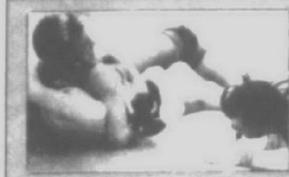


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## Kosteva seeks state probe of sewer project

By Jeff Counts  
staff writer

The Western Township Utilities Authority, which runs the Plymouth, Canton and Northville sewer project, could be investigated by the state.

State Rep. James Kosteva, D-Canton, on Tuesday asked state House Speaker Lewis Dodak to approve a review of the multi-million dollar project. Approval could come this week.

The probe would consist of state house staff members reviewing spending on the project, the procedures used to handle the contracts and a look to see if the state laws governing utility authorities should be changed.

"This is a state level review at this time. We're not trying to cast aspersions on the project," said Kosteva.

Authority member Tom Yack, Canton Township supervisor, reacted to the proposed probe, saying, "We're an open book. We're willing to share with the world the

inner working of the authority. We have nothing to hide.

BUT WHILE THE proposed probe would be handled by state house staff members, the results could be turned over to the state Attorney General's office for further investigation.

"All I'm trying to do is to have some folks take a good look at some of the serious questions raised in an article in the Free Press," said Kosteva.

A story in Saturday's Detroit Free Press contended that the area's 98,000 residents will pay \$94.5 million for a sewer system, but could have joined the Wayne County Super Sewer Project for \$25.5 million.

The story also alleged that \$30 million is being spent on non-construction costs and that \$11.5 million is going to contracts with people who have connections with local officials.

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BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

Elizabeth Bryl asks sewer authority members about allegations of cronyism on the project.

## Law says rates won't go up, avoids 'rumors'

By Kevin Brown  
staff writer

Plymouth Township Supervisor Gerald Law responded Tuesday at a township trustees meeting to charges that a joint sewer project will double residents' sewer rates.

"The rates are not going to double, they're not going to go up at all," Law said.

About 20 township residents con-

cerned over the charges attended the trustees meeting, intending to pose questions to Law and other trustees over charges that \$11.5 million in contracts related to the Western Townships Utilities Authority had been awarded to people with connections to township officials.

WHILE A PUBLIC comment section was on the agenda, Law said he would only discuss the charges relat-

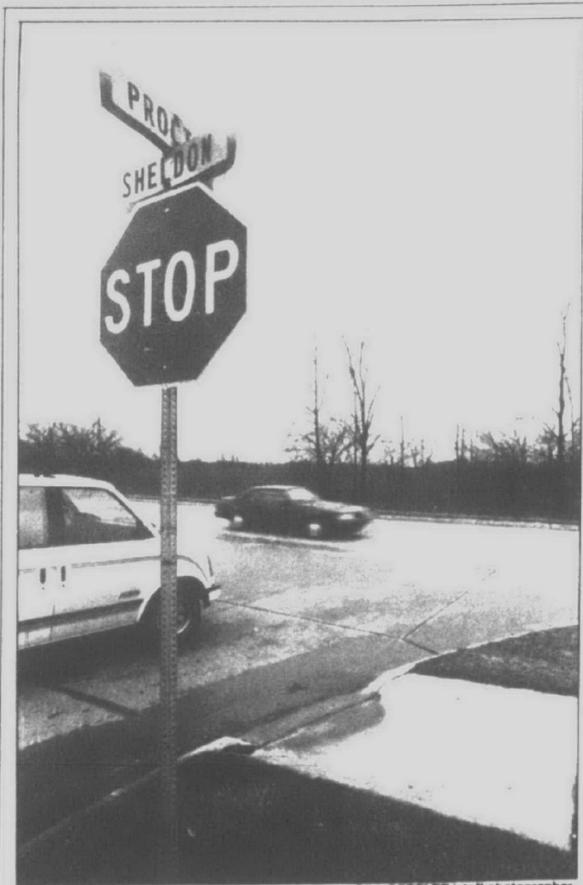
ed to the WTUA project after the meeting.

"I'm telling you why I'm not going to allow it tonight," Law said.

Of a report that rates would be doubled, Law said "that's totally erroneous, those are wrong computations."

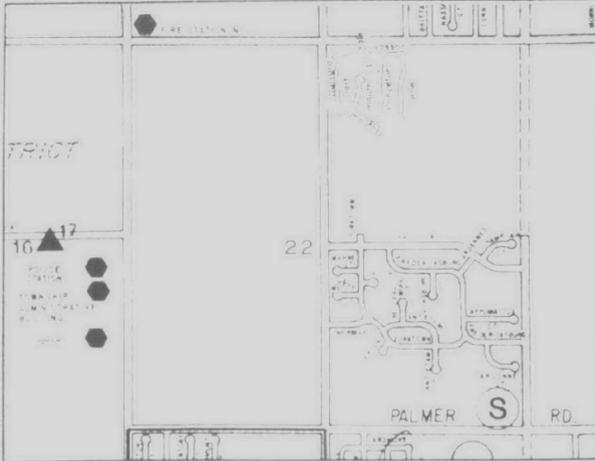
The report, he said, "has created quite a controversy among my senior citizens."

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BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

School children will soon be on their way to classes in Canton at a new elementary school in the Proctor and Sheldon area.



BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

The new school will be located in section 22 in Canton Township.

## Site chosen for Canton school

Months of speculation concerning the location of a proposed elementary school ended Monday with the Plymouth-Canton school board's approval of an agreement to purchase land in south Canton.

The vacant 14-acre site is on the west side of Sheldon Road at Proctor Road.

The district is paying GGC Development Associates \$350,000 for the land, which has been found to be contamination-free and well-

sited for school construction, according to Ray Hoedel, associate superintendent for business and operations.

THE DISTRICT WILL build a second school on a site already owned by Plymouth-Canton Community Schools in the Sunflower subdivision on the south side of Warren between Canton Center and Beck roads.

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## Downtown focus of retail study

See related story on Page 11A

By Kevin Brown  
staff writer

A possible blueprint for a healthy downtown business district was presented to city officials last week.

Called a retail market assessment and economic enhancement strategy for downtown Plymouth, it is scheduled to be presented in a public meeting March 12 at the Plymouth Cultural Center.

The assessment was performed by Hyett Palma, Inc., a firm that has

done such studies nationwide.

ITS INTENT "was to gain a higher degree of understanding of the downtown's retail market potential in order to develop strategies to further strengthen and enhance the retail offerings and economic base of the downtown," wrote Doyle Hyett and Delores Palma.

Nearly 200 pages long, the study includes results from a survey of residents and business owners, analysis of who shops downtown, retail growth potential, and ways to promote downtown Plymouth more effectively.

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## Teens nabbed in fraud

Two Plymouth Salem High students are suspected in computer fraud including the re-routing of phone bills and credit card fraud.

"Apparently they were directing the phone bills elsewhere," said Plymouth Township Sgt. Jim Jarvis.

The U.S. Secret Service and Michigan State Police are investigating the activities of the 16-year-old Canton youths, who were questioned Sunday by Plymouth Township police.

Police arrested one youth after investigating a report of someone throwing rocks at security lights at the AT&T tower at 5770 Napier Road.

Officers found an unoccupied car parked east of the tower, entered the grounds and found one of the youths hiding behind some equipment. He tried to flee but was captured, according to Plymouth Township police.

In completing the search, officers found the building was broken into, apparently to get access to AT&T computer files.

The township police department seized technical manuals from the car allegedly used by the youths, and wire cutting and splicing tools and latex gloves.

Both youths were released to their parents. The investigation is continuing.

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## Mason to coordinate Suburban Life sections

Suburban Life sections for the Wayne County editions of the Observer & Eccentric will now be coordinated by editor Susan Mason.

Mason has worked at the O&E for six years. She previously coordinated the Suburban Life sections in Livonia, Redford, Westland and Garden City and worked as a general assignment reporter in Westland, Livonia and Redford.

A graduate of Wayne State University, Mason lives in Westland with her husband, Bob.

Before coming to the O&E, Mason worked as editor of Associated Newspapers in Wayne.

She has received awards for feature writing and lifestyle section from the National Newspaper Association and the Suburban Newspaper Association.

A journalist since 1972, Mason would like to

Mason has received awards from the National Newspaper Association and the Suburban Newspaper Association.

hear from Plymouth and Canton readers. If you have ideas for stories for Suburban Life, please contact Mason, 953-2131.

Calendar items which previously appeared in the Suburban Life section will now run in our regular news section and will be coordinated by Jeff Counts, community editor. These items should be dropped off or mailed to Counts in the Plymouth-Canton office, 744 Wing Street in downtown Plymouth.



Susan Mason coordinates Suburban Life

# Kosteva seeks state probe of sewer project

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Meanwhile, Western Wayne Utilities Authority members held a meeting on Tuesday to refute the allegations made in the story. Authority members include Tom Yack, Canton Township supervisor, and Gerald Law, Plymouth Township supervisor.

Yack and Law disputed the figures, saying that the \$25.5 million estimate was based on an assumption that Canton and Plymouth townships would receive 55 percent of the money from a federal grant.

"We don't qualify for the grant," said Yack. "The grant is for communities that need sewers right now, not for secondary growth."

He said Canton needs sewer ca-

capacity for future growth and that's why the townships didn't go with the Wayne County project.

Both Yack and Law said there's another factor involved, and that's clean water.

Basically the way the Wayne County Detroit system works is that rain water becomes mixed with raw sewage during storms and because the sewage treatment plant doesn't have enough capacity, the sewage and rain water is dumped into either the Rouge or Detroit Rivers.

When the Western Townships Utilities Authority project is done, all the water from Plymouth, Canton and Northville will be treated at a plant in Ypsilanti, Yack said. None of the water will be dumped untreated into rivers.

**BUT WHILE AUTHORITY** members contend there are no problems with the project, Kosteva said, "There are questions in the public's mind."

Some of those questions revolve around the involvement of one local election official and the relatives of two others.

They are Robert Law, the brother of Gerald Law; Abe Munfakh, Plymouth Township trustee; and John Breen, the brother of Maurice Breen, former Plymouth Township supervisor and now a Wayne County Commissioner.

Law belongs to a law firm that represents Canton, Plymouth and Northville townships and gives legal advice about the sewer project.

John Breen, an attorney, was involved in the sewer project as a land acquisition specialist. Breen defended his role in the project on Tuesday, saying he has the background to work on such a project.

Abe Munfakh works for an engineering firm that received a contract to design the project. He voted to approve the project.

At the Tuesday meeting, Law and Yack defended the contracts with the three, even though they were not done on a bid basis. They said the authority isn't required to bid out for professional services.

Law and Yack also said that the authority was hampered in getting work done because they couldn't contract with any firms working on Wayne County's Super Sewer project, saying that such contracts would be a conflict of interest.

Kosteva, however, said that his requested probe will address the subject of the relationships of John Breen, Abe Munfakh and Robert Law.

"We have to make the authority accountable for making contracts with relatives," he said. "This has put a cloud over the project."



Bill BRESLER/staff photographer

Tom Yack, Canton Township supervisor and sewer authority member, explains spending on the sewer project. At center is Gerald Law,

Plymouth Township supervisor and a member of the authority. Betty Lennox, authority administrator, is at left.

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# Residents don't get discussion

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"I also today had to talk to a prospective (house) buyer and reassured them," he said, and a prospective developer.

"I might add that's very cruel," he said, to alarm "older people on fixed incomes."

Saying further public discussion could "create rumors," Law added,

"We will not discuss this topic and create a circus."

"We will get information to our citizens in the township on what the truth is," he said, in the monthly township newsletter and possibly in a public hearing on the matter.

Brought before the trustees to speak Tuesday was Ken Kunkel, of the Plante and Moran auditing firm which works for the township and

several other Michigan communities.

Before citizens, Law questioned Kunkel about current water-sewer rate increases the city of Detroit is passing on to township residents — 25 percent over the next 3 years.

"I think for communities to get together is an effective way to handle this," Kunkel said.

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# 500 Cantonites face loss of Willow Run jobs

By M.B. Dillon  
staff writer

As General Motors employees still reeling from the news that Ypsilanti's Willow Run plant will close, workers picked their hearts up off the ground Tuesday. The Canton community hoped for the best.

Estimates are that as many as 500 Willow Run assembly plant employees live in Canton, but an exact figure isn't available, township and chamber of commerce officials say. It's also not known how many Canton residents work for automotive suppliers and other small businesses serving the auto industry.

How do you measure this? Obviously the downsizing of GM or any company is a painful experience for those that find themselves being eliminated or terminated, said Canton Supervisor Thomas York. Hopefully, most of the individuals will find spots in existing GM facilities.

UAW CHAIRMAN ROBERT Stempel did say they are going to try to do a lot of it through attrition. Hopefully they are able to accomplish that.

The key will be how many can find jobs at other GM facilities in the area. Until we know the answer to that question, we will be hard put to measure the effect. If the number is great for those unable to find placement, it may have an immediate impact on housing. There'd be more houses for sale.

Mike Leslie, first vice president of Canton Township's UAW Local 735, was present when Willow Run employees from Local 1776 met at his local on Michigan Avenue Monday.

None of the Canton local members work at Willow Run, though many of their spouses do, he said.

I expected their work force to be throwing rocks. They threw a few, but they threw them all

## End of the Line:

### The closing of Willow Run

at Bush, Stempel and GM," Leslie said. "They are real angry, but they seem pretty united."

Hazen Hiller, president of the Canton Chamber of Commerce and owner of Master Lighting on Ford Road, doesn't foresee a whole lot of people being affected in Canton. It's going to hit different people in different ways.

About 4,000 workers and families are involved, and we know that Texas is going to have to put on another shift to handle the work," he said. "I can easily see 1,000 families being transferred to Texas. If 500 or more take early retirement, that'll be 2,000 families affected, though throughout all of GM there will be all kinds of job bumping."

"If you're a young person, it's going to be tough on you," said Hiller. "We're cushioned somewhat by the distance between us and Ypsilanti. That's where they're going to take the real hard hit."

Time will tell just how the real estate and retail markets will be affected, he added.

"This is one of those situations you have to wait and ride out. Nobody welcomes this. This is something you start working to protect yourself from 10 or 20 years before it happens so that it never happens," Hiller said. "You have to keep building relations between management, employees and customers."



BRIAN FORDE

Members of Willow Run UAW Local 1776 leave a representative discussed options following GM's announcement that the plant would close in 1993.

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# Closing dashes dream; worker, wife disillusioned

By Darrell Clem  
staff writer

David Baumer fell short of the American Dream. And he's disillusioned, angry.

Baumer and his wife Kathleen, who's 5½ months pregnant with their first child, saw their hopes fade Monday when General Motors Corp. announced the closing of Ypsilanti's Willow Run assembly plant, where Baumer has worked for seven years.

The Westland man said he and his wife talked about the "devastating" news over lunch Monday. They're worried about the comfortable life they've built at their Herbert Street residence.

"My wife started crying. I hate to see a pregnant woman cry," Baumer, 33, said Monday afternoon, shaking his head as he stood inside the UAW Local 1776 hall in Ypsilanti. He wore a GMC-logo cap with a UAW button pinned to it.

Baumer didn't suffer alone. The same grim look could be seen on the faces of GM workers from Garden City, Livonia, Wayne and other local communities as they shuffled through the doors of the union hall Monday afternoon.

Only hours earlier, they had felt

*'My wife started crying. I hate to see a pregnant woman cry.'*

— David Baumer  
father-to-be

secure in their jobs. They wondered why the company had brought in 5,000 hot dogs, potato chips and pop for the 4,014 workers, if not for a celebration.

They knew that GM planned to close either their plant or the one in Arlington, Texas. But they believed they could win what U.S. Rep. William Ford, 15th District Democrat, called "a degrading bidding war pitting American workers and American communities against each other."

MOST AGREED with Livonia resident Bob Harlow, Local 1776 president, who suggested that President George Bush pulled some political strings for his home state.

"We think it's politics, and we got the raw end of the deal," said Raymond Rubin, 42, a Livonia resident and 25-year GM employee. "It's a

shock — definitely a shock."

Rubin said he may retire to Traverse City with his wife. "But you feel sorry for the people who have young kids."

Like Wayne resident Dan McCarty, 33, a 13-year GM worker who has a 6-year-old son and a 9-year-old daughter.

When asked what he planned to tell his family when he went home Monday, McCarty said, "I'll have to tell them that we're going to have to cut back on a lot of things."

McCarty's family already had made some sacrifices, fearing what became reality Monday. When his daughter celebrated her recent birthday, he said, "It was hard to tell her that our plant might shut down, so I couldn't get her everything she wanted for her birthday."

McCarty had taken on a part-time security job to boost the family in-

come. "But it really don't pay enough to support a wife and kids," he said.

LIKEWISE, STEVE Marinkovski, a former Garden City resident who now lives in Saline, doubts that he could earn a living with the catering business that he started 16 years ago to supplement his income.

"A lot of people are losing their jobs. That's no good for my business or any business," Marinkovski said. He and his wife Polly, a part-time restaurant worker, have a 17-year-old son and two daughters, ages 9

and 18. "Nobody expected our plant to be closed," he said. "A lot of people are crying."

Some Willow Run workers held out hope that the GM plant, which makes full-size cars such as the Chevrolet Caprice sedan, might be kept open for another GM product line, even though company officials said the plant would close next year.

"It's not over 'til it's over," said Rubin of Livonia.

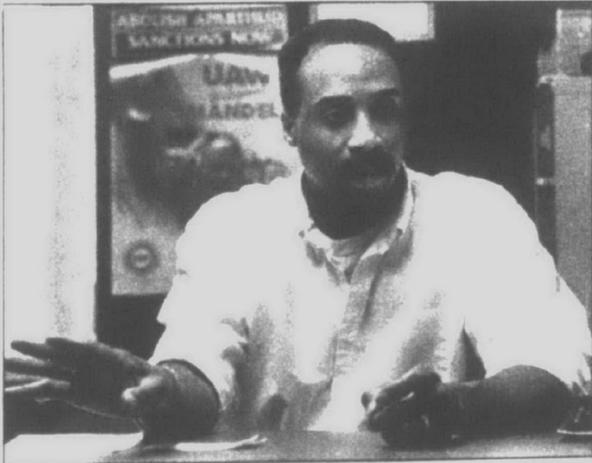
Other workers appeared hopeful that they might be able to find GM

jobs in Texas or Ohio — anywhere.

AS MONDAY afternoon wore on, many workers left the Ypsilanti union hall for a rally at another hall in Canton Township. Placards were being waved: "No More American Jobs Lost" and "Willow Run. It Builds Quality."

It builds quality, Baumer, the Westland man who will be a father in 3½ months, already knew that.

"I do quality work for the company," he said. "But I guess that don't mean anything anymore."



Mike Leslie, vice president of UAW local 735, which represents workers at the GM Powertrain plant in Ypsilanti, wonders if the Arlington, Texas, plant will still be there in five years. The local is located in Canton Township.

# Workers: 'It's a damn shame'

By Darrell Clem  
staff writer

Several GM workers shook their heads and grumbled when a Toyota pulled into the parking lot of the UAW Local 1776 union hall Monday afternoon.

"That's a damn shame," one worker muttered. Angered by the pending closing of the Ypsilanti Willow Run plant where they work, union members lashed out at President George Bush and hailed the "Buy American" campaign that came too late for them.

General Motors Corp. also came under fire from some workers for deciding to close Willow Run, instead of a plant that it had been pitted against in Arlington, Texas.

"Our parents built this country, and it's a damn shame that George Bush is running it into the ground," said David Baumer, 33, a Westland resident and seven-year Willow Run employee. (See related story.)

Baumer and other GM workers from Observer communities blamed Bush for American job losses, saying the president hasn't acted to stop Japan from "dumping" its cars on U.S. soil. They predicted a backlash as Bush seeks re-election.

"We're going to have to get these people out of office who are letting this unfair trade situation continue," said Leonard Ferguson, 56, of Wayne, a 31-year veteran of Willow Run. "George Bush is in trouble in Michigan."

Ferguson defended GM products and said he bought a 1991 Caprice. "If I hadn't had faith in our product, I

wouldn't have bought it," he said.

THE WORKER'S sentiments were echoed by U.S. Rep. William D. Ford, whose district includes Ypsilanti as well as Westland, Garden City, Canton Township and part of Livonia, but Ford took aim at GM management.

"The men and women who work hard at Willow Run producing good quality cars deserve better treatment than to have their livelihood and their future pulled out from under them," he said in a statement. "It isn't their fault that General Motors is hurting. They and their families shouldn't be made scapegoats for misguided management decisions."

Analysts rated Willow Run higher than Arlington for quality and production costs, Ford said. The decision to close the Ypsilanti plant "will produce one more reason for the Michigan workers who made GM into an industrial giant to break faith with the company," he said.

Many GM workers accused Bush of intervening on behalf of the Texas plant, located in his home state.

"We've got a good workforce. The facts just don't add up," Baumer said.

Ford questioned why GM, with 125 automotive plants in Michigan and one in Texas, would "add another 1,000 costly miles to the parts supply line."

DESPITE THE anger directed toward Bush and GM, most workers on Monday stood behind the "Buy American" campaign.

"Every piece of clothing I've got on is American-

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"It's too early to say. It's tough, you don't want any of them — You don't want it to be Bush."  
— Chris Zieles Romeo



"I'm among the undecided."  
— Don Crunin  
Auburn Hills



"I'd go for George Bush, he's doing a good job."  
— Bill Donaldson  
Plymouth



"I probably would vote for Bush."  
— Sharon Sibilla  
Plymouth



"Clinton."  
— Joseph Rey  
Plymouth



"Bush."  
— Rita McCausland  
Plymouth

# Study offers blueprint for healthy downtown

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The work was commissioned by Downtown Development Authority members, who offered comments to Hyett on the draft.

DDA chairman Lee Harrison said he was surprised that the age of the average downtown shopper was 37, adding that the perception is that downtown draws mainly an older crowd.

"Does that have implications for businesses we ought to be targeting?" he asked. "Yes," Hyett answered.

That 37-year-old "might be looking for a place to have a drink, to meet somebody," Hyett suggested. And if they're staying in, they'd be looking for "a decent cut of meat, some fresh vegetables."

"You're not catering to your market,

you're not penetrating it like you should," he said.

While the study encourages recruiting certain types of businesses that downtown currently lacks, Hyett the the prospects for a successful downtown are good.

"You're framed in housing, and that's absolutely wonderful," he said.

Successful completion of the condo development on Jack Wilcox's property off of

Kellogg Park would create 60 units. "I think that project is going to be very good for downtown," Hyett said.

THE SURVEY OF shoppers showed 39 percent do most of their non-grocery shopping at the Westland Mall, followed by 26 percent at Twelve Oaks-Nowi, 15 percent in downtown Plymouth, 5 percent at Meijer, 4 percent on Ford Road and 2 percent on Ann

Arbor Road.

Hyett suggested that DDA members should not worry about urging landlords to seek certain business tenants.

"Most people don't own these buildings for their health, they want to rent that space."

"Owners say, 'Where have you been all my life?'" he said.

## Kiddie Kampus open houses are March 10

Parents from the Plymouth Canton Community Schools who are interested in registering their children in the Kiddie Kampus Preschool Program are invited to an Open House at the preschool centers on Tuesday, March 10, from 7-9 p.m. Preschool centers are located at Canton and Salem High Schools.

The Open House will give parents an opportunity to learn about Kiddie Kampus Preschool and meet the

program's teachers. Information on registration also will be provided.

Fall registration for Kiddie Kampus begins on Saturday, March 14, from 9 a.m. to noon in Rooms 133 and 136 of Canton High School. The doors will open at 8:30 a.m. The program is offered on a first come, first served basis to all residents of the Plymouth Canton Community School District.

The Kiddie Kampus Preschool Program is open to 4-year-olds and a limited number of 3½-year-olds. The program includes large and small muscle activities, art and science activities, music, story time and free play.

"The Kiddie Kampus Preschool is a quality development program which has served families in the Plymouth Canton Community School

District for nearly 20 years," said Sue Visser, program instructor.

In addition to Visser, program instructors are Sandy Baxter, Betty DuBois, Frances Marinos and Nancy McDowell. The cost is \$175 for two days per week for a 16-week period and \$240 for three days per week for a 16-week period.

For more information call Sue Visser at 451-6600.

## School site chosen

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It was hoped both schools — to be financed with funds from the \$59 million bond issue approved by voters last year — would open in the fall of 1993.

Plans are being revised to open the 15-acre Warren Road site in 1993 and the Sheldon school in the Glengarry subdivision a year later, school officials say.

"Barring strikes or other prob-

lems, our intent is to open the Sunflower school in the fall of 1993," said Hoedel. "We've owned that for many years and have done the surveys pretty well on time."

A meeting has been scheduled with construction manager Barton Malow to discuss the amount of time needed for planning and when the district can expect to open the second elementary. Both schools have yet to be named.

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# Soviet breakup is class topic

## Prof to examine the 'why' behind turmoil

By Wayne Peal  
staff writer

With tension mounting in the former Soviet Union, Dwight Lang is updating the course materials for his Madonna College lecture seminar on the region — by the minute.

With massive protests against Russian President Boris Yeltsin, and equally massive counterdemonstrations in his support, Lang is striving to keep course materials current.

"Newspapers are our textbook," Lang said.

One thing is clear, last year's lesson plan has been scrapped. End of the Communist era, and formation of the Commonwealth of Independent States, stunned the world.

How it happened has already been documented. But for Lang, a sociologist, the key question is why.

"We're trying to interpret what happened within a framework," Lang said. "We're looking at the region, its history and culture to see why things happened as they did."

Yes, he said, there was a second Russian revolution. But it wasn't at all like the one in 1917.

"THIS WAS really a revolution

of intellectuals," he said. That, in itself, might not be enough, according to a fellow professor who lived through similar change in eastern Europe.

Intellect and ideology will only carry a revolution so far, said visiting Madonna professor Mariusz Misztal, who witnessed the transformation of Poland.

Ex-Soviets are already learning some of the same bitter, ironic lessons, he said.

As in Poland, a less restrictive economy may help goods become more plentiful, but it cannot guarantee jobs.

"This is the most difficult thing for people to understand," said Misztal, an English language specialist at the University of Krakow. "There were often five people for one job. We didn't have unemployment."

On-the-job competition became a new, unwelcome, presence.

"Suddenly, overnight, people find themselves insecure in their jobs," Misztal said. "You have to show you're better than your friend and that breaks the social contract."

"ORDINARY PEOPLE don't care for politics, they want a pleasant life."

Despite substantial and highly-

publicized changes, Misztal said life is even harder in the former Soviet Union than in Poland.

"I was inside the Moscow McDonald's," he said. "It is true the lines were long, but most people just wanted to take a look inside. Lunch would cost them a week's salary."

Whatever happens, Lang said the Cold War is over. That, for him, is the most significant event in a year of extraordinary events.

"To me, the greatest thing that has come out of all of this is the reduction of the nuclear threat," Lang said. "For me, a member of the baby boom generation, that's especially significant. I can remember the air raid drills we used to do in school."

As the threat of U.S.-Russian confrontation dims, Lang said both nations must reassess their place in the world.

"We are going to have to determine where we stand, particularly in relation to the Third World," Lang said. "Already there's the fears of two superpowers aligning themselves against the Third World."

Even though changes swept Mikhail Gorbachev from power, Lang still respects the former Soviet leader.

"What's amazing to me is that

Gorbachev was able to come up through the (Communist) system and yet still realize the changes that needed to be made," Lang said. "He will go down in history as one of the most significant figures of the 20th century."

Seventeen people signed up for Lang's course last year, when Gorbachev was still in power. A greater number is expected this year.

"One adult student in another of my classes told me she was going to bring her teenage daughter with her," Lang said. "There seems to be tremendous interest, especially now."

If Americans are more interested than even in the formerly Communist nations, the opposite is also true.

Western-style intellectual freedom is an intoxicating prospect, Misztal said, perhaps the only factor strong enough to convince people their personal upheaval serves a greater purpose.

"To have that, to be free to think and say what you want — that is something that is very, very strong," he said.

The seminar meets March 13-14 and 27-28. To register, or for additional information, call the Madonna continuing education office, 591-5188.



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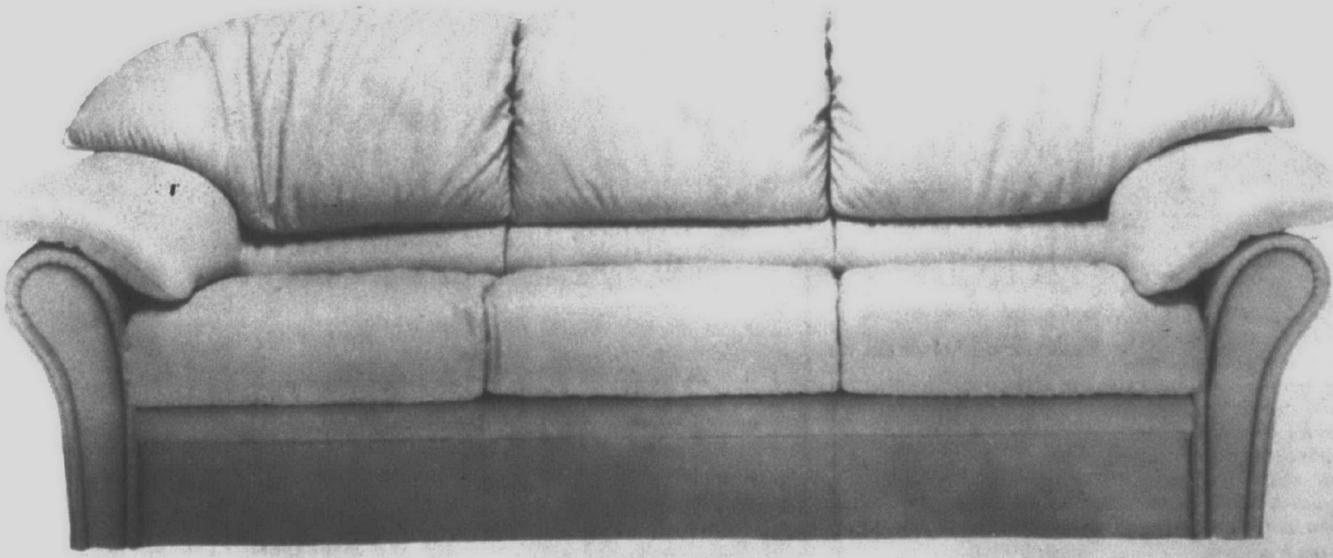
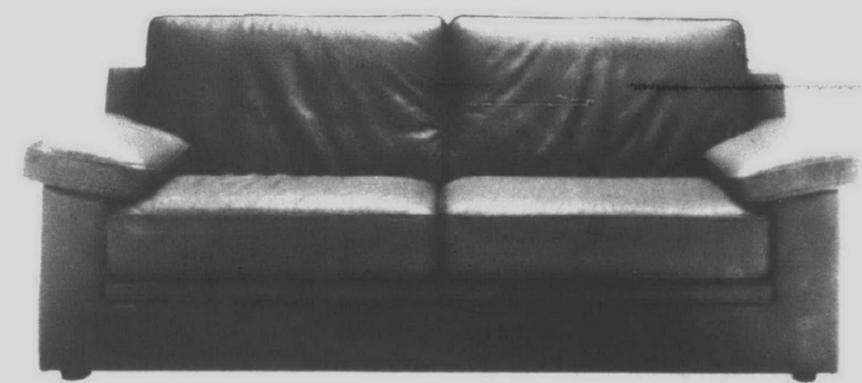
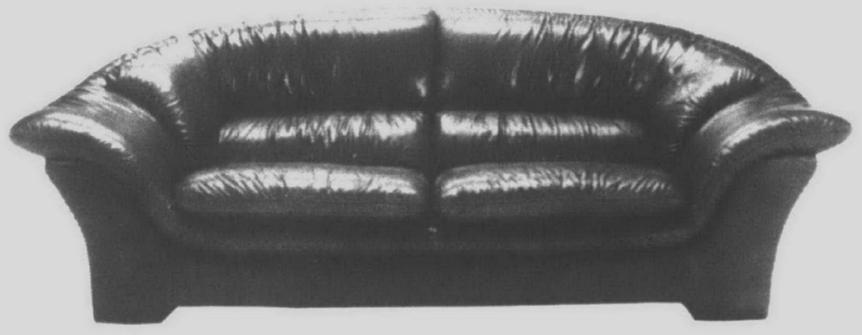
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# 500 Cantonites face loss of jobs

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THE SCRIPT FOR this scenario was written 30 years ago, Hiller said. "It all goes back to when the automotive companies were trying to get their costs down, and were forced to go to automation and look for other means, such as out-jobbing. The Japanese and Germans showed up, and the next thing, we were involved in a world market."

Associate broker Lana Olson of Canton forsee a good outcome in the housing market.

"They're talking about the Flint

V8 plant closing and moving a lot of those people to the Romulus GM plant. If you work out I-94, Canton isn't too far.

"It seems to be a popular area. I don't know if all 4,000 Willow Run employees will be moving to Texas in the next couple of years, but there should be ample housing for people coming into the area. It might work out pretty well. Canton and Plymouth offer very easy expressway access to Romulus."

A number of Romulus residents are upgrading to the Canton area, enhancing the real estate picture,

## End of the Line: The closing of Willow Run

Olson added. "The one thing we don't want to see is a real strong buyers' market again, because we don't have the appreciation."

Olson said 350 homes currently are for sale in Canton. "That number next year is likely to be 400. That doesn't really hurt the market

value. Overall, I don't see a lot of gloom and doom impact in real estate, as long as interest rates stay relatively low."

Ruth Clevers, president of the Western Wayne Oakland County Association of Realtors, is hopeful adverse impact on real estate will be offset by a new use for the Willow Run plant.

"I would hope that that location is looked at by other industries to keep people working there," said Clevers. Its proximity to highways and the airport should be a big plus, she said.

# Workers stunned: 'It's a damn shame'

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made," Baumer said Monday, standing inside the Local 1776 hall in Ypsilanti. "If it ain't American, I don't buy it. I've been trying to get my neighbors and friends to get in on it."

A Westland businessman, Bruce Lindstrom, also shared his feelings and memories about the planned Willow Run closing.

Lindstrom, a Livonia resident, used to manage a Taco Bell restaurant about a mile from the plant. Lindstrom, now manager of a Taco Bell on Wayne Road near Hunter, said he feels bad about the closing. "Many (workers) were there a while. I had seen their faces daily."

While working in Ypsilanti Township for nearly three years, Lindstrom recalled that about 30

percent of his restaurant's customers were GM workers.

"We used to deliver to the plant when workers couldn't get out," he said.

Lindstrom believes that GM waited too long to make cutbacks. The company had to make a business decision, but it's the employees who suffer, he said.

AMID THE crushing disappoint-

ment of Monday's announcement, many GM workers wondered aloud about their future.

"I don't know what to tell anybody to do. I don't know what to do myself," Baumer, the Westland resident, said.

"I can't believe what happened. But I was looking for a job when I got this one, and I'll be looking again. I'm a fighter."

# Students take look at life in next century

The Centennial Educational Park counseling department will present "Preparing to Live and Work in the 21st Century," a program for high school juniors and their parents, 7 p.m. Wednesday, March 11, at Plymouth Canton High School, on Canton Center, south of Joy in Canton.

The program is sponsored by the CEP counseling department and the Eastern Michigan University Career Services Center in cooperation with Schoolcraft College, the University of Michigan and local employers.

"The junior year is when most students become motivated to start planning for post-secondary opportunities," said June Swartz, a counselor at Plymouth Salem High School. "The workshop continues to grow each year. Last year, more

**'The junior year is when most students become motivated to start planning for post-secondary opportunities.'**

— June Swartz  
Salem counselor

than 400 students and parents participated and we expect even more this year."

The program will begin in the Canton High School cafeteria with introductions, an explanation of the junior's timetable and a calendar of events.

Following the introductory remarks, John Lankford, a training

specialist at Ford Motor Co. and a member of the Plymouth-Canton Business-Education Partnership Committee, along with Bernadette Larkin of Manufacturers National Bank, will present "What Employers Will Look for in the Future." That presentation will take place in the Canton cafeteria.

Three small group sessions will be

held. Catherine Philbin, a senior admissions counselor at the University of Michigan, will discuss "Finding the Appropriate College." The session will be held 8:10 p.m. and 8:45 p.m. in the Canton cafeteria.

Carina Gainer of Schoolcraft College will present "The Community College Experience" in the Canton High School library's viewing and listening room 8:10 p.m. and 8:45 p.m.

Dr. J. Michael Erwin, director of career services at Eastern Michigan University, will discuss "The Job Market in the Year 2000: Where Should You Be?" The session will be held 8:10 p.m. and 8:45 p.m. in the Canton Little Theater.

For more information, contact counselor June Swartz, 451-6600.

# Area jobless rates below state average

By M.B. Dillon  
staff writer

The latest unemployment figures available from the Michigan Employment Security Commission show the jobless rate in Canton Township in December was 4.6 percent, well below the state's 8.9 percent average. That translates to 1,050 jobless workers. Canton's annual average was 5.2 percent with 1,175 jobs.

In Superior Township, the December unemployment rate was 7.4 percent with 375 jobs. The township's annual unemployment average was 7.8 percent, with 375 unemployed.

The city of Ypsilanti registered an 8.4 percent jobless rate, or 1,250 unemployed in December, and an annual jobless average of 8.9 percent, or 1,275 jobless workers.

Ypsilanti Township's December unemployment rate was 10.4 percent with 2,950 jobless workers. The annual average in Ypsilanti Township was 11 percent with 3,050 unemployed.

In Plymouth, the jobless rate was 3.5 percent, with 175 residents looking for work. Plymouth's annual average is 3.8 percent, with 200 jobs.

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Plymouth Township's December unemployment rate was 3.8 percent with 425 unemployed. The annual average in the township was 4.3 percent with 475 unemployed.

Norm Isotalo, MESC communications representative, said the agency is staggering under its heaviest claims load since the recession of the early 1980s.

"We certainly now have a very heavy claims load that's expected to increase with the Willow Run closing and the other closings," he said.

"At least the Willow Run closing isn't slated to occur until 1993, so I'm very hopeful that by that time we will be in a position to effectively help these people. We will see."

# Fine arts competition slated

Plymouth Community Arts Council will be sponsoring the Damaris Student Fine Arts Competition on Thursday, March 5, and Friday, March 6, in the Canton High School Little Theater.

Thursday's performances in vocal music, instrumental music and dance will begin at 4:15 p.m. Friday's performance beginning at 3:45 p.m. will feature the piano competi-

tion. Twenty-five middle school students will be performing each day. During both performance sessions, the visual art and creative writing entries will be on display in the adjoining hallway.

