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home tour**

The Northville Community Foundation's 15th annual Holiday Home Tour will take place from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Nov. 15-16.

Five local homes have been selected to be decorated for the holidays.

Proceeds from the event help pay for baskets for seniors in assisted living facilities as well as scholarships for high school seniors.

Tickets are \$20 in advance and \$25 the day of the event. They can be purchased in Northville at Gardenviews and the Northville Chamber of Commerce. If you prefer to charge your tickets, call the Northville Foundation at 248-374-0200. Tickets are limited.

Workshop

The Northville Historical Society's 35th annual Children's Christmas Workshop will take place on Saturday, Dec. 7, in the New School Church at Mill Race Village.

Two sessions will accommodate 150 children total. Enrollment is \$20 per child. Call 248-349-2833 for more information.

Two candidates vying for school board opening

By Lonnie Huhman
Staff Writer

The pool of candidates for the Northville Public Schools Board of Education opening has been narrowed down to two with the final interviews set to come.

Michael (Mickey) Barrett and Ann Kalass were selected by the school board at a special interview meeting on Oct. 29. They were picked from a group of seven, which included Joel Michalek, Richard Corriveau, Roland Hwang, Raymond Reame and Scott Frush.



Kalass



Barrett

Each board member ranked their top three candidates with the top two moving on.

"This is a difficult process. We're lucky to have such qualified candidates," said Board President Ken Roth.

Outgoing school board treasurer Joe Hige is stepping down from the board at the completion of his current four-year term on Dec 31. He has opted not to serve the additional one-year extension of his term that is the result of a new state law that went into effect in 2012 requiring that school board elections across the state take place only during general elections, which occur in November of even numbered years.

Both the final candidates have lived in the Northville community for more than a decade, and come with a lot of

experience and skills.

Barrett ran for school board in the previous election in 2012, but failed in his bid. He's a retired educator, coach and business owner.

His background includes work as an insurance adjuster, teaching at the middle school level as a math and physical education teacher, owned and operated two separate companies, and coached basketball on all levels for 37 years, including at the University of Detroit-

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Jack Doheny Companies employees wore pink shirts every Wednesday throughout the month of October to support breast cancer awareness. JOHN HEIDER | STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Going pink

Colorful Doheny employees raise breast cancer awareness

By Kurt Kuban
Staff Writer

Lori Lehmann knows firsthand how devastating and life-altering breast cancer can be. She was diagnosed with the disease in 2008, and finally completed her treatments in July. She says she is going to be fine, but talk about a big scare. It's something that makes you re-evaluate your priorities.

That's why Lehmann was shocked to learn that many of her female co-workers at the Northville-based Jack Doheny Companies really didn't give much thought to breast cancer. In fact, she says some of them

hadn't even had basic checkups.

"I was shocked to find out that we have people here who haven't even had mammograms – for years," said Lehmann, an executive assistant and longtime employee with the company.

So she set out to bring a little more awareness to her co-workers. To coincide with National Breast Cancer Awareness Month in October, Lehmann purchased pink shirts for all of her fellow employees – including the men. And each Wednesday throughout the month, nearly all of the employees complied to show their support by wear-

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Breast Cancer survivor and Doheny employee Lori Lehmann puts up her 'dukes' as she describes her battle with the disease and why she felt it important to get her whole company behind an effort to battle it. With her is Jack Doheny, owner of the Northville company. JOHN HEIDER | STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Getting into the giving spirit

Beth Beson doles out Halloween candy from the porch of her Northville home on Oct. 31. Despite a rainy, windy night, plenty of trick-or-treaters filled the streets of Northville on that night. To see more of *Record* photographer John Heider's shots of Halloween night, visit his gallery on www.hometownlife.com.

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Audit shows Northville in sound financial shape

By Lonnie Huhman
Staff Writer

The Northville City Council looked at some financial outlooks at its last meeting that were mostly good, but the future forecast presents some concerns.

The city is allocating more than \$121,000 in race track breakage funds toward areas of future need like paying for police and fire equipment.

Northville is committing breakage funds left over from fiscal year 2012 in the amounts of \$1,539 for contingency/grant matching, \$60,000 for police and

fire equipment fund reserves and then from the fiscal year 2013 funding amount another \$60,000 again for police and fire equipment fund reserves for a total of \$121,539.

"Racetrack (Northville Downs) breakage funds which are in excess of the cost of police and fire department service provided at the racetrack, are recorded in the Public Improvement Fund," said Sandi Wiktorowski, city finance director/treasurer. "Over the past decade, those funds have primarily been used for capital outlay and

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Community Foundation’s yule home tour sure to please

Looking for new holiday decorating ideas this year? Visit the Northville Community Foundation’s Holiday Home Tour, sponsored by Toll Brothers, Friday and Saturday, Nov. 15-16, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. each day.

Once again five homes have been selected to be decorated. The style of each home is different and there is something for every taste. This year’s tour is a blend of traditional, contemporary, earthy, cozy and even a modern condo. Each home is beautiful on its own but with a talented team of decorators the homes come to life with ideas on top of ideas for decorating your home for the holidays.

With homes ranging from a stylish new build to a 15-year-old traditional home this year’s tour has got it all. One home is just loaded with custom features. From a “man cave” on the main



Festive Christmas decorations add to the appeal of the featured homes.

floor to the elegant kitchen and newly renovated lower level, much is featured.

There’s also a downtown Northville home that has been modeled after a Queen Ann Farmhouse.

Looking for some unique ideas for your home? One home includes a custom wine cellar and a London inspired room complete with an English “phone box.” Another boasts a Scotland-inspired den

and chic custom wallpaper, and yet another has beautifully designed stonework throughout.

This year, a bonus home has been added to the tour. This new build in downtown Northville is less than six months old and is upscale.

Proceeds from the Holiday Home Tour help fund the Northville Community Foundation’s Senior Holiday Baskets program which provides gift baskets to senior citizens in assisted living facilities as well as the scholarship program for high school seniors.

Tickets for the 2013 tour are \$20 in advance and \$25 at the door. Tickets are limited and the event sells out each year. To buy tickets, visit Gardenviews or the Chamber of Commerce. Both are on Main in downtown Northville. Tickets may be charged by calling the Northville Community Foundation at 248-374-0200. To buy tickets the day of the event, visit Ward Church at 40000 Six Mile, 1/4 mile west of Haggerty. Tickets may be purchased at the church on Nov. 15-16 from 9 a.m. to 2:30 p.m..

For more information, visit www.northvillecommunityfoundation.org or call 248-374-0200.

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Mercy. Currently, he is a mentor within the athletic department at Oakland University.

He said his common sense approach will be a compliment to the current board.

“I want to give back,” he said of his ultimate motivation.

Kalass is currently the CEO of Starfish Family Services, which is a private, nonprofit agency

serving vulnerable children and families in metropolitan Detroit. She is responsible for strategic planning, fund development, board development, fiscal management, and program and organizational development for the \$20 million private, nonprofit agency.

She previously worked 13 years in a variety of marketing and sales executive positions at Ford Motor Company.

With two children in Northville schools, she believes the district

plays a big part in connecting the community.

“I see this as a chance to be of service,” Kalass said of her motivation. “I want to help continue the excellence.”

The final selection decision will come on Nov. 12. The school board will have its final interviews at 6:15-7:15 pm at Hillside Middle School and afterward at the regular meeting will make the decision.

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construction related activities.”

Wiktowski said typically the discussion about commitment of the breakage funds occurs after the fiscal year in which they are received. In May 2013, \$140,262 of fiscal year 2012’s uncommitted breakage funds was allocated while \$61,539 remained uncommitted.

The remaining fiscal year 2013 funding of \$128,712 will remain unallocated until specific projects are identified.

Audit

Financially the City of Northville is in pretty good shape right now, but there are some challenges ahead.

The 2012-2013 audit of the city has been completed Plante Moran and was accepted by the city council at its Nov. 4 meeting. No significant issues were found in the city’s financial plan.

Auditors said this last year saw Northville in strong condition financially with it gaining some revenue through fire services from its arrangement with the City of Plymouth (about \$158,000) and securing itself through refinancing of services with Allen Terrace and getting its

health care costs in line. The city was also able to put a lot of money into infrastructure improvements.

There some slight increases in funding from property taxes and state shared revenue.

Challenges ahead will be the loss of personal property tax revenue as well as increasing fringe benefits and pension costs.

The city will eventually lose \$150,000 a year in revenue from the phasing out of the personal property tax by the state of Michigan, and there is no replacement of this funding.

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ing them to work.

“I thought it was a cute way to raise the awareness level around here,” Lehmann said. “Everyone was pretty good about going through with it.”

Jack Doheny Companies is currently undergoing a major \$5 million expansion on the outskirts of downtown Northville. The largest industrial clean-up company in the country is currently adding another 10,000 square feet of

office space. They have locations around the country, but Northville is the headquarters. And despite the fact that there are 140 employees based in Northville, it still feels like a family operation. So it wasn’t surprising everyone jumped on board with the Lehmann’s “operation pink.”

“It’s been great for morale. Everybody’s gotten involved with it,” said Kay Doheny, executive vice president of the company. “And it’s been kind of funny seeing some of the guys wearing pink to work.”

Doheny, who is the

daughter of company founder Jack Doheny, is a longtime friend of Lehmann’s. In fact, they attended school together and are fellow 1978 Northville High School graduates.

Lehmann said she feels blessed to work for such a close-knit company, especially one in her beloved hometown.

“We have a real good group of people here. It’s a special place to work,” she said. “I just hope we did help raise some awareness around here. I think we did.”

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Red Wings help preach fitness at Silver Springs



Silver Springs Elementary School kids shout out their enthusiasm during a Red Wings fitness assembly on Nov. 1.

Silver Springs Elementary School student Matthew Regus stick handles across the school's gym during its Nov. 1 Red Wings Assembly. The gathering, featured representatives from the hockey club that preached fitness and healthy eating Former Red Wing player Jiri Fischer was in attendance. PHOTOS BY JOHN HEIDER | STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER



Third case of MRSA reported at NHS

By Lonnie Huhman
Staff Writer

Northville High School has its third case of MRSA since late summer, but this time it's not an athlete.

According to a notification sent out by Principal Robert Watson, Northville High School was notified Friday morning on Nov. 1 of a case of MRSA (Methicillin-Resistant Staphylococcus Aureus).

This instance of MRSA is separate from the two cases reported in August and September, he said, and it is not in an athlete. The student's wound has remained covered, minimizing the risk of exposure.

"Upon notification, as a precautionary measure, Northville High School relocated several classes in order to implement the prescribed cleaning regimen in the appropriate classrooms," Watson said Friday before noon. "As an added precaution, the entire building will have this cleaning regimen completed over the weekend. These measures have been reviewed with the Wayne County Health Department."

A MRSA infection is caused by a strain of staph bacteria that's become resistant to the antibiotics commonly used to treat ordinary staph infections.

After the first reported case, the school district initiated a pre-

scribed cleaning regimen of the team locker rooms at NHS with additional cleaning until the full regimen was completed.

The second case the parent notified the district upon receipt of the information from a physician, and reported that the wound was covered, minimizing the risk of exposure. Again the district conducted a cleaning regimen.

According to the Oakland County Health and Human Services Department, factors that have been associated with the spread of MRSA skin infections include: close skin-to-skin contact, openings in the skin such as cuts or abrasions, contaminated items and surfaces, crowded living conditions, poor hygiene and medical procedures or a stay in the hospital.

Staph bacteria, including MRSA, can cause skin infections that may look like a pimple or boil that can be red, swollen, painful, or have pus or other drainage. More serious infections may cause pneumonia, bloodstream infections, or surgical wound infections.

"We appreciate the prompt reporting of this information and will monitor this concern should there be any additional reports," Watson said.

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NEF launches 5th annual Innovative Grants for teachers

The Northville Educational Foundation (NEF) is kicking off its fifth annual Innovative Grants competition. Fueled by the success and excitement generated by the 2012-13 program's doubled funding and larger grant amounts, the 2013-14 program will offer one larger grant (\$3,000 vs. the usual \$1,000) and a total of \$15,000 in available funding.

The group defines the term "innovative" as something new – such as a unique approach to learning or teaching – or a change to an established method. The majority of grant applica-

tions received are co-authored and can serve more than one school which increases the positive impact for both teachers and the several hundred students throughout the district who benefit with each grant cycle.

"Each year we look forward to receiving these outstanding and exciting applications. We encourage teachers at all levels and at all school buildings to apply. We also encourage members of the community to continue to contribute to NEF to support these wonderful educational experiences for the students of Northville Public Schools," said Dwight Sieggreen, NEF director and Innovative Grants chair.

Innovative Grants is just one of the programs funded annually by the NEF. The foundation's proposed financial support to Northville Public Schools for 2013-14 totals \$124,800.

To learn more about the Northville Educational Foundation (NEF) and how it supports Northville Public Schools, visit NorthvilleEdFoundation.org.

