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Agenda

THIS WEEK

- The first of Canton's Summer Concert Series begins tomorrow at 7:30 p.m. at the Heritage Park Amphitheater. The series will offer a show every Thursday night throughout the summer. Tomorrow's concert will showcase the Motown sounds of Tim Hewitt Group. For more information, call Canton Parks and Rec at 397-5110.

UPCOMING

- Tickets are now available for the Community Flip for D.A.R.E. Pancake Breakfast, Saturday, July 30. Tickets are \$4 in advance and \$4.50 at the door for adults. Tickets for children 12 and under are \$3 or \$3.50 at the door and are available at Community Federal Credit Union.

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School board swears in newly elected trustees, selects school board officers

BY PETER BRODERICK

The new school year got off to a running start last night with a special meeting of the new Plymouth-Canton School Board.

At the meeting, new school board members Mark Horvath, Sue Davis and Sue Feiten were sworn in as trustees, and took their seats with the rest of the board for the first time.

The special meeting was called to induct the new members, as well as select the school board officers for the 1994-95 school year.

The new board officers were selected by the board with David Artley named as president, Vice President Sue Feiten, Roland Thomas as treasurer and Sue Davis as secretary.

Not returning to the board are Carl Bauder and Les Walker, both of whom did not seek re-election in June.

Dr. Charles Little was named the new superintendent of the district in early May by the school board, and will join the newly elected board and begin his duties on Tuesday.

Fire service merger talks set for Aug. 1

BY JOHN HORN

The proposed merger of Plymouth and Plymouth Township's fire departments has taken another step as both parties have responded to the fire unions' position and encouraged timely negotiations.

An Aug. 1 deadline has been set by the City and Township to further discuss positions with the union. Township Supervisor Kathleen Keen-McCarthy said both sides are anxious to commence more discussions.

"The City is at the point where they have to get on with their lives," she said.

Perhaps the biggest point of contention between the two is the proposed minimum staffing level. The union wants 24 full-time firefighters and the City/Township said 21 is more appropriate.

Keen-McCarthy and Plymouth Mayor Douglas Miller said there is no need for 24 full-timers.

They said 24 firefighters would be in excess, considering the three existing fire stations already have a limited work load.

Keen-McCarthy said the average time at fire scenes is approximately 30 minutes or less and the average runs per day per station is 2.8. Those emergency runs account for less than two hours out of the typical 24-hour shift.

"The community does not need and cannot afford additional firefighters to provide for this limited work load," she said. "There is no legitimate need for this staffing level."

Local 1496 President Chuck Russo said the Township and City, in making the number of desired full-time fighters at 21, will eliminate jobs in the department. He said the department currently operates at 23.

"What they're doing is reducing positions," Russo said. "And being a union man, we have to fight that."

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Fun on the Fourth



Blessed with a sunny day and good crowds, the annual Downtown Plymouth Fourth of July parade was a success. Parker Pakulia and Paige Visser showed up with their flags, sunglasses and each other in hand. For more of The Crier's coverage of the parade, please see pg. 3 (Crier photo by George Gentry)

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Aug. 1 deadline set for fire merger talks between city and township

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Russo said the union had the chance to be staffed at the level it wanted. Last year, the Township offered a pre-merger staffing level of 24. At that time, Russo said the union wanted 27 full-timers.

"We blew it the first time," he said.

Previous public response and discussions have indicated staffing as a primary concern. Keen-McCarthy said 21 full-time firefighters would be adequate, if not better, after the merger.

"All calls would have six full-time firefighters available, if needed," she said. "That is equal to the proposed response which would have been available from the Township departments if it were fully staffed, and greater than the City department has been providing."

McCarthy said the union proposed terms to the merger on April 27. The City and Township responded, indicating they would accept economic and non-economic proposals, except the minimum 24 staffing level proposal.

Keen-McCarthy said the City and Township are willing to accept the union's proposal, except the staffing issue.

Previous discussion regarding the fire department centered around Public Act 78. Keen-McCarthy said that act, which ensures proper hiring practices of civil service employees, needed to be temporarily waived by the union for the merger to go through.

Merger will unite services

The proposed merger between Plymouth and Plymouth Township fire departments is geared toward reducing department costs while offering citizens a more cost effective fire protection plan.

The plan will move fire fighting equipment to three fire stations throughout the township on Ann Arbor, Wilcox and Beck Roads.

The city fire station, located on Main, will house the ambulance service.

The consolidated force will count 55 part-time firefighters, 15 full timers, three lieutenants, three captains, one administrative assistant, one assistant chief and one chief.

All firefighters will be Plymouth Township employees.

Considering population and State Equalized values, equipment replacements and other costs will be split 70-30, with the township picking up the larger part of the tab.

A merged force will continue to provide all the fire safety, medical emergency, inspection and fire prevention education services as usual.

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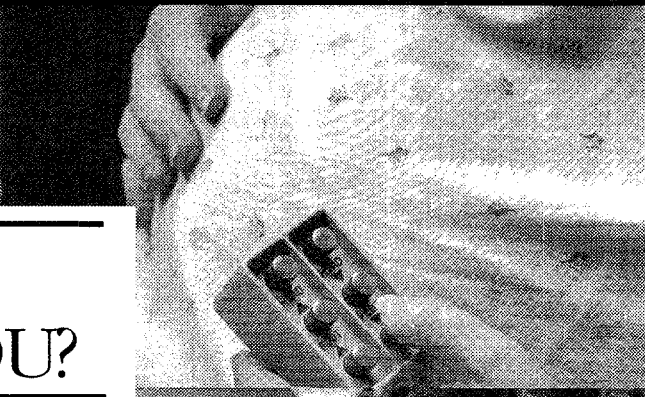
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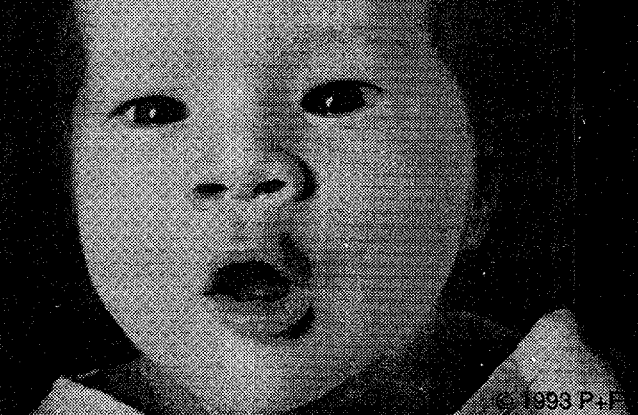
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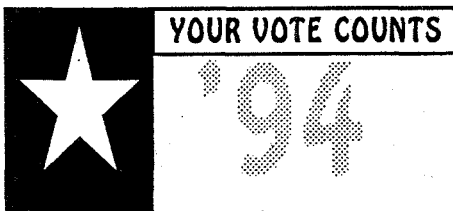
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Vacated house seat draws wide range of hopefuls



18th House District

BY ALEX LUNDBERG

With State Rep. Justine Barnes vacating her seat for the 18th House District, the race to fill that seat has already begun to fill with hopefuls on both sides of the political fence.

In almost all of the candidates cases, school and tax reform are important issues in their campaigns.

Walter Warren, a Republican from Westland, said that the first order of business for him if he gets elected to the House would be to start on sweeping educational reform both in class length and finance.

"I would initiate a serious discussion on the quality of education in this state," Warren said.

Warren said that he would push for the inception of a 220 day school year and a 9 to 5 school day. He said that trying to

make that work would bring him into close confrontation with the Michigan Education Association (MEA).

"The MEA is the primary force that is holding back educational quality issues in the House," Warren said. "They own the Democrats."

Along those lines, Warren said that because school finance is in the hands of the individual school boards, the unions have dominating control over the financial well being of the districts.

Warren also said that the state needs to adopt a more "German" style education for those kids not headed towards col-

lege.

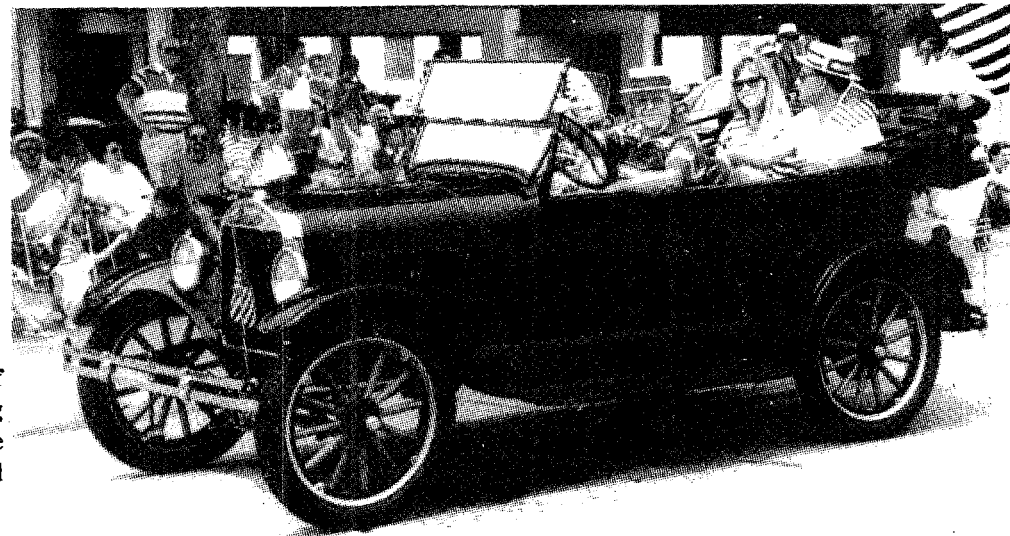
"We need to look at an apprenticeship program," Warren said. "The system that we're running now was made to prepare kids for college, those kids who aren't going to college need a system that will keep those kids in school longer."

Michael Novak, a Republican from Westland isn't interested in making a lot of new laws, he said he wants to fix the ones already on the books.

"I'd like to see the laws concerning sentencing structure changed," Novak said. "We don't need new laws, we just

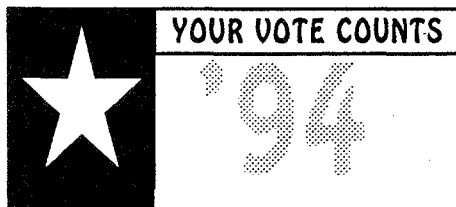
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Everyone loves a parade



The Fred Hill Briefcase Drill Team (top right) kicked off the Plymouth Fourth of July parade as the Grand Marshalls celebrating 10 years of wingtip-stomping entertainment. A Canton cheerleader (left) goes airborne for her country. Antique cars (right) made the scene along a standard array of fire engines, motorcycles and police cars. (Crier photos by George Gentry and Peter Broderick)

Wilbanks' decision to run has been in the works since '92



13th Congressional District

BY CRAIG FARRAND

Although she may not have been the first to officially announce her candidacy, Cynthia Wilbanks makes it clear that her interest in the race for Bill Ford's seat was not some johnny-come-lately idea.

