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# **Town Square** Project to hit construction goal set for Victorian Fest

### ■ Grand opening still on for Oct. 20

By Pam Fleming STAFF WRITER

Visitors to this weekend's Victorian Festival can look forward to a special treat this year a "sneak peek" at the new Town Square in downtown Northville.

The \$1.8-million project, which got under way July 9, will meet the Downtown Development Authority's goal of being substan-

tially complete for the festival.

The project, which is on Main Street between Center and Hutton streets, will require some addstional work before the Oct 20 grand opening for downtown merchants and those living in zip

codes 48167 or 48168.

According to the weekly construction update provided by the DDA staff each Friday afternoon. the fountain floor has been

poured. The next step is to tile the fountain, which won't be done until after the festival.

Steps on the south end of the plaza and step-down to the pavilion area have been bricked. The steps may be used as additional seating during downtown con-

Footings for the pavilion have been poured. A new pavilion is being constructed and will be installed in mid October. A temporary stage will be used during the festival

On Main Street, the concrete

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hoto by JOHN HEIDER Northwile Record

As pavers pave and bricklayers make fountains, work continues on downtown Northville's Town Square project.

# 'Don't Dress for Dinner' raucous ride for Tipping Point audience

### Fast-moving comedy has 'em rolling in the aisles

By Pam Fleming STAFF WRITER

Gillian Eaton enjoys making

people laugh. And as the director of the new Tipping Point Theatre's first performance. "Don't Dress for Dinner," that's a pretty simple

Eaton watched the audience members' reactions with delight last Friday night during the second of two preview performances of the comedy.

The grand opening of the new theater at 361 E Cady Street in downtown Northville Saturday night.

#### A tangled web they weave

In the play by Marc Camoletti, adapted by Robin Hawdon, the character Bernard is planning a luxurious weekend with his chic mistress. He has engaged a cook to prepare gourmet delights, packed his wife, Jacqueline, off to her mother's and invited his best friend, Robert, to provide the

What could possibly go wrong? A hilarious evening ensues as Bernard and Robert must improvise at breakneck speed.

The cast of Loren Bass, Sarab Kamoo, Laurel Hufano, Dave Davies, Michelle Stackpoole and Aaron Moore pulled off last Friday's performance without a hitch after weeks of rehearsal in the sometimes unair-conditioned theater

### Seats still available

The Tipping Point Theatre's "Don't Dress for Dinner," sponsored by Rocky's of Northville Restaurant, runs through Sept. 29. As of Monday, seats were still available for the 3 p.m. performance on Sept. 15, the 8 p.m. performance on Sept. 20 and the 8 p.m. performance on Sept. 27.

Tickets are \$18-\$24.50. For more information, call the box office at (734) 446-5843 or visit www.tippingpointtheatre.org.

On hand for the performances were theater founder and executive director Christina Johnson; Chuck Gaidica, of Northville,

president of the theater; his wife. Susan, who served as the comedy's costumer; and Jennifer Steger, marketing and develop-

Second public hearing slated

ment director for the theater. Northville resident Chuck Lapham owns the building.

### **Audience members' reactions**

Northville residents Stringer and Jan Tiplady attended Friday night's performance.

"It was marvelous," Stringer said "I haven't laughed this hard

in a long time." "It was absolutely excellent -

so funny," Tiplady said Chuck Gaidica's parents, Chuck

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#### Photo by PAM FLEMING/ Northville Record Jim and Eugenie Beall think only a small portion of the roads need to be repaved in their 3 2 2 subdivision, Edenderry Hills, and the adjacent Shadbrook subdivision. INDEX



### on proposed special assessment ■ Some residents say alternatives

By Pam Fleming STAFF WRITER

Jim and Eugenie Beall love their home in Edenderry Hills. They've lived in the Northville Township

exist for streets

subdivision south of Seven Mile Road between Sheldon and Beck roads for seven years, and they don't plan to move anytime soon

But they don't know if they

want to plunk down a bunch of money to improve the roads in their neighborhood.

In fact, they don't think they're that bad except for a few places

The Bealls are among residents of the Edenderry and Shadbrook subdivisions who say there are alternatives to the Special Assessment District the township is proposing that if residents approve could cost lot owners upwards of \$11,500.

#### Bonds have to be sold first

Bonds would be sold to fund the \$1.3-million project, with residents being assessed for the cost. The roads belong to Wayne

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■ 2007 Victorian Festival: Annual event celebrating its 19th year downtown Northville

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leading the parade will be the Northville High School Marching Band

Costumed individuals do not need to register, but should report to the staging area behind the Northville Senior Community Center (303 W. Main) at 6 p.m.

#### Art Market predates Victorian Festival

It's not often a happening that's a part of a major event predates the event, but that's the case of the Northville Art Market and the Northville Victorian Festival.

When the 19th annual Victorian Festival takes place this weekend, the 21st edition of the Northville Art Market will take place, as well.

The Art Market is a juried art show sponsored by the Northville Arts Commission for the benefit of the Northville Art House. The Art Market will bring many fine artists onto Main Street for festival-goers who wish to browse and buy one-of-a-kind artwork:

Most artists are from Michigan, including several from the Northville area. In addition, the event brings artists together from around the Midwest.

There will be a variety of jewelers working in metal, gold, silver and handmade glass beads, as well as a selection of art ranging from photography; metalwork; stained glass; creative and functional pottery; fiber art; and prints and acrylic, oil, and watercolor paintings.

Several of the artists taking part have won awards for their work. There will also be a couple of booths catering to children, with sand art and a caricature artist.

The Art Market will be open from 10 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. Saturday and from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday

p.m. Sunday

For information about the event, call (248) 344-0497.

### Victorian Tea to feature expert historian

An annual event that gives visitors the opportunity to view vintage Victorian-era gowns returns to the Northville Victorian Festival for the eighth year.

The Victorian Tea, sponsored by the Northville Fine Arts Committee and First Presbyterian Church, will showcase a Power Point presentation, combined with live models wearing vintage gowns, according to co-chair Linda Chapekis.

Host Pam Yockey is a local expert historian who owns a number of Victorian-era gowns, Chapekis said.

"She shares her love and expertise of the Victorian era as she hosts the show," Chapekis said.

Two shows are scheduled for 2 and 3 p.m. on Saturday at First Presbyterian Church, located at 200 Main St. Tickets are \$10 for adults, \$5 for children and can be purchased from 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Monday-Friday in the church office.

For more information, call (248) 349-0911.

### Author to take part in festival activities

Michigan resident, author and publisher Nancy Feldbush will don her best Victorian-era garb during the Victorian Festival, as she will be in town during the

event plugging her newest work.
Feldbush wil be at As The
Page Turns, 149 N. Center St.,
Suite 102, on Friday and
Saturday signing copies of her
new book, "To Repay a Debt."
The tale is set in the Victorian
time period. The book will be on
sale for \$12.95

For more information, visit the store's Web site, www.asthepage-turns.biz.

### Marquis showing "The General"

Buster Keaton's "The General" (1927) will be shown one night only at the Northville Marquis Theater at 8 p.m. tomorrow, presented with a new musical score, composed and performed live by Blue Dahlia.

Tickets (\$12 each) are available for purchase at the Northville Marquis Theater box office and Goody Two Shoes on E. Main Street. Purchase and/or reserve tickets by calling (248) 629-5808 or via email to

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Ranked 18th among the 100
Best Movies of All Time as established by the American Film
Institute, "The General" stars
Buster Keaton (who also wrote,
produced and directed) as
Confederate railroad engineer
Johnny Gray. Johnny has two
loves – his girl, and his engine,
The General. When both are
stolen by the Union, Johnny
becomes a one-man army of his

Keaton's deadpan, pitch-perfect, comedic timing and incredible physical talent, paired with action sequences and special effects that were, at the time, the most expensive and elaborate ever produced, "The General" is truly one of the greatest comedies of the silent film era.

"It was a little puzzling at first, as the vast majority of the film takes place on trains," said Blue Dahlia of creating the soundtrack for this movie. "We tried to make a point of dealing with both the thematic and incidental aspects, adding sound effects on certain gags and changing with the action while still focusing on the overall statement of the film."

statement of the film."

Proceeds from this event,

which, is being produced by Northville Chapter FL of P.E.O., will benefit several educational projects and programs supported by the organization. These projects include scholarships, grants and loans to women for the purposes of continuing and/or advancing their education.

For information about the Victorian Festival, call the Northville Chamber of Commerce at (248) 349-7640.

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# Beautification commissioners name city, township winners

### ■ Awards given at Sept. 25 event

By Pam Fleming STAFF WRITER

Marie Barr knows a good 100k2 ing yard when she sees one, as she should.

As chair of the Northville Township Beautification Commission, she is called upon each year to help select winners in Northville Community Beautification Awards.

Winners from the city and the township will be recognized at the 18th Northville Beautification Awards Luncheon Sept. 25 during the Northville Rotary Club meeting at the First Presbyterian Church.

When selecting winners, com-missioners use criteria such as the overall maintenance of businesses, plantings and unique items of interest.

"It's the entire package," said Julie Mantay of the City of Northville Beautification Commission. "We look to see if the property enhances the Northville community.

#### Signs new this year

For the first time, township beautification commissioners came up with a sign to place outside award winners' businesses.

'We wanted the community to know which of the commercial establishments had gone above and beyond," Barr said.

The city commissioners liked our sign design so much that they used it also," Barr said. "We hope the signs will inspire other businesses to beautify their property."

Township beautification commission members besides Barr include Larry Aepelbacher, treasurer- Margaret Faessler, Audrey Mistor-Jackman, Diane Jefferson, Barbara O'Brien, Patty Page, Catherine Sellas and Sue Hillebrand, who serves as the liaison between the commission and township hall.

Northville City Beautification Commission members include Sally Hayes, Rosemary Tague, Annamarie Cusmano and Julie Mantay.

"We would like to thank the their continued support of our luncheon," Barr said communities and for hosting the



Photo by JOHN HEIDER/Northwile Record

Northville Township Beautification Committee chair Marie Barr, left, joins member Julie Mantay in downtown Northville at one of the many addresses they've noted with lawn signs for their eye-catching efforts.

#### **Northville Township winners**

Township winners include Hayes Lemmerz International, Inc., Chase Bank on Seven Mile Road, Northville Hills Golf Club, American House, Addington Place, Deadwood Bar & Grill, McDonald's Restaurant on Six Mile Road, Hiller's Market on Five Mile Road, Senate Coney Island Restaurant, Hidden Spring Veterinary Clinic, Belanger, Inc., and Rocky's of Northville restau-

#### City of Northville winners

Award winners this year in the city of Northville include Northville District Library, the Northville Chamber of Commerce, Stempien & Stempien, Corriveau Law Firm, Little Italy, Hiller's Market on Center Street, Main Street Bank, Tirami Su Italian Restaurant, Margo's of Northville, Starbucks, Our Lady of Victory School, Angela Carson Photography, Northville City Car Wash, Northville Senior Citizens Center, Dr. William Demray, Hutton Street Park and Fine Threads.

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### ■ Town Square Project will hit construction goal for festival

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road base has been poured, and brick work was supposed to be completed this week. The street will be blocked off for the festival Main Street will open to twoway traffic sometime today.

The road surface on Mary Alexander Court has been completed and is open for the usual one-way westbound traffic. Trees have been planted in the bed with the treble clef sculpture.

"We'll be pushing forward until the last minute before the festival to make up for weather delays," said John Hasinski, field superintendent from McCarthy & Smith, Inc. construction serv-

The sidewalk was poured in front of Rock on Main clothing store on Tuesday. Yesterday, the rest of the asphalt patches were put in on both ends of the road.

Today, the sidewalk in front of Helen's Uptown Cafe will be poured.

The last zone of the snow-melt system is ready to go in on the Town Square plaza, with five of the six zones containing water, so they can be tested. The remainder of the plaza floor will be bricked after the snow melt system has

been installed.

All the trees but one have been planted, and work is still being done on the clock, which will be returned after the festival.

Randy Metz of Grissim Metz Andriese Associates said a representative from the Michigan State University horticulture department recently evaluated the condition of the trees, which the expert said were in good shape.

#### Shrubs, perennials coming

Tree planters have been filled with soil and are ready to receive plant material. Shrubs and perennials will be planted after the festival. Red and yellow chrysanthemums will be planted for the festival on Mary Alexander Court.

The planters will feature 12inch boxwoods around each tree. Autumn Joy Sedum will circle the outer edge of each planter. A 12-inch decorative iron fencing will go between the boxwoods and the sedum.

Janet Bloom of the Northville Chamber of Commerce said about 40,000 people are expected to roam Northville's downtown streets over the three-day festival.

For more information about the Town Square Project, call the DDA office at (248) 349-0345.

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Gaidica Sr. and Gerry (Geraldine), of Warren, were with their son and daughter-in-law to watch Friday evening's performance.

"It was unbelievable," said the senior Gaidica. The expressions on the actors' and actresses' faces were just great."

"It was terrifie," Gerry Gaidica

said. "Really enjoyable." Season tickets are already sold

out for this inaugural season at the 110-seat theater. "We were hoping to sell 250 season tickets, and we've already sold more than 1,200." Johnson said. Four shows are featured in the 2007-08 season "Forever Plaid. Plaid Tidings" runs Nov. 10-Dec. 22. "Almost Maine" runs Feb. 2-March 1, 2008, and "Manuscript" runs April ,26-May 24, 2008.

Last Thursday's and Friday's preview performances included a short talk-back between the director, cast members and audience.

Actress Laurel Hufano complimented Susan Gaidica on her cosDinner.

"She found exactly the right things that fit exactly the right way that would be comfortable and practical." Hufano said.

"It's a historic event with an audience here for the first time in this theater ever, which is fantastic," Eaton said.

The younger Gaidica said although things went off without a hitch on the opening weekend, he and others involved with the theater still have a "punch list" of loose ends to tie up.

"Jennifer (Steger, marketing and development director) and Jeff, her husband, were literally working around the clock to get this theater

up and running," Johnson said.
"Don't Dress for Dinner" runs only through the end of the month. But theater organizers may add more shows based on actors' and actresses' availability. "Next year, we'll probably go with eight-to-10 week runs for each production." Johnson said.

#### Rocky's sponsors play

In addition to being the preferred caterer for all events. Rocky's of Northville is a founding sponsor of the Tipping Point Theatre and the producing sponsor of the entire pro-

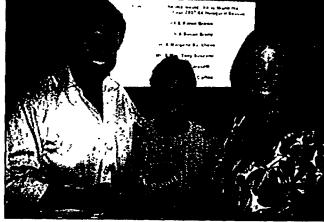


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From left: Chuck Galdica, president, Tipping Point Theater; Christina Johnson, founder and executive director; and Jennifer Steger, marketing and development director, in the theater lobby at last Friday night's preview performance of "Don't Dress for Dinner."

relationship with the Tipping Point Theatre and helping bring professional theater to Northville," said owner/chef Chuck "Rocky" Rachwitz.

For dinner information and reservations, guests should call the restaurant or check out www.rockysnorthville.com, which includes the Theater Package menu under "menus." Dinners are \$17.50 per

Rocky's offers a 10-percent discount to Tipping Point Theatre ticket holders before and after every production throughout the season, as well as group discounts for large parties. For more information, call (248) 349-4434.

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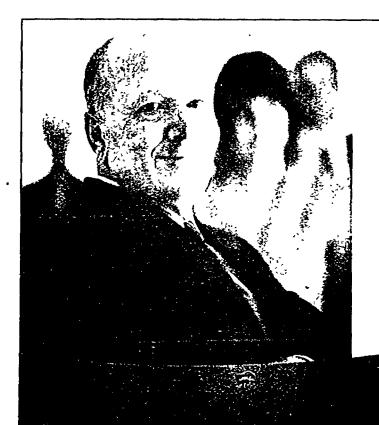




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# Siblings make film debut in full-length movie

### Flick to hit New York, Virginia, and **Bloomfield Hills**

By Jason Carmel Davis

About a year ago, Northville resident Cheryl Deep had a chance meeting with do-it-all film writer, director and producer Tim Jeffrey, a Catholic Central High School graduate and Livonia resident, when Jeffrey visited Deep's Instructional Gerontology class at Wayne State University.

Jeffrey had been working on a film for about four years and needed characters to play "flashback" roles of the film's main character.

"My children look a lot like the main character, so I thought they were perfect for the part," Deep

So, one day last year, then 10and 13-year-old Hope (Meads Mill Middle School) and Faith Miller (Northville High School) showed up at Jeffrey's set - the film was made through his production company, The Jeffrey Porch — to shoot their scenes for the film, "You Are Here."

Shot out of pocket in and around the Farmington area for more than four years, the film pre-



Sisters and Northville residents Hope, left, and Faith Miller took part in the filming of a full-length film, "You Are Here." The film was written, produced and directed by Livonia resident Tim Jeffrey and will be shown at the Bloomfield Hills Maple Theater Monday-Thursday.

miered at the Farmington Theater June 24. The next showing takes place at 3 p.m. Sunday at the Bloomfield Hills Maple Theater. The Maple Theater will also have screenings at 3 p.m. Monday-Wednesday and a 7 p.m. showing Thursday. Future screenings are

lined up in Virginia and New York, according to Deep, who was on set with her girls during their performance. Deep said her daughters had

fun their one day on the set. "Faith has done some produc-

tions at (Northville's) Marquis

Theatre, and Hope is always game for something different," Deep

The movie, which was shelved three times due to financing, centers around 40-year-old Mimi Simpson. Something is happening to Simpson, but she's unsure of what it is. Several people in her life have differing opinions on what Simpson's issue is, but they could all be wrong.

"Some people think it's midlife, and some think it's something else," said Deep, who took part in the production with her children.

"It's a bit of mystery, and there's a twist at the end, but I don't want to spoil it."

Faith said she found some stark contrasts in shooting a film as

opposed to being on stage. "When you're in a play, you just practice over and over." Faith said. "With the movie, we just did one take and we were finished."

The Mustang freshman said she enjoyed being on set with her mother and sister, even though the two weren't in any of the same scenes. Faith also said that although she likes acting, she doesn't fancy herself as a professional thespian.

The younger Miller, though, said the entire experience was a blast. Hope said she was nervous at first, but the process became

Jeffrey said having the two oung stars in tow was a godsend He said both girls were great to work with, along with crediting their mother for being a great acting coach.

The girls were great with their lines, and they took directions as good as anybody," Jeffrey said. "I'm a pain-in-the-neck director, and I won't just work with anybody, and they were really well-

Hope said she has seen bits and pieces of the finished products. and she's excited about seeing the

"I can't wait to see myself on the big screen," she said.

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#### **Election filing** deadline Oct. 1

City of Northville residents interested in running for mayor or a city council seat have until 5 p.m. on Monday, Oct. 1. to file.

City hall normally closes at 4:30 p.m. but will be open an extra half hour that day only to accept fil-

offices up for election include mayor, a two-year term, and two council seais, a four-year term.

Nominating petitions are available at city hall, 215 W. Main Street, or at

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### Some residents say alternatives exist for streets

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County, not the township. Once bonds are sold, construction could start as early as spring 2008.

The Bealls believe there are alternatives, however.

Beall, a tax attorney, consulted another attorney, Patrick Hall of Stark Reagan law firm in Troy, who spoke with Kenneth Kucel, deputy director of engineering for the Wayne County Department of Public Services, and WCDPS attorneys Nancy Rade and Haaris

"Based upon my review of the applicable law and my conversation with Mr. Kucel, I have concluded that WCDPS does not determine the scope of the paving project," Hall

said in a letter to Jim Beall.

The construction of the affection of the affection of the assessment of establish a Special Assessment District

Don Weaver, township director of public services, said earlier this week that out of the 120 lots earmarked in the proposal, 60 percent of the owners currently support the establishment of a Assessment District.

A second public hearing on the matter is scheduled at 7:30 p.m. on Thursday, Sept. 20, at township hall. Beall says the point of disagreement is the scope of the project.

There are a lot of roads in the two subdivisions," he said. "Do we have to do all of them? Why don't

we just fix what we have to fix." He said Wayne County officials don't care about the scope of the

project. "We can do a road or a portion of a road," Beall said. "But if we do completely rebuild the roads, we must go by the county's standards."

Beall said members of the subdivisions' Street Fix Committee believe the all-or-nothing approach is the best alternative.

He argues that many of the residents in the two subdivisions are

### Sept. 21 deadline

Property owners of the 120 lots in or near Edenderry and Shadbrook subdivisions in Northville Township have until 4:30 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 21 to make or change their decision on a Special Assessment District that would fund road improvements in the subdivisions by calling the township clerk's office at (248) 662-

older and don't want to face a large assessment. Plus, the Bealls believe the road construction will disrupt the neighborhood for months.

David Nelson, a resident of Shadbrook subdivision, asked at the August public hearing if township officials would have soil borings, done to examine the roads and even volunteered \$5,000 from Shadbrook residents for the job.

But township officials rejected the offer due to the high cost of the

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Installment payments can be made by residents over a 15-year period if they support the assessment.

But Eugenie Bealls said this increases the current estimate of \$11,500 to about \$15,000 over the payback period.

Beall added the special assessment cannot be deducted from one's taxes, although the interest might be tax deductible.

If someone tries to sell their home and there's an assessment, the seller must pay off the assessment as it's seen as a lien on the property.

"It's the seller's responsibility," Beall said. "I don't think people quite understand that."

Eugenie Beall said if the roads are totally redone, some residents could lose several feet of their property during the road improvement effort.

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#### Aida-Adomkaitis

Anatolius and Victoria Viskantas of Northville announce the engagement of their daughter, Victoria Aida, to Kazys Adomkaitis, son of Algis and Gloria Adomkaitis of Milton, Mass.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Northville High School and Michigan State University where she earned a bachelor of science degree in architecture. She is currently employed in the architectural design department at Harley Ellis Devereaux

The groom-elect is a graduate of Milton High School and Tufts University where he earned a bachelor of science degree in electrical engineering. He is currently employed in Michigan as an electrical engineer.

### **OBITUARY**

#### LAWRENCE E. PARMENTER

89, of Lincoln, Michigan, formerly of Northville, died Sept. 7, 2007. Beloved husband of the late Lucille, beloved flustrand of the late Lucile, beloved father of Cheryl (Ron) Bartholomew, Pathy (John) Bishop and Gary. Dearest grandfather of Michael, Courtney and Kristin, dearest great-grandfather of Jessie, Sydney, Jake, Hailey and Parker. Beloved brother of Ruth (Bruce) Arnold Mamorials supposted to Memorials suggested to Hospice of Michigan, Northeast Region. Cremation arrangements were made through Gillies Funeral Home, Lincoln.

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# In the Service

Air Force Airman Brittany A. Meyer has graduated from the Operations Resource Management Systems Apprentice Course at Keesler Air Force Base, Biloxi, Miss.

The course is designed to train students in database maintenance, aircrew resource management, flying hours, training and evaluation and flight scheduling.

Meyer is a 2006 Northville High School graduate and the daughter of James N and Abby Meyer of Northville.

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# A Physical Therapy Rehabilitation Update

by Dennis Engerer, P.T.

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# Nominations being accepted for Northville Citizen of the Year

By Jason Carmel Davis

CELEBRATE: Let us tell everyone your big news: engagements, anniversaries, births,

The Northville Community Chamber of Commerce is looking for someone to join area dignitaries such as John and Toni Genitti, and Joan Wadsworth, as the chamber is accepting nominations for the 2007 Northville Citizen of the Year.

"This is a great way for the community to honor individuals who constantly do things for the betterment of the Northville community," Chamber President Jody Humphries said.

"The list is a prestigious one full of selfless individuals who have contributed something to the community for years."

Humphries said the chamber receives six to 10 nominations each year. Nominations should include the name of the individual and a brief outline of the reasons they qualify for Citizen of the Year status.

This award gives us a chance to put the spotlight on people who normally don't seek out the spotlight," Humphries said. "They don't really reap any benefits from it, but it's a way for us to acknowledge their contributions."

Chamber Chair Steve Fecht said there are a number of Northville citizens who could potentially win this award each year. He said the hard part for him, and the nomination committee that selects the winner, is choosing one winner from a list of qualified applicants.

'The people I know who have won this award think it's an honor, even though they probably wouldn't tell anybody else that," Fecht

"But they would continue to do the things they do for the community with or without this award. That's what makes Northville

such a great place to live." Nominations are due no later than Friday, Sept. 21, to the chamber office, 195 S. Main St. This year's awardee will be announced at the chamber's annual meeting, which takes place from 5:30-7:30 p m. Wednesday, Oct. 17, at The Inn at St. John's in Plymouth.

Tickets for the event are \$35 and can be purchased at the chamber office. For more information, call the chamber at (248) 349-7640.

Northville Record staff writer Jason Carmel Davis can be reached at (248) 349-1700, ext. or by e-mail jasondavis@gannett.com.

Since 1976, the Northville Chamber has celebrated the dedication and support shown by its volunteers for the Citizen of the Year award.

Criteria for nominees includes: · being actively involved in supporting — through time, talent, or financial support an organization that improves

the community; · living or working in the Northville community;

 showing concern for community, environment and family; and

· being a role model for community youth and citizens.

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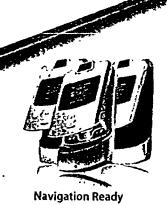
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#### Belli Couture moving to Tweive Caks Mall

Belli Couture maternity clothing store will close its doors soon at its Northville Square location, 133 W. Main Street, and reopen at Twelve Oaks Mall.