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# Report calls for 'expanded job training'

By Tim Richard  
staff writer

The key words are "Business must..."

Educators and business should provide vastly expanded job training to prepare high school students for the world of work — "a seamless transition from high school to further education or the world of work."

The proposal comes from state Rep. William Keith of Garden City and the top State Capitol Democrat, House Speaker Lewis Dodak of Birch Run. Keith led Dodak's Blue Ribbon Commission on Career-Technical Education, which submitted its recommendations last week.

They blister high schools' "general" track as useless, equating it with dropping out. They advocate preparing every student — girls, too — for the world of work, a change that will require "redefining the purpose of education."

Phil Power, chairman of Suburban Communications Corp. and a University of Michigan regent, put his stamp on the report: "The focus of education must be on the achievement of 'competencies' and 'mastery of skills' that students will need in the 21st century. We can no longer afford to graduate students based on 'seat-time.'"

KEITH, A trade school graduate, is a former school board president and 19-year legislator.

Keith admires Germany's vocational-ed system, in which indus-

**'As a major consumer of the educational product, business must invest in the educational system by helping to develop new models which expand the concept of apprenticeship/internship programs, assist in teacher training and furnishing ongoing information on the transformations in the workplace.'**

— State Rep. Bill Keith

tries give students paid hands-on experience half the week. They go to class the other half. The report says:

"As a major consumer of the educational product, business must invest in the educational system by helping to develop new models which expand the concept of apprenticeship/internship programs, assist in teacher training and furnishing ongoing information on the transformations in the workplace."

While many corporations — notably General Motors — have extensive training programs, Keith complains that they're not part of an overall system available to eve-

ry student. Without such a system, Keith said, "our standard of living, individual earning power and economic stability may fall behind that of other countries."

The report mentions House Bill 4165, which calls for expanded vocational training. Co-sponsors are Keith and Rep. Glenn Oxender, R-Sturgis.

A LONGER school year — 200 days versus the current 180 — should be in store for Michigan students, the report says. It echoes the recommendation of Donald Bemis, former superintendent of public instruction, to add five days a year for four years.

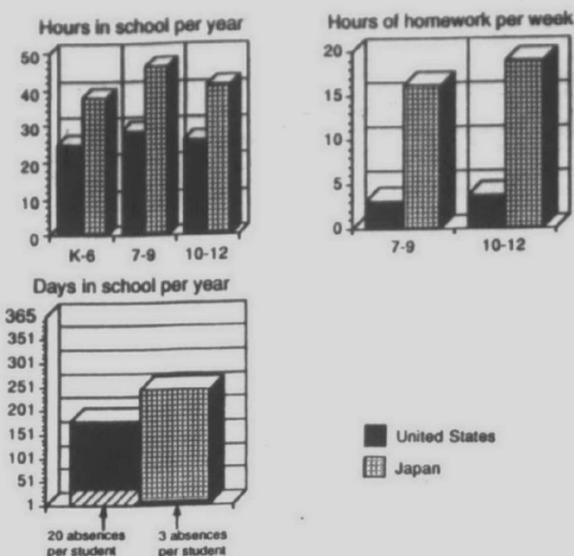
The report notes: "In the 1950s, the U.S. had the longest school year and the longest school day of all the countries. Today, studies show we have the shortest school year and the shortest school day."

"In Japan, high school students attend school 242 days a year, 41.5 hours a week and some 30 days of teacher in-service is required over and above the 242-day school year. In the U.S., our students attend school 180 days a year, 26.2 hours a week."

NO COST figures were included — deliberately.

"Funding cannot be addressed without understanding what exists today and what will be needed in the future," says a key recommendation. A state cabinet — appointed by the governor and legislative

## Time spent on Education United States VS Japan



leaders — first must determine what job skills are needed and how well existing programs meet the need before new costs can be determined.

Educators, union leaders and in-

dustrialists were represented on the committee. Among other members were Betty Ong, Royal Oak vocational ed teacher; Renee Lerche, manager of education planning for Ford Motor Co., and Bruce Stine, AFL-CIO.

## Angela hospice wins grant

One month after ground breaking ceremonies for the new Angela Hospice Care Center, the hospice has been approved for a \$350,000 challenge grant from the Kresge Foundation.

The grant will boost the building campaign goal of \$3.1 million. The Kresge grant will be payable if the additional \$1.05 million needed to complete the project is raised by February 1993.

The Kresge Foundation is an independent, private foundation, which makes grants to institutions operating in the areas of higher education, health and long-term care, arts and humanities, social service, science and the environment and public affairs.

In 1991, the foundation awarded 174 grants nationwide, totaling \$62.9 million. Grant recipients included 17 Michigan organizations which were awarded a \$10.4 million.

The Angela Hospice Care Center, to be built on the Felician Sisters grounds in Livonia, will be a 24,000 square-foot facility designed to care for the terminally ill in southeastern Michigan.

Under the direction of Sister Mary Giovanni, the care center will provide a home-like setting, allowing patients to live their last days in comfort with dignity.

The facility will be completed in spring 1993.

## Label drive will benefit MHS shelters

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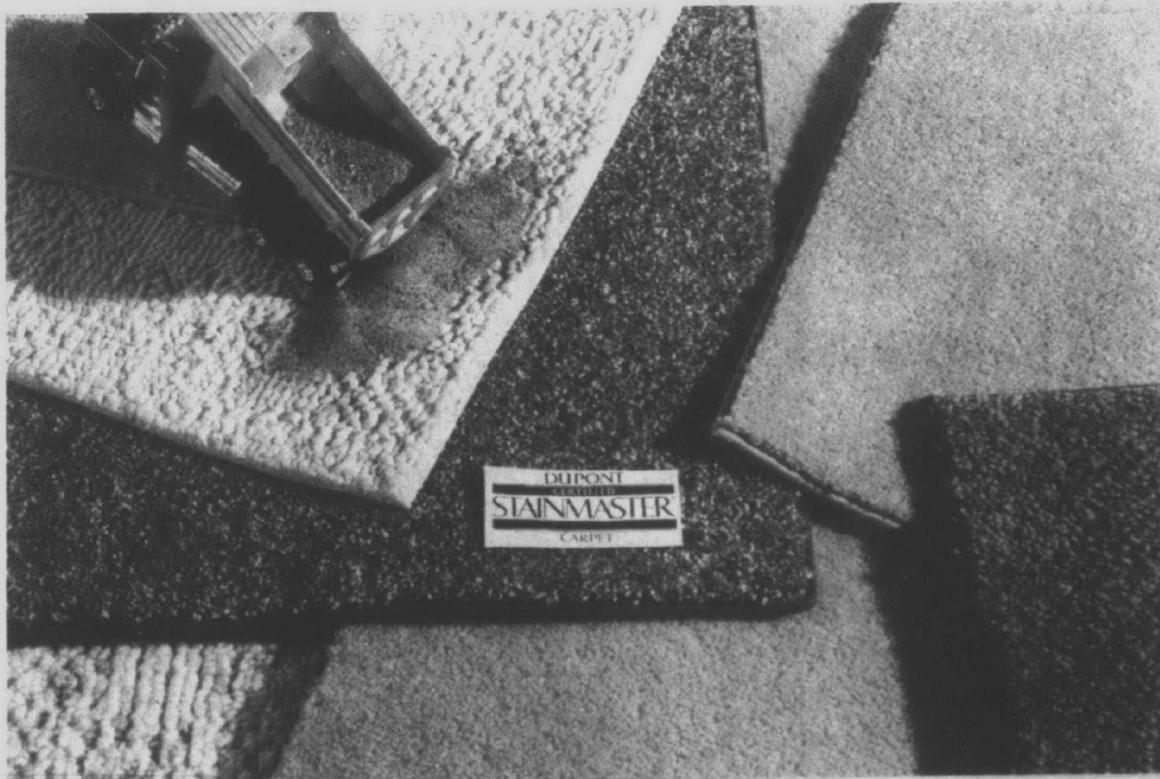
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**HOSPICE VOLUNTEERS:** Hospice of Washtenaw needs volunteers that can offer assistance with program support and/or direct care. Call Maureen at 741-5777.

**READING ASSISTANCE:** Free adult tutoring and confidential skills assessment. Call Community Literacy Council, 451-6555.

**RESUME WRITING:** Growth Works, in Plymouth, will write resumes and cover letters for job seekers, 455-4093.

**VOLUNTEERS:** Needed to package or deliver meals to homebound seniors living in the Plymouth/Canton community, 453-2525.

**INTERPRETERS:** Volunteers who are fluent in a foreign language are needed to assist in interpreting

for ill, disabled or elderly people. Call Helen or Colleen at 981-8820.

**EMPLOYMENT REFERRALS:** Growth Works, in Plymouth, will connect job seekers and employers looking for help, 455-4093.

**SPEAKERS AVAILABLE:** Speakers for groups interested in learning about home care as an alternative to nursing homes or hospitals. Call the community relations director, 981-8820.

**SMOKE DETECTORS:** Free detectors, with installation, offered from Colonial Kiwanis of Plymouth. Call Plymouth Fire Department Chief Al Matthews, 453-1234, or Plymouth Township Fire Department Chief Larry Groth, 453-3840.

**VOLUNTEERS:** Teen and adult volunteers are needed at the Arbor Health Building, Plymouth, and McAuley Health Building, Canton, 572-4159.

**WALKING:** Group walks are at 10 a.m. Monday-Friday and 6:30 p.m. Thursday at St. John Neumann Church parking lot, 44800 Warren Road in Canton, 455-9042.

**SCHOOL VOLUNTEERS:** New Morning School in Plymouth Township is seeking "paid" volunteers for teacher aide substitutes and teacher substitutes, 420-3331.

**ADULT CARE:** Foster care is needed for adults with mental retardation. Call 332-4410 in Oakland County or 455-8880 in Wayne County.

**"Y" VOLUNTEERS:** The Plymouth YMCA seeks volunteers, 453-2904.

**FOOD DISTRIBUTION:** Focus:HOPE provides food to eligible Canton senior citizens at the Canton Recreation Center, 397-1000, Ext. 278.

**COMPUTERS:** Four Apple IIs and one IBM are available for public

use. Dunning-Hough Library, 223 S. Main, Plymouth, 453-8750.

**HEALTH CARE:** Speakers on long-term health care and Medicare are available. Call Patty Jamison at 455-0510.

**SENIOR CLASSES:** The Canton Recreation Center offers classes, 397-5446.

**HOSPICE SPEAKERS:** Hospice Services of Western Wayne County has volunteers available to speak to church groups and civic organizations, 522-4244.

**TRIPS:** For senior citizen or adult trip information, call Plymouth Parks and Recreation, 455-6620, or Canton Township Parks and Recreation, 397-5444.

**FREE CLASSES:** IBM training and GED training, Plymouth-Canton Community Education. Call 451-6555.

**PRESCHOOL:**  
• Hugs & Kisses Child Care & Learning Center, 249 S. Main, down-

town Plymouth, preschool through kindergarten, 459-5830.

• New Horizons for Children Learning Center, 45801 West Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth, ages walking to 12 years, 455-3196.

• Come Little Children Center, 45050 Warren Road, in Canton, ages 6 weeks to 2 years, 455-4607.

• The Discovery Learning Center, 45678 Helm, in a Metro West Industrial Park, in Plymouth, 6 weeks through kindergarten, 455-5490.

• Pathways to Learning Children's Center, 42290 Five Mile, 420-3553.

• Canton Parks and Recreation Preschool program, the Canton "Crickets," 397-5110.

• Creative Playhouse, Canton, 981-2382.

• Christ the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church Co-op Preschool, 42690 Cherry Hill, Canton, 981-0286 (9 a.m. to 3 p.m.).

• Young Moments Preschool (non-daycare), First United Methodist Church of Plymouth, 453-3020.

• New Morning School, Plymouth, 420-3331.

• Creative Day Nursery School, Canton, 2½-5 years of age, 981-3990.

• Plymouth Canton Head Start, Central Middle School, 451-6656.

• Plymouth Canton Montessori School, 459-1550.

• Christ the Good Shepherd, 42690 Cherry Hill, Canton, 981-0286.

• Tiny Tots, Salvation Army Building, Plymouth, 3- and 4-year-olds, 453-5464.

• Willow Creek Co-op, Geneva Presbyterian Church, 3- and 4-year-olds, 459-9540.

• PLUS Preschool, Central Middle School, free program for 4-year-olds, register now for 1992-1993 school year, 451-6656.

• St. Michael Christian School, Canton, registration for 3-year-old preschool through second grade is March 2-13, 459-9720.

• St. Peter Lutheran Day School, kindergarten through eighth grade, 1309 Penniman, 453-0460.

• Plymouth Christian Preschool, 43065 Joy, 459-3505.

• Plymouth Children's Co-op Nursery, Canton, 981-5521.

• Preschool Creatives, Plymouth YMCA, 453-2904.

• Infant and Preschool Special Education program, Tanger Elementary School, 451-6560.

# lunch menu for seniors

The Wayne County Office of Nutrition Services offers the following hot meals for people 60 or older the week of March 2:

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**Tuesday** — Baked chicken, scalloped potatoes, asparagus, doughnut, bread with margarine and milk.

**Wednesday** — Vegetarian lasagna, Italian green beans, cuke and chick pea salad, strawberries and milk.

**Thursday** — Brunswick stew, garden greens, apple, biscuit with margarine and milk.

**Friday** — Crumb topped scrod, tartar sauce, potato wedges, Scandinavian vegetables, mixed fruit, roll with margarine and milk.

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Notice is hereby given that on the 11th day of February, 1992, pursuant to provisions of Act 31 of the Public Acts of Michigan, 1948, as amended ("Act 31"), the following Articles of Incorporation of the Charter Township of Plymouth Building Authority were adopted by the Township Board of the Charter Township of Plymouth, County of Wayne, State of Michigan. The right exists to question the incorporation of the Charter Township of Plymouth Building Authority in a court of competent jurisdiction within 60 days after the date of filing of certified copies of such Articles of Incorporation with the Michigan Secretary of State and the Wayne County Clerk.

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH BUILDING AUTHORITY**

These Articles of Incorporation are adopted and executed by the incorporating unit, being the Charter Township of Plymouth, County of Wayne Michigan, for the purpose of creating a Building Authority, pursuant to the provisions of Act No. 31 of the Michigan Public Acts of 1948 (First Extra Session), as amended (the "Act").

**ARTICLE I**  
The name of this Authority is the "CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH BUILDING AUTHORITY" (referred to herein as the "Authority").

**ARTICLE II**  
The name of the incorporating unit creating this Authority is the Charter Township of Plymouth, in the State of Michigan (sometimes referred to herein as the "Incorporating Unit").

**ARTICLE III**  
The purpose of this Authority is to acquire, furnish, equip, own, improve, enlarge, operate and maintain buildings, automobile parking lots or structures, recreational facilities, stadiums, and the necessary site or sites therefor, together with appurtenant properties and facilities necessary or convenient for the effective use thereof, for the use or benefit of the Charter Township of Plymouth, County of Wayne, Michigan (the "Township").

**ARTICLE IV**  
The Authority shall be a body corporate with power to sue and be sued in any Court of this State. It shall have a corporate seal. The corporate limits of the Authority shall be the same as those of the Township. The Authority shall possess all the powers necessary to carry out the purpose of its incorporation and those incident thereto. The assumption of any powers herein shall not be construed as a limitation upon its general powers unless the context shall clearly indicate otherwise.

**ARTICLE V**  
The Authority shall continue in existence until dissolved pursuant to law. Provided, that it shall not be dissolved if such dissolution would operate as an impairment of any bond or other contract. In the event of such dissolution, the title to any property then owned by the Authority shall pass to the Township.

**ARTICLE VI**  
The fiscal year of the Authority shall commence on the first day of January, in each year, and end on the thirty-first day of December following.

**ARTICLE VII**  
For the purpose of accomplishing the objects of its incorporation, the Authority may acquire property by purchase, construction, lease, gift, devise or condemnation, and for the purpose of condemnation, it may proceed under the provisions of Act No. 148 of the Public Acts of 1911, as now or hereafter amended, or any other appropriate statute.

**ARTICLE VIII**  
The Authority shall have power to enter into a contract or contracts with the Township, whereby the Authority will acquire property to be used by the Township and will lease the same to the Township for a period not to exceed fifty (50) years. The consideration specified in such contract or contracts for such use shall be subject to increase by the Authority, if necessary, in order to provide funds to meet its obligations. Provided, that such increase shall not require the Township to pay more than a reasonable rental for the leased premises.

**ARTICLE IX**  
For the purpose of defraying all or part of the cost of acquiring, improving, and enlarging any building or buildings, automobile parking lots or structures, recreational facilities, stadiums, and the necessary site or sites for the property, together with appurtenant properties and facilities necessary or convenient for the effective use of the property, furnishing and equipping the same, or refunding outstanding bonds as provided in section 11k of the Act, the Authority, after execution and delivery of a full faith and credit general obligation contract of lease, as provided in the Act, and pursuant to ordinance or resolution duly adopted by a majority vote of the elected members of the Commission, may issue its negotiable bonds in anticipation of the contract obligations of the Incorporating Unit to make cash rental payments to the Authority and may pledge the receipts from the payments for payment of bonds and the interest on the bonds. Bonds shall not be issued unless the property has been leased by the Authority to its Incorporating Unit for a period extending beyond the last maturity of the bonds and no maturity shall in any event be more than forty (40) years from the date of the bonds and until the contract of lease is fully effective. The bonds shall be called building authority bonds, or, in the case of bonds issued to refund outstanding bonds, the bonds shall be called building authority refunding bonds.

**ARTICLE X**  
The powers of the Authority shall be exercised by its governing body which shall be known as the "Commission" and shall consist of five (5) members to be appointed by the Township Board of the Township, each of whom shall hold office for a term of three (3) years, except that the term of one (1) of the Commissioners first appointed shall expire on December 31, 1992; the term of two (2) of the Commissioners first appointed shall expire on December 31, 1993; and the term of two (2) of the Commissioners first appointed shall expire on December 31, 1994. Thereafter, each Commissioner shall serve during the term for which he or she was appointed and thereafter until his or her successor is appointed. No member of the Township Board of the Township shall be eligible to appointment or membership on the Commission. The members of the Commission shall serve without compensation but the Commission in its discretion may authorize the payment of the actual expenditures of any member incurred in connection with the business of the Authority as may be authorized by the Act and as are approved by the Township Board of the Township. The members of the Commission shall meet for the purpose of organization within twenty (20) days after their appointment and thereafter the Commission shall meet for such purpose on the first day in January in each year which is not a Saturday, Sunday or legal holiday, at 10 a.m., at the Township Hall or such other usual

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**ARTICLE XI**  
In event of a vacancy on the Commission, the Township Board of the Township shall fill the vacancy for the unexpired term. In event of a vacancy in any office of the Commission, such vacancy shall be filled by the Commission for the unexpired term. In case of the temporary absence or disability of any officer, the Commission may appoint some person to temporarily act in his or her stead except that in case of the temporary absence or disability of the Chairperson, the Vice Chairperson shall so act.

**ARTICLE XII**  
All meetings of the Commission shall be conducted at a public meeting held in compliance with Act No. 267 of the Public Acts of Michigan of 1976, as amended ("Act 267"). Public notice of the time, date and place of the meeting shall be given in the manner required by Act 267. Meetings of the Commission shall be held at such times and places as shall be prescribed by resolution of the Commission. Special meetings of the Commission may be called by the Chairperson or any three (3) members thereof, by serving written notice of the time, place and purpose thereof, upon each member of the Commission personally, or by depositing the same in a United States post office or mailbox within the Township, at least twenty-two (22) hours prior to the time of such meeting, enclosed in a sealed envelope properly addressed to him or her at his or her home or office address, with postage fully prepaid thereon. Special meetings of the Commission at which all members are present shall be deemed to be valid even though no written notice thereof may have been given as above provided. Any member of the Commission may waive notice of any meeting either before or after the holding thereof. A majority of all members of the Commission shall be required for a quorum. The Commission shall act by motion, resolution or ordinance. For the passage of any motion, resolution or ordinance there shall be required the affirmative vote of three (3) members thereof. The Commission shall have the right to adopt rules governing its procedure, provided the same are not in conflict with the terms of any State statute or of these Articles. The Commission shall keep a journal of its proceedings which shall be signed by the Chairperson and Secretary. All votes shall be by yeas and nays. The journal shall show how each member voted. Each member shall be required to vote upon all motions, resolutions and ordinances unless he shall be disqualified from voting thereon. No member of the Commission shall vote upon any motion, resolution or ordinance in which he or she has any personal interest and in accordance with law. No Commissioner shall be financially interested in any contract with the Authority.

**ARTICLE XIII**  
The Chairperson of the Commission shall be the presiding officer thereof. In the absence or disability of the Chairperson the Vice Chairperson shall perform the duties of the Chairperson. The Secretary shall be the recording officer of the Commission. The Treasurer shall be custodian of the funds of the Authority and shall give to it a bond in such amount as shall be fixed by the Commission, conditioned upon the faithful performance of the duties of his or her office. The cost of said bond shall be paid by the Authority. The Treasurer shall be the chief accounting officer of the Authority and subject to the approval of the Commission may employ such assistants as may be necessary. All moneys shall be deposited in a bank or banks to be designated by the Commission, and all checks or other forms of withdrawal therefrom shall be signed by the Treasurer and countersigned by either the Chairperson or Secretary of the Commission. The officers of the Commission shall have such other powers and duties as may be conferred upon them by the Commission.

**ARTICLE XIV**  
The Commission shall have power to secure all necessary services to carry out the functions of the Authority and to fix the compensation therefor. The Commission shall submit to the Township Board of the Township an annual report of its financial transactions, which report shall be open to public inspection at all reasonable times.

**ARTICLE XV**  
These Articles of Incorporation may be amended as provided by the Act, under which statute this Authority is incorporated, or any other applicable State statute. Provided, that no such amendment shall impair the obligation of any bond or other contract of the Authority.

**ARTICLE XVI**  
These Articles of Incorporation, upon their adoption by the Township Board of the Township, shall be executed in duplicate for and on behalf of the Township by the Supervisor and the Clerk of the Township. Said duplicate executed copies shall be delivered to the County Clerk of Wayne County, who shall file one of said executed copies in his or her office and the other with the Secretary of the Authority, when selected. The Township Clerk shall cause a copy of these Articles of Incorporation to be published once in the Plymouth Observer, a newspaper circulating within the Township. The County Clerk of the County of Wayne shall file one (1) printed copy of these Articles of Incorporation with the Secretary of State of the State of Michigan and one (1) printed copy thereof in his or her office, attached to each of which printed copies shall be his or her certificate setting forth that the same is a true and complete copy of the original Articles of Incorporation on file in his or her office, and also the date and place of the publication thereof. This Authority shall become effective upon the filing of one printed copy of the Articles of Incorporation with the Michigan Secretary of State.

The Township Board of the Charter Township of Plymouth, State of Michigan, County of Wayne, has adopted these Articles of Incorporation by the affirmative vote of the majority of its members elected, and in witness whereof has caused the same to be executed for and on behalf of said Township by the Supervisor and the Clerk of the Township, this 11th day of February, 1992.

CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH  
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# Honigman may challenge Pursell

By Wayne Peal  
staff writer

A battle could be brewing between state Sen. David Honigman and U.S. Rep. Carl Pursell for the Congressional seat held by Pursell since 1977.

"It's been a boyhood dream of mine to run for Congress," Honigman said, adding he was considering a run this year.

Honigman wasn't specific about which district he would choose — his West Bloomfield home would most likely be placed in a district featuring longtime Rep. William Broomfield, R-Birmingham, as its incumbent.

But GOP insiders say that if Honigman runs it would most likely be against Pursell.

A Pursell-Honigman primary could be perhaps the most-watched state race. Redistricting could be the key to whether it happens.

The GOP's own redistricting plan shifts the balance of Pursell's 2nd District seat from the Ann Arbor/Hillsdale area to western Oakland County. Farmington Hills and Novi, along with the Walled Lake/Milford area, would be added to the district under the GOP plan.

"IF YOU you look at it, it's a large portion of Honigman's state Senate district," Oakland GOP executive director Jim LaVallee said.

Pursell, 59, is a member of the House Appropriations Committee.

Honigman, 36, is in his first state Senate term. He previously served



**State Sen. David Honigman (right) said it's been his boyhood dream to run for Congress. A spokesman for U.S. Rep. Carl Pursell said 'he feels confident going into this election.'**



three terms in the state House.

LaVallee had earlier said he doubted Honigman would be a 1992 Congressional candidate, but added that was based on a potential showdown with 35-year-veteran Broomfield.

Both Pursell and Broomfield have already confirmed they are candidates for 1992.

Pursell, R-Plymouth, is already campaigning in western Oakland. Though Pursell once represented southwestern Oakland communities in the state Senate, that was more than 15 years ago.

"I think that could be a factor in his (Honigman's) decision," LaVallee said.

Despite the time frame, Pursell said he hasn't lost contact with his Oakland County residents.

"HE FEELS feels confident going into this election," Pursell spokesman Gary Cates said. "Obviously, this would be a pretty heavily Republican district and he does go in as the incumbent. As for any other candidates, we'd have to wait on redistricting."

The Democratic redistricting plan would pit Pursell and Broomfield in a district stretching from Plymouth to Birmingham.

The wild card in any redistricting plan is that federal law doesn't re-

quire Congressional candidates to live within the district they seek to represent. The U.S. Constitution only specifies they live within the state.

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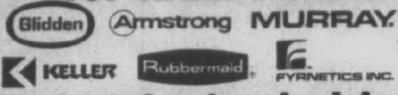
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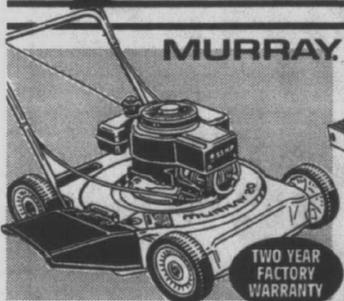
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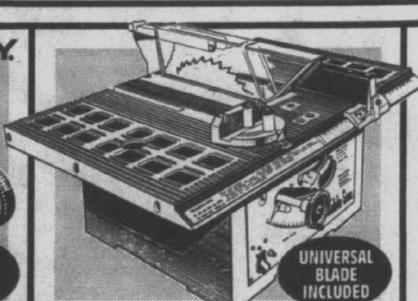
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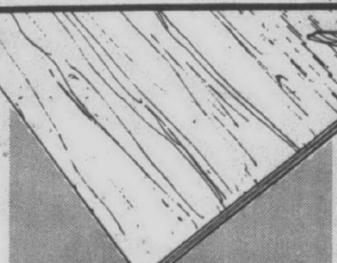
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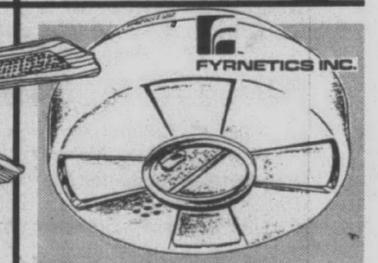
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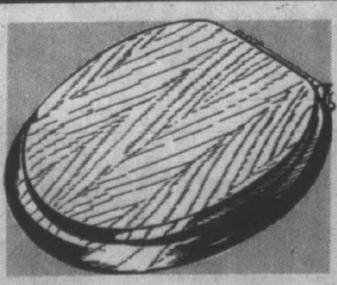
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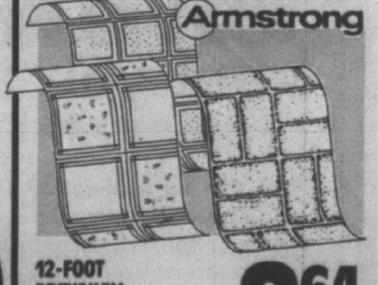
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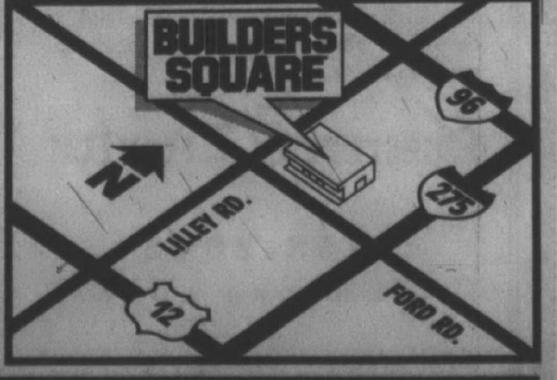
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### IN BRIEF

#### Volunteer

Louise Bradley, a volunteer in the Plymouth Canton school district for 20 years, was recognized as an outstanding volunteer on Monday by the school board.

Bradley was honored with the Extra Miller Volunteers In Public Schools Award, which was established by the I Care Committee and the school board to recognize volunteers.

She has worked as a volunteer in the media centers and in other areas at Gallimore, Fiegel and Field elementary schools.

Also, Bradley is a member of the Plymouth Symphony Orchestra and has demonstrated the cello in classrooms. She has also directed craft projects.

#### Skating DARE

DARE, an anti-drug program, will hold its Plymouth-Canton DARE Skate-A-Thon on Saturday, March 7, from 6 p.m. until 11:30 p.m. at the Skatin' Station in Canton.

All students are eligible to participate in the event, which is a fund-raising effort for the program. Students are being asked to solicit \$50 in pledges to DARE.

The sheets are available at the city of Plymouth Police Department and at the Skatin' Station.

Each participant will receive a T-shirt and pizza.

For more information, contact the DARE office at 453-3492.

#### CD release

Two Central Michigan University students from Plymouth are members of the school's Percussion Ensemble, which is making a CD titled "Different Strokes."

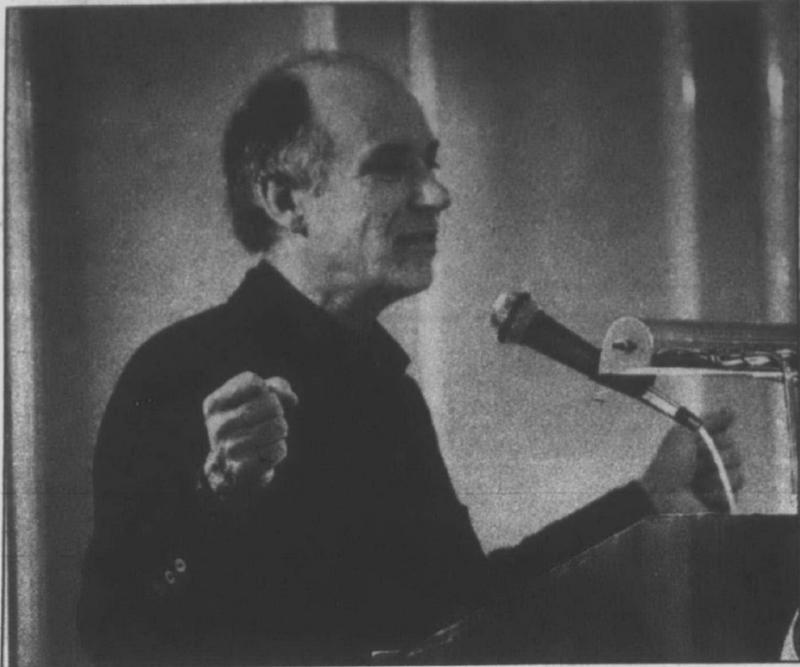
The students, Kit Lindamood and John Hill, traveled to New York last summer to record the CD, which includes contemporary, jazz and folk music.

Lindamood, 21, is the daughter of Ann and Ben Lindamood of Plymouth Township and is a 1989 graduate of Plymouth Canton High School.

Hill, 22, is the son of John and Clara Hill of Plymouth and is a 1987 graduate of Plymouth Salem High School.

#### Charity dinner

The Plymouth Rock 47 F&AM is sponsoring a charity dinner at 7 p.m. Thursday at the Masonic Temple on Penniman, which the proceeds going to the Plymouth Canton Clothing Bank. For more information, contact Bob Johns at 453-1242.



BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

Jay Levinson, left, helped business people find the guerrilla in themselves. Bob Roderick, above left, and Russ Webster, above right, listen to the marketing message.

## Marlboro ad creator leaves 'em smokin'

By Kevin Brown  
staff writer

How best to shake the monkey of business failure from the back of downtown Plymouth business people?

Bring in a "guerrilla." Jay Levinson, creator of the "Marlboro Man" ad campaign and author of a successful series of books on "Guerrilla Marketing," brought his message before more than 100 business people Tuesday.

THEY GATHERED TO attend a seminar hosted by Levinson at the Mayflower Meeting House in Plymouth. The seminar came at a time when some downtown business closings have some people worried about the future of downtown.

To emphasize the importance of marketing, Levinson recounted how Marlboro cigarettes had once been sold to women.

"They wanted to change the perception it was more masculine," he said, recounting the beginnings of a successful ad campaign featuring photos of cowboys and "Marlboro country."

Compared to a big ad campaign, guerrilla marketing, Levinson said, requires "time, energy and imagination."

He featured 100 different "weapons" or approaches.

"And the more you use, the better," Levinson said.

Among 15 he said "are tied for first place" was pursuing a focused marketing plan.

"It should last 10 to 20 years, something that guides all your efforts," he said.

Owners and staffers of a business should know its niche or position. "When people hear about your store, what's the very first thing that enters their mind?" Levinson asked. A business should also develop a logo, to better remember the firm by.

Items with small impact add up, Levinson said, such as using a pleasing stationery over one not as good. "When you multiply these things by 100, it has an impact on your business."

He urged store owners to have hours of operation to please customers, rather than owners, and suggested opening on Sundays.

**Tips offered by Levinson included: Offering free brochures, keeping the business neat and organized, running contests and sweepstakes to gather names for mailing lists, practicing good telephone answering manners, giving free samples, seminars and clinics and working hard in community projects.**

Among other suggestions, Levinson said:

- Offer free brochures, as 25 to 33 percent of those who take them use your business.
- Sloppiness around the store suggests you run your business that way.
- Running contests and sweepstakes helps a business owner gather names for mailing lists.

• Good telephone answering manners encourage sales.

- Give free samples, seminars and clinics.
- Work hard in community projects, and people will say "You must work hard in your business," Levinson said.
- Send thank-you notes within 48 hours of a sale, and maintain contact with customers who buy from you.

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# community calendar

Editor's note: To include events in this calendar, information must be typewritten on standard-size paper. For information, call Nancy Pennington, 459-2700.

## THURSDAY

**CANTON SENIORS:** Canton Parks and Recreation Services will have a St. Patrick's Day Dinner from 12-4 p.m. March 16 at Mayflower Meeting House. Tickets are available at the Canton Recreation Center, 44237 Michigan Avenue, Canton. 397-4444.

**ART CLASSES:** Classes for children first grade through high school are offered at Canton Recreation Center for five weeks beginning Saturday, March 7. Register now. No residency requirements. 397-5110.

**PLYMOUTH YMCA:** Register now for YMCA classes: Women's Self Defense Rape Prevention, Sell Your Home Workshop, "Y" Super Sitters, Floor Hockey, Bumper Bowl, Men's and Women's Volleyball, Driver's Education and Mini Series. Call 453-2904.

**SENIORS:** Tax assistance is available in Plymouth (455-3670 or 455-6620), Canton (397-5444) and Northville (349-4140) through April 15. Call for appointment. Home visits are available for the handicapped and shut-ins.

**FUTURE TRIPS:** The City of Plymouth Parks and Recreation Department is sponsoring trips: Ameri-Flora '92 in Columbus, Ohio, three days, May 27-29; Frankmunth, April 8; America's national parks, 11 days, June 13-23; and Glacier National Park and Sun Valley, 11 days, Aug. 4-14. 455-6620.

**LEARN TO SKI:** Register now for lessons at Riverview Highlands Ski Area. Call Canton Parks and Recreation at 397-5110. No residency requirements.

**MENS BASKETBALL:** Canton residents may register now for recreation night basketball at Eriksson Elementary School gym. Call Canton Parks and Recreation Services at 397-5110.

**AEROBIC FITNESS:** Classes are held at St. John's Episcopal Church, Faith Community Church and Canton Parks and Recreation at various times during the week. Call Sue Johnston at 348-1280 for more information. Also, 397-5110.

**AEROBICS:** Exercise classes are offered at First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth. Child care available, 459-9485.

**CO-OP PRESCHOOL:** Willow Creek Cooperative Preschool, located in Geneva Presbyterian Church in Canton has begun registration for alumni and Geneva church members. The general public may register March 2, 9:30-11:30 a.m. For further information, call Lori at 454-1051.

**SELF HELP:** Families Anonymous meets 8 p.m. Thursdays, St. John Neumann Church, 44800 Warren Road, Canton, 453-2811.

## MONDAY

**SUPPORT GROUP:** Plymouth Family Service offers a group for women trying to cope with being a single parent, limited financial resources, feeling isolated and various other concerns. Meetings are from 4-5:30 p.m. every Monday at Field Elementary School, 100 S. Haggerty Road in Canton. Meetings are confidential. For information call 453-0890. Child care available.

# obituaries

## ANDERSON

Services for Anna W. Anderson, 93, of Westland were Thursday, Feb. 20, at Schrader Funeral Home. Burial was in Riverside Cemetery. Mrs. Anderson was born Jan. 23, 1899, in Eskil Stuna, Sweden. She died Monday, Feb. 17, in Westland. She came to the Plymouth community in 1921 from Detroit. She came to the United States in 1919. She became a U.S. citizen July 2, 1928. She was a homemaker and member of the First Presbyterian Church of Plymouth.

Mrs. Anderson is survived by one nephew, Bengt Fall of Sweden; one niece, Briggetta Erickson of Sweden; and friend, K. Nils Peterson of Plymouth.

## JOSEPH W. BARNETT

Services for Joseph W. Barnett, 66, of Canton Township were Wednesday, Feb. 19, at Holy Cross Lutheran Church in Livonia.

Mr. Barnett was born Sept. 20, 1925, in Toledo, Ohio. He died Saturday, Feb. 15, at Greenery Extended Care. He was employed as a lab technician at an auto industry. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge.

Mr. Barnett is survived by his wife, Ann Barnett of Canton Township; two daughters, Cheryl Barnett and Kimberly Van Dyke; one son, Mark Barnett; two grandchildren; three sisters; and one brother.

The Rev. William Lindholm, of Holy Cross Lutheran Church, officiated the service. Arrangements were made by R.G. & G.R. Harris Funeral Home in Garden City.

## HELEN MERRIMAN

Services for Helen Merriman, 92, of Plymouth were Saturday, Feb. 22, at Schrader Funeral Home. Burial was in Riverside Cemetery.

Mrs. Merriman was born May 29, 1899, in Goldfield, Colo. She came to the Plymouth community in 1937 from Royal Oak. She was a homemaker and former employee of Minerva Dunnings in Plymouth. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church and was a past member of the V.F.W. Auxiliary.