In fact, it's an idea that took root more than two years ago when her mentor and boss, Carl Pursell, decided not to go head-to-head against Ford in the newly

realigned 13th District.

And it almost put her in the '92 race.

"When Carl decided not to run, I spent almost six weeks thinking about running myself," she said, adding that the intriguing part of the equation was "how Bill Ford was going to fare in the new part of the district."

(With congressional redistricting, Ford lost Taylor and Southgate — his longtime strongholds — and gained The Plymouth Canton Community.)

"I really wondered if now was the time to run."

In the end, Wilbanks said, she decided not to enter the race, making room for state Sen. Bob Geake to take on Ford in November 1992. (Geake lost.)

Still, it was the voter demographics of

that race which got Wilbanks thinking again a year later: "Once we began looking at the election results, people said 'Cynthia, you ought to take a look at running in '94.'"

"And I really started (to take a look) after talking to more party people in the district."

But nothing could have solidified her decision more than Ford's announcement.

"Lo and behold, three weeks into January, Bill Ford announces his retirement," Wilbanks said, conceding that "dancing in the streets is a fun way to look at (the reaction) from the Republican view."

The fact is that GOP excitement about the party's prospects in the 13th district is

almost palpable. As one of the "targeted" congressional districts in the country for '94, nothing could have been more propitious than for the Democratic incumbent to retire.

"There are a lot of party people really excited about (getting a chance at) Republican leadership in the district," she said, adding that besides the chance for a party change, 1994 marks another turning point: "There's a generational change under way."

"It used to be that people served for many years — that's the old school," she said. But now, she said, the public seems to be looking for something else, such as somebody who makes a connection with them.

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CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH BOARD OF TRUSTEES - REGULAR MEETING TUESDAY, JUNE 28, 1994

Supervisor Keen-McCarthy called the meeting to order at 7:32 and led in the pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. All members were present except Mr. Griffith who was excused.

Mrs. Brooks moved to approve the minutes of the June 7, 1994 Work Session Meeting of the Board of Trustees as submitted. Supported by Ms. Arnold. Ayes all with Mrs. Massengill abstaining due to her absence.

Mrs. Massengill moved to approve the minutes of the June 14, 1994, Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees as submitted. Supported by Ms. Arnold. Ayes all.

Mrs. Massengill moved to approve the minutes of the June 21, 1994 Special Meeting of the Board of Trustees as submitted. Supported by Mrs. Brooks. Ayes all.

Mrs. Massengill moved to approve the minutes of the June 21, 1994, Work Session of the Board of Trustees as submitted. Supported by Mrs. Mueller. Ayes all.

Mrs. Massengill amended the agenda by adding item J.7 under New Business - Brentwood Park Improvements - change Order No. 2 With that change, Mrs. Massengill moved to approve the agenda as amended for the June 28, 1994, Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees. Supported by Ms. Arnold. Ayes all.

Supervisor Keen-McCarthy asked for comments from the public. Mr. Bruce Birnbaum, Mr. John Kullen, Mr. Tony Pallotta, Mr. Stan Ruback and Ms. Jacqueline George, expressed their concerns regarding the master plan impact; out of character with the surrounding homes; traffic congestion; safety issues; and the auditorium size with 1300-1500 parking spaces for the proposed Temple Baptist Church to be located on North Territorial and Ridge Roads. Mr. Birnbaum and Mr. Kullen also expressed that better public hearing notification should be developed for all residents that may be impacted on projects of this size and not just residents within 300 feet.

Mrs. Brooks moved to approve the modification to the consent judgement for property located at Rocker and Ann Arbor Road, Tax I.D. No. 78-061-02-0049-000, to adopt the proposed site plan which includes a stand-alone building to be used for an oil change shop, subject to the consent judgment documents being approved by Township Attorney and the Community Development Director and to the plans, as modified. Supported by Ms. Arnold. Ayes all.

Mrs. Massengill moved to approve the Charter Township of Plymouth Family and Medical Leave Policy with an effective date of July 26, 1994. Supported by Mrs. Brooks. Ayes all with Mrs. Mueller absent.

Mr. Curmi moved to approve the Water Main Easement for Rowe Thomas Displays III. Supported by Ms. Arnold. Ayes all with Mrs. Mueller absent.

Ms. Arnold moved to approve the creation of a Contingent Administrative Clerk Pool to provide clerical coverage for vacations, sick time and peak work periods and further moved to amend the 1994 General Fund Budget to add \$15,447 to the part-time clerical line item in the General Operating Department Budget. Supported by Mr. Curmi. Ayes all.

Mrs. Brooks moved to approve the creation of an Administration Assistant position and the Part-time Accountant position in the 1994 General Fund Budget. Supported by Ms. Arnold. Ayes all. with Mr. Curmi absent.

Ms. Arnold moved to approve the purchase of a 10 user software license for Laser fiche software in the amount of \$13,999.00, OCR software in the amount of \$500.00 and installation, training and support services in the amount of \$6,183.00 from Matrix imaging, totaling \$20,651.00. Supported by Mrs. Brooks. Ayes all.

Mrs. Brooks moved to approve Resolution No. 94-06-28-11 to change the street name from Commons Boulevard to Howland Park Drive in Plymouth Commons Subdivision #2.

Supported by Ms. Arnold. Roll call:

Ayes: Arnold, Brooks, Curmi, Massengill, Mueller, Keen-McCarthy

Nays: None

Absent: Griffith

Resolution declared adopted. The entire resolution is incorporated into the official minutes on file in the Clerk's Office.

Mr. Curmi moved to approve Change Order No. 2 extending the contract by 10 days making the new completion date July 11, 1994 and authorize the Plymouth Township Clerk and Supervisor to execute same. Supported by Mrs. Massengill. Ayes all.

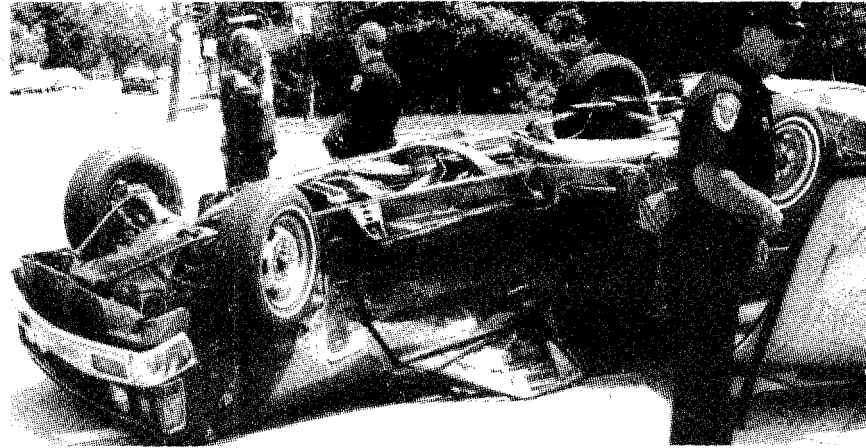
Supervisor Keen-McCarthy recognized Officer Dennis Wilson of the Police Department for his letter of appreciation.

Ms. Arnold moved to receive and file Communications and Reports as listed. Supported by Mrs. Brooks. Ayes all.

Mrs. Massengill moved to adjourn the meeting at 9:28 p.m. Supported by Mrs. Mueller. Ayes all.

The foregoing is a synopsis of the minutes of the Board of Trustees held on June 28, 1994. The full text is available in the Clerk's Office for perusal. They will be submitted for Board approval at the next regular meeting on July 19, 1994.

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This pickup truck failed to stop for the signal at Ann Arbor Trail and Sheldon Road Friday afternoon and was struck by a southbound van, causing the truck to overturn. Plymouth Township Police Chief Carl Berry said the driver of the truck, despite the obvious damage, sustained only very minor injuries thanks to the seatbelt. The driver of the van, also wearing a belt and using a deployed air bag, suffered no injuries. (Crier photo by Alex Lundberg)



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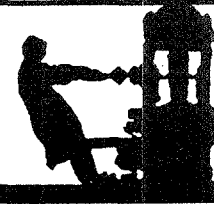
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Vacated house seat draws wide field of hopefuls

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need to change the ones we've got."

As a Westland police officer, the laws concerning carrying concealed weapons and wearing body armor need to be changed.

"As the law stands, it is illegal for anyone to wear body armor during the commission of a crime," Novak said. "Because that law currently extends to police as well it means that an officer would have to change clothes before going off duty."

On the Democratic side, Joseph Barrera of Westland is making his first run for elected office.

"I'm a member of the UAW and I want to stop this union bashing," Barrera

said. "It took 50 years of work to get (organized labor) this far.

"The people in Lansing want to take us backward. We have to put America back to work."

Barrera said that, if elected, he would focus on creating jobs in the state by focusing on improving the state's infrastructure.

"There could be work on the roads, on a magnet train between Detroit and Chicago," Barrera said.

"We have the technology and there hasn't been significant work on the infrastructure since Kennedy was in office."

Barrera, who is a member of the LaRouche slate in Michigan, said that he

would also like to get rid of outcome-based education and change the way the Federal Reserve is run.

"I want to take it out of the hands of the bankers and put it back in the control of the government," Barrera said.

Bob Stottlemeyer, also of Westland, said that a state Rep should keep an office in the district that he represents.

"If I get elected I'm going to set up an office in the district with my own money," Stottlemeyer said.

"I'll have the office stocked with the pieces of legislation that are being considered in Lansing."

Stottlemeyer said that people would be encouraged to read the legislation and vote on whether or not it should pass at

the office. Later, Stottlemeyer said that he would vote on the pieces of legislation based on the vote totals at the home office.

"I have personal feelings about the issues," Stottlemeyer said. "But I don't think that I should push people to accept what I want."

He said that too many people who are sent to public office lose touch with their constituency.

"I'll come back to the (district) office as often as possible," Stottlemeyer said. "Elected officials get into office, they get tied up and lose touch."

At presstime, The Crier was not able to reach Eileen DeHart.

Wilbanks' decision to run in the works since '92

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Someone like Wilbanks.

Although unwilling to criticize Ford, the candidate gave a clue to the differences between the two of them: "When (he) was out in the district with the people, he should have had his antenna up and sensed the change.

"I think people have a respect for the congressman who represents them, but they wanted more contact."

And in that regard, Wilbanks said she can deliver: After a combined 19 years working for congressman representing the region — Marvin Esch and Carl Pursell — the candidate has dealt personally with the people of the district.

"My professional experience was gained here (and) my knowledge of the federal government comes from years of acting on behalf of constituents, not from years of manipulating the system from inside the Washington Beltway."

