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## ON THE RECORD

### Shakespeare show closing

Northville's Tipping Point Theatre will close its season with a zany, irreverent send-up of Shakespeare, "The Complete Works of William Shakespeare (Abridged)," by Adam Long, Daniel Singer and Jess Winfield. Directed by Tony Caselli, "The Complete Works ..."



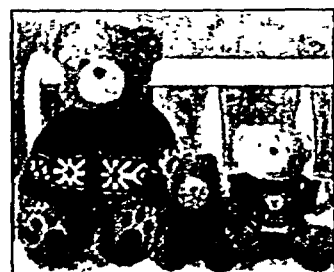
runs through June 7.

Performances at the theatre at 361 E. Cady St. are scheduled at 8 p.m. Thursday, Friday and Saturday; at 3 p.m. Saturday; and at 2 p.m. Sunday. Ticket prices range from \$18-\$28.

"The Complete Works ..." is a coproduction between Tipping Point and Williamston Theatres.

Tickets are available by calling the box office at (248) 347-0003. Box office hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Tuesday - Friday; noon to 5 p.m. Saturday; and 90 minutes prior to all performances.

For more information, go to [www.tippingpointtheatre.org](http://www.tippingpointtheatre.org).



## Bear picnic

Just like the old song says, "The Teddy Bears are having a picnic." On Sunday, June 14, Mill Race Village will open for the season, and a special feature for that will be a Teddy Bear Picnic for 3- to 7-year-olds. Refreshments will be served and a costumed storyteller will spin tales. Participants are encouraged to bring their own special bears and to wear Victorian costumes if they wish. They should bring a blanket or towel to sit on.

The party will take place from 2-3 p.m., rain or shine. Admission is \$1 per child. Reservations may be made by calling (248) 348-1845.

# Highland Lakes residents protest purchase of hospital property

## Resolution read at board meeting

BY PAM FLEMING  
STAFF WRITER

Residents from Highland Lakes Condominium Association — across the street from the former Northville Regional Psychiatric Hospital property — are now protesting the township's proposed purchase of a good portion of the land. The residents are also not supporting a bond proposal to pay for the land that will appear on the August primary ballot.

Clem Tulley, one of the association's board members, read a resolution during last Thursday's board meeting explaining the residents' views on the matter.

They realize that the development, currently owned by developer REIS on Seven Mile Road between Haggerty and Northville roads, will significantly affect the residents and others living along Seven Mile Road. (REIS is a partnership between Real Estate Interests Group and Schostak

Brothers & Company.)

The residents also know township trustees will place a millage request on the August primary ballot asking Northville Township residents to fund the purchase of bonds totaling \$23.5 million for the proposed 232.5 acres.

## SELLING PRICE QUESTIONED

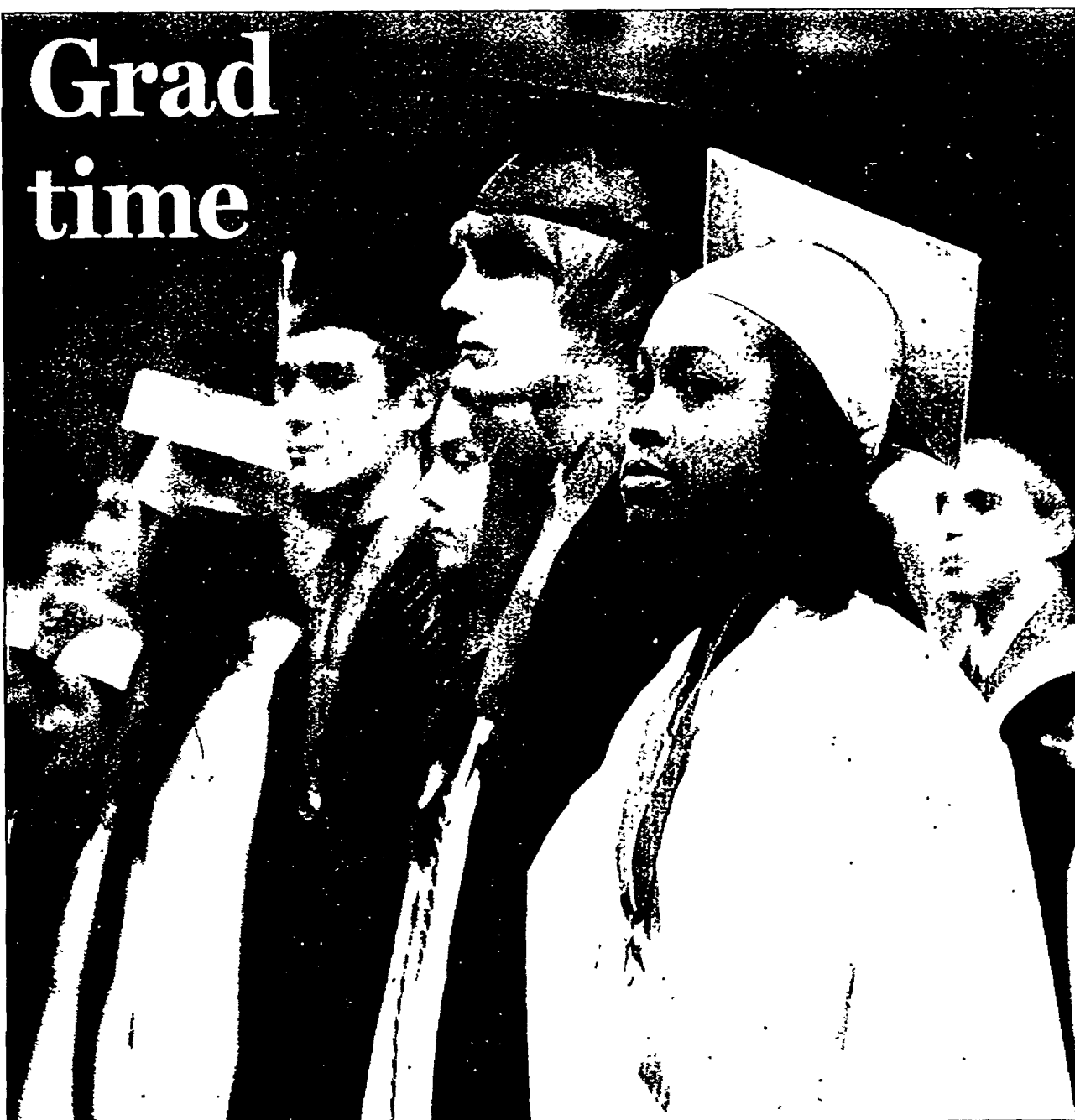
They are not supporting the proposed purchase because of the current economic recession and the

Please see **PROPERTY, A11**

## MAPLE HILLS LENDS SUPPORT

Residents from the Maple Hills subdivision supported the proposed millage to fund the township's \$23.5-million purchase of a portion of the former Northville Regional Psychiatric Hospital property at their annual meeting Monday night. "I'm pleased that Maple Hills (residents) unanimously decided to support the ballot proposal," said Mark Abbo, township supervisor. Maple Hills subdivision is near Six Mile and Winchester roads.

## Grad time



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Northville High's class of 2009 stands during the National Anthem. Turn to our graduation coverage included in a special Section B of today's newspaper. Photos, the top 10 and prom are featured as well as a list of graduates.

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## First Friday program combines art, music

### Walk slated from 6-9 p.m.

BY PAM FLEMING  
STAFF WRITER

The work of three artists with very different styles will grace the walls of Starring, "The Gallery," during tomorrow's First Friday Art & Fashion Walk. The monthly event takes place from 6-9 p.m. in downtown Northville, with many shops staying open late to greet First Friday walkers.

Starring, "The Gallery," at 118 W. Main St., will feature David Amamoto with his narrative photographs of the American West; Michelle Moore, whose abstract paintings reveal something unique to



Michelle Moore's abstract paintings reveal something unique to each viewer.

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# Friday Night Concert Series starts with a bang

## NHS Jazz Band kicks off music season

BY PAM FLEMING  
STAFF WRITER

There may have been a threat of thundershowers last Friday night, but that didn't keep the crowd away at the first in the Friday Night Concert Series at Town Square.

The free Summer Friday Night Concerts, presented by the Northville Downtown Development Authority and Wine Sync, runs through Aug. 28.

Each concert takes place from 7-9 p.m. The series is managed by staff from the Northville Parks and Recreation Department.

The Northville High School Jazz Band kicked off the season, under the sponsorship of the Northville DDA.

### SERIES RESUMES JUNE 12

The following dates and bands are scheduled for the remainder of the series:

- June 12: Lady Sunshine & the X Band, a Motown/Soul ensemble, sponsored by the Northville DDA;

- June 19: The Shawn Riley Band, who plays top 40 hits from yesterday and today, sponsored by Edward Jones (D.J. Boyd, Dan DeLano, Brian Hanley and Chris Willerer) and Varsity Lincoln Mercury;

- June 26: Gia Warner, a Motown, rock and roll artist, sponsored by the Northville DDA;

- July 3: The Randy Brock Group, playing Detroit blues, sponsored by the Northville DDA;

- July 10: Mass Transit, performing top 40 hits from yesterday and today, sponsored by the Northville DDA;



PHOTO BY PAM FLEMING/NORTHVILLE RECORD

The Northville High School Jazz Band, under the direction of Mike Rumbell, kicked off the Summer Friday Night Concerts series last Friday night. The next concert is June 12, featuring Lady Sunshine & the X Band, a Motown/soul ensemble. All concerts are free and run from 7-9 p.m. at the Town Square on East Main Street in downtown Northville.

- July 17: The Kris K Band, playing rock and roll and Americana tunes, sponsored by the Northville DDA;

- July 24: The Soul Academy, a Detroit soul review band, sponsored by the Northville DDA;

- July 31: Fifty Amp Fuse, billed as "Metro Detroit's Premier Party Band," sponsored by Toll Brothers and Varsity Lincoln Mercury;

- Aug. 7: The Millionaires, playing Big Band, swing and pop music, sponsored by Monroe Bank & Trust and St. Mary Mercy Hospital;

- Aug. 14: Red Hill, a Detroit country band, sponsored by the Northville DDA and Monroe Bank & Trust;

- Aug. 21: Oak Pointe, a contemporary musical review band, sponsored by the Northville DDA

and Monroe Bank & Trust; and

- Aug. 25: Steve King and the Ditties, playing top 40 hits, sponsored by Monroe Bank & Trust and Varsity Lincoln Mercury.

Although tables and chairs are now set up at Town Square, concert-goers are encouraged to bring their own foldable lawn chairs. Coolers are also allowed.

At the last Northville DDA board meeting, there was a lengthy discussion about whether vendors should be allowed at the concerts. But, board members decided that this might take business away from the many restaurants in downtown Northville that hope to attract people either before or after the concerts.

For more information about the Summer Friday Night Concerts, contact the Northville Parks and Recreation Department at (248) 349-0203 or go to [www.northvilleparksandrec.org](http://www.northvilleparksandrec.org).

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SUBMITTED BY CHERI SMITH

The Arbor Hospice Foundation's annual Art Dash fund-raiser on May 21 at the Inn at St. John's Golf and Conference Center in Plymouth raised almost \$50,000 for Arbor Hospice of Northville. Guests enjoyed artist Aaron Bivins' live painting of his impressionistic piece "Flag and Flowers," drying the paper with a travel-size hair dryer just in time for someone to "dash" for it only an hour later.

# Art Dash raises more than \$48,000 for Arbor Hospice

Local art patrons had a "dashing" good time while supporting Arbor Hospice at the eighth annual Art Dash. Thanks to the overwhelming generosity of the Northville community, The Arbor Hospice Foundation raised more than \$48,000 to benefit end-of-life care and grief support services.

"We are extremely grateful to our sponsors for their generosity along with those who participated and supported this year's event," said Gloria Danna Brooks, president and CEO of Arbor Hospice. "The money raised at Art Dash will help provide hospice care and grief support to hundreds of patients and their families."

More than 160 people attended the event on Thursday, May 21, 2009 at

The Inn at St. John's Golf and Conference Center in Plymouth which included a raffle, live auction and the opportunity for each couple to "Dash" for a piece of art of their choice.

Art Dash provides a distinctive opportunity for local artists to showcase their talent to art enthusiasts, while supporting Arbor Hospice's community programs and services. Sponsors of the event included Bortz Health Care of Ypsilanti, Community Financial, Randy and Donna Friedman, Hospice Pharmacia, HOUR Media, Jim Forbes/Gem Theatre, John & Ellie Mulder, The Palace Sports and Entertainment, Robison Dental Group, TFC Bank,

The Knickerbocker Group of Raymond James & Associates, INC., Uniquely Yours Flower Shop and Xuereb Snow, PC.

Since its inception in 2002, Art Dash has raised more than \$385,000 for The Arbor Hospice Foundation, while raising awareness for the local art community.

Proceeds go directly back into the community to support Arbor Hospice's end-of-life care and grief support services for children, adolescents and adults throughout Western Wayne and Oakland Counties.

Donations to The Arbor Hospice Foundation can still be made by calling 734-794-5122 or by visiting [www.arborhospice.org](http://www.arborhospice.org).

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# Northville Strictly Business

## IT'S YOUR NORTHVILLE BUSINESS - Q&A WITH ROCKY'S

1. Tell us about your business, including types of services and/or products you feature.

We are a full-service restaurant - full wine list, full bar - serving fresh fish and seafood (always fresh, never frozen). We are moderately priced with a Northern Michigan lodge atmosphere.

2. How did you first decide to open your business?

After working for Chuck Muer for 18 years, I decided it was time to open my own restaurant.

3. Why did you choose Northville?

Chuck Muer owned the closed Northville Charley's on Seven Mile Road. I lived at Six Mile and Haggerty roads and thought this location provided a good opportunity close to home.

4. What makes your business unique?

We offer a large variety of fresh seafood, very seasonal (example: fried smelt); general manager on property 14 years; Chef Joe Gardner, nine years; and bartenders and waitstaff, 15 years.

5. How has it changed since you opened?

We have added a new dining room which was converted from a outside patio. We expanded the bar area and added a raw bar with kettles for cooking with the guests, and we have added a raw bar cook/shucker, five nights a week and created its own menu. We have listened to our guests' needs and menu suggestions on menu ideas.

6. How has the recent economy affected your business?

There is no question that cover counts are down 10



JOHN HEIDER | STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Rocky's waitress Courtney Miller visits a customer at the Seven Mile Road eatery.

percent this year to last year. Check average is down slightly -- the biggest area is the early week days but weekends remain strong. Diners are not dining out as often in the early part of the week.

7. Any advice for business owners?

Work your business. You don't know what's going on if you're not there. Maintain the quality of the product.

8. What's in store for the future of your business?

Keep producing quality food and service at a reasonable, affordable price.

### DETAILS

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## TAKING CARE OF BUSINESS

### Strengthening Your Core

As an adult's body continues to mature, it is even more important to stay physically active to keep the body and mind healthy. Personal trainers advise exercising all muscle groups, especially the core.



Linda Hagan

While I was working out at the gym recently, it occurred to me that businesspeople need to take that same approach to stay professionally fit. Business professionals need to strengthen their core.

In the 2008 book titled "Leadership Communication," author Deborah J. Barrett wrote that as a leader's "perspective and control expands, you will need to improve your core skills" -- the core communication skills of writing, speaking, and strategy development.

In written communication, Barrett notes that leaders need to clarify their purpose, use correct language and format, and write clearly, concisely, and confidently.

No matter your level of professional fitness, working out your writing skills should be an ongoing activity. To improve your writing skills, consider working through practice sets in a grammar or vocabulary book that you can buy at any store or go online to an excellent site sponsored by Purdue University. Visit Purdue's Online Writing Lab (OWL) at <http://owl.english.purdue.edu/>.

Another way to improve your vocabulary and get your mind exercising is to practice crossword puzzles. If you are not ready to tackle the Sunday newspaper puzzle, start out simply with the "Easy Crossword Puzzle" books that you can buy at any dollar store. You can work on them in the evening or while resting

on a lounge chair this summer.

Exercise your oral communication skills by talking more, especially in small groups or by practicing presentations. Several Toastmasters groups meet throughout the Detroit area. For example, Walsh College Novi campus is starting a new Toastmasters group for professionals. The informational meeting is Tuesday, June 23, from 8:15 a.m. to 9:15 a.m. at Walsh College, located just off Meadowbrook Road, north of Grand River Road in Novi. Email [bmeller@walshcollege.edu](mailto:bmeller@walshcollege.edu) for more information or visit [www.toastmasters.org/find](http://www.toastmasters.org/find) to locate a club near you.

According to Barrett, the key to communication strategy development is being able to effectively analyze the context for communication, analyzing audiences, and tailoring messages to different audiences. To build muscle in this area, get out and learn more about different people. Develop relationships while volunteering with nonprofit and community groups. You will build a larger network of acquaintances and friends, and help our community while you are at it.

Just as with exercising your body, the more you workout your communication core, the more confident you will be and the better you will perform professionally.

Keep doing those crunches!

Linda Hagan, Ph.D., is a professor of business and leadership communication at Walsh College. She teaches courses in the B.B.A., M.S. in Strategic Leadership and Doctoral programs, and consults on management/organizational communication issues. Dr. Hagan is an accredited member of the Public Relations Society of America and a member of the board of directors of the PRSA Detroit Chapter. She can be reached at [lhagan@walshcollege.edu](mailto:lhagan@walshcollege.edu).

## BUSINESS BRIEFS

### Get Clients Now!

Learn to create an endless stream of clients and referrals by doing 10 easy things per day at the ABWA's Get Clients Now seminar at the DoubleTree Hotel in Novi at 6:30 p.m. on June 10.

Elisabeth Garbeil is the owner of EFG Consulting. She has been coaching people as a manager for over 20 years, and has been a project manager for 15 years. She is passionate about coaching individuals to excel in their careers and to be responsible, world-class contributors to their companies, industries, and communities. EFG Consulting works with people throughout their careers, from helping them identify their missions in life to becoming leaders in their personal and professional lives.

Cost is \$16 per person; \$17 online through PayPal; visit [www.abwa-novi.org](http://www.abwa-novi.org). Pre-registration by June 5 is required.

The DoubleTree is located at 42100 Crescent Blvd. (just

east of Novi Town Center and south of I-96).

ABWA is an organization for all women: working, retired, returning to work, or just starting a career. The Novi chapter meets on the second Wednesday of every month.

### Business workshops

Business owners and entrepreneurs who need assistance are invited to attend seminars in offered by the Oakland County Business Center.

Business Basics workshops are now offered in the evenings on alternating months at the Oakland County Executive Office Building Conference Center, 2100 Pontiac Lake Road, west of Telegraph, Waterford.

For location specifics and pre-registration, call (248) 858-0783.

### FUTURE WORKSHOPS

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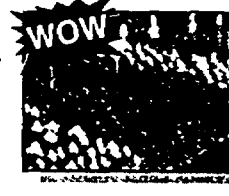
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## CHAMBER CHAT

### Northville Chamber Golf Classic

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Contact our office at (248) 349-7640 for more information or visit [www.northville.org](http://www.northville.org) to download a golf brochure.

### For Members Only - TGIF

Sign up for our small networking meetings, Trading Great Ideas on Friday, held the second and fourth Fridays of the month. The size is limited to 12 attendees, each being a separate business discipline.

Our next TGIFs are June 12 and June 26.

Call (248) 349-7640 to register. Pre-registration is required.

For more information, call the Northville Chamber at (248) 349-7640 or visit us at 195 S. Main Street. Hours are 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday-Friday.



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**NEW PATIENTS**

# Cancer Care: Resources that can help seniors after a diagnosis

**Dear Savvy Senior**  
My 62-year-old mother was just diagnosed with cancer and is feeling depressed, confused and doesn't know where to turn. What resources can you recommend that can help me help her?

Overwhelmed Daughter

**Dear Overwhelmed,**  
Being diagnosed with cancer has got to be one of the most difficult and shocking experiences a person can go through, yet 1.4 million Americans will experience it this year alone. Here are some tips and tools that can help you and your mom get more informed about her condition, and organize a plan for her treatment.

## GET INFORMED

If you're like most people you're clueless about cancer. So your first step is to learn about your mom's specific type of cancer along with the treatment options, and thanks to the Internet it's easy to do. To get started go to the National Cancer Institute (NCI) at [www.cancer.gov](http://www.cancer.gov) and click on your cancer type in the A to Z list of cancers. Other good and reliable sites to visit are [www.cancer.org](http://www.cancer.org), [www.medlineplus.gov](http://www.medlineplus.gov) and [www.mayoclinic.com](http://www.mayoclinic.com).

## CHOOSE A DOCTOR

After you know a bit about your illness, you'll need to choose a good doctor. The American Society of Clinical Oncology ([www.cancer.net](http://www.cancer.net)) provides tips on how to choose a cancer doctor (known as an oncologist), along with a searchable database to help you locate one. Also see [www.vitals.com](http://www.vitals.com), a Web resource that will help you locate, evaluate and choose a doctor based on their training, expertise, consumer ratings and recommendations from other doctors. (Be sure the doctor you choose accepts your mom's health plan.) And to locate one of the 60 plus NCI cancer centers across the country see [Cancercenters.cancer.gov](http://Cancercenters.cancer.gov).

## SAVVY SENIOR

### RESEARCH ALTERNATIVE MEDICINE

If your mother is interested in learning more about herbs, supplements and other alternative approaches to fighting cancer, go to the National Center for Alternative and Complementary Medicine ([www.nccam.nih.gov](http://www.nccam.nih.gov)). Also, check out the complementary and alternative medicine guides from M.D. Anderson Cancer Center at [www.mdanderson.org/departments/cimer](http://www.mdanderson.org/departments/cimer).

### FIND SUPPORT SERVICES

There are lots of programs and services available today that can help your mom with a wide variety of cancer-related issues.

For example, there are counselors, social workers and cancer support groups that can help with depression, anxiety and other psychological issues; nutritionists and dietitians to help deal with nausea, loss of appetite, fatigue or mouth sores; and physical therapist, pain specialist, acupuncturist and massage therapist that can assist with pain and discomfort.

To find what's available near your mother, start by asking the doctor, clinic, medical center or hospital that will be treating her. Larger health care

or cancer treatment centers usually offer a wide variety of on-staff support services. However, if your mom is being treated in a small clinic or she lives in a rural area, finding help may be more difficult. You can also visit the American Cancer Society Web site at [www.cancer.org](http://www.cancer.org), type in her zip code and search for services online.

If you don't find any programs locally that meets her needs, there are also a growing number of Internet support services that can be very helpful too.

Some good ones to check out include: CancerCare ([www.cancer.org](http://www.cancer.org); 800-813-4673); American Cancer Society Cancer Survivors Network ([www.acsnet.org](http://www.acsnet.org)); The Lance Armstrong Foundation ([www.livestrong.org](http://www.livestrong.org); 866-673-7205); and the Association of Cancer Online Resources ([www.acor.org](http://www.acor.org)).

### FIND CLINICAL TRIALS

At some point in her cancer treatment, your mom may decide to join a study of a new therapy. The Coalition of Cancer Cooperative Groups

([www.cancertrials.org](http://www.cancertrials.org); 877-227-8451) and the NCI ([www.cancer.gov/clinicaltrials](http://www.cancer.gov/clinicaltrials); 800-422-6237) are fantastic resources for learning about and finding clinical trials.

They also have questions you should ask before becoming involved in these medical experiments.

### GET FINANCIAL HELP

If your mom's insurance is limited or if she doesn't have insurance at all, there are financial assistance programs that may be able to help her. See [www.cancer.org](http://www.cancer.org) and click on "Get Help" then on "Assistance," or call 800-813-4673 to learn more. The NCI also offers financial assistance information on their Web site at [www.cancer.gov/cancertopics/support](http://www.cancer.gov/cancertopics/support) - click on "Financial Assistance and Other Resources for People With Cancer."

Send your senior questions to: Savvy Senior, P.O. Box 5443, Norman, OK 73070, or visit [www.savvysenior.org](http://www.savvysenior.org). Jim Miller is a contributor to the NBC Today show and author of "The Savvy Senior" book.



