
[waltonwoodrochester@singhmail.com](mailto:waltonwoodrochester@singhmail.com)



### Now Leasing - STERLING HEIGHTS

Waltonwood at Lakeside  
14750 Lakeside Circle  
Independent • Licensed Assisted Living  
Licensed Memory Care  
586-532-6200  
[waltonwoodlakeside@singhmail.com](mailto:waltonwoodlakeside@singhmail.com)



**Coming Soon - MILFORD Location!**

**SINGH**  
Waltonwood Services LLC



new **spicy**  
premium chicken



**new** **spicy**  
**premium chicken**



**my flavor is big. my spice is bold.**

i'm a juicy breast of chicken, seasoned with chipotle, topped  
with lettuce & tomato on a honey wheat roll.

i'm McDonald's® newest premium chicken sandwich.

think you can handle me? then come and get me.



**i'm lovin' it®**



get a **free medium drink**  
and **medium fries**  
with the purchase of a  
**Spicy Premium  
Chicken Sandwich**

Expires 2/26/06. Valid only at participating U.S. McDonald's® restaurants. Current prices and participation based on independent operator decision. Valid when product served. Prices may vary. Not valid in conjunction with any other offer, discount, coupon or combo meal. Cash value 1/20 of 1¢. Limit one coupon per person per visit. Plus tax if applicable. Price of required purchase posted on menu board. Coupon may not be transferred, copied or duplicated in any way or transmitted via electronic media. ©2006 McDonald's



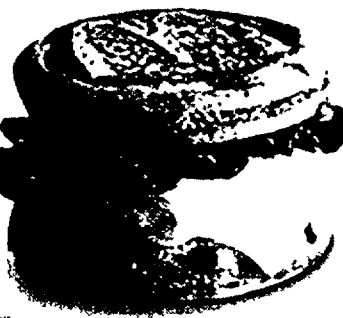
get a **free medium drink**  
and **medium fries**  
with the purchase of any  
**Premium Chicken  
Sandwich**

Expires 2/26/06. Valid only at participating U.S. McDonald's® restaurants. Current prices and participation based on independent operator decision. Valid when product served. Prices may vary. Not valid in conjunction with any other offer, discount, coupon or combo meal. Cash value 1/20 of 1¢. Limit one coupon per person per visit. Plus tax if applicable. Price of required purchase posted on menu board. Coupon may not be transferred, copied or duplicated in any way or transmitted via electronic media. ©2006 McDonald's



get a **free medium drink**  
and **medium fries**  
with the purchase of a  
**3 piece  
Chicken Selects®**

Expires 2/26/06. Valid only at participating U.S. McDonald's® restaurants. Current prices and participation based on independent operator decision. Valid when product served. Prices may vary. Not valid in conjunction with any other offer, discount, coupon or combo meal. Cash value 1/20 of 1¢. Limit one coupon per person per visit. Plus tax if applicable. Price of required purchase posted on menu board. Coupon may not be transferred, copied or duplicated in any way or transmitted via electronic media. ©2006 McDonald's



get a **free**  
**Breakfast Sandwich**  
of equal or lesser value with  
the purchase of any  
**Breakfast Sandwich**

Expires 2/26/06. Valid only at participating U.S. McDonald's® restaurants. Current prices and participation based on independent operator decision. Valid when product served. Prices may vary. Not valid in conjunction with any other offer, discount, coupon or combo meal. Excludes Dollar Menu Items. Cash value 1/20 of 1¢. Limit one coupon per person per visit. Plus tax if applicable. Price of required purchase posted on menu board. Coupon may not be transferred, copied or duplicated in any way or transmitted via electronic media. ©2006 McDonald's



get a **free Spicy Premium  
Chicken Sandwich**  
with the purchase of a  
**Spicy Premium  
Chicken Sandwich**

Expires 2/26/06. Valid only at participating U.S. McDonald's® restaurants. Current prices and participation based on independent operator decision. Valid when product served. Prices may vary. Not valid in conjunction with any other offer, discount, coupon or combo meal. Cash value 1/20 of 1¢. Limit one coupon per person per visit. Plus tax if applicable. Price of required purchase posted on menu board. Coupon may not be transferred, copied or duplicated in any way or transmitted via electronic media. ©2006 McDonald's



get a **free regular Menu  
Sandwich**  
of equal or lesser value  
(excludes Double Cheeseburger and McChicken®)  
when you purchase any  
**regular Menu Sandwich**

Expires 2/26/06. Valid only at participating U.S. McDonald's® restaurants. Current prices and participation based on independent operator decision. Valid when product served. Prices may vary. Not valid in conjunction with any other offer, discount, coupon or combo meal. Excludes Dollar Menu Items. Cash value 1/20 of 1¢. Limit one coupon per person per visit. Plus tax if applicable. Price of required purchase posted on menu board. Coupon may not be transferred, copied or duplicated in any way or transmitted via electronic media. ©2006 McDonald's





FEBRUARY 5 - 11, 2006

# American *Profile*

MIDWEST EDITION

Three  
endearing  
stories  
of longtime  
married  
couples

## Lasting Love

### INSIDE:

- NECCO's sweet messages of love
- The lowdown on high blood pressure
- Our picks
- Black bean salad

### 17 NEW CHART-TOPPING COUNTRY HITS!

MIRANDA LAMBERT • BIG & RICH • DIERKS BENTLEY  
GRETCHEN WILSON • SARA EVANS • BROOKS & DUNN  
VAN ZANT • MONTGOMERY GENTRY AND MANY MORE

IN  
STORES  
FEB 7

TOTAL  
COUNTRY  
MIX 5

## Ask American Profile

**Q** There's a raging debate in our household. I insist Harry Smith on CBS's *Early Show* is married to sportscaster Andrea Kremer on ESPN. My mom insists otherwise. Who's right?

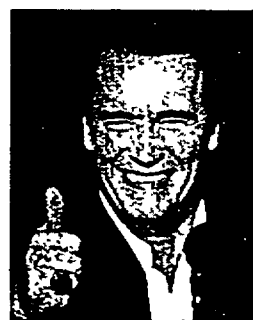
—K. Otterson, LaGrange, Ind.

Harry Smith's wife is named Andrea, but not Andrea Kremer. Mrs. Smith is Andrea Joyce, a reporter with NBC Sports.

**Q** What is the significance of Arnold Schwarzenegger's blue rings? He wears them all the time.

—Dorothy Cuzic, Fairfield, Calif.

One of Arnold Schwarzenegger's blue rings actually is his wedding ring. He does not wear a traditional wedding band, but rather a large sapphire given to him by his wife, Maria Shriver, on their wedding day. A Navajo tribal member gave him the other blue ring, a lapis lazuli, many years ago when he was traveling on behalf of the President's Council on Physical Fitness and Sports.



Arnold Schwarzenegger

### JUST RELEASED...

#### Up Close and Personal with Gretchen Wilson

**G**retchen Wilson may have burst onto the scene with the hit song "Redneck Woman," but her latest foray into the entertainment world is more high-tech than redneck. Her new DVD, *Undressed*, takes viewers along for the ultimate backstage visit with the country superstar, providing intimate access to the camaraderie, jam sessions and other shenanigans that accompany her on tour. "It's not always pretty," admits Wilson, "but it's always fun." And if that's not enough, a new contest (enter online at [www.gretchenwilson.com/gigtours](http://www.gretchenwilson.com/gigtours)) will send a lucky winner and guest on the road with Wilson for three dates of her Redneck Revolution Tour (with special musical guests Van Zant) in Ohio, Illinois and Mississippi.

The Redneck Woman reveals herself on DVD.



With a new CD and in-concert DVD, Toronto-born Neil Young is still rockin' down the road.

**Q** I really enjoyed *Shelter From the Storm*, the Hurricane Katrina benefit concert on TV. Who sang the song "When God Made Me"?

—June D., Nebraska

Neil Young sang "When God Made Me," which is included on his current CD, *Prairie Wind*. In August, he performed songs from the album at the historic Ryman Auditorium in Nashville, Tenn., and filmed the live event for a new documentary DVD, *Heart of Gold*. The Toronto-born singer-songwriter is best known for hits such as "Only Love Can Break Your Heart," "Old Man" and "Cinnamon Girl," as well as for his role in the groundbreaking 1970s country-rock group Crosby, Stills, Nash & Young.

**Q** I just love the TV show *Medium*. Please tell me more about the real-life medium, Allison DuBois, on which the show is based.

—Barbie Bohler, Raymond, Ill.

Arizona native DuBois, 33, the "research medium" on which the hit NBC-TV show is based, says she had her first paranormal experience at age 6. She adds that her grandmother and, now, her own three young daughters also share her gift. As an adult, DuBois spent four years being studied by scientists. But "they couldn't tell me anything more than I knew," she says. DuBois' work on missing-person cases and other crimes is detailed in her book *Don't Kiss Them Goodbye*. ☆

\* Cover photo by Carlos Miranda



Real-life *Medium* Allison DuBois also is an author.

■ Would you like to know more about your favorite celebrity or public figure?

Send your questions to:

Ask American Profile, 341 Cool Springs Blvd., Suite 400, Franklin, TN 37067 or e-mail us at [askus@americanprofile.com](mailto:askus@americanprofile.com). The volume of mail received prohibits us from giving personal replies—through e-mail or other means.

## American Profile

Celebrating Hometown Life

PRESIDENT & CEO

Richard G. Porter

VICE PRESIDENT/PUBLISHER

Tracey Altman

EXECUTIVE EDITOR

Charlie Cox

Senior Editor: Stuart Englert

Editor: Richard McVey

Entertainment Editor: Neil Pond

Assistant Editor: Jane Srygley

Contributing Editors:

Marti Attoun, Beverly Keel

Art Director: Brenan Sharp

Publication Designer: E.R. Elliott

Photo Editor: David Mudd

Production Manager: Sam Payne

Traffic Coordinator: Susan Fisher

Manager of Internet Content: Matt Johnston

### ADVERTISING SALES

National Ad Sales Director: Amy Chernoff

New York 1-800-716-6271

Los Angeles 1-800-716-6271

Chicago 1-800-708-5669

Detroit 1-866-773-0388

Nashville 1-800-720-6323

Director of Marketing: Jeff Dunetz

Direct Response Advertising

Katherine Zito,

David Geller Associates, Inc.

1-877-543-5537

### CIRCULATION SALES

Vice President/Publisher Relations:

Jerry Lyles

Regional Circulation Directors:

Sandi Baylis, Stephen Dorris, Mike Gardner,

Chris Kreidel

Nashville 1-800-720-6323

Director of Business Development:

Steve Minucci

CORPORATE AND EDITORIAL OFFICES

Nashville 615-468-6000

### PUBLISHING GROUP OF AMERICA

President & CEO

Richard G. Porter

Chief Financial Officer & COO

Stephen C. Duggan

Vice President/Controller

Greg Coble

Network Administrator: Mike Olin

[www.americanprofile.com](http://www.americanprofile.com)

PUBLISHING GROUP OF AMERICA

American Profile is published by: Publishing Group of America, 341 Cool Springs Boulevard, Suite 400, Franklin, Tennessee 37067. Phone: 1-800-720-6323. Mail editorial queries and contributions to Editor, American Profile, 341 Cool Springs Blvd., Suite 400, Franklin, TN 37067. Publishing Group of America, Inc. will not be responsible for uncollected materials and cannot guarantee the return of any materials submitted to it. ©2006 Publishing Group of America, Inc. American Profile™ is a trademark of Publishing Group of America, Inc. All rights reserved. Reproduction in whole or part of any article, photograph, or other portion of this magazine without the express written permission of Publishing Group of America, Inc. is prohibited.

## Our Picks

### **Livin', Lovin', Rockin', Rollin': The 25th Anniversary Collection** Alabama RCA/Legacy

Fans of country music's first "supergroup" will appreciate this comprehensive three-CD set, which corrals the best music ever recorded by these three cousins from the band's namesake state (Randy Owen, Teddy Gentry and Jeff Cook) and one drummer transplanted from Massachusetts (Mark Herndon). The extensive collection features heartfelt love songs ("Feels So Right," "Lady Down On Love"), rollicking blue-collar anthems ("40 Hour Week," "I'm in a Hurry") and picturesque salutes to Southern heritage ("My Home's in Alabama," "Tennessee River," "Mountain Music") as well as an assortment of previously unreleased tracks, live-in-concert cuts and alternate takes from a group that logged countless road miles, played to millions of fans and ruled the roost at radio for nearly two decades with an impressive string of 42 No. 1 singles, a feat unmatched by any other country group.