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Uncontested Northville City election draws few voters



Only 636 ballots cast as Johnson, Allen re-elected with newcomer Ekong

By Lonnie Huhman
Staff Writer

Dedicated voters made it out to vote in the uncontested Northville mayoral and city council election on Tuesday, which had 12 percent of registered voters casting a ballot. “This is democracy in action,” said Northville voter Robert Grant as to why he voted in the election. “Voting is part of being an American.” Voter Jake Sheehy came out because he wanted to make sure there were no surprises on the ballot. “I didn’t want to miss anything. I’ve heard of some other communities sneaking something in on the ballot, so I wanted to make sure,” Sheehy said. “Plus it should be necessary for all of us to vote.” Only 636 ballots were cast in the election that saw Mayor Chris Johnson being re-elected again and Mayor Pro tem Jim Allen as well as newcomer Sam Ekong garnering the votes to fill the two open city council seats. Ekong will fill the spot left by outgoing council member Michele Fecht, who chose not to seek re-election.

With 97 percent of the turnout counted, Johnson received 576 votes while Allen and Ekong had 563 and 505 votes respectively. Johnson has served as mayor since 1987. There are 5,103 registered voters in the city of Northville. The mayor serves a two-year term while council members serve four. More than half the ballots cast were by absentee with over 400 received by the city clerk’s office. Both city precincts had a slow trickle of voters throughout the day, but during the evening they saw a little bit more. “It’s been quiet,” said poll volunteer Terry Mittman



Jerry Maynard casts his ballot at Northville’s Precinct 1 on Nov. 5. PHOTOS BY JOHN HEIDER | STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

RESULTS

Mayor <small>Vote for one; two-year term</small>	
Chris Johnson	576
City Council <small>Vote for two; four-year term</small>	
Jim Allen	563
Sam Ekong	505

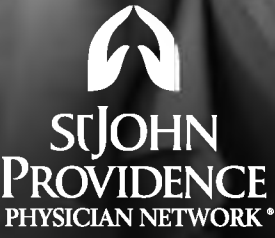
around 4 p.m., who was at Precinct 1 at the new location inside the Community Center. Up to that point, she said they had 77 walk-in voters and 179 absentee ballots turned in. Jan Paver, who was in charge of Precinct 1, said the uncontested race was probably the main

reason for a lower turnout. However, she was pleased with the new precinct location. “We’ve got more space here, which will be good when there will be a more popular election,” Paver said. She said last year during the presidential election the lines at city hall were just too long and bothersome for normal city hall business to go on properly. Because of this it was moved to the more spacious gymnasium at the Community Center just down Main Street. “I think this location will be perfect when we see more voters coming in,” Paver said.

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Voting was slow at Northville’s Precinct 1. By noon on Nov. 5, about 80 people had cast ballots in person.



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A lesson about water



Thornton Creek Elementary School student Krista Van Dis watches as Cranbrook Science educator Sarah Schleicher pours colored water into a beaker symbolizing all the water on earth. Schleicher asked students to guess what percentage of surface water was salt versus fresh. Thornton Creek students enjoyed the JES Water, Water Everywhere assembly and learned about runoff that brings pollutants into the water system, erosion and how much water is contained in icebergs and glaciers (a lot). The answer to how much water is salt versus fresh? Approximately 97% of all surface water is saltwater. JOHN HEIDER | STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

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Honoring veterans

The Northville District Library will commemorate Veteran's Day a very special way this year. On Nov. 13 at 7 p.m. author Teresa Irish will recount the story of her writing of "A Thousand Letters Home," a moving and historic tale of life and loss, hope and perseverance, unwavering faith and true love.

A month after her father's death in 2006, Irish found nearly 1,000 handwritten letters her father had written while serving during World War II. Carefully tucked away the letters were postmarked from November, 1942 to December, 1945. In the top left corner of each was the signature of the sender, Aarol W. "Bud" Irish. The fragile and yellowed pages were addressed to Bud's parents and to the sweetheart who would later become his wife, Elaine Marie Corbat.

This free program is sponsored by the Library and the Friends of the Library. To reserve a seat, call the library at 248-349-3020.

Dickens Christmas Tea

The Northville Historical Society will present Dickens Christmas Tea with Simply Dickens from 1-3:30 p.m., Saturday, Dec. 14 at the Cady Inn at Mill Race Historical Village.

Feast on a delicious assortment of tea sandwiches, scones and desserts along with tea served on fine china. The tea will be catered by Victoria's Tea Salon.

Get in the spirit of Christmas with Simply Dickens, a period vocal musical group that specializes in pre-1900 music. They dress in period costumes and will perform their Christmas program.

Tickets are \$30 (\$25

for NHS members). Proceeds from the event will benefit Mill Race Village. The deadline to purchase tickets is Dec. 9. To purchase tickets, call 248-348-1845, or visit the Northville Historical Society (open Monday-Friday 9 a.m.-1 p.m.), 215 Griswold in Northville. For more information, visit www.millracenorthville.org.

Genealogical Society

The Northville Genealogical Society will present "An Introduction to Polish Research" at 1:15 p.m., Sunday, Nov. 10 at the Northville District Library.

Jan Zaleski, a native and lifelong resident of Detroit, will be the guest speaker. His compulsive genealogical activities are funded by his official full time position as a civilian detention officer with the Detroit Police Department. From 1990-1995, he was one of three accredited genealogists with a specialty in Polish research on researcher lists, distributed by the LDS/Mormon Family History Library. For 27 of the last 29 years, he has been a member of the board of directors of the Polish Genealogical Society of Michigan, and served in various capacities, including six years as President.

The presentation is free, and the public is welcome to attend. Individual help on genealogy is offered in the Local History Room at the Northville District Library on Monday afternoons 1-3 p.m. and also by appointment. For more information contact Mary Hazlett at 734-459-5493.

Health fair

The Plymouth Community United Way (PCUW) is partnering with St. Mary Mercy

Hospital, the Plymouth Council on Aging, and Plymouth Lions Club to present a Community Health Fair 3-5 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 14, at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer. The event is free and open to the public.

Participate in a variety of health screenings and chair exercise. Watch nutrition demonstrations and presentations. Meet local agencies and vendors.

Fern Vining, a certified diabetes educator and retired registered nurse, will focus on diabetes awareness from 3:30-5:30 p.m. A representative of St. Mary Mercy Hospital will be there to talk about their Senior Assessment Resource Institute from 4-4:20 p.m.

For more information, call Randi Williams at 734-453-6879, ext. 7 or email randi.williams@pcuw.org.

Serving the Plymouth, Canton, Northville and western Wayne County area since 1944, the Plymouth Community United Way addresses human service needs for individuals and families.

Attic Treasures sale

The Attic Treasures Sale will be held Nov. 8-9 at the First United Methodist Church of Northville 777 W. Eight Mile Road in Northville.

Gently used items from the very old to almost new will be on sale. The sale will be open on Friday, Nov. 8 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., and Saturday, Nov. 9 from 9 a.m. to noon.

Admission is \$2, and \$1 for children 12 and under. All funds raised will benefit Village Bank-ing.

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Upcoming events include:

- » Between the Lines Book Discussion
Time/Date: 7 p.m. Monday, Nov. 11
Details: Enjoy a lively discussion of "Defending Jacob" by William Landay.
- » Tween Tic Tac Toe Craft
Time/Date: 4:15 – 5 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 12
Details: Tweens ages 9 – 12 design your own fun Tic Tac Toe board. Limit 30. Call to register.
- » A Thousand Letters Home
Time/Date: 7 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 13
Details: Author Teresa Irish presents a salute to all veterans in this fascinating visual presentation, based on her book "A Thousand Letters Home: one WWII soldier's story of war, love and life: the WWII correspondence of Aarol W. 'Bud' Irish." This program is co-sponsored by the Library and the Friends of the Library. Call 248-349-3020 to register.
- » Drop-In Evening Storytime
Time/Date: 7 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 13
Details: Kids wear your pajamas and enjoy a lively Home Sweet Home storytime. Best suited for kids 3 and younger, but all ages are welcome. Just drop in.
- » Kidz Time for 1st, 2nd and 3rd graders
Time/Date: 4:30-5:15 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 14
Details: Kidz Time is a fun after-school program for 1st, 2nd and 3rd graders featuring stories, games and crafts. Call to register.
- » Teen Retro & Electro Games Day
Time/Date: 1-5 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 16
Details: Just drop in and help celebrate International Games Day by playing a variety of board and card games. You can also register to play in our Super Smash Bros. Brawl Tournament.
- » LEGO Day
Time/Date: 4:30-5 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 20
Details: Kids in grades 1-5 make a fun hand-sized LEGO creation to be displayed in the Youth Area of the library. Limit 30. Call to register.

Bizarre Bazaar eases poverty burden in Third World

To date, women of the First United Methodist Church of Northville have raised more than \$75,000 for FINCA's Village Banking, which offers micro-loans in Third World countries to open businesses, mostly for women.

"That's the part we're assisting with," said Norma Kwek, chair for this year's Bizarre Bazaar, set for 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 9, at the church, Eight Mile and Taft roads.

The local church women aim to encourage self-sufficiency among entrepreneurs in poorer countries. They also seek to follow the example Jesus set in his ministry.

Projects supported by Village Banking include livestock and grain among agriculture, sewing, cheese-making, other food and cosmetics and accessories. FINCA was founded in 1985.



The First United Methodist Church of Northville women encourage self-sufficiency among Third World entrepreneurs with their annual Bizarre Bazaar, a fundraiser.

This is the sixth year for the Bizarre Bazaar, put on by a committee of about a dozen women from the church. The Attic Treasures portion (a rummage sale but

with no clothing sold) will be held separately this year from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Friday, Nov. 8, and from 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, Nov. 9, at the church.

The Bizarre Bazaar will include such companies as Mary Kay, Avon and Pampered Chef. Also sold will be jewelry, crocheted items, candles and soap.

"So there's a little bit of everything," Kwek said. "We always have our bake sale." Bizarre Bazaar admission charge is \$2, with those admitted Friday advised to save their ticket stub for Saturday admission. More information is available at the church, 248-349-1144, or on the Bizarre Bazaar page on Facebook. "It's a very informative page," Kwek said.

About 400 people attend each year, she said. "Simply that it is a fundraising effort and 100 percent of the money goes to helping people," she said of its appeal. "We're helping others."

About two-thirds of the micro-loan recipients overseas are women. The First UMC of Northville women don't have direct contact with them, but have a FINCA contact.

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Quite a handfull

Stephanie Bussema, of the Howell Nature Center, displays a ground squirrel at an Oct. 23 gathering at the Northville Community Center on Michigan Mammals. The afternoon gathering, featuring all types of mammals from this state, was sponsored by the Friends of Maybury and the Northville District Library.

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POLICE BRIEFS

Underage drinking

Two Northville teenagers were cited for being intoxicated at the playoff football game on Nov. 1 between Northville and Detroit/Novi Catholic Central. Northville City Police, along with the school resource officer, detained the teenagers after both were given breathalyzers.

The first incident involved an 18-year-old who had a blood-alcohol content of .12 percent. The other teen, a 17-year-old Northville student, had caused a disturbance in the stands and was escorted from the seats by police.

Warrant arrest

A 25-year-old Plymouth man was arrested for an outstanding warrant after a Northville Township police officer pulled him over for an expired license plate.

The officer was on patrol around 2 a.m. on Oct. 29 heading southbound on Sheldon north of Six Mile when he noticed the plate on the man's 2003 Honda Civic had an expired sticker. After doing a LEIN check, the man's name came up as having an outstanding warrant for failing to appear in court.

The officer pulled the man over and asked him if he knew his plate had expired. He said he did know, but he was having "money problems." The man couldn't produce a driver's license, vehicle registration, or proof of insurance. He did provide a U.S. passport for identification.

A further background check showed the man had been previously received three citations for expired plates, three citations for no insurance, and one time for having no driver's license – all while driving the same vehicle.

He was arrested on the warrant and brought back to the station, where he was able to come up with \$195 to post bond. He was released, but not before being cited for no insurance, expired plates and operating a vehicle with no driver's license.

Northville man, 37, charged after running off with Plymouth girl, 15

By Matt Jachman
Staff Writer

Lisa Schwartz called for prayers – and room to heal – Thursday in 35th District Court, minutes after a longtime family friend was arraigned on criminal sexual conduct charges involving her 15-year-old daughter.

Schwartz, of Plymouth Township, described herself as "definitely heartbroken, very betrayed, very upset" over the alleged conduct of Robert L. Messer, 37, who was discovered with the teenager Tuesday, two days after they ran away together.

"He was like her uncle, her dad," Schwartz said in a courtroom hallway, with her husband Neil at her side. "How much more can you trust a person than that?"

Messer, of Northville Township, had just been arraigned on one count of first-degree criminal



Messer

sexual conduct, three counts of third-degree criminal sexual conduct and one count of accosting a minor for immoral purposes. His attorney, Jonathan Jones, told Judge Mike Gerou that Messer would stand mute to the charges and waive a formal reading of them and Gerou entered a not-guilty plea and set bond at \$2 million. That means Messer would have to post \$200,000, or 10 percent,

in order to be released. The judge scheduled a preliminary hearing for Friday, Nov. 8, and ordered Messer to have no contact with the victim. Messer, appearing on video from the Plymouth Township police lockup, told Gerou he worked as a barista at an area restaurant.