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## Volunteering

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**ROBERT E. BEAUPIED, SR.**

Age 92, died May 27, 2009. Visitation was on May 31st at Phillips Funeral Home. A Funeral Mass was held on June 1, at St. Joseph Catholic Church, South Lyon. Online guestbook www.phillipsfuneral.com

**GORDON W. BUNN**

Died 5/31/09 at age 87, born in Detroit 1/23/22. Beloved husband of Millie for 63 years. His mother was the former Dorcas Sprague, his father was W.E. Bunn. He grew up in Flint and moved later to South Lyon near Silver Lake where he resided for the next 72 years. Brother of Barbara Fuller, Preston Bunn (deceased) and Joyce Soucek. Gordon was the loving father of William Bunn (Eileen) South Lyon, John H. Bunn (Suzy) Troy, Ohio, Markay A. Bunn (Bob) Chicago, IL, and Scott Bunn (Kristen) Grand Haven, MI. Ten loving grandchildren: Lisa, Jared, Eric, Sarah, David, Justin, Caitie, Emily, Troy and Stacie, as well as seven great grandchildren. Gordon was a graduate of the University of Michigan and was an avid supporter of Michigan athletics. He worked for many years in sales and received a number of awards from the Ford Motor Company. Gordon and his wife Millie were members of the First Presbyterian Church of South Lyon where he volunteered on many different occasions. He was also a volunteer at the senior center for the IRS as well as Active Faith. As a longtime member of the Lions Club he was able to help many individuals with their need for glasses. He was still an active member of the Masonic Lodge #319 of South Lyon, where he was a member for over 60 years and Secretary for 25. His many hobbies included gardening, coin collecting, garage sales and fishing. Services will be held at Phillips Funeral Home of South Lyon. Visitation will be Friday June 5th from 6:00 to 9:00 with a Masonic Ceremony held Friday at 7:00. Funeral ceremony will be held on Saturday June 6th at 11:00 at PHILLIPS FUNERAL HOME. Luncheon to follow at First Presbyterian Church of South Lyon. In lieu of flowers please make donations to Active Faith of South Lyon or Masonic Lodge also of South Lyon. Online guestbook www.phillipsfuneral.com

**CAROLYN SUE CHERRY**

Age 75, went to her heavenly home, Thursday, May 28, 2009. Born in Kendallville, she worked as a foreperson with Magnavox for 27 years, retiring in 1991. She was a member of Magnavox Management & Foreman's Clubs, long time volunteer at Turnstone and personal friend of Serenity House. She is survived by her children, Christy S. (Paul) Albright Doeden of Northville, MI, Craig S. (Judi) Cherry of Richardson, TX, and Carl S. (David) Lucas of Fort Wayne; brother, Gene Casebere of St. Joe; sister, Nancy L. Casebere of Hicksville, OH; 9 grandchildren, Canaan, Lily, Lyla, Lola, Lana, Nicole, Mark, Jordan, and Dylan. Carolyn was preceded in death by her parents, Raymond H. and Genevieve E. Casebere, and friend, Harold Farrell. Memorial Service is 6 p.m. Sunday, June 7 at D.O. McCormick and Sons Pine Valley Park Funeral Home, 1320 East Dupont Road with calling from 1 to 5 p.m. Memorials may be made to the Turnstone Center or Serenity House-Auburn

**MARION CRUMP**

Was born in Detroit on Feb. 13, 1920 to Arnot and Lucy Wass. She died of natural causes on April 27 at home in Brevard, NC. She was the first person in her family to attend college, graduating from Wayne State University with a BA in arts education. In 1944, she married William B. Crump, who died in 2002. They had two daughters and a niece, who survive: Allison Crump (David Salomon) of Cambridge, Mass., Constance Crump (Jay Simrod) of Ann Arbor and Linda Grosscup of Livonia. Marion and Bill were active in the Northville community where they lived for many years. Marion was an important part of the Northville Women's Club, the Northville Historical Society, the Northville Presbyterian Church and the Northville Garden Club. Among other legacies, she was the guiding force behind the creation of the still-popular Trivol Fair, inspired by a trip to Copenhagen in the 1960s. Marion took delight in the natural world. She loved gardening and observing all the creatures who inhabited her world. She also had a deep appreciation of excellence in art and design, enjoying the visual arts to her last days. Most of all, she appreciated the benefits of education and never stopped reading and learning. Cremation has taken place. Remembrances may be made in her name to the Transylvania County Library in Brevard, NC.

**JANET HELEN GAEDT FREMLIN**

Janet Helen Fremlin born Dec 26, 1928 in Milford MI, died peacefully in her sleep on May 18, 2009 in Dade City, FL. She was predeceased by mother, Margaret Middleton Gaedt-Irvin; and father Ernest L. Gaedt. She is survived and loved by her brother Raymond Ernest Gaedt of Fowlerville MI, her son and daughter-in-law Michael Jon Fremlin and Karen J. Jenkins of Dade City FL, daughter Cherie Fremlin Blanco of Chicago IL, grandchild Lisa Fremlin Weiss of Chicago IL, Maria Christina Blanco of Los Angeles CA, Anthony Austin Blanco of Chicago IL, Maria MacConnell-Lee of Corona CA, and Janel Pavak-Richey of Dade City FL, great-grandchildren Lynsey A. Lee, Phoenix T. Lee, Adysun Angela Richey, and Abbygale Stella Richey, and 8 great- and great-grand nieces and nephews. A Memorial Service will be held on Sunday, June 21, 2009 at Hodges Family Funeral Home, Fifth Street Chapel, Dade City at 3 p.m.

**SHARON K. KNAUSS**

Age 45, of Plymouth, formerly of Northville, passed away suddenly on May 27, 2009. She was born March 22, 1964 to John and Karen (Kippola) Knauss. She spent her childhood in Northville, and has lived in Plymouth for the past 9 years. Sharon, who worked in the Financial Department of Comerica Bank, never missed a day of work. Previous to her job at Comerica, she worked as a travel agent with Silver Jet Travel in Northville, which afforded her many wonderful vacations. She loved truly loved her family, and is described as having a big heart, and being very private and simple. Sharon enjoyed nature and being outdoors; especially the beach. She was also an avid reader. Sharon is survived by her loving father John R. (Jane) Knauss; her siblings David Knauss, Susan (Dennis) Charette, Sandra (Cary) Laude, and John (Connie Anne) Knauss. She was loved and will be missed by aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, and friends. Sharon was preceded in death by her mother Karen Knauss. Private family services will be held. In honor of her mother, memorial contributions to Angela Hospice, 14100 Newburgh Rd., Livonia, MI 48154 would be appreciated. Arrangements entrusted to Casterline Funeral Home, Inc. of Northville.

**DIANA JEAN O'NEAL**

Age 66, passed away peacefully on June 1, 2009, at home with her family at her side after a long illness. She was born on September 25, 1942, in Toledo, Ohio, to the late Albert and Yvonne (Farrell) Vincent. She was a member of the Red Hat Society, former member of Hartland Living Dolls Dance Group, and Novi Theatres. Diana is survived by her loving husband of 45 years, Thomas O'Neal; children: Kevin (Maricela) O'Neal, Lisa (Miguel) Plascencia; three grandchildren: Lou, Vince and Ellie Plascencia. She was preceded in death by her siblings Vivian East, and Rudy Vincent. Visitation will be Thursday, June 4th, 2 - 9 p.m. Funeral service will be held on Friday, June 5th, at 11 a.m. with final visitation at 10:30 a.m. at PHILLIPS FUNERAL HOME, 122 West Lake Street (Ten Mile), South Lyon. Memorial contributions may be made to Heartland Hospice, 3840 Packard, Ste. 260, Ann Arbor, MI 48108 or a charity of your choice. Online guestbook www.phillipsfuneral.com

**WILLIAM JOSEPH SAVAGE**

Age 90, passed away May 29, 2009. Visitation was held May 29 at PHILLIPS FUNERAL HOME, South Lyon. Prayer service June 2 at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery. Online guestbook www.phillipsfuneral.com

**HAROLD L. WILLIAMS**

Age 84, died May 24, 2009. Visitation was held May 27 at PHILLIPS FUNERAL HOME, South Lyon. Funeral was held May 28 at Fellowship Baptist Church, Whitmore Lake. Online guestbook www.phillipsfuneral.com

**HELEN KATHERINE WILLIAMS**

Was born May 6, 1913 to Francis Rooney and Edith St. Pierre. She passed into Our Father's Heavenly Care on May 24, 2009. She was preceded in death by her husband, Clarence Henry, and her brothers, Earl and Kenneth Roche. She leaves to cherish her memory; six children, Clare Lynn, Harry, Edith Ellen, Jeffrey (Trudy), Richard and Mary (Christopher McBride); ten grandchildren Krista, Angela (Ed Baisley), Sarah (Joseph Michaels), Alisha, Jeffrey Jr., Richard Allen, William, Joseph (Jamie), Douglas and Sean; and eight great-grandchildren Caleb, Lucas, Gabriella, Olivia, Bradley, Connor, Gidney and Abigail. Gathering for family and friends at Lynch and Sons Funeral Home, 404 E. Liberty Street, Milford, Michigan, on June 8, 2009 from 6 until 9 pm, with the Rosary at 7 pm. Services will be held at St. Mary's Catholic Church, 1955 E. Commerce Road, Milford, Michigan at 11 am on June 9, 2009. Interment will follow at St. Mary's Cemetery. Memorials may be made in her name to the Capuchin Soup Kitchen, 1820 Mt. Elliott St., Detroit, MI 48207. For further information please phone 248-684-6645 or visit www.LynchFuneralDirectors.com

# NEIGHBORS

## France honors Northville WWII veteran with medal

Northville resident John Morgan was honored with the French Legion of Honor Medal on May 16. The Northville Record recently ran an article on another local resident, William Craft, receiving the same honor and offering some of his memories on World War II. It seems only fitting to give Mr. Morgan the same opportunity to describe his tour of duty in France.

- Editor

His son, Michael Morgan, said, "His 84th birthday was April 24 and he has more time to reflect on his duty in service while in France. During the period of December 1944 to May 1945, his division suffered over 1,000 killed, more than 5,000 wounded, over 1,000 missing in action, 63 captured by the enemy and over 4,000 non-battle casualties. Many of his friend's life ended in France. But he made many friends who returned with him. With both the good and horrific memories he had from battle, I am glad he helped in the liberation of France to the wars of all wars."



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**In John Morgan's words**

As General Kroesen [255th Infantry] had stated "War is a terrible thing... the most tragic of man's legitimate endeavors. It is a waste of man, of property and of the future that must be spent in rebuilding lives and reconstructing culture. Nevertheless, given that truth, wars have been useful; they have settled things. For good or evil, they have other human pursuit and are rivaled only by religion and medicine in their impact. The future of our world, we the living of today who enjoy liberty and the pursuit of happiness, was guaranteed by the victories of World War II."

As I reflected back in time, when I was a young man, I attempted to remember those faces and places I once knew very well many decades ago. It was at times it was difficult and very painful. I will attempt to describe my tour in France during World War II and how it affected my life.

After basic training in Camp Van Dorn, Miss., I was shipped out to the staging area in Camp Shanks, NY, because troops being assigned to the European Theater. All of us were very apprehensive about going but we were all there to serve our country because it was our duty. As part of the U.S. Army 63rd Infantry Division 255th Regiment, we were shipped out by Liberty Ships to the old port of Marseille, France.

As I entered the port I noticed many sunken and disabled ships from previous battles there. The wind and air were very cold as it hit my face. The bitter cold was felt by all of us (internally and externally) as we embarked onto the city. In Marseille there were no battles to be fought but we knew what lied ahead. We waited there until we took a long and cold boxcar ride to fight at the battles that were going on in the area of Oberhoffen, France.

Once we reached Oberhoffen, our division was sent to secure the city of Sarreguermes, France, which is north of Oberhoffen. Once in Sarreguermes we were instructed to relieve the existing rifle company. The Germans were on the outer parameter of the city. At night we could hear the sound of German Burp gun firing off. The instruction was given to not fire back as it was a ploy to find out where our troops were located. The Germans stayed in the outer woods and never approached the town.

I can remember another instance in the area of Sarreguermes in which a German reinforcement company accompanied by two Panzer tanks attacked our unit. The German company ran over our position but we did secure them with a counter attack. I remember the battles very well since I relived them in many of them in my nightmares after the war. I remember while in attack finding a bazooka and some rockets taking refuge in

an abandoned pillbox.

After being there a few hours in battle an American Sherman Tank appeared and their tank commander came over to us speaking French. They were French troops, our comrades and friends. One of my friends I was with spoke French so we all gathered together that night sharing rations and drinks. We also had succeeded in crushing the Germans back further, which we shared in this victory and toasted, "Viva La France!"

Our division was also assigned to liberate a small village [Riming] northeast of Sarreguermes. We arrived in the village going area-to-area securing the village with minor gun skirmishes and gun battles.

I can remember that while I was on night guard duty occupying a machine gun position. I heard a faint sound of bells approaching. The sound was getting louder as all of us on night guard duty were thinking the Germans were coming out of the woods. As it the bells got louder it was a shepherd who we welcomed to pass by. Because of these battles in France, I was awarded the Infantryman's Badge.

After that, our division crossed the Saar River into Germany. I spent the rest of my tour in head to head battle with the enemy, guarding bridges, clearing mines fields, performing demolition on bridges and other strategic points. For these and other instances I was awarded the Bronze Star.

**NORTHVILLE IN THE SERVICE**

Army Pfc. Ian M. Tracey has graduated from basic combat training at Fort Jackson, Columbia, S.C.

During the nine weeks of training, the soldier studied the Army mission, history, tradition and core values, physical fitness, and received instruction and practice in basic combat skills, military weapons, chemical warfare and bayonet training, drill and ceremony, marching, rifle marksmanship, armed

and unarmed combat, map reading, field tactics, military courtesy, military justice system, basic first aid, foot marches, and field training exercises.

He is the son of Denise Tracey of Beck Road, Northville.

The private graduated in 2003 from the Franklin Road Christian School, Novi, and received an associate degree in 2005 from Schoolcraft College, Livonia.

**NORTHVILLE CALENDAR**

For a complete listing of local and regional events, see the Northville Calendar online at [www.hometownlife.com](http://www.hometownlife.com).

Send calendar submissions via e-mail to [cstone@gannett.com](mailto:cstone@gannett.com); by fax to (248) 349-9832; or by mail to Northville Record, 101 N. Lafayette, South Lyon, MI 48178. Items must be received by noon on Monday to be included in Thursday's newspaper.

**LONG PLUMBING COMPANY 60 YEARS CELEBRATION**

TIME/DATE: 6-9 p.m., Friday, June 5  
LOCATION: 190 E. Main Street, Downtown Northville  
DETAILS: To celebrate their Big 6-0 Long Plumbing Co. is having an Open House and would like their customers to join them!  
CONTACT: RSVP At: [www.evening-withlongs.com](http://www.evening-withlongs.com) or (248) 349.0999 x101.

**BRUNCH WITH NATALIE**

TIME/DATE: 9 a.m.-noon on Saturday  
LOCATION: home of Scott Craig and Annette Masson  
DETAILS: Join Natalie Mosher and friends to launch her campaign for Congress, 11th Congressional District. Suggested donations are \$35 from 10-noon; \$100 from 9-10 a.m.

**NORTHVILLE BIRTH****Stowell**

Todd and Michelle Stowell of Novi are proud to announce the birth of their daughter Cheyenne Joyce Stowell on December 15, 2008. She weighed 7 pounds and was 20 inches long. Proud grandparents are John and Joyce Stowell of Northville and Ken and Sheryl Maher of Wynnun, Australia. Great grandparent is Dulei Maher of Wynnun, Australia.

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**GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH**

LOCATION: 41415 Nine Mile Road, corner of Meadowbrook Road, Novi  
CONTACT: (248) 349-0565  
Sunday Schedule  
TIME: 8:45 a.m. Sunday School and Bible Study; 10 a.m. Worship

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF NORTHVILLE**

LOCATION: 200 E. Main St.  
CONTACT: (248) 349-0911 or visit firstpresville.org  
Sunday Worship  
TIME: 9:30, 11 a.m.  
Walking In the Park  
TIME/DATE: 10-11 a.m. every Saturday  
LOCATION: Meet at the Visitor's Center of Heritage Park (Farmington Road between 10 and 11 Mile roads)  
DETAILS: Group meets for lunch afterwards.  
CONTACT: Sue (734) 459-0016  
Single Place Ministries  
TIME/DATE: 7:30 p.m. social time; 7:45 p.m. opening; 8-9 p.m. program, every Thursday.  
DETAILS: Informative and entertaining programs of interest to singles; \$5 per person. Check Web

site for details singleplace.org

**OAK POINTE CHURCH**

LOCATION: 50200 W. 10 Mile Road  
CONTACT: (248) 912-0043 or visit oakpointe.org  
Worship Services  
TIME: 5:15 p.m. Saturday; 9:15 and 11:15 a.m. Sunday  
ReNew Life Ministries  
TIME/DATE: 7:15-9 p.m. every Monday  
DETAILS: Ongoing Life Groups that support and facilitate personal growth, healing, learning and change from a Christian perspective.  
CONTACT: For more information or to register call (248) 912-0043 or visit oakpointe.org  
Charmed Influence  
TIME/DATE: 9:30 a.m. every Wednesday  
DETAILS: Studying the book "Surviving a Spiritual Mismatch in Marriage".  
CONTACT: Joy Ruby at joy@oakpointe.org or call the church.  
Chuck Gaidica speaks  
TIME/DATE: 5:15 p.m., Saturday, June 20; 9:15 and 11:15 a.m., Sunday, June 21  
DETAILS: Detroit TV personality Chuck Gaidica will be the special guest speaker this Father's

Day. Chuck is well known around Michigan for his contagious smile, his weather reports and his hosting of special events. Chuck will be speaking about the importance that faith plays in his life and, particularly, how the Bible makes a difference in his daily life.

**FIRST UNITED METHODIST OF NORTHVILLE**

A Stephen Ministry church  
LOCATION: 777 W. Eight Mile Road  
CONTACT: (248) 349-1144 or fumnorthville.org  
Sunday Worship  
TIME: 8, 9:15 and 11 a.m.  
Coffee hour at 10:15 a.m.  
Healing Service  
TIME/DATE: 4 p.m. first Monday of every month  
Radical Joy  
TIME/DATE: 6-8 p.m. first and third Thursday of every month  
DETAILS: All women seeking to strengthen their faith and connect with other women are invited to attend, irrespective of church affiliation.  
Crafters and Vendors are needed  
TIME/DATE: 9 a.m.-4 p.m., Saturday, Oct. 24  
DETAILS: The annual Community Bazaar Bazaar to

benefit Village Banking at First United Methodist Church Northville. This is a great opportunity to showcase talent or business to hundreds of local customers. As cost is nominal, booth space is filling up fast.  
CONTACT: For details and reserve a space e-mail Pat Breslin at BazaarBazaar@care2.com. For more information regarding Village Banking www.villagebanking.org.

**NOVI UNITED METHODIST**

LOCATION: 41671 W. 10 Mile Road  
CONTACT: (248) 349-2652 or visit umcnovi.com  
Sunday Worship  
TIME: 9:45 a.m.  
Healing Service and Holy Communion  
TIME/DATE: 9:45 a.m. first Sunday of every month  
Peace Vigil  
TIME/DATE: Noon, first Sunday of every month  
LOCATION: In front of the church  
DETAILS: Members of the congregation and the community will stand united in prayer for peace.  
Advent Service  
TIME/DATE: 9:45 a.m. Sunday  
Spring Into Summer

TIME/DATE: 10 a.m.-4 p.m., Saturday, June 13  
DETAILS: Annual Juried Art/Craft Show. Go to www.umcnovi.com to view some last years vendor booths. All hand made crafts including but not limited to painting, sculpture, pottery, jewelry, needlework, lawn art, doll clothing, photography, glass, stained glass, wood carving and scrolling sewn items, stone work, candles, wine lamps, children's books, face painting, frames, mud mats and UMW bake sale.  
CONTACT: For an application to this juried show, e-mail your request to Pam Davis.

**WARD EVANGELICAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

LOCATION: 40000 Six Mile Road  
CONTACT: (248) 374-7400 or (248) 374-5978  
Sunday Worship  
TIME: 8 a.m., 9:30 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Traditional  
9:30 a.m. Contemporary, Nursery and Sunday School during the 9:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. services  
Service Broadcast  
DETAILS: 11 a.m. every Sunday on WRDZ-AM 560, The WMUZ World Station.

Please see CHURCH, A9

## Your Invitation to

## Worship

## Brighton

**LORD OF LIFE LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
5051 Pleasant Valley Road • Brighton, MI 48114  
810-227-3113  
9:30 a.m. Communion Worship  
10:45 a.m. Sunday School  
Rev. Dale Hedblad, Pastor  
www.lordoflifelca.com

**HOLY SPIRIT ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH & SCHOOL**  
www.hsrcc.net  
at the corner of Winans Lake & Musch Rd.  
810-231-9199  
Fr. John Rocus, Pastor  
Weekend Liturgies Saturday 4:00 p.m.  
Sunday 8:00 & 11:00 a.m.  
Please visit our Shrine of Holy Family and St. John the Evangelist

**BRIGHTON ASSEMBLY of GOD**  
7770 Whitmore Lake Road, Brighton 48116  
810-231-3724 www.brightonag.org  
Sunday 10 AM & 6 PM Wednesday 7 PM  
Classes for all ages Sunday at 9 AM  
Nurses for ages 0-4 during all services  
Kids JAM Children ages 5-12 Sundays 10 AM & 6 PM  
Revolution Youth (17th-12th) Wednesdays 7 PM  
Dr. Bradley Trask, Lead Pastor

## Farmington Hills

**ST. JOHN LUTHERAN, ELCA**  
Farmington Hills • 22225 Glen Rd. • 248-474-0534  
Between Grand River & Freedom  
Saturday Worship 5:30 p.m.  
Sunday Worship & Sunday School  
9:00 a.m. Traditional/Choral  
11:15 a.m. Contemporary  
Sunday School - all ages 10:15 a.m.

## Highland

**HIGHLAND COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
2350 Harvey Lake Rd. (248) 887-4556  
Contemporary Service  
9:30 a.m. & 11 a.m. Sundays  
Saturday Night Service 6:00 p.m.  
Men's Bible Study & Breakfast  
2nd & 4th Grade Youth Sundays 7-8 p.m.  
Pastor Nick Ruffler

**HIGHLAND CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**  
1211 W. Livingston Rd., Highland 248-887-1402  
9:45 a.m.: Sunday School for all ages  
11:00 a.m.: Worship Service & Children's Church  
6:00 p.m.: Sunday Evening Fellowship  
Wednesday - 9:45-11:15 a.m.: Ladies Bible Study  
Wednesday - 7 p.m.: Adult Bible Study  
with full children's program

**NEW LIFE CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP**  
120 Bishop St., Highland  
off of Main Rd., 2-7/8 miles N of M-59  
• Sunday School 9:30 a.m.  
• Morning Worship 10:00 a.m.  
• Bible Study Wed. 7:00 p.m.  
Pastor: Danny Mullen  
889-7253 or 887-4566

**HIGHLAND UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
680 W. Livingston Rd. • Highland, MI 48357  
248-887-1311 • www.mylumc.com  
Sunday Worship 8:00, 9:15 & 11:00 a.m.  
Kids Church 8:45 & 10:30 a.m.  
Youth Night - Wed. 6:45 - 8:00 p.m.  
Plus Young Adults, Recovery, Divorce & Kids, Grief & more

**CHURCH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
3700 Harvey Lake Rd., Highland (248) 887-5364  
Rev. Leo T. Lukko, Pastor  
Mass Schedule: Saturday 9 p.m.  
Sunday 9 a.m. & 11 a.m.; Mon-Fri 8 a.m.  
Holy Day, 9 a.m. & 7 p.m.; First Saturday 9 a.m.  
Confessions: Saturdays 11 a.m. & 6:15 p.m.  
or by appointment

## Livonia

**FELLOWSHIP PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Services held at:  
Madonna University's Kresge Hall  
36600 Schoolcraft Road - Livonia  
Parking lot is NW corner of Levan & Schoolcraft  
Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Worship 10:30 a.m.  
Dr. James N. McGuire • Nursery Provided

## Milford

**CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
PRESCHOOL & KIDG. - Mo. Synod  
620 General Motors Rd., Milford  
Church Office: (248) 684-0895  
Regular Sunday Service: 8:30 & 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
Jun-Aug - Sunday Service: 8:30 a.m.  
Monday Evening 7:00 p.m.  
The Rev. Richard E. Pope, Pastor

**FIRST BAPTIST OF MILFORD**  
VISITORS WELCOME!  
133 Detroit St., Milford • 844-5695  
Pastor Steve Swartz  
Sunday School (all ages) 9:45 a.m.  
Sunday Worship - 11 a.m. • Prayer Service - 8:00 p.m.  
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.  
Awards for ages 3 to 5th grades  
Middle & Senior High programs

**SOUTH HILL CHURCH, S.B.C.**  
1250 South Hill Rd. Just south of downtown Milford  
(248) 685-3560 www.AboutSouthHill.com  
Contemporary Worship Service 10:30 a.m.  
KIDS' Worship 10:15 a.m.  
Bible Study for all ages 8:15 a.m.  
Tuesday 7 p.m. Children - 8th Grade (6 groups)  
Wednesday 7 p.m. - High School Youth  
Call about our current small group studies.

**WEST HIGHLAND BAPTIST CHURCH**  
11166 S. Hickory Ridge Rd., Milford, MI 48380  
248-887-1218  
Sunday Worship 9:30 a.m.  
Bible Ministries 11:00 a.m.  
Wednesday All Ages: 7:00 p.m.