Owners Stephanie Mullen and Christa Davis said the store will close on Saturday and reopen by Nov. 15 just outside Nordstrom's on the main floor of the Novi mall's new wing.

In the meantime, shoppers can take advantage of some great bargains, with most items in the store prices at 50 percent off or higher until the September closing. Online shopping will still be available during the store's interim period at www.bellicouturematernity.com.

#### Orin features awardwinning designer

Designer Patricia Daunis will display her most recent designs at a trunk show in Orin Jewelers' on Saturday from 10 a.m.-5 p.m. and Sunday from 11 a.m.-4 p.m. At the trunk show, she will be exhibiting the newest additions to her Atuik collection, featuring knotted gold and gemstones, and conducting a design session for customers who bring in special pieces and are interested in having them redesigned into something new to wear.

Daunis has won several awards for her unique designs, including the Jewelers of America Jewel Award and the Grand Prize designation from Intergold/World Gold Council, to name a few.

#### Mortgage firm opens Northville office

Granite Capital, LLC recently moved its headquarters to a new, larger facility at 104 W. Main Street in downtown Northville. The company now does business in eight states - Arizona, California, Florida, Illinois, Michigan, New Mexico, New York and Texas, with plans to reach even further.

Kevin Weedmark, owner of the Northville base, has more than 11 years of mortgage and finance experience.

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Two businesses in one office

The husband-and-wife chiroprac-

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the Northville Township this month, with two businesses operating out of

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First Choice Chiropractic pro-

vides general chiropractic services,

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disc," Stacie said. "This rehydrates

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has helped many patients since the

Fords purchased it a year ago. Since

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It actually separates the verte-

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which is site-specific, as well as

brae, which causes an internal vacu-

um phenomenon inside the disc to

relieve the pressure," Stacie said.

Machines introduced in 1989

Stacie said spinal decompression

machines have only been on the

market since 1989, but considers

DRX9000C, manufactured by

Axiom, the Rolls Royce of such

"They've been trying to figure out

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World War II when soldiers came

back with disc problems," she said.

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First Choice Chiropractic Center is located at 41740 Six Mile Road at Winchester Road in the Northwood Corporate Park. The center also houses the Michigan Spinal Decompression Center featuring the DRX9000C machine. For more information, call (248) 465-0000 or visit

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Northville's First Choice Chiropractic's Stacle Ford, right, check in on patient Janelle Radtke who's using the DRX9000C — a vertebrae decompresson machine — in the office's Michigan Spinal Decompression Center.

Husband-wife chiropractic team celebrates six years in township

"Now we have the technology."

The treatment lasts 28 minutes, with the entire appointment taking 45 minutes to an hour, since other therapies go along with it.

Patients can watch television or listen to music in a relaxed setting. "Healing cannot take place in chaos." Stacie said.

The office has received many referrals because of successful out-

"We have a gentleman who plays at Meadowbrook Country Club who's a patient," she said. "All of his buddies are waiting to see how he

Cases take an average of six weks.

he machine is used for disc condions in the neck and low back. We're one of the few clinics that hs the cervical attachment," Stacie

#### Office recently relocated

The Tuckers recently relocated their office, with the previous one on the other side of Winchester Road.

They met in high school, both graduated from the Cleveland College of Chiropractic in Kansas City, have lived in the Metro Detroit area since 1997 and have two children.

Northville residents, they're active in the community, with Stacie serving as a Northville Chamber of Commerce board member. The Tuckers also sponsored a hole at the Sept. 8 New Hope Center for Grief Support's Golf Outing.

Stacie said for many patients, the spinal decompression machine is the last resort before surgery.

She added they see two types of patients - those with degenerative conditions or ones with acute or chronic conditions, such as back problems caused by an injury.

The Tuckers also do basic health seminars for area businesses called "Lunch and Learn."

"I love having an office in Northville," Stacie said. "We moved here from Canton, and we like it here. It's a nice town."





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### POLICE REPORTS - CITY OF NORTHVILLE

#### Pistol lost, found

A truck driver stopped into the Northville Police Department to report his pistol stolen from his semi truck while he was working.

The man said he makes several stops in the area on his driving route, and he did not know where the pistol had been stolen from. He said he last saw the weapon at about 10 a.m. Sept. 5 and discovered it was missing around 6:30 p m. that day. He said the gun was located in the center console of his truck.

Because the weapon is registered in the city and the man is a Northville resident, the responding officer took a report so the pistol could be entered into the Michigan Law Enforcement Information Network (LEIN) and

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#### Assault, battery reported

Police were called to the Meijer store on Haggerty Road in reference to an assault and battery at 5:29 p.m. on June 16 that took place with a female suspect who left the scene in an unknown direction.

The alleged victim, a 44-yearold resident of Findlay, Ohio, said she was waiting in line by herself in the U-scan checkout line and was next in line.

When she could see a man checking out at lane number three, she noticed a female behind her moving toward that

She told the woman she was next, and the woman told her she was not. As they both approached lane three, the victim said the woman grabbed her left arm and scratched her in an attempt to stop her from proceeding.

The victim began checking out in lane three, with the suspect using lane four, allegedly calling her names and using profamity.

Video surveillance of the incident showed the victim did not appear to react to being scratched and did not attract the attention of the employee supervising the Uscan aisles.

The victim had two small nail marks that did not draw blood on her left arm and did not seek medical treatment.

She provided a description of a blonde, 20-25 years old wearing a gray T-shirt.

suspect paid using cash. and, therefore, could not be tracked. There are no further leads at this time.

#### Jack Daniels and Bacardi

A 19-year-old man was arrested for retail fraud at 7:15 p.m. June 22 at the Meijer store on Haggerty Road.

A loss prevention agent watched a man select a bottle of Jack Daniels and a bottle of Bacardi Orange, enter the infant department and conceal the Jack Daniels in the front pocket of a hooded pullover.

The suspect then entered the paint department and concealed the bottle of Bacardi down the front of his pants.

The liquor was valued at \$35.92.

#### Black cherry vodka

A 19-year-old woman was arrested for retail fraud at 6:09 p.m. June 23 at the Meijer store at Eight Mile and Haggerty roads.

A store detective watched the woman select a bottle of Smirnoff black cherry vodka and conceal it in her large, pink purse.

The vodka was valued at

#### Retail fraud at Meijer

A 20-year-old man was arrested for retail fraud at 9:23 p.m. June 18 at the Meijer store on Haggerty Road.

A loss prevention agent watched the man take a bottle of Smirnoff vodka from a shelf.

He then walked toward the housewares section of the store and began tearing the product label off the bottle. He then placed the bottle into the book

bag he was carrying. Next, he selected a bag of Tostito chips, paid for the chips at the U-scan lane and failed to pay for the vodka.

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A man told Northville plice

the license plate was stolen last week off his Ducati motorcycle between 10 p.m. Friday and 2:30 a.m. Saturday from his apartment complex at 261 Hutton St.

The bike was parked in the northwest corner of the complex parking lot and was otherwise undisturbed. The responding officer was able to locate the well nuts that held the plate in place on the ground behind the bike.

The officer had dispatch enter the plate in the Michigan Law Enforcement Information Network (LEIN) as stolen and checked surrounding areas for the plate or the frame surrounding the plate. The officer was not able to locate either item, and police have no suspects or witnesses at this

Compiled by Jason Carmel Davis

#### Volunteers sought for training in community emergency team

A Community Emergency Response Team (C.E.R.T) training class will begin in Northville Township on Wednesday, Oct.

The 10-week course is available to city and township residents and to all who have any type of involvement with one or both of the communities.

The training will take place from 7-10 p.m. each Wednesday at either the Northville Township Police Department or the Fire

Department.

There is no cost to attend the course.

Volunteers will receive a training manual and backpack with

first aid and emergency supplies. To become a C.E.R.T. volunteer, residents must fill out a Northville Township employment application, submit to a background check, attend the 10 training sessions, be available to volunteer for community events and work alongside a Northville

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# **EDUCATION**

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# Project helps district gauge student success rate

Outmigration **Project follows** graduates from Northville High School to college

By Jason Carmel Davis STAFF WRITER

Since the turn of the century, Northville High School officials have been able to keep tabs on graduates to see how they fare upon entering an institution of higher learning.

The high school, the Northville Public School District and Wayne RESA have partnered together to produce Outmigration Reports or reports that give a snapshot of how Northville high grads perform once they enter a college or university, according to Northville High School Principal Rob Watson.

A number of in-state colleges universities, including Michigan State University and the University of Michigan, send information to Northville High School such as the number of Mustangs who applied and have been accepted that fall, and those students' average ACT and SAT improve in.

RESA has compiled aggregate data points for the district in 2000, 2002, 2004, and 2006, said district Superintendent Leonard Rezmierski. He added the results have been positive, as Northville grads see success in college classrooms over time.

"It helps us look at our system and make improvements," Rezmierski said. "But I'm proud of what I've seen so far because it shows how much time our staff spends with our students on crucial things."

Rezmierski said he sees the Outmigration Project as a critical test of how well a student performed during their time in the district. He also said it's important for Northville personnel to see that they've prepared graduates for college life.

"Hopefully, we provide the stu-dents with the things colleges are looking for," Watson said. "This project kind of helps us find that

Watson added that Northville High officials send out surveys to graduates containing inquiries on how Northville classes prepared them for university courses, how counselors aided students, and what areas the school needs to

The great thing about our students is that they're brutally honest," Watson said. "They don't have anything to lose by telling us the truth."

Students have been good about responding to the survey. Almost 60 percent of the surveys mailed to 2006 graduates were returned. Watson said.

Northville High Assistant Principal Karin Pearson is also a graduate of the school. She said the high return rate on the surveys shows that students have a certain pride in their alma mater and their community.

Rezmierski said that although the data is good for the district, the Outmigration Project isn't the end-all-be-all in determining student and district success.

"The data can't guarantee success. The ultimate proof comes when students have success themselves," Rezmierski said. "This really is about how students apply themselves to pursuing long-term goals, and we have that end point in mind."

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Northville High School official have kept track of graduating students for the majority of this decade throug the Outmigration Project. Michigan colleges and universities send information ack to the district that shows how well, or not, the district prepared students for 1e next level.

# SCHOOL BRIEFS Old Village/Cooke golf

outing later this month Personnel from Old Village and Cooke schools are teaming up with The Inn at St. John's in

Plymouth for the two schools' annual golf outing.
Old Village and Cooke School service handicapped students from 16 Wayne County school districts. The proceeds from this fund-raiser will be divided evenly between the

music therapy, leisure recreation, and student equipment needs. The event consists of 18 holes of golf and dinner for \$100 (\$25) of which is tax deductible), dinner

only for \$30 (\$11 is tax

two schools and will go toward

deductible), hole sponsorship for \$100 and contest sponsorship for \$50. Participants may also donate prizes that can be raffled off or given away as door prizes.

Applications to attend the event can be picked up at Old Village School, 405 W. Main St. The deadline to register for hole sponsors and golfers is Friday and Sept. 21, respectively. All checks should be made payable to Old Village School.

Registration takes place at 7:20 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 29 at St. John's, with a shotgun start and scramble format set for 8 a.m.

For more information, call Old Village School at (248) 344-8460. or Cooke School at (248) 344-

#### Ostrowski in program at MSU

Eric Ostrowski of Northville participated in Mathematics, Science and Technology at Michigan State University July 15-28. MST at MSU is a residential program designed for students with unusually high academic ability who are about to enter eighth or ninth grade.

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# BE SCENE IN NORTHVILLE



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State Representative Marc Corriveau (D-Northville, 20th)istrict) presented a United States flag to Maybury State Park and the Friends of Mapury State Park on Monday.
The flag had been flown over the Michigan State Capitabuliding in Lansing. The flag will be flown from the main flagpole at Maybury State Pak. The flag pole was installed as part of an Eagle Scout candidate project in 2006 by Kyin Soubly. The Friends of Maybury State Park contributed half of the cost of the priect. Shown (left to right) are Corriveau; Tom Bissett, supervisor, Maybury State Park; id George McCarthy, president, Friends of Maybury State Park.



Northville resident Ann Schmidt and Barb Davies, who works at the UPS Store in Northville, recently organized a group to plant some of their day lilies at Oakwood Cemetery. Also called the Cady Street Cemetery, it was the city's first cemetery and is located on Cady Street, one block south of Main Street. Schmidt asked Julie Mantay of the Northville Garden Club if any members could help. She volunteered and set out to find others. Mantay suggested that Schmidt contact the National Honor Society sponsor at Northville High School to see if any students could help. She contacted Lisa Rohde, who listed the project on the school's Web site. Ten students and five adults volunteered. Pictured, from left, are Julie Wesolowicz, Kevin Wilson, Kevin Mantay, Chris Mantay, Kathryn Gorsuch, Kaitlyn Wilseck, Abby Grajek, Chris Ciric, David Uberti and Katie McGillis.



Photo by JOHN HEIDER Northwile Record Northville High's marching band drum majorette directs the band in Beethoven's Fifth

Photo by JOHN HEIDER/Northwile Record

The Norlville High School varsity cheerleaders get the crowd into the game against Livonia Churchill.

Photo by JOHN HEIDER Northville

during halftime.

With students roaming the hallways wearing all sorts of different clothes, the **Northville School District** is considering adopting a uniform dress code so that non-students may be differentiated by their dress.



Photo by JOHN HEIDER/Northville Record The Northville High marching band performs during Friday night's halftime show.



Submitted photo

Northville residnt John King recently had a fund-raiser for the Multiple clerosis Society at his home. Pictured are fund-raiser stendees Sue Tilley and Susan Hammond, both of Plymouth, in 1960s attire in front of a vintage Thunder ird vehicle in King's backyard. This was the second annul party to raise funds for the Team Ford Motor Company MS Campaign Challenge to benefit the National Muliple Scierosis Society, Michigan Chapter. More than 300 guests raised \$10,854 for the society after expanses.



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The Northville High School marching band plays a number to fire up the crowd while in the stands during Friday's game.



Photo by PAM FLEMING/Northville Record

The Northville District Library hosted its 17th season of Fantasy Baseball this summer in which 108 teams were submitted by 71 different participants. At a postseason celebration Aug. 27, division winner T-shirts were awarded. Pictured, back row, from left are Sue Hooper of Northville; Al Smitley of Hartland, who works at the library and organizes the activity; Chris Baetz of Northville; and Cassie Romzek of Davison, who also works at the library. Front row, from left, Kendall Michaluk of Plymouth; Aaron Huggins of Northville; Aaron Kowaiczyk of Northville; and Len Baron of Plymouth. Other winners were Will Polumbo, David Jaskot, Brian Havlisch, Henry Buhl, Terry Sikora, Noah Burrell, Dylan Curtsinger, Matt Pegouskie, Mike Konopick and Mary Zdanowski. Trophies went to Polumbo for choosing the best salary-cap team and Baron for picking the top unlimited salary team. instruction/entry forms will be available for the 2008 season when spring training begins this winter.



Members of the Northville High School Jazz Ensemble 1 play for a crowd at Campus Martlus In downtown Detroit Labor Day weekend. For the 22nd year, the group was invited to perform as part of the International Detroit Jazz Festival.

### Northville group performs in Detroit for 22nd summer

By Jason Carmel Davis STAFF WRITER

What do musicians Dave Brubeck, Herbie Hancock, and the Northville High School Jazz Ensemble 1 have in common? They all performed as a part of the 28th annual Detroit International Jazz Festival during Labor Day weekend.

Northville's jazz band made its 22nd appearance at the event and performed at the Motor City Casino Jazz Garden stage in Detroit's Campus Martius Park. The band performed music originally written for some of the greatest of the Big Bands, according to Director Mike Rumbell.

The group opened its set with an arrangement of musician Hughie Cannon's "Won't You Come Home Bill Bailey." by Los Angeles

arranger Tom Kubis. They also played three pieces that were written for the Stan Kenton Band, including "Decoupage" and "Pegasus" by Hank Levy, and "Here's That Rainy Day" by Dee Barton.

The band then played two tunes from the book of the Buddy Rich Band — Oliver Nelson's "Critic's Choice" and trombonist Harry Betts' "Mexicali Nose." Jazz 1 finished up its performance with a tribute to trumpet great Maynard Ferguson by playing his hit. Coconut Champagne.

The Northville group was one of only 18 that were invited to perform at the highly-attended event, which ran Aug. 31-Sept. 3. Prior to the downtown show, the group's most recent qualifying festival appearance was one of its best yet. Rumbell said, as the band earned an A-plus average score at the Michigan School Band and Orchestra State Jazz Festival

"The high level of performance is directly attributed to the large band program at Northville High School," Rumbell said. "This year, the marching band has 240 members, and from out of that group, three symphonic bands and two jazz ensembles are formed.

"Two strong middle school band programs into the high school and with strong support from district Superintendent Leonard Rezmierski, the Northville Board of Education, and the Northville High School Music Boosters the band program has flourished."

Becky Havlisch has three sons who have played or who are current members of Northville High's jazz troops. She said playing in the jazz ensemble develops a broader experience and appreciation of music for those kids who love music and never get bored with playing.

The opportunity to perform at the Jazz Festival allows the kids to shine, showcasing their competencies and delighting parents and other jazz lovers at the same time," Havlisch said. "It's a perfect capstone for the kids, acknowledging the significant investment of time and rigorous practice sessions.

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Becky Havlisch Parent of three musicians ...

### NPS calls back two more teachers

### ■ Recall is up to eight of 10 who had been laid off

By Jason Carmel Davis STAFF WRITER

Two more teachers in the Northville Public School District who received layoff notices last spring received some good news Tuesday night.

Due to changes in enrollment, leave requests and resignations, the district Board of Education unanimously approved the recall of Melissa Morse - to Amerman Elementary -and physical education teacher Brett Pedersen.

The addition of class sections in grades K-5 at four district elementary schools - Ridge Wood, Silver Springs, Thornton Creek and Winchester - made it possible for Morse to return to work, according to Director of Human Resources Don Thomas. That measure was taken in an effort to keep class sizes within district parameters.

Board President Wadsworth applauded the move, as it was taken to keep class sizes below 30 students. She said she recognizes the concern some parents may have with the size of their child's classroom, and that district personnel will be flexible in handling their concerns.

A third section of third grade has been added at Ridge Wood; a fourth section of first grade has been at added at Silver Springs; fourth sections of second and fifth grade have been added at Thornton Creek; and a fourth section of third grade has been added at Winchester.

"We moved some people around in the middle schools and were able to bring (Morse) back to an elementary," Thomas said, adding that an additional section of physical education made the rehiring of Pedersen possible.

Thomas said the two remaining employees who were laid off took leaves of absence and remain on leave after they each declined positions they were offered. Another former district employee also declined a position since it didn't come with the same full-time equivalent salary he previously had

At its regular meeting Aug 28, the board unanimously approved the rehiring of Allison Brumo, Kim Callison, Catherine Gibson, McGowan, Kristin Miller, and Christine Parnin. Those recalls were also made possible because of changes in enrollment, leave requests and resig-

The board Tuesday night also unanimously approved one-year probationary contracts for new teachers Lynda Davies, Tricia Jendretske, Shannon Torres, and Sophia Vrtachnik.

Davies, Jendretske, Torres and Vrtachnik will teach speech and language, art, serve as a media specialist, and resource room teacher, respectively. Davies has been assigned to High School, to Winchester Northville Jendretzke Elementary, Torres to Meads Mill Middle School, and Vrtachnik will work out of Moraine Elementary.

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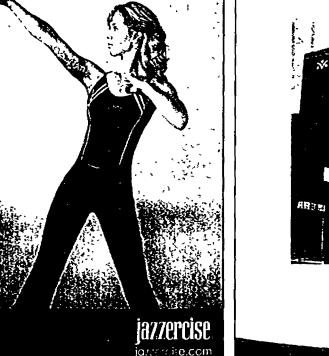
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# Celebrate the era

It's been Northville's biggest event for the past 18 years, and it'll happen again starting tomorrow - the annual Victorian Festival, presented by the Northville Chamber of Commerce.

For the next three days, visitors to downtown will be transported to another era, one of elegance, class and manners

Women were ladies and they carried parasols, wore lace and sipped tea. Men behaved like gentlemen, but they were still thick-armed blacksmiths and played base ball without gloves.

This is a weekend for everyone, young and old alike, to turn off the computers, iPods and televisions, park the gas-guzzlers, throw on some knickers or a flowery hat and head downtown to experience

what 19th century England was like. The list of activities is exhaustive (see page 2 for a partial listing) and offers something for everyone, every day: horse and carriage rides; an art market; a silent movie; contests; numerous entertainers; a saloon; vendors; an historic village; and on and on.

If you've never been, now's the time to head back in time.

#### Corrections

■ In the Aug. 9 edition of the Northville Record, an article titled "Surplus 2004 bond funds could go toward building modifications," incorrectly listed The Americans with Disabilities Act as the American Disability Association.

■ In the Sept. 6 edition in an article on the Sept. 15 Passport Fair at Northville Township Hall, changes in U.S. entry requirements were misstated. On Jan. 31, 2008, U.S. and Canadian citizens will not need a passport but will need to present a Western Hemisphere Travel Initiative-compliant document or government-issued photo ID, such as a driver's license, plus proof of citizenship, such as a birth certificate. The Department of Homeland Security and Department of State will implement full requirements of the land and sea phase of the WHTI at a later date, expected to be in the summer of 2008



Photo by JOHN HEIDER/Northville Record

Welcome back

Joe Cislo, teaching ninth grade U.S. history at Northville High School, smiles as he gets to know his new students on the first day of classes for the district on Sept. 4.

# VW, state's talent leaving! What's wrong with this picture?

The Washington Post reported Volkswagen is moving its North American headquarters from Michigan to Virginia so it can attract a skilled, young workforce. Stefan Jacoby, the newlyarrived CEO of VW North America, told the Post, "By reducing this organization by 30 percent, you need even more talents, more creative people, more motivated people.'

Good schools, skilled workers made it an attractive site," he added. Another reminder that talent rules. Yet, Michigan's government leaders do not seem to be getting the message.

Remember not long ago when every major media outlet, from their front page to the editorial page, were flabbergasted by the fact in this barren state economy - where local municipalities were moaning they had been cut to the bone" - 80 local elected and appointed officials had enough tax money to go to Hawaii for a pension conference? A boondoggle if there ever was one, was the general conclusion.

Yet, there is a conference Oct. 24-25 - a whole lot closer to

home in Virginia, home of the new VW North America Headquarters - that should be a major draw and have Michigan's government officials chartering a bus to attend. However, I have a sneaky suspicion it may not have the pull of the Hawaii conference: The 2007 National Conference on the "Creative Economy - successful companies, engaged com-

(www.creativeeconomies.org) The conference, billed for forward-thinking leaders and visionaries who want to build creative companies and dynamic communities, will focus on:

munities."

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· Harnessing the power of an aging workforce

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· Improving communities and the economy through creative companies

The conference will examine the role a strong, creative workforce plays in the growth and success of businesses and communi-ties in an information-based economy and will feature four powerful keynote speakers: Richard Florida, author of 'The Rise of the Creative Class" and "The Flight of the Creative Class: Pulitzer Prize winner and New York Times columnist Thomas L. Freedman, author of "The World is Flat;" and Alive Toffler, author of "Future Shock."

While not sharing the topilling, Michigan's own Gagnon, the director of Gov. Jennifer M. Granholm's "Cool Cities" initiative, will be part of a panel discussion, "How Creative Communities Can Help Build a Diversified Local Economy."

#### **Talent matters**

These themes are echoed by Lou Glazer, president of Michigan's Future, Inc., (www.michiganfuture.org) and lead author of "A New Agenda for a New Michigan." He will tell anyone who will listen that

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ness consultant. He served as Michigan's superintendent of schools from 2001-2005. Read his internationally recognized report: The New Education (R)evolution at www.nacol.org. He can be reached at tdwatkins@aol.com.

ic auto market, but also created by a lack of robust job growth in four key sectors of the global-based, knowledge economy: information, finance/insurance, corporate headquarters and professional/technical service sector. These are the growth industries of the 21st century.

He sums up Michigan's problem in one word: talent. He argues very persuasively that Michigan will only prosper if it develops, retains, fosters and attracts high-skilled young work-

Phil Power, founder and presi-

Michigan's economic crisis is not dent of The Center for Michigan solely driven by the decline in the (www.thecenterformichigan.net), who spent nearly 40 years in the newspaper business, put it this way in one of his weekly columns: "Finding, attracting, nurturing and retraining talent is the single most important thing we can do as state. It is more important than any particular whiz-bang, silver bullet economic policy."

#### Does Michigan measure up?

The Michigan Legislature should heed the focus of the Creative Economy conference and the words of Stefan

Jacoby, Lou Glazer and Phil Power. They need to measure every policy decision they are about to make against what their actions are doing to make Michigan the Talent Bank of the world. Are we investing in educating our youth and retraining of our existing workforce? Are we setting polices that will retain the talent that currently resides in Michigan and are we fostering policies and laws that will make Michigan a worldwide talent magnet? We need to realize that if we are not, our neighboring states and global competitors are.

Political leaders across the country are making sensible, strategic, policy decisions that will help their citizen, communities, states, regions and nations prosper in this hyper-competitive, technologically driven, disruptive, transformational, global world in which we exist. The sooner we come together as a state grasp and act on these concepts the sooner Michigan will not simply struggle to survive, but thrive

once again. Wake up, Michigan – talent matters.

