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# City OKs joint fire department



The long awaited joint fire department for the city of Plymouth and Plymouth Township will become a reality by Jan. 1, following approval Monday by the city.

BY BARBARA WILSON  
STAFF WRITER

The heat is off for city and township officials working to negotiate terms of a merged fire department. An agreement was approved Monday night by city commissioners after debate on several budgetary concerns.

Township board members approved the agreement Oct. 11.

The pact, which has been on the bargaining table for more than a year, creates one fire department serving Plymouth Township and the city of Plymouth. The new Plymouth Community Fire Department is expected

to be more efficient and less costly to operate.

City Manager Steven Walters said the new arrangement should be implemented by Jan. 1, if not a few weeks sooner. Much of the groundwork has already been set because of specific information needed for negotiations with the firefighters union. The union agreed to the plan this summer.

"Some cross-training is already scheduled and response maps have already been started," Walters said.

Cross-training is needed to educate the firefighters about the individual

communities and where significant buildings are, hazardous materials, etc.

While the township will enjoy the same services for less money, the city will benefit from improved services for less money, Walters said.

"Instead of having one station and two firefighters responding to a fire," Walters said. "We'll have two stations and four firefighters responding."

Residents of the northern section of the city will receive better service when trains would have otherwise

See FIRE, 2A

## House of horrors



BILL BRUHN/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

**Monsters galore:** Doors are open at the Plymouth Canton Jaycees 1994 Haunted House Oct. 20-30 at 340 N. Main Street, behind the Plymouth Landing restaurant. The haunted house is open from 7-10 p.m. Sunday through Thursday, and 7 p.m. to midnight Friday and Saturday. There is a friendly monster hour 6-7 p.m. Friday, but small children are not encouraged to visit during regular spook house hours. Admission is \$6 for adults and \$4 for children under 12.

## Teachers put students on info highway

BY M.B. DILLON  
STAFF WRITER

When they arrived to set up their classrooms in August, teachers at Hoben Elementary learned that computers had arrived, but that Hoben wasn't scheduled to go on-line until March.

That didn't stop teachers Shelly Rybarsyk, Barb Greanya and Karen Huston from taking the initiative to become computer literate on their own.

It was a relatively easy task for Huston. Huston is a fourth- and fifth-grade teacher who formerly worked as a training specialist for Dynacom, the company working with the district as it joins the "information superhighway" of distance learning, interactive television and high technology.

**'Companies keep saying we need to prepare children for 2010 — this is part of it. You use what you've got.'**

Teacher Shelly Rybarsyk

Six years ago, Rybarsyk didn't know how to turn on a computer.

"I have a Macintosh at home, and I learned on that. It's a growing process," said Rybarsyk. "Barb and I unpacked one of these and spent time after school working on them."

Rybarsyk and Greanya became comfortable enough with the technology that they organized voluntary after-school training sessions for fellow teachers.

Custodians unpacked the boxes, Principal Joyce Deren gave her blessing, and 17 of 19 teachers agreed to attend the weekly sessions.

"Just because we aren't on the list until March didn't mean we had to sit around and wait. That would have been a waste of time and money,"

See HIGHWAY, 2A

## Schools mull naming names of expelled kids

BY M.B. DILLON  
STAFF WRITER

The Plymouth-Canton Board of Education is debating whether to make public the names of expelled students. The possibility was first suggested by former board member Carl Battishill.

Superintendent Charles Little said his cabinet is of the opinion that "no useful purpose is served by publicizing the names. In my opinion, we're in an age where, for older youngsters, there needs to be some accountability for behavior. When the media requests the information, legally we have to give it anyway."

Little sought the board's input, adding that some contend the practice makes martyrs out of young people.

Tom Tattan, executive director for instruction, said that given new legislation that makes expulsion manda-

tory for students caught with weapons, "it's a different ballgame."

"You could be expelling elementary and middle school students."

Trustee Sue Davis is director of youth assistant programs at Growth Works, a human services agency in Plymouth.

"I think kids have to be accountable," she said. "We have enabled some of their behaviors to continue on and on. When expulsion comes, kids have made a decision to have that happen because they've made a choice not to get the help they need. We need to look at how we protect kids from facing consequences."

Trustee Barbara Graham said she can see "positives and negatives to publishing names. But other than embarrassing the family, I don't think the kid would care."

See BOARD, 3A

## Bidders' delights

From dinner at the Whitney via a chauffeured Rolls Royce — to a birthday party for eight at McDonald's . . . From a cruise on the Sovereign of the Seas — to a sleigh ride for two . . . From a day of shopping in New York City — to a hayride . . . this year's Plymouth Community Chamber of Commerce Auction '94 offers the proverbial "something for everyone," according to this year's co-chairmen, Denni Englehart and Cindy Drager.

slated for Nov. 4 at Laurel Manor, more than 600 people are predicted to attend and fulfill this year's theme — Bid Yourself a Good Night. A silent auction begins at 6:30 p.m., followed by dinner at 7:30 p.m.

Joe DuMouchelle will be on hand to host the auction. Master of ceremonies Fred Hill will guide

## PLYMOUTH PIPELINE

attendees through an evening of not only auctions, but raffles, door prizes, glitz, shenanigans, music and dancing.

Call 453-1540 for more information.

## Symphony seeks support

The Plymouth Symphony League is selling "Entertainment '94" books, with the proceeds going to support the orchestra.

Coupons in the book offer up to 50-percent savings on dining, movies, special events, sports, theater, travel, dry cleaning, car washes and more.

Books cost \$40. For more information, call 453-3016.

## Food drive

The Bird School Giving Group is sponsoring a trick-or-treat food drive on Saturday, Oct. 22, at the school in Plymouth. The food will go to the Salvation Army.

Canned goods will be collected from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Also, students will be going door to door in Plymouth to collect food.

## Poets provide the fright

The Plymouth Poets will present their Second Annual Halloween Poetry and Scary Story Festival 7:30 to 10 p.m. Oct. 29 at the Plymouth Masonic Temple on Penniman Street.

# Highway

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said Rybarsyk, who with Greanya teaches computer skills at educational conferences.

The computers aren't yet hooked up to the Internet system, which will give students access to limitless databanks. But teachers are familiarizing themselves with Claris Works, a word processing program. This week's session was devoted to spread sheets.

Fifth grade teacher Dick Boses said, "It probably will help me keep more organized data and with record keeping."

"There isn't the time to work on it during the day when you're in class. It's one of those things you need to keep up with as much as possible. The training is real helpful."

First grade teacher Sharon Belobraidich agreed, though she said it isn't easy to re-program her brain. "My German father raised me with the idea that 'You don't use it if you don't know how to, because you'll break it.'"

What she's learning is that the easiest way to become skilled is to play with the computer



BILL BRADLER/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

**Computer literacy:** Barb Greanya instructs teacher Sue Rekuic at Hoben Elementary.

The time she's investing is well worth it, she said. "Kids have got to be computer literate to function, and they're far more equipped to handle this than I am," she said.

Belobraidich says the high technology already in place at Hoben is a helpful teaching tool. "This is a revolutionary kind of thing," said Belobraidich, adding that she has students who get up at 2 a.m. to play on the computer before they come to school.

Rybarsyk says computer technology "makes education more real."

When teaching a unit on weather, Rybarsyk was explaining evaporation. One child wasn't quite grasping it. "I put a diagram up on the (monitor) screen, and he said, 'Now I get it!'" she said.

"It's just another medium. Companies keep saying we need to prepare children for 2010 — this is part of it. You use what you've got."

# Hunters hit their marks



COMMUNITY Buck Pole

seven inch spread.

Plymouth hunters have been busy in the woods and have some wonderful buck tales to tell.

Gary Quigley of Plymouth bagged a spike-horn buck on opening day, Oct. 1, of the archery season near West Branch. The buck had a

On the same day, Daryl Boughner of Plymouth Township was hunting south of Mancelona when he bagged a spike horn. He has been bow hunting for nearly 20 years and it was his first deer with a bow.

In Gladwin County on Oct. 13, Ted Rais of Plymouth bagged a button buck with a bow.

The Plymouth Observer uses the names of successful deer hunters in its Buck Pole column.

To report success during the deer archery season, call us at

459-2700. Ask for Jeff Counts, the editor, Kevin Brown, or Bridget Moran. If you're headed home and have that deer on your car, stop by our office and have your picture taken. We're located at 744 Wing St., Plymouth, and we're open from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

For hunters who would like to fax us their stories, our number is 459-4224.

Also, hunters may submit photos of themselves taken with their deer.

# Fire

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blocked the path of rescue vehicles, because the township's Beck Road station would be available. The township's western section will also be better protected with the shared services, Walters said.

The township and the city will also be able to complete annual fire inspections which has been tough because of more limited manpower.

The pact calls for 22 fire-

fighters, with no fewer than two working at each of the three fire stations in the area. The current station at city hall in Plymouth would become an ambulance center.

Approval from the city did not come easily Monday. Commissioner Bill McAninch tried to postpone approval so negotiators could go back to the township and renegotiate some of the funding

elements of the pact.

McAninch was dissatisfied with a cap that holds the township's costs to 75 percent of the budget for the 10-year term of the agreement and with the use of population figures and number of emergency runs in the funding formula.

Commissioner Stella Greene voted with McAninch to reject the agreement.

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**We must feel safe in our homes and on our streets.**

We have a right to feel safe. We have a right to feel secure. We should not be threatened in our own community by career criminals and school drop outs victimizing us. We have thieves, killers and sex offenders who are out on the street after only minimal prison time because of our present state system. These convicts are on the street, threatening our well being and our property because of our present system of incarceration.

Here's what we have to do

- 1. CREATE A MANDATORY SENTENCING PROGRAM**  
There can be no early release offered for repeat offenders and for heinous crimes. We need to get tough with criminals and ensure that they pay dearly for their crimes against us and our neighbors. If they commit a crime, they must know, without a doubt, that they will serve a prison sentence for it. There can no longer be early release and time off for men and women who are repeat offenders and career criminals.
- 2. DEVELOP PRIVATE PAY PRISONS**  
If men and women who are convicted criminals are housed and cared for at the expense of taxpayers, where is the punishment. Presently, some prisoners are provided dance lessons, legal counseling, vocational training and unlimited leisure at our expense. I believe that crime deserves punishment.  
We need to allow privatization of some prison facilities. Let's allow private developers to build prisons and house prisoners and have the criminals pay for it. If sent to prison, criminals should be charged for their time there. They should pay for their care and their rehabilitation through fines, an assessment against any property they may own, bank accounts or any other funds they might have. If they have no assets, the state should be allowed a lien against any future property or assets so they are forced to pay for their jail time once released into society.  
These facilities would require regulation and inspection, but might provide the answer to overcrowding in our jails—and could prove a serious deterrent to crime.
- 3. PUT OUR PRISONERS TO WORK**  
There are a number of jobs in this state which could be done by prisoners. Our roadways could be cleaned up—our waterways could be cleaned and cleared of debris and our environment improved by use of prison labor. Prisoners could be used as laborers in the building of new prisons, cutting our costs immensely.  
Prisoners should be forced to pay their own way—not stay in our correctional facilities at our expense. Today, victims lose twice, first as the targets of criminals and then as the providers of incarceration for them.  
Marginal criminals should be used in our work force to make our state a better place and free our state employees to do the jobs for which they are trained. While I do not suggest that violent or repeat offenders be used in this manner, it is crucial that we better use the labor force available to us in the state.
- 4. VIOLENT OFFENDERS PROGRAM**  
While I support the use of marginal criminals in the state work force, I want violent criminals kept in maximum security facilities without the opportunity to escape or be released early. I do not want my family, or yours, threatened by these people who clearly have no regard for others. Violent criminals should be incarcerated under the strictest of conditions and not paroled or released early.  
We have to change our attitude. Some people cannot be rehabilitated. We have to change our attitude and keep these predators from our homes and our families. We have to be willing to pay to keep these people away from society—and we can pay for this by using lesser offenders to do state-paid jobs, allowing those funds to be channeled into our prisons.  
We need to make some difficult choices to solve a difficult problem.
- 5. ESTABLISH JUVENILE BOOT CAMPS**  
Youngsters arrested for the first time on non-violent charges and convicted should be sent to boot-camp type facilities where they can experience the discipline and training missing in their lives. First we need to offer our children a basic education as I've discussed—and if that fails them, then we need to impose a strict climate of rules and regimen for them instilling a respect for our community and our way of life.  
When you have to worry about your family leaving home because you're not safe, there's something wrong. Let's get these juvenile offenders off the streets and correct their behavior now.  
Let's look at some of our closed military installations for use as juvenile training centers. We need to realign our priorities and put our prisoners to work, not make victims pay twice.

**IT'S TIME TO MAKE SOME TOUGH CHOICES.**

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**Main Street mishap:** Five women sustained minor injuries after two cars collided and veered off the road at Main and Wing streets Tuesday morning.

BILL BRESLER/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

## Crash spoils 90th birthday

BY M.B. DILLON  
STAFF WRITER

What began as a festive outing to celebrate Mildred Wellman's 90th birthday ended at St. Mary Hospital for Wellman, three friends and Plymouth motorist Isabelle Bastion when two cars collided and slammed into a building at 10:51 a.m. Tuesday at Wing and Main.

No one was seriously hurt. Edith Zink, 87, of Plymouth was driving a white Ford Tempo south on Main Street when, according to witnesses, she ran a red light at Wing. In the intersection, she struck broadside a red Buick driven by Isabelle Bastion, 80, of Plymouth. Bastion, travelling alone, was east-

**Trying to avoid each other, both cars slammed into an office building on the southeast corner. Formerly a house, the office at 607 S. Main St. sustained damage to a landscaped planter in front of the building.**

bound on Wing. Trying to avoid each other, both cars slammed into an office building on the southeast corner. Formerly a house, the office at 607 S. Main St. sustained damage to a landscaped planter in front of the building.

Both cars were totalled. In Zink's car were Wellman; Irene McCartney, 96, of Plymouth; Florence Conery, 89, of Plymouth, and Jessie Morrison,

93, also of Plymouth. With the exception of Zink, who was uninjured, all were taken to St. Mary for treatment of cuts and bruises.

Bastion also was taken to St. Mary, but not without protest. "She was complaining of neck and back pain, but out of the whole group, she was the most frisky. She didn't like the collar being put round her neck," said Plymouth Police Officer Robert

Henry. "She was giving them (EMS workers) a hard time."

Jerry Gibbons, owner of the building, was out on an errand when the accident occurred. "He came back right after it happened," said Henry.

Zink was cited for running a red light. "Both cars were totalled and were worth about \$5,000," said Henry.

It's not known whether damage was done to the building's foundation. "We're talking some money if it was," Henry.

Police closed off the intersection until the victims were transported to the hospital, cars were towed and antifreeze was washed off the road.

## Board from page 1A

Gerald Ostoin, principal at Salem High School, is "very much opposed to the idea. The nature of an expulsion is to bring this thing to a decision. The decision is made prescriptively as much as anything else. They need to terminate where they are right now and get some help. I don't think it serves any purpose at all."

What helps is removing the student from school, and sending him or her to counseling or treatment.

If students turn themselves around, "we will look at re-admitting them," he said.

Publicizing names wouldn't serve as a deterrent, Ostoin added. "You'd just embarrass parents. Half the time when kids are having problems, parents couldn't care less."

Ostoin says the current system works. "I've seen some really dramatic turnarounds," he said.

A couple of years ago, Ostoin met with a student who was selling and abusing drugs in several pre-expulsion hearings.

"As I sat back and listened to the responses this kid was giving, I thought, 'How in world can this kid be so mean and bitter and ugly at 14.' You have to wonder."

The student met with a psychologist, entered treatment, attended an alternative high school and returned to Salem. "He graduated and he's been at Eastern Michigan University the last couple years. He stops back now and then."

"Drugs are a menace to the entire society. Once he beat that, he

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Gerald Ostoin,  
Salem principal

was ready to function as a student."

Ostoin doubted whether publishing his name would have fazed him. "I don't think he would have cared. He was too high to even care what day it was."

Canton principal Thomas MacKenzie sees it both ways.

"I can see where if you have young child, you wouldn't want to have that stigma put out. On the other hand, you might argue that if a student is older, they know what their behavior is going to involve. It's no different than if someone gets a speeding ticket. It's generally posted in the newspaper."

"One argument for publishing names is that anyone who gets expelled is doing something serious, like beating up on someone gang-fashion, or selling or using illegal substances. You can argue that maybe parents and the broader community ought to know."

MacKenzie said he's worked in at least five school districts, none of which divulged names.

## Bus driver honored

Maureen Vitoratos, a bus driver for Plymouth-Canton Community Schools for the past 18 years, was named an "Extra Miler" by the Board of Education at its meeting Oct. 10.

Vitoratos was commended for her dependability and doing the extra things necessary to do a superior job.

Vitoratos also has been active in other district activities, such as the "I Care" Committee. She instructed preschoolers in bus riding safety and worked on the Route Review Committee. Vitoratos served as a road test examiner and as a new driver trainer.

For the past several years, Vitoratos has been heavily involved in Operation Good Cheer, a local effort to provide Christmas gifts to needy children.

Board member Susan Davis lauded Vitoratos for her contributions and presented her with a Flag of Learning and Liberty pin, and a gift certificate to the Roman Forum restaurant.

Vitoratos said, "I thank everyone here; family, friends, board, and the people who nominated me. When you do volunteer work, you never expect to be thanked."

"It's a great district to work for and I thank all of you."

## Canton plans to remove 9 underground fuel tanks

BY JOANNE MALISZEWSKI  
STAFF WRITER

Nine underground fuel storage tanks in four Canton Township-owned sites must come out.

Township officials are beginning the removal process with a 10,000-gallon tank behind the township police and administration building on Canton Center Road. "This is a tank we've used out back for purposes of fueling municipal vehicles," said Township Clerk Loren Bennett.

The township is switching to retail gas for its vehicles, and the tanks will no longer be necessary. Apparently tanks at the township Department of Public Works are still being used.

"There is a possibility it is contaminated," said Gus George of Energy & Environmental Technology Company, about the underground tank behind township hall. "My experience is that 90 percent of them are contaminated."

EETCO was hired by the township to oversee removal of the

first underground tank. The consultants also will work with the state to get financing from Michigan Underground Storage Tank Financial Assurance.

If the site is contaminated, EETCO will finance the project and the township will pay 10 percent, up to \$15,000. If the site is not contaminated, the township will pay \$7,950 plus the cost to restore the area that will be excavated, said Susan Kopinski, township financial services manager.

Ninety percent of the costs of the project are reimbursable from the storage tank commission if the site is contaminated. If that's the case, township officials will get sealed bids for the work, Kopinski said.

"The township will not have the initial outlay if the site is contaminated," Kopinski said.

A consultant is needed to oversee the tank removal because procedures and the level of financing through the state organization change often. "In addition, the

administrative work of completing the forms within specified periods of time and hiring qualified contractors to do the removal, testing, and possible clean-up is a concern," Kopinski said.

George told Canton trustees that the project starts by removing about 100 cubic yards of soil. The soil is evaluated for contaminants. It's believed the tank behind township hall now has water in it.

The township is also faced with the removal of two 6,000-gallon tanks at Fire Station I on Canton Center and Cherry Hill roads, two 1,000-gallon tanks at Fire Station II on Warren east of Lilley, and four 8,000-gallon tanks at the township public works building on Sheldon Road.

If township officials are pleased with the work on the first underground tank, the company would be hired for the remaining sites, Kopinski said.

Work is expected to begin soon on the township hall tank and the remaining tanks next spring.

## It's time to 'Make a Difference'

BY JOANNE MALISZEWSKI  
STAFF WRITER

Residents are urged to lend a hand Saturday — Make a Difference Day — by helping replenish food shelves at the Salvation Army.

On average the Salvation Army provides food for 100-105 families monthly. Approximately 60-70 percent who are served are Canton residents, according to Bill Roberts, Salvation Army social services director. The Salvation Army also serves Plymouth.

On Saturday, Oct. 22, individuals, clubs and organizations are invited to help needy families by donating food or anything else that might be needed by the Salvation Army, such as clothing. On that day, collection sites

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will be set up 9 a.m.-4 p.m. at Kroger and Farmer Jack grocery stores in Canton where residents can drop off non-perishable foods for the Salvation Army, said Kathleen Salla, Canton volunteer coordinator. A site also will be available at Heritage Park behind Canton Township Administration Building on Canton Center Road, south of Cherry Hill.

"This is a first-time endeavor for the community at large," Salla

said. Residents also may drop off food directly at the Salvation Army from noon to 4 p.m. Saturday. High school Close-Up students will be delivering food to the Salvation Army on Make A Difference Day as part of their community service requirements.

Make A Difference Day will occur on the National Day of Volunteering. For more information call Salla at 397-6450.

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# Boak equal to task of replacing Garber

BY KEVIN BROWN  
STAFF WRITER

Stephen Boak said his experience and talent in the field of law will best suit the community that will elect a new 35th District Court judge Nov. 8.

Whoever replaces Judge (James) Garber should be of equal talent and experience, Boak said, adding he best fits that role.

"I look at it as an opportunity

## 35TH DISTRICT COURT

to give back to the community something," Boak said, adding he hopes to carry on the public service demonstrated for 13 years as a former Wayne County assistant prosecuting attorney, and in 27 years as a lieutenant colonel in the U.S. Army Reserves.

Asked what particularly qualifies him for the job, Boak, 52,

said, "I think the word experience sums it up."

"This court handles a lot of different things, I have done a lot of work in these areas and done them well. I have 15 more years legal experience than Mr. Lowe."

Boak said that while Lowe maintains he has prepared for the judge's job since he was 16,

"When he was beginning to gauge that, I was the chief trial lawyer in a major metropolitan area."

Boak said the court is starting to handle "the beginning stages of felony cases, I think it's going to grow. My understanding is my opponent doesn't have any experience in handling felonies," Boak said, adding he has that experience.

Boak said his administrative experience as chief of operations with the county prosecutor's office and in the Army Reserve will help serve him in operating the court. "It's important to continue to run the court as efficiently as it is."

"The varied nature of my experience allows me to look at the issues from all sides. I want to be known as the fair judge, the impartial judge," Boak said.

Referring to the revenue the court returns to the communities it serves — greater Northville and Plymouth and Canton — "I think it's important to give back to the communities what can be given back," he said.

"Some fines in my estimation are too high, but some of these are set by state statute or ordinance,"

Boak said. "I think I would be more inclined to look at the crime and the criminal as far as setting penalties is concerned."

"I would aim toward getting more professional help in the probation department, they're overloaded, they can't give adequate time to everyone on their case load," Boak said.

He'd also examine expanding alternative sentencing, such as work programs instead of jail time for some offenders. Boak said he'd also consider staggering the scheduled time for cases. "Everybody is scheduled for 9 o'clock (a.m.) Everybody sits around and twiddles their thumbs; attorneys and police who are off the road while they're standing there."

Boak said he also wants to speak more often with students about the law. For example, he said, many youths are unaware of the law to take effect Nov. 1 making youths under 21 guilty of drunken driving if they drive with a blood alcohol level of .02 percent or higher.

"I want to do the best job. I have just tons of experience more than anyone who's running," Boak said.

## Group will provide new books

In celebration of Alpha Delta Kappa's "Founders Month," members of the local Beta Xi chapter will provide a new book to each of the 21 schools in the Plymouth-Canton District.

According to chapter president, Elaine Aron, a fifth grade teacher at Hoben School, these gifts are being given by the 38 local chapter members as an expression of their support of the excellent education in the area schools.

Librarians in each school are being contacted by chapter Altruistic chairman, Jan Lucchetti, a first grade teacher at Erikason School, for suggested titles. She will make arrangements to present them later in the month.

# Community service is key to Lowe's bid for judgeship

BY KEVIN BROWN  
STAFF WRITER

Ron Lowe says relevant experience and strong community involvement make him the most qualified candidate for 35th District judge.

Running for the seat "has been a goal of mine since I was 16 years old and went to work for Judge Dunbar Davis as his court officer," Lowe, 38, said.

"At the end of the day he'd ask, 'What did you learn today?' He would teach me why he decided what he decided. That, coupled with my father being an attorney, I wanted to be a lawyer, but more importantly, I wanted to come back and do what Judge Davis did."

Lowe said he's pleased that Davis, now retired in Florida, has endorsed him. "Because he was my mentor that means a lot."

While opponent Stephen Boak stresses 27 years of experience including administrative experience with the Wayne County prosecutor's office and the U.S. Army Reserves, Lowe said his experience — he's been Plymouth city attorney since 1985 — is better suited to the job.

On community involvement, Lowe said, "There's a tradition there (district court) that's been established by people like Dunbar Davis and (Judge) Jim Garber. They're people that are

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Lowe cites a range of community involvement in his campaign literature, ranging from service as past director with the Plymouth-Canton Jaycees and Plymouth Community United Way, to being a member of the Fred Hill Briefcase Drill Team.

A judge, Lowe said, "is a community leader and has to lead by example."

He also cites service as a member of the 35th District Court advisory board. "I've had a hands-on experience in that court as an attorney that's just not equaled by anybody in this race," Lowe said.

Lowe said he's demonstrated the sensitivity a judge should have for the community, raising the issue of tickets written to youths at the height of the cruising problem. Instead of pursuing trespass convictions against teens

who were first-time offenders, Lowe said he convinced the judges to take first-offender citations under advisement.

The 35th District Court is unusual in Michigan for returning money to the communities it serves, rather than using taxpayers' money. "Some people have challenged their fee schedule," he said, but added that statistics show court fines are in a mid-level range compared to other state district courts.

"It's important for the 35th District Court not to become a burden, at worst it should break even."

He suggests more computerization, even putting a computer on the judge's desk to allow him to call up pertinent reports.

"I really think that the legal experience I have and that community experience that I have, if you look at our judges that formula's been there. I think I fit that formula better than Steve Boak does," Lowe said.

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# Proposal B

## Plan would reduce criminal appeals

BY TIM RICHARD  
STAFF WRITER

Proposal B would prevent convicts who plead guilty from appealing their cases to a higher court.

Except for a few political liberals, no one opposes this constitutional amendment on the Nov. 8 ballot. If voters approve, Proposal B would trim the number of Court of Appeals decisions by 25 percent.

"I don't think we ought to mess with the Constitution," said Rep. David Gubow, D-Huntington Woods, when the House approved putting it on the ballot by a 75-25 vote. "All we're doing is shifting the caseload from the Court of Appeals to the circuit court. It's a shell game."

"Those who plead guilty are doing so under advice of an attorney to plead to a lesser crime," agreed Rep. Maxine Berman, D-Southfield, another opponent.

Sen. Jack Faxon, D-Farmington Hills, who was a delegate to the 1961-62 Constitutional Convention, warned against "tampering with the Michigan Constitution." He predicted more defendants will opt for costly trials rather than plead guilty in order to preserve their rights of appeal.

No one, however, has mounted a campaign to defeat Proposal B.

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*William VanRegenmorter*  
State senator

Champion of Proposal B is Sen. William VanRegenmorter, R-Jenison, best known as author of the state Crime Victims Rights Act. Among co-sponsors were Sens. Michael Bouchard, R-Birmingham, and Robert Geake, R-Northville.

"There is something profoundly distorted in a system that allows a criminal to admit to a crime, describe how and why the crime was committed and retain the right to immediately file a tax-funded appeal," said VanRegenmorter, chair of the Senate Judiciary Committee.

The Declaration of Rights (Art. I) in Michigan's Constitution guarantees the rights to trial by jury, assistance of counsel and appeal "as a matter of right." Proposal B would limit the appeal by adding: "except that an appeal by an accused who pleads guilty or nolo contendere (no contest) shall be by leave of the court."

In practice, the Court of Appeals very rarely reverses a conviction when the accused pleads guilty. But sometimes it remands (returns) a case to the lower court where the trial judge has exceeded sentencing guidelines. There are budget considerations, too, behind Proposal B. In a 10-month period in 1991, VanRegenmorter said, the Court of Appeals handled 1,013 cases stemming from guilty pleas and reversed only nine — 0.82 percent. "There is little doubt those nine cases would have been heard (by the Court of Appeals), even without the automatic right to appeal," he said.

Wayne County produced 500 such appeals in that period. VanRegenmorter quoted chief assistant prosecutor George Ward as

estimating at least two full-time prosecutors could be shifted to other functions — such as trial work — if Proposal B were adopted.

Ward favors limiting the automatic right of appeal in guilty plea cases. But in legislative hearings, Ward said the constitutional flaw could have been remedied by petitioning the Supreme Court to correct an error in a 1977 case. But no one ever petitioned the Supreme Court, and lawmakers went ahead with Proposal B.

Michigan has 24 Court of Appeals judges. The state court administrator has called for adding 16 appellate judges, saying the current caseload of 12,000 a year warrants a total of 80 appellate judges.

But backers of Proposal B say fewer additional judges would be needed because Proposal B could eliminate "nuisance" appeals. They put the savings at \$3 million a year in appellate court and state-paid attorneys' costs. Prosecutors would save additional amounts in staff time.

## Walk Michigan events planned

The Wayne County dates and times for Walk Michigan events have been set for the remaining portion of 1994.

Walk Michigan is an annual fitness program where walkers can go at their own pace for one to two miles in different areas of the county.

Participants may enter their names in a drawing for a trip to Mackinac Island and the annual bridge walk there.

The events will occur as follows:

- 3 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 3, at the Warrendale picnic area.
- Noon Saturday, Nov. 12, at the Holliday Nature Preserve, Koppernick section.
- 3 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 17, at the Warrendale picnic area.
- 3 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 1, at the Warrendale picnic area.
- Noon Saturday, Dec. 10, at Holliday Nature Preserve, Cowan section.
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Students interviewed for positions including manager, assistant manager, three tellers, three bookkeepers, three sales marketing representatives and four service account representatives.

"They had to fill out job applications," Smith said. "They were taught to dress for success and to interview."

MBD will be open from 8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. every Tuesday to accept deposits only.

Fifth-grader Adam Johnston has \$25 to deposit; money award-

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Teacher Julie Smith

ed to him by NBD for coming up with the winning name "Miller Bank Deposit."

Students can make withdrawals after school at NBD, Smith said. "Students are going to learn to balance checkbooks and add up their savings. We've talked to kids about saving, short-term goals and long-term goals, such as saving for college," she added.

An hour after the bank opened Tuesday, the line of new customers was still quite long. "More than 200 customers opened accounts," Smith said. Funds were

taken to NBD where they were deposited by NBD manager Penny Klei.

Students are earning quarterly interest.

"We're working kids on quality banking skills," said Smith. "We'll work next week on customer service; saying good morning and hello to customers. Hopefully we will be able to learn the names of more students at Miller and treat each other kindly. There's a whole bunch that can come from this experience."



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St. John will also attend a luncheon 12-12:45 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 23, to benefit the Livonia Police DARE (Drug Abuse Resistance Education) program.

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The DARE program offers preventive strategies to enhance those protective factors — especially bonding to the family, school and community — which experts say appear to foster the development of resiliency in young people who may be at risk for substance abuse or other problem behaviors.

# State unemployment rate drops

Unemployment in Michigan dropped by almost a percentage point in September, falling to a seasonally adjusted 5.5 percent, the Michigan Employment Security Commission said.

That was the lowest for the month in 21 years — since 1973 when 5.3 percent of the state's work force was jobless, according to F. Robert Edwards, MESC director.

The number of jobless fell by 32,000 in September to 265,000 compared to August's 297,000 or 6.3 percent of the labor force.

As unemployment fell, the number of employed Michigan workers grew by 98,000 to a record high 4,545,000 in September, surpassing the previous high of 4,541,000 set five months ago in April.

"Over the year, employment has grown by 149,000 from 4,396,000 in September 1993. As workers perceived an increase in available jobs, they entered the job market pushing the labor force total to 4,810,000 last month, an increase of 66,000," Edwards said.

Edwards said Michigan's economy "outperformed the nation."

