

Chelsea's top five stories of 1996

The past year was one of significant changes and once-in-a-lifetime events for the Chelsea area.

The top five stories of 1996 give a good overview of the community in the way it is changing, and what it can accomplish through both political activism and hard work.

Chelsea is struggling to keep its laid-back, rural atmosphere intact in the midst of growth, development and change. This is an issue that will continue to dominate the Chelsea area for years to come.

Growth issues were largely responsible for ousting two incumbent township supervisors. They are also responsible for the beginning of the Chelsea School District's \$45 million building project and the formation of the Chelsea District Library.

Two other stories depicted Chelsea in the way most of us have come to know it and would like it to stay.

Presidential candidate Bob Dole chose to make a campaign stop here because he liked the small-town atmosphere.

And area residents showed their civic pride when they gathered to build the project known as Timber Town.

1. Presidential candidate visits Chelsea

It's not every day that a big celebrity comes to the quaint Village of Chelsea, much less one of the nation's most prominent political leaders. But, according to Bob Dole, Chelsea represents a typical slice of America, and that is why he chose to make a stop here Oct. 21 on his campaign trail. His entourage also included Gov. John Engler and other prominent Michigan Republicans. Local county commissioner Joe Yekulis rode in the caravan.

The visit warranted much hard work and coordination on the part of the village; the Chelsea Police Department, village officials, residents and members of Dole's campaign all came together to make the visit run smoothly.

In a small village like Chelsea, such a grandiose event becomes quite disruptive to everyday operations. The school district let students out early for the day so they could hear the Republican presidential nominee's speech at the intersection of Main and Park Streets shortly after 2 p.m. Many downtown businesses closed down operations for the day, and Main Street was blocked off from traffic.

The high school band showed up to welcome Dole, playing, among other things, the theme from "Mission Impossible," and hundreds of people jammed Chelsea's streets, hoping for a word or handshake from Dole.

Although the candidate's visit lasted a mere hour, the memory of this landmark event will remain vivid in hearts and minds of Chelsea residents for years to come.

2. District Library is established

As the village and its surrounding areas continue to grow, there is inevitably a need for some of the local facilities to expand their walls along with it. One such facility, the McKune Memorial Library, has had an ongoing challenge of supporting more and more patrons with each passing month.

After years of work by many local residents, a Chelsea District Library was established in December. Included will be residents of the Village of Chelsea, Sylvan Township and Dexter Township.

The need to establish a district library arose for several reasons. Although residents of four surrounding townships have access to McKune Memorial Library, only residents of the village lend financial support to the facility through a millage. In addition, the library has run out of room and no more services or books can be added.

Lima and Lyndon Townships chose not to become part of the Chelsea District Library, but will still have the option to join at a later date. In both townships, a motion to join the district failed for lack of support.

From here, an appointed district library board will formulate a millage proposal to present to the district's residents. It will now be up to voters to pass the millage to fund the newly-established library.

The new district library will be faced with a number of questions, including where the library should be located.

3. Construction of new school buildings begins

The Chelsea School District will soon have two completely new buildings in which to educate the area's students, an elementary school and a high school. In addition, the two existing elementary buildings will undergo extensive renovation.

In June of 1995, the school district's voters passed a landmark \$45 million bond issue to fund these projects.

Planning and coordinating teams and school administrators worked tireless hours putting together ideas for the plans and designs of the schools. Designs for the new facilities were approved early in 1996, and at this point, construction is well underway. Pierce Lake Elementary School will open its doors in the fall, and the new high school will be up and running in the fall of 1998.

The new elementary school will allow the district to put approximately 1,200 students into three buildings rather than two.

All of the district's facilities will be equipped with state-of-the-art technology systems, to give the school's students every possible advantage to move gracefully into the next century.

4. Local township leaders upset in elections

The past year has been one of change in local politics. Most candidates in the local contested races ran quite prominent and visible campaigns, not without a bit of the mudslinging typically associated with much larger-scale political contests. When it



Republican presidential candidate Bob Dole came to Chelsea in October and was greeted enthusiastically.

came down to the vote in the November elections, two veteran township supervisors were ousted by newcomers to the local political scene.

In Lima Township, six-year supervisor William Van Riper, a Republican and life-long area farmer, lost to Democrat Andrew Adrian in the general election by a margin of 80 votes.

Adrian promised fair representation to all residents and improved lines of communication between township government and citizens. His message fared slightly better than Van Riper's six-year record of service in helping to preserve Lima Township's rural and agricultural character.

In Dexter Township, Drolett lost his position after 12 years of service. Drolett was defeated in the Republican primary by John Sdao. Drolett's supporters then launched an extensive write-in campaign, coming up a scant six votes short after the final recount. Although he ultimately lost the election, Drolett took pride in educating the area's voters about the process and merit of writing in their choices for political leaders.

Both of the new supervisors will be faced with the enormous challenge of trying to find a balance between local residents who want to maintain the rural character of the area, and the many developers who want to come in and affect change in the community.

With John Francis' decision not to seek re-election as Lyndon Township supervisor, three of the four townships surrounding the village have new leaders at the top.

5. Community gathers to build Timber Town

Most Chelsea residents had never seen a project like Timber Town, the massive playground on Sibley Road.

More than a year of planning and organizing by Gloria Mitchell and Julie Rutherford culminated in a one-week blitz June 10-16, in which hundreds of skilled and unskilled volunteers showed up to erect the structure, designed by Leathers & Associates.