**MILFORD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
238 N. Main Street, Milford MI (248) 684-2805  
Sunday Worship: 8:00 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.  
Sunday School age 3 thru 5th grade @ 10:00 a.m.  
Nursery care available @ 10:00 a.m.  
R. John Harris, Pastor  
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## New Hudson

**NEW HUDSON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
56730 Grand River  
Rev. Gerry Hunter  
Worship 10:30 a.m.  
248-437-6212  
newhudsonumc@bellsouth.net • newhudsonumc.org

**NEW HOPE - A Unitarian Universalist Congregation**  
57855 Grand River Ave., New Hudson, MI 48165  
Phone 248-474-9108  
Sunday Celebration of Life Service 10:30 a.m.  
Rev. Suzanne Paul, Minister  
Website: http://www.newhopeuu.org

## Northville

**NORTHVILLE CHRISTIAN**  
Experience Life Each Week  
Sunday Worship - 9:00 a.m. & 10:15 a.m.  
Sunday School and Children's Programs  
www.ncallife.org  
41355 Six Mile Road  
248-348-9030

**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF NORTHVILLE**  
349-1144  
8 Mile & Taft Roads  
Sunday Worship Services:  
8:00, 9:15 & 11:00 a.m.  
Rev. Dr. Steve Buck • Rev. Lisa Cook  
www.fumcnorthville.org

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OF NORTHVILLE**  
200 E. Main St. at Hudson • (248) 349-0911  
Worship & Church School - 9:30 a.m. & 11 a.m.  
Childcare Available at All Services  
Youth League Prog.-Wed. 4:15-5:45 S.S. 5:00-6:00  
Singles Place Ministry - Thurs. 7:30 p.m.  
Rev. W. Kent Olson, Senior Pastor  
Rev. J. P. Russell, Associate Pastor

**WARD EVANGELICAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
40000 Six Mile Rd., Northville  
248-374-7400  
Sunday Worship:  
Traditional: 8 a.m., 9:30 a.m. & 11 a.m.  
Contemporary: 9:30 a.m. & 11 a.m.  
Nursery & Sunday School during the 9:30 a.m. & 11 a.m. services  
www.wardchurch.org  
Service Broadcast Sunday 11 a.m.  
WRDZ-AM 560, The WMUZ World Station.

**OUR LADY OF VICTORY CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
133 Orchard Dr., Northville  
WEEKEND LITURGIES Saturday 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday 7:30, 9 a.m., 11 a.m., 12:30 p.m.  
Church 349-2621, School 348-3610  
Religious Education 349-2559  
Rev. Denis Theroux, Pastor

**GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
9 Mile & Meadowbrook  
Wisconsin Ev. Lutheran Synod  
Sunday School & Adult Bible Class 8:45 a.m.  
Worship 10:00 a.m.  
Thomas E. Schroeder, Pastor - 349-0565

**ST. JAMES ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH NOVI**  
46325 10 Mile Rd. • Novi, MI 48374  
Saturday 5:00 p.m.  
Sunday 8, 9:30 & 11:30 a.m.  
Reverend George Chamley, Pastor  
Parish Office: 347-7778

**FAITH COMMUNITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
44400 W. 10 Mile, Novi, 248-349-2345  
1/2 mile west of Novi Rd.  
www.faithcommunity-nov.org  
WORSHIP AND SUNDAY SCHOOL - 10 a.m.  
"Children, Youth and Adult Ministries"

**MEADOWBROOK CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH**  
21355 Meadowbrook Rd. in Novi at 8 1/2 Mile  
248-348-7757 • www.mbcoc.org  
Sunday Worship 10 a.m.  
Rev. Arthur Ritter, Senior Minister

**CROSS OF CHRIST LUTHERAN (Missouri Synod) Pastor Terry Nelson**  
437-8810 • 486-4335 • Grosvenor Rd. at 10 Mile  
Worship 8 a.m. & 10:30 a.m.  
Adult Bible Class 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School 10:30 a.m.

**Fellowship Evangelical Presbyterian Church**  
22200 Pontiac Trail, South Lyon (South of I-96 at 1 Mile Road)  
Sunday Worship 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday School 11:00 a.m.  
Sc. High Sunday at 6:30 p.m.  
Mid High Wednesday at 7 p.m.  
Rev. David Brown, Pastor  
248-437-2222 • www.fellowshippepc.org

**The Church of Christ**  
21860 Pontiac Trail • South Lyon, MI 48178  
248-437-3585 • www.southlyoncc.org  
9:30 a.m. Sunday School,  
10:30 a.m. Praise and Worship  
Wednesday Midweek Ministries 7 p.m.  
Rob Callcott, Pastor

**FELLOWSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH**  
10774 Nine Mile Road  
Rev. M. Lee Taylor • 449-2582  
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.  
Worship, 11:00 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.  
Wednesday Evening, 7:00 p.m.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (U.S.A.) OF SOUTH LYON**  
"WHERE THE SON ALWAYS SHINES"  
Worship 10:30 a.m.  
Nursery Care Provided  
Check us out on the web: www.fpcsouthlyon.org  
248-437-2875 • 205 E. Lake (10 Mile) •  
Rev. Dr. Annemarie Kidder, Pastor

**IMMANUEL LUTHERAN**  
Wisconsin Synod • Reynold Sweet Plwy.  
at Liberty St.  
Sunday Service 10:00 a.m.  
All Classes 9:00  
Pastor Scott Miller, (248) 437-2289

## Westland

**STS. CONSTANTINE & HELEN GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH**  
36375 Joy Rd., Westland  
Sunday Services:  
Matins 9:00am, Divine Liturgy 10:00am  
Rev. Fr. Theodor Patrino  
Parish Office: 734-525-6789  
www.stcoons.org  
Hellenic Cultural Center Banquet Hall  
734-525-3550

**WHITE LAKE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
4005 Highland Rd. Between Bogle Lk & Ormond Rd.  
(248) 887-4654 Deborah V. Kent, Pastor  
Worship Service 10:00 a.m.  
Adult Sunday School 9:00 a.m.  
Children Church School 10:00 a.m.  
Child Care Provided  
"The Friendly Church" Established 1835

## South Lyon

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF SOUTH LYON**  
60820 Marguerite Ann St., South Lyon 48178  
Phone: 248-437-2983  
Sunday School 8:45 a.m. • Worship Service 11:00 a.m.  
Sunday 7:30 a.m. • Wednesday Evening 7:30 p.m.  
Evening Service 8:00 p.m. • Associate Pastor Randy Meeks  
Senior Pastor Rod Freshour • Assoc. Pastor Randy Meeks  
Website: www.fbcsouthlyon.com  
• Email: fbcsouthlyon@bellsouth.net

**CROSSROADS COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
28900 Pontiac Trail (Across from Erwin's Orchard)  
Saturday Service 5 p.m.  
Sundays at 9:30 a.m. and 11 a.m.  
Contemporary Worship - Relevant,  
Bible Based Messages  
(248) 486-0400 • www.ecrossroads.net

**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**  
640 S. Lafayette (248) 437-0760  
Sunday Worship: 8:15 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.  
Nursery Provided  
Reverend Sandra Wilboe  
southlyonfirstumc.org

**FAMILY LIFE COMMUNITY CHURCH A/G**  
62345 W. 8 Mile Road 437-1472 • www.familylifecc.net  
Sr. Pastor Joseph R. Tabbi  
Sunday Christian Education 9:00 a.m.  
Sunday Worship 10:45 a.m.  
Wednesday Christian Education and Family Nite 7:00 p.m.

**SOLID ROCK BIBLE CHURCH**  
22183 Pontiac Trail behind Ace Hardware and Oryl  
10 a.m. Sunday Celebration  
Pontiac Trail and 9 Mile (Back's Shopping Center)  
(Nursery & Children's programs)  
Office 248-486-4400  
www.solidrocksouthlyon.org

**CROSSPOINT COMMUNITY CHURCH**  
Services held at: Kent Lake Elementary  
30181 Kent Lake Rd.-S. Lyon  
Sunday Service Times  
9:30 a.m. - Meet & Greet  
10:30 a.m. - Morning Service  
Rev. Kenneth Warren-596-531-2021

## Whitmore Lake

**Living Water**  
North Campus of St. Luke Lutheran Church Ann Arbor  
Worship Celebration Sunday 10:15 a.m.  
Whitmore Lake High School  
7430 Whitmore Lake Rd. • Whitmore Lake, MI 48189  
Dan Flynn, Minister  
734-426-4006 • www.livingwatermi.org

## White Lake

**WHITE LAKE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
4005 Highland Rd. Between Bogle Lk & Ormond Rd.  
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# LOCAL OPINION

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

## OUR VIEWS

### Your Record is still here, but we need you

As many may have heard, the *Observer & Eccentric* closed its West Bloomfield, Troy, Rochester, Southfield and *Mirror* newspapers, with their final publication on May 31.

The *Birmingham Eccentric* was also on that list, but was revived to a once-a-week paper, after a groundswell of community support and pledges to boost subscriptions and advertising for that edition. It remains a wait-and-see proposition, but the company is willing to give it a try.

A *South Oakland Eccentric* paper will cover Southfield, Royal Oak, Ferndale and other south central Oakland County communities. The paper will be published on Sunday.

Many people are shocked and dismayed by the loss of the local papers. Many readers of the *Northville Record* have expressed relief that the paper remains open.

But, it can only survive with the support of the community.

We view the *Northville Record's* long-standing relationship with this community as a partnership. We depend on local advertising and home delivery subscriptions to survive. The community depends on the *Northville Record* to inform people about all aspects of Northville, from stories that affect neighborhoods and taxes, to spreading the word about fund-raisers, special events and incredible people who do incredible things.

The area has had a local newspaper since 1955, when the *Northville Record* opened.

Just as we've promoted the "buy local" concept in an effort to push local consumers to locally owned stores, we're urging folks to invest, to engage, in the *Northville Record*. Advertising budgets are tight, we know, and household budgets are also tight, but if we support each other, we'll make it through.

Here's what you can do to help the *Northville Record*. Urge merchants to advertise. Patronize local merchants who do advertise. Don't forget to tell merchants that you saw their ad in the *Northville Record*.

Purchase an annual subscription to the paper. The newspaper industry is in transition with print and online editions. But that transition is incomplete. So if you read us free online that's fine, but it's important to pay for the print subscription — that's the only way we can afford to sustain that hyper-local Web site.

Each issue of the *Northville Record* contains items that support local causes, local events, local people. We're here to shine the light on the good, to evoke conversations, to support local businesses and to provide a forum for healthy debate on local issues that affect you. We want to be around for many years to come. You can help.

For subscription information, call (866) 887-2737 or for local advertising, call Ed Fleming at (248) 349-1700, Ext. 229.

## COMMUNITY VOICE

What do you usually give for a high school graduation gift?



Typically, about \$100 for a family member. We did \$50 gift cards, gas cards, for non-family.

Mary Beth Bisinger



I spend about \$100 on supplies for their freshman year of college for family certainly and for some of my students. I'm a high school teacher.

Jill Kara



For a friend, I usually give \$50 - and cash because you usually need it - and family gets \$100.

Janet Lynch



We usually do \$50 for a friend, \$100 for a family member.

Cheryl Choe

## LETTERS

### Thanks to Mike Ladwig

My thanks to Mike Ladwig for his thoughtful and succinct letter of May 21, lauding Nancy Darga. Councilwoman Darga truly treats spending our Northville money as if she were spending her own money, a trait we expect from our elected officials.

Nancy Darga's concern over spending \$30,000 for petunias made sense. While another council member states, "I think the city needs to look as good as it can when people come into the city ... I think we should spend this much (\$30,000) or more, to add color and beauty to the city."

In good times, yes. However, these are not good times. The city is looking to cut costs at every opportunity -- reducing city employees, reducing the number of police staff.

People will not come into the city to see empty stores, even if we have flowers in abundance. We need businesses and we need to support those businesses!

Thanks again to Nancy Darga and Mike Ladwig.

Howard Payne  
Northville

### Make government lean

It's no secret that Michigan public and private sectors depend on each other for survival. Home values fall, businesses fail, tax revenue shrinks, and government

stinks. Well, not all government stinks, but some services and processes take so long or have such inefficiencies built into them one might expect them to stink -- literally.

During this period of belt tightening we see federal, state, and local governments all cutting headcount or reducing services as they attempt to "make do, with less". However, anyone removed from the workforce, as well as some who are still in the workforce, knows that long-term organizational survival (private or public) is the result of process efficiency; efficiency in designing products and services that meet customer requirements, efficiencies in delivering products & services at acceptable costs, and efficiencies in leadership making informed and ethical choices about how to address the challenging fiscal tasks faced by almost every business and at almost every level of government.

But in my opinion, our leaders overlook an obvious resource that could make a huge impact on the efficiency of our government processes. And, because southeast Michigan has a rich background in manufacturing, it also has many people trained in process design. When the processes of government run efficiently, the costs are usually contained or at least minimized for the services being provided. In business, we call today's efficiency experts Lean Six Sigma Black Belts or some variation of those terms. These are people trained in either the Toyota manufacturing system (the Lean component, i.e. process waste

removal) or the Motorola and GE defect reduction methods (the Six Sigma component; i.e. almost zero acceptable defects) or some are trained in both.

Asking Lean Six Sigma Black Belts (LSSBB) to help improve government processes or possibly streamline existing services could very significantly reduce operating costs. Companies have used this approach to save billions and billions of dollars -- probably over a trillion dollars since the beginning. When used by governments, services improve and the need to cut employees is reduced.

At this point of our sustained economic downturn, even qualified and experienced LSSBBs are unemployed and may be willing to volunteer for their governments, if approached and simply asked to help. Volunteering with the local government is an ideal networking opportunity and for practitioners of the Lean Six Sigma methodology, it would provide a great chance to keep their skills sharp and help out at the same time.

So, as an unemployed Lean Six Sigma Black Belt, I'll be the first to volunteer. If a government agency or department needs a process defined, measured, analyzed, improved, and controlled, I'll do it for free. Just e-mail your request. First come, first served.

John Miller  
Northville

## New '3 Rs': Reinvent, restructure and reform

Michigan needs to reform, restructure and reinvent government at every level.

Is it fair to expect the presidential "tough love" being shown to the Detroit auto industry would also be applied to Michigan and other units government that have been equally resistant to change?

Two years ago, then presidential wannabe Barack Obama called the Detroit automakers out. He told the Detroit 3 they must mass produce fuel-efficient cars -- period!



Tom Watkins

"The auto industry's refusal to act for so long has left it mired in a predicament for which there is no easy way out. The auto industry is on a path that is unacceptable and unsustainable -- for their business, for their workers and for America" candidate Obama lectured the auto industry then.

Now president, Obama recently made good on his threat, announcing automakers would be required to meet much tougher emissions requirements. Given the fact that two of the former Big 3, Chrysler and GM, are now controlled by the federal government because of massive, multi-billion-dollar taxpayer loans, it is no surprise they went along.

Yet, once again, it is the president's words of "change" that need to be analyzed, not just against this long fought auto issue but juxtaposed to how the state of Michigan has operated for decades as well.

Shouldn't we expect government to change at least in proportion to the change being thrust on the private sector that has historically paid the government bills?

Take the above quote and, as I do below, replace the word "auto industry" with "state government." You will see there are some obvious parallels: "the state government's refusal to act for so long has left it mired in a predicament for which there is no easy way out" or "state government is on a path that is unacceptable and unsustainable ...."

How about when President Obama demanded that GM and Chrysler "restructure, modernize, and make themselves more competitive." Doesn't this seem like a reasonable request that also be made of our state government?

The president in a recent speech said, "Year after year, decade after decade, we have seen problems papered-over and tough choices kicked down the road, even as foreign competitors out paced us. Well, we have reached the end of that road."

Does this also sound like how Michigan has been governed for far too long? Michigan's economic woes continue to mount. Our unemployment rate hit 12.9 percent in April, the state's highest monthly rate since hitting 13 percent in November 1983. Further, the state's "economic experts" reached a consensus that Michigan's unemployment could average as much as 14 percent this year and 15.3 percent in 2010.

In spite of this reality smacking us in the face, the governor and Legislature have yet to take sufficient action to address the mounting structural deficit or next fiscal year's annual budget shortfall that is predicted to eclipse \$2 billion. This shortfall comes after using \$1 billion from the federal stimulus money and \$300 million in hard cuts as a tourniquet to address this fiscal years budget anemia.

Increasing taxes, even closing tax loopholes, without significant restructuring and

reform of government at all levels would be the equivalent of thinking that raising the price of domestic cars would "fix" their structural problems!

### THE TIME IS NOW FOR REAL CHANGE

It is time Michigan heeds the repeated calls the president has made of the domestic auto industry and his campaign mantra -- "Change!"

We have watched the domestic auto industry shed jobs by the hundreds of thousands and diminish our tax base over the past decade or longer. Today it is no longer eroding. It has imploded.

The tiny particles of sand that our state leaders are attempting to build upon is the obliteration of the once solid automotive foundation upon which our government largess has been built.

Clearly, our units of government at every level must change their behavior in direct proportion to the change taking place in the private sector.

Michigan can not simply cut nor tax its way out of the disruptive, transformational, global change taking place. It will require a new vision, imagination and radical reform -- not just collecting more money to support yesterdays government structure.

President Obama has it right. Michigan, not just the auto industry, must "restructure, modernize, and make themselves more competitive."

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## ONLINE VOICES & VIEWS

The following are excerpts from readers participating in our online forum, *In Your Voices, on the Web at hometownlife.com.*

### ■ Plane crash 50 years ago last week

What caused the crash, according to this Web site (<http://www.geocities.com/forgottenjets/RF-84F.html>): 51-11272 \*Spring 1958: Michigan ANG 107th Tactical Recon Squadron, at Detroit Wayne APT, MI. \*5/8/1959: Crashed over America after a wrench left inside jammed the controls.

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### ■ Open Meetings Act case dismissed

Soon we will have no newspapers left that report on the actions of our government and open meetings will be a thing of the past. Closed-door politics have returned to Northville Township. Our democracy is on very thin ice. The old saying still holds true: "When you spend you time and money fighting for democracy abroad, you slowly lose it at home."

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## CHURCH

FROM PAGE A7

**Single Point Ministries - 45 and older**  
**TIME/DATE:** 11 a.m. Sunday for fellowship and Bible study.  
**Single Focus Ministries - 35-50 years**  
**TIME/DATE:** 9:30 a.m. Sunday to deepen your personal relationship with Christ.  
**Single Purpose Connections - 20-30 years**  
**TIME/DATE:** 11 a.m. Sunday in the Chapel for singing, Bible study, and fellowship  
**DETAILS:** For single adults. Active ministry offering various Bible study classes, volleyball, bicycling group, tennis group, support groups, support group for widowed over age 50, fellowship, friendships and more. Contact the number below for more information.  
**CONTACT:** (248) 374-5920  
**Bible Studies and Prayer Nights**  
**Learner's Bible Study**  
**TIME/DATE:** 7 p.m. Mondays Room A101  
**Men's Bible Study**  
**TIME/DATE:** 6:30 a.m. Wednesday Single Adult Ministries office  
**Single's Bible Study**  
**TIME/DATE:** 7 p.m. second and fourth Mondays, Room C309  
**Relationship 101 Class**  
**TIME/DATE:** 7 p.m., June 12  
**LOCATION:** Knox Hall  
**DETAILS:** Biblical guidelines on building relationships along with light refreshments and lively conversations  
**CONTACT:** For more information, contact the Single Adult Ministries office at (248) 374-5920  
**Singles Book Club Discussion Group**  
**TIME/DATE:** 12:30 p.m., June 7  
**DETAILS:** Discussions from a single adult, Christian perspective. Currently reading "At Home in Mitford" by Jan Karon.  
**Lighthouse Café.**  
**TIME/DATE:** 7 p.m., June 26  
**DETAILS:** Also known as game night. This is a great way to end your work week. Guest musicians provide background music, snacks provided, free child care. Tickets \$5 at the door. **CONTACT:** For more information contact Ward Church (248) 374-5920  
**Softball League Sign-up.**  
**TIME/DATE:** 6:15-7:30 p.m., Thursday evenings, May 7-August 6  
**DETAILS:** For single guys and gals; all skill levels welcome. \$30 due at sign up.  
**CONTACT:** Sign up at Ward Church, 40000 Six Mile Road, Northville (248) 374-5920  
**CHURCH OF THE HOLY FAMILY**  
**LOCATION:** 24505 Meadowbrook Road  
**CONTACT:** (248) 349-8847 or visit holyfamilynovi.org  
**Mass Schedule**  
**TIME/DATE:** 7:30, 9, 10:30 a.m. and 12:15 p.m. Sunday; 9 a.m. Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday; 6:30 a.m. Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday; 7 p.m. Tuesday; 5 p.m. (English), 6:30 p.m. (Spanish) Saturday  
**Holy Days:** 9 a.m., 5:30 and 7:30 p.m.  
**Reconciliation:** beginning 9 a.m. Saturdays or by appointment

**Adoptive Parent Networking Meeting**  
**TIME/DATE:** 10-11 a.m. last Wednesday of each month  
**DETAILS:** Free, informational meeting open to all adoptive families in Oakland County. Child care is available. Registration is required.

## DETROIT FIRST CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

**LOCATION:** 21260 Haggerty Road, north of Eight Mile Road  
**CONTACT:** (248) 348-7600 or visit dfcnazarene.org  
**Sunday Schedule:** 9:15 a.m. Worship service with Praise Band, children's Sunday School and Adult Bible Fellowship; 10:15 a.m. Fellowship and refreshments; 11 a.m. Traditional worship service, Children's Church, Youth Sunday School and Adult Bible Fellowship; 6 p.m. Evening Service, Children's program, Youth Worship Service  
**Tuesday Schedule:** Tuesday 9:30 - 11:15 a.m. Women of the Word Bible Study with childcare available for through age 5, 6:45 p.m. Ladies Evening Bible Study; 7 p.m. Men's Evening Bible Study  
**Wednesday Schedule:** 5:30 p.m. Family Meal, \$4 per person, \$12 per family; 7 p.m. Children's Caravan, Club 56, Bible Study, Quilting, Adult Classes, Youth Blast  
**Thursday Schedule:** 6 a.m. Men of Purpose Prayer Group; 7 p.m. Tae Kwon Do

## ST. JAMES CATHOLIC

**LOCATION:** 46325 10 Mile Road, Novi  
**CONTACT:** (248) 347-7778  
**Mass Schedule**  
**TIME/DATE:** 8, 9:30 and 11:30 a.m. Sunday; 9 a.m. Monday-Tuesday; 7 p.m. Wednesday; 5 p.m. Saturday

## FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF NORTHVILLE

**LOCATION:** 217 N. Wing  
**CONTACT:** (248) 348-1020  
**Sunday Worship:** 10:45 a.m. and 5:45 p.m.  
**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

## FAITH COMMUNITY PRESBYTERIAN

**LOCATION:** 44400 W. 10 Mile Road  
**CONTACT:** (248) 349-2345 or visit faithcommunity-novi.org  
**Sunday Worship:** 10 a.m.

## ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

**LOCATION:** 201 Elm St., Northville  
**CONTACT:** (248) 349-3140  
**Sunday Worship:** 8:30 a.m. Blended; 11 a.m. Contemporary; 11:30 a.m. Traditional

## MEADOWBROOK CONGREGATIONAL

**LOCATION:** 21355 Meadowbrook Road, between Eight and Nine Mile roads  
**CONTACT:** Rev. Arthur P. Ritter, Senior Minister (248) 348-7757, visit mbccc.org or e-mail to office@mbccc.org  
**Sunday Worship:** 10 a.m.  
**YogaFit Classes**  
**TIME/DATE:** 7:30 p.m. every Monday  
**DETAILS:** Eight weeks, \$55 continuous or \$8 per drop in session.  
**Merry Widows Luncheon**  
**TIME/DATE:** 11:30 a.m. fourth Thursday of each month  
**Spiritual Journey's**

**TIME/DATE:** 11:30 a.m. every Sunday  
**Judy Insley and "Almost Perfect"**  
**TIME/DATE:** 8 p.m., Saturday, June 6  
**DETAILS:** Judy Insley and "Almost Perfect" features three veteran musicians, multiple stringed instruments, and rich vocal harmonies in a unique blend of original music sprinkled with songs by other select writers. Judy Insley is a guitarist, mandolinist, songwriter and instructor with years of experience. Tickets \$12 at door or presale \$10  
**CONTACT:** Katie at (248) 449-1456 or nea5r@sbc-global.net  
**Summer Wespers**  
**TIME/DATE:** 7:30 p.m., June 21  
**DETAILS:** Casual dress is accepted

## OUR LADY OF VICTORY CATHOLIC CHURCH

**LOCATION:** 770 Thayer, Northville  
**CONTACT:** (248) 349-2621 or oknorthville.org  
**Saturday Worship**  
**TIME:** 5 p.m.  
**Sunday Worship**  
**TIME:** 7:30, 9, 11 a.m. and 12:30 p.m.

## GRACEPOINT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

**LOCATION:** The Novi Civic Center, Council Chambers  
**CONTACT:** Rev. Brian C. Sleeth, Pastor (248) 497-3178 or gracepointe@mac.com, and gracepointe@epca.org  
**Sunday Worship**  
**TIME:** 10 a.m.  
**DETAILS:** Nursery staffed by Nanny Poppinz

## OUR SHEPHERD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

**LOCATION:** 140 N. Center, above Tutto's in Old Church Square, Northville  
**CONTACT:** Pastor Bill Burke at (734) 927-0891  
**Sunday Worship:** 11:30 a.m. with fellowship and food after service

## FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF NORTH-FAMILY INTEGRATED CHURCH

**LOCATION:** 45301 W. 11 Mile Road  
**CONTACT:** (248) 349-3647 or firstbaptistchurchof-novi.org  
**Family Bible Hour:** 9:45 a.m.  
**Family Worship:** 11 a.m.  
**Bible Study:** 6 p.m.  
**Family Movie Night:** 5:30 p.m.; fourth Sunday of every month.