Our unemployment rate was below the national level for the fifth time this year." September's bright spots:

- Automotive and related industries, where model changeover layoffs ended and the production of 1995 models moved into full swing.
- State and local government, where employment increased as colleges and local schools resumed fall classes.
- Business services and private education.
- MESC's Job Service, which placed 7,979 workers in jobs in August, up from 7,036 placed in July.

# Gilda's walk to aid patients

A family block party and 5K walk are being planned to honor comedian and former Southfield resident Gilda Radner.

The metro Detroit area is joining New York City as part of Gilda's Club, a nonprofit support group working to raise money for a center for families of cancer patients. Radner died of ovarian cancer.

Gilda's Day is set for Sunday, Oct. 23, with events planned for Cobo Center. The walk and block party are geared toward families, according to organizers.

Sponsors include People Magazine; Observer & Eccentric Newspapers; PPOM (Preferred Providers of Michigan), Southfield; Editor Data Systems (EDS), Farmington Hills; Franklin Bank,

Southfield; RR&A, River Rouge; Oakland Mall, Troy; Horizon Bi-County Community Hospital, Warren; Henry Ford Health Systems, Detroit; and Hospices of Henry Ford Health Systems, West Bloomfield.

The 5K walk, which begins at 10 a.m., will start at Cobo Center and continue through Hart Plaza to Chene Park. An optional one-mile fun walk/block party geared to families will begin at 10:30 a.m. inside Cobo Hall.

Money raised from the event will go toward buying and furnishing a facility in the metro Detroit area. Gilda's Giggle Room will provide a place to laugh with those who understand. People

with cancer, their families and friends will be able to come to the facility each week for emotional and social support with licensed psychotherapists.

Registration begins at 8 a.m. the day of the walk. The fee is \$18 and free for children 12 and younger. All participants will receive a T-shirt. Registration is \$15 in advance. For information or to volunteer the day of the event, call (810) 851-6567.

Honorary chairpersons of the event are Gov. John Engler and his wife, Michelle; Detroit Mayor Dennis Archer and Judge Trudy Duncombe Archer, Wayne County Executive Edward H. McNamara and his wife, Lucilla.

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Information for the Crafts Calendar may be sent to Sue Mason, The Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.

**Thursday, Oct. 20**

**HENRY FORD-FARMLANE**  
10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Oct. 20-21 at Henry Ford Medical Center Fairlane, 19401 Hubbard Drive at Evergreen, Dearborn. Table space still available. (313) 593-8380

**Saturday, Oct. 22**

**ST. BUNSTAR**  
10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the church, 1646 Belton, Garden City. Admission is free. There will be crafts, refreshments, 50/50 raffle, bake sale and an instant winners raffle. Tables \$15 per 8-foot. Mary, (313) 425-3282

**ST. ANIAN**  
Women's Guild craft show 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Activity Center, 17500 Farmington Road, Livonia. There also will be a bake sale, crafter raffle and hot lunch. Admission is \$1. (313) 427-1457 or (810) 477-8942

**KENNETH OF COLUMBUS**  
10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the K of C Hall, 30759 Ford, Garden City. Tables are \$25 or two for \$45. (313) 422-0373 or Lois, (313) 729-3299

**THORNTON HIGH**  
Fall craft show Oct. 22 in the high school, 26141 Schoolcraft, Redford. Crafters needed. Audi Dennis, (313) 937-8423

**ST. JUNE'S CIRCLE**  
Christmas bazaar 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. Oct. 22 in St. Robert Bellarmine Catholic Church, West Chicago at Inkster Road, Redford. Tables available for \$20. Joan, (313) 937-1670, or Rita, (313) 937-2744

**REVERENDS UN**  
9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the church, 36500 Ann Arbor Trail, Livonia. Crafters needed. Tables 8-by-8-foot \$25. (313) 326-4143

**BETHANY BAPTIST MANOR**  
Second marriage boutique and craft show 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at 23200 Drake Road, Farmington Hills. Plants, refreshments and baked goods also offered. Jean, (810) 476-3708

**Sunday, Oct. 23**

**WINDSOR TRADITIONS**  
10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Laurel Manor, 39000 Schoolcraft, west of Newburgh, Livonia. Admission is \$2; lunch available. (313) 513-5769

**Saturday, Oct. 29**

**GARDEN CITY UNIV**  
9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Garden City United Methodist Church, 6443 Meridian Road, Garden City. (313) 427-3316

**ST. PAUL PRESBYTERIAN**  
10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the church, 27475 Five Mile, Livonia. Admission is \$1. No strollers. Spaces still available. Sue Glover, (313) 522-1557

**CHURCHILLA PTSA**  
Third annual arts and crafts show 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the school, 8900 Newburgh, Livonia. Admission is \$1. (313) 523-0022

**DANISH SISTERHOOD**  
Lodge 125 bazaar 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. at the Finnish Center, 35200 Eight Mile Road, Farmington. Crafts, imports, Danish open-faced sandwiches and pastries will be featured. Ruth Olsen, (313) 464-8313

**Sunday, Oct. 30**

**PLEASURES & TREASURES**  
Country arts and fine crafts show 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at St. Mary's Cultural Center, 18100 Meridian Road, Livonia. (313) 379-2646

**Thursday, Nov. 3**

**GARFIELD CO-OP**  
Third annual fall auction, 7 p.m. at Washington Elementary School, 9449 Hix Road, Livonia. Doors open at 6:30 p.m. Crafts, business donations, refreshments. Adults only.

**Saturday, Nov. 5**

**Kirk of Our Savior**  
9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the church, 36660 Cherry Hill, Westland. Tables are \$18 per 8-foot or \$15 per 6-foot. 1343

**BETTY, (313) 422-8886, OR LOIS, (313) 721-3875**  
Livonia Family Y Mulberry Holiday Market 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the YMCA, 14255 Stark Road, Livonia. Admission \$1; lunch catered by Wildflowers. Booths 8-by-10-feet available for \$60.

**(313) 261-2161**  
Stevenson Band Parents Stevenson High School Band Parents craft show and bake sale 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at 33500 W. Six Mile Road, Livonia. Lunch and snacks available at "Oldies-but-Goodies Cafe." Admission \$1; no strollers. Space still available.

**(313) 626-6337**  
Frost Middle School 18th annual holiday craft fair 10 a.m. to 4

p.m. at the school, 14041 Stark Road, west of Farmington Road, north of I-96, Livonia. More than 150 juried crafters, lunch room and bake sale. No strollers. Admission is \$1.

**(810) 464-2040**  
North Farmington Garden Club 16th annual arts and craft sale 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at O.E. Duncker Middle School, 12 Mile Road, Farmington Hills. BETA, (810) 661-4666

**Sunday, Nov. 6**

**PLYMOUTH ELKS**  
Holiday bazaar 11 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Lodge, 41700 Ann Arbor Road, Plymouth. Crafters needed. Table rental is \$20. (313) 455-1983.

**Friday, Nov. 11**

**THE LOMBARDI HOUSE**  
Charity holiday card sale, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the house, 24705 Farmington Road, Farmington Hills. Refreshments available. (810) 477-8404

**Saturday, Nov. 12**

**KETTERING SCHOOL**  
9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the school, 1200 S. Hubbard, Westland. Crafters needed. Kathy, (313) 722-7433, or Donna, (313) 326-6659

**FARMINGTON SCHOOL**  
10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the school, 33411 Marquette, Garden City. Tables available for \$15. Darla, (313) 425-4439, or Anne, (313) 421-6623

**SS. SIMON AND JUDE**  
9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Nov. 12 and noon to 5:30 p.m. Nov. 13 at the church, 32500 Palmer Road, Westland. Tables: Saturday at \$20, Sunday at \$15, both days at \$30. Wynne, (313) 722-8098, or (313) 722-1343

**GOOD SHEPHERD REFORMED**  
9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the church, 6500 N. Wayne Road, Westland. Crafters needed. (313) 721-0304 (evenings)

**WASHINGTON SCHOOL**  
10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the school, 9449 Hix Road, Livonia. Exhibits, snacks and hourly door prizes. Crafters needed. (313) 953-3956

**HENRY FORD CC**  
10 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Henry Ford Community College Student Center, 5101 Evergreen Road, Dearborn. Admission is \$1. (313) 845-9610

**HOSANNA-TABOR**  
Ye Olde Christmas Faire 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the church, 9600 Laverne, Red-

ford. There will be a Make It and Take It Christmas Craft Shoppe, Bake Shoppe, Christian books, cards and gifts and luncheon. Crafters needed. Tables available at \$30 each. (313) 937-2233

**STOTTLEMYER SCHOOL**  
Christmas Boutique 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the school, 34801 Marquette, Westland. Crafters needed. (313) 722-7820

**ST. MARY HOSPITAL**  
Holiday craft boutique 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Nov. 12 and noon to 5 p.m. Nov. 13 in the hospital auditorium, 36475 W. Five Mile Road, Livonia. Table space available at \$30 for Saturday and \$20 for Sunday. (313) 591-2912 or (313) 591-2980

**SAF'S CLUB**  
Crafters needed for 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. show at 35400 Central City Parkway, Westland, store. \$15 table fee goes to Children's Miracle Network. Lynda Wills, (313) 525-5965

**SCHOOLCRAFT COLLEGE**  
9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Nov. 12-13 at Schoolcraft College Physical Education Building, Livonia. Admission is \$1.50. Food and refreshments available. (313) 462-4417

**Saturday, Nov. 19**

**FRANKLIN ELKS**  
Crafters needed for fall craft show at the school, 31000 Joy Road, Livonia. (313) 523-0851

**ST. VALENTINE**  
Holiday Craft Shoppe 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the church, Beech Daly south of Five Mile, Redford. Table space available. (313) 255-6825

**NARRAGANSETT VFW**  
Ladies Auxiliary craft bazaar and bake sale 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. at VFW Post 3323, 1055 S. Wayne Road, Westland. There also will be a super snack bar. Tables still available. (313) 722-8055

**PECOS SYRINA**  
Parents Club craft show 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Canfield Community Center, 1801 N. Beech Daly, Dearborn Heights. Tables \$19 and \$16. (313) 565-9665 or (313) 383-1821

**FARLANE CHRISTIAN**  
Senior class craft show 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the school, 24425 Hass, Dearborn Heights. Crafters needed. (313) 565-9800

**ELKS LODGE NO. 1988**  
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Orchard Lake Road, Farmington Hills. Crafters needed. Carolyn, (810) 661-0012

**GRACE OF GOD**  
Crafters needed for seventh annual crafts and bake sale sponsored by Women of the Church of God, 25717 Power Road, Farmington Hills. Tables, \$20. Betty, (810) 648-5651 or (810) 477-9144

**GRACE LUTHERAN**  
Sixth annual arts and craft show 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the church, 25630 Grand River, Redford. More than 50 exhibitors; handcrafted items only. Tina, (313) 464-2727

**FARMINGTON FOOTBALL BACKERS**  
Fifth annual arts and crafts show at Farmington High, 32000 Shawwassee. Artists and crafters needed. Pam, (810) 476-4548

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# Students win honors for art projects

Three area students will receive \$200 worth of U.S. Savings Bonds for taking top honors in a recent art contest sponsored by state Rep. Deborah Whyman, R-Canton.

The competition was open to students from kindergarten through fourth grades living in Canton, Sumpter and Van Buren townships, including the city of Belleville. They were asked to submit drawings reflecting the contest theme "What I did on My

Summer Vacation." This is the third in a series of four contests started late last year.

"The response was terrific and the pictures were colorful and imaginative," said Whyman. "I was impressed with the array of talent these budding artists possess. It was evident that a lot of thought went into every drawing, and I thank all who participated for sharing their summer experiences with me and my staff. We enjoyed

them all. Choosing the winners was a difficult task."

First place went to Kristen O'Beirne, a third-grader from Canton. She will receive a \$500 savings bond. Timmy Cross, a kindergartner from Canton, won second-place honors. Third place went to Kayla Glazier, a second-grader from Belleville. They each earned a \$200 and \$100 savings bond, respectively. Whyman also will award certificates to all contestants for their participation.

The art was judged on creativity and originality by a selected panel. The lawmaker hopes students will apply their winnings toward college tuition.

Whyman purchased the bonds with part of the 5-percent pay raise lawmakers received last January. The remaining money will be donated to local college scholarship programs and the final art contest slated for late November.

# Winners lauded in K of C spelling bee

The Father Victor J. Renaud Council no. 3292 of the Knights of Columbus hosted its second annual spelling bee open to the top 20 fourth-, fifth-, and sixth-grade students from the Plymouth-Canton schools, Our Lady of Good Counsel in Plymouth, and Our

Lady of Victory school in Northville.

First-place winner Sarah Greene, a fifth-grader at Our Lady of Good Counsel, was presented with a trophy and dictionary by Grand Knight Paul Dobbs. Trophies and dictionaries were also

presented to R.J. Quiambao from East Middle School, Brian Richards of East Middle School, and Meridith Sims of Hoben, who placed second, third and fourth. Sarah Greene, the champion, had placed third in last year's contest.

Other students who participated in the Plymouth Knights of Columbus spelling bee were Ashley Paquin, Heather Bishop, Sean Brennan, Jennifer Wagner, Jennifer Brajlich, Jason Master, Eri-

ca Stoney, Amanda Bilkie, Jeff Stobbe, Katie Smith, Rob Dean, Lauren Mourer, Jeff Andonian, Lisa Dallacqua, Katie Jones, and Dara Wehrmeister.

The Father Victor J. Renaud Council, which has been part of this community since 1950, sponsors three events each year with the local schools. In January, the council will sponsor a youth free-throw championship, and in the spring, the Knights will host an essay contest.

# WSDP will air Carr's speech

WSDP, 88.1-FM, will broadcast a speech by Democratic Senate candidate Bob Carr at the Canton Economic Club at 10 a.m. Monday, Oct. 24.

Carr's speech will be tape-delayed from an Oct. 19 appearance. WSDP's broadcast is sponsored

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The senior citizen nutrition program will serve hot meals for the week of Oct. 17. Meals will be served at noon at Tonquish Creek Manor, 1160 Sheridan, in Plymouth (453-9703) and at 11:30 a.m. at the Canton Recreation Center, 44237 Michigan Ave. (397-5444).

Call 24 hours in advance for reservations. Call for cancellation. Suggested donation is \$1.50.

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Turkey A La King, biscuit, carrot raisin salad, brussel sprouts, chocolate pudding, margarine and milk.

**Tuesday**  
Roast beef with gravy, whipped potatoes and gravy, green beans, cupcake and ice cream, dinner roll with margarine, and milk.

**Wednesday**  
Oven-fried chicken, potato salad, broccoli, fresh apple, rye bread, margarine and milk.

**Thursday**  
Spanish rice with meat, peas and pearl onions, tossed salad with french dressing, tropical fruit, wheat roll, margarine and milk.

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# SC reports good news for economy

BY RALPH R. ECHTINAW  
STAFF WRITER

Enrollment is down at Schoolcraft College. But not to worry. Adelard "Butch" Raby, the college's vice president of business, said enrollment always dips when the economy is good and grows when the economy is bad. Schoolcraft's enrollment for the fall term is 9,536. That's down from 9,839 in the fall 1993 semester and 10,075 in the fall 1992 semester. Prior to the 1992 semester, enrollment rose for three straight years.

Schoolcraft spokeswoman Sandra "Sam" Florek reports that job opportunities for students, both part time and full time, are going begging as the demand exceeds the supply.

Enrollment at Oakland Community College is down, too, from 28,663 in the fall 1993 semester to 27,543 currently. When the economy is booming, people are working more hours and less worried about losing their jobs, said OCC spokesman George Cartsonis. And the flip side? "In hard times, colleges and universities tend to prosper," Cartsonis said.

And in southeast Michigan, colleges and universities can predict what direction enrollment will move based on the vitality of the auto industry. "A fair chunk of our student body is people working in the auto industry," Cartsonis said. "They're not going to have time to take a class or two anymore (when times are good)."

# Polish organization endorses candidates

The Polish American Congress/Michigan Division has announced its endorsements for this year's elections.

For governor: Republican John Engler. For attorney general: Republican John Smetanka. For secretary of state: Republican Candice Miller. For U.S. senator: Republican Spencer Abraham.

For the U.S. House of Representatives: 12th District, Democrat Sander Levin.

For the Michigan Senate: Sixth District, Democrat George Hart. Eighth District, Republican Loren Bennett. 15th District, Democrat Vicki Barnett.

For the Michigan House: 16th District, Republican Jim Ryan. 18th District, Republican Michael Novak.

For the Wayne County Commission: District Nine, Democrat Michelle Plawewski.

For the Michigan State Board of Education: Republi-

can Clark Durant. For the Wayne State University Board of Governors: Republican Ed Haroutunian.

For the Michigan State University Board of Trustees: Republicans Don Nugent and Paul Wartner.

For the University of Michigan Board of Regents: Republican Andrea Fischer.

For the Michigan Supreme Court: Richard Griffin and Elizabeth Weaver.

For the Michigan State Court of Appeals: Michael Kelly and Michael Modelski.

For Wayne County Circuit Court: William Leo Cahalan, John Callahan, Robert Colombo, Richard Cunningham, Sharon Tevis Finch, John Hausner, Amy Hathaway, Arthur Lombard, Cynthia Stephens, Michael Talbot, Paul Teranes and Kaye Tertzag.

For more information, contact John Chmura of the Polish American Congress at (810) 463-5868

# Catholic Central entertains eighth graders

Catholic Central High School hosted eighth-grade students from nearby parochial schools on Sept. 29 in the first annual Field Day, or "RuCKkus in Redford."

Eighth-grade students were bused in from 17 schools, including St. Bellarmine, St. John Bosco, St. Mary and St. Valentine of Redford Township, St. Dunstan and St. Raphael of Garden City and St. Edith of Livonia.

Seniors and juniors from Catholic Central acted as big brothers to the participating eighth graders.

Activities included viewing videos of the CC band and orchestra, quiz bowl enactments, science

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FAMILY ROOM



KAREN MEIER

### The tiny town that likes red

From every lamppost on its Main Street hangs a pair of long johns. The lamppost long johns are fashioned out of wood and painted a bright red. They creak and swing in the wind all year long.

They're sort of funny looking, I suppose, but you have to understand, red underwear, the flannel kind - the kind you wiggle into on a mighty cold Michigan morning - is what this little town is all about. And every year the tiny town throws a big party to celebrate the red underwear made right there in its little Red Flannel Factory.

Although the town is small (only 2,700 live there), and the factory is small (only 25 work there), Red Flannel Day is big. Crowds (some say 40,000 strong) clog the sidewalks and the streets. Red banners are strung up. Red flags fly from poles. Dogs are dressed in red bandanas. Horses, too. Bike spokes are woven with red paper. Red bunting is draped across store fronts. The Stilt Man wears extra long red long johns.

There's nothing bigger, or redder, in Cedar Springs than the first Saturday in October. Nothing draws people from far and wide like it does. And nothing could diminish it, this celebration of red flannel begun more than a half century ago. Nothing except maybe the closing of the little Red Flannel Factory.

Cedar Springs, just north of Grand Rapids, is my childhood home; I did all my growing up there. And Red Flannel Day . . . never missed a one. For 30 years, I've always gone back.

See FAMILY ROOM, 14A

# Baker: Music with a message



A former police officer, Don Baker thought he would find fulfillment as a musician. He did, but instead of a record deal and fame and fortune, he has found his success singing the praises of God.

BY CHRISTINA FUOCO  
STAFF WRITER

For years, former Southgate police officer Don Baker did what most struggling musicians do - entertain bar patrons with his R&B-influenced rock music.

The Plymouth resident performed in front of literally thousands, but there was one member of the audience that had a hold on him - the devil.

"I was turned away from God at that time," he said. "If God don't have you then the devil does. You're fair prey."

His "negative lifestyle" contributed to his divorce, his strained relationship with his children and his addiction to alcohol, guilt and blame. He was so successful at music, however, that he stuck with it. With his perseverance, Nashville came knocking on his door.

On the brink of a publishing deal, Baker played a gig at the renowned Gilley's in Nashville in spring 1993. It changed his life in ways he never expected.

"I woke up one morning and I saw myself in the mirror as a 13-year-old. I just had this feeling and I just felt the urge to get out of there," he said. "I didn't know quite what it was at the time. I just saw everything for what it is. Fancier lights, fancier stage but the same old garbage."

"That's when I decided to go home."

When he arrived, he wrote the inspirational country-flavored song "Which Way Do I Go Now?" It was the second inspirational song he wrote in four years. He wrote "Strength of Jesus" during a storm. Once a religious man, it still didn't faze Baker. Unbeknownst to him, God and Baker's wife of seven years

Sandra-Joyce, were trying to show him the way.

"I went to the kitchen and played it for my wife. She said, 'Don't you see the handwriting on the wall?' She would give me these hints, but she knew not to force me to do anything," said Baker who was still an alcoholic at the time.

#### Seeing the way

He mistakenly believed that bars were the source of all his problems so he started booking gigs at banquets and parties. During a performance, God took him by the shirt and showed him the right way, he said.

"I looked up and on the wall I saw a crucifix on the wall and below (it) there was all this partying going on."

"I couldn't handle it anymore. He was speaking to me. He touched me and took me and slammed me against the wall."

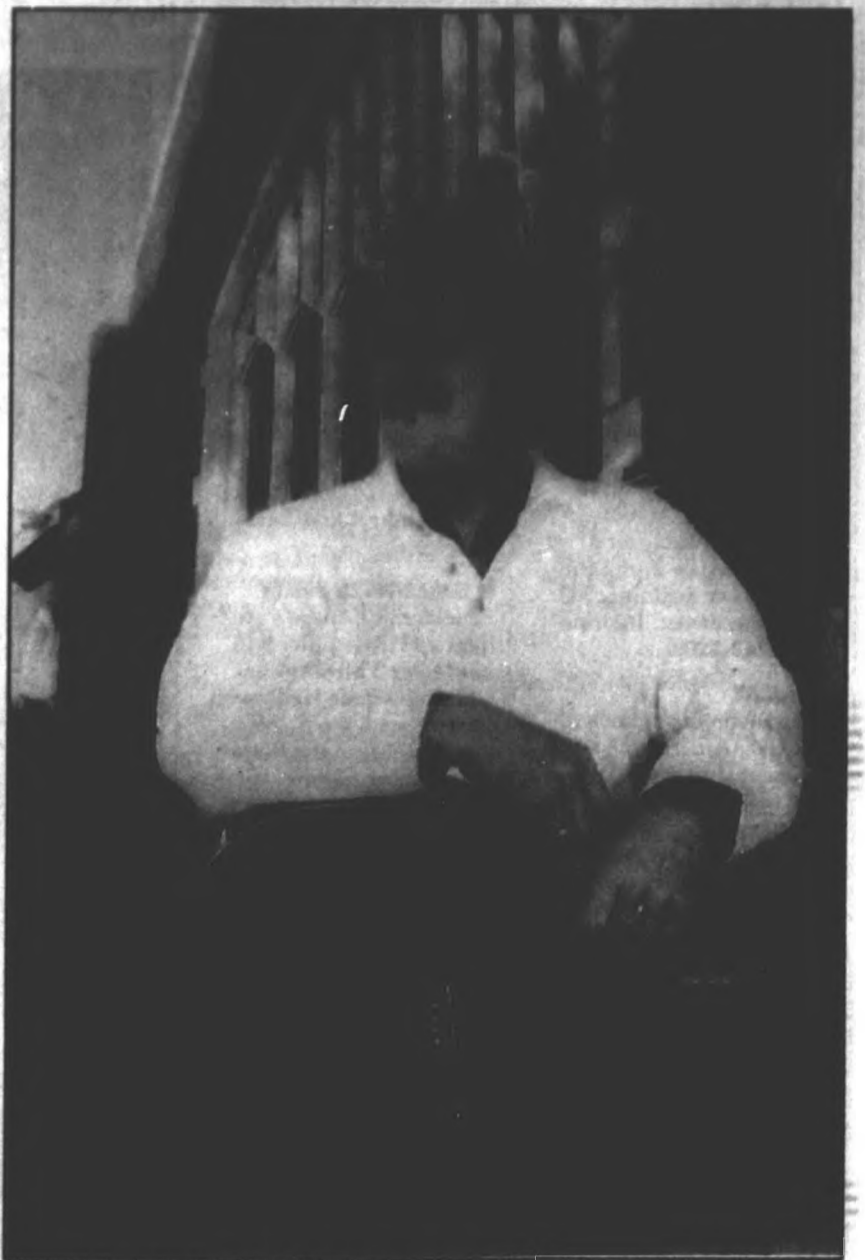
Since then, he has devoted his life to serving the Lord. He's still touring; this time his shows are in churches or at Christian functions. Instead of supporting his alcoholism, his shows are in support of his non-denominational Christian music debut "Tribute to the King: A Praise to Jesus Christ."

He's never felt so successful.

"I can't even believe it today in a short amount of time all the good things that have happened to me. It's unbelievable," he said during an interview in his office at Church Street Baptist Church in Plymouth.

"I always wanted to get a record out and I have one. I could have done this a long time ago, but it wasn't that way," he said.

See MUSICIAN, 14A



BILL BEESLER/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

New tune: Don Baker of Plymouth has given up the bar scene, preferring to perform his Christian-oriented rock music at churches and Christian events.

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# CALENDAR

YOUR GUIDE TO EVENTS IN AND AROUND PLYMOUTH

## LOCAL EVENTS

### HAUNTED FOREST WALK

Maybury State Park's forest has been invaded by ghostly ghouls and goblins. Northville Parks and Recreation invites only those brave enough to travel the dark and spooky trail of this year's Haunted Forest Walk. The event will be held from 7:10-30 p.m. Oct. 28 and 29 in Maybury State Park (8 Mile Road between Beck and Napier). Only advance purchase tickets will be accepted, and are available for \$7 at the Northville Parks and Recreation Building, 303 W. Main Street. Information, 349-0203.

### AAUW

The Plymouth branch of AAUW (American Association of University Women) will hold a dinner meeting at 6:15 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 20, at Ernesto's, 41661 Plymouth Road in Plymouth. A buffet dinner will be at 6:45. At 8 p.m. representatives of the Plymouth Library will make a brief presentation concerning plans to expand library facilities. Representatives from focus groups, such as Landmarks committee, gourmet and literature, will provide information about this year's program. Plans for the annual children's play, an adaptation of "The Wizard of Oz," and the May book sale will be reviewed. Information, 453-7924.

### RAFFLE

The Kiwanis Breakfast Club of Plymouth is conducting its second annual \$1,000 a month raffle. Ticket cost is \$100. This entitles you a chance at a drawing for \$1,000 each month of 1995. If you are a winner your ticket is placed back in for future drawings. It is possible it could be draw again for another \$1,000. Information, 453-7091.

### QUILTING GUILD

The Guild is gearing up for the Oct. 22 and 23 Quilt show to be held at the Wayne County Fairgrounds. The doors will open each day at 10 a.m. Saturday the show will close at 7 p.m. and Sunday 5:30 p.m. Anyone with quilted items to show and/or sell contact Kay Atkins at 699-3783.

### REPUBLICAN WOMEN

Suburban Republican Women general luncheon meeting will be held 11 a.m. Thursday, Oct. 27, at the Mayflower Hotel, Main dining room, in Plymouth. Cost is \$10. Speakers will be candidates for U.S. Congress: John Schall, candidate for State Representative; Gerry Law, candidate for 35 District Court; Ron Lowe, candidate for 16th District Court, Kathleen McCann, and Patricia Smith. Reservations, Joy

Hartmann (810)474-5637. Membership information, Sally Morris (810) 349-3206 or Pattie Coughlan (810) 474-3525.

### HALLOWEEN POETRY

The Plymouth Poets proudly present The Fall Festival of Poetry Halloween Bash from 7:30-10 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 29 at the Plymouth Masonic Temple, on Penniman Street, beside the "Gathering." The second annual Halloween Poetry and scary story festival will feature Ron Lowe and Debra Christian of "Oral Magic" Rod Reinhart and Renee Skoglund.

### HALLOWEEN PARTY

Schoolcraft College's student activities office will host their Third Annual Children's Safe Halloween Party from 6-9 p.m. Monday, Oct. 31, in the Waterman Center. Games, coloring and costume contests, pictures with the Great Pumpkin, face painting, a magic show, and a mini haunted house will be featured. Tickets are \$5 each to cover one and child and two adults; additional adult tickets are \$3 each. Tickets can be ordered by calling 462-4422. Visa, Mastercard, Discover, and personal checks accepted.

### HAYRIDES

Maybury State Park at Eight Mile and Beck roads offers horsedrawn hayrides 1-4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays and 2-4 p.m. Wednesdays at the park's Living Farm. There is no charge for the events. Cost to enter the park is \$4 for a daily permit and \$18 for an annual permit.

### HAUNTED HOUSE

The Plymouth YMCA is in need of volunteers for the Haunted House from 6-10 p.m. Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Oct. 27-29. If you are 16 or older and would like to volunteer, call 453-2904.

### TOY SHOW

The Plymouth antique and collectible toy show will be held from 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 29, at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525 Farmer, in Plymouth. Adults, \$3; under 12, \$1.

### COUNTRY/WESTERN DANCE

Seniors line dance lessons will be from 1-2:30 p.m. every Thursday through June 1995 at the Plymouth V.F.W. Hall, 1426 S. Mill, Plymouth. Everyone welcome. \$4 per class.

### HOLIDAY PLANT SALE

The Community Literacy Council is offering holiday plants for decorating your banquet room, lobby, or office for the holidays. Contact the Community Literacy Council to order and get pricing information on holiday plants. Poinsettias and cyclamens in many colors and sizes are available for order. 416-4900.

### WOMEN OF ARTISTRY

## Haunting time



**Halloween fun:** There are plenty of places to go in the Plymouth area to help the little ones celebrate Halloween. The Plymouth Canton Jaycees are hosting a haunted house Oct. 20-30 behind The Plymouth Landing Restaurant at 340 N. Main. Doors open at 7 p.m. Call 453-8407. At Maybury State Park, there's a Haunted Forest Walk from 7-10:30 p.m. Oct. 28 and 29. Only advance purchase tickets will be accepted, and are available for \$7 at the Northville Parks and Recreation Building, 303 W. Main Street. For information, call 349-0203.

Third annual champagne reception, exhibition and sale will be 1-6 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 30, at the Plymouth Cultural Center, 525

Farmer St., Plymouth. 455-5523. Features live jazz by New Concept with Gary Cooper and Terrance Lester.

**RETIREMENT PARTY**  
A retirement party for retiring 35th District Judge James N. Garber will be held 7 p.m. Thursday, Nov.

## CALENDAR FORM

The Plymouth and Canton Observers welcome Calendar items. Items should be from non-profit community groups or individuals announcing a community program or event. Please type or print the information below and mail your item to The Calendar, Plymouth Observer, 744 Wing, Plymouth, MI, 48170, or by fax to 313-459-4224. Deadline for Calendar items is noon Friday for the following Thursday's paper. Call 459-2700 if you have any questions.

Event: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date and Time: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Location: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Additional info: \_\_\_\_\_

10, at the Plymouth Manor, in Plymouth. Cocktails at 6 p.m.; cost inclusive is \$50 per person. Contact Marion Belding, 459-4740 for reservations.

### ART SALE

In anticipation of the move to the new facility in the spring of 1995, the Plymouth Community Arts Council's Art Rental Gallery is having a "Sell It So We Don't Have to Move It" sale. Gallery hours are Wednesdays from 10 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.

### ENTERTAINMENT BOOK

The Plymouth Symphony League is offering an entertainment book for sale to help fund the League. Each book contains two-for-one discounts on dining, fast food, movies, sports activities, and much more. To order, call 453-3016.

### ENTERTAINMENT BOOK

'95 books are on sale by the Plymouth Optimist Club. 100 percent of proceeds will be used for children's causes throughout southeast Michigan. Entertainment books offer up to 50 percent savings on dining, movies, special events, theater, travel car washes and more. Price is \$40. Home delivered. Call Ken Fisher at 728-7619 or Bill Von Glahn at 453-8253.