Mrs. Merriman is survived by three daughters, Lois E. Merriman of Plymouth, Helen Lovelless of Maryland and Elizabeth Hunter of Florida; one son, Robert Bowden of Harbor Springs, Mich.; 14 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren and two sisters, Mary McKee of Indiana and Elizabeth King of Royal Oak.

The Rev. John N. Grenfell Jr. officiated the service. Memorial contributions may be given to First United Methodist Church in Plymouth.

## ANDY PENTA

Services for Andy Penta, 37, of Plymouth were Tuesday, Feb. 24, at Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church. Burial was in Parkview Memorial Cemetery in Livonia.

Mr. Penta was born April 5, 1954, in Dearborn. He died Friday, Feb. 21, in Ann Arbor. He came to the Plymouth community 13 years ago. He was a graduate of Garden City High School and attended the University of Michigan for one year.

Mr. Penta is survived by his mother, Jacqueline Wagner of Plymouth; father, Andy Penta of Florida and two brothers, Robert Penta of Plymouth and Eric Penta of Dearborn.

The Rev. James Wysocki officiated the service. Arrangements were made by Schrader Funeral Home.

## GRACE M. THOMPSON

Services for Grace M. Thompson, 45, of Canton Township were Feb. 26 at St. John Neumann Catholic Church in Canton.

Mrs. Thompson was born Dec. 11, 1946 in Royal Oak. She died Feb. 23 in Canton Township. She moved to Canton from Westland 14 years ago. She was the principal at Kinlock School in the Crestwood School System in Dearborn Heights and was a member of the Crestwood Mixed Teacher Bowling League, The Curriculum Council and Gifted Student Program in the Crestwood School District. She received a bachelor's degree from Michigan State and a master's degree from Eastern Michigan University. She was a member of St. John Neumann Catholic Church.

Mrs. Thompson is survived by her parents, Erma and James M. Thompson Sr. of Plymouth; one brother, James M. Thompson Jr. of Houston, Texas; two nieces and one nephew.

The Rev. George Charnley officiated the service. Memorial contributions may be given in the form of Mass offerings or to the St. John Neumann Building Fund, 44800 Warren Road, Canton 48187.

## LEGAL NOTICE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF PLYMOUTH PUBLIC HEARING MARCH 10, 1992

PLEASE NOTE: The Board of Trustees of the Charter Township of Plymouth has established a Public Hearing to hear the request of Damone/Andrews Associates, Inc., to establish an Industrial Development District for Parcel B in Plymouth Corporate Park. The legal description is as follows:

Part of the N.E. 1/4 of Section 21, T.1S., R.8E., Plymouth Township, Wayne County, Michigan, being more particularly described as beginning at a point distant S. 00° 45' 01" W., 2643.79 feet from the North 1/4 corner of said Section 21, said point being the center of said section 21; thence N. 48° 58' 01" E., 388.94 feet; thence N. 01° 30' 36" W., 537.15 feet; thence N. 89° 43' 19" E., 330.69 feet to a point on the West line of "Metro West Industrial Park No. 3 Subdivision", as recorded in Liber 101, Pages 23-26 of Wayne County Records; thence along said West line, S. 01° 30' 36" W., 729.03 feet; thence S. 86° 44' 24" W., 617.55 feet; thence S. 86° 41' 46" W., 164.53 feet; thence 127.02 feet along the arc of a curve to the right (radius = 400.00 feet, delta = 18° 11' 42", long chord bears N. 84° 12' 23" W., 126.49 feet); thence N. 86° 41' 46" E., 289.44 feet to the point of beginning. Contains 317,611 square feet of 7.29 acres and subject to any easements or restrictions of record.

The board of Trustees will meet at 7:30 p.m., in the Meeting Room of the Township Hall, 42350 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth, Wayne County, Michigan 48170. Phone Number: 453-3840, Ext. 224.

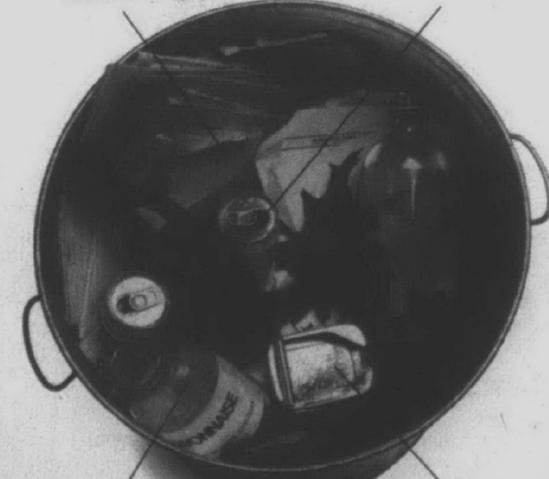
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## THE CITY OF PLYMOUTH ORDAINS:

SECTION 1. An ordinance to amend Chapter 111 of Title IX of the Code of the City of Plymouth by deleting current Sections 9.121 and 9.122 in their entirety and adding new Sections 9.121 and 9.122.

SECTION 2. The current Sections 9.121 and 9.122 are hereby deleted.

SECTION 3. New sections 9.121 and 9.122 hereby adopted are to read as follows:

9.121 Definitions. For the purposes of this section, the following terms shall be defined as follows:

- (1) Adult means a person 17 years of age or older.
- (2) Alcoholic Beverage means any beverage containing more than one-half of one percent of alcohol by volume. The percentage of alcohol by volume shall be determined in accordance with the provisions of Section 2 of Act No. 4 of the First Extra Session of the Public Acts of Michigan of 1933 (MCL 436.1 et seq., MSA 18.971 et seq.), as amended.
- (3) Control means any form of regulation or dominion including a possessory right.
- (4) Controlled substance. A controlled substance as defined now or hereafter by Article 7 of Act No. 368 of the Public Acts of Michigan of 1978 (MCL 333.7191, et seq., MSA 14.15 (7191) et seq.).
- (5) Harass is defined as any repeated verbal or non-verbal conduct which is specifically intended to frighten, embarrass or anger the person or persons who are the object of such conduct or which the person accused has reason to know is likely to produce such reactions, or as any repeated verbal communication which, by its very utterance, inflicts injury or tends to incite an immediate breach of the peace.
- (6) Minor means a person not legally permitted by reason of age to possess alcoholic liquor pursuant to Section 33b of Act No. 8 of the First Extra Session of Public Acts of Michigan of 1933 (MCL 436.33b, MSA 16.1094 (2)), as amended.
- (7) Parking Area - includes that portion of the property designated for parking of motor vehicles, and the adjacent property unoccupied by structures.
- (8) Person - includes, unless a contrary intention appears, public and private corporations, co-partnerships and unincorporated or voluntary associations.
- (9) Public Place as used in this Chapter shall mean any street, alley, park, government-owned or government-controlled building, any place of business or assembly open to or frequented by the public, common hallway or public room of any dwelling of greater than two units, and any other place which is open to the public view, or to which the public has access.
- (10) Residence or Premises means a motel room, hotel room, home, apartment, condominium or other dwelling unit, including the curtilage of the dwelling unit or a hall, meeting room or other place of assembly whether occupied on a temporary or permanent basis, whether occupied as a dwelling or specifically for social functions and whether owned, leased, rented or used with or without compensation.

9.122 Disorderly Conduct. No person shall:

- (1) Commit an assault, or an assault and battery upon any person.
- (2) Jostle or roughly crowd persons in any street, alley, park or public building.
- (3) Knowingly harass any other person, visit or otherwise communicate with any person repeatedly, or cause the same to be done for the primary purpose of harassing such other person or his or her family.
- (4) Telephone any other person or cause any person to be telephoned for the purpose of harassing or molesting or threatening such other person or his or her family, or their property, whether or not conversation ensues, except for telephone calls made for legitimate business purposes.
- (5) Knowingly send or deliver or make, and for the purpose of being delivered or sent, to part with possession of any letter, postal card or writing containing any language with or without a name subscribed thereto, or signed with a fictitious name, or with any letter, mark or other designation, with the intent thereby to cause annoyance, shock, or threaten such person or with a view of intent to extort or gain any money or property of any description belonging to another.
- (6) Discharge any firearm in the City, except when lawfully acting in the defense of persons or property or the enforcement of law or at a duly established range, the operation of which has been approved by the City Commission.
- (7) In any public place shoot, propel, or expel towards any building, window, public or private streetlamp, vehicle, or at or towards any person, animal or thing, BB, pellet, bullet, paint pellet, arrow, projectile, any solid substance whatever, if he knows or should know that damage to person or property, or alarm, which may foreseeably produce damage to person or property, is likely to result. Provided this section shall not apply to law enforcement training or sanctioned sporting events.
- (8) Engage in any physical fight in any public place. Provided this section shall not apply to sanctioned sporting events.
- (9) Willfully make or assist in making any noise or diversion which disturbs or tends to disturb, the peace, quiet good order or any meeting, gathering or congregation or lawfully assembled, whether religious, political or otherwise, or to persist in disturbing the peace and orderly conduct of any meeting of a public body or any meeting open to the general public by any conduct or communication which, by its very existence, inflicts injury or tends to incite an immediate breach of the peace or which prevents the peaceful and orderly conduct of such meeting after having been clearly informed that he or she is, in fact, unreasonably causing such a disturbance.
- (10) Persist in disturbing the public peace and quiet by loud or aggressive conduct, having once been clearly informed by persons affected that he or she is, in fact, unreasonably causing such a disturbance, provided, however, that notice need not be given when such persons affected reasonably believe that to do so would constitute a risk to their personal safety.
- (11) With four (4) or more persons, act in concert, to wrongfully engage in violent conduct and thereby intentionally or recklessly cause or create a serious risk or causing public terror or alarm. Nor shall a person intending to cause or to aid or abet the institution or maintenance of a riot, do an act or engage in conduct that urges other persons to commit acts of unlawful force or violence, or the unlawful burning or destroying of property, or the unlawful interference with a police officer, peace officer, or a member of the Michigan National Guard or any unit of the armed services officially assigned to riot duty in the lawful performance of his duty.
- (12) Engage in any intentional touching of another's naked, intimate parts, in a public place.
- (13) Make any indecent exposure of his or her person in any public place.
- (14) Use indecent obscenity or vulgar language in the presence or hearing of any woman or child.
- (15) Urinate or defecate in any public place.
- (16) Urinate or defecate on any public street or sidewalk or on the floor of that part of any building open to the public or any other place in view of the public not specifically designated for that purpose.
- (17) Spit on any street or sidewalk, or in any public carrier upon the floor, seat, or walls thereof, or upon the floor, walls, stairs, or seats of any public building or place of public amusements.
- (18) Wander about and loiter in the streets, or from house to house, or sit, stand or take a position in any place and beg from passersby, either by words, gestures, or by the exhibiting of a sign.
- (19) Be intoxicated in a public place and either endanger directly the safety of another person or of property; provided, however, that this subsection shall not be construed to apply to a person whose faculties have been impaired by medication prescribed by a physician and taken as directed.
- (20) Possess alcoholic liquor in an open or unsealed container, nor consume alcoholic liquor in any public place, provided this section shall not apply to any public place wherein by state or local law, consumption or possession is permitted.
- (21) No person shall knowingly give or furnish any alcoholic liquor to a person under twenty-one years of age, except upon authority of, and pursuant to, a prescription of a duly licensed practitioner. Provided the provisions of this section shall not apply to a person related to a minor as a parent or guardian, or to a person placed in the position of a parent by a parent or guardian of the minor, or to legally protected religious observances, educational activities, or medical treatments.
- (22) Permit or suffer any place occupied or controlled by him or her to be a resort of noisy, boisterous, or disorderly persons.
- (23) No adult having control of any residence or premises shall allow any alcoholic liquor or controlled substance to be possessed or consumed at the residence or premises by any minor where the adult knew or reasonably should have known that any alcoholic liquor or controlled substance was in the possession of or being consumed by a minor at the residence or premises, and where the adult failed to take reasonable steps to prevent the possession or consumption of the alcoholic liquor or controlled substance at the residence or premises. Provided the provisions of this section shall not apply to a parent or guardian of the minor, or to a person placed in the position of a parent by a parent or guardian of the minor, or to legally protected religious observances, educational activities, or medical treatments.
- (24) By any act, or by any work, assist, aid, abet, encourage, contribute toward, cause or tend to cause any minor child under the age of 17 years, to violate any provision of this chapter or to become neglected or delinquent so as to come, or tend to come, under the jurisdiction of the juvenile division of the probate court, as defined in section 2 of Chapter 13 of Act No. 288 of the Public Acts of 1936, and any amendments thereto, whether or not such child shall in fact be adjudicated a ward of the probate court.
- (25) Accost, entice or solicit a child under the age of 16 years, with intent to induce or force said child to commit an immoral act, or to submit to an act of sexual intercourse, or an act of gross indecency, or any other act of depravity or delinquency, or shall suggest to such child any of the aforementioned acts.
- (26) Engage in prostitution or solicit or accept any other person in a public place for the purpose of inducing participation in an act of prostitution.
- (27) Transport any person, for consideration, to a place where the business of prostitution, gambling or the illegal sale or use of liquor or controlled substance is carried on, for the purpose of enabling such person to be a customer of any such business.

## CITY OF PLYMOUTH ORDINANCE NO. 92-4

### AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE PLYMOUTH CITY CODE BY AMENDING TITLE IX CHAPTER 111 SECTIONS 9.121 AND 9.122

- (28) Knowingly attend, frequent, loiter, operate or be an occupant or inmate of any place where prostitution, gambling, the illegal sale or use of intoxicating liquor or narcotics, or any other illegal or immoral business or occupation is permitted or conducted.
- (29) Keep or maintain a gaming room, gaming table, or any policy or pool tickets, used for gaming; knowingly suffer a gaming room, gaming tables, or any policy or pool tickets to be kept, maintained, played, or sold on any premises occupied or controlled by him or her, conduct or attend any cock fight or dog fight.
- (30) Knowingly obstruct or resist any member of the police force or fire department in the discharge of his or her lawful duties or fail to obey the lawful order of said officer, knowing him or her to be a member of the police force or fire department.
- (31) Fail to accurately identify himself or herself when requested to do so by a police officer after the officer believes that person committed a civil infraction or when the officer has probable cause to believe the person has committed a misdemeanor outside the officer's presence. Provided that under circumstances where a police officer has good reason to believe, but does not have probable cause, that any individual has committed or is about to commit any unlawful act, said officer may ask the individual to identify himself or herself and explain his or her presence on the scene, but failure to respond to such questioning shall not constitute an offense under this section. Provided further, this section shall not be construed to affect any obligation to respond which is otherwise imposed by law.
- (32) Summon, as a joke or prank or otherwise without any good reason therefor, by telephone or otherwise, the Police or the Fire Department or any public or private ambulance to go to any address where the service called for is not needed.
- (33) Collect or stand in crowds or arrange, encourage, or abet the collection of persons in crowds for illegal purposes in any public place.
- (34) To stand, sit or recline in one place or to move slowly about or conduct himself or herself in any public place, or join with one or more other persons in a public place, if the accused knows or should know that, singly or together with others, he or she is unreasonably obstructing the free and uninterrupted passage of the public along any street or sidewalk, provided that this paragraph is not to be interpreted to conflict with the regulations of the National Labor Relations Board regarding picketing in labor disputes.
- (35) Willfully enter, upon the lands or premises of another without lawful authority, after having been forbidden to do so by the owner or occupant, agent or servant of the owner or occupant, or when upon the land or premises of another, upon being notified to depart therefrom by the owner or occupant, the agent or servant of either, without lawful authority neglect or refuse to depart therefrom.
- (36) No person shall enter upon any private property or private parking area, either in a vehicle or on foot without the express or implied permission of the owner, lessee, occupant, or agent. Provided, this section shall apply only to property that is fenced or enclosed, and maintained in a manner to exclude intruders, or posted in a conspicuous manner against entry. It shall be prima facie evidence that a property is posted in a conspicuous manner, if a minimum letter height on the posting sign is two (2) inches and the sign is located to enable a reasonably observant person to observe not less than one (1) sign at any point of entry upon the lands. A complaint for violation of this section may be made by the owner, lessee or occupant of the property. If the owner, lessee or occupant delegates, in writing, the enforcement to the police department, the City may enforce this section.
- (37) No person shall enter upon the lands or premises of another without the express or implied consent of that person at any person without the express or implied consent of that person.
- (38) Knowingly prowl about premises owned or leased by another in the nighttime, without the express or implied consent of that person.
- (39) Enter any enclosed or unenclosed vegetable garden or orchard located within the city without the consent of the owner, tenant or agent, and there cut down, injure, damage, destroy, eat, or carry away any portion of said garden, including any growing thing, crop, trees, timber, grass, seed, soil, fertilizer, water supply, tool, implement, fence, or any other protective device or any other thing used for the development cultivation, maintenance and use of the aforesaid garden or orchard.
- (40) Open or wrongfully tamper or meddle with any motor vehicle. Provided this section does not apply to lawful acts or individuals in an emergency situation.
- (41) Knowingly take possession of and ride or take away any bicycle, moped, snowmobile, or motor vehicle without the express or implied permission of the owner.
- (42) Willfully destroy or damage, or in any manner deface, destroy, or injure any property of another, or any public school building, or any public building, bridge, fire hydrant, alarm box, street light, street sign, or shade tree, belonging to the city, or make or post hand bills on, or in any manner mark the walls of any public building, or any fence, tree, or pole within the city, or take, or meddle with any property belonging to the city or remove the same from the building or place where it may be kept, placed, standing, or stored, without authority from the City Manager or other official custodian of said property.
- (43) Willfully and maliciously destroy or injure the property of another.
- (44) In any public place within the city, throw or hurl at or towards any building, window, public or private streetlamp, moving vehicle, or at a towards any person, animal or thing, any ball of snow, mass of snow packed together, piece of ice, stone, piece of block or wood or any solid substance whatever or throw any object from any moving vehicle, if the accused knows or should know that damage to person or property, or alarm, which may foreseeably produce damage to person or property, is likely to result.
- (45) Commit the offense of larceny by taking any property of another without lawful authority, claim or right, with the intent to permanently deprive the owner of lawful possession.
- (46) With the intent to defraud and to permanently deprive the owner of property, use false pretenses, or false representations, to induce another person to voluntarily relinquish both possession and title to property.
- (47) With the intent to defraud and to permanently deprive the owner of property, use false pretenses, or false representations, to induce another person to voluntarily relinquish possession of property.
- (48) Fraudulently convert for his or her own use, or wrongfully apply to a purpose other than that for which it was delivered, the property of another delivered to him or her.
- (49) While occupying or acting in a fiduciary relationship, (specifically, but not limited to, agent, servant or employee of another, or as the trustee, bailee or custodian of the property of another) wrongfully convert or appropriate property or money in his or her possession, by virtue of that relationship, to his or her own use, with the intent to defraud and without the consent of the principal.
- (50) Do any of the following in a store or in its vicinity:
  - a) While a store is open to the public, alter, transfer, remove and replace, conceal or otherwise misrepresent the price at which property is offered for sale, with the intent not to pay for the property, or to pay less than the price at which the property is offered for sale.
  - b) While a store is open to the public, steal property of the store that is offered for sale.
- (51) With intent to defraud, obtain, or attempt to obtain, money or property from the store as a refund or exchange for property that was not paid for and belongs to the store.
- (52) Buy, or be in the possession of, receive or aid in the concealment of any stolen, embezzled or converted money, goods, or property, knowing the same to have been stolen, embezzled or converted. Any person being a dealer or collector, who fails to make reasonable inquiry, that the person selling or delivering any stolen, embezzled or converted property has a legal right to do so, or who buys or receives any such property which has a registration, serial or other identifying number, altered or obliterated on any external surface thereof, shall be presumed to have bought or received such property knowing it to have been stolen, embezzled or converted; provided, however, that this presumption may be rebutted by proof.

SECTION 4. Repeat. All ordinances, or parts of ordinances, in conflict herewith, are hereby repealed only to the extent necessary to give this ordinance full force and effect.

SECTION 5. Savings. All proceedings pending, and all rights and liability existing, acquired or incurred, at the time this ordinance takes effect, are hereby saved. Such proceedings may be commenced under and according to the ordinance in force at the time such proceedings were commenced. This ordinance shall not be construed to alter, affect, or abate any pending prosecution, or prevent prosecution hereafter instituted under any ordinance specifically or impliedly repealed or amended by this ordinance adopting this penal regulation, for offenses committed prior to the effective date of this ordinance; and new prosecutions may be instituted, and all prosecutions pending at the effective date of this ordinance may be continued, for offenses committed prior to the effective date of this ordinance, under and in accordance with the provisions of any ordinance in force at the time of the commission of such offenses.

SECTION 6. Severability Clause. Should any word, phrase, sentence, paragraph or section of this ordinance be held invalid or unconstitutional, the remaining provision of this ordinance shall remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 7. Effective Date. This ordinance shall become effective on the 11th day of March, 1992.

Made, passed, and adopted by the City Commission of the City of Plymouth, Michigan this 18th day of February, 1992.

ROBERT L. JOYCE,  
Mayor  
LINDA J. LANGMISSE,  
City Clerk

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# Kosteva bill seeks annual open enrollment for MET

By Tim Richard  
staff writer

Parents — not Gov. Engler's administration — should decide whether the Michigan Education Trust is a good or bad deal for college-bound children, House Democrats say.

"My bill mandates an annual open enrollment period for MET," said Rep. James Kosteva, D-Canton, sponsor of the 1988 program signed by then-Gov. James Blanchard.

"There are absolutely no sound reasons why the MET board has failed to open up enrollments," Kosteva added.

His bill also would allow the MET board to raise rates for pre-paid college tuition contracts to be set no higher than the weighted average of tuition increases.

DEMOCRATS served notice they plan to make MET a political issue by announcing Kosteva's bill in House Speaker Lewis Dodak's con-

ference room. Joining them was majority floor leader Pat Gagliardi, D-Drummond Island.

There's little hope the Republican-led Senate will pass the measure and less that Gov. John Engler will sign it. If MET becomes a political issue, Kosteva said, "So be it."

Under MET contracts, parents, other relatives or employers pre-pay a youngster's tuition for two or four years to a Michigan university. The Treasury invests the money. At age 18, the child is assured fully paid college tuition. Some 55,000 contracts have been sold, and 1,300 youngsters are actually attending college under MET guarantees.

**THE TRICK** to funding MET was the spread between tuition rate growth and interest earnings.

Under Blanchard's treasurer, Robert Bowman, earnings were projected to increase at nearly 8.8 percent a year compounded while tuitions were projected to increase at only 7.3 percent, a spread of 1.5 per-

cent, Kosteva said.

But the MET board says long-term interest rates are the lowest they've been in decades while universities are threatening double-digit tuition hikes as state aid wanes.

"LET THE market decide," replied Kosteva. "The demand for higher education has not diminished. At least offer residents the opportunity to invest."

Gagliardi scoffed at the suggestion interest earnings were too low. "The state Treasury's own people are making double-digit returns (on pension fund investments). All the big houses — show me one that didn't make 18 percent over the last few years."

Democrats said MET is superior to Engler's suggestion of replacing MET with a savings bond program.

"What benefit is that to consumers?" Kosteva asked. "MET is a pooled resource."

"MET is tax free," added Gagliardi. "With his (Engler's) bond issue,

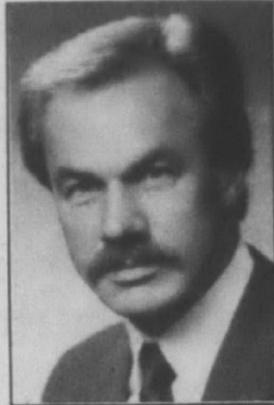
you'd pay each year on your income tax."

DODAK'S political strategy has been to use "middle-class families" at the top of every news release or announcement, and Tuesday's announcement was no exception.

"MET was designed to help ensure that middle-class families can afford higher education for their children," said Kosteva's prepared statement.

Dodak also is pushing a proposal to cap tuition increases at Michigan's 15 state universities and 29 community colleges at the rate of inflation.

But both Dodak and Kosteva say capping tuition would not be a litmus test for candidates for university boards at the Democratic State Convention. The parties nominate two candidates each election for the boards of the University of Michigan, Michigan State and Wayne



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State universities. Rarely are there any issues between the parties. "Our goal should be affordability," said Kosteva, "not holding candidates' feet to the fire" over tuition increases.

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# Opinion

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## Fresh ideas Parking credits outmoded

IT'S TIME FOR Plymouth to take a fresh look at its parking credit system.

Basically, the system forces new businesses to buy parking credits, if there aren't enough on the site. For many new businesses, especially those being started by younger folks trying their luck for the first time, the money just isn't there. Either they don't have it, or the business they're planning on starting just won't generate the revenue to pay the parking credit.

The current system favors the established businesses in Plymouth and discourages younger people. It has to be acknowledged that older, established businesses have long paid the taxes that have helped make the city of Plymouth a desirable place to locate. However, new businesses and younger people with fresh ideas can provide the diversity so desperately needed downtown.

One recent example of how the parking credit

system keeps new business out came near Kellogg Park. A restaurant backer wanted to locate in the space formerly occupied by Computer Time next to the Penn Theater. But the \$80,000 in parking credits required by the city was just too much.

THE IRONY here is that one of the constant complaints about Plymouth is the lack of restaurants.

Pat Pulkownik, a Realtor with the Patricia Group, said it best: "I hear over and over again that we need more restaurants," adding that Plymouth demands more money for parking credits from restaurants.

But there's more than a fairness factor involved. It's the new blood factor. And Plymouth needs a transfusion.

It's time for the city commission to take a tough look at the system and start living in the 1990s.

## Street cafes Fresh ideas for downtown

WHILE WE'RE STILL downtown and on the subject of restaurants, there are two plans being made by local restaurant owners that deserve attention and support.

And they revolve around fresh air.

Russ Webster is seeking city approval for a plan to create a street cafe at his restaurant on Penniman. The plan calls for a 10-by-26-foot deck to be constructed within the parking lane of Penniman.

The plan goes to the city planning commission on March 11 and, if approved, Webster plans to open in early May.

But up Main Street and around the corner on Ann Arbor Trail, another outdoor cafe could be in the works.

Chip Falcusan wants to add a street cafe to the Box Bar.

Falcusan refused to be specific about his plans, but said an architect is preparing drawings to present to city officials.

We hope the city sees fit to approve Webster's plan quickly so that all of us will be able to enjoy lunch in the sun.

As for the plans for the Box Bar, we'll eagerly be awaiting the architect's drawings. We're a bit mystified by where a street cafe could be located.

Let's just hope both projects receive quick review from the city. Michigan's summers come and go quickly, and there isn't much time to enjoy lunch or dinner outside.

## Ends soon Losing bus system isn't smart

WHEN IT comes to SMART, our regional bus system, we feel as though we're ringing a firebell in the night. And, figuratively speaking, our firefighters seem to be ignoring the alarm, engrossed instead in a spirited game of fire hall checkers.

The fire metaphor, we think, is not misused when discussing the Detroit area's critically ill bus system.

A burning crisis looms: metropolitan Detroit would become the only major urban area in the nation without a regional transit system if the Suburban Mobility Authority for Regional Transit dies of acute "deficit-itis" as planned on March 27. The suburban transit systems suffers from a \$7.7-million deficit.

Now, we've said it before, but it bears reiteration: It would be just plain dumb to allow SMART buses to disappear from our streets.

Although it makes the auto barons and used car salesmen snicker and smile, such a public transportation crisis would be a terrible blow to an area that doesn't really need that kind of kick in the groin right now.

SOME 35,000-40,000 people will be looking for other rides to work, or wherever, if SMART dies, and let's not forget the 500 or so SMART employees who would lose their jobs.

So, with a transportation disaster just a month away, the lack of concern you'd think would be shown by those public officials who have been elected and appointed to protect the public from just such disasters is ominous.

So is the lack of solutions you'd think would be offered from the finest political minds of Lansing and the city and township halls of southeastern Michigan. There's been no hell-raising at the county commission meetings. And blistering editorials in the big-town newspapers are non-existent.

No, if something isn't done soon, SMART will die a quiet death. With the exception of James Aho, SMART's acting general manager who resigned Monday, the truth is that very few of our movers and shakers care very much about SMART or its customers. Aho charged that the threatened shutdown was a political game in which the pawn was a regional bus system.

But there seems to be a general impression that bus riders are just a bunch of misguided fools who don't have the means or inclination to buy and drive automobiles to work, or wherever.

Imagine that! People who'd rather not drive to work! Such people are damn dangerous in this auto town.

SMART'S REAL problem is that it's just a little, underused bus system.

Now, if SMART were a man, a rich man, per-

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haps a junk food baron who just happened to own a professional sports franchise, officials at every level of government would absolutely be going through hoops to help him prosper. Depend on it. And the big-town editorial writers would gush their approval.

What little serious discussion there has been on saving SMART (the bus line) has been clouded by the foul feelings of distrust drifting up from this deep chasm that has divided city and suburb the past quarter century.

A merger of the Detroit and suburban bus systems is needed to save SMART, transit officials have told us. Such a merger seems like a good idea.

Some Detroit officials have opposed the merger because they don't want their tax dollars (\$40 million to support the city system) to support something that helps suburbanites.

And so many suburbanites, spouting the "Let's-buy-a-car" mentality that has been grafted onto their minds over the years, are always suspicious of anything linked to big, bad Detroit. The subsidies also might point to low ridership as an excuse for letting the system die.

ACTUALLY, A merger of the two bus systems makes a lot of sense — and city and suburban residents should be taxed equally to support it. Overall, service certainly would be upgraded and in time more people would ride.

The taxes used to support the new mega-system could come from varied sources. It could be a property tax, a license plate tax, a sales tax. Sure, people are taxed to death these days (or at least they'll tell you they are), but the burden would be shared among all in the six-county metropolitan area.

As we have pointed out before in this space, there is a price to be paid for having a good transit system. But our region is already paying the price for not having a good system. Notice, please, the decay in the central city and the gridlock in suburbia.

But most costly of all is the human price of being locked in place. It's time someone answers this alarm



## 'Averaging down' has little room for quality

WHAT I FEAR most in the recent flurry of proposals to equalize funding between rich and poor school districts is that it will hurt the good schools and gain little or nothing in the poor ones.

It's called "averaging down." Both Democrats (whose ideology of equality usually leaves little room for quality) and Republicans (who complain ceaselessly about taxes without wondering what they get us) are about to compound their past errors by setting in motion wholesale averaging down in our schools.

Of course, variations in per-pupil spending between rich and poor districts are both large and inequitable. Some districts in the Oakland County office belt spend more than \$8,000 per child; some rural districts, well below \$3,000.

Indeed, most school districts served by this newspaper have property values (and, therefore, per-pupil expenditures) well in excess of the Michigan average.

AND THAT'S WHY last year's so-called "Robin Hood" school finance law hurts local communities so badly. The tax-base sharing law takes half the growth from industrial and commercial property taxes in above-average districts and distributes it to poorer districts.

Farmington, straddling the I-696 and I-275 freeways, would have lost somewhere between \$400,000 and

\$775,000 if tax-base sharing hadn't been stalled in court. It can pay salaries and benefits for 10-19 low seniority teachers.

For the losing districts, class sizes have increased. Special programs like computer education, music, art and foreign languages have been slashed. Morale is poor and declining.

Worst of all, there is no particular reason to believe that the poorer districts are necessarily going to show any improvement in their educational outcomes as a result of getting thinly spread additional money.

This is so because Michigan's totally archaic way of looking at education — that dollars spent, by definition, determine educational achievement — provides us no way of setting outcome standards for money moved by the Robin Hood law.

Indeed, to reduce educational quality in rich districts while showing no necessary increase in others is very close to a classic negative sum game: Everybody's worse off.

NOW GOV. John Engler wants to take yet another step.

Earlier this month, he startled most observers by proposing to shift \$466 million the state now pays for teacher Social Security taxes into the school aid fund. Since this would rub salt into the wounds of rich districts (excluded from state aid), he



Philip Power

offered as a sop to repeal the Robin Hood law.

Seeing an opening, Democrats in the Legislature are proposing to move \$450 million in state-paid teacher pensions to the aid fund. And the new superintendent of public instruction, Robert Schiller, has made it clear that further "reforms" are high on his agenda.

All this would be fine if a realistic, accurate and widely accepted way existed to measure just what children actually learn in schools and to make sure that level of learning overall does not fall when people tinker with funding.

Otherwise, all we will have is an amazing and improbable alliance between Engler and the Democratic liberals in a redistributionist theory of school finance that sacrifices real learning on the altar of statistical equality of funding.

Phil Power is chairman of the company that owns this newspaper. His award-winning column will appear periodically.

### from our readers

#### Auto workers are lazy, and drunk

To the editor:

Sir, I read with some amusement your recent article on why we should buy American. You obviously have never worked for one of the domestic auto companies, Mr. Counts.

I do happen to work for one of the "Big Three" and have for 29 years. I, sir, have bought my last American-made car for the simple reason being they are "junk." They are junk because the American workers who build products are, as the Japanese claim, lazy, uneducated, drunks, dope-addicts, and just plain stupid. I witness it every day, Mr. Counts, on a personal level. Every day at lunch time everyone heads for the bar and on returning to work are "intoxicated."

Some have been terminated but most haven't. I've been informed by our security that more than half the work force in our plant carry guns to work on a daily basis. Of the four company products I've purchased over the years, "all" had major mechanical problems requiring great inconvenience and expense. My '86 was delivered with a "handprint" in the paint. My '90 was delivered with the front bumper bent.

The list is endless, and I won't bore you with it. The point is, the American auto worker has a long way to go to catch his Japanese and

European competitors.

They can and should start with taking pride in what they manufacture. Buying American because it's patriotic, is simply paying hard-earned money for shoddy products.

I agree, Mr. Counts, with you when you say we have a choice every time we pull out our wallet. Where we differ is I prefer to purchase "quality."

No more American products for me until they improve, which will probably be many, many years from now.

After 29 years with an American auto company, I'm proud to say they have not nor will not "brainwash" me.

Thank you.

Bob Taylor  
Plymouth

#### Provide care for disabled

To the editor:

Voice of the Retarded (VOR), a nationwide association of individuals and parent groups who advocate for developmentally disabled persons, has been advised by its members in Michigan that the state of Michigan plans to close the Caro, Coldwater and Newberry Regional Health Centers and the Muskegon Regional Care Center.

It would appear that the State of Michigan is violating its covenant to establish and maintain "institutions, programs and services for the care, treatment, education or rehabilita-

tion of those inhabitants who are physically, mentally or otherwise seriously handicapped."

VOR contends that the State of Michigan may be in violation of its constitutional and statutory obligation to assure that adequate and appropriate mental health services are provided to its citizens throughout the state. Unlike Michigan, many states do recognize that institutions are an integral part of the array of residential services. And these must be provided for severely and profoundly disabled persons.

Deinstitutionalization programs have been promoted and sold to the people on the pretext that there were opportunities for cost savings. Anyone familiar with the complex problems of supporting severe and profoundly disabled clients in community homes, and the costs required, should recognize the fallacies in these predictions. Providing the same level of care in the community as exists in the larger facilities is more costly, as it is less efficient. The state will save money only by cutting services. The services and support systems will decline. The disabled populations will suffer for it.

VOR is a non-profit organization. Any parents or friends of mentally handicapped individuals in opposition to the closing of these Michigan facilities should contact Voice of the Retarded (VOR), 2800 West Central Road, Rolling Meadows, IL 60008. Phone (708) 253-6020.

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# GM loses sight of its roots

WE WERE DRIVING BACK from "up north" early Monday when we heard the news over the radio.

Relaxed from a weekend of skiing and eating whitefish in a northland still blanketed by more than a foot of snow, it jolted us out of our vacation euphoria and back to reality.

General Motors, that blue-chip giant of American companies... General Motors, tied to Detroit like the film industry is to California... General Motors, once upon a time the staff of life for my grandfather's Cleveland, Ohio, die casting plant

General Motors did what we had hoped was unthinkable. It included the historic Willow Run Assembly Plant with its more than 4,000 employees in its previously announced commitment to close and scale back 18 production sites.

It selected the Ypsilanti facility over a similar plant in Arlington,



**Judith Doner Berne**

Texas, after first pitting one against the other. It also elected to close three more plants and scale down two others in southeast Michigan, affecting a total of 9,100 employees.

I GUESS THE QUESTION to be asked in all of this is: Why did GM make southeast Michigan bear so large a burden?

Is there no special feeling for the people and area where General Motors grew up and became the No. 1 automaker?

The hurt extends beyond whether you are "auto people," like our busi-

ness reporter Doug Funke of Redford Township. He is the first generation on his dad's side of the family which hasn't made a living in an auto plant.

His grandfather, his father, his uncles all were skilled workers — tool and die makers on the line.

You share the hurt simply because you grew up in Detroit — where even "girls" could sit cross-legged on the curb and call out the makes of the cars that went by.

You share the hurt because you still look up at the Uniroyal billboard, remembering how as a youngster you were proud and fascinated as the numbers changed while you drove by, reflecting the cars coming off the production line. (They change too slowly these days to see in a drive by.)

And you share the hurt because you, too, felt forced into buying a Japanese car after the last three GM

cars you had went downhill.

YOU THINK THIS WAY about Ypsilanti, a town you only know because it's adjacent to Ann Arbor.

It's a town which can't afford to lose a Chinese restaurant, much less its biggest taxpayer.

General Motors said it made the cuts needed to reorganize without regard to politics; that the decisions were based on internal plant and employee considerations and not government incentives. Speculation is that GM wanted to force a showdown with the UAW over work rules and productivity.

But it's also clear that GM made the decision despite its roots — ignoring the plight of the already reeling motor city and its people.

Judith Doner Berne is assistant managing editor of the Oakland County editions of the Observer & Eccentric.

# Going my way? Better signal!



**Jeffrey Miller**

TELL ME QUICKLY. I have to know now! What is it about metro Detroit drivers anyway? Why in the name of all that is rational do the majority of motorists refuse to use their turn signals?

The circumstances don't seem to matter. Lane changes, right turns, highway merges, U-turns, breakdowns or slowdowns. The people who drive this region's freeways at one of two speeds (rubberneck or breakneck) appear more willing to share a prize ring or hotel room with Mike Tyson than to lift their finger to push the turn indicator.

From what I can see age, sex, race or appearance don't seem to be factors. Sixteen to 86, boys to men, teenage lovers in each others' laps, fuzz buster phone jockeys and blue-haired, bridge-playing grandmas all share the same space aloof, in another world, determined never to signal their intentions as to where they plan to steer their 3,000 pounds of freedom.