### **CHEERS** Paramount

This DVD chronicles the 1988-89 season of the TV series set in the famous fictitious watering hole "where everybody knows your name." The season brought some major changes to the cast and storylines. A new leading lady entered the scene: business-minded bar owner Rebecca Howe (Kirstie Alley), who initially clashed with the former owner, now-bartender Sam Malone (Ted Danson). Over the course of these 25 hilarious episodes from the show's sixth season, Malone uses his charm to thaw the initially icy Howe, who replaced his former love-interest character, Diane Chambers (Shelley Long). Psychiatrist/patron Frasier Crane (Kelsey Grammer) weds the stuffy Lilith Sternin (Bebe Neuwirth); cart-tongued waitress Carla (Rhea Perlman) gives birth to twins; Norm Peterson (George Wendt) and Cliff Clavin (John Ratzenberger) perch on their familiar barstools; and scatterbrained Woody (Woody Harrelson) serves up chuckleheaded humor with the beer nuts. Drink up!

(Continued on page 4)

## When it comes to bad cholesterol— Ask your doctor if lower is better.

Getting high cholesterol down is important.

Doctors know lowering high cholesterol is important for everyone. But for some people, it's even more important. In fact, a panel of medical experts recently proposed updated guidelines suggesting many patients aim for an even lower cholesterol goal than before.\*

Working with your doctor is key to helping you reach your cholesterol goal.

If, after all you've tried—including diet and exercise—your doctor believes you need to get your bad cholesterol even lower, ask whether CRESTOR might help.

**Aim lower.**

CRESTOR may make the difference you need. In fact, the 10-mg dose of CRESTOR, along with diet, can lower bad cholesterol by as much as 52% (vs 7% with placebo). That means your LDL-C—the bad cholesterol—could go down about

Get more information about CRESTOR.

To learn more about CRESTOR, or if you are without prescription coverage and can't afford your medication, AstraZeneca may be able to help. Call 800-CRESTOR or visit CRESTOR.com.

Here is important safety information about CRESTOR you need to know.

CRESTOR is prescribed along with diet for lowering high cholesterol and has not been determined to prevent heart disease, heart attacks, or strokes. CRESTOR is not right for everyone, including women who are nursing, pregnant, or who may become pregnant, or anyone with liver problems. Your doctor will do blood tests before and during treatment with CRESTOR to monitor your liver function. Unexplained muscle pain and weakness could be a sign of a rare but serious side effect and should be reported to your doctor right away. The 40-mg dose of CRESTOR is only for patients



### **TRY CRESTOR FREE FOR YOUR FIRST 15 DAYS**

Redeem this offer right now:

- 1 Take this voucher to your doctor and ask whether CRESTOR is right for you.
- 2 If your doctor prescribes CRESTOR 5 mg or 10 mg, present both this voucher and your prescription to your pharmacist.

Call 877-548-8599 or visit CRESTOR.com for answers to commonly asked questions about CRESTOR.

Terms and Conditions: Limit one 15-day free trial certificate per person for the duration of the offer. Valid ONLY at retail pharmacies; no mail order. Please see patient eligibility restrictions and other terms and conditions on the back of this certificate.

RxBIN # 003858 RxPCN # A4 RxGRP # DSV4 Identification # 1296269952

This offer is good through 5/5/06

**CRESTOR®**  
rosuvastatin calcium

AstraZeneca



Please read this summary carefully and then ask your doctor about CRESTOR. No advertisement can provide all the information needed to determine if a drug is right for you. This advertisement does not take the place of careful discussions with your doctor. Only your doctor has the training to weigh the risks and benefits of a prescription drug.

**BRIEF SUMMARY:** For full prescribing information, see package insert. **INDICATIONS AND USAGE:** CRESTOR is indicated: 1. as an adjunct to diet to reduce elevated total-C, LDL-C, ApoB, non-HDL-C and TG levels and to increase HDL-C in patients with primary hypercholesterolemia (heterozygous) and mixed dyslipidemia (Fredrickson Type IIa and IIb); 2. as an adjunct to diet for the treatment of patients with elevated serum TG levels (Fredrickson Type IV); 3. to reduce LDL-C, total-C, and ApoB in patients with homozygous familial hypercholesterolemia, as an adjunct to other lipid-lowering treatments (e.g., LDL apheresis) if such treatments are unavailable. **CONTRAINDICATIONS:** CRESTOR is contraindicated in patients with a known hypersensitivity to any component of this product. Rosuvastatin is contraindicated in patients with active liver disease or with unexplained persistent elevations of serum transaminases (see WARNINGS, Liver Enzymes). Pregnancy and Lactation: Atherosclerosis is a chronic process and discontinuation of lipid-lowering drugs during pregnancy should have little impact on the outcome of long-term therapy of primary hypercholesterolemia. Cholesterol and other products of cholesterol biosynthesis are essential components for fetal development (including synthesis of steroids and cell membranes). Since HMG-CoA reductase inhibitors decrease cholesterol synthesis and possibly the synthesis of other biologically active substances derived from cholesterol, they may cause fetal harm when administered to pregnant women. Therefore, HMG-CoA reductase inhibitors are contraindicated during pregnancy and in nursing mothers. **ROSUVASTATIN SHOULD BE ADMINISTERED TO WOMEN OF CHILD-BEARING AGE ONLY WHEN SUCH PATIENTS ARE HIGHLY UNLIKELY TO CONCEIVE AND HAVE BEEN INFORMED OF THE POTENTIAL HAZARDS.** If the patient becomes pregnant while taking this drug, therapy should be discontinued immediately and the patient apprised of the potential hazard to the fetus.

**WARNINGS:** Liver Enzymes: HMG-CoA reductase inhibitors, like some other lipid-lowering therapies, have been associated with biochemical abnormalities of liver function. The incidence of persistent elevations (>3 times the upper limit of normal [ULN]) occurring on 2 or more consecutive occasions in serum transaminases in fixed dose studies was 0.4, 0, 0, and 0.1% in patients who received rosuvastatin 5, 10, 20, and 40 mg, respectively. In most cases, the elevations were transient and resolved or improved on continued therapy or after a brief interruption in therapy. There were two cases of pancreatitis for which a relationship to rosuvastatin therapy could not be determined, which resolved after discontinuation of therapy. There were no cases of liver failure or irreversible liver disease in these trials. It is recommended that liver function tests be performed before and at 12 weeks following both the initiation of therapy and any elevation of dose, and periodically (e.g., seasonally) thereafter. Liver enzyme changes generally occur in the first 3 months of treatment with rosuvastatin. Patients who develop increased transaminase levels should be monitored until the abnormalities have resolved. Should an increase in ALT or AST of >3 times ULN persist, reduction of dose or withdrawal of rosuvastatin is recommended. Rosuvastatin should be used with caution in patients who consume substantial quantities of alcohol and/or have a history of liver disease (see CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY, Special Populations, Hepatic Insufficiency). Active liver disease or unexplained persistent transaminase elevations are contraindications to the use of rosuvastatin (see CONTRAINDICATIONS). Myopathy/Rhabdomyolysis: Rare cases of rhabdomyolysis with acute renal failure secondary to myoglobinuria have been reported with rosuvastatin and with other drugs in this class. Uncomplicated myalgia has been reported in rosuvastatin-treated patients (see ADVERSE REACTIONS). Creatine kinase (CK) elevations (>10 times upper limit of normal) occurred in 0.2% to 0.4% of patients taking rosuvastatin at doses up to 40 mg in clinical studies. Treatment-related myopathy, defined as muscle aches or muscle weakness in conjunction with increases in CK values >10 times upper limit of normal, was reported in up to 0.1% of patients taking rosuvastatin doses of up to 40 mg in clinical studies. In clinical trials, the incidence of myopathy and rhabdomyolysis increased at doses of rosuvastatin above the recommended dosage range (5 to 40 mg). In postmarketing experience, effects on skeletal muscle, e.g., uncomplicated myalgia, myopathy and, rarely, rhabdomyolysis have been reported in patients treated with HMG-CoA reductase inhibitors including rosuvastatin. As with other HMG-CoA reductase inhibitors, reports of rhabdomyolysis with rosuvastatin are rare, but higher at the highest marketed dose (40 mg). Factors that may predispose patients to myopathy with HMG-CoA reductase inhibitors include advanced age (>65 years), hypothyroidism, and renal insufficiency. Consequently, 1. Rosuvastatin should be prescribed with caution in patients with predisposing factors for myopathy, such as, renal impairment (see DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION), advanced age, and inadequately treated hypothyroidism. 2. Patients should be advised to promptly report unexplained muscle pain, tenderness, or weakness, particularly if accompanied by fatigue or fever. Rosuvastatin therapy should be discontinued if markedly elevated CK levels occur or myopathy is diagnosed or suspected. 3. The 40 mg dose of rosuvastatin is reserved only for those patients who have not achieved their LDL-C goal utilizing the 20 mg dose of rosuvastatin once daily (see DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION). 4. The risk of myopathy during treatment with rosuvastatin may be increased with concurrent administration of other lipid-lowering therapies or cyclosporine. (see CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY, Drug Interactions, PRECAUTIONS, Drug Interactions, and DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION). The benefit of further alterations in lipid levels by the combined use of rosuvastatin with fibrates or niacin should be carefully weighed against the potential risks of this combination. Combination therapy with rosuvastatin and gemfibrozil should generally be avoided. (See DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION and PRECAUTIONS, Drug Interactions). 5. The risk of myopathy during treatment with rosuvastatin may be increased in circumstances which increase rosuvastatin drug levels (see CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY, Special Populations, Race and Renal Insufficiency, and PRECAUTIONS, General). 6. Rosuvastatin therapy should also be temporarily withheld in any patient with an acute, serious condition suggestive of myopathy or predisposing to the development of renal failure secondary to rhabdomyolysis (e.g., sepsis, hypotension, dehydration, major surgery, trauma, severe metabolic, endocrine, and electrolyte disorders, or uncontrolled seizures).

**PRECAUTIONS:** General: Before instituting therapy with rosuvastatin, an attempt should be made to control hypercholesterolemia with appropriate diet and exercise, weight reduction in obese patients, and treatment of underlying medical problems (see INDICATIONS AND USAGE). Administration of rosuvastatin 20 mg to patients with severe renal impairment ( $CL_{CR} < 30 \text{ mL/min/1.73 m}^2$ ) resulted in a 3-fold increase in plasma concentrations of rosuvastatin compared with healthy volunteers (see WARNINGS, Myopathy/Rhabdomyolysis and DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION). The result of a large pharmacokinetic study conducted in the US demonstrated an approximate 2-fold elevation in median exposure in Asian subjects (having either Filipino, Chinese, Japanese, Korean, Vietnamese or Asian-Indian origin) compared with a Caucasian control group. This increase should be considered when making rosuvastatin dosing decisions for Asian patients. (See WARNINGS, Myopathy/Rhabdomyolysis; CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY, Special Populations, Race, and DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION.) Information for Patients: Patients should be advised to report promptly unexplained muscle pain, tenderness, or weakness, particularly if accompanied by fatigue or fever. When taking rosuvastatin with an aluminum and magnesium hydroxide combination antacid, the antacid should be taken at least 2 hours after rosuvastatin administration (see CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY, Drug Interactions). Laboratory Tests: In the rosuvastatin clinical trial program, dyslipidemia-positive problems and microscopic hematuria were observed among rosuvastatin-treated patients, predominantly in patients dosed above the recommended dose range (i.e., 20 mg). However, this finding was more frequent in patients taking rosuvastatin 40 mg, when compared to lower doses of rosuvastatin or comparator statins. Although it was generally transient and was not associated with worsening renal function, the clinical significance of this finding is unknown. A dose reduction should be considered for patients on rosuvastatin 40 mg therapy with unexplained persistent problems during routine urinalysis testing. Drug Interactions: Cyclosporine: When rosuvastatin 10 mg was coadministered with cyclosporine in cardiac transplant patients, rosuvastatin mean  $C_{max}$  and mean AUC were increased 11-fold and 7-fold, respectively,

compared with healthy volunteers. These increases are considered to be clinically significant and require special consideration in the dosing of rosuvastatin to patients taking concomitant cyclosporine (see WARNINGS, Myopathy/Rhabdomyolysis, and DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION). Warfarin: Coadministration of rosuvastatin to patients on stable warfarin therapy resulted in clinically significant decreases in INR (>4, baseline 2-3). In patients taking coumatins and rosuvastatin concomitantly, INR should be determined before starting rosuvastatin and frequently enough during early therapy to ensure that no significant alteration of INR occurs. Once a stable INR has been documented, INR can be monitored at the intervals usually recommended for patients on coumatins anticoagulants. If the dose of rosuvastatin is changed, the same procedure should be repeated. Rosuvastatin therapy has not been associated with bleeding or with changes in INR in patients not taking anticoagulants. Gemfibrozil: Coadministration of a single rosuvastatin dose to healthy volunteers on gemfibrozil (600 mg twice daily) resulted in a 2.2- and 1.9-fold, respectively, increase in mean  $C_{max}$  and mean AUC of rosuvastatin (see DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION). Endocrine Function: Although clinical studies have shown that rosuvastatin alone does not reduce basal plasma cortisol concentration or impair adrenal reserve, caution should be exercised if any HMG-CoA reductase inhibitor or other agent used to lower cholesterol levels is administered concomitantly with drugs that may decrease the levels or activity of endogenous steroid hormones such as levothyroxine, spiroglactone, and corticoids. CNS Toxicity: CNS vascular lesions, characterized by perivascular hemorrhages, edema, and mononuclear cell infiltration of perivascular spaces, have been observed in dogs treated with several other members of this drug class. A chemically similar drug in this class produced dose-dependent optic nerve degeneration (retinal degeneration of retinopigmented fibers) in dogs, at a dose that produced plasma drug levels about 30 times higher than the mean drug level in humans taking the highest recommended dose. Edema, hemorrhage, and partial necrosis in the interstium of the choroid plexus was observed in a female dog sacrificed moribund at day 24 at 90 mg/kg/day by oral gavage (systemic exposures 100 times the human exposure at 40 mg/day based on AUC comparisons). Corneal opacity was seen in dogs treated for 52 weeks at 6 mg/kg/day by oral gavage (systemic exposures 20 times the human exposure at 40 mg/day based on AUC comparisons). Cataracts were seen in dogs treated for 12 weeks by oral gavage at 30 mg/kg/day (systemic exposures 60