### CHILDREN'S SUPPORT

Community Hospice Services is offering a free Children's Grief Support Series. To register, call Vicki DesJardins or Joan Johnson at 522-4224.

### HAUNTED HOUSE

The Plymouth/Canton Jaycee Haunted House will be open at 7 p.m. Oct. 20-30, at 340 N. Main St. in Plymouth. The cost is \$6 for adults, children under 12 \$4. (It will be behind The Plymouth Landing Restaurant.) Proceeds will go to community programs. Friendly Monster Days are every Friday before it opens, from 6-7 p.m. Volunteers are also needed. Hotline, 453-8407.

### FOURTH OF JULY

The Plymouth/Canton Jaycees are already planning the 1995 Fourth of July parade. They are looking for more musical entries, more floats, marching units, etc. Any support would be appreciated. Call Fred, (313) 453-8407.

### PHONE BOOKS

City of Plymouth residents can place old telephone books at the curb in yellow recycle bags (along with household batteries, corrugated cardboard, magazines, junk mail, newspapers with inserts, type 1 and 2 plastics, tin and aluminum food and beverage containers. Glass is separate.) 455-1392.

### CLOTHING BANK

The Plymouth-Canton schools clothing bank will be open Tuesdays only. Hours are 9-11:30 a.m. and 1-3:30 p.m. during the

school year. To make an appointment or for more information, call 416-6179 during open hours. The bank accepts donation of clothing in good condition during open hours.

### PLAYSCAPE PROJECT

Volunteers are needed to organize the various committees involved in the building of a wood play structure in Plymouth Township Park next spring. 454-9614 or 454-4829.

## SPECIAL EVENTS

### HALLOWEEN COMEDY

The Marquis Theatre, at 135 E. Main Street, in Northville will present the Halloween musical comedy, "Annabelle Broom the Unhappy Witch." Performance dates and times are: 8 p.m. Friday, Oct. 28; 2:30 p.m. Oct. 22, 29; 2:30 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 23, 30. All tickets are \$5.

### DOLL SHOW

The Michigan Doll Makers Guild is having its 16th Annual Doll Show and sales on 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 23, at the Northfield Hilton-Troy. Information, Roberta at (810) 725-6902.

### MATTHAEI GARDENS

The docents of the Matthaei Botanical Gardens invite you to discover the outdoor trail tours, free of charge and this month titled "Seeds, Nature's Magic Package." The indoor conservatory tours are \$2 general admission and this month titled "Bringing in the Harvests — Food Plants of the World." The gardens are located at 1800 N. Dixboro Road, Ann Arbor, 2 1/4 miles north of the Geddes Road intersection.

### OPEN ICE SKATING

The Plymouth Cultural Ice Arena, at 525 Farmer in Plymouth, has open skating: Mondays — 8:40-9:40 a.m., 12-1:20 p.m., 7-8 p.m.; Tuesdays — 9:40-11:30 a.m., 1-2:30 p.m.; Wednesdays — 8:30-10 a.m., 11:20 a.m. to 1:20 p.m.; Thursdays — 8:40-11:40 a.m., 1-2:40 p.m., 4-5:20 p.m.; Fridays — 9:40-11:40 a.m., 11:50 a.m. to 12:50 p.m., 7-8 p.m.; Sunday — 12-1:20 p.m., 1:30-2:50 p.m. Fees for city residents are \$2.75, adults; \$2, children; \$1.50, seniors. For nonresidents — \$3.25, adults; \$2.50, children; \$2, seniors. Skate rental is \$1.25. Open Skate Line, 455-1782.

### SENSEY

Fashions at the Parisian will highlight "Ten Key Pieces" 8:30-10 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 29, at the Parisian, in Laurel Park Place. Proceeds benefit Plymouth Playscape. Raffle available. \$12 tickets, coffee/rolls. Linda Jenner, 420-2466.

## C P

To submit your academic honor or graduation announcement to Campus Notes, send the material printed or typewritten to: Bridget Moran, Plymouth-Canton Observer, 744 Wing, Plymouth, Mich. 48170.

**SARAH HENNING** University's Women's Association recently awarded a \$400 regular scholarship to Susan Mack of Plymouth and Barbara Thacker of Canton. The winner of the \$400 merit scholarship went to Julia Gumbor of Canton. All scholarship winners were honored at a reception at which Hall on EMU's campus. To qualify for the scholarship, applicants must be full-time students

carrying 3.0 grade point averages or better, show promise of distinction in their chosen fields and provide faculty recommendations. Nich is president of the Student Organization for Educators of the Hearing Impaired and a volunteer at her children's schools and church. Thacker's participation in Youth for Understanding, a foreign exchange student program which took her to Columbia, South America, led to her decision to major in both biology and psychology, in hope of pursuing a career in the field of medicine. Gumbor is a senior major in health administration. As a resident advisor, she has demonstrated her leadership by organizing social and service activities for her residence hall students, including charity drives

to get them involved in the needs of the local community.

**JILL E. HENNING**, of Canton, lecturer at Eastern Michigan University, was appointed teacher/placement specialist in Eastern Michigan University's Mathematics Department by the EMU Board of Regents at its regular meeting. As teacher/placement specialist, McClain will teach developmental mathematics courses, assist in the planning of the developmental mathematics curriculum, select educational materials, test and evaluate students for the purpose of placing them into appropriate mathematics courses and provide

skilled professional assistance in the mathematics lab.

**DEGA GARDNER**, of Canton, was named to the dean list at Western Kentucky University, at Bowling Green, Ky.

**MARY JANE GIBSON**, of Plymouth, graduated recently from the University of Detroit Mercy, in Detroit, with a Masters of Science Degree. She was a former Mercy College graduate, with an R.N. Degree, in 1980. Mary Jane was the former Mary Jane Donovan and a 1979 Helen High School graduate.

# Writer is both intelligent and gifted



**Dear Ms. Green,**  
I have read and enjoyed your column for many years. Your analyses are very interesting and thought-provoking. I am curious as to what my handwriting tells you about my personality. I am a 33-year-old mother of two young children — a role which is more challenging than my previous career as a writer. I look forward to your response. Thank you.

M.D.,  
Rochester

God's gift of motherhood is a role taken seriously by our writer. Maternal signs ride on those lower loops that symbolically resem-

ble little nests. Several signs found in this legible, well-spaced handwriting tells us she is both intelligent and gifted. We also know she wants to communicate to others. Early in life she wanted the freedom to be independent and follow her own star. I doubt if we'll ever hear her say, "But this is the way we've always done it in the past." There is a refreshing optimism to our writer. Positive thinking has her looking for the silver lining in each cloud. There may, however, be someone or something about the future that is causing concern at this time. Possibly, she has resigned herself to this, knowing there is little she can do to change it. This young mother uses her time efficiently. She is aware of what must be done, and she gets right at it without wasting time on useless asides. She has learned the importance of self-discipline and does not

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rest until her work is completed to her high standards. Even the details receive attention. I suspect her appearance, her children and her home are clean and tidy. Loyalty, both to others and to what she believes, weaves throughout this handwriting. I think friends would need to be stimulating to attract her. Our writer has an eye for beauty. The colorful display Mother Nature has given us at this time can provide relaxation and enjoyment for her.

Her handwriting in both the signature and the text are the same. This strongly suggests one whose inner and outer personalities are in accord. 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. Objective feedback is welcome.

## NEW VOICES

**MICHAEL and DONNA BIEK** announce the birth of **ERIC MICHAEL** Feb. 24. He has a sister, Kendall Elizabeth, 3. Grandparents are Joseph and Dorothy Serico and Jim and Rita Biek, all of Dearborn Heights.

**ROBERT and TAMMY HARPER** of Canton announce the birth of **SAMUEL ROBERT** May 24 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. He has a sister, Hannah.

**CHRISTOPHER and ZOE MILLER** of Dearborn announce the birth of **TROY LUKE** Aug. 6 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. He has a brother, Christopher. Grandparents are George and Connie Givas of Livonia and Lee and Marie Cooke of Crystal River, Fla.

**JAMES and KATHY KARAHAN** of Plymouth announce the birth of **KELLY MARIE** Aug. 14 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. She has a brother, Michael, and sister, Emma.

**RICK and BETH KOPPELBERGER** of Westland announce the birth of **SARAH ROSE** Aug. 26 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. She has a sister, Maria Suzanne. Grandparents are Richard and Virginia Koppelberger of Wayne and Denny and Martha Donnell of Columbia, Mo.

**TODD and ELLEN DOENITZ** of Canton announce the birth of **COURTNEY PAIGE** Aug. 22 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. She has two sisters, Halle, 7, and Amy, 5½, and a brother, Andrew, 3.

**DAVID and VICTORIA SCHEI** of Livonia announce the birth of **MICHAEL ROBERT** Aug. 15 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. He has a brother, David Jr. Grandparents are Leonard and Virginia Bergman of Garden City and Carol Schei of Westland.

**WILL and BONNIE CARPENTER** of Canton announce the birth of **MITCHELL HENRY** Aug. 28 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. He has two brothers, Zachary, 2½, and Garrett, 17 months.

**RICHARD and NORMA DAVIS** of Livonia announce the

birth of **RYAN RICHARD** Aug. 7 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. He has a brother, Derek, 2. Grandparents are Richard and Sue Gardner, Roger and Pat Maynard and Edward Davis, all of Livonia.

**SCOTT and TAMMY MARTIN** of Westland announce the birth of **MOLLY FAYE** Aug. 29 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. She has a brother, Mitchell. Grandparents are Susan Rumpel of Howell and Claude and Judy Martin of Westland.

**WILLIS and CRYSTAL BLANTON JR.** of Westland announce the birth of **WILLIE LEE** Sept. 2 at Annapolis Hospital in Wayne. He has a brother, Ricky, and two sisters, Vicky and Nicole. Grandparents are Willis and Venus Blanton of Westland and Tom and Marge Kick of Columbus, Ohio.

**BOB and LESLIE WALDRON** of Farmington Hills announce the birth of **ERIC JOSEPH** Aug. 21 at Huron Valley Hospital in Commerce Township. Grandparents are Doramee and Bill Waldron of Dearborn and Bob and Patti Burkett of Westland. Great-grandparents are Olive Power of Dearborn, Genevieve Waldron of Westland and Loren Burkett of Dearborn Heights.

**ROBERT and JACQUELINE SNYDER** of Canton announce the birth of **MATTHEW TYLER** Aug. 6 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. He has a sister, Ashley, and a brother, Steven. Grandparents are Richard and Marilyn Endlein and Robert and Joan Snyder, all of Livonia.

**GREGG and KATHLEEN ANGELOSANTO** of Westland announce the birth of **GABRIELLA ANNA G.** June 21 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor. She has a sister, Bethany Lauren. Grandparents are Laurence and Carol Frayer and Felix and Louise Angelosanto.

**DENNIS ELLEDGE and CHRISTINA SIDERS-ELLEDGE** announce the birth of **ZACHARY MICHAEL** Sept. 10. Grandparents are James and Karen Elledge and Jack and Verena Siders.

# Wonderland sponsors Families Day

BY BARBARA WILSON  
STAFF WRITER

"Be a hugger, not a slugger" is a lesson to be taught at the third annual Celebrate Families Day Saturday, Oct. 22, at Wonderland Mall in Livonia. The event, hosted by Youth Living Centers and Child Abuse Prevention Council of Out-Wayne County, is designed to make everyone more aware of child abuse and neglect. "We want people to know that abuse and neglect of children is all around us and there are things we can do to prevent it from happening in our own

homes and to identify it in others," said Jessica Meldrum, manager of special events for the Child Abuse Prevention Council. In previous years the event was staged at Livonia Mall, but organizers decided to move it to Wonderland, corner of Plymouth and Middlebelt roads, this year in an effort to educate another group of people. "We hope to reach new people at this location," Meldrum said. The Child Abuse Prevention Council will have a booth at the mall, as will other agencies involved in protecting children

and families. The booths will be open during mall hours, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. "There will be a lot of material distributed to help people identify abuse and to refer people to the appropriate agency for help, if that is needed," Meldrum said. Children will receive "Be a hugger, not a slugger" cups to promote the agency's new parenting classes, and there will be visits from Bobo the Clown. Jeri's Jamboree, a musical presentation, will be staged at 1 and 2 p.m. on the mall's carpeted center area.

The Child Abuse Prevention Council is funded through the Michigan Children's Trust Fund which receives funding through the checkoff section on the state income tax forms. The council evaluates awareness programs and serves as advocates for agencies trying to get grants and other contributions. Meldrum said they also look for gaps in assistance and attempt to fill them. "We are always in the community, looking out for ways to inform the public about child abuse," she said.

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There are many psychological theories regarding the cause of

Depression. Biological factors, including possible deficiencies of adrenaline-like neurotransmitter chemicals in the brain, are also potential causes. It is known that Depression tends to run in families, and evidence supports hereditary or genetic factors.

Several new antidepressant medications have recently been introduced. The incidence of side effects are lower with these newer medications, but some people still experience side effects such as agitation and sexual dysfunction. Also, antidepressants currently available must be taken over a period of weeks before they begin to work. Research is underway to develop additional antidepressants that will work faster, for more people, and have even fewer side effects.

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Robert J. Bieliski, M.D.

# Resource Center, Arbor Hospice offer grief seminar

Arbor Hospice and the Schoolcraft College Women's Resource Center and Health Center will co-sponsor a one-day healing grief seminar Saturday, Nov. 12, in Livonia.

The seminar is for people who are seeking resolution to the profound grief they feel following the death of someone they loved and for those who wish to help people through the grief process.

The seminar will start with registration and coffee at 8:30 a.m. There will be a keynote address by Sandra Aldrich, executive assistant for academic relations at the Institute for Family Studies, Focus on The Family, in Colorado Springs, Colo., as well as an open forum, three sessions of workshops and lunch before concluding at 4 p.m.

Aldrich is the former editor of Focus on the Family and Physician magazines, and has authored

nine books, including "Living Through the Loss of Someone You Love" (Regal Books, 1990) and "From One Single Mother to Another" (Regal Books, 1991).

Widowed in 1982 and the mother of two adult children, she also is the co-author of more than 100 articles and short stories and has appeared on numerous television and radio shows.

For those grieving, there will be workshops dealing with early grief issues and learning how to reinvest in a new way of life. For those encouraging, there will be discussions about how to help a grieving friend and teach the practical how-to's of beginning, facilitating and maintaining grief support groups.

The workshop sessions will be 11:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m., 1:45 -2:45 p.m. and 3-4 p.m. Topics include: What helps most when a friend or relative is grieving, going through/

growing through the grief of AIDS, sudden traumatic deaths: accidents, murder and suicide, helping children grieve and survival following the death of a child.

The seminar, which will be held in the college's Waterman Campus Center, costs \$35. Checks should be made payable to Schoolcraft College. Registration must be completed no later than Monday, Nov. 7, through the Women's Resource Center.

Supporting the seminar are the Howe-Peterson Funeral Homes in Dearborn and Taylor, John N. Santeiu & Son Funeral Home in Garden City, Vermeulen Funeral Homes in Plymouth and Westland, Ross B. Northrop & Son Funeral Home in Northville, Thayer-Rock Funeral Home in Farmington and Harry J. Will Funeral Homes in Livonia, Redford and Wayne.

Proceeds from the conference will be used for scholarships at Schoolcraft College and to support Arbor Hospice's bereavement support groups.

Arbor Hospice's bereavement support groups. Schoolcraft College is at 18600

Haggerty Road, south of Seven Mile Road, Livonia. For more information, call (313) 462-4443.

## Family Room from page 13A

When I was growing up, I and most other children in town participated whole hog in the festivities. We marched in the parade as scouts. We entered poster contests. We spruced up Main Street by picking up litter. We painted the picket fence in front of the Red Flannel Factory (one picket red, the next white). We marched in the parade as junior high band members behind the horses.

We sought the title of Red Flannel Queen and had to sing, dance, answer questions, wear an evening gown in front of hundreds. We built floats. We marched again as high school band members, leading the way this time and carrying a first division trophy won at the morning band competition.

We played powder puff football under the lights with a real announcer in the press box and people in the stands. We baked things for the concession stands.

We scrubbed, we sewed, we performed; we had the time of our lives.

And three days before this

year's Red Flannel Day, my father — he still lives in Cedar Springs with mom — called to say the bank had closed the Red Flannel Factory down. The factory, so the story went, hadn't failed; someone (an outsider) had failed it.

For some reason, as my Dad talked to me over the phone, I got a big lump in my throat. Red flannel had meant something. It meant a little bitty town that struggled to make something of itself. Its children, its teachers, shopkeepers and farmers, barbers, all of them, had worked hard . . . together. And the preachers joined in, and the undertaker, the handyman, the editor, the librarian, every last one had banded together. Red flannel meant that that speck on the map wasn't so much a little town, but rather a great big, good family.

Two days passed. And although the bank had closed the factory, it couldn't stop Red Flannel Day from coming. So I brought my four children to Cedar Springs on Red Flannel Eve. Darkness, lightning, terrible rain, couldn't stop me.

The next morning the celebration began as it always had. The bands marched; the chicken got barbecued; the rides spun around; the Queen waved; the caramel apples crunched; everyone wore red. I said hi to old, familiar faces in the crowd. I walked with my children past my growing up house. We scuffed through autumn leaves.

Late that night the wind kicked up. On the lampposts along Main Street the long johns creaked and sighed. Their day was all done.

A few days later, after I'd returned home, my father called me. News had gotten out; the bank had sold the Red Flannel Factory. The new owner is another outsider, not a red flannel man. But the way I hear it, he understands things. He understands that a lot more is at stake here than just red underwear.

If you have a question or comment for Karen Meier, call her at 963-2047, mailbox number 1883, on a Touch-Tone phone, or write her at The Observer Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150.

## Musician from page 11A

### Rough road

The road to "Tribute to the King" was a rough and heart-breaking one. Throughout his career as a Southgate police officer, the need to perform "kept pulling me, and pulling me, and pulling me."

In 1962, he divorced, quit the force and opened a private investigation firm. Starting his own business, he said, would leave him more time to perform. That was true, but it also gave him more time to drink.

"I was the worst kind of drunk. I could talk to you after having several drinks (and seem fine)."

Baker didn't consider himself an alcoholic because he was able to stop drinking during the triathlon season, he said, citing a common misconception that alcoholics have about themselves. As soon as it was over, he was back to partying and torturing the ones he loved.

"Addictions will ruin every career and any part of anybody's life," he said.

The 51-year-old Baker is now "totally recovered," thanks to a love that he has for his wife, his music and God. His relationship

with his children is strong once again.

"As long as you love, you can't have all that other stuff in your heart . . . (People) should practice love all the time. It helps

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**WEDDINGS**

**Trombley-Epperson**

Brenda Kay Epperson of Westland and Jay V. Trombley, of Canton were married July 8 at Plymouth Orchards by Dr. Eugene Bragg. She is the daughter of William and Ardith Epperson of Plymouth. He is the son of James and Susan Trombley of Canton.

The bride is employed by Trans Continental Airlines in Ypsilanti. The groom is employed by Men's Building Center.

Tami Aratari served as maid of honor with Susan McCus and Tammie LoGuidice as bridesmaids and Richel Aratari as flower girl.

R.J. Hesse served as best man with Dave Floyd and Mike Trombley as groomsmen and



Matthew Parker as ring bearer. The couple received guests at Plymouth Orchard. They are making their home in Westland.

**Todorov-Harlow**

Michelle Rene Harlow and Bradley Dean Todorov were married Aug. 6 in the rose garden of Henry Ford Estate in Dearborn. She is the daughter of James and Margaret Harlow of Westland and he is the son of Michael and Lynda Todorov of Northville.

The bride is a graduate of John Glenn High School and is a student at Eastern Michigan University. She hopes to graduate in two years with a degree in early childhood-elementary education.

The groom is a graduate of South Lyon High School and is an equipment operator at Got-hard Excavating.

The couple traveled for two weeks to the East Coast on their



honeymoon, stopping at Niagara Falls, Adirondack Mountains and Portland, Maine. They are making their home in Northville.

**Hoeprich-McWatt**

Ruth M. Hoeprich of Plymouth announces the engagement of her daughter, Christine Margaret, to Robert Scott McWatt, the son of Ruth and George McWatt of Glen Arbor.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Plymouth High School and received degrees in art education from Western Michigan and Eastern Michigan Universities. She is employed by Plymouth-Canton Community Schools as an elementary art specialist.

Her fiancé received his training in culinary arts and restaurant management from Lansing Community College and Michigan State University. He is em-



ployed as a manager at the Canton Olive Garden Restaurant. A June wedding is planned.

**Thompson-Armstrong**

Nina and John Krygier of Irons, Mich., and Richard Thompson of Dearborn announce the engagement of their daughter Kimberly E. Thompson to Steven G. Armstrong, the son of Linda and Gale Armstrong of Canton.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Novi High School and is employed by First of America.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Plymouth-Salem High School and currently attends Eastern Michigan University.

A May 1995 wedding is planned.



**ENGAGEMENTS**

**Lindamood-Groth**

Mr. and Mrs. Benton Lindamood of Plymouth announce the engagement of their daughter, Susan Katherine, to Jeffery David Groth, the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Groth of Sterling Heights.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Plymouth Canton High School and a recent graduate of Wayne State University, where she majored in music business. She is a percussion instructor with the Milford High School Marching Band and assistant director of the Novi High School Marching Band.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Sterling Heights High School and Wayne State University. He is currently employed by the Utica



Community School District as band and orchestra director. A summer wedding at Greenfield Village is planned.

**Salvador-Priest**

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Salvador of Plymouth announce the engagement of their daughter, Debra Lynn Salvador, to Bill Priest, the son of Mike Priest of Northville and Brenda Priest of Canton.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Plymouth Salem High School and is attending Schoolcraft College. She also is employed at Meer Dental Supply.

Her fiancé, a graduate of Northville High School, is attending Schoolcraft College. Self-employed, he is the owner of Five Star Lawn Service.

A July 1996 wedding is planned at First United Methodist Church of Plymouth.



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# Money grab Weapons proposal is extreme

**T**he proposed weapons ordinance being studied by the Plymouth Township Board is an unnecessary local ordinance that is nothing more than a money grab by the 35th District Court and the township.

The new ordinance gives Plymouth Township police the power to arrest people carrying firearms or knives in their cars. There's a similar state law on the books, but violators are prosecuted by the Wayne County Prosecutor's Office. A local ordinance would allow local prosecution, with the fines going to 35th District Court and the township.

As Trustee Charles Curmi said: "If I buy a butcher knife at Kmart and it's in a plastic bag on the front seat, I could be arrested."

There's still a chance to stop the ordinance from being put in place. Plymouth Township trustees have given it a first reading, but have not fully adopted it. Members of the public can still put pressure on the Plymouth Township Board not to adopt the measure.

Curmi makes a valid point. Sports enthusiasts often carry shotguns, rifles and hunting knives in their cars, vans and trucks. Because these items could be seen by police officers and confiscated under the law, it gives us great cause for concern. An average citizen could easily lose several hundred to thousands of dollars during a traffic stop.

Or a teen-ager borrows the car of a parent who has recently returned from a hunting or fishing trip and there are several guns or a knife or two in the back of a van or truck. The youth gets into a minor traffic accident and

the police are called.

The teen-ager then is in serious trouble and an attorney will be needed. The bill will be paid by an average middle-class Plymouth Township family.

Such an incident could easily happen, despite assurances from police that they will use discretion when enforcing the ordinance. That sounds like a nice promise; however, that's hard to deliver.

Just like with all professions, police officers exhibit different degrees of competence and experience. Who's to say that a young, inexperienced officer won't mistake a sports enthusiast for a criminal and confiscate a shotgun?

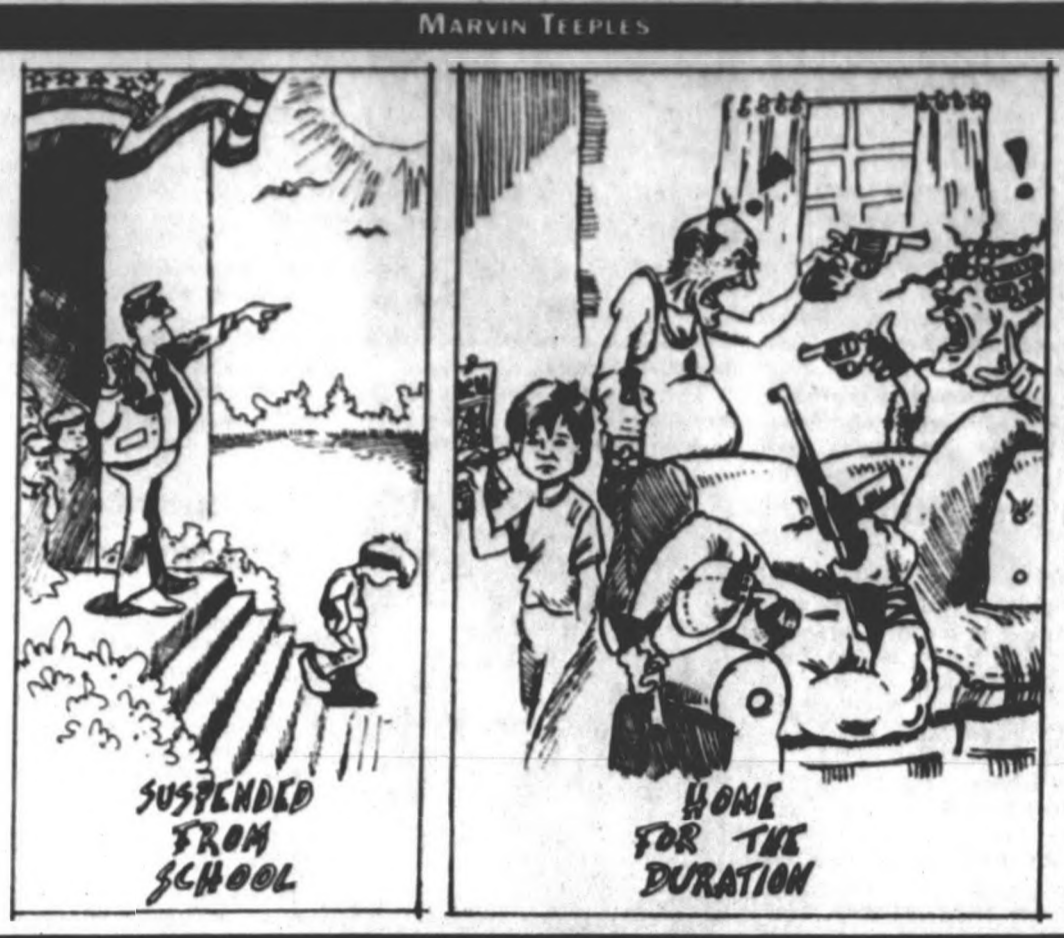
This is not to say that police shouldn't have the powers needed to do their jobs. We need tough laws that can be enforced and will hold up in court to protect the public and police officers.

Township officials say they are just adopting a state law that is already in place and that it would allow the cases to be handled locally.

That stance raises a question: If there is a state law, why is another one needed?

We suspect the answer is money. If Plymouth Township officers arrest and send people to court on a local ordinance, the fines will go to the local court and to the communities it serves.

The Plymouth Township ordinance is excessive and could do nothing more than create problems for average residents. The Plymouth Township Board should reconsider giving it final approval.



MARVIN TEEPLES

## LETTERS

### Library vote

**P**lease remind your readers that the Jamiel M. Jabara on the Nov. 8 ballot for trustee, Plymouth District Library, is Plymouth's own Jim Jabara, a longtime supporter of the Plymouth community.

Jim is a former mayor, a longtime member and former chairman of the Salvation Army Advisory Board, former chairman of the 35th District Court Advisory Board and founder and former president of the Plymouth Colonial Kiwanis Club. The Kiwanis of Michigan Foundation named him a Distinguished Kiwanian. Jim is a benefactor of other community groups including Plymouth Family Services, the Plymouth Historical Society and the Michigan Cancer Foundation.

Jack Kenyon, Plymouth

current library, with a proposal for a well planned 25,000 square foot library.

L. Cale, Plymouth

### Class size

**S**uperintendent Little is quoted in the Oct. 13 edition as admitting that there are hundreds of classes in the Plymouth-Canton schools with 28-30 students and many (less than hundreds, I hope) in the 30 to 35 range. "It is a question of money," he is quoted as saying. Trustees Feiten and Graham are also quoted as saying the same thing. I certainly hope that the leaders of our schools are aware that it is their job to make it not just a money issue but a real problem for our community.

Money may be difficult to get, but it should not be difficult to convince the citizens why it is bad for them and for the students to be in such large classes. Maybe by convincing the citizens of the serious effects of large classes the leaders will be able to help this problem go away.

Robert Kokooska, Plymouth

### Millage opposed

**A**pproval of the millage increase for construction and operating costs for a new library will add .98 mills to the current one mill library tax resulting in an annual library charge of approximately two mills or \$100 to owners of a \$100,000 market value home. This is a significant amount for many taxpayers, especially retirees, and this money could be put to better use by many taxpayers.

A 38,000 square foot library seems to be substantially more than needed for a community of 30,000 people. I spend approximately an hour at the library five days weekly usually in the early afternoon and sometimes in the early evening and there are never many people there. There also seems to be sufficient space for books, furniture, equipment, etc.

The Oct. 13 Plymouth Observer indicated a projected \$900,000 decrease in the Plymouth Township surplus in 1995 to a level of \$500,000. It doesn't require a financial analyst to determine that by 1996 either substantial additional revenue or draconian reductions will be needed. It's a good bet that by 1996 a library millage increase, if enacted, will be joined by a township operating millage increase. In addition, there was mention in the Observer of the possibility of a new township hall which could also result in an increase for the taxpayers.

It may be advisable to the library committee to return in perhaps 10 years, after the taxpayers have been able to get their money's worth from the fairly recent renovation of the

### One vote

**A**nother opportunity to vote will be here on Nov. 8. A time to make choices for our leadership and our community. There are some who might say, "My vote doesn't matter. It won't make any difference if I vote or not."

You can make a difference. In 1645, one vote gave Oliver Cromwell control in England. In 1649, one vote caused Charles the First of England to be executed. In 1776, one vote gave the United States the English language instead of the German language as our native tongue. In 1845, one vote brought Texas into the Union (I don't know if this was a good vote.) One vote saved President Andrew Johnson from impeachment. In 1876, one vote gave Rutherford B. Hayes the presidency of the U.S. In 1923, one vote allowed Adolph Hitler leadership of the Nazi Party. In 1941, one vote saved selective service just before the attack on Pearl Harbor.

Here in Plymouth-Canton, one vote caused the school millage to fail a few years ago. This year, President Clinton's budget passed by one vote.

Your vote does make a difference. Please exercise your cherished right to vote on Nov. 8.

David Campbell

# Prop B corrects bad situation

Proposal B on the Nov. 8 ballot deserves a "yes" vote because it corrects a bad situation in our jammed-up courts.

The situation is absurd: A defendant pleads guilty and is sentenced to prison. Then he protests to the Court of Appeals.

The situation costs taxpayers millions. Three appellate court justices, at more than \$100,000 a year, must look at each 35-page appeal brief. They have staffs to pay. The county prosecutor must take a senior staff lawyer off trial work to write a 35-page reply brief. Defense lawyers, usually paid for by the public, cost \$900 to \$1,000 per case. Each appeal requires a 20-page transcript at \$2.35 a page.

The situation is a waste of time. More than 99 percent of the appeals by those who plead guilty are found to be without merit.

And the situation occurs too often. About one-fourth of the Court of Appeals' caseload stems from guilty pleas. The 24 judges on Michigan's second highest court are so overburdened that the Supreme Court administrator is asking for dozens of additional judges. Dozens!