And it's that local experience, Wilbanks says, that makes the difference in this race: because her previous jobs took her from The Community to Ann Arbor and back again, she learned that the most important aspect of public service wasn't whether you were a Democrat or Republican ("I can work with all stripes and persuasions").

"First of all, there is no work except the work to help your constituents," she said, adding that during her treks throughout the region, she found people that "want a common sense approach to government.

"And the people want access; they want to talk about the issues."

Oddly enough, though — yet consistent with a primary race atmosphere — the difference on the issues within parties is negligible.

Still, Wilbanks said that of those issues the public most wants to discuss, health care tops the list — and her position appears somewhat consistent with other Republican candidates.

"I don't believe we have massive problems today (in health care); many people in the district feel we have excellent institutions, a strong system.

"And while there doesn't appear to be the kind of crisis being portrayed,

(President) Clinton should be commended for raising the issue of health reform."

Where Wilbanks and the president differ, however, is on one central point: "I don't favor surrendering health care to the government," she said.

"The program is that there is a bit of a moving target, which makes it difficult to respond — and we can't afford to make a mistake here."

On several other points, though, she agrees with most critics of the existing system.

"Portability (of benefits) is important, preexisting conditions, medical IRAs," she said, ticking off points on her fingers.

It is in the area of employer mandates that her agreement stops: "I've talked to small business persons and asked them 'what would (the proposed) health care plan do for you?'"

"I received a wide variety of responses," she said, although one response was echoed repeatedly. "Any system that requires (employer) mandates will not work.

"Business needs some discretion," she said, "but if mandates (are installed), we're going to have a much different workforce in the future."

If there is a starting point in health care reform, Wilbanks says that it should be the scrapping of the current paperwork industry.

"If it's the only thing we do, it should be done," adding that, "did you know that there are about 600 different insurance carriers? Think about all the times people get a notice after they've received care — the ones that say 'this is not a bill.'"

"Think of the cost of creating those pieces of paper."

The issue of reducing health care paperwork, Wilbanks said, "is not a bogus issue at all.

"This is something we should do."

But when?

"I'm not sure we're going to see any wholesale revolution in 1994," she said. "As this year has unfolded, we've watched the euphoria dissipate."

As a result, she said, "I think it's going to be on the agenda in '95, '96 and '97.

"The real challenge — as we've seen so far — is to reach consensus."

What Wilbanks hopes will happen is that whatever plan is initiated has a phase-in process, whereby changes can be monitored and adjusted as time goes by.

"Any time you have a phase-in of benefits, you have a chance for a congressional review of the process," she said.

Regardless of which plan is enacted, though, Wilbanks said that several things must not be forgotten by framers of the reform: "The people want to be able to choose their own doctor, they want quality care, and they want quality insurance coverage."

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And what role could she play in the framing of that reform?

"I think I can go to Washington and make a difference," she said, "although change doesn't happen overnight.

"One of my strengths, I think, is (that of) a consensus-builder; of being able to disagree without being disagreeable."

What Wilbanks hopes for between now and Aug. 2, is a chance to meet as many people as possible, discuss those issues — disagree, if necessary — but in the end, allow the people to "match a policy with a face."

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Friends & neighbors

Neighbors in the news

Western Michigan University Senior and Plymouth resident **Melissa M. Petro** received the George Sprau Award, an award given to students by WMU for outstanding achievement in English. She is the daughter of Joseph and Lorraine Petro.

Due to her extensive work to educate communities about gangs and gang violence, **Brenda Plecha**, of Canton has been awarded the Arne A. Erickson Award by the Detroit and Wayne County Family Service. Plecha has coordinated many community awareness panels, including the Canton Plymouth Gang Task Force.

On May 1, **Fr. Richard Perfetto** and the members of Resurrection Catholic Church broke ground on their new church on Warren Rd. between Beck and Ridge Rds.

The new church building has been in the works for around three years, and is finally starting to take shape.

Eastern Michigan University's Chemistry Department has named several area students as recipients of awards at its Alumni and Awards Banquet.

Janice Rourk and **Heather Smith** of Canton, and **Angela Zepp** of Plymouth were all recognized for outstanding achievement in the field of Chemistry.

The **Plymouth Optimist Club** has elected their officers for the coming year. The new president will be **Felix Rotter**, Vice Presidents **Chuck Childs** and **Francis Baker**, Treasurer **William VonGlahn**, Secretaries **Harry Roebuk** and **Dick Rice**, Sergeant-at-arms **Art Gross**, and Directors **Fred Fishback**, **Don Jacobson**, **Ken Fisher** and **George Hanosh**.

Canton senior, **Lisa Nicastrì** is the recipient of the Trustees' Scholarship, worth \$5,000, and the Catholic Student Award, valued at \$800, for the 1994-1995 academic year at Madonna University.

Joseph Niemenski, also of Plymouth and graduate of Canton is the recipient of the Presidential Scholarship, an award of \$2,500, and the Stephenson Foundation Scholarship, valued at \$250, for the 1994-1995 academic year at Madonna University.

Family Fun

Canton Place Apartments will hold the Family Fun Picnic to raise funds for those who need a 'Helping Hand'

BY ALEX LUNDBERG

Even though Independence Day has come and gone there are still celebrations going on in The Plymouth-Canton Community.

This Sunday, Canton Place Apartments will be holding their third annual Family Fun Picnic in the complex's parking lot on the corner of Sheldon and Ford Roads.

Canton Place offers apartments for low and fixed income seniors.

According to **Ginnie Hauck**, manager of Canton Place, the family fun picnic arose out of a real need for the seniors in her complex.

"I have a nursing background," Hauck said. "And I began to see that some of the residents weren't looking very good."

Hauck learned that some of the residents of the complex were having to cut corners to get by.

She said that when she found out that cutting corners sometimes meant choosing between food and medication, she set up the Helping Hand fund.

"Helping Hand is there to help supply basic needs and ensure quality of life," Hauck said. "When a need arises that need is taken care of."

It is also a confidential fund. Hauck said that it is important that the residents that need the help not have to apply for it publicly. She said that it helps the Helping Hand reach the people that need it most.

"The residents know that they can come to me for help," Hauck said. "They know that they can come to me and not be judged."

The picnic will be held in the parking



Ginnie Hauck, manager of Canton Place Apartments, created Helping Hand to aid those residents that might not always be able to get by on their regular incomes (Crier photo by Peter Broderick)

lot of the complex on Sunday.

Hauck said one of the best parts of throwing this party is the involvement and support of well-known members of the community.

"(Canton Supervisor) **Tom Yack** and (Canton Clerk) **Loren Bennett** have come out to do the cooking each year that we've held the picnic," Hauck said. "The community is really behind this effort."

Hauck said that there will be kids rides, facepainting, clowns, a Silver Sounds DJ, karaoke, and a local celebrity dunk tank. According to Hauck, the dunk tank has been a good source of volunteer support over the years. The driving force behind it has been competition.

"When **David Griffin** (of Griffin Funeral Homes) heard that **Kevin**

McCabe (of McCabe Funeral Home) was going to be in the dunk tank he asked to have a turn there too," Hauck said. "A lot of people have been approached about it."

She said that all of the 35th District judicial candidates have been contacted about the tank as well as candidates in other races in The Plymouth-Canton Community.

Hauck said that the winner of the dunk tank, the one that generates the most donations while in the tank, will win a dinner at Canton Place with the residents.

Hauck also said that there will be a craft and bake sale at the picnic to fund the residents' effort to put a flagpole on the front lawn of the complex.

Turn on, tune in

Members of the **Stu Rockafellow Amateur Radio Society** participated in a radio "Field Day" last weekend at Plymouth Township Park. The American Radio Relay League (ARRL) sponsors the international event each year. It's also a chance to fine-tune emergency communication skills. Pictured here are **Joe Roos** and Plymouth Township Supervisor **Kathleen Keen-McCarthy** (Crier photo by Pete Broderick)



Library board petitions available at City, Twp offices

BY JOHN HORN

Candidate petitions for Plymouth District Library Board nominations are now available at both City and Township Clerk's offices.

The general election is November 8, with four Trustee seats available for four-year terms beginning January 1, 1995.

Residents of Plymouth or Plymouth Township are eligible for the seats. Nominees must exceed the age of 18.

The deadline for filing petitions is 4 p.m., July 21.

Library Director Patricia Thomas said the Plymouth District Library Board consists of seven members and is responsible for providing public library services in an administrative capacity.

Thomas said the Library Board acts much like a Board of Trustees or City Commission.

"It has total responsibility for library operations," she said. "From managing the library millage fund to setting library policies."

Members also oversee the Library Board budget, which for 1994 is set at \$1.6 million, according to Thomas.

She said in meeting once a month, the Board approves bills, establishes library hours and sets goals to achieve quality service.

The Library Board will be facing a major issue concerning funding and con-

struction of a new library facility.

The Board passed a June 21 resolution in which it will submit a ballot proposal to voters in the Nov. 8 general election to build and equip a new 38,000 square foot library on the Main Street site where the Dunning-Hough Library now sits.

According to Thomas, the plan calls for two proposals. She said the original 0.5 mill increase calls for the creation of the new library. Another proposal would be an increase of the same size to maintain operation of the facility after completion.

"It could total as high as a one mill," Thomas said. "That would be over 15 years for operation of the building."

Thomas said the Board has had to deal with size constraints in the library, as collections have expanded.

"We have 12,000 square feet and could easily fill 25,000 with the equipment we have now," she said.

Another topic of concern for the Board will be computerized information issues.

Thomas said the Board recently received a federal grant of \$50,000 to establish and maintain a computerized information system.

Seats available in the November election include those of President Janet Campbell, Vice President Sheryl Tripp Khoury, and Trustees Larry Fobes and Mary Ann Prchlik.

Twp. hiring freeze thaws

BY JOHN HORN

It appears the freeze may be over, at least for now.

Plymouth Township's hiring freeze, in effect since last January, will thaw out this summer when the Township hires several temporary and one permanent employe.

According to Township Supervisor Kathleen Keen-McCarthy, the administrative clerk pool will be created to compensate for the loss of staffing due to vacations and sick time.

"We are basically creating our own internal Kelly Services," she said.

Last Tuesday, the Township Board of Trustees approved an amend to the 1994 General Fund Budget to add \$15,447. McCarthy said that money will be used to fund the positions.

She said the clerk pool will consist of hiring contingent or temporary employes who would be called in on an "as needed" basis.

"This would include working to replace ill employes, those on vacation and as supplemental employes during peak work periods such as tax time, elections, etc.," she said.

McCarthy has proposed the hiring of six employes, with each one being placed in various Township departments for a six-week training session.

"While these are in training, we would proceed to hire six additional and would schedule a second training rotation," she said.

Keen-McCarthy said the Township

will be seeking individuals with a certain amount of clerical and office skills.

"Specifically we are looking for people with experience in Microsoft and Excel for Windows, 55 words per minute typing and at least one to three years of previous experience," she said.