## NORTHVILLE CHRISTIAN ASSEMBLY

**LOCATION:** 41355 Six Mile Road  
**CONTACT:** (248) 348-9030

## OAKHILL BAPTIST CHURCH

**LOCATION:** 23455 Novi Road  
**CONTACT:** Pastor Jon Hix (248) 349-5665  
**Preschool/Kids Choir**  
**TIME/DATE:** 7-8:15 p.m. every Wednesday  
**DETAILS:** For ages three to six; ongoing event, no need to pre-register; all are welcome.

## CROSSPOINT MEADOWS CHURCH

**LOCATION:** 29000 Meadowbrook Road, south of 13 Mile Road  
**CONTACT:** (248) 669-9400, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Monday-Thursday or visit www.crosspointmeadows.org  
**Sunday Worship:** 11:15 a.m.  
**Bible study classes:** 10 a.m. for all ages  
**DETAILS:** Nursery and older children programs available. Worship blends traditional and contemporary elements resulting in a multi sensory worship

## The job search: When experience is necessary

## YOUR NEXT JOB

If you are a recent graduate or a career changer with little to no work experience in the field you are targeting, how do you get around the 'experience required' obstacle? Volunteer - find an organization that accepts volunteers and ask to



Martha D. Adamson

work on projects that will develop skills and experience in the areas that you lack. Keep examples of your work product to build a portfolio you can show to prospective employers. Network with other volunteers or staff members as

you build experience and skills to find real job opportunities and use your contacts to give you referrals. Job shadow/Internship - find an organization that employs people in the kind of job you want to do. Ask if you can shadow someone for a day or two to learn more about the job. Offer to intern free of charge to gain experience, skills, and referral contacts.

Mine your past education and work - re-examine the courses and work you have done in the past and look for examples of knowledge, skills, tasks that you've already demonstrated that are related to your target. For example, if you are interested in journalism now, and had responsibility for writing an employee or customer newsletter in the past, add some examples of your work to your portfolio and be prepared to discuss how your process for writing the newsletter is similar to reporting.

Join Professional Organizations - become active in a local chapter of a professional organization related to your job target.

Join a committee that interests you and take an active role. You'll have a chance to learn more about the field, work closely with members who have established careers, and demonstrate your transferrable skills. You'll be able to network with your colleagues to find entry level positions that are in your chosen field.

Work as a temp - register with a few temporary agencies and ask to be placed in jobs or with employers related to your target job. Again, you'll be able to demonstrate your

transferrable skills and work ethic, meet people with established careers and network with them for opportunities to break into the field.

Use your network - when faced with obstacles, often your best way around them is to use your network. Conduct information interviews with people you work in the field you are interested in. Learn the ins and outs of the job. Pick up the jargon. Ask to be referred to other people who can tell you more. Practice explaining how what you already know and are able to do relates to the demands of the job you desire. Ask what your gaps are and find out if there is a way to fill them with some short term training or practice.

Precede your resume - if your resume does not have the expected experience, try to talk with an employer first, then follow up with your resume. Research employers who have the kinds of jobs you seek and try to get a referral in to talk with a decision-maker in your field. Be prepared to describe how you will be able to get up to speed quickly to meet their needs. Leave your resume as an 'extended business card'.

Ask for a trial period - propose a tryout period. Take on a limited project for a fixed fee and deliver your best product.

Don't expect employers to hire you and put you through an extended training and education period. It's not going to happen. Seek out the training, experience or knowledge that you need to do the job at least at an entry level. You need to be prepared to solve the employer's problem, not create more problems.

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# EDUCATION

## Northville's Szukaitis honored as Teacher of the Year

■ Wayne County RESA event held May 5

An admired and trusted teacher and colleague, Northville High School science teacher Scott Szukaitis is a Wayne County Regional Educational Service Agency (RESA) 2009 High School Teacher of the Year.

Selected from among nominees from Wayne County's 34 school districts, Szukaitis, along with five other Teachers of the Year — two each at the elementary and middle school levels and one other at the high school level — were honored on May 5 at the Wayne RESA 2009 Celebration of Excellence in Education at Laurel Manor in Livonia. Teacher of the Year candidates are nominated by their local school districts and those written nominations are then reviewed and scored by a formal screening committee.

"Scott sets himself apart as a teacher by connecting directly with students and understanding their individual learning needs," said Northville Superintendent Dr. Leonard R. Reznierski. "Each and every day in his classroom he goes beyond expectations in terms of how he personalizes the high school science curriculum to offer opportunities for learning success for all students."

"This recognition is well deserved. We are all — students, staff and parents — fortunate to have Scott as part of our team."

In particular, Northville High School Principal Rob Watson recalls an opportunity he had earlier this year to observe first-hand Szukaitis's outstanding commitment to his students.

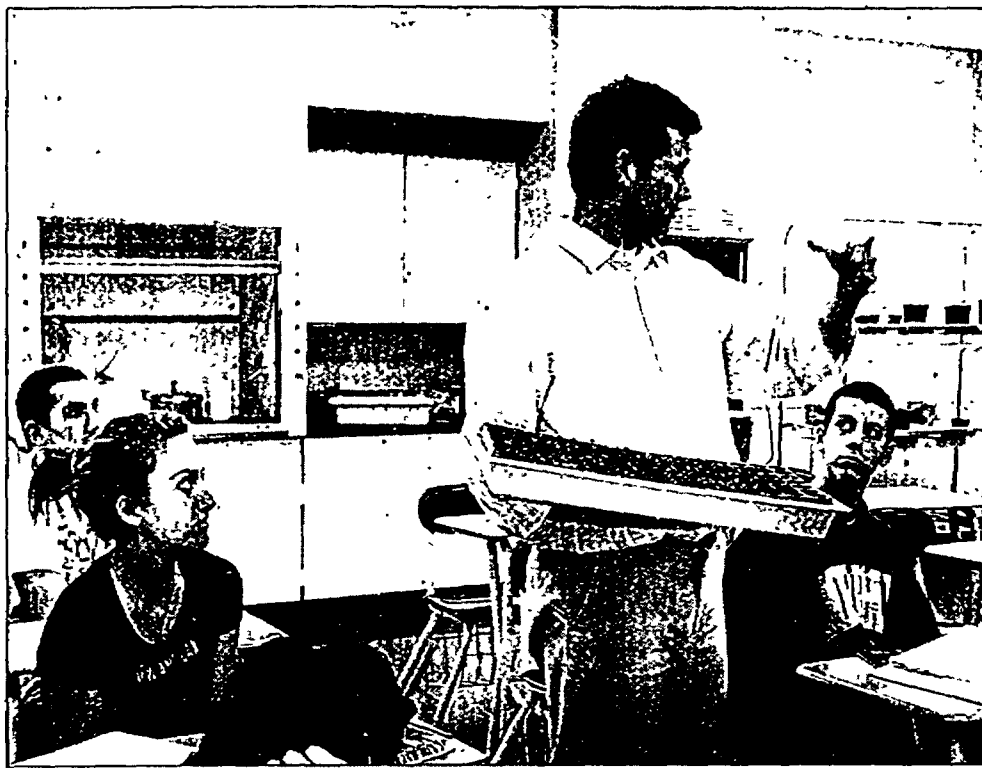
A learning disabled student

in Szukaitis's Michigan Natural Resources class was having tremendous difficulty processing one of the projects required for the class. The assignment called for students to identify an environmental issue and offer a solution, including citing articles, in a written report. The student's idea was to create a fire suppression system for the barn located at nearby Maybury State Park using a water tower to pull water from a local creek. It was an extremely innovative and well-thought-out concept. However the student was having great difficulty conveying his idea in writing.

"Sitting in the conference room outside my office, Scott worked side-by-side with the student as he drew a picture of his concept and explained how it would work," Watson said. "As I watched the assignment play out and the interaction between Scott and the student, I was at a loss for words."

"Scott directly connected with the student's strengths in a way that allowed the student to experience success and feel good about himself. It was a great reminder for me of the incredible difference we as educators can make in the lives of our students."

As a teacher, Szukaitis actively shares his passion for the environmental sciences with his students through experiences that enable them to see first-hand how they can make a difference. He regularly takes advantage of the school's proximity to Maybury State Park and Maybury Farm. Working in partnership with the farm's staff, Szukaitis and



Northville High School science teacher Scott Szukaitis, a Wayne County Regional Educational Service Agency 2009 High School Teacher of the Year, shares his passion for the environmental sciences with his students.

students in his Michigan Natural Resources and Advanced Placement Environmental Science classes develop, plant and maintain the 15,000-square-foot organic garden at Maybury Farm.

Skilled in global positioning system mapping, Szukaitis also works with his students to coordinate the planning and implementation of the popular corn maze enjoyed each fall by visitors to Maybury Farm.

In addition, Szukaitis has published numerous research articles

and has served as a consultant to the Michigan Department of Natural Resources and the U.S. Forest Service.

A self-proclaimed member of the video game generation, Szukaitis is keenly aware of all the high tech distractions teachers must compete against in reaching students today. This is why he has thoroughly integrated technology into his teaching. In addition to the use of visuals, video, PowerPoint and multiple media in the classroom, Szukaitis's

classroom is available 24/7. All handouts, lectures, review materials, MP3 sound files and other resources are available for students on-line for "any-time, anywhere" learning. And, while students use their textbooks as a resource, Szukaitis encourages students to take advantage of what he calls the "most powerful research tool man has ever known" — the Internet.

"Technology presents creative ways to reach students with multiple learning styles

while simultaneously providing external stimulus to capture and hold each student's attention," Szukaitis said. "Today's classroom doesn't need to be a video game, but it does need to challenge the distractions present in students' everyday lives in order to capture and hold their attention."

Szukaitis's commitment to his students often stretches well beyond the traditional school day. As the boys' varsity track and field coach he oversees more than 100 athletes coordinating practices, meets and invitations. In the off-season, he serves as an athletic coordinator for the high school Athletic Department supervising athletic events from cross country, to swimming, to hockey. In past years, he also has coached the high school's Science Olympiad Team.

"I believe students are motivated to try harder, both in the classroom and at home, and are more receptive to constructive criticism, when they feel that their teacher genuinely cares about their achievements as individuals," Szukaitis said. "As a student, I remember each of my former teachers that I saw in the crowd at an extra-curricular event of mine and I know how much it meant to me. I try to do the same for all my students."

And he does, says Watson. "It is obvious both in and outside of school that students see Scott as someone who respects them, believes in them, and has their best interest at heart," Watson said. "For students, this kind of unconditional support can only translate into success in school, and in life."

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### Winchester Elementary

The Winchester PTA Board would like to thank all the volunteers who chaired a committee and all the parents who helped volunteer their time for the activities in the 2008-2009 school year. We had a terrific year of fundraising to help provide curriculum-enhancing programs for our school and our children, and we couldn't have done it without the many of you who helped. We hope to have another good year starting next fall and appreciate all the new volunteers who have already stepped forward for the 2009-2010 school year. We look forward to working with you. We wish you all a safe and happy summer.

### Spiritwear sale

Final Spiritwear sale of the school year will be held on Thursday, June 4 from 1:30-5 p.m.

Our Clearance Sale includes: All pink sweat-shirts originally \$35 now

\$20. Pink sweats originally \$25 now \$15. White full zip sweatshirts originally \$35 now \$20. Stadium seats originally \$30 now \$15. We have regular priced merchandise in stock - T-shirts for \$15 and sweatshirts for \$35 with many styles and colors to choose from.

### Athletic physicals

The Northville High School Athletic Department is working in conjunction with Beaumont Hospital for athletic training services. Along with these services, Beaumont doctors will be doing athletic physicals on June 4 for the 2009-2010 school year. Physicals will begin at 4:30 p.m. in the Athletic wing. The cost will be \$20 per physical.

Physicals need to be done on the MHSAA physical form and can be downloaded from the district Web site. Please make sure all information, especially needed signatures by parents and students are filled out.

### Summer Connections

Brochures for Summer

### NORTHVILLE SCHOOL BRIEFS



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### Senior citizens' prom

Hillside Middle School student Sandya Janardhan, right, serves some coffee to visiting senior Joanne Eisele during last Wednesday's annual Senior Citizens' Prom. School Board member Joan Wadsworth, center, stops by for a visit. The prom featured choral works by the school's singers, a sit-down dinner served by the students and desserts created at Hillside and at the end of the evening, the Northville High Jazz Band provided music to dance by.

Connections are now available for review online at <http://www.northville.k12.mi.us/instruction/summer-school.asp>. Copies will also be available at each building by the end of this week. This expanded summer school program is offered

at three levels through Elementary Summer Connections, Middle School Summer Connections and High School Summer Connections. Registration began May 11, at which time PaySchools was activated as well.

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12:00, 2:15, 4:30, 7:15, 9:35  
FRI/SAT LS 11:55

O UP 38 (PG) 11:30, 1:55, 4:15, 6:45, 9:10  
FRI/SAT LS 11:25

O DRAG ME TO HELL (PG-13)  
12:05, 2:20, 4:45, 7:05, 9:20  
FRI/SAT LS 11:45

RIGHT AT THE MUSEUM: BATTLE OF THE SMITHSONIAN (PG) 11:00, 1:30, 4:00, 6:30, 9:00 FRI/SAT LS 11:30

TERMINATOR: SALVATION (PG-13)  
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## PROPERTY

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value of real estate, saying the suggested price is unrealistic. "Demand dictates price," Tulley said. "With little or no demand, the value of this property is significantly less than the township is proposing."

Mark Abbo, township supervisor, said the township has an appraisal that values the land at \$30 million. As far as the current recession, Abbo said, "It is exactly the current economic situation that has created this opportunity for the township. We never had the opportunity before because the state was never willing to do that."

Abbo said according to reports over the last month have shown that the economy seems to have "bottomed out."

"If there's any pain still to be seen from the economy, we hope that will turn around in the next year or so," he said. "The purchase of this property will benefit Northville Township for generations to come."

### IS AGREEMENT ONE-SIDED?

The Highland Lakes residents believe a purchase agreement in the works between REIS and the township is heavily one-sided in favor of REIS, and that, in fact, purchasing this property relieves the seller of many responsibilities and allows REIS to retain prime property along Seven Mile and Haggerty roads for commercial development.

The residents also believe that the proposed purchase agreement gives all of the responsibility of the cleanup of the contaminated former psychiatric hospital property to the township, even though there is financing available through a brownfield redevelopment plan.

"The township gains little, and, again, the seller is rewarded," Tulley said. He added that the cleanup won't begin until REIS begins developing the commercial property, which he estimates is realistically at least 10-years-

"We made an offer to them to speak to them about what the proposal is all about, and it was turned down. We intend to share all information with our residents and let the voters make an informed decision about whether they should vote yes or no on this millage question."

**MARK ABBO,**  
Northville Township Supervisor

plus out.

"The reason it's important for the developer to retain a good portion of the property is that enough critical mass is needed in order to create the tax increment financing for the brownfield to work," Abbo said.

### CONSENT JUDGMENT INEQUITIES?

The association members also believe the proposed purchase agreement doesn't address many of the inequities of the consent judgment between the township and REIS regarding tree protection, traffic and the size of big-box retail within the commercial zone.

"These items should have been negotiated, and an amendment to the consent agreement requested," Tulley said.

Abbo said the proposed purchase agreement reduces the commercial development by 50 percent.

"The result is a significant reduction in traffic, and we save the rest of the trees," Abbo said.

Highland Lakes residents also feel that adding to the purchase price is the cost of security and maintenance of the property that will drain township resources, while the contamination and dangerous buildings are allowed to remain on the property.

"We feel this (security and maintenance of the property) can be done very effectively and efficiently by township personnel," Abbo said, and that the cleanup can be done through the brownfield, under

the direction of township staff.

"It cost the township more to maintain the property before REIS purchased it," Abbo said.

Finally, if the township were to purchase the property, the residents believe that the proposed future use of the property is unclear, and that it is also not clear if the community could sell the land later for development.

"Although we would like to support the purchase of the property from REIS, we request that the purchase agreement be renegotiated and the millage request be postponed," Tulley said.

Other Highland Lakes board members included Kathleen Connor, Joy Gaskin, Steve Lone, Cathy Baldwin, Judy Nakdimen and Maureen Osiecki.

"I would much rather see the township funds spent toward additional police protection than on the purchase of this property," Tulley said.

### ABBO DISAPPOINTED

Abbo said he was disappointed that no Highland Lakes residents spoke to anyone from township administration before adopting their resolution.

"We made an offer to them to speak to them about what the proposal is all about, and it was turned down," Abbo said.

He said there will be more information forthcoming in the next few months on the proposal.

"We intend to share all information with our residents and let the voters make an informed decision about whether they should vote yes or no on this millage question," Abbo said.

Abbo said the intended use of the property is park land with trails and passive recreation.

"This would eliminate any impact on the school district since no homes would be built on the property and would create enormous opportunity for future generations," he said. "The average resident would pay only \$50 a year to fund the proposed millage (to pay for the property)."

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## Claude Ely Award

Northville Mayor Chris Johnson presented the Claude N. Ely Award to Sue Ellen Hooper for her dedication to the Housing Commission at this year's Boards & Commissions Reception May 12 at the Northville Community Senior Center. Ely, who was known to his friends as "Pete," was the city's first mayor. He also served as the last president of the Village Council before the Village of Northville became a city. Ely died in 1958 midway into his second term as mayor. Johnson said while recently reading the centennial edition of the Northville Record, which was published in 1969, he noticed that more than 10 years after Ely's passing there were numerous references to "the late Mayor Ely" that reflected the respect the community had of his efforts. After he died, group of his friends got together to find some way to honor his memory. Since Ely had valued citizenship as an important quality in people, the group decided to name an award after him that would recognize outstanding citizenship to the community.

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# Long's 60th anniversary celebration Friday

## Food, music, door prizes slated

BY PAM FLEMING  
STAFF WRITER

Times were a little different when Long's Plumbing Company started serving the Northville community 60 years ago.

George Orwell had just written the book "1984," and 45 rpm records were introduced.

Chairman Mao Tse Tung assumed power in China, and Johnnie Ray performed at the Flame Showbar in Detroit.

Tomorrow, Long's Plumbing Co. invites their clients and the public to a 60th anniversary Open House from 6-9 p.m. at the store at 190 E. Main St.

The event will include food, drinks, free chair massage, door prizes, music and more.

### STARTED IN HOUSE

Jim Long's parents, the late Glenn and Lois, moved to Northville in 1944 and started the company in 1949.

"They started out in a house at Horton and Baseline," Jim Long said. In 1954, they constructed an office, showroom and warehouse facility on Seven Mile Road. In 1964, they constructed a building where Edward's Café stood for a number of years on Dunlap Street. The large showroom highlighted plumbing fixtures and plumbing repair parts. In 1970, a portion of the showroom was dedicated to bath and kitchen remodeling, which laid the foundation for today's Long Kitchen & Bath Design.

In 1974, the building at 190 E. Main Street was constructed. Residential heating and cooling services were added in 1999.

"It was a real team effort with

my mom and my dad," Jim Long said. "My dad made sure the work got placed, and my mom answered the phone and took care of the company books. As a young kid growing up, I never had a baby-sitter. I was at the warehouse and the plumbing yard. That was my playground."

### STARTED FROM SCRATCH

They started the plumbing business from scratch after both being from farming communities and experiencing the Great Depression.

"It was a pretty aggressive move for them at the time," Jim Long said. "They built it into a viable business."

At the time, Glenn Long worked at Pontiac Motor making rifles for the war effort.

"At the house he was renting, the landlord came in and did some plumbing remodeling, and my dad was intrigued by it," Jim Long said. "He was a great mechanic and could work with his hands."

### THIRD GENERATION

Now Jim Long and daughter Allison Long, a Northville High School graduate who studied business management at Western Michigan University, run the company.

She is secretary/treasurer of the company and has worked fulltime with her dad for two years since college graduation.

"Before that, I had been helping out summers and weekends learning," she said.

"I enjoy it," she said, "because it's more than just a job. It's family."

The majority of the business



JOHN HEIDER/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Staff from Northville's Long's Plumbing. From left: Lori Munts, William Geunther, Ron Tini, Doug Wojay, Kathy Gibbs, Priya Niskode, Jim and daughter Allison Long and Karol Gore.

is plumbing and mechanical piping. For instance, Long's Plumbing did the plumbing work for Northville High School and the new South Lyon East High School as well as the Northville District Library. The Longs employ pipe fitters and sheet metal workers and is an open shop (non-union) firm. They also have a sheet metal fabrication shop on Gerald Avenue in Northville.

"When I came on board, it was pretty much a mom-and-pop plumbing shop," Jim Long said. The business peaked a few years ago with 120 employees and now has just over 40.

"We're hanging in there," he said.

In 1982, he opened an office in Tampa, Fla., called JR Long, Inc., that he sold to three employees in 2005.

The Northville firm does commercial, industrial and institutional work, including school, municipal, industrial, food processing, retail, office and medical facilities.

The most visible part of the

business in the Northville area, however, is the plumbing, heating, cooling service work, as well as the bathroom and kitchen remodeling.

"We're lucky to have a lot of real good customers in town who have been with us for many years," Long said.

"We're fortunate that my parents chose Northville in which to start their business."

The business does not do plumbing for new homes, just remodeling work, with Long adding that remodeling one's kitchen and bathroom can go a long way toward getting a home ready for sale.

### RSVP FOR EVENT

Tomorrow's Open House at Long's Plumbing, 190 E. Main St., will take place from 6-9 p.m. Those who plan to attend are asked to RSVP at [www.eveningwithlongs.com](http://www.eveningwithlongs.com) or by calling (248) 349-0373. For more information about Long's services, go to [www.longmechanical.com](http://www.longmechanical.com).

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### TRENDS MOVE AWAY FROM TRADITIONAL

Designer Karol Gore who works for Long's Kitchen & Bath Design, said homeowners are moving away from traditional designs to a more transitional or contemporary look these days.

"We still get some of it, but the Old World theme is not that prevalent," Gore said. "We're seeing a lot more clean and simple lines and a lot of glass."

Homeowners are becoming more creative with tile, as well, in greater depth than ever before, including wall features, not just backsplashes, but tile cover bathroom walls.

"We're doing a lot more tile on the walls," Gore said. "People like the function of it as well as the aesthetics."

Tub kits were the big thing as late as 2000, but Long's hardly ever receives requests for that bath format now.

"Tubs aren't the main draw," she said. "Most people remove their tubs and are asking for walk-in showers." Gore said many people are requesting performance features in showers that used to be reserved for tubs. Those who do still want tubs are using them more for therapeutic than cleaning purposes.

"We're seeing more air tubs (that blow air through the water instead of water) versus whirlpools," Gore said. "It's a lot more relaxing - more of an effervescent all-over feel," she said. Long's has a combination tub that offers the best of both worlds - the air tub and the whirlpool.

"Men typically like the whirlpool, especially after sports." Today, even heated backrests are available.

**COLORS FOR TODAY**  
Warm tones, capitalizing

on the whole organic, "green" concept, are popular now in baths and kitchens. "Browns and greens have consumed our industry," Gore said. "You will see some teals and pastels in glass tones."

Customers are also requesting larger pieces of glass, such as 6 feet by 6 feet or 3 feet by 6 feet pieces as opposed to mosaics.

Although she has no formal training, "I've been creative my whole life," Gore said. "As a kid, I built dog houses and took wood shop, metal shop and drafting in high school and was a hair dresser. I was always hanging out with my dad when he was building things."

She said when Long's hired her six years ago, her career exploded.

"They saw something in me that I didn't see in myself and gave me the opportunity to grow," Gore said.

"She's very talented and has done a wonderful job for us," Jim Long said. "All of our designers are talented." Other designers at the shop include Lori Munts, Kathy Gibbs and Priya Niskode.

Kyle Hunt, marketing director, for the company, noted that more people are interested in "green" bath and kitchen products.

"They're concerned about off-gassing that are coming from products, and manufacturers are streamlining their compliance to that," Gore said. "A lot of finishes are changing to a more environmentally-friendly finish versus an oil base. Our quartz is green-certified."

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### CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS PUBLIC HEARING

The Zoning Board of Appeals (ZBA) has scheduled a public hearing for Wednesday, June 17, 2009, at the Northville Township Municipal Office Building, located at 44405 Six Mile Road, Northville, MI 48168. The ZBA will consider requests for Galilean Baptist Church, 42290 Five Mile Road (Sign Variance); Northville Colony Estates, Six Mile Road entrance (Sign Variance); Hal's Auto Clinic, 43291 W. Seven Mile Road (Sign Variance); a resident at 17011 Abby Circle (Accessory Structure Setback); and a resident at 46538 Shelley Pond Drive (Accessory Structure Setback). Written comments regarding these requests will be received by the ZBA at 44405 Six Mile Road, Northville, MI 48168. The meeting will begin at 7:30 P.M.