IN THE COURSE of a week producing Transition, I average 90 miles a day on this area's highways. It's a rare day that doesn't have me driving the Lodge, I-696, I-75 or the Jeffries Freeway, sometimes all in the same day. That amount of time in a car can cause your mind to wonder about a lot of things. Lately, I've been wondering — after dodging yet another car whose driver didn't signal the car was coming my way — just what is behind this peculiar Detroit regional affliction of refusing to drive with common sense.

The other day the light bulb came on. Maybe I'd hit on the answer. Could it be that metro Detroit drivers don't want to give anything away? Play it close to the vest? Could it be just another Detroit survival tactic? If no one knows what you're liable to do next, won't they have to give you a wider berth? You know what I mean, like when you're walking down the street and see an obvious-

ly different-looking individual acting erratically, you give him space, right? You move over.

If my theory doesn't grab you, then think of the alternatives. Indifference, apathy, laziness, ignorance. Which would you prefer, perhaps apathetic indifference? Do you think the Detroit area driver cares so little for his own life, let alone that of his fellow driver, that it matters not one whit if they kill someone by their negligence?

Laziness? Are the drivers in southeast Michigan so unmotivated and shiftless that they can't be bothered to lift that lever?

Ignorance? Is it possible that they don't know what the signal is for?

IT'S GETTING to the point that on the rare occasion a driver actually uses a turn signal, I don't trust it. I hang back like a scared rabbit or punch the accelerator and zoom past the point of uncertainty.

No, I think the theory holds merit. Maybe it is fear that drives them to drive in this way. Maybe it is a curious Detroit survival tactic. Perhaps it is this population's fear of crack, crime and carjackings and the growing legions of those who would "work for food" that forces these motorists to erect a wall of unpredictability. Keep it all at bay.

I'd like to get these thoughts out of my head. I have to know now! Tell me quick. What is it about metro Detroit drivers anyway?

Jeff Miller, a Southfield resident, is executive producer and host of Transition, airing at 8:30 a.m. Saturdays on WXON-TV-20 and at 7 p.m. on Mondays.

# This mentality hurts democracy

RECENTLY I read an excellent editorial in an Eccentric newspaper analyzing Southfield's rich multicultural makeup and speculating on that city's chances for safeguarding its harmonious heterogeneity. To run commentaries of this nature requires a certain courage, because I can cite personal evidence that portions of our mostly suburban readerships are less than receptive to this subject.

Yet it's a dilemma that every American must dutifully help to solve, and the solution depends on whether the powers that be will stop hoarding their power and instead democratically share leadership responsibilities and control.

Last year I was an applicant for the school superintendencies in Southfield and Oak Park — a community adjacent to Southfield which is at a similar cultural crossroad. I was granted interviews for neither post, which wasn't entirely surprising. There probably were hundreds of applicants for both jobs, and I never made contact with the Lansing agency they retained to screen can-

didates. Both districts found fine superintendents.

STILL, THE comment of a board member from one of those districts continues to trouble me. Responding to the query of a member of my former Rochester board as to why I hadn't been interviewed, that person said, "Oh, we wouldn't hire him — he's uncontrollable."

This curious adjective pinned on me by someone I never met has also appeared in the media to describe me, and I suppose that whenever this happens I should take it as a compliment. If I was "uncontrollable" in the Rochester assistant superintendency, it was only because there were forces influenced by bigotry and fear that were trying to crush both my multicultural initiatives and me as we well.

I'm not really an unreasonable man.

We've got to get rid of this need-to-control mentality that's pervasive among some people in positions of influence. I've encountered that kind of mentality too many times,



**John Telford**

and it's symptomatic of everything that's counterproductive to the democratic process.

Ironically I doubt that they would have needed to "control" me in Southfield or Oak Park, anyway. Given the diverse nature of their student clientele, their goals for multicultural understanding must surely be identical to my own lavishly publicized objectives. This was one reason I applied in the first place.

DEMOGRAPHIC projections beyond the year 2000 dictate that cities like Southfield and Oak Park are multicultural harbingers of Oakland County's future, Michigan's future and America's future. How well those two cities can maintain cross-cultural cooperation will presage the

chances for others' success in this vital arena that everyone will be entering inevitably and soon.

There will be no exceptions, no homogenous havens remaining for racists and other xenophobes to hide out in, nor will there be any rightful place for fearful and undemocratic "controllers," either.

We have to teach our children — and our adults — that there is no need to hide, hoard power or be afraid. As we Americans approach the 21st Century, we're on the glorious brink of fulfilling the harmonious hopes laid down for us by our founding fathers more than 200 years ago. *E pluribus unum* — out of many, one.

John Telford, a Rochester Hills resident, most recently was assistant superintendent in the Rochester School District. He previously was executive director for secondary education in the Plymouth Canton district. He has been controversial for his programs involving diverse religions and alternative history courses.

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# Blame the "other guy" for GM's move

By Tim Richard  
staff writer

No one in Lansing is sure why General Motors decided to move 4,000 jobs from Ypsilanti to Texas. But if Michigan government is to blame, the other guy's political philosophy is at fault.

Gov. John Engler got no advance warning and was asked for no concessions by the No. 1 automaker, but the Republican leader warned, "We've got to cut our taxes if we're going to cut our job losses. . . If our answer is tax shifts and tax hikes, it's a done deal: Our jobs will take a hike — to Texas."

Big labor blamed the governor. "Texas Gov. Ann Richards and her Democratic administration worked with all parties to keep the Arlington plant open," said AFL-CIO president Frank Garrison.

"Gov. Engler chose not to get involved. I think Michigan would have fared better in this competition if we had an activist, pro-job creation state government such as

we had under Jim Blanchard," Garrison said.

SEN. GEORGE Z. HART, D-Deerborn and a former Ford worker, said everybody was wrong. "We in America have been asleep at the wheel. That goes for the Big Three."

Hart, whose district includes Garden City, ridiculed the "buy American" notion because so many components — such as electrical parts, headlights, engine parts and tires — come from abroad.

"One reason Arlington (Texas) won out was its close proximity to Mexico," where components are made, Hart told the Senate.

GM will consolidate assembly operations now performed in the Willow Run plant in Ypsilanti Township at Arlington. The job loss will spill into western Wayne County.

"I don't have a residential breakdown," said Rep. James Kosteva, D-Canton, whose district lies immediately east of Willow Run,

"but we're in close proximity."

"It'll hurt a lot," said Rep. Justine Barns, D-Westland, "maybe more than Canton. We (Westland) are a little older and have more factory workers. A former officer at the (UAW) local at Willow Run lived in my district until he retired."

SEN. LANA POLLACK, D-Ann Arbor, said, "I'm not sure why GM left," but she was sure Ypsilanti Township wasn't to blame.

"When other communities fought GM's property tax challenges, Ypsi Township stepped aside, right or wrong, and let GM challenge. It (GM's departure) is not about property taxes or unemployment compensation," Pollack said.

"We hear the same old call from Republicans," said Sen. Virgil Smith, D-Detroit — "Unshackle business and they'll lead us to prosperity." Well, you see how much prosperity we have. . . Unfettered, unrestricted business is not very good."

Sen. John Cherry, D-Clio, whose

district will feel the loss of 4,000 jobs with a Flint engine plant closing, blamed politics.

"Michigan had the cost advantage. Willow Run should never have been compared to Arlington," Cherry said. While calling on GM to explain its choice, Cherry was sure there was political fault in Michigan: "It's cooperation, not political warfare, that helps Texas."

TWO REPUBLICAN senators from border counties insisted Michigan's high costs were to blame.

"The enemy is us," said Sen. Nick Smith, R-Hillsdale County. "Abatements (to industry) didn't begin to offset the high property taxes in Michigan. Our unemployment tax is excessively high. With workers comp, we're overzealous in our effort to take care of workers."

"The House Democratic property tax plan would take away the capital acquisition deduction. We have overzealous regulation," Smith said.

# UAW will hold march for jobs on March 14

When unemployed Ford Motor Co. workers marched against hunger 60 years ago, the event ended in tragedy. Five men died as police used tear gas, water hoses and bullets to disperse the crowd.

In that aspect, the 60th anniversary march, Saturday, March 14, will be different. No incidents are expected as UAW workers hold their 1992 March for Jobs.

But UAW leaders say hunger and joblessness, the conditions that prompted the 1932 march, are once again a major problem.

"Our demonstration on March 14 isn't just a memorial march, it's also part of a struggle to restore the American dream, to renew our commitment to good jobs, social justice, health care for everyone and an end to hunger," UAW Local 600 President Jim McNeil said. "America's hard-won sense of middle-class security is rapidly disappearing as non-union, minimum wage jobs re-

place good-paying union jobs."

Dearborn-based Local 600 is sponsoring the march, though members of other area locals are also expected to participate.

The event will include dedication of a historic marker at the starting point of the 1932 march. A grave marker will be placed in Woodmere Cemetery, Detroit, honoring Curtis Williams, a black man killed in the 1932 march but denied burial with the other fatalities.

Speakers are scheduled to include Bishop Thomas Gumbleton of the Archdiocese of Detroit, Detroit Councilwoman Maryann Mahaffey and UAW regional director Bob King, among others.

The event, however, is also expected to be a show of UAW solidarity and strength in this election year.

"In too many ways we have been slipping backwards, and it's time to draw the line," McNeil said.

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## No surprises as Rocks end campaign 9-0

By Dan O'Meara  
staff writer

The final tabulation of scores Monday indicated Plymouth Salem was nearly five points better than rival Plymouth Canton in girls gymnastics.

The No. 1-ranked Rocks, who scored 143.45 and finished the dual-meet season undefeated at 9-0, have demonstrated numerous times they are the best team in Observerland and arguably the state.

Accepting that fact, perhaps the real bottom line is there were only winners in this meet, pitting two of the finest high school programs in Michigan against each other.

While Canton coach John Cunningham would be among the first to label Salem a great team, the Chiefs, who scored an otherwise impressive 138.60, have stood in Salem's shadow but been quite successful themselves, finishing with an 8-3 record.

"I THINK both of us did well," Salem coach Becky Martin said. "Both are good teams and I can't even imagine if both were together (as one combined team)."

The top-ranked Rocks, who were 6-0 in Western Lakes Activities Association meets and Canton 4-2, have won every invitational they've entered. But the No. 3 Chiefs have also won an invitational and been second twice and fourth once behind Salem.

"I tell the kids 'No other team in this school district is third in the state,'" Cunningham said. "We're happy that Salem is No. 1, and we're

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happy to be No. 3.

"I'm just pleased to be where we are. I'm pleased for the kids, I'm pleased for the team and I'm extremely happy with what they've done this year."

With the outcome virtually predetermined, given the ability in gymnastics to project based on the known capabilities of the athletes, both teams had as their objective to improve individual skills in preparation for the major competitions ahead.

"I think they're pulling together all of their tricks and maintaining where they're at," said Martin of the Salem gymnasts. "They're trying to get a few extra tenths by making their routines a little bit better."

THE FIRST of the big meets takes place tonight when the Rocks attempt to win their third consecutive WLAA championship at Westland John Glenn.

"From what I've heard, some schools are on vacation and some of their girls are out of town," Martin said. "Most teams are using this as a qualifying meet. My anticipation is we will (win)."

The regional meet will be Saturday, March 7, at Canton and the state final Friday, March 13, at Trenton. As those dates approach, the Rocks appear to have adapted



BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

Sarah Makins of Salem placed second on the balance beam Monday and compiled a 35.20 all-around score.

well to their top-ranked status, and beating defending state champ Muskegon Mona Shores twice has no doubt helped.

"Unless they put pressure on themselves, I think they're pretty confident in what they can do," Martin said. "Having won all our meets, I think takes some of the pressure off.

"I think right now we have to keep up at practice, work hard and do our best. I don't want to say we're a better team (than Mona Shores). We're doing really well for ourselves. All the girls are doing really well this year, and I'm happy to see them doing so well."

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## Bonnett wins crown; Salem keeps 4 alive

By Bill Parker  
staff writer

Dan Bonnett likes the thought of wrestling at home Saturday in the Class A state regional tournament at Plymouth Salem.

But the Salem senior admits he has enjoyed the success he's experienced this year at Walled Lake Western High School.

Two weeks ago Bonnett captured the Western Lakes Activities Association championship at Western, and he won a district championship in the same gymnasium Saturday. The top four finishers in each weight class at the Western district advance to the regional at Salem.

"Wrestling regionals at home will be great," said Bonnett, who owns a 37-1 record. "A lot more of your friends come out and cheer you on when it's close to home. It gives you a little extra pride to wrestle at home, a little more motivation."

BONNETT HAD all the motivation he needed Saturday as he stormed through the 125-pound bracket with four pins. Only one other wrestler in the tournament — Western's 103-pound Rob Fritz — won all four matches by pin.

Bonnett opened the tournament with a pin over Brighton's Chris Robertson in 2:13, then followed with a pin over Western's Eric Bagalay in 47 seconds. In the semifinals, Bonnett pinned Farmington's Jon Duff in 4:42.

Bonnett met Northville junior Matt Allison (27-3) in the finals in a

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match that was a repeat of the WLAA championship. The result was the same this time around as Bonnett stuck Allison in 2:21 to win his second district championship in as many years. In the league final, Bonnett pinned Allison in 1:35.

"Today was basically like league," Bonnett said. "I beat the same guy by pin in the finals last week. But I couldn't have done it without a good workout partner like Scott Martin (third at 119 pounds). He makes me work hard."

"Last year I won districts but missed out at state. Hopefully, it will be different this time."

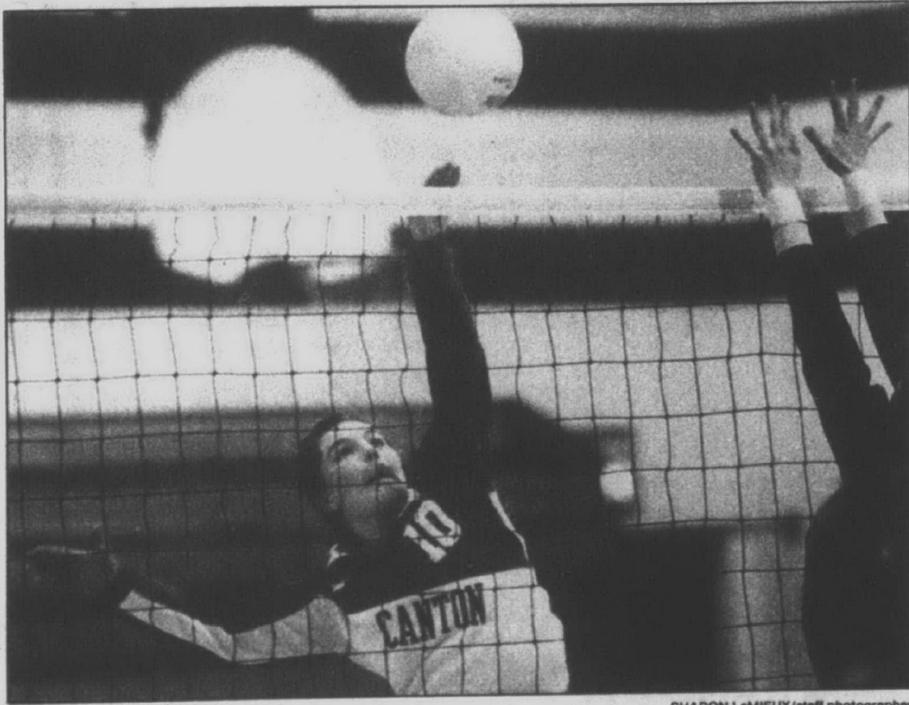
Bonnett was just one of five Observerland wrestlers to win a district championship and one of 24 who qualified for the regional tournament.

JOINING BONNETT at the regional will be teammates Martin, a senior with a 37-6 record; junior Dan Phillips (14-13), who placed fourth at 130; and junior Phil Hayes (24-8-2), who placed fourth at 189.

WLAA champion Farmington and third-place league finisher Westland John Glenn will each send four wrestlers to the regional.

Junior Mike Reeves paced the Rockets by winning a district cham-

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SHARON LEMIEUX/staff photographer

Karrie Drinkhahn was an emotional leader, as well as key attacker, for the Chiefs in their five-game win over Harrison.

## Canton gains momentum; Spartans dominate Rocks

By Dan O'Meara  
staff writer

Plymouth Canton picked up some momentum heading into the Western Lakes Activities Association volleyball playoffs by beating host Farmington Hills Harrison in five games Monday.

The Chiefs won the odd-number games 15-11, 15-12 and 15-13 while Harrison won the evens 16-14, 15-13.

Canton finished the regular season at 5-6 in the league, the Hawks 4-7. The league tournament will be played Saturday at Livonia Churchill with pool play beginning at 9 a.m.

"Our goal was to be playing our best volleyball at the end of the season, and I think that's what is happening for us," Canton coach Jacqueline Getz said.

"IT WAS hard having the last league game when we're on winter break, but the girls played well. We

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practiced in the morning and had them up and moving, and I think that helped us."

Harrison had some good hitters, especially junior Julie Heist, but the Chiefs got at least a partial block on numerous hits and played good defense in the back row.

"Jenny Davis had some excellent digs, which gave us a spark early," Getz said. "(The Hawks) were not hitting as hard at the end of the match, and I give a lot of the credit to our blockers."

Michelle Metzger, Karrie Drinkhahn and Tina Schaefer also played well for Canton, Getz said.

"MICHELLE METZGER came on

and played real well in the front row. She had some aggressive net play, blocking as well as hitting, and Tina Schaefer had some good spikes, too.

"I think Karrie Drinkhahn is playing well for us all the way around. Her back row and hitting have improved; plus, she has a lot of intensity. One of our problems is keeping our intensity for five games, and Karrie does a good job of keeping the other players in the game mentally."

Davis also played a solid overall game, and her passing and hitting have improved, Getz said.

SERVING ERRORS were the difference, Harrison coach Ron Shortt said. The Hawks missed 19 serves as opposed to just four errors by Canton.

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# Alpena rips Schoolcraft

Whatever propellant supplied by two regular season-ending wins proved woefully inadequate to Schoolcraft College's women's basketball team.

The Lady Ocelots didn't know until late Saturday night if they would qualify for the state tournament. Their final regular-season game was last Wednesday (Feb. 19) — they defeated Delta CC — so their fate was to be decided by others.

SC qualified, filling the sixth and final Eastern Conference berth with a 4-10 league record. That meant the Lady Ocelots would travel to Alpena CC Monday to play the Lady 'Jacks'.

One could argue they decided against making the trip. SC coach Jack Grenan probably wouldn't dispute it — not after witnessing Monday's humiliating 101-63 defeat.

"Everything that got us to the playoffs, they forgot," said Grenan of his team's play. "Mental toughness got us there, but they forgot it."

SC'S SHOOTING was horrendous: 28-of-75 from the floor (35 percent), 10-of-19 free throws (53 percent) and 1-of-10 three-pointers (10 percent). Alternately, Alpena converted 7-of-10 threes (70 percent) and had six players in double-figures, with two others scoring eight.

Grenan was unable to provide a definite reason for his team's poor play. "They worked so hard getting into the playoffs, then they didn't find out they were in until late Saturday night... I just think they were emotionally spent by the time they got there."

Having only one day to prepare didn't help; neither did the six-hour drive to Alpena on game day.

Dana Hudson's 16 points was best for SC, now 14-15 overall. Sis Guth had 14 and Jen Audet 10. Donna Galli, the conference's leading scorer at 22 points a game, was held to nine.

The Lady Ocelots will travel to Sinclair CC in Dayton, Ohio for the NJCAA Region 12 Tournament Tuesday.

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### ● CANTON GYMNAST

Shay Murphy of Canton, a member of the Blake Acronauts of the Blake Gymnastics Centre in West Bloomfield, placed on vault and floor exercise in the International Pizza Classic at the Rochester Training Center.

Murphy, competing in the Level-10 Senior Division, scored 9.425 to place fourth on vault and 9.325 to place third on floor exercise.

The Acronauts won the team championship with a score of 110.40.

### ● SOFTBALL NEWS

● Canton Parks and Recreation Services will conduct informational meetings for its men's, women's and coed slow-pitch softball leagues on Saturday, Feb. 29, in the Canton Township Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton Center Rd.

The men will meet at 10 a.m., the women at 10:30 a.m. and the coed teams at 11 a.m. Entry fees, registration schedules, contracts/roster requirements and residency rules will be discussed. For information, call 397-5110.

### ● BENEFIT HOCKEY

Former Detroit Red Wing players Ted Lindsay, Alex Delvecchio and Dennis Hextall will hit the ice in a hockey game benefitting Sinai Hospital's Neonatal Intensive Care Unit 7 p.m. Saturday, March 1, at Garden City Ice Arena.

The game will also feature ex-Wings Mickey Redmond, Gary Bergman and Robert Picard.

The ex-Wings will square off against members of the Garden City Hockey League.

General admission tickets are \$5 per person. Children under four will be admitted free. For ticket information, call 326-4104.

# Crusaders begin baseball season

By C.J. Riasek  
staff writer

The snow hasn't stopped. The temperatures aren't yet halfway to ideal for baseball. But Madonna University is going to get started anyway, on its longest road trip of the season — to Cocoa Beach, Fla.

The Fighting Crusaders open their season Sunday playing St. Michael's and Widener. They have 14 games in eight days scheduled on their trip south; when they return home March 10, they'll probably end up back indoors practicing for awhile before traveling to Ohio Northern for games March 21-22.

But it doesn't matter. The season is here, and Madonna coach Mike George couldn't be happier.

He has good reason. All but two players from last season's 32-20 team are back, which means the Crusaders are in position to challenge for the NAA District 23 championship.

Considering this just their fourth year of existence, that's commendable.

GEORGE ISN'T ready to accept any backslaps for a job well done just yet, however. "We're much improved," he admitted, "but it won't be as cakewalk. There's five of us (in the district) who could win it. It's going to be a dogfight."

Last year, Madonna finished second with a 14-7 record, behind Spring Arbor (37-18 overall). Spring Arbor also won the four-team district tournament; Madonna finished third.

Catching the Cougars won't be easy, they've graduated just four seniors. Still, Madonna has some advantages.

As George remarked while examining his team's record from 1991: "Maybe we lost some of those games (in the district) because we didn't have the depth, the experience."

The Crusaders have it now: seven seniors, including two returning all-district players and a pair of standout pitchers. "We expect a lot out of our seniors, we give them a lot of responsibility," said George.

THE TEAM'S strengths are on the mound and in the infield. Four infield starters return: seniors Sean Maloney at first base and Jeremy Krol (from Garden City) at shortstop, junior Joe Brusseau (Redford Bishop Borgess) at second base and sophomore Jeff Pendell (Livonia Churchill) at third.

Brusseau is coming off an all-district season: He batted .363 with eight doubles, four triples, eight home runs and 33 runs batted in. Pendell had a strong season, too: .319, 11 doubles, two homers, 29 RBI.

But Krol (.239, 19 RBI) and Maloney (.229, two homers, 23 RBI) are looking to rebound after lackluster years. George has delivered a message to the entire team: There's a lot of talent on the bench, and he won't hesitate to summon it.

Senior Kevin Lesnate (Plymouth Canton) filled in adequately for Krol at short when he was hurt last season, hitting .297. An excellent utility player, Lesnate and sophomore George Leung could both fill in at first base as well.

BEHIND THE plate, Garden City will call upon junior Steve Coffell (Garden City/Borgess), who is returning from an injury after serving as a starter in '89 (.290, 11 RBI) and '90 (.250), and sophomore Chris Gajewski.

The big bat in the lineup belongs to 6-foot-3, 245-pound Ernie Bowling, the team's designated hitter. Bowling rolled over opponents, making the all-district team with a .370 average, 14 doubles, 16 homers and 54 RBI.

Six players are vying for spots in the outfield. Returning are sophomore Bill Terski in left field (.343, two homers, 22 RBI) and junior Rich Roy (Livonia Clarenceville) in right (.270, 18 RBI). Attempting to replace graduated all-district player Mike Wozniak in center are senior Kevin O'Conner (from Redford Thurston; .243, 23 RBI) and sophomore T.C. Raptis (.313).

Two others who are bound to get playing time are sophomore Rich Blomberg (.292, 18 RBI) and freshman Jeff Kugelmann (Canton), a transfer from Ohio State who slugged five homers during

the fall. THE OFFENSE, George said, will be there. "I think this team is very confident in its offensive ability," he said. "If they're down three or four runs, they won't worry."

With the added power provided by Kugelmann and more speed in freshmen back-up infielders Ryan Cull and Mike Murphy, the Crusaders could outscore last year's team — which averaged more than six runs a game.

But it's the pitching that will carry them to a district title. The 1991 staff compiled a 3.58 earned run average; returning senior righthanded starter Chris Kloc (Thurston; 6-5 won-loss record, 2.52 ERA, 64 strikeouts in 75 innings) was certain this season's would be better.

Kloc himself is one good reason to accept such a prediction. So is senior lefthander Mike Hocking (Borgess; 6-2, 2.84) and sophomore righthanders Louie McKaig (Southfield-Lathrup; 6-2, 3.37), Rob Kowalski (Plymouth Salem; 4-1, 6.52) and Mike Coleman (1-3, 4.00).

AND THERE'S more. "This is the area of the team we've improved the most," said George. His most promising additions are junior transfer Dennis Hamilton, a righthander who was on scholarship for football at Central Michigan before deciding to put his 88-mph fastball to work for Madonna. "He's probably going to pitch a lot of innings for us," said George.

The lefthanded Kugelmann is also expected to contribute plenty on the mound. So is freshman righthander Chad Wrona.

In the bullpen, Raptis (3-1, 2.91) and sophomore Sean Henkel (Livonia Stevenson; 1-1, 3.84), both righthanders, are the closers.

George plans to use six starters; he has eight vying for those spots and 13 pitchers on his staff.

Which is good reason for optimism. "This is a good team," the Crusader coach said. "By far, it's the best team we've had at Madonna."

Now all the Crusaders need do is prove it on the field.

# Blue Jays outshoot Rocks

By Dan O'Meara  
staff writer

Southfield foiled the Plymouth Salem game plan Wednesday, and the result was a 65-56 victory in a makeup basketball game for the host Blue Jays.

Southfield, exploiting its edge in quickness, did most of its scoring on layups and occasionally a transition basket to which its 53-percent shooting attests.

The Rocks wanted to force Southfield to take perimeter shots, but the Blue Jays were able to work the ball inside where the chances for success were much greater.

"That was just the opposite of what we worked on," Salem coach Bob Brodie said, adding Southfield had quick, penetration guards in Hasani Gardner and James Harris. "Therefore, they got a lot of easy layups."

"We worked on it and talked about it before the game and at halftime. It's one thing to talk about it and another to do it — and we just didn't execute."

Terry Lowe scored 15 points to lead Southfield, and Gardner and Harris had 14 apiece. Vince Ball added seven and Charles Turner six.

Brandon Stone came off the bench to score a game-high 22 points for Salem after Brodie began substituting in the first half to try to get his team going. James Head finished with 19 points and Mike Abraham seven.

After scoring eight unanswered points midway in the first quarter to lead 10-3, the Blue Jays were ahead the rest of the game. Salem fell behind 16-8 at the end of one period and 33-25 at halftime.

"We had to stop the penetration, and the guys on the floor flat-out were not getting it done," Brodie said. "The guys we rotated onto the floor actually did pretty well in the second quarter."

Brodie, also unhappy with the lack of movement on offense, went to his bench. Stone answered the call and single-handedly kept Salem in the game in the first half, scoring 15 of the team's 17 second-quarter points with four field goals and 7-of-7 free-throw shooting.

"He's a good, solid player to bring off the bench," Brodie said. "He's a smart player. He knew the type of defense they were playing and how to get the backdoor cuts, not dribble and get the good shots."

Salem got within six points late in the second quarter (29-23) and the third (42-36) as Head scored nine of his 13 second-half points in the latter period.

But Southfield shot 69 percent in the finale, hitting nine of 13 attempts, to maintain a safe lead. Harris had eight points in the fourth quarter. The Blue Jays made 28 of 53 shots overall, Salem 20 of 52 for 32 percent.

"We felt we were much quicker and could get the foul or penetration to dish off for a basket," Southfield coach Harry VandenBrink said. "When they ran that 3-2 trap, they played into our hands, because once we get the ball into the lane it's either a layup or 5-foot jumper."

Salem is 11-6 overall heading into the first round of the Western Lakes Activities Association playoffs Friday night at home against Westland John Glenn.

Southfield, the Southeastern Michigan Association co-leader, improved to 14-4 overall with big games Friday and Tuesday against SMA contenders Troy and Ferndale.

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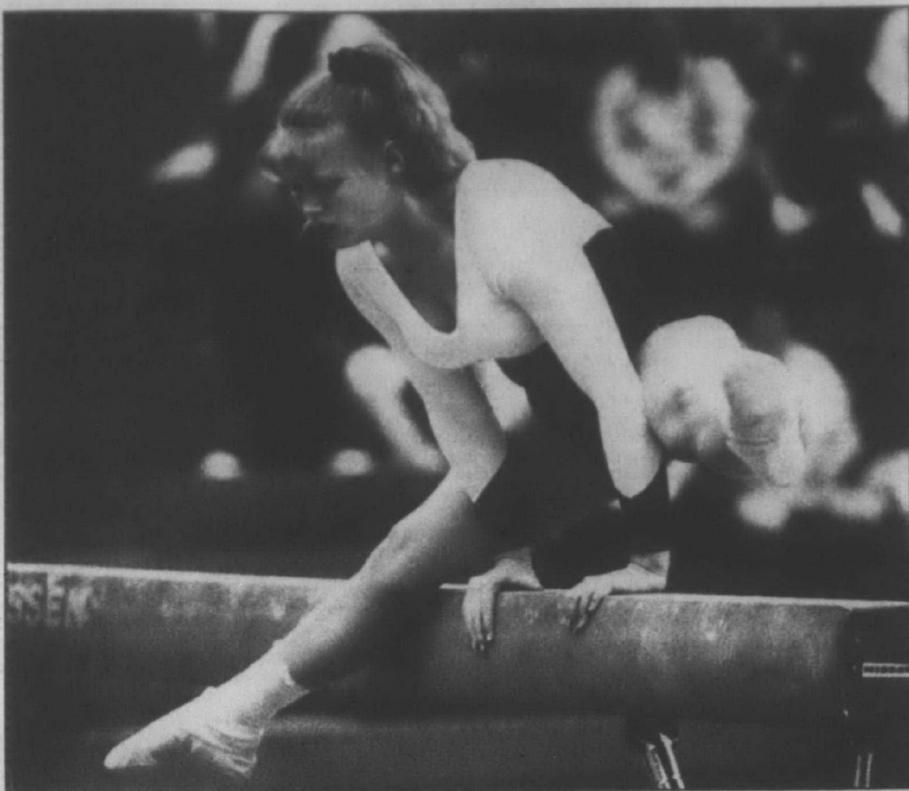
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Dawn Clifford of Canton achieved a career-high score in all-around competition Monday with a 34.45.

# Stevenson rocks Salem

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"Other than that, it was a pretty close match," he said. "All season we've been improving on not missing serves, and then I don't know what happened."

Shortt agreed Canton's play on defense also was a factor, adding Harrison had more attacks (139) than the Chiefs.

"We spiked the ball a lot more, but their defense played well," he said. "They did a good job of picking them up and staying in the game."

PLYMOUTH SALEM had hoped to end the regular season with a victory Monday over perennial power Livonia Stevenson, but the host Rocks were stunned by a decisive, three-game defeat instead.

In a match to determine the No. 3 in the WLAA tournament, the Spartans breezed to 15-3, 15-5, 15-7 victories.

"We played our absolute worst game," Salem co-coach Allie Suffety said. "Stevenson played very, very hard. (Coach) Lee Cagle had gotten them really fired up, but we didn't do anything to stop them."

The Rocks finished 8-3 in league play and stand 29-9-7 overall. Stevenson ended at 9-2 in WLAA duals and is 31-13-6 overall.

"WHEN THE match started we just took off," Cagle said. "We were really pumped up because we knew it was an important match. We know we may see them again (in the playoffs) so we wanted to make a statement. It was a tremendous team effort."

The top seed in the WLAA tournament is Walled Lake Central (11-0) followed by the host Chargers (10-1), Stevenson and Salem.

"We hope the other Plymouth Salem shows up," Suffety said. "This might have been a good game for Stevenson to start their fire. We hope we can rekindle ours."

THE ROCKS played the second and third games Monday without setter Caryn Tatteron, who began the match but was too ill to continue. She had nine sets and one assist in the first game.

"That really hurt us, because she does so much for us," Suffety said. "In turn, it jolted our team to where we were unorganized and looked confused on the floor."

Salem was forced to play Julianna DeLaRocque from a hitting position to setter, but the Rocks were never able to get in sync.

"That took away one of our better passers and hitters, and then our hitters were not really used to her setting," Suffety said. "That caused a timing problem."

## Chiefs polish routines

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Team depth again was a factor in helping Salem defeat Canton, according to Martin. The Rocks, who were 3.25 under their school-record team score, had the top four scores on vault, three of the top five on bars and floor exercise and the top two on balance beam.

Salem's Courtney Gonyea was first on vault (9.55) and beam (8.9), Alysia Sofios had the best score (9.3) on bars and Melissa Hopson tied with Canton's Kim Rennolds on floor, both with 9.25.

SOFIOS WAS the top-all-around competitor and compiled a 36.15 total, adding fourth on vault (9.4), sixth on beam (8.45) and tying with Gonyea for third on floor (9.2).

"They're capable of getting those scores, so I'm not really surprised," Martin said, adding Sarah Makins had her highest all-around total (35.20).

"Gonyea (on vault) has been scoring that well. She has been pretty consistent. We tried a few new things on bars, and Alysia really had a nice routine. Autumn (Bunch) had a really nice floor."

Canton had a number of personal bests, including a pair of nines by Jenny Tedesco on vault and floor. Dawn Clifford recorded her highest all-around score (34.45).

## gymnastics

Following are the individual scores from the gymnastics dual meet Monday night between Plymouth Salem (143.45) and Plymouth Canton (138.60) in the Phase III gymnasium.

Vault: 1. Courtney Gonyea (PS), 9.55; 2. Melissa Hopson (PS), 9.4; 3. Stephanie Skeppstrom (PS), 9.35; 4. Alysia Sofios (PS), 9.2; 5. Kim Rennolds (PC), 9.1; 6. Sarah Makins (PS), 9.05; 7. Jenny Tedesco (PC), 9.0; 8. Kim Rennolds (PC), 8.9; 9. Autumn Bunch (PS), 8.9; 10. Dawn Clifford (PC), 8.85; 11. Jenny Wong (PS), 8.7; 12. Cara Stillings (PC), 8.4.

Bars: 1. Sofios (PS), 9.3; 2. Hopson (PS), 9.1; 3. Rennolds (PC), 8.7; 4. Makins (PS), 8.6; 5. Clifford (PC), 8.45; 6. Tedesco (PC), 8.25; 7. Laura Anderson (PC) and Gonyea (PS), 8.2.

Beam: 1. Gonyea (PS), 8.9; 2. Makins (PS), 8.6; 3. Stillings (PC), 8.55; 4. Rennolds (PC) and Clifford (PC), 8.5; 5. Sofios (PS), 8.45; 6. Hopson (PS) and Stefania Angulo (PS), 8.2; 9. Lewke (PC), 8.1.

Floor: 1. Rennolds (PC) and Hopson (PS), 9.25; 3. Gonyea (PS) and Sofios (PS), 9.2; 5. Tedesco (PC), 9.0; 6. Makins (PS), 8.95; 7. Bunch (PS), 8.7; 8. Angulo (PS) and Clifford (PC), 8.65; 10. Lewke (PC), 8.5; 11. Dana Driscoll (PS), 8.2; 12. Adrienne Brenner (PC), 8.0.

All-around: 1. Sofios (PS), 36.15; 2. Hopson (PS), 35.95; 3. Gonyea (PS), 35.85; 4. Rennolds (PC), 35.55; 5. Makins (PS), 35.2; 6. Clifford (PC), 34.45; 7. Tedesco (PC), 33.9; 8. Lewke (PC), 33.05.

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## Blazers top PSL champ in Operation Friendship

Livonia Ladywood captured its third Operation-Friendship title Monday, defeating Detroit Public School League champion Central 15-11 and 18-16.

The match, pitting the PSL and Catholic League champions, was played at Harper Woods Bishop Gallagher.

Junior Liz Gunn paced the Ladywood attack with nine kills and eight assists. Junior Mary Jo Kelly contributed seven kills, 13 assists and two ace serves.

Senior Jannel Hemme had eight digs, one block and two aces. Senior Michelle Wilson and freshman Renae Rozell each added two aces, while junior Andrea Putti recorded two blocks. Senior Valerie Adzima chipped in with two kills and six digs.

"Central is well coached by Matt Dixon," said Ladywood coach Tom Teeters, whose team is 35-6-5 overall. "It was a good match. They (Central) lacked the big hitting, but they were a very good passing team."

WAYNE MEMORIAL is on a roll. The Zebras clinched at least a tie for the Wolverine A League title Monday with a 15-6, 15-3 win at Monroe.

Wayne is 12-0 in league play and 31-8 overall. Senior Mary Kay Mazurek served five aces and junior Lateefa Moore contributed three kills in 12 attempts to spark the winners.

On Saturday, Wayne captured the 10-team Lake Orion Invitational, defeating Troy High in the championship final, 10-15, 15-11, 16-14.

Wayne earned a spot in the finals with a 15-1, 15-5 triumph over Burton Bentley.

In pool play, Wayne defeated the host Dragons (15-2, 15-2), Troy Athens (15-11, 15-5) and Royal Oak Dondero (15-6, 15-0). The Zebras also split with Birmingham Groves (15-4, 9-15).

Senior Vicki Rohraff was Wayne's top hitter on the day with 47 kills and only seven errors. She also had 20 solo blocks.

"INSTEAD OF attacking the ball on her sets, we sent over a lot of free balls or over-head hits. You can't free-ball a team like Stevenson. If you do, they're going to start slamming the ball down your throat."

The Rocks had just 18 kills in the match, five by Julie Thomas. They had just two good digs and seven good passes on serve reception off which they could run their offense, Suffety said.

Stevenson's Teresa Sarno made good on 16 of 17 hitting attempts, while teammate Lori Baily added 15 of 16. The two combined for 18 kills.

JUNIOR SETTER Patty Diamond added eight kills on 13-of-14 hitting. Junior front row specialist Julie Martin contributed seven kills on 11 of 13 tries, and junior Karen Groulx collected six kills on nine of 12 attempts.

"We missed 12 serves, but we overcame that with exceptional defense," Cagle said. "We made 40 defensive passes. Our passing was consistent all the way, and that made it easier for Patty (Diamond) to set the ball to our hitters. Everybody was on."