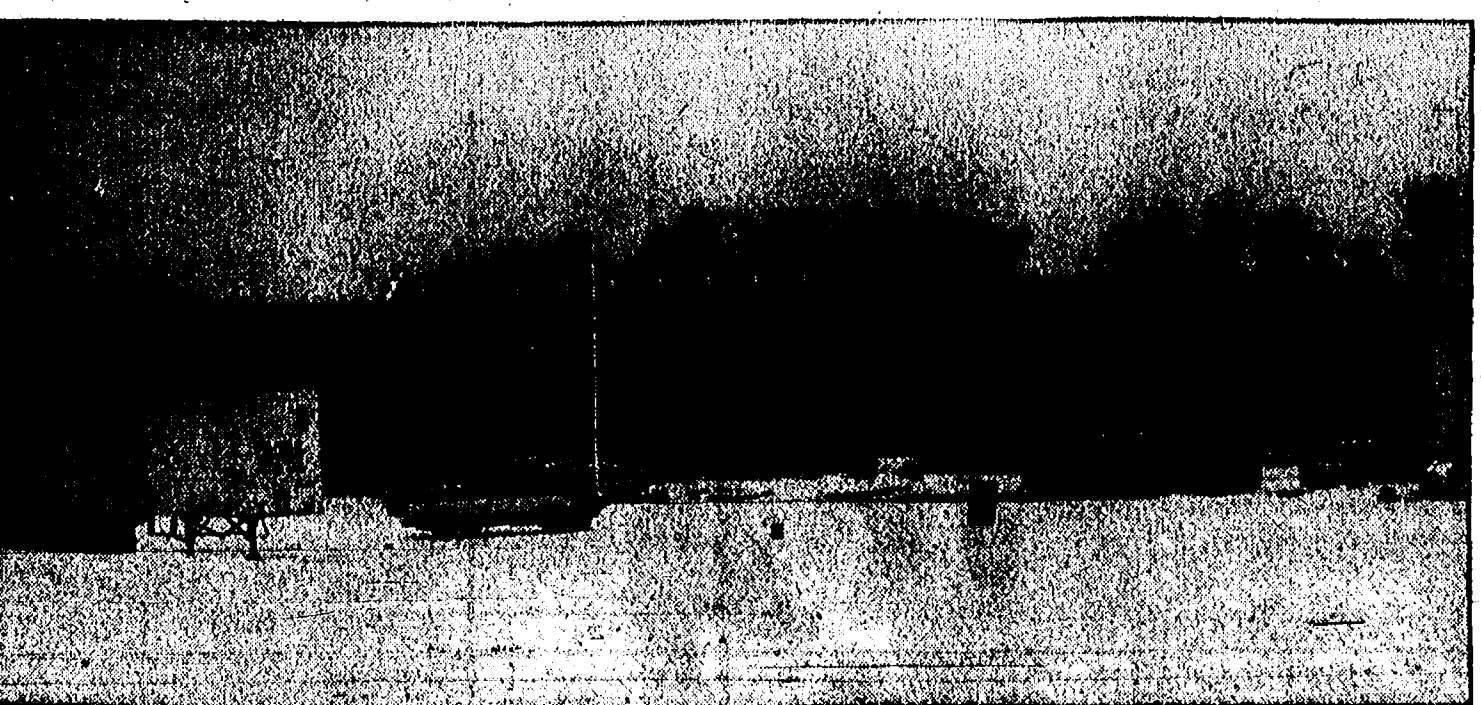
Volunteers used hammers, drills, screwdrivers, sanders, paint brushes and saws and worked long hours in the hot sun to get the project done on time. Others coordinated meals, daycare, and other side services that made the project run about as smoothly as anyone could have wished for. Prisoners from Cassidy Lake Boot Camp even helped out and received a standing ovation from others in attendance.

Early in the week it looked as though the project might have to be scaled back. But more volunteers came throughout the week so the entire project could be built.

It was a once-in-a-lifetime event for the Chelsea community that produced enormous community pride and enabled participants to make many new friends in the process. It also created one of the finest playgrounds anywhere in Michigan.



Village president Richard Steele cut the ribbon marking the opening of Timber Town.



The new Pierce Lake Elementary School is scheduled to be completed by fall.

District-wide fire department two years away

Macomb County is looking at a similar effort

By Michelle Rogers
Associate Editor

Talk of a district-wide fire department serving the Dexter and Chelsea area may be heating up but Chelsea Fire Chief Dan Ellenwood predicts it won't become a reality for another couple years.

"It will take two years before we get everything finalized, and everybody's governmental agency agrees," Ellenwood explained last week.

Talk of the joint effort between Dexter Area and Chelsea Fire Departments has been intensifying since late summer.

Likely participants in the district-wide department would be the villages of Dexter and Chelsea and Webster, Lima, Sylvan, Lyndon, Waterloo and Dexter Townships. Contracts with Sharon and Freedom Townships would likely continue but Scio Township would probably be on its own as it is today. Scio split from Dexter and started its own department several years ago.

"Scio, that's something we won't discuss at this time," Ellenwood said.

The chief did not rule out Scio's eventual participation, however, stating organizers will look at all possibilities.

"Right now, we want to start small but we'll make provisions in the system as we increase the size (of the district),"

Ellenwood said he does not know of any district-wide departments in the state but is aware of one forming in Macomb County. The effort there includes five departments combining, including Roseville and Lake St. Clair Shores.

"We're kind of looking at what they're doing. I think we're creating something totally new and we'll gear it toward our needs, maybe use their's as a pattern," Ellenwood said.

The next step for this area is the formation of a committee to research and examine the possibility.

"We're still in the preliminary stages. Hopefully in the next three to four months we'll have a committee formed," Ellenwood said.

He speculated the committee will be comprised of government officials from each of the expected participants. He said it's likely each municipal board will vote on whether to go district-wide and local voters may be asked to solidify the agreement. Similar to the arrangement to set up Chelsea's district library, registered voters may be asked to approve a millage to operate the department rather than funding the effort through each municipality's general fund.

"I would think it would possibly go to a vote of the people but I am not sure of that aspect," Ellenwood said. "That's a couple years away."

Ellenwood said he likes the idea of the department being funded through a millage rather than general fund contributions because the money is earmarked and the department knows how much money it has to operate within its budget.

Ellenwood said discussions to move toward a district-wide department started when officials from both departments agreed to open a joint satellite station in Dexter Township. Housed in the Multi-Lake Sewer Authority building on North Territorial near Madden Road, the station holds equipment from both departments. Firefighters from Chelsea respond to the west of the station and firefighters from Dexter respond to the east. Chelsea handles the administrative end. Other satellite stations are expected to follow if the departments go district-wide. Ellenwood said organizers will examine the need in each township with satellites possibly housed on some borders.

"I think by going district-wide we can improve service for everybody," Ellenwood said.

"We're running more and more calls. Possibly in the future we'll look at some full-time staffing and that will continue to see costs rise. But costs could be spread over a wider group of governmental agencies, so it's less expensive."

"It won't make fire service (Continued on Page Three)

Interfaith service planned

Stand for Children, and interfaith service, will be held Sunday, Jan. 19 at St. Mary's Catholic Church, on Old US-12. The service will honor the memory of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

The service will include readings from Hebrew Scriptures, the Bible and the Qur'an.

Many local religious leaders have participated in formulating the service and will be in attendance, including the Revs. Richard Dake, David Cleaver-Bartholomew, David Hendricks, Wayne Hawley, Cathy Guinan and Fr. Jerry Beaumont.

In addition to several readings and hymns, Fr. Beaumont will present a challenge to fathers to become more involved in the lives of their children.



Drug Resistance Money

The Chelsea American Legion Post 31 recently presented a \$100 check to the Drug Abuse Resistance Education program. Pictured here is Legion Commander Mark Leidner presenting the check to Officer Matt Phillips of the Chelsea Police Department. Throughout 1996 the legion donated funds to the V.A. Hospital, McKune Memorial Library, Timber Town, the American Cancer Society and a number of other veterans' groups.

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Opening Remarks

By Brian Hamilton

It's been just over a year, 14 months, since Heritage Newspapers purchased *The Chelsea Standard* and *The Dexter Leader* from long-time owners Walter and Helen May Leonard.

In that time, those of us who worked for Walter and Helen have seen more changes in the way we do business than we could have possibly imagined. It has been both fun and frustrating, and, at least for me, extremely challenging, rewarding, and a great hands-on education. I work with some wonderful people, and have even gone golfing with a few of them, which is also something I never imagined a few years ago. The golf, I mean.

The evolution with Heritage will continue in 1997 in many ways. I'm sure I'll look back in a year and wonder how we ever did things the "old way."

More big changes are in store for us. One of them is we'll be moving in early January to 20750 Old US-12, next to The Wolverine, as soon as the renovation of the old Knights of Columbus building is completed. We hope you like what we're doing with the building.

This will probably mark the first time ever that the newspaper has been located outside the downtown area. Historically it made sense to be there since downtown contained the large majority of the business district.