Paul Slatin, Chair  
Zoning Board of Appeals

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### CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE CODE OF ORDINANCE ADOPTION

The following ordinance amendments of the Township Code of Ordinances were adopted at the regular meeting of the Charter Township of Northville Board of Trustees held on May 21, 2009 at 7:30 P.M. at 44405 Six Mile Road, Northville, Michigan, 48168. The adopted ordinances will become effective upon publication.

**Chapter 39 - Special Assessments - repeal**  
**Chapter 64 - Construction Site Maintenance - repeal**  
**Chapter 145 - Signs** - The intent of this chapter is to regulate outdoor advertising and all signs within the Township.

**Section 145.5**  
1. To permit temporary open house signs for the purpose of identifying residential properties for sale.  
**Chapter 58 - Building Construction** - The Township assumes responsibility for the administration and enforcement within the Township of the State Construction Code Act, Act No. 230 of the Public Acts of Michigan 1972, as amended, and the building, residential, uniform energy, electrical, plumbing, and mechanical codes promulgated thereunder, as amended.

1. Clarified the requirement to prevent infestation and harborage of insects and rats in accessory structures.  
2. Added Article V - Certificate of Occupancy requirements.  
3. Added minor corrections to Purpose, Legislative Intent, Prohibited Actions, and Corrections under Article VI.

4. Added Article VII - Performance Guarantees  
**Chapter 77 - Fences** - The intent and purpose is to secure the public health, safety and general welfare; provide for required fencing of certain property for the protection of adults and minors from loss of life or limb and the protection of persons and property from unattractive nuisances; to provide required fencing for certain property; to provide for the administration of the requirements and the enforcement thereof; to provide penalties for violations of the provisions of this chapter; repealing all chapters, or parts thereof, in conflict with this chapter.

The Current provisions will be deleted and replaced with fence standards, a series of amendments and clarifications are adopted. The additions and amendments include certain fences 36" in height or less are exempt from obtaining a permit, chain link fences are only permitted in the Consumer industrial zoning district and various height, design and location requirements for fences on residential lots and within non-residential zoning districts.  
**Chapter 139 - Water and Sewer - Article I, II, III** - As authorized by the laws of the State of Michigan, there is hereby established a Northville Township salvage disposal, which shall be maintained and operated as a single public improvement on a public utility basis in accordance with the Master Utility Plan and all applicable provisions of the Township Code Revisions adopted for Chapter 139 are as follows:

1. Article 139 - 10 penalty amounts have been increased.  
2. Article 139-15 eliminates the need for a cash deposit by tenants.  
3. Article 139 - 16 prohibits connections to the water system without a permit.  
4. Article 130 - 17 provides for access to water meters, prohibits tampering with water meters, and allows the department to estimate water use when a meter malfunctions.  
5. Article 139-18 through 20 has been renumbered.  
6. Article 139-21 through 29 has been eliminated.  
7. Article 130-30 renumbered to Article 139-20 and penalty amounts have been increased.  
8. Article 139-31 through 139-44 renumbered to Articles 139-21 through 139-34.  
9. Article 139-34 (new) penalty amounts have been increased.  
A complete copy of the adopted ordinance is available in the Clerk's office at Township Hall during regular business hours, 8:00 A.M. to 4:30 P.M., Monday through Friday and on the Township Website <http://www.twp.northville.mi.us>.

Sue A Hillebrand, Clerk

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## FRIDAY

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each viewer; and Alecia Hibbeln, whose whimsical birch tree series is painted on both canvas and windows.

Tomorrow night will be the third time this artist trio has shown their works together.

Along with the opportunity to see three different artists' work at Starring, "The Gallery," First Friday walkers can enjoy the music of Sheila Landis Jazz.

This artist has been performing her unique style of jazz, Latin and blues since 1973. She has been selected "Outstanding Jazz Vocalist" by the Detroit Music Awards seven times.

Regular gallery hours are 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Monday-Wednesday; 10 a.m.-8 p.m. Thursday-Friday; 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday; and noon-4 p.m. Sunday

Northville Art House  
At the Northville Art House, 215 W. Cady St., the featured exhibit is "Capturing the Craft - Theatre Portrayed Through the

Artist's Brush," a Northville Art House and Tipping Point Theatre Collaboration.

Art walkers can experience a behind-the-scenes look at live theatre as interpreted by artists of the Northville Art House. Their works were inspired by the professional actors and designers of the Tipping Point, 361 E. Cady St.

The exhibit was on display at the theatre through May 31 and will appear at the Art House tomorrow through June 20. Featured artists include Linda Logan, Daria Fileta, Peggy Kerwan, Barbara Eko Murphy, Candace Brancik, Jeff Cancelosi and Mary Step.

The Art House Gallery hours are 1-5 p.m. Thursday-Saturday.

### NORTHVILLE GALLERY

The Northville Gallery, 123 E. Main St., welcomes summer by featuring paintings with summertime themes at tomorrow's June First Friday event.

Children playing at the beach, sailboats adrift on calm waters and scenes of hot, summer days can be found in the stacks of paintings available at the down-

town gallery. The opening reception for the "Summertime Paintings" exhibit will be from 6-9 p.m. tomorrow. Regular gallery hours are 10 a.m.-8 p.m. Monday-Thursday; 10 a.m.-9 p.m. Friday and Saturday; and noon-5 p.m. Sunday.

Other First Friday Art & Fashion Walk participants include the Tom James Gallery of Fine Art, 117 E. Main St., which will also have a reception from 6-9 p.m. tomorrow; Broughton Music/Northville Center for Music & Art, 103 N. Center St.; the Dancing Eye Gallery, 101 N. Center St.; Long's Bath & Kitchen Design, 190 E. Main St.; the Painter's Place, 140 N. Center St.; Poole's Tavern, 157 E. Main St.; Simply Wine, 109 N. Center St.; Swearingen Fine Portraits, 120 E. Main St., Suite 301; The Bee's Knees, 141 E. Main St.; Salon Tre Bella V, 105 N. Center St.; Urban Blues, 116 W. Main St.; Utopia Salon & Spa, 182 E. Main St.; and Van Dam's Boutique, 111 E. Main St.

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### Advertisement for Bids

#### E. DUNLAP STREET RECONSTRUCTION & WING STREET / CADY STREET INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS

#### CITY OF NORTHVILLE

The City of Northville, the OWNER, will receive sealed Bids for E. Dunlap Street Reconstruction & Wing Street / Cady Street Intersection Improvements at the City of Northville, Office of the City Clerk, 215 West Main Street, Northville, Michigan 48167, until June 26, 2009, at 1:00 p.m. local time. No Bids will be received after that time. Bids will be publicly opened and read aloud at that time and place.

This project consists of the full reconstruction and partial relocation of E Dunlap Street and Mill and Cap the Wing Street / Cady Street intersection. This includes but is not limited to removal and replacement of pavement, curb and sidewalk, subgrade corrections, minor drainage improvements, signing and striping while maintaining traffic. The City of Northville reserves the right to award Alternate Bids pending outcome of unit bid prices and field quantities required to construct the projects. The approximate quantities of major items of work for this project are as follows:

Remove and replace existing bituminous pavement and base	2,352 Syd
Remove and replace existing curb and gutter	1,492 Lf
Mill and cap existing pavement	405 Syd

Bidding Documents may be examined at the City Clerk's Office, City of Northville, 215 West Main Street, Northville, Michigan 48167. Electronic and paper copies of the Bidding Documents may be obtained by contacting the office of the Engineer, Zeimet Wozniak & Associates, 40024 Grand River, Suite 100, Novi, Michigan starting on Monday June 8, 2009. A \$40 non-refundable deposit will be charged for paper copies. An additional, non-refundable charge of \$15 will be required for mailing Bidding Documents.

Each Bid shall be accompanied by a certified check or bid bond, in the amount of at least five (5) percent of the amount bid, drawn payable to the City of Northville as security for the proper execution of the Agreement.

The City reserves the right to accept any or all alternative Bids and award the contract to other than the lowest bidder, to waive any irregularities or informalities or both; to reject any or all Bids; and in general to make the award of the Contract in any manner deemed by the City, in its sole discretion, to be in the best interest of the City of Northville.

Bids may not be withdrawn for the period of 40 days after the actual date of opening thereof.

All inquiries shall be directed to Andy Wozniak, (248) 442-1101, [awozniak@zeimetwozniak.com](mailto:awozniak@zeimetwozniak.com).

City of Northville  
Ms. Dianne Massa, Clerk

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### Request for Proposals City of Northville

#### TREE MANAGEMENT SURVEY AND REPORT

Sealed proposals will be received in the City of Northville, City Hall, 215 W. Main Street, Northville, Michigan 48167 until 2:00 p.m. local time on June 23, 2009 for professional services to perform a survey and hazard evaluation of City street trees. A Certified Arborist is being sought to perform services necessary to create an accurate inventory of existing street trees, an assessment of hazard risk for these trees, a recommendation of tree removals and maintenance needs, and a determination of possible planting areas along approximately 30 miles of streets in the City of Northville.

A Request for Proposals document may be obtained by calling the Northville Department of Public Works at (248) 449-9930.

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

James P. Gallogly  
Director, Department of Public Works

Dianne Massa  
City Clerk

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### CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF NORTHVILLE NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT FUNDS

On Thursday, June 18, 2009 at 7:30 p.m. a Public Hearing will be held at the Township Civic Center located at 44405 Six Mile Road, Northville, Michigan 48167 on the reallocation of the 2008/2009 and 2009/2010 Community Development Block Grant Funds. The primary objective of the CDBG program is to fund eligible HUD activities and projects which benefit low and moderate income persons; aid in the prevention or elimination of blight and slums; and/or address an urgent community development need.

Northville Township is proposing to reallocate \$35,409.62 of the CDBG FY 2008/2009 funds and \$72,600.00 of the CDBG FY 2009/2010 funds. The reallocations of funds are proposed to be from Housing Rehabilitation, Minor Home Repair and Demolition Projects to ADA Ramp Detectable Warning Plates at Crosswalk Projects.

All interested citizens are invited to attend and provide views and proposals concerning the reallocation of funds from the Community Development Block Grant Program. For additional information on the program or the proposed reallocations, please contact Ms. Delores Bowden, CDBG Coordinator, at 248-348-5800 ext. 10500.

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# LOCAL SPORTS

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## Northville tennis claims state title in doubles

The Northville Mustangs and Novi Wildcats both won big at the MHSAA State Tennis Championships. The two teams tied for fourth overall, with the Mustangs pulling off the upset to take home the state championship in doubles.

Northville's girls tennis team was ranked sixth all season, but were able to peak at the finals. It took a solid team effort to tie Novi for fourth place with 17 points. Midland Dow finished first, Ann Arbor Pioneer was second and Grosse Pointe South finished third, inching past Northville and Novi by one point.

"We were so excited with our finish. A tie with Novi at the regionals and states is something that I didn't think we could achieve at the beginning of the season," said Northville coach Sandra Woolfall.

In doubles play, senior Valerie Juan and freshman Mackenzie Powers were able to battle through the first two rounds only to have to play No. 1 Midland Dow in the third round. They were able to upset them 6-4, 6-3, and moved on to battle No. 3 Ann Arbor Pioneer. The final went three sets with Juan and Powers



Mackenzie Powers and Valerie Juan with their coach, Sandy Woolfall.

outlasting Pioneer's team 7-6, 4-6, 6-2 to claim the title.

"Valerie and Mackenzie clicked together as a team

right from the beginning of the year," Woolfall said. "They had only one loss all season, with a record of 29 and 1."

Abby Grajek and Sabrina Masciulli also had a good run in doubles before losing in the state semifinals to



Abby Grajek and Sabrina Masciulli, both winners in the tennis semifinals for Northville.

Midland Dow 6-2, 6-4. Said Woolfall: "The girls played their best match in two years against Grosse Pointe South, and deserve the medals they won as state semifinalists."

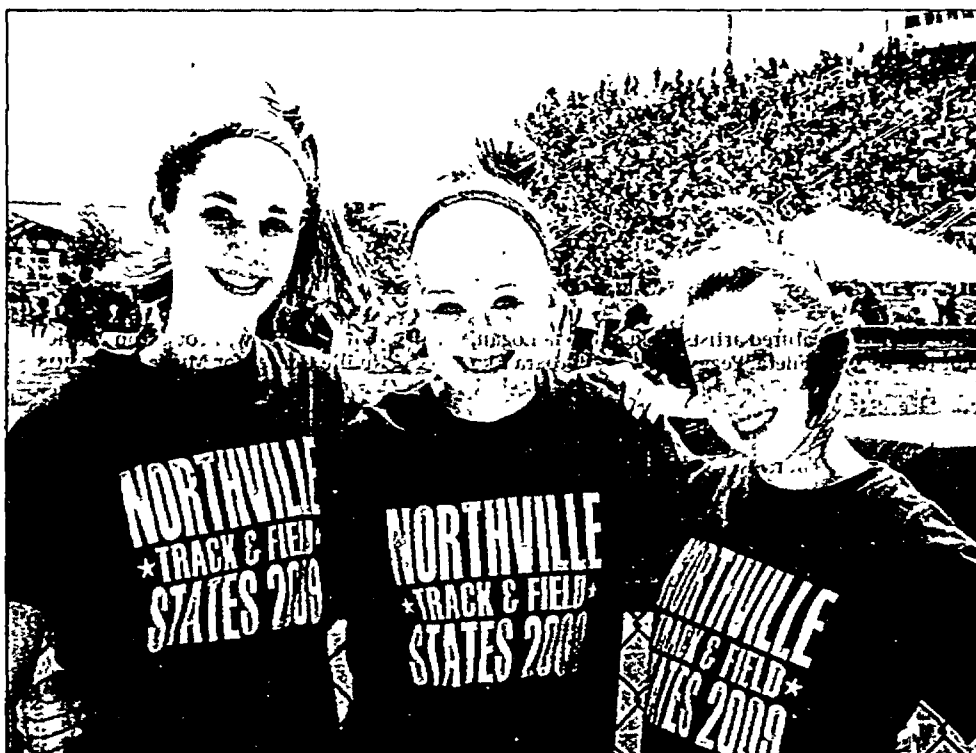
Tanya Joseph and Joanne Weber each had tough draws and lost close singles matches to girls who advanced to the finals.

Laura Taylor and Ursula

Cauffiel finished their season with only a couple losses in doubles play all year. They lost a close three-set match in the quarterfinals to West Bloomfield 6-7, 6-4, 6-4.

Maudie Smith and Amy Bernstein also had a strong season, but were knocked out in the quarterfinals by Troy.

- By Mark Flint



Northville track competitors (l to r) sophomore high jumper Beth Roach, junior pole vaulter Michelle Steslicki and senior pole vaulter Amy Reynolds.

## Three Mustangs soar at girls track state finals

Two Northville High School athletes claimed all-state honors at the girls Division I Track and Field State Finals last weekend at East Kentwood High School.

Leading the way was senior pole vaulter Amy Reynolds, who cleared 11-2, good enough for fourth place. The top jump came from Rockford's Sarah Birkmeier, who set a new MHSAA finals record with a jump of 13 feet.

This was Reynolds' first

all-state honor and she will be competing at the Midwest Meet of Champions and Jackson High School this weekend. Only the best seniors from Michigan, Ohio, Wisconsin and Indiana get invited to the Midwest Meet, and coach Kerry Barnett is expecting a strong showing from Reynolds who boasts a season-high vault of 11-6½ earlier this season.

Also joining Reynolds on the all-state team was sophomore Elizabeth Roach. Roach fin-

ished sixth in the high jump with a jump of 5-5. The winner jumped 5-8.

Pole vaulter Michelle Steslicki was the other Mustang competing at the finals, finishing just outside of the top eight with a pole vault of 9-2.

The eight points earned at the state meet was one of the highest point totals for the team in recent years.

- By freelance writer Mark Flint

## Arastu hurdles to all-state honors

Northville junior Aliasghar Arastu proved he could match up with the state's best by taking home all-state honors in the 110-meter and 300-meter hurdles at the state meet last weekend.

Arastu finished second in the 300-meter hurdles, .25 seconds behind East Kentwood's Deonte Hurst, with a time of 38.26 seconds. He also finished seventh in the 100-meter hurdles with a time of 14.83 seconds. In his third event, the 1,600-meter relay, the team posted 10th place finish, but was not good enough to earn all-state.

Northville totaled 10 points as a team, thanks to Arastu's accomplishments and some strong performances by other run-

ners.

"All the boys had a great day and were very competitive," said coach Scott Szukaitis. "A few of the boys were able to shave time off of their years best."

The 3,200-meter relay team posted a season best with senior Jack Dalton completing a 1:57.6 leg and senior Noel Key running a 1:57.1.

Kevin Matay had a strong showing in the pole vault with a vault of 11-10.

Szukaitis said with several athletes come back next year, he hopes to build on the team's success.

- By freelance writer Mark Flint

## Mustang baseball team advances to regionals

A pair of strong pitching performances last weekend led the Northville High School baseball team to a district championship and spot in the regional finals.

Senior David Uberti had four strikeouts and allowed only six hits in a 7-3 complete game win against Farmington Hills in the district final, and Kevin Fisher went the distance

and struck out three in the opener, a 9-6 win against Novi. Fisher finished the season with a record of 7-0.

Kyle Breault hit a two-run home run, his 12th of the year, in the finals win. Senior Ryan Mullen had an RBI double and Dan Mills drove in two runs while Dylan Breault added an RBI.

In the opener, Bobby

Thomas hit a two-run home run to pad the Mustangs' lead, and Anthony Sergi went 2-for-3 with three RBI and a stolen base. Senior Matt Deacon also added three RBI with a 2-for-4 performance at the plate.

The Mustangs will play Brother Rice on Saturday at Novi High School.

- By freelance writer Mark Flint

## Smooth swings take linksters to states

A focused Northville High School golf team overcame howling winds and unfriendly course conditions to advance to the golf state finals.

Senior Wes Gates and junior Trevor Grigg led the way with a pair of 74s, pushing the Mustangs to a third-place finish at the regional finals last weekend at Taylor Golf Course.

"Our goal was to survive and advance to the state finals, and that's what we did," said coach Matt Stetson. "The course was long, the wind was up and the greens were fast, but

our guys concentrated on hitting fairways and greens."

Senior Steve Brown shot an 82 while juniors Erik Goebel and Alex Bernstein shot 84 and 86, respectively.

Stetson said he didn't think it was the team's best performance of the year but "they did their job" by advancing to the finals.

The team will face off against the state's best on June 5-6 at the Forest Acres Golf Course.

- By freelance writer Mark Flint

## Defense leads Mustangs to district softball title

The Northville High School softball team relied on a stingy defense and timely hitting to claim the district title last weekend.

Through two games, the Mustangs out-scored their opponents 11-1, including a 6-0 shutout of Farmington Hills Mercy High School in the district final. They beat Farmington High School 5-1 earlier in the day.

"We worked very hard on are hitting last week, and they showed that on Saturday," said coach Kary Couchman. "The team played great as a whole."

Four seniors led the way for Northville, highlighted by the pitching of senior Sam Doud. Catcher Sarah Rounsifer and center fielder Mariel Wilson anchored the defense while designated



Northville's girls move on to the regionals with wins in the districts over Farmington and Farmington Hills Mercy.

hitter Nara DeMuro provided the offense with some power.

The Mustangs play West

Bloomfield on Saturday in the MHSAA Regional Finals.

- By freelance writer Mark Flint

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## Meetings

### NORTHVILLE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

**Board of Education**  
**DATE:** Second and fourth Tuesday of the month  
**TIME:** 7:30 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** Old Village School

### CITY OF NORTHVILLE

**City Council**  
**DATE:** First and third Monday of the month  
**TIME:** 7:30 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** City Hall, 215 W. Main St.  
**Downtown Development Authority Meeting**  
**DATE:** Third Tuesday of each month  
**TIME:** 8 a.m.  
**LOCATION:** City Hall Meeting Room A, on lower level, 215 W. Main St.  
**CONTACT:** downtownnorthville.com  
**Planning Commission**  
**DATE:** First and third Tuesday 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  
**TIME:** 7:30 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** Art House, 215 W. Cady St.  
**Beautification Commission**  
**DATE:** First Monday of every month  
**TIME:** 8 a.m.

**DETAILS:** Individuals and organizations invited to attend.

**LOCATION:** Northville City Hall, Meeting Room B

### NORTHVILLE TOWNSHIP

**Planning Commission**  
**DATE:** Last Tuesday of month  
**TIME:** 7:30 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** Township Hall, 44405 West Six Mile  
**Board of Trustees**  
**DATE:** Third Thursday of month  
**TIME:** 7:30 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** Township Hall  
**Zoning Board of Appeals**  
**DATE:** Third Wednesday of month  
**TIME:** 7:30 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** Township Hall  
**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

## Senior Events

### SENIOR COMMUNITY CENTER

**LOCATION:** 303 W. Main St.  
**CONTACT:** (248) 349-4140  
**Thursday**  
 8 a.m.: Walking Club  
 9 a.m. **TOPS; Massage by appt.**  
 10:30 a.m.: Yoga  
 11 a.m.: Cribbage  
 Noon: Walking Club  
 12:30 p.m.: Pinochle  
**Friday**  
 8 a.m.: Walking Club  
 11 a.m.: Poker  
 11:30 a.m.: Walking Club  
 Noon: Walking Club  
 1 p.m.: Movie  
**Monday**  
 8 a.m.: Walking Club  
 9:30 a.m.: Mah Jongg  
 10 a.m.: Beginning Line Dance; Oxyise  
 11 a.m.: Adv. Line Dance  
 Noon: Walking Club  
 12:30 p.m.: Pinochle/Euchre  
 7:15 p.m.: Tai Chi  
**Tuesday**  
 8 a.m.: Walking Club



## Annual park cleanup day a huge success

More than 50 volunteers turned out at the Bennett Arboretum and Northville Recreation area in early May for Wayne County Commissioner Laura Cox's 5th annual Park CleanUp Day. The volunteers removed invasive plant species, weeds and debris, put mulch down and planted 18 new shrubs. "It was a great turnout and we got a lot done," Commissioner Cox said. "Everybody was very enthused about making this park area better." Each volunteer received a pair of tickets to a Detroit Tigers game. Sponsors of this year's event include Busch's, Looney Baker, Joe's Produce, Wrights Hardware, Walmart, Macaroni Grill, On the Border, G. Subu's Leather Bottle and Bravo! Cucina Italiana.

10:30 a.m.: Yoga  
 11:30 a.m.: Walking Club  
 Noon: Walking Club  
 12:30 p.m.: Pinochle  
**Wednesday**  
 8 a.m.: Walking Club  
 9 a.m.: Foot Reflexology by appt.  
 10 a.m.: Oxyise  
 11 a.m.: Strength Training  
 11:30 a.m.: Walking Club  
 Noon: Bridge; Walking Club  
 1 p.m.: Cribbage  
 7 p.m.: Bridge  
**Co-ed Adult 50+ Open 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  
**Adult 50+ Fun Co-ed Volleyball**  
**TIME/DAYS:** 1-3 p.m. every Tuesday  
**LOCATION:** Recreation Center at Hillside

**DETAILS:** Games scored to 15 points with creative team rotation; \$1 per session; all skill levels welcome.  
**CONTACT:** Northville Parks and Recreation (248) 449-9947  
**Co-ed Adult 50+ Open Basketball**  
**TIME/DAY:** 10 a.m.-noon each Thursday  
**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. each Tuesday  
**Bunco**  
**TIME/DATE:** 12:30 p.m. second Thursday of each month  
**DETAILS:** Call Senior Community Center 24 hours in advance to register; \$1 per person.  
**Friday Flicks**  
**TIME:** 1 p.m. every Friday  
**DETAILS:** Cost is \$1.