# Educating a skilled workforce will lead to an economic boon

That sound you heard last week was the thin, scratchy tune of our elected leaders fiddling away while our state slowly burns. That's not much of an exaggeration: It was marked by the abysmal failure of our elected leaders to simply do their

What we needed from them was agreement on a plan to wipe out a projected \$1.75 billion deficit in Michigan's budget for the next fiscal year, which starts Oct. 1. Instead, what we got was just the unpleasant background noise of everybody blaming everybody else.

That's why the forthcoming public engagement campaign, Michigan's Defining Moment, is so important. It's a bottom-up effort to find common ground on a set of very far-reaching reforms that can get our state through the worst financial crisis since the Great Depression and lay the groundwork for our future prosperity.

And it's a way for ordinary citizens to get involved rather than leaving it to politicians. Some of the politicians, sad as it may seem, are more interested in their own careers than in our state's future.

Accordingly - beginning in October, more than 100 community conversations will take place all around Michigan -- citizens gathering in small groups to form a vision of what kind of Michigan they want and consider how best to get there. Topping the agenda: The goal of transforming Michigan by building a talented, globally competitive work force. For if we don't have that, we have no hope.

Whether it's the good news of Google opening an office in Ann Arbor to tap into the bright kids graduating from the University of Michigan or Volkswagen moving its headquarters from Aubum Hills to Virginia in search of talented employees, the message is the same:

If you want a prosperous economy, you've got to drastically improve the skills of your work force.

Simple enough - but our political masters in Lansing haven't been much help. Year after year, they've disinvested in the institutions that build human capital in Michigan - our schools and our colleges and universities. That's proven by a new report out last week from the highly regarded nonpartisan Citizens' Research Council.

That study reveals that over the last seven years, the growth in appropriations to the state School Aid Fund has averaged a meager 1.4 percent, far less than the rate

of inflation. State spending on higher education has been even worse: It has declined by \$275 million - 13 percent - over the past four years, without taking inflation into consideration.

We can measure the results. and they are scary.

The Michigan League for Human Services reports that only 26.1 percent of Michigan adults 25 or older have a college degree. That means we are worse than all but 14 states.

Drop the standard to those who have just a two-year associate's degree, and still only 36.4 percent qualify, making Michigan a scarcely better 31st in the nation.

Worse, Michigan's educational pipeline from school to college leaks like a sieve. According to the National Center for Public Policy and Higher Education, the vast majority of Michigan ninth graders fail to graduate and go on

to earn a postsecondary degree. I could go on and on with similar statistics, but will mercifully stop here. But the conclusion is alarmingly clear: We must drastically improve the rate at which our students are learning and completing school. That is the only hope for jump-starting our

economy. Fortunately, there are a number of good ideas about how to



### **About Phil Power**

Phil Power is a longtime observer of Michigan politics and economics. He was a newspaper publisher for more than 40 years, responsible for the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers among others, and served as a regent of the University of Michigan. He is also the founder and president of The Center for Michigan. He welcomes your comments at prower@th ecenterformichigan.net.

remedy the situation. One of the best is the Kalamazoo Promise, financed by generous, anonymous local donors, that guarantees college tuition to graduates from the Kalamazoo public

Although it's early, the results so far are mighty encouraging: Graduation rates are way up. So are college enrollments. Families are moving into the district because of the program, and other communities are exploring whether something similar might work for them. One variant: the so-called "Michigan Promise." which provides high school graduates who enroll in college and keep their grades up a grant totaling \$4,000. This is enough to pay for an associate's degree at a Michigan community college. Students can register through their school district or through the Michigan Works

Then there is the No Worker Left Behind program; it pays for up to two years of tuition at any Michigan community college or job training program. Aimed at older workers who are laid off and need their skills updated, the program is meant to include 100,000 people over the next four years. Information is available at the Department of Labor

and Economic Growth Web site. Another important development: The rise of "regional skills alliances," an economic development tool that bundles together local firms with similar skills needs for their labor forces. The Flint Health Care Collaborative, for example, brings together around 20 health care firms who then identify emerging technologies in the field and arrange training for local workers. There are now more than 30 regional skills alliances in Michigan, involving about 500 companies.

What's most important is getting education beyond high school. And one of our state's biggest problems is the long-held assumption that you really don't need to go beyond high school to score a good job at the local auto assembly line. Nothing could be further from the truth. The auto companies in fact are laying off or outsourcing brawn-based jobs; those that are hiring are picking workers with postsecondary degrees. And the universities are helping out by linking together community college courses with their own programs.

Kids at Alpena Community College, for example, can transfer some credits to the U-M in Ann Arbor, kids at Oakland Community College can do the same with Wayne State.

But expected changes in our population of our state are coming.

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### Funding a New Library

While it is a nice gesture for the city of Novi to express its intention to maintain the current total millage rate of 10.5416, the policy resolution adopted by City Council in July, states an "intention," with direction to the city administration "unless or until otherwise directed or authorized by City Council."

The resolution is not a "promise" to Novi taxpayers that the city will not reduce other services or the need to raise taxes in the future to pay for a new library.

When preparing its budget, the city is required to make its debt payments first and then distribute the remainder of the total millage to the other city funds.

The general fund revenue in the current budget, which is associated with paying for city services, is estimated to be decreasing from the previous year. Meanwhile, the general fund millage rate, and expenses, have been steadily increasing.

If the city reduces the drain fund millage, less money will be available to improve and maintain drainage systems and water quality, including payments for city employees and equipment.

Furthermore, if a reduction in the drain fund millage is used to pay the debt for a new library, that extra millage will not be available to add to the general fund, which the city has already done twice in the last 10 years, according to the Finance Director.

Despite the city's best of intentions, if Novi voters approve the construction of a new

library in November, it may be wise for taxpayers to prepare for a tax increase one way or

Linda J. Lorenzo

### "Revenue Neutrality?"

I am as concerned as anybody, watching our Lansing leaders play "chicken" in the ongoing budget debate.

One concept that has been advanced from time to time by our governor is "Revenue Neutrality." She does not mind changes in our tax system, she says, as long as they are revenue neutral. (This is, one supposes, an alternative to the structural changes Michigan so

badly needs.)

I am a recently-retired lifetime auto worker, who left early due to my plant closing. And, I must say, I find this revenue neutrality concept really to be quite appealing.

The many friends I worked with have been jettisoned from the company or exiled to the four corners of the continent. The rest of us are watching in eager anticipation as the benefits we worked a lifetime to get are traded in at a discount just to keep the industry's pulse going.

Many of my good neighbors are working at part-time jobs or at considerably-reduced income; some are "upside down" on their

mortgages, or even facing possible foreclosure. When our state budget is finally settled, could someone please come and explain this concept of revenue neutrality to the rest of us?

> Jeff Potter South Lyon

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## LANSING CONNECTION

In efforts to find appropriate cost savings in the budget at a time of economic recession and decreased state revenues, the Senate Republicans recently passed several cost-saving reform measures limiting new hiring within state departments, focusing on government efficiency and allowing local governments and school districts to pool healthcare. Also, the U.S. District Court recently upheld Michigan law regulating ballast water discharges protecting our Great Lakes from invasive species, which cost our citizens and businesses billions of dollars to control.

#### Hiring freezes for state departments

The Senate Republicans were able to successfully pass amendments to place a hiring freeze on next year's state department budgets.

The number of state employees has increased by more than 1,000 during the governor's last three years in office. The hiring freeze language in the amendments is stricter than what was included in the governor's recent executive directive.

The amendments apply the hiring freeze regardless of fund source for the position. While the governor's hiring freeze is only in place until the end of September, Senate Republican amendments will extend the tougher restrictions through the entire 2008 fiscal year, which begins Oct. 1.

The amendments feature exceptions for such cases where creating a position or filling a vacant position is:

necessary to protect the health or safety of a Michigan resident:

· required by legal or federal mandate, or court order.

· necessary to produce budgetary savings or protect existing

state revenue; and essential for the basic daily living requirements of residents at a state institution or facility.

#### Bill to create government efficiency committee passes

Recently, legislation was approved that will create a new commission on government efficiency. The commission will review various state agencies to determine the cost of government, as well as make recommendations on how to help government be more efficient.

The commission's review will evaluate the functions and services provided by each state agency in at least the following areas: human resources; payroll; internal auditing, accounting, and financial services; purchasing; printing; mail services; maintenance services; janitorial or cleaning services; motor vehicle fleet operations, and transportation services.

Senate Bills 395-398 will now go to the House of Representatives for consideration.

#### Public employee benefits reform package passes

The Senate Republicans v successful in passing sensible reform legislation aimed at saving local governments and school districts money on the cost of public employee health benefits by developing optional health care pools and opening the process to competition.

The Public Employees Health Benefit Act requires health care providers to share claims data, so employers and their employee representatives can make more informed health care choices. Competitive bidding is introduced into the process by a requirement that public employers competitively solicit at least four bids for fully insured cover-

The reforms are estimated to save a minimum of 8 percent a year for local governments while not affecting collective bargaining. The package received the support of more than two dozen organizations, including the American Federation of Teachers and AFL-CIO. If enacted, the

# About Nancy Cassis State Senator Nancy Cassis (R-Novi) repre-

sents the 15th Senate District, which includes the townships of Commerce, Highland, Holly, Lyon, Milford, Novi, Rose, West Bloomfield and White Lake, as well as the villages of Holly, Milford and Wolvenine Lake and the cities of Novi, Northville (the Oakland County portion), Orchard Lake, South Lyon, Walled Lake and Wixom.

legislation would allow statewide savings of \$156 million or more.

Senate Bill 418 would allow units of government to pool medical, dental and optical benefits. and provide for increased access to claims and health care provider data.

Other bills in the package

· school boards, public school academies, or intermediate school districts that offer insurance to its employees to do so under the act:

· local units of government to provide health benefits under the ect or under a multiple employer welfare arrangement; and

 community colleges that offer health plans to pool benefits under the act.

We have promised to bring true reform to help get Michigan back on track. This legislation is a part of that promise. Government reforms are a key part to resolving the budget crisis in Michigan. These are sensible, cost-saving reforms.

The legislation now heads to the House of Representatives for consideration.

#### Court ruling upholds ballast water law and urges more state action

A lawsuit filed by nine shipping companies and associations that sought to overturn Michigan law regulating ballast water discharges by oceangoing ships was dismissed recently by U.S. District Judge John Feikens. The measure was sponsored by Senate Republicans in 2005.

The decision reached by Judge Feikens was a great success for Michigan and the entire Great Lakes region. It confirms that states have the authority to regulate commerce if there is a valid threat to the public welfare. The introduction of invasive species is such a threat for the Great Lakes and causes many problems for the state's ecosystem

Michigan is a recognized leader for legislation aimed at protecting the Great Lakes. Senate Republicans are currently working on other initiatives that will further protect the lakes, including passage of the Great Lakes Compact.

A ballast water bill that mirrors Michigan law was recently introduced by the Ohio House of Representatives. It would allow Ohio to regulate the discharge of ballast water from oceangoing ships into portions of Lake Erie.

Invasive species have cost citizens and businesses a staggering \$10 billion or more during the past decade. One report estimates that Great Lakes fisheries spend \$12 million a year to control sea lamprey, \$30 million to control zebra mussels and \$119 million a year because of the ruffe. It costs each individual power company more than \$1 million per year to deal with zebra mussels on intake pipes.

As always, I look forward to your comments. You can contact me by e-mail at senncassis@senate.michigan.gov, or toll free at 1-888-38-NANCY.

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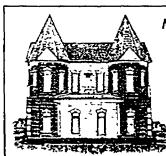
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Michael S. Rowe, M.D., F.A.C.P., C.P.I. STEROIDS IMPORTANT FOR ASTHMA TREATMENT

If you have asthma, you know that when the more minor, temporary discomfort, you are having trouble breathing, quick Call the ALLERGY & ASTHMA CENtelief via a "rescue" medication is vitally TER to arrange for a consultation with De important. However, preventing the breathing difficulty is even better. There are several types of medication used for long-term control of asthma, but only certain types will belp with long-term control. Anti-inflammatory drugs are important because they provide help on an ongoing basis. These corticosteroids reduce swelling and mucus production in the airways. This opens the airways to help facilitate breathng more easily, and it also lessens the likehihood of evoking a reaction to triggers that are apt to set off breathing problems. Corticosteroids can be taken either orally

or through inhaling.

If you suffer from asthma, today's column offers important information. With medication, you can prevent long-term damage and more serious attacks as well as

TER to arrange for a consultation with Dr. Rowe. We diagnose and treat patients of all ages. Same day, early morning, evening and Saturday appointments are available. For further information, 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. Year-round or seasonal allergies? Visit our website for further information.



www.allergyinfo.org

### ■ PHIL POWER: Educating a skilled workforce will lead to an economic boon

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Sadly, people discouraged about the future are moving out. According to the recent Citizens Research Council report. Michigan will lose a net 41,000 people by 2017.

The slice of the population likely to go to college (age 18-24) will decline by 84,000 (that's 9 percent), while the labor force of people 16-64 will shrink by 262,000, or 4 percent.

The simple fact is that to keep our economy humming, we need more people — especially skilled people — in Michigan. We have international offices in China, Japan and Europe trying to attract companies. Why couldn't we have "Welcome to Michigan" desks at these offices, urging the skilled and ambitious to move here?

The fact remains that as I write these words, a fundamental common ground reform idea for Michigan — that our future depends on finding, attracting. nurturing and growing talented

people in our work force --- is being held hostage to a budget deal in Lansing. Nevertheless, these ideas will be

an important part of the Michigan's Defining Moment conversations that start next month.

To learn more, or to reserve a seat at a conversation near you, go to www.thecenterformichigan net.

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# OMMUNITY CALENDAR

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#### **NORTHVILLE EVENTS**

**Farmer's Market** 

TIME/DAY: 8 a m.-3 p m. every Thursday

LOCATION: Corner of Seven Mile and Sheldon roads

Chef's at the Market Series TIME/DAY: 8:30-9:30 a m. third Thursday of every month through Oct. 18

**DETAILS:** Each session features a local chef and walk through the market to examine and choose fresh produce, cooking demonstration, chat with the chef, samples and a recipe card to take home. Session is free; no registration required.

**Victorian Festival** 

TIME/DATES: 5 -11 p.m. Friday, 10 a.m.-11 p.m. Saturday, 11

a.m.-5 p.m. Sunday DETAILS: Friday parade; weekend of food, entertainment, games and fine art market for the family in downtown Northville and Mill Race Village; details at www.northville org or (248) 349-

#### **Book Signing and Wood** Carver

TIME/DATE: 6-9 p.m. Friday LOCATION: Northville Candle,

Gifts & Cards, 124 N. Center St. DETAILS: Stop over to see Karen Rae MeHaffey, author of "Rachael Weeping... Mourning in the 19th Century America," and internationally-renowned woodcarver Collin MeHaffey. CONTACT: (248) 380-7059

**Book Signing** 

TIME/DATE: 7-9 p.m. Friday LOCATION: As The Page Turns. 149 N. Center St.

**DETAILS: Author Nancy** Feldbush will sign copies of her book, "To Repay a Debt," about a diverse group of people and the Victorian-era furniture industry in Michigan.

#### Victorian Fashion Show and Parlor Tea

TIME/DATE: 2 and 3:30 p m. shows, Saturday

LOCATION: First Presbyterian Church, 200 East Main St., Northville

**DETAILS: View vintage gowns** from the Victorian era; powerpoint presentation combined with live models; hosted by Pam Yockey; enjoy tea and sweets; tour of historical church founded in 1829 follows shows; admission is \$7.

CONTACT: (248) 349-0911 or www.firstspresnville.org

#### **Zyliss Equipment** Demonstration

TIME/DATE: Noon-3 p.m. Saturday

LOCATION: Scottie's Kitchen,

149 N. Center **DETAILS:** Northville resident and Zyliss equipment representative Nancy Hague will be in the store showing customers how to

use Zyliss products. CONTACT: (248) 344-7990

#### Northville Eclipse Base Ball Club

TIME/DATE: 7:30 p.m. Friday, 1 p.m. Saturday and Sunday LOCATION: Ford Field, Mill Race Village

DETAILS: Eclipse verses the Great Black Swamp Frogs/Rochester Hills Grangers/Greenfield Village Lah De Dahs; baseball from the 1860s: Rules, equipment, terminology; free.

### Passport Fair

TIME/DATE: 9 a.m.-1 p m. Saturday

LOCATION: Northville Township Offices (corner of Six Mile and Sheldon roads)

**DETAILS: Applicants must** apply in person, minors must be present. Each applicant must have: Proof of American citizenship, valid photo I.D., two recent identical photos of applicant (available for \$15 per person at fair). Both parents must be present with minor child. Fees: Adults 16 and older \$67, need check or money order payable to U.S. Department of State (\$52 for 15 years and younger); also cash or check payable to Northville Twp.

for \$30; total cost \$97 per adult, \$82 per child. Applications available at township offices or down-

TIME/DATE: 10-11 a.m.

LOCATION: Friends Room, Plymouth District Library, 223 S.

Main St.

Sept. 24 **LOCATION:** Three Brothers

Plymouth CONTACT: (877) 208-4737 or

MarcCorriveau@house.mi.gov

TIME/DATES: 2:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 15, 22; 2:30 p m. Sundays, Sept. 16, 23

DETAILS: Tickets \$8; no children under age 3 please; group rates and reserved seating for 20 or more. Teachers, school dates available weekdays.

Sept. 16 DETAILS: Children 8-15 years nist provided.

Road, Livonia

Free Seminars-Michigan **Bariatric Institute** 

DETAILS: MBI offers 3 laparoscopic surgical weight loss options. Learn about Gastric at a free monthly seminar: 6:30 Nov. 28, in the St. Mary Mercy call (734) 655-2693 or (877)

Plus-Size Clothing Sale TIME/DATE: 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

and auditorium

**DETAILS:** Gently used clothing offered for women sizes 12-32,

men sizes 38-60 up to 5XL.

Saturday, Oct. 6 DETAILS: Free screenings for vascular disease (leading cause of U.S. deaths). Peripheral arterial disease (PAD) is often an early warning of heart attack, stroke and aneurysms. Early detection and treatment can prevent serious complications and death. Call

LOCATION: 215 Cady St. Wow! That's Colored Pencil? TIME/DATE: 1-5 p.m. Saturday

DETAILS: An exhibition highlighting the versatile medium of of award-winning area artists

"Creative Kids" DATE: Second Saturday of the month through Dec. 8: Oct. 13 (Print Exploration), Nov. 10

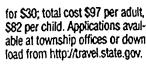
TIME: 9:30-11:30 a.m. **DETAILS:** Two-hour creative exploration for youth grades 1-5; activities include drawing, painting, sculpture and mixed media in conjunction with current professional exhibits on display; register early; class size limited to 12; cost for member \$18 per session or

per session or \$120 per series.

#### **Genitti's Little Theater**

www.genittis.com

TIME/DATES: 6:30 p.m. Saturdays (except Sept. 22) and Wednesday, Sept. 19, 7 p.m. Monday and Saturday, Sept. 22; 6 p.m. Friday, Sept. 28



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TIME/DATE: 9-10 a.m. Monday,

Restaurant, 8825 General Road,

#### **Marquis Theatre**

LOCATION: 135 E. Main St. CONTACT: (248) 349-8110 or northvillemarquistheatre com Rapunzel

**Auditions** TIME/DATE: 6 p.m. Sunday,

old may audition for "Jungle Book" at the theatre. Prepare a monologue or poem no longer than 90 seconds; sing "Do-Re-Mi" from "Sound of Music," accompa-

### St. Mary Mercy Hospital LOCATION: 36475 Five Mile

CONTACT: (734) 655-4800 or

www.stmarymercy.org

Bypass, Adjustable Gastric Banding and Sleeve Gastrectomy p.m. Tuesday Sept. 18, Wednesday Oct. 24, Wednesday Hospital Auditorium. To register,

Why-Weight.

Saturday, Oct. 13 LOCATION: Hospital grounds

Screening for Vascular Diseases

TIME/DATE: 8 a.m.-1 p.m.

(734) 655-8950 to make an appointment.

#### The Art House

and Sunday through Sept. 29

colored pencil; features the work

(Thanksgiving), Dec. 8 (Christmas)

\$108 for series, non-member \$20

CONTACT: Northville Art House (248) 344-0497 or www.northvillearts.org

### LOCATION: 108 E. Main St.

CONTACT: (248) 349-0522 or Dinner Theater - "In Stitches"



Workin' on the Stone Gang Roger Watkins helps to tidy up behind Mill Race Village's church during a Tuesday morning "Stone Gang" work session. The Stone Gang is a group that helps with the upkeep and construction efforts at the historical village site on Griswold.

DETAILS: Tickets are \$45 per person; running through November,

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The Reflections TIME/DATE: 7 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 29

DETAILS: Just like Romeo and Juliet; \$45 per person. **Neil Diamond Tribute from Las** 

Vegas TIME/DATE: 4 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 30

DETAILS: \$35 per person. Genitti's Acting Workshops DATE: We will open any date

for 10 or more. DETAILS: Enjoy our famous family-style lunch or dinner, then practice voice and body movement with one of our actors on stage. Play theater games; take backstage tour, \$16.95 per per-

#### **Maybury Farm Corn Maze**

TIME/DATE: 5-9 p.m. Friday, 12:30-9 p.m. Saturday and Sunday beginning Friday, Sept. 21-Oct. 30

LOCATION: Maybury Farm, enter off Eight Mile Road west of

park entrance. DETAILS: Hayride to maze and return; last wagon leaves at 8 p.m.; tickets sold at Welcome Center on maze days and Meijer, Northville: \$8 for age 11 up, \$5 for age 3-10. Group tours available Monday-Friday, call early to book.

CONTACT: Northylle Community Foundation at (248) 374-0200

### Northville Yoga Class

DATE: Mondays through Nov. 19: Thursdays through Nov. 15, no class Thurs. Oct. 4.

TIME: 9:30-11 a.m. Thursdays at Northville Senior Center, 5:30-6:45 p.m. Mondays for all levels; 5:20-6:45 p.m. Thursdays for Yin Yoga; 7-8:30 p m. Mondays for Yoga II and Thursdays for all lev-

LOCATION: American Legion Hall, 100 Dunlap at corner of Center Street, except Thursday morning class at Northville Senior

DETAILS: Fall Session is \$88 for Mondays, \$64 for Thursdays; unregistered student drop-in rate is \$11/class; registered student extra class rate is \$8/class; makeups allowed in any Legion class through Nov. 11; scholarships available; start anytime, no charge for first visit.

CONTACT: Diane Siegel-DiVita at (248) 344-0928 or trianglesix@sbcglobal.net

Dinner with a Doctor LOCATION: St. John

Providence Park Hospital, Grand River and Beck roads (use Beck Road entrance), Conference Rooms A, B and C

Which Heart Test is Right for You?

DATE: Thursday, Sept. 20 DETAILS: Dr. Shukri David and Dr. Souheil Saba

#### **Northville Book Club**

TIME/DATE: 7 p.m. Friday, Sept. 21

LOCATION: Starbucks, 302 East Main St. DETAILS: "The Call of the Wild" by Jack London

### Northville Newcomers and

club@gmail.com

CONTACT: northvillebook-

Neighbors Eastern Market Trip TIME/DATE: 9 a.m. Saturday,

Sept. 22 LOCATION: Meet in parking lot across from Northville Post Office. **DETAILS: Trip to Eastern** Market in Detroit, shop, lunch; cost is what you buy and spend

for lunch. CONTACT: Laura Webb at (734) 420-2012

#### **Optimists Club of** Northville/Novi Charity Ball

TIME/DATE: 6:30-11 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 22 LOCATION: Sheraton Detroit

Novi DETAILS: The Optimists Club is honoring two local citizens with the Exemplary Achievement Honor Roll Award: Chuck Gaidica, WDIV Meteorologist, is active in many charities and is helping to establish the Tipping Point Theatre in Northville; and Joan Wadsworth, Northville Board of Education President, who has been involved in many local charities and served on the Board of Education for more than 15 years. Evening includes awards ceremony, dinner, dancing, art, wine, silent auction; for information or to purchase tickets, contact Lori Dow at (248) 348-1593 or loridow@comcast.net.

#### **Household Hazardous Waste**

TIME/DATE: 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 22 LOCATION: 650 Doheny Dr.,

Northville **DETAILS: Residents of** Northville can dispose of pesticides, medicine, antifreeze, motor oil, gasoline, computers and peripherals and more

CONTACT: (248) 449-9930

Iraq Town Hall Meeting

TIME/DATE: 7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 25

LOCATION: Forum at Hillside Middle School

**DETAILS:** Northville Democratic Club hosts town hall meeting to discuss U.S.-Iraqi policy. Panel to feature Dr. Ron Stockton, political science chair and Mideast expert from UM; Mrs. Deb Brown, U.S. Army (son serving in Irag); and Scott Craig, historian and representative from the office of Congressman

Thaddeus McCotter. CONTACT: Scott Craig (248) 465-1995

#### **Jack Canfield Seminar** TIME/DATE: 2-5 p.m. Friday,

Sept. 28 LOCATION: Detroit Marriott

Renaissance Center DETAILS: Jack Canfield, author of "The Success Principles," creator of the "Chicken Soup for the Soul" series and contributing writer of "The Secret," will speak at the Hispanic Business Expo and Economic Summit hosted by the Hispanic Business Alliance; tickets are available at the Web site; book

signing following seminar. CONTACT: www.hispanicbusinessexpo.org

### Jerome Bettis Book Signing

TIME/DATE: 7:30 p.m. Friday, LOCATION: Borders Books, 43075 Crescent Blvd., Novi DETAILS: Bettis will sign his

book, "The Bus"

#### CONTACT: (248) 347-0780 **Oakwood Cemetery Walk** TIME/DATE: 5-8 p.m. Sunday,

Oct. 14 LOCATION: 215 Griswold Ave. DETAILS: Mail-order tickets on sale, forms available at Mill Race Village, community organizations and merchants; \$10 for adults, \$8 for students and groups of 10 or more. Register early for specific times; proceeds benefit Mill Race Village and Northville Historical

Society. **CONTACT: Historical Society** office (248) 348-1845

### "Who is Taking Care of the

Caregiver?" TIME/DATE: 6:30-8:30 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 23

LOCATION: Northville Public Library, Carlos Meeting Room DETAILS: This is a support group for anyone caring for an elderly person suffering with Alzheimer's or dementia; offering information on physical care,

emotional support, long term care options, legal resources, laughter. CONTACT: Cathy Cardinal (248) 349-0432 or e-mail ifyoudontlaughyoullcry@yahoo.com

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#### **Mustang Stampede of Pride** TIME/DATE: 7-11 p.m.