times the human exposure at 40 mg/day based on AUC comparisons). Retinal dysplasia and retinal loss were seen in dogs treated for 4 weeks by oral gavage at 90 mg/kg/day (systemic exposures 100 times the human exposure at 40 mg/day based on AUC). Doses  $\leq 30 \text{ mg/kg/day}$  (systemic exposures  $\leq 60$  times the human exposure at 40 mg/day based on AUC comparisons) following treatment up to one year, did not reveal retinal findings. Carcinogenesis, Mutagenesis, Impairment of Fertility: In a 104-week carcinogenicity study in rats at dose levels of 2, 20, 60, or 80 mg/kg/day by oral gavage, the incidence of uterine stromal polyps was significantly increased in females at 80 mg/kg/day at systemic exposures 20 times the human exposure at 40 mg/day based on AUC. Increased incidence of polyps was not seen at lower doses. In a 107-week carcinogenicity study in mice given 10, 60, 200 mg/kg/day by oral gavage, an increased incidence of hepatocellular adenoma/carcinoma was observed at 200 mg/kg/day at systemic exposures 20 times human exposure at 40 mg/day based on AUC. An increased incidence of hepatocellular tumors was not seen at lower doses. Rosuvastatin was not mutagenic or clastogenic with or without metabolic activation in the Ames test with *Salmonella typhimurium* and *Escherichia coli*, the mouse lymphoma assay and the chromosomal aberration assay in Chinese hamster lung cells. Rosuvastatin was negative in the *in vivo* mouse micronucleus test. In rat fertility studies with oral gavage doses of 5, 15, 50 mg/kg/day, males were treated for 9 weeks prior to and throughout mating and females were treated 2 weeks prior to mating and throughout mating until gestation day 7. No adverse effect on fertility was observed at 50 mg/kg/day (systemic exposures up to 10 times human exposure at 40 mg/day based on AUC comparisons). In studies of dogs treated with rosuvastatin at 30 mg/kg/day for one month, spermatidial giant cells were seen. Spermatidial giant cells were observed in monkeys after 6-month treatment at 30 mg/kg/day in addition to vacuolation of seminiferous tubular epithelium. Exposures in the dog were 20 times and in the monkey 10 times human exposure at 40 mg/day based on body surface area comparisons. Similar findings have been seen with other drugs in this class. Pregnancy: Pregnancy Category X (see CONTRAINDICATIONS). Rosuvastatin may cause fetal harm when administered to a pregnant woman. Rosuvastatin is contraindicated in women who are or may become pregnant. Safety in pregnant women has not been established. There are no adequate and well-controlled studies of rosuvastatin in pregnant women. Rosuvastatin crosses the placenta and is found in fetal tissue and amniotic fluid at 3% and 20%, respectively, of the maternal plasma concentration following a single 25 mg/kg oral gavage dose on gestation day 16 in rats. A higher fetal tissue distribution (25% maternal plasma concentration) was observed in rabbits after a single oral gavage dose of 1 mg/kg on gestation day 18. If this drug is administered to a woman with reproductive potential, the patient should be apprised of the potential hazard to a fetus. In female rats given oral gavage doses of 5, 15, 50 mg/kg/day rosuvastatin before mating and continuing through day 7 postcoitus results in decreased fetal body weight (female post) and delayed ossification at the high dose (systemic exposures 10 times human exposure at 40 mg/day based on AUC comparisons). In pregnant rats given oral gavage doses of 2, 20, 50 mg/kg/day from gestation day 7 through lactation day 21 (weaning), decreased pup survival occurred in groups given 50 mg/kg/day, systemic exposures  $\geq 12$  times human exposure at 40 mg/day based on body surface area comparisons. In pregnant rabbits given oral gavage doses of 0.3, 1, 3 mg/kg/day from gestation day 6 to lactation day 18 (weaning), exposures equivalent to human exposure at 40 mg/day based on body surface area comparisons, decreased fetal viability and maternal mortality was observed. Rosuvastatin was not teratogenic in rats at  $\leq 25 \text{ mg/kg/day}$  or in rabbits  $\leq 3 \text{ mg/kg/day}$  (systemic exposures equivalent to human exposure at 40 mg/day based on AUC or body surface area comparison, respectively). Nursing: Mothers: It is not known whether rosuvastatin is excreted in breast milk. Studies in lactating rats have demonstrated that rosuvastatin is secreted into breast milk at levels 3 times higher than that obtained in the plasma following oral gavage dosing. Because many drugs are excreted in human milk and because of the potential for serious adverse reactions in nursing infants from rosuvastatin, a decision should be made whether to discontinue nursing or administration of rosuvastatin taking into account the importance of the drug to the lactating woman. Pediatric Use: The safety and effectiveness in pediatric patients have not been established. Treatment experience with rosuvastatin in a pediatric population is limited to 3 patients with homozygous FH. None of these patients was below 8 years of age. Geriatric Use: Of the 10,275 patients in clinical studies with rosuvastatin, 3,159 (31%) were 65 years and older, and 698 (6.8%) were 75 years and older. The overall frequency of adverse events and types of adverse events were similar in patients above and below 65 years of age. (See WARNINGS, Myopathy/Rhabdomyolysis.) The efficacy of rosuvastatin in the geriatric population (>65 years of age) was comparable to the efficacy observed in the non-elderly.

**ADVERSE REACTIONS:** Rosuvastatin is generally well tolerated. Adverse reactions have usually been mild and transient. In clinical studies of 10,275 patients, 3.7% were

discontinued due to adverse experiences attributable to rosuvastatin. The most frequent adverse events thought to be related to rosuvastatin were myalgia, constipation, asthenia, abdominal pain, and nausea. Clinical Adverse Experiences: Adverse experiences, regardless of causality assessment, reported in  $\geq 2\%$  of patients in placebo-controlled clinical studies of rosuvastatin are shown in Table 1; discontinuations due to adverse events in these studies of up to 12 weeks duration occurred in 3% of patients on rosuvastatin and 5% on placebo.

Table 1 Adverse Events in Placebo-Controlled Studies

Adverse event	Rosuvastatin N=744	Placebo N=382
Myalgia	9.0	7.6
Headache	5.5	5.0
Diarrhea	3.4	2.9
Dyspepsia	3.4	3.1
Nausea	3.4	3.1
Myopia	2.8	1.3
Asthenia	2.7	2.6
Back pain	2.6	2.4
Flu syndrome	2.3	1.8
Urinary tract infection	2.3	1.6
Rhinitis	2.2	2.1
Sinusitis	2.0	1.8

In addition, the following adverse events were reported, regardless of causality assessment, in  $\geq 1\%$  of 10,275 patients treated with rosuvastatin in clinical studies. The events in italics occurred in  $\geq 2\%$  of these patients. *Body as a Whole:* Abdominal pain, accidental injury, chest pain, infection, pain, pelvic pain, and neck pain. *Cardiovascular System:* Hypertension, angina pectoris, vasodilation, and palpitation. *Digestive System:* Constipation, gastroenteritis, vomiting, flatulence, periodontal abscess, and gastritis. *Endocrine:* Diabetes mellitus. *Hemic and Lymphatic System:* Anemia and ecchymosis. *Metabolic and Nutritional Disorders:* Peripheral edema. *Musculoskeletal System:* Arthritis, arthralgia, and pathological fracture. *Nervous System:* Dizziness, insomnia, hyperkinesia, paresthesia, depression, anxiety, vertigo, and neuralgia. *Respiratory System:* Bronchitis, cough increased, dyspnea, pneumonia, and asthma. *Skin and Appendages:* Rash and pruritus. *Laboratory Abnormalities:* In the rosuvastatin clinical trial program, dyslipidemia-positive problems and microscopic hematuria were observed among rosuvastatin-treated patients, predominantly in patients dosed above the recommended dose range (i.e., 20 mg). However, this finding was more frequent in patients taking rosuvastatin 40 mg, when compared to lower doses of rosuvastatin or comparator statins, though it was generally transient and was not associated with worsening renal function. (See PRECAUTIONS, Laboratory Tests.) Other abnormal laboratory values reported were elevated creatine phosphokinase, transaminases, hyperglycemia, glucosyl transaminase, alkaline phosphatase, bilirubin, and thyroid function abnormalities. Other adverse events reported less frequently than 1% in the rosuvastatin clinical study program, regardless of causality assessment, included arrhythmia, hepatitis, hypersensitivity reactions (e.g., face edema, thrombocytopenia, leukopenia, vesiculobullous rash, urticaria, and angioedema), kidney failure, syncope, myasthenia, myositis, pancreatitis, photosensitivity reaction, myopathy, and rhabdomyolysis. *Postmarketing Experience:* In addition to the events reported above, as with other drugs in this class, the following event has been reported during post-marketing experience with CRESTOR, regardless of causality assessment: very rare cases of pancreatitis.

**OVERDOSSAGE:** There is no specific treatment in the event of overdose. In the event of overdose, the patient should be treated symptomatically and supportive measures instituted as required. Hemodialysis does not significantly enhance clearance of rosuvastatin.

**DOSAGE AND ADMINISTRATION:** The patient should be placed on a standard cholesterol-lowering diet before receiving CRESTOR and should continue on this diet during treatment. CRESTOR can be administered as a single dose at any time of day, with or without food. **Heterozygous Hypercholesterolemia (Heterozygous Familial and Nonfamilial) and Mixed Dyslipidemia (Fredrickson Type IIa and IIb):** The dose range for CRESTOR is 5 to 40 mg once daily. Therapy with CRESTOR should be individualized according to goal of therapy and response. The usual recommended starting dose of CRESTOR is 10 mg once daily. However, initiation of therapy with 5 mg once daily should be considered for patients requiring less aggressive LDL-C reductions, who have predisposing factors for myopathy, and as noted below for special populations such as patients taking cyclosporine, Asian patients, and patients with severe renal insufficiency (see CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY, Race, and Renal Insufficiency, and Drug Interactions). For patients with marked hypercholesterolemia (LDL-C >190 mg/dL) and aggressive lipid targets, a 20-mg starting dose may be considered. After initiation and/or upon titration of CRESTOR, lipid levels should be analyzed within 2 to 4 weeks and dosage adjusted accordingly. The 40-mg dose of CRESTOR is reserved only for those patients who have not achieved their LDL-C goal utilizing the 20 mg dose of CRESTOR once daily (see WARNINGS, Myopathy/Rhabdomyolysis). When initiating statin therapy or switching from another statin therapy, the appropriate CRESTOR starting dose should first be utilized, and only then titrated according to the patient's individualized goal of therapy. **Homozygous Familial Hypercholesterolemia:** The recommended starting dose of CRESTOR is 20 mg once daily in patients with homozygous FH. The maximum recommended daily dose is 40 mg. CRESTOR should be used in these patients as an adjunct to other lipid-lowering treatments (e.g., LDL apheresis) if such treatments are unavailable. Response to therapy should be estimated from pre-apheresis LDL-C levels. Dosage in Asian Patients: Initiation of CRESTOR therapy with 5 mg once daily should be considered for Asian patients. The potential for increased systemic exposure relative to Caucasians is relevant when considering escalation of dose in cases where hypercholesterolemia is not adequately controlled at doses of 5, 10, or 20 mg once daily. (See WARNINGS, Myopathy/Rhabdomyolysis; CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY, Special Populations, Race, and PRECAUTIONS, General.) Dosage in Patients Taking Cyclosporine: In patients taking cyclosporine, therapy should be limited to CRESTOR 5 mg once daily (see WARNINGS, Myopathy/Rhabdomyolysis, and PRECAUTIONS, Drug Interactions). Concomitant Lipid-Lowering Therapy: The effect of CRESTOR on LDL-C and total-C may be enhanced when used in combination with a bile acid binding resin. If CRESTOR is used in combination with gemfibrozil, the dose of CRESTOR should be limited to 10 mg once daily (see WARNINGS, Myopathy/Rhabdomyolysis, and PRECAUTIONS, Drug Interactions). Dosage in Patients With Renal Insufficiency: No modification of dosage is necessary for patients with mild to moderate renal insufficiency. For patients with severe renal impairment ( $CL_{CR} < 30 \text{ mL/min/1.73 m}^2$ ) not on hemodialysis, dosing of CRESTOR should be started at 5 mg once daily and not to exceed 10 mg once daily (see PRECAUTIONS, General, and CLINICAL PHARMACOLOGY, Special Populations, Renal Insufficiency).