## Library Lines

**NORTHVILLE DISTRICT LIBRARY**  
**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 northvillelibrary.org for information regarding programs and library materials.  
**Book Donations**  
**DETAILS:** Book donations can be dropped off any time during operating hours. Be sure to get a receipt for your taxes. Arrangements can be made by calling the library, for Friends to pick up a large donation from your home.  
**Book Celler Open**  
**TIME/DATE:** 1:30-4 p.m. Saturdays; 11 a.m.-5 p.m. and 6:30-8:30 p.m. Mondays  
**DETAILS:** There are thousands of books to choose from; hard covers for \$1, paperbacks for 50 cents.  
**Free Museum Admission**  
**DETAILS:** Get free admission to 25 area museums and cultural institutions such as the Detroit Institute of Arts, the Henry Ford, Pewabic Pottery and others, using your library card to check out a pass. Each pass is good for either two or four admissions. One pass per library card is available per week.  
**Be Creative @ the Library!**  
**DATE:** June 12-July 31  
**DETAILS:** Youth Summer Reading

Program. Exciting activities, storytimes, reading incentive games, weekly prize drawings and more! Register in person at the library to receive your activity guide starting Friday, June 12. Registration continues through July. Details at [www.northvillelibrary.org](http://www.northvillelibrary.org) Due to space limitations, summer library activities cannot accommodate preschool groups, day care groups or summer day camps.  
**Express Yourself @ Your Library!**  
**DATE:** Begins June 12  
**DETAILS:** Teen Summer Reading Program. Video gaming days featuring Rock Band, DDR and Wii games; crafts including mosaic garden stones, dirt bag heads and tie-dye T-shirts, a special after hours lock-in event based on Erin Hunter's popular "Warriors" series, reading incentive games and more. Register in person at the library starting June 12.  
**Adults Summer Reading Program Read! Relax! Enjoy!**  
**DATE:** Begins June 1.  
**DETAILS:** Please register at the library to receive your reading incentive packet to earn coffee coupons, plus enter to win gift certificates.  
**Effective Resumes**  
**TIME/DATE:** 7 p.m., Tuesday, June 9  
**Learn how to create a resume which reflects your strengths and is an effective marketing tool in your job search from Career Development Professional Martha Adamson.**

## Parks & Rec

**NORTHVILLE PARKS & RECREATION**  
**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 [northvilleparksandrec.org](http://northvilleparksandrec.org)  
**Parks and Recreation Commission**  
**DATE/TIME:** 7 p.m. second Wednesday, every other month beginning in Jan.  
**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 Web site or call. Fees are \$8 for drop-ins or \$50 for an unlimited monthly resident pass. Classes held at Hillside Recreation Center or Senior Community Center. All fitness levels welcome to partic-

ipate; certified instructors provide safe and fun workouts.  
**Open Adult Basketball**  
**TIME/DATE:** 6-9 p.m. every Sunday  
**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. every Thursday  
**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 Hillside  
**DETAILS:** Competitive style badminton available; all skill levels welcome; \$8 per player.  
**Open Pickleball**  
**TIME/DATE:** Noon-3 p.m. every Wednesday; 6-8 p.m. every Saturday  
**LOCATION:** Recreation Center at Hillside  
**DETAILS:** \$4 per player. Call (248) 449-9947 for more information.  
**Open Table Tennis**  
**TIME/DATE:** Noon-4 p.m. every Saturday  
**LOCATION:** Hillside Recreation Center, 700 W. Baseline Road  
**DETAILS:** Eight tables available; all skill levels welcome; \$5 per player.  
**Co-ed Adult 50+ Volleyball**  
**TIME/DATE:** 10 a.m.-noon every Monday, Wednesday and Friday  
**DETAILS:** \$1 per player. Bring your friends. All levels of play welcome.  
**CONTACT:** (248) 449-9947 for information.

## Golf Outings

**NORTHVILLE NEWCOMERS WINE TASTERS ANNUAL GOLF OUTING**  
**TIME/DATE:** 11:30 a.m., Saturday, June 20  
**LOCATION:** Downing Farms Golf Club  
**DETAILS:** This Golf outing is a mixed scramble - all levels are welcome to play. Teams will be balanced based on handicaps and geared for all to have fun. All Newcomers, Neighbors and Friends can join the fun.  
**CONTACT:** Joe Boelter (248) 349-1844

**ST. MARY MERCY HOSPITAL 14TH ANNUAL GOLF CLASSIC**  
**TIME/DATE:** The 18-hole scramble features two shotgun starts, one at 7:30 a.m. and an afternoon round at 1 p.m., Monday, June 22  
**LOCATION:** Meadowbrook Country Club 40941 W. Eight Mile Rd in Northville.  
**DETAILS:** Benefiting the Graduate Medical Education. Mark calendars and save the date for the 14th Annual St. Mary Mercy Hospital "Tee It Up" Golf Classic. Proceeds from the event will support the development of the St. Mary Mercy's Graduate Medical Education (GME) Program, slated to begin in July 2010. This funding will assist in providing the technology, equipment and renovation needed to become a teaching hospital and to ensure our community will receive remarkable care. The event is presented by Phillips Services Industries, Inc. Individual Par Golf Package is \$350 per person for 18 holes of golf and a cart. The packages includes beverages and refreshments at the turn; breakfast and lunch for morning golfers and the afternoon golfers will receive lunch prior to golf, followed by cocktails and dinner after the turn around. There will be a Raffle drawing for a weekend stay at The Grand Hotel on Mackinac Island for 1st prize and a gold diamond circle pendant necklace for 2nd prize. There will also be an auction featuring sports memorabilia and leisure items. The outing fills up quickly, so please call early. Corporate and individual sponsorships are still available, and in-kind auction items are being accepted.  
**CONTACT:** For more information or to register, call the St. Mary Hospital Foundation, (734) 655-2980, or visit our website at [www.stmarymercy.org](http://www.stmarymercy.org). For more information on the venue visit [www.meadowbrookcountryclub.com](http://www.meadowbrookcountryclub.com).

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## Looking for great homes

American Association of University Women Northville - Novi is looking for a few great Northville homes to feature in its 14th AAUW Home Tour. A highlight of the Northville Victorian Festival, the tour will be held from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Sept. 19.

Typically homes featured are widely different in architecture and interior design, span three centuries of construction and reflect how families have adapted to 21st century living in a community with a Victorian village at its heart. Some feature attractions, to be announced later, are being added to the tour this year.

The home tour is the signature fund raising event of AAUW which directs its support to advance education in the local, national and international community. One of the ongoing local commitments is annual scholarship contributions to Schoolcraft and Oakland County Community College in addition to

established endowments.

If you would like to discuss having your home on the AAUW Home Tour 2009 or would like to be a Home Tour volunteer, contact event Chair Dianne McCulloch at northvilleni@aauw@yahoo.com.

## Art in Bloom

Take part in the growing cultural scene downtown as the The Northville Art House presents an all-media juried Floral Arts Show. Visitors will enjoy a unique and beautiful arrangement of mixed-media Floral Art created by local and regional artists. Exhibit will open with an artist reception on July 3, as well as be a special stop on the Country Garden Club Of Northville's Annual Garden Walk on July 8.

Deadline for submissions is June 15. For more information, contact Ellen Bennett at info@northvillearts.org or (248) 344-0497.

## Talent show finals

The finals of Northville's First

Annual "Talent for the Title" competition will take place at 6 p.m. tomorrow at Town Square on East Main Street.

The competition received an overwhelming response of audition tapes from across Michigan. Invitations were sent out to more than 80 performers to participate in the second round of judging, which took place last Thursday and Friday.

Twenty eight tickets to the finals were presented at the end of the evening's performances.

Tomorrow night's finals are free and open to the public. Emcee for the event will be radio personality Matt Watroba. The audience will also be involved in selecting the overall winner. Gail & Rice productions will provide a wireless audience response system.

The first 200 audience members to purchase a ballot at the finals will receive a handheld, electronic keypad that will allow them to cast their vote for their favorite performer.

The audience's score will be added

to the judges' scores to determine who will be named the grand prize winner.

The competition will take place at Northville Square at Wing and Main streets if it rains.

## Rumplestiltskin auditions

The Marquis Theatre will be holding auditions for "Rumplestiltskin" at 5 p.m. on Saturday. Children ages 8-16 will be asked to sing "Do Re Mi" from "The Sound of Music" and read a poem or monologue, no longer than 90 seconds (does not have to be memorized).

The theater is located at 135 E. Main Street. Phone (248) 349-8110 for more information.

## Hike for Hope

Join the New Hope Center for Grief Support's Hike for Hope from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturday, June 6 at Maybury State Park (Eight Mile entrance, one mile west of Beck Road, car fee of \$6), 20145 Beck Road, Northville, for a fun-filled

family time walking or running and remembering our loved ones. A registration fee of \$15 per person or \$25 per family will be charged prior to the event and \$20 per person or \$30 per family the day of the event; donations from sponsors can be obtained by walkers. Registration is from 9-9:45 a.m. The hike will be followed by a "Time of Remembrance"; complimentary pre-race "fueling" of fruit, bagels, and juices.

New Hope Center for Grief Support is a Christian-based bereavement outreach center located in Northville. The non-profit agency provides grief support services for adults, children, and teens through groups, seminars and other resources. All groups offered by New Hope Center are provided free of charge and the agency relies on individual and community support for its funding.

For more information about Hike for Hope or to participate, volunteer, or be a business sponsor, please call the New Hope office at (248) 348-0115 or visit [www.newhopecenter.net](http://www.newhopecenter.net).

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# TEE TIME

Your local golf guide



## The U.S. Open 2009 is June 15-21

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## The rules of replacing and repairing damaged clubs

By Jeannie Myers

Everyone seems to know that a player may not start a round with more than 14 clubs. However, there is some confusion about when a club may be replaced during the round.

Rule 4-3 says that, "If, during a stipulated round, a player's club is damaged in the normal course of play, he may use it in its damaged state for the remainder of the round, without delaying play, repair it or have it repaired, or if the club has become unfit for play, he may replace it."

The replacement may not unduly delay play and the player may not borrow any club from any other person playing on the course.

This leads us to two definitions. What constitutes "normal course of play?" Obviously it includes making a

stroke or practice swing, but also includes removing or replacing a club in the bag, using a club to search for a ball, leaning on it while waiting to play and accidentally dropping it. Normal course of play does not include throwing the club in anger, slamming it into the bag or intentionally striking something with the club.

Normal course of play does include using a club as a cane while climbing a hill, because that is considered a reasonable act. However, a club that breaks because the player has a habit of hitting the head of the club on the ground while walking to the next tee has not been broken in the normal course of play and may not be replaced.

Notice that the only time you can replace a club is when it has become unfit for play in the normal course of play. It has become "unfit" if it is substantially damaged, e.g., the shaft is dented, bent or broken, or the club head

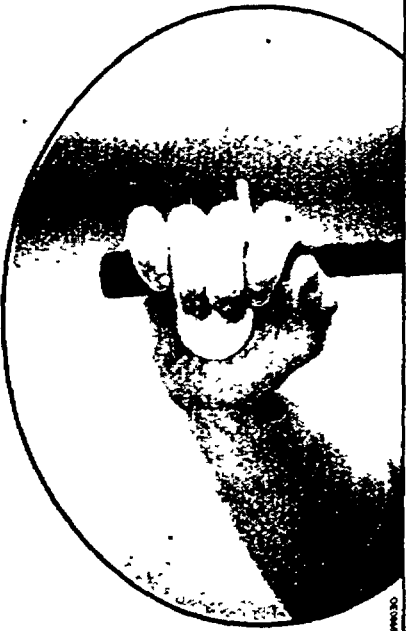
has become loose, detached or deformed, or the grip has become loose. You may not replace clubs just because the grips have become wet. If the shaft of a player's club has become bent in the normal course of play, he has the right to try to repair it. If in the course of bending it back into its original shape, the player snaps the shaft in pieces, he may replace the club. A player may replace a club which has become unfit for play while practicing on the range during a suspension of play. And, in equity, a player may replace clubs that have become unfit because, while lying on the ground, they were damaged by a maintenance vehicle or a golf cart. For those of you who may become involved in a stroke play play-off, please notice that the play-off constitutes a new round, and you may replace any club, even it had been broken in anger.

A lost club may not be replaced

because it has not become "unfit for play" during the normal course of play. And a player may not replace a club by borrowing one from another player playing on the course.

If a player does damage a club other than in the normal course of play, so that it is non-conforming or its playing characteristics have changed, it may not be subsequently used or replaced during the round. The penalty for using or replacing it is disqualification. Such is the unhappy fate of a player who misses a short putt, bangs the putter head on his shoe bending the neck of the putter, and then taps in the one inch putt with the damaged club.

Jeannie Myers is currently an Assistant Tournament Director for the Golf Association of Michigan and also served as the Chairman of the USGA Women's Committee and is a past President of the GAM.



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6.95 Lunch or Dinner

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Rock Shrimp and Potato Gnocchi Saute  
Tomato Coulis, Spinach and Asiago  
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Stuffed Shrimp with  
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Rice Pilaf, Fresh Vegetable, Roasted Red Pepper  
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Baked Atlantic Salmon  
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**Great Lakes Perch Sauté**  
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**Pan-Seared Sea Scallops Carbonara**

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A member of the class of 2009 at his commencement exercise.



Devon Moyer receives her diploma last Saturday.

# Con- -ulations



Mustang graduate Kevin Paree gives principal Rob Watson a big bear hug after getting his diploma last Saturday night during Northville High's commencement ceremony at Compuware Arena.



Northville High graduates applaud their fellow classmates.



Northville High School graduate Russel Kerr.



Northville High graduate of the class of 2009 Brandi Kiel.



Northville High School's class of 2009's officers stand on the dais during last Saturday's commencement exercise at Compuware Arena.



A Northville Mustang waves to a friend at the start of last Saturday's commencement exercise.

Northville Record Staff photos by John Heider



One of the nearly five hundred Northville High students of the class of 2009 receives his diploma last Saturday night.

# TOP 10 NORTHVILLE HS STUDENTS — 2009



**Name:** Aarti Kamat  
**Parents:** Ambika Mathur And Deepak Kamat  
**Siblings/ages:** Amol, 18  
**Extra-curricular Activities:** Quiz Bowl Captain, Science Olympiad Senior Council Member, Knowledge Masters Open Captain, Tennis, Indian Dance, National Honor Society  
**Academic Honors:** National Merit Finalist, National Society Of High School Scholars, Ap Scholar With Distinction.  
**Most Memorable High School Moment:** Winning First Place With My Brother In Our Last Science Olympiad Event Ever.  
**Post-graduation Plans:** Dartmouth College  
**Career Plans:** Medicine  
**Who Has Influenced You The Most In Your Academic Career & How:** My Mother, Ambika Mathur. She Has Always Pushed Me To Do My Best, Supported Me In My Moments Of Need, And Loved Me Unconditionally. Her Intelligence, Work Ethic And Confidence Are Truly Inspirational.  
**Score:** 1987.5



**Name:** Savannah Sisk  
**Parents:** Thomas And Janet Sisk  
**Siblings/ages:** Elizabeth Sisk, Age 20  
**Extra-curricular Activities:** Students Against Destructive Decisions, Debate/forensics Team, National Honor Society, Spanish Honor Society, Girl Talk.  
**Academic Honors:** National Merit Finalist, 2008 Ncte Achievement Award In Writing, Academic Letter-high Honor Roll, Department Awards In English, Math, Science, Spanish  
**Most Memorable High School Moment:** I Especially Enjoyed Traveling To Appleton, Wis. With My Mom And Mrs. Krczyk For The National Forensics Competition. I Loved Meeting So Many Different Teens From Across The Country.  
**Post-graduation Plans:** University Of Michigan  
**Career Plans:** Undecided, But Considering Education And Anthropology.  
**Who Has Influenced You The Most In Your Academic Career & How:** Mrs. Brandy Walters. Not Only Did I Spend Over A Week With Her In Costa Rica And Panama For A Spanish Trip In 2008, She Has Been My Seminar Teacher For Three Years. She Encourages Me When I Am Upset Of Stressed And She Helps Me See My Gifts And Who I Can Become. Academically, Mrs. Walters Cultivated My Love For Spanish.  
**Score:** 1972.265



**Name:** Yonglu Che  
**Parents:** Chundao Che, Chunhui Mei  
**Siblings/ages:** Yongwei Che, 6 Years  
**Extra-curricular Activities:** All State Jazz Band, Wayne State Jazz All Stars, Northville Jazz Ensemble I, Cross Country, Science Olympiad, Symphonic Band, Marching Band, National Honor Society.  
**Academic Honors:** Michigan Math Prize, Usa Physics Olympiad Quarter-finalist, Chemistry Olympiad Runner Up, Aime Qualifier.  
**Most Memorable High School Moment:** Mr. Schembri Greeting Me As I Walk In To First Hour 10 Minutes Late "yonglu Is Yong-late."  
**Post-graduation Plans:** Yale University  
**Career Plans:** Medicine  
**Who Has Influenced You The Most In Your Academic Career & How:** Mr. Ortopan. He Is The Only Teacher To Know Me Well Over All Four Years, And I Know That I Can Always Rely On A Certain Degree Of Perspective In His Advice.  
**Score:** 1970.265



**Name:** Emea Ta  
**Parents:** Bac Ta, Pei-ching Tzeng  
**Siblings/ages:** Aaron Ta, 14  
**Extra-curricular Activities:** Captain Of Nhs Color Guard, Officer Of Spanish Club, Member Of National Honor Society, Member Of Spanish Honor Society, Art Class Teaching Assistant, Northville Parks And Rec Ski Club.  
**Academic Honors:** National Merit Scholarship Finalist, Department Awards: Spanish, Science, And Mathematics  
**Most Memorable High School Moment:** Having Fun With Friends And Cheering For Northville At My First High School Football Game.  
**Post-graduation Plans:** University Of Michigan - Wait Listed At University Of Pennsylvania, Wharton School  
**Career Plans:** Undecided  
**Who Has Influenced You The Most In Your Academic Career & How:** Mr. Dent Practically Knows Everything About Everything When It Come To History And Current Events. I Love His Humor And Storytelling. He Inspires Me To See Academics As A Wealth Of Knowledge Accumulated Over A Lifetime Of Reading And Experiences.  
**Score:** 1968.75



**Name:** Amol Kamat  
**Parents:** Ambika Mathur And Deepak Kamat  
**Siblings/ages:** Aarti Kamat, Sister  
**Extra-curricular Activities:** Quiz Bowl, Science Olympiad, Varsity Tennis, Knowledge Master Open.  
**Academic Honors:** National Merit Scholarship Recipient, National Society Of High School Scholars, Who's Who Among High School Students, Kila Student-athlete.  
**Most Memorable High School Moment:** Watching "numb3rs" And Having A Waffle Party In Ap Calc Last Year.  
**Post-graduation Plans:** Caltech - Majoring In Premed  
**Career Plans:** Medicine  
**Who Has Influenced You The Most In Your Academic Career & How:** My Dogs, Because They Glare At Me When I Don't Study. Also, My Mom For Largely The Same Reason.  
**Score:** 1963



**Name:** Armen Changelian  
**Parents:** Paul And Diane Changelian  
**Siblings/ages:** Brother Haig, 15 And Sister Tamar, 11  
**Extra-curricular Activities:** National Honor Society, Cross-country Captain, Armenian Youth Federation, French Honor Society  
**Academic Honors:** National Merit Finalist, Academic Letter, National French Test Semi-finalist  
**Most Memorable High School Moment:** Showing My Northwestern University Acceptance Letter To My Parents. I Think It Was A Type Of Reward And Validation For All The Support And Guidance They Had Offered Me Over The Years  
**Post-graduation Plans:** Attend Northwestern University In The Fall.  
**Career Plans:** Attend Medical School, Become A Physician.  
**Who Has Influenced You The Most In Your Academic Career & How:** My Parents. For As Long As I Can Remember, I Have Had The Ability To Work Hard And Independently, And I Know My Parents Must Have Been The Primary Figures In Instilling This Quality Throughout My Life.  
**Score:** 1948.265



**Name:** Joshua Buoy  
**Parents:** Randy And Patti Buoy  
**Siblings/ages:** Jacob, 13  
**Extra-curricular Activities:** Class Of 2009, President, National Honor Society - Vice President, Nhs Choir, Nhs Band Drum Major, Backbeat Captain, Prayer Baptist Church Choral Director.  
**Academic Honors:** National Merit Finalist, Social Studies, Spanish, Math, Band, English Departmental Awards  
**Most Memorable High School Moment:** Unveiling The Senior Class "Ferris Bueller" Float At The Homecoming Parade  
**Post-graduation Plans:** University Of Michigan  
**Career Plans:** Political Science  
**Who Has Influenced You The Most In Your Academic Career & How:** My Parents And Mr. Cronin. They Have Provided Me With Unwavering Encouragement Throughout High School And Have Motivated Me To Achieve Things I Had Once Thought Impossible.  
**Score:** 1944.486



**Name:** Chelsea Glenn  
**Parents:** Rose And Todd Glenn  
**Siblings/ages:** Trevor Glenn, 13  
**Extra-curricular Activities:** Editor Of The Literary Magazine, Saddle, Rotary Interact, Food Gatherers Volunteer  
**Academic Honors:** National Merit Finalist, Department Awards - English, Foreign Language, Social Studies, Math Science  
**Most Memorable High School Moment:** 2008 Panama To Costa Rica Trip With The Spanish Department  
**Post-graduation Plans:** Northwestern University  
**Career Plans:** Undecided  
**Who Has Influenced You The Most In Your Academic Career & How:** Ms. Rohde. She Taught Me To Truly Love To Learn, To Push Myself To Grow And Expand, To Always Keep An Open Mind.  
**Score:** 1944.486



**Name:** Andrea Taverna  
**Parents:** Jennifer Taverna  
**Siblings/ages:** Joseph Taverna  
**Extra-curricular Activities:** Assistant Editor Literary Magazine, Work At Jimmy John's  
**Most Memorable High School Moment:** Attempting To Road Trip To Indiana With My Friends In The Middle Of A Snow Storm.  
**Post-graduation Plans:** University Of Michigan - Ann Arbor  
**Career Plans:** Translator - Romance Languages  
**Who Has Influenced You The Most In Your Academic Career & How:** My Brother - By Putting Things In Perspective When The Man Gets Me Down.  
**Score:** 1942.486



**Name:** Jimmy Li  
**Parents:** Zongbao Li And Dongying Shi  
**Siblings/ages:** None  
**Extra-curricular Activities:** Science Olympiad Time, Northville Young Democrats Club, Quiz Bowl, National Honor Society, Ultimate Frisbee Team, Freshman Soccer Team.  
**Academic Honors:** Usa National Chemistry Olympiad Finalist, Usa Biology Olympiad Semi-finalist, Usa Physics Olympiad Quarter-finalist, Level 10 Certificate Of Achievement In Piano, Michigan Music Teachers Association, National Ap Scholar, National Merit Finalist.  
**Most Memorable High School Moment:** Getting My First Job Ever At Henry Ford Hospital As A Research Student.  
**Post-graduation Plans:** Attending The University Of Michigan, Ann Arbor Seeking A Bachelor Of Science Degree In Biophysics.  
**Career Plans:** Physician-scientist Or Biomedical Engineer.  
**Who Has Influenced You The Most In Your Academic Career & How:** John Zhou, A Current Undergrad At Harvard University. His Outstanding Accomplishments In Academics, Extracurricular, And Community Service Underlined A Student's Capacity To Succeed As Well As The Various Opportunities Available To Him Or Her. John Inspired Me To Achieve More. A Part Of My Self-motivation Stems From Seeing What He Has Done. He Was A Friend, Mentor And Teacher To Me.  
**Score:** 1934.486

## HOW THE RANKING IS DETERMINED

The following formulas are used to figure out the Top 10 Northville High School students:

1. GPA (Convert to a 4.0 scale - 7 semesters). Include only mathematics, English, science, social science and foreign language. Round GPA to three decimals then multiply by 250.