Saturday, Nov. 3 DETAILS: Community event to benefit NHS athletes; food, music, silent auction; donations needed; \$25 per person; plan for proceeds posted in high school athletic

office. CONTACT: Michelie Mamo (734) 254-1164 or Julie Felicelli (248) 380-5691

#### **Catholic Central High School** Mother's Clubs Holiday Craft

Show TIME/DATE: 10 a.m.-4 p.m.

Saturday, Nov. 3 **DETAILS: Vendors and crafters** wanted; Holiday Craft Show is open to all artists, crafters or business people selling items suitable for holiday gift giving; contact (810) 231-3235 or (248) 705-

### 9519.

First Aid/CPR Classes TIME: 6-10 p.m., monthly LOCATION: Northville Township

Fire Department, 45745 Six Mile **DETAILS: American Red Cross** First Aid/CPR classes taught by trained firefighters. Call for further information and dates; \$20 fee for

Township residents. **CONTACT: Northville Fire** Department (248) 348-5807

### LIBRARY LINES

LOCATION: 212 W. Cady St., near Northville City Hall TIME/DAY: 10 a.m.-9 p.m. Monday-Thursday; 10 a.m.-5 p.m.-

Friday-Saturday; 1-5 p.m. Sunday. CONTACT: (248) 349-3020 or www.northvillelibrary.org for information regarding programs and

Foreign Film Series TIME/DATE: 6:30 p.m. Mondays DETAILS: Sept. 17 "We of the Never-Never," Australian; Oct. 22

library materials.

"Nobody Knows," Japanese; Nov. 19 "Salaam Bombay," Hindi; and Dec. 19 "the Sea Inside," Spanish, All films free, ethnic treats provided; call library to make reservations.

Friends Board Meeting TIME/DATE: 7:00 p.m. Tuesday Friends Used Book Sale DATE: Thursday-Sunday, Sept.

TIME: 7-9 p.m. Thursday for

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Knox Hall

Fellowship and refreshments,

Every Monday: 7 p.m.

Learner's Bible Study, Room A101

p.m. Study of Ephesians, Room

Every Tuesday: 6:30-9 p m.

Volleyball at Rotary Park, Six Mile

Road between Farmington and

Merriman roads; 7 p.m. Praying

Every Wednesday: 6:30 a.m.

Men's Bible Study, Single Adult

Ministries office; 7 p.m. Ward

School of Christian Learning for

Single Men. Room C350; 7 p.m.

Ministries Office; 4-7 p.m. Tennis,

Bicycling Group starts from vari-

ous locations; geared towards

tourist level rider, all levels wel-

come; helmets required; lunch

half-way through ride at your own

Every Saturday-Sunday: 1-5

p.m. Tennis, Rotary Park

Every Sunday: 1-3 p.m.

Sunday, Tennis for beginners,

Stevenson High School, Six Mile

Road west of Farmington Road.

Single Parents, Single Adult

Rotary Park (Six Mile Road

between Farmington and

Merriman roads)

Together, Sanctuary

Second and Fourth Monday: 7

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Friends members only; 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Friday; 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Saturday, 1-3:30 p.m. Sunday.

DETAILS: Indoor sale; Friday and Saturday \$6/bag, Sunday \$4/bag; proceeds support library programs. Donations accepted during hours of operation at Circulation Desk. A silent auction will also take place; those interested may place a minimum bid of \$150 on remaining books Sunday (\$50 in good faith required). **TOT Story Time** 

TIME/DATE: 10:15-10:45 a.m. each Monday, Sept. 24-Oct. 29: 10:15-10:45 a.m. or 11:30 a.m.noon each Wednesday, Sept. 26-Oct. 31; 10:15- 10:45 a.m. each Thursday, Sept. 27-Nov. 1

DETAILS: Children age 2-3 registered for program only, accompanied by caregivers; babies and non-registered children may not attend; held in Youth Activity Room. Register by phone or in person.

**Fall Kids Club** 

TIME/DATE: 4:30-5:15 p.m. tonight (All About Dads), Oct. 18 (Halloween Stories), Nov. 8 (Manners), Dec. 13 (All About

**DETAILS: Program for grades** 1-3 features stories games and crafts; in the meeting room. Register by phone or in person the first of each month.

Junior Books Chat & Chow TIME/DATE: 4:15-5 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 26

DETAILS: Children grades 4-5 enjoy treats and discussion of "Ruby Holler" by Sharon Creech. Please register.

**Fall Storytime** TIME/DATE: 4-4:45 p.m. each

Monday, Oct. 8-Nov. 12; 10:15-11 a.m. or 2-2:45 p.m. each Tuesday, Oct 9-Nov. 13 Stories and creative activities

for ages 4-Kindergarten, in Activity Room; non-registered children may not attend. Register by phone or in person beginning Sept. 18. Songs from American Musical

TIME/DATE: 7 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 25

**DETAILS: Evening of songs** performed by singers from the Michigan Opera Theater; call library to register.

### SENIOR **EVENTS**

Thursday 9 a.m.: Take Off Pounds Sensibly

9:30 a.m.: Yoga 12:30 p.m.: Pinochle 1 p.m.: Computer II Massage by appointment

9:30 a.m.: Strength Training 11 a.m.: Poker 11:30 a.m.: Computer II Noon: Victorian Festival

1 p.m.: Movie "Somewhere in Monday 9:30 a.m.: Strength Training;

Beg. Line Dance 10 a.m.: Adv. Line Dance; 12:30 p.m.: Pinochle/Euchre

7 p.m.: Tai Chi Tuesday Patriot Day 10 a.m.: Blood Pressure Check; Landscape Painting

12:30 p.m.: Pinochle 1 p.m.: One-Stroke Painting; Computer I; Pain Management 6 p.m.: Pilates Wednesday

10 a.m.: Oxycise Noon: Bridge 1 p.m.: Computer I 7 p.m.: Bridge

Co-ed Adult 50+ Volleyball TIME/DAYS: 10 a.m.-noon Monday, Wednesday, Friday **LOCATION: Recreation Center** 

at Hillside DETAILS: All levels of play welcome; bring your friends; \$1. CONTACT: Northville Parks and Recreation (248) 449-9947

Co-ed Adult 50+ Basketball TIME/DAY: 10 a.m.-noon

Thursdays **LOCATION: Senior Community** Center

DETAILS: All levels of play welcome; bring your friends; \$1. CONTACT: Northville Parks and

Recreation (248) 449-9947 Health Walking DATE: Monday-Friday TIME: 8-10 a.m. **LOCATION: Senior Community** 

Center, 303 W. Main St. **Pilates Class** TIME/DATE: 6 p.m. Tuesdays beginning Sept. 18

Bunco 1 TIME/DATE: 12:30 p.m. second Thursday of each month **DETAILS: Call Senior** 

Community Center 24 hours in advance to register; \$1 per per-

### GOVERNMENT & SCHOOLS

**Northville City Council** DATE: first and third Mondays

TIME: 7:30 p.m. LOCATION: City Hall, 215 W. Main St.

**Downtown Development Authority Meeting** 

DATE: third Tuesday of each month (Sept. 18) TIME: 8 a.m. **LOCATION: City Council** Chambers, 215 W. Main St. CONTACT: downtownnorthville.com

**Board of Education Meeting** DATE: Monday, Sept. 24 (usual-

ly second and fourth Tuesday of TIME: 7:30 p.m.

LOCATION: Northville High School

**City Planning Commission** DATE: first and third Tuesdays

of month TIME: 7:30 p.m. LOCATION: City Hall

**Housing Commission** DATE: second Wednesday of

every month TIME: 3 p.m. LOCATION: Allen Terrace, 401 High St.

**Historic District Commission** DATE: third Wednesday of month

TIME: 7 p.m. LOCATION: City Hall

Arts Commission DATE: second Wednesday of

every month TÍME: 7:30 p.m. LOCATION: Art House, 215 W. Cady St.

City Beautification Commission DATE: second Tuesday of every month

TIME: 7 p.m. LOCATION: Northville City Hall, Meeting Room B

**Township Planning** Commission

DATE: last Tuesday of month TIME: 7:30 p.m.

LOCATION: Township Hall, 44405 West Six Mile

**Township Board of Trustees** DATE: third Thursday of month TIME: 7:30 p.m.

LOCATION: Township Hall **Township Zoning Board of** 

**Appeals** 

DATE: third Wednesday of month

TIME: 7:30 p.m. LOCATION: Township Hall

**Township Beautification** Commission

DATE: third Monday of month TIME: 7:30 p.m. LOCATION: Township Hall

**Youth Assistance** 

DATE: second Tuesday of every month

TIME: 8 a.m. LOCATION: Northville Township Hall, 44405 Six Mile Road CONTACT: Sue Campbell (248) 344-1618

### CHURCH **EVENTS**

St. Paul's Lutheran Church LOCATION: 201 Elm St. CONTACT: (248) 349-3140 **Sunday Worship** 8:30 a.m. Blended, 11 a.m. Contemporary, 11:30 a.m. Traditional

First Presbyterian Church of Northville

LOCATION: 200 E. Main St. CONTACT: (248) 349-0911 Sunday Worship TIME: 9:30, 11 a.m. Single Place Ministries

DETAILS: Thursday evenings; 7:30 p.m. social time; 7:45 p.m. opening; 8-9 p.m. program; \$5 CONTACT: www.singleplace.org

Jumpstart Your Energy DATE: tonight with Sandy Baumann

Car Mechanic Doctor DATE: Sept. 20 with Matt Lee Religion and Relationships DATE: Sept. 27 with J. Harold Ellens, Ph.D. .Walking Group

TIME/DATE: 11:30 a.m. Saturday

LOCATION: First, second and fourth Saturday, Big Apple Bagel Shop, 2334 Farmington Road, Farmington; third Saturday, Panera Bread Co., 34635 Grand River Ave., Farmington

DETAILS: This is a walking/social group. Everyone is invited.

**Divorce Recovery** TIME/DATE: 7:30-9 p.m. through Sept. 28

LOCATION: Emeritus Room (upper levei)

DETAILS: Various topics and speakers: Networking/Midlife Crisis by Pastor Jim Russell; Stages of Grief by Dr. J. Harold Ellens; Putting Your "Ex" in Focus by Dell Deaton; Potluck Dinner and Legal Aspect of Divorce by David Jerome; Church and Divorce, Spiritual Help and Forgiveness by Pastor Jim Russell; Relationships Old and New by Ms. Bolos.

Club Remission

TIME/DATE: 6:45 p.m. Friday DETAILS: Young people welcome to join us for good times, free pop and chips; musical performances by La Dispute, Monte, Tips; \$6 per person. CONTACT: (248) 349-0911 ext.

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Northville LOCATION: 217 N. Wing CONTACT: (248) 348-1020 Sunday Worship: 11 a.m. and

Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Ladies Bible Study: 9 30 a m. and 7 p.m. Tuesdays Men's Bible Study. 9 a.m. first Saturday of every month

**Detroit First Church of the Nazarene** 

LOCATION: 21260 Haggerty Road CONTACT: (248) 348-7600

Sunday School: 9:30 a.m. Sunday Worship: 10.50 a.m. Wednesday: 7 p m. Bible Study, Youth & Children Ministries

**Meadowbrook Congregational** 

LOCATION: 21355 Meadowbrook Road CONTACT: Rev. Arthur Ritter, Senior Minister (248) 348-7757 or visit www.mbccc.org or gmccc@arounddetroit.biz Sunday Worship

TIME: 10 a.m. American Red Cross Blood TIME/DATE: 1-7 p.m. Monday,

Oct. 1 DETAILS: Call church to arrange an appointment.

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LOCATION: 23225 Gill Road, Farmington Hills, between Grand River Ave. and Freedom Road CONTACT: 248-474-0584

Ward Evangelical Presbyterian Church LOCATION: 40000 Six Mile

CONTACT: (248) 374-7400 Sunday Worship TIME: 9 a.m. and 10:20 a.m.

Traditional, 9 a.m. Contemporary 20s and 30s Women's Bible

DATE: Tuesdays TIME: 7-8:30 p.m. LOCATION: Room C317-319 **DETAILS: Study Scriptures in** 12 week program "Breaking Free." a video series by Beth Moore; reserve workbook.

Every Thursday: Co-ed Softball, CONTACT: Women's Ministries includes shirt and tournament; (248) 374-5978 Every Saturday: 10 a.m.

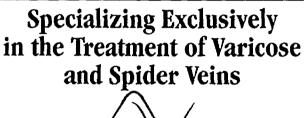
**Preschool Enrollment Open DETAILS:** Enrollment for the 2007-08 school year available; morning and afternoon sessions for children 3, 4 and 5 by Dec. 1; tuition and schedule information at www.wardchurch.org. CONTACT: Carol Nowacki,

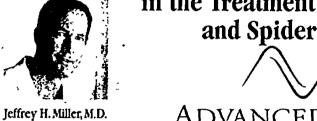
(248) 374-5911 or e-mail carol.nowacki@wardchurch.org **Single Point Ministries** 

For single adults 40 years and CONTACT: (248) 374-5920

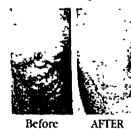
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SPM Bridge: 5:30-9:30 p.m. Saturday; beginners welcome. refreshments.

Alpha-Questions of Life (for everyone) TIME/DATE: 6-9 p m. Thursdays for 10 weeks, begin-

ning Sept. 20 **DETAILS:** Explore the Christian faith in friendly, fun, thought-provoking setting; includes free dinner and child care each week, register through Community Outreach.

CONTACT: (248) 374-5932 or Margy.Burkhart@wardchurch org From Grief to New Hope DETAILS: Eight week workshop; see New Hope Center for Grief Support below under 'Support Groups'

### Northville First United

**Methodist Church** LOCATION: 777 W Eight Mile

CONTACT: (248) 349-1144 or www.fumcnorthyrlle.org Sunday Worship TIME: 8 30.10 a m Coffee hours following both

8 30 and 10 a.m. services **Healing Service** DATE: First Monday of every month

TIME: 4 pm Men's Bible Study TIME/DATE: 6:30-7:30 a m. every Wednesday LOCATION Room 10

Sharing Hearts Women's Bible TIME/DATE: 12 45-2 30 p.m.

every Tuesday LOCATION. Chapel upstairs DETAILS: Child care available.

cost is \$11 for materials Disciple One Bible Study TIME/DATE: 6-8 p m every Sunday beginning Sept. 9, or 9 30-11 30 a.m. every Wednesday

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beginning Sept. 12 **DETAILS: Course lasts 34** weeks; covers 70 percent of the

Disciple Three Bible Study: Remember Who You Are

TIME/DATE: 9:30-11:30 a m. Wednesday, beginning Sept. 25 Disciple Bible Study: Jesus and the Gospels

TIME/DATE: 3-5 p.m. every Sunday beginning Sept 16 The Faith Club TIME/DATE: 930 a.m. every other Thursday beginning Sept.

DETAILS: This interfaith group will be reading "The Faith Club," register at (248) 344-4248.

Suicide Loss Support Group See New Hope Center listing under "Support Groups"

Golf Outing TIME/DATĚ: 7:30 p m Saturday, Sept. 22

LOCATION Links of Novi DETAILS: Includes cart, lunch, prizes, open to all skill levels; \$75. must be received by Sept. 19, make checks payable to Northville First United Methodist Church. Proceeds benefit youth programs

**CONTACT: Turner Osborne** (248) 344-4395 or Turner.Osborne@yahoo.com LOGOS Youth Club

TIME/DATE: 5:15-8:15 p.m. each Wednesday beginning Sept. 26 **DETAILS: Registration times:** 10 30 a m. and noon Sunday. Sept. 9 and 16 at church. Program includes recreation, dinner, bible study and music; grades 4-12.

Crop Walk

TIME/DATE: 1:30 p m registration, 2 p m walk starts Sunday, Oct 7

LOCATION. Novi Crvic Center, Ten Mile Road between Novi and Taft roads

DETAILS: 10 KM (6.2 mile) walk or 1.6 KM (1 mile) walk for world hunger through Novi and Northville

#### Univeralist Unitarian Church of Farmington

LOCATION 25301 Haisted Road, Farmington Hills CONTACT: (248) 318-8044 or www.uufarmigton.org

2nd Annual Earth Friendly Craft Fair TIME/DATE: 9 a m - 5 p m

Saturday, Sept. 22 DETAILS. Features handmade art and crafts from local Michigan artists, including crafts from recycled materials; live music; children's activities; and refreshments. Crafters welcome to apply until fair day.

Thornetta Davis Performance TIME/DATE: 7:30 p.m. Friday, Sept. 28 (doors open at 7 p m.)

DETAILS: Performance by Detroit's own singer and songwriter Thornetta Davis; tickets for concert are \$15 (\$17 at door) and are available at church office; refreshments provided; concert is a kickoff event for the free, sixweek Lifelong Learning Forum adult education program covering diverse topics and running from Oct. 4 to Nov. 8; public welcome.

TIME/DATE: 7-8:30 p.m. first

Grief Support Quilter's Group

TIME/DATE: 1-3 p.m. first and

**DETAILS: Register by calling** 

third Wednesday of month

**Anxiety Disorder Support** 

TIME/DAY: 7:30 p.m.

LOCATION: Faith Lutheran

Church, 30000 Five Mile Road,

DETAILS: Aim for Recovery is

an organization that will be hold-

ing meetings to offer support and

recovery for those suffering with

Thursday of month

(734) 953-6012.

Group

Livonia

Thursdays

St. John's Episcopal Church LOCATION: 574 S. Sheldon

CONTACT: (734) 453-0190 Lobsters

**DETAILS:** Orders are being taken for live 1-pound lobsters at \$15 each; flown in fresh from Atwood Lobster Co., Maine. Prepayment is required; lobsters must be picked up at the church between 4-5:30 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 29.

### SUPPORT **GROUPS**

**Angela Hospice Groups** 

**DETAILS:** Grief support groups include general grief, loss of a spouse, women's grief, parents who have lost a child and a grief support quilters group. All groups are led by bereavement professionals and trained volunteers.

LOCATION: Angela Hospice Care Center, 14100 Newburgh Road, Livonia

CONTACT: Joan Lee (734) 953-

**General Grief Support Groups** TIME/DATE: 1 p.m. and 6:30 p.m. second and fourth Tuesday of month

DETAILS: Open to all losses. Loss of Spouse/Significant Other Support Group TIME/DATE: 6:30-8 p.m. first

Tuesday of month Men in Grief TIME/DATE: 6:30-8 p.m. fourth

Monday of month Suicide Loss Support Services **DETAILS:** Individual and family services offered free for those who have lost a loved one through suicide; call (734) 464-7810 for more information.

**Children and Teen Grief Support Groups** TIME/DATE: 5-6:30 p.m. every

Thursday, Sept. 20 - Nov. 8 DETAILS: For children ages 6-8, 9-12 and 13 and up; free of charge; includes light meal from 5-5:30 p.m.; while children are in group sessions, parents and guardians attend their own group

on how to help their children. Heartstrings: Parents Who Have Lost a Child

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#### CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE WAYNE COUNTY, MICHIGAN NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING SEPTEMBER 20, 2007 -- 7:30PM

Edenderry Hills and Shadbrook Subdivisions Road Improvements NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN:

1. The Township Board has received petitions signed by the record owners of land whose total road frontace constitutes more than 50% of the total road frontage in the hereinafter described Edenderry Hilfs and Shadbrook Subdivisions Road Improvements Special Assessment District for the purposes of making the hereinafter described improvements and assessing the cost of the improvements to the Edenderry Hills and Shadbrook Subdivisions Road Improvements Special Assessment District.

2. The Township Board has tentatively declared its intention to make the following improvements in the Charter

Township of Northville:

Reconstruction of Edenderry Hills and Shadbrook Subdivisions Road Improvements

Reconstruction of Edenderry Drive, Fermanagh Drive, Donegal Ct., Fermanagh Ct., Laraugh Drive, and Arselot Drive within the Edenderry Hills Subdivision Nos. 1 - 4, and Shadbrook Street, Pinebrook Street, and Pickford Court within the Shadbrook Subdivision, T.1.S., R.8 E., NE 1/4 of Section 9, and, NW.1/4, Section 10, Northville Township, Wayne County, Michigan and to assess the cost of such improvements to the larks that will be especially benefited thereby The estimated cost of the improvements, the amount to be specially assessed, the amount to be a general obligation of the Charter Township of Northylle and the special assessment district are as follows

ESTIMATED COST AMOUNT TO BE ASSESSED AGAINST LANDS IN THE SPECIAL ASSESSMENT DISTRICT AMOUNT TO BE A GENERAL OBLIGATION

OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE DESCRIPTION OF SPECIAL ASSESSMENT DISTRICT

\$1,315,755

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Properties that abut the reconstruction of Edenderry Drive, Fermanagh Drive, Donegal Ct., Fermanagh Ct, Laraugh Drive, and Arselot Drive within the Edenderry Hills Subdivision Nos. 1 - 4 and abutting Edenderry Drive between Seven Mile Road and Pickford Street, and Shadbrook Street, Pinebrook Street, and Pickford Court within the Shadbrook Subdivision and four parcels served by Curtis Avenue, T.1.S., R.8 E., NE 1/4 of Section 9 and NW 1/4 Section 10, Northville Township, Wayne County, Michigan with tax identifications as follows.

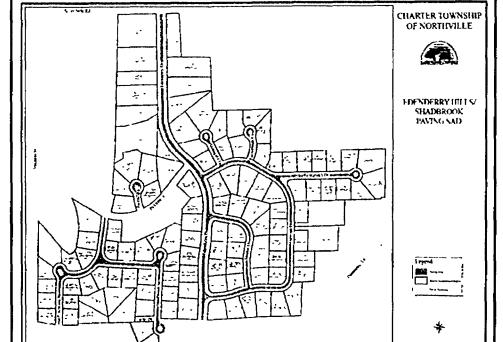
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3. The petitions, maps showing the location of the improvements and the special assessment district, plans, specifications and a cost estimate for the improvements are on file with the Township Clerk for public examina-

4. The Township Board will meet in the Township Hall located at 44405 Six Mile Road, Northville, Michigan, on Thursday, the 20th day of September, 2007 at 7:30p m, Eastern Daylight Time, to hear and consider any objections that may be submitted by any interested person with respect to the petitions, the making of the improvements and the assessing of part of the cost thereof to the aforesaid special assessment district.

5. If the Township Board approves the petitions and the making of the improvements, a special assessment may be levide against properties that benefit from the improvements. Act 186 of the Public Acts of Michigan, 1973, as amended, provides that the special assessment must be protested at the hearing held for the purpose of confirming the special assessment roll before the Nichigan Tay Tribunal may acquire intrisdiction of any discusse involved. as amended, provides that the special assessment must be protested at the hearing held for the purpose of confirming the special assessment roll before the Michigan Tax Tribunal may acquire jurisdiction of any dispute involving the special assessment. The hearing for the purpose of confirming the special assessment roll will be held, if at all, at some time in the future pursuant to notice given as required by law. Appearance and protest at such hearing is required in order to appeal the amount of the special assessment to the Michigan Tax Tribunal. An owner of or party in interest in property to be assessed, or his or her agent, may appear in person to protest the special assessment, or may protest the special assessment by letter filed with the Township Clerk at or prior to the time of the hearing, in which case appearance in person is not required.

THIS NOTICE IS GIVEN by order of the Township Board of Trustees.

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The Concept Is Simple Really

By letting you win big now, I will win at the end of the year I'm betting that if I make you an offer that is 'irresistible' (at least it should be if your furnace or air conditioner is over 8



David Schmidt Frustrated Contractor

years old) and I barely mark it up above the price I paid, I will accomplish two things

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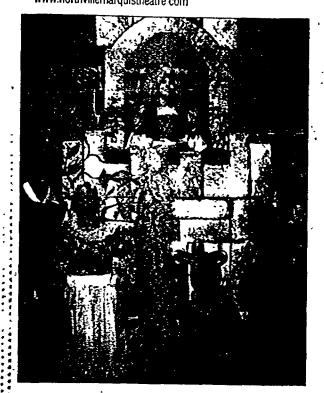


Photo by Christma Zaytı

Shown are (left to right) Christian James (Commerce Township), Caitlyn Treanor (Chicago), Leah Greene (Farmington Hills), Madelaine Bryen (Farmington Hills); and (in the tower) Kaitlyn Burris (Plymouth).