**NOTE:** This summary provides important information about CRESTOR. For more information, please ask your doctor or health care professional about the full Prescribing Information and discuss it with them.

**As only**  
CRESTOR is a trademark of the AstraZeneca group of companies. © AstraZeneca 2005  
Licensed from SHIONOGI & CO., LTD., Osaka, Japan  
Manufactured by AstraZeneca Pharmaceuticals LP  
Winnington, DE 19850  
By IPR Pharmaceuticals, Inc.  
Carolina, NC 00984  
PCC 630701  
30043-00 31628-00  
Rev 03/05 230799

AstraZeneca

(Continued from page 3)

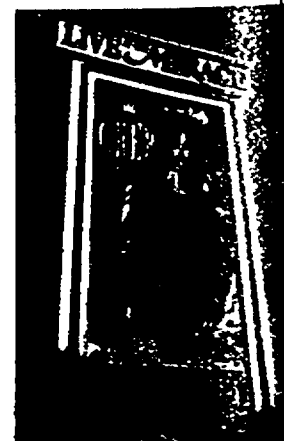
## Airstream Living by Bruce Littlefield & Simon Brown Collins Design

Once exclusive tow-behind properties of wilderness-seeking suburbanites, Airstream trailers now count actor Aidan Quinn and fashion icon Ralph Lauren among their aficionados. But Airstream owners, no matter how diverse, have one thing in common: They all can recall the moment they first laid eyes on the gleaming chrome shell and fell madly in love. *Airstream Living* affectionately recounts these tales of trailer infatuation, weaving in tidbits from the recreational vehicle's history, which began when the inventor's wife vowed never to go camping without a kitchen. Gorgeous photographs display both the retro beauty of Airstreams' unique architecture and their inspired interior customized designs, ranging from cheerful Tex-Mex to sleek modern chic. In addition to serving as mobile homes, moving museums, command centers and even restaurants, these treasured collectibles continue to induct their owners into a charming community that this photo-illustrated book may make you long to join.



## Cher Extravaganza— Live at the Mirage Eagle Rock Entertainment

Her hair seems taller than a 12-story building. At times her outfits are outrageous. In one routine, she vamps with a female impersonator and it's hard to tell which one's the real deal. She is, of course, the eternally youthful Cher, who's even younger in this 1992 television special taped in Las Vegas. A big stage production with bodacious wardrobe changes and spectacular dance sequences, the show captures the singer performing both familiar hits ("Bang Bang," "If I Could Turn Back Time") and surprise cover songs. Devoted fans will rejoice in the extras, since some bonus tracks, including Cher's version of Bruce Springsteen's "Tougher Than the Rest" and Jimmy Cliff's "Many Rivers to Cross," appear in three versions—at the Vegas show, in rehearsal, and on tour—and home movies, blooper reels, and tour commercials round out the generous 154 minutes. Cher once joked that only she and cockroaches would survive nuclear war. This DVD will make you a believer. ★





Call me to arrange my **FREE**  
in-home design consultation.

# Sears

Please send your request by March 19, 2006  
for your **FREE** in-home design consultation to:  
Sears Home Improvement Products, Inc.  
PO Box 522290, Longwood, FL 32752-2290

Offer Code: 50-P2-S2-17-AP16

I want to receive No Payments & No Interest  
for 12 Months\* on:

☐ Premium Vinyl Siding

I am also interested in:

☐ Custom Cabinet Refacing

☐ Custom Kitchen Remodeling

☐ Custom Replacement Windows

☐ Custom Entry Door Systems

☐ Heating Systems - ☐ Cooling Systems

Call for your free in-home design consultation

## 1-800-276-0299

Hurry! Respond by 03/19/06\*

No Payments and No Interest  
for 12 Months! with your Sears card\*

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Yes, I would like to opt-in to receive e-mails with special promotions and information from  
Sears Home Improvement Products, Inc.

# Sears

# Premium Vinyl Siding



**No Payments  
& No Interest  
for 12 Months!**

with your Sears card\*

- Virtually maintenance free — color won't scratch off, peel or chip
- Many woodgrain textures and colors to choose from
- Helps reduce heating and cooling costs through an insulation underlayment system\*\*
- A project coordinator to stay with you every step of the way
- Installation by Sears-Authorized licensed contractors
- Flexible financing†
- Satisfaction guarantee‡

Call for your **FREE** in-home design consultation. Hurry, offer ends soon! 1-800-276-0299

\*Offer ends 03/19/06. Discount not valid on prior sales or in combination with any other offer. Not available on counter-top only purchases. 0% APR FINANCING DETAILS (when offered): Available for qualified purchases when you use your Sears cards (Sears Commercial One® account excluded) as advertised. No finance charges accrue or are assessed during the 0% APR period. 0% APR offers of 14 months or greater require minimum monthly payments as disclosed in the offer. Regular credit terms apply after the 0% APR period. Finance charges and any required minimum payments will continue on existing balances. If you default under your Sears Card agreement, the 0% APR will terminate and penalties, including the default rate will apply. SEARS HOME IMPROVEMENT ACCOUNT: Only for qualified installed purchases. Fixed APR is up to 18.90%. Variable APR is up to 29.40% as of 12/16/05 but never lower than 14.40%. Rates may vary. MINIMUM MONTHLY FINANCE CHARGES: Minimum monthly finance charges of up to \$1 payable if any finance charge is due. SEE YOUR SPECIFIC ACCOUNT TERMS AND CONDITIONS FOR YOUR APPLICABLE RATES. Sears cards issued by Citibank USA, N.A. Restrictions and exclusions apply. \*\*Ask your sales associate about written limited warranty details. \*\*\*Energy savings may vary depending on your home and siding selected. †See contract for details. The following licenses are held by or on behalf of Sears, Roebuck and Co.: AK (Gen. Contr. - Exc. Res. #675), AR (Contr. #0117740403), AZ (ROC013509, ROC079967, ROC080918, ROC092564), CA (Gen. Contr. #25455-B, HVAC #25455-C20), CT (HVAC #306530), FL (HVAC #CAC057299, Gen. Contr. #CBC015949), GA (Reg. CN003489), HI (Classified Spec. #C-4285 C-68LA), KY (HVAC #M03912), LA (Mech./Spec. Contr. #5526), MA (Home Imp. #103493), MD (MHC #32117 Steven Feldman, HVAC #6528), Nassau County, NY (H1809170000), NV (Contr. #0054530 0005543 - C-1, C-21), OH (#26034), OR (Gen. Contr. #0001051), RI (Gen. Contr. #4667), Rockland County, NY (H-A6-007821-00-00), TX (HVAC Nos. TACLB020401E, 019005E, 002235C, 013523C, 009563C, 009589C), VA (Class A Contr. #2705057009), WA (Gen. Contr. #SEARSR-372NT), WV (Gen. Bldg. Spec. #WV008529). Some services and installation performed by Sears associates. Other services and installation performed by Sears-Authorized licensed contractors; additional Sears license information available upon request. Electrical services not available in NJ. Ask sales associate for details. ‡Subject to applicant creditworthiness.

## Made in America

Be Mine. Be True.  
Kiss Me.

For more than a century, romantics have found the right words with Sweethearts Conversation Hearts. Eight billion candy hearts, printed with messages of love, are made each year by the New England Confectionery Co., headquartered in Revere, Mass. (pop. 47,283).

"A lot of us with gray hair remember these as kids," says Domenic Antonellis, 63, president and CEO of NECCO, America's oldest multi-line candy company, founded in 1847. "The nostalgia appeals to people."

The affectionate confection dates from the 1800s when messages printed on colored paper were slipped into crispy seashell-shaped candies called cockles. Oliver Chase, NECCO founder, and his brother Daniel Chase turned the idea into America's best-loved Valentine's Day candy after Daniel invented a machine in 1866 to print sayings directly onto candy. First called Motto Hearts, the treats became the familiar pastel Sweethearts Conversation Hearts in 1902.

The edible terms of endearment, sold only between New Year's Day and Valentine's Day, are so beloved that NECCO manufactures them year-round in plants in Revere, Thibodaux, La., (pop. 14,431) and Pewaukee, Wis. (pop. 11,783).

"The shell of the machinery is basically the same," says Bill Leva, vice president of operations. Battered for the heart candies, made in six flavors, is mixed in 550-pound batches and rolled out in a 3-foot-wide "blanket." Printing dyes stamp 80 different sayings at once in red ink on the confectionery blanket, which is cut into heart-shaped candies.

The recipe for Sweethearts Conversation Hearts hasn't changed for more than a century, but the sugarcoated words get updated every year, says Lory Zimbalatti, NECCO's marketing manager and historian.

Before World War I, the candies were larger, allowing flowery phrases, such as

# Saying It with Sweetness

by MARTI ATTOUN  
Contributing Editor



Photo courtesy of Mike Waltz



Workers stack boxes of America's best-loved Valentine's Day candy for packaging.

"Please send a lock of your hair by return mail" and "How long shall I have to wait? Pray be considerate."

"Today you have to be short and sweet," Zimbalatti says. Two words with four letters each fill a half-inch heart and two words with five letters each fill a 3/4-inch heart. But brevity doesn't stop the smitten.

NECCO receives nearly a thousand suggestions for new phrases each year. Company employees consider the proposals and select 10 new ways to say "I Love You." This season's sayings celebrate the coziness of home and family with "Home Soon" and "Sweet Home."

Sayings such as "Hug Me" and "Be Mine" are classics. Others, including "Dig Me" and "Hep Cat," have been retired.

(Continued on page 11)

## Families Have Saved Up To 50% On Heating Costs And never have to buy fuel — wood, oil, gas, kerosene — ever again!

Hydro-Sil is a unique room-by-room heating system that can save you hundreds of dollars in home heating costs by replacing old and inefficient heating. It can replace or supplement your electric heat, gas or oil furnace and woodstoves.

Hydro-Sil represents economy in heating: inside the heater case is a sealed copper tube filled with a harmless silicone fluid. It's permanent. You'll never run out. "Hydro-Sil Energy Star" thermostat controls a variable watt hydro element that is only being supplied a proportional amount of power on an as-needed basis. When Hydro-Sil is turned on, the silicone liquid is quickly heated, and with its heat retention qualities, continues to heat after the Hydro element shuts off. Hydro-Sil's room-by-room "Energy Star" digital control technology greatly increases energy savings and comfort.

### Your Benefits with Hydro-Sil:

- Slash heating cost with Energy Star tech.
- Lifetime warranty. No service contracts.
- Safe, complete peace of mind.
- Clean, no fumes, environmentally safe.
- U.L. listed.
- Preassembled — ready to use.
- No furnaces, ducts, or chimneys.
- Portable (110V) or permanent (220V).
- Whole house heating or single room.

220 VOLT PERMANENT	Approx. Area to Heat	Discount Price	Quantity
8' 2000 watts	250-300 s.f.	\$289	
6' 1500 watts	180-250 s.f.	\$259	
5' 1250 watts	130-180 s.f.	\$239	
4' 1000 watts	100-130 s.f.	\$219	
3' 750 watts	75-100 s.f.	\$189	
2' 500 watts	50-75 s.f.	\$169	
Thermostats Call for options & exact heater needed			

110 VOLT PORTABLES (Thermostat Included)	Discount Price	Quantity
5' Hydro-Max 750-1500 watts	\$219	
4' Convecter - Dual watt	\$179	
3' 750 watts - Silicone	\$179	
\$15.00 shipping per heater		\$
Total Amount		\$



Proportional "Energy Star" thermostat!

Lifetime Warranty

Order today or contact us for more info.

Check • MasterCard • Visa  
1-800-627-9276  
Visit our secure web site at  
[www.hydrosil.com](http://www.hydrosil.com)

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ St \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
MasterCard or Visa Account Information:  
Acct # \_\_\_\_\_  
Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_

Hydro-Sil, P.O. Box. 662, Fort Mill, SC 29715



# LAST 250,000 Pairs!

## \$5<sup>a pair</sup> Everything MUST GO!

**Your Favorite NO IRON Knits with a Full Fashion Makeover!**  
 New, Incomparably Soft No-Roll Elastic Waist, Gracefully Flowing Fuller Cut, Richer Miracle Polyester Fabric, Lifetime Indelible Crease, No Iron Wash & Wear!

Misses,  
 Women's,  
 Petites!

Turquoise

Lime

Berry

Blue

Tan

Brown

White

Coral

Take Every Color!

ORDER HERE!