Two days missing

He and the 15-year-old were discovered Tuesday afternoon in the area of Chubb Road and Seven Mile in Washtenaw County. Acting on a tip from someone who recognized Messer's pickup truck, police found the pair sitting in Messer's truck in a field and Messer was arrested without incident.

Both were treated for what police described as superficial, self-inflicted injuries and the girl was reunited with her family. The pair's return ended a two-day search that

began when Lisa Schwartz reported the girl missing at about 6 p.m. Sunday. Police said her last known whereabouts had been with Messer at his home and that the two had left behind notes professing love for each other.

The girl is "doing better. She's accepting the fact of what happened," Schwartz said Thursday. "It's going to be a long road." She asked for continued prayers and respect from the media for the family's privacy.

'Trying to understand'

Schwartz said the girl was receiving counseling and planning to return to school. She said the girl has talked a bit about the incident. "We're still trying to understand and put the pieces together," Schwartz said. The age of consent in Michigan is 16.

Asked if there had been signs of a romantic attachment between Messer and her daughter, Schwartz said she hadn't seen any.

"If I did, I'd probably have strangled him a long time ago, the minute I thought so," she said.

Jones, also speaking after the arraignment, said he had few details, as he had just been retained Wednesday. He said he is in the process of getting Messer's version of events; he declined to describe the type of injuries Messer had suffered.

"I expect he's going to be fine and help me in his defense," Jones said.

He called the allegations against his client "a very serious matter."

"I'm a parent of teenage children, as well," Jones said.

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Police: Man was driving drunk with kids after trick or treating

By Eric D. Lawrence
Gannett Michigan

A 31-year-old Lyon Township man was driving drunk and on a suspended license when he ran a red light with his three children in the car on Nov. 1, according to Northville Police.

The man also had two outstanding warrants from other communities.

Northville Police Chief Gary Goss said charges against the man could include second-offense driving on a suspended license, drunken driving and operating while intoxicated

with occupants younger than 16.

The man was stopped on Novi Road after an officer spotted him run a red light while driving east on Eight Mile at Taft Road about 2:45 a.m., Goss said.

The man's three children, a 1-year-old girl

and two boys, ages 7 and 9, along with their 31-year-old mother were passengers in the vehicle.

Both the man and the woman registered a blood-alcohol level of 0.11%, which is higher than the legal limit to drive of 0.08%, Goss

said. The man was arrested, and the woman's brother was called to pick up the woman and the children.

The woman could face charges for allowing the man to drive the car.

One woman's journey around the Great Lakes



Loreen Niewenhuys, author of "A 1,000-Mile Great Lakes Walk," speaks to a gathering on Oct. 25 at the Northville Community Center. The author spoke to about 30 people on her multi-year journey through the Great Lakes. She said some of the toughest hiking was along the muddy shores of Lake Erie, and her favorite section was Lake Michigan's Sleeping Bear Dunes National Lakeshore. JOHN HEIDER | STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER



A gathering at the Northville Community Center on Oct. 25 listens to author Loreen Niewenhuys speak of her journey.

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AARP recognizes work of ‘volunteer extraordinaire’

Barbara Spreitzer-Berent of Northville has been called “volunteer extraordinaire.” Now she will be called the 2013 winner of the Andrus Award for Community Service, AARP’s most prestigious and visible volunteer award.

She was honored on Saturday during AARP Michigan’s volunteer recognition ceremony in Grand Rapids.

The AARP Andrus Award for Community Service recognizes members and volunteers who are significantly enhancing the lives of individuals age 50 and over. The award was named for Ethel Percy Andrus, a retired educator from California who founded AARP in 1958.

Spreitzer-Berent took the leadership role this year in

training and mobilizing an army of more than 30 volunteers to reach out to Michiganders to help them better understand the Affordable Care Act.

She and her group of volunteers made dozens of presentations reaching thousands of people on health care reform issues throughout the state. She also made many media appearances to get the message out about AARP’s work in this area, including an interview on a CBS TV special about the new health care law.

“People are frustrated with the emotions surrounding the law,” she said. “They want to know how it will affect them and their family members.”

Spreitzer-Berent also has written a training manual on

Affordable Care Act presentations and has authored several articles on age-friendly communities. She is referred to AARP Michigan staffers as “our 14th staff person.”

One nominating letter said of the Andrus Award winner: “Her volunteer work fits AARP’s mission and vision like a glove. The work she has done champions positive social change and delivers value through information and service.”

AARP Michigan President Thomas Kimble said Spreitzer-Berent has been a tireless volunteer committed to helping people understand this important law.

“AARP Michigan takes great pride in congratulating Barbara Spreitzer-Berent for


her tireless community service,” he said. “Her unmatched record of achievement, service and commitment as a volunteer provides an extraordinary example of the difference volunteerism can make in the lives of individuals and in the well-being and vitality of a community.”

Spreitzer-Berent, 60, is volunteer coordinator of health and supportive services for AARP Michigan. She retired in 2010 after careers in urban planning, gerontology and public health.

AARP is a nonprofit, non-partisan organization, with more than 37 million members. For more information about the group, visit www.aarp.org.



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Better but not necessarily bigger

Committee comes up with interesting ideas for master plan

By Lonnie Huhman
Staff Writer

Make it better not bigger. More development will come to the city of Northville it's just a matter of what it will be and how it will look. The joint committee helping to update the city's Master Plan gave its recommendations at its last meeting on Oct. 30. These included ideas for better pedestrian accessibility, a creative district and smaller residential lots. The end goal is to place community-led direction over areas that could soon be developed. The committee was formed to study key areas (the school property on Main Street, Post Office area, Cady Street and Northville Downs property) within the city that could experience land use and/or development changes within the next five to 10 years. Committee member Greg Presley said it best when he said their ultimate recommendation goal was to, "Make downtown better not bigger."

Future possibilities One recommendation is to have a pedestrian spine or walkway running from Main Street down through Cady and then through the Downs property, which part of could become a residential area with smaller lots and varied housing options. Through this could run an extended Beal Street to Center and on the east boundary line of the track, the Rouge River would be opened up to become a more prominent water feature. This considers development that would come if the race track or parts of it were sold. These are all just recommendations, but they will be put before the city's Planning Commission in the coming year as it formulates the finalized update of the master plan. This was last done in 2008. City planners see change coming as the economic downturn of 2008 has shifted a bit toward a positive as of late. Interest has been expressed for properties in downtown Northville.

Concerns Input was received from residents not part of the committee, and much of it centered on concerns they have about the future possibilities. A group of 15 people were on hand to ask about the dog park and Art House, however they were told those two areas are not part of the committee study area. The potential increase in traffic and parking issues that could come in the area of the Board of Education/school administration building on Main and Old Village School is one concern. This area is currently being looked at by the city and school district as a potential consolidation project. Another area of concern is parking. Many of the residents expressed concern that new development would make a sometimes difficult situation currently into a more problematic one in the future. Each committee member believes future development should not put pressure on current parking. A mix of private and public parking lots is recommended. With any sale of the Downs property could bring changes for things like the Farmers Market, which currently uses a parking lot there. Its location could become an issue in the near future.

Changes coming Other recommendations put out had mixed use (office, restaurant, commercial and/or residential) being a main land use designation for areas specifically along Cady and south Center to act as a transition from residential to downtown. One interesting idea is to make the area in the vicinity of south Main and east Cady as well as Beal as a creative district. The Village Workshop, which is going in the old Belanger building, is one example of what this area could become. The committee talked about a micro-brew, jazz club, public art and an event space being placed in this area as ideas. This could also be a place for a future farmers market. The planning commission will begin looking at the master plan in early 2014 and more input will be needed for from the community.

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Crafting the perfect pumpkin



With a hot glue gun, drill, feathers, gourds, glitter and googly eyes in hand, Farmington Hills resident Craig Miller took his six-year-old granddaughter, Lauren Michie of Northville, to the 2nd Annual Pumpkin Sculpture Workshop at Goldner Walsh Garden Center in Pontiac. JULIE YOLLES



Sienna Aprilliano (right) and some of her OLV Daisy Troop members enjoy a stroll along the Holiday Lighted Parade route last year. JOHN HEIDER | STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

'Miracle on Main Street'

By Julie Brown
Staff Writer

The Northville Holiday Lighted Parade will step off 6:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 22, in downtown Northville. It's presented by the Northville Chamber of Commerce under the sponsorship of Tom Holzer Ford. Complimentary refreshments will be provided by Destiny Worship Center, First Baptist Church of Northville, Northville Christian Assembly, OakPointe Church, Ward Church and First Church of the Nazarene in Town Square before and after the parade. "It doesn't matter if it's raining, snowing, or sun," said Traci Sincock, chamber associate director, of Northville and parades. "There are literally thousands of people lining the streets." This year's theme is "Miracle on Main

Street." Sincock said parade applications will continue to be taken through Nov. 15, and there is no fee but registration is needed. As of Nov. 1, about 30 participants had signed up, with Sincock anticipating 50. That includes the Northville High School Marching Band and pom squad, Dog Scouts of America with their lit collars and leashes, a couple of church floats, and a number of Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts of various ages. Preservation Dental of Northville, an ongoing participant, will have nine Volkswagen Beetles decorated for the season. "This year, it's Rudolph and eight reindeer," Sincock said. Tom Holzer Ford will provide Santa's vehicle at the end of the parade. There will be prizes for best parade theme, best holiday spirit and mayor's choice, with each

NORTHVILLE HOLIDAY LIGHTED PARADE

- » **When:** 6:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 22
- » **Where:** Downtown Northville
- » **Theme:** "Miracle on Main Street"
- » **More info:** Contact Traci Sincock at the Northville Chamber of Commerce at tracisincock@northville.org or 248-349-7640, Ext. 22.

receiving a \$50 gift to Brick's of Northville. Tina Genitti will emcee the tree lighting which will include a sing-along of Christmas carols. Michele Fecht, Citizen of the Year, will light the tree. Sincock may be reached at tracisincock@northville.org or 248-349-7640, Ext. 22.

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A GREEN BREAKTHROUGH

Northville company develops diesel energy saver

By **Lonnie Huhman**
Staff Writer

A small, independently-owned company in Northville is making huge strides toward a future of cleaner air through more efficient diesel engines.

International Metals and Energy Technology (IMET) Ltd., based in Northville Township, has some breakthrough technology that reduces emission and saves fuel in a cost-effective way.

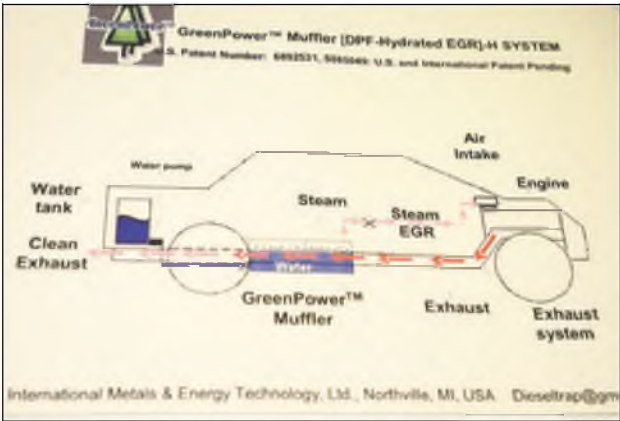
The company's GreenPower Muffler system was developed and patented by Northville resident Dr. Julius Rim. It recovers muffler-waste-heat to generate water-vapor to be re-combusted in the cylinder combustion chamber at low combustion temperature (LCT). It also reduces engine-friction by use of the GreenPower Engine Oil Borne Catalyst (OBC).

In other words, IMET's system purports to solve the problem of energy waste within the modern diesel engine.

Rim said diesel trucks waste as much as 40.5 percent fuel energy. More than half of it is in exhaust emissions. This is where the GreenPower Muffler comes in.

It reduces engine friction to save fuel, utilizes waste-heat to generate steam to be re-circulated for NOx (an emission pollutant) reduction and fuel-saving. It also prolongs the life of the engine.

"We have a breakthrough technology that is gaining momentum,"



A diagram showing a simplified version of Rim's patented exhaust gas recovery system.

Rim said from his main office and Tech. Center on Tournament Drive. "With the coming regulations this technology will become even more important."

IMET's technology has been recognized with several honors including a grant award from the Port of Los Angeles for marine diesel engines, and in 2011 by the Society of Automotive Engineers as an Automotive Innovation Technology Competition Finalist Winner.

Through the grant, IMET is commercializing and demonstrating the GreenPower Muffler technology for ocean going vessels at the Port of Los Angeles.

The market potential for this technology, for marine and land vehicles could exceed over \$1 billion starting in 2016 when stricter emission regulations go into place in the U.S. Mazda has recognized IMET as a forerunner in diesel emission control technology.

IMET origins

All this came from a company that began as a product of the decision by General Motors to drop its case of making

diesel engines more popular in the U.S. Rim said in Europe, diesel accounts for around 60 percent of the vehicle market. He said it's a cleaner fuel when used properly.

"We were pioneers at the time," Rim said of his days at GM as an engineer developing diesel engine technology. "But instead of improving the image of diesel in America, GM quit."