Those who feel they are interested in the temporary positions — paying \$8 an hour — should have applications submitted by July 15.

Position information is available at the Township Clerk's office and Human Resource Department.

In a separate action, the Board also approved the creation of a new position in the Finance Department.

The full-time, administrative assistant position is being created to help the understaffed department, according to McCarthy. She said the Finance Department is responsible for a variety of duties, including accounting, assessing, water billing, purchasing, computer support and financial evaluations.

"All of these duties are divided among the three full-time staff members and the Director," she said. "The Finance Department is the only Township Department that does not have clerical support of any kind."

Finance Director Rosemary Harvey said the administrative help will go a long way in ensuring quality service to Township residents.

"It will free up the burden and let us do what we do best, and that's accounting," Harvey said.

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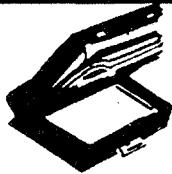
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Getting down to business

Neighbors in business

In connection with Plymouth's Art in the Park, Native West will be host it's own art festival.

On Saturday, July 16 and Sunday, July 17, three artists will be present to show and demonstrate their crafts at the gallery.

Watercolor artist Ron Weaver, potter Frank Ettawageshik and bead artist Gwen (Jones) Fedor will have their work displayed.

A special offer will be presented to any collector that purchases a Ron Weaver original. A \$100 limited edition print will be given free with each original purchase.

Native West Gallery is located at 863 W. Ann Arbor Trail in Plymouth.

The Canton Chamber of Commerce announces its monthly Business to Business networking event to be held at Roses Grill and Bar, 201 N. Canton Center Road on Tuesday, July 19 from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m.

The event will be sponsored by McCabe Funeral Home, which has a newly built chapel on Canton Center Road.

Community Federal Credit Union, in conjunction with the Plymouth/Canton D.A.R.E. Advisory Board, the Plymouth/Canton School District and local law enforcement agencies invite The Community to join in a Community Flip for D.A.R.E. Pancake Breakfast at 500 S. Harvey in Plymouth on Saturday, July 30 from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m.

The cost of the breakfast is \$4 in advance and \$4.50 at the door. For children 12 and under the cost is \$3 in advance and \$3.50 at the door.

Tickets are available at Community Federal Credit Union, local businesses and service organizations.

The proceeds benefit D.A.R.E. For additional information, call 453-1200.

A public forum featuring candidates for the 35th District Judge will take place on Thursday, July 21 from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. at the Water Club Grill on Ann Arbor Road, just east of I-275. The Plymouth Republican Club is hosting the event. Eight of the 11 candidates have confirmed their attendance thus far.

At the forum, each candidate will make a brief introduction, then answer five questions, provided to them in advance. Following the responses, questions will be taken from the audience.

There is no admission charge to the forum, and it is open to everyone.

Dick Scott Buick sold to Bob Jeannotte; will move to Sheldon Rd.

BY ROB KIRKBRIDE

Dick Scott Buick on Ann Arbor Road will soon be a thing of the past.

The sale of the dealership to Bob Jeannotte, owner of Bob Jeannotte Pontiac on Sheldon Road was approved by Buick Friday.

The takeover date is scheduled for July 18, but Dick Scott said the final deal is not signed.

Jeannotte said he plans to build a new Buick dealership at the end of January next to the Pontiac dealership at 14949 Sheldon Road in Plymouth Township.

"We will operate out of there (the current Dick Scott location at 200 W. Ann Arbor Road) for about six months," Jeannotte said.

"The new building will be 17,000 square feet."

Scott said none of the employees of his Buick dealership will be out of a job, with Scott's other dealerships and Jeannotte hiring the extra employees.

Jeannotte said his son, Bob Jeannotte Jr., will be the executive manager of the new dealership and will eventually buy the store from his father.

"We have run the Pontiac location for 18 years," he said. "I have three sons and it is time to expand."

Jeannotte said the new location will employ 25 people, including some from the Dick Scott dealership.

Scott said there is not a final decision on what will become of the building on Ann Arbor Road, but said he is in negotiations with several other lines of auto makers to restart another car dealership in the location.

Business on parade



Parades can mean money and traffic for area businesses. From street vendors to the Plymouth College of Beauty, whose float could be seen at Monday's Plymouth Fourth of July parade. The Plymouth College of Beauty float was just one of a number of local businesses that participated in the parade. (Crier photo by George Gentry)

Riff Raff

Riffle's changes name and atmosphere to better serve customers

BY ROB KIRKBRIDE

Riffle's Restaurant in Northville Township recognized a community need and responded by changing their name to Riff Raff Roadhouse and changing their business attitude in the process.

The community need recognized by owners Bob Riffle and Lisa Key was a relaxed atmosphere.

"Northville needs something like this," Key said. "This is a whole new image for us. It's completely different."

The Riff Raff Roadhouse, located at 18730 Northville Road will feature a new menu with more affordable items than customers are used to at the old Riffle's Restaurant.

The atmosphere is also going to change. Key said the restaurant will be remodeled and reflect the casual atmosphere.

"We are also going to have live entertainment on Thursday, Friday and Saturday," Key said.

Dog Shelf, an acoustic guitar band is scheduled to play on Thursday and Friday and Saturday night will feature blues and Top 40 music.

The Riff Raff Roadhouse recently installed three new pool tables and three new electronic dart boards.

"This fall," she said, "we're going to have pool and dart leagues."

The new sign will be erected as soon as the Northville City Commission approves the location and design.

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Community deaths

Clara Kerns, 69, homemaker

Clara Kerns of Canton, died June 28, 1994, at the age of 69. She is survived by her son, Ronald; sisters, Sophie (George), Mary, Regina and Florence (Walter). Service was Friday and was arranged by Vermeulen Funeral Home.

Eugene Simescu, 69, insurance agent

Eugene Simescu, formerly of Plymouth, died July 1, 1994, at the age of 69. He is survived, his wife, Nancy; sons, Barry (Dorothy), William (Rebecca) and James; sisters, Helen (Alonzo) and Mary Grace (Clifton); and four grandchildren. Services are today at 3 p.m. at the Schrader-Howell Funeral Home.

Beatrice Wilkin, 76, homemaker

Beatrice Wilkin of Canton, died July 1, 1994, at the age of 76. She is survived by her daughter, Doreen (Robert); sons, David (Beryl), Dale (Brenda), Donald (Judy), Duane (Dorothy), Douglass (Linda), Dennis (Alice), Dwight (Karen); sister, Elaine; 21 grandchildren and 13 great grandchildren. Services were Tuesday and were arranged by Schrader-Howell Funeral Home.

Clinton Flick, 79, printer

Clinton Flick of Plymouth, died June 30, 1994, at the age of 79. He is survived by his wife, Doris; sons, Dennis (Diane) and Gary; brother, Eugene; sisters, Erma, Beryl and Shirley; grandchildren, Dennis, Jr. and Alex. Services were Saturday and were arranged by Vermeulen Funeral Home.

Jean Zivkovich, 76, hairdresser

Jean Zivkovich of Canton, died June 28, 1994, at the age of 76. She is survived by her husband, George; sons, Bradley (Debbie) and Larry; daughters, Diane (Dick) and Linda (Paul); sister, Joan; seven grandchildren and four great grandchildren. Services were Friday and were arranged by Vermeulen Funeral Home.

Charles Domke, 79, engineer

Charles Domke of Plymouth Township, died June 29, 1994, at the age of 79. He is survived by his wife, Mildred; son John (Harriet); grandchildren, Kyla and Kimberly. Arrangements were made by the Schrader-Howell Funeral Home.

George Radionoff, 99, battery repairman

George Radionoff of Plymouth, died June 29, 1994, at the age of 99. He is survived by his sons, Leonard (Linda) and Wilfred (Martha); daughter, Loven (Robert); brother, Alexander; six grandchildren, 10 great grandchildren and one nephew. Services were Friday and were arranged by the Schrader-Howell Funeral Home.

Nellie Radionoff, 90, seamstress

Nellie Radionoff of Plymouth, died July 2, 1994, at the age of 90. She is survived by her sons, Leonard (Linda) and Wilfred (Martha); daughter, Loven (Robert); sisters, Mary, Pauline and Eva; brothers, William and George; six grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren. Services were Tuesday and were arranged by the Schrader-Howell Funeral Home.

Obituaries

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Burton Rich

Rich, Burton B., age 87, of Plymouth, died June 2, 1994 in Ann Arbor, MI. Loving husband of the late Marian A. Rich. Beloved father of Kenneth (Diana) Rich, Elaine (Duncan) McIntyre and Mary (Joseph) Bagnasco of Plymouth, MI. Grandfather of 11 and great grandfather of 14. Mr. Rich was a supervisor of durability testing at General Motors Diesel in Detroit. He retired in 1969 after 35 years of service. He was a life-long resident of Plymouth and a member of the First United Methodist Church in

Plymouth, the Masonic Lodge, Salem Historical Society, the Veteran Motor Car Club of America and the Auburn-Cord-Dusenberglub. Mr. Rich attended Plymouth High School.

Funeral services were held Monday, June 6, 1994, at 12 noon at the Schrader-Howell Funeral Home with the Reverend M.W. Seymour officiating.

Burial was in Lapham Cemetery, Salem Twp., MI. Memorials may be given to the Masonic Home or the Lapham Cemetery Association.

Temple Baptist plan to be reviewed by Twp. commission at meeting

The status of Temple Baptist Church relocating to Plymouth Township could become much more clearer as early as tonight.

That is when a Township Planning Commission study session has been scheduled. Department of Public Services Director Jim Anulewicz said all material related to the Redford Township church's move will be reviewed.

"The commission could make a recommendation that same night," Anulewicz said.

Anulewicz said Planner Sally Hodges has been compiling data related to the move and will present her findings tonight.

Temple Baptist owns the 56-acre lot at the intersection of Ridge and North Territorial roads. The Rev. Brad Powell

said the plan for the site calls for baseball fields, a soccer field, ponds, landscaping, programs and holiday concerts.

The church, in offering those services to parishioners, has raised concerns of neighbors within close proximity of Temple Baptist.

Many have sent letters to Plymouth Township Hall both in support of and against Temple Baptist's plan to build on the site. Correspondence has ranged from complaints of noise and traffic to praise for developing the property.

Powell said Temple's move will accentuate the area more than anything.

"This will be a community church that will enhance the area," he said. "It will be very attractive."

Powell said Temple Baptist has owned the property for three years.



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Michael V. Howell

Hoben looks back on 23 years as Superintendent

BY PETER BRODERICK

After 46 years of teaching and administration, Plymouth-Canton Schools Supt. John Hoben's "labor of love" has come to its finale.

Last Thursday, Hoben said he came to work for the last time, with a mixed bag of feelings. "I'm happy to be retiring, but I will miss it."

Hoben had accumulated a total of two sick days in his 46-year career.