*Haband!*

Duke Habernickel, Pres.  
 1600 Pennsylvania Ave.  
 Peckville, PA 18452

### Ladies' KNIT SLACKS \$5<sup>a pair</sup>

when you buy 4 for 20 5 for 25  
 any 4 or more 6 for 30 7 for 35

Haband  
 1600 Pennsylvania Ave.  
 Peckville, PA 18452

Find Your Size!

Send \_\_\_\_\_ slacks. I enclose \$\_\_\_\_\_ purchase price plus \$4.99 toward postage. In GA add sales tax.

**PETITE (5'-5'3") & AVERAGE (5'4"-5'7")**  
 Misses: 8 10 12 14 16 18 20  
 \*Women's Sizes (\$3 more per pair): 36(20W) 38(22W) 40(24W) 42(26W)

☐ Visa ☐ MC ☐ Discover® Network ☐ AmEx ☐ Check

Card # \_\_\_\_\_ Exp.: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Mr. Mrs. Ms. \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Apt. # \_\_\_\_\_

City & State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

100% Satisfaction Guaranteed or Full Refund of Purchase Price at Any Time!

	9MP-A2048	WHAT SIZE?	PETITE or AVG.?	HOW MANY?
EA	BERRY			
21	LILAC			
18	TURQUOISE			
HD	LIME			
05	BLUE			
02	TAN			
04	BROWN			
09	WHITE			
11	CORAL			
01	BLACK Not Shown			

1-800-543-4810

Shop Online: [Haband.com](http://Haband.com)

100% NO IRON Easy Care!

# Lasting Love

In an era when many American marriages end in divorce, spending seven or eight decades together is extraordinary. For insight into why some marriages last a lifetime, contributing editor Marti Attoun interviewed three couples whose vows have stood the test of time. Here are their stories.

## *Holding hands for 83 years*

John Rocchio stood in the doorway of his uncle's laundry in Providence, R.I., watching the girls walk by that day in 1922. A fetching brunette in a black skirt caught his eye.

"I said, 'Wow. I've got to meet her,'" recalls Rocchio, 102.

Emilia, 100, smiles at the memory. "He was a clean-cut fella. He talked well and he was learning a trade."

"Wow" led to love and marriage, and this week—on Feb. 10—the Rocchios will celebrate 83 years together, giving them the distinction as the world's longest-married couple, according to Guinness World Records.

After eight decades of marriage, the Rocchios still joke about Emilia's pastor refusing to marry them because he didn't think the union would last. Emilia was only 17.

"He said, 'I want you to go home and grow up,'" Emilia says.

The Rocchios began marriage with more dreams than dollars. They lived the first few months with John's family while he finished trade school to learn the printing business. He worked 25 years for *The Providence Journal*.

Until last August, the couple lived in the white Cape Cod-style house, Emilia's dream home, that they built 52 years ago in North Providence. Today, they share a room at The Villa of St. Antoine nursing home in North Smithfield, R.I.

The Rocchios raised two daughters, Ella Sarra, of Cranston, R.I., and the late Gloria Rocchio, of North Providence.

John attributes their record-setting marriage to having a good sense of humor. "When your tempers flare up, use a little humor."



Doris and Vernon Jacobs, of Arrowsmith, Ill., have maintained their marriage vows since they eloped in 1935.

Just as important, both have always shown affection for each other.

"We've always held hands," John says. "My mother would ask Emilia, 'Hey, are you afraid he's going to run away? We don't hold hands in Italy.'"

The Rocchios may be the world's longest-married couple.



John and Emilia Rocchio as newlyweds in 1923.

"And Emilia would say, 'We do hold hands here in America.'"

And 83 years later, they're still holding hands.

## *Walking the land*

In the early 1930s, Vernon Jacobs ran through cornfields and jumped fences to visit Doris Hensley. It's easier now. The couple have been living on the same side of the fence for 70 years.

"We've known each other, you might say, all of our lives," Doris says. She and Vernon, both 91, grew up on farms in Arrowsmith, Ill. (pop. 298), attended Sunday school together and graduated with the class of 1932 at Arrowsmith High School. Doris was valedictorian of the 12-member class.

"Vernon was right behind me," she adds, noting that her future husband was class salutatorian.

From the start, the couple shared the same values, hard-work ethic and love for the land. After graduation, Vernon worked on the family farm while Doris attended business college in nearby Bloomington, then landed an office job.



Elizabeth and Rene Ledbetter dance in the living room of their New Smyrna Beach, Fla., home.

In his Model A, Vernon would drive 20 miles to visit his girlfriend. The couple made plans—practical ones during the Depression—to elope and keep their marriage a secret. That way, explains Doris, she could keep her job, because most married women at the time didn't work outside the home.

Vernon saved for a \$10 diamond ring. Doris still owns the navy-blue frock she wore on Aug. 31, 1935, when they said "I do" before a justice of the peace in Waukegan, Ill.

"Three days later, the newspaper printed our marriage license and everyone in Arrowsmith knew," Doris says with a laugh.

In 1938, the couple moved to the farm homesteaded by her great-grandfather, and with a borrowed tractor from Vernon's father, threw their energy into farming.

They grew the farm to 700 acres and raised three children: Gary Jacobs of Ellsworth, Ill.; Jean Ward of Sheridan, Ill.; and Janet Butler of Arrowsmith.

Good health habits have reaped rewards, too. Every day, rain or shine, Vernon walks two miles. Doris suffered a stroke two years ago but swims daily and has recovered.

When asked for advice for newlyweds, Vernon doesn't hesitate: "Throw away the credit cards."

## *Dance of a lifetime*

Elizabeth and Rene Ledbetter met at a dance 75 years ago and began the waltz of a lifetime.

"I happened to look at the door and there he was," says Elizabeth, 89, who had gone with her parents to an Elks Lodge dance in DeLand, Fla. "He smiled at me and I smiled back and that's how it started."

Suntanned and dark-eyed, Rene looked dashing in a beige suit with orange specks, recalls Elizabeth. "Oh, he was so cute."

She teetered in her first high heels and stepped on his toes, but Rene didn't mind. The petite strawberry blonde had made a bigger impression on his heart. Soon, he was dispatching a Western Union messenger to her house to arrange dates since Elizabeth's family didn't have a telephone.

"Rene would say, 'I'm coming over Saturday night to the dance. If you can't go, let me know,'" Elizabeth says. "The carrier had read the message and was smiling."

Love deepened and the couple yearned to marry after Elizabeth graduated from high school. Her parents thought she was too young, but love triumphed. On July 13, 1935, Elizabeth's father went out of town for an Elks convention and the couple eloped.

The Ledbetters set up housekeeping in an \$8-a-month apartment in DeLand, where Rene worked as a railroad machinist and played trumpet

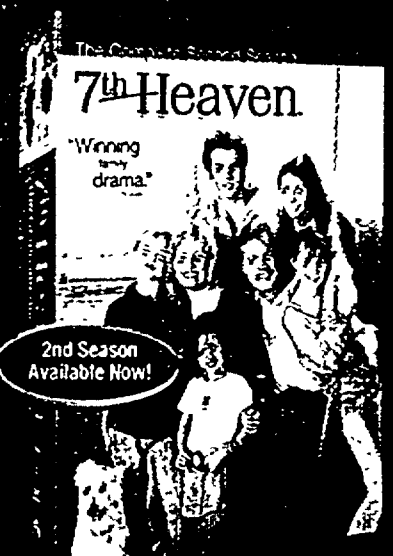
(Continued on page 13)

A young, dashing Rene Ledbetter



Elizabeth striking a starlet pose in 1933

# FAMILY VALUABLES



## ON DVD!





# Health

by MARI S. GOLD

## The Lowdown on High Blood Pressure

Nearly one in three Americans has high blood pressure, a condition in which the force of blood in the arteries is too strong. The condition makes the heart work harder, and because it usually has no symptoms or warning signs, it's often called the "silent killer." The good news is that high blood pressure, also known as hypertension, can be treated and controlled.

"We don't know exactly what causes hypertension," says Dr. Jim King, a family physician in Selmer, Tenn. "We do know you are more at risk as you age if you have a family history of the condition and if you are overweight and inactive. In addition, high blood pressure is more common among African-Americans than other groups."

High blood pressure is dangerous. It can cause:

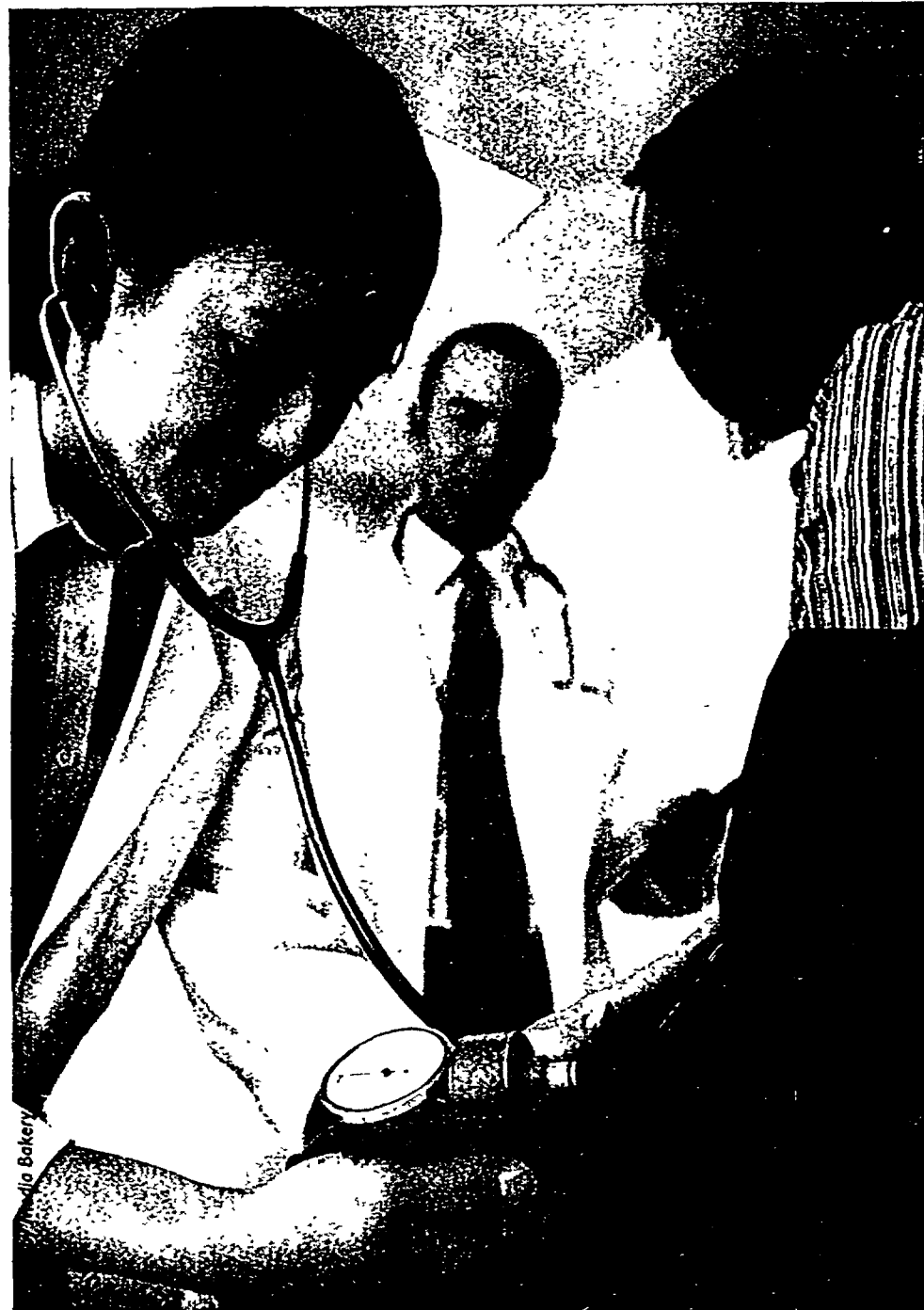
- Hardening of the artery walls and fatty deposits in artery linings, leading to a heart attack
- Thickening of the heart's main pumping chamber, causing heart failure
- Blocked or torn blood vessels in the brain, triggering a stroke
- Kidney failure
- Damaged blood vessels in the eyes, resulting in vision loss or even blindness
- A decrease in your ability to think clearly, remember and learn as you age

Your blood pressure should be checked at least every two years and more often depending on your last reading, risk factors and health history. The test is simple and painless. You sit or lie down and a blood pressure cuff is wrapped around your arm and inflated, temporarily stopping the blood flow. Then the air in the cuff is released and the person measuring your blood pressure listens to the blood flow with a stethoscope while watching a gauge. Two measurements are recorded.

A blood pressure reading is written as two numbers separated by a slash. The first number is the systolic pressure: the pressure your heart produces as it pumps blood through your arteries. The second number is the diastolic pressure: the pressure in your arteries when your heart rests between beats.