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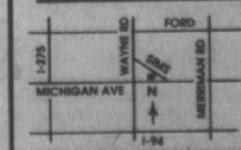
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# Blaznek's goal forces tie, 3-3

By Neal Zipser  
staff writer

When Joe Blaznek was playing Pee Wee hockey, his goal with 14 seconds left broke a scoreless tie and gave his team the state Pee Wee championship.

"That was the biggest goal I've ever scored," the junior forward said.

Blaznek's second-biggest goal of his life occurred with just :03 left on the game clock Tuesday, giving Redford Catholic Central a come-from-behind 3-3 tie with host Trenton at J.F. Kennedy Ice Arena.

With Shamrocks goalie Mike Brusseau pulled for an extra attacker, Trenton failed to clear the puck out of its own zone. Blaznek stopped the puck at the blue line and let go of what looked like a seemingly harmless wristshot.

The puck bounced and fluttered past several players before banging off the goal post and in the net behind stunned Trojan goalie Jim Blackledge. Pat Casey and Bill Baaki recorded assists on the goal.

"I just wanted to get the puck on net and hoped for a tip in or a rebound," Blaznek said.

Trenton, ranked No. 2 in Class A, fell to 10-1-3 in the Michigan Metro circuit. CC, rated No. 5 in Class A, improved to 8-4-1 in the Metro and 14-4-2 overall. The Shamrocks also averaged a 3-0 defeat to Trenton suffered last month.

"IT'S A GOOD come-from-behind effort," CC coach Jack Gumbleton said. "We skated harder this

## hockey

time than we did in the first game. We had a slow pace in the first game."

"There's some revenge, but it also picks us up some going into the playoffs," Blaznek said. "We know we can give a good effort against anybody."

Blaznek's goal capped a CC rally that began with the Shamrocks trailing 3-0. Junior defenseman Brian Ronayne got the Shamrocks going with an unassisted power play goal at 9:26 of the second period. Ronayne stole the puck from Chris Toth and whistled a 15-foot slap shot past Blackledge.

CC capitalized on a two-man advantage 5:34 into the third period when Baaki backhanded a loose puck through Blackledge. After Blackledge made an initial save, the rebound lay in front of the net before Baaki's backhand. Blaznek and Casey drew assists. Casey's two assists give him a league-leading 30 points.

Gumbleton was pleased with his team's performance and hopes it carries into the post-season state playoffs.

"WE CAN'T get overconfident and look ahead though — we still have two games left," Gumbleton said. "I think it will give the team more confidence now that they know they can come from behind."

"If we want to hustle and do the things we're supposed to do well, like checking, we can be in a game with anybody."

Trenton opened the scoring at 3:49 of the opening period. After CC failed to clear the puck, Brusseau made a save on a shot from the blue line and then another save on the rebound. But Trenton made good on its third chance as Joey Chappelle poked the puck into the net. Brian Gilpatrick and Matt Greene assisted.

The Trojans made it 2-0 at 11:35 on an unassisted shorthanded goal by senior forward Sean Slater. Trenton outshot CC 15-5 in the first period and held a 31-24 advantage for the game.

Trenton scored its second shorthanded goal of the game 3:40 into the second period as Damian Frederick took a Chappelle pass and found the left lower corner of the net past Brusseau.

"Usually giving up two shorthanded goals would deplete a team," Gumbleton said.

THE TROJANS could have led by more if not for Brusseau's excellent goaltending.

"I have to give credit to Brusseau," Gumbleton said. "He's been steady all year. He gave up the first goal, which was lucky, and then the shorthanded goal. He didn't have a chance on either one."

# Rocks put 4 wrestlers in regional

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championship in the 152-pound weight class.

Reeves stuck Farmington Harrison's Mark Rebtoy in 1:25 in the opening round and followed with a pin over Salem's Pete TenBroeck in 3:12. He stuck South Lyons' Jason Brown in 5:33 in the semifinals and earned a 3-2 decision over Novi senior Tony Scappaticci (25-3-2) in the championship match.

After a scoreless first period in the final, Reeves picked up one point for an escape early in the second. He took a 3-0 lead with a takedown moments later, then held on for the win.

Reeves was third at the district tournament last year and second at the regional, but he developed blood poisoning and didn't wrestle at the state meet.

"I WORKED MY butt off last summer and had a lot of people helping me," Reeves said. "I didn't want to make the same mistake (a loss) I made last year. He (Scappaticci) was a tough opponent. I went out to wrestle and just tried to hit anything that was open."

Rocket wrestlers joining Reeves at Salem include senior Tom Pace (29-5), who placed second at 103; senior Mike Mancini (28-6), who placed second at 112; and senior Shane Hall (28-8), who placed third at 145.

Farmington will be represented at the regional tournament by senior Matt Siskosky (30-8), who placed fourth in the heavyweight division; senior Jon Duff (26-5), who placed third at 125; senior Mike Pallo (30-5-1), who placed second at 160; and senior Ryan Adams (28-4), who placed fourth at 171.

Jason Peterson won the heavyweight championship and will lead a trio of Garden City wrestlers to Saturday's regional tourney. Peterson (24-2), the Northwest Suburban League champ, lived up to his top seed by winning his first three matches by pin.

## CC fares well in district

Redford Catholic Central will be well represented in Saturday's individual regional wrestling tournament at Plymouth Salem.

CC had seven qualifiers for the upcoming after posting three first places, a pair of seconds, one third and a fourth last weekend at the Ferndale district.

The top four wrestlers in each weight class moved into the regional. Coming away with firsts for the Shamrocks were Phil Bache (130 pounds), Jason Krueger (160) and Dan Kelly (171).

Krueger, 39-2 overall, and Kelly, 39-2-1, weren't surprising winners but Bache was.

"He's a junior and has only won one tournament (the Catholic League) and has done a complete 180-degree turnaround from the beginning of the season," CC coach Mike Rodriguez said. "He's one that believes, and it shows in his performance. Some of our people are coming around, maturing a bit. Kelly and Krueger have been consistent all year, but to have some juniors and seniors come along is rewarding."

Bill Lamb (103) and Mario Scicluna (112) also reached the finals before losing.

Dan Rieple (152) won his consolation match to finish third, while teammate Mike Madden (135) earned a fourth.

He stuck Livonia Stevenson's John Hull in 29 seconds, flattened Northville's John Gatti in 1:04 and pinned Farmington's Siskosky in 3:52. In the championship match, the Cougar junior edged Howell's Art Cunnings (24-5-1), 1-0. Peterson scored the decisive point with an escape in the second period.

"He was a pretty strong kid," admitted Peterson after winning his first district crown ever. "I was just trying to keep him down. Now I hope to place in the top four at the regional and go on to state, but I know it's going to take six hard minutes of wrestling in every match."

GARDEN CITY wrestlers joining Peterson at the regional competition will be junior Mike Dzendzel (17-9), who placed fourth at 112; and senior Chris Gorak (23-4), who placed second at 130.

North Farmington finished the district tournament with a pair of champions in Marcus Brown and

Jared Lawrence.

Brown (32-3) was pleased with the championship after placing third at last year's district meet.

"I was concentrating more this year. I was thinking a lot more on my feet," Brown said.

The Raider senior pinned Harrison's Tom James in 1:34 in his opening match and tied up Salem's Chris Rapson in 1:28 in the second round. He earned an 11-3 decision over Brighton's Tom Williams in the semis and beat Livonia Franklin's Fred Vargas (28-7) in the finals 9-2 in a rematch of the WLA league championship match. Brown won the league title with a 5-1 decision.

"Before I went out there I was a little concerned, because I just wrestled him last week in the league finals," Brown said. "I thought he'd probably do something different and he did. He's real good on defense and today he waited for me a little more."

LAWRENCE IMPROVED to 27-1-2 when he won a championship in the 160-pound weight class. Lawrence pinned Garden City's Rodney Hawkins in 1:39 in the opening round of competition. He stuck Glenn's Andy Boguszewski in 4:19 in the second round and earned a 4-2 decision over Mike Shanlikian of Livonia Churchill in the semifinals.

The junior grappler found himself facing a familiar opponent in the finals — Farmington's Pallo (30-5-1). Entering the finals, Lawrence and Pallo had squared off four times this season, with Lawrence winning three of the matches. The other match ended in a draw.

Saturday's result was all too familiar as Lawrence prevailed with a 5-2 decision. Lawrence won the WLA league championship a week earlier with a 7-2 victory over Pallo.

"Actually, we're fairly good friends," Lawrence said. "It's tough wrestling him so many times. I don't like to know anything about my guy when I go out on the mat, but we know each other pretty well."

Seven other Observerland wrestlers also qualified for the upcoming regional. Churchill, Franklin and Canton will send a pair of wrestlers and Harrison one.

Churchill junior Damian Taucher (24-10) placed fourth at 119 pounds, and junior teammate Mike Shanlikian (20-14) placed fourth at 160.

Franklin senior Fred Vargas (28-7) finished second in the 140-pound bracket, and Patriot senior Aaron Shakarian (30-5-1) placed third at 189.

Canton junior Dan Phillips (13-14-0) placed fourth at 130 pounds and will represent the Chiefs at the regional tournament as will 171-pound senior George Young (31-3), who finished second.

Junior Dave Gloetzner (23-10) placed third at 171 pounds and will be the lone Harrison representative.

## CC skates to victory over GPN

Redford Catholic Central skated past visiting Grosse Pointe North in a Michigan Metro Hockey League encounter Saturday at the Redford Ice Arena, 5-0.

The game was scoreless until the Shamrocks reeled off three goals during a 53-second span late in the second period.

Mike Kasper broke the ice at 11:45 of the second from Mike Giordano and Pat Casey. Thirty-five seconds later, Marc Lorelli connected from Scott Johnson and Bill Baaki. And only 18 seconds after that, Johnson scored from Matt Gorski and Lorelli.

The Shamrocks added two more goals in the final period — Mike Sella (from Vic Stesiak) and Lorelli's second of the night at 13:58 (from Tom Denton and Gorski).

Jamie Ronayne went all the way in goal for CC, blanking North on 18 shots.

## Chiefs defeat Traverse City

Plymouth Canton returned home from Traverse City with its eighth dual-meet victory in girls gymnastics Saturday.

The Chiefs (8-3) scored 134.5 and the host team 130.95.

Canton's Kim Rennolds had the top scores on vault (9.05), uneven bars (8.75) and floor exercise (9.3), and her all-around total of 34.20 was the best of the day.

The Chiefs had four of the top five all-arounders with Kim Lewke taking second (33.95), Dawn Clifford fourth (32.1) and Jenny Tedesco fifth (31.8).

Lewke won the beam competition with an 8.65, tied with Clifford for fourth on floor (8.65) and was fifth on vault (8.65) and bars (8.0).

Tedesco was second on vault (8.9) and beam (7.75) and third on bars (8.75). Clifford was sixth on bars (7.8).

Other high placers for Canton were Laura Anderson, third on bars (8.5); Adrienne Brenner, seventh on beam (7.45); and Kim Wagenschutz, sixth on floor (8.4).

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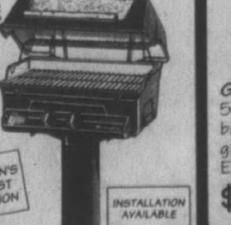
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### 200 MEDLEY RELAY (state cut 1:43.91)

Redford Catholic Central	1:39.60
Livonia Stevenson	1:41.18
North Farmington	1:41.40
Plymouth Canton	1:42.96
Farmington	1:45.70

### 200 FREESTYLE (state cut 1:49.99)

Bryan Morrison (Stevenson)	1:44.44
Randy Teeters (Redford CC)	1:48.47
Chris Knoche (N Farmington)	1:48.64
James Leslie (Redford CC)	1:48.64
Mike Orris (Canton)	1:48.65
Jonathan Kershaw (N Farmington)	1:48.74
Gordy Gatewood (Stevenson)	1:49.12
Zach Kasprzak (Churchill)	1:50.58
Aaron Rieder (Stevenson)	1:51.28
Steve Reinke (Redford CC)	1:51.89

### 200 INDIVIDUAL MEDLEY (state cut 2:03.19)

Randy Teeters (Redford CC)	1:58.14
Aaron Rieder (Stevenson)	1:59.78
Gordy Gatewood (Stevenson)	2:00.25
Karl Kozicki (N Farmington)	2:01.29
Mike Drelles (N Farmington)	2:02.96
Ryan Freeborn (Stevenson)	2:04.00
James Leslie (Redford CC)	2:04.06

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Alex Goetze (Stevenson)	2:04.28
Steve Reinke (Redford CC)	2:04.65
Mike Orris (Canton)	2:06.13

### 50 FREESTYLE (state cut 22.69)

Jeff Clark (Canton)	22.83
Jason Bodden (Wayne)	22.78
Bryan Morrison (Stevenson)	22.84
Alex Goetze (Stevenson)	22.87
Randy Teeters (Redford CC)	22.92
Craig Steshetz (Canton)	22.93
John Brogan (Redford CC)	22.93
Chris Knoche (N Farmington)	22.97
Scott Frump (Farmington)	23.18
Adam Kammer (N Farmington)	23.20

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Steve Salhaney (Salem)	271.50
Rob Moore (Churchill)	269.85
Brandon Richardson (Farmington)	265.00
Nick Atwell (Canton)	258.70
Ben Boedighimer (Stevenson)	249.10
Jeff Berens (Stevenson)	231.60
Mike Benck (Stevenson)	208.25
Justin Richardson (Salem)	207.50
Dan Casey (Redford CC)	203.95
Joe Keiffer (Franklin)	194.90

### 100 BUTTERFLY (state cut 55.59)

Mike Drelles (N Farmington)	54.35
Gordy Gatewood (Stevenson)	54.43
Steve Reinke (Redford CC)	54.62

### 100 FREESTYLE (state cut 50.19)

Chris Knoche (N Farmington)	48.36
Bryan Morrison (Stevenson)	48.43
Mike Orris (Canton)	49.95
Gordy Gatewood (Stevenson)	50.33
Jeff Clark (Canton)	50.85
John Brogan (Redford CC)	50.87
Devon Fekete (Redford CC)	50.87
Alex Goetze (Stevenson)	50.84
Aaron Rieder (Stevenson)	50.91
Jonathan Kershaw (N Farmington)	50.95

### 500 FREESTYLE

Bryan Morrison (Stevenson)	4:46.61
James Leslie (Redford CC)	4:50.93
Karl Kozicki (N Farmington)	4:53.45
Randy Teeters (Redford CC)	4:55.83
Aaron Rieder (Stevenson)	4:58.05
Gordy Gatewood (Stevenson)	4:58.14
Mike Orris (Canton)	4:58.96
Eric Peterson (Stevenson)	4:59.12
Chris Knoche (N Farmington)	5:00.69
Jonathan Kershaw (N Farmington)	5:02.20

## 200 FREESTYLE RELAY (state cut 1:31.59)

Livonia Stevenson	1:30.03
Plymouth Canton	1:31.09
Redford Catholic Central	1:32.52
North Farmington	1:32.83
Farmington	1:34.58

### 100 BACKSTROKE (state cut 57.29)

James Leslie (Redford CC)	53.82
Jonathan Kershaw (N Farmington)	54.37
Aaron Rieder (Stevenson)	55.51
Steve Reinke (Redford CC)	56.53
Ryan Freeborn (Stevenson)	56.66
Mike Drelles (N Farmington)	57.06
Scott Frump (Farmington)	57.22
Mike Orris (Canton)	57.26
Scott Helmstader (Salem)	59.92
Gordy Gatewood (Stevenson)	59.47

### 100 BREASTSTROKE

Randy Teeters (Redford CC)	59.33
Alex Goetze (Stevenson)	1:00.33
Randy Cobb (Franklin)	1:02.80
Gordy Gatewood (Stevenson)	1:03.35
Craig Steshetz (Canton)	1:03.59
Aaron Rieder (Stevenson)	1:03.96
Kevin Yoder (Farmington)	1:04.51
Chris Knoche (N Farmington)	1:05.10
Adam Kammer (N Farmington)	1:05.81
Jeff Danner (Churchill)	1:06.10
Aaron Carlisle (Stevenson)	1:06.62

### 400 FREESTYLE RELAY (state cut 3:22.79)

Livonia Stevenson	3:16.91
Redford Catholic Central	3:21.77
North Farmington	3:22.64
Plymouth Canton	3:25.23
Plymouth Salem	3:29.86

## MICHIGAN METRO HIGH SCHOOL HOCKEY LEAGUE STANDINGS (as of Tuesday)

WEST DIVISION						
W	L	T	P	GF	GA	
Trenton	10	1	3	23	73	22
Brother Rice	11	2	0	22	64	26
Redford CC	8	4	1	17	68	33
A.A. Pioneer	2	10	2	6	40	55
A.A. Huron	2	11	0	4	27	97

EAST DIVISION						
W	L	T	P	GF	GA	
G.P. South	9	4	0	18	63	37
Southgate	8	2	2	18	40	28
Gab. Richard	5	6	1	11	49	53
G.P. North	3	9	1	7	24	51
A.P. Cabrini	2	11	0	4	26	67

## hockey standings

SUBURBAN HIGH SCHOOL HOCKEY LEAGUE STANDINGS (as of Tuesday)						
W	L	T	P	GF	GA	
Stevenson	12	0	0	24	117	26
Churchill	9	3	0	18	70	35
Franklin	6	5	1	13	48	53
Andover	6	6	0	12	35	69
Wyandotte	3	7	2	8	42	59
Lathrup	3	7	1	7	48	72
Lahser	0	11	0	0	31	77

## SCORING LEADERS

G	A	Pts
Casey (Redford CC)	15	31
Denzin (Pioneer)	11	25
Slater (Trenton)	12	11
Blazek (Redford CC)	9	13
Balcock (Trenton)	9	12
Allen (Rice)	9	12
Crane (South)	9	10
Heber (Pioneer)	5	13
Raji (South)	9	8

## LEADING GOALIES

Pich (Trenton)	Brewer (South)	Greene (Trenton)	Billis (Rice)	Blackledge (Trenton)	Toth (Southgate)	Brusteau (CC)	Hall (South)
1.13	1.19	1.50	1.88	1.91	2.14	2.86	2.83

## CLASS A REGIONAL HOCKEY PAIRINGS at Redford Ice Arena

**Monday, March 2:** (A) Redford Catholic Central vs. (B) Southfield-Lathrup, 8 p.m.  
**Tuesday, March 3:** (C) Livonia Churchill vs. (D) Livonia Franklin, 5:30 p.m.; (E) Bloomfield Hills Lahser vs. (F) Birmingham Brother Rice, 8 p.m.  
**Thursday, March 5:** Livonia Stevenson vs. A-B winner, 5:30 p.m.; C-D winner vs. E-F winner, 8 p.m.  
**Saturday, March 7:** Championship final, 8 p.m. (Winner advances to the state quarterfinal, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 11 at Wyandotte's Yack Arena vs. Grosse Pointe North regional champion.)

## SCORING LEADERS

G	A	Pts
Mastroberto (Stevenson)	23	18
Siedaczek (Churchill)	16	16
Fewaris (Stevenson)	16	14
Bernard (Franklin)	14	18
Titus (Lathrup)	17	10
Corvieu (Stevenson)	15	12
Berke (Lathrup)	12	13
J. Allen (Churchill)	14	10
Reyna (Stevenson)	7	16
Johnson (Churchill)	12	10
Guick (Stevenson)	8	14
Johnson (Stevenson)	8	12
Julau (Stevenson)	6	14
Cusumano (Wyandotte)	9	10
Stone (Lathrup)	9	9
Brewer (Lahser)	8	10
Hastings (Franklin)	5	13
Swider (Churchill)	1	17

## LEADING GOALIES

Williams (Stevenson)	Watson (Churchill)	LaFontaine (Stevenson)	Henderson (Churchill)	Niemiec (Churchill)	Huber (Franklin)	Somerser (Wyandotte)	Stepaniak (Wyandotte)	Palmer (Andover)	Zermin (Lahser)
5.4	3.0	5.7	5.0	4.0	11.5	6.2	4.0	10.9	7.2

## OVERALL AREA RECORDS

Livonia Stevenson	15-3-2
Redford Catholic Central	12-4-1
Livonia Franklin	15-5-2
Livonia Churchill	13-6-1

## rankings

BOYS BASKETBALL		
1. Redford Catholic Central.		
2. Wayne Memorial.		
3. Plymouth Canton.		
4. Farmington Harrison.		
5. Plymouth Salem.		

GIRLS VOLLEYBALL		
1. Livonia Churchill.		
2. Livonia Ladywood.		
3. Farmington Hills Mercy.		
4. Livonia Stevenson.		
5. Wayne Memorial.		

WRESTLING		
1. Farmington.		
2. Westland Glenn.		
3. Plymouth Canton.		
4. Lutheran Westland.		
5. Redford Catholic Central.		

BOYS SWIMMING		
1. Livonia Stevenson.		
2. Redford Catholic Central.		
3. North Farmington.		
4. Plymouth Canton.		
5. Plymouth Salem.		

GIRLS GYMNASTICS		
1. Plymouth Salem.		
2. Plymouth Canton.		
3. North Farmington.		
4. Westland John Glenn.		
5. Livonia Clarenceville.		

## rankings

HOCKEY		
1. Redford Catholic Central.		
2. Livonia Stevenson.		
3. Livonia Churchill.		
4. Livonia Franklin.		

## CLASS A DISTRICT INDIVIDUAL WRESTLING RESULTS (Feb. 22 at Walled Lake Western) (Top four qualify for regional)

**Heavyweight:** Jason Peterson (Garden City) defeated Art Cummings (Howell), 1-0, consolation final; Pat Moll (South Lyon) won by default over Matt Sitkosky (Farmington).  
**103 pounds:** Rob Fritz (Walled Lake Western) pinned Tom Pace (Westland John Glenn), 5:03, consolation; Lee Southard (Walled Lake Central) dec. Rob Wendel (Howell), 8-3.  
**112:** Andy Fritz (Walled Lake Western) dec. Mike Mancini (Westland John Glenn), 9-3, consolation; Nathan Butalini (Brighton) dec. Mark Dzundzel (Garden City), 9-7.  
**119:** Cam Grahl (South Lyon) dec. Nick Wahl (Howell), 2-0 (overtime); consolation: Scott Martin (Plymouth Salem) pinned Damian Taucher (Livonia Churchill), 3:42.  
**125:** Dan Bonnett (Plymouth Salem) pinned Matt Allison (Northville), 2:21; consolation: Jon Duff (Farmington) won by default over Kurt Triewerler (Howell).  
**130:** Ray Lane (Howell) dec. Nick Spano (Plymouth Canton), 5-4, consolation; Corey Latta (Brighton) dec. Dan Phillips (Plymouth Salem), 13-2.  
**135:** Frank Lovio (Walled Lake Central) dec. Chris Gorak (Garden City), 7-4, consolation; Rodney Ritsema (Brighton) dec.

## wrestling

Jason Reck (Plymouth), 5-2.  
**140:** Marcus Brown (North Farmington) dec. Fred Vargas (Livonia Franklin), 9-2, consolation; Tom Williams (Brighton) dec. Josh Riggs (Novi), 6-5.  
**145:** Craig Larson (Brighton) dec. Kevin Klebba (Howell), 4-2, consolation; Shane Hall (Westland John Glenn) won by default over Travis Ilaqua (Walled Lake Western).  
**152:** Mike Reeves (Westland John Glenn) dec. Tony Scappaticci (Novi), 3-2, consolation; Eric Lockridge (Brighton) dec. Jason Brown (South Lyon), 8-6.  
**160:** Jared Lawrence (North Farmington) dec. Mike Pallo (Farmington), 5-2, consolation; Bob McKinney (Howell) dec. Mike Shanikian (Livonia Churchill), 5-2.  
**171:** Scott Suetat (Brighton) pinned George Young (Plymouth Canton), 3:41, consolation; David Gloetzer (Farmington Hills Harrison) dec. Ryan Adams (Farmington), 5-2.  
**189:** Jason Steinacker (Howell) dec. Kelly Shaw (Brighton), 7-5, consolation; Aaron Shakarian (Livonia Franklin) dec. Phil

Haynes (Plymouth Salem), 7-1.

## CLASS A DISTRICT (Feb. 22 at Ferndale) (Top four qualify for regional)

**Heavyweight:** Mike Gallagher (Hazel Park) pinned Dave Feldman (Athens), 5:55, consolation; Anthony Salicicci (Groves) def. Tony Adkins (Troy), 16-4.  
**103:** Josh Baughman (Hazel Park) pinned Bill Lamb (Redford Catholic Central), 2:34, consolation; Chad Brunner (Kimball) dec. Brian Brian Beauchamp (Athens), 6-4.  
**112:** David Morgan (Ferndale) dec. Mario Scioluna (Redford Catholic Central), 19-2, consolation; Mike Van Patten (Troy) dec. Jerry Smith (Southfield), 9-5.  
**119:** Derek Moscovici (Brother Rice) pinned Chris Veluz (Troy), 2:56, consolation; Jason Gartin (Sterling Heights) dec. Jon Hawthorne (Redford Union), 9-5.  
**125:** Gary Harrison (Hazel Park) pinned Garry Aral (Redford Union), 3:26, consolation; George Vanderhoff (Troy) dec. Jeremy

Fisher (Ferndale), 13-6.

**130:** Phil Bache (Redford Catholic Central) dec. Carl Barnes (Troy), 7-3, consolation; Larnard Simmons (Highland Park) pinned Kevin Dunaway (Hazel Park), 2:00.

**135:** Kat Hara (Troy) dec. Wayne Crupp (Hazel Park), 5-0, consolation; Delon Brantley (Highland Park) pinned Mike Madden (Redford Catholic Central), 3:37.

**140:** Terry Coleman (Troy) dec. David Chute (Seaholm), 5-2, consolation; John Karakashian (Brother Rice) dec. Josh Goldsmith (Lathrup), 3-1.

**145:** Dellonzo Horne (Oak Park) dec. Mike Bastianelli (Sterling Heights), 8-6, consolation; Aaron Hilgendorf (Hazel Park) dec. Christopher McLawry (Highland Park), 7-2.

**152:** Brad Martin (Kimball) dec. Michael Olson (Ferndale), 4-2 (overtime); consolation: Dan Rieple (Redford Catholic Central) dec. Nathan Ethridge (Hazel Park), 11-5.

**160:** Jason Krueger (Redford Catholic Central) pinned John Mesyn (Ferndale), 1:10, consolation; Gary Resk (Athens) dec. Jason Witt (Troy), 10-4.

**171:** Dan Kelly (Redford Catholic Central) dec. Cory Royal (Oak Park), 11-9, consolation; Jamie Majewski (Hazel Park) pinned Garrett Gould (Troy), 0:24.

**189:** John McGuire (Brother Rice) dec. Jesse McMahan (Troy), 12-7, consolation; Lance Sanders (Kimball) pinned Roger Kakos (Oak Park), 4-48.

## the week ahead

**BOYS BASKETBALL**  
 Thursday, Feb. 27  
 Red. Thurston at D.H. Crestwood, 7:30 p.m.  
 Farmington at Liv. Churchill, 7:30 p.m.  
 (WLAAs Playoffs-first round)  
 W.L. Central at Liv. Franklin, 7:30 p.m.  
 Friday, Feb. 28  
 Clarenceville at H.W. Luth. East, 7 p.m.  
 Bishop Borgess at M.H. Bish. Foley, 6:30 p.m.  
 Lutheran West at Luth. Westland, 7:30 p.m.  
 Garden City at Redford Union, 7:30 p.m.  
 N. Farmington at S. gate Anderson, 7:30 p.m.  
 N. Farmington at W.L. Western, 7:30 p.m.  
 Ply. Christian vs. Bloomfield Roepel at Lowell Junior High, 7:30 p.m.  
 (WLAAs Playoffs-first round)  
 Liv. Stevenson at Ply. Canton, 7:30 p.m.  
 Westland Glenn at Ply. Salem, 7:30 p.m.  
 Northville at Farm. Harrison, 7:30 p.m.  
**PREP HOCKEY**  
 Thursday, Feb. 27  
 Redford CC at Riv. Gab. Richard, 8 p.m.  
 Friday, Feb. 28  
 Liv. Churchill vs. Howell (Edgar), 6 p.m.

## BEST OBSERVERLAND GYMNASTICS SCORES

Following are the top area gymnastics scores. Schools eligible for the list are Plymouth Salem, Plymouth Canton, Westland John Glenn, North Farmington, Livonia Clarenceville and Farmington. Canton coach John Cunningham will compile the weekly list. Coaches should report updates to him in the evening hours at 455-1741.

VAULT	
Courtney Gonyea (Salem)	9.55
Kim Rennolds (Canton)	9.40
Melissa Hopson (Salem)	9.40
Annie Jud (N Farmington)	9.35
Stephanie Skeppstrom (Salem)	9.35
Kim Lewke (Canton)	9.25
Alysa Sofios (Salem)	9.20
Autumn Bunch (Salem)	9.20
Lori Trussler (Glenn)	9.10
Sarah Makins (Salem)	9.05

UNEVEN BARS	
Alysa Sofios (Salem)	9.35
Melissa Hopson (Salem)	9.10
Courtney Gonyea (Salem)	9.05
Annie Jud (N Farmington)	9.05
Kim Rennolds (Canton)	8.90
Jenny Tedesco (Canton)	8.85
Sarah Makins (Salem)	8.80
Kyna Morgan (Glenn)	8.75

## gymnastics

Laura Anderson (Canton)	8.70
Stephanie Skeppstrom (Salem)	8.55

BALANCE BEAM	
Melissa Hopson (Salem)	9.45
Courtney Gonyea (Salem)	9.30
Kim Rennolds (Canton)	9.15
Alysa Sofios (Salem)	9.15
Kim Lewke (Canton)	9.05
Annie Jud (N Farmington)	9.05
Dawn Clifford (Canton)	8.95
Stephanie Skeppstrom (Salem)	8.90
Jenny Tedesco (Canton)	8.85
Sarah Makins (Salem)	8.80

FLOOR EXERCISE	
Melissa Hopson (Salem)	9.55
Courtney Gonyea (Salem)	9.50



# Entertainment

Keely Wygonik editor/953-2105

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## Big band star Spend an evening with Clooney at Mercy High

Rosemary Clooney performs in a benefit concert at Mercy High School, 29300 11 Mile Road, Farmington Hills, 7 p.m. Tuesday, March 10. Dinner to follow concert. For ticket information, call 476-3922 or 476-3270.

By M.B. Dillon  
staff writer

**I**F YOU'RE a Rosemary Clooney fan, you'll be interested to hear what's happening 7 p.m. Tuesday, March 10, at Mercy High School in Farmington Hills.

The big band star will appear in a benefit concert accompanied by the award-winning Wayne State University Jazz Band under the direction of Matt Michaels.

Also on the marquis will be the high school's singing and dancing Mercyairees directed by Larry Teevens.

"AN EVENING with Rosemary Clooney and Friends" will include a post-concert dinner at Mercy Center where patrons will have a chance to meet Clooney.

Serving as honorary chair of the event will be Ford Motor Co. chairman Harold Poling.

Teevens, who is directing the Mercyairees for the 31st year, said concert-goers are in for a treat.

"To have Rosemary get rave reviews in the New York Times for singing in the Rainbow Room, and to read that her next concert is at Mercy High School is very exciting," said Teevens, who as a young artist sang with Clooney's sister Betty.

ROSEMARY CLOONEY began singing with big bands in the '40s, and quickly joined the ranks of Doris Day, Jo Stafford, Kay Starr and Peggy Lee.

In 1961, Mitch Miller recruited Clooney to record "Come On-a My

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House," a whimsical tune that catapulted her to stardom.

The program will kick off with "The Basin Street Blues," a "King and I" ballet entitled the "Small House of Uncle Tom," and "All that Jazz" from the musical "Chicago."

The performers will team up to present a Johnny Mercer medley including the tunes "G.I. Jive," "Something's Got to Give," and "P.S. I Love You."

A new addition to the show is "Let There Be Love," an Earl Brown arrangement Teevens received just last week by Federal Express from Clooney's pianist/arranger/conductor John Oddo.

"ROSEMARY JUST recorded it for a new album in Los Angeles," said Teevens. Clooney also will sing a few of the newer tunes she's recorded on the Concord Records jazz label, he added.

Oddo, formerly with Woody Herman, has toured with Clooney for the last 10 years.

Directing the jazz band will be pianist/composer/arranger/band director Matt Michaels, who's performed with artists including Vic Damone, Stan Kenton, Peggy Lee, Count Basie, Al Hirt, Doc Severnson, Barbra Streisand, Sophie Tucker and Ertha Kitt.



The Mercyairees, Mercy High School's 21-member show choir, will perform in concert with Rosemary Clooney and the Wayne State University Jazz Band Tuesday, March 10, at Mercy.

Composer of numerous arrangements for "Tonight Show" guests, Michaels also has written scores for numerous industrial films and commercials. He received the International Film and TV Festival of New York's Silver Award for "The American Island" score.

Wayne State's jazz band has appeared at four Swiss Montreaux International Jazz Festivals and 11 Detroit Montreaux Jazz Festivals.

The group was named outstanding jazz band at the last two Montreaux Detroit Jazz Festivals.

This will mark the ninth time Clooney — a graduate of Our Lady of Mercy in Cincinnati, Ohio — has performed with the Mercyairees.

Mercyaire Catherine Worth predicts the audience will be thoroughly entertained.

"PEOPLE BASICALLY should

look for a lot of glitz and talent. We have a lot of good singers in the group this year, and we are really on the ball," said Worth.

"Rosemary can do anything — the way she phrases things, the way her tone comes out, everything about her is phenomenal," she said.

Tickets for the concert only are \$25. Proceeds go to fund Mercy scholarships. Sponsored tickets for the concert and dinner also are

available for \$1,000, \$500, \$350 and \$150.

The "traveling" dinner will feature a mouth-watering menu served from "islands" patrons can visit at their leisure in Mercy Center's banquet hall.

Reservations are requested by March 2. The school is at 29300 11 Mile Road at Middlebelt. For details, call 476-8922 or 476-3270.

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# Livonia Symphony, dance company to perform

Livonia Symphony Chamber Orchestra presents an evening of music and dance, 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28, at the Livonia Civic Center Auditorium. Call 458-6575 for ticket information.

By Linda Ann Chomin  
special writer

From the French piano classic "Claire de Lune" by Debussy to the haunting dark undertones of Stravinsky's "Suite No. 2," the Livonia Symphony Chamber Orchestra presents an evening of chamber music and dance featuring the Farmington Hills based, Michigan Ballet Theatre 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28 at the Livonia Civic Center Library Auditorium, Farmington Road at Five Mile.

tist, Robynn Rhodes, and pianist, Francesco DiBlasi.

**DANCE SELECTIONS** programmed by DiBlasi and Michigan Ballet's artistic director, Michelle Wolfe include classical and avant garde. Costuming features traditional, and modern garb with black and white costumes, and makeup accenting Stravinsky's stirring dark carnival suite.

The first half of the program opens with 20-28 Livonia Symphony Orchestra members comprising the Livonia Symphony Chamber Orchestra under conductor DiBlasi performing a classical work by Viennese composer Franz Schubert, "Symphony No. 5 in B flat major." Schubert, a tragic figure who died at age 31, straddled the classical and romantic eras.

"The Schubert symphony in four

movements is one of the most beautiful he has ever written, and extremely exposed for strings," DiBlasi said.

The first of two Debussy compositions, "The Girl with the Flaxen Hair" spotlighting Rhodes on flute follows.

**RHODES, WHO** made her formal concert debut at Orchestra Hall, studied with members of the Detroit and Philadelphia Symphonies. She has performed throughout Michigan and Canada with orchestras, quartets, choirs, and in stage productions. Also to her credit are jazz performances with the James Tatum trio plus.

Following Debussy is Warlock's six movement, "Capriol Suite."

"Warlock's suite for string orchestra is very English in style, and include several dances. The last is a

sword dance," DiBlasi said.

After intermission the Michigan Ballet Theatre joins the orchestra for Pachelbel's "Canon in D" arranged by DiBlasi.

"Michelle asked for an arrangement for string orchestra. It's kind of a treat to set that piece to dance," DiBlasi said.

Celebrating its 25th anniversary, the dance company consisting of 40 members, will incorporate 15 of its dancers into this performance of classical and contemporary works.

**WOLFE, WHO** joined the company as director last season, directed the Northern Ballet Theatre of Plymouth for 15 years.

"Frank and I have worked together many times," said Wolfe. "Frank is used to working with dancers having been with the Ballet Russe. What an opportunity to work with an or-

chestra, he's conducting."

Wolfe said the Pachelbel is a beautiful, contemporary dance, choreographically set on the traditional white ballet that people expect to see.

"We have something avant garde. With the Stravinsky we present the dark side of a carnival," Wolfe said. "The contortionist, the tight rope walker, the two-headed person, all of that has been presented and symbolized within this piece."

Tickets are \$10 (\$6, seniors/students) at the Livonia Civic Center Library, Farmington Road and Five Mile, Madonna University, Schoolcraft and Levan, and Hammell Music, 15630 Middlebelt. Tickets are also available at the door. For information call the Livonia Symphony hotline, 458-6575.



Michelle Wolfe is artistic director for the Michigan Ballet Theatre.

# Hard times in metro Detroit inspire playwright

"Cruisin' Detroit... the Hard Way" through March 1 at the Attic Theatre, Third Avenue at West Grand Boulevard in the New Center Theatre District Detroit. For ticket information, call 875-8284.

By Keely Wygonik  
staff writer

While General Motors workers at Willow Run Assembly plant in Ypsilanti Township, Flint V8 engine plant, and two Detroit plants ponder their future, playwrights like Stephen Mack Jones of Southfield will be thinking about it too.

"ART IS a very necessary thing, especially in hard times," said Jones whose works are featured in "Cruisin' Detroit... the Hard Way" at the Attic Theatre in Detroit through March 1.

"Hard times test the soul and mind as people try to gain understanding of why certain things are happening to gain their balance. Art is not always about pretty pictures or words. It's trying to gain understanding of your humanity. Artists tell the world 'look at what is happening'"

Directed and co-produced by Annette Madias of Farmington Hills, "Cruisin' Detroit" is a montage of the best skits, monologues and brief one-act plays from three recent shows by the Detroit Playwrights Initiative.

Among the cast of local talent is Donna Lewis of Farmington.

"I write about what's at stake in a person's heart and mind," said Jones.

Although he doesn't start out with a political agenda, some of his skits are about local elected officials.