2. Combine either SAT (composite score divided by 1.6) or ACT (composite score multiplied by 27.779).

3. Total score is the GPA + SAT or GPA + ACT.



# Northville High School class of 2009

Sara Hisham Abou-Hamdan  
Sara Abraham  
Jessica Megan Accardo  
Quintin Jeffrey Adam  
Abdul-Latif Gbolahan Alashe  
Hasenai Rajid Al-Kharsan  
Nicole Kathleen Altman  
Jillian Marie Alumbaugh  
Daniel Michael Amatucci  
Stacy Lynn Anderson  
Aarshi Arab  
Kaitlyn Nicole Archer  
Adam Michael Arevalo  
Meagan Joyce Armstrong  
Alec Weston Arthur  
Mary Kate Ashcraft  
Anas Musa Atallah  
Jamilah Juliet Atallah  
Jake Atkinson  
Yusef H. Altalla  
Chelsea Nichole Atzinger  
Erin Nicole Azzwers  
Amy Victoria Baditoi  
Alissa Lauren Bailey  
Kaiser Danyar Balaporia  
Evan Carl Barbone  
Kevin Robert Bartz  
Kelsey Lynn Baskins  
Kristopher Michael Baumgardner  
Alexander Lee Belanger  
Antonio David Benavides  
Jeffrey Arthur Bennett  
Thomas James Bennett  
Courtney Lynn Benoit  
Jack Baker Bentley  
Kendall Elizabeth Biek  
Sarah Lynn Bielskis  
Alexas Marieene Bihn  
Anna Victoria Billings  
Courtney Colleen Bishop  
Chad Colin Black  
Joshua Michael Bloom  
Lindsay Elizabeth Bohn  
Maria Irene Bojanowski  
Corey Steven Booms  
Eric Robert Borgstrom  
Anthony Ryan Bowen  
Jenna Joanne Boyd  
Andrew Robert Bray  
Kyle Douglas Breault  
Patrick John Brennan  
Alexander Bruce Brewin  
Kelly Lynn Bridge  
Aaron Todd Brown  
David Lawrence Brown  
Steven James Brown  
Taylor Alexandra Lundell Brown  
Emmet Paul Browne  
Crystal Irene Bruns  
Michael James Burek  
Joshua Brannon Buoy  
Cameron James Burdette  
Bridgette Benita Burgett  
Jennifer Erin Burke  
Elizabeth Elise Cairns  
Ashley Elizabeth Carley  
Emily Catherine Carroll  
Ian James Cartmill  
Natalie Ann Casey

Jennifer Lynn Catalano  
Ursula Irena Cauffiel  
Rebecca Leigh Champagne  
Armen Nishan Changelian  
Samantha Lynn Chapman  
Yonglu Che  
Joy Vanessa Chen  
Shawwen Chen  
Anastasia Rae Childers  
Su Yang Choi  
Lindsey Marie Christiansen  
Christopher Lazar Circ  
Morgan Leigh Cipak  
Joseph P. Clifton  
Adrienne Jennie Cohen  
Alan Matthew Cole  
Danielle Nicole Collareno  
Jonathan Michael Collareno  
Christine Lee Collieran  
James Brinkley Cooke  
Kayla Jo Copsey  
Alison Nadezda Cornelius  
Daniel Patrick Courtney  
Nik Hunter Cousins  
Kelsey Marie Craig  
Justin Ryan Crawford  
Drew Ryan Currie  
Samantha Marie Curry  
Marissa Haina D'Agostino  
Jonathan Michael Dalton  
Jarrod Michael Davi  
Anna-Marie Kathleen Davidson  
Shelby Belle Davis  
Julie Cathryn Davison  
Hannah Christine Deacon  
Matthew Robert Deacon  
Jenna Anne Dehne  
Ashley J. Dellock  
Matthew Elington Dembicki  
Mara Christina DeMuro  
Nicolas Joseph Gufowski  
Sean Robert Hadley  
Kelly Jean Dobrowski  
Jeanette Elizabeth Dolmetsch  
Ryan Matthew Donahue  
John Michael Donikian II  
Laura Katherine Donofrio  
Christopher Daniel Donohue  
Bailey Anne Doolittle  
Louis Martin Dorantes  
Samantha Kaye Doud  
Daniela Mirella Drury  
John J. Dunn III  
Brian Thomas Earle  
Donald J. Ebben  
Adam Scott Edson  
Molly Louise Eley  
Allison Mary Elias  
Jordan P. Emerson  
Kelly Marie Englert  
Mason Oscar Falk  
Callie Katina Fefopoulos  
Christine Ashley Fehner  
Colleen Elizabeth Ferguson  
Carl Michael Ferrario  
Raven Nicole Fields  
Lee Daniel Finch  
Zachary James Firrit  
Alexi Kathryn Fisher  
Kevin Michael Fisher  
Kelsey May Floyd  
Christopher Manley Flynn

Molly Rebecca Flynn  
Kara Ann Folas  
Kelli Anne Ford  
Sarah Lynn Forsthoefel  
Elizabeth Marie Foucher  
Jessica Marie Freeman  
Katherine Marie Frimken  
Arianne Elise Frink  
Adam James Fuhrman  
Mikki Fujimori  
Steven T. Gajdos  
Robert Michael Gallagher  
Phiomela Gan  
Aditya Anand Gangadharan  
Johnson Gao  
Miguel Everardo Garcia  
Tianna Sabah Garland  
Rawan Aida Garmo  
Wesley Clinton Gates  
Ryan Andrew Gerbick  
Ellen Marie Gessert  
Alex Tyler Ginnard  
Andrew Miles Ginnard  
Erik James Ginnard  
Jeffrey Kevin Girbach  
Meghan Marie Gleeson  
Elizabeth Audrey Keenan  
Kathryn Ann Gorsuch  
Blake Edward Govan  
Abby Ann Grajek  
David Charles Grassley  
Zachary Arno Greenman  
Elizabeth Eleanor Gregory  
Rachel Jane Gubobba  
Genna Grace Gungl Guibord  
Nicolas Shaw Guma  
Whitney Victoria Gusla  
Barbara Jane Gutmann  
Brandon Joseph Gufowski  
Sean Robert Hadley  
Matthew James Hagan  
Michael Paul Hagan  
Stephanie Lynn Hamel  
Farah Jae Haraji  
Patrick Alan Harmon  
Jacqueline Mary Harris  
Edgar William Harrison III  
Kevin Robert Hartshorne  
Dale Andrew Hartzog  
Joannis-John Andreas Hatzis  
Lisa Marie Haverkate  
Evan David Havisch  
Erich Andrew Heise  
Lauren Ann Helvenston  
Brittney Marie Henkel  
Kelley Ann Hill  
Joseph Robert Hurka  
Kyle Nathan Hnatik  
Christian Ho  
Steven Colin Hoelscher  
Kayla Marie Hogan  
Chelsea Rebecca Hooper  
Tyler Thomas Hooper  
Olivia Grace Hornshaw  
Nathan Zachary Hrimak  
Scott Phillip Hudson  
Erin Elizabeth Hughes  
Jennifer Hur  
Brittany Ellen Ilbeck  
Nicolas Alexander

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Matthew Frank Kreager  
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Michael Anthony LaCivita  
Andrew Paul Lamoureux  
Sean Michael Larabell  
Cena Joyce Larsen  
Tabitha Lachelle Lawrence  
Emily Ann Leary  
Michael Edward Leja  
Timothy James Lentine  
Kyle Thomas Letourneau  
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Katherine J. Li  
Ryan Michael Liening  
Richard Allen Linderman  
Kelley Marie Logan  
Christopher William Long  
Jessica Paige Lopez  
Nathaniel John Love  
Mary Ann Michelle Lowery

Kelly Alice Lysaght  
Richard Samuel Mackie  
Eric Peter Maisie  
Nader Shaker Makki  
Andrew Keith Malkowski  
Alexander Clayton Malboure  
Lauren Marie Mancia  
Danielle Ariana Manley  
Stephen Timothy Manney  
Michael Anthony Mansouri  
Christopher Dale Mantay  
Kevin Gordon Mantay  
Adriana Anoush Mardigian  
Colin Edward Mareh  
Alexander Joseph Nicolae  
Marilley  
Sarah Elizabeth Helen Marilley  
Kathy Elizabeth Markatos  
Sarah Marie Marker  
Bianca Nicole Marras  
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#### WEDNESDAY June 17

4:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Amusement Rides  
4:00 p.m. Boogie Bodies  
TBD (2 performances) Circus  
6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Matto Concert  
10:00 p.m. - 11:30 p.m. Stardust Theatre Rentals  
Presents H.E.R.O. Movie Night "Twilight"

#### THURSDAY June 18

2:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m. Amusement Rides  
2:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Petting Zoo  
2:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Boogie Bodies  
2:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Kid's Day  
2:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Arts & Crafts  
2:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Business Expo  
2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Hannah Montana  
3:00 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. Look-Alike Concert  
3:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. TLT Performers  
TBD (3 performances) Marilyn Marie Concert  
5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Circus  
7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. Jumpin' Allstars  
10:00 p.m. S.O.S. Band Concert  
10:30 p.m. - 12:00 a.m. Laser Light Show  
Stardust Theatre Rentals  
Presents H.E.R.O. Movie Night "Mall Cop"

#### FRIDAY June 19

2:00 p.m. - 12:00 a.m. Amusement Rides  
2:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Caricatures by Mary Rochelle  
2:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Carriage Rides  
2:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Petting Zoo  
2:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Boogie Bodies  
2:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Arts & Crafts  
2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Business Expo  
TBD (3 performances) Buddy Box Flying  
5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Circus  
7:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Fiddlers  
8:30 p.m. - 10:30 p.m. Restrung Performance  
8:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Irish Pub Act  
10:00 p.m. Midnight Special Concert (West Park)  
Fireworks / Laser Light Show

#### SATURDAY June 20

8:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Poker Run  
10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Classic Car Show  
11:00 a.m. - Midnight Amusement Rides  
TBD (3 performances) Circus  
12:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Carriage Rides  
12:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Arts & Crafts  
12:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Business Expo  
11:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. Petting Zoo  
2:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. Spotlight Dance  
2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Talent Show  
1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Buddy Box Flying  
12:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Oldies Du'Wap / Car Show Entertainment  
2:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Boogie Bodies  
6:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. April Gibson  
8:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m. Country Concert  
8:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Midnight Special Concert (West Park)  
10:00 p.m. Karen Newman / Steve Aho Concert  
Fireworks / Laser Show

#### SUNDAY June 21

8:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m. Pancake Breakfast  
11:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Mystic Lotus Dancers  
12:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Carriage Rides  
12:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Amusement Rides  
12:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Petting Zoo  
12:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. Boogie Bodies  
12:00 p.m. - 12:30 p.m. Mystic Lotus Dancers  
TBD (3 performances) Circus  
1:00 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. Bagpipe Performance  
2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. Veteran's Tribute  
2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Concert Dan 'Ree  
4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Father-of-the-Year Contest  
5:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. Grandfather-of-the-Year Contest  
Mystic Lotus Dancers

# From Our Lady of Victory to valedictorians

■ Trio of former students tops at each of their high schools

BY NATHAN MENOIAN  
SPECIAL WRITER

Three former classmates at Our Lady of Victory (OLV) — Daniel McAree, Rebecca Guerriero and Stephen LaRouere — all agree it was hard work, not luck or coincidence that allowed them each to be selected as 2009 high school class valedictorians.

Paula Nemeth, new principal of OLV, said she was very proud and excited to hear of the former student's accomplishments.

"We have a very strong academic and spiritual program. We not only share knowledge, it is our goal to guide our students in developing life skills such as perseverance, hard work, study skills, commitment, and compassion. We expect our students to perform at their best at all times," she said.

Nemeth added that it is students like these that help keep the school focused on continuing to grow and provide quality academic and spiritual programs and opportunities.

## REBECCA GUERRIERO

Rebecca Guerriero attended the all-girl Mercy High School in Farmington, and chose to talk about the influence of all the friendships made during high school as part of her valedictorian speech.

"It's something you never forget, and will always have with you," she said. "Passion in what you do with your life, and not letting anything limit you is part of what I believe."

She was one of 15 students who earned a 3.95 GPA or higher during high school. They met with the principal and assistant principal to talk about their goals and inspirations, activities, volunteer work, and class load. After talking with teachers and other students for more input, the principals selected one class valedictorian and a salutatorian.

"I have four varsity letters: ice hockey, golf, forensics and Quiz Bowl," said Guerriero, who also wrote for the school newspaper. I'll be attending University of Michigan honors program this fall."

Special high school memories for Guerriero include her friends, the good food, movies, and the school uniforms

they wore.

The strongest memory she'll take with her is "Carpe Diem" the school's motto. Seize the day! A motto she says sums up her philosophy of life.

"I can't say enough about my parents, Debra and Tim. Dad challenges me to think a little harder and stand up for what I believe in. Mom says go ahead and enjoy yourself, and the word 'doubt' is not in my vocabulary," Guerriero said. "I have two brothers, Ben and Nicolas."

She remembers her days at OLV and said there were 30 (plus or minus) students in her class. The school, she said, helped instill wanting to learn and to like books.

"Mercy made me comfortable learning," she said. "During my time here, I also was secretary general MUN (Model United Nations). We do what they do as far as economic committees, and all students are delegates representing a country."

Politics, sports, writing, speaking, and even drama costuming has been part of her life the past four years. Guerriero said she looks forward to the next four years of learning.

## STEPHEN LAROUERE

Stephen LaRouere spoke to his graduating class at Catholic Central last month, reminding them of the great resources they received there in order to succeed in the future.

"Teach me goodness, discipline, and knowledge" is the school's motto. LaRouere said. "I know our four years of high school helped us develop that skill."

LaRouere graduated with a 4.55 GPA. He will be attending Columbia University in New York, and will major in economics.

He was on the varsity golf team all four years, and was selected team captain for the past two years. He also was student council co-president of the junior class, and sophomore class president.

"Going to Catholic Central was great. I met a lot of nice people there and many will be friends of mine for life," he said.

Another accomplishment he is proud of was becoming an Academic All-American while in high school.

He took time to mention he likes comedy movies, rap and alternative music, some country, and says crab and shrimp



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Stephen LaRouere (Catholic Central), Rebecca Guerriero (Mercy High School) and Daniel McAree (University of Detroit Jesuit High School) were each named valedictorian at their respective high schools -- and each graduated from Our Lady of Victory in Northville in 2005.

are his favorite foods.

"My older sister showed me what I needed to be successful in school," he said. "Be committed, know who you are, and buckle down and study hard. I want to be a role model to my younger sister, so that if she ever looks at my decisions in life, she'll know what is best to do."

## DANIEL MCAREE

Daniel McAree graduated from University of Detroit Jesuit High School, and was selected as one of six valedictorians from the graduating senior class. It's an all-male school.

McAree graduated with a 4.2 GPA, possible with advance placement and honors classes. A total of six graduates among the graduating class had A's all four years. They were asked to write a speech, but only one would be selected for presentation. McAree's was not chosen, but he was still a class valedictorian.

"It was definitely a lot of hard work there, but I buckled down and met the challenges," McAree said. "I'm truly better for it."

He played up to three sports in a year, including hockey and soccer. The tough part in participating in more than one sport, he said, was balancing practices and homework.

McAree plans on attending Michigan State University and becoming an osteopathic doctor. He credits his parents for a

great upbringing and is close to his older and younger sisters.

McAree stated his favorite things in live, choosing carefully: fettuccine alfredo, hockey, soccer, baseball, hip-hop music (at least for now), the Detroit Tigers and the Red Wings.

From his days at OLV, McAree recalls his K-8 classmates as a group of hard working students. He graduated OLV in 2005.

"What I'll remember most from high school is playing varsity hockey, especially because our team this year had 18 victories, the most the school has ever posted," he said. "I played center and also scored a few goals."

Aside from the sporting memories, McAree said the school's motto, "Men for Others," is something he will carry with him through life.

"Living for (others), and putting others first is something that will help me as I go through college and beyond," he said. "In high school you do what others tell you, but college is your own initiative."

Even though college life is more demanding than high school, McAree said that the college culture at MSU wouldn't define him, but rather he will form his own path and stay true to his values.

Nathan Menoian is a freelance writer living in Milford.

## Garrett Quick receives ROTC scholarship to Notre Dame

Garrett Quick will be moving to South Bend, Ind. later this summer to start college at Notre Dame. The Northville resident received a full scholarship through Reserve Officers Training Corp (ROTC).



Garrett Quick

The scholarship covers tuition, books, and lab fees. Quick graduated from Catholic Central last month, and was a former student at Our Lady of Victory.

His parents, Chris and Geraldyn, have lived in

Northville the past 17 years. He has two sisters, Brett and Bryce, and a brother, Chad.

Quick plans on becoming a civil engineer, and eventually hopes to join the Army Corp of Engineers.

He got the phone call three months ago informing him that he been selected. Quick had all of the paperwork submitted earlier this year in January.

"I was quite excited to get the phone call informing me that I had been granted a scholarship," Quick said. "I learned about the ROTC scholarship program during a junior varsity academic awards banquet last year at school."

"I had the option of which school to apply the scholarship to -- Michigan Tech, Purdue, or Notre Dame."

Attending Notre Dame with Quick will be his friend Dan Courtney, also an OLV student and a graduate of Catholic Central.

Quick, who will turn 18 in July, listed some of his favorite things: James Bond movies, salads and rock music. He also is a Boy Scout, and is working on becoming an Eagle Scout.

The scholarship requires a four-year army commitment. His ROTC weekly training, though rigorous, will not interfere with his college classes. His check-in date at Notre Dame is August 17.

By Nathan Menoian

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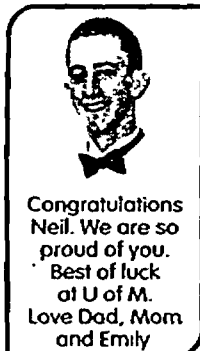
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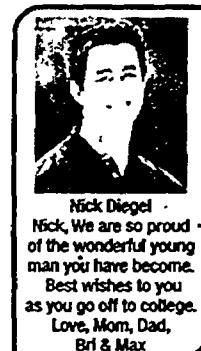
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The class of 2009 stands during the playing of the National Anthem.



Class Treasurer Greg Taylor speaks at commencement.



A Northville High School graduate of the class of 2009 listens to a speaker during last Saturday's commencement.



Courtney Benoit gets a hug from principal Rob Watson after getting her diploma.



Michael Hagan gets a congratulatory handshake from teacher Ron Meteyer during last Saturday's Northville High commencement.



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A few couples pose for a photo after exiting their limo at last week's Northville prom.

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A couple of friends greet each other at the start of last week's prom.

# Rolling out the red carpet for prom 2009



Northville High School prom-goers wait to enter the Rock Financial Showplace.



Northville High School prom attendees wait to go into their dinner during their event last Friday.



Junior Rebecca Lis and her date senior Ian Cartmill enter last Friday night's Northville High School prom.



Northville High School prom attendees move up the red carpet.



Northville High School students arrive to their 2009 prom last Friday night.

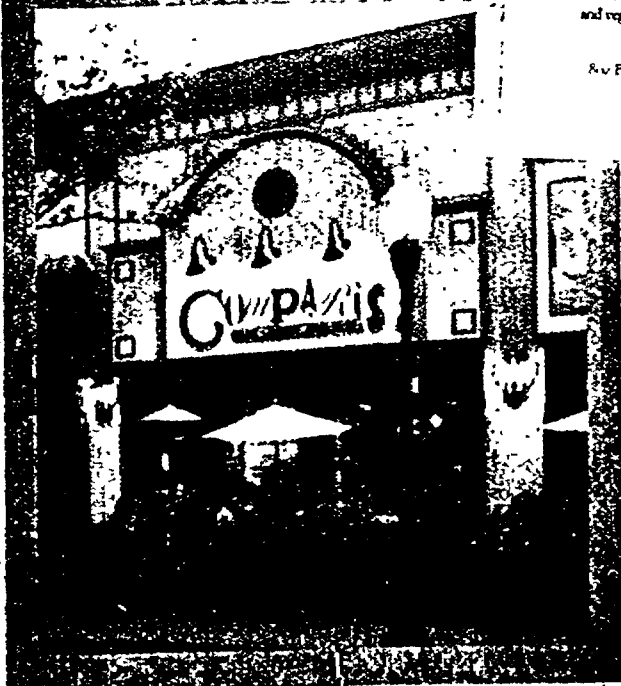




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#### HOUSE MADE WILD MUSHROOM RAVIOLI

Topped with a Mozzarella and Pecorino cheese sauce. \$9

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#### CELEBRATION OF APPETIZERS

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#### ACCOMpaniments

Sautéed Mushrooms \$4 Sautéed Squash \$5 Chef's Fresh Vegetable \$4 Grilled \$4  
Long Grains, Wild Rice and Tossed Orzo \$3 Garlic Mashed Potatoes \$3 Sautéed Hungarian Peppers \$3  
Asparagus \$4 Creamy Risotto \$4 Roasted Cakes \$3 Au Gratin Potatoes \$4 Mac & Cheese \$3

### SOUP & SALADS

#### SOUP OF THE DAY Cup \$4 Bowl \$6

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#### CLASSIC CAESAR\*

Hand tossed, made to order with egg, fresh garlic,  
Parmesan reggiano cheese, anchovies, olive oil and garlic croutons. \$9

#### DINNER SALAD

Romaine and leaf lettuce, olives, cucumbers, red onion and  
Crisper dressing (other dressing available upon request; tomato-on request). \$6

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Mixed field greens, roasted beets, cherry pears, roasted almonds,  
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Baby spinach, red onion, cream, grape tomatoes, and cheddar, Gruyere Swiss apples and walnuts.  
Tossed with a white grain vinaigrette. \$12

#### FIAMMA CAPRESE SALAD

Vine ripened tomatoes, fresh eggplant, fresh buffalo mozzarella and balsamic. \$10

#### WEDGE OF ICEBERG LETTUCE

With garnish of olive tapenade, roasted red pepper, crumbled bacon, olives,  
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### SANDWICHES

Accompanied with Pickle or Sweet potato fries

#### GRILLED SALMON CLUB

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roasted shallot glaze and baby sprouts. Served on a whole wheat bread. \$12

#### TUNA BURGER

Ground sustainably grade tuna with Asian sesame and spicy mango sauce as a  
and vegetable slaw with mango vinaigrette. Served on a whole wheat bun. \$12

#### PIEDMONTESE BEEF BURGER

Beef Burger with grilled shrimps, slow roasted tomatoes, white cheddar  
Topped with crispy shallots. \$12

### MEAT

Serve as entree or appetizer \$12. Add a bowl of soup or dinner salad \$3. Sub. dinner on any dish for an additional \$2.

#### PIEDMONTESE FILET MIGNON\*

All natural. Cut from the heart of the tenderloin.

Topped with Horseradish sauce. Accompanied with Potatoes Au Gratin and roasted root vegetables.  
6 oz. Filet... \$23 8 oz. Filet... \$29 10 oz. Filet... \$35

#### RESERVED BLACK ANGUS NEW YORK STRIP STEAK\*

Chosen from the top 5% of choice beef, center of the loin, topped with roasted tomato compound butter.  
Accompanied with brie and fontina Mac & Cheese and grilled asparagus. \$27

#### BRAISED SHORT RIBS

Accompanied with garlic mashed potatoes and roasted root vegetables.  
Topped with crispy shallots. \$23

#### FIAMMA MIXED GRILL

Chef's daily creation. Please ask your server. Priced Accordingly

#### COLORADO PRIME LAMB CHOPS\*

Marinated and char grilled. Topped with port wine demi.  
Accompanied with spinach and roasted fingerling potatoes. \$26

#### FREE RANGE CHICKEN AND WILD MUSHROOM MILANESE

Natural chicken breast filled with wild mushrooms. With a cheese cream sauce.  
Accompanied with garlic mashed potatoes and chef's fresh vegetable. \$17

#### PORK PICCATA

Breaded White Marble Farms pork tenderloin topped with a lemon in cream sauce.  
Accompanied with garlic mashed potatoes and sautéed spinach. \$17

#### WOODLAND TENDERLOIN

Beef Tenderloin Tips, sautéed with shallots and wild forest mushrooms, roasted red peppers,  
accompanied with Gorgonzola cheese, finished with a touch of truffle oil. Served with pecorino cake. \$19

### FISH & SEAFOOD

Add a bowl of soup or dinner salad \$3. Sub. dinner on any dish for an additional \$2.

#### LAKE SUPERIOR WALLEYE

Sautéed in a light flour dressing drizzled with our roasted garlic aioli.  
Served with long grain, wild rice and roasted corn, and chef's fresh vegetable. \$19

#### NORWEGIAN SALMON

Lightly encrusted with dill and onion mushrooms, pan roasted and drizzled with truffle oil.  
Accompanied with garlic mashed potatoes and chef's fresh vegetable. \$19

#### AHI TUNA\* (Sashimi Grade)

Seared rare with an Asian spice rub. Served with potato reduction and cucumber wasabi sauce.  
Accompanied with fried potato cakes and sautéed spinach. \$22

#### FRESH SAUTEED JUMBO SEA SCALLOPS

With lemon Butter Sauce. Accompanied with creamy corn risotto and sweet English peas. \$19

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#### COLD WATER LOBSTER TAILS

Two - 6 oz. tails, broiled.  
Accompanied with scallop potato cakes and asparagus. Market Price  
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### PASTA

Add a bowl of soup or dinner salad \$3

#### CHICKEN CAVATAPPI

Walnut encrusted chicken breast served over cavatappi pasta with apple-cured bacon,  
slow-roasted tomatoes, grilled portabella, shiitake mushrooms, and a creamy garlic cream sauce. \$17

#### PASTA FIAMMA

Longhorn pasta tossed with pan seared scallops, shrimp, shiitake mushrooms, roasted peppers,  
Hungarian peppers, in a white sherry wine sauce (spicy). \$21

#### PIEDMONTESE MEDALLIONS AND POTATO GNOCCHI

Topped with truffle mushrooms, shallots and asparagus tips with a sherry wine sauce.  
Topped with brie cheese. \$21

### VEGETARIAN

Add a bowl of soup or dinner salad \$3

#### HOUSE MADE LASAGNA

Four layers of roasted vegetables, with roasted garlic bechamel and tomato sauce. \$15

#### MUSHROOM NAPOLEAN

Layers of buttered phyllo, each filled with a mixture of sautéed wild mushrooms,  
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#### TOFU, VEGETABLE AND CASHEW STIR FRY

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Research studies support Dr. Philip Mayer's (right) conclusion that exercised-based rehab can relieve pain over time without operation.

## Back to basics

**Northville Physical Rehabilitation partners with Philip J. Mayer, M.D. to offer specialized, non-operative treatment**

**Avoid unnecessary surgery with exercise-based spinal rehabilitation**

BY ALISON BERGSIEKER  
ADVERTORIAL COORDINATOR

The simplest methods for treating back pain may actually be more effective than invasive surgical procedures commonly performed in hospitals.

One Northville surgeon is partnering with a local rehabilitation center to offer patients an alternative option to surgery with a high success rate.

Philip J. Mayer, M.D., a board certified and fellowship-trained orthopaedic spine surgeon with 30 years experience, has joined forces with Northville Physical Rehabilitation to offer a collaborative, non-operative treatment for patients suffering from back and neck pain.

Dr. Mayer has spent decades developing a specialized program that incorporates specific exercise treatments that strengthen and condition the supporting structures. The program is evidence-based and supported by the highest level of science possible.

"Most people with back pain do not require surgery," Dr. Mayer said. "There is strong scientific evidence based on high quality research studies that has shown that exercise-based, intensive spinal rehabilitation offers results superior to other forms of treatment with lasting value and fewer reoccurrences."



Dennis Engerer, PT and director of rehab at Northville Physical Rehabilitation, demonstrates a resistive neck device that strengthens the neck and all planes of motion.