Normal blood pressure for an adult is 120/80 mmHG (millimeters of mercury), expressed as "120 over 80." High blood pressure is a reading of 140/90 or higher. If your blood pressure is between 120/80 and 140/90, you are said to be prehypertensive.

"We measure blood pressure in both the left and right arms," King says, "since they can vary somewhat. Blood pressure may also rise if someone is nervous as they might be at a medical visit. That's why, unless a patient's pressure is dangerously high, we check it several times on different days. I also suggest buying an inexpensive home blood pressure monitor so



the patient can note their pressure several times a day for a few weeks."

If blood pressure is above normal but not in the danger zone, most health care professionals first suggest lifestyle changes that may lower it. These include:

- Eating a healthy diet that includes a variety of foods. Ask about the Dietary Approach to Stop Hypertension (DASH) diet, which emphasizes lots of grains, vegetables, fruits and low-fat dairy products.
- If you are overweight, shed some pounds.
- Get moving. Make exercise part of your life: walk briskly 30 minutes a day; park your car at the far end of the lot; use stairs instead of the elevator; wash the car.
- If you smoke, work on quitting.
- Limit alcohol and caffeine, including colas; both can raise blood pressure.
- Reduce your salt intake. Check food labels; the word "sodium" means salt. Many packaged foods have a high-sodium content, so rinse canned foods and use spices instead of salt to flavor food. Check drug labels, too. Some over-the-counter drugs such as cold and cough medicines have a high-sodium content.

If blood pressure doesn't respond to these changes, there are many effective medications. What's most important is to have your blood pressure checked regularly and to follow your doctor's advice. ★

Mari S. Gold is a freelance writer in New York.

### Rate This Story

How did you like this story? Log on to [www.americanprofile.com/rate](http://www.americanprofile.com/rate)



The good news . . .  
high blood pressure, also  
known as hypertension, can  
be treated and controlled.



NECCO's corporate headquarters in Revere, Mass.

(Continued from page 6)

Customers can have their own words printed on the candy hearts, too, if they buy an entire production run of 3,500 pounds, or 1.6 million hearts, which costs about \$7,000.

Most people find the perfect words already printed on Sweethearts Conversation Hearts. Such was the case for Mike Waltz, 44, of Mason, Mich., (pop. 6,714) who popped the question to his sweetheart Chris, 38, on Valentine's Day 2004. He presented her with a box chockfull of hearts printed with "Marry Me."

"I cleaned out the stores," he says. "I might find three 'Marry Me's' in a 1-pound bag." He sent a heartfelt request to NECCO and an employee handpicked a box of magic words from the production line.

"The box is sealed and I'll never open it," declares Chris, who found her answer—"I Do"—in another box of Sweethearts Conversation Hearts.

The couple married Jan. 14, 2005. They gave each wedding guest a box of America's favorite Valentine's Day candy. ☆

Visit [www.necco.com](http://www.necco.com) for more information.

### Rate This Story

How did you like this story? Log on to [www.americanprofile.com/rate](http://www.americanprofile.com/rate)

### SPECIAL VALENTINE'S DAY OFFER for American Profile Readers!

Enjoy a hint of Spring even while the snow blankets the ground! A bouquet of red, pink and white tulips will arrive fresh and ready to open to their full beauty.



\$29.99  
PLUS s/h

This offer includes 15 red, pink, and white tulips. Flowers are hand-picked, tied, and shipped directly from the fields along with your personal message. Includes a FREE glass vase! (Item #9941)

Call (800) 416-1959

©2005 American Profile. All rights reserved. www.americanprofile.com

This is a limited time special offer for readers of American Profile. Not valid for same-day or next-day delivery. This offer cannot be combined with other offers or discounts.

American Profile • Page 11

# Look out cholesterol, he's made it 3 against 1.



### Now 3 ways to help lower cholesterol.

Besides Quaker Old Fashioned and Instant Oatmeal, you can try Quaker Oatmeal to Go.

### Here's how he does it.

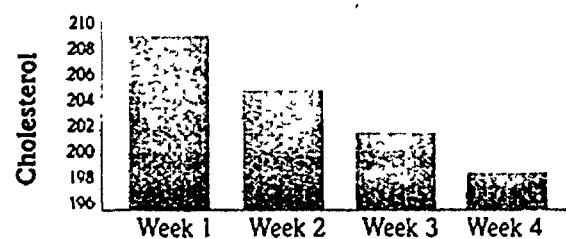
Quaker Oatmeal isn't just a cholesterol-free food...it's a unique whole grain food that goes in and actually soaks up excess cholesterol and removes it from your body. So basically, you sit and enjoy a tasty bowl of oatmeal while it does its thing. Not a bad deal, right?

### It's hardworking.

Quaker Oatmeal contains soluble fiber that actively finds the excess cholesterol, which can clog arteries and lead to heart disease,

and binds with it. Your bloodstream can't absorb the cholesterol, so it's removed from your body. This means you could see a drop in your overall number.

Representative Cholesterol Point Drop



### Need more proof?

Visit [www.quakeroatmeal.com](http://www.quakeroatmeal.com) or call 1-800-770-4091.



Something to smile about.

3g of soluble fiber daily from oatmeal in a low saturated fat, low cholesterol diet may reduce heart disease risk. Quaker Old Fashioned provides 2g per serving, Quaker Instant Apples & Cinnamon flavor provides 1g per serving and Oatmeal to Go provides 1g per serving.

©2005 QOC



# The Lowdown on High Blood Pressure

Nearly one in three Americans has high blood pressure, a condition in which the force of blood in the arteries is too strong. The condition makes the heart work harder, and because it usually has no symptoms or warning signs, it's often called the "silent killer." The good news is that high blood pressure, also known as hypertension, can be treated and controlled.

"We don't know exactly what causes hypertension," says Dr. Jim King, a family physician in Selmer, Tenn. "We do know you are more at risk as you age if you have a family history of the condition and if you are overweight and inactive. In addition, high blood pressure is more common among African-Americans than other groups."

High blood pressure is dangerous. It can cause:

- Hardening of the artery walls and fatty deposits in artery linings, leading to a heart attack
- Thickening of the heart's main pumping chamber, causing heart failure
- Blocked or torn blood vessels in the brain, triggering a stroke
- Kidney failure
- Damaged blood vessels in the eyes, resulting in vision loss or even blindness
- A decrease in your ability to think clearly, remember and learn as you age

Your blood pressure should be checked at least every two years and more often depending on your last reading, risk factors and health history. The test is simple and painless. You sit or lie down and a blood pressure cuff is wrapped around your arm and inflated, temporarily stopping the blood flow. Then the air in the cuff is released and the person measuring your blood pressure listens to the blood flow with a stethoscope while watching a gauge. Two measurements are recorded.

A blood pressure reading is written as two numbers separated by a slash. The first number is the systolic pressure: the pressure your heart produces as it pumps blood through your arteries. The second number is the diastolic pressure: the pressure in your arteries when your heart rests between beats.

Normal blood pressure for an adult is 120/80 mmHG (millimeters of mercury), expressed as "120 over 80."

High blood pressure is a reading of 140/90 or higher. If your blood pressure is between 120/80 and 140/90, you are said to be prehypertensive.

"We measure blood pressure in both the left and right arms," King says, "since they can vary somewhat. Blood pressure may also rise if someone is nervous as they might be at a medical visit. That's why, unless a patient's pressure is dangerously high, we check it several times on different days. I also suggest buying an inexpensive home blood pressure monitor so



the patient can note their pressure several times a day for a few weeks."

If blood pressure is above normal but not in the danger zone, most health care professionals first suggest lifestyle changes that may lower it. These include:

- Eating a healthy diet that includes a variety of foods. Ask about the Dietary Approach to Stop Hypertension (DASH) diet, which emphasizes lots of grains, vegetables, fruits and low-fat dairy products.
- If you are overweight, shed some pounds.
- Get moving. Make exercise part of your life: walk briskly 30 minutes a day; park your car at the far end of the lot; use stairs instead of the elevator; wash the car.
- If you smoke, work on quitting.
- Limit alcohol and caffeine, including colas; both can raise blood pressure.
- Reduce your salt intake. Check food labels; the word "sodium" means salt. Many packaged foods have a high-sodium content, so rinse canned foods and use spices instead of salt to flavor food. Check drug labels, too. Some over-the-counter drugs such as cold and cough medicines have a high-sodium content.

If blood pressure doesn't respond to these changes, there are many effective medications. What's most important is to have your blood pressure checked regularly and to follow your doctor's advice. ☆

Mari S. Gold is a freelance writer in New York.

## Rate This Story

How did you like this story? Log on to [www.americanprofile.com/rate](http://www.americanprofile.com/rate)

The good news . . .  
high blood pressure, also  
known as hypertension, can  
be treated and controlled.





NECCO's corporate headquarters in Revere, Mass.

(Continued from page 6)

Customers can have their own words printed on the candy hearts, too, if they buy an entire production run of 3,500 pounds, or 1.6 million hearts, which costs about \$7,000.

Most people find the perfect words already printed on Sweethearts Conversation Hearts. Such was the case for Mike Waltz, 44, of Mason, Mich., (pop. 6,714) who popped the question to his sweetheart Chris, 38, on Valentine's Day 2004. He presented her with a box chockfull of hearts printed with "Marry Me."

"I cleaned out the stores," he says. "I might find three 'Marry Me's' in a 1-pound bag." He sent a heartfelt request to NECCO and an employee handpicked a box of magic words from the production line.

"The box is sealed and I'll never open it," declares Chris, who found her answer—"I Do"—in another box of Sweethearts Conversation Hearts.

The couple married Jan. 14, 2005. They gave each wedding guest a box of America's favorite Valentine's Day candy. ☆

Visit [www.necco.com](http://www.necco.com) for more information.

### Rate This Story...

How did you like this story? Log on to [www.americanprofile.com/rate](http://www.americanprofile.com/rate)

### SPECIAL VALENTINE'S DAY OFFER for American Profile Readers!

Enjoy a hint of Spring even while the snow blankets the ground! A bouquet of red, pink and white tulips will arrive fresh and ready to open to their full beauty.



\$29.99  
PLUS s/h

This offer includes 15 red, pink, and white tulips. Flowers are hand-picked, tied, and shipped directly from the fields along with your personal message. Includes a FREE glass vase!

Call (800) 416-1959

# Look out cholesterol, he's made it 3 against 1.



### Now 3 ways to help lower cholesterol.

Besides Quaker Old Fashioned and Instant Oatmeal, you can try Quaker Oatmeal to Go.

### Here's how he does it.

Quaker Oatmeal isn't just a cholesterol-free



food...it's a unique whole grain food that goes in and actually soaks

up excess cholesterol and removes it from your body. So basically, you sit and enjoy a tasty bowl of oatmeal while it does its thing.

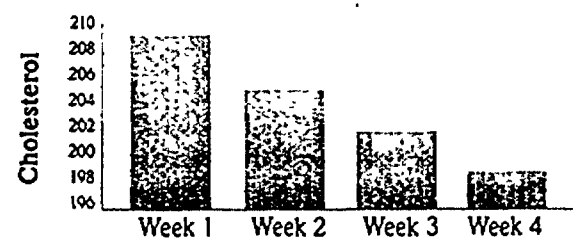
Not a bad deal, right?

### It's hardworking.

Quaker Oatmeal contains soluble fiber that actively finds the excess cholesterol, which can clog arteries and lead to heart disease,

and binds with it. Your bloodstream can't absorb the cholesterol, so it's removed from your body. This means you could see a drop in your overall number.

### Representative Cholesterol Point Drop



### Need more proof?

Visit [www.quakeroatmeal.com](http://www.quakeroatmeal.com) or call 1-800-770-4091.



Something to smile about.

3g of soluble fiber daily from oatmeal in a low saturated fat, low cholesterol diet may reduce heart disease risk. Quaker Old Fashioned provides 2g per serving, Quaker Instant Apples & Cinnamon flavor provides 1g per serving and Oatmeal to Go provides 1g per serving.



FEB. 12-  
MARCH 5

# Happenings



Residents of CA, CT, TN, IL, AR and NY add sales tax. NSF checks will be automatically debited for the amount of the check plus applicable fees. Offer is limited and expires 4/15/06. Please allow 2-4 weeks for delivery.

## PICK OF THE MONTH!



50 SONGS IN ALL! Hear classic hymns like:  
*How Great Thou Art • I'd Rather Have Jesus  
Blessed Assurance • And Can It Be?  
In the Garden • Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus*

Call (800) 715-6248 from 8am - 5pm CST, M-F  
or send check or money order for \$29.85 (\$25.99 + \$3.95 s/h) to  
Hymns - Dept AP, P.O. Box 340, Harrison, AR 72602

### ILLINOIS

**Antique Show**—Machesney Park, Feb. 18-19. Northern Illinois Antiques Dealers display furniture, china, glass, stoneware, silver, woodenware, tin, textiles, jewelry and toys at the Forest Hills Lodge. (815) 761-1444.