In "Ladies and Gentleman - The Mayor," Jones pokes fun at Detroit

Mayor Coleman Young who has been known to utter a few swear words now and then. An interpreter translates the mayor's colorful remarks for the audience so they know what "he really meant when he said..."

**JONES SAID** the skit was meant to be "fun" and adds "I don't know why it hasn't been done before."

Another skit, "Uncle John Wants You!" takes a good natured stab at Gov. John Engler.

A farmer makes his contribution to the arts by doing impersonations. The skit is funny, but also serious.

"I don't think Gov. Engler understands the importance of the arts," said Jones. "John, has through budget cuts, threatened people's access to the arts. The arts are essential to the human spirit. They give people a sense of hope, history. Man does not live on bread alone. Arts are part of the human spirit."

**STRENGTH AND** the resilient human spirit are themes Jones explores in "Sometimes, To Forget," a monologue about a Jewish Holocaust survivor.

"I have a variety of interests and ideas. In trying to gather empathy for other people I try not to put a color bar on my imagination," said Jones.

"I'm African-American, but I'm not sure ethnocentrism has served anyone. I'm trying to gain an understanding of different cultures. Hope-

fully, it makes people think."

While others might not think of Detroit as a Mecca for the arts, Jones who works in corporate communications at Compuware Corp. in Farmington Hills, said there are a lot of talented people who want to work here.

"Artists who live in the metro Detroit area are blessed and cursed," he said. "Cursed, because there isn't a cohesive arts community. Every artist feels alone. But this is a blessing because since they are alone they're more focused at honing their

craft and finding outlets."

Jones who won national attention with his "Back in the World," an Attic production that was selected by the American Theater Critics Association as one of the best four plays produced outside of New York during the 1986-87 season, said he is "hawking a screen play" he just finished.

Another play he wrote "The American Boys" about the friendship of four black Army buddies who reunite in Detroit, is being performed at Columbia College in Chicago.

## table talk

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**FRANKLIN PLAYERS**  
Franklin Players present the riotous musical "Grease" 7:30 p.m. Thursday, March 5, Friday, March 6 and Saturday, March 7 at Franklin High School, on Joy between Merriam and Middlebelt in Livonia. Tickets \$5 general admission. Call 523-0506 for more information.

**IRISH DANCERS**  
The Irish Dancers Booster Club presents "A Touch of Ireland," 2-4 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 29, at Mercy College McAuley Auditorium, corner of Outer Drive and Southfield. Area dancers will be performing. Tickets are \$6. For information, call 593-4637.

**TARTUFFE**  
Trinity House Theatre presents "Tartuffe" by Moliere, 8 p.m. Fri-

day, Feb. 28 through March 21, at Trinity House Theatre, 38840 W. Six Mile Road, Livonia, and 8 p.m. March 27-28 at the Livonia Civic Center Auditorium, 32777 W. Five Mile Livonia. Call 464-6302 for information.

**PLYMOUTH THEATRE GUILD**  
Plymouth Theatre Guild auditions for "Brighton Beach Memoirs" 7 p.m. Monday, March 2, at the Water House Theatre, on the campus of Northville Regional Hospital, 41001 W. Seven Mile Road, west of I-275.

Call 349-7110 for information.

**THEATER GUILD**  
Open auditions for the Theater Guild of Livonia/Redford's next show, "The Voice of the Prairie" 7 p.m. Monday, March 2, and Tuesday, March 3, at 15138 Beech Daly, Redford. For information, call 421-6225.

**CHAMBER MUSIC**  
Chamber Music Showcase, 4-6 p.m. Sunday, March 1, at Hammel Music Steinway Recital Hall, Middlebelt north of Five Mile in Livonia. Mozart's Two Piano Con-

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**"PLAZA SUITE"**  
Northville Players present Neil Simon's "Plaza Suite" 8 p.m. Friday, March 6 and Saturday, March 7 at the Northville Recreation Center, 303 West Main Street, Northville. Dinner theater also available both nights, dinner served 6:45 p.m. The show is directed by John Hall of Plymouth. Tickets \$7 for show only, \$19.50 per person for show and dinner. For more information call, 344-1969.

**DINNER THEATER**  
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**"ON GOLDEN POND"**  
Plymouth Theatre Guild presents "On Golden Pond" by Ernest Thompson, 8 p.m. March 13, 14, 20, 21, 27, 28, 6 p.m. March 15 and 22 at the Water Town Theatre, 41001 W. Seven Mile Road on the campus of the Northville Regional Hospital, west of I-275 between Haggerty and Northville Roads. Tickets \$7 adults, \$6 students, seniors. For ticket information, call 349-7110.

**CHILDREN'S BALLET**  
The Plymouth-Canton Ballet Company presents three children's ballets, 2 p.m. Saturday, March 14, 7 p.m. Saturday, March 14 and 3 p.m. Sunday, March 15 at Plymouth-Canton Little Theatre, 8415 N. Canton Center Road. Tickets \$7 adults, seniors and children 12 and under \$6. Call 397-8828 or 455-4330.

# 'Cobb' fuses history, drama

Performances of the Meadow Brook Theatre production of "Cobb" continue through March 8 on the Oakland University campus in Rochester Hills. For ticket information, call the box office at 377-3300.

Critics call Ty Cobb one of the all-time best players in the game and the most hated man in baseball. Despite his lifetime .367 batting average and his unquestioned talent, Cobb, the man, was mean-spirited, bigoted and egocentric.

He didn't much like people and they returned the favor. Cobb quips "Baseball's a team game. That's its only flaw," in Meadow Brook Theatre's fine production about Cobb's public triumphs and private failures.

Playwright Lee Blessing combines a history of Cobb's role in the game, a psychological study of his private life, and an expose of the fistfights, racist comments, and cheating incidents that plagued his years in the major leagues.

THE FUSION of history, psychology, and expose creates an intriguing and intelligent dramatic presentation, but not a play destined for the Dramatic Hall of Fame.

Blessing's challenge in writing about the longtime Detroit Tiger was to create controversy and conflict when the sports world almost unanimously condemned Cobb long ago for serious character flaws. So Blessing ingeniously gives us three Cobbs who squabble among them-

selves — The Peach when he was a 20-year-old player, Ty at 40 and one of baseball's first millionaires, and Mr. Cobb dying of cancer in his 70s.

The three Tys shout at each other and argue about what facts to include in the myth about the first ballplayer ever elected to the Hall of Fame. They argue whether Ty's mother shot his much-older father accidentally or out of darker motives. They spar about the fights that speckled Cobb's career and about Cobb's jealousy of Babe Ruth, a man Ty calls "a stupid meatface".

ERIC HISSOM as The Peach, Michael James Laird as Ty, and Stephen Daley as Mr. Cobb ably depict a man who changed little through the years. People are supposed to grow wiser and kinder as they grow older, says Mr. Cobb. "I didn't," he comments with the succinct honesty characteristic of the man.

Director John Ulmer keeps the pacing lively on the set of a blue and white ball diamond stripped to its geometric bones by scene designer Peter Hicks.

The action revolves around recreations of game highlights, demonstrations of Cobb's famous sliding grip, and scenes when Cobb taunts pitchers and steals bases. Recreating

key moments in Cobb's career makes for lively entertainment, but noise and action can't camouflage the lack of ideological conflict.

So Blessing beefs up the drama by adding Oscar Charleston, the player known as the black Cobb. Charleston claims he played better than Ty, but the two never played each other, and statistics on black players in the early days of baseball were sketchy, so there's no way to settle the question of which was the better ballplayer.

Daryl Edwards, wonderfully ironic as Charleston, goads Cobb and makes him doubt himself. Cobb excuses his own racial prejudice by saying he only voices what the nation believed back in 1912 when "You knew where people stood."

Presumably baseball, because it's America's favorite game, serves as a microcosm of the nation and a mirror of its values. Charleston not only goads Cobb, he also goads Americans to confront the values we held in the early years of the century when baseball grew from a children's game into a big business.

Fans granted Ty Cobb fame and fortune, but they withheld their love. Cobb may have been a star, but Meadow Brook Theatre's Cobb confirms that he was no hero.

Cathie Breidenbach of West Bloomfield teaches college writing classes and works as a freelance writer.

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# A pointed finger won't rebuild American industry

Sitting around a dinner table with a couple of auto writers the other evening (hey, nobody said I moved in high social circles), the conversation drifted inevitably to the subject of GM's plant closing — inevitable since one of the group owned a house down the road from the Willow Run plant that will be shuttered at the cost of some 4,000 jobs.

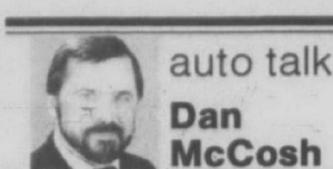
Anyway, this guy blurted out the shocking notion that he understood that a union steward makes \$100,000 a year at GM for "doing nothing," which was something he had read in the Wall Street Journal.

**THIS BEING** about two-and-a-half times the average auto worker's pay, I questioned the figure, which, as it

turned out, was about twice as high as the real salary, without getting into the question about whether, in fact, a union steward "does nothing." Automotive journalists steer clear of questions about whether someone "does nothing" to earn a living, for obvious reasons.

The point being that a reasonably well-informed writer was adding to the mental chaff flowing around about just why Willow Run, GM, the U.S. Auto Industry, etc., are in trouble these days. The search for simplistic "reasons" that has been escalating implies that once a reason is found, the answer can be found as well and all will go on as before.

**THE PROBLEM** with this kind of



auto talk  
**Dan McCosh**

inquiry is that pretty much all the "reasons" for the contraction at GM are absolutely right on. Take your pick: Fortress Japan; the U.S. government debt; an obstinate UAW; a weak UAW; bad management; bad cars; bad dealers; high costs of doing business; high taxes; poor social services; a bad recession; a bad trade policy; a shift away from heavy industry, etc.

One astute observation was that there were probably a hundred things that went into the decision to close Willow Run. Add to that maybe a hundred things hindering a manufacturing-based, value-added economy in the United States today.

**THE MAJORITY** of the hand-wringing going on today over the contractions at GM seems to aim squarely at the other guy — fix his

problem and the answer is at hand. Not so.

If anybody really wants to get serious, the approach might be for every agency, institution, individual, etc., to list his own contribution to the mess and get to work on it.

It ought to be clear that while there is no single simple solution, there might well be an answer that consists of a lot of simple solutions.

I WOULD suspect that the reversal of fortune will only come after the decision is made to build up an industrial, technical, economy in the United States that will guarantee a place in tomorrow's global picture. Once that basic decision is made, the rest follows in bits and pieces.

The undercurrent to all this is that participating in this new game is still for somebody else. Sometimes it seems as if we have spent the best part of a generation unraveling something that took at least that long to build up.

I don't really know whether the assumption was that heavy industry was dirty, nasty, and something we could do without, or just something that would go on by itself, regardless.

Well, it didn't go on; and it won't in the future, unless all those pieces of the eggshell are put back together again.

Dan McCosh is automotive editor of Popular Science magazine.

## business people

Nurse Sandra Kay Muller was named associate administrator for critical care nursing with Sinai Hospital in Detroit.

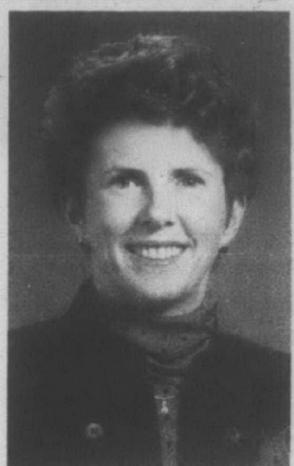
Gregory Houfley of Dearborn and Gregory Morrow were promoted to senior managers and John Cifor of Dearborn, Vincent Mayer and Teresa Reupprecht were promoted to managers in the Detroit tax department of Deloitte & Touche.

Edward T. Hagen and Kimberly L. Wisner were named national sales managers with the Westin Hotel in the Renaissance Center Detroit.

Bob Raymond, publicity director at Ladbroke DRC in Livonia since 1985, was promoted to director of marketing. He will direct advertising, promotions, group sales, and media relations.

Michael Tanner was appointed publicity manager of Ladbroke DRC in Livonia. Tanner will oversee media relations, television and radio exposure, handicapping seminars and other similar operations.

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### Workers face job training

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"MICHIGAN IS a manufacturing state. It doesn't mean it has to be only an auto manufacturing state," Miller said. "A lot of them (auto workers) have been in the auto industry forever. Dad was, grandpa was. They haven't been out exploring what else is out there."

"The training is available," she said. "Expensive? Not at the community college level. All community colleges have technical-type degrees."

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End of the Line:

The closing of Willow Run

## Workers face job retraining

By Doug Funke  
staff writer

When General Motors closes its Willow Run Assembly Plant sometime next year, many of its 4,000 workers — skilled tradespeople, managers and unskilled laborers — will scramble for jobs.

Some will be more successful than others.

"The hourly worker who is not able to retrain because of severe age discrimination, a society loaded up with credentialism and degrees, that hourly worker can expect to lose one-third of his annual income for the rest of his working life," said Michael Whitty, an associate professor of management at the University of Detroit-Mercy.

"Skilled tradespeople, if they're determined, can move into job shops. That has been tough. Suppliers have been hard hit.

"White-collar people are getting whacked hard. Downsizing is going to accelerate. They were caught in a substantial oversupply of college graduates and persons in middle age trying to hold on to income," said Whitty, a Birmingham resident.

Robert W. Ellis, provost at Lawrence Technological University in Southfield, has a less harsh analysis.

"I SUSPECT that skilled people and to some extent managers are going to find alternative employ-

ment," Ellis said. "It will take a while. They may have to settle for jobs less well paid, but still well paid. I don't think they have to settle for minimum wage jobs in any way, shape or form."

Ellis, formerly dean of engineering at LTU, is a past president of the Michigan Society of Professional Engineers.

"There's no question the auto industry plays a central role in our economy, but much less than even 10 years ago," he said. "Michigan is still the manufacturing center of the country and probably will continue to be that. We're not seeing a destruction of the manufacturing base, but it's becoming more efficient."

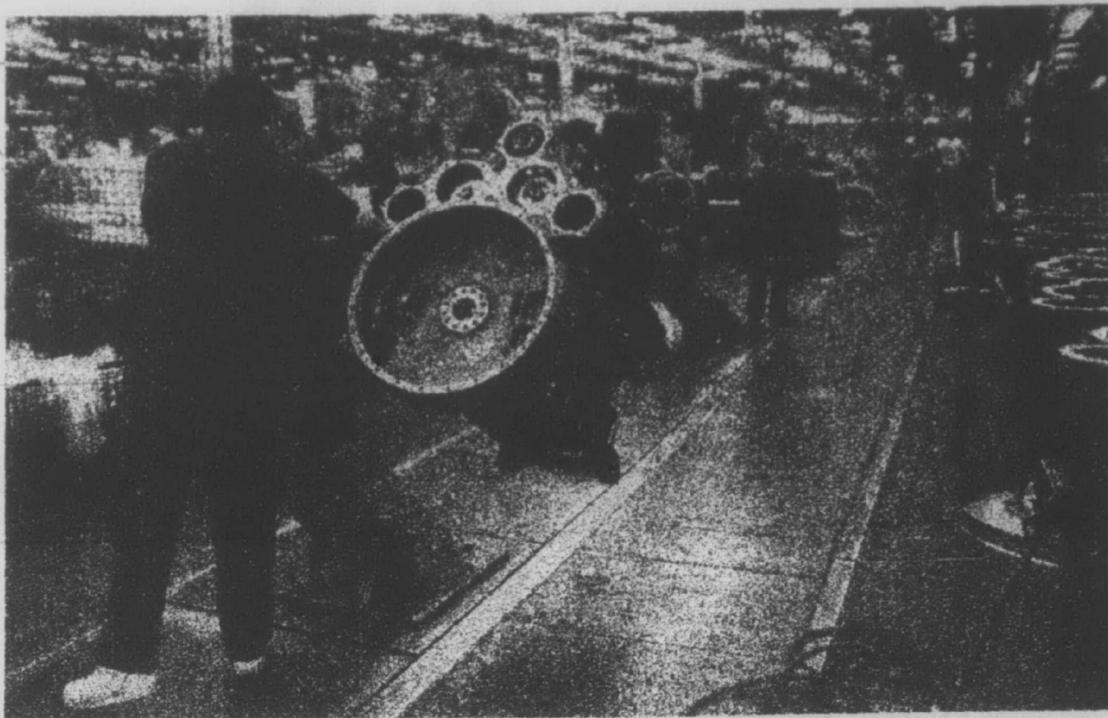
There's room for more diversification, Ellis said, especially where science, engineering and technology are concerned.

"If we don't retain technical capability in this area, it's for sure those products will be developed somewhere else, manufactured somewhere else," he said.

The key is training and retraining, if necessary, Ellis said.

"THERE ARE lots of jobs out there people with some training can do in health care and other areas," he said. "Health care isn't the answer. It's one area, but there are jobs and a little training will get you in the door.

"The ones all of us are concerned



about are unskilled. Those folks need to evaluate what they like to do and see if they can get the training to do it. Community colleges are good sources," Ellis said.

And the chances of unskilled workers making anything near what they did in the auto industry even with retraining are remote, he added.

John Bourbeau, president of Right Associates, a career-planning firm in Southfield, said the employment trend is away from large corporations.

"A majority of people in this country work for smaller companies," he said. "A majority of those are in service industries, not manufacturing."

"When we place people, we're always asked, 'Where are they going?'"

To smaller companies. Those who have experience with major corporations, they use the assets they already have. They need some retraining, but not the core competences they already have.

"I THINK they (auto workers) will need retraining," Bourbeau said. "There is a lot of help through several sources in the federal government and state government. There's a lot of funds available to help people get retrained if need be. Hourly workers have the GM compact.

"Many may not want to retrain, but it's the only choice I believe they have," he said. "I'll go back to the basic formula — education. We need to put out a higher caliber student.

"The expectation of people coming out of high school today, walk across the street and get a job in the auto plant and cradle-to-grave employment is no longer there," Bourbeau said.

Job opportunities are out there, said Gae Miller, executive director of the Michigan Technology Council headquartered in Ann Arbor.

"It's incredible to me our numbers in technology-based members for the most part are growing," she said. "There are technical jobs in biomedical, factory automation, electronic components, robotics, telecommunications, medical.

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As the factories empty, education is being touted as the key to employment. Gone are the days when workers could follow their parents and grandparents into the auto plants for lifetime employment.

## A Long Walk

Directory's heavy weight spawns challengers

By Gerald Frawley  
staff writer

Need something? You know the slogan — "Let your fingers do the walking."

Time was, if people needed something they would check out the phone book index and flip through in alphabetical order until they found it.

But have you seen the phone book lately? It's inches thick.

That's a darn long walk. Maybe the phone book just isn't good enough anymore — at least that's what some entrepreneurs are betting on.

Within recent years, referral services, comprehensive directories and resource guides targeted at specific audiences have cropped up. Their question — why go searching through books and phone directories when everything you need is in one?

ZINA KRAMER, president of Events Marketing in Birmingham, said the prime advantage to these services is organization.

"Everything you need is in one package," she said.

Events Marketing publishes the Events Resources Guide, now in its second edition. "It's basically a compilation of all the sites and all the resources one needs to put on an event," Kramer said.

The Event Resource Guide is available at bookstores in Oakland County and can be bought directly from Events Marketing.

In it, an event planner can find a directory of sites available for rental including sizes and services offered, a list of of suppliers and service providers arranged by category with information on the company, and even helpful planning tips.

Kramer said the Events Resource Guide is more than a list of numbers. "It took me almost three years to put this together."

In the event management business, Kramer said she discovered the average phone directory — which is great as a general reference — isn't suitable for very specific needs.

"(With the Event Resource Guide), instead of going to 27 different sources, you go to one."

Since the directory is organized for specific purposes, it can help people with special needs by pointing out things the planner may not have considered. "If you open the yellow pages, you have to look through a lot of different areas to find what you need."



DEAN SCOTT, owner of the Birmingham-based Home Referral Source, said special directories and referral sources can save the harried consumer a lot of time.

Speed and better organization are the prime reasons people use these services, he said.

"If someone is looking for someone to do a job, it could take several phone calls to find even one person to interview for the job," he said. Referral services and targeted directories make finding the right person for the job easier.

There is also — if not a guarantee — at least a promise of dependability and competence, he said.

The Home Referral Source is a specialized phone service that puts the homeowner with a need in touch with the appropriate tradesperson.

For example, a home owner seeking to add an addition to his home would call the Home Referral Source number, explain what job needs to be done, and then would get several possible candidates.

All of the candidates, Scott said, have been checked out for service, timeliness and the ability to complete the job in an allotted time. If he receives valid complaints from customers, he drops that tradesperson from the referral list.

The referral company also checks up on the tradesperson and homeowner during the job.

Scott said connecting the service with the buyer of the service is the trickiest part facing the specialized directory or referral provider. He said he intends to launch a direct mail campaign in the near future to get the word out on The Home Re-

erral Source.

ANITA KREMER, publisher of Senior Living Alternatives, said specialized directories like hers can serve a valuable purpose.

They are not, as one might guess, a lazy man's alternative to doing a little research.

Instead, specialized directories are part of a trend of consumers becoming smarter. "It's not lazy, it's using time more efficiently.

"Years ago," she said, "there weren't as many choices as there are now."

Specialized information sources like hers are a natural evolution in the consumer's search for information so they can make better, informed decisions.

Senior Living Alternatives is a guidebook for housing alternatives ranging from independent living through assisted living through nursing home care.

The guidebook also offers information on other things critical to seniors in need of housing — Medicare and Medicaid.

Kremer said she saw a need for a compilation of these things when she was doing some marketing for some individual nursing home facilities. "My background is in marketing apartment communities and renovation work," Kremer said.

While she was involved in marketing renovation work for a nursing home group, she became curious about how nursing homes market themselves.

"I wanted to find out how they market themselves — I found they don't (have a marketing plan)."

To her surprise, she said she found people were making a very important decision — what to do with a parent who could no longer live alone — under duress and without adequate information.

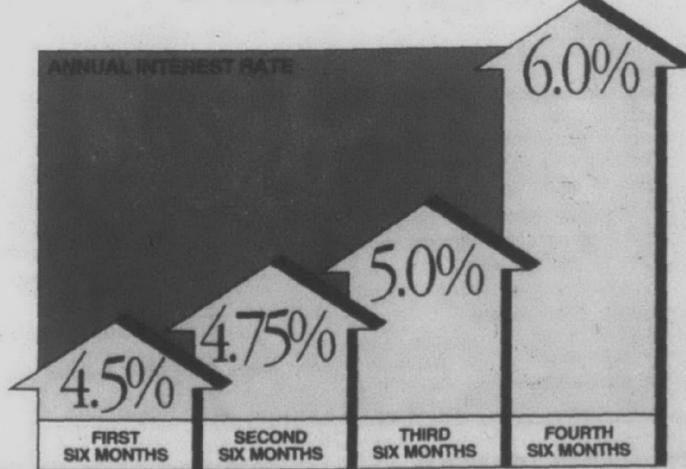
"I thought if people had this information, it might make their planning easier," she said.

After more than nine months of gathering information, Kremer published the first edition of Senior Living Alternatives, which is now available at doctors' offices, hospitals, senior citizen organizations, and places frequented by senior citizens.

For people to obtain copies from hospitals, they must contact the social welfare offices of the hospitals.

Since the first publication in January, she said she has been inundated with calls from facilities that wish to be included in future publications.

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## Banker wins young career woman honor

### Work, school, community keep her busy



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Christy Mayfield, assistant branch manager for the Old Kent Bank of Brighton's Plymouth branch, was named 1992 Young Career Woman by the Canton and Plymouth Business and Professional Women's organizations.

By Julie Brown  
staff writer

Christy Mayfield's calendar isn't exactly empty. Her position as assistant branch manager for the Old Kent Bank of Brighton's Plymouth branch, studies in marketing and management at Wayne State University, and extensive community involvement add up to a busy yet rewarding life.

"Sometimes, it gets to be a little overwhelming," Mayfield said of combining work, school and other responsibilities. "I just try to concentrate on the positive aspects. I enjoy it because I love to learn."

Mayfield, a 26-year-old Detroit resident, was recently honored for her professional achievements and community involvement. She was named 1992's Young Careerist by the Canton and Plymouth Business and Professional Women's organizations, and will represent the Plymouth-Canton community at district-level competition April 10.

"I was very proud. I was honored, to be honest. It made me feel wonderful." Being recognized as the local Young Careerist gave her self-esteem a boost.

MAYFIELD GREW up in Detroit and graduated from Redford High School in 1983. She's worked in banking for about seven years, having started as a teller with Michigan National Bank.

"I really didn't plan to have a career in banking. I thought it would be interesting to work in a financial institution."

She was with Michigan National

Bank for about a year and a half, and then moved to First Federal Savings Bank and Trust, also starting as a teller there. "I've worked my way up to assistant branch manager."

Old Kent Bank of Brighton purchased six of the First Federal branches in September 1991. Mayfield's been at the same Plymouth Township location on Sheldon Road for some time, although the bank's ownership and name have changed to Old Kent Bank.

She oversees daily operations at the branch, and goes out to make calls on bank customers, primarily business customers. She checks to see if any problems need to be solved and works to generate new business.

She processes loan applications and closes on loans, although she doesn't make decisions on approval. Mayfield, who earned an associate's degree in marketing and management from Wayne County Community College, has found banking to be a rewarding career.

"It has been a good field because I've learned a lot."

SHE'S LEARNED a great deal about investments and lending, and finds that information helps her in serving customers. Mayfield herself benefits from that knowledge as well.

Old Kent Bank leaders advocate ongoing training, and Mayfield attends many seminars. Keeping up-to-date is more important than ever these days with the rapid pace of changes in the banking industry, she said.

Banking's a good field for women,

she said, and there's increased acceptance of women in leadership positions. In fact, of the 11 bank branches in Mayfield's district, only one has a male manager and all of the assistant branch managers are women.

"It's a very lucrative field for women," said Mayfield, who plans to continue her career in banking.

She hopes to complete work on her bachelor's degree in marketing and management at Wayne State by 1994. Mayfield plans to go on for her master's degree in business administration, and most likely will attend graduate school at Wayne State.

She has other business experience as well. Mayfield is co-founder and co-owner of Trammell & Co., a retail business specializing in women's apparel.

Trammell & Co. rents space to set up displays at conventions and seminars. Mayfield also is co-founder of She and Her Productions, a community organization specializing in fashion shows and other fund-raising projects.

SHE AND HER Productions has arranged benefit events for such organizations as the United Negro College Fund, Save Our Sons and Daughters, and the Detroit Public Library.

"It's a lot of fun," Mayfield said. "I enjoy organizing functions. It provides a good feeling, it really does. I like to give back to the community."

She and her older sister founded She and Her Productions as teenagers about 10 years ago, getting a great deal of help and encouragement from their parents. Mayfield, who serves as the social organiza-

tion's treasurer, and her sister believe it's important to provide positive role models for young people, particularly for black youths in Detroit who are exposed to so much violence.

"Sometimes they need leadership. They don't have a positive role model in the home to follow."

Mayfield, a member of the Plymouth Business and Professional Women, would eventually like to expand her clothing business and become an independent wholesaler. She keeps busy with work, but finds time for travel and other hobbies.

"I ENJOY keeping abreast of cultural and social affairs." She enjoys attending plays and visiting such places as the Black History Museum.

"I like to learn about my culture and ancestors." That's particularly timely now, during Black History Month.

Mayfield, who is engaged to Tommy Cason Sr., is looking forward to the district Young Careerist competition, where she and other honorees will give three-minute speeches. BPW members are looking forward to having Mayfield represent them.

"She just did a really nice job in presenting herself. We were really impressed with Christy," said Amy Courter of Farmington Hills, state chairwoman for the Young Careerist program. "The other two were very accomplished people too."

The other Plymouth-Canton Young Careerist candidates were Officer Jamie Senkbeil, a DARE (Drug Abuse Resistance Education) officer with the Plymouth Township Police Department, and Lisa Gibson, a customer service representative.

## State champs 'Working' nets top prize for CEP theater students

By Julie Brown  
staff writer

"Prima donna" is hardly an apt description for theater students at Centennial Educational Park.

The students from Plymouth Canton and Plymouth Salem High Schools certainly take justifiable pride in their achievements, but that doesn't mean they're insufferable. The ninth through 12th graders know just how important cooperation is.

CEP students recently took top honors at state competition of the Michigan Interscholastic Forensics Association. The competition took place Feb. 14-15 at Central Michigan University in Mount Pleasant, and CEP students were named Class A winners and overall state champions.

"We're just as pleased as can be," said Gloria Logan, theater arts director at Centennial Educational Park in Canton. "It's incredible. We were just delirious."

STUDENTS PERFORMED "Working," a musical drama based on the Studs Terkel book of that name. They presented that play, which tells the stories of working people from various fields, in November for local theater-goers.

The group includes some 50 students, with 16 appearing on stage in various roles. The others handle such essential duties as lighting,

makeup, scenery and props.

The Plymouth Park Players have also been chosen to represent high school theater at the Youth Arts Festival in May in Kalamazoo. They'd progressed through district and regional competition of the Michigan Interscholastic Forensics Association prior to taking top honors at state competition earlier this month.

"We were really excited. We have a trophy about as tall as I am," Logan said. That trophy travels to the winning school from year to year. The CEP students also have a trophy measuring about 30 inches that they'll be able to keep at the school.

Logan's students have competed five times and always made it to the state level. Each year, they were among the top three schools in state competition, although this is the first time they've taken first place overall.

STUDENTS FROM CEP received several superior and excellent ratings for acting and technical areas from the judges in Mount Pleasant. The entire ensemble received a superior award.

Judges are educators and other professionals well-versed in theater. High school students compete in three class/divisions based on school population.

Logan was impressed with how well her students worked together.

"I think the most important thing for them is the sense of en-

semble. They've been really, truly an ensemble group." That spirit of cooperation was reflected in their performance.

"They all agreed to get the project done. They were willing to make sacrifices."

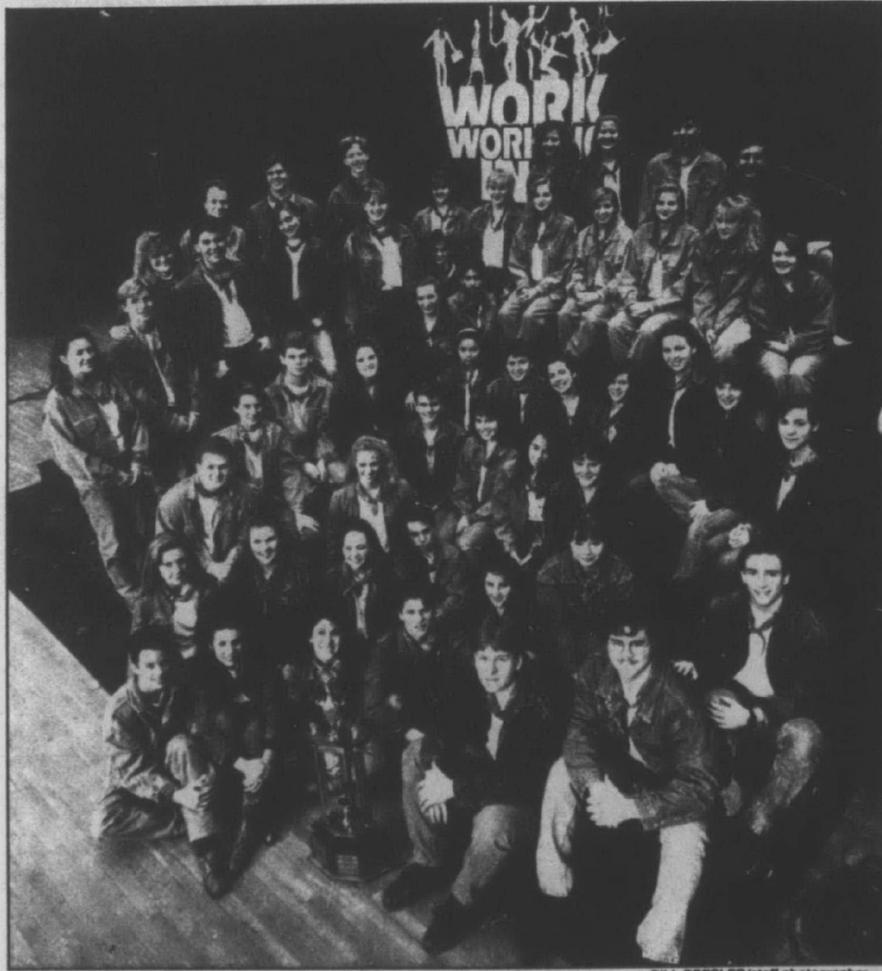
The first-place finish is particularly impressive given the considerable talents of the other student theater groups from throughout the state, she said. Logan doesn't know if any of her current students will go on to appear on Broadway or in Academy Award-winning movies.

"They don't know what they're going to do. They shouldn't know right now. I'm still thinking about what I want to do," said Logan, 43, who has been on the school faculty for 22 years.

She told her students that although winning is nice, the point totals at the state competition weren't what mattered the most. Learning to work together to achieve a goal is what counts.

"Whether you go on in theater or not, that's always going to be an asset. These kids have gone a long way on that."

Logan worked with Don Daniels, vocal music teacher at CEP, and Cletus Karamon, auditorium manager at Salem, on the award-winning production. Daniels was the vocal director for "Working" and Karamon, a former CEP drama student, was the technical director.



BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

Theater students from Plymouth Canton and Plymouth Salem High Schools were named Class A winners and overall state champions at the Michigan Interscholastic Forensics Association.

ons at the Michigan Interscholastic Forensics Association.

## Arts council plans classes, offers scholarships

The Plymouth Community Arts Council will offer a variety of arts and crafts classes for children, teenagers and adults. Classes are scheduled to begin the week of March 16.

Youth classes include: Expressive Drawing (ages 10-14); Fashion Fabrication (ages 8-11); Multimedia Collage (ages 10-14); Oil Painting (ages 12-18); Origami (ages 6-9); Photography/Darkroom I (ages 11-16); Pottery (ages 7 and up); Preschool Fine Art Series (ages 4-6); Sculpture and Drawing (ages 9-12); Warp, Wrap and Weave (ages 12-16); and Water-

color Painting (ages 8-12).

Fine art classes for adults will include: Creative Darkroom Technique; Oil Painting; Picture Perfect; Pottery; Studio - Drawing/Sculpting/Painting; Transitions and Transformations in Mixed Media; Watercolor Painting; and Workshop Series.

CLASSES ARE appropriate for beginners and for those who wish to enhance their skills. PCAC members receive a 10-percent discount on classes. Advance registration is required.

For more information on class times and locations, call the Plymouth Community Arts Council, 455-5260, 9 a.m. to noon Monday through Friday. The PCAC office is at 332 S. Main (above Wiltse's Pharmacy), between Ann Arbor Trail and Penniman in downtown Plymouth.

The PCAC also offers several scholarship programs to honor outstanding artists, including:

- The Jeanet M. Allison Scholarship Fund, which will provide six \$100 scholarships to be used to attend any fine arts camp or accredited

institution, or for private instruction. Blue Lake Fine Arts Camp will match the amount for students who choose that camp. Students must be in sixth through 11th grade, be residents of the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools district and have a demonstrated interest in some area of fine arts. Deadline to submit applications is Friday, March 27, and auditions will be Saturday, April 4.

- The Joanne Winkleman Hulce Founder's Scholarship of \$1,000, available to any graduating senior who lives in the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools district. Appli-

cants must display exceptional ability and plan to continue their education in an artistic field. Deadline to submit applications is Friday, April 10, and auditions will be Wednesday, April 29.

- The Margaret E. Wilson Scholarship for the Performing Arts, a single award of \$350 available to a graduating senior living in the Plymouth-Canton Community Schools district. The student must have been accepted into an accredited professional program in the performing arts for the fall of 1992. Any current area

resident who has a high school diploma, regardless of age, who is pursuing such a performing arts career in an accredited program is also eligible. Deadline to submit applications is Friday, April 10, and auditions will be Wednesday, April 29.

For applications or more information, call 455-5260 9 a.m. to noon weekdays. Scholarship applications are also available from Plymouth/Canton area fine arts teachers, dance studios, private teachers and the public libraries in Plymouth and Canton.

# Writer is intelligent, discriminating, creative woman

Dear Lorene:

I wrote to you a few years ago and unfortunately did not get an answer. I hope I will be luckier this time.

I will be 59 soon and I am right handed.

I am anxious to see the analysis of my handwriting. It was done 30 years ago and was excellent. However, I am no longer the person I was then.

You say that a full signature is helpful; consequently, I will do it. However, I want anonymity in the newspaper.

By the way, sometimes I write in a different way.

I always wanted to right with a right-handed slant, but in school it was not allowed.

Thank you in advance.

M.F.,  
Birmingham

Due to the volume of mail I



graphology

Lorene  
Green

receive, I do not remember your previous letter. My guess, however, is that I did not analyze it because I felt strongly that you were taught penmanship in a country other than the United States. For the highest level of accuracy, it is important to have a knowledge of the copy book style from which the writer was taught. Since you seem to have a keen interest in graphology, I am going to analyze your handwriting, relying mostly on your use of space.

Today we are studying the handwriting of an intelligent, dis-

criminating and creative woman. Her thinking covers all the bases. Often, she comprehends very quickly, no need for detailed explanations. Other times, she likes to explore and analyze new information. Cultural interests are also evident.

Her approach to life and living is usually direct. Time is utilized in efficient ways and she is able to distinguish between the essential and the superfluous. She is action minded. I do not see her spending time or energy on people or activities which are not meaningful to her.

The strong persistence in this letter probably furnished the impetus for writing a second letter. When this amount of persistence is accentuated by her determination, I see a woman who goes after what she wants!

There are visible signs of pride, high aspirations and ambition woven through her handwriting. All of them are positive traits which can contribute to success.

Although our writer is endowed with a high level of intelligence, she may experience difficulty in her people relationships. Seemingly, she has a need to dominate and be "boss" in her own balliwick. This has her unresponsive to anyone telling her how to run her home or her workplace. And it can also lead to frustration.

When it serves her purpose, she may not communicate in a straightforward manner. She can remain uncommitted, taking refuge in ambig-

*You say that a full signature is helpful; consequently I will do it. I want the anonymity in the newspaper.*

Some irritation and hidden temper here probably surface when she is not allowed the opportunity to sail her ship in her own way. After an unpleasant encounter, she tends to become somewhat cautious and may brood about it when she is alone with her thoughts. Inner strength for coping with stress may be somewhat limited.

The different styles of handwriting she mentioned can have different meanings. Versatility and changeable moods are two of the most com-

mon meanings. Without seeing samples of her various styles, I cannot say more.