The situation is that convicts who plead guilty have the same right of automatic appeal as those who went to trial, and the guilty pleaders are abusing that right.

The situation can be corrected. Proposal B would remove the automatic right of appeal of defendants who plead guilty. They wouldn't lose their rights because they still could request "leave to appeal" - the Court of Appeals' permission.

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Critics of Proposal B are very few. They fear Proposal B would take away defendants' rights.

Not so. Remember, it applies only to those who plead guilty (or no contest). Most of their appeals allege harsh sentences. In the 1980s Michigan developed a set of sentencing guidelines based on the actual experiences of hundreds of judges. A judge may hand down a sentence that exceeds the guidelines but must justify the stiff sentence with reasons, in writing.

In 1990 the Michigan Supreme Court put teeth in the sentencing guidelines by remanding (sending back) more than a dozen such cases for re-sentencing. That famous case was People vs. Milbourn. If Proposal B is added to the state constitution, a convict would merely have to cite a judge's unjustified deviation from the sentencing guidelines and cite the Milbourn case, and his appeal would demand Court of Appeals' attention.

Thus, the Court of Appeals could concentrate on the one percent of meritorious appeals and be rid of the 99 percent that are time-wasters.

Prosecutors and politicians of both parties favor Proposal B.

We urge voters to say "yes" to Proposal B on Nov. 8.

## COMMUNITY VOICE

### QUESTION:

Should schools ban Halloween activities and celebrations because they promote violence?

We asked this question at the Plymouth Post Office.



"No. Halloween is a wonderful, fun holiday. I don't think it should consume the whole school day, but it's great for the kids to get dressed up."  
Susan Thompson  
Plymouth



"No. It's not hurting anyone."  
Blake Taylor  
Plymouth



"No, as long as non-violent characters are emphasized. Maybe they could act themes to clear kids away from violent character costumes."  
Jessica Norton  
Plymouth



"Definitely not. It's a great holiday and it's my birthday."  
Jessica Norton  
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— Philip Power



POINTS OF VIEW

# Are horoscopes fit to print in school paper?

## Astrology, like porn, not what school is for

I was disappointed to see the "Horoscopes" in "The Plymouth Canton Educational Park Perspective" on Sept. 30. I was disappointed not because I am one of those people in favor of censorship, but because astrology contradicts so strongly what school is supposed to be about — helping students see and understand what is really going on in their lives so they have a chance at a happy and interesting future.

Part of the problem is that many students (and others) do not know that horoscopes are not true. Some people will say, "Don't get uptight; it's just for entertainment." So, I wonder what is fun about reading things that are not true about your life. I think that people who say they read horoscopes for entertainment are similar to people who say they read Playboy magazine just for the articles.

Horoscopes, like pornography, do not give us good information about what is important to us. The purpose of education, however, is to learn how to get the best answers to important questions. Next, people say, "Well, you can't prove horoscopes are not true." This statement bothers me more than the entertainment claim because it says we have failed to teach some of our young people the basics of modern thought and reasoning.

The first rule of science is that you can't prove a negative. We can't prove astrology can't work, but we can prove that it never has worked. The Encyclopaedia Britannica in 1771 (yes, 1771!) in its first edition said that astrology was an ancient belief that is now "reviled." Astrologers have had well over 2000 years to prove their case and haven't. Serious skeptics and investigators, especially in the last 20 years, have thoroughly tested astrological claims and found them to be utterly in-

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DAVID SEEMANN

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David Seemann

valid. In all cases, tested astrological predictions turn out to be no better (and often worse) than chance guesses. Most believers, however, have some personal experience either directly or through a friend (or someone they admire) that they use as a reason to believe. These experiences can form the basis of serious investigations into the paranormal, and only a closed-minded person would reject them outright.

When modern-thinking people, however, have experiences and make claims about reality, the rule is that the claims are valid only if they can be duplicated. The Amazing Randi, a well-known magician, has offered \$100,000 to anyone who can verify a paranormal claim under controlled conditions. No one has won the \$100,000 since he offered the challenge 15 years ago. In fact, a major television network a few years ago gave assorted psychics and others (including astro-

logers) who claimed paranormal powers a chance to try on prime-time television, and they all failed.

If this stuff were true, why wouldn't McDonald's hire psychics to run the drive-through so customers wouldn't have to use the speaker? The psychics could have the food ready for those who drive up because they would know ahead of time what the customers wanted. In fact, psychics could predict the whole day's sales ahead of time and save a lot of time and labor! Think about it; if the claims of psychics were true, we would have psychic banking, psychic medicine, and psychic everything — indeed, the world would be a perfect place by now.

Of course a "trained" astrologer might claim that they are not "psychic" at all; they are just trained to read elaborate astrological charts that will help us understand how invisible forces from heavenly bodies affected our lives at the moment of our birth. These forces clearly have defied all rational attempts to verify their existence.

What I am worried about is that we are losing our ability to have a conversation about reality — our best hope for accurate predictions. We cannot flourish as a people and our young people won't succeed unless we get skillful and interested in discussing reality. How can a nation that prides itself on high-tech achievements expect to compete if we are entertained (and some convinced) by useless, if not damaging, babel like horoscopes?

I hope "The PCEP Perspective" will live up to its mission "... to inform the student body, parents, faculty and administration of school and international events that may affect them," but not waste any more space with horoscopes that actually represent the failure of human beings to solve life's problems.

David Seemann is an English teacher at Plymouth Canton High School and is a Canton resident. The Observer uses guest columns on a regular basis. For more information about writing one, call Jeff Counts, the editor, at 459-2700.

## If you ban astrology, then why not fiction?

BY CAROLYNN KASSA

I was responsible for running the horoscopes in the September issue of the PCEP Perspective. After a great deal of thought, and a vote by the editors, it was agreed to print the horoscopes. I don't consider that a bad decision. What I think Canton English teacher David Seemann needs to understand is that this is a newspaper. One of the purposes of a newspaper is to gain readership in order to be attractive to potential advertisers.

People are entertained by their horoscopes in the same manner as the comic page, the advice columns, or the crossword puzzles. Though they may not be entertaining to some, they do sell newspapers. The Detroit Free Press and The Detroit News both print horoscopes. Unfortunately the media is a business, and has no moral obligation to its audience.

If we restricted ourselves to reading only what is true, wouldn't that eliminate fiction? What is wrong with reading a Stephen King novel just for the emotional impact? Last year in Advanced Science Fiction I was assigned to read "Lord Foul's Bane," a book I found silly and unbelievable, yet many students in the course enjoyed it immensely; it is all a matter of the person's perspective.

When the statement "Part of the problem is that many students (and others) do not know that horoscopes are not true" arose, I was enraged. How can a man who works with students all day honestly believe that members of our generation can't make decisions for ourselves. It is firmly stated "for entertainment purposes only," and I do believe there is still such a thing as entertainment.

Look at two of the English courses offered here at PCEP, Science Fiction and Advanced Science Fiction, how true to

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life are they? In fact we even have a section in our library entitled "Fantasy." Even though these books may have a moral, it may be wrong, and readers still have to judge. Would Mr. Seemann suggest that those books be censored because they're not reality based?

I think that the problem is that people read too much into the horoscope. The way I view horoscopes is this: They are not meant to determine your life, but to get you more intoned with yourself. When reading a horoscope consciously or unconsciously you are going to mold your day around it. What I'm trying to say is that, if your horoscope predicts a new romance, you're going to be more stoned, looking for it, and that makes it that much easier to find. So in that aspect, I believe horoscopes are true.

I would also like to explain that there is a difference between Psychics and astrologers. Astrologers do not claim to be able to read your mind or locate lost articles. They chart the stars using a mathematical approach. Astrology has never been considered a science so that leaves it open, and what is left open is usually a magnet for criticism.

To blame horoscopes and other such "Babel" for the decline of today's youth is just preposterous! I suppose I would have to have some form of special powers to be able to corrupt an entire student body with my "damaging horoscopes," that are printed in a paper read by less than five thousand teens. I feel there would be more damage in censoring this common element of the newspaper, then there would be in allowing it to be open for debate.

Carolynn Kassa is a student at Plymouth Canton High School and a staff member of the PCEP Perspective, the high school newspaper.

# Problem of crime demands tough action, not just talk

Judging from the political ads on TV, by far the safest place to be in Michigan these days is on the campaign staffs of folks running for office. Gov. John Engler is "tough enough to put thugs in jail," while Democratic challenger Howard Wolpe criticizes the Republican governor for a "wholly inadequate" response to last month's jailbreak in Detroit.

Running for the U.S. Senate, Democrat Bob Carr is proud of his vote for the big crime bill that passed the Congress last month "because it puts more cops on the street" while Republican opponent Spencer Abraham attacks the crime bill as no big deal.

The politicians aren't dumb. All the polls agree: Crime is the No. 1 issue this fall, far eclipsing even taxes, and whether Engler and his friends are just waiting until next year to amend the constitutional prohibition against public aid to private and religious schools.

Ruminating on all this heated rhetoric encouraged me to uncover some facts:

- In the United States, a greater proportion of the population is in prison than in any other developed country in the world; Michigan in 1993 incarcerated 38,000, almost tripled since 1983.

- Michigan spends \$1.1 billion each year on the Department of Corrections, nearly as much as the state spends on all universities and colleges. Fueled by public fear of crime, our leaders in Lansing (both parties, mind you) have increased outlays for prisons faster than any other category of state spending.

- It costs around \$25,000 per year to keep a criminal behind bars, more than five times the \$4,500 average per pupil state aid for our schools. Yet a lot of people are perfectly willing to spend whatever it takes to keep criminals off the streets.

- In statistics compiled by the FBI, the incidence of serious crime (757.5 per 100,000 population) is flat.

The conclusion is clear to me: We're on an anti-crime binge, spending at a prodigious rate, filling up every newly constructed prison cell as fast as we can open it. And yet the crime rate has hardly budged.

Plainly, something doesn't add up. Maybe instead of concentrating solely on sending the bad guys into jail, maybe we should have the guts to rethink seriously our public policies on crime. Below are a few thoughts, just in time for whichever candidate is bold (foolish?) enough to try saying something



PHILIP POWER

original before election day:

- Liberals hate the death penalty, and there is some evidence that trials that involve the possibility of death upon conviction cost an enormous amount. Yet I keep wondering just why society should be obliged to pay the \$25,000 annual tab to keep an inmate, miserable but alive, in jail for life. Are there not some people so incurably sick or some crimes so profoundly awful that the death penalty is not only appropriate but humane at the same time?

- There is growing evidence that young criminals in fact emerge from jail with enhanced standing among their peer group. Who is going to "dis" a guy who survived prison, pumped iron for five years and returned to the street? Does this suggest that treatment of prisoners in jail ought to be very much harsher?

- Are there methods of punishment less costly and more of a deterrent than time in prison? I very much suspect, for example, that the young man who was caned across the buttocks for vandalizing cars in Singapore will not want to do that again. And it might be that two 17-year-old members of the Tlinket Indian tribe who have been banished to live a year alone on remote islands in Alaska won't beat up and rob another pizza delivery man.

I realize these suggestions will provoke a storm of protest, some emotional and some carefully considered. But it seems perfectly clear that what our society is now doing about crime is both terribly expensive and remarkably ineffective.

That's a great recipe for some fresh thinking. It's too bad it won't come out until after the election.

Phil Power is chairman of the company that owns this newspaper. His Touch-Tone voice mail number is (313) 953-2047 ext. 1880.

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Even within each major group of animals, there are subgroups categorized by similar features. Hawks hunt by day, they have hooked beaks and strong, sharp talons. Owls typically hunt at night, fly silently, use sharp talons for capturing prey and have large eyes facing forward.

Large forward facing eyes of owls are the main features that make them easily recognized by most people. But there is another feature that can be used to sub-categorize the 12 species of owls seen in Michigan and help you identify them.

Some species of owls have feather tufts that are often called "ears" or "horns." They are not ears, though they extend beyond the profile of the head like the ears of many animals. Actually, the ears of an owl are located under the facial feathers below the eyes.

Many species of owls do not have feather tufts protruding above the head. The presence or absence of these feather tufts is a helpful guide to owl identification. If an owl is seen, one of the first things to determine is whether it has feather tufts on its head, or not.

If it has large feather tufts then it may be one of three species found in Michigan. Great horned owls are large birds that like the patchy field-woodland countryside found in Michigan today. Screech owls have feather tufts too, but are only eight inches tall compared to 22 inches for the great horned owl. Intermediate in size is the feather tufted long-eared owl — 15 inches tall. Long-eared and great horned owls are

superficially similar, but the great horned owl is much heavier and broader.

The remaining nine species do not have feather tufts. Barn owls and burrowing owls are as scarce as hens teeth, and northern hawk owls, great gray owls and boreal owls are only occasional winter visitors in the northern part of the state.

That leaves snowy owls, which are big, white and come to southeastern Michigan only during the winter; barred owls, the most common owl without feather tufts; short-eared owls (tufts not very noticeable) and northern saw-whet owls, both are mostly transients.

So if you see an owl in the field look at the head to determine if it has feather tufts. If it does, many possible species have been eliminated.

Tim Nowicki is a naturalist at Independence Oaks County Park in Oakland County. He lives in Livonia. You can leave him a message at 953-2047, Mailbox 1874.



**Owls:** Some of the 12 species of owls found in Michigan that have feather tufts that are often called "ears" or "horns." Many species of owls do not have feather tufts protruding above the head. The presence or absence of these feather tufts is a helpful guide to owl identification. If an owl is seen, one of the first things to determine is whether it has feather tufts on its head, or not.

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1994

**ON THE MARQUEE**



KEELY WYGONIK

## Garden City gal stars in 'Bye, Bye, Birdie'

Look for Stacy Stolz of Garden City in the Bonstelle Theatre production, "Bye, Bye, Birdie" opening 8 p.m. Friday, Oct. 28 at the theater on the campus of Wayne State University. Shows weekends through Nov. 6. Call (313) 577-2960 for tickets. "Bye, Bye, Birdie," a Tony award-winner and family favorite for years, promises family fun and non-stop entertainment.

Featured players include Joshua Neds-Fox as the "Mamma's boy" agent, Albert; Stolz as his cunning secretary/fiance; Margaret Exner as Albert's mother; and Taras M. Los as Conrad Birdie, rock idol turned military inductee. The show is the not-quite-fictional portrayal of the drafting of "Birdie," a 1950s rock 'n' roll idol. Musical mayhem ensues when a desperate agent and his wanting-to-be-wed secretary send Birdie off to small town America for one last publicity stunt.

■ We're shrieking with delight over the great response to our request for information about your favorite Halloween Haunts. Thanks for all your input. Turn to our Halloween Happenings calendar for fun and scary things to do during this frightfully fun season.

■ If you're looking for a "creepy" place to eat during Halloween go to Farwell & Friends, 8051 Middlebelt, between Joy Road and Ann Arbor Trail, (313) 421-6990. It's all decorated for Halloween, I've heard their Christmas decorations are spectacular! The food is good, and so is the service.

■ I know, this is really scary, but we're already thinking about New Year's Eve. What do you like to do? What advice would you give a couple who just moved to the area if they asked "where are some nice places to ring in the new year?" Send or fax in your comments today.

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## SCHOOLCRAFT PRESENTS

# 'INSANE' DRAMA



BY BOB WEIBEL  
SPECIAL WRITER

Schoolcraft College's dinner theater package is one of the area's finest. Much of the credit goes to director, James Hartman, and Schoolcraft's vice president, Dr. Conway Jefferies who encouraged Hartman to enhance the school's arts program.

When Hartman arrived at Schoolcraft in the early 1980s, shows were staged in the cafeteria for one weekend. He was advised to continue the steady diet of light comedies if he wanted an audience.

"I don't understand that thinking," said Hartman. "I believe you can get an audience with good theater. With challenging theater. With theater that expresses ideas, be they in comedic or dramatic form."

Well as they say — the rest is history.

Hartman established a theater department to provide an academic background for a pool of trained performers. He moved the venue to Schoolcraft's marvelous 174-seat theater.

Over the past 10 years, Schoolcraft's dinner theater playbill has included comedies like "Plaza Suite" and "Arsenic and Old Lace" together with classic pieces such as "A View From The Bridge," "Waiting For Godot" and "Long Days Journey Into Night."

It has proven to be a successful formula. Many shows are sell-outs, and the mailing list has grown from 300 to over 5,000!

Opening October 21st, is the seldom performed "Marat Sade."

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Stage challenge: Kelley Oxley (left to right, top), Beth Anderson, John Norman and Mary Zak in a scene from "Marat Sade." Sagina Varghese-Turnbull (Charlotte Corday) is a demented patient, and Steve Geary (Marat) in the play.

### Now showing



The Double Dragon Restaurant in Westland offers good food, service and value.



Check out Entertaining Choices for information about shows playing at community theaters in your neighborhood.



See John Monaghan's review of "The Shawshank Redemption," a prison drama.



Ann Kalvelage and her family did their homework before they embarked on a weeklong trip to Walt Disney World in Orlando, Fla.



The members of Mental Landscape have plenty to say about the Detroit music scene.

### Looking ahead

- Go behind the scenes of Second City's newest show with comedy writer Robert Bodler.
- Farmington Philharmonic presents a "Seasonally British" program Nov. 6.
- Travel to the Caribbean with Joan Brown.

### ON STAGE



#### "Madama Butterfly"

► THEATRE: Liberal Arts Theatre, Schoolcraft College, 10000 Haggerty Road, Livonia.

► CURTAIN TIMES: 6:30 p.m. (dinner), 8 p.m. (show) Fridays and Saturdays, Oct. 21-22, 28-29 and Nov. 5. Show only 8 p.m. Friday, Nov. 4.

► TICKETS: \$16 for dinner theater, \$9.50 for show only. Call (313) 482-4409.

## Dentist sinks her teeth into MOT role

BY MARY JANE DOERR  
SPECIAL WRITER

When the chorus of geisha girls open their mouths to sing "Spirs sul mare" with Madama Butterfly in Michigan Opera Theatre's perennial favorite opening this weekend at the Fisher Theatre in Detroit, dentist Susan Goode Friedman will not be doing her usual thing — examining their teeth.

The lyric coloratura soprano, mother of three children, a dentist by profession, will be singing with the women's chorus, her first opera.

"When I was given the part I had to go out and rent the video to find out what it was about," said the exhilarated West Bloomfield resident.

Last June's audition was not Friedman's first audition. The veteran of numerous musicals at Kings Island, University of Michigan, and the West Bloomfield area, and a former voice major at U-M auditioned twice before.

### "Madama Butterfly"



► THEATRE: Michigan Opera Theatre presentation at the Fisher Theater in Detroit.

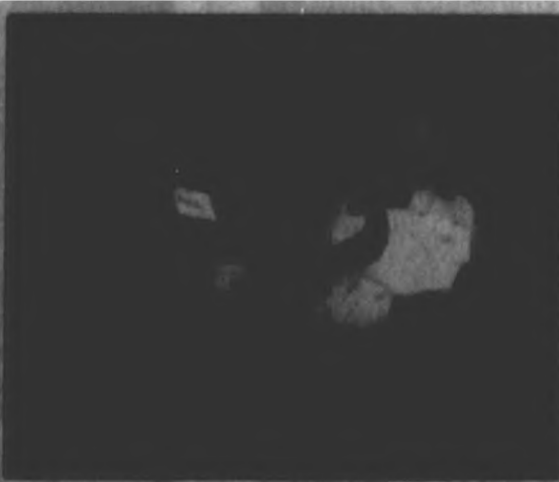
► CURTAIN TIMES: 6 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays, Oct. 21-22, 28-29; 6:30 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 23; 2 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 30.

► TICKETS: Range from \$11 to \$63. Call (313) 874-SING.

"My mind was made up," said Friedman. "I had decided I was just going to keep going down to those auditions until they took me."

Take her they did and now Friedman is sinking her teeth into the Italian score and living what she calls her dream — to sing in an opera.

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Rehearsing: Maria Schumacher (left to right) and Susan Friedman rehearse their lines for "Madama Butterfly."

# LET'S GO! DINING

## Restaurant Specials

Send items to be considered for publication to: Keely Wygonik, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150, or by fax (313) 591-7279.

### Benefits

**WASHER'S RACE**  
To benefit the Leukemia Society of America, noon, Sunday, Oct. 23, in Grosse Pointe, between Monroe and Lafayette, Detroit.  
(810) 778-6800

**COMEDY**  
Soupy Sales comedy benefit for the Ronald McDonald House of Detroit, 6 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 5, Oakland Hills Country Club, Bloomfield Hills. Tickets \$150 per person.  
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**GALACTIC BALL**  
Costume ball for arts organizations, 7:30 p.m. Friday, Oct. 28, American Center Building, Southfield. Tickets \$75 and \$150.  
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**WINE AUCTION**  
Thirteenth annual Detroit International Wine Auction, 6 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 29, Fairlane Club, Dearborn to benefit the Center for Creative Studies. Tickets \$175.  
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**SAVE A HEART '94**  
Wine and food tasting event 6:30-9:30 p.m. Friday, Oct. 21 at Crisler Arena, Ann Arbor to help children with congenital heart disease. Sponsors include Mott Children's Hospital and Merchant of Vint. Tickets \$35 per person.  
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## Marat from page 1B

And no wonder. It just might be the ultimate stage challenge. The full title is — "The persecution and assassination of Jean-Paul Marat as performed by the inmates of the Asylum of Charenton under the direction of the Marquis De Sade."

It's a play within a play that deals with moral, social and political themes. Nearly 30 catatonics and assorted lunatics act out a murder and fight over two opposing views of humankind.

The first: We are what we are and nothing much can be done. Change should be slow and peaceful. The second: Change must be immediate and radical through revolution. They must be repeated, no matter how many times we fail.

Author, Peter Weiss, was looking for an explanation of the bloodbaths, purges and wars of the 1930s and 1940s. "Marat/Sade" is set in a different time, however — 1808, just after the French Revolution.

In the style of Brecht, who wanted audiences to forget they were in a theater, Hartman says, "We've staged the play so the whole auditorium is an asylum. Audiences will experience the feeling of really being in a madhouse." Hartman goes on to caution theatergoers that "Marat/Sade" contains controversial subject matter that some may find offensive. "This production is not for children," he said.

Working on "Marat/Sade" is a unique learning experience for cast members.

"I've enjoyed researching the French Revolution and creating a character with so much depth," said John Norman (DeBade).

"My role is unlike any other I've played," said Steve Geary (Marat). "Understanding what Marat is trying to say has been a

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real challenge. Then there are those with little stage experience. For example, Tom Noe Jr. (Dupree) and Brian Taylor (The Herald) have been amazed at the "effort and concentration" required.

Sagina Varghese-Turnbull, who plays Charlotte Lorday — the demented patient who does the dastardly deed — was under no such illusion. A graduate of Michigan State University, she has taught, directed and performed in many plays.

"I was fascinated by the show and the character," she said. "I really wanted to explore her outrage, her excesses, her sympathy with the revolution."

As much as "Marat/Sade" is a learning experience for students in terms of play structure, dialogue techniques, and character development, it's also an educational opportunity for the audience.

"We trust they will find it a unique experience," said Hartman.

Before the show, theatergoers are served dinner in the Waterman Center — just a short walk from the theater. If history is any guide, the audience will indeed find dinner a most enjoyable experience.

Preparation and presentation are first rate. Dinner is served sit-down style at your table. It all done by the Schoolcraft College Food Services Department. This fall's menu features lasagna as a main course.

Bob Weibel of Westland is a freelance writer, who has spent more than 25 years in community theater as a director, designer and performer.



**Young cast:** Starring in the Genitti's production are: (front row, from left) Nicholas Andres, Nicole Link, Parker Plague, Carrie Smith and Danny Oravec; and (back row, from left) Joanne Smith, Laura Genitti, Brooke Andres, Joey Oravec, Michael Quinn and Jamie Steel.

## Genitti's presents musical for kids

Genitti's Hole-in-the-Wall Restaurant in Northville is presenting a timely lunch-theater production for youngsters, "Not All Monsters Are Scary," Oct. 22-23 and Oct. 29-30.

For \$9.99 (kids) and \$10.99 (adults) the restaurant is offering a lunch buffet, show and Halloween costume parade. Lunch begins at 11:30 a.m. and the show at 12:15 p.m. Show-only tickets are \$6.

"Not All Monsters" is a musical comedy, the story of

a little girl named Kelly who is afraid to go to sleep. The show includes some very friendly monsters, music, dance and great costumes.

It was written and directed by Lisa Andres, the award-winning creator of "Once Upon A Time" and "The Magic Journey."

The cast of young actors range in age from 7-13. There are plans for audience participation.

Seating is limited. Call (810) 349-0522 for information and reservations.

## MOT from page 1B

"Singers have always been impressed with my dentistry. Dentists have always been impressed with my singing. When singers are impressed with my singing, I will have arrived," said Friedman.

Friedman loves working with the career musicians such as Michaela Dionne, a soprano from Redford who has lost count of the number of operas she has been in. In the last nine years she has been a slut, a hooker, a Gypsy, a peasant, an Ethiopian slave, and an upper class lady.

"Being a low class prostitute is the most fun," said the manager of Pippin Puppets of Redford. A full-time actress, Dionne has been in films such as "Renaissance Man," and "Let's Kill All the Lawyers."

Mezzo-soprano Rosaline Con-

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trera Guastella of Plymouth has been in just about as many productions as Dionne thinks she has been in. Her part in this fall's production of Donizetti's "The Daughter of the Regiment" which will follow "Madam Butterfly" on Nov. 11, will not be her last.

Over the years she has had solos in "Rigoletto," "King Roger" and a duet in last spring's "Turandot." It's the stage lights, the costumes, and acting that keep her coming back, not the approximate \$70 a performance and \$6 a rehearsal hour the chorus gets paid.

"It is always such a wonderful experience," said Guastella,

mother of three and a vocal music graduate of South Dakota State University. "I love the people."

Another career musician, Diane Calhoun, of Plymouth, an elementary music teacher in the Farmington Public Schools, is also especially fond of the friends she has met at MOT in her 12 productions.

When her husband died of a sudden heart attack two years ago, the members of the MOT chorus sang "How Lovely is Thy Dwelling Place" at the Plymouth Presbyterian Church funeral.

Calhoun joins the chorus of townspeople in "The Daughter of the Regiment" for her first production since his death.

"He loved the opera so much. I haven't been able to sing in any of

the productions since 'King Roger,' the last one he saw," said Calhoun.

Calhoun, who holds a master's of vocal music education degree from U-M, has starred in shows around Plymouth, soloed in many "Messiah" solos and done numerous commercials. She is the mother of two girls, who have been in six MOT productions. Her daughter, Lindsay, will be in Nov's "A Doll's House" later this month. Both girls will audition for the children's chorus in "Tosca," which opens May 13, 1995.

Calhoun's two daughters have grown up with opera, unlike Susan Friedman. But like Friedman, veterans of the MOT chorus, young and old, agree live opera is better than the videos.

## Marquee from page 1B

We're also anxious to hear from local restaurants and hotels about the special New Year's Eve packages they're offering.

Take your children on a trip back in time to learn about prehistoric creatures, 11:30 a.m. and 2 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 22 at "Symphonassurus," a humorous

combination of music, storytelling and unusual visuals to be presented by the Detroit Symphony Orchestra. The concert will be at Orchestra Hall in Detroit. Tickets range from \$7 to \$24. Call (313) 833-3700 or Ticketmaster, (810) 645-6666.

"Symphonassurus" is the first

concert of the 1994-96 Young People's Concert series. Upcoming events include: the Bob Brown Puppets in "Peter and the Wolf," (Dec. 10); "Tchaikovsky Discovers America" (Jan. 28); Nickelodeon folksinger Tom Chapin (April 22); and "Born in the USA: The Music of Aaron Copland" (June 3).

Keely Wygonik is editor of the Taste and Let's Go! sections of the Observer & Eccentric Newspapers.

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# LET GO! DINING

## Double Dragon touts Hunan cooking

The Double Dragon Restaurant is the newest of several Chinese restaurants on Wayne Road in Westland.

Owners, husband and wife, Ken Pok and Elaine Wong, and chef-owner Ken-Xi Cao, hope to make a go of it by offering good food, good service and good value.

"I wanted to have a good restaurant where I can go to eat and also serve people from the area," said Pok, a Hong Kong native who ran a restaurant in Toronto before moving to Michigan to study computer science at Eastern Michigan University.

He said the Double Dragon's kitchen specializes in Hunan and Szechuan provinces' cooking, which is not duplicated in Wayne Road's other Chinese restaurants.

The Double Dragon opened Sept. 6 in a building long occupied by the Mexico Inn. Wong said they spent several months refurbishing the interior, which seats 130 and includes a full bar.

Wong has been in the restaurant nearly every day since its opening. She said she is new to the business and wants to learn everything she can to make it a success.

"I want to know all my customers," she said. Earlier, a customer thanked Wong for providing a bottle of formula for the customer's young child. Wong keeps baby formula in the kitchen for when it is needed.

Can-Xi Cao, the chef, is a native of Canton, China, and his parents have run restaurants in both Toronto and Chicago, Pok said.

Further up the road, Troy Mui, manager of the East Ocean Chinese Restaurant, 8601 N. Wayne Rd., said his eatery tries to stay ahead of the competition by offer-

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Chinese Typical Chinese fare, with emphasis on Szechuan and Hunan dishes. There's a lunch buffet, all-you-can-eat, for \$5.25. Entrees \$5.95 - \$9.50. Vegetarian choices. Casual. Seating Capacity: 130

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ing quality food at good prices. East Ocean uses no lard and his almond sauce, for example, contains real almonds, which is not always the case, he said.

"I think it's really competitive," he said of the Wayne Road Chinese restaurant scene. The East Ocean has been open since 1981, Mui said.

The Double Dragon offers an all-you-can-eat lunch buffet for \$5.25 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m., which is popular with the local people and business people that make up the restaurant clientele, Wong said. About a third of the business is carry out, and families come in the evening, she said.

The menu is vast, as most Chinese restaurant diners seem to want. It's organized under beef, chicken, pork, vegetable and seafood headings. The dinner entrees range from \$5.95 to \$9.75. The lunch menu is in the \$4.95 to \$5.75 range.

Also available are dinners for two (\$15), three (\$22), four (\$29.50) and six (\$42).

There are chop sueys, ribs, fried rice, along with kung-pao chicken, cashew nuts chicken, and Mongolian beef. There is also a tofu dish that includes broccoli and other greens, and a beef with



JIM JAGGFIELD/STAFF PHOTOGRAPHER

More than chop suey: Ken-Xi Cao, the chef and an owner of Westland's new Double Dragon Chinese restaurant shows off a plate of sesame chicken.

a sweet sesame seed sauce.

Pok said the kitchen doesn't use monosodium glutamate, or MSG.

The restaurant decor is pleasant, well-lighted and familiar-feeling.

### Restaurant Specials

#### College restaurants

**EARLHAM COMMUNITY COLLEGE**  
Ridgewood Cafe in J-305 of Trill Hall, Oakland Community College, 27055 Orchard Lake Road, Farmington Hills. Student-run restaurant is open for lunch 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday through Thursday (810) 471-7786

#### SCHOOLCRAFT COLLEGE

The college's gourmet restaurant, American Harvest, in the Waterman Center on campus, 18600 Haggerty Road, Livonia, is now open for lunch, noon to 1:15 p.m. Tuesday through Friday. A lavish buffet is offered each Friday at \$10.95 per person. (313) 462-4488

#### HUNAN PALACE

The Farmington restaurant offers 30 luncheon specials weekdays priced \$5.95 and under. Also there are plenty of fish dishes served with a variety of sauces. It's at 38259 W. 10 Mile (810) 473-3939.