Although we will miss ambience of working downtown, the business reasons to be there are less compelling than they used to be. And in many ways it works to almost every one's advantage that we'll be elsewhere.

Right now we're in one of the prime downtown retail locations. For many years it was the home of the old Chelsea Pharmacy until the drug store, too, moved out of the downtown. Over the last few years it's also been a shoe store and a sports apparel store.

Our corner office should again become a retail space (several people who remember the old days have suggested a soda fountain). This was part of our thinking in deciding not to pursue purchasing the building ourselves. In it should be a business that

draws lots of people downtown. The building's new owner has just that in mind. We have some walk-in traffic, but not nearly what a healthy retail business would bring. This should be a plus for the downtown.

Parking is also a growing problem downtown. By moving we will free up anywhere from 6-8 parking spaces as well as gain our own dedicated parking. Since many of us are in and out of the office several times each day, we tend to park closer to the office than we should. In other words, we're taking spaces that should go to shoppers.

Moving for me will also be like getting a mini-raise since my number of parking tickets should drop way off.

I also think our renovation efforts are giving a facelift to an area that can use it.

Shortly after purchasing the newspapers, Heritage decided to purchase a building. There were many reasons to do this, but a big one was to show the community that the company is here to stay.

With real estate in such high demand in town, we essentially purchased the first building we found that could meet our needs. For the first time, we have room to grow as the community grows. We should be there for a long, long time.

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Well, it's that time of year again, meaning the beginning of it, and people are making resolutions. It seems to me that the Village ought to make a few as well.

A lot of you might not want to do some of these things, though, so it looks like this is a job for the Chelsea Inquisition. I realize that nobody expects the Chelsea Inquisition during this time of gaiety, which makes it a perfect time to issue the first rules. Note of course that these are not the only rules which will be written. It's only the beginning.

Therefore, be it declared that all residents shall from now and forever follow the following inviolate rules:

1) All groceries will be purchased from a merchant within the village boundaries, deciding which of the many places to purchase these groceries by determining whether time or money is the most important variable, and going forth as such decision demands.

2) Additionally, all necessary consumer goods will also be purchased within the village boundaries. Note that horse wormers, the latest software releases and hot-air balloons are not considered necessary consumer goods (except to horses, possibly).

3) All restaurant and theater experiences shall be experienced in Chelsea. If you want Mongolian Barbecue or Sushi, ask the favorite restaurant of your choice within the Village to add this item to the menu. Then, only if they refuse to add this item, may you order out to someplace out-

side the Village, but you must bring it back to eat.

4) The entire Village of Chelsea is hereby declared an Hysterical District. Gales of laughter are hereby ordered to ring out from all residences and businesses within the Village and no resident shall be seen on any street, sidewalk, parking lot, rooftop, lawn, tower, cow sign, window sill, park, or new construction area without a silly grin on their face.

5) Every resident will heretofore develop a keen interest in becoming a white collar motorcycleist as is all the rage in America, and will purchase the hoggiest of cycles at any local supplier of the same. Leather clothing and bandannas are optional but helmets and temporary tattoos are not.

6) Any resident wanting a relaxing getaway shall stay at a local bed and breakfast rather than traveling all the way up north just to stay in a similar place and watch TV.

7) Anyone caught violating these rules will be captured, tied to a massive rubber band and dropped head first from the clock tower until they spring up and down enough times to shake some sense out of them, at which time they will likely become hysterical enough to follow the rules.

If you have any questions or comments about the above mandatory and inviolate rules, please write to me in care of this paper, and you'll be in Big Trouble, as per the rules of the Chelsea Inquisition. If you have some rules to add, however, you will be rewarded by the knowledge that you're making Chelsea a better place.

Scouts collecting bottles, cans

Local girl scout troops will be holding a bottle drive Saturday, Jan. 11, starting at 9 a.m.

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Letters to the Editor

Let's work toward compromise, to provide healthy schools

Healthy Schools for Chelsea's Children (HSCC) would like to express our profound disappointment in the school board's and superintendent's handling of our efforts to ensure more environmentally sound and healthier schools in Chelsea.

There are a few things we would like to clarify for the public. The NEA (National Education Association) has published a book titled, *The Healthy School Handbook*. On page 191 it says, "If the number one priority of a school system is the health of the students and staff, the decision will be to install hard-surfaced floors. Fortunately, this decision does not compromise the common priorities of a lower cost, and a durable and easily maintained floor surface."

With this in mind, we petitioned the board with over 125 signatures on two issues: the use of hard-surfaced floors and environmentally-safe cleaning supplies. Mr. Richardson said that they are still looking into cleaning supplies. We would like to encourage them to go ahead and act on that information, which they have had for quite some time.

School board president Jane Dising's response about the flooring was that the decisions for the new schools have already been made; there will be carpet, and that to keep revisiting this issue will cause delays. Well, we began addressing this issue over 15 months ago. We offered to do a petition then to demonstrate a level of interest in the community. Mr. Richardson asked us not to because "a petition says to the community that we

don't care and aren't listening to people." Operating in good faith, we honored his request until it became obvious that he and the board were not listening, and did not believe that there are a significant number of taxpayers who agree with what we are trying to accomplish.

It is disingenuous of the board and Mr. Richardson to now pretend that we are guilty of causing a delay when we began approaching them about these issues well over a year ago.

We consistently asked at the Dec. 16 board meeting why, with the one advantage of noise reduction and the multitude of disadvantages including initial toxicity, pesticide retention, and mold, dust, and bacteria growth, they are going ahead with carpet. This question was never answered.

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We were told at the board meeting that the decisions on North and South have not been made. It is interesting to note that after most of the HSCC members left the meeting, Mr. Livengood gave a report on the status of the renovations and in that report he stated that carpet is planned for installation in every classroom at North and South.

Perhaps it is the case that they did not see fit to share this information with us because it is not "set in stone." But that is what we were told about the new schools, until we showed up with our petitions, at which time we were informed that the decision is final.

This is more of the same closed-door policy that we've heard so much about do to with this issue as well as others. Had they shown a genuine willingness to incorporate the NEA and other information into their decisions and thereby give our children the healthy schools that they deserve, this issue would have been dispensed with long ago.

Rather than respond in detail to every objection the board came up with, we would like to simply state for the record that it is possible to have healthy schools, economically and in every other way. There are other districts in the US who are doing magnificent things with the environmental health of their schools, which of course means the health of their children and our earth!

The entire Pittsburgh Public School System is "going green" (doing things in ways that are healthier for people and the earth), and it is mandated for all public schools in the state of Pennsylvania by the year 2000. Why is it so difficult for Chelsea Schools to take these few small steps toward a better environment for our children?

Let's at least work toward a compromise. One parent at the meeting requested that at least one school be left uncarpeted, so that parents of asthmatic children like her daughter, could have a choice of where to send their children. Her request was never answered. Perhaps we could carpet a portion of some rooms for reading and gathering, rather than wall to wall carpet, (which would collect more dirt, pesticides, dust, mold, etc.) We could also leave a couple of rooms in each grade level uncarpeted. And we should certainly have any

carpet tested for toxicity before purchase and installation. We believe the best choice is no carpet, but we are not unwilling to compromise.