If you would like your handwriting analyzed in this newspaper, write to Lorene C. Green, a certified graphologist, at 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. Please use a full sheet of white, unlined paper, writing in the first person singular. Age, handedness and full signature are helpful. And objective feedback is always welcome.

## singles connection

### VOYAGERS

Voyagers Singles, a group for people 45 years and old, will meet at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28, at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, 27472 Five Mile Road, Livonia. The evening will include a spring fashion show, sponsored by the Dress Barn. The meeting is open to the public. For information, call 591-1350.

### HURON VALLEY REGIONAL PWP

The Huron Valley Regional Council of Parents Without Partners will have a Leap Year Metro Dance at the Royce Hotel, formerly the Airport Hilton Inn, in Romulus, 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 21. Cost is \$4 for members and \$5 for guests. For information, call 728-7028 or 722-2642.

### COMMUNITY SERVICE

The Community Service Singles will have a Singles Sabbath at 8 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28, at the Birmingham Temple, 28611 W. 12 Mile, Farmington Hills. The Rabbi Sherwin Wine will conduct the service and a social hour will follow. Community Service Singles is for singles interested in reaching out to the community through their volunteer work. For information, call at 683-2629.

### DIVORCE RECOVERY

Single Place Adult Ministries of the First Presbyterian Church of Northville will have a divorce recovery workshop, "Starting Over Single," 7:30-9:30 p.m. Thursdays, March 5-April 23, at the church, 200 E. Main St., Northville. Cost is \$30. Scholarships are available.

The ministries also will sponsor "Building Positive Relationships" with Tim Connor 7-9 p.m. Sundays, March 1-28. Cost is \$26. For information, call 349-0911.

### NEWBURG

Newburg Singles will meet for Sunday brunch at 12:30 p.m. Sunday, March 1, at the Big Boy Restaurant, Wayne and Hunter roads, Westland. Carpooling will be at Newburg Methodist Church, Ann Arbor Trail east of Newburgh Road. For information, call 663-0014.

### WIDOW'S ORGANIZATION

The Widow's Organization will have a Mardi Gras dinner at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 3, at the Hyatt Regency in Dearborn. The cost is \$18, including tax and tip. Reservations can be made by sending a check, payable to the organization, at 7129 Jonathon Ave., Dearborn 48126 by March 1. For more information, call the club phone at 582-3792 between 1 and 5 p.m.

### BETHANY WEST

Bethany West, a Catholic support group for the divorced and separated, will have its monthly meeting at 8 p.m. Saturday, March 7, at St. Robert Bellarmine Church, Inkster and West Chicago roads, Redford. An afterglow will follow the meeting. Donation is \$3. For information, call 326-9256 or 522-2394.

### TRI-COUNTY

Tri-County Singles will have a dance 8 p.m. to 1:30 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 29, at Roma's of Garden City, 32550 Cherry Hill at Venoy, Garden City. Admission is \$4, \$2 for ladies. For information, call the hotline at 842-7422.

### SINGLE PROFESSIONALS

Single Professionals will have wallyball 6:45 p.m. Tuesdays at Racquet Ball, Nine Mile Road, west of Farmington Road. For information, call 478-9181.



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## GOP gathering

Michigan First Lady Michelle Engler (right) and Lt. Gov. Connie Binsfield were the honored guests when the Republican Business and Professional Women's Forum gathered Feb. 18 for a benefit dinner at The Community House in Birmingham. Among dinner guests were Kelly Ramsey (from left), a ju-

venile court referee from Livonia; Vickey Hiller, a Canton Township business owner; and Denny Radtke, congressional field representative from Plymouth. Radtke is a charter member of the forum, which has 120 members in the tri-county area.

## bazaars

### HAWTHORNE CENTER

The Hawthorne Center will have its second annual juried craft show 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 29, at the Northville Community Center, 303 W. Main St. Eighty dealers from Michigan, Ohio and Canada will be at the show. Admission is \$1.

### CRAFT GALLERY

The Craft Gallery spring show will be 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday, March 1, at Roma's of Garden City, 32550 Cherry Hill Road, between Venoy and Merriman roads. There will be 60 displays of country folk art, Victorian crafts, early Americana, French country look and Southwestern accents. Admission is \$2. Lunch and refreshments will be available. No strollers or cameras will be allowed. For information, call 274-7076.

### HOMESPUN TRADITIONS

Homespun Traditions will have spring craft shows 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday, March 8, and Sunday, April 5, at Laurel Manor, 3900 Schoolcraft, west of Newburgh Road, Livonia. Admission is \$2. Featured will be Victorian, country and folk art.

### SCHOOLCRAFT

Schoolcraft College is accepting applications for crafters for a spring craft show 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, March 14, in the Physical Education Building, 18600 Haggerty Road, Livonia. Fees are \$60 for 12-by-12-foot booth, \$45 for 10-by-10-foot area and \$35 for an 8-by-9-foot space. For information, call the Office of Institutional Advancement at 462-4417.

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# Students win DAR honors

Members of the Sarah Ann Cochrane Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, take great pride in honoring outstanding high school seniors each year.

DAR members know that the Good Citizens they recognize have already done a great deal for their schools and communities, and will go on to even more significant accomplishments in the years to come.

The annual Good Citizens program has taken place for many years. Outstanding students are recognized for academic achievement and school/community involvement.

A tea to honor the 1992 Good Citizens was Monday afternoon, Feb. 17, at the Plymouth Historical Museum in downtown Plymouth. This year's honorees are:

• Nancy Burr of Livonia, a student at Ladywood High School, the daughter of Thomas and Marylou Burr.

• Jennifer Davis of Plymouth, a student at Plymouth Canton High School, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Craig Davis.

• Kelly Gustafson of Westland, a student at Livonia Franklin High

School, the daughter of James and Jayne Gustafson.

• Becky J. Wilde of Garden City, a student at Garden City High School, the daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Arthur Wilde.

Gloria J. Collins served as chairwoman for this year's Good Citizens Awards project.

The decision also has been made. Members of the Colonel Joshua Howard Chapter of the National Society of Daughters of the American Revolution have selected as Good Citizen Award honorees:

• Melanie Thom of Westland John Glenn High School and the daughter of Roland and Ruth Rich of Westland.

• Tia Battle of Wayne Memorial High School and the daughter of Marie Canty of Inkster.

After judging at the chapter level, the winner's advance to the state level for judging and possibly divisional and national competition where the winner last year received a \$5,000 scholarship.

The chapter also selected the winner of its eighth grade essay contest. Seraphin Tam, a student at St. Raphael School in Garden City, is the

winner of the American history essay contest.

The daughter of Kam and Fung Tam, Seraphin touched on the contributions of Abigail Adams, Nancy Hart, Nancy VanAlstyne and Emily Greiger based on a contest theme of "Famous Women of the American Revolution."

As the chapter winner, her essay has advanced to judging at the state level.



Becky J. Wilde



Serraphin Tam



Melanie Thom



Tia Battle

## clubs in action

Clubs in Action appears Thursdays. Deadline for items is noon the previous Friday.

### • A.F.O.T.H.

The monthly meeting of Active Friends of the Homeless will be 9:30-11:30 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 29, in the South Lounge of Madonna University, Schoolcraft and Levan, Livonia. For information, call 427-9063 or 474-6386. New members are welcome.

### • TRAIL WALK

A trail walk will be held 2 p.m. Sunday, March 1, at the Matthaei Botanical Gardens, 1800 N. Dixboro, Ann Arbor. Participants will look for early signs of spring. The walk will be led by docents, volunteer guides at the gardens. Participants should gather in the lobby of the gardens and should wear warm clothing and appropriate footwear. For more information, call 998-7061.

### • 60-PLUS

The 60-Plus Club will meet at noon Monday, March 2, at the First United Methodist Church of Plymouth, 45201 N. Territorial, west of Sheldon. Gerry Barlage of the Plymouth District Library will present a program on what the library has to offer senior citizens. There will be a potluck lunch, and those attending should bring their own table service.

### • ART CLUB

The Three Cities Art Club will meet at 6:30 p.m. Monday, March 2, at the Dunning Hough Library, 223 S. Main St., Plymouth. Al Weber, watercolorist and member of the Scarab Club in Detroit will give a critique of members' work. For information, call James DeArmond at 459-2684.

### • RAQUELA HADASSAH

Raqueila Hadassah will meet at 7:45 p.m. Tuesday, March 3, for a discussion of women's health issues at the home of Debbie Supowit in Farmington Hills. Dr. Alvin Schoenberger, an OB-GYN at Sinai Hospital, will be the speaker. For information, call 489-7017.

### • XI ZETA

The Xi Zeta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet at 8 p.m. Wednesday, March 4, at the Westland home of Leeann Guerin. An executive board meeting will be held immediately following the general meeting. For more information, call Jane Lupton at 464-6814.

### • ATTENTION DEFICIT

The Attention Deficit Disorder Association will meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, March 5, at the Farmington Hills Library, 32737 W. 12 Mile, west of Orchard Lake Road, Farmington Hills. The meeting will be a rap session. Registration begins at 7 p.m. For more information, call 464-8233.

### • PLAY AUDITIONS

The Plymouth Theatre Guild will hold open auditions for the Neil Simon play "Brighton Beach Memoirs" 7 p.m. Monday, March 2, at the Water Tower Theater, on the campus of Northville Regional Hospital, 41001 W. Seven Mile, between Haggerty and Northville roads, Northville. The cast includes one man and two women (in their 40s) and four youths ages 10-19. Performance dates will be May 1-3, 8-10 and 15-16. For information, call 349-7110.

### • PLYMOUTH NEWCOMERS

The Plymouth Newcomers Club will hold a luncheon Thursday, March 5, at the Round Table Club, 827 W. Ann Arbor Trail, Plymouth. Hospitality will be at 11:30 a.m., followed by the noon luncheon. Joe Henshaw, a Plymouth Community Family YMCA board member, will present a program on the YMCA and its needs. The club is for Plymouth and Plymouth Township residents who have lived in the community two years or less. Deadline to make reservations is noon Monday, March 2. For reservations or more information, call 420-9006 or 455-3315.

### • WOMAN'S CLUB

The Woman's Club of Plymouth will meet 12:30 p.m. Friday, March 6, at the First United Methodist Church of Plymouth, 45201 N. Territorial, west of Sheldon. Past presidents of the club will be honored at the 99th anniversary celebration. Following the business meeting, a "Pack Your Bags and Away We Go" program will be presented by Judy Carkeek of Travel Agents International of Canton. It is a tradition that club members wear hats and gloves at the March meeting. Guests may attend.

### • VICTORIAN TEA

A Victorian tea will be held 2 p.m. Saturday, March 7, at the Plymouth Historical Museum, 155 S. Main. It will feature a program on fashions of the Civil War era to be presented by fashion historian Beth Turza. Harpist Richard Lee will provide music. Those attending will be able to see the "Images of Lincoln" exhibit. Ticket price is \$12, and tickets are available through the museum. For reservations or more information, call 455-8940. (The Plymouth Historical Museum will be closed to the public Saturday, March 7.)

## anniversaries

### 'Babe' and Betty Avripas

"Babe" and Betty Avripas of Livonia recently celebrated their 49th wedding anniversary with a weekend stay at the Mayflower Hotel in Plymouth.

The couple exchanged wedding

vows on Jan. 23, 1945, in Missouri. She was in nurse's training while her husband served in the armed forces overseas.

They have lived in the Rosedale Gardens section of Livonia for 29 years.

### Joe and Louise Ventura

More than 80 friends and relatives were in attendance when Joe and Louise Ventura of Redford Township renewed their wedding vows at Our Lady of Grace Church in Dearborn Heights as part of their 50th wedding anniversary celebration.

The couple exchanged vows on Feb. 15, 1942, in Clarksburg, W. Va. She is the former Louise Spotafore.

Sixteen-year residents of Redford, the Venturas have two children — Angela Abraham of Clarkston and Joe Jr. of Livonia — and five grandchildren — Colleen, Christa and Carrie Abraham and Kathy and Christopher Ventura.

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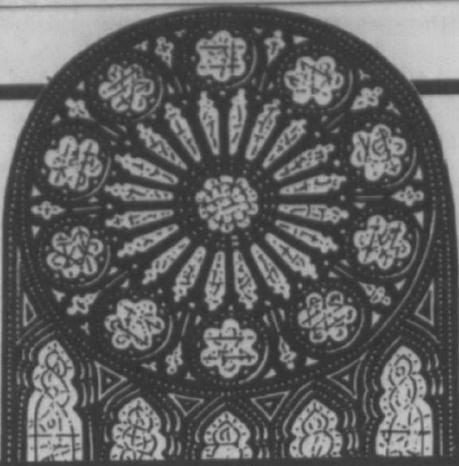
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**Worship Together**



# Church program aims to dispel fear of AIDS

By Julie Brown  
staff writer

AIDS isn't a reality that only homosexual men and drug abusers face. It's something all people must acknowledge.

"This is going to be an increasing problem in the future," said the Rev. James Wysocki, pastor of Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church in Plymouth. "Some day soon, this disease is going to touch just about every family. No one's isolated from it."

To help increase awareness of AIDS and dispel fears and prejudices, church leaders will offer a family night presentation on AIDS 7:30-9:30 p.m. Thursday, March 26, at Our Lady of Good Counsel, 1160 Penniman in Plymouth.

"We're really concerned about reaching out to people who have this disease," said Wysocki, who will introduce the other two speakers at the presentation.

**MEDICAL INFORMATION** on AIDS and HIV, the virus that causes the disease, will be presented by Dr. James Fordyce, M.D., a parishioner at Our Lady of Good Counsel. He will explain the ways AIDS spread.

The Rev. Richard Bartoszek of St. Jude Parish in Detroit, who works with AIDS patients, will discuss attitudes toward victims and the tremendous need to minister to them. A friend of Bartoszek's had AIDS, Wysocki said, and through that experience he became more aware of just how widespread the problem is and how difficult dealing with AIDS is for patients, families and friends.

Many people remain ignorant of the realities of AIDS, Wysocki said. There can be fear of associating with an AIDS patient, moral blaming, "and basically just misinformation as to how this disease is contracted and how you should relate to those who've contracted it."

AIDS patients need spiritual and pastoral care, as well as medical and social services. Wysocki

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Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church

doesn't agree with those who describe AIDS as God's will or a punishment for inappropriate behavior.

"I definitely think that that's an un-Christian attitude." Some AIDS cases aren't directly caused by behavior, Wysocki said, and all patients deserve compassion.

Prejudice directed at AIDS patients "is, I think, just as unjust as any other kind of prejudice we might have toward races, religions." There's a tendency to jump to conclusions and group all AIDS patients together, he said.

"WE DON'T reject people simply because we don't like their lifestyle." Christians may not approve of homosexuality, he said, but that doesn't mean they should reject homosexuals as human beings.

The reality of AIDS has been highlighted by prominent people who've tested positive for HIV or AIDS. Wysocki believes more needs to be done locally to increase awareness and understanding.

Young people in particular need to realize that certain behavior exposes them to dangers, he said.

"Kids being kids, they feel they are young and strong and invincible." Often, students know how AIDS is contracted, but don't make the connection in terms of their own behavior, he said.

Basketball superstar Magic Johnson has modified his public statements somewhat, Wysocki said. Johnson, often considered a role model for young people, has

begun to encourage abstinence rather than merely advocating condom use.

"We know that that's not 100 percent safe sex." It's a difficult task for anyone to be a spokesman when it comes to AIDS, Wysocki said.

Media images tend to glorify sexual prowess, he said, and it's refreshing to see movies that reflect human love in other ways. Teaching proper mores remains important.

"It's as true today as it always was."

**PARENTS ARE** being encouraged to bring older children to the Thursday, March 26, presentation. Our Lady of Good Counsel will also have a Lenten series of programs on peace and justice issues Wednesday evenings, other than Ash Wednesday (March 4), when there will be a Mass.

The 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 25, program will feature Bishop Thomas Gumbleton who will discuss "Ministry in an Age of AIDS." Other bishops from the Archdiocese of Detroit will speak on various peace and justice issues Wednesdays during Lent, beginning March 11. The series will conclude 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, April 8, with Archbishop Adam Maida speaking on "If You Want Peace, Work for Justice."

Wysocki knows it's still not all that common for churches to have programs on AIDS. "Certainly, a few years back it would have been unusual. Sometimes, the church is



BILL BRESLER/staff photographer

The Rev. James Wysocki, pastor of Our Lady of Good Counsel Catholic Church in Plymouth, said the program is being held to

increase awareness of AIDS and dispel fears and prejudices.

a follower too in that we respond to the needs of the time."

AIDS isn't, however, something Christians can ignore.

"Many of these victims are dying in isolation with hardly anyone

to care for them," Wysocki said. "It's a sad situation, but it needs our attention."

Church leaders are requesting advance registration for the

Thursday, March 26, AIDS presentation, to help in planning for materials and refreshments. To register or for more information, call the parish office, 453-0326.

## religion calendar

Items for the religion calendar should be submitted no later than noon Friday the week prior to publication.

### DINNER THEATER

Impressions Drama Ministries will present a dinner theater performance 6:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday, Feb. 28-29, at Clarenceville United Methodist Church, 20300 Middlebelt, two blocks south of Eight Mile, Livonia. A one-act play will be featured. Dinner will be served. Seating will be first-come, first-served. Ticket price is \$15, and tickets must be bought in advance. For information, call 561-3300 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

### ACTION

ACTION Ministry provides support and practical help for people who are unemployed or changing careers. Meetings are 7 p.m. the second and fourth Monday of each month at Ward Presbyterian Church, 17000 Farmington Road, Livonia. Upcoming topics include: March 9, Barbara Ellman, "Midlife Career" and March 23, Doug Bingham, "Basics of Selling." For information, call 422-1826.

### CHURCH CONCERT

Main Street Baptist Church, 8500 N. Morton-Taylor, south of Joy in Canton, will host a concert featuring Crossfire 7:30 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28. Crossfire is a local contemporary Christian group. Admission is free, although an offering will be taken for the musicians. The church has services 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sundays. For information, call 453-4785.

### SHARING

"Resolve Through Sharing," a four-week seminar to help mothers and families cope with the loss of a child through miscarriage, stillbirth or newborn infant death, will take place Mondays, March 2-23, at First Church of the Nazarene, 21260 Haggerty, north of Eight Mile, Farmington Hills. There is a \$20 material fee, and scholarships are available. For information, call 348-7600 or 349-2070.

### PAT'S PEOPLE

St. Edith Catholic Church, 15089 Newburgh, Livonia, will present Pat's People 7 p.m. to midnight Saturday, Feb. 29. The group will perform Irish and Scottish ballads. Price is \$10 per person, including refreshments. For ticket information, call 464-2027.

### FAMILY WEEKEND

Memorial Church of Christ in Livonia will host a weekend of activities for the family Feb. 28, 29 and March 1. Husband and wife vocalists Alan and Sherry Scott from Washington, Ind. will present "Life — Live It or Forget It," a program that focuses on respect, importance of family, changes in teenagers today and challenging young and old to make a commitment to Bible study. At 7:30 p.m. Friday, a program is scheduled for seventh through 12th graders and their parents. The church teen choir also will perform. At 6 p.m. Saturday, the Scotts will present a program for students in the sixth grade and younger. The junior choir, "Jesus Jammers," will sing. The weekend wraps up with Alan Scott speaking at the 8:15 and 10:45 a.m. Sunday services and a 6:30 p.m. concert. The programs are free. Memorial Church is at 35475 Five Mile Road, between Farmington and Levan roads.

### FREE TO BE FAMILY

The youth choirs of St. Paul Presbyterian Church will present "Free to be Family," a collection of skits and songs at 7 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 29, and 1 p.m. Sunday, March 1, in the church, 27475 Five Mile. Stu-

dents aged 5 to 18 will present songs, dances, skits and mime, compiled by Marlo Thomas, about confronting family problems. The youth of the Cherub, Youth Club, Mid-High and High School Choirs will perform, with Mark Adams and Tracy Cowden as accompanists. Directing the production are Eric Stromberg, Pat Hutchison and Karen Barsy. A \$2 donation is requested and refreshments will be available.

### LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE

A three-day church growth/leadership conference conducted by Bill Sheeks, Church of God International Director of Evangelism, begins with a worship service at 7 p.m. Friday, Feb. 28 in Praise Chapel Church of God, 585 N. Mill Street, Plymouth. A leaders seminar will be presented at 6 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 29. Sheeks will be the guest speaker at the 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. services on Sunday, March 1. The Rev. Rod Trusty, senior pastor at Praise Chapel, will preach in the 8:30 a.m. service, the first time that two Sunday morning services will be offered at Praise Chapel.

### LADIES MINISTRIES

A regional meeting of the Church of God Ladies Ministries is being hosted by Praise Chapel Church of God, 585 N. Mill Street, Plymouth from 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 29. The theme is "Christian Women in the Nineties." A service in the morning will be followed by a salad buffet and an afternoon program by guest speakers from around the state. Julie Trusty is president of the Praise Chapel ladies ministries. The executive committee includes Susie Wagner of Plymouth, Nona Wilson of Redford Township and Karen Biggs of Brighton.

### OVERCOMER'S OUTREACH

"Overcomer's Outreach," a program offered by Main Street Baptist Church to help people whose lives have been affected by substance abuse, meets twice a month. People with drug and/or alcohol problems may attend the Feb. 29 meeting. Beginning in March, the group meets at 7 p.m. Fridays. The support group meetings for families are set at 7 p.m. the first and third Tuesday of each month (March 3 and 17 next meetings). Meetings are interpreted for the deaf. For information or individual counseling, call 453-4785. The church is at 8500 N. Morton-Taylor, just south of Joy Road in Canton Township.

### PRAYER GROUP

St. Edith Church, 15089 Newburgh, at Five Mile in Livonia, will have a charismatic prayer group meeting 8 p.m. Wednesdays and 6-7:30 p.m. Sundays. Singing will be included. The meeting is open to the public.

### CHARISMATIC MASS

A Charismatic Mass will be celebrated in the chapel at Madonna University at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, March 1. The chapel is on the ground floor of the University center, 14221 Levan, north of Schoolcraft. The Rev. Louis Tuffuor will be the celebrant.

### FASHION SHOW

Nativity of the Virgin Mary Greek Orthodox Church will sponsor a luncheon/fashion show 1 p.m. Sunday, March 1, at Laurel Manor of Livonia. This year's theme is "Visions of the Future." Price is \$30 per person. For ticket information, call (313) 932-1222. All proceeds will go to the Nativity Philoptochos Society.

### LENTE SERVICES

St. Peter Evangelical Lutheran Church, 1343 Penniman, Plymouth, will have Lenten services at 7 p.m. Wednesdays beginning Ash Wednesday, March 4. "The Cross Stands Firm," based on Matthew 16:13-20 will be the topic for March 4. For information, call 453-3393.

### ART AUCTION

The Newburg United Methodist Church Youth Choir will hold an exhibition and auction of fine art Thursday, March 5 in Guthrie Hall at the church, 36500 Ann Arbor Trail, Livonia. Donation is \$5 per person and includes a preview social with hors d'oeuvres and punch and art preview presented by Oxford Art Galleries of Detroit. The preview is at 7 p.m. with the auction at 8 p.m. Art work ranges from \$20 to \$2,000. Checks and credit cards will be accepted. The fund-raiser will benefit the youth choir's tour this year to New York, Massachusetts and Ontario.

### ORGAN CONCERT

Organist Frederick Swann will perform 8 p.m. Friday, March 6, at the First United Methodist Church of Plymouth, 45201 N. Territorial. He is director of music and organist at The Crystal Cathedral in Garden Grove, Calif., which televises the Robert Schuller "Hour of Power" services. Swann will play on the Zimmer organ, which was installed last spring.

Ticket price is \$10, \$8 for students and senior citizens. Tickets are available at the church and can be reserved by calling 453-5280.

### LUTHERAN AID

St. Paul Lutheran Church in Farmington Hills has been awarded a \$1,000 grant from Aid Association for Lutherans (AAL) to help the congregation celebrate its 100th anniversary.

The grant has been provided through the AAL Fraternal Milestone program. AAL has identified 377 eligible Lutheran congregations in the U.S. Churches will receive grants totaling \$242,000.

### BROADWAY MUSICAL

Rosedale Gardens Presbyterian Church, 9601 Hubbard, at West Chicago in Livonia, will present the Broadway musical "Anything Goes" 4 p.m. Friday and Saturday, March 6-7. Ticket prices are \$5 for adults, \$2.50 for children 12 and under. For information, call 422-0494.

### BAHA'IS MEET

The Baha'is of Canton Township will hold an informal question and answer session on the history, teachings and principles of the Baha'i Faith. The meeting will 4-5:30 p.m. in the Sherwood Mobile Village Clubhouse on Haggerty road, just south of Avenue. For more information, call 416-5515.

### PEOPLE SKILLS

The Rev. William Lichty, founder and director of Stability Ministries, will conduct a "Sharpening Your People Skills" seminar 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, March 21, at Northville Christian Assembly, 41355 W. Six Mile. The seminar will provide an opportunity for participants to use the Personal Profile System, a self-awareness assessment tool. Reservations must be made by March 14. For information, call 451-0525 or 348-9030.

### SPIRITUAL JOURNEY

Church Life Ministries of Ward Presbyterian Church will offer a seminar, "12 Steps: A Spiritual Journey," Tuesday evenings through May 12. The discussion series will feature Jim Broome, author of "The Only Way Back." Participants will explore the biblical principles behind 12-step recovery programs. There is no fee. Ward Presbyterian Church is at Six Mile and Farmington roads in Livonia. For information, call 422-1826.

### BIBLE CLASS

Christ the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, 42690 Cherry Hill in Canton, has a Tuesday Bible class for children in first-sixth grades. It meets 4:15-5:15 p.m. and includes Bible activities, stories and singing. There is also a confirmation class for seventh and eighth graders. For information, call the church, 981-0286.

### I CAN COPE

An educational program for cancer patients and their families, "I Can Cope," will meet 7-9 p.m. Monday, March 2 to April 20, at Ward Presbyterian Church, 17000 Farmington Road, Livonia. The program is free. For information, call 422-1826.

### NEW BEGINNINGS

New Beginnings, a support group for those who have lost a loved one, meets 7-9 p.m. Thursdays at St. Matthew United Methodist Church, 30900 W. Six Mile, east of Merriman, Livonia. For information, call 478-1842 or 422-0957.



## Choir to perform

The Thiel College Choir, under the direction of Tod Trimble, will perform at 7:30 p.m. March 4 in Nativity United Church of Christ, 9435 Henry Ruff Road, Livonia. The concert is sponsored by the Nativity Christian Education Committee. The one-hour presenta-

tion will offer a mix of traditional and contemporary sacred and secular works, spirituals and folk songs. The Thiel Chamber Singers will also perform. Thiel is a liberal arts college in Greenville, Pennsylvania.

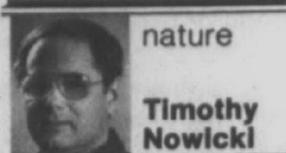
# Songbird mate-feeding is pleasant sign of spring

Though it is not officially spring yet, birds are beginning to show signs of courtship. Cardinals are singing, chickadees are singing their plaintive two note whistle, and courtship feeding is starting already. I even saw my first red-winged blackbird of the year on Feb. 20.

Mallards and Canada geese are paired and often seen isolated from large groups as they look for potential nesting sites. Lengthening periods of sunlight stimulates the production of hormones which cause the birds to initiate courtship behavior.

As I watched two pine siskins the other day they displayed a common courtship activity of songbirds, mate-feeding. Males will take a food item and place it in the bill of the female. Females often quiver their wings and beg like young fledglings do to their parents. Those with bird feeders will be able to observe this behavior frequently.

Mate-feeding reminds me of those people on a date sharing a milk



nature

**Timothy Nowicki**

shake with two straws. Or, on a wedding day when the bride and groom feed each other wedding cake or champagne. These behaviors are intended to show their commitment to one another, in birds and people. They help to strengthen the pair bond between them.

There will be times when you may see a cardinal or other bird wiping its bill on a branch near your feeder. Just as humans use a napkin to wipe their face at a meal, birds may need to wipe something from their bill too. However, there may be bill wiping when there is no food on the bill, or there may be excessive bill wiping.

Excessive bill wiping could be a displacement behavior. If a bird is forced from the feeder by a more dominant individual, it may be frustrated. The frustrated bird cannot attack or chase away the dominant bird for fear of being injured, so it leaves the feeder. Bill wiping is one way for birds to redirect their frustrations.

Human beings often exhibit similar behavior. If your boss gets mad at you, you can not lash back at your boss, so when you get home you lift weights, or slam a racquetball against the wall.

All animals require the same basic needs — food, shelter, water and some space. Each kind of animal fulfills those requirements in different ways, yet they all have the same needs and express themselves in similar ways.

Tim Nowicki is a naturalist at Independence Oaks County Park in Oakland County. He lives in Livonia.



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Pine siskins display a common courtship activity of songbirds, mate-feeding.

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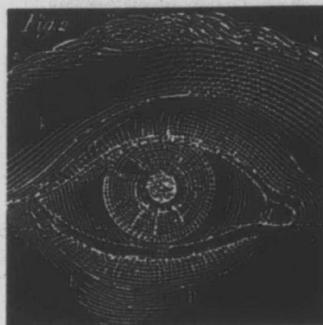
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Looking up . . . to Petoskey! "Creativity - 21 Artists Paint An Amaryllis," a Visual Art Association of Livonia watercolor exhibition now at the Farmington Community Library's Liberty Street branch, will be shown in Petoskey next February.

The Crooked Tree Art Council will host the showing at the Virginia McCune Gallery.

The exhibition shows the work of Farmington Hills artist Edee Joppich's VAAL students.

"When I was teaching a watercolor workshop for the Crooked Tree Art Council last fall, I brought photographs of the amaryllis work to illustrate the possibilities for being creative with the same subject," Joppich said.

One of the workshop participants was Mary Fink, the gallery's exhibits director. "She expressed an interest in the exhibition as a potential show for her gallery," Joppich said.

"When the article about the exhibition appearing in Farmington came out in the Observer, I sent it to her. And she called and asked if they could host the show next February. She thought that would be a wonderful time for such a colorful exhibit. And I thought so too."

Added Joppich: "It tickles me no end that these artists, many having their first professional showing in Farmington, now have the opportunity to show their work up north."

Next June, Joppich, a 10-year VAAL faculty member, will teach a four-day collage workshop for the Crooked Tree Art Council. At the same time, Virginia McCune Gallery will host a 10-day retrospective of her collage work and sponsor a talk by her on collage.

Sorry about the confusion. The hydropower used at Henry Ford I's Dearborn mansion served as a prototype for Nankin Mills in Westland and the other village industries he operated in the Huron, Raisin and Rouge river valleys during the '20s, '30s and '40s.

A Jan. 30 story mistakenly said Nankin Mills' hydropower served as a prototype for Fairlane, built in 1914-15. Ford didn't acquire Nankin Mills until 1918.

Calling all historians . . . Plymouth Historical Society will host the spring meeting of area historical societies at 6:30 p.m. Thursday, April 2 at Dunning-Hough Library, 223 S. Main.

Organizing genealogical materials in archives and libraries will be the discussion topic.

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## Step right up to the maestro's piano

By Janice Tigar-Kramer  
special writer

Not even the experts can tell the difference between one Steinway grand piano and another. But there is something special, and maybe even grand, about the Model D concert grand used by the beloved Russian-American concert pianist Vladimir Horowitz, who unabashedly called his Steinway an "inseparable friend."

Horowitz's concert grand, Steinway No. 314503, is on the road again, this time as the main attraction of a two-year tour that includes stops at Steinway dealers in 75 U.S. cities.

The piano is on display at Hammell Music, 15630 Middlebelt, Livonia, through Thursday, March 5. The stop also will include three concerts at the store's recital hall, all performed on the Horowitz Steinway.

Russian-born pianist Vladislav Kovalsky, who teaches at the University of Michigan and Wayne State University, will perform at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 3. The Burczyk-Allen Trio, made up of three generations of

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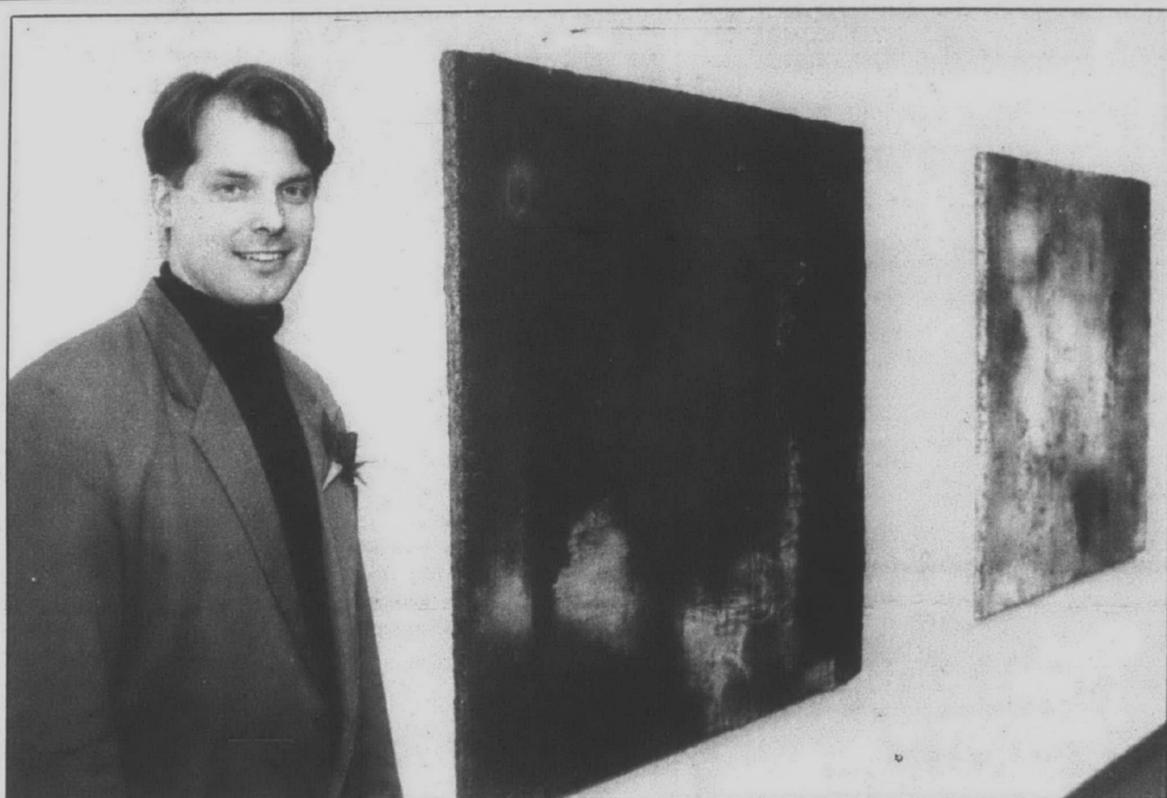
classic pianists, will perform at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 4. David Dubal, pianist, broadcaster and personal friend of Horowitz, will present "An Evening with Horowitz" at 8 p.m. Thursday, March 5. Tickets to each concert are \$5 per person.

WHAT'S SO special about this black nine-foot grand, revered not only by the late world-class pianist, but also by his undyingly loyal audiences? If you're tall enough to reach the keyboard, you be the judge.

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Vladimir Horowitz, the beloved Russian-American concert pianist, called his Steinway grand an "inseparable friend." The pianist died in 1989.



BILL HANSEN/staff photographer

Westland resident Dennis Jones' acrylic paintings are featured in a two-artist show at Swidler Gallery in Royal Oak.

## Poetry emerges

### Acrylics challenge you to 'search for self'

By Linda Ann Chomin  
special writer

TO OBTAIN meaning from the nonrepresentational acrylic paintings by Westland resident Dennis Jones, viewers need to stand before the artwork and see themselves.

The untitled series of 14 works by Jones is on exhibit through Saturday, March 14, at Swidler Gallery, 308 W. Fourth, Royal Oak.

"There's a poetry that emerges. The paintings are somewhat confrontational," Jones said. "As the person views the painting, the intent is to bring out what they may have in them. The poem is a search for self."

The five 4-by-4-foot paintings by Jones were layered with a combination of paint, shellac and materials on one-inch pressed fiber wood backed

by plywood. Nine 18-by-18-inch works were painted on mylar and tacked to the gallery's walls.

"Basically the material is acrylic and shellac. As I'm building up my color, I may add iron, steel, zinc, copper and earth," Jones said. "The larger ones are more aggressive. Yet they are related to the smaller ones."

ALTHOUGH HIGHLY textural, Jones' paintings lack almost entirely any traditional form, shapes or line. Colors are either subtle or intense.

"The surface is quite rough but flat," Jones said. "Colors are very much earth tones, deep brown, rust, red, deep green and cream. There is an intensity of the color combined with a subtlety of color. I'm not so sure that they've come from earth in a way."

Essential to viewing Jones' work is the knowledge of techniques used to manipulate the medium. To make the medium work for him and achieve effects unattainable by other means, action painters are continuing to discover possibilities unheard of 50 years ago.

"The process of creation is very important to responding to the paintings. The paintings are process oriented," Jones said. "It's very intuitive. Sometimes I brush the paint on, sometimes it's applied with my hand. At one time or another, I've used a power sander, torch and wide spackler to work the medium. Sometimes the paint is poured on. The painting is on the ground sometimes."

FOR JONES, "the process is very intuitive."

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## Gallery exhibit explores 'space'

See Exhibitions, 4D

By Mary Klemic  
staff writer

They're not just rooms with a view, they're rooms that are the view.

A massive installation at the Cranbrook Academy of Art Museum, 500 Lone Pine in Bloomfield Hills, has turned three galleries into giant, colorful works of art that celebrate the institution in which they are housed. The installation by Winifred Lutz, "Floor to Ceiling/Surface to Edge/Vista," will run through April 5.

The ambitious project involved academy volunteers, staffers and graduate students along with the artist. For three weeks, their work included such tasks as staining the walls by hand with sponges, and tying long strings of twine to black stones.

Each part of the installation communicates with the room in a special way. Using sponges to stain the wall lets its natural color come through in places, for example. You become more and more aware of the height and width of each gallery, as well as of its very placement in Cranbrook grounds, the more and more you walk around each installation.

"The whole space becomes the work of art," said associate curator David Rau, who coordinated the installation.

THE WALLS of the first gallery a viewer sees are stained terra-cotta, referring to the earth. A flat clay platform, resembling a large chocolate bar, almost fills the room. The clay will continue drying throughout the show, changing colors and cracking in different areas. This platform is directly under the grids in the ceiling.

The walls of the north gallery, to the left, are stained blue, a reference to the sky. Blue also could refer to northern or colder climes.