So Rim along with a small team has worked over the last 30 years to further develop these ideas. IMET has another facility in Jackson. He relocated the base of operations to Northville in order to be closer to the automotive companies and related partners.

In the coming years, IMET will look to partner up with bigger firms and license its technology to help increase its value with the goal of being a \$100 million company.

"We are a small, independent company, so we need some funding



Julius Rim points to an actual-sized model of his exhaust gas recovery system for diesel trucks in his Northville Township office. PHOTOS BY JOHN HEIDER | STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

help," Rim said looking forward. "But we have a technology that will play a big part in the future."

IMET is now competing for the Accelerate

Michigan Innovation Competition final with Grand-Prize on Nov 14-15.

To learn more about IMET go to <http://www.autogreenpower.com>.

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Tech Savvy Notebook: Catching up on tech buzz

If a tree falls in a forest and nobody is there, it still makes a sound – especially if it has its Facebook account set to public. Recently, Facebook rolled out its new search feature to the global community. In doing so it set everyone's past private posts to public. Awesome.

To make sure your past posts and future posts stay private, log on to Facebook, click on account settings, and change your security to make your past and future posts private. It only takes about 30 seconds to change and can spare you some embarrassment from having the



Jon Gunnells
TECH SAVVY

wrong people see the wrong posts. Of course, this Facebook change is another teachable moment in why nothing you want kept private should ever be posted to a social network.

Twitter plans IPO

Meanwhile, the social network everyone thought was a fad is now planning an IPO. And it probably couldn't come at a better time. As of this being written, Face-

book's stock is nearing its 52-week high of \$50.99 per share while LinkedIn is hovering around \$245 per share. LinkedIn's 52-week high is \$257.56 and it's 52-week low is \$94.75.

Reports show Twitter plans to raise about \$1 billion with its initially offering. Impressive for a company that is only seven and a half years old. Twitter now has an estimated 200 million or more users including the Pope who joined in September. It also offers some interesting multimedia including free NFL instant replays courtesy of Verizon Wireless as well as universal

emergency alerts.

Apple iPhone hacks

The new Apple iPhone 5s has a fancy finger print scanner and it only took about 10 days for hackers to discover how to break in. It turns out a picture of the user's fingerprint or a cat's paw can both be used to hack into someone else's phone. So I guess the moral of the story is, if you are a phone burglar make sure to befriend some cats.

Make your home smarter

I've written about Nest Labs extensively in this space thanks to a

pair of smart thermostats that allow owners to control the temperature of their homes from their phones. Nest thermostats are full of modern features that save time and energy for users. Now Nest has done it again with an advanced smoke alarm called Nest Protect.

The Nest Protect (\$129) is a smart smoke alarm that can also be controlled by a mobile device. The smart smoke alarm will send alerts to phones when a battery needs to be replaced, instead of chirping. Moreover, if the Nest Protect senses steam or smoke from cooking or

taking a hot shower too long, it will ask you if everything is okay, instead of buzzing and freaking out your family members, pets, neighbors and anyone within a square mile.

When there is smoke, Nest will use a combination of mobile, visual and phone alerts to tell you where the smoke is. The new Nest Protect can be pre-ordered at Nest.com and comes in black and white.

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A little slice of Northville in Troy



United Shore Financial Services took a new approach when naming the different conference rooms in its headquarters located in Troy. All the rooms are named after Michigan towns, including Northville (in photo). In all, 22 towns are represented in the mortgage lender's 140,000-square-foot building at 1414 E. Maple Road. On the second floor are conference rooms Ann Arbor, Royal Oak, Grosse Pointe, Plymouth, Flint, Ferndale, Farmington, Detroit and Berkley. The third floor includes Rochester, Dearborn, Pontiac, Birmingham, Clawson, Lake Orion, Northville and Clarkston. On the fourth floor are Auburn Hills, Troy, Franklin, East Lansing and Oxford. The rooms include mural photographs by Kim Kozlowski of Novi. "We wanted something that would make our meeting areas stand out and, at the same time, celebrate our home state," USFS CEO/President Mat Ishbia said. "Our employees are our greatest asset, so choosing the cities and towns they are from or currently live in was an easy choice."

Bailey & Shamoun fundraiser will help NHS students

Bailey & Shamoun Interiors, a full service interior design firm located in downtown Northville, is hosting a fundraiser for local students during the Girls Night Out event Nov. 15.

During the event, they will donate 10 percent of all sales to various clubs and organizations at Northville High School. Shoppers can specify if they want their donation to go to one of three areas: Clubs and organizations, athletics, or student assistance. There are over 80 clubs at the high school.

"Giving our shoppers a chance to say where they want the donation to go makes it even more fun" said co-owner Basma Shamoun-Miscovich. "Whether you're a mom or a music



Bailey & Shamoun Interiors owners Kathryn Bailey and Basma Shamoun-Miscovich.

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BUSINESS BRIEFS

Book signing

Barnes & Noble, 17111 Haggerty in Northville, will host a book signing by sports writer Steve Kornacki from 7-9 p.m. on Friday, Nov. 8. The former beat writer for the *Ann Arbor News*, *Detroit Free Press* and *FOXSportsDetroit.com*, will be signing his new book, "Go Blue! Michigan's Greatest Football Stories."

The book is based on intimate interviews with former players and coaches. Due to his long history covering Michigan football, Kornacki was given open-door access to Lloyd Carr, Bo Schemmelcher, and Gary Moeller, all of whom provided hours sharing personal accounts. Stories include being in the Michigan locker room after Schemmelcher's last game in the "Big House" and hearing his rousing speech leading the team in *The Victors* as they punctuated each verse by thrusting red roses toward the ceiling.

Carr recalls his walk down memory lane the

morning after Michigan won the Rose Bowl and secured the No. 1 ranking in the AP poll. A more heartfelt yarn is the "American Dream" tale of quarterback Elvis Grbac's Croatian family and the story of center Steve Everitt's family surviving Hurricane Andrew in a bathtub with the family dog and his 1990 Gator Bowl MVP trophy.

For more information, visit www.triumph-books.com/GoBlue.

Veterans business summit

WWJ-AM 950/Fox2's Business Editor Murray Feldman along with GreenPath Debt Solutions, will host a "Veterans Money and Well-Being Summit" from 9 a.m. to noon on Monday, Nov. 11.

Panelists from GreenPath, the Veterans Administration and St. Mary Mercy Hospital and related exhibitors will discuss personal finance issues, as well as housing, medical issues and more facing veterans.

There will also be a

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Hospital lecture

Providence Park Hospital in Novi will host the lecture "Dizziness, Balance & Falls (Treatment & Causes)" from 6-7 p.m., Tuesday, Nov. 12, in the Outpatient Building (conference rooms A, B and C). Eleanor Chan, M.D., otolaryngologist, will be the presenter. To make a reservation for this free event, call 888-751-5465.

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I'm Keith Meadows, owner and operator of American Power Vac, Inc. For years, I've been improving our community's health one family at a time. By now we've all heard the statistics: 50% of all illness is a direct relation to dirty indoor air and our indoor air is up to 90 times more polluted than outdoor air. Yet, 90% of the calls I receive everyday are from desperate people complaining about dust. They tell me they dust the T.V. on Friday, but by Sunday they are pushing the dust out of the way again so they can watch Dancing with the Stars, and none of them know exactly where it's coming from. Well, I'm here to tell you that it's not because you're a bad house-keeper, I tell people that by simply having your ducts cleaned will drastically reduce household dust, and the reason is, your cold air returns.

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Cold air returns are also the reason new homeowners are experiencing dust. While your drywall was being sanded, your cold air returns sucked all of the dust through the system and it settled on the bottom of the duct lines where a little at a time gets blown back into your home. To prove it, take a walk down into your basement, look up at the ceiling for thin sheets of tin nailed between your floor joists. These are your cold air return lines. Give them a good pounding. You'll see puffs of dust seeping out of the edges. That my friends, is the reason you have uncontrollable dust problems!

This debris cannot be removed without a professional. Which brings me to my next point: choosing an airtight cleaning company. Most companies use portable units, which are like a shop vac that you would vacuum your car with, obviously absolutely useless. Then there are companies who claim they have a truck-mounted system. In reality, they have a low powered

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Contact: 248-348-1020
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Location: 45301 W. 11 Mile
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Details: Gently used items from the very old to almost new. Admission is \$2; \$1 for children 12 and under. All funds raised will benefit Village Banking. For more information go to: <http://fumcnorthville.org/#/missions-and-service> or www.villagebanking.org.

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

Location: 41415 Nine Mile, corner of Meadowbrook Road, Novi
Contact: 248-349-0565
Sundays: 8:45 a.m. Sunday School and Bible Study; 10 a.m. Worship

Holy Cross Episcopal Church

Location: 40700 W. 10 Mile
Contact: 248-427-1175 or holycrossnovi@gmail.com; visit holyCROSSnovi.org
Sunday Worship: 7:45 and 10 a.m.
Sunday School and Nursery Care: 10 a.m. Worship service
Alzheimer's Support Group: 10 a.m. second Saturday of month.

Hope Lutheran Church

Location: 39200 W. 12 Mile (east of Haggerty), Farmington Hills
Alternative Christmas Fair
Time/Date: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 9
Details: Over 40 organizations will be selling holiday items to raise funds and awareness for a myriad of non-profit charities, social service agencies, and international fair trade organizations. Shoppers will find the Alternative Christmas Fair reminiscent of a global bazaar with special products from around the world. Many purchases will benefit those closer to home: The Detroit Rescue Mission Ministries, The Salvation Army, St. Aloysius Neighborhood Services, and the St. Joseph Food Pantry. In addition, advocacy groups raise funds for those battling cancer, terminally ill patients, and senior citizens. Admission is \$1.
Contact: (248) 553-7170 or visit www.alternativechristmas-fair.org.

Lakes Baptist Church

Location: 309 Decker Road, Walled Lake
Livonia Church of Christ
Location: 15431 Merriman, Livonia
Contact: 734-427-8743 or visit www.livoniachurch.net
Sunday Worship: 11 a.m.
Bible School: Sunday 10 a.m.; Wednesday 7 p.m.

Meadowbrook Congregational Church

Location: 21355 Meadowbrook Road, between Eight Mile and Nine Mile
Contact: the Rev. Arthur P. Ritter, senior minister, 248-348-7757, visit mbccc.org or e-mail to office@mbccc.org.
Sunday Worship: 10 a.m.
Church School: 10-11 a.m.
Fellowship Hour: 11 a.m.
Merry Widows Luncheon: 11:30 a.m. fourth Thursday of each month
Pilgrim Fellowship: 6 p.m. Sundays

Northville Christian Assembly

Location: 41355 Six Mile
Contact: 248-348-9030; ncalife.org
Sundays: 9-10 a.m. Sunday School for Adults / Youth / Children; 9 a.m. Contemporary service in multipurpose gymnasium; 10:15 a.m.: Contemporary service in worship center; children's super church on the second level (208/210)
Wednesday Family Night: 7 p.m.; Adult elective classes; junior and senior high ministries; children's programs, Nursery and Preschool Program on Sundays and Wednesdays Home of Northville Christian School (day care; preschool through eighth grade); call 248-348-9031.

Novi-Northville Center for Jewish Life

Details: Events, programs and activities for all ages throughout the year - children's programs, Sunday school, adult Jewish classes, youth clubs, holiday services and programs, community social events.
Contact: Rabbi Avrohhom & Leah Susskind at 248-790-6075 or rabbino@novijewishcenter.com; www.novijewishcenter.com

Novi United Methodist Church

Location: 41671 W. 10 Mile
Contact: 248-349-2652 or visit umcnovi.com
Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/pages/Novi-United-Methodist-Church/59782031433>
Sunday Worship: 9:45 a.m.
Healing Service and Holy Communion: 9:45 a.m. first Sunday of every month
Peace Vigil: noon, first Sunday of every month in front of the church. Members of the congregation and the community will stand united in prayer for peace.

Oak Pointe Church

Location: 50200 W. 10 Mile Rd., Novi
Contact: 248-912-0043
Web: www.oakpointe.org/lifegroups
Worship Services: 5:15 p.m. Saturday; 9:15 a.m., 11:15 a.m. Sunday
ReNew Life Group Ministries: 7-9 p.m. Monday (groups meet weekly)
Surviving the Holidays - 6:30-8:30 p.m. Friday, Nov. 15; ReNew Ministry will be hosting a seminar to encourage your heart and help you find new joy in the midst of the season. with guest speaker Robert Rogers. This event is for anyone grieving the loss of a loved one, and for singles (divorced or never married). Cost is \$10/person, which includes dinner provided (must preregister - www.oakpointe.org).
Women's Life Groups Ministries: 7 p.m. Tuesday; 9:30 a.m. Wednesday
Men's Life Groups Ministries: 6 a.m. Friday; at the church and various locations

Orchard Grove Community Church

Location: 850 Ladd Road, Building C, Walled Lake
Web: www.orchardgrove.org
Contact: Amanda Rehm at 248-926-6584 or amanda.rehm@orchardgrove.org.