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### PARKS & REC

LOCATION: 775 N. Center St. (back entrance of Hillside Middle School)

CONTACT: For registration and information on camps, classes and activities call (248) 349-0203 or visit www.northvilleparksandrec.org

**Parks and Recreation** Commission

DATE/TIME: 7 p.m. second Wednesday, every other month beginning with January LOCATION: Northville Township

Hall, 44405 W. Six Mile Road **Group Fitness Classes** 

DETAILS: Classes include Yoga, Pilates Ball, Aerobics, Step, Kickboxing, Cycle and overall strength training. Class schedules are flexible and vary; monthly calendar available at www.northvilleparksandrec.org or

call (248) 349-0203. Fees are \$5 for drop-ins or \$45 for an unlimited monthly resident pass. Classes held at Hillside Recreation Center or the Senior Community Center. All fitness levels welcome to participate; certified instructors provide safe and fun workouts.

**Open Basketball** TIME/DATE: 6-9 p.m. every

LOCATION: Senior Community Center, 303 W. Main St. DETAILS: \$3 per person.

Open Family Basketball TIME/DATE: 4-6 p.m. every Sunday

LOCATION: Senior Community Center, 303 W. Main St. DETAILS: \$2 per person. Open 40+ Basketball TIME/DATE: 7-9:30 p.m. every Wednesday

**LOCATION: Senior Community** Center, 303 W. Main St. DETAILS: \$3 per person. **Open Volleyball** 

TIME/DATE: 7-10 p.m. Thursday; 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday

LOCATION: Recreation Center at Hillside

DETAILS: \$4 per person. Open Badminton TIME/DATE: 7-9:30 p.m. every Tuesday and Friday

**LOCATION: Recreation Center** 

at Hilliside **DETAILS: Competitive style** badminton available; all skill levels welcome; \$7 per player.

Netball TIME/DATE: 7-9 p.m. Friday **LOCATION: Senior Community** 

DETAILS: British game based loosely on basketball rules; \$3 per

person. Table Tennis TIME/DATE: 6-10 p.m. Monday,

noon-4 p.m. Saturday
LOCATION: Hillside Recreation Center, 700 W. Baseline Road DETAILS: Eight tables available; all skill levels welcome; \$5 per player.

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CONTACT: Teresa (248) 349-3391 or Northville46@aol.com

#### **Detroit Cody Class of 1957**

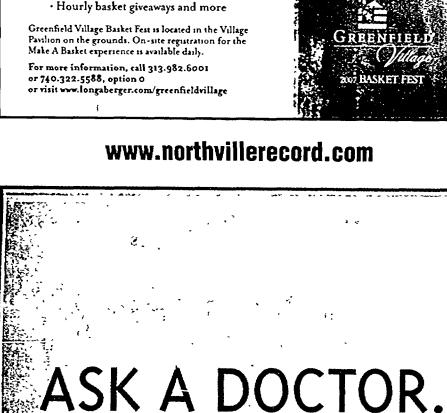
DATE: Friday, October 5 LOCATION: Embassy Suites,

DETAILS: Our 50th reunion open to all 50's graduates; cost is \$90 per person; includes dinner, open bar, memory book, champagne toast and more; register; seating limited.

CONTACT: loret@wideopenwest.com

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### <u>REGIONAL</u>

"Pearls of Wisdom" DATE: daily through Sept. 31

(closed Sunday) LOCATION: Picasso Cafe, 39915 Grand River, Novi

**DETAILS:** This exhibit features drawings of life figures by artist Barbara Eko Murphy.

CONTACT: www barbaraekomurphy.com

#### **Sunday Youth Baskethall** League

DATE: Every Sunday, Sept. 9 -Oct. 28

LOCATION: Madonna University. 36600 Schoolcraft Road, Livonia DETAILS: On Sunday Sept. 9, 10-12 year-olds report at 3 p.m.; 13-15 year-olds report at 5 p.m.; teams formed based on evaluation period the first day; each session consists of a skill building session and a league game; teams coached by Madonna University Men's Baskethall Players; cost is \$100; to

#### Preschool

LOCATION: Academic Pathways Cooperative Preschool, 30330 Schoolcraft Road, Livonia DETAILS: Now enrolling for 2007-08 school year, 3 and 4-year-old

register contact Chuck Henry at

(734) 398-5975 or (734-432-5591.

programs. CONTACT: (734) 459-6689 or academicpathwayspreschool.com

#### **Goodwill Industries**

DETAILS: Goodwill Industries of Greater Detroit is asking for donations of new backpacks and school supplies as part of its Back To School - Fill a Backpack initiative. Items donated will benefit the children of clients whom Goodwill serves. Include in the new backpack: six pencits, six pens, wide ruled notebook, package filler paper, manual penoil sharpener, 24-count crayons, 12" ruler, glue stick, blunt scissors, three-ring binder, pencil bag, two two-pocket folders and one two gation re-seatable plastic bag; donations will be accepted at Goodwill training sites including the North Oakland Career Center, 31150

Beck Road, NoviL CONTACT: Kenya Vinson at (313) 964-3900 ext. 302

#### BeckRidge Chorale Auditions

DETAILS: The BeckRidge Chorale will be holding auditions for its upcoming season. Auditions are by appointment only. To schedule an appointment or for more information contact (734) 416-9885, Beckridgechorale@aol.com, or visit the website at www plycommunitychorus org.

#### **BeckRidge Chorale Fundraiser** DETAILS: In a fundraising effort

to support their educational and charitable activities, BeckRidge Chorale is selling 2008 Entertainment Books at \$20 each; books will be available Aug. 12; preorder now to receive a complimentary 2007 book

CONTACT: Stanley Kovacheff (734) 459-6829

#### **Salem Area Historical Society** Raise the Barn Dance

TIME/DATE: 7-10 p.m. Friday, Sept. 14

LOCATION: Three Cedars Farm,

7897 Six Mile Road (west of Curtis Road), Salem.

DÉTAILS: Music performance by Salem's own "Picks and Sticks." CONTACT: Jean (248) 349-2687 or www.sahshistory.org

#### **Tollgate's Family Fun Day** TIME/DATE: 10 am-3 p.m.

Saturday, Sept. 15 LOCATION: Meadowbrook and 12 Mile roads

**DETAILS: Activities include flower** pressing, pumpkin painting, kite malong, fish catch and release, a maze, line dancing, birds of prey from Howell Nature Center, MSU Bug House, Bat Conservation group and the Novi Fire and Police Departments; no cost.

#### Livonia Youth Philharmonic **Auditions**

TIME/DATE: 9-11 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 15

LOCATION: Churchill High School DETAILS: Auditions for six concert groups; openings in novice, intermediate and advanced orchestras, even flute and saxophone choirs; appointments required by calling (734) 464-8704 or e-mail auditions@LYPM.org.

### Daughters of the American

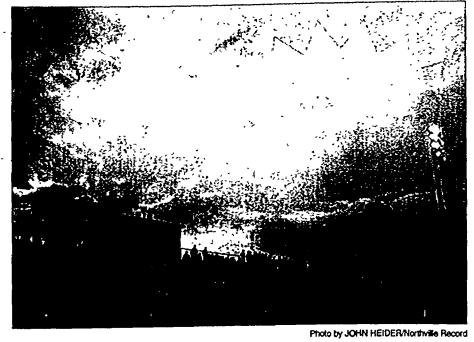
Revolution TIME/DATE: Noon Monday, Sept.

LOCATION: Plymouth District Library

**DETAILS:** Guest speaker is Kathy Petewski, Reference Librarian, speaking about computers and genealogy.

CONTACT: (734) 459-4764

**Novi Choralaires Auditions** TIME/DATE: 7:30-9:30 p.m.



#### Dusk

The sun sets over Northville High's varsity football stadium on Eight Mile Road during the Mustangs' Friday night game against Canton High.

Tuesday, Sept. 18 LOCATION: Novi Middle School **DETAILS: New member auditions** 

for all voice parts. CONTACŤ: Dick Bayerl (248) 349-3267 or Jan Wassilak (734) 449-2579

#### Ann Arbor Civic Ballet Open **Auditions**

TIME/DATE: 7:30 p.m. Thursday,

Sept. 20 LOCATION: Sylvia Studio of Dance, 3900 Jackson Road, Ste. 6, Ann Arbor

DETAILS: Experienced male and female dancers 12 years of age and older are invited to audition; women should bring pointe shoes.

CONTACT: For more information, call (734) 668-8066 or visit www.annarborcivicballet.com.

#### Plymouth Historical Museum Reopens with "Plymouth Rides the Rails"

TIME/DATE: Open 1-4 p.m. Wednesday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday through Nov. 1 LOCATION: 155 S. Main Street, Plymouth

DETAILS: Exhibit explores history of trains in Plymouth from 1871 to present; several model trains on

loan; new permanent exhibit on Main Street includes caboose visitors can board; children can play with Thomas the Tank Engine layout; adults \$5, students 18 and under \$2, families \$10.

Send calendar submissions via email to estone@gannett.com; by fax . to (248) 349-9832; or by mail to ` Northville Record, 104 W. Main, Suite 101, Northville, MI 48167. Items must be received by noon on-Tuesday to be included in Thursday's newspaper.

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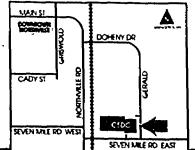
> Rehearsals will be held January through March/April Participation fees include costuming and rehearsal time

For more information call 248-380-1666 or visit www.dancingcenterstage.com

Advance registration is not required. Please wear a leotard, fights, and dance skirt or shorts. Dancers selected are required to join our in-house Ballet Company and attend all rehearsals at Center Stage Dance in Northville. Schedule to be announced



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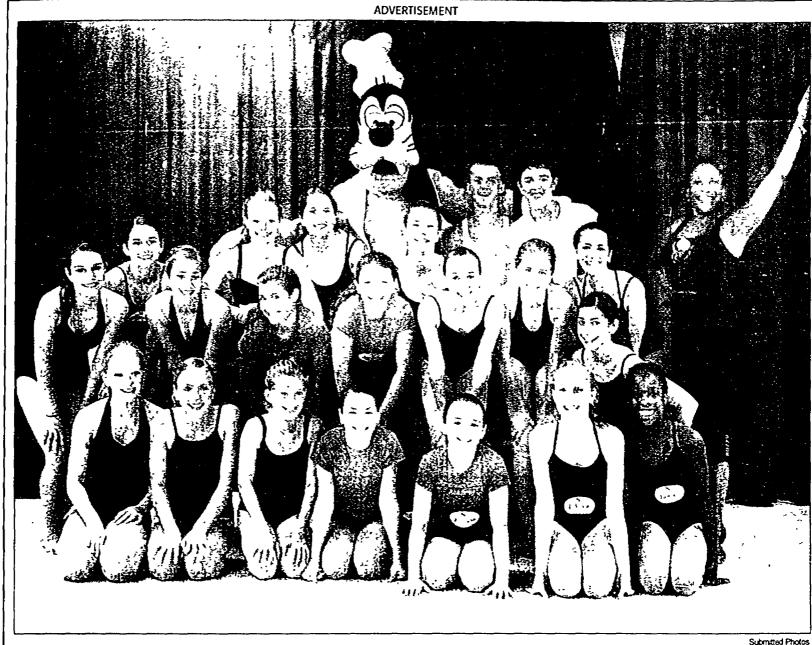
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American Dance Academy dance students are treated to a special Disney Workshop at Disney World in Orlando, Florida.

# Dance helps students learn while having fun

By John Hall SPECIAL WRITER

or the last 10 years, the young people of South Lyon have turned to the American Dance Academy for dance instruction, personal growth, and goal achievements. In return, the school has devoted itself to giving each student a positive learning experience that they

can use for any endeavor in their lives. Learning the various disciplines of dance are important, and the American Dance Academy offers a complete schedule of classes for boys and girls from age 3 through adult in both performing arts and recreational venues.

But just as important are the lesso that each student learns about their own personal growth and development. Many former students have gone on to successful careers in professions including medicine and business.

"Dance is very good as long as it is put into perspective," said owner Melva Zavisa. "What matters is helping children work up to their potential and improve while having fun."

There are many ways that American Dance Academy students have fun. Of the approximately 280 students enrolled in the classes, 40 students are part of the performing arts team, which dances competitively around the country - and sometimes around the world.

'We performed in the International Youth Festival in Russia in 1986," Melva said. "It was quite a learning experience. Our kids came back with a new appreciation for the freedoms we enjoy in the United States."

The key word is learning. The staff of instructors are certified Dance Master and Cecchetti teachers and must attend continuing education programs. Not only is it important for students to continue learning and growing. Melva insists that her instructors do the same.

Some of the programs taught at the

### AMERICAN DANCE ACADEMY

Phone

Address 22886 Pontiac Trail

Web site

American Dance Academy include Tiny Tots, Pre-Dance, and KinderDance for 3year olds; ballet and Pointe; Russian and Cecchetti; jazz and musical theatre; tap, hip hop, and acro, just to name a

In addition to dance classes, the school also offers theatrical training including acting and singing.

Theatre and dance go together," said Melva. "This type of training rounds out the student?

And speaking of rounding out students, the American Dance Academy also believes in helping young people achieve their goals who would not nor-mally be able to financially afford a dance education. Melva and her staff works with local Youth Enrichment and Youth Assistance programs.

"When we have extra spaces in our classes, we invite needy children to participate," she added.

Melva, also, gives special discounts to children of parents currently serving in active duty for the armed forces.

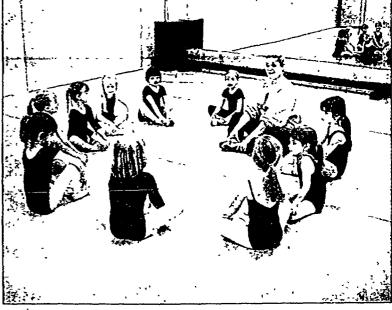
The care for the community stretches beyond helping young people in need it also extends to the community itself and the people who support the school.

This holiday season, in early December, the American Dance Academy will sponsor a special holiday performance to benefit the Active Faith

(248) 486-9664

South Lyon, MI (in King Plaza)

www.theamericandanceacademy.com



The young students of the American Dance Academy combine an educational experience with a lot of fun during their classes.

charity and to celebrate A D.A.'s 10th year in South Lyon. Melva is inviting all children and adults to come out and perform in the show, free of charge.

"Anyone can sign up to be in the program," she said. "We will supply the choreography and the costumes. The practices will take place at the academy in 5-6 lessons, with a few practices on weekends.

"This will be an opportunity for kids who wouldn't normally have the chance to get up on stage and perform."

During the show, Melva hopes that people will bring in toys that they wish to donate to the 'Toys for Tots' program. All of these community projects are

part of the American Dance Academy's

"Education is just as important as dance," she added. She rewards her graduating seniors with college scholarships, which are

overall philosophy of making dance a pos-

itive learning experience, which empha-

which Melva believes is a key to success.

Every experience is an education,

sizes skill, teamwork, and dedication.

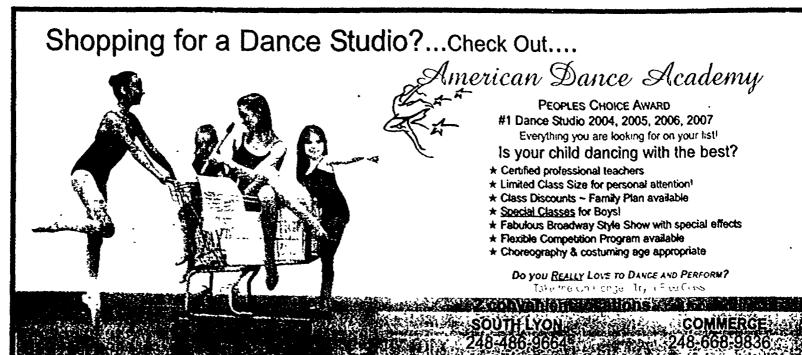
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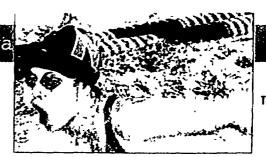
She also noted, "Dance enhances abil-

ities of children in many ways throughout their lives. For more information on the American

Dance Academy call (248) 486-9664 or

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# CHIEFS RUSH TO WIN



Northville High wide receiver Kris Baumgardner was able to get past the grasp of this Canton defender Friday night.

# Canton runs for 422 yards in 41-23 victory

By Jeff Theisen RECORD SPORTS WRITER

Canton brought its potent ground game to Northville and left with a 41-22 victory Friday

The Northville offense showed some spark, but the defense had few answers for the smashmouth

Chiefs. Canton racked up 422 yards on the ground, while averaging 8.6 yards a carry.

They do a great job of doing what they're good at," said Northville head coach Ryan Hockman. "It's very simple, but they come off the ball. Their running backs get hit and they keep driving their feet and their legs.

The Mustangs actually led the game 3-0 from a Max Bojovic field goal following a Canton muffed punt recovered by the

Team - 1 2 3 4 Tot Canton 7 13 14 7 — 41 Northville 3 6 6 7 - 23

First quarter

— 6:36 Max Bojovic 32 FG C — 2:46 Adam Powers 24

run, Kyle Winconek kick

Second quarter C — 8:23 Jordan Raiford 25

run, kick failed

N -- 2:05 Andrew Gorley 15 pass from Aaron Chew, kick

Mustangs.

But the Chiefs wasted little time in taking a lead they wouldn't relinquish.

Ouarterback Adam Powers ran the ball in from 24 yards out with 2:16 left in the first quarter.

C - :30 Raiford 30 701. Winconek kick

Third quarter C - 7:21 Raiford 1 run,

Winconek kick

N — 7:04 Andrew Devine 74 run, attempt failed

C - 5:29 Tim Klott 1 run,

Winconek kick

Fourth quarter

C - 11:09 Jerome Scales 4 run, Winconek kick

N —: 11 Scott Tomsa 2 run,

Bojovic kick

Jordan Raiford scored his first touchdown, a 25-yarder with 8:23 left for a 13-3 lead.

Northville responded with a 15yard touchdown by Andrew Gorley from Aaron Chew, cutting the lead to 13-9.

But Canton surged ahead with 14 straight on touchdowns by Rayford (30 yards, 1 yard) for a 27-9 lead.

They spread your gaps, where it's really hard to find what's going on," Hockman said, "If a linebacker makes a mistake ... then you're in trouble. That happened to us just about every fourth or fifth play.

"We'd be good for two or three plays, and somebody would have a breakdown.

Devine found a crease and flew upfield for a 74-yard score, but Canton fired back with 14 more points to seal the win.

"He's starting to really see cuts," Hockman said. "He's still improving. He stayed tight to blocks.

Scott Tomsa scored a late

continued on 2

# Mustangs run to Dexter title

■ Northville beats Brighton by 15 points; Murphy finishes sixth overall

Submitted to the Record

After finishing second 10 days ago at the Corunna invite with some mediocre times, Northville worked hard in practice for nine solid days.

The Mustangs got focused and won the 13-team Dexter Invite on Saturday (Northville 72. Brighton 87, Dexter 90).

Northville achieved a lot of impressive results and 13 careerbest times, along with a ton of season-best times.

Senior captain Jenny Murphy led the Mustangs with a sixth-place finish in an impressive time of 19.57.

Right on her heels was her training partner, senior Lindsay Hagan, in only her second race of the season, finishing seventh in 20.02.

The Mustangs kept coming with Stephanie Hamel taking 17th in 20:52.

Next in was junior Amy Baditoi, making her varsity appearance, in 21st with a career-best time of 21:00. Right with her was senior Kristen Stutrud, finishing 22nd in 21:03.

The final two were sophomore Kelsey Katynski in 27th with 21:20 and senior Sarah Aquinto was 34th in 21:32.

"The varsity seven today ran a great race and really excelled in the final 1,000 meters into the finish," Northville head coach Nancy Smith said.

"All season long, we have been working on using our arms and digging deep, and they did just that with impressive finishline performances."

The Mustangs showed how deep they are when the reserve runners lined up on the course and took off. They ran as packs and kept coming.

Leading the way was a trio

with impressive results. Freshman Emily Sklar showed that she has the talent to be in the top seven, finishing first. She lead the entire race and finished with a season/career-best time of 20.57.

Next in was senior Anna Hardenbergh, who left it all on the course, taking second in 21:18. Freshman Becky Reynolds finished third in a season/career-best time of 21:21.

Rounding out the top eight were freshman Sara Dedona in fifth in 21:42; senior Julia Bawden in sixth in 21:50; sophomore Sarah Forsythe in seventh in 22:00; senior Karina Puskorius in eighth in 22:01; senior Leslie Tilson in ninth in 22:05; and junior Kathleen Keiffer in 10th in 22 07.

Northville claimed all but one of the top 10 spots.

"Our freshmen are really stepping up and proving to themselves and the team that they are the future of this program." Smith said. "All three of them who placed ran great and with confidence.
"We still have work to do, but

if we continue to train hard and run with confidence, we will continue to improve and achieve both season and individual goals."

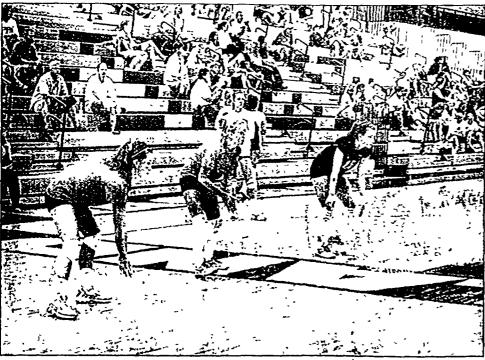
The Mustangs will travel 15 girls to compete at the prestigious Spartan Invitational on

The rest of the team will head to a city meet against Wayne and John Glenn today.



Submitted by Douglas Marts

The Northville girls cross country team shows off its trophy won at the Dexter Invite. Northville scored 72 points, beating Brighton with 87 and Dexter with 90.



Northville defenders Claire Wixted, Beth Foucher and Lydia Blair wait for a serve.

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# 'Stangs open play won the first game 25-15, Chelsea

### Northville breezes through tourney pool play

Submitted to the Record

The Mustangs volleyball team opened its season, finishing third Saturday in a 16-team tournament at Hartland.

Northville breezed through pool play undefeated by besting Pinckney (25-14, 25-18), Ann Arbor Huron (25-16, 25-19) and Waterford Mott (25-12, 25-15).

Their 6-0 record in pool play made them one of four No. I seeds in the single-elimination playoffs.

Northville had a scare in the first round of playoffs from No. 4 seed Chelsea. After the Mustangs

came back to take the second game 25-18. That meant a tiebreaking game to 15 to stay alive in the tournament. Northville applied the pressure early and coasted to a 15-7 win.

Northville advanced to face Dexter and won in two games -25-15. 25-23, advancing to the final four. In the semifinals, Northville

faced a strong Ann Arbor Proneer team. The match was hard fought, and in the first game the lead was within two points for either team almost the entire game. Northville looked to be in control with a 23-21 lead when Proneer took a time out

Pioneer came back to win four straight points to seal the victory. In the second game Pioneer won 25-19 to advance to the finals against Airport High School. Mustang highlights included

Beth Foucher with 60 serve receives on 66 chances, along with 16 digs and four aces; Krysta Cicala with 38 kills, 39 assists and eight aces: Kelly Maise with 29 kills; Jamie Catrone with 19 kills and a 39percent hitting percentage; Allison Holmes with 33 assists; Megan Hofmeister with 11 digs; and Lydia Blair recorded 34 servtce points and four aces.
"This was a great start to our

season," said Laura Lesko, Nonhville head coach. "I'm happy with how the girls played and how they came together as a team. We came out strong, played some tough competition, and saw where our weaknesses are and what we need to improve on.

"We are looking forward to and are already excited about our tournament next weekend at U-M Dearborn '

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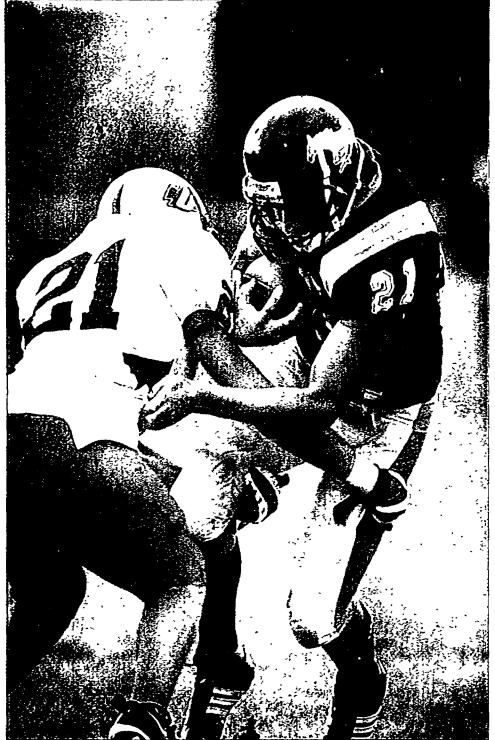


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Mustang runningback Andrew Devine tries to get past a Chief defender.

### ■ MUSTANGS: Canton ground game too much

continued from front

touchdown for the Mustangs for the final points.

Chew finished 7-for-14 passing for 91 yards and a score with no interceptions. He also ran five times for 32 yards.

"He did a lot of good things," Hockman said. "We're pleased with his performance. He did a good inh"

Andrew Devine carried the ball 18 times for 152 yards and a score, including a 74-yard TD run.