Here a brick column connects the floor and ceiling. A floor of bricks keeps the viewer from getting close to the column. Walking along the

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## Art group heightens involvement to expand horizons

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Sherry Eid, club president. "It's always nice to hear from other people. You get totally different feedback than you would from just showing your work to friends."

Eid has no qualms about the club unveiling its first major exhibition in the city hall.

"Livonia doesn't have all the galleries Birmingham does," she said. "So the city hall acts as quite a focal point for the visual arts. It's a central part of the city."

SMALLER CLUB exhibits have been held at the Farmington Community Library and at Jacobson's in Livonia and Dearborn.

Eid, who enjoys capturing the realism of people in colored pencil, looks forward to the spring opening of the new exhibit gallery in the Livonia Civic Center Library, the club's meeting place since late summer.

Club exhibits provide an outlet for



Bob Sklar

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— David Messing

members who don't have enough quality material to exhibit on their own, "but have one or two pictures they'd really like to show to people," Eid said.

"We've got a lot of versatility —

from commercial artists to wildlife artists," said Livonia artist David Messing, a fine arts sculptor.

"If you're brand new to art, you can come in and feel pretty comfortable. We try to make things as instructional and unstructured as possible."

To further enlighten its membership, Artifacts will introduce two club workshops this year. Tennessee native Robert Byrd of Woodhaven will talk pastels in a three-part series March 9, 16 and 23 at Messing's Art Store and More in Livonia.

Preliminary plans call for club members Gwen Senatore and Marsha Weigand to lead a solar painting workshop in June based on the book "In Harmony with Nature," by Maxine Masterfield.

ARTIFACTS GREW from a core membership of art students and teachers at Art Store and More. Eid,

a student at the store for the past six years, was one of those founding members.

The club now meets at 7 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of each month in the Livonia Civic Center Library. Yearly dues is \$20.

"We have a variety of interests but we share a common goal of advancing our knowledge in artistic areas," said Colaluca, who has taught art to kids ages 6-14 at Art Store and More the past three years. "I think everyone has more art training now and is getting more involved in other areas, beyond the art discipline they started out."

Members dabble in sculpture, pottery, colored pencil, pen and ink, photography, painting, calligraphy and jewelry. Meetings may feature guest speakers or group critiques. The club also takes field trips to art shows.

"What I like most about our group

is the great range in experience, media and styles," Eid said. "We learn from each other."

Farmington Hills artist Edee Joppich, a Visual Art Association of Livonia faculty member, will offer critiques at the March 24 meeting.

SOME ARTIFACTS members are VAAL students. Colaluca, for example, has studied watercolor under Joppich. She's now studying pastel under Audrey DeMarco.

Artifacts never was intended to compete with bigger art clubs in the area. As Messing put it: "It's easy to slip into a schedule of meetings. What we try to do is provide time to bring artwork in and talk to each other about it — to critique it and discuss media, techniques and style. That's all the club's supposed to be."

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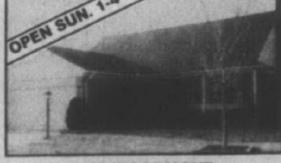
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FOR SOME Horowitz fans, just seeing the master's piano may offer

a clue to his artistry, Hoy said.

Mary Siciliano, a Livonia piano instructor, believes seeing Horowitz's piano may be even more important to her students than listening to his concert recordings.

"So many younger students don't realize what a legend he (Horowitz) is. This is a wonderful opportunity to relate this information to them. Seeing the piano and being able to play it is more concrete than watching a video or listening to Horowitz on tape," Siciliano said.

"I've often told students, 'Mr. Horowitz's hand position is everything I've told you not to do, but if you can play the way he did, do it.'"

It was Horowitz's wife, Wanda, a constant companion of the maestro and the daughter of composer Arturo Toscanini, who came up with the idea for this ambitious U.S. tour.

journeys from his New York City apartment to London, Tokyo, Vienna and finally to his homeland in 1986 for his famous performance at the Moscow Conservatory.

Steinway still makes the Model D (for about \$67,900 today) the way it did in 1934 when Horowitz bought his instrument.

Since Steinways are mostly hand-

assembled (each takes a year to finish) and known for excellent timbre changes, rich "color," wide sound range and a keyboard that responds to a whisper, a serious pianist tries out several before making a choice.

Horowitz picked one that responded to his forceful technique, which some called almost "demonic." The maestro had his concert grand cus-

tomized somewhat inside (hammers are higher to create greater volume) to complement his distinctive style.

Horowitz bought another Model D five years before his death, but the original Steinway was his favorite.

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### ROBERT KIDD GALLERY

Thursday, Feb. 27 - A three-person exhibition of paintings by Adele Duck, Roger Bruinekoel and sculpture by Sharon Que runs to March 28. Duck, a Canadian abstract artist, shows paintings distinguished by line and color. Bruinekoel's canvases are realistic images of giant flowers. Que's small wall sculptures are made from metal, wood, glass and found objects. Opening reception: 7-9 p.m. Feb. 27. Hours: 10:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 107 Townsend, Birmingham.

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To Feb. 28 - "The View from Draper Hill: An Exhibition of Original Drawings by Detroit News Editorial Cartoonist Draper Hill." Hours are noon to 5 p.m. Wednesday-Saturday, 217 Farnsworth, adjacent to the Detroit Institute of Arts, 831-1250.

### THE COMMUNITY CENTER

To Feb. 28 - Original pastels, charcoal and graphite drawings by

artists Peggy Smith and Betty Shaw are on display at the center, 24705 Farmington Road, between 10 and 11 Mile in Farmington Hills. Hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday-Friday, 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, 477-8404.

### CENTER GALLERIES

To Feb. 28 - "Organic Sensibilities: Recent Sculpture by Barbara Cooper and Joan Livingstone" continues. Cooper and Livingstone, graduates of the Cranbrook Academy of Art, create large-scale sculptures that are sensual, curvaceous and flowing in shape and outline.

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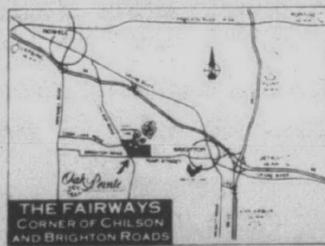
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## Lecture on abstract art

Ray Frost Fleming will conduct a lecture on understanding abstract art as part of the Cranbrook P.M. series at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 4, in Gordon Hall, 550 Lone Pine, Bloomfield Hills.

The lecture will be followed by a visit to the Robert Kidd Gallery of Birmingham, with which Fleming is affiliated, at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 11.

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# 'Space' exploration launched

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edges of this floor, the viewer becomes acquainted with the size of the room. Gravel is arranged along the perimeter of the room.

TO THE right of the center gallery is the south gallery, which is stained green, alluding to vegetation (and southern or warmer climes). Like the north gallery, a narrow brown strip runs along the top and bottom of the room, as though the entire space were in a frame.

This gallery features straw instead of gravel, and dark Mexican beach pebbles, tied with twine, hanging from the ceiling almost to the floor. Looking through the twine reminds one of looking into a forest.

Handmade paper is spread on part of the floor under the stones, not covering it but rather shading it. Again, you appreciate the floor and ceiling the more you move to study the work.

THIS YEAR is the 50th anniversary of the museum. The galleries were designed by famed architect Eliel Saarinen.

Many aspects of the installation

have special significance to Cranbrook. Lutz graduated from Cranbrook's sculpture department in 1968. The materials used in the installation reflect several departments in the academy: architecture, ceramics, fiber, painting and sculpture.

This installation makes viewers familiar with the museum, as well as those who are relatively new visitors, more aware of the space it's in. Rau was asked if the ceiling was raised in the center gallery, he said. (It wasn't.)

Those who were involved in the installation gained special appreciation of the galleries, as they physically touched the walls and hung the pebbles.

The Cranbrook Academy of Art Museum is open 1-5 p.m. Wednesday-Sunday. Docent-guided tours for groups of 10 or more are available with advance notice Tuesday-Friday. Lutz will give a public lecture on her work at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 11, in the deSalle Auditorium in the museum. Call 645-3323 between 9 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday-Friday.

## creative impressions

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### ● CALLIGRAPHY DISPLAY

Livonia Arts Commission will present a calligraphy exhibit by Linda McVicar of Novi March 3-30.

The exhibit may be seen in the display cases on the second floor of the Livonia Civic Center Library, Five Mile and Farmington Road, during regular library hours: 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday-Thursday; 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Friday-Saturday; 1-5 p.m. Sunday.

McVicar holds a bachelor of arts degree in art education and a vocational certificate in graphics from Wayne State.

She has worked in free-lance lettering arts and graphic design and now does custom work through her studio, The Written Word. She has taught in the Livonia, Farmington and Southfield community education programs.

McVicar has conducted workshops for the Michigan Association of Cal-

ligraphers and is a regular attendee at the International Conference of Lettering Artists.

She's on the steering committee for the 1992 ICLA conference in July at Oakland University. She also coordinates the Scribe Store, the official retail sales outlet for conference materials and a boutique for all participants to consign their calligraphic work.

McVicar has had her work accepted in four Michigan Association of Calligraphers juried exhibits and many open shows. She's also active in the Visual Arts Association of Livonia.

### ● FINE ARTS

A fine arts class for kids starts Saturday, March 7, at the Canton Recreation Center, Michigan Avenue at Sheldon Road.

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Spacious and immaculate family home in a great area of Livonia...

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Enjoy quiet evenings in front of the fireplace in this well maintained 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath home...

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DELIGHTFULLY DIFFERENT! Style home in a wonderful neighborhood. Corner lot, side garage, 3 bedrooms with extra large master, 2 fireplaces, professional decor & landscaping...

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Very nice 3 bedroom brick ranch in great area of Livonia. Pretty living room with bay window, 3 bedroom kitchen with built-in dishwasher...

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For all details, call on this 4 bedroom brick colonial. Full basement, formal dining room, family room/natural fireplace, den, central air, security system, 1st floor laundry...

Look At The Room
That is offered by this N. Livonia home with its 3 large bedrooms, family room with natural fireplace, and spacious country kitchen that has been remodeled. And yes, this home offers Livonia schools, \$25,900.

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A one care plus a second two car detached garage. Two separate driveways, corner lot plus extra lot, fruit trees in back. Priced below market value. Motivated seller, bring all offers. This will not last, \$79,900.

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to find a 4 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath colonial in N.W. Livonia for under \$150,000. But here it is, and a central air family room with fireplace, remodeled kitchen, formal dining room, and newer carpet throughout. \$148,716

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ENCOUNTER THE QUIET
With this three bedroom, two full bath with tudor in popularity, this ranch never hot water heater, new heat exchanger, central air, Spaciosa kitchen with abundance of cabinets, 2 cupboards, one stainless steel walk-in pantry, Perquod wood floor. All this overlooking the gracious 25 x 15 family room with side windows on each side of fireplace. Doorway leading to patio with backyard privacy galore. \$129,900

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Updated 3 bedroom bungalow. New brick, central air, hardwood floors. \$130,000. (203AS4) 642-2490

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Just when you thought you would never find a 3 bedroom ranch on a large lot with a huge kitchen with remodeled bath in N. Canton in mint condition - here it is only \$78,000.

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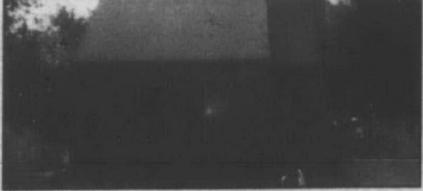
**NOVI**  
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**SPLendor OF AMENITIES** come with this brick cedar trim home. Double entry foyer w/ceramic tile. Sunken patio off family room. Premium woodwork, 3 baths, central air and many updates.  
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**DOUBLE LOT!** Three bedroom aluminum home in a family neighborhood. Two blocks from elementary school. 24x24 oversized garage. Close to everything, shopping & hospitals. House has Home Warranty.  
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**WARNER FARM RANCH!** Offers 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, formal dining area, finished basement, updated kitchen, newer heat exchanger and blown-in roof insulation.  
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**PLYMOUTH**  
**SPECTACULAR** lake view, 2.6 acre ravine & wooded parcel. 2 story quality, custom new construction. 3 bedrooms, jacuzzi in master bath. Great room w/marble fireplace. Computer room and 1st floor laundry.  
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**WESTLAND**  
**GREAT PRICE.** Newlyweds and investors will LOVE this cozy ranch located in a quiet family neighborhood. All window treatments and some appliances stay. Immediate occupancy. Won't last long, so call today.  
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**UNCRAMP YOUR STYLE** - This large family home has 2 master bedrooms, living room, family room w/fireplace, spacious country kitchen with appliances. Full basement, fenced yard. Lots of potential here. HURRY!!!  
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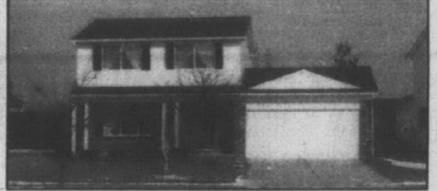
**PLYMOUTH**  
**LOCATION, LOCATION, LOCATION.** This spacious 3 bedroom, 2 full bath condo, located in Plymouth and a short jog to downtown, has so much to offer. Don't let this pass you by.  
**\$94,900 (S-11745) 455-7000**



**LIVONIA**  
**A RARE FIND.** Cozy, charming, and on almost one acre of country atmosphere. Three bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, family room, recreation room - more than 2000 sq. ft. 16x32 in-ground pool. Land Contract offered.  
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**CANTON**  
**OUT OF THIS WORLD** is this custom built, 3 bedroom beauty on 3/4 acre lot. 1 1/2 baths, both remodeled. Kitchen remodeled with oak cabinets. Full basement, formal dining room, 2 car garage.  
**\$118,000 326-2000**



**CANTON**  
**THE PRICE IS RIGHT!** Large colonial has 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, attached garage and a huge country kitchen. Family room has vaulted ceilings, fireplace, French doors and garden window! Great open floor plan.  
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**WAYNE**  
**VALUE AND CHARM.** Pride shows here! Updates include: carpet, circuit breakers, paint, added insulation, new storage shed, parquet floor in kitchen. Very nicely decorated. Lots of storage. FHA & VA O.K.  
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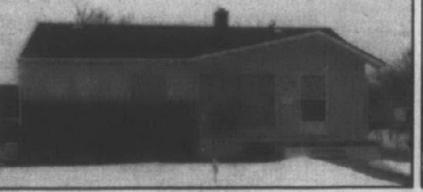
**LIVONIA**  
**GREAT LOCATION.** Beautiful ground floor one bedroom condo in quiet complex. Includes stove, refrigerator, dishwasher, central air, enclosed balcony and carport. Clubhouse and pool.  
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**WESTLAND**  
**HOME ON THE RANGE.** This spacious ranch has all the room you're looking for. Fireplace in living room, wood stove in the family room, kitchen w/built-ins, dining room, 2 full baths. A riding mower is part of the deal.  
**\$89,900 326-2000**



**CANTON**  
**A RARE FIND** 3 bedroom contemporary colonial with 2 1/2 baths, formal living room, family room w/ cathedral ceiling. Open modern kitchen, partially finished basement, 1st floor laundry, central air and more. 2 years old.  
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**LIVONIA**  
**ONE OF LIVONIA'S BEST.** Lovely Kimberly Oaks ranch. Many updates including all-new kitchen & floorings, new Andersen windows, plus newer furnace and new copper plumbing. This one won't last long.  
**\$106,444 261-0700**



**NORTHVILLE**  
**PRESTIGIOUS NORTHVILLE.** Great family oriented sub with elementary school and lake privileges. Colonial, 4 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, family room fireplace, living room, formal dining room, bay window, eat-in kitchen.  
**\$164,000 (SCE) 348-6430**



**WESTLAND**  
**A HAVEN FOR A HANDY PERSON** is this 3 bedroom Cape Cod bungalow. 1 1/2 baths, rec room, breezeway to 2 car garage on one-third acre for only  
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**NOVI**  
**PRICE DRASTICALLY REDUCED** on this beautiful rambling ranch!! Over 3,000 sq. ft. of living space plus 2.9 acre lot with mature trees make this home country living at its best, yet close to everything!!!  
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**REDFORD**  
**SUPER VALUE BRICK RANCH.** Fantastic location - schools & shopping in walking distance, approximately 1/4 acre privacy lot, 3 bedrooms, newer furnace, carpet, water heater, natural fireplace, garage, large basement. Ready to move in!  
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**NOVI**  
**HOMEARAMA MODEL.** Buy now at pre-construction prices. 1st floor master suite overlooks ravine setting. Adjacent to proposed nature park. Asking  
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**CANTON**  
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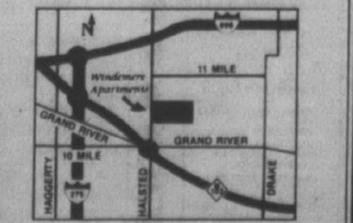
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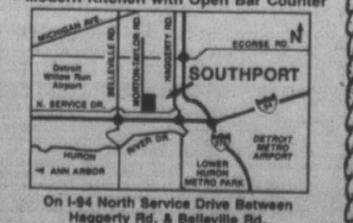
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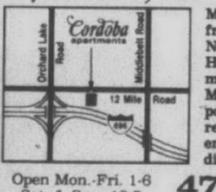


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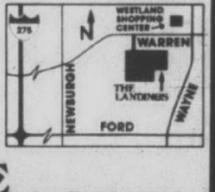
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SOUTHFIELD - 3 bedroom brick ranch, with 1 1/2 baths and fenced yard, first floor laundry. Leave message, \$750 month. 644-0624

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# January sales give area agents reason to smile

By Doug Funke  
staff writer

Housing sales in metro Detroit showed dramatic gains last month compared to January of 1991, buoying real estate professionals as they gear up for the prime selling months of March, April and May.

The 26 Real Estate One offices here set a dollar-volume record for January. A few more than 660 houses and condominiums sold last

month for an aggregate \$80.9 million, said Michael Bartlett, senior vice president of sales management for the firm headquartered in Farmington Hills.

The former January record was \$69.6 million on 612 sales in 1990.

Sales activity last month substantially surpassed activity in January 1991 when the U.S. launched air attacks in the Persian Gulf. Real Estate One sold 473 units for \$55.6 million then.

Increases in sales activity last month were especially pronounced in Wayne County, Bartlett said. Some 271 units were sold for \$21.2 million compared to 136 units for \$9.3 million in January 1991.

"I think the most important thing is the public never gets hurt by buying and selling in the same market," Bartlett said. "We're kind of at a window now where interest rates are down and demand is not so great that prices rise too quickly.

"WE'VE BEEN increasing our market share," he said. "Obviously, some of the increase is in sales prices. It appears that upper end property is moving better than last year."

Real Estate One also set a monthly record last October and is on pace to set a record for February with sales up 64 percent for the first three weeks, Bartlett said.

Century 21, the largest real estate network in metro Detroit with 102 offices, also reported double-digit

percentage increases both in units sold and dollar volume.

Some 1,991 units were sold for \$137.8 million last month compared to 1,770 units for \$111.7 million in January 1991. Figures last month also showed a steady increase over December numbers of 1,816 sales at \$125.9 million.

"There's still a lot of activity," said Bill McCullen, regional vice president for Century 21 Great Lakes, a franchising firm in Novi. "People are getting into the market."

in prices because of the uncertain economy. It's really a balanced market," he said.

Coldwell Banker Schweitzer Real Estate, with 19 offices in metro Detroit, confirmed the trend.

That network, headquartered in Sterling Heights, sold 309 houses for \$36.7 million last month compared to 266 for \$28.6 million during January 1991, said Diane McPharlin, marketing director.

"We feel there is a trend now of consumer confidence returning for whatever reason," she said. "Buyers can take advantage of low interest rates and get more home for the money."

"IT'S A GOOD time, because of interest rates, for buyers to be buying. Sellers are a little more reasonable

## Buyer brokering has advantages

I have been approached by a broker to help me find a condominium or single-family home for a fee. Is this a good idea?

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ing broker need not worry about being held vicariously liable for the acts of the agent who is working with the buyer, and with whom the seller has no contact. But be sure your listing agreement is reviewed by a knowledgeable real estate lawyer before you sign it.

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ship, I would tell your neighbor that you have been experiencing some problems with her cats. There may not be a lot that the neighbor can do about the cats scampering about in the middle of the night.

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then you must review your condominium documents and consult with the board in regard to what action it or you may take against your neighbor should that become necessary. To the extent you can resolve the matter amicably, you should attempt to do so and not be hesitant about it.

Robert M. Meisner is a Birmingham attorney concentrating his practice in the areas of condominiums, real estate and corporate law. You are invited to submit topics you would like to see discussed in this column by writing Robert M. Meisner at 30200 Telegraph Road, Suite 467, Bingham Farms 48025. This column provides general information and should not be construed as legal opinion.

## Realtors help homeless

It was a "homey" kind of Valentine's Day when \$2,700 was raised for the homeless by the Western Wayne Oakland County Association of Realtors.

Wayne County Family Center director Linda Makowski accepted the money on behalf of her organization, which seeks help for security deposits and first month's rents for homeless persons. At capacity, Wayne County Family Center, Westland, temporarily houses 24 homeless families.

More than 150 WWOCAR members paid \$12.50 to attend a buffet luncheon at Novi's Home Sweet Home restaurant, where owner

Steve Romanik donated his restaurant, food and staff for the event.

According to Chris Sheldon, WWOCAR director of membership services director, membership committee members, led by Patricia Stokes, sought out a charity event in place of a quarterly meeting.

"Because we're in real estate, we can appreciate the value of having a place to call yours," Sheldon said of the connection between her industry and the homeless.

The Salvation Army, which provided a four-piece brass band for the afternoon's entertainment, was also a recipient of WWOCAR generosity, which received a \$300 donation and household items.

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# Building Scene

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Solid wood fireplace mantels like this one are one of Bruno Trentacost's specialties. Delicate scroll work and carved friezes make each mantle unique and a showcase for the room.

## Attention to detail inspires 'old-world' craftsmanship

By Gerald Frawley  
staff writer

Carved fireplace mantels, solid-wood chiseled doors, sculptured stair rails, molded architectural trim, hand-fashioned display pedestals, delicately cut cornices, shaped panels, built-in cabinets, intricate wall and ceiling castings, simple and elaborate reliefs — the list almost is as endless as the imagination.

Bruno Trentacost sweats the details.

Trentacost, owner, president, laborer, supervisor and designer of Custom Design Woodwork Inc. in Clarkston, is one of the best-known, most widely used interior trim designers and finish carpenters who has worked in some of the area's grandest homes.

His may not be a household name, but when builders or corporate chiefs building their own homes want a special job, they call Bruno Trentacost.

Trentacost's resume of designs and projects include the homes of such luminaries as Alan Kiriluk of Kirco Realty and Development, George Millidrag, former president of Entech Service Ltd., Leo Volpe, owner of Four Bears Water Park, and Hoot McNerny, owner of eight metro-area auto dealerships.

TALK TO HIS customers and you hear words like "old world craftsmanship" and "attention to detail." Talk to Trentacost and you hear things like "God, I love doing this."

To Trentacost, what he does is as much an avocation as it is a vocation. "Today, they sell homes by location, and furniture and exteriors, but I prefer the old-fashioned way — we use the old trades."

A good house, he says, is not dependent on location, location, location, as Realtors are fond of saying, but by attention to detail and infusing humanity into it.

"This is what we do," Trentacost says, almost bouncing up the front steps to a newly completed home in Bloomfield Township. "Everything from the front door in . . ." he adds, gesturing towards the 10-foot, solid wood, hand-carved entrance door.

"Another one of my customers saw this and wants one just like it," he said later. "But we don't do the same thing twice — everything we do is one of a kind."

Thomas Alberts, president of Executive Square Corp. in Birmingham and the builder of some of the most elegant homes in Oakland County, said he can't recall when he first heard of Trentacost's or his work, but he has used him for several homes.

Not many carpenters and interior trim designers are capable of doing the type of work Trentacost does, Alberts said. "With the right direction, yes, but Bruno is unique in that he is creative."

Alberts said that he knows of several instances where people he has built homes for have called Trentacost back for other projects.

Trentacost doesn't just take someone else's designs and make them a reality, he develops designs of his own. "He researches things out, looks in books, knows the lines — a lot of guys just don't apply themselves like Bruno."

Turning the knob, the ex-Harper Woods kid, now 34-year-old entrepreneur and skilled tradesman, pushes the door with his fingertips and the door glides open into the vestibule. He half spins, taking in the results of more than a year of design, labor and sweat.

"This is what I'm getting paid for," he says, pointing out even the smallest details in each room he enters. "I show them what they're thinking," Trentacost explains.

"He tells me what he's thinking — maybe Louis the 14th or whatever — and I go off that and make a style they want," he said. A homeowner may have a favorite piece of furniture or an antique, and Trentacost will borrow stylings from it and transfer it to the walls and ceilings.

Trentacost said that's one of the reasons he's been so successful, but it's not the only reason. "What you see here is also a little bit of myself."

"I love fine detailing and the way things come together," he said.

"What we did in this house should be here for hundreds of years," he said. "I still get a kick out that — someone a hundred years from now could say something like, 'Wow, I didn't know they still did that type of work in the 1990s.'"

"I don't think there's anything nicer than being responsible for a finished product."

"There are a lot of carpenters out there, but not many who can do what we do," he says proudly. "I think it has a lot to do with the concern of the craft people who do the work."

GENERALLY TRENTACOST is hired by the builder, but works through with the homeowner because what he does depends a great deal on the homeowner's personal taste. A lot of the house's finished trim work depends on the type of furniture the homeowner prefers.

"I give a complete concept on an entire room or an entire house," Trentacost said. After sitting down with the homeowner, Trentacost said he can spend of thinking and researching before ever setting pencil to paper.

"It's a lot of heartache and a lot of thinking," he said. "I can visualize a room finished before we ever start on it."

That doesn't mean a job doesn't evolve after it begins, but surprisingly, there are few changes. "I've been very fortunate, no one has ever asked me to change a design," he said.

Not every project he works on is a grand mansion. "People hire me for big jobs, little jobs — even pieces," he said. "I might do just a fireplace mantle."

He has worked in homes from 5,000 to 30,000 square feet, but admits he specializes in the grand mansions built in some of the area's more up-scale neighborhoods. "We specialize in that because we have the crew (13 men) and machinery to handle it."

Sometimes, jobs have taken as long as two years, but four or five months on a job are about the norm.

"The first job I ever did was a fireplace mantle for my mother," he said. "She still loves it."

TRENTACOST SAID he has always been interested in fine woodworking and as a young man suspected he would make his living at it. While in school he entered and placed highly in several furniture design and building competitions.

"My father was a commercial artist, so I guess some of that (artistic sense) may have brushed off."

After school, he worked at a cabinet shop but hired on as a finish carpenter when he got the chance. After several years of apprenticing, Trentacost decided it was time to start on his own.

"I've been doing this for about 10 years now — the first three as a finish carpenter, but that grew into what I do now — interior trim design."



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Trentacost does not limit his design work to wood. Some molding work around a door, for example, may not be appropriate for wood so he designs plaster castings, incorporating ideas from throughout the home to present a unified design.

He also makes designs for stone cuttings or material suggestions like marble floors. But you'll never see the same design in more than one house. Everything is one of a kind.



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# Mortgage rates spur construction

(AP) — Housing starts jumped a strong 5.5 percent in January, bolstered by a surge of building activity in the Midwest.

The U.S. Commerce Department said builders started construction of single-family homes and apartments at a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 1.17 million units, the highest level in 20 months.

The January gain followed a 1.9-percent increase in December, revised down from a previous estimate of 2.6 percent. Starts were flat in November and rose in October. The last decline was recorded in September.

Economists were likely to see the increase as a hopeful sign of economic revival. Housing usually is the first sector to recover from a recession. Increased housing construction and sales tend to stimulate sales of

big-ticket factory goods such as furniture and appliances.

January's increase was heavily concentrated in apartment construction. It rose 36.9 percent to 193,000 units. Single-family starts, which had soared 6.4 percent in December, were up 0.9 percent to 974,000 units in January.

OVERALL STARTS were down everywhere but the Midwest, where they rose 33.9 percent to a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 324,000 units, the highest in two years. They had risen 9.5 percent in December.

In other regions, starts fell 7.6 in the Northeast to a rate of 134,000 units, 0.9 percent in the South to 459,000 units and 2.3 percent in the West to 250,000 units.

In a hopeful sign for the future, applications for building permits

jumped 6 percent in January to 1.12 million units, following a 6.2-percent gain in December.

Economists say lower mortgage rates are behind the upturn. Rates fell through most of last year, hitting a 19-year low early in January before rising somewhat since.

Analysts are counting on continued strength in housing to ensure recovery from the recession that began in July 1990. Housing starts last year totaled just 1.01 million, a 14.9-percent drop from 1990 and the worst showing in 46 years.



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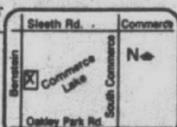
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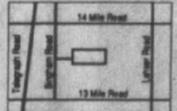


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# Architecture students urged to add business classes

By R.J. King  
special writer

How do today's architectural students feel about planning and designing the cities and neighborhoods of tomorrow?

Three graduating seniors at Lawrence Technological University in Southfield welcome the opportunity to complement and embellish upon the work of their predecessors. At the same time, these students, and others like them, are responding to a dearth in construction and industry hiring by specializing in mass transportation or graphic design while adding more business classes to their curriculum.

"Let's face it, more people today are realizing that architecture is a business, and students need to complement their creative talents with business management principles or face the consequences," said Allan Cohen, a Lawrence Tech student who plans to graduate in May.

To that end, the university is in the early stages of linking its bachelor of architecture program, a five-year program serving more than 900 students, with its master of business administration program, typically a two-year effort. The link between site design and statistics will offer future graduates greater opportunities to survive recessions, especially as the American Institute of Architects reports annual industry revenues have declined between 30 and 50 percent since 1986. In some markets, close to 25 percent of architects are said to be out of work.

"IN MICHIGAN, the architectural industry has been somewhat insulated from the national slowdown, but we have seen the construction of large commercial office buildings fall off considerably," said Neville Clouten, dean of the College of Architecture and Design at Lawrence Tech.

"Part of the slowdown is due to the difficulty of securing financing, so we're strongly encouraging our students to add more business classes to their studies to help compensate for the problem and offer future clients viable alternatives. We want to shed the image that architecture is just someone hovering over a drafting table."

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Apart from these trends, today's graduating seniors hope to offer more humane strokes to their art, in a sense viewing themselves not as epic heroes, but as healers working to make communities more harmonious and friendly while avoiding cookie-cutter designs and uninspired solutions.

"In the last several years, the industry has really learned to offer more community-minded designs, especially with the addition of I-696," said Wayne Sieloff, a May graduate. "The planners were very careful about not creating a barrier which would divide entire communities in half."

"In some spots, parks were built over the freeway to encourage pedestrian traffic and shopping. In the past, freeways like the Chrysler and Lodge were built with only the car in mind, so that someone living on one side of the Lodge found a complete barrier in place if the grocery store was on the other side."

IN TURN, while in the past 40 years, city planners have been successful in separating factories from neighborhoods, by zoning industrial plants in one area and residential structures in another, the Lawrence Tech students noted that the principles of zoning are too often incompatible with community.

For example, without the aid of quality mass transportation in metro Detroit, many of the poor became trapped in the city, surrounded by freeways so that the more affluent could ride in their automobiles without seeing anything that might disturb them.

"There is a great need for zoning, if only to keep things like smokestacks from neighborhoods, but since the Detroit community is so auto-focused, as people moved out to the

suburbs, they left behind a sense of what community is all about," said Betty Lee Seydler-Sweatt, assistant dean of the College of Architecture.

"Fifty years ago in Detroit, people mostly walked to do their errands and were often greeted by neighbors or nearby merchants with a hello. But in the suburbs, everything is divided by zoning, and the automobile has kept people insulated until they arrive at their destination."

Older communities with solid downtown districts that mix storefronts with office buildings, apartments with theatres, have escaped the suburban schism of zoning to some degree, Sweatt-Seydler said. Examples of such suburban downtowns include Birmingham, Farmington, Plymouth and Rochester.

Meanwhile, evaluating the most celebrated office tower in the metropolitan area in years, One Detroit Center in downtown Detroit, Dale Wolicki, who will graduate in May, said the structure was "leaps and bounds ahead of anything going up in the suburbs."

"I think architects are coming to understand that marketing plays a key part in whether an office building will be successful. With One Detroit Center, Houston developer Gerald Hines has paid a great deal of attention to design and quality, two features which can be marketed very successfully to upscale clients."



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To help expose future architects, builders and developers to state-of-the-art design and construction concepts, the Builders Association of Southeastern Michigan (BASM) in Farmington Hills, has started its own student chapter.

"We wanted to give students a chance to meet their future colleagues while at the same time allow the scholastic and professional to open lines of communication," said Sam Kreis, vice president of construction lending for Comerica in Auburn Hills, and director of BASM's student program.

Since its inception last September, the BASM student chapter has enrolled more than 40 members, most of whom attend Lawrence Technological University in Southfield. Kreis said plans are to establish five to 10 additional chapters at colleges and universities based in southeastern Michigan.

In addition to attending seminars sponsored by BASM and its members, students are encouraged to compete in construction management projects at regional and national levels.

BASM is the regional division of the National Association of Home Builders.

To date, two student chapters have been established — Lawrence Tech and Macomb Community College — and Kreis said discussions were under way with other area institutions.

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 <p><b>1992 LUMINA 4-DOOR SEDAN</b> 50/40 split bench with seat adjustment, power door lock system, rear defogger, 3.1 liter MPI V6 engine, automatic, steel ball joint radius arms, AM/FM stereo cassette, air, cruise, SR DEMO #5045. WAS. \$19,934 <b>NOW \$12,146*</b></p>	 <p><b>1992 LUMINA 4-DOOR SEDAN</b> 50/40 split bench, electric rear defogger, 3.1 L MPI V6 engine, automatic with overdrive, steel ball joint radius arms, electric ball joint, AM/FM stereo cassette, digital clock, air, speed control, SR wheel DEMO #1133. WAS. \$19,944 <b>NOW \$11,995*</b></p>	 <p><b>1992 LUMINA EURO 4-DOOR SEDAN</b> Cloth seats w/cassette, rear defogger, 3.1 L MPI V6 engine, automatic w/overdrive, 15" aluminum wheels, steel ball joint radius arms, AM/FM stereo cassette, power windows, doors &amp; locks, cruise DEMO #5004. WAS. \$17,879 <b>NOW \$13,850*</b></p>
 <p><b>1992 LUMINA 4-DOOR SEDAN</b> Cloth 60/40 split bench seat, rear defogger, 3.1 liter MPI V6 engine, automatic with overdrive, steel ball joint radius arms, AM/FM stereo cassette, air, power windows &amp; locks, cruise, SR DEMO #5043. WAS. \$18,526 <b>NOW \$12,700*</b></p>	 <p><b>1991 S-10 BLAZER 4-DOOR 4X4</b> Preferred equipment group savings, 4 speed automatic overdrive, V6 EFI engine, air, power windows &amp; door locks, AM/FM stereo cassette, aluminum wheels, cruise, SR, deep tinted glass &amp; more DEMO #7940. WAS. \$21,245 <b>NOW \$15,995*</b></p>	 <p><b>1991 BERETTA GT 2-DOOR COUPE</b> Cloth bucket seats, rear defogger, automatic, 3.1 L V6 engine, rear spoiler, steel ball joint radius arms, AM/FM stereo cassette, power windows, locks, cruise, SR, intermittent wipers, DEMO #5287. WAS. \$15,965 <b>NOW \$11,995*</b></p>
 <p><b>1991 BERETTA GT 2-DOOR COUPE</b> Electric rear defogger, automatic, 3.1 L MPI V6 engine, rear spoiler, 15" steel ball joint radius arms, AM/FM stereo cassette, power windows &amp; locks, cruise, SR, intermittent wipers, DEMO #5287. WAS. \$15,236 <b>NOW \$12,095*</b></p>	 <p><b>1991 S-10 BLAZER 4-DOOR 4X4</b> Preferred equipment group savings, air, power windows &amp; door locks, AM/FM stereo cassette and clock, aluminum wheels, cruise, SR, V6 EFI engine, rear defogger, two-tone paint, heavy duty leathering, Stock #7940. WAS. \$22,005 <b>NOW \$16,795*</b></p>	 <p><b>1991 BERETTA GT 2-DOOR COUPE</b> Electric rear defogger, automatic, 3.1 liter MPI V6 engine, steel ball joint radius arms, AM/FM stereo cassette, power windows &amp; locks, cruise, SR, intermittent wipers, DEMO #5287. WAS. \$14,999 <b>NOW \$11,750*</b></p>
 <p><b>1991 CORSICA LT 4-DOOR SEDAN</b> Cloth bucket seats, rear defogger, 2.2 liter EFI I4 engine, automatic, steel ball joint radius arms, console, air, speed control, SR wheel, rear view mirror with reading lamp, intermittent wipers, DEMO #5230. WAS. \$12,121 <b>NOW \$9495*</b></p>	 <p><b>1991 CORSICA LT 4-DOOR SEDAN</b> Electric rear defogger, 2.2 EFI I4 engine, automatic, steel ball joint radius arms, power windows, air, speed control, SR wheel, rear view mirror with reading lamp, intermittent wipers, DEMO #7104. WAS. \$12,476 <b>NOW \$9795*</b></p>	 <p><b>1991 CAPRICE CLASSIC 4-DOOR SEDAN</b> 3.0 L EFI V6 engine, SR/10 leather seat, rear defogger, automatic, trailer pkg., AM/FM stereo cassette, digital clock, power seats, speed control, SR wheel, remote mirror, keyless remote door locks, DEMO #5233. WAS. \$22,291 <b>NOW \$17,495*</b></p>

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	<p><b>1991 SIERRA FULL SIZE PICKUP</b> Stock #913286 Bench seat, cloth, heavy duty chassis, heavy duty front &amp; rear shocks, 4.3 V6, 5 speed, manual, AM/FM radio with clock, painted rear step bumper, full size spare. Sale Price <b>\$9944*</b> College Grad Discount \$500 College Grad Price \$9444 Lease for \$199<sup>69</sup> per month**</p>	<p><b>1992 T-SPORT</b> Stock #920269 Deep tinted glass, rear defogger, cast wheels, AM/FM cassette, luggage rack, 7 passenger seat, power locks, power windows and much more. Lease for \$299<sup>86</sup> month** List \$19,275 <b>Sale Price \$16,799*</b></p>

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WAS \$14,584  
IS **\$11,544\***

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IS **\$6124\***

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IS **\$7760\***

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IS **\$10,551\***

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