"I'll miss the day-to-day contact with people," said Hoben. "When I left the classroom to go into administration, that's what I missed most — the day-to-day contact with students and other teachers."

"I've had the privilege of working with some very fine people on the Board of Education," said Hoben.

Throughout his 23-year tenure as superintendent, Hoben has seen numerous innovations, including concepts such as year-round schools and modular scheduling, but he said that he feels the biggest accomplishment of the district to date is managing to keep up with the growth in The Plymouth-Canton Community.

"We've been very well considered in state rankings," said Hoben. "We've been

able to manage the district very well, considering the money we had (per student).

"Technology really brought us great success. That's really the wave of the future, and we've just begun to scrape the surface," said Hoben. "Our goal was to improve the education of the children in the community, and we did just that."

"Everything we did, we did in the best interest of the students," said Hoben. "The citizens, students and staff all did an outstanding job."

Hoben said that if he could, he would do it all again.

"This job was really a labor of love. There are some days when you wonder, but no two days were ever alike."

"We've been able to put Plymouth-Canton on the map, not just in Michigan, but in the entire country. People scramble to come here," he said.

"I think people need to realize that this is a great community. We all need to look for the good things, instead of focusing on the bad," Hoben said.

"Leaving is not going to be easy for me, but I don't think it will be any great pain, either," he said. "I'm leaving the district in good hands."

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To help spread the word to "be careful," The Community Crier will once again publish a special children's coloring book on July 13 — with the theme being "Play it Safe This Summer."

A local artist will provide original drawings for children to work with — each sending the message to be careful while playing — and you can help support this message by sponsoring one of those drawings.

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PREMARITAL HEALTH EDUCATION CERTIFICATE CLASSES
 The Wedding Chapel on Main Street will be offering counseling on transmission and prevention of AIDS and other sexually transmitted diseases. The classes are open to the public and will run every month this year. For information about the classes and dates and times, call the Wedding Chapel at 455-4800.

GOD'S GOLDEN GIRLS
 Christ the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church invites women over 50 to join "God's Golden Girls." The organization meets the third Friday of each month, at noon. Lunch is free but reservations are a must. For more information, call Pattie at 981-0286.

PLYMOUTH-CANTON CIVITAN MEETING
 The Plymouth-Canton Civitan club will hold their monthly dinner meeting on the third Thursday of each month at 6:30 p.m. at Italian Cucina. For more information, call Margaret at 455-6989.

PLYMOUTH OPTIMIST CLUB
 The Plymouth Optimist Club meets every first and third Monday of the month at 6:30 p.m. in the Mayflower Hotel. Meetings include dinner and a speaker. For further information contact Felix Rotter at 453-2375.

FIREARMS CLASSES
 The Board of Directors of Western Wayne County Conservation Association have announced a series of N.R.A. basic firearms classes. Basic Rifle classes, July 13, 20, 23 and 27; basic muzzleloading classes, Aug. 3, 10, 17, 20, 24, 27 and 31. All classes will be held on the grounds of Western Wayne County Conservation Association in Plymouth Twp. For further information call Bill Scherer at 535-0436.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL
 Plymouth Baptist Church will host a vacation Bible school with the "Civil War" as a theme. It will run July 25-29 from 9 a.m. to noon. For more information, call the church at 453-5534.

ROCK AND BOWL
 The Canton Police Department is sponsoring and supporting the Super Bowl in a "For Kids only-Rock-N-Bowl," at the Superbowl off of Ford Rd. The bowling will continue throughout the summer from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. Admission is \$5 and all children ages 9-15 are welcome.

CANTON FAMILY FUN PICNIC
 Canton Place Apartments will hold their third annual Family Fun Picnic on July 10 from 1 to 5 p.m. There will be food, entertainment and a celebrity dunk tank. For more information call 981-6420.

CHILDREN'S ART CAMP
 D & M Art Studio, in cooperation with the Plymouth Cultural Center, has begun registration for its fourth annual Art Camp Mania. This year's theme is "art from outer space," which will include the creation of aliens, rockets, spaceships and much more. The camp is for children ages 3 to 16. For more information, or to register, call D & M Art Studio at 453-3710.

TINY TOT PRE-SCHOOL REGISTRATION
 The Plymouth Salvation Army Tiny Tots Program is now accepting registrations for the Fall Pre-school classes. There are openings for the Mon./Wed. morning 3-year old class, and for the Tues./Thurs. 4-year old class. Call 453-5464 for more information.

HEAD START PRE-SCHOOL OPENINGS FOR 1994-1995
 The Head Start program has announced several openings for 3- and 4-year-olds for the 1994-1995 school year. The program will run out of Central Middle School. For more information on the program or registration, call 416-6190.

DETROIT TIGERS GAME
 Canton Parks and Rec will be taking a field trip to see the Detroit Tigers take on the Texas Rangers on July 9. The fee is \$14 and the bus will leave the Canton Administration Building at 11:45 a.m. For more information, call 397-5110.

BLACKHAWK DIVISION ASSOCIATION
 The 86th Blackhawk Division Association is looking for veterans of the 86th Infantry Division that served during WWII. The next reunion will be held in September of 1994. For more information about the association, contact Alyn Dull, membership chairman at 1226 Kilian Blvd., St. Cloud, MN 56304.

WILLOW CREEK PRE-SCHOOL OPENINGS
 The Willow Creek has announced several openings in their pre-school classes for 3-year olds. The class will meet Tuesdays and Thursdays from 12:45 p.m. to 3 p.m. For further information call Susan at 981-6918.

DRUG EDUCATION WORK SHOP
 Learn & Care is sponsoring a medication evaluation work shop at the Wayne Senior Center on July 21 at 12:30 p.m. Pharmacist Ken Koorhan will host a presentation dealing with the importance of medications and individual evaluations of medications. For more information contact Krissy Todora at 397-8665.

GRIEF RECOVERY PROGRAM
 Vermeulen Funeral Home will be sponsoring a grief recovery program open to the entire community. The five week program will be facilitated by a professional counselor, and will be held at Vermeulen Funeral Home, at 46401 Ann Arbor Road. The group will meet Thursdays from July 7 to Aug. 4, from 7 to 9 p.m. Enrollment is limited to 20 people, and registration is required. Call 459-2250.



Your Guide to Worship

<p>Calvary Baptist Church 43065 Joy Road, Canton 455-0022</p> <p>Dr. David A. Hay, Senior Pastor</p> <p>Sunday School for All Ages 9:45 am Sunday Services 11:00 am, 6:00 pm</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Wednesday Bible Study & Clubs 7:00 pm Plymouth Christian Academy (313) 459-3505</p>	<p>Risen Christ Lutheran Church (Missouri Synod) 46250 Ann Arbor Rd., Plymouth (one mile west of Sheldon) (313) 453-5252</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Sunday worship 8:30 & 10:00 am Family Sunday School 9:45 a.m.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Rev. K.M. Mehrl, Pastor Hugh McMartin, Lay minister</p>
<p>TRINITY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 10101 W. Ann Arbor Rd., Plymouth at Gotfredson & Ann Arbor Rd.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Worship Services 8:15am Prayer & Praise Service 11:00am Traditional Service Sunday School for all ages 9:30am</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Dr. Wm. C. Moore - Pastor Rev. Wm. Branham - Associate Pastor Nursery Provided (313) 459-9550</p>	<p style="font-size: large; margin: 0;">Worship with us this Sunday</p>



What's Happening

To list your group's event in this calendar, send or deliver the notice IN WRITING to: The Crier, 821 Penniman Ave., Plymouth, MI 48170. Information received BY NOON FRIDAY will be used for Wednesday's calendar (space permitting).

SUMMER ACADEMY

The Plymouth-Canton schools will offer classes for students first grade through middle school over the summer. Class sizes, times and length will vary. Costs for the classes will run between \$35 and \$90. For more information, call Canton High School at 416-2937.

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST BIBLE SCHOOL

The Seventh-Day Adventist church will hold a vacation bible school entitled "Earthmaker Mysteries," 6 to 8:30 p.m. July 11-15 for children ages 11-15. For more information and to register, call the church at 454-4148.

YOUTH LIVING CENTER GARAGE SALE

The Youth Living Center will hold a garage sale to benefit programs that help abused, neglected and homeless children from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. July 7 and 8. For more information about the garage sale and the Youth Living Center, call 728-3400.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE RADIO PROGRAM

WAAM 1600 AM will be running a series discussing Christian Science every Sunday morning at 9 a.m. This week's discussion will be on "How does Christian Science Healing come about?"

FOLK AND BLUEGRASS FESTIVAL

The 18th Annual Folk and Bluegrass festival in Northville will benefit the Huntington's Disease Society from noon to 9 p.m. on July 31 at Ford Field in Northville. Tickets are \$10 from Ticketmaster and \$12 at the gate. For more information call (810) 349-0522.

VACATION BIBLE EXPERIENCE

Risen Christ Lutheran Church of Plymouth will hold an outdoors vacation bible experience with the theme "Build a Holy Place" from 5:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. July 18 through 22 at Risen Christ. For more information and to register, call 453-5252.

WAYNE COUNTY SUMMER FOOD SERVICE

The Wayne County Health Department announced that the Summer Food Service Program for children will be held at Canton Commons through Aug. 26. For more information, call 453-5464.

SUMMER ART AND PHOTOGRAPHY CLASSES

The Plymouth-Canton schools and ARTAG will offer "Fotomania" classes at Pioneer Middle school for kids ages 8 through 15. Class will run July 11 through 22 and the fee is \$38, students must bring a 35mm camera. For more information, call Mary Mack at 459-9355.

FARMER'S MARKET

The Plymouth Chamber of Commerce will once again present the annual Farmer's Market every Saturday from 7:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. through Oct. 15, with the exception of the Fall Festival. For more information contact the Chamber at 453-1540.

CAMP A.B.L.E.

Canton Parks and Rec will be offering Camp A.B.L.E., therapeutic recreation summer day camp, at Hoben Elementary for boys and girls 4-16 years of age from 8:30 to 2 p.m. beginning July 11 through Aug. 19. The cost is \$60 for Canton residents and the City of Plymouth, \$75 for non-residents. For more information, call Canton Parks and Rec at 397-5344.

CH.A.D.D MEETING

CH.A.D.D. of Northwest Wayne County (an attention-based disorder parent's organization) meets on the first Thursday of each month at the Livonia Civic Center Library. For more information about the group and the meeting, call Roberta Zarea at 344-8216.

CAMP TONQUISH

The Plymouth YMCA will be holding Camp Tonquish at McClumpha Park for children ages 6-12. There will be trips and events Monday through Aug. 22. For more information, call the YMCA.

CONGREGATION BET CHAVARIM

Congregation Bet Chavarim of Western Wayne County, a Jewish group of individuals and families in and around Western Wayne, is looking for new members. Upcoming events include Shabbat Pot Luck dinners and a "charter signing" party. There are also plans for Hebrew lessons in preparation for Bar and Bat Mitzvahs. For more information, call Wendy at 630-8950 (Beeper number, punch in phone number after the tone).