Our Saviour Apostolic Lutheran Church

Location: 54899 Eight Mile, Northville

Orchard Grove Community Church

Location: 850 Ladd Road, Walled Lake
Contact: 248-926-6584; www.orchardgrove.org

Orchard Hills Baptist Church

Location: 23455 Novi Road
Contact: pastor Jon Hix, 248-349-5665
Preschool/Kids Choir: 7-8:15 p.m. every Wednesday
Details: For ages 3-6; ongoing event; no need to preregister; all are welcome.

Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church

Location: 47650 N. Territorial Road, Plymouth Township
Contact: 734-453-0326, Ext. 221

Our Lady of Victory Catholic Church

Location: 770 Thayer, Northville
Contact: 248-349-2621 or olvnorthville.org
Saturday Worship: 5 p.m.
Sunday Worship: 7:30, 9:30, 11:30 a.m.

Our Shepherd Presbyterian Church

Location: 1200 S. Sheldon Road, Plymouth
Contact: pastor Bill Burke at 734-927-0891
Wednesday Bible Study: 7 p.m.
Sunday Bible Study: 9:30 a.m.
Sunday Worship: 10:30 a.m. with fellowship and food after service

Our Savior Apostolic Lutheran Church

Location: 54899 Eight Mile, Northville

Pentecostals of Novi

Location: Novi Civic Center, 45175 W. 10 Mile
Contact: 248-697-8158 or visit www.thepentecostalsofnovi.org

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Plymouth St. John's Episcopal Church

Location: 574 S. Sheldon in Plymouth
Contact: 734-453-0190, Ext. 16, or visit www.stjohnsplymouth.org

Praise Baptist Church

Location: 45000 N. Territorial Road, Plymouth
Contact: 734-748-3898

St. James Catholic Church

Location: 46325 10 Mile, Novi
Contact: 248-347-7778
Pastor: Monsignor John Kasza
Mass Schedule: 8, 9:30 and 11:30 a.m. Sunday; 9 a.m. Monday-Tuesday; 7 p.m. Wednesday; 5 p.m. Saturday

St. John Lutheran Church

Location: 23225 Gill Road, Farmington Hills
Contact: 248-474-0584 or visit stjohn-lutheran.com
Saturday Worship: 5:30 p.m.
Sunday Worship: 9, 11:15 a.m.
Sunday School: 10:15 a.m.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church

Location: 201 Elm St., Northville
Contact: 248-349-3140

Unity of Farmington Hills

Location: 32500 W. 13 Mile, Farmington
Contact: 248-737-9191; AdministrativeDirector@unityfh.com

Unitarian Universalist Church of Farmington

Location: 25301 Halsted Road, Farmington Hills
Contact: www.uufarmington.org
Youth Interfaith Journey: 9:30 and 11 a.m. Sundays
Details: This religious education program is open to the public and currently enrolling new students. Classes are grouped into grades K-5, 6-8 and 9-12 with age-specific education materials for all.
Contact: Jennifer Teed at 248-478-7272 or dre@uufarmington.org
Lifelong Learning Forum: 7:30-9:30 p.m. Thursdays
Details: Six weeks exploring different topics like religion, philosophy, science, health, social and political issues. No advance registration necessary; a \$5 donation is suggested. Drop in and pick the class that interests you most at the Unitarian Universalist Church of Farmington.
Contact: 248-478-7272 or uufc@re-lifespan
Multi-Generational Services: 6:45 p.m. Fridays
Details: Family members of all ages can gather for drumming, chanting, and meditation followed by a brief participatory worship service which could include stories, songs and sharing. A religious education activity will follow, such as an art project, music, dance, game or theater. The evening will close with a light snack and a short time to socialize, ending at 8:30 p.m.

Ward Evangelical Presbyterian Church

Location: 40000 Six Mile
Contact: 248-374-7400 or 248-374-5978
Sunday Worship: 8 a.m., 9:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. Traditional; 9:30 and 11 a.m. Contemporary. Nursery and Sunday School during the 9:30 a.m. and 11 a.m. services.
Service Broadcast: 11 a.m. every Sunday on WRDT-AM 560, The WMUZ Word Station.
Single Point Ministries (45 and older): 11 a.m. Sunday for fellowship and Bible study.
Single Point Ministries (35-50 years old): 9:30 a.m. Sunday to deepen your personal relationship with Christ.
Single Purpose Connexions (20-30 years old): 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, fellowship, friendships and more.
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BULLINGER, LILLIAN
Age 89, passed away October 29, 2013. She was born on August 15, 1924, in Detroit, to the late John and Adeline (Scopetti) Piacentini. Lillian is survived by her Children: Lynda Ryskamp, Lori Bullinger; 5 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband George Bullinger, son Robert Bullinger, grandson Jason Ryskamp and 12 siblings. A private family service was held.
Online guestbook: www.phillipsfuneral.com



CARLOCK, DONALD R.
age 71, a longtime resident of Milford, passed away peacefully on November 1, 2013. Born December 12, 1941 in Pontiac, Don was the only son born to Olga and John Carlock. Don's working career was spent as a test driver for GM. His affection for cars carried over to his personal life--every vehicle Don owned was meticulously maintained, always spotless and looking new. He retired in 1991. Don adored his mother, and, as a dedicated son, Don took good care of her, serving as her main caregiver. Don enjoyed the company of his toy poodles, Penny and later Heidi. He enjoyed all kinds of music and was an avid fan of Eric Clapton. Don was well-known and well liked--always thoughtful, compassionate and considerate. Loved by many, he will be sorely missed by everyone whose life he touched. Funeral Services were held Nov. 7, 2013 at First Baptist Church-Milford. The Rev. Steve Swayze officiated. Burial Milford Memorial Cemetery. Memorial contributions encouraged: Alzheimer's Assoc. and the Michigan Humane Society.

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Dixon, Kathleen K.
Age 76, passed away October 29, 2013. A memorial service will be held at a later date. Guest book www.phillipsfuneral.com.

DIXON, KATHLEEN K.
Age 76, passed Oct. 29, 2013. Mass Nov. 9, 10:30am St. James Catholic Church, Novi. Online guestbook: [phillipsfuneral.com](http://www.phillipsfuneral.com)



DIXON, KATHLEEN
Passed away on October 29, 2013 at her home in South Lyon, Michigan at the age of 76. She was born in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania to Virginia and John C.R. Kelly. She was one of nine children. She married her husband Jim in 1963 and raised five children, who survive her. She resided in Pittsburgh, PA; Erie, PA; Mentor, Ohio; and Dayton, OH before finally moving to South Lyon, MI. She was diagnosed with PSP (Progressive Supranuclear Palsy) in 2009 and finally succumbed. Donations can be made in her honor to: <http://victors.us/KathleenDixon>. A service will be held at St James Catholic Church, 46325 W. 10 Mile Rd., Novi, MI on Saturday Nov. 9 at 10:30 a.m.

May peace be with you in this time of sorrow.



EDMAN, RICKIE
Age 61, passed away October 28, 2013. He was born on March 3, 1952, in Northville, to Cledith and Georgia (Thomas) Redman. He enjoyed being outdoors, working in the woods, cutting firewood, and fishing. He loved being with his wife, grandchildren and family. He was known for being witty, funny and his sense of humor. Rickie is survived by his wife of 43 years, Sharon; children: Tracy (Jarod) Moseley, Arron (Raina) Redman, Adam (Megan) Redman; his mother Georgia Redman; 6 grandchildren: Carter, Curtis, Shelby, Riley, Everett, Wyatt; siblings: Verna Hatfield, Kenny (Linda) Redman, Doug (Kathy) Redman, Troy (Johnna) Redman; and many nieces, nephews and friends. He was preceded in death by his father Cledith Redman on Oct. 21, 2004. Visitation was held on Oct. 30, Wednesday, from 4:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. A funeral service was held on Oct. 31, Thursday, at 11:00 a.m. at Phillips Funeral Home, 122 West Lake Street, South Lyon. Pastor John Bradshaw officiated. **Online guestbook:** www.phillipsfuneral.com



HOUSNER, RICHARD D.
of Ravenna, TX. Passed October 24, 2013. Graveside Services will be held November 5 at 1pm. Fairview Cemetery in Brighton. keehnfunealhome.com

MORRIS, BREANNA M.
Age 20, October 31, 2013. Visitation November 5 12-2 p.m. Funeral 2 p.m., Phillips Funeral Home www.phillipsfuneral.com

Pridemore, Claude G.
Passed Oct. 27, 2013, age 99. Funeral Nov. 2, 2013, Milford. Burial Milford Memorial Cemetery. Lynch & Sons, Milford, LynchFuneralDirectors.com

VERNIER, WAYNE C.
Of Highland, died on November 3rd, 2013. Funeral from Lynch & Sons, Milford, Thursday, November 7, 11am.

In Memoriam

IN MEMORY OF SHANNON PARTIN
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Love,
Mom, Dad, Asher, Jason & Samantha

ENGAGEMENT

Laura Elizabeth Snearly and David Nicholas Elliott, both of Royal Oak, are engaged to be married. Laura is the daughter of Charles and Vicki Snearly of Novi. She is a 2005 graduate of Northville High School and a 2009 graduate of Albion College. She is currently employed at Ignite Social Media in Birmingham. David is the son of Michael and Debra Elliott, of Evert, Mich. He is a 2005 graduate of Evert High School and 2009 graduate of Albion College. He is currently employed at Price Waterhouse Cooper in Detroit. A March 8, 2014 wedding is planned in Detroit.



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It was an intra-family rivalry when VanAntwerp children took along their Northville Record to the big Michigan-Michigan State football game last weekend in East Lansing. Pictured (from left) are Michael VanAntwerp, a senior at MSU, Donna VanAntwerp, who is a U-M alum, high school senior Max VanAntwerp and Madison VanAntwerp, a junior at MSU. They are all products of the Northville school district.

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Wednesday Midweek Ministries 7 p.m.
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Student athletes make their community proud

If you've been paying any attention to our sports sections this fall, especially the last couple weeks, you know that teams from Northville High School are having one heck of a run.

I've only been the editor of the *Record* for a little more than a year, but I've been around prep sports long enough to know for a public high school to have the kind of success Northville has had this fall is pretty astounding. It just doesn't happen very often.

The girls cross country team just won the state Division I championship over the weekend. It is the first time a cross country team from Northville High School has ever earned that honor. At the end of the summer, the team, led by Coach Nancy Smith, set a goal for themselves – to win that elusive state championship. The team went to work, and put in the time and effort to succeed. Runners Rachel Cole-



Kurt Kuban

man, Lexa Barrott, Taleen Shahrighian and Cayla Eckenroth set a high ceiling for themselves and led the team to new heights.

They have done their community proud. And captured some memories nobody will ever be able to take away from them.

But it definitely doesn't stop there. Their male counterparts also had a great showing at the state championships at Michigan International Speedway in Brooklyn. Coached by Chris Cronin, the men's cross country team finished in fifth place, which is the best effort in the program's history. Individually, senior runner Dan Sims took All-State honors for the third time.

How about the football

team? Sure, many people are still stinging a bit from the team's playoff loss to rival Catholic Central on Friday. It was a crushing defeat, because the Mustangs had also set some lofty goals for themselves and experienced such success this year.

The Mustangs have nothing to hang their heads about. They just completed what is probably the most successful season in the school's history. They won their conference, and beat some quality teams along the way, including Canton and Walled Lake Western (not to mention cross-town rival Novi). And

Not to be forgotten, the tennis team also just finished its season, and placed 15th in the state. That's pretty darn good as well.

The volleyball and girls swimming teams are set to compete in the playoffs this week after a very successful regular seasons as well. We wish them all the luck.



The Northville girls cross country team just won the school's first ever state championship in the sport. Their hard work and dedication should be an inspiration to us all. They have made the community proud. From left are Cayla Eckenroth, Nicole Mosteller, Alison Robinson, Emma Herrmann, Lexa Barrott, Rachel Coleman, Erin Zimmer and Taleen Shahrighian. JOHN HEIDER | STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

I'm not sure what's in the water over there at Northville High, but I sure wish I could bottle some of it up.

Seriously, these student athletes deserve all the praise in the world. By participating in athletics, they have begun to pave a successful path for themselves. They have already learned the importance of hard work and how special it is to be part of a team, where every-

one pulls for a common cause. They probably don't realize it, but they are having some of the best experiences of their lives right now.

And, in the process, they are making their hometown proud as can be. Keep up the good work Mustangs!

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Did you see a UFO over Meadowbrook Road?

Former Novi resident remembers 1960s incident

By **Lonnie Huhman**
Staff Writer

Nancy Tremaine remembers seeing the flying saucer over Borchart Street and then she remembers running toward her home on Meadowbrook Road.

However, it's after that summer night in the early 1960s when things took a turn for the former Novi resident. The sighting would go on to impact the rest of her life and now she's looking for some answers.

"It was a very traumatizing experience that stayed with me," she said of the incident when she was 12 years old and saw what appeared to be a UFO floating over Novi.

Tremaine said she was taken up into the craft. She doesn't remember much, but it has been coming back to her lately.

In recent years, she has gone through regression therapy and has sifted through years of forgotten memories with the help of Dr. Harry Willnus, a UFO researcher who said this story is similar to many others.

Now she is seeking answers and other witnesses to the UFO sighting. Some might think she was imagining it or making this up, but she stands by her account.