In closing we would like to reiterate what a fantastic outcome we could still have if the board of education and Mr. Richardson would decide to let us all work together in-

stead of consistently spending their energy trying to figure out how to circumvent us. We would like to extend our hand to them, and in the spirit of the holiday season, hope that they will see their way clear to extending their hand to us as well.

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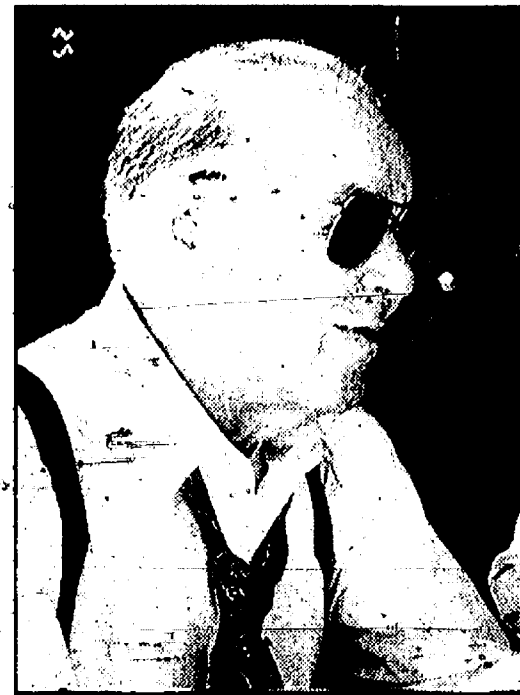


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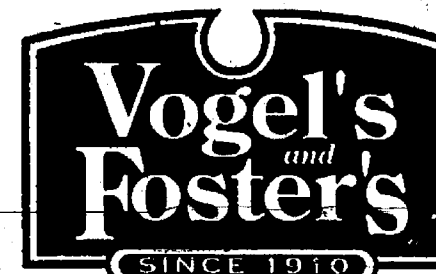
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cheaper," Ellenwood continued. "But cost will be more controlled because we would be able to spread it over a wider area. When we buy equipment, we could buy larger quantities at cheaper costs. I don't want to ever say (district-wide) will make it cheaper. But it'll make it more cost effective."

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—Brass Pass Awards—

Recipients of the Brass Pass Award from Chelsea High School were named recently. Students in possession of the Brass Pass will be entitled to discounts and special deals at local businesses. Only one freshman received the award, Joe Arend. Sophomores earning the Brass Pass were Lisa Ballas, Ingrid Biedron, Karla Dettling, Kate Fahrner, Dan Graff, Katie Henry, Meghan Holefska, Karessa Johnson, Susan Kattula, Dan Kloosterman, Sharon Knieper, Adam Knott, Rachel Mead, Megan Morgan, Shannon O'Brien, Billy Schultz, Aaron Smith, Tamra Smith, Nick Tandy, Shaun Vasas, Corene Wildey and Tara Zyburt. Juniors awarded the Brass Pass are Russell Blackwell, Sarah Broshar, Nate Cooper, Luke Deikis, Justin Kivi, Matthew Kolodica, Kathy Messner, Leslee Parker, Mike Pratt, Sarah Preuss, Stacey Radka, Jesse Roberts, Christopher Smith, Beth Wagenschutz and Adam Winans. Senior recipients are Kelli Adams, Melissa Bycraft, Kristy Cox, Amy Cunningham, Adam Daniel, Sara Flintoft, Jennifer Gentner, James Hadley, Stacey Havens, Andrea Hopkins, Jake Hurst, Rianne Jones, Jennie Kapp, Beth Koenigter, Sarah Metzler, Kasie Ruhlrig, Alicia Vogel and Beth Vogel.

Teen jobs must be balanced with education

Whether a student works part-time to pay for gifts for the holidays, to contribute to household income, or for spending money, a job is also a vehicle for a student to gain a wealth of valuable experience. A part-time job can build a resume, help a young person learn responsibility and achieve a sense of self-reliance. It can sharpen people skills, and time and money management. But, a teen's part-time job must be carefully balanced with the teen's number one priority: getting a good education.

"A part-time job can be very relevant to a student's academic achievement," said Ed Rensi, president and CEO, McDonald's USA, which, with more than 8,000 restaurants in the United States, is one of this country's largest employers of students. "A student working part-time at McDonald's, for example, can have opportunities to see and experience all

aspects of the operation of a business — from marketing to budgeting, purchasing, training and customer service."

Parents and educators can ensure that the work and school obligations of their children are complementary to each other. A parent can use a child's work experience to discuss future jobs, preferred chores, and career plans. Principals advise that teachers use examples that many students face in part-time jobs to make classroom teaching come to life. For example, the challenges of running a cash register can be used in teaching math.

"We recognize that many students must work or choose to work," said Dr. Timothy J. Dyer, Executive Director of The National Association of Secondary School Principals (NASSP). "However, a student's job must not conflict with school. The experience is most apt to be successful for

the student and employer when the parents and teachers see that the student is able to accomplish both." NASSP represents more than 100,000 educators and 1.5 million students, through organizations such as the National Honor Society™, and is the publisher of the high school reform report, "Breaking Ranks: Changing an American Institution."

McDonald's limits students' hours to 20 per week, and late hours are discouraged. Managers are encouraged to be flexible in scheduling teens to allow time off for school activities and maintain a safe working environment. As the sponsor of the NASSP Assistant Principal of the Year program, McDonald's works closely with educators to learn what will benefit its student employees. It developed a student-employee guide for managers, and provides academic achievement incentives for its student hires.

The U.S. Department of Labor suggests that parents help monitor their teens' work by:

- Talking with them about their job to keep abreast of changes in duties, equipment, supervision and problems.

- Being alert for the warning signs, such as late night hours, unsupervised work, recent employer citations for child labor violations, or employee injuries in the workplace.

- Knowing that teens under the age of 18 should not be asked to perform certain hazardous jobs, such as driving a car, roofing, riding in the back of an open truck, and using a power-driven slicer or bakery machine.

- Meeting with the employers to let them know you're concerned about safety and the nature of the job.

- Visiting the job site frequently, which can give parents the chance to see changes. Notice not only the employee's duties, but those of other workers since often, one worker is asked to substitute in another worker's job.

Many employers welcome the change to assure parents that their teens' work experience is carefully structured and monitored. Helping create and maintain a positive work environment benefits businesses, communities, and most importantly, our youth.

Value of farmland rises, stays above U.S. average

The average value of farm real estate in Michigan was \$1,470 per acre on Jan. 1, 1996. This is up \$141 per acre or 10 percent above the value from a year ago.

This information is from a report by USDA's Economic Research Service based on a survey conducted by the Federal/State Michigan Agricultural Statistics Service. Farmland continues to increase in Michigan as the latest number represents a 46 percent increase from 1990 when the average per acre value of farm real estate in Michigan was \$1,065.

The value of farmland in bordering states was also on the rise in 1996 with Ohio, leading the way, at \$1,989 per acre, Indiana at \$1,801 per acre, and Wisconsin at \$1,175 per acre. All three states' values were up 11, 9 and 10 percent respectively. Since 1990, farmland values have increased 56 percent in Ohio, 44 percent in Indiana, and 47 percent in Wisconsin.