Greg Hasse was again a beast on defense, getting involved in 23 tackles (11 solo, 12 assists). David Sands had four solos and six assists.

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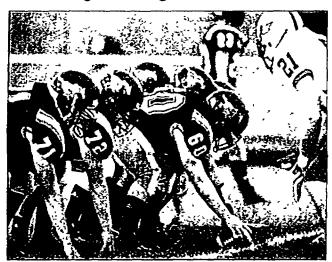


Photo by JOHN HEIDER/Northville Record

The Mustang offensive line prepares to spring into action against Canton.

# Mustang JV beats Canton, 34-22

: Submitted to the Record

The Northville JV football team trampled the Canton Chiefs on Thursday night with a final score of 34-22. This was a major event for the Northville football program as the game represented the first time a Northville football team has beat Canton since the year 2000.

"The victory over Canton was a total team effort.

Good consistent offense and a hard hitting defense combined for a great team effort," IV Head Coach Dennis Colligan said.

Scoring touchdowns for Northville were quarter-

back Mike Wegzyn; running backs Kyle Galdes and Brett Smith, and wide receiver Jack Gibson. Wegzyn also ran in a two-point conversion and kicker Jake Robideau completed 2 field goals.

The Mustang defense was outstanding. Brad Wagner caught a key interception. Excellent tackles and sacks were carried out by Wes Baber, Kyle Buren, Kyle Galdes, and Bobby Lahiff. Steve Widzinski also recovered a fumble.

The teams' record is 2-0-1 with wins against Churchill and Canton and a tie against South Lyon.

The Mustangs next game is 10 a m. Saturday at Walled lake Western.

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# 'Stangs take on Warriors

By Jeff Theisen RECORD SPORTS WRITER

After a week against a no-frill, smashmouth team like Canton, the Mustangs will see something totally different Saturday.

Northville travels to Walled Lake Western, a team that runs an offense similar to the Mustangs.

"They're a quick team, not real big," said Northville head coach Ryan Hockman of Walled Lake Western. "They run a spread offense. A lot of one-back, noback formation.

"Their quarterback can throw and he's mobile."

Both teams will have to make a concerted effort to stop both the run and the pass.
"On defense they're real

aggressive," Hockman said.
"They have a blitzing type defense. They'll put pressure on you, blitz you and get after you."
The upside to heavy blitzing is

if the blocking picks it up, big plays can be made downfield. Northville quarterback Aaron

Chew looked more comfortable in his second week as a starter. If he can handle the pressure, Chew could be headed for his biggest day as a Northville quarterback.

Running back Andrew Devine showed his play-breaking ability with a 74-yard run last week

# Saturday's Game



Who: Northville (0-3, 0-2) vs. Walled Lake Western (2-1, 2-0)

Where: Walled Lake Western

When: 1 p.m.

against Canton. The run can also turn into big plays against an aggressive defense. If the blocking can hold up the blitzers, there are less tacklers in the second and final wave of defenders.

Walled Lake Western appears to have straightened things out after a season-opening loss to Monroe. The Warriors have come back to smash Walled Lake Northern 37-2 and slipped by Franklin 17-14 for a two-game winning streak.

Northville has been scoring more points each week, with the 22 points against Canton last week being the highest

week being the highest Unfortunately, the Mustang defense has struggled to get key stops. Northville is allowing an average of just under 30 points a game.

On of the toughest things for the Mustangs this year has been how the schedule has lined up. The first six Northville opponents have a combined record of 13-5, with no team being worse than 2-1.

"We've played good football teams and played well," Hockman said. "It's just a matter of doing it, trusting it and believing it.

'The reality is some people look at wins and losses, exclusively. But we're getting better."

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Mustang QB Aaron Chew fires a pass to his right during Friday's game against the



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# MUSTANG ROUNDUP

### ■ Golf, tennis, soccer start league play

By Jeff Theisen RECORD SPORTS WRITER

The Northville tennis team won 7-1 Sept. 5 at Salem, beginning league play.

Melvin Joseph beat Lawrence Washington 6-3, 6-1 at No. 1 singles. Washington went through the WLAA conference last year at No. I singles without losing a set, including the conference tourna-

#### Northville Soccer

The Northville soccer team (8-1) has come firing out of the gates, winning six of the first seven games.

The Mustangs' wins came against West Bloomfield (4-1), Lutheran North (2-0), Country Day (3-0), Churchill (1-0), John Glenn (8-0), Wayne (8-0) and Plymouth (5-0). The Mustangs also beat Franklin.

The lone loss came to Canton,

#### **Northville Golf**

The Mustang golf team has had a successful run of late on the

Northville placed second at a two-day, 20-team tournament in Traverse City on Aug. 29-30. The tournament featured just shy of 200 golfers.



Northville tennis player Andy Mills hits a return against Novi.

Alicia Weber finished four overall, shooting 76 and 81 for a

Other scored for the Mustangs included Kirsten Freisen (85/93-178), Kelley Weber (94/95-189) and Brianna Roberts (94/99-

Rochester was a run-away winner with a 601. Northville finished with 717, eight ahead of East Kentwood.

The Mustangs also competed in the Ann Arbor Proneer tournament at U-M, finishing in third. Rochester again won with a 324. Grand Blanc was next with a 334, and Northville followed with

Freisen tied for sixth individually with an 81. Alicia Weber was just behind with an 83.

Joanne Weber shot a 94, and Brianna Roberts and Amy Bernstein each carded 99s.

The Mustangs also polished off league foe Walled Lake Central

Alicia Weber fired a 41 to lead the Mustangs. Freisen was next with a 46, followed by Stephanie Sakorafis with a 47 and Joanne Weber with a 48.

"I am pleased with where we are at this point in the season." Northville head coach Mary Jane Ossola said "We have done very well in our tournaments but we still have not reached our poten-

"We are very close to being an excellent team."

### On the Move

# Fall running beats the heat

The hot and humid days of summer will soon be replaced by the crisp, cool mornings of fall This is my favorite season for running. The temperature is pleasant and the leaves are changing color. And the fall racing season is one of the busiest of the year - with everything from 5Ks to marathons to choose from. This is a "no excuse" time of the year. So get out and run or walk and enjoy this wonderful sea-

#### it's cross country time

This also is cross country time for high school athletes. While it may not have the reputation as a spectator sport like football, cross country offers fast paced action and an opportunity for some good exercise for those who move around the 5K course to watch their favorite runners.

Our area is fortunate to have excellent cross country programs at each of the high schools (Northville, Novi and Catholic Central). A number of meets are run at the Cass Benton Park course on Hines Drive between 6 and 7 Mile Roads. This is a challenging course, with rolling hills and an uphill finish. Check out the schedules and come out to a

An excellent opportunity to see the best in high school cross country action is the Catholic Central Invitational at Cass Benton on Saturday, September 22. About 10 schools compete in each event with the girls varsity starting at 10.00 a.m., the boys varsity at 11:00 a.m., and the JV events beginning at noon. Northville (girls/boys) and Catholic Central will both be competing for top honors.

#### Join in the fun

For a taste of cross country running, consider the high school courses at Cass Benton Park or Kensington Metro Park. They both offer good hill training and excellent fall scenery."3

If you would like an even greater cross country experience, think about running one of the JV open races at a high school meet. This is generally allowed, and I have done it a number of times, but check with one of the coaches first and start behind the other runners. As

you run, give the young athletes words of encouragement (if you can keep up with them).

I still remember my first competitive running event



J. Mittman

after taking 30 years off: following my high school cross. country days. My son's coach at Catholic Central,

Tony Magni, encouraged three dads to run the JV open race at the Sturgis H.S. Invitational. As I was running next to a young girl, her mother yelled to her: Don't let that old man beat you!" And I was a "young" 47 at the time.

#### **Upcoming events**

Saturday, Sept. 22: Fall Color 5K Run/Walk at Maybury State Park. This event starts at 10:00 a.m. and is put on by the Michigan State Police. (www.tblofmi.org)

• Sunday, Sept. 30: The Big House/Big Heart 5K/1 Mile Run/Walk at University of Michigan football stadium in Ann Arbor. It starts at 9.00 a.m. goes through the U of M campus, and finishes at the 50 yard

(www.bighousebigheart.com)

Northville resident Jerry Mittman is an avid runner and has completed over 600 races. including 57 marathons. He can be contacted at jjm997@hotmail.com



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# Northville showdown

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The Northville JV Colts cruised to a 30-13 victory as they defeated the Northville Stallions in the first ever all-Northville Homecoming game.

The Colts boys attend or will attend Hillside Middle school, while the Stallions represent Meads Mill. This is the first year for the Stallions who represent an expansion of the Northville pro-

gram. The Colts roared out to a 22-0 lead in the first half with contributions from several members of the Colts offense.

Notably, Brandon Damour, was 2-for-3 on extra points in the first half (kicking is 2 points at this age) and 3-for-4 on the day. Connor Brown had several key runs that helped keep the offense moving.

The real difference this week was a strong performance by the defense which held the Stallions scoreless until late in the fourth quarter. Patrick Hannah, Sean Conway, Zach Wilds, R.J. Holloway all made big stops with the Colts D allowing only one first down during the first three periods of play.

The Stallions scored their first touchdown on a gamble on fourth down when Alex Doering ran 78 yards for a touchdown with 3:31 to play in the fourth.

The Colts quickly answered when Robby Parks ran 72 yards for a touchdown with 2:14 to play, the point after was converted for two and the Colts lead 30-7.

deal of poise by not giving up and coming right back with an exciting touchdown pass from Jake Slominski to Tim Eis with 1:15 to play. It was an exciting day of

The Stallions showed a great

Northville football in what may well become a classic intercity rivalry. The Colts won the first meeting: The Stallions will be the hosts next.

#### Stallion freshmen fall to Colts, 32-13

Following the festivities of Homecoming and a parade through downtown, the freshman Northville Colts jumped out to a 20-0 halftime lead in route to 32-13 victory over the Northville

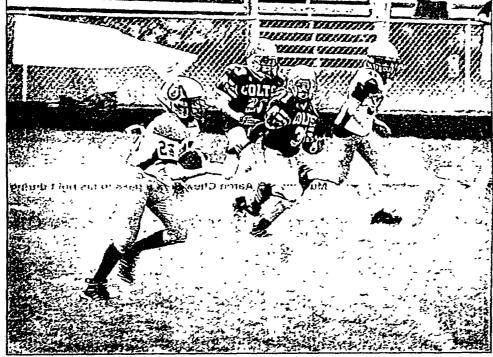
#### Northville H.S. schedules

Football 9/15 at W.L. Western, 1 p.m.

**Cross Country** 9/13 at Wayne (WLAA), 4 p.m. 9/14 at MSU Invite, TBA

Soccer 9/17 at Canton, 7 p.m. 9/19 vs. Wayne, 7 p.m.

Swim and Dive 9/13 at Mercy



The Northville Colts and Stallions faced off against each other for the first time.

Stallions.

Following the tough first half for the Stallions, Hunter Doering put the Stallions on the board with a 55-yard touchdown run down the left sideline to trim the lead to

The defense, led by interceptions from Dominic Marsalese and William Wright, kept the game close for the Stallions until a costly fumble by the offense at their own 10-yard line led to another touchdown and a 26-6 lead for the Colts.

Preston McDowell scored in the fourth quarter on a 5-yard touchdown run to trim the lead to 26-13, but it was not enough as the Stallions fell to 1-1 on the sea-

In addition to the interception. Wright led the Stallions in tackles and was supported with a strong effort from the interior defense made up of Diaz Saunderson, George Metrusias. James Lewis and Matthew Komorous.

Next week the Stallions travel to Walled Lake for their first game away from Northville against the Multi-Lakes Gators.

9/14 vs. John Glenn, 3 p.m. 9/17 at W.L. Northern (Brentwood), 3 p.m. 9/19 vs. Stevenson, 3 p m.

Tennis 9/15 at A.A. Huron, 8 a.m. 9/17 at Stevenson, 4 p.m. 9/19 vs. W.L. Western, 4 p.m.

9/15 at Renaissance, TBA 9/17 at John Glenn, 7 p.m. 9/19 vs. Churchill, 7 p.m.



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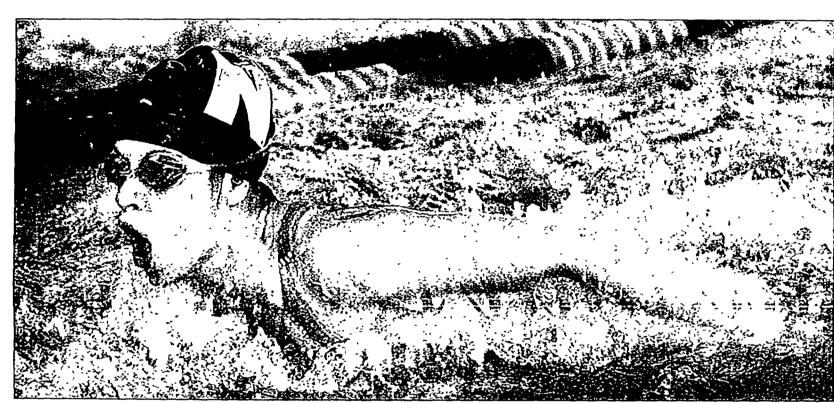
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Northville Mustangs and South Lyon Lions blast off the blocks during their early September meet at Northville High. The visitors won, 98-88.



Michaela Keady swims butterfly as the Northville Mustangs host the South Lyon Lions.



Becca Myers swims freestyle for the Mustangs in a 200 meter team medley.



Captains of the Mustang women's swim team fire up their teammates before their meet with South Lyon.

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A.J. Cohen swims against South Lyon.

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#### **Brandied Mango Bread Pudding**

Prep time: 20 minutes Stand time: 30 minutes Cook time: 40 minutes

> Nonstick cooking spray

- 6 cups 1-inch cubes King's Hawaiian Sweet Bread
- 2 ripe mangos, peeled, pitted and diced 1 1/2 cups fat-free half and half
- 3/4 cup egg substitute 2/3 cup granulated sugar
- 1/4 cup brandy teaspoon vanilla extract
- 1/2 teaspoon each: ground cinnamon, allspice and nutmeg
- 3 tablespoons butter, melted Powdered sugar (optional)

Preheat oven to 350°F. Lightly spray 9-inch baking dish with nonstick cooking spray. Place bread cubes and mangos in baking dish. In medium bowl, whisk together half and half, egg substitute, sugar, brandy, vanilla and spices. Whisk in melted butter, then pour over bread and mangos, stirring lightly to coat bread with egg mixture. Let stand 30 minutes. or until liquid is absorbed. Bake 40 minutes, or until toothpick inserted into center comes out clean. Serve warm dusted with powdered sugar, if desired. Makes 8 servings.

Nutritional analysis per serving: Calories: 230, Fat: 2g. Saturated Fat: 0.5g, Trans Fat: 0g, Cholesterol: 15mg, Sodium: 210mg, Carbohydrates: 37g. Fiber: 2g, Sugar: 23g, Protein: 7g, Vitamin A: 15%, Vitamin C: 25%, Calcium: 10%, Iron: 8%

#### Sweet Peanut Egg Rolls

Prep time: 20 minutes Cook time: 10 to 12 minutes

Butter-flavor nonstick cooking spray 1 cup chopped dry

- roasted, unsalted peanuts
- 6 tablespoons low-fat or fat-free caramel sauce 1 teaspoon ground
- cinnamon, divided 2 tablespoons butter, melted
- 2 tablespoons honey 8 sheets phyllo dough

Preheat oven to 400°F. Line baking sheet with foil and spray with nonstick cooking spray; set aside. Stir together peanuts, caramel sauce and 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon in small bowl. Stir together butter, honey and remaining cinnamon in small bowl. Lay I sheet phyllo on a board (keep remaining dough covered with damp cloth). Spray phyllo with cooking spray and fold in half. Repeat steps for remaining phyllo. Brush phyllo very lightly with butter mixture, then spoon 2 tablespoons peanut mixture along one long edge of dough, leaving about 1/2 inch empty on both sides. Fold in 2 sides, then roll up tightly and place on prepared baking sheet. Repeat with remaining phyllo and butter and peanut mixtures. Brush rolls on all sides with any remaining butter mixture. Bake 10 to 12 minutes, or until golden brown. Serve with additional warmed caramel sauce for dipping, if desired. Makes 8 egg rolls.

Nutritional analysis per egg roll: Calories: 210, Fat: 11g. Saturated Fat: 3g, Trans Fat: 0g, Cholesterol: 10mg, Sodium! 130mg, Carbohydrates: 25g. Fiber: 2g, Sugar: 9g, Protein: 5g, Vitamin A: 2%, Vitamin C: 0%, Calcium: 2%, Iron: 6%

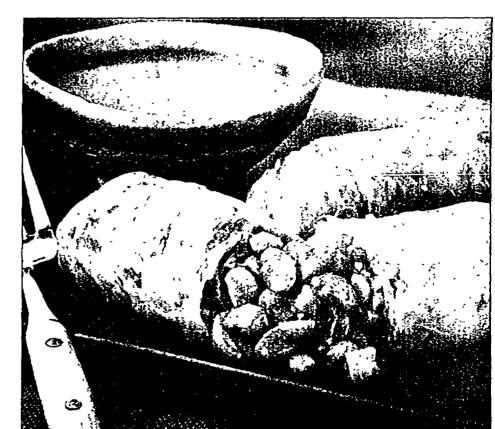
### Mango Peanut Crisp

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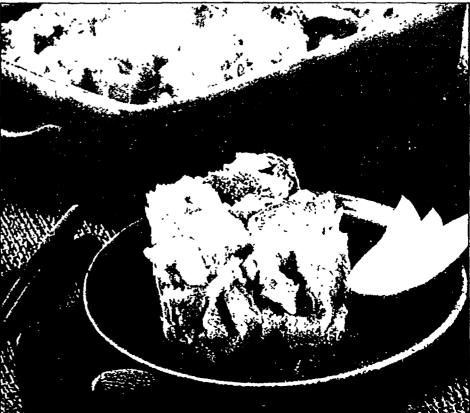
- Nonstick cooking spray
- 6 tablespoons rolled oats 1/4 cup firmly packed
- brown sugar 1/2 tablespoon flour
- tablespoons butter, softened
- teaspoon ground cinnamon
- 1/4 cup chopped honey roasted peanuts
- Filling
- 3 large ripe mangos, peeled, pitted and diced
- tablespoons honey 1/2 teaspoon ground cinnamon

Preheat oven to 350°F. Spray four 2-cup baking dishes with nonstick cooking spray. Stir together all topping ingredients except peanuts in small bowl with fork until they become coarse crumbs; set aside. Stir together all filling ingredients in medium bowl and spoon into prepared dishes. Spoon topping over filling and sprinkle with peanuts. Bake 20 minutes, or until filling is hot and bubbly and topping is golden brown. Makes 4 servings.

Nutritional analysis per serving: Calories: 310, Fat: 10g, Saturated Fat: 4g, Trans Fat: 0g, Cholesterol: 15mg, Sodium: 75mg, Carbohydrates: 56g, Fiber: 3g, Sugar: 25g, Protein: 3g. Vitamin A: 60%, Vitamin C: 25%, Calcium: 2%, Iron: 4%



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Both of the doctors have completed their fellowship training in advanced refractive (LASIK) and cataract surgery through Michigan State University. According to Howard, it is rare for one doctor in a practice to have the fellowship training, it is very rare for two doctors in the same practice to have that same training - and their patients are the benefactors.

"I don't know of any other office that does this," he said. "It means that if one of us cannot see a patient for any reason, the other is qualified to diagnose and treat the patient in the same manner."

With so many advances in laser-eyecare technology; the doctors felt it was important to have all of the up-to-date training and equipment to handle a growing demand for laser correction surgery, which Howard said is the "number one type of surgery in the United States.'

Some of the other new technology that can be found at Adelson Eye and Laser Center in downtown Northville includes iris registration software - a touch-free method of measuring and marking the eye. One set of measurements is taken with the patient seated and another set taken with the patient lying down. The technology finds and unwraps the iris, selects prominent and matching reference points for each iris, calculates the treatment surface angles from multiple matching reference points, and automatically checks the solution quality.

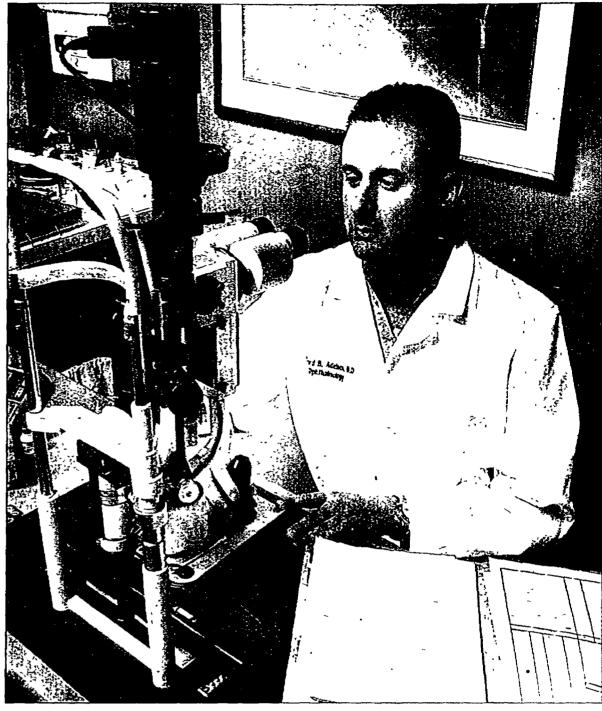
Another technology is the Ex-Press' Mini Glaucoma Shunt, which provides a simplified method of filtration surgery for patients with open angle glaucoma. It is ideally performed after cataract surgery or simultaneously vith any type of cataract extraction. The procedure involves no tissue removal with minimal inflammation and low complication.

Other technologies include laser treatment for patients with diabetes. Of course, Adelson Eye and Laser Center are full-service eye care specialists. The practice also works with local optometrists to offer the best treatment for all patients.

Howard and Todd are currently accepting new patients in both their Northville office and their newest location in Warren - supporting a growing base of satisfied patients in metro

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Todd Adelson, above, and his brother Howard Adelson, at right, care for patients in their downtown Northville office. Howard has spent many years practicing the most up-to-date methods of laser eye correction. Todd joined Adelson Eye and Laser Center in mid-2006 and has added a great deal of expertise to the practice. Both doctors have completed fellowship training in advanced refractive and cataract surgery through MSU.

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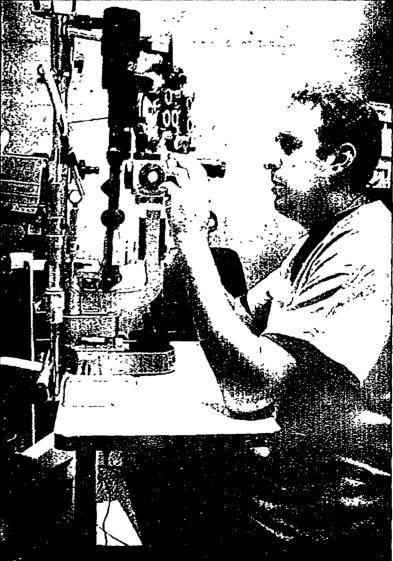
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Todd joined his brother in July of 2006 and recently marked his first anniversary in the practice. He shares the same philosophy about customer care as

"Patients are not numbers to us," he said. "We are an old-time medical practice with all of the newest technology. Office hours are Monday through Friday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. The clinic can also handle medical emergencies.

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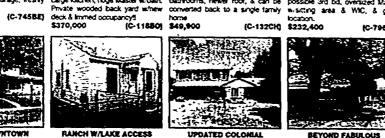
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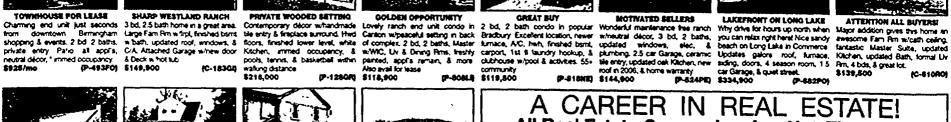
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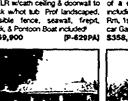
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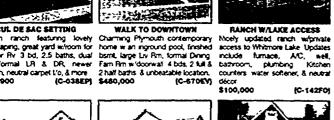
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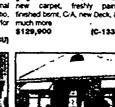
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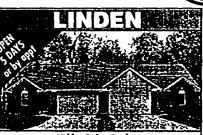
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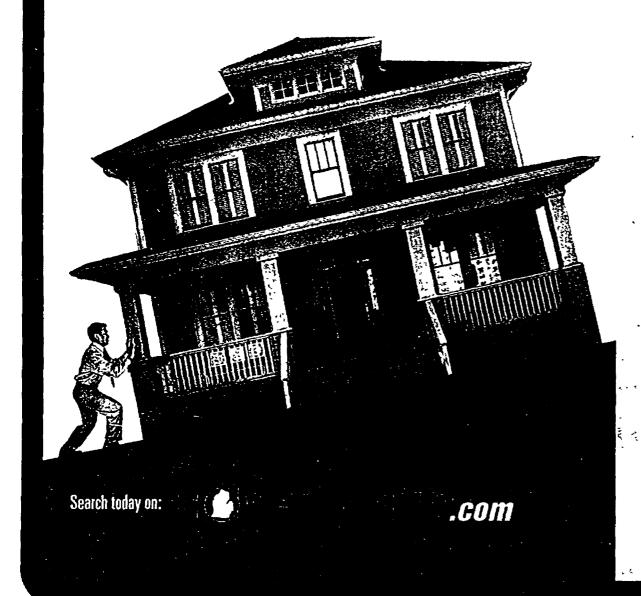
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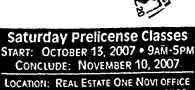
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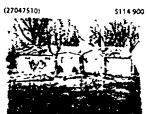
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248-684-1065 thome on double lot. Walk to Union Updates galore. LR, FR. lib.sun.rm y of cab/counterspace. 2 decks w/ fully.