"I'm not a liar and I'm not afraid anymore," Tremaine said during a recent visit to the place where it all happened.

Although he didn't see the UFO, former Novi Police Chief Lee BeGole, 93, is one such witness. He was on duty at the police station the night the incident occurred. He recalls hearing dispatch receive a call from an off-duty Novi police officer doing security at a construction site off of Meadowbrook at the time. The site had equipment and materials stolen from it in the previous weeks, so the officer volunteered to watch it.

"He called into dispatch and said there was a strange object



Former Novi resident Nancy Tremaine describes being abducted by a UFO in Novi in the 1960s in the location she's standing – off Orchard Drive near Meadowbrook Road. Tremaine, who says she's been targeted by UFOs for many years, says that many local residents remember seeing a large object floating above the area during that time. Former Novi Chief of Police Lee BeGole recalled his officers working in the area and reporting a strange object as well. JOHN HEIDER | STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

overhead," BeGole said.

Police dispatch took multiple calls that night from people stating they saw a strange object, including one from a city council member's wife. Not a believer in UFOs, BeGole said it was a strange night nonetheless.

Tremaine is not exactly sure of the year it happened; she believes it was 1961, but it could have been some time during the span from 1960-62. Tremaine is sure it was summer because it happened during dusk and there was still a little bit of light outside. She was at her friend's home when the friend's father asked them to come outside and see what was in the sky.

They looked up and saw a silver saucer-shaped object with red, green and white lights that appeared to have been either rotating or pulsat-

ing. She said it was very noticeable.

"It was humongous to my young eyes," she said of the UFO.

Tremaine said she saw a light beam down onto the officer's unmarked car. It was then her friend's father said she should run home. As she made her way, she felt a sensation like being shocked.

She was told she had been missing and later ended up at home with little memory of what had happened. Later she was told to forget about it.

Putting together the pieces is one step in her healing process. She's asking Novi residents if they remember that night and, if so, would they reach out to her via this writer's contact info here:

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Nancy Tremaine drew this illustration of the night of her abduction by an alien craft in the 1960s in Novi. She said that she was concerned that her friend Cindy, pictured in this illustration, who was near her, would be abducted as well. JOHN HEIDER | STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

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STATE CHAMPIONS!

Girls win program's first cross country crown

By Sam Eggleston
Correspondent

Nancy Smith made it clear that Northville girls cross country team had to knock down some mental barriers in order to make a run for the state championship last Saturday. The Mustangs, led by Rachel Coleman, didn't just knock down barriers – they blew the doors right off the hinges as they raced to the top Division 1 spot in the state and took home the school's first-ever cross country title. The team col-

lected 107 points at Michigan International Speedway in Brooklyn, while Saline was second with 139 and Hudsonville third with 164.

If that wasn't impressive enough, the Mustangs also placed four runners in the top 30, giving each – Coleman, Lexa Barrott, Taleen Shahrigian and Cayla Eckenroth – all-state status.

"They worked as a total team, which they have done all year long, and used their strong packs to secure the win," Smith said. "To have four all-state athletes today with the weather just shows how strong and determined they were. In the past 13 years, I have only had one reach the podium (De-

von Rupley). That shows how talented this group is."

Shahrigian said Northville has been a strong team for the past several years, but this year something just had to change.

"We wanted to make history this year," she said. "The past few years, we've come into the state meet ranked pretty high up there, but it's never showed at the state meet. So this year we just wanted to make it happen."

Despite soggy conditions and less-than-stellar running weather, Coleman put an exclamation point on what has been a brilliant season. She raced to

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The Northville cross country team poses with its Division 1 team trophy after winning the first state title in the history of the program. Pictured are (front row, from left) Alison Robinson, Nicole Mosteller, Taleen Shahrigian, Rachel Coleman and Erin Zimmer and (back row, from left) assistant coach Jack Dalton, head coach Nancy Smith, Cayla Eckenroth, Emma Herrmann, Lexa Barrott and assistant coach Tim Dalton.

Powerful Shamrocks send Northville packing



CC's Zach Bock tears off a big touchdown run during the first quarter. JOHN HEIDER | STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Catholic Central continues forward in state playoffs

By Sam Eggleston
Correspondent

It was a tale of two quarters Friday night when Northville played host to Detroit Catholic Central in the opening round of the MHSAA football playoffs.

Unfortunately for the Mustangs, both of those quarters were dominated by the Shamrocks in a 35-14 decision.

"Everyone knows our identity and that is 'smash-mouth football' and we embrace it fully," Catholic Central assistant coach Michael Mach said. "Tonight, both our offense and our defense lived up to that and did a great job. We knew they (Northville) were a potent offense, so we were up against a challenge, but our kids responded, giving up just one score until the game was out of reach. We forced turnovers, squeezed their receivers well and pressured the quarterback consistently."

The Shamrocks used their tenacious defense to not only keep the Mustangs out of the end zone for most of the night, but also to score a touchdown in a scoop-and-score play by Cameron Hendershot as he rumbled 46 yards to give his team a 21-7 lead heading into halftime.

"I am proud of the effort and determination our team showed," Northville coach Matt Ladach said. "Despite

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Catholic Central will visit Walled Lake Western at 1 p.m. Saturday. The Shamrocks (8-2) still haven't allowed any team other than Brother Rice to score 20 or more points on them this season, while the Warriors (9-1) bounced back from their loss to Northville two weeks ago to defeat Canton last week, 44-41. There is no lost love between the Shamrocks and the Warriors. The two teams were once bitter playoff rivals, squaring off in 1999 and 2001. Walled Lake Western and coach Mike Zdebbski won the first game, 24-7, on their way to win the Division 1 state championship. Two years later, Catholic Central and coach Tom Mach topped the Warriors, 31-0, in a Division 1 semifinal and went on to win the state title. The Shamrocks will, as always, rely on their defense (9.8 points against per game average) to keep the Warriors' offense (39.7 points per game) in check.

losing the turnover battle and being on the short end of some big plays, our players fought hard all night long."

The two teams stood toe-to-toe in the third quarter, with neither defense allowing a score, but Connor Holton scored on a 10-yard scamper with just over 10 minutes remaining in the contest to keep momentum in the Shamrocks' favor.

Holton added his third touchdown of the night on a 55-yard run three minutes

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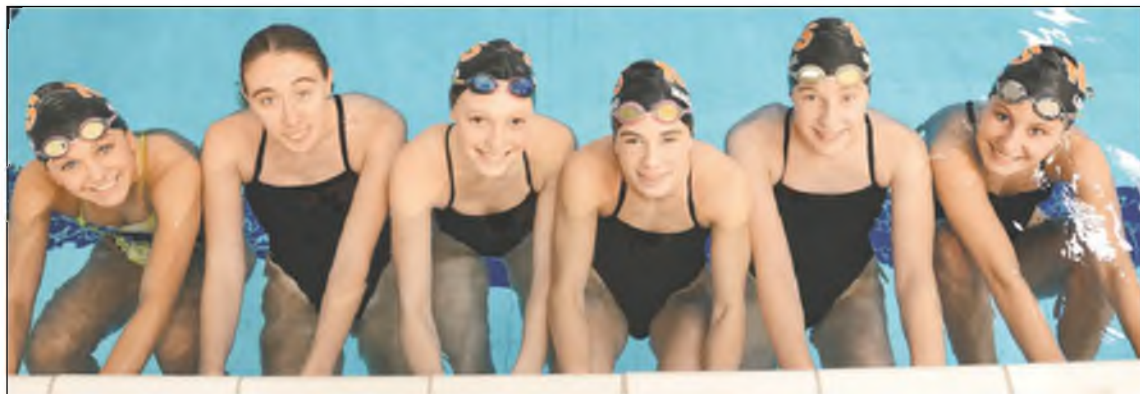
Mustangs tankers take home Central Division championship

Squad's depth too much for other teams to handle

By Sam Eggleston
Correspondent

The Northville girls swimming and diving team knew heading into the Central Division championships that it had a good chance at winning the title.

Little did the Mustangs know that their depth would lead them to a huge victory over their divisional foes, as they picked up 733.5 points for first place while South Lyon was second with 449 and Salem was third with 445.5. Taking fourth in the division was Stevenson with 335 points, while



The Northville swim team earned first place in the conference finals and is getting ready for the state finals. The team includes (from left) Alissa Moore, Andrea Meister, Nicki Pumper, Kelsey Macaddino, Laura Westphal and Sarah Lohman. JOHN HEIDER | STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

Novi took fifth with 236. "We had a really great meet," Northville coach Brian McNeff said. "Everyone was

pretty excited for this meet and it showed in the results."

The Mustangs have been cycling through their prep-

arations for the postseason and many swimmers came into the Central Division championships having been tapering.

ON TAP

Northville will be prepping for the state finals this next week, which take place Nov. 22-23.

"The swimmers that were tapered for the meet had a lot of time drops," McNeff said. "These girls put a ton of hard work in all year and it is great when you see them swim their best at the end."

Northville did pick up two state finals cuts, with Alissa Moore qualifying individually in the 200 and 500 freestyle races and Kelsey Macaddino qualifying in the 100 butterfly (a full state preview will be in next week's edition). The Mustangs

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tangs also picked up a state finals cut in the 200 freestyle relay.

“I was really proud of everyone who swam and ended their season,” McNeff said.

“It was nice to get a win, but we are still more focused on next week.”

Scoring points for the Mustangs in each event were:

» 200 medley relay: team of Darby Mroz, Sarah Lohman, Brittany Nayh and Macaddino (third, 1:55.56) and the team of Olivia Burrows, Lauren Jarzembowski, Maria Gutowski and Madeline Wilczewski (fifth);

» 200 freestyle: Moore (second, 1:57.02), Laura Westphal (third), Natalie Filipowicz (seventh), Sabrina Lee (eighth), Julia Scavnicky (10th) and Hope Miller (13th);

» 200 individual medley: Jarzembowski (sixth, 2:18.5), Mroz (seventh), Gutowski (eighth), Simone Young (14th) and Shannon Hayes (15th);

» 50 freestyle: Gillian Zayan (first, 26.11 seconds), Nicki Pumper (second), Sarah Ptashnik (eighth), Nora Orlandea (ninth), Lohman (11th – tie), Elena Pando (11th – tie) and Wilczewski (13th);

» Diving: Andrea Meister (second, 378.75 points), Claire Ostrowski (13th) and Erin Aquinto (15th);

» 100 butterfly: Macaddino (first, 1:00.27), Nayh (third), Scavnicky (fourth) and Kelsi Morgan (14th);

» 100 freestyle: Zayan (second, 56.13), Mroz (fourth), Pumper (fifth), Filipowicz (sixth), Hannah Craig (seventh), Alison Tucker (10th), Ptashnik (12th) and Pando (13th);

» 500 freestyle: Moore (first, 5:13.35), Jessica Yan (third),

Wilczewski (eighth), Rachel Mazzara (ninth), Miller (10th) and Chelsea Lepish (13th);

» 200 freestyle relay: team of Pumper, Macaddino, Moore and Westphal (third, 1:42.47) and the team of Filipowicz, Jarzembowski, Craig and Zayan (fifth);

» 100 backstroke: Lee (fourth, 1:03.73), Shannon Hayes (ninth), Alison Tucker (10th) and Burrows (12th);

» 100 breaststroke: Lohman (first, 1:10.66), Jarzembowski (second), Yan (fourth), Gutowski (fifth), Young (sixth), Craig (seventh), Orlandea (11th), Erin Szara (14th) and Allie Stellan (16th);

» 400 freestyle relay: the team of Moore, Macaddino, Pumper and Westphal (second, 3:44.75) and the team of Lee, Zayan, Mroz and Filipowicz (third).

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SHAMROCKS

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later to make it a 35-7 game with just seven minutes remaining.

The Mustangs refused to give up and found their way into the end zone on a run by senior quarterback Joey Hewlett from a yard out with 4:47 left in the contest. It was all Northville could muster before the clock ran out, ending its season with an 8-2 record.

The Shamrocks scored the opening touchdown in the second quarter on a 25-yard run by Holton. Northville answered with an 8-yard pass from Hewlett to Nick Stegmeyer to tie the game, 7-7.

Catholic Central regained the lead and kept it with a 67-yard run by Zach Bock with 4:22 left in the second quarter.

“Offensively, our backs and our line were also solid with their execution,” Mach said. “Connor (Holton) set the tone with some outstanding downhill running. He’s an ultra-competitive kid and tonight he gave us exactly what we want out of our tailbacks – 20-plus



Northville QB Joey Hewlett tries to evade the tackle of CC's Chris Micoff. JOHN HEIDER | STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

carries, 100 yards rushing and find the end zone. And Zack (Bock) is a playmaker. Every game, you just know he’s going to break a big one. You don’t know when, but when it happens, it’s fun to watch. He is electric.”

The Shamrocks, who climbed to 8-2 with the victory, managed 384 yards of total offense, with all but 49 coming on the ground. Northville was held to 335 yards, with 177 coming through the air. Unfortunately for the Mustangs, they also committed three turnovers with two interceptions and a fumble.

Ladach said that while his team’s season comes to an end, the Mustangs hope to meet the Shamrocks in the very near future.