NU-GENERATION

Trinity Presbyterian Church will host "Nu-Generation," a liturgical arts company from California at 7:30 p.m., July 8, at Trinity Presbyterian Church. A freewill offering will be collected. For more information, call the church at 435-9550.

CANTON FREE CONCERT SERIES

The Canton Parks and Rec department will kick off its free summer concert series 7:30 p.m. on July 7 in Heritage Park with the Tim Hewitt Band. Concessions will be available. For more information, call Canton Parks and Rec at 397-5110.

SUMMER PARK PROGRAM

The Plymouth Recreation Department will hold a summer park program beginning July 5, Monday through Friday, with activities and field trips. For more information, call the Plymouth Recreation Department at 455-6620.

CANTON REPUBLICAN CLUB

The Canton Republican Club, which meets on the third Thursday of each month, will be meeting at Cherry Hill School at 7 p.m. For more information, call Melissa McLaughlin at 495-0304.

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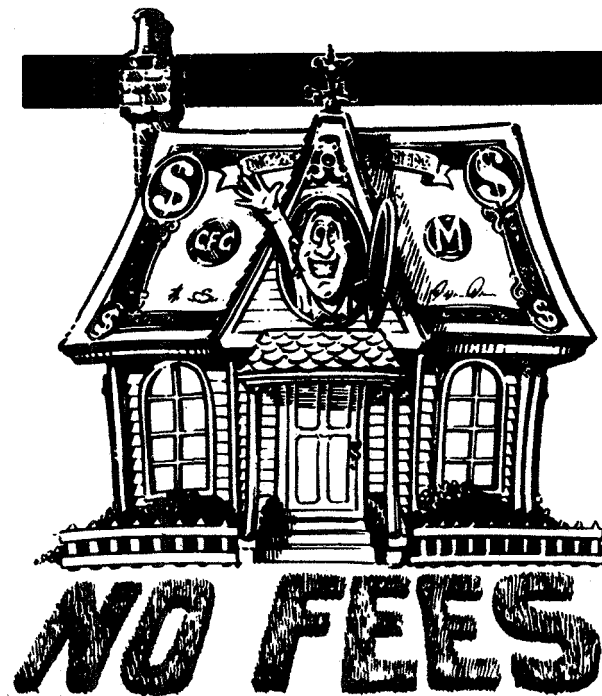
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Rock n' Bowl generates cash for community youth program

BY PETER BRODERICK

After months of waiting for school to be out and the summer to begin, it's finally here.

But as the "dog days" start to drag on,

night, and will include shoe rental, unlimited bowling and dancing with a live disc jockey. For the three-hour period, Superbowl becomes totally alcohol and smoke free — and they have made a



Super Bowl in Canton will be offering kids structured activities to take part in throughout the summer (Crier photo by George Gentry)

young people start to run out of things to do — but the police, working with a local business, may have found a solution to the "summertime blues."

The Canton Police in conjunction with Canton's Superbowl have organized a safe, controlled environment for kid's entertainment in the summer months in the form of "Rock & Bowl."

The Rock & Bowl program is held every Friday night over the summer from 7 to 10 p.m. at the Superbowl in Canton.

The program is intended for 9- to 15-year-olds in The Plymouth-Canton Community. Admission will be \$5 each

"Parental Guarantee" to that effect.

With every \$5 admission, Superbowl will contribute 50¢ to the Canton Police Department's "Community Youth Education Program," according to Officer Tammie Colling of the Canton Police.

"The summer drags on, and the days get longer, and the kids need something structured to do, rather than roaming the streets," said Colling.

She said that trouble can start if there are kids with nothing organized to do, especially on weekend nights. Over 300 kids have taken part in the bowling program.

Colony Swim Club closed this month because of corroded pipes

BY ALEX LUNDBERG

Just when the mercury in the thermometers of The Plymouth-Canton Community is scraping the 100° mark, something comes along that makes it worse for everyone.

Everybody out of the pool.

Members of the Colony Swim Club in Canton will have to wait another three weeks before they can take a dip in the pool that they pay for in dues.

According to Colony Swim Club President Russ Jones, the pool was just too old.

"It isn't something that happened overnight, the pool is 30 years old," Jones said. "The pipes that take water to the pool from the filter had corroded."

Unfortunately for the members of the swim club, the problem with the pipes was not discovered until a few days before the pool was scheduled to open.

According to Jones, the governing board of the swim club and the members have voted to have the pool's pipes fixed.

"We're going to be taking out a loan to get the work done," Jones said. "We don't have that kind of money on hand."

Jones also said that part of the decision to take out the loan entailed a raise in the amount in dues that members would have to pay. According to Jones, the vote on whether or not to take out the loan passed "almost unanimously."

Jones said that the pool should be reopened for business late this month.

Addenda & errata

In the last issue of The Crier, two mistakes were made in the reporting of the 20th State House and 13th Congressional primaries.

Gerry Law is a Republican and not a Democrat and Lynn Rivers is a resident of Ann Arbor rather than a resident of Belleville.

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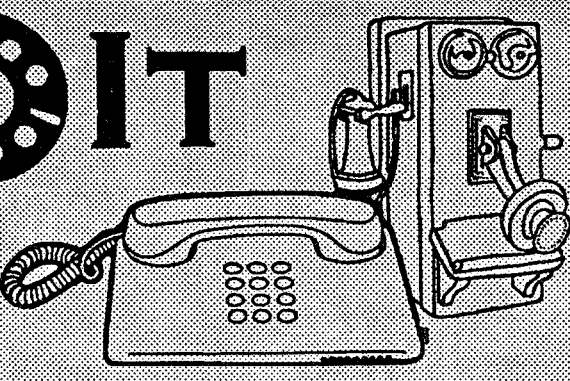
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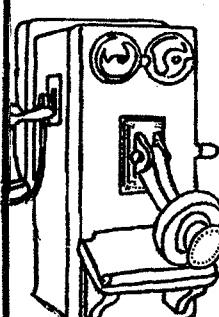
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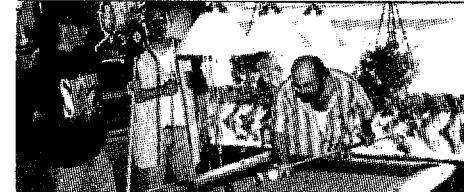


Art in the Park July 16 & 17: Linda Chambers, Children's Banks, Clarkston.

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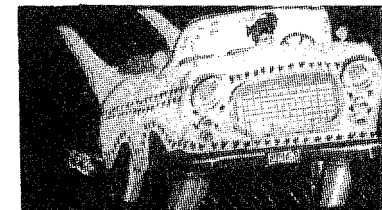


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Art in the Park, July 16-17, Mark Kersey, Toledo OH, Painting



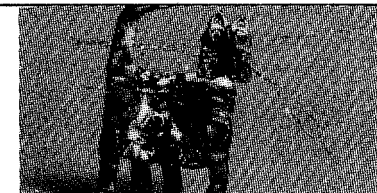
Art in the Park, July 16-17, Alice Ham, Berkley, MI, Ceramics

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Call (313) 453-6900

Crier Classifieds

Curiosities

"I don't have to leave town to have a good time. I have fun all the time and its all locally

Is a short haired blonde smarter than a long haired blonde?

" . Quote from Margaret

Sue Dodson is getting ready for the big "50" in '95 Happy Birthday

Kathleen had a birthday. Happy! Happy! Happy!

K.C. Mueller is having a Birthday this week. K.& C. are Roman Numerals K25C=O.

Everyone look out-Ginger is getting her clubs out

HEAVENS TO BETSY- I CAN'T REMEMBER YOUR NAME. What a delight you are & the fact that you gave me a lovely container of strawberry jam has nothing to do with it. Thank you. Please call me at The Crier.

Craig is gone and I miss him already. DLA

Fall Fest is only 2 months away.

YE OLD SCHOOL MATES MET AT 8:00 AM and had breakfast at the Station Restaurant (on Northville Rd. & Seven Mile) on Wednesday- (they meet once a month). Why don't you join them?

WALTER FLETCHER, Home again, Home again, are you? (And we're glad.) Get to hear from your friends. FRIENDS,- TAKE NOTE!

Curiosities

DUNBAR- HERE YOU ARE MARTHA, DON'T YOU HELP! I must go down to the seas again, to the lonely sea and the sky, And all I ask is a tall ship and a star to steer her by.

Art in the Park is almost here - Be sure & get your message to all the visitors by being in the Art in the Park '94 guide - Call us at 313/453-6900.

Yes DUNBAR, you are absolutely right! Wordsworth wrote it and it was called "She was a phantom of delight"- BRAVO

I LOVE A PARADE!!! And so did the grandbabies. But next time hand out fruit instead of candy! And have more matching bands.

Big Sis starts this week.



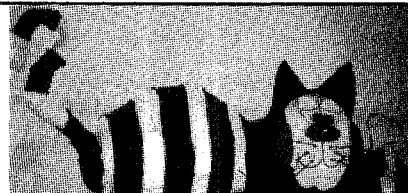
Good Luck!!

Thanks Mike B. for the goodies and sodas! Comma Staff

HELEN STEVENS- So sorry you broke your hip, but glad that you are near enough for some of your friends to visit you at Plymouth Court, 105 Haggerty Rd.

HELEN S. Help! I don't know how to turn the heel in the sock I'm knitting! Geneva

Curiosities



Art in the Park, July 16-17, Mary Taros, Paper Mache Cat

Curiosities



Best Wishes from Lakewood Shores in Oscoda, MI-Mom & Pop Paid for by Charles Lowe, P.O.Box 589, Oscoda, MI,

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20¢ each additional word.
Deadline: Monday, 4pm.
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Curiosities



Ma & Pa Frontier! Happy 9th Anniversary, Love, Steph



Guess who went to see the Lion King? I'll be, its Emma Rose

MATT A., Next time you ride in a truck, helping people move stuff, HOLD ON and don't think it's so funny that you boys fell out, you could have really injured yourselves BAD! Love, worried mom.



WHO ARE THESE TWO YOUNG LADIES? THAT CAN'T BE JULIE & JANET CAN IT



Employment Market

Help Wanted

KIDS THRU SENIORS
The Crier is now looking for carriers on many routes! If you are interested in a money-making opportunity call 313/453-6900

POSTAL JOBS Start \$11.41/hr. For exam and application info. call (219) 769-8301 ext M1548, 9 a.m.-9 p.m., Sun.-Fri.

SUBSTITUTE DRIVERS NEEDED - TO BE ON CALL FOR WEDNESDAYS!
Easy cash, one day a week - must have own transportation and be extremely reliable. If interested, call The Crier and ask for ELAINE, (313)453-6900.

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Human Resources,
101 Union,
Plymouth, MI 48170

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Finish carpenters needed. Tools and experience required. (313) 981-7959.