U.S. farm real estate values averaged \$890 per acre as of

Jan. 1, 1996, over 7 percent above a year earlier. The largest increases occurred in the Appalachian, Mountain, and Corn Belt regions, 11, 10, and 9 percent respectively. The per-acre value of U.S. farm real estate has increased 49 percent since the 1987 upturn.

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Engler urged to veto changes to land act

Despite two years of work to revise Michigan's Subdivision Control Act designed to preserve Michigan farmland, the Michigan Farm Bureau is urging Gov. John Engler to veto the final package approved by the state legislature in the closing moments of the last session.

According to Michigan Farm Bureau legislative counsel, Scott Everett, last-minute changes to Senate Bill 112 (S.B. 112), the legislative package to amend the Subdivision Control Act, removed the farmland preservation the organization had so eagerly sought.

"While Farm Bureau is committed to revising the Subdivision Control Act, it's imperative that we develop a balanced and reasonable approach that provides genuine farmland preservation," Everett explained. "S.B. 112, as passed, is not in the best interest of agriculture or local communities trying to manage growth."

In addition to Farm Bureau, Everett said the package sent to Gov. Engler, isn't supported by the Michigan Township Association or the Michigan Association of Counties.

At issue, according to Everett, is the size and number of land divisions exempt from platting requirements. The original package, supported by Michigan Farm Bureau, would have reduced the mandatory 10.1 acre divisions which have fragmented Michigan's farmland over the last 30 years and it would have limited the number of land divisions exempt from platting requirements. The final package sent to Engler, however, still allows a large number of parcels to be exempt from platting requirements, and it still requires an unreasonably large 10.1 acre subdivision.

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Matthew and Shaira Riemenschneider

Riemenschneider, Rumsey marry in candlelight ceremony

Matthew Alan Riemenschneider and Shaira Marie Rumsey were united in marriage Sept. 28. Matthew is a former Chelsea resident, the son of Alyce Riemenschneider of West Bloomfield. Shaira is the daughter of Donald and Mikelen Rumsey of Hesperia.

The candlelight wedding was celebrated near Lake Michigan at the Double JJ Resort in Rothbury, with 250 guests in attendance.

Arthur Raymond, godfather to the bride, officiated. Internationally-renowned artist and guitarist Eric Michaels, uncle of



ENGAGED: Tricia Stewart Terry and William "Todd" Simlo are engaged and planning a winter wedding. The future bride is the daughter of Sandy and Jon Stewart and Donald Terry of Ann Arbor. She is a 1992 graduate of Dexter High School and a 1996 honors graduate of Eastern Michigan University who is attending Thomas M. Cooley School of Law. The future bridegroom is the son of Gloria and William Simlo of Belleville. He is a 1984 graduate of Belleville High School and a 1992 graduate of Eastern Michigan University. Todd is employed by Eby Brown and serves as a first lieutenant in the United States Army Reserve. The couple will reside in Ypsilanti. Their wedding is slated Feb. 1.

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Roberts, Robson exchange vows on Mackinac Island

Kimberly Ann Roberts and Raymond Chelsea Robson were married on Sept. 28 at the Harbor View Inn on Mackinac Island.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the Grand Hotel.

Parents of the bride are Linda and Joseph Roberts of Chelsea, and parents of the

groom are Kelly and Richard Robson of York, Nebraska.

The bride is a graduate of Western Michigan University and is employed by the Marshall Public School District. The groom is a graduate of the University of Nebraska and is employed by General Distribution Services. The couple resides in Marshall.



Kimberly and Raymond Robson

Scott Turner decorated with Purple Heart medal

Air Force Senior Airman Scott M. Turner has been decorated with the Purple Heart Medal as a member of the U.S. Armed Forces.

The medal is awarded to military personnel killed or wounded in war or armed conflict while engaged with an enemy or opposing armed force in defense of the United States. During peacetime, it is awarded to individuals wounded or killed while part of a peace-keeping force serving with a friendly foreign force, or as a result of terrorist acts.

The decoration was established by Gen. George Washington in 1782 and was known as

the Badge of Military Merit. The decoration was revived as the Purple Heart Medal in 1932 by Gen. Douglas MacArthur. It is the oldest U.S. military decoration in use.

Turner is a pavement and equipment specialist with the 78th Civil Engineering Group at Robins Air Force Base, Warner Robins, Ga.

He is the son of Mark P. and Sharon G. Turner of Pinckney.

Workshop slated for Adopt-A-Stream program

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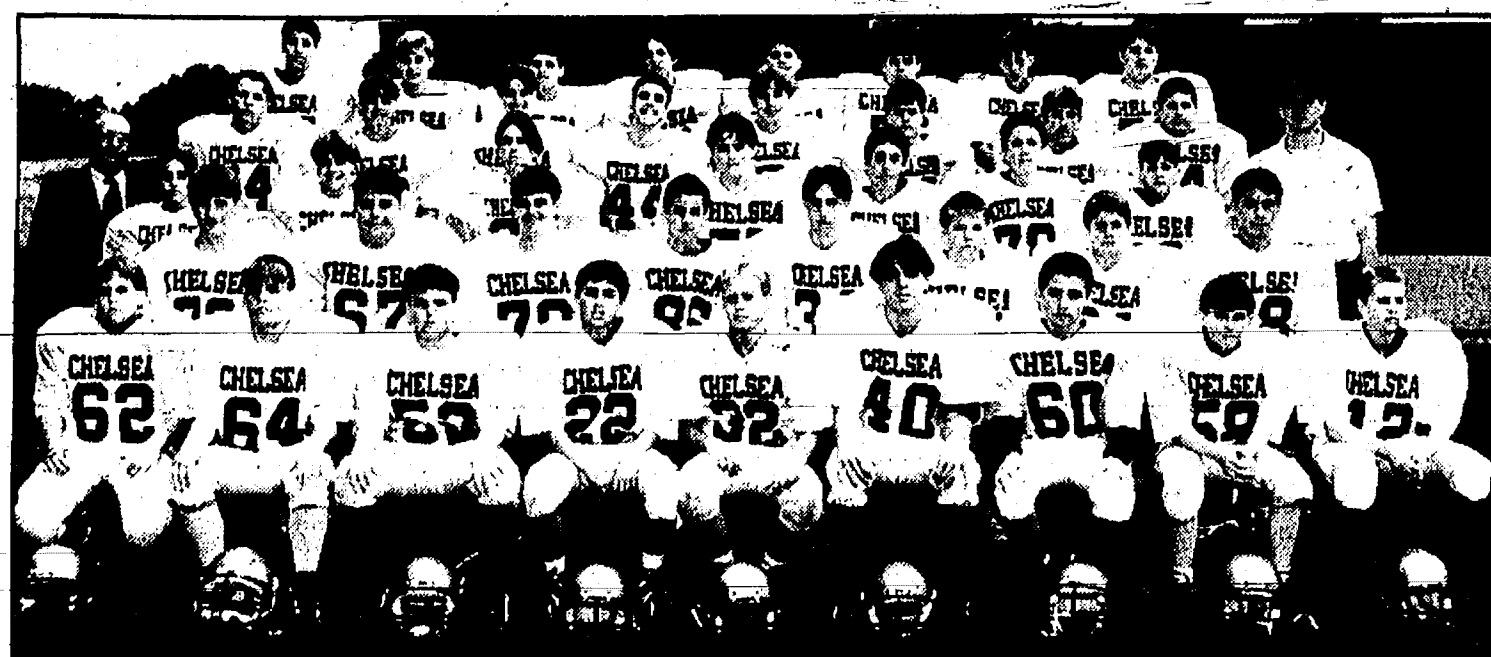
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**BEACH MIDDLE SCHOOL
SEVENTH GRADE FOOTBALL**