“There has always been a fair amount of animosity between our schools. I was very proud of the competitive attitude of the game and of the mutual respect our teams showed for one another. This will be a good rivalry for a long time.”

Sam Eggleston is a freelance writer covering sports for the Northville Record and Novi News.

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10th overall with a time of 18:23, pulling along Barrott, who finished 13th in 18:27, Shahrigan, who was 14th in 18:30, and Eckenroth, who was 22nd in 18:34. That pack set a strong pace right in the beginning of the run and didn’t look back, even when the soft ground fired up an injury that has been plaguing Shahrigan the past two years, causing her foot to cramp.

She carried on, however, grimacing in pain, but keeping up with the pace set by Coleman, Barrott and Eckenroth.

But the tale of the victory isn’t always about just the top runners who

earn all-state status. In fact, this victory rests squarely on the shoulders of a rather unsung hero, who finished in 61st to guarantee her squad the first-place finish.

Nicole Mosteller ran her best race of the season with a time of 19:10, leading Erin Zimmer, who was 66th in 19:11, across the finish line, while Emma Herrmann rounded out the squad with a 19:32 for 100th place.

“Nicole Mosteller had the best race of the season when it counted the most,” Smith said. “She stepped up and secured the win for us by being the fifth runner today. I have been able to count on Nicole to grind it when it counts the most. She made the most of her last race today.”

The difference between the top five runners for Northville at the finals was a mere 47 seconds and the difference between the top seven was just 1:09.

“I am so proud of each of these individuals and couldn’t have asked for anything else,” Smith said.

The Mustangs will take a few weeks to bask in the glory of the state title, but it won’t be long before those who will be back next year get back to work. Barrott and Eckenroth will both return for next year. The former was the third-best sophomore in the state finals race and the latter was the top freshman.

Herrmann, a sophomore, will also return for the 2014 season.



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Mustangs gallop to fifth-place finish

Boys cross country team posts best-ever showing at state championship

By Sam Eggleston
Correspondent

The Northville boys cross country team went into the state finals Saturday looking to make history – and that’s exactly what it did.

The squad, coached by Chris Cronin, pounded out 202 points for a fifth-place finish in the Division 1 state championship race at Michigan International Speedway in Brooklyn, the best finish of any team in the history of the program.

Winning the finals was defending state champion Milford with 165 points, while Waterford Mott finished second with 170, Traverse City Central was third with 180 and Saline was fourth with 196.

Leading the way for Northville was Dan Sims, a senior who used a very strong last



Dan Sims (center) accepts his third career all-state cross country medal after finishing 10th at the state finals Saturday.

mile to finish 10th overall with a time of 15:52.

This year marks the third time Sims took home all-state honors, awarded to the top 30 runners in each division, for his performance at the finals – another historic moment for

the Mustangs.

“Dan is our school’s first three-time all-state cross country runner,” Cronin said. “Considering where he was in September, today’s result is a testament of his competitive fire and grit.”

Sims was injured the entire month of September and the state finals marked just his fifth race of the season.

“Simply put, Dan was amazing once again,” Cronin said. “Dan is one of those leaders who has the ability to make his teammates better – he has been a program changer for Northville cross country.”

Another program changer is Nick Noles, who finished 21st at the finals with a time of 15:58 to earn his second career all-state nod. The first time was in 2011, when he became the first freshman in the program to earn that honor.

“When Nick entered the infield at MIS in about 30th place, I knew his position was secure,” said Cronin, who knew his standout junior would give his all over the final length of the run. “You never wonder if Nick had anything left at the end of a race.”

Next for the Mustangs was junior Sean McCullough, 46th in 16:22, followed by sophomore Conor Naughton in 67th

with 16:29. Jason Ferrante, a junior, ran to 178th in 17:09.

“Sean’s finish was incredible today,” Cronin said. “In fact, according to the official race splits, McCullough covered that last tenth of a mile in 25 seconds – the quickest finish of any Mustang.”

Ferrante’s time was likely hampered due to an injury that kept him out of the regional. He could be seen favoring his leg while warming up before the race.

“When he was with Naughton and McCullough at the two-mile mark, I thought he might be able to finish strong, but the last mile proved too much,” Cronin said. “I couldn’t ask for any more from Jason. He showed up and gave his best.”

The final two for the Mustangs were Nick Dufresne and Jacob Kamm, who finished in 17:27 and 17:43, respectively.

Sam Eggleston is a freelance writer covering sports for the Northville Record and Novi News.

Northville Rowing Club ends season on high note

By Sam Eggleston
Correspondent

The Northville Rowing Club is well aware that Mother Nature doesn’t always cooperate when it comes to scheduling an event.

But the team, which competed in the Leelanau Chase two weeks ago, didn’t let inclement weather prevent it from turning in some impressive performances.

That determination kept the team from letting a full day’s delay get in its way, as the two-day event was forced to run all races on a single day following poor weather conditions.

“The weather is a factor all year round for Michigan rowing teams,” said Van Papouis, director of rowing for the Northville club. “But it’s especially tricky in late October. There was snow on the ground on our drive to Lake Leelanau

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from Northville.”

And if snow wasn’t enough, the chilling temperatures and intense wind made any thought of being out on the water nearly unbearable and resulted in Saturday’s cancellation.

Even Sunday’s 40-plus degree weather and biting wind made for potentially miserable conditions, but the Northville rowers were quick to figure out a way to keep their internal temperatures and their spirits high, earning several wins.

Starting that trend was the Northville girls junior novice four-plus team, which earned a

gold medal in its race that took place over a four-kilometer course, finishing at the Fountain Point Resort. The team of Julia Moore, Megan Thomas, Jackie Cole and Maya Sankaran were led by coxswain Sureena Sokhal and completed the course in 18:58 against a field of six competitors from Ann Arbor Skyline, Rockford, East Grand Rapids, Saline and Lake Leelanau.

The girls program also had a second-place finish on the day. Northville senior Emily Tatge took the silver in the girls singles race with a time of 19:34, outpacing rowers from Skyline, Rockford and East Grand Rapids.

Also taking a second-place finish was the Northville mixed junior novice eight-plus team of Aditya Dahiya, Tommy Rys, Andrew Robinson, Jake Gourd, Sokhal, Sierra Dattilo, Bethany Ho-



The Northville Rowing Club’s four-plus girls team members – Julia Moore, Jackie Cole, Megan Thomas, Maya Sankaran and coxswain Sureena Sokhal – pose with their gold medals after winning their event in the Leelanau Chase.

lub and Andrew Laybourn with Tatge in the coxswain role. They finished in 19:39.

The boys junior double team of Cameron Ulrich and Ashwath Muruganand finished second as well, crossing the finish line in just 17:11.

Earning a fourth-place finish on the day was the boys junior novice eight-plus team of Brian Wang,

Josh Bhattarai, Jake Gourd, Drew Skedel, Daniel Kargilis, JT Kerns, Frank Williams and Dahiya with coxswain Andrew Robinson. They finished in 16:46.

Another fourth came from the boys junior novice four-plus team of Bhattarai, Gourd, J.T. Kerns and Rys and coxswain Dattilo with a time of 19:34.

Also finishing fourth was the girls junior double boat of Tatge and Kayla Ulman in a time of 18:44.

Northville also had three boys singles boats take top-10 places, with Ulrich finishing sixth, Muruganand taking seventh and Yash Desai taking eighth.

Taking eighth in the boys junior eight-plus race was the team of Zach Butler, Dilan Varghese, Laki Papoulis, Alex Kerns, Erich Heiser, Ulrich, Muruganand, Desai and coxswain Josh Garrity with a time of 17:41.

Taking an 11th on the day was the boys junior four-plus boat of Butler, Varghese, Laki Papoulis and Heiser with Garrity as coxswain. They finish with a time of 17:49.

Sam Eggleston is a freelance writer covering sports for the Northville Record and Novi News.

Mustangs end regular season with tournament triumph

Abbott breaks school record for career kills over the weekend

By Sam Eggleston
Correspondent

It was one heck of a tournament to end the regular season schedule, and now the Northville volleyball team is carrying plenty of momentum with it as it enters the postseason.

The Mustangs, coached by Amanda Yaklin, played in the Seaholm Tournament against some very stiff competition and walked away with a victory.

Along the way, the Mustangs toppled the No. 1-ranked

team in the state, Birmingham Marian, on two occasions and twice defeated the No. 3-ranked team in the state, Novi, on their way to the tournament title.

“We had awesome results,” Yaklin said of her squad, which is receiving only honorable mention recognition in the weekly Michigan Interscholastic Volleyball Coaches Association poll.

The Mustangs started the tournament with a 25-22, 25-21 win over Marian before topping Seaholm, 25-16, 25-21 in the next match. They then beat Novi, 25-21, 25-17, before topping Grosse Pointe South, 25-10, 25-21.

To end the tournament, the Mustangs downed Marian

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Northville was slated to play Wednesday in the district tournament against Canton. Results will be available in next week’s edition and online at www.hometownlife.com.

again, 25-23, 25-22, before going three sets against Novi for the tourney title, 13-25, 25-16 and 15-8.

And if that wasn’t a sweet enough result, the Mustangs also watched as senior Symone Abbott set the new record for kills at Northville. She is currently at 630 kills on the season, surpassing the mark she set last year.

Northville also has several other players making plenty of noise statistically.

Junior Olivia Boisineau reached 100 blocks on the sea-

son during the tourney, while senior Rachel Zawodny is leading the team with 779 assists on the year. Four players are neck-and-neck in aces, with Abbott recording 65 so far, Cassidy Minghine coming in with 64 and Zawodny and Katherine Boss at 62 and 60, respectively.

Leading the team in the tournament with 26 digs was Julia Colasanti, while 90 percent of her 42 serve-receive attempts were playable by her teammates.

Senior front-row players

Chloe Kiple and Olivia Landis paired up to lead the team with with 10 and seven blocks, respectively.

As a team, Northville picked up 35 aces throughout the day (Zawodny led with 11) and had 79 perfect passes (Abbott: 31). The team had seven solo blocks (Abbott, three) and 33 assisted blocks (Kiple, nine) and had 148 team assists (Zawodny, 66). Northville also had 159 kills in the tournament (Abbott, 76) and 108 digs (Colasanti, 26).

Northville’s record climbed to 46-12-11 on the season with the victories.

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Wright & Hunter, Inc.
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Phone: 248 594-5850
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BID DUE DATE:

Until **1:00 PM EDT on November 18, 2013** the Owner will receive sealed Bids for the work as set forth in the Bid specifications and proposal forms ("RFB documents") at:
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RFB documents will be available on or after **November 5, 2013** and can be obtained by registering at the following website: <http://www.vlbp.com/launch/wrighthunter/home.php>.

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No bidders' meeting is scheduled.

Each bid shall be accompanied by a certified check, cashier's check, money order or bid bond made payable to Northville Public Schools in an amount not less than five percent (5%) of the base bid as a Bid guarantee.

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Data whiz takes on National Association of Realtors duties

Today's ever-evolving technology world is transforming the real estate industry, not only with new applications and tools, but also in generating volumes of information about how people approach and conduct real estate transactions. To help Realtors understand and interpret these trends, the National Association of Realtors has hired Todd Carpenter to fill a new position, Managing Director of Data Analytics.

Carpenter was previously NAR's Director of Digital Engagement, and most recently worked at Trulia.com as Senior Manager of Industry Engagement. He assumed his new responsibilities recently.

"I am very excited to be returning to NAR, and to be a part of this groundbreaking initiative," said Carpenter. "NAR has access to an enormous amount of data, and I'm going to be looking at how we can use that data to help our organization, our brokers, and our members make better business decisions that, in turn, help the consumers they serve."

NAR is also creating a data scientist position; this person, yet to be hired, will report to Carpenter. Both positions will form a new Predictive Analytics group, which will be working closely with the Center for REALTOR Technology, NAR's world-renowned Research Division, and other NAR groups to create analytics



Todd Carpenter

from NAR data and a variety of other sources. Carpenter will report to Senior Vice President and Chief Technology Officer Mark Lesswing.

"Predictive Analytics is NAR's approach to the often misunderstood but intriguing area known as 'Big Data,'" said Lesswing. "Predictive Analytics supports business by identifying, with some certainty, upcoming shifts in priorities. Keeping in front of these changes will allow us to provide the value that Realtors

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TODD CARPENTER
managing director of data analytics

tors expect from NAR."

The new NAR Predictive Analytics group will examine and analyze member and customer trends from a variety of data sets to better inform business planning. That means helping the association determine and develop services and resources that provide value to Realtors, and giving Realtors insights into ways they can better meet the needs of their clients and customers. Beyond NAR's data sets, Carpenter will also be responsible for acquiring and licensing data from other sources to achieve these goals.

NAR's interest in Big Data began with the Master Member Profile System in 2008, which studied a variety of in-house and outsourced data warehouse capabilities.

Tough to get someone back on board

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Q: I have heard of something called co-housing communities, and I am wondering if you can give me a general description of what that is all about, and what your thoughts are.