OFFICE PERSON- Must be organized and able to use computer. Full time position. Business located in Plymouth. Please telephone 455-5780.

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(Part Time)Work approximately 20 hours per week on a flexible schedule, Monday-Friday. Variety of duties may include filing, typing, mailroom and switchboard. Previous office experience required, mature professional demeanor, ability to work independently in a confidential manner with multiple priorities. Send resume, including salary history, to:

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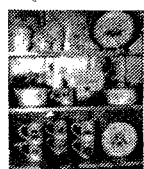
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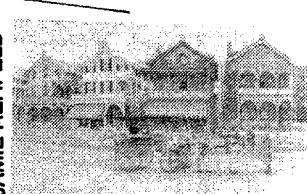
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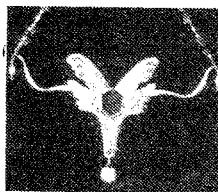
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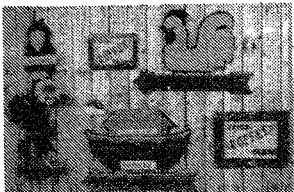
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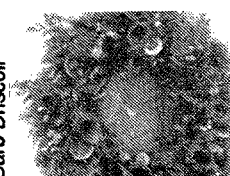
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Brushstrokes



Barb Driscoll





Sports

Sports shorts

The Canton Department of Parks and Recreation is sponsoring its annual Singles Tennis Tournament July 15 through 17 at the Plymouth Canton Educational Park tennis courts.

Each participant must furnish a new can of USTA approved tennis balls. USTA rules will apply for the tournament.

Register in person or by mail at the Parks and Recreation Department office, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, Canton.

Age divisions are as follows:

The format will be single elimination, two out of three sets with a twelve point tie breaker at 6 - 6.

Registration deadline is July 13 at 5 p.m. Participants can call July 14 between 3:30 p.m. and 5 p.m. for match times.

For more information, call the Parks and Recreation Department at 397-5110.

Canton's Department of Parks and Recreation will hold its 16th annual five mile run in Heritage Park on July 16, with some additions. This year, the annual run will be a part of the first annual "Race Day in the Park."

The new event will consist of the traditional five mile run plus a five kilometer walk, and a half-mile fun run for kids.

The registration fee is \$10 before July 14, and \$12 after. Kids registration is \$2.

For more information, or to register, please call the Department of Parks and Recreation at 397-5110.

The City of Plymouth Parks and Recreation Department will be sponsoring the following trips for seniors.

Saginaw Rendezvous

Trip includes roundtrip deluxe motor-coach, shopping at the largest factory outlet mall in the state, a visit to Montrose Orchards and Cider Mill, lunch at the beautiful Montague Inn, and a walking tour of the Japanese Tea Gardens. Trip date is July 28, departs 8 a.m., returns 6 p.m.

Tiffin, OH

Trip includes roundtrip deluxe motor-coach, visits to the Seneca County Museum and the Ballreich Potato Chip Factory, a glass blowing demonstration, and lunch at the Pioneer Mill Restaurant. The date is Aug. 8, departs at 7:30 a.m. and returns at 5 p.m.

Summit Gardens Dinner Theatre

A trip to Fort Wayne to see the show "Monkey Business '94" starring Buddy Graf will leave at 8:30 a.m. and return at 8 p.m. on Sept. 14. The show features dancing and comedy from the vaudeville era. Lunch at the theatre is included.

For more information on these trips, contact Carol Donnelly at 455-6620.

City Kickers:

Plymouth teams named best in Western 'Burbs

The City of Plymouth Parks and Recreation Department recently crowned their soccer champions.

The following soccer teams either won or tied for their division championship this spring in the Western Suburban Soccer League.

These teams are made up of players who signed up through the recreation department's soccer program.

In the Under 9 Boys Division 1, Plymouth 3 - coached by Lee Wright and Plymouth 7 - coached by Mark McGraw

shared first place honors.

In the Under 9 Boys Division 2, Plymouth 2 - coached by Dave Wright was the top team.

Dave Bulmer coached Plymouth 6 to the Under 9 Boys Division 3 championship.

Plymouth 4 won the Under 10 Boys Division 1 championship, coached by Rick Erickson.

In the Under 11 Boys Division 2 championship, Plymouth 1, coached by Ron Szomak took the top honors.

George Dendinos coached Plymouth 1 to a championship in the Under 12 Boys Division 1.

Mike McGrath led Plymouth 1 to the championship in the Under 13 Boys Division.

In the Under 10 Girls Division, Stephanie Thiess coached Plymouth 1 to the title.

Plymouth 4, coached by Steve Holmes shared the Under 12 Girls Division 2 title with Farmington.

Center's golf outing will help center for mentally disabled

Our Lady of Providence Center is sponsoring the third annual Corporate Golf Classic on Aug. 22, 1994 at Meadowbrook Golf and Country in Northville.

Tickets are \$225 per golf entry and \$100 for dinner and beverages only.

All profits go to benefit Our Lady of Providence Center, located in Northville Township.

The center provides residential, educational and vocational opportunities for mentally impaired children and young adults.

RESERVATION FORM

How To Order:

To reserve your tickets or sponsorship, please fill out this form and mail it with your check or money order to:

Corporate Golf Classic
c/o T. M. Byrne Enterprises, Inc.
P. O. Box 330
Lake Orion, Michigan 48361

(Make Checks Payable To: Our Lady of Providence Center)

Entry:

Name _____

Company _____

Address _____

City/State _____ Zip _____

Tickets: Qty Total
 \$225 Golf Entry _____ \$ _____
 \$100 Dinner Only _____ \$ _____

Sponsor Packages: Qty Total
 \$5,000 Dinner Sponsor 1 \$ _____
 \$2,500 Lunch Sponsor 1 \$ _____
 \$1,500 Golf Cart Sponsor 1 \$ _____
 \$750 Tee & Green #1 Sponsor _____ \$ _____
 \$500 Tee & Green #2 Sponsor _____ \$ _____

Donation:

I/we cannot attend the Corporate Golf Classic.
Please accept my/our donation of: \$ _____

Foursome Includes:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

For income tax purposes, the fair market value of a Corporate Golf Classic golf ticket is approximately \$150.

CANTON TOWNSHIP PARKS AND RECREATION SERVICES SOFTBALL STANDINGS

RED LEAGUE	W	L	WHITE LEAGUE	W	L
A.D. Transport	7	2	Mexican Fiesta I	8	1
The Icebergs	6	3	Kennys	6	3
American Yazaki Corp.	6	3	Landing Strip	6	3
Action Landscape	5	4	Magic	5	4
Donto	4	5	ASAP Machine	5	4
Bittingers	4	5	T.C. Gators	3	6
Tri State Comm.	4	5	Electric Stick/Beaver Creek	2	7
Canton Lions	0	9	GMAC	1	8
BLUE LEAGUE	W	L	GREEN LEAGUE	W	L
Post Bar	7	1	St. Michael I	8	0
Metro Direct	7	2	Fairway Club	7	1
Rusty Nail	6	3	Dental Diplomats	7	2
A.G. Edwards	6	3	Selimi's Salon	4	5
Team #8	6	3	Lobdell/Emery-Canton S.	3	6
Lanier	2	7	Ancor	3	6
Yazaki EDS Engineering	1	7	Private Eyes	2	7
Carpet Workroom	0	9	St. Michael II	1	8

CITY OF PLYMOUTH PARKS AND RECREATION SERVICES SOFTBALL STANDINGS

CO-ED	W	L	W	L	
SLOW Roman Forum	7	0	Fairway Club-	3	4
PITCH St. Michael	6	0	The "A" Team	3	4
Sheehan's	7	1	Masland Industries	3	4
Tijuanna Toads	5	2	Mr. B's	2	5
C.D.I	5	3	The Mighty Ducks	2	6
Brass Mug	4	5	Stan's Market	1	7
Rebels				0	7
MENS MODIFIED STANDINGS THRU 5-18-94	W	L	WOMEN'S SLOW PITCH	W	L
Portland Building	5	1	Rusty Nail	8	0
T.C. Gators	4	1	Kenny's	6	2
Insurance Exchange	3	3	Plymouth Reed & Cane	5	2
Primo's Pizza	3	4	St. Michael	5	3
Canton Sports	0	6	Widerberry Party Store	3	3
			Complete Therapy	1	5
			Adistra	1	6
			E & E Manufacturing	0	7
MENS SLOW PITCH SOFTBALL STANDINGS THRU 5-18-94	W	L	WHITE DIVISION	W	L
BLUE DIVISION			Gene Brown Const.	7	1
American Transmissions	9	1	Lowell Engineering Corp.	6	3
Rusty Nail	7	3	Card-It	6	3
Diggers	5	4	Soil & Materials Engineers	5	4
Mr. B's/Disposable Heros	4	5	Johnson Controls	4	5
Mike Smith, Attorney	3	6	Adistra	4	6
Corporate Uphostery	3	6	Davey Tree	3	6
Tools	2	8	Comp. Corp. Tech.	1	8

Hoben leaves district; enters PGA tour?



The now former Plymouth-Canton Schools Superintendent John Hoben was honored Wednesday with a golf outing at Fellows Creek Country Club in Canton. Hoben's foursome managed to play a little golf between downpours of rain. And no, Hoben will not be entering the PGA tour — at least not right away. (Crier Photos by Peter Broderick)



On deck

The Canton Chamber of Commerce will be holding their Men's and Women's Golf Outing at Fellows Creek Golf Course on Tuesday, August 9.

The foursome scramble will begin at 8:30 a.m. with a shotgun start. The outing includes 18 holes of golf, cart, continental breakfast, lunch and refreshments on the course.

There will be prizes and many special events including a putting contest and an awards banquet and trophies for teams and various sponsors.

A portion of the proceeds will go toward the Special Olympics. Foursome reservations can be made by calling the Canton Chamber of Commerce at 453-4040.

The City of Plymouth Parks and Recreation Department is now selling tickets to most major amusement parks in Michigan and Ohio.

The tickets purchased through the parks and recreation department will be up to \$5 off the ticket prices at the gate.

For more information, contact the parks and recreation department at 455-6623.

Entry forms are now available for the 1994 Metro Beach Biathlon to be held July 31 at Metro Beach in Mt. Clemens.

The event consists of a one kilometer swim and a five kilometer (3.1 miles) run. All participants receive a tee shirt and award. Age groups begin with 13 and under up to 60 and over (men and women).

For those not able to swim and run, a team event is held to enable you to still take part. One member swims and the other team member runs.

For entry forms write: Metro-Macomb Runners, 24121 Meadow Bridge, Clinton Twp., MI 48035 or call (810) 792-4563 (evenings).

Plymouth residents and all other cities beginning with the letter "P" will receive discounts on Detroit Tigers tickets on Friday, July 8 as part of the team's new "City Nights" promotion.