#### Festive events

**DEPALMA'S**  
Halloween Party featuring live jazz with Larry Nozoro, 8 p.m. Monday, Oct. 31, 31735 Plymouth Road, Livonia. Everyone in costume will receive a complimentary appetizer. Grand prize package for best costume. Reservations recommended. (313) 261-2430

#### THE LARK

Autumnal Tuscan dinner, 7 p.m. Monday and Tuesday, Oct. 24-25 — features cuisine of Tuscany. Cost \$70 per person, last day for cancellations is Oct. 15. The Lark is at 6430 Farmington Road, West Bloomfield. (810) 661-4466

#### ROCHESTER CROCK HOUSE

"Lobster Maine-la" continues through

Oct. 31 at the restaurant, 306 Main St., Rochester. Fresh steamed Maine lobsters, special entrees. Lunch served 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday-Friday; dinner, 5-10 p.m. Monday-Thursday; 5-11 p.m. Friday-Saturday and 4-9 p.m. Sundays. (810) 651-2266

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The weekend celebration in-

cludes German beer tasting under a heated beer tent, live German musical groups, Bavarian Dancers, the St. Pauli Girl. German cooking demonstrations will be offered 3-5 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 22. A pumpkin recipe contest (bring in finished samples for judging) will be 3 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 22, and a carved pumpkin contest will take place 3:30 p.m. Sunday,

Oct. 23. Norm's will be featuring Samuel Adams Oktoberfest, Frankemuth Oktoberfest and Heinekin Tarwebok beer specialties as well as samples of German wines. Norman's is also featuring German beer and food specials throughout the month of October. Pumpkin carving and recipe contest winners will receive gift

certificates to local restaurants. Dakota Inn Rathskeller — Oktoberfest tradition continues with German bands and lots of dancing and food at the restaurant, 17324 John R in Detroit. Entertainment starts 7 p.m. with the piano, bands start at 8 p.m. Admission to Oktoberfest is \$3. Call (313) 867-9722.

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LET'S GO! TRAVEL

# Advance planning enhances Disney World trip

BY BRIAN LYSAGHT  
SPECIAL WRITER



Ann Kalvelage and her family did their homework before they embarked on a weeklong trip in August to Walt Disney World in Orlando, Fla.

Their efforts paid off nicely, she said. The Westland family of four spent \$2,200 during a week's stay at the mega-entertainment complex.

"It was wonderful," said Kalvelage, who traveled with her husband, Dan, and sons, Chris, 9, and David, 4. "It costs lots of money but it's immaculate, and it really is magic. They call it the Magic Kingdom. They treat their guests very well."

But guests can spend money faster than you can sing the Mickey Mouse song. Kalvelage offered a few tips for cutting costs:

- Consider staying outside the gates; it can be cheaper. The Kalvelage's \$59 efficiency motel room was two miles from the main gate.
- If eating inside, choose your restaurants carefully.
- Bring snacks into the park; though this technically is not allowed, Kalvelage said their backpacks were never checked.
- Read Bob Sehlinger's "Unofficial Guide to Walt Disney World." Kalvelage said it proved valuable, even at \$13. Also, get tips from friends and neighbors who had been there before.
- Kalvelage said her family was outside the gates each morning before opening, then left at mid-afternoon to swim, relax and rest. Then, they returned about 6 p.m. for another few hours.
- The Orlando Chamber of Commerce offers a vacation planning guide that includes coupons for accommodation and other tips. Call (407)363-5871.

Keep in mind, too, that Disney offers vacation packages, some for as low as \$149 for a three-night stay. Your travel agent should

have more information.

Meanwhile, the residents of the Magic Kingdom are offering plenty of new attractions to keep America entertained. There is, for example, "The Twilight Zone Tower of Terror," a 199-foot building that leads visitors to an ominous 13th floor. We won't give anything away, but it involves an elevator.

There is the new 1,920-room All-Star Sports Resort, with five different themes for sport fans of any stripe. Room rates begin at \$69 per night, making it one of the most economical Disney resorts.

"Innoventions" in Epcot '96 allows guests to fiddle with the latest high-tech gadgets that are destined for the consumer market — meaning a store near you or me.

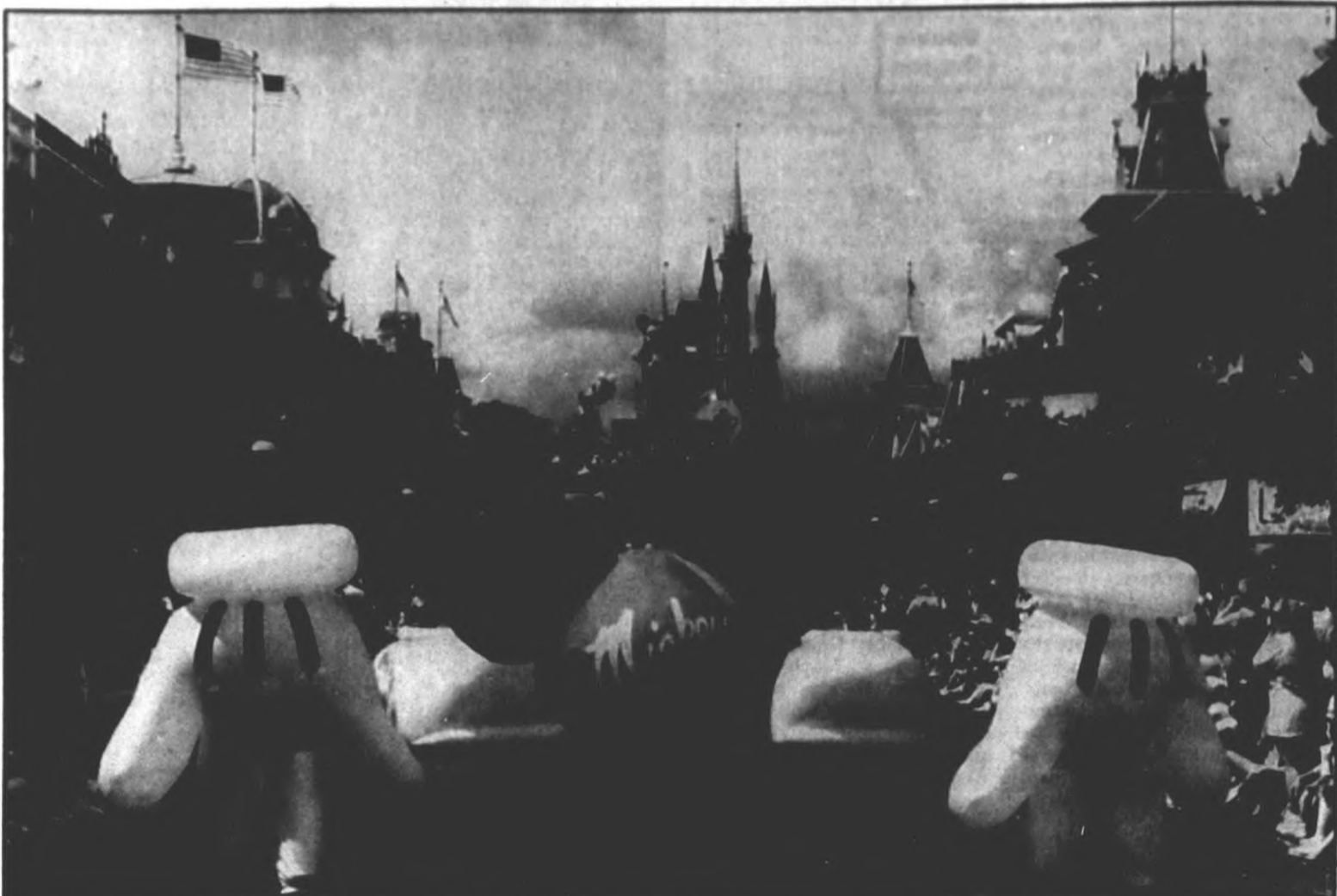
If you're interested in the romance of the Great Northwest, you can check into the new Wilderness Lodge Resort, a rustic 728-room midway. (Now, if you're really interested in the Northwest, you should probably catch a plane to Seattle, not Orlando). A man-made geyser erupts hourly, and rooms start at \$149 per night.

Magic Kingdom explorers can visit a fantasy African jungle based on the hit motion picture musical "The Lion King."

There's a Doll and Teddy Bear Convention Nov. 4-6 at Disney Village Marketplace, and it includes a public auction. Also on the horizon is a showing of the works of 200 of the nation's finest artists, Nov. 11-13.

Of course, the unofficial king of Disneyworld — we're talking about Mickey Mouse — stars daily in the new Mickey Mania parade at the Magic Kingdom. There are floats, balloons, mouse ears and 28 other Disney characters, who tell the story of Mickey in Music, Mickey in Tim, Mickey in Motion, Mickey in Toys, and Mickey in Balloons and Mickey Through the Years.

For information of the official sort, call Walt Disney World Guest Information at (407)824-4321. Or write PO Box 10,040, Lake Buena Vista, FL. 32830-0040.



**M-I-C-K-E-Y:** Mickey and friends make their way through the Magic Kingdom during one of the new daily parades. With some careful planning, you can save some money and have more fun at Disney World.

## Finding next best thing to being there

Let's say you've got a bad case of Mickey Mania. It happens to the best of us.

But let's also say you lack the desire or the cash to buy a ticket to Florida or California.

The publicity machine at Walt Disney World offers a few pointers:

Put on the latest Disney garb,

from "Lion King" T-shirts to "Winnie the Pooh" sweatshirts. Pooh Bear turns 70 this year.

Slip in the cassette of Walt Disney Records' "Travelling with Mickey" or "Disney Children's Favorites."

For something a little brassier, try Disney's Hollywood Records' "The Brian Setzer Orchestra," a

recording that features the former Stray Cat Setzer and his big band.

New from Disney's Hyperion publishing house is "Suitable for Framing" by Pulitzer Prize winner and crime writer Edna Buchanan. Then there's the memoir from former Mouseketeer Annette Funicello, "A Dream is a Wish Your Heart Makes: My Story."

Tune into "Dateline Disney" for updates. That's on the Disney cable TV channel.

In a pinch, you can visit the Disney Store at Twelve Oaks Mall or Laurel Park Place.

There now, that should cure what ails you. But consider this: Is Mickey and company omnipresent or what?

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#### Getaways

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Village Bach Festival returns to the thumb communities of Cass City and Caro, Nov. 22, 25-27 for its 16th season. Members of the chamber orchestras and soloists gather for the Thanksgiving holiday to rehearse and perform J.S. Bach's music and other baroque, as well as modern chamber composers, in the First Presbyterian churches of Cass City and Caro. (517) 872-2131, Ext. 269

**Wish you were here**

On Mackinac Island, Victor McGuire of Canton recommends a family outing to Michigan's historic Isle. He wrote: "My family especially enjoyed touring the forts. A family combination package includes admission to Fort Mackinac on Mackinac Island, Colonial Mackinac and Historic Mill Creek in Mackinac City. The kids loved dressing in the colonial clothes and watching the soldiers fire the cannon and ride white at the fort."

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# LET GO! MOVIES

## 'Redemption' is entertaining, but heavy on cliches

TICKETS PLEASE



JOHN MONAGHAN

In between bulky horror novels, Stephen King has been known to dip into other genres. Hollywood, always hungry for King material, has mined these peculiar novellas and short stories and made movies out of them, including the nostalgic "Stand By Me" and now the prison drama, "The Shawshank Redemption."

As odd as it sounds, these are some of the best screen treatments of King's work. Where filmmakers have rarely gotten the spirit of his horror material, these stories, so inspired by the movies, play so well that you hardly notice their more hackneyed elements.

When Red (Morgan Freeman), a lifer in a New England prison,

first sees Andy (Tim Robbins) in the late 1940s, he thinks the new inmate is a rich boy who will break down during his first night in stir. Not only does Andy prove him wrong; he goes on to have a profound effect on Red and the entire prison.

"Don't you know? Everyone in here is innocent," says Red, who gives Andy his first advice about prison life. In reality, Andy, a successful banker on the outside, isn't guilty in the murder of his wife and her lover.

The first hour of "The Shawshank Redemption" shows the day-to-day routine of prison life. There are the usual cliches — the hosing down and delousing upon arrival, sadistic guards, an old guy feeding bugs to the baby bird in his coat pocket.

Then a plot starts to unravel. Andy begins to command the respect of the guards, setting up a makeshift accounting office and giving financial advice. Soon he's doing the guards' and the warden's tax returns in exchange for

### REVIEW

the freedom to build up the prison library.

The warden eventually uses Andy's expertise to launder money made from illegal kickbacks and other dirty dealings. When evidence appears that might clear him, the warden naturally does everything in his power to block it.

Despite the drab surroundings (uniforms, cloudy afternoons and prison walls fuse into a perpetual blue-grayness), the movie is ultimately about hope. Make the best of the situation wherever you are, it says boldly, quite a switch from the cynical author of "The Stand."

Freeman and Robbins play the kind of gutsy character parts actors loved to tackle in the 1940s. A nice twist here is how the movie spans the decades, represented by posters — from Rita Hayworth to Marilyn Monroe to Racquel Welch — that decorate Andy's



MICHAEL WEINSTEIN

cell wall. At its worst, "The Shawshank Redemption" is manipulative and about a half hour too long. At its best, King's visit to the big house

cleverly blends the realistic and spiritual into a captivating yarn. If you have a comment for John Monaghan, call him at 953-2047,

Prison drama: Red (Morgan Freeman, left) and Andy (Tim Robbins) are inmates in "The Shawshank Redemption," a tale of survival and hope from Castle Rock Entertainment, a Columbia Pictures Release.

mailbox 1866, on a Touch-Tone phone, or write to him care of Street Scene, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, MI 48150.

### Screen Scene

A sampling of what's playing at alternative movie theaters across metro Detroit as reviewed by John Monaghan.

**DETROIT FILM THEATRE**  
Detroit Institute of Arts, 5200 Woodward Ave., Detroit. Call (313) 833-2323 for information. (\$5)

"Charaluta — The Lonely Wife" (India — 1964), 7 and 9:30 p.m. Oct. 21-22; 4 and 7 p.m. Oct. 23. In 19th century Bengal, a wealthy man's wife, no longer capable of being the "ideal" woman, asks nothing of life but her husband's happiness.

"Clerks" (USA — 1994), 7 p.m. Oct. 24. Twenty-three-year-old Kevin Smith made this Cannes award-winning film for \$27,500. It's the irreverent story of one semi-eventful day in the life of a New Jersey convenience store clerk.

**KINOTEX**  
Capitol Theatre and Arts Center, 121 W. University Ave. W., Windsor, Canada. Call (519) 971-5160 for show times. (\$4)

"Woman in the Dunes" (Japan — 1964), 9 p.m. Oct. 24-25. Stranded on a deserted beach while collecting specimens, an entomologist is led to a beautiful young widow living at the bottom of an enormous sandpit. Lured into the hole, he soon discovers that he is being held prisoner and must endlessly shovel sand to avoid being engulfed.

**MAGIC BAG THEATRE**  
22918 Woodward at Nine Mile Road, Ferndale. Call (810) 544-3030 for information. (\$5)

Ed Wood — "Glen or Glenda?" (USA — 1953), 8 p.m.; and "Plan Nine From Outer Space" (USA — 1959), 9 p.m. Oct. 26-27. A pair of anti-masterpieces by Edward D. Wood Jr., cult director and sub-

ject of Tim Burton's new biopic. "Glenda" is the sincere account of a man (played by Wood himself) who finds comfort wearing women's clothes but can't bear to tell his girlfriend. "Plan Nine" is the notoriously cheesy science fiction/horror story best known as Bela Lugosi's last performance. This is the one where he's seen in only one shot, then replaced by a much-taller stand-in with a cape held up to his face.

**MAIN ART THEATRE**  
118 N. Main St. at 11 Mile Road, Royal Oak. Films play through at least Thursday, unless noted otherwise. Call (810) 542-0180 for information and show times. (\$6.50; \$4 students and matinee; \$3 twilight)

"Priscilla, Queen of the Desert" (Australia — 1994). Three drag queens take their show on the very open road in this bizarre and funny comedy. "Quiz Show" (USA — 1994).

Robert Redford's entertaining and poignant look at the quiz show scandal of the 1950s, where the producers of the wildly popular "Twenty One" fed the right answers to contestants.

**MAPLE THEATRE**  
4135 W. Maple, Bloomfield. All titles play through at least next Thursday. Call (810) 855-9090 for information. (\$6; \$2.95 twilight)

"I Like It Like That" (USA — 1994). Debut filmmaker Darnell Martin spins this tale of a young woman's ups and downs in a Bronx neighborhood.

"The Shawshank Redemption" (USA — 1994). Tim Robbins and Morgan Freeman star in this drama, based on a novella by Steven King, about a new arrival and a lifer in a maximum security prison in the 1960s. "Quiz Show" (USA — 1994). See Main Art Theatre listing.

**MICHIGAN THEATRE**  
603 E. Liberty, Ann Arbor. Call (313) 668-8397 for information. (\$5; \$4 students and senior citizens)

"Ciao, Professore!" (Italy — 1993), Oct. 26-31 (call for show times). An elementary school teacher from Italy's affluent, well-mannered North is assigned to an unruly third-grade class in the South. A delightful change of pace for the usually controversial director Lina Wertmuller ("Sweet

Away," "Seven Beauties.") "Juliet of the Spirits" (Italy — 1965), 7 p.m. Oct. 25; 9 p.m. Oct. 26. Federico Fellini's real-life wife Giulietta Masina stars as a woman who embarks on a surrealist fantasy when she suspects her well-to-do husband is cheating on her. "The Campion Sisters," 7 and 9 p.m. Oct. 24; 7:30 and 9:15 p.m. Oct. 25. Four short works from Jane Campion, the acclaimed director of "The Piano."

## Silent films are Halloween classics

Two silent film classics are to be screened locally in coming weeks.

Don't miss your chance to see the original 1925 Silent Film Classic, "The Phantom of the Opera," and the hilarious graveyard antics of Laurel & Hardy in the 1928 comedy short "Habeas Corpus," 8 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 22 at St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, (Five Mile Road, one block west of Inkster Road, Livonia.)

Tickets are \$7 and available at the church or Hammell Music, 15630 Middlebelt. Call (313) 422-1470 or (313) 427-3442.

In addition, Ann Arbor's Michigan Theater is showing the original horror classic, Friedrich Murnau's "Nosferatu," at 7:30 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 29 at the theater, 609 E. Liberty St. That's just in time to have a frightful Halloween.

The Michigan Sinfonietta will perform the original score live. The film is the first that was based on Bram Stoker's book, "Dracula."

Tickets can be purchased by calling (313) 668-TIME.

Live musical accompaniment for "The Phantom" will be by Tony O'Brien. O'Brien will perform his original score for "Phantom" on St. Paul's

custom Rodgers organ, an instrument he calls "the perfect musical vehicle for setting a dramatic mood — from a powerful thunder to a soft, singing whisper."

Lon Chaney stars in 'Phantom' with Mary Philbin and Norman Kerry.

O'Brien has accompanied "Phantom" in both solo performances and with symphony orchestras.

"The Phantom of the Opera" is set in the Paris Opera House of 1880. It is a classic horror-romance about a disfigured man who falls in love with a young singer, and, without revealing his face, hidden behind a mask, trains her to become an exceptional singer. He launches a reign of terror in the Opera House and will stop at nothing to win her a place as the Prima Donna. As his plans begin to crumble, he kidnaps and carries her to his underground hideout, deep in the cellars below, where she unmasks him.

The huge, full-scale replica of the interior of the five-story Paris Opera House at Universal Studios was so costly and well-built that it was never struck. It still stands today on stage 28 and is seen every year by thousands of tourists.



Classic film: Lon Chaney stars in the original 1925 silent film classic, "The Phantom of the Opera."

### Coming Attractions

There's something for everyone at the movies. Here's a list of what's in the wings:

Opening Friday, Oct. 21  
 "Love Affair" — Classic romantic story about two people who meet and fall in love, but are engaged to others and their lives become controlled by circumstances and fate.  
 "The Puppet Masters" — A thriller based on the Robert

Heinlein novel about an invasion of grotesque alien parasites that take over the minds of their human hosts. With Donald Sutherland.  
 "Radioland Murders" — A romantic mystery-comedy set in 1939 at the scene of the national debut of a fourth radio network.

"Trapped in Paradise" — Christmas Eve and the Firpo brothers have come from New

York City to the small town of Paradise to pull a heist, but their big city ways are no match for the kindness of the good folks of Paradise. Comedy starring Nicholas Cage.  
 Opening Friday, Oct. 28  
 "Bullets Over Broadway" — Woody Allen film full of twists and turns, murder and romance.  
 "Clerks" — At the Detroit Institute of Arts — a frank and fun-

ny film about the lives, ambitions and eccentricities of two cashiers at a New Jersey convenience store.

"Stargate" — A scientific thriller about two very different men whose mission is to de-program a curious artifact that could explain civilization's origins. With Kurt Russell and James Spader.

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Dance parties: COUNTRY WESTERN CLASS Country Western Dance Class with "Country" will be 7-9 p.m. Sundays, Through Oct. 20, at Northville Park & Recreation Center, 303 W. Main St., Northville, Cost \$42 for series. Check payable to First Presbyterian Church.

BRAD BALLY/BANES Farmington Single Professionals presents a Road Rally and Dinner Dance Saturday, Oct. 22. Cost is \$23/members and \$26/non-members. Cost for the dance is \$5. Dinner and dancing following the rally at Botolph Inn, 28000 Grand River, north of Eight Mile, Farmington Hills. Registration and payment for rally participation is required by Oct. 15. Mail checks to FSP; Apt. 38, 30739 Shattlessee, Farmington 48336. (810) 478-9181.

WILLOWSBEN BANES Farmington Single Professionals along with Metropolitan Single Professionals host A Halloween Party/Dance 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday, Oct. 28, at the Clarion Hotel in the main ballroom, 31525 W. 12 Mile just west of Orchard Lake Road, Farmington Hills. Come in costume, prizes for the best. There will be a D.J., cash bar and hors d'oeuvres. Admission \$8/non-members and \$4/FSP members.

Attire is semi-formal. (810) 478-9181. WILLOWSBEN BANES Westside Singles presents a "Happy Halloween" Dance 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. Friday, Oct. 28, at Burton Manor, Schoolcraft Road west of Inster, Livonia. Costumes optional. You must be 21 years of age. Hot and cold hors d'oeuvres. Admission \$5. 881-0906.

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### MUSIC NOTES



CHRISTINA FUOCO

## Orbital — City was influential

Paul Hartnoll of Orbital still remembers the first time he heard the Detroit-based, platinum-selling house band Inner City.

"When I first heard 'Big Fun' (by Inner City) I thought, 'All right. This is it. This is what I've been looking for.' I thought it was really good. I normally sway away from a vocal track, but that was a real sort of massive record."

On their latest album, "Snivilisation," the band inadvertently swayed away from the Detroit sound.

"It was nothing intentional. We tend to sort of write what we fancied at the time and see if it works or not."

"We normally go for someone we know — people who are very good with harmony. I'm really into weaving harmonies around each other. I don't prefer instruments to vocals."

Milla and her record label SBK/EMI are in a bit of a legal flap. An irate woman is suing them for "sexual harassment" because the woman on the cover of Milla's album "The Divine Comedy," according to the woman, "lowers the standing of blond women in society, causing contempt and unwanted hatred and shame."

She would be happy if the woman on the cover was "made into a black-haired white woman." The cover, painted by Ukrainian-born artist Alexis Steele, depicts a Renaissance-style impression of Milla reaching toward the sky with a variety of creatures at her feet, including a large snake wrapped around her feet.

Early works by Nick Cave and the Bad Seeds ("From Her to Eternity," "The First Born Is Dead," "Kicking Against the Pricks" and "Your Funeral My Trial") as well as Einstürzende Neubauten are being re-released on Mute Records.

Neubauten's album "Strategies Against Architecture (Vol. 1) includes tracks from their first 7" singles ("Slahiversion," "Kalte Sterne"), highlights from their album "Kollaps" and hard-to-find vinyl EP's "Tanz Debil," and "Negative Nein." It was re-mastered by long-time Neubauten collaborator Jon Caffery and was compiled by the band with Jim Thirwell (Foetus).

If you have a question or a comment for Christina Fuoco, call her at (313) 953-2047, mailbox No. 2130 on a touch-tone phone, or write her at The Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, Mich. 48150.

### Sound Bites

#### Moisture

##### Members

- Bob Gentry: singer/songwriter, guitar, piano
- Gary Chiodo: lead guitarist
- Christopher Andrews: drums
- Mike Buger: bassist

Upcoming releases: 8-song CD "Moisture"

Ever since the Vancouver-based band Moist started getting airplay, the question "Not Moist, right?" has become a phrase that makes the Grand Rapids-based alternative band Moisture cringe. It's not just potential fans siding in the crowd-up. In promotion of a Moisture gig, an East Lansing club listed that Moist was playing.

"I'm ashamed by it," Gentry said forcefully. It could be a good thing, though. "Maybe that's good though. Maybe they're promoting us."

Most of Moisture's members are childhood friends who grew up in the Holland and Grand Haven area. They played around in bands like The Dips, and Lisa, Chords and Thorns, but the powerful "radio 88" sound kept popping up. So the long-time friends decided to hook up and give it a try. "We know what we wanted to do. We had to get people to do what we want," Gentry said with a laugh.

Moisture will be opening for the local single "The Sound of Silence" at the Grand Rapids Showplace.

# Finding the Mental Landscape

The members of Mental Landscape have plenty to say about the Detroit music scene and they're ready to strike a blow at the status quo with the release later this month of an 11-song CD.

BY MATTHEW DELEZENNE  
SPECIAL WRITER



The mind is a region difficult to navigate. Inroads are few and the terrain uncharted.

The Detroit rock band Mental Landscape has come to claim this remote and foreboding place as the vanguards of a self-proclaimed "Thought Revolution."

With the CD "Harrow's Bard" due out Oct. 29 and a new, diverse line-up of members, the band feels poised to strike a blow to the status quo.

The disparate musical interests of the quartet are apparent on the 11-song CD, which was recorded in four "very long days" at the Loft Studios in Saline with engineer Tim Patalan (Sponge). Nonetheless, the upcoming release is a mature, well-conceived piece of work and shows great improvement over last year's three-song, 7-inch record.

Although two of the songs from the 7-inch appear on "Harrow's Bard," they are supported by stronger material.

The CD's sound is, as the group said, "impossible to label." Some tracks have a straight-ahead, power-pop grunge feel similar to Sugartooth or the Meat Puppets. Others, such as "Paraphilia," "Peels" and "Drawing Down the Moon," tread more heavily. Two standouts are the ballads "Morpheus," with acoustic guitar and duet vocals, and "Headache," with a rhythm and guitar melody very reminiscent of the Doors' classic "The End." Still another choice cut, "Decline," touches on the dissonant aggression of the Rollins Band.

In the spirit of the Doors and Alice in Chains, the lyrics are fragmented and abstract, and the themes of the songs often concern the human psyche.

#### Reshaping the mind

Founder and vocalist Rambeaux (pronounced "Rambo"), said the group's name is a result of their efforts at "reshaping the mind" of their audience.

"The basic idea is that instead of just going out and playing music and drinking a lot of beer and partying, we try to approach it from (the direction of) making relevant music, things that make you think about different subjects," said bassist Viola Redox.



Yo, quo: Mental Landscape will celebrate the Oct. 29 release of their CD with a performance and party at Alvin's in Detroit, with special guest Forge.

"I wouldn't say we're totally a political band. We write about social things, relationship things. We also include arts and cinema and theater and things in music and the performances."

The first incarnation of Mental Landscape appeared in 1989 when Rambeaux attempted to form a band with his friends and "introduce folk into punk." It was less than successful.

"It came down to the point where they couldn't play what I wanted to do," he said.

By 1992 the group was reformed to include guitarist Steven Allore and bassist/vocalist Redox. The drum slot was filled last February when Ken Macmillan replaced former drummer Mike D. Allore recently left the group and was replaced three weeks ago by Jeremy Polant, former member of Sin-Eye.

"People think we're the same band as three years ago," Redox said. "We actually sound nothing like the old band."

Allore joined after answering an ad that Rambeaux had run. Referring to the other two guitarists who were being considered, Allore laughs and calls himself "the least of three evils." The guitarist, who formerly played bass in what he calls "cheesy metal bands," had rather unimpressive equipment at the time.

Rambeaux, who admits to playing "several instruments poorly," laments the state of "the scene" here in Detroit for aspiring musicians.

#### '70s mentality

"The mentality of Detroit is still in the '70s," Rambeaux said. "One of the main problems is total apathy toward the music. There's almost a negative attitude about paying \$3-\$5 to see a band."

"There's a large glut of really bad bands, but there are really good ones."

One of the ways Mental Landscape hopes to garner attention is with their live performance.

"We're probably one of the last bands, at least locally, that has a stage show," Rambeaux said. "It's been compared to vaudeville."

Props, projectors and lighting techniques are used to convey a visual message along with five TVs which are placed on stage displaying educational films and graphics. The effect, said Macmillan with a laugh, is "sporadically conceptual."

But rock audiences are notoriously fickle, and no matter how much effort a band puts forth, results are never guaranteed.

"We could sit around and whine about not getting interest in Detroit,"

Rambeaux said, "but why not concentrate on where we are getting interest?"

Mental Landscape issued a letter to the press in the spring of this year stating "Detroit Just Doesn't Get It." Urging "Wake up, wake up Detroit," the letter warned "This is your last chance to catch up!!"

On the other hand, the group's press pack shows "five nominations in the 1993 Detroit Music Awards," and a "best single" nomination in the 1994 Motor City Music Awards. According to inside sources, they have been nominated for multiple awards in the 1994 Detroit Music Awards to be held in mid-November at the State Theatre in Detroit. Further, they claim a single listed in a local top 10 list and airplay on radio station 89X.

So, it would appear Detroit's media is very well "awake" and does in fact "get it" after all.

Perhaps Mental Landscape just practices songwriting a bit more diligently than they practice diplomacy. But that's OK, a "Thought Revolution" is no place for ambassadors.

Mental Landscape celebrates the release of their CD with a performance and party at Alvin's, 5756 Cass Ave., Detroit, with special guest Forge and Heavy Water Factory. For more information, call (313) 832-2355.

# Pigface: Music as diverse as its members

BY CHRISTINA FUOCO  
STAFF WRITER

Martin Atkins toured the world with Ministry, Killing Joke and Public Image Ltd. One day on tour, however, the success came crashing down on him. He realized he wasn't happy.

"I remember sitting in Los Angeles going, 'Here we go. There's the pool. There's the palm trees,' (while) twiddling my toes in the pool and being really unhappy," Atkins said. "It had to do with the controls that were being placed on me by people who didn't understand what I was doing and me having the ability to express myself and be heard."

In response, he formed Pigface — a revolving team of musicians, most of whom have played with industrial acts.

"If Pigface didn't exist, I wouldn't be making music anymore, plain and simple," he said.

"Pigface Team '94" is more of a league than a team which consists of three separate groups. The Detroit-based "A-Team" include Atkins, Charles Levi (My Life With the Thrill Kill Kult), Mary Byler (Gays Byers On Acid), Pat Sprawl (Shiny Puppy), James Tottelbaum (Bowl Clowns), Joe Trump (Carbon) and Meg O'Leary (Crunch). Detroit musician Troy Gregory, formerly of Frong and Flatman and Jotman, may also make an appearance.

Making appearances in other cities are Paul Ferguson (Killing Joke/The Orb), Andrew Weiss (Rollins), Danny Carey (Tool), Ogo (Shiny Puppy), Cynthia Finsterwasser and Jim Thirwell (Foetus). Atkins' Public Image Ltd. bandmate Johnny Lyden is tentatively scheduled to perform in Los Angeles.

Showing his penchant for diversity, Atkins invited a performer that most alternative music followers would scoff at — Taine Druce, vocalist/guitarist of the rock band Foster Fursy. Although Druce doesn't fit the Pigface stereotype, Atkins said that Druce's attitude fits perfectly, making him a logical choice.