A: Co-housing communities generally include 10 to 30 homes or units that are close to and face each other and the common areas. Roads are on the outside. Typically, the community design plays a significant role in resident bonding and increases the likelihood that residents will run into each other when they are outside of their homes. Many co-housing communities I have represented also have a common house, usually a kitchen, dining room, laundry area and more that serves as an activity hub. Residents typically pay assessments to keep up the amenities and they are asked to maintain their community involvement by doing communal chores and participating in a certain number of common meals each week. These activities are vital to the community because they tend to be when the neighbors really begin to bond. There can be, however, issues concerning the governance of co-housing in the normal course of condominium living since decisions must still be made by a body which typically is a board of directors but in co-housing may be the community as a whole.



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43671 Christopher Ct	\$104,000
7121 Copper Creek Cir	\$147,000
1928 Crowndale Ln	\$388,000
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50677 Federal Blvd	\$77,000
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3141 Greenwich Ct	\$279,000
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48655 Gyde Rd	\$350,000
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17820 Crestbrook Dr	\$602,000
17862 Crestbrook Dr	\$493,000
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15445 Chelsea	\$22,000
9911 Columbia	\$53,000
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658 Van Lawn St	\$59,000
2688 Wilshire St	\$93,000

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HOMES SOLD/REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS-OAKLAND COUNTY

These are the -area residential real estate closings recorded the week of July 1-5, 2013, at the Oakland County Register of Deeds office. Listed below are cities, addresses, and sales prices.

BEVERLY HILLS

16375 Locherbie Ave	\$233,000
22940 Nottingham Dr	\$354,000
BINGHAM FARMS	
23935 Greenglen Ct	\$325,000
BIRMINGHAM	
174 Catalpa Dr	\$495,000
1653 Cole St	\$190,000
1709 E 14 Mile Rd Unit A	\$50,000
407 Greenwood St	\$400,000
1405 Holland St	\$358,000
1645 Holland St	\$155,000
672 Puritan Ave	\$1,320,000
2351 Yorkshire Rd	\$254,000

BLOOMFIELD HILLS

1873 W Tahquamenon Ct	\$352,000
218 Charing Cross Ct	\$685,000
2483 Hickory Glen Dr	\$380,000
7185 Holiday Dr	\$269,000
2450 Hunters Pond	\$480,000
5950 Indianwood Trl	\$290,000
3669 Middlebury Ln	\$200,000
4340 Stony River Dr	\$350,000
908 Tartan Trl	\$235,000
6277 Worlington Rd	\$220,000

BLOOMFIELD TOWNSHIP

860 Ardmoor Dr	\$1,250,000
2655 Aspen Ln	\$268,000
4795 Burnley Dr	\$428,000
5247 Clarendon Crest St	\$200,000
3645 Darcy Dr	\$455,000
1304 Forestglen Ct	\$227,000
1840 Long Lake Shore Dr	\$900,000
6630 Meadowlake Rd	\$448,000
6944 Meadowlake Rd	\$375,000
4984 Ranch Ln	\$345,000
866 Rock Spring Rd	\$400,000
1205 Timberview Trl	\$260,000
1650 Trailwood Path # B	\$140,000
306 Vailwood Ct	\$730,000
42160 Woodward Ave Unit 33	\$190,000
COMMERCE TOWNSHIP	
5085 Carinas Way Ct	\$270,000
9559 Chaumont Dr	\$172,000
2051 Portlock Ave	\$138,000
FARMINGTON	
32070 Grand River Ave Unit 7	\$40,000
23076 Hayden	\$130,000
32125 Marblehead Rd	\$139,000
20966 Robinwood St	\$152,000
22998 Warner St	\$150,000
FARMINGTON HILLS	
36811 Ashover Dr	\$318,000
25544 Brookview St	\$283,000
32015 Farmersville Rd	\$200,000
28849 Hidden Trl	\$289,000

26081 Hidden Valley Dr	\$292,000
37740 Hollyhead Dr	\$200,000
21295 Juniper Ct	\$120,000
29627 Meadowridge Cir	\$165,000
34614 Rhonswood St	\$100,000
22350 River Ridge Trl	\$189,000
30219 Southampton Ln	\$215,000
35888 Springvale St	\$250,000
27400 W 10 Mile Rd	\$78,000
FRANKLIN	
32875 Colony Hill Dr	\$380,000
30950 Franklin Oaks Trl	\$1,310,000
MILFORD	
463 Heritage Dr	\$310,000
1785 Melody Ln	\$270,000
624 N Main St	\$365,000
1320 Yosemite Valley Dr	\$299,000
NORTHVILLE	
37440 Eight Mile Rd	\$150,000
52041 Carrington Dr	\$50,000
1210 Charleston Ct	\$160,000
22239 Lujon Dr	\$15,000
21127 Maybury	\$801,000
NOVI	
25029 Alcorn Trl	\$528,000
22871 Gilbar St	\$240,000
50624 Glades Ct E	\$50,000
22600 Heatherwoode	\$210,000
44891 Huntingcross Dr	\$279,000
30142 Lanford Dr	\$303,000
24383 N Le Bost	\$153,000
47701 Red Pine Ct	\$370,000

47139 Scarlet Dr S	\$215,000
27467 Sloan St	\$313,000
24397 Venice Dr	\$339,000
SOUTH LYON	
59257 Bavernhaus Ct	\$96,000
54525 Brentwood Dr	\$299,000
23580 Bristlecone Ct	\$362,000
1167 Cartwright Ct	\$374,000
25805 Coach Ln	\$320,000
23725 Copperwood Dr W	\$440,000
54844 Grenelefe Cir W	\$65,000
595 Kestrel Ridge Dr	\$180,000
60843 Lillian St	\$112,000
1172 Paddock Dr	\$284,000
22800 Spy Glass Hill Dr	\$403,000
59556 Twin Pines Dr	\$130,000
920 Village Way	\$150,000
SOUTHFIELD	
27507 Bell Rd	\$110,000
27741 Red Leaf Ln	\$79,000
29145 Wellington Rd E # 38	\$70,000
WHITE LAKE	
8962 Attard Ln	\$259,000
915 Farnsworth Rd	\$105,000
9144 Steephollow Rd	\$140,000
605 Teggedrine Dr	\$98,000
2704 Wabum Rd	\$115,000
8095 Wildwood Ln	\$224,000

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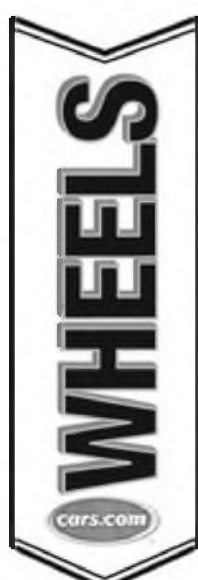
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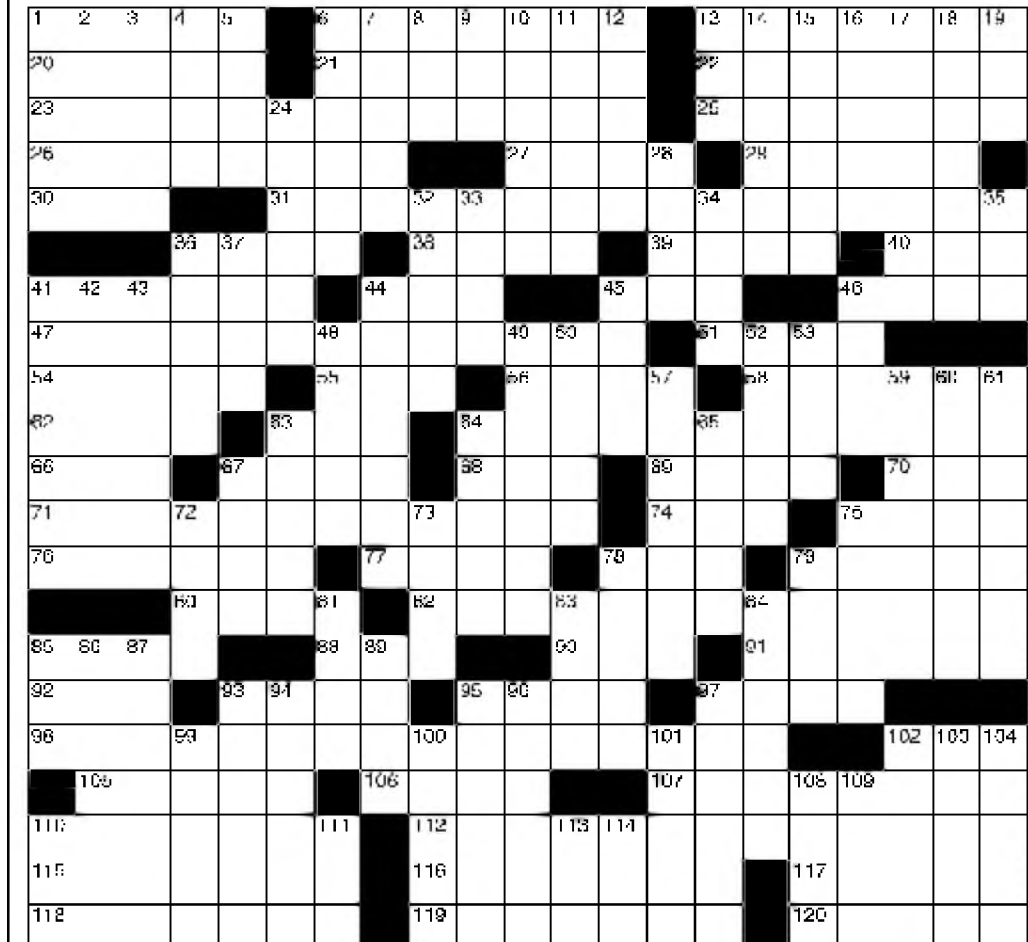
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During job interviews, employers will try to gather as much information about you as possible, mostly through perfectly legal questioning, but sometimes through simple yet illegal questions. It's up to the interviewee to recognize these questions for what they are.

Any questions that reveal your age, race, national origin, gender, religion, marital status and sexual orientation are off-limits.

"State and federal laws make discrimination based on certain protected categories, such as national origin, citizenship, age, marital status, disabilities, arrest and conviction record, military discharge status, race, gender or pregnancy status, illegal," Lori Adelson, a labor and employment attorney and partner with law firm Arnstein & Lehr, tells Business Insider. "Any question that asks a candidate to reveal information about such topics without the question having a job-related basis will violate the various state and federal discrimination laws."

"However, if the employer states questions so that they directly relate to specific occupational qualifications, then the questions may be legitimate. Clearly, the intent behind the question needs to be examined."

If you are asked any inappropriate questions, Adelson advises not to lie, but, instead, politely decline to answer. "Could they not give you a job because of that? Sure. But if they do, they would be doing exactly what they're not supposed to do."

We compiled the following illegal interview questions that are often mistaken as appropriate from Adelson and Joan K. Ustin & Associates, a consultant firm specializing in human resources and organization development.

Some common interview questions actually are illegal



What religious holidays do you practice?

Employers may want to ask you this to see if your lifestyle interferes with work schedules, but this question reveals your religion and that's illegal. They can ask you if you're available to work on Sundays.

Have you ever been arrested?

An employer can't legally ask you about your arrest record, but they can ask if you've ever been convicted of a crime. Depending on the state, a conviction record shouldn't automatically disqualify you for employment unless it substantially relates to your job. For example, if you've been convicted of statutory rape and you're applying for a teaching position, you will probably not get the job.

Are you married?

Although the interviewer may ask you this question to see how much time you'd be able to commit to your job, it's illegal because it reveals your marital status and can also reveal your sexual orientation.

Do you have children?

It is unlawful to deny some-one employment if they have children or if they are planning on having children in the future. If the employer wants to find out how committed you will be to your job, they should ask questions about your work. For example, "What hours can you work?" or "Do you have responsibilities other than work that will interfere with specific job requirements such as traveling?"

What country are you from?

If you have an accent, this may seem like an innocent question, but it's illegal because it involves your national origin. Employers can't legally inquire about your nationality, but they can ask if you're authorized to work in a certain country.

Is English your first language?

It's not the employers' lawful right to know whether a language is your first language. In order to find out language proficiency, employers can ask you what other languages you read, speak or write fluently.

Do you have any outstanding debt?

Employers must have permission before asking about your credit history. Similar to a criminal background history, they can't disqualify you from employment unless it directly affects your ability to perform the position you're interviewing for. Furthermore, they can't ask you how well you balance your personal finances or inquire about you owning property.

Do you socially drink?

Employers cannot ask about your drinking habits, because it violates the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990. For example, if you're a recovering alcoholic, treatment of alcoholism is protected under this act, and you don't have to disclose any disability information before landing an official job offer.

When was the last time you used illegal drugs?

It's illegal for employers to ask you about past drug addiction, but they can ask you if you're currently using illegal drugs. A person who is currently using drugs is not protected under ADA. For example, an employer may ask you: "Do you currently use illegal drugs? What illegal drugs have you used in the past six months?"

How long have you been working?

This question allows employers to guess your age, which is unlawful. Similarly, they can't ask you what year you graduated from high school or college or even your birthday. However, they can ask you how long you've been working in a certain industry.

What type of discharge did you receive in the military?

This is not appropriate for the interviewer to ask you, but they can ask what type of education, training or work experience you've received while in the military.

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