### INDIANA

**Dance Kaleidoscope**—Indianapolis, Feb. 16-19. This contemporary dance group presents a tribute to dance icon Martha Graham during a performance at Indiana Repertory Theatre. (317) 635-5252.

### IOWA

**O'Reilly Auto Parts Rod & Custom Car Show**—Monticello, Feb. 25-26. View a new selection of street rods, customized cars, motorcycles, pickups and racecars, and enjoy the Model Car Contest at the Monticello Berndes Center. (319) 465-5119.

### KANSAS

**Abraham Lincoln Re-enactment Day**—Lincoln, Feb. 18. Features a portrayal of the nation's 16th president, a Lincoln look-alike contest, President's Ball and buffalo stew in the downtown area. (785) 524-5133.

### MICHIGAN

**Slush Cup Weekend**—Bellaire, March 3-5. Watch as skiers and snowboarders try to pick up enough speed on the race course to cross Shanty Creek Resort's 40-foot icy pond, and participate in a frozen fish toss, shovel races and seal slide. (800) 678-4111, ext. 7879.

### MINNESOTA

**Fabulous Fairmont Fruitcake Follies**—Fairmont, Feb. 18. Launch a fruitcake from a homemade catapult or trebuchet, enter the barbecue contest and tour fish houses in the downtown area. (507) 235-5547.

### MISSOURI

**Chocolate Wine Trail**—Hermann, Feb. 18-19. Follow the 20-mile Hermann Wine Trail between Hermann and New Haven to seven wineries and sample chocolate creations paired with wines. For ticket information, call (800) 932-8687.

### NEBRASKA

**Polar Bear Dip & Chili Cookoff**—Cedar Rapids, Feb. 25. Cool off with a dip in the Cedar River and join in the cook-off competition or sample the entries at Mel's Landing Park. (308) 358-0112.

### NORTH DAKOTA

**Garrison Firemen's Buffalo Feed and Dance**—Garrison, Feb. 18. Feast on buffalo roast and meatballs and dance to live music during this annual event at the City Auditorium. (800) 799-4242.

### OHIO

**Renfro Valley Barn Dance**—Wilmington, Feb. 25. A cast of singers, musicians and comedians presents country, bluegrass and gospel music as well as down-home humor during this show at Murphy Theatre. (877) 274-3848.

### SOUTH DAKOTA

**Mardi Gras Weekend**—Deadwood, Feb. 24-25. Join in the revelry during this celebration featuring Cajun cuisine, mysterious masks and a night-time parade and bead throw. (800) 999-1876.

### WISCONSIN

**Klondike Days**—Eagle River, Feb. 18-19. Celebrate winter with horse and dog weight pulls, lumberjack and chainsaw-carving competitions, a snowshoe relay race, dog sled and sleigh rides, and craft show. (800) 359-6315. ★

Submit Happenings to: [www.americanprofile.com/happenings](http://www.americanprofile.com/happenings) or Happenings, 341 Cool Springs Blvd., Ste. 400, Franklin, TN 37067 Submissions must be received four months prior to the event.

## ATTENTION

# DIABETIC METER RECALL ALERT

There have been over 20 different Class I High Risk Recalls for diabetic meters issued by the U.S. Food and Drug Administration in 2005. A Class I recall means that there is a reasonable chance that the product will cause serious health problems or death. Most major diabetic meter manufactures have had a recall in the past 2 years! **YOUR CURRENT METER MAY BE INVOLVED IN A RECALL.**

If you have Medicare call us now to get a NO COST replacement meter and new

testing supplies! Sorry, we are unable to help you if you are in an HMO.

Call Discount Diabetic at 1-800-853-6127.

Accuracy and consistency are extremely important when you test your blood!

If you have Arthritis, Medicare will cover a large, moist heating pad for you at NO COST to you. Medicare will also cover vacuum therapy systems for erectile dysfunction.

\*Deductible and copay may apply.

Call 1-800-853-6127

## ProFlowers®

The Art of Fresher Flowers™

JOIN OVER 4 MILLION SATISFIED CUSTOMERS

### FRESHER FLOWERS

We stand behind our products with a 7 day freshness GUARANTEE!

### SAVE UP TO 50%

We eliminate the middleman and pass our savings on to you.

### EXCELLENT CUSTOMER SERVICE

Friendly, knowledgeable flower experts to help you pick the perfect gift.



SPECIAL  
OFFER

ONE DOZEN ASSORTED VALENTINE ROSES

ONLY \$29.99

Plus FREE  
Standard Glass Vase

Call 1-800-416-1959 and mention code AP4  
or go to [www.proflowers.com/AP4](http://www.proflowers.com/AP4)

This is a limited time offer for American Profile readers. Not available for same-day or international delivery. This offer may not be combined with other offers or discounts.

(Continued from page 9)

in a band. Being a medical doctor was always in his plans and the Ledbetters moved to Memphis in 1945 so Rene could attend medical school at the University of Tennessee. They lived in government housing and, coincidentally, their two children, Rene Jr. and Joan, played with a neighbor teen named Elvis Presley.

In seven decades of marriage, both say that the roughest patch was when Rene worked long days as a doctor, then made house calls around the clock. Most arguments sprang from a lack of time together.

"She just missed me and wanted me home," says Rene, 91. He retired from his medical practice in Knoxville, Tenn., in 1975.

The couple now live in New Smyrna Beach, Fla. (pop. 20,048), where Rene's flowers are the talk of the neighborhood. Elizabeth always has a fresh bouquet of roses, zinnias, cannas or mums.

On Saturday nights, Rene switches on *The Lawrence Welk Show* on their living room television and asks his wife to waltz. Sometimes it's Elizabeth's favorite song: "Let Me Call You Sweetheart."

And she seldom steps on his toes. ☆

#### Rate This Story

How did you like this story? Log on to [www.americanprofile.com/rate](http://www.americanprofile.com/rate)

#### Special Valentine's Offer



A beautiful gift for someone special!

Only  
**\$29.99**  
+ s/h

You can give a glorious assortment of the very best, freshest rose blossoms that are available, & get a FREE standard glass vase!

One dozen fresh-cut, assorted Valentine roses – brilliant reds, delicate pinks, golden yellows, perfect peach. Measures approximately 16" tall. Flowers are hand-picked and tied, then shipped directly from the fields along with your personal message. Item shown in upgraded vase. (Item #4539)

Call (800) 416-1959 and mention "AP3" or go to [www.proflowers.com/AP3](http://www.proflowers.com/AP3).

This is a limited time special offer for readers of American Profile. Not available for same-day or international delivery. This offer may not be combined with other offers or discounts.

#### Send Your Feet On A First Class Vacation!

As soon as you slip them on, you'll feel like you've stepped into paradise. Your feet will fall in love with your first step...we guarantee it. So comfortable... they're down right irresistible! So surround your feet with thick, warm, cushy, luxurious comfort that will pamper your feet like never before. Fashion import of fleecy polyester looks great and feels even better! Rush your order now. Buy 2 or more and get FREE SHIPPING & HANDLING.

Satisfaction Guaranteed or Return For Your Money Back

INDICATE NUMBER OF PAIRS ORDERED UNDER SIZE				
Color	Small (5-5½)	Medium (6-7½)	Large (8-9½)	X-Large (10-11)
Navy	93867	93868	93869	93870
	Prs	Prs	Prs	Prs
Brown	93871	93872	93873	93874
	Prs	Prs	Prs	Prs
Prs) Comfort Velour Polar Boots @ \$9.97pr. \$				
CA residents must add 7.25% sales tax \$				
Add Shipping & Handling: \$3.95/1st pair				
FREE SHIPPING & HANDLING when buying 2 or more \$				
Did You Indicate Size, Color & Quantity?			TOTAL \$	

#### Comfort Velour Polar Boots Dept. 6101

☐ Enclosed is my check or money order payable to Dream Products, Inc.

Charge my: ☐ VISA ☐ MasterCard ☐ Discover/NOVUS Cards

Card# \_\_\_\_\_ Exp \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ ST \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

MAIL TO: Dream Products, Inc., 412 DREAM LANE, VAN NUYS, CA 91496

## IT'S LOVE AT FIRST STEP!

### Comfort Velour Polar Boots

ONLY \$9.97

Makes Your Feet Feel  
**20 Years Younger!**

**FREE**  
Shipping & Handling  
when ordering 2 or more

Luxurious Plush  
Velour

Brown

Cozy Warmth  
Ankles To Toes

Cradles Your Feet  
With Velvety Soft Comfort

[www.DreamProductsCatalog.com](http://www.DreamProductsCatalog.com) (web offers may vary.)

Dept. 6101 © 2006 Dream Products, Inc.



## Hometown Recipes

from AMBER DOERING

# Fiesta Black Bean Salad

"As a Spanish teacher, I enjoy trying authentic cuisine from a variety of Hispanic cultures. This fiber-filled recipe pairs perfectly with grilled steak, chicken or pork." ☆

## You Can Have 425 More Recipes Just Like This One!

The new American Profile Hometown Cookbook is loaded page after page with 425 crowd-pleasing, easy-to-prepare recipes from our nation's hometown kitchens. To order, send \$14.95 + \$4.95 s/h (\$19.90 total) to:

AMERICAN PROFILE COOKBOOK

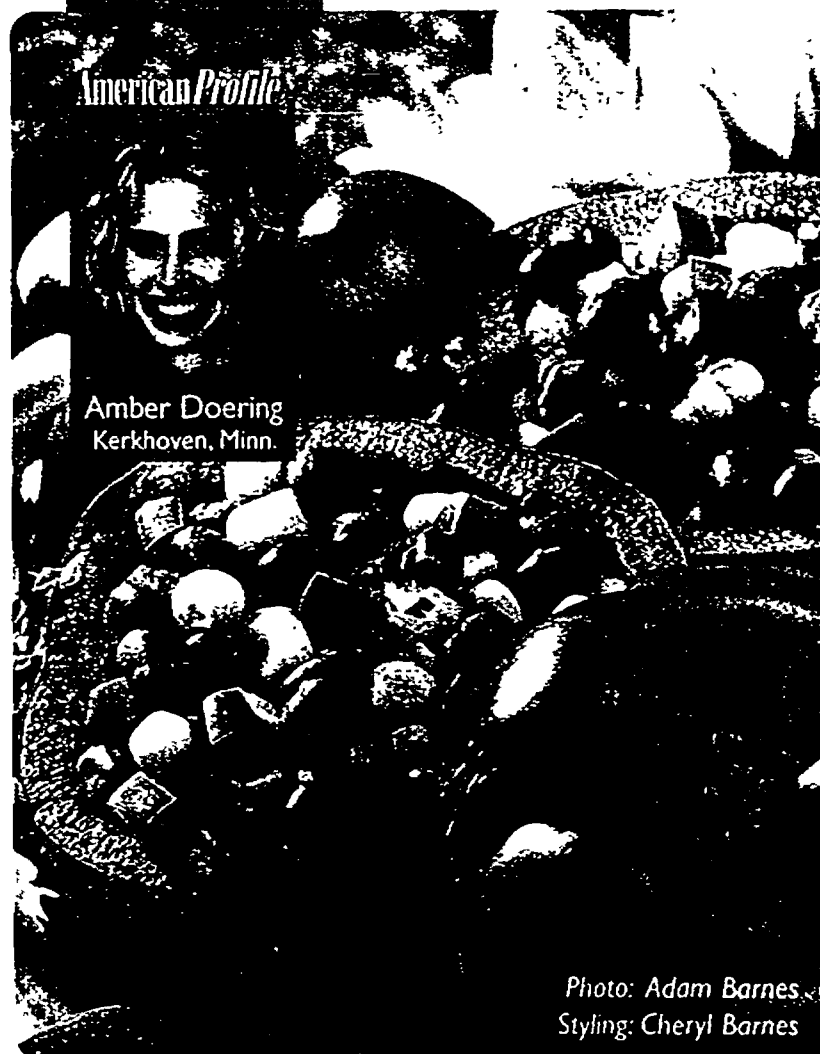
341 Cool Springs Blvd., Suite 400,

Franklin, TN 37067 Or call 1-800-851-5284

Residents of CA, CT, TN, IL, AR and NY add sales tax. NSF checks will be automatically debited for the amount of the check plus applicable fees. Offer is limited. Cookbooks will ship by 3/1/06.

## RECIPE:

## Fiesta Black Bean Salad



Amber Doering  
Kerkhoven, Minn.

Photo: Adam Barnes  
Styling: Cheryl Barnes



## Fiesta Black Bean Salad

- 2 cups corn (canned and drained or frozen and thawed)
- 1/2 purple onion, diced
- 1 red bell pepper, diced
- 2 15-ounce cans black beans, rinsed and drained
- 3 teaspoons chili powder
- 2 tablespoons olive oil
- 1/4 teaspoon garlic powder
- 1/8 teaspoon salt
- 2 tablespoons balsamic vinegar
- 2 tablespoons lemon juice
- 1/2 cup fresh minced cilantro
- Black pepper to taste

Gently toss together corn, onion, red pepper and beans. Stir in chili powder and allow to sit at room temperature. Meanwhile, whisk together olive oil, garlic, salt, vinegar and lemon juice. Pour this dressing over vegetables. Stir in cilantro, and season with black pepper if desired. Chill for 2 hours before serving.