League of its own: With a diverse group of musicians, "Pigface Team '94" is more of a league than a team with three separate groups performing in different cities.

"He has been the person on the Internet talking to people; he's not sitting around saying, 'I was in Foster Fursy's cup of coffee.' He's saying, 'How can I help,'" he said. "That's exactly the kind of person I want to surround myself with."

Atkins is dragging his teams around the country in support of Pigface's latest album "Notes From The Underground," an Atkins' Chicago-based Invisible Records. It features a handful of the touring musicians as well as some other influential artists, including the Red Hot Chili Peppers' bassist Flea.

"Notes From The Underground" is a melodic collage of heart-pounding beats, abrasive guitars and intermittent spoken-word performances. Like the album, the tour, which at first glance would seem under the reign of insane audacity, is guaranteed to be "fucked," Atkins said.

"Everyone on stage (will be) completely locked more than any supposedly well-rehearsed top 20 band."

It will also be more diverse, he added. He likes to shock the senses of his audience by bringing a variety of instruments like cellos and four drum kits into the picture. He couples that with "beautiful harmonies" and "insane distortion."

"It will challenge a few preconceptions," he said with a laugh.

Pigface with special guest Evil Mothers will perform at 8 p.m. Thursday, Oct. 28, at St. Andrew's Hall, 431 E. Congress, Detroit. Must be 18 or older to enter. For more information, call (313) 961-3827.

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With Jimmie Vaughan at The Palace of Auburn Hills, 1-75 and Lapeer Road, Auburn Hills. (bluesy rock) (810) 377-0100

**GATE CRUISE**  
Celebrates release of CD with party and performance at The Ark, 637 1/2 S. Main St., Ann Arbor. (acoustic) (313) 761-1451

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Sully's, 4756 Greenfield Road, Dearborn. (blues) (313) 946-1920

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Wagon Wheel, 2950 Rochester Road, Troy. (altamapop) (810) 689-8194

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With Zug Island Quartet at Alvin's, 5756 Cass, Detroit. (alternative rock) (313) 832-2355

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Backseat Saloon, 3064 Orchard Lake Road, Keego Harbor. (acoustic folk/rock) (810) 682-1119

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The Ritz, 17580 Fradho, Roseville. (rock) (810) 778-6404

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**Heatmiser: Will perform Saturday, Oct. 22, at Club Hell, 19106 Woodward Ave., Detroit.**

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Domenic's Country Saloon, 3481 Elizabeth Lake Road, Waterford. (country) (810) 681-1700

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**Wednesday, Oct. 26**

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## PLYMOUTH SPORTS SCENE

### On course

**P**lymouth Salem senior Jennifer Clack is right on schedule.

What Clack wants now is what she's been gunning for since last year — a shot at the top singles title among the state's high schools.

She moved a step closer to attaining that goal last weekend when she won the top singles title at the Class A regional at Ann Arbor Huron. Clack won it with a 6-2, 3-6, 6-4 triumph over Ann Arbor Pioneer's Sara Eisner; the win avenged Clack's only loss this season.

Now she has more revenge on her mind. At last year's state tournament, she was eliminated in the third round by the eventual state champion.

"She has been working for this for three years," said her coach at Salem, Judy Braun. "This is not a short-term goal. This is a long-term goal."

Clack will be the only Observer-area tennis player to advance. Pioneer won the regional team title easily, collecting every other first in every other flight. Huron players reached the finals in all flights except first singles and first doubles, in which Pioneer's Carolyn McFullen and Shannon McVey defeated Andrea Khoury and Kristi Di-Basio of Livonia Stevenson, 6-1, 6-0.

Pioneer totaled 27 points. Huron had 18, with Saline third (14), Stevenson fourth (12) and Salem fifth (10). Plymouth Canton tied for 12th (one point) in the 15-team field.

The difficult draw Clack had to survive just to make it to the state meet should earn her a high seeding. As Braun answered when asked to assess Clack's prospects for a title: "I would assume they are very good."

By Sunday, how good will be known to all.

### Indoor soccer sign-up

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## Chiefs silence Stevenson, 2-0

By C.J. Ribak  
Staff Writer



Prior to Wednesday's showdown between Livonia Stevenson and Plymouth Canton for the Western Lakes Activities Association soccer championship at Canton, there was one very basic difference most observers agreed upon: Stevenson possessed more talent.

The last week has proven one thing, certainly: Livonia Stevenson's soccer team, which many looked as not only the best in the state but the best in school history, has met its match in Plymouth Canton.

That wasn't meant as a slight to Canton. It was just that almost everyone believed the Spartans to have more ability than any team in the state.

Well... now there's something else the critics can agree upon: Canton prepared better for big games than anyone else. Which is why the Chiefs blanketed Stevenson, 2-0.

For the second straight match, the Chiefs controlled the play most of the way. A week earlier, when the two teams met in a meaningless regular-season-ending game, all Canton could salvage against Stevenson was a 2-3 tie — and it took two goals in the final five minutes to do that.

Last night, the Chiefs gave their top-ranked line nothing. Their slight defense belittled the Spartans, and they found enough holes to strike twice in their 11th-winning triumph.



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Headed: Canton's Jeff Fliss (white jersey) takes possession from Stevenson's Steve Williford — which the Chiefs did often Wednesday.

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## Canton's teams rule divisions; WLAA championship up next

The divisional champions were crowned Monday in Western Lakes Activities Association cross country, with Plymouth Canton's boys and girls finishing on top in the Western.

Both finished their conference dual meet seasons at 5-0.

The Chiefs' boys squad emerged with a 17-42 victory over Northville at Cass Benton Monday. Canton swept the top four spots in the race, with Brian Crockett leading the way (17:02). Ian Bedford was second (17:31), Casey Moothart finished third (17:50) and Colin Astley was fourth (17:59). The Chiefs' final scorer was Sanjay Sharma, seventh (18:12).

The Canton girls had no real difficulty with Northville either, posting a 20-41 triumph. They were led, once again, by sophomore Becky Wolfson, who placed first (20:20).

Both Knight finished third (21:49), with Jamie Vergari fourth (21:52), Casey Swanson fifth (22:22) and Jenna McWilliams seventh (23:04). Knight is also a sophomore; Swanson and McWilliams are seniors, and Vergari is a freshman.

Next on the agenda for both

### X-COUNTRY

teams is the WLAA championship meet Friday at Cass Benton. The girls meet is scheduled for 4 p.m.; the boys follows at 4:30 p.m.

Livonia Stevenson is the heavy favorite to win the girls title. The boys isn't as clear-cut, but Canton certainly is a strong contender.

#### Plymouth Salem

Depth again proved to be the deciding factor for Plymouth Salem's girls cross country team Monday at Oakland Community College, as the Rocks outdistanced North Farmington 21-37 to clinch second place in the WLAA's Lakes Division.

Salem finishes with a 4-1 division record. North is 6-2 overall, 3-2 in the Lakes.

The Raiders' Amanda Hough claimed top honors in 20:38, but Salem runners took the next four places. Leah Rotherford was second (21:10), followed by Meredith Davis (21:16), Stacy Moore (21:20) and Kathy Jost (21:24). North's Becky Noglik finished

sixth (21:27), but Salem's Meran Miles was seventh (21:33).

All of which should keep Salem in the hunt for a second-place finish at Friday's WLAA meet.

North Farmington's boys team heads into the WLAA meet on a positive note after defeating Salem 26-31 Monday.

The Raiders are 4-1 in WLAA duals and coach Paul Welch expects a strong showing at Friday's WLAA meet.

"We have to get our pack up a little farther and have to drop 15 seconds — if we do that we'll be right in the hunt," Welch said. "We've got the potential to do it — we've got to think it."

Scott Pengilly took first place for the Rocks in a time of 16:43.

North had the next two runners, Tom Stambouljan (16:56) and Brian Rajdl (17:21).

Salem's Andrew McDonald took fourth place (17:34) and teammate Jared Biniecki was fifth (17:35).

Raiders' Steve Chen (18:16), Niraj Naik (18:30), Brian Kristall (18:35) and Jonathon Perry (18:46) were sixth, seventh, eighth and ninth, respectively.

Marcus Sarkesian was 10th for Salem in 18:58.

## Salem comes up flat at state meet

By just getting there, they had fulfilled their major objective for the season.

Unfortunately, there were no minutes left for Plymouth Salem's golf team at Friday's first round of the Class A state tournament, at Forest Hills East in East Lansing. Of the 24 teams competing for a berth in Saturday's finale, the Rocks placed 23rd.

"We weren't sharp at all," conceded Salem coach Rick Wilson. "I think our guys got caught up in the magnitude of the thing. The competition around them was more than they could handle."

"We were flat, no question about it."

How flat? The Rocks shot 208 as a team — 14 strokes worse than the score they needed at the same course at the same

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opening East Lansing Tournament.

Another indicator: sophomore Jeff Lutz's 89 was Salem's best score. Class A champion Charleston threw out Jeremy Jensen's 75 as its sixth score Friday. It's worst counting score — Jon Dinn's 78.

The Rocks' other three scores were junior Mike Hjaltnsted, 81; senior Mark Wozniak, 85; and junior Ryan Andrejowski, 88. Their 23rd-place (non-counting) score was senior Mike Covington, 87.

The overall individual winner was Harvard's Shawn Koch, with a two-round total of 141. Mike Hjaltnsted of Troy was second at 144.

Charleston won the title with a 688 total. Troy was second

and (614), followed by Portage Central (622) and Troy (625).

Despite the disappointing showing, Wilson was pleased overall with his team's season. The Rocks did win the Western Lakes Activities Association tournament title and were 11-3 in dual meets, as well as placing third at the Brighton regional.

"I'm encouraged by the fact that we qualified (for state)," Wilson said. "I'm proud of the fact that we got there."

"My hope is those young kids get a taste of it and want to go back."

What Salem did possess was depth and youth. Of its top eight golfers, only Wozniak and Covington were seniors.

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# Eagles' comeback gains them a title

Plymouth Christian Academy, trailing 3-0 at halftime, rallied to defeat Mt. Pleasant Christian 4-3 in Saturday's championship game of the Association of Christian Schools International Michigan Senior High School Division I Tournament.

PCA scored three goals in the last 10 minutes despite playing without a player due to a red card.

The Eagles made the score 3-1 early in the second half on a goal by Chris DeRenzo, assisted by Ryan Thomason.

Thomason's goal cut the deficit to 3-2. Mike Roose scored a breakaway to tie the score and Thomason scored the game winner on a penalty kick. Mt. Pleasant Christian was called for a hand ball in the penalty box, giving Thomason the chance.

On top of having to overcome the red card, PCA played the championship game without senior Don House, who was injured in a 5-3 win Friday against Watervliet Grace Christian.

Roose, David Drake, Matt Smith and Dan Gulledge played strong defense, according to coach Gregg Gustafson.

## SOCCER

In Friday's semifinal victory, senior Art Partain scored two goals and House, Thomason and junior John Pugno added one goal each.

The Eagles, who lost senior Chris McCoy to an injury in the first half, trailed 3-2 at halftime.

**Salem 3, Franklin 0:** Plymouth Salem completed its regular season schedule with a victory, defeating host Livonia Franklin Monday in a Western Lakes Activities Association crossover match.

The Rocks finish with a 10-3-4 overall record, 7-3-1 in the WLAA.

Bret Konley accounted for two of Salem's goals. Doug Herriman got the third. Assists went to Taras Seniuch, Drew Drummond and Josh Fair.

Salem now prepares for the Class A district tournament hosted by Redford Union. The Rocks open at home Monday at 8 p.m. against the state's No. 1-ranked team, Livonia Stevenson.

# Finishing touches

## Strong 4th quarter leaves Canton in control

A big finish allowed Plymouth Canton's girls basketball team to make Tuesday's game at Farmington look even easier than it was.

Outscoring the home team 24-2 in the last quarter can do that — and it did, the Chiefs posting a 58-23 triumph.

"We closed out pretty good," said Canton coach Bob Blohm, whose team improved to 11-3 overall, 6-1 in the Western Lakes Activities Association. "It was a nice ballgame for us."

Particularly in that last quarter. Canton had a 34-21 lead after three periods; Tiffany Williams and Becky Vachow each scored six points in the 24-point fourth-quarter outburst. Williams finished with eight, Vachow with six.

Sarah Warnke led Canton with 14. Amicie Crayton added 11. Andrea Salyer's eight topped Farmington.

Last Saturday, Canton overcame a late Harper Woods Regina lead to post a 42-41 triumph at Canton.

Vachow provided the heroics. The Chiefs led 23-20 at the half, but the Saddletites fought back to take a 32-30 advantage into the final quarter. It remained close until, with 50 seconds to play, Regina hit 1-of-2 free throws to go up 41-39.

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Which set the stage for Vachow. She already had two three-pointers in the game; with 20 seconds left, she connected on her third, putting the Chiefs ahead to stay, 42-41.

Vachow finished with 13 points. Warnke contributed eight. Regina got 16 from Rene LaBelle and 12 from Lisa Francis.

**Salem 62, Harrison 45:** You live by the three and you die by the three.

This phrase proved appropriate for Farmington Hills Harrison Tuesday as the Hawks lost to host Plymouth Salem in Western Lakes Activities Association girls basketball action.

Harrison has lived successfully by the three-pointer most of the year but couldn't convert any in the first half and fell behind 30-15 by halftime.

"We knew they like to shoot the three so our game plan was to go right at them and get a hand in their face," Salem coach Fred Thomann said.

The Hawks fell to 10-3 overall and 5-3 in the WLAA. Salem improved to 11-3 overall and 7-1 in the conference.

Harrison made only one triple the entire game — a sign that the Hawks weren't aggressive enough, according to coach Pete Mantyla.

"We came out tentative," Mantyla said. "We weren't shooting the ball and that's not our style."

"They kicked our tails. They looked like a team on a mission to win the league championship and we just showed up flat."

Freshman forward Amanda Abraham scored a career-high 24 points and grabbed 11 rebounds for the Rocks, who led 14-10 at the end of the first quarter before opening up their 15-point half-time lead. Junior forward Shellye Sills added 10 points and 10 boards.

Krista Snow led Harrison with 13 points. The Hawks were unable to take advantage of 35 free-throw attempts as they converted only 16.

**Oakland Christian 47, PCA 39:** A good fourth quarter was too little and too late for Plymouth Christian Academy at Auburn Hills Oakland Christian, which remained unbeaten in the Michigan Independent Athletic Conference Tuesday.

PCA fell to 7-6 overall, 4-4 in the MIAC. Oakland Christian is 8-0 in the conference.

Poor free-throw shooting pla-

gued the Eagles, who trailed 14-6 after one quarter, 25-16 at the half and 37-23 entering the last period. They converted just 5-of-14 from the line; Oakland Christian wasn't any better, percentage-wise, but got a lot more chances — making 13-of-31.

Lisa Erickson, a junior guard, led PCA with 13 points. Senior guard Karin Reed had eight points and four assists.

Oakland Christian got 12 points from junior forward Lisa Kloppe and 10 from freshman guard Rachel Harnack.

**Agape 49, Macomb Christ. 45:** Macomb Christian made a late run at Plymouth Agape Christian Monday at Agape, but couldn't make up an 11-point deficit going into the last quarter.

Agape improved to 7-2 overall, 5-0 in the league.

Macomb led 8-6 after one quarter; the score was tied at 20-all at halftime. Agape pulled away with a 19-8 run in the third quarter.

Gretchen Baich's 19 points and 10 rebounds paced Agape. Sharla Sexton had 16 points and Jaci Ther scored 14, and the trio combined to score all of Agape's points.

Stacy Shimmis's 20 points topped Macomb.

## SPORTS ROUNDUP

### SALEM SINKS

What Tuesday's dual meet between Plymouth Salem and Ann Arbor Huron provided was a mismatch. Huron, which was upset by Salem last year, was in no mood to be stung again. As Salem coach Chuck Olson said: "No excuses. They just hit us hard and hit us often."

The result was a 120-66 triumph for Huron at Salem.

Although the defeat was lopsided, there were some good moments for the Rocks (now 2-4). Their team of Yvonne Lynn, Carey Hyatt, Sara Casillas and Kellyann Williams won the 200-yard medley relay (1:58.92); Zoe Yockey was first in diving (243.75 points, a personal best), with Laura Berezak second (189.30); Casillas won the 100 butterfly (1:07.30); and Yvonne Lynn was first in the 100 backstroke (1:03.19).

Lynn's time in the 100 back bettered the Class A state cut of 1:04.49. She is the second Rock to qualify for state meet; Williams was the first, bettering the state cut of 25.69 in the 50 freestyle last Saturday at a MISCA meet at

Eastern Michigan University. Lynn went 25.60.

The meet was Salem's fourth in the last week. Olson is starting to ready his team for the Western Lakes Activities Association meet Nov. 3-5 at Salem, hoping to make a few more state cuts.

### LIONS TRIM VIKES

The Canton Lions varsity football team used two long scoring runs by Brandon Evans to lift them to a 24-8 victory over the Farmington Vikings Sunday. Evans scored on runs of 45 and 35 yards, and he had a 50-yarder called back. Bill Wanninger scored the Lions' second TD; Wanninger also kicked three two-point conversions.

The Lions junior varsity ran their win streak to 17-straight with a 16-6 triumph over the Vikings. Chris Trott scored the game's first TD on a 15-yard run; a Doug Plateau interception in the third quarter led to his quarterback sneak for the second Lion TD. T.J. Gibbons was credited for a safety just before halftime to increase the Lions' lead to 10-6.

The Lions' freshmen played the Vikings to a scoreless tie.

### STEELERS SWEEP

The Plymouth-Canton Steelers varsity football squad came away with the only touchdown of the game, edging the Ann Arbor Eagles 8-0 Sunday. Mike Allensandri capped a 79-yard drive with an 8-yard run for the game's only TD. Nick Kato, Kyle Entsminger and Robert McDonald led the defense, with Kato intercepting a pass late in the game to seal the victory.

The JV Steelers remained unbeaten with a 36-0 rout of Ann Arbor. Eight players scored for the Steelers, who recorded their third-straight shutout: Todd Lawler, Ian Winter and Chris Hardy in the first half, with Hardy throwing a TD pass to Mike

Nicoloff and Chris Pisani running in for a TD in the second. Brad Well, Jason Evans and Steven Stiles netted extra points.

Russ Gardner led the defense with an interception and a fumble recovery. Chris Sherfey also had an interception and Greg Wood blocked a punt.

The freshmen Steelers also had an easy time of it, rolling over the Eagles 40-19. Jerry Gaines led the assault by scoring four touchdowns, on a 65-yard run, on 57-yard and a 16-yard pass plays, and on a 34-yard interception return. Brad LaVallee and Kevin Entsminger also scored TDs.

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## WLAA soccer

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"The kids came to play," summarized Canton coach Don Smith, whose team improved to 13-1-3. "They have just been coming to play the big games all season long, after that first game with Salem (the Chiefs' only loss)."

This is a Stevenson team that seemingly scored goals at will. But not this time — the Chiefs bottled up the Spartans' biggest threat, striker Nick Deren. And midfielders Steve Williford and Matt Quinter were neutralized by Canton's Todd Stonestreet and Jeff Fliss.

"It was a good, all-around defensive game by everyone," said Smith.

Stevenson coach Walt Barrett was in no position to disagree. "They dominated the game," he said in brief. "Emotionally, after that first goal, we never got back into it. We just weren't emotionally into the game."

Considering what was at stake — the WLAA championship — how could that happen? Barrett could provide no insight: "I think they played exceptionally well and we played exceptionally bad."

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THE WEEK AHEAD

Table listing upcoming sports events for Prep Football, Boys Soccer, Men's College Soccer, Women's College Soccer, and Girls Basketball.

SWIMMING RANKINGS

Table listing swimming rankings for 200-Yard Medley Relay, 100 Freestyle, 200 Freestyle, 200 Individual Medley, 50 Freestyle, 100 Backstroke, 100 Breaststroke, 100 Butterfly, and 400 Freestyle Relay.

RANKINGS

Table listing rankings for Football, Girls Cross Country, Girls Basketball, Girls Swimming, Boys Soccer, Boys Golf, Boys Cross Country, and Girls Tennis.

FOOTBALL

Table listing MSAA Football Playoff Computer Rankings for Class AA, Class A, Class B, and Class C.

HOCKEY STANDINGS

Table listing Livonia Over 20 Hockey Association Standings and Last Week's Results.

SOCCER

Table listing State Tournament District Boys Soccer Brackets for Class A, Class B, and Class C.

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Table listing Class A Regional Tennis Tournament No. 2-A at Ann Arbor Maroon and Individual Flight Results.

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RELIGION CALENDAR

Items for the religion calendar should be submitted no later than noon Friday for the next Thursday's issue.

**RUMMAGE SALE**

Holy Trinity Lutheran Church will have a rummage and bake sale 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday, Oct. 21, and 9:30 a.m. to noon Saturday, Oct. 22, at the church, 39020 Five Mile, between Newburgh and Haggerty roads, Livonia. There will be a \$1 a bag sale on Saturday.

**'LOCK-IN'**

The Church of Christ of Plymouth, 9301 Sheldon Road, Plymouth, will have a "Lock-In" at 7 p.m. Friday, Oct. 21. A "Lock-In" is an all night, indoor activity of encouragement, fun and games for teenagers in grades 6-12. Plymouth Police Chief Robert Scoggins will present "Cruising and Youth Dangers" at 7:30 p.m. Parents are invited for the presentation. For more information, call (313) 453-7630.

**PROMISE KEEPERS**

"Wake Up Call," an introduction to Promise Keepers, will be presented at 10 a.m. Saturday, Oct. 22, at Temple Baptist Church, Telegraph and West Chicago, Redford. The three hour introduction will cover Promise Keepers' history, including its key tenets and seven promises and feature Dr. E.V. Hill, a nationally known Los Angeles-based minister and popular Promise Keepers speaker. Promise Keepers is a Christ-centered ministry dedicated to uniting men through vital relationships to become Godly influences in their world. Tickets are \$5 and are available at area Christian bookstores. For more information, call the Michigan Promise Keepers Office at (810) 647-0044.

**SINGLE POINT**

Single Point Ministries of Ward Presbyterian Church invites singles to join in fellowship and encouragement at 10:45 a.m. Sundays at the church, Farmington and Six Mile roads, Livonia.

With more than 400 members, the group offers a variety of activities, events and recreational opportunities. At 7:30 p.m. Friday, Oct. 28, Larry Herren will speak on "Communication in Relationships" at Talk It Over, while at 8:30 p.m. Wednesdays, there's volleyball in the church's gymnasium and tennis at Rotary Park at 5 p.m. Thursdays until it's too cold.

Other activities include a free Showcase concert with Randi and Nari Brown on Friday, Nov. 4, and a grief seminar 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday Nov. 5. Cathy Clough of Arbor Hospice will be the seminar leader. Cost is \$18.

For more information, call (313) 422-1854.

**SINGLE PLACE**

Single Place Adult Ministries of First Presbyterian Church of Northville meets for its Sunday Morning Gathering from 10-10:45 a.m. at the library of First Presbyterian Church, 200 E. Main St., Northville. For more information, call (810) 349-0911.

**RADIO SHOWS**

WAAM 1600 AM's radio show "What Is This Christian Science and Who Are These Christian Scientists?" continues at 9 a.m. Sundays. Upcoming shows will be: "Bible Healings Today, Part 2" on Oct. 23; and "Christian Science healing: fraud or fact?" on Oct. 30.

In November, the programs include: "Christian Science and the entertainment industry" on Nov.

6; "Does Christian Science heal serious illness?" on Nov. 13; "What makes Christian Science Christian?" on Nov. 20; and "What proof do you have that Christian Science heals?" on Nov. 27.

The program continues in December with: "How do Christian Scientists feel about modern medicine?" on Dec. 4; "Is care in Christian Science as reliable as medicine?" on Dec. 11; "How do Christian Scientists feel about Jesus?" on Dec. 18; and "What kind of faith in God heals?" on Dec. 25.

**ECCLESIASTES**

Ecclesiastes, Russia's foremost Christian singing group, will present its "Chords of Love" concert at 7 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 23, at Ward Presbyterian Church, Farmington and Six Mile Road, Livonia. The 12-member group dresses in traditional Russian costumes and plays a variety of instruments, including balalaikas, violins, guitars, accordion and piano.

The concert is free, however, a free will offering will be accepted with money to go toward the My First Bible Project. For more information, call the church at (313) 422-1851.

**PIANO POTPOURRI**

A Piano Potpourri, a program of spirituals, light classical, contemporary Christian and favorite music, will be presented at 4 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 23, at St. Matthew United Methodist Church, 30900 W. Six Mile Road, east of Merriman, Livonia. The performers include Darlene Ebersole, Elizabeth Ebersole, Jeffrey Hall, Rona Wotring-Rosset, Dorothy Strong, Linda Wotring and the Bell Ringers.

**VICTORIAN TEA**

St. Matthew's United Methodist Women will host a Victorian Tea with a vintage fashion show at 12:30 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 25. Presented by the Sand Hill Chapter No. 29 of the Quilters, the fashion show will feature clothing dating from the late 1800s through the 1930s. The program will also include skits identifying clothing worn at the turn of the century and the many uses of the ever-present apron from the same era. Tickets cost \$5 and must be purchased in advance. For reservations, call (313) 522-4723. Free child care will be available by reservation only.

**MUSICAL EVENING**

Integrity Music artists Don Moen, Lanny LaBlanc and Larry Dalton will perform at 7:30 p.m. Friday, Oct. 28, at Temple Baptist Church, 23800 W. Chicago, Redford. Tickets cost \$11.50, and group sales are available. For

more information, call (313) 255-3333.

**P.A.C.E.**

Dawn Downs and Judi Ellsworth are co-leading a post abortion counseling and education support group for women who suffer from Post Abortion Syndrome at The First Church of the Nazarene, 21206 Haggerty Road, at Eight Mile Road, Northville.

Downs suffered from PAS from age 19 until age 39 when she experienced God's grace, forgiveness and healing as the result of the Bible study, "Women in Ramah." Ellsworth has counseled women with PAS for 20 years and herself suffered from it from age 18 to age 34.

The Bible study is a crisis intervention tool for women who want to experience healing in their relationship with God. It is a safe place for them to share their pain. For meeting times and other information, call Downs at (313) 722-2839.

**BLOOD DRIVE**

The American Red Cross will conduct a blood drive 2-5 p.m. Friday, Oct. 28, in the Parish Hall of St. Edith Church, 15009 Newburgh Road, Livonia. Walk-ins are welcome. For more information, call (313) 454-2027.

**IN CONCERT**

Olive Branch Ministries and Michigan Youth Discipleship will sponsor a Christian contemporary concert, featuring the group EXCORDE, at 7 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 7, at the Wayne-Ford Civic League, 1645 N. Wayne Road, Westland.

The band is comprised of Christian school teachers and pastors of the Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod and have made two recordings, "From the Heart" and "Headin' for Heaven." Tickets for the concert are \$4 per person or \$10 per family or youth group. A love offering will be received for Olive Branch Ministries.

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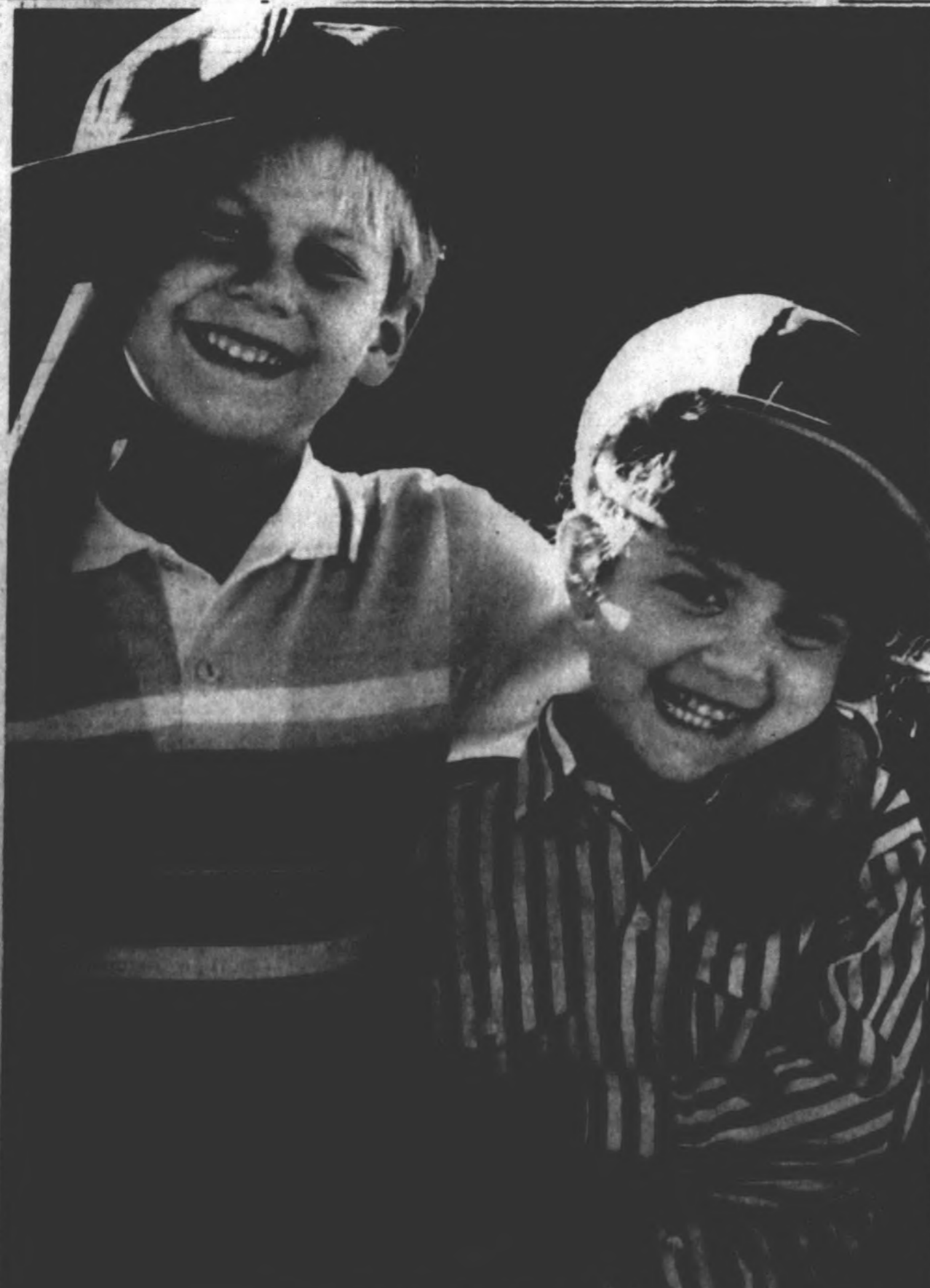
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Say cheese: Tony Rushlow and Greg Moore flash a smile while working a banner the children and their buddies made at Camp Phoenix.



# Camp Phoenix helps kids cope with their losses

They swam; they hiked; they went on nature walks; they had campfires. They talked; they shared, but more importantly they worked to understand the grief that each one of them is experiencing.

All of the 23 children who attended the Camp Phoenix Children's Bereavement Camp weekend, sponsored by Community Hospice Services, had lost someone they loved.

They are typical children except that they carry an extra burden. They are children like Greg, Erin, and Emily Moore of Livonia, ages 10, 8 and 5 respectively, who lost their father, Terry, in May to a brain tumor. They were like Angela and Mary Frances Tablac, ages 9 and 5, of Livonia, who lost their mother, Marie, to breast cancer in June.

"I used to think that I was the only person in the world that had a dad die, but I knew it wasn't true, and I didn't tell anybody I talked to," Erin said.

Camp Phoenix helped the children look at the memories that have brought them both joy and pain and realize that they can grow, change and honor their loved ones while going on with their lives.