The 26 home games, which began June 3, each represent a letter of the alphabet. Cities that begin with that day's designated letter will receive discounts on tickets - \$12 reserved tickets for \$10 or \$8 grandstand reserved tickets for \$5.

Residents need to show reasonable proof of residency at the Tiger Box Office. Tickets may also be ordered by calling or visiting local Ticketmaster centers.

The July 8 game will also feature the Friday Fireworks/Laser Spectacular after the game.

Canton Parks Dept. sponsors summer playground plan

BY PETER BRODERICK

The Canton Department of Parks and Recreation will be sponsoring a supervised playground program from now until Aug. 11.

The program will run all week, and is open to all Canton residents between the ages of 5 and 15. You may register in person during the hours listed. There will be no fee for Canton residents.

According to the Parks and Recreation Department, the purpose of the program is to provide structured and unstructured leisure time activities for young people within Canton Township. Activities will include field trips, sports, arts and crafts, group games and more.

For more information, call the Parks and Recreation office at 397-5110.

Park	Time	Days
Paul Revere	10 a.m. - 1 p.m. 2 p.m. - 5 p.m.	Tues./Thurs. Tues./Thurs.
Hanridge	10 a.m. - 1 p.m.	Mon./Wed./Fri.
Umland	2 p.m. - 5 p.m.	Mon./Wed./Fri.
Windsor Park East	10 a.m. - 1 p.m.	Mon. through Fri.
Windsor Park West	2 p.m. - 5 p.m.	Mon. through Fri.
Canturbury Mews	10 a.m. - 1 p.m. 2 p.m. - 5 p.m.	Mon./Wed./Fri. Tues.
Brookside	10 a.m. - 1 p.m. 2 p.m. - 5 p.m.	Thurs. Mon./Wed./Fri.
Franklin Square	10 a.m. - 1 p.m. 2 p.m. - 5 p.m.	Tues. Thurs.
Flodin	10 a.m. - 1 p.m. 2 p.m. - 5 p.m.	Tues./Thurs. Mon./Wed./Fri.
Griffin	10 a.m. - 1 p.m. 2 p.m. - 5 p.m.	Mon./Wed./Fri. Tues./Thurs.
Pickwick	10 a.m. - 1 p.m. 2 p.m. - 5 p.m.	Mon./Wed./Fri. Tues./Thurs.
Wagon Wheel	10 a.m. - 1 p.m. 2 p.m. - 5 p.m.	Tues./Thurs. Mon./Wed./Fri.
Greenbrook Village	10 a.m. - 1 p.m. 2 p.m. - 5 p.m.	Tues./Thurs. Mon./Wed./Fri.
Kingsway	10 a.m. - 1 p.m. 2 p.m. - 5 p.m.	Mon./Wed./Fri. Tues./Thurs.
Franklin Palmer	10 a.m. - 1 p.m. 2 p.m. - 5 p.m.	Tues. Mon./Thurs.
Forestbrook	2 p.m. - 5 p.m.	Wed./Fri.



Community opinions

Get out and vote

Poor turnout at the June 13 school board election means voters in The Plymouth-Canton Community need to re-evaluate priorities

• *The right of citizens of the United States to vote shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any State on account of race, color or previous condition of servitude. (15th Amendment, added to the Constitution in 1870)*

• *The right of citizens of the United States to vote shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any State on account of sex. (19th Amendment, added to the Constitution in 1920)*

• *The right of citizens of the United States, who are 18 years of age or older, to vote shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any State on account of age. (26th Amendment, added to the Constitution in 1971)*

These are quotes that most people learned in high school history class, and that most take for granted. Too much for granted, it would seem.

On June 13, Plymouth-Canton's school board election saw a voter turnout of less than 6 per cent. (About 19 out of every 20 voters couldn't be bothered with showing up.)

There is no legitimate reason for any election to have a turnout that low. It seems that everyone has an idea of how things should run, or who should be in office — but where are they on election day?

"I forgot."

"It was only a school board election, anyway. No big deal."

"There wasn't even a millage vote this year."

Or maybe the ever popular, "It was raining so hard. There was a storm warning and everything!"

Every U.S. citizen over 18 has the right to vote, and take an active part in the workings of the local, state and federal governments. After all the



And in other news

By Peter Broderick

fighting and lobbying that had to be done by some groups to earn the right to vote, it now seems that voting is too much of a hassle — a burden to their busy schedule that they can't be bothered with.

What's even worse is the fact that this latest election was for the public schools. How many public school parents actually got to the polls?

And then there are the hypocrites who don't get out and vote, but still criticize and complain about the job that these elected officials are doing. Come on, if you didn't vote, then don't complain.

Voting should not be looked at as a right, but as a privilege. If an eligible voter votes consistently and responsibly, then that person's registration should be kept in good standing.

But if a person picks and chooses which elections they want to take part in, or which elections are convenient for them to take part in, then their voting privilege should be revoked.

Either be a responsible member of our society, or stand on the outside looking in.

If you can't see voting as more than just an inconvenience, then you don't need to be inconvenienced by it. Let those that are responsible enough to care about our community choose for you, and keep quiet if you don't agree.

Shrewsbury, commission deserve recognition for handling of campaigns

EDITOR:

I had to chuckle reading the headline and article about plans to replace the city attorney should a conflict arise over his campaign for judge. Next, will we be treated to a similar article announcing plans for the replacement of Commissioner Dennis Shrewsbury after he wins

for judge...or plans to recruit another citizen activist should Carol Levitte win...or the method for the prosecuting attorney to replace his staff member should he get elected.

Surely there is more news of value that would warrant this news space than the article you ran.

I commend the City Commission, including Dennis Shrewsbury, for wanting to avoid any appearance of impropriety and the City manager for making plans...but to suggest this as a major news happening really suggests a different agenda.

R. WILLIAM JOYNER

U of M bio profs; Miller Woods should be protected

EDITOR:

We understand that there is a movement to place a fence around Miller Woods, and to keep bikes and pets from roaming the preserve. We wish to endorse these plans most empathically. We have been studying the woods for many years, and, of course, we visit there frequently with our undergraduate and graduate students, as well as with visiting scientists. It is a remarkable woods, one of the few remaining in Southeast Michigan which displays the beech-sugar maple ecosystem, and which is readily available to educational groups as well as the public.

Anything that can be done to foster the integrity of Miller Woods and preserve it in per-

petuity must certainly be carried out. It is inconceivable to us that individuals in the area do not appreciate or respect this treasure.

It seems selfish indeed that for immediate self satisfaction, some individuals are willing to sacrifice our heritage of the living world. It has taken thousands of years for the Miller Woods ecosystem to form.

What possible reason is there for someone to ride a bicycle through the woods, other than an egocentric urge? I am sure that you realize that among the communities of southeast Michigan, Plymouth has always had a fine reputation of highly responsible, conscientious citizens; it is one of the choice communities in which to live — partly because of the foresight that Miller

Woods represents.

Miller Woods is a rare community locally, with dominant species including sugar maple, basswood, and American beech.

Such "high-grade" cutting as has been done since 1820 has not changed the nature of this climax forest.

Excellent conditions for decomposition reduce leaf litter on the forest floor, and many beautiful wildflowers occur there. Among the woody rarities are rock elm. Every effort must be made to preserve this heritage, and to use it for educational purposes.

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Community opinions

Fourth of July?

Annual parade looked more like Politician Day as Main Street was choked by a preview of the November ballot

Was there a Fourth of July parade in Plymouth Monday?

Could have fooled me.

It looked like a political "beauty pageant".

There were several winners and a couple of losers.

Gov. John Engler won the Bad Taste Award. His politicking went too far.

Engler campaign people handed out signs to the people at the parade as if they had made them, which was extremely tacky.

Although most of the signs were given to kids, most of whom don't even know who the governor is, some were given to adults.

Engler's campaign people should check on the gender of their sign holders. I found it humorous to see a man holding a "Women for Engler" sign. Talk about mixed messages.

Ron Lowe proved he is no "dummy" by showing everyone politics can be fun.

He is my choice for the Boom-Chuga-Luga-Luga Award for his fancy footwork.

Lowe is part of the Fred Hill Briefcase Drill Team, so he could not march independently to support his race for the 35th District Court judges seat.

In his place, a mannequin, beard and all, rode on the back of a red pickup.

Miss Congeniality went to Ronna Romney, who is running for the open U.S. Senate seat. Her red, white and blue bus was a show stopper and she made a point of pressing a lot of flesh along the route.

The Least Likely to Have Good Campaign

No curves

By Rob Kirkbride



Commercial Footage went to Spence Abraham's camp. The camera man tripped over several parade-watchers as he was filming for a commercial spot.

The Most Creative Use of Color Award goes to 35th District Court judge candidate Dennis Shrewsbury.

Shrewsbury could have attracted a nest of bees with his black and yellow signs, cloths, vehicles, etc.

Clyde Cleveland, who is running for the Wayne County Executive seat wins the Fanciest Car in the Parade Award. The Rolls-Royce that was part of his "float" was smashing.

John Kelly wins the Only Democrat Running for the U.S. Senate to be in Plymouth on the Fourth Award. Congratulations John.

Jacqueline George and Michael Gerou, both candidates for the 35th District Court spot shared the Most Peppy Candidate Award. The two of them were all over the parade route shaking hands. They looked like they were ready to run a foot race, not a political race.

There were other candidates in the parade. There were so many of them, it was hard to concentrate on the actual parade.

But those are the big winners and losers from the Fourth of July parade in Plymouth.

The real winners will be chosen on August 2 and November 8.

Thanks to all of those who lent their time and effort to the Travis House clean-up

EDITOR:

The Canton Historic District Commission wishes to publicly thank all the volunteers that helped with the historic Bartlett-Travis House Clean-Up weekends. April 30 dawned with miserable cold and wet weather, yet these faithful souls came out armed with shovels, crowbars and sledge hammers. Together, they broke down the entire first floor walls and ceilings and hauled it all out to the dumpsters. We filled 2 1/2 large dumpsters over the weekend. On a second weekend we continued to work on the second floor and

removed all the walls and filled yet another dumpster. Undoubtedly this weekend will list among the "incomparable" weekends for the faithful volunteers of The Plymouth-Canton Community.

Paul Denski, Jr., owner of CWR, graciously donated the use of the dumpsters and hauled them away for us. We are lucky to have such a good friend in Canton. Gordon Noakes, owner of E & V Plastic Plating generously loaned us three men for two days to pull down ceilings and break down walls on the second story to expe-

dite the demolition process. We are thankful for this help. The community volunteers numbered many over the four working days. A simple thank you seems inadequate to express the Historic District Commission's gratitude to these folks. They worked hard, and they worked long and accomplished much. They suffered plaster dust, unidentified falling debris, chilling dampness and mud to help preserve a part of Canton's heritage. Thank you all so much!

TERRI BENNETT
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