(27046891) \$159,900



Dearborn Heights 734-455-7000 GREAT LOCATION 38R bungalow with fenced yd & 2car gar Many updates. Apphances included Deep yard w/above-ground pool Generous room sizes. Owner will entertain all offers! (27146016) \$132,000



734-455-7000 BRICK RANCH WITH GREAT CURB APPEAL! Great location! 3BR gorgeous interior updated butchen. Separate utility room, new roof (tear off), new windows t/o. Copper plumbing and (27148263) \$125,000

248-684-1065 Green Oak Private cul de sac Quiet, tree lined road Gorgeous 25 acre lot Privs on Hamburg Lake Peaceful & serene (27067288)

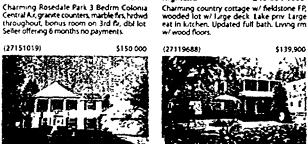


Custom built liffs home, 1.7 acres. Maple cabs & grante tilo 2 kirts & baths 2 story GR w/gas fp. 1st fiz mistr w/ ba & 2 WKCs. Fin W/O, prof. Indscping.

(27049598)

\$649 900

248-684-1065 Z48-684-1065
Enjoy 80 of frontage on lake w/ Kull boardwalk
& seawall Waterside hot rub. Extensive deck.
Family rm w/ wet bar Newer rook furnice
& C/A. Highland



**Howell** 248-684-1065 Lakefront ranch w/ fin W/O 22x10 screened porch Mstr stew/W/C & full ba w/ tub Kitopen to brift m w/ all appls. 2 car gar FR, kit area & 1/2 ba in W/O



THIS BEAUTY SHINES ABOVE THE COMPETITION Recently appraised at \$127k. Buyer fell thru so now lucky your Gorgeous updated httchen w/ oak cabs, granite countes, & backsplash, ceramic fir Must See!

734-326-2000



3 BR RANCH FEATURES UNIQUE FLOOR PLAN Large Inving rm w/cathedral ceilings. Beautiful addition at the rear of home w/4 doorwalls. Large master BR Oversized 2 5 car garage Full borns partially finished.



Livonia UPDATED HOME WITH LARGE FENCED YARD features kitchen w/granite counters.spacious lay rmfam rm w/frpic Fin bsmt w full bath. Updates unclude roof-furnace,windows and doorwall to patio [27159843] 5179,900



248-348-6430 Rosedale Gardens Beauty The inside story:New kit incl cabs.grante critistile bispish & floor plus all new april All new paintnew carpetnew main bath.Updtd FRPower im & LR.

(27155122) \$1,700



734-591-9200 Lyon Township Exquiste Colonial in Northville, 4 Bdms, 3 2 Baths, Dual Stairs, Coffered Ceiling in Grt Rm, 2 Stry Fp Mantle, Kit W Granite Chir Tops Cstm Cabs, 1st Fl Mstr Ste W Bkny Wc, Sts On 2 05 Ac.



Milford 248-684-1065 Custom built home on 3+ acres. 4 car gar + add1.4.6 car gar w/ H2O & elec. Huge 1st fir mstr ste w/ 2 W1C, jet tub & dr to yard. GR w/ frioced fa Finith

\$589,900

Milford 248-684-1065 Don't miss out on this beautiful retreat on secluded 175 acre lot backing up to Camp Dearborn Island kitchen open to great room with freplace 5 br 4ba

(27153029)



Milford 248-349-6430 Only minutes to Downtown Milford Home w/ many updates! Howd firs, natural fp in GR 3 dw off NR, GR and DR lead to brick pabo and huge decl. New roof 07. Neut decor t/o. Must see



Beautiful Remodeled 2006 Historic Home In downtown Northylle, abundance of windows, fabulous new kitchen, elegant dining & living room, great room, family room & 3 porches. A spectacular home! (27159086) 5799,900



Outstanding Design & Quality Beautiful built home w/gour lut & bldt rm w 'granite counters, comfortable elegath LR & DR, nice den, great mste ste, walkout & two story deck



Northville 248-348-6430 Welcoming Northyille Colonial 2885 SF on Ig treed lot w/gardens. Spacious grante kt w/hdwd flr opens to FR w/FP Roomy BD sizes, form LR & DR, den, 3+car side entry gar



248-348-6430 Northville SPACIOUS NORTHYILLE CONDO This lovely Brentwood fir plan offers cathedral ceilings in GR.DR & mstr suite GR wicentral fr & doorwall to deck Convenient to pool clubhouse & \$154 900



248-348-6430 ISLAND LAKE ELEGANT COLONIAL Located close to lake 'chibhouse' Gourmet gran kit. frml LR & DR, 2 stry GR, 2 FP, huge mstr suite w/stting room. Dressing area, 4WK. 3 full bath 5799 900



Graceful Living on Walled LAke Enjoy entertaing or just relawing on Beautiful Walled Lk. Kit wicherry cabinets, granite counters, GR w vaulted clg. howd fis tio. Mistr will ruge



248-348-6430 CHASE FARMS BEAUTIFUL HOME/PREMIUM LOT Largest home for sale in sub Dramatic marble foyer w/curved starcase Huge rooms throughout home Upgrades galore Nearly half acre Seller highly motivated \$600 000



ELEGANT NOW COLONIAL IN CMASE FARMS Maple kitchen w/granitersland & all hi end appliances hidwd firs Butlers pantry w/wne fridge Foyer/GR w/ 2 stry ceilings Crown molding t/o Open fir plan \$550 000 (27065714)



OUTSTANDING BACKYARD INCLUDED: 38R/ 2 TBA cape cod Large open kitchen wirsland and breakfast rm. Great rm wiTP Paver patio Back opens to park like acreage. 3car gar 8



A Great House! NicelyUpdated and colorful 3 Brs, 1.5 BAs, full bismt and a 2 car garage New Windows, Furn, C/A. HMTLcopper plum, glass bit, wind in bismt. Updit elec, hdwd firs, w crpt 2nd ML \$139,900



734-591-9200 Metrulous Redford Ranch 3 BRs 17 5 BA Fin Bsmt w Wet Bar & Stools, appl stay incl bsmt frig new hot water tark 06 patio 25 car gar welce & wk bnch garden tawn tools 2 srow blvss new wins and roof 03



734-326-2000 Redford VERY NICE UPDATED BRICK RANCH 3 BDRMS, 15 BA, W/ I rished basement on wide lot Updates inch winding elect roof, copper plumb C/A. Quiet low traffic ST w/ school within walking distance.



Unique custom dream home. Gar w/ prof 88 court & heated. 2 story foyer opens to hearth rm w/ double sided fp. Open kit & nook. A ry sunrm. Upstairs loft rm.



South Lyon Exquisite Cape Cod\* On cul-de sac. Loads of upgrades Kitchen w breakfast bar and d\*n ng area Loft overlocks 2 story great room\* 1 st floor master w 'ba\*h.



South Lyon 248-457-3800 Tastefully decorated home! Open kirchen with rich granite counters, soaring ceilings with custom stone fireplace and mantel. Upper loft offers a private retreat and much more!



248-437-3800 South Lyon Newer quality built colonial! Home has loads of up grades! Living room has gas freplace litchen with breakfast nook, 1st floor room and more (27140023)



South Lyon Secluded ranch on 2.5 Acres! Home completely renovated. New kitchen w maple cabinets & island with bar. New harddwood Hoors and carpeting. Freshly painted. New master bath. Walkout LL. (27159044) \$283,112

248-437-3800



Immaculate End Unit! This condo has 3 spacious bedrooms and 3 big baths, with a first floor master suite. Also large relaxing jacuzzi in the finished basement. (27090780) \$214 900



South Lyon 248-437-3800 55+ Community Well kept unit wiwalkout to wooded area. Close to lake Finished lower level with gas freplace. Spacious living room, central air. One car garage. (27153149)



South Lyon 248-437-3800 Beautiful conversion condos One to three bedroom condos from \$77,900 to \$125,400 Some have attached garage. Condo community includes indoor/outdoor pool, hot tub, fitness \$77,900



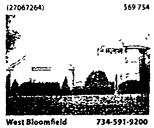
248-348-6430 Waterford Waterford Twp Condo! Sharp unit in beausful wooded.complex Freshlypainted new AC unit All appliances stay. Great sent alternative!



248-684-1065 Waterford Open & a ry ranch w/ carport. Huge fenced yard. Pergo ffr in LR & hallway. Full balw ceramic fir & tubleat in kit w/ recessed light &



Waterford 248-684-1065 Partly wooded lot on canal to Pleasant Lake Five lots to choose from: Use your builder or mine. Paved streets a liutilities.



Spacious West Bloomfeld Twp home over 2300 Sq. Ft. • 0.5 acre corner lot? Prof. Indisped w.brk.pvers. hrdwd in foyer, kit & 1/2 bath. H.End applis, EP. Berber in ER. 6 months NO naments.



Westland 734-326-2000 CHECK OUT THIS 5 BEDPOOM COLONIAL nts up to \$1000 payments up (27088293) \$159,000

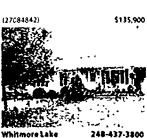
Wow' Clean Open Fir Plan In Priv Entry 2 Bdr's Condo W/ Art Garage! Newer Windws, Roof Furn Grt Rm Open To Din Rm Krt W/all Raps Stay Huge Mstr Ste Www i Clst. Endry Rm W/ Full Washer & Dryer



White Lake 248-348-6430 Meticulous White Lake Ranch Nearly 1 500 sf 3 ER brick ranch in wooded roiling sub-GR wifp kit wildfstirm, 1st flindry rm & beautidul fin waikout bent. Huge gar & Ig for! Move (27145583) \$259 900



White Lake 248-684-1065 Fresh paint Skylights in LR. Hd and firs. Fin bant w. office nock & sep bun rm. Updated ba w/jet tub. Lg. drick off DR. Lots of storage.



Whitmore Lake Charming 3 Bedroom ranch! Perfect for the first time home buyer 3 bedroom ranch with graticutb appeal. Doorwalf from breakfast nook to deck. Conveniet location!

(27111186)



Wixom (27151894) \$349,900

(27119664) \$264,800 (27138112) \$289,900 (26204071) (27155883)www.OurForeclosureHomes.com

# **HEALTH GUIDE**



Fall 2007 Classes Programs
Support Groups

# Community





St. Joseph Mercy Hospital 5301 McAuley Drive Ypsilanti, MI 48197 734-712-3456

Saint Joseph Mercy Livingston Hospital 620 Byron Road Howell, MI 48843 517-545-6000

Saint Joseph Mercy Saline Hospital 400 Russell Street Saline, MI 48176

#### Mission Statement

734-429-1500

We serve together in Trinity Health, in the spirit of the Gospel, to heal body, mind and spirit, to improve the health of our communities and to steward the resources entrusted to us.

#### Core Values

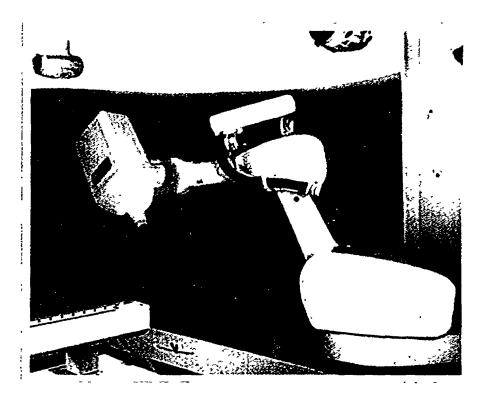
- Respect
- Social Justice
- Compassion
- Care of the Poor and Underserved
- Excellence

Saint Joseph Mercy Health System and its physician partners provide a comprehensive range of health care services for residents in Washtenaw, Livingston, Jackson, Lenawee, Monroe and western Wayne counties.

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### CyberKnife® Revolutionary Cancer Treatment is Here

Saint Joseph Mercy Health System is the first and only health care system in the state of Michigan to offer the CyberKnife®, an advanced radiosurgery system that delivers targeted treatment to tumors anywhere in the body. Learn more at www.sjmercyhealth.org or call 888-474-HOPE (888-474-4673).

# Cancer Education and Research

#### Cancer Prevention, Cancer Survival Cooking Class Series

Get on the right track to healthy eating with cooking demonstrations, tasting and nutrition presentations. Free eight-week series. Registration required.

Ypsilanti/Women's Health Center:

Wednesdays, September 19-November 7 and November 14-January 23; 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

734-712-5800

#### Cancer Research Studies - Seeking Volunteers

Vaginal Dryness Study: Postmenopausal women, with or without history of cancer, who are experiencing vaginal symptoms of dryness and/or itching and are looking for a non-hormonal treatment can participate in this study.

Mindful Relaxation Study: Teaches cancer patients before their first chemotherapy treatment relaxation techniques that may help relax the mind and body while receiving treatments.

Men's Hot Flash Study: Being treated for Prostate Cancer? Experiencing an average of four or more hot flashes per day? This study will be evaluating the effectiveness of study medications on men's hot flash symptoms and on quality of life.

Selenium Study: Patients diagnosed with Stage I Lung Cancer, who had the cancer removed, are invited to participate in a clinical trial to prevent another primary cancer from coming back.

Fatigue Study: Low energy? Experiencing cancer related fatigue? An exciting new study may be available for you.

Call 877-590-5995 for more information.

#### Look Good, Feel Better

A free workshop by the American Cancer Society for women in treatment for cancer. Participants will receive tips on skin care and makeup and learn about wigs, hats and turbans. Pre-registration required.

Ypsilanti/Cancer Center:

Third Wednesday monthly; 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

734-971-4300

Brighton/Woodland Cancer Center: Second Wednesday monthly; 10 a.m.-12 p.m. 888-635-9257

#### Prostate Cancer Screening

For men 50 and over (40+ if African American or family history). Includes PSA and digital rectal exam. Breast cancer risk assessment and light refreshments available. Free

Ypsilanti/Cancer Center: September 18, 5-8 p.m.

Brighton/Woodland Cancer Center: October 9, 5-7 p.m.

800-231-2211



# Children's, Adolescent and Teen Health

#### Comprehensive Asthma Program

Program consists of six weekly education sessions that occur during the school day and enable students to gain control over their condition. Call to register.

734-712-5206

# Heart-to-Heart Conversation for Mothers and Daughters on Puberty and Growing Up

Provides mothers and daughters, ages 9-11, information about normal physical, social and emotional changes that pre-teen girls experience as they enter puberty. \$45/mother-daughter pair, \$10 for each additional daughter.

Canton/Canton Health Center: Sunday, September 30; 1-5 p.m.

Ypsilanti/Women's Health Center: Sunday, November 11; 1-5 p.m. 734-712-5400/800-231-2211

#### **Transitions**

For girls ages 13-17, this therapy group will provide the tools needed in today's world to successfully transition from middle school to high school. Fee involved (may be a covered by insurance).

Ann Arbor/Behavioral Services: 734-786-8032

#### ShapeDown

Parents and children ages 6-18 work together in this innovative ten-week weight management program to learn how healthy eating, an 'active lifestyle and effective communication promote weight loss. Free orientations listed below. Scholarships available. \$400 (may be covered by insurance).

Ypsilanti/Women's Health Center: Thursday, September 27; 6:30-7:30 p.m. Thursday, November 1; 6-7 p.m. Thursday, December 6; 6-7 p.m. 734-712-5800

#### Advanced ShapeDown

Ongoing meetings held every other Thursday; 6:30-8 p.m. A parent/child exercise session is held on the alternate Thursdays, 6:30-7:30 p.m., for a total of ten sessions. Scholarships available. \$175/10 sessions (may be covered by insurance).

734-712-5800

# CPR/Basic Life Support/ACLS

#### **ACLS**

ACLS re-certification class for healthcare professionals, must have current ACLS card to attend. \$145

Howell/SJM Livingston Hospital: Thursday, November 8; 8 a.m.-1 p.m. 517-545-6517

#### Adult & Pediatric CPR & First Aid

This initial class, designed for day care providers, teachers and/or for employment, covers CPR, choking, AED and first aid for adult, child and infant. \$95

Howell/SJM Livingston Hospital: Saturday, September 29, 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m. 517-545-6517

#### Adult & Pediatric Heartsaver CPR

American Heart Association (AHA) CPR course covers adult, child and infant CPR, foreign body airway obstruction maneuver and automated external defibrillation (AED). Recommended for day care providers, teachers, and/or for employment. Prerequisite for First Aid class. \$55

Howell/SJM Livingston Hospital: Tuesday, October 9; 6-9:30 p.m. 517-545-6517

#### Basic Life Support for Healthcare Providers

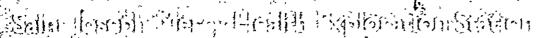
CPR for all ages (including ventilation with barrier device, mask and bag-mask device) use of AED and relief of foreign body airway obstruction. Certification is valid for two years, book included. Call for dates and times or register online at www.sjmercyhealth.org. Initial Certification - \$130; Renewal - \$70

Howell/SJM Livingston Hospital: 517-545-6517

#### Basic Life Support Skill Check

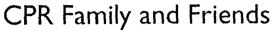
For students who have completed the online AHA Healthcare Provider Course. Online certification is required prior to taking this course. Call for dates and times or register online at www.sjmercyhealth.org. \$15

Howell/SJM Livingston Hospital: 517-545-6517



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Visit www.healthexplorationstation.com or call 734-398-7518.



AHA class for community members over the age of 16 who are interested in learning the basic skills necessary to respond to emergencies. It does not meet the requirements for persons seeking a credential for CPR. \$38

Ypsilanti/Women's Health Center: Monday, October 15, November 17, December 10; 6-9 p.m. 734-712-5800

Howell/SJM Livingston Hospital: Thursday, September 27, October 25, November 29; 7-9:30 p.m. 517-545-6517

#### Family & Friends First Aid for Children

A basic first aid AHA class for community members for ages 16 and over, with limited or no medical training. This course does not meet the requirements for a credential in first aid training. \$38

Ypsilanti/Women's Health Center: Thursday, September 27, October 25; 6-9 p.m. 734-712-5800

#### Diabetes Education

Live well with diabetes. Learn how to control your blood sugar, eat properly and prevent complications. This program is a combination of individual and group sessions. Fee involved (may be covered by insurance). Physician referral required. Call for an appointment.

Ypsilanti/Women's Health Center: 734-712-2431

Howell/SJM Livingston Hospital: 517-545-6125

## Insulin Pump Program

Learn about the benefits of insulin pump therapy for Type I Diabetes. Explore different insulin pumps, experience wearing a pump and review carbohydrate counting. Fee involved (may be covered by insurance). Physician referral required.

Ypsilanti/Women's Health Center:

734-712-2431

Howell/SJM Livingston Hospital: 517-545-6125

#### Intensive Insulin Management

Learn strategies to achieve better blood sugar control through matching insulin with carbohydrate intake. For individuals who have Type 1 Diabetes or who take three or more insulin injections per day. Fee involved (may be covered by insurance). Physician referral required. Call for an appointment.

Ypsilanti/Women's Health Center: 734-712-2431 Howell/SJM Livingston Hospital: 517-545-6125



#### Send a Gift!

Send flowers, candy, balloons or gift items to Saint Joseph Mercy Health System's hospital

patients by ordering online at www.sjmercyhealth.org with free delivery to patient rooms. You can also shop online to purchase HMR® food replacement meals, shakes and bars delivered directly to your home.

#### Exercise and Fitness Classes

For more information or to register, visit www.sjmercyhealth.org or call 734:712-5800. All classes are co-ed and are held at the Ellen Thompson Women's Health Center. Sessions held the following dates: September 10 - October 22 and November 5 - December 21.

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Ageless Strength Training (55+)	Tuesday	9:30-10:15 a.m.	\$40
Ageless Strength Training (55+)	Thursday	9:30-10:15 a.m.	\$40
Cardio Circuit	Monday	7:30-8:15 a.m.	\$40
Cardio Core!	Wednesday	7:30-8:15 a.m.	\$40
Cardio Kickboxing	Monday	6:30-7:30 p.m.	\$68
Cardio Kickboxing	Wednesday	6:30-7:30 p.m.	\$68
Cardio Kickboxing	Thursday	7-8 p.m.	\$68
Cardio Strength	Wednesday	4:15-5 p.m.	\$40
Pilates	Tuesday	4:25-5:25 p.m.	\$68
Pilates	Tuesday	5:30-6:30 p.m.	\$68
Pilates	Wednesday	9:30-10:30 a.m.	\$68
Pilates	Thursday	5:30-6:30 p.m.	\$68
Pilates	Friday	9:30-10:30 a.m.	\$68
Strength Training	Monday	12:15-12:50 p.m.	\$30
Strength Training	Monday	4:15-5 p.m.	\$40
Strength Training	Tuesday	12:15-12:50 p.m.	\$30
Strength Training	Thursday	11:30 a.m12:05 p.m.	\$30
Tai Chi*	Friday	12:05-12:55 p.m.	\$90
Teen Fitness	Tuesday	6:45- 7:30 p.m.	\$40
Yoga	Monday	11:30 a.m12:05 p.m.	\$35
Yoga	Monday	5:15-6:15 p.m.	\$68
Yoga	Wednesday	12:15-12:50 p.m.	\$35
Yoga - Intermediate	Thursday	12:15-12:50 p.m.	\$35
Yoga/Pilates Fusion	Monday	9:30-10:30 a.m.	\$68
Yoga/Pilates Fusion	Wednesday	11:30 a.m12:05 p.m.	\$35
Yoga/Stretch	Wednesday	5:15-6:15 p.m.	\$68
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<sup>\*</sup>Tai Chi sessions are Aug. 31 - Oct. 26 & Nov. 2 - Dec. 21

#### Healthier Living

#### Health Information Library

Books, journals, videos and pamphlets available on a variety of health and wellness topics. Stop in or call for a packet of information.

Ypsilanti/Reichert Health Center: Monday-Thursday; 9 a.m.-4 p.m. 734-712-5177

#### Hypnosis for Smoking Cessation

This highly-effective session combines the power of hypnotic conditioning with behavior modification techniques to help you stop smoking. First 45 minutes free to see if the program is for you! \$69 payable after free orientation period or \$59 if you register online at www.easywillpower.com

Ypsilanti/St. Joseph Mercy Hospital: Saturday, October 13; 10 a.m.-12 p.m. 800-848-2822

#### Kidney Replacement Therapy Education

Do you or a family member have kidney disease? Reduce stress and fear by learning about the different options for kidney replacement therapy. A nurse, dietitian, social worker and patient advocate will be available to answer questions.

Ypsilanti/Women's Health Center: Tuesday, October 9, November 6; 10 a.m.-2 p.m. 734-712-3470

#### Washtenaw Asthma Coalition

The Washtenaw Asthma Coalition is a community-wide collaboration to prevent the development of asthma and to improve the quality of life for those living with the illness.

Ypsilanti/Administration Services: Tuesday, September 18, November 20; 7:30-9 a.m. 734-712-4543 Classes are \$30 each unless otherwise noted, and are held at the Ellen Thompson Women's Health Center Culinary Studio. For a complete description of these classes, the dishes you will be making and to register online, visit www.sjmercyhealth.org, or call 734-712-5800 for more information.

Class	Day/Date	Time	:
Living Well with Diabetes	Monday, September 17	5:30 p.m.	
Get Hooked on Fish	Thursday, September 20	5:30 p.m.	
Healthy Harvest Menu	Thursday, October 4	5:30 p.m.	
Exploring Gluten-Free Grains	Monday, October, 8	5:30 p.m.	
Exploring Gluten-Free Grains	Tuesday, October, 9	5:30 p.m.	
Vegetarian Wonders	Monday, October 15	5:30 p.m.	
Soups On!	Monday, October 22	5:30 p.m.	
Whole Grain Exploration	Thursday, October 29	5:30 p.m.	
Try Thai	Monday, November 5	5:30 p.m.	
Marvelous Meats	Thursday, November 8	5:30 p.m.	
Mediterranean Style Cooking	Monday, November 12	5:30 p.m.	
It's a Family Affair (\$18.50/person)	Monday, November 19	5:30 p.m.	galantanga kalantanga dan man dan saga saga saga saga kalantanga saga saga saga saga saga saga saga
Joy of Soy	Monday, December 3	5:30 p.m.	
Get Hooked on Fish II	Thursday, December 6	5:30 p.m.	
Kid's Cook 1 (\$18.50/person)	Monday, December 10	5:30 p.m.	

#### Private Hands-On Cooking Classes

Choose from an array of healthy cooking classes taught by Registered Dietitians who are Culinary Specialists including ethnic cuisine. \$35/person (ten-person minimum requirement).

Ypsilanti/Women's Health Center:

734-712-5800

#### "...And the Beat Goes On"

Cardiovascular educational classes rotate on a regular basis. Topics offered are Risk Factors, Stress, Dietary I: Supermarket Tour, Dietary II: Dining Out, Dietary III: Reading Food Labels, and Psychosocial (for heart patients and their families). Classes are 45 minutes long and take place on Wednesdays at 8:45 a.m., 11:30 p.m., 2:15 p.m. and 5 p.m. Call for more information. Free

Ypsilanti/Michigan Heart & Vascular Institute: 734-712-3105

#### Cardiac Rehabilitation

Supervised exercise program for individuals with cardiovascular disease or significant risk factors for developing heart disease. Fee involved.