The children were placed in small groups according to their ages. Each group was led by a trained facilitator, and each child had an adult buddy, who was there for whenever they were needed. The camp offered a safe, shared environment in which the children were free to express their feelings.

"From the first session, the kids did extremely well as far as expressing their feelings and thoughts about what had happened and what was going on in their families," said Allison Bungardas, a group facilitator. "I just let the kids know that it was all right to feel what they were feeling and that they did not have to go any farther with it than what they were comfortable with."

"Camp Phoenix helped me express my feeling to other kids who lost their close friends or family," said Angela, who admitted that she had felt different "because everybody else had a mom and I didn't have one."

The children also learned the value of teamwork and how support systems work. Each child had an opportunity to take part in

a high-ropes (approximately 20 feet off the ground) course or a low-ropes course. Some of the children, like Greg, fared better on the high ropes than some of the adults.

"Greg and some of the others really got me going on the course," said Bungardas. "I was supposed to be the strong figure up there, encouraging them on, but before I knew it, I was hugging a tree and the kids were encouraging me to do the course."

The weekend experience was capped with a private memorial service consisting of readings, songs and certificates presented by their adult buddy. The children wrote special messages to their loved ones on cardboard hearts, attached a candle and floated them out on the lake.

"It was an enriching, rewarding, major growth experience," said Bungardas. "I would definitely do this again." Bungardas is a full-time registered nurse for Community Hospice Services and, like the other facilitators, volunteered to work with the children.

"The kids in my group showed a wisdom beyond the age of 8, 9, 10 and 11. They showed an understanding that I don't see in a lot of adults when faced with a loss of somebody close," she said. "You can't meet these kids and walk away unaffected. You don't think that it is going to affect you, but it touches you deep down to your inner core."

The friendships which developed from Camp Phoenix will have a chance to be rekindled in six months, when Community Hospice Services will bring the children and the facilitators together for a pizza party reunion.

"Camp Phoenix was a dream come true for me. As a child, I lost my father and I remember well the isolation, confusion and loneliness I felt," said Maureen Butrico, executive director of Community Hospice Services. "I want other children who faced the same terrible grief to know they are not alone; there are other children who understand and can share what they are going through."

Community Hospice Services, with offices in Westland and Plymouth, is committed to serving the families in western Wayne, eastern Washtenaw and southern Oakland counties. For more information, call (313) 522-4244.

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## BOOK BREAK



VICTORIA DIAZ

## Some notable events coming up for readers

Some especially notable events coming up for area readers: . . . At the Baldwin Public Library in Birmingham, the U.P.'s Sue Harrison will read from her works at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 25. The Library is at 300 W. Merrill. Harrison's debut novel, "Mother Earth Father Sky," set in Ice Age North America, gained rave reviews on its publication in 1990. She also received media attention at the time for the whopping \$500,000 advance she reportedly was paid, practically an unheard of sum for a first-time novelist. She has since written "My Sister The Moon" and (coming out this month) "Brother Wind," the second and third parts of a trilogy which traces the migration of a group of Native Americans from the Aleutian Islands, and eventually to upper Michigan.

Award-winning author, E. Annie Proulx, will make an appearance at the Birmingham Community House (across from the Library) at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 10. Her well-wrought novel, "Shipping News," set in Newfoundland and containing myriad stories-within-stories and peopled with utterly unforgettable characters, won her both the Pulitzer Prize and National Book Award.

Both visits are part of the ongoing Writers Live at the Library series. For further details, call the Library at (810) 647-1700.

To celebrate Book Lovers Day, Paperbacks 'N Things, 8044 Wayne Road, Westland will host a signing party, with numerous area writers on hand to autograph their latest books. Festivities are planned for 2-4 p.m. Saturday, Nov. 5. Among those slated for an appearance are romance novelists Shelly Thacker of Redford ("A Stranger's Kiss"), Ruth Ryan Langan of Farmington Hills ("Deception"), Marian Edwards of Livonia ("A Year and a Day"), and Linda Lang Bartell of Troy ("Tender Rogue"). Free refreshments will be part of the fun.

The event will also be held in connection with Independent Bookstore Week, says Paperbacks 'N Things owner, Joan Adis.

Obviously, most books on the shelves at this independent bookstore are softcover. Hardbound bestsellers are available, however, through rental. Paperbacks 'N Things also provides another unique service for shut-ins and customers who can't make it into the store: they deliver.

Why not make plans now to drop in at Livonia's unique bookstore, Murder, Mystery, and Mayhem (33623 Seven Mile, just west of Farmington Road) at 6 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 9, when popular mystery novelist, Rochelle Majer Krich, will be on hand to meet readers and sign copies of her latest Jessica Drake whodunit, "Angel of Death." (Krich will visit the Jewish Book Fair earlier in the day at the Jewish Community Center in West Bloomfield.) While you're getting acquainted with the author and the cozy bookshop, help yourself to coffee, cakes, and cookies. They'll be on the house, according to owner, Jeanette Brown.

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## LOOKING AHEAD

What to watch for in Creative Living next week:

- Visit The Neon Connection in Plymouth.
- Fine jewelry designs go contemporary.
- Linda Chomin's Artistic Expressions column previews upcoming art events.
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## ANTIQUING:

A  
nostalgic  
tour  
through  
history

Everybody's doing it. Antiquing, that is. The trend is to search out shops featuring antiques and collectibles that recall earlier times, times when the world seemed a little friendlier, a little more fun.

by

Linda Chomin • staff writer

Antiquing is growing in popularity. Spending the day in search of treasures from the past is fast becoming a pastime more and more people are choosing to enjoy.

In addition to the pleasures of browsing, home decorating, gift giving and collecting rank as major reasons for visiting antique and collectible shops.

As the population ages and Baby Boomers go gray, buying antiques has become a way of the future changing the market. Items popular today were unheard of 10 years ago.

Somewhere in Time offers the unusual. The Westland antique and collectibles shop is cozy, the service personalized. Originally located in Plymouth's Old Village area 11 years ago, the antique line varies from glassware and china to toys and a well-worn 1760s brass fertility statue from Indonesia. Furniture from the late 1800s to 1940s, oils, lithographs and prints, an early 20th century Sicilian horse and buggy hand-carved and painted, an old barber chair and pole, and an early Aztec carved stone figure are also found among the antiques and collectibles.



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History captured: Debra Eaves sells pieces of days gone by at her shop in Plymouth. Collecting carousel art is becoming increasingly popular. The horse is by the Herschell-Spillman Company.

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## Artist's exhibit 'Celebrates women of the earth'

Free Spirit: Nora Chapa Mendoza "Celebrates the Woman" in an exhibit of paintings running through Oct. 28 at Madonna University in Livonia.



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BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN  
SPECIAL WRITER

Internationally exhibited artist, Nora Chapa Mendoza paints women of the earth - free, strong, passionate women who themselves embody the spirit of Mother Earth in an exhibit continuing through Oct. 28 at Madonna University in Livonia.

Strong, but graceful female figures dominate 10 of the canvases.

migrant workers the remaining eight in "Kanto a la Muler," Celebrate the Woman exhibit by the West Bloomfield artist in the Exhibit Gallery on the second floor of the library building.

The use of energetic lines, many of them created by Mendoza by pouring paint directly onto the canvas, give movement or motion to

See WOMEN, 4D

Artbeat features various happenings in the suburban arts world. Send news leads to: Creative Living Editor, Observer Newspapers, 38251 Schoolcraft, Livonia, 48150, or fax them to (313) 891-7279.

## FINE ART IN CANTON

Artists excel at painting, drawing, photography, and ceramics in the second annual Canton Project Arts Gallery Showing of Fine Art Oct. 22-28 at the Canton Administration Building, 1150 S. Canton Center Road, south of Cherry Hill.

Hours are noon to 6 p.m. Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday for the exhibition juried by El Bando, art department chairperson at Adrian College. Prizes totaling \$1,000 will be awarded to artists exhibiting with only from Canton but

## Art Beat

Plymouth, Westland, Redford, Livonia, Northville, Birmingham, Bloomfield Hills, Southfield, Dearborn and Ann Arbor as well. Canton Township Supervisor Thomas Yack and Canton Township Treasurer Elaine Kirchgatter hope to put Canton on the map, as far as the fine arts go, with this show. Ilene Tarkington's reflective painting of apples, winner of last year's President's Award, serves as the commemorative poster for this year's show. It is available at the Canton

Administration Building for \$10 with proceeds to benefit Canton Project Arts, the township's fledgling arts council.

## LOCALS EXHIBIT IN 'OUR TOWN'

The 10th annual Our Town Art Exhibit and Sale taking place Oct. 20-23 features artists from Observerland at The Community House in Birmingham, 380 S. Bates in Birmingham.

Artists include Connie Lucas and Igor Beginin from Canton Township, Howard Dombrowski of Redford Township and J. Susan Aitken, Jack Hemphill and Frank Van Dusen from Livonia.

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Antiquing from page 1D

Nostalgic trend

"There's a trend to old toys and games and trains. It's more a collectible type of item from a nostalgic childhood," said co-owner, Nancy Dabanski of Garden City.

"I happen to be an antique button collector. Some women use them in their crafts."

The economy and time of the year also affects buying trends in the antique business. Dabanski, who's reviving her autograph collection after recently selling her postmortem photograph collection to buy an Amelia Earhart autograph, said business has been slow lately but expects it to pick up with the approaching holidays.

"It's the money crunch. They're unsure of their jobs whether they will be there tomorrow. Everybody's watching their pennies."

Business booming

At Memory Lane Antiques on Main Street in Plymouth business is booming. The theme of the 3,400-square-foot shop is home

"There's a trend to old toys and games and trains. It's more a collectible type of item from a nostalgic childhood. The antique market has changed. Even the price guides are dropping items and adding collectibles like G.I. Joe, Barbie dolls and Star Wars memorabilia."

Nancy Dabanski Garden City

furnishings. Owner Debra Eaves, who sees Plymouth as the Royal Oak of the South, stocks a wide array of merchandise for decorating needs. An eight and one-half foot tall Victorian organ by Story & Clark ornately carved on both sides could be used as a room divider. A Gothic Victorian carved walnut side chair, Art Nouveau and deco lamps, turn-of-the-century red velvet fainting couch, and a Herschell-Spillman hand-carved carousel horse on a brass stand would add spice to just about any room.

"We're moving towards a lifestyle store based around Victorian and turn-of-the-century," said Eaves of Northville.

"There's a Victorian trend, a revival to when things were beautifully made, than just functional. People are mixing periods and they're using them as accent pieces, an eye catcher."

Time of year, however, does factor into buying trends at the antique shop housed in a 100 year old building.

"We sell a lot of hand-painted China. For entertaining around the holidays people buy individual pieces to display as accent pieces with their dinnerware. There is a touch of nostalgia happening. People remember seeing something at their grandma's house, now it's gone with the wind and they want a piece similar to bring back the memories."

Antique mesh purses along with gloves, hat pins and button

books displayed in shadow boxes are also popular now for home decorating.

Season for collectors

"This is the big season for collectibles. If somebody collects nut crackers, china, or glassware now is the time to look for Christmas gifts."

Dora Sabatini of Now 'N' Then/Dora's Place in Livonia agrees with Eaves on the cycle of buying being tied to the time of the year. Before Sweetest Day Oct. 15 she sold cups and saucers, antique jewelry like cameo, crystal, china and glassware for giving as gifts.

"Everybody does it a little bit, collecting that it is. Some people collect bells or bronze, or cups and saucers or art pottery. Plus it adds history, or if they're decorating a contemporary home they add an antique to warm the home," said Sabatini of Livonia.

"Buying trends change during the time of year. Sterling is popular during the holidays. They're entertaining. In spring, it's pottery because they're bringing the plants out."

"People like things that we grew up with from the 40s and 50s. We reflect back, and most antiques are a good investment. An antique will maintain its value."

Antiques in Old Village

In the 1800s, Plymouth's Old Village shops housed a collection of dry goods, groceries and general

merchandise. Today, an eclectic array of antique businesses, both traditional and trendy, line the historic Liberty Street between Starkweather and North Mill. Strown up the wooden floorboards you'll find Art Deco pieces such as lamps and Louis XV prints next to wash basins, Oriental rugs and black wrought-iron bells.

M. Hubert & Co., which moved from a Forest Avenue location in downtown Plymouth to Liberty Street five months ago, specializes in art glass and pottery, fine art, Tiffany, Rookwood, pocket watches, and smaller furniture pieces. They also have a nice selection of balancing scales, rugs, and art deco lamps.

Across the street at the Plymouth Antiques Mall is an antique and collectible shop aimed at men. Shark jaws, hunting and fishing items, and war related

memorabilia are big sellers, here. "We're more male oriented with things from the Indian wars, Civil War, Old West photos, and military and World War I," said Roger Smart, one of eight dealers in the mall owned by Paul Kalik.

"Delay BB guns sell well because of the old plant that moved out in the 1980s played a big part in Plymouth's history."

Next door is Fritchard Antiques, and few doors further down, Upstairs, Downstairs Antiques, which has been in the same location for 25 years. Here, you'll find a large assortment of collectibles including glass, dishes and kitchen items.

If mall style shopping is your forte, don't miss Town & Country Antiques Mall, and Countrywide Crafts Mall & Antiques, both on Plymouth Road in Livonia.

Art Beat from page 1D

Van Dusen began painting seriously after retiring from a 40 year career in commercial art in 1985. He took art classes at the Birmingham Bloomfield Art Association studying under Redford Township sculptor, Sergio De Giusti in addition to Marie Larson, Susan Mulcahy, Joyce Nagle and Leslie Masters. In 1990, 1992

and again this past June he has joined Masters' painting and sketching groups in Paris, Giverny, Provence and Auvers, France. Until recently he had executed final works in pastel but has combined it with acrylics now.

Admission to Our Town is free. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Diaz from page 1D

Krich is the first mystery novelist who has visited the store to sign books since its formal opening May 1, says Brown.

To make the event even more special, customers can take home, with the purchase of the new novel, a paperback copy of Krich's first Jessica Drake mystery, "Fair Game," initially published last year by Warner Books.

"Angel of Death" focuses on a wealthy Jewish attorney whose life is threatened as he defends a neo-Nazi group planning to parade through a Jewish neighborhood in Los Angeles on Hitler's birthday.

Krich lives and works in Los Angeles. Born in Germany, she is the daughter of Holocaust survivors.

Readers may know the author best through her highly popular debut novel, "Where's Mommy Now?" Retitled "Perfect Alibi," the psychological thriller, winner

of the Anthony Award for Best Paperback Original Mystery in 1990, has been recently made into a television movie. Starring Terri Garr and Hector Elizondo, it's scheduled to air later this fall.

Of "Angel of Death," she has said, "I really wanted to focus on Holocaust denial because if you can erase the truth about that, you can erase the truth about anything. I find it very frightening that people claim the horrible things that took all my grandparents and eliminated most of my family didn't happen."

Victoria Diaz of Livonia, a longtime member of Detroit Women Writers, tracks the books and literary industry for the Observer Newspapers. She has a lifelong interest in reading, "everything from great novels to cereal boxes." You can leave a message for her on a Touch-Tone phone by dialing 963-2047, then her mailbox number, 1864.

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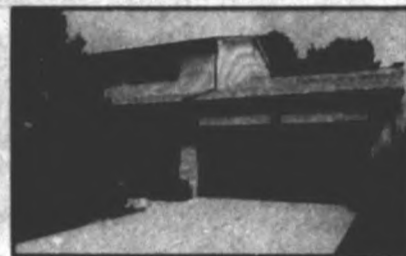
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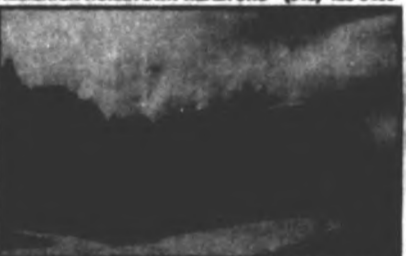
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# Women from page 1D

the large scale works, many set against white backgrounds.

"I paint three subjects — migrant workers, women and Indian people. I try to make a statement about their life-style, their struggle, their pain," said Mendosa.

The first of the women paintings, begun during a tumultuous period of her life, were a form of healing. A black-haired Indian woman clad in a serape seems as if in a painful struggle. Works not to be missed are "Mother and Earth" and "Mujer con Serape." In each wind-swept stroke of color, many of them, earth tones, endow the Rubenesque female figure with energy and life. Woman

and landscape become one.

### Sensitivity praised

"One of the overriding qualities is the extreme sensitivity these paintings exhibit," said art department chairman, Ralph F. Glenn.

"In many, Nora mixes the figure with landscape. They have a painterly secret that's revealed to the viewer, a tribute to femininity."

Mendoza, speaking to a group of art students from the university before the opening reception, led a tour through the exhibit stopping to discuss the creative process and meaning behind each painting — from the Serapi se-

ries, a woman trying to find her identity, the torn shawl signifies poverty. Further on, another woman shows signs of physical and emotional abuse. Still further on, a woman showing much distress.

"The work reflects what I am, what I feel," said the painter with more than 60 years of life experiences.

"A lot of my inspiration comes from my travels to third world countries, the issues and struggles of the people and my affiliation with an intertribal group, Kanto de la Tierra and the Intertribal Council of Indians of North America," said the 1991 recipient of the Wayne County Artistic Excellence and Community Commitment Award.

### Work honors heritage

A Chicana Indian, Mendosa uses her work to speak proudly not only of heritage, but the trials and tribulations of Indians worldwide.

As an artist active within the community, she has won many awards including the University of Michigan's Award of Artistic Excellence; Eastern Michigan University's Prominent Latina Award; a certificate of achievement for Casa De Unidad's barrio muralist project in Southwest Detroit; State of Michigan on Spanish Speaking Affairs Certificate of Leadership and Achievement; Michigan Women's Foundation, Women in the Arts; The Michigan 150 First Lady Award, and New Detroit's Latino Caucus Award.

She first became interested in painting at age 14 when her father brought home a canvas and pigments for her to copy a picture. Two years later, she was illustrating books. She set aside her paints for many years to create a son and daughter she refers to as her two masterpieces.

Mendoza's work is in the collections of Detroit Mayor, Dennis Archer; Aretha Franklin; Ford Motor Co. in Rockfeller Plaza, New York City and World Headquarters, Dearborn, and the late Cesar Chavez's United Farm Workers of America (AFL-CIO) National Headquarters, to name a few.

"I'm involved with human rights and injustices of migrant workers. My intention is to bring

attention to the people's struggles."

Eight smaller paintings in grey and sepia tones from Mendoza's Migrant Worker series tell a story of countless peasants in the Midwest breaking their backs to work the crops in order to eat and survive. Their shack-like homes bear wheels to follow the succession of crops. Initially begun in 1985, 12 of the paintings were illustrations for a book focusing on migrant workers, "Al Norte," or to the North. Forty of the paintings will be exhibited Nov. 15 to Feb. 2, 1995 at the George Meany Memorial Archives in Washington, D.C.

### She knows what she paints

Mendoza grew up four miles from the U.S.-Mexican border in Weslaco, Texas. She knows these images first-hand. Her aunts and uncles took her with them to the field to pick cotton. Mendoza talks of a tool since outlawed which required workers to remain bent over at all times because of its short handle.

"The house had wheels so it could move from crop to crop. Conditions for the migrant workers are not much better than in 1920. They live under inhuman conditions. I wanted people to have a better understanding of migrant workers so they'll have a better understanding, they're human beings."

Exhibition hours are 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday and Saturday, and 1-5 p.m. Sunday.



Energy: The use of energetic lines give movement or motion to her subjects. Wind-swept strokes of color endow the Rubenesque female figure with energy and life.

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## Toronto tour set

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Price is \$215 for members, double occupancy, and \$235 for non-members, double occupancy. For a single supplement, the cost is an additional \$45.

The price includes one night at the Sheraton Hotel, entry to the exhibit 1:30 p.m. Oct. 29, Sunday breakfast, motor coach, galleries and flea market. For an additional \$75, tickets may be bought for "Phantom of the Opera," "Miss Saigon," "Show Boat" or "Crazy For You."

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# Annalee

## She releases tension by painting

**"It helps relieve stress and tension and it's exciting because I never know how it's going to turn out."**

BY LINDA ANN CHOMIN  
SPECIAL WRITER

The Livonia Arts Commission continues monthly exhibits with watercolors by Annalee through Oct. 28 in the showcases on the second floor of the Livonia Civic Center Library, Five Mills just east of Farmington Road.

Annalee

Framed paintings, notecards and

mugs bearing reproductions of the Northville resident's imagery, and macramé and bead necklaces are reasonably priced for gift giving in time for the approaching holidays.

"As soon as I saw her work I realized that she was very talented. I liked her choice of color as well as subject matter and she's very versatile," said arts commissioner Lee Alanakas, who books the monthly displays in the showcases.

A hot air balloon adrift in a violet and strawberry sky, a lighthouse in shades of purple, and butterflies in shades of brown evolve from the soft, Oriental style of painting that Annalee admires. A serious painter since 1991, she enjoys the actual physical process of painting.

"It helps relieve stress and tension and it's exciting because I never know how it's going to turn out," said Annalee, office manager for Counseling Alternatives, a mental health clinic in Livonia.

"I recently took an art therapy class at Wayne State University and would like to pursue a master's degree in it."

Annalee, a graduate of Heidelberg College in Ohio, began painting studies in the 1970s with Mary Ann Belts and Caroline Dunphy. A member of the Ann Arbor Women Painters, she also owns a part-time business, Annalee Associates, which specializes in specialty advertising. She has designed mugs, T-shirts, and pens for a Ford Motor Co. safety program and the Northville Chamber of Commerce as well as for banks and small manufacturing companies.

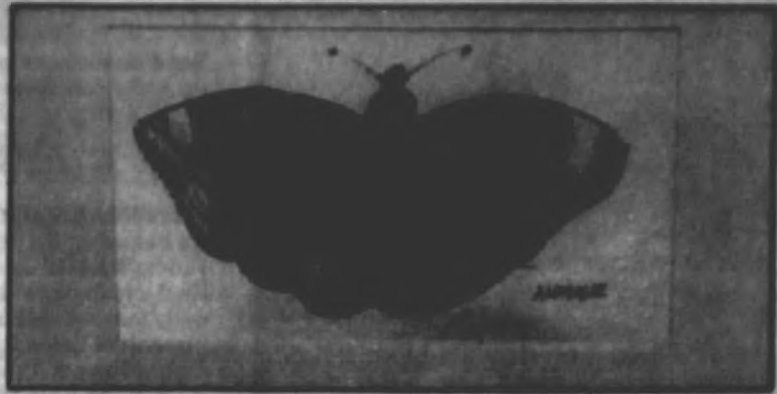
The 53-year-old painter has displayed her watercolors at the Northville Art Show, now part of the Victorian Festival; in a one person show sponsored by the Southfield Parks and Recreation Department, Cultural Arts Division; and at the Island House Restaurant, Lions Den Gallery, and Popeye's Gift Shop in Kelley's Island, Ohio.

Hours for the Livonia Civic Center Library exhibit are 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday to Thursday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday and Saturday, and 1-5 p.m. Sunday.



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**Versatile artisan: The Livonia Arts Commission presents watercolors, notecards, mugs and jewelry by Annalee in the second floor showcases at the Civic Center Library.**



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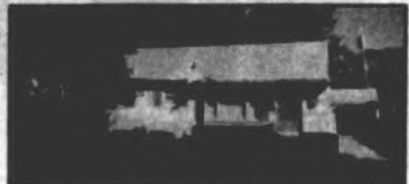
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**LIVONIA LIBRARY**

To Saturday, Oct. 22 — Livonia Public Schools' art faculty exhibits the talent and skills they use daily to teach children in this 50-piece show in the Livonia Civic Center Library on the second floor. Large scale painting, weaving, jewelry, screen print, construction and ceramic work by 14 teachers and two associate teachers from elementary, middle and high school set the record straight once and for all that those who can, do teach. Hours are 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday-Thursday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday-Saturday, and 1-5 p.m. Sunday. The Livonia Civic Center Library is on Five Mile, just east of Farmington Road.

**LIVONIA LIBRARY SNOWCASES**

To Friday, Oct. 28 — The Livonia Arts Commission presents watercolors by Annalee of Northville on the library's second floor. Landscapes and florals in paintings and note cards are reasonably priced for gift giving. Annalee began painting studies in the 1970s with Mary Ann Beltz and Caroline Dunphy. Hours are 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday-Saturday, and 1-5 p.m. Sunday. The Livonia Civic Center Library is on Five Mile just east of Farmington Road.

**"COUNTDOWN TO ETERNITY"**

To Sunday, Oct. 23 — Focus: HOPE's Center for Advanced Technologies presents the 62-piece photography exhibit focusing on the last 355 days of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.'s life. The high-tech display of Benedict Fernandez's images of the civil rights era legend was designed by James Aho of Westland. The multi-media presentation incorporates computer technology, video and sound with the historic photos displayed in a gallery setting. Hours are 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. daily, 1400 Oakman Blvd., Detroit. Call (313) 494-HOPE.

**LIVONIA CITY HALL**

To Nov. 9 — The Palette and Brush Club exhibits "Point of View," a show featuring works by 31 members in the lobby. Hours are 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday

through Friday. Livonia City Hall is at Farmington Road and Five Mile.

**DETROIT SCIENCE CENTER**  
Through Dec. 17 — International award-winning photographer Marji Silk exhibits her photography in a one-woman presentation through Dec. 17. Reception to meet the artist Sunday. Silk, a former staff photographer for the Detroit Science Center, is a writer, lecturer and teacher of photography. She teaches a two-day workshop, "How to Develop YOUR Unique and Creative Eye." The exhibit runs weekends only in the Main Lobby; hours are 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday and noon to 5 p.m. Sunday, 5020 John R, Detroit. Call (810) 544-1203 for information.

**DETROIT INSTITUTE OF ARTS**  
Through Nov. 6 — Internationally acclaimed performance artist Guillermo Gomez-Pena and collaborator Roberto Sifuentes are presented for a special exhibit, now through Nov. 6, and other related programs at 5200 Woodward. Gomez-Pena and Sifuentes will occupy the installation and perform highly ritualized actions embodying cultural stereotypes Friday-Sunday, the first three days of the exhibit. The display, "The Temple of Confessions," is curated by Nancy Jones of Southfield, DIA Department of Education. Call (313) 833-7963.

**UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN MUSEUM OF ART**

Through Nov. 20 — "The Jade Studio," an exhibit of masterpieces of Chinese Ming and Qing Dynasty painting and calligraphy from the Wong Nan-p'ing Collection, continues through Nov. 20 at 525 S. State in Ann Arbor. Related events include tour 2 p.m. Sunday and art videos "Oriental Brushwork" and "Chinese Painting Through the Ages" 12:10 p.m. Wednesday. Call (313) 764-0395.

**UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN HOSPITALS**

To Oct. 23 — Exhibits in the Gifts of Art program continue. All art works are for sale. For more information, call 936-ARTS. On display are fabric wall pieces by Susan Moran, on University Hospital Lobby, Floor 1; illustrations by Barbara Goodsett, and jewelry and metalsmithing by the Michigan Silversmiths Guild, Taubman Lobby, North, Floor 1; nature photography by Bernie Sneider, and Zimbabwean Shona

sculpture collected by Dudley Moore, Taubman Lobby, South, Floor 1; watercolors by Madeleine Vallier, University Hospital Main Corridor, West, Floor 2; hand-made paper by Esther Kirshenbaum, University Hospital Amphitheater Lobby, Floor 2; and paintings by Lisabeth Etacorn, Turner Clinic Lobby, Floor 1.

**GALLERY 484**

Through Oct. 28 — An exhibit of paintings by Carla Carl Mazzucato continues at the Grosse Pointe Park gallery, 15105 Kercheval. Call (810) 822-4454.

**HILL GALLERY**

To Oct. 29 — "Popular Culture," an exhibit of works by Richard Prince, Robert Rauschenberg, Joyce Pensanto, Dennis Oppenheim, Heather McGill, Donald Sultan, Michael Hall and Donald Lipaki, continues at 163 Townsend in Birmingham. Call (810) 540-9288.

**SUSANNE HILBERRY GALLERY**

Through Oct. 29 — The gallery opens its fall exhibition season with a show of paintings, prints and drawings by Alex Katz, one of America's leading figurative painters. Katz is best known for his portraits and cutouts, which convey a deadpan but canny portrayal of New York City's cultural elite, and intimate large scale landscapes that focus on nature's details. Hours are 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 555 S. Woodward, Birmingham, (810) 642-8250.

**SANDRA COLLINS**

To Oct. 29 — "Hot Sounds: Cool Musical Instruments" continues at 470 N. Woodward in Birmingham. Call (810) 642-4795.

**ROBERT KING GALLERY**

To Oct. 29 — Paintings in the Artist Series by Larry Rivers are exhibited. Hours are 10:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday, 107 Townsend, Birmingham, (810) 642-3909.

**HABATAT/SHAW GALLERY**

To Oct. 29 — Exhibits of the work of internationally recognized sculptor Arnold Zimmerman, and featuring the fantastic "dolls" of Janis Mars Wunderlich, continue. Zimmerman's current sculpture develops themes established in earlier works, combining architectural, organic, figurative and mechanical influences, creating highly personal and ambiguous sculptures. Wunderlich's sensitively rendered sculptures, based upon traditional doll forms, rede-

fine the associations usually made with children's toys. Also, a selection of jewelry and wearable art by some of America's finest jewelers is displayed. Hours are 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday-Saturday or by appointment in the new location, 7 N. Saginaw, at Pike in Pontiac. Call (810) 851-8767.

**JEAN PAUL SLUGGER GALLERY**

To Oct. 29 — "Works on Paper: National Alumni Invitational 1994 Exhibition" features work by School of Art graduates from around the country, including Susan Cohen, Julia Kjelgaard, Nancy Stokes, Ruth Green, Ben Upton, Brad Melamed, Paul Bichler, Norie Sato, Andrea Evans, Carrie St. John, Steve Carrie, Rita Di- bert, Mark Sisson, Nancy Lorenz and Barb Suhr. The gallery is in the Art and Architecture Building, North Campus, at the University of Michigan-Ann Arbor. Call (313) 763-4438.

**MASK GALLERY**

Through Oct. 29 — "Mask," an exhibit of two- and three-dimensional art, dance and poetry relating to the theme of facades, disguises and hidden realities, continues. The group show features the work of Mary Fortuna, Martha Schiebold, Maureen Vachon, Mark Esse and many other area artists, and masks from the Theatre Grottesco. Hours are 1-5 p.m. Saturday or by appointment, above King's Fashions at 10338 Joseph Campau at Caniff in Hamtramck. Call (810) 875-0750; for appointments call (810) 644-5824.

**FRESTON BURKE GALLERY**

Through Oct. 30 — "Celebrating Our Humanness," featuring recent works by Tony Kew and John Pappas, continues. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Monday-Thursday, to 7 p.m. Friday, 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday, 37606 W. 12 Mile at Halsted in Farmington Hills, (810) 488-0200.

**UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN MUSEUM OF ART**

Through Oct. 30 — "Beyond Empire: Artistic Expressions of Byzantium," a small display of devotional objects demonstrating the widespread reception of Byzantine artistic traditions, continues at 525 S. State in Ann Arbor. The exhibit is organized in conjunction with the 20th annual Byzantine Studies Conference, taking place Oct. 20-23. Call (313) 764-0395.

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REAL ESTATE LISTINGS

High-tech Realtors not office-bound

BY JANICE TIGER-KRAMER SPECIAL WRITER

Carol Boji of Farmington Hills knows first-hand it's a lot easier nowadays for working mothers to have successful real-estate careers and still attend T-ball games.

Boji, broker/owner of Network Real Estate at 31500 W. 13 Mile in Farmington Hills, earned a real estate license 10 years ago when her sons were age 3 and 1—but it wasn't easy.