## Tips From Our Test Kitchen:

Substitute lime juice for lemon juice if you prefer. This recipe also can be served as a dip with tortilla chips.

# FREE WIG CATALOG!

Our best collection of carefree hair styles ever!

For a **FREE CATALOG** of wigs and hair pieces with **special limited-time offers**

phone toll-free

**1-888-800-5902,**

code 4508.

Or, mail this coupon today.

☒ **YES**, rush me a FREE Paula Young Wig Catalog!

Name

Address

City  State  Zip

Email

Do you wear wigs? ☐ yes ☐ not yet

Mail to: PAULA YOUNG

Dept. 4508X, P.O. Box 483, Brockton, MA 02303



[www.PaulaYoung.com/4508E](http://www.PaulaYoung.com/4508E)

**PAULA YOUNG**  
AMERICA'S NATURAL CHOICE FOR BEAUTIFUL HAIR

#1 SINCE 1978



Color Me Exquisite

© 2006 PAULA YOUNG

OFFICIAL RELEASE FROM THE AMERICAN HISTORIC SOCIETY

**YOUR CHANCE TO OWN!**

# The Last Morgan Silver Dollar Ever Minted (A \$40.00 Value) for **FREE**

(\*Pay just for processing and handling.)

**THIS MAY BE YOUR LAST  
OPPORTUNITY TO GET  
THE LAST MORGAN SILVER  
DOLLAR EVER MINTED  
BEFORE IT'S GONE**

The American Historic Society is pleased to announce that we are offering to collectors a limited supply of Morgan Silver Dollars for FREE! Designed by engraver George T. Morgan in 1878, the Morgan Silver Dollar is an exquisitely beautiful coin. It features the likeness of Lady Liberty on the obverse side, with a majestic American Eagle depicted on the reverse.

## Will Never Be Minted Again!

But what's even more special is that the coins being offered here are the last Morgan Silver Dollars ever minted! Each coin is in circulated condition and is minted from 90% silver. Coinage of the silver dollar was suspended after 1904 when the bullion supply became exhausted and were melted down under provisions of the Pittman Act. Coinage of the Morgan design was briefly resumed in 1921; after that, these Morgans were never and will never be minted again! The American Historic Society is cleaning out our supply of these Silver Dollars and is making them available to new customers for FREE! This may be one of your final opportunities to obtain this historic coin. ACT NOW to take advantage of this very special offer!



*One Of The Most Coveted  
Silver Coins In The World!*



To Receive Yours Order By Toll-Free Phone  
**1-800-419-0359**

\*Pay just \$4.95 to cover processing and handling.

Limit 1 per household. Sorry, no mail orders. Satisfaction Guaranteed.



D565-AG

© 2006 National Consumer Marketing, 580 South Research Place, Central Islip, NY 11722

Visit our website for more great free offers! [WWW.AHS.COM](http://WWW.AHS.COM)

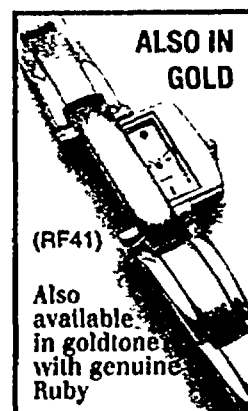
# Free

(\*Pay just for processing and handling)

## SLIDE & HIDE™ Bracelet WATCH

WITH A  
**GENUINE  
SAPPHIRE**

A \$50 Retail  
Appraised Value!



ALSO IN  
GOLD

(RF41)

Also  
available  
in goldtone  
with genuine  
Ruby

This sophisticated timepiece boasts an appraised value of \$50—but if you call today it can be yours for FREE! Our jewelry business has enjoyed tremendous success over the years and this is our way of saying "thanks" to our loyal customers—and "welcome" to those who have not shopped with us before. Supplies of these watches are limited, so hurry and give us a call toll-free today!

- Stylish bracelet and wristwatch in one
- Precision quartz movement
- Sweep second hand
- Lavish silver or goldtone finish
- Genuine 2mm sapphire at 12 o'clock
- Adjustable band with snap link closure

WATCH SLIDES  
OUT, THEN HIDES  
AWAY SHUT

CALL TOLL-FREE TO RECEIVE YOUR FREE WATCH



**1-800-359-1195**



RF31-CG

\*Pay just \$4.95 per watch to cover processing and handling.

This limited time offer is only available by phone to residents in the U.S.

© 2006 National Consumer Marketing, 580 South Research Place, Central Islip, NY 11722

Visit our website for more great free offers! [WWW.AHS.COM](http://WWW.AHS.COM)

# "Control Your Blood Sugar ... with CINNAMON!"

(By Frank K. Wood)

If you want to win the fight against type 2 diabetes, you need *Amazing Diabetes Breakthroughs*.

This incredible book contains breakthrough information from reports by leading doctors, top medical schools, and world-class research about how you can defeat type 2 diabetes.

► Just two servings of this each week will bolster your body against heart attack, stroke, type 2 diabetes, depression, AND cancer!

► Controlling cholesterol a major concern? **GOOD NEWS:** This natural substance has been shown to lower cholesterol levels by up to 13% — AND it lowered blood sugar levels by almost 20%!

► This ONE substance fights type 2 diabetes, heart disease, stroke, impotence, and cancer. Get the details.

► How a handful of strawberries can provide powerful protection against multiple diabetes complications such as cataracts, slow-healing wounds and high cholesterol.

► Soften up those hard arteries with this flavorful favorite. It's probably in your kitchen right now!

► Can type 2 diabetes be controlled without drugs? The delectable eating plans described here might hold the answer!

► What you eat for breakfast may determine your future health. Start your mornings off right to avoid type 2 diabetes!

► Feel better and have more energy ... in a matter of weeks!

► STOP: Don't turn your liver into a fat factory! Take this supplement to "oil" your liver's machinery and make it work right!

► Sprinkle a few of these berries on your cereal in the morning, and you could help lower your blood sugar and sharpen your memory.

► A glassful of this with your meals can fight heart-damaging free radicals.

► Beans, greens, grains, and olive oil ... eat like you're in the Mediterranean to protect yourself against type 2 diabetes, heart disease, and cancer.

► God's gift from the sea is known to have curative effects on over 15 ailments, including arthritis, heart disease, cancer and type 2 diabetes.

► Drop your B vitamin "defensive line" and expect a full-level assault on your artery walls! How taking your B vitamins can reduce your risk of heart disease.

**TO ORDER A COPY**

*Amazing Diabetes Breakthroughs* for \$9.99. See coupon. OFC&A 2006



"McCormick" is a ® of McCormick Delaware, Inc.

# "What You Should Never Drink If You're Taking High Blood Pressure Medicine!"

(By Frank K. Wood)

If you want to avoid risky surgery and costly medical bills, you need *Natural Cures and Gentle Medicines*.

Whether you're concerned about preventing serious disease or interested in treating everyday health problems, this book contains natural alternatives for common ailments, including high blood pressure, arthritis, memory problems and more.

► Just a single cup of this refreshing fruit juice daily is enough to keep cholesterol from turning into artery-clogging plaque.

► Save your eyesight, no matter your age. These foods reduce your risk of blindness in old age by nearly half.

► 6 simple steps to prevent Alzheimer's.

► How to keep your vision sharp — at any age! Nature's all-natural cataract preventers.

► How to lose weight without even trying! This diet secret works only for women!

► Your body produces a natural "fountain of youth" that keeps your heart and arteries strong, lowers your cholesterol and blood pressure levels, and stops free radicals from doing damage.

► Women who eat more of this food are less likely to develop type 2 diabetes.

► If your home's foundation crumbles and so will your body. As your body

foundation, your skeleton works the same way. Just 4 diet secrets can do the trick for strong bones that last a lifetime.

► Vitamins and minerals may keep you from getting colon cancer, even if this awful killer runs in your family. Good news!

► Fight cancer, heart disease, type 2 diabetes, flu ... even bad breath — just by sipping a steaming cup of this pleasant beverage.

► Are you sick and tired of spending too much time and too much money on doctors and drugs that fail to help your arthritis? Try this vitamin remedy.

► Don't go blind as you age! Find out how to keep your eyesight sharp.

► Easy ways to boost your metabolism and burn fat.

► Melt away tension, depression, anger, fatigue, and mental confusion — all without drugs, doctors, or special diets. This cure builds confidence and self-awareness, too.

► Diabetic? Now help control your blood sugar without insulin or medication. Research shows that this remedy helps regulate glucose, helps you lose weight, and lowers your blood pressure. That's 3 great benefits from one fantastic remedy.

**TO ORDER A COPY**

*Natural Cures and Gentle Medicines* for \$9.99. See coupon. OFC&A 2006



# "Grape Juice Can Heal WHAT?"

(By Frank K. Wood)

If you'd like to discover how to tap into your body's own healing power — simply by eating good-tasting, good-for-you foods, you need *Unleash the Inner Healing Power of Foods*.

Find out which food can help fight depression, heart attack, stroke, diabetes, and cancer with just two servings a week, discover the amazing artery-cleaning power of fruit, and much more!

► Feel better and have more energy ... in a matter of weeks!

► Need to shed fat? No sweat — drink this all-natural nutrient-loaded beverage from your supermarket 3 times a day! From a study by this Yale University researcher.

► Everybody knows what parsley is, but you need to know what wonders it can do for your health.

► This one substance fights diabetes, heart disease, stroke, impotence, and cancer. Get the details.

► A French study has found that eating this fruit can help prevent and reverse hardening of the arteries.

► Drop your B vitamin "defensive line" and expect a full-level assault on your artery walls! How taking your B vitamins can reduce your risk of heart disease.

► Is this the last diet plan you'll ever need? In less than one month, women and men on this delicious and nutritious plan lost weight without dieting, reduced their cholesterol 21 percent, improved their sense of well being, felt less anxiety, fear, and depression, reduced chest pain by 91 percent, felt renewed energy and required much less sleep!

► Ten best healthy eating tips for losing weight permanently and lowering blood pressure quickly, naturally.

► Wow! This inexpensive, ultra low-calorie vegetable has ultra high cancer-fighting nutrients. Researchers say it prevents cancer of the colon, brain, breast, stomach, bladder and lung!

► Save your eyesight, no matter your age.



These foods reduce your risk of blindness in old age by nearly half.

► Increase circulation, boost energy and improve your concentration — four herbs you can grow yourself to boost your brain's performance.

► Add plenty of potassium-rich fruits and vegetables to your arsenal in the war against heart disease and watch your blood pressure fall!

► Just two servings of this each week will bolster your body against heart attack, stroke, type 2 diabetes, depression, AND cancer!

► Clear out artery-clogging plaque without drugs! Researchers discover this sweet snack contains over 17 compounds that flush gunk out of your arteries!

► You may not have to worry about being overweight again! The "Nothing Forbidden" diet plan anybody can follow!

► Painful joints? You may find real pain relief naturally just by balancing these two nutrients found in eggs, meat, milk and fish.

► The Top 10 healing herbs for insomnia: It's one secret your pharmacist can't afford to tell you!

► Eat to end your pain! Discover these pain-fighting foods that work with your body to ease inflammation and repair damaged joints.

► This delicious, vitamin-packed fruit is proven to relieve arthritis pain even better than aspirin, ibuprofen and other drugs — with NO stomach upset or other side effects.

► Simple herb slashes your risk of cancer! Research finds it protects against breast and prostate cancer.

► Raise your metabolism and drop pounds with this nutritional supplement.

**TO ORDER A COPY**

*Unleash the Inner Healing Power of Foods* for \$9.99. See coupon. OFC&A 2006

**Coupon**

Learn all these amazing secrets and more. To order your books, just return this notice with your name and address and a check for \$9.99 per book, plus \$3.00 shipping and handling to: FC&A, Dept. 1107D, 103 Clover Green, Peachtree City, GA 30269. You get a no-time-limit guarantee of satisfaction or your money back.

**FREE SHIPPING** if you order two or more books!

You must cut out and return this notice with your order. Copies will not be accepted! **IMPORTANT — FREE GIFT OFFER EXPIRES MARCH 12, 2006**

All orders mailed by March 12, 2006 will receive a free gift, *Simple Solutions to Common Health Problems*, guaranteed. Order right away!

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Quantity \_\_\_\_\_ B8FS *Unleash the Inner Healing Powers of Foods*

☐ Quantity \_\_\_\_\_ BWDS *Amazing Diabetes Breakthroughs: Natural Remedies and Medical Miracles That Really Work*

☐ Quantity \_\_\_\_\_ BINS *Natural Cures and Gentle Medicines That Work Better Than Dangerous Drugs or Risky Surgery* 1107D