### Collaborative care

Northville Physical Rehabilitation, celebrating more than 24 years of growth in downtown Northville, began implementing Dr. Mayer's techniques in January.

"Dr. Mayer has some well documented and proven treatment protocols for neck and back patients that are all evidence-based," said Dennis Engerer, physical therapist and director of rehab. "To have him on site is great because we can refer some of our patients that haven't responded to the typical treatment regimen directly to him next door."

The staff of 25 at Northville Physical Rehabilitation consists of physical and occupational therapists, physical therapy assistants, personal trainers and exercise physiologists.

"We have the staff, expertise and experience to treat a broad scope of diagnosis from simple sports-related orthopedic sprains/strains and joint replacements to long-term neurological disorders, such as multiple sclerosis or traumatic brain injury."

The staff implements Dr. Mayer's protocols for back and neck injuries using the appropriate fitness equipment that isolates the muscles that support the spine.

With Dr. Mayer located in the same building, he is easily accessible for patients and to the staff at Northville Physical Rehabilitation.

"It's continual feedback between the patient, the physical therapist and the physician," Dr. Mayer said. "Most physical therapy groups run independently of physicians. My method melds very well with the philosophies at Northville Physical Rehabilitation."

### Supported by science

A common risk of surgery in place of non-operative methods is the failure to relieve lower back pain symptoms and the potential for nerve damage. Spine fusions are a common practice among hospitals, and thus generate high revenue for health providers and implant manufacturers.

But many research studies support Dr. Mayer's conclusion that exercise-based rehabilitation can relieve pain over time without the need for operation.

"We try to offer people treatment that is personalized and minimizes their risks while maximizing their success," Dr. Mayer said. "We are both very oriented toward patient outcomes. We really try to stay away from the politics of medicine."

Dr. Mayer brings a diverse amount of experience and credentials to Northville.

Dr. Mayer came to Michigan in 1989 to serve as head of the division of spinal surgery

at Henry Ford Hospital. He later became associate clinical professor of both orthopedics and physical medicine and rehabilitation at Wayne State University. He's previously provided spinal surgery services for the Detroit Lions football team.

After graduating from the University of Louisville School of Medicine in 1971, Dr. Mayer did his internship and general surgery residency at the Medical College of Virginia.

He served in the United States Navy as a lieutenant commander and general medical officer and later completed an orthopedic surgery residency at the University of Rochester School of Medicine and Dentistry.


He then pursued fellowship training at the Children's Hospital Medical Center, Harvard University and at the Duchess of Kent Children's Orthopedic Hospital and Convalescent Home, University of Hong Kong.

Since 2005, Dr. Mayer has directed his exercised-based intensive spinal rehabilitation program and is happy to be a part of the Northville community.

"This exercise-based rehabilitation program progresses slowly over an average course of treatment lasting two months at a frequency of two sessions per week," Dr. Mayer said.

"I use very little in the way of drugs but can provide medications if necessary. I've had excellent results with this program and find that exercise is the answer for most people."

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Exp w/ sales (lting eye-  
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Some are contributory  
Paid vacation and holidays  
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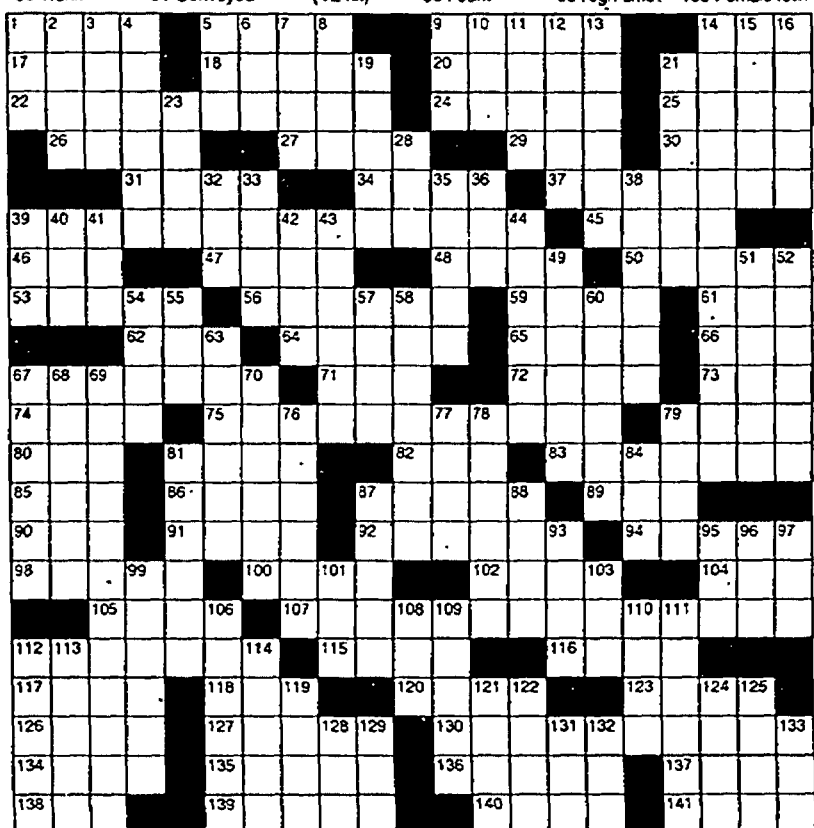
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## Crossword Puzzle

### Presidential Trivia

- ACROSS**
- 1 Ruth's husband
  - 5 Approximately
  - 9 Analyze a sentence
  - 14 Tennis pro
  - 17 Tennis pro
  - 18 Sn —
  - 20 Humpback's home
  - 21 Geometric figure
  - 22 President who was a male model
  - 24 Electrical inventor
  - 25 Shortly
  - 26 European capital
  - 27 Part of Indonesia
  - 29 Flat hat
  - 30 It's good in a pinch
  - 31 Adequate
  - 34 "Picnic" playwright
  - 37 68 Tom Jones hit
  - 39 President whose first language wasn't English
  - 45 Aught
  - 46 Out — limb
  - 47 Debut recording
  - 48 Shake — (hurry)
  - 50 Trunk
- DOWN**
- 1 Giant
  - 2 Bread spread
  - 3 Pretension
  - 4 Fanatic
  - 5 Word with hat or hand
  - 6 Brit. fliers
  - 7 Social climber
  - 8 Creole veggie
  - 9 Ample abdomen
  - 10 "Stroker" — (83 film)
  - 11 Take five
  - 12 Tuna concoction
  - 13 Pottery
  - 14 Protection
  - 15 — "Gay"
  - 16 Fractional amount
  - 17 Sheer fear
  - 18 Vegas place
  - 19 Villain
  - 20 Shiba — (Japanese dog)
  - 21 Link
  - 22 Letters?
  - 23 Monsieur Montand
  - 24 Prepare the armament
  - 25 Sushi candidate
  - 26 Foam
  - 27 High time?
  - 28 Female fowl



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## Answer to Last Week's Puzzle

GATOR ADAY REDS CASK  
 HONOR TALE PLOTS OFME  
 WATCHBANDS MINEO HOOD  
 NBA ALTO COPYBOOKS  
 ADDLE FAKIR BASTIE  
 ABATE ELIOT TANT  
 FIREFIGHTERS IRAQ ORB  
 ALA ERRATA KEANU PAR  
 REB AKIRA CHIRP EVADE  
 STEEP SOON TALON  
 SWAR OROPCKOOKIES ISNT  
 CAROM RAFT NATAL  
 AKITA BRATS EDSEL ARC  
 LES SERUM CLIENT LOA  
 ENE SNIT SPREADSHEET  
 DAZE ROGUE EMCEE  
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 PLACEMATS SARA GLEE  
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**NORTHVILLE - Downtown, 2 story, 2 br., hardwood floors, short term lease considered. \$675/mo. Call Kristin Halmaghe 248-330-4660**

**NORTHVILLE - Studio apt. downtown, cute & clean! \$500/mo + utilities. No pets. Call (734) 968-8937**

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**NORTHVILLE - UPPER FLAT 2 bdrm, upper flat w/ updated kitchen, LR/OR, full bsmt. 1 car Gar w/ opener, just steps from downtown. Credit check/ references, 1 yr lease. \$795/mo + utilities. Call Jim Stevens (734) 416-1201**

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**BRIGHTON - 5073 Walsh, 5 BR, 2.5 bath, 3200 sq. ft. \$1250/mo 810-333-2666**

**BRIGHTON, 3 br., 2 bath, on not-sports lake, open floor plan, hardwood floors, walkout bsmt. \$1200 (810)229-2011**

### Homes For Rent

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**HOWELL - Small 1 br. \$550/mo + sec. deposit. Lawn maintained. 517-548-1474**

**PINCKNEY 3 bd., 1.5 bath, 2.5 car garage, full bsmt., all appl. \$1200, 1st & last mo rent. 734-878-6583**

**PINCKNEY, 1,400sq ft. ranch, 2 br., 1.5 bath, full bsmt., all appliances, maintenance incl. \$1,200/mo 734-878-6905**

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**SOUTH LYON 2 BR, 1 bath, 2 car garage, minutes to I-96 & US23 \$750 (810)936-5182**

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### Whitmore Lake

**WHITMORE LK. 2 br., 2 bath, lake access w/2 car garage, laundry, patio, fenced yard, lg heated shop/studio, appliances \$975/mo (810)231-9389**

### Lakefront/Waterfront Homes Rental

**BRIGHTON 1 br., Fonda Lk., \$545 Chemung 2 br., bsmt, garage \$745 810-229-9844**

**BRIGHTON, 1634 Sandy Shores Dr., 3 br., 2 bath, 1,100sq ft. ranch. None sports lake. \$800/mo. 517-546-2268**

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**CANTON** - Furniture, toys, clothing, kitchen, & misc. Thurs-Sat, June 4-6, 9-4pm. 6625 Whitehurst, off Hartford, b/wm Canton Center & Beck.

**CANTON** Big Garage Sale Cherry Hill United Methodist Church, 321 South Ridge Rd., Canton 48188. Toys, kitchen, jewelry, clothing, home, everything but clothes! June 5 & 6, 9am-4pm. Bag Sale Saturday PM!

**CANTON** Willow Homes Sub Garage Sale - N of Ford Rd., Bram Lyley & Morton Taylor Thurs-Sat, June 4-6, 9am-5pm. (500 HOMES)

**Caston-Midway Garage Sale** June 4-6, 9-4pm. S. of Ford, N. of Salt, W. of Lyley, E. of Morton Taylor.

**CANTON** Royal Pointe Sub Garage Sale - W. of Beck, S. of Warren, June 5-6, 9am-5pm. Great Bargains!

**COMMERCIAL TWP** BEACON HILL SUB SALE June 4-6, 9-4pm. Hwy 30 & Commerce Rd., follow signs.

**COMMERCIAL** Lake Sherwood SUB SALE, June 4, 5, & 6, 9am-5pm. Sub surrounds Steeth & Commerce Roads, east of Duck Lake Rd.

**FARMINGTON HILLS** SUB SALE June 4-6, 9-5pm. Meadow Hills Estates, W. of Halsted, S. of 9 Mile. Variety of items!

**FARMINGTON HILLS** - Green Hills Sub. June 4-6, 8-4pm. S. of 9 Mile, b/wm. Halsted & Drake. Household, children's & many more items.

**FARMINGTON HILLS** Estate Sale Fri-Sat, 9-5pm. June 5-6, 21625 Jacksonville St. E. of Middlebelt, N. of Grand River. Dishes, bedding, etc.

**FARMINGTON HILLS** Old Farm Colony Sub. Sale, Sat. June 6, 9-12pm. S. of 10 Mile, E. of Middlebelt. Many home-houses, home, collectibles.

**FARMINGTON HILLS** Quaker Valley Sub Sale - Friday, 9am-4pm, Sat. 9am-1pm. N. of 11 Mile, W. of Farmington.

**FARMINGTON HILLS** SUB SALE - Camelot Courts @ NW Corner of 11th & Inkster, June 4, 5, 6, 9-5pm.

**FARMINGTON HILLS** 2 houses, June 4-5, 9-5 June 6, 9-12. 30215 Stockton, S. of 12 Mile, W. of Middlebelt. Antiques, kids items, household.

**FERRISDALE** 465 Channing St., corner of Hutton & Channing June 6-7, 9am-3pm. Boys clothing & toys, household items & misc.

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**FOWLERSVILLE** TAKE MY PAW RESCUE HUGE YARD SALE June 4 thru June 7, Thurs-Sat, 9am to 4pm, Sun, 11am to 4pm. 6417 Grand River.

**FRANKLIN** 4-Family Garage Sale June 5-6, 9-4pm. 32920 Wing Lake SE corner of Wing Lake & 14 Mile.

**GARDEN CITY** Friday and Saturday, June 5 & 6, 9AM-4PM. 33551 Leona St. Things for Men & Women.

**HARTLAND - COMMUNITY GARAGE SALE** June 6, 10am-4pm. All Saints Lutheran Church, 12701 W. Highland, M-59. Huge sale. Something for everyone.

**HARTLAND - SUB SALE** Autumn Wood Sub off M59 1 Mile W. of US 23 June 4-6, 9am-4pm.

**HARTLAND** SUB SALE, June 5, 6, 9am to 4pm. 2 miles S. of M-59, off Old 23. On Wallace/Peterson.

**HIGHLAND - COMMUNITY YARD SALE** Highland Greens Mobile Home Park, M-59 & 1 Mile North of M59 June 4-6 9am-7pm.

**HIGHLAND** - Household sale! Ladies clothing, furniture, art objects, luggage, garden, linens, books, jewelry 3600 Kingsway, 1 mile beyond Holy Spirit Church, June 4-5, 9-5.

**HIGHLAND** 3325 Kingsway, all the way down to cut-dee, all in Ador. Keds, off Harvey Lake Rd. June 4th, 10am-5pm. June 5-6, 9am-5pm. Cleaned out the Attic! Found lots of treasures! Something for everyone! Collectibles & some antiques.

**HIGHLAND** 941 Scott Dr., 48356 June 6-7, 9-9pm. Mowers, tools, sports equip, bikes, & more!

**HIGHLAND** New jewelry & purse sale. Blow out prices. Fri. 10-5, Sat. 10-2. 400 Inverness, VISA/MC/Debit cards accepted. 248-330-3155

**HIGHLAND** Timber Ridge Sub - N. off M-59, b/wm. M-59 & Hickory Ridge Rd. June 6, 9am-4pm.

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**LIVONIA** Arbuton Hollow Woods Arbuton Sub. Sale NE 6 Mile/Farmington. June 4-7, 9am-4pm. MANY HOMES! Tools, furniture, \$1 hostas/plants.

**LIVONIA** - Proceeds go to the 3-Day! Baby gear and lots more! 29109 Clark, 6/5 and 6/6 8am-5pm

**LIVONIA** - Fri-Sat, 9-4pm. 9854 E. Clements Circle, off Harrison, b/wm Plymouth & W. Chicago. Something for everyone! Especially the handyman!

**LIVONIA** 14040 Sunset, off Merriman & Schoolcraft, June 4-6, 9am-5pm.

**LIVONIA** Annual Hidden Places Garage Sale Located S. of 7 Mile W. of Merriman, June 5-7, 9am-5pm. Something for Everyone!

**LIVONIA** Clements Circle Neighborhood Garage Sale - Sat. June 6, Over 25 homes will be hosting sales! Clements Circle Neighborhood is located between Middlebelt/Inkster and Plymouth/W. Chicago. Some sales start Thurs. 6/4. <http://www.clements-circle.org>

**LIVONIA** COVENTRY GARDENS Sub Sale, Sat. & Sun. June 6 & 7, 9am-4pm. NW corner of Farmington & 5 Mile Rd.

**LIVONIA DEER CREEK ANNUAL SUB SALE!** Fri-Sat, June 5 & 6, 9-4pm. Rain or Shine. 1/2 Mile W. of Farmington Rd. S. of 8 Mile, or N. of 7 Mile, W. of Gull. Numerous homes open Thurs., June 4.

**LIVONIA** Estate Sale 3 Family Garage Sale - 34655 Bridge, W. of Farmington, N. of 7 Mile. Thurs-Sat, June 4-6th, 9am-4pm. Appliances, furniture, household & clothing.

**LIVONIA** ESTATE/YARD SALE Furniture, Estates/8-12 children's toys & clothing, household items, tools, electronics. 20238 Weyher, b/wm 7 & 8 Mile off Middlebelt, b/wm June 5-6, 8:30-5pm.

**LIVONIA** Estate Sale - 19611 Osmus, Livonia 48152. Kids' stuff, TOOLS, household items. Good prices. Thurs. June 4th-Sat. June 6, 9-5pm.

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**LIVONIA** Home Black Sale! Children's clothing, bicycle, furniture, misc. household. 18900 Laurel, W. Farmington, S. 7 Mile. June 4-6, 9-5pm.

**LIVONIA** 18537 Myron, 7 Mile & Farmington. Thurs-Sat, 9am-5pm. Elegant china, crystal & silver items, cookbooks & kids clothes.

**LIVONIA** June 4-6, Thurs-Sat, 9am. 16178 Nola, 6 Mile/Newburgh area. Mopeds, Huffy, Bristol to Nola. Yard equip, power tools & kitchen items, jewelry beads, shutter doors, men's clothes, books, snow suits & more.

**LIVONIA** Multi-Family Sale. Baby & kids clothes & toys. Home goods. 14724 Ellen Dr. S. side of 5 Mile. Thurs-Sat, June 4-6, 9-4pm.

**MILFORD** 4 NEIGHBORHOOD garage sale, 4 homes. Lots of toddler toys, baby items, household goods, tools & furniture. Hickory Ridge & Commerce Rds. 1569 S. Creek, June 4, 5, 6, 8 to 4pm.

**NEW HUDSON** Fine Ridge Sub Sale, June 4-6, 9am-3pm. On South Hill b/wm Grand River & Pontiac Trail.

**NORTHVILLE** (Maycrest Farm) 49580 8 Mile Rd., one mile W. of Beck across from Mayberry State Park. 6/11-13, Thurs-Sat. 9-5pm. Crafts, stamping, scrapbooking, fabric, household items, kids merch., real hat items, exercise equip + more

**NORTHVILLE** - Quail Ridge Sub Garage Sale N 8 Mile and W Meadowbrook. Sat. 6/6, 9am-4pm.

**NORTHVILLE** 17803 Wildflower, East of Sheldon, North of 6 Mile. Fri-Sat, June 5 & 6, 9am-5pm. Household goods & decor, books, furniture, chandeliers. Lots of items!

**NORTHVILLE** Furniture, Tons of Baby Stuff, Clothes, Household 41172 Cottford Rd., Brookland Farms Sub., Nov9/9 Mile. Thurs-Sat, 9-5pm.

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**NORTHVILLE** Lexington Condos, 874 Yorktown Ct., 8 Mile & Tall, June 4-6, 9am-5pm. RECESSON Prices!

**NORTHVILLE** Moving Sale June 5-6, 10-3pm. 19225 Marilyn - 1 mile W. of Haggerty, off 7 Mile

**NORTHVILLE TWP.** Sub-Wide Garage Sale! Woodland South Condos - SW corner of Sheldon & 6 Mile. June 4-6, 8-30-4pm.

**NORTHVILLE TWP.** SUB-WIDE SALE June 4-6, 9-3pm. Brookstone Village Sub, off 6 Mile, just 1/2 mile W. of Haggerty Rd.

**NORTHVILLE** - June 4-6, 9am-5pm. 19340 Scenic Harbour, Highland Lakes. Many things like new. Dorm fridge, lamps, rugs; electric food slicer, DVD cart, ACME juicer, 1000 VHS tapes, cameras, Hi printer & other electronics & much more.

**NOVI Double Sub Sale!** Bradford of Novi & Lexington Green Subdivisions. S. of 9 Mile, W. of Tall Rd. Thurs-Sat, May 28-30, 9am-3pm.

**NOVI** June 4th-6th, 9am-5pm. 48776 Pebble Lane, N. of 10 E. of Wixom. Older boy's clothes, math & reading supplies, toys, bike, scooters, air hockey table & household!

**NOVI SUB SALE** Bransford Village 10 Mile and Beck Road, June 4, 5, & 6th. 9AM - 4 PM.

**NOVI SUB SALE** June 4, 5, 6, 9am-4pm. Echo Valley Estates. W. of Beck S. of 10 Mile. New items added daily! Furniture, rugs, lamps, draperies/blinds, trunks, bed, pump organ, bikes, perennials/hostas, dishes, kitchenware, table linens, bedding, baby supplies, children's clothes, craft supplies, rubber stamps. Every holiday decor! Pet supplies. Much more! Priced to sell.

**NOVI-Meadowbrook** "Gleas Sub Sale, N. of 10 mile, W. of Meadowbrook. Thurs-Sat, 6/4-7 9am-7 Rain or Shine!

**NOVI-MULTI FAMILY SALE** June 4, 5, 6, 9am-4pm. Mystic Forest Sub, off Novi Rd., b/wm 9 & 10 Mile.

**NOVI, HUGE SALE!** 25925 Serra, 11 Mile & Beck June 5-6, 10am to 5pm. Sun, \$2 bag day. Something for everyone!

**NOVI, VILLAGE OAK SUB.** Fri-Sat, June 5 & 6, 9-5pm. Off Nine Mile, between Meadowbrook & Haggerty

**NOVI 10 & Tall** 22631 Foxmoor. June 4-6, 9-5PM. Household items, clothes, toys, jewelry, books. Something for Everyone!

**OAKLAND TWP.** Garage Sale! Sat. June 6, 8-4pm. 3950 Grand Oaks Blvd. W. of Adams, off Gunn. Toys, furniture, books, & more!

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**PLYMOUTH Multi-Family Sale** June 4-6, 9am-5pm. 9787 Fellows Hill Dr., N. of Ann Arbor Rd. W. of Ridge. Furniture, clothes, toys, misc.

**PLYMOUTH** Thurs-Sat, June 11-13, 9am-5pm. 8921 Northampton Dr., Joy & Beck. Misc. items, electronics, power tools, & much more!

**PLYMOUTH TWP.** Huge Sale Thurs-Sat, June 4-6, 9-6pm. Household, toys, kids' stuff. Designer shoes, hats, purses, jewelry, clothing, furniture, art - keyboard, home gym, chestnut. Off Ann Arbor Trail, E. of Haggerty.

**PLYMOUTH TWP.** June 4-6, 9-5pm. Roll Top Desk, Henry Link Home Office, household, 11609 Lehigh Court, off Powell, N. of Ann Arbor Trail, 2 bks W. of Beck.

**PLYMOUTH** Baby items, crib, toddler toys, bikes, & misc. June 4th & 5th 9-4pm at 39718 Suzan, Ann Arbor Rd/ 27th area.

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**REDFORD TWP.** June 6 ONLY! 9am-4pm. 20464 Lexington, W. of Beck, S. of 8 Multi-Family Priced to sell!

**ROCHESTER HILLS** Hampton Sub Sale, Rochester Rd. & Auburn, June 5th-6th. 9-5 Furniture, toys, antiques, household items

**SOUTH LYON** June 5-6, 9-5pm. Home decor, furniture & much more! 26017 Elk Run E. off M-14 Rd., N. of 11 Mile.

**SOUTH LYON 13663 Crooked Creek Dr.** Dobbins, b/wm 12 Mile & Silver Lake Rd. 6-5, 9am-4pm, 6-6, 9am-2pm. Furniture, antiques, bedding, kids' toys, and much more!

**SOUTH LYON** Huge Sale! June 4-6, 9-5pm. Baby/toddler clothes & toys, & misc. household items. 59662 Mulberry Circle 8 Mile, E. of Pontiac Trail in Park Woods Sub

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**SOUTH LYON** Thurs-Sat, 9-5pm. Douglas Dr. off 10 Mile. W. of M-14 Rd. Tons of fashion jewelry, baby items, boy/girl 0 to 37, household.

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**WEST BLOOMFIELD** 5789 Kingsfield Dr. N. of Farmington Rd. W. of Maple. Fri-Sat, 9-3pm. Baby items, strollers, car seats, etc. collectibles, toys, 100's of VHS and DVD's, lots of misc.

**WEST BLOOMFIELD** Moving Sale - 3225 Montmartre Circle. Fri. 9am-4pm. Sat. 9am-2pm. Art, old cameras, watches, glassware, golf clubs, mountain bikes, collectibles, washer/dryer, vintage books, clothing, 100's of DVD's and much more!

**WESTLAND** Garage Sale - Sat. June 6, 8am-5pm. 35595 Avondale. Desktop w/monitor, camping, antiques, etc. Priced to sell!

**WESTLAND** Multi-Family Fri June 5, 9-4pm; Sat June 6, 8-3pm. 37550 Cherry Hill, just N. of Newburgh.

**WESTLAND** - Covington Estates I & II Multi-House Sub Garage Sale, off Glenwood, b/wm Newburgh & John Hot. June 12-13, 9am-4pm.

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**WHITMORE LAKE** Community Wide Sale 200+ homes in Eagle Gardens Sub, w/many participating East Shore Dr. to Posey Dr., then south. Household items, clothes, collectibles & too many others to mention! Fri. & Sat. June 5 & 6, 9am-4pm.

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