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GIRLS NINTH GRADE BASKETBALL

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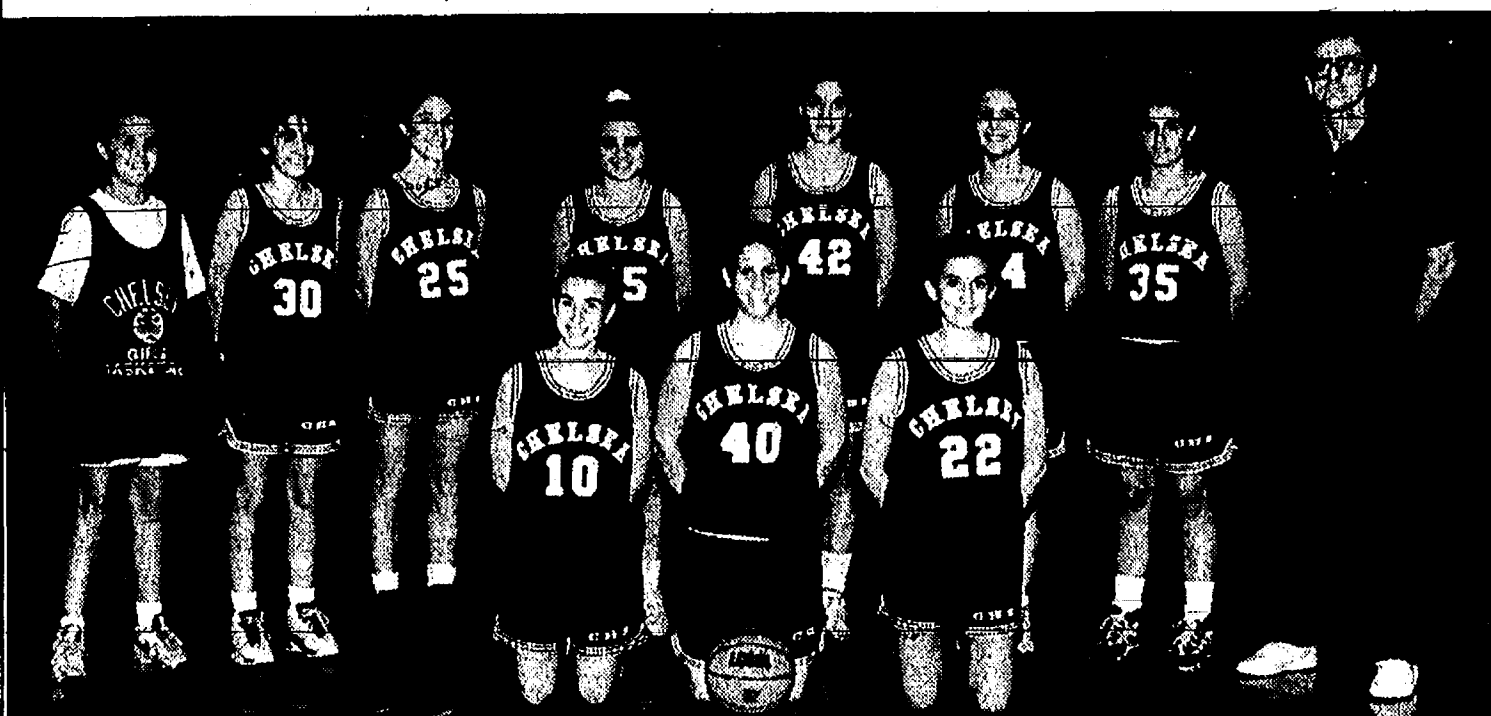
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EIGHTH GRADE GIRLS BASKETBALL**

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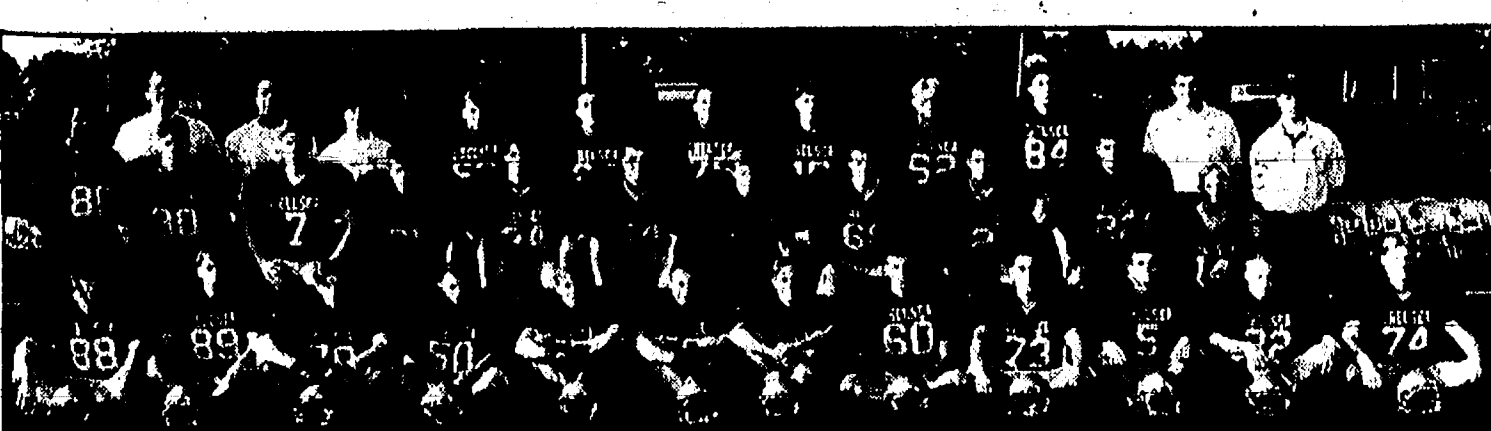
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GIRLS CROSS COUNTRY