Ypsilanti/Michigan Heart & Vascular Institute: 734-712-3105

Howell/SJM Livingston Hospital: 517-545-6385

# Watch for these and other upcoming MHVI Fall Events:

Legs for Life: Tuesday, September 18, 8 a.m.-4 p.m., MHVI, Ann Arbor. A national screening program to identify patients at risk for peripheral vascular disease. Blood pressure screening, stroke risk assessment and ankle brachial index measurements taken. Each participant meets with a peripheral vascular specialist to discuss his or her risk for developing peripheral vascular disease. Free

Atrial Fibrillation A to Z: Options for Care: September 29, 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Hellenic Cultural Center, Westland. This program is intended to give insight to our community, patients and their family members on the basics of atrial fibrillation. Free

Peripheral Vascular Conference: Brain Attack! New Treatments for Stroke: November 3, 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., MHVI Auditorium, Ann Arbor. This event is for anyone interested in learning about the risk factors, diagnosis and management of stroke. Free

All of these programs require registration. Visit www.mhvi.org or call 800-231-2211.

# Heart/Cardiovascular (Cont.)

Chair Yoga

Not comfortable doing yoga on the floor? Enjoy the benefits of yoga and relaxation from a chair or from your wheelchair with gentle yoga poses and stretches to increase flexibility, strength and reduce muscle tension. Learn breathing and relaxation techniques to manage stress and calm the mind with our registered yoga instructor. \$60/six sessions

Ypsilanti/Michigan Heart & Vascular Institute: Thursdays; 5:30-6:30 p.m. 734-712-3546

#### Heart of a Woman Clinic

Learn more about your cardiovascular health and seek guidance from a female cardiologist. Fee involved (may be covered by insurance).

Ypsilanti/Women's Health Center: Wednesdays; 9 a.m.-12 p.m. 734-712-5100

#### Vascular Rehabilitation

Ongoing medically supervised exercise program for people diagnosed with peripheral artery disease. Program includes education and medical supervision. Fee involved.

Ypsilanti/Michigan Heart & Vascular Institute: 734-712-3105

#### Yoga for Health

Gentle stretching, yoga postures and techniques for relaxation and stress management. Ideal for people with or at risk for cardiovascular disease, but everyone is welcome. Certified Cardiac Yoga Instructor. Free trial class! \$60/six sessions

Ypsilanti/Michigan Heart & Vascular Institute: Tuesdays; 5:30-6:45 p.m.

734-712-3546

## Lungs/Pulmonary

Pulmonary Rehabilitation

Exercise and educational program for those who suffer from lung disease. Supervised by a respiratory therapist. Fee involved.

Ypsilanti/Howell: 734-712-5367

# Pregnancy, Childbirth and Infant Care



A question and answer session with a board certified pediatrician. Topics include fussiness, colic, fevers, breastfeeding, digestive concerns, sleep positions, cold symptoms and infant breathing patterns. Free

Howell/SJM Livingston Hospital: Second Monday monthly; 7-8 p.m. 517-545-6600

Baby Basics

Designed for first time parents. Learn the skills of feeding, bathing, diapering, skin care, soothing and safety. \$40

Howell/SJM Livingston Hospital: Saturday, November 10; 9 a.m.-2:30 p.m. 517-545-6517

Breastfeeding Preparation

Class offers expectant mothers and their partners (optional) instruction on breastfeeding techniques. Call for dates and times or register online. \$20/couple

Ypsilanti/Howell: 734-712-5400/800-231-2211

#### Breastfeeding Support Services

One-on-one appointments with a lactation consultant for new moms having breastfeeding problems or concerns. Fee involved (may be covered by insurance).

Howell/SJM Livingston Hospital: 517-545-6830

#### Childbirth Education

Labor and delivery preparation class for expectant mothers and their labor support coach. Information regarding natural childbirth techniques, relaxation exercises, medical intervention and Caesarean births is included. Call for dates and times or register online. \$75/couple

Ypsilanti/Brighton/Howell: 734-712-5400/800-231-2211

#### FIRST TIME PARENT CLASSES

Separate training classes for moms and da'ds held at the same time! Register online at www.sjmercyhealth.org or call 800-231-2211.

#### Survival Skills for New Moms

Prenatal class designed for women expecting their first baby. You'll learn lots of practical information on surviving those first few weeks at home with baby, caring for yourself, juggling visitors and managing fatigue. \$25

#### Boot Camp for New Dads

Taught by men, this class teaches first time fathers practical information on parenthood, baby care, becoming a family and supporting the new mom. You'll even get hands-on experience holding and comforting a baby with the help of "veteran" dads who bring their babies to class. \$25

Canton/Canton Health Center: Saturday, October 27; 9 a.m.-12 p.m.

Howell/SJM Livingston Hospital: Saturday, September 29, October 27; 9 a.m.-12 p.m.

Ypsilanti/Women's Health Center: Saturday, October 13, November 10, December 8; 9 a.m.-12 p.m.

#### Community Baby Shower

An educational fair that hosts a wide range of vendors who serve families in Washtenaw County. Over 40 vendors will be on hand to provide information on baby and motherhood products and care, breastfeeding, doulas and midwives, financial planning and more. Open to the public and designed for expectant parents and families with young children. Snacks and door prizes will be provided. Free

Ypsilanti/Women's Health Center: Saturday, October 6; 10 a.m.-2 p.m. 734-544-2973

Family Birth Center Tours

Tour the birthing facility of your choice. Pre-registration required! Call for dates and times or register online. Free

Ypsilanti/Howell: 734-712-5400/800-231-2211

#### Happiest Baby on the Block

Are you ready to be a parent? Sleepless nights, crying baby, parent stress. New parents will learn how to help babies sleep longer and how to soothe even the fussiest infant in minutes! DVD and CD included. \$25/couple

Ypsilanti/Women's Health Center: Wednesday, October 10, November 14, December 12; 7-9 p.m. 734-712-5400/800-231-2211

#### Infant Care

Learn about basic newborn care. Includes information on feeding, burping, bonding, diapering, bathing, infant safety and much more! Call for dates and times or register online. \$20/couple

Ypsilanti/Howell: 734-712-5400/800-231-2211

#### Pain Management During Labor

Class reviews different relaxation techniques and answers questions about available options, including labor epidurals. \$10/couple

Ypsilanti/Women's Health Center: Thursday, November 8; 7:30-9:30 p.m. 734-712-5400/800-231-2211

#### Parents' Newsletter

FREE! Expectant and new parents can receive a weekly e-mail newsletter. Sign up by visiting www.sjmercyhealth.org today!

#### Pet Preparation Before Baby Comes

Educates dog and cat owners about common behavior problems that occur and strategies to prevent them. \$20/couple

Howell/SJM Livingston Hospital: Tuesday, October 9, November 13, December 11; 7-9 p.m. 734-712-5400/800-231-2211



# Pregnancy, Childbirth and Infant Care (Cont.)

#### Pregnancy and Newborn Loss Memorial Service

This non-denominational service provides a setting where your close friends and family members can gather to remember your baby.

Ypsilanti/St. Joseph Mercy Hospital Chapel: Monday, October 1; 7:30-9:00 p.m. 734-712-0344

#### Prenatal/Post Partum Aquatic Exercise Classes

Provides women an opportunity to exercise safely during pregnancy and post partum recovery. Unique classes offer numerous benefits. \$49/seven-week session

Canton/Summit in the Park: Thursdays, September 13, November 8; 7-8 p.m. 734-712-5800

#### Birth Center Video Tour

Take a tour of the Family Birth Center at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital online at www.sjmercyhealth.org. Just click on Women & Children, then Family Birth Centers, and enjoy the ten-minute video tour!

#### Seniors

#### Geriatric Social Work Services

Experienced therapists specializing in aging issues provide assessment, counseling and information about community resources for aging adults and their families. Fee involved, partially covered by Medicare.

Ypsilanti/Senior Health Building: 734-712-5189

#### Home Assessment

An Occupational Therapist will come to your home and evaluate your environment in order to determine any areas that may hinder your independence with basic living activities as well as any safety issues. A prescription from a medical doctor is required. Fee involved, may be covered by insurance

517-545-6710

#### LifeLine

Phone response system that links subscribers to 24-hour emergency assistance at the touch of a button. Especially suited for those living alone or with special needs. Installation, plus a monthly fee involved.

Ypsilanti/Senior Health Building: 734-712-3922

Howell/SJM Livingston Hospital: 517-545-6427

#### Speakers Bureau

Saint Joseph Mercy Health System offers a wide range of health care presentations for community groups. To request a speaker visit www.sjmercyhealth.org or call 734-712-2357.



Low Vision Rehabilitation Program

This program is designed to prevent falls and increase independence and safety of adults when a loss of vision is severe enough to hinder performance with basic living activities. A prescription from a doctor, opthamologist or optometrist is required. Fee involved, may be covered by insurance.

Howell/SJM Livingston Hospital: 517-545-6710

#### Medicare/Medicaid Assistance Program

Peer counselors are available to answer questions regarding Medicare, health and long term insurance or doctor/hospital bills. Appointment required.

Ypsilanti/Senior Health Building: Wednesdays; 9:30-11:30 a.m. 734-712-3625/800-803-7174

#### Nutrition for Healthy Aging

Please join us as a clinical nutritionist discusses changes in nutritional needs as we age. Explore nutrition's role in slowing or preventing age related declines in health and function. Please call to register. Payment at the door. \$5

Ypsilanti/Senior Health Building: Friday, November 9; I-3 p.m. 734-712-2804

#### Pre-Driving Rehabilitation

This program is designed to evaluate the basic skills of driving and is preformed by a licensed occupational therapist. A prescription from a medical doctor is required. Fee involved, may be covered by insurance.

Howell/SJM Livingston Hospital: 517-545-6710

#### Prescription Assistance Program

If you are a patient at Senior Health Services and are unable to pay for your medications you may qualify for this ongoing program. Senior Health Services clinic patients only are eligible for the Prescription Assistance Program. Call for more information.

Ypsilanti/Senior Health Building: 734-712-0164

#### Questions About Your Bill?

Volunteers are available to assist you with questions related to billing, insurance and other financial issues. Individual sessions are scheduled each Wednesday morning by appointment. There is no charge for this service offered in partnership with Catholic Social Services of Washtenaw County.

Ypsilanti/Senior Health Building: 734-712-3625

# Sharp at Any Age: Techniques for Improving Your Memory

A fun and practical four-week workshop in which participants will learn a variety of methods to maintain and improve memory function. Each highly interactive session will build on information from prior weeks. Call to register. \$35/series

Ypsilanti/Senior Health Building: Wednesdays, October 3-24; I-2:30 p.m. 734-712- 2126

#### Silver Advantage

For those 50 and over, this health, wellness and educational program is specifically designed to help seniors better understand personal health issues. As a Silver Advantage member you will enjoy numerous benefits at no cost! Call for additional information.

Ypsilanti/Senior Health Building: 734-712-2989

Specialty Services

Massage Therapy & Bodywork Services

Nationally certified massage therapists use techniques including myofascial, neuromuscular, reflexology, Swedish, pregnancy, sports, repetitive use injury and seated massage. Gift certificates available. Call for rates and appointment.

734-712-5911

#### Personal Fitness Assessments

Baseline measurements include body composition, BMI, strength, flexibility and cardiovascular assessments. Call for rates and appointments.

734-712-5419

Women's Health Boutique

Retail shop featuring wellness and health specialty items, as well as great gift ideas. Visit www.sjmercyhealth.org to shop online at the boutique!

Monday-Thursday: 10 a.m.- 6 p.m.

Friday: 10 a.m.-1 p.m.

734-712-5806



# Asian Indian Women's Association "Women's Day" Forum

Explore a variety of exhibits, free chair massages, blood pressure, blood sugar and cholesterol checks, and prizes. Lunch with keynote speakers and entertainment. \$20 members, \$30 non-members.

Novi/Rock Financial Showplace: Sunday, September 23, 2007, 9:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. 313-277-5692

#### 100 Top Hospitals Celebration

Saint Joseph Mercy Saline Hospital is one of the nation's 100 Top Hospitals. Join in the fun as we celebrate, featuring Radio Disney and their live D-Tour show with music, games and prizes.

Saline/SJM Saline Hospital: Sunday, September 16; 2-4 p.m. 734-429-0235

#### Making Strides Against Breast Cancer Walk

Join our SJMH Cancer Center team as we participate in this American Cancer Society event to support breast cancer prevention, early detection, lifesaving research, and programs that help breast cancer patients and their families. For more information and to register, visit http://makingstrides.acsevents.org or call 734-712-7264.

Ann Arbor/Gallup Park: Saturday, October 20

#### Passport to Safety

Visit us at the largest indoor kids safety event of its type in the Midwest! Kids can learn about stranger danger, 911 training, safety in automobiles, on bicycles and water safety. Go to www.livoniapassporttosafety.com for more information.

Livonia/Laurel Park Mall: Saturday, September 22, 2007; 11 a.m.-3 p.m.

# Saint Joseph Mercy Saline Hospital Dinner at Eight

Proceeds from the Saint Joseph Mercy Saline Hospital Dinner at Eight event will benefit the Hospital's Community Health Pavilion project.

Ann Arbor/Travis Pointe Country Club: Saturday, September 29; 7 p.m.-12 a.m. 734-712-5412

# Saint Joseph Mercy Livingston Hospital Harvest Ball

Proceeds from the 2007 Saint Joseph Mercy Livingston Harvest Ball will benefit research and programs at the Warren R. and Lauraine A. Hoensheid Cancer Center at the Woodland Health Center.

Brighton/Lakelands Golf & Country Club: Saturday, November 10; 7 p.m.-12 a.m. 734-712-8684

# 2007 St. Joe's Holiday Ball, As Time Goes By Proceeds from the 2007 St. Joe's Holiday Ball, As Time Goes By, will benefit the Oncology Unit/Patient Towers project.

Ypsilanti/EMU Convocation Center: Saturday, December 8; 6:30 p.m.-12 a.m. 734-712-4040

# Substance Abuse, Education and Support

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#### Dawn Farm Education Series

Free series developed to provide accurate information about chemical dependency, recovery and related issues. Visit www.dawnfarm.org for more information.

Ypsilanti/Administration Services: Tuesdays; 7:30-9:30 p.m.

734-485-8725

## Teens Using Drugs Series

Free workshop for parents, families, teens or people who work with teens.

Part 1- What To Know: Learn how to understand and recognize the signs of teen substance abuse problems. Part 2- What To Do: Learn how to respond to teens who may have substance abuse problems.

Ypsilanti/Administration Services: Tuesdays; 7:30-9 p.m. Call for dates. 734-973-7892

Howell/SJM Livingston Hospital: Call for dates. 517-545-6312

#### Alzheimer's Caregiver Support Group

Senior Health Services has collaborated with the Alzheimer's Association to host a monthly support group for caregivers of those with Alzheimer's disease and related diseases.

Ypsilanti/Senior Health Building:

Fourth Wednesday monthly; 6:30-8 p.m.

734-712-2513

#### Alzheimer's Support Group

Peer support and information for caregivers of persons with Alzheimer's and other dementias.

Hartland/Senior Center: Third Monday monthly; 6:30-8:30 p.m. 517-545-6023

#### Breather's Club

Reduce the impact of lung disease and improve your breathing in this free support group. Call for topics.

Ypsilanti/St. Joseph Mercy Hospital: Second Wednesday monthly 734-712-5367

Howell/SJM Livingston Hospital: Second Tuesday monthly; 12-1 p.m. 517-545-6020

#### Stroke Club

For stroke survivors and/or their caregivers, family and friends.

Ypsilanti/St. Joseph Mercy Hospital: Second Wednesday monthly; 3:30-4:30 p.m. 734-712-4290

Howell/SJM Livingston Hospital: Third Tuesday monthly; 12:30-2 p.m. 517-545-6710

#### Surviving After Suicide

Support group for people who have lost a loved one to suicide.

Howell/SJM Livingston Hospital: First Tuesday monthly; 7-9 p.m. 517-540-9037

# What Now? From Maternity to Motherhood

Drop-in monthly meeting for new mom and her baby. An informal discussion to share ideas and learn more about caring for yourself and your newborn. Free

Ypsilanti/Women's Health Center: Wednesday, October 3, November 7, December 5; 10 a.m.-12 p.m. 734-712-5400/800-231-2211

#### Cancer Support Groups

#### Brain Tumor Support Group

Ypsilanti/Cancer Center: Fourth Tuesday monthly; 7-8:30 p.m. 734-712-3658

#### Breast Cancer Support Group

Ypsilanti/Cancer Center: Third Thursday monthly; 7-8:30 p.m. 734-712-2920

#### Prostate Cancer Support Group

Ypsilanti/Cancer Center: Third Thursday monthly; 7-8:30 p.m. 734-712-3655

#### Share and Care Cancer Support Group

Discussion group open to those diagnosed with cancer, their families and friends for support and information.

Ypsilanti/Cancer Center: Second and fourth Wednesday monthly; 7-8:30 p.m. 734-712-3958

Brighton/Woodland Cancer Center: Second Tuesday monthly; 7-8:30 p.m. 810-844-7274



#### Grief Support Groups

# Fowlerville/Senior Center:

Adult drop-in support held first and third Monday monthly; 10-11:30 a.m. 517-540-9125

## Howell/SJM Livingston Hospice:

Individual and family grief counseling available for anyone grieving the loss of a loved one. 517-540-9125

# Support Groups and Programs (Cont.)

Heart/Cardiovascular Support Groups

Amputee Support Group: 734-712-3516

Group Heart-to-Heart Network: 734-712-3852

(for people with cardiovascular disease)

Heart Failure Support Group: 734-712-5100

Implanted Cardioverter Defibrillators Support Group: 734-712-8036

Partners at Heart: 734-712-3852

For spouses/significant others of people with cardiovascular disease.

For more information about other support groups, call the Michigan Self-Help Clearinghouse at 800-777-5556 (Monday-Friday, 10 a.m.-3 p.m.)

# Weight and Healthy Lifestyle

# Food and Stress: Healthy Ways to Deal with Emotions and Food

Learn to identify the many forms emotional eating can take, and how you let your emotions work FOR you rather than against you. Non-refundable/non-transferable. \$30

Ypsilanti/Women's Health Center: Thursday, September 20; 7-8:30 p.m. Saturday, November 10; 1-2:30 p.m. 734-712-5800

#### NutriCare Fitness Program

An ongoing, all-inclusive lifestyle weight management program focusing on nutrition, exercise and lifestyle changes. Classes are led by a Registered Dietitian, Social Worker and Exercise Physiologist. Classes begin every 3 weeks. Call for dates and to register. \$145/12-week session

Ypsilanti/Women's Health Center: 734-712-5800

# NutriCare Healthy Eating, Weight & Cholesterol Management Program

This interactive program is designed for adults who want to learn how to eat more nutritious meals, cook new foods and adopt a healthier attitude towards food. Call to register. \$288 (may be covered by insurance)

Ypsilanti/Women's Health Center: Tuesdays, September 11-October 2 and November 6-27; 6-7:30 p.m.

734-712-5800



# Weight Loss Programs

## HMR Weight Management Programs

HMR<sup>†</sup> Ultimate Diet promotes rapid and significant weight loss under medical supervision and is ideal for anyone wanting to lose 30 pounds or more.

Healthy Solutions' is designed for moderate weight loss without medical supervision. Plans offer in-depth lifestyle education, personalized attention, intensive follow-up and long-term maintenance. Call for free orientation dates.

Ypsilanti/Women's Health Center: 734-712-5540

## Hypnosis for Weight Reduction

Two-hour session combines the power of hypnotic conditioning with behavior modification techniques to help you lose weight. First 45 minutes free to see if the program is for you! \$69 payable after free orientation period or \$59 if you register online at www.easywillpower.com.

Ypsilanti/St. Joseph Mercy Hospital: Saturday, October 13; 1-3 p.m.

Howell/SJM Livingston Hospital: Wednesday, October 18; 6:30-8:30 p.m. 800-848-2822

# Women's Health

## Title XV Breast and Cervical Cancer Screening

You may qualify for no-cost screening through the Michigan Breast and Cervical Cancer Control Program. Participating clinics in Washtenaw and Livingston County provide safe, reputable and thorough screening, as well as follow-up care if needed. Women must be 40 years of age or older and meet certain income and insurance requirements to be eligible.

734-712-5800

# Volunteering

# Community Support

#### Hospice

Provide support and comfort to terminally ill patients and their families, assist in our office or on special projects. Training required - call to receive an information packet and to pre-register.

Ann Arbor/Saint Joseph Mercy Hospice: 734-327-3413

Howell/Saint Joseph Mercy Livingston Hospice: 517-540-9125

Hospice/Home Care Speakers' Bureau: 734-327-3413

#### Hospital

Saint Joseph Mercy Health System has ongoing needs for volunteers to assist patients and staff. Call for details or to make an appointment.

Ypsilanti/St. Joseph Mercy Hospital: 734-712-4159

Howell/SJM Livingston Hospital:

517-545-6296 Saline/SJM Saline Hospital:

734-429-1692

#### No One Dies Alone

Seeking volunteers to sit with and provide comfort to patients who are dying and have no loved ones present. There is no patient care involved; volunteers will act as companions for a few hours.

Ypsilanti/St. Joseph Mercy Hospital: 734-712-3508

Some classes are non-refundable, but are transferable. Call 800-231-2211 for more information.

#### CLASS REGISTRATION FORM

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# Community Education Locations

#### St. Joseph Mercy Hospital

5301 McAuley Drive Ypsilanti, MI 48197 Phone: 734-712-3456

#### Ellen Thompson Women's Health Center

5320 Elliott Drive Ypsilanti, MI 48197 Phone: 734-712-5800

#### Michigan Heart & Vascular Institute

5325 Elliott Drive Ypsilanti, MI 48197 Phone: 734-712-5205

#### Saint Joseph Mercy Administration Services

5305 Elliott Drive Ypsilanti, MI 48197 Phone: 734-712-3456

#### Saint Joseph Mercy Behavioral Services

2006 Hogback Road Ann Arbor, MI 48105 Phone: 734-786-2300

#### Saint Joseph Mercy Cancer Center

5301 McAuley Drive Ypsilanti, MI 48197 Phone: 734-712-5948

#### Saint Joseph Mercy Reichert Health Center

5333 McAuley Drive Ypsilanti, MI 48197 Phone: 734-712-5300

#### Senior Health Building

5361 McAuley Drive Ypsilanti, MI 48197 Phone: 734-712-5189

#### 2 Saint Joseph Mercy Livingston Hospital

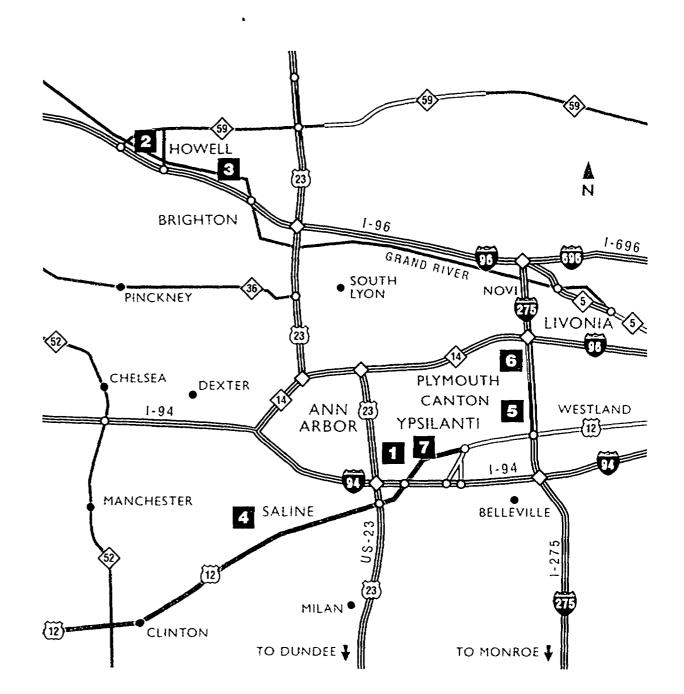
620 Byron Road Howell, MI 48843 Phone: 517-545-6000

#### 3 Saint Joseph Mercy Woodland Health Center

7575 Grand River Road Brighton, MI 48114 Phone: 810-844-7575

#### Saint Joseph Mercy Woodland Cancer Center

7575 Grand River Road Brighton, MI 48114 Phone: 810-844-7250



#### 4 Saint Joseph Mercy Saline Hospital

400 Russell Street Saline, MI 48176 Phone: 734-429-1500

#### 5 Saint Joseph Mercy Canton Health Center

1600 S. Canton Center Road Canton, MI 48188 Phone: 734-398-7557

## 6 Saint Joseph Mercy Arbor Health Center

990 W. Ann Arbor Trail Plymouth, MI 48170 Phone: 734-414-1010

# 7 Saint Joseph Mercy Haab Health Building

111 N. Huron Street Ypsilanti, MI 48197

For information on physicians and community education classes, call the **Saint Joseph Mercy HealthLine** at 734-712-5400 or 800-231-2211, or visit our Web site at **www.sjmercyhealth.org**.