"It was hectic, no question about it," said Boji, who sold real estate, ran a West Bloomfield party store with her husband and shuttled one child to preschool. Her rigorous schedule lasted six months.

In 1984, she became a full-time agent for the now-closed Heppard & Associates in Farmington Hills. But even with a lighter workload, Boji says she spent most of her time in the office looking through multiple listing books or in the car picking up the children. She went through several

baby sitters before finding a competent nanny.

Today, thanks to personal computers and models that link Realtor-subscribers to the Multiple Listing Service (MLS) mainframe, agents like Boji are no longer office-bound. In fact, many who own personal desktop or laptop computers do most of their research at home.

"Agents in large offices that have only a couple of computers are on a waiting list to access the MLS files. Spending less time in the office means more time to service clients," said Boji, whose real-estate sales volume for January through July was around \$5 million.

Network Real Estate's 10 agents work mostly at home, using the broker's office for client meetings and closings. Each agent has his or her own pager and voice mail. The broker supplies full-time clerical support in the office.

Network recently moved into larger

quarters to accommodate up to 100 licensed agents, who'll train in the office with Boji before setting up at home.

Working this way is a win-win situation for the broker and the agent. The broker pays less to run the office and agents pay lower broker fees because they supply their primary office, computer, telephone, fax and other services.

Home-based real estate also is becoming a national trend, says Dan Dressman, Michigan Association of Realtors executive vice president.

"Realtors will be spending less time in their cars and offices because most of their work can be done electronically. Most of the technology that Realtors need to work at home has been created—now we have to determine the applications," said Dressman.

Besides retrieving MLS data from their homes, many agents use supplemental programs to do loan amortiza-

tions, color brochures, comparative marketing analysis and client follow-ups. The Land Data program provides tax information and legal property descriptions from county records.

"Clients who know I have this capability at home call me at night when they're not rushed and I'm not rushed," said Deborah Goldberg of Farmington, an associate broker for Network.

Goldberg's home set-up was a blessing this year after a fall left her house-bound for four months. She wasn't able to show homes, but she listed and sold property from her home by faxing information to her broker's office.

"What's happening in real estate reflects our changing lifestyle. Ten years ago, you had to drive across town with an offer and today you can fax it," she said.

Listings feature news and notes about suburban real estate. Special writer Janice Tiger-Kramer compiles it. To list an announcement, write: Listings, Real Estate Editor, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 805 E. Maple, Birmingham 48009. Our fax number is (810) 644-1314.

AWARD WINNER

Realtor associate Charlotte Jasanski of Century 21 Row, 37172 Six Mile, Livonia, earned the company's Quality Service Award for 1993.

She received the top service award for outstanding client satisfaction.



Jasanski

JOINS McNABNAY

Lorrie Gentry joins McNabney & Associates, Inc. New America Network Commercial Real Estate in Bloomfield Hills as assistant to the president. She'll assist David McNabney in the leasing and sale of office and medical space in metro-Detroit.

The Warren resident had been executive secretary for Professional Association Services, which provides administrative services to three Oakland County Realtor boards.

LET'S MAKE A DEAL

Cadillac Motors said it has teamed with the National Association of Realtors to provide members with special purchase or lease terms.

Realtors make their best deal with a Cadillac dealer, then receive a \$500 coupon toward the purchase or lease of a new Cadillac, or receive 6,000 additional miles during the contract period of a GMAC Smart Lease.

Cadillac said it's making the offer to NAR members because they are loyal Cadillac buyers who are important to the automaker's success.

"The demographics of NAR members, along with the nature of their profession, are a perfect match for buyers of all our models, but especially our large luxury sedans," said Peter Gerosa, Cadillac general sales and service manager.

The winner of a sweepstakes to be held at the National Association of Realtors convention in Anaheim, Calif., in November wins a 1995 DeVille Concours.

NAR is the nation's largest professional association. It has 750,000 members in 50 states and Guam, Puerto Rico, the District of Columbia and the Virgin Islands.

Avoid small-claims courts; press for tree upkeep

CONDO QUERIES

Q. One of our board members wants to go to small-claims court to collect a delinquency that has been outstanding for several months. Other board members say it's not a good idea because the judge is unsympathetic to condominiums.

A. My general recommendation to condominium associations that I represent is to refrain from going to small-claims court for a number of reasons, among them: the association gives up its right to pursue its lien for nonpayment of assessments, which could result in a forced sale of the unit; a decision of the small-claims court is not appealable; the rules of evidence are suspended; and by the nature of the court, it is not likely at-

torney fees will be awarded against the delinquent co-owner, since an attorney normally is not present in small-claims court.

You are well advised to exercise all of your remedies, which will normally result in a circuit court proceeding.

Q. Various trees in our condominium are overgrown and need pruning. The board of directors is not prepared to take action to maintain these trees, and I'm afraid they will die or otherwise uproot some of the common elements, including sidewalks and driveways.

A. Point out to the board that its failure to take care of the trees may not only create an environmental problem, but also may undermine the common elements of the condominium, literally and figuratively, which could result in an unnecessary expenditure for the association, which translates into mismanagement on

the part of the association's board of directors.

I would write a letter to each association board member, pointing out that unless immediate action is taken, this will be a matter for discussion at the annual meeting. If your letter results in no action being taken, I would consult with an attorney.

Q. Let's assume the Tigers build a new stadium. Is it possible for them to sell condominium units, perhaps as private suites, within the confines of the stadium? Would it make any sense for a purchaser to buy a condominium unit in a stadium?

A. Any cubicle of space can be "condominiumized," and that would presumably include a suite in a ballpark. Whether or not a ballpark owner would want to sell condominium units in the park itself as suites is debatable because the stadium owner may not want to relinquish control of

the suite area to anyone on a permanent basis.

The idea is somewhat ingenious and has been used at stadiums to the extent of selling parking spaces for a period of years. A condominium can be established in a commercial setting even though the surrounding area of the office building are not condominiumized. That would, of course, apply to a stadium.

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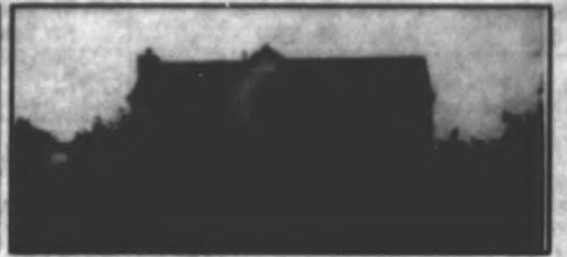
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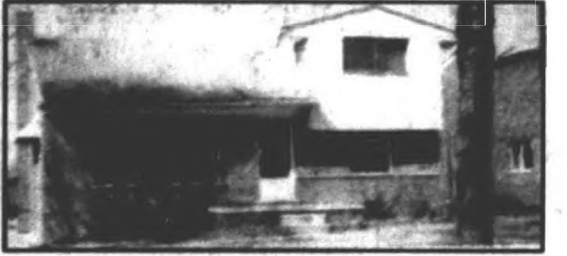
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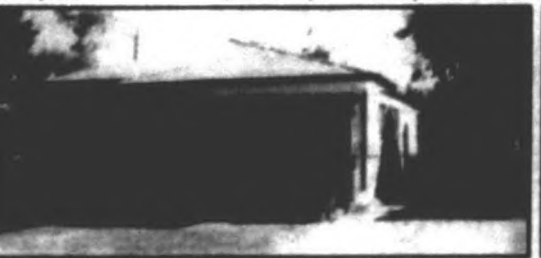
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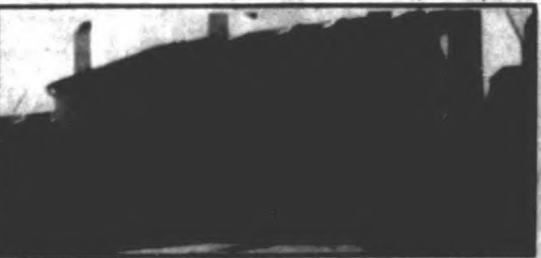
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# BUILDING & BUSINESS

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BUILDING & BUSINESS  
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STARS**

This column highlights promotions, transfers, hirings and other key personnel moves within the suburban business community. Send a brief biographical summary - including the towns of residency and employment and a black-and-white photo, if desired - to: Stars, Building & Business, Observer & Eccentric Newspapers, 36251 Schoolcraft, Livonia 48150. Our fax number is (313) 591-7279.

**Jon W. Block** of Rochester Hills was elected an associate of Ellis/Naeyaert/Genheimer Associates Inc. in Troy. Block joined the company in 191. He has been involved in space analysis, project planning, design, construction and facility management for the past 16 years.



Block

**Dr. Sarada Gullapalli** joined the Livonia and Detroit internal medicine staffs at DMC Health Care Centers in Livonia. Gullapalli had practiced at St. Mary's Medical Center in Livonia. Before that, she practiced at Select Troy Health Center. She served an internship in Warren.



Gullapalli

**Diane Pressley-Capers** of Bloomfield Hills was named vice president of professional services for Grace Hospital, Detroit. Pressley-Capers joined Grace Hospital from the University Medical Center in Jacksonville, Fla., where she was vice president of professional services.



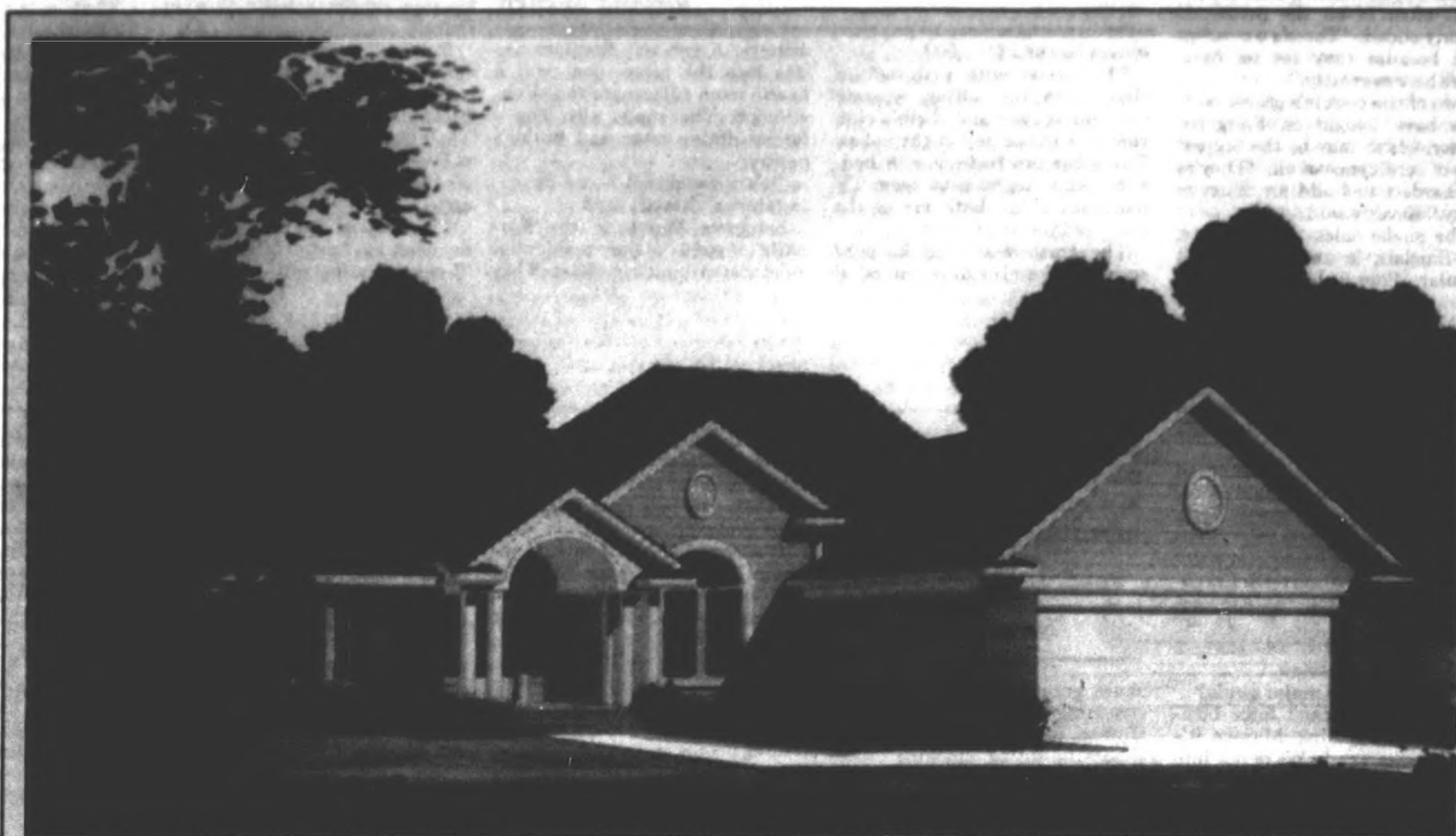
Pressley-Capers

**Dr. Michelle Vera** joined the internal medicine staff at DMC Health Care Centers at the Livonia location. Vera worked for five years as a general practitioner in Santa Barbara, Calif. She worked at Pontiac General Hospital and completed her family practice residency at Wayne State.



Vera

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Sinclair: This ranch at Fairgrove Manor features the master suite at one end, the other bedrooms at the opposite end.

## But it doesn't look like a condo



A builder who hadn't done a substantial residential development for many years but never lost his love for the work appears to have a winner with a project in Rochester Hills. The land is beautiful, the models attractive.

BY DOUG FUNKE  
STAFF WRITER

Fairgrove Manor off Auburn Road east of Adams - with individual stand-alone units, winding streets and cul-de-sacs, a sizeable pond and plenty of woods and wetlands on the 37-acre site - doesn't look like a condominium community.

But it is, and those factors are exactly what contribute to its charm. "People come in and I hear it all the time, 'Does that look big, it

feels big, I had no idea, it's so open," said Michael Furnari, developer/builder. "It has nice curb-side appeal, nice high roof lines."

Half of the 79 lots in the subdivision have sold.

All five basic ranch floor plans feature a master bedroom suite, a second bedroom and a third bedroom/den option. Size varies from 1,665 square feet to 2,100 square feet, price from \$167,900 to \$184,900.

Standard features on all models include attached, two-car garage, first floor laundry, fireplace, full basement, landscaping and range and dishwasher in the kitchen.

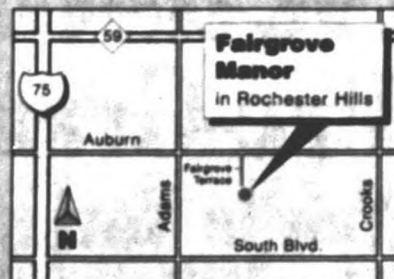
All of the models contain at least one vaulted ceiling.

Options include air conditioning, decks/screened porches and finished basements.

Exteriors are mostly wood siding with brick or stone accents.

"We find the majority coming in are in their late 40s, early 50s, downsizing from the north end of Rochester, the north end of Troy," Furnari said. "The kids are out of high school, out of college or ending college."

"These people combined are probably making 60, 70, 80 grand



a year. They don't want to fool around with maintenance, don't want common walls (with neighbors)," he added.

Some younger married professionals without children and singles also have been attracted to

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**Fitness promoters:**  
Myrna Partrich (left) and Molly Brennan serve on the Governor's Council for Physical Fitness, Health and Sports.

## Fitness: good business sense

BY DOUG FUNKE  
STAFF WRITER

It makes good business sense for companies to be physically fit as well as fiscally sound. In fact, the



one often leads to the other. That's the thinking of the Governor's Council on Physical Fitness, Health and Sports, and, specifically, the subcommittee on physical fitness in business.

"Our main focus is to increase awareness of good health and, hopefully, the awareness of what's available so business can become more active in supporting their employees in these areas," said Molly Brennan.

Brennan, a Farmington Hills resident, a General Motors engineer in Troy, a former All-American runner at Michigan State University and a Rhodes Scholar, chairs the

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# Fairgrove from page 1F

Fairgrove Manor, said Beverly Furnari, Michael's business partner and wife. "We have a really nice blend of people in here," she said.

Part of what inspires confidence of current residents and potential buyers is that she or Michael often is on the premises, Beverly added. "There's a comfort level because they see us here. We're here every day."

Two of the couple's grown children have bought in Fairgrove Manor, which may be the biggest vote of confidence of all. "They're the hardest to build for. They're picky," Beverly said.

The model/sales office on site, the Sinclair, is one of the most popular floor plans at 2,100

**■ "What attracted us was condo living detached — no common walls. We basically chose the Sinclair because of the openness. We have a walk-out in ours and have a complete entertainment center downstairs."**

*Joanna Masten*

square feet and \$181,900.

The master suite, with walk-in closet, cathedral ceiling, separate tub and shower and double-sink vanity is at one end of the house. The other two bedrooms or bedroom and den/sitting room/TV room with a full bath are at the other end.

The great room and kitchen/eating nooks also have cathedral

ceilings. A two-way fireplace angles into the great room and a hearth room adjacent to the kitchen/nook. The condo also has a formal dining room and butler's pantry.

"It's a wonderful home for entertaining," Beverly said.

Fairgrove Manor is the Furnaris second major residential subdivision building effort. They

did Hidden Ridge in Troy in 1980, but switched to commercial when the economy soured.

Commercial credits include Peachwood Inn, a convalescent center in Rochester Hills, and currently, subcontracting work at the Veterans Administration Hospital under construction in Detroit.

But they never abandoned residential, building a handful of houses from time to time in the Bloomfield and Rochester areas. Their Cambridge model, available at Fairgrove Manor, won a Parade of Homes Award several years ago.

"Residential is always where my heart has been," Michael said. "I enjoy dealing with people. We

have five plans here . . . but we do a lot of customizing."

Fairgrove Manor is in the Avondale School District. The property tax rate for city, school and county services is about \$32 per \$1,000 of state equalized valuation, half of market value.

That means the owner of a \$182,000 condo in the subdivision would pay about \$2,900 annually in property taxes.

The sub is serviced by city water and sewers.

A \$110 monthly maintenance fee includes exterior maintenance, snow removal, garbage collection, and lawn services.

Joanna and Herschell Masten have lived in a Sinclair for about a year.

"What attracted us was condo living detached — no common walls," Joanna said. "We basically chose the Sinclair because of the openness. We have a walk-out in ours and have a complete entertainment center downstairs."

"There's a place to enjoy nature in every point in the house," she said of the ravine-like setting. "I love the whole privacy thing. It's like your suite is over there, but suite is on the other side of the house and we'll see you in the morning."

The model/sales office at Fairgrove Manor (810) 852-6080 is open 1-6 p.m. daily, closed Thursdays.

# Fitness from page 1F

business subcommittee.

Myrna Partrich, co-owner of the Workout Co. in Bloomfield Hills, a resident of that community, a member of the President's Council on Physical Fitness and a columnist for the Observer & Eccentric, also serves on the subcommittee.

Following are edited excerpts from a recent interview.

**What are your major goals?**

Brennan: We can't force business to do anything. Mainly, it's to raise awareness. We're not into implementing programs.

We focused on a pilot group, 10 small businesses.

We pulled together information available, the Heart at Work packet, the Rockport walking bro-

**■ "We can't force business to do anything. We're not into implementing programs."**

*Molly Brennan  
chairwoman of  
business subcommittee*

chure, grants on public health for screening programs, paycheck stuffers, newsletters on what they should be eating, smoking cessation, some help lines.

Partrich: What we're saying is if you do a little here and a little there, you'll inch your way along. We don't want to turn anyone away. What we see is if you give

people too large a goal, people get scared, turned off rather than turned on.

What did you find with the pilot group?

Brennan: We had a mix. Companies tending to have financial problems tended to drop out.

Partrich: Common threads that made all work — a person at the helm, a human resources person, took an interest. Promotion within the company, not just a write up or advertising. Aggressively pulling people in.

Why is it in the best interest of employers to have healthy employees?

Brennan: People who are self-insured are finding it can lower health-care costs. People who are

active have less absenteeism. That's a direct link.

Companies are interested in keeping people around. More people die from a sedentary lifestyle than infections, motor vehicle accidents and drug use combined.

Partrich: Building spirit shows that the employer cares about them. In general, happier employees are more productive employees.

Brennan: People who work with union sources, it's a common thread. It bridges a gap.

What is your general impression of fitness in the workplace?

Brennan: I think it's unhealthy as a whole. We're making inroads on no smoking. Cafeteria food, for

the most part, isn't healthy. A lot of meetings, it's donuts.

What specifically can enlightened employers and individual employees do to get fit?

Partrich: Strength and flexibility exercises right at the desk if necessary. Companies have put walking paths around the building.

Brennan: They think they have to go the whole nine yards. Simple things can have a very dramatic effect on one's health. Take steps instead of elevators. Walk instead of use the telephone. Talk to vending people to put in healthier food.

What can we do to get people out of the cafeteria? That's where you get into walking trails. Around GM there's a lot of horse-shoe pits.

Partrich: Exercise is the quick fix to good health. It's the cheapest form of health benefit you can give employees. Therefore, your

benefits are greater. Anything helps. It's cumulative.

Brennan: Institute a buddy system. It's amazing how that can keep people going. A lot of programs allow employees to bring in their spouses.

Partrich: Not just spouses, but the whole family. We're recognizing that the family unit is important.

What's the plan? Brennan: The governor's council isn't able to reach all people in Michigan.

If we can establish regional councils . . . business, schools and individuals . . . not only will we get the personal contact, but, hopefully, get resources together.

How many regional councils have in a year or two will be a good barometer.

Partrich: A program itself has to be attainable — walking, aerobics, classes which build camaraderie.

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# Internet offers free files — if you know how to get 'em



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For many years a popular activity on bulletin boards and on-line services has been to download software. The appeal is probably stronger on the Internet because there are thousands of more software (binary files) available

for the taking. Although the software is free, it is not available at no cost. The cost sometimes is great personal effort and almost always in attention to detail. Because there's a lot involved in getting free software from the Internet, and I don't know how much knowledge you have, we will spend the next two or three columns on this task. First you should know there are

two types of software available: freeware and shareware. Freeware is entirely free with no expectations from the user. The shareware author does expect a registration fee will be paid. Shareware is made available free to try it out and then the user is asked to register and pay a fee, usually \$10-\$30. Those who pay the fee will receive documentation on how to use the software and will receive notices of upgrades.

Those who don't pay or register will not go directly to jail. Shareware authors know many users won't register and pay a fee. Shareware is offered because it's an inexpensive marketing approach — no packaging, no mailing costs, no advertising, etc. Registration and payment becomes an ethical question but there are no practical consequences.

We all must remember that software when sent from one modem to another is first compressed. Compressed files take up less memory space at the host bulletin board or Internet site offering you the software. Compressed software also travels through phone lines much faster which allows you to stay awake while the transfer is completed. And so almost every software you attempt to transfer to your PC will be compressed.

Once you download the software, you must uncompress the file before it can be used. Fortunately, there is free software that can be used to compress and uncompress files. A favorite DOS compression utility is PKUNZIP, so popular it has created a computer vernacular of zipping and unzipping files. When you zip a file, you compress it. When you unzip, you decompress it.

So the first thing you must do is make sure you have a compression utility, like PKUNZIP, on your hard-drive. If you don't, O&E On-Line offers a recent version of PKUNZIP (pkx204g.exe) which you should obtain before trying to unload any software. MAC users also have compression software. Like us DOS people, they too have a language of their own. Macintosh compressions software will stuff and unstuff files. We also have a MAC compression utility ("Downline") available on-line. Remember, too, that sometimes software is infected with a virus and downloading infected software to your hard-drive can cause havoc. All the software O&E On-Line offers has first been checked for viruses and is offered virus-free. We have no way of knowing, and neither do you, whether any particular site on the Internet offering software is as careful as we are in virus-proofing all its files. If you choose to get software from the Internet, then you really must make sure you have virus-checker

software installed on your hard-drive. Virus software that scans for viruses also contains the tools to destroy a virus. It really is foolish and risky not to have a virus-checker.

O&E Online also has a fairly recent and dependable virus program among its list of files offered free to users. One McAfee virus detector we offer is vshid108.zip. There also is a companion set (scanv113.zip and clean113.zip), one which scans for viruses and the other which fixes 'em if discovered.

If you don't have one, or your virus detection software is more than two years old, download our's or someone else's. Because new viruses are created and enter the PC environment each year, detection software becomes obsolete after two years. You should make it a practice to check for viruses each time after your

download software from anyone. If your detection software allows it, check the automatic option so the virus scan is performed each time you boot your system. If not, find out from a computer buddy how to write a statement to activate the scan each time you boot.

Another word of caution. There is a tendency to download all kinds of software, just because it's free. Remember, though, that even compressed software takes up space on your hard-drive. And when you unzip it, it takes up much more space.

You can direct questions to Emory Daniels by e-mail with emory@oeonline.com, at voice mail at 963-2047 then dial 1910, or fax number 591-7279. To sign up for O&E On-Line, dial (313)591-0903, at "log-in" prompt type "new" and at "Key:" prompt type GL6NY2.

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FRIDAY, OCT. 21

### RELATIONSHIP SALES

John Mitchell, a sales training consultant, presents a seminar "Relationship Sales" 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Troy Somerset Inn. Cost is \$199. To register, call (800) 328-9696.

### DRUG TESTING

The Business Relations Committee of Crittenton Hospital's Development Council presents a free program "Drug and Alcohol Testing" focusing on revised federal regulations for the commercial transportation industry 7:30-8:30 a.m. at the hospital, 1101 W. University, Rochester. For reservations, call (810) 652-5345.

SUNDAY, OCT. 23

### GLOBAL TRADE

Operations Research Society of America and the Institute of Management Services hosts a four-day conference starting this date on "Global Manufacturing and Global Support Services in the 21st Century" at the Westin Hotel, Renaissance Center, Detroit. Cost is \$210. For a brochure or reservations, call (800) 887-6772.

TUESDAY, OCT. 25

### SURVIVING CANCER

The Detroit Chapter of Women in Communications presents a program "Cancer Survivors: How Love and Commitment Restores Lives" 6-8 p.m. at the New Russian Bear Restaurant, 6303 Orchard Lake Road (Orchard Mall), West Bloomfield. Presenter: Kathleen Maslanka, executive director of the Wayne County Medical Society and a breast cancer survivor. Cost is \$25 for members, \$30 for non-members, \$20 for students and retirees. Reservations due by Oct. 23 at (810) 652-1460.

### LUMP SUM PAYOUTS

Brian Maxson of Merrill Lynch and Mark Mullin, a CPA with Gamble & Co., host a free seminar "What to Do with a Lump Sum Distribution When You Retire or Change Jobs" 7-8:30 p.m. at the Dearborn Inn. To register, call (800) 937-0240.

### MANAGEMENT SUCCESS

Wayne State University's College of Lifelong Learning presents "Women in Management," a course that identifies skills and techniques used in successful management, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the WSU Southfield Center, 27300 W. Eleven Mile, Southfield. Cost is \$99. To register, call (313) 577-4665.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 26

### GETTING ELECTED

The Women's Economic Club hosts a luncheon forum on the challenges women face winning election and serving in state government at noon in the Cobo Conference Center Riverview Ballroom, Detroit. Speakers: Maxine Berman (D-Southfield) and Lyn Barrios (R-Redford). Cost is \$18 for members, \$25 for non-members. For information, call Garry Barons at (313) 963-5088.

### MAIL MANAGEMENT

The Michigan Tri-Postal Council, a network of corporate executives who work with the U.S. Postal Service to improve business relations, hosts a seminar "Giving You the Answers" 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Burton Manor, 27777 Schoolcraft, Livonia. Representative will explain how to make the system work. Cost is \$35 in advance, \$50 at the door. To register, call (313) 225-5414.

THURSDAY, OCT. 27

### STRIVE NETWORKS

Strive-Troy, a networking and support group for women and a local chapter of the National Association for Female Executives, meets 6 p.m. at the Troy Public Library, Big Beaver Road near I-75. Members and first-time guests fee, \$5 for non-members. Reservations aren't required.

## BUSINESS MARKETPLACE

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### NEW HEADQUARTERS

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### BENEFIT PLANS

The Detroit Area Chapter, International Society of Certified Employee Benefit Specialists, hosts a seminar "Fundamentals of Qualified Benefit Plans and Other Arrangements" 7:30 a.m. to 4:15 p.m. at the MSU Management Education Center, Troy. Cost is \$140. To register, call (810) 988-0369.

### WORKPLACE VIOLENCE

The American Society of Employers sponsors a workshop "Managing Workplace Violence and Traumatic Events" 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at its offices, 23815 Northwestern Highway, Southfield. Presenter: Kenneth L. Wolf, Multi Resource Center. Cost is \$195 for members, \$225 for non-members. Advance registration requested at (810) 353-4500.

### INCOME TAX COURSE

Schoolcraft College's Continuing Education Services hosts an eight-week course "Personal Income Tax" 5-8 p.m. beginning this date. The class will convene successive Thursdays on campus in Livonia. Cost is \$64. To register, call (313) 462-4448.

FRIDAY, OCT. 28

### FAIR HOUSING

The Apartment Association of Michigan sponsors a seminar "Managing in Compliance with Fair Housing Regulations" 8-11:30 a.m. at the Embassy Suites Hotel, 28100 Franklin Road, Southfield. Cost, which includes breakfast, is \$25 for AAM members, \$40 for non-members. To register, call (810) 737-4477.

SATURDAY, OCT. 29

### OPEN HOUSE

IDS Financial Services hosts an open house with informational materials and seminars on asset allocation, college planning, retirement planning, long-term care, estate planning and tax planning 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. at Laurel Manor, 39000 Schoolcraft, Livonia.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 2

### NAWBO NETWORKING

The National Association of Women Business Owners North Network meets 7:30 a.m. at the Holiday Inn Auburn Hills, I-75 at University. Cost, which includes continental breakfast, is \$10 for members, \$20 for non-members. Reservations aren't required. The network is to provide support, share solutions and cross purchase for women who own and operate their own businesses. For information, call (313) 253-3711.

MONDAY, NOV. 7

### NURSING BUSINESS

The Michigan League for Nursing hosts a conference "Nurses and Business: A Winning Combination" for nurses who want to learn, network and share skills about business start-up and growth 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Holiday Inn-Livonia West. Cost is \$95 in advance, \$110 at the door. To register, call (313) 427-1900.

TUESDAY, NOV. 8

### LUTZ TO SPEAK

Madonna University's McManus Distinguished Business Lecture Series presents Robert A. Lutz, president and chief operating officer of Chrysler Corp., 7 p.m. in Kresge Hall on campus, Schoolcraft at Levan, Livonia. Lutz's topic: "Re-engineering Chrysler's Corporate Culture." The lecture is free.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 9

### PROTECTING PRACTICE

Schnartz & Co., a health-care consultant, presents a program "Invasion of Your Private Practice" 6 p.m. at the Radisson Plaza in Southfield. Discussion will center on practical legal aspects of integrated health-care systems in the '90s as they relate to planning and profits. Cost is \$25. For information, call (810) 368-0820.

### CUSTOMER SATISFACTION

The American Society for Training and Development, Greater Detroit Chapter, offers a program "Think Like a Customer: Kmart's Approach to Total Customer Satisfaction" 5:30 p.m. at Kmart headquarters, 3100 W. Big Beaver Road, Troy. Cost is \$20 for members, \$25 for non-members. Reservations required at (810) 332-2060.

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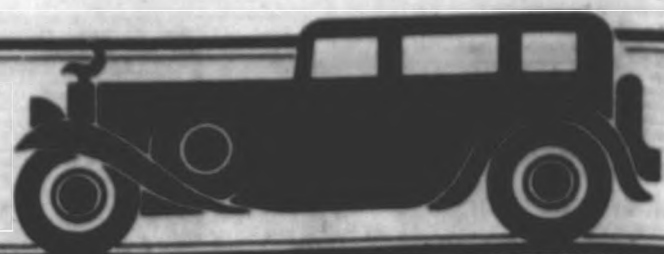
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