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VARSITY FOOTBALL

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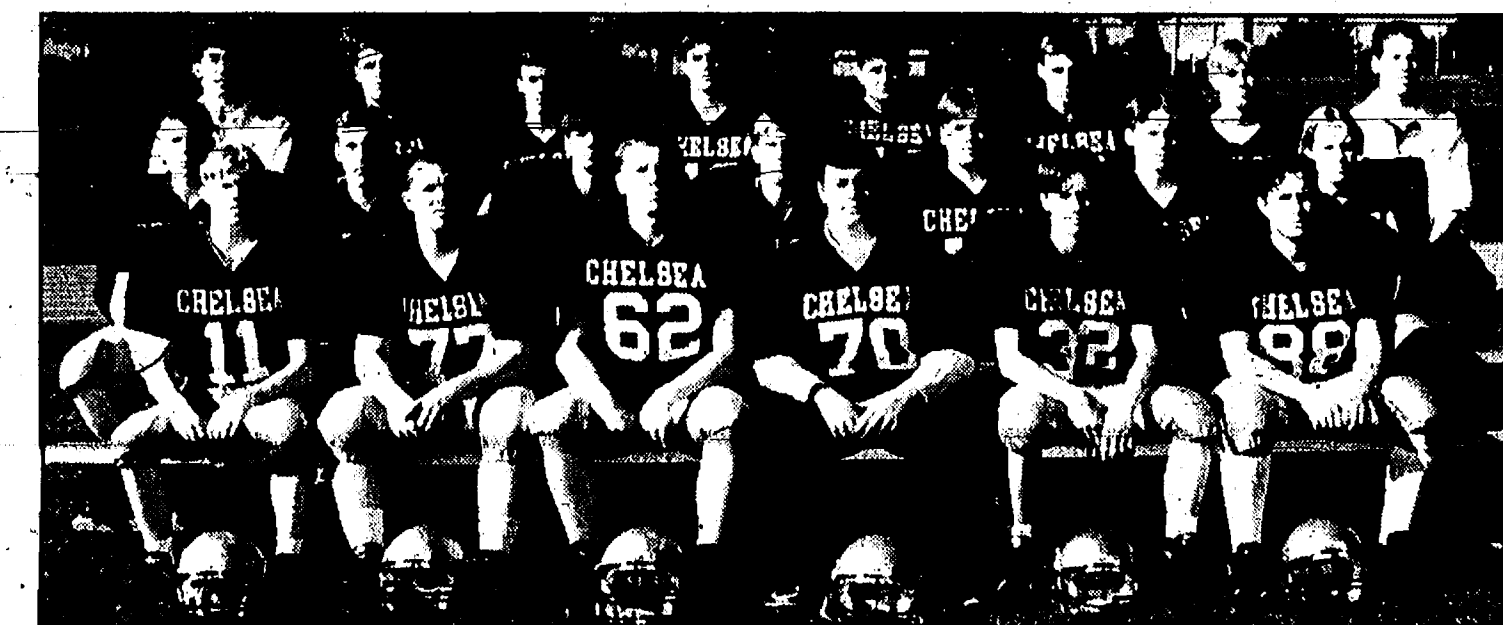
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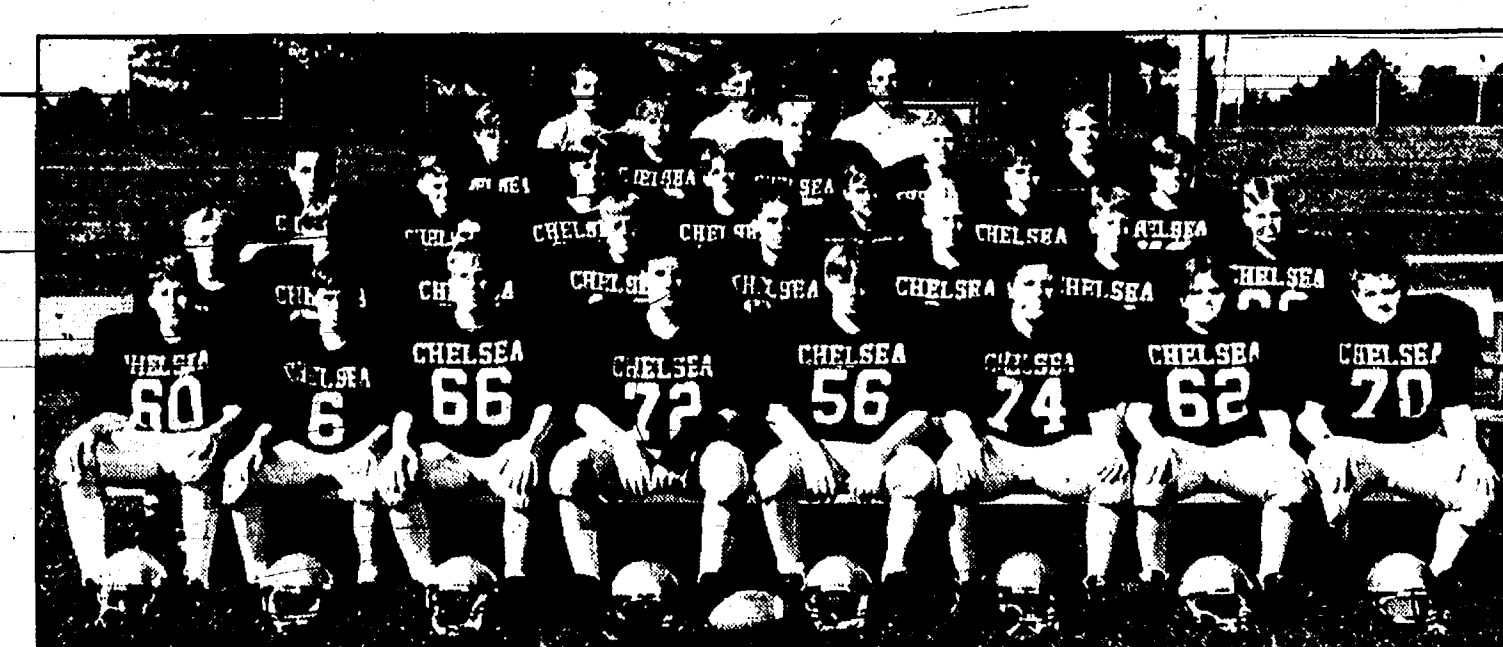
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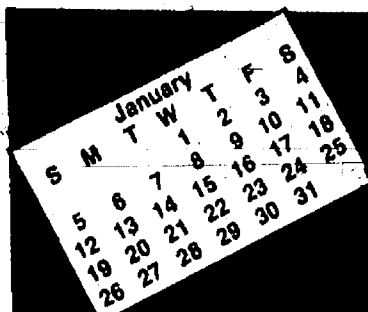


J.V. FOOTBALL CHEERLEADING

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

CHELSEA & DEXTER

CHELSEA
Thursday, Jan. 2
American Legion Post No. 31 meets at the Cavanaugh Lake Legion Hall, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, Jan. 3
"Showboat" MGM classic movie presented at the Senior Center, 12:45 p.m. Info. 475-9242.

Freshman Basketball vs. Manchester, 4 p.m. H.
JV/Varsity Basketball vs. Manchester, 6 p.m. H.

Saturday, Jan. 4
Freshman Volleyball, Brighton Inv., 8 a.m. A
JV/Varsity Volleyball, CHS Inv., 8 a.m. H

Varsity Wrestling, JC Western Inv., 9 a.m. A
Sunday, Jan. 5

"Annual Winter Gathering" at Park Lyndon South cabin. Fire-side pot-luck and nature walk (no pets, alcohol or smoking). Free. North Territorial Road, 1 mile east of M-52, 10 a.m.
Monday, Jan. 6
Chelsea Kiwanis Club meets at Chelsea Community Hospital, 6:15 p.m.

Freshman/JV/Varsity Volleyball vs. Milan, 6:30 p.m. A
Freshman Basketball vs. Milan, 7 p.m. H

Chelsea School Board meeting in the Board Room, 7:30 p.m.
McKune Memorial Library Mystery Book Club meets upstairs at the library, 7:30 p.m. Info. 475-8732.

Lima Township Board meeting at Lima Township Hall, 8 p.m.
Tuesday, Jan. 7

Rotary Club meets at the Common Grill, 12:10 p.m. Info. 475-9630.
Boys Swimming vs. Okemos, 6 p.m. H

Lions Club meets at Chelsea Community Hospital, 6:45 p.m.
Sylvan Township Board meeting in Sylvan Township Hall, 7 p.m.

Wednesday, Jan. 8
Washtenaw Association of Retired School Personnel meet at Weber's Inn, Ann Arbor. Program by Lynn Rivers, Rep., 13th Congressional District 11 a.m. Lunch at 12:15 p.m. Reservations, 662-8364.

Fraternal Order of Eagles, Ladies Auxiliary No. 2154 meet at 7530 Jackson Rd., 7:30 p.m.
VFW Post 4076 and Ladies Auxiliary meet at the VFW Hall, 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, Jan. 9
Boys Swimming vs. Saline, 6:30 p.m. H
Varsity Wrestling vs. Lincoln, 6:30 p.m. A

Freshman/JV/Varsity Volleyball vs. Lincoln, 6:30 p.m. H
Alzheimer's Association Family Support Group meets in the Crippen Building at Chelsea Retirement Community, 7 p.m. Info. (313) 741-8200.

Lyndon Township Planning Commission meets at the township hall, 7:30 p.m.
Chelsea Rod and Gun Club Auxiliary meeting at the clubhouse, 7:30 p.m.

Friday, Jan. 10
"True Colors" program at the Senior Center. Understanding different personality types, by Nancy Thelan from the Washtenaw County Extension Service, 1 p.m. Info. 475-9242.

Freshman Basketball vs. Brooklyn Col. Central, 4 p.m. H
JV/Varsity Basketball vs. Brooklyn Col. Central, 6 p.m. H

Saturday, Jan. 11
JV Volleyball, Brighton Inv., 8 a.m. A
Freshman Volleyball, AA Pioneer Inv., 8:30 a.m. A

Boys Swimming, W. Bloomfield Inv., 9 a.m. A
JV Wrestling, Eaton Rapids Inv., 9 a.m. A
Varsity Wrestling, Athens Inv., 9 a.m. A

Eighth Wrestling, Hillsdale Inv., 10 a.m. A
Freshman Basketball vs. Fowlerville, 4 p.m. A
JV/Varsity Basketball vs. Fowlerville, 6 p.m. A

Movies at the Depot—"Plan 9 from Outer Space" is considered by many film critics to be the worst film of all time. Show starts at 7:30 p.m. Info. 665-5224 or 475-9319.

Monday, Jan. 13
McKune Memorial Library Brown Bag Book Club meets at the library, 11:45 a.m.

Eighth Grade Swimming, vs. Milan, 4:30 p.m. H
Chelsea Kiwanis Club meets in the main dining room at Chelsea Community Hospital, 6:15 p.m.

Freshman/JV/Varsity Volleyball vs. Tecumseh, 6:30 p.m. H
Freshman Basketball vs. Tecumseh, 7 p.m. A

Tuesday, Jan. 14
Downtown Development Authority meeting in the Chelsea Village Council Chambers, 8 a.m.

Chelsea Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors meeting at Chelsea Community Hospital.
Senior Supper Club meets at Chelsea Retirement Community with Dr. John Severin speaking on "Living Wills/Advance Directives," 5 p.m. Info. 475-3913.

JV/Varsity Basketball vs. Dexter, 6 p.m. H
Chelsea Village Council meeting at Sylvan Township Hall, 7:30 p.m.

Lyndon Township Board meets at the township hall, 7:30 p.m.
Chelsea Rod and Gun Club regular meeting at the clubhouse, 7:30 p.m.

DEXTER
Friday, Jan. 3
Dexter American Legion meeting at the American Legion Hall, 8 p.m.

Saturday, Jan. 4
Hockey, Spencer Port H.S. N.Y. at Yost, 9 a.m. H

JV/Varsity Wrestling, Hillsdale Invitational, 10 a.m. A
"Nature Stories for Children" at Hudson Mills Metropark at the Activity Center, 10 a.m. Pre-register, 426-8211 or 1-800-477-3191.

"Searching for Stoneflies/A Winter Stream Study" at Hudson Mills Metropark, Maintenance Building, 1 p.m. Information/registration, 426-8211 or 1-800-477-3191.

Square Dancing and Round Dancing at St. Andrews Church. "Snow Flake" theme, 7:30 p.m. Info. (313) 426-2617.

Varsity Volleyball, Saline Inv., 8:30 p.m. A
JV Volleyball vs. Hanover-Horton, 8:30 p.m. A

Monday, Jan. 6
Freshman/JV/Varsity Volleyball vs. Pinckney, 6:30 p.m. H

Freshman Basketball vs. Pinckney, 7 p.m. A
Harmony Rebekah Lodge 460 meets at the Masonic Temple, 7:30 p.m.

Dexter Library Board meets at the library, 7:30 p.m.
Dexter Village Planning Commission meeting at First of America Bank, 7:30 p.m.

Dexter Community Schools Board of Education meets at Copeland School, 8 p.m.
Lima Township Board meeting at Lima Township Hall, 8 p.m.

Tuesday, Jan. 7
JV/Varsity Basketball vs. Stockbridge, 6 p.m. A

Kiwanis Club of Dexter meets at DAPCO cafeteria, 6:30 p.m.
Dexter Township Board meeting at Dexter Township Hall, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Jan. 8
Freshman Basketball vs. Hudson, 6 p.m. H

Thursday, Jan. 9
JV/Varsity Wrestling vs. Milan, 6:30 p.m. H

JV/Varsity Volleyball vs. Milan, 6:30 p.m. A
Boys Swimming & Diving, vs. Lincoln, 6:30 p.m. A

Friday, Jan. 10
JV/Varsity Basketball vs. Lincoln, 6 p.m. H

Saturday, Jan. 11
Hockey vs. Okemos at Vets, 7 p.m. H

JV/Varsity Volleyball, Plymouth Salem Inv., 7:30 p.m. A
JV/Varsity Wrestling, Dexter Inv., 8 p.m. H

Sunday, Jan. 12
Washtenaw Parkinson Support

Group meeting in the Education Center, St. Joseph's Hospital, 1:30 p.m. Info. 741-9209.

Monday, Jan. 13
JV/Varsity Volleyball vs. Saline, 6:30 p.m. H

Freshman Basketball vs. Saline, 7 p.m. A
Dexter School Reproductive Health Advisory Committee meets at Wylie Middle School media room, 7 p.m.

Webster Township Historical Society meeting. Information and meeting place, 426-2473.

Dexter Village Council meeting at First of America Bank, 8 p.m.
Tuesday, Jan. 14
JV/Varsity Basketball vs. Chelsea, 6 p.m. A

Kiwanis Club of Dexter meets at DAPCO cafeteria, 6:30 p.m.
Sons of the American Legion meet at the Dexter Legion Home, 8 p.m.

MISCELLANEOUS
Waterloo Natural History Assoc. and State Recreation Area offers programs at the Eddy Geology Center, located on Bush Road, open 9-5 daily. A Michigan State Park Motor Vehicle Permit is required for entry; daily \$4, annual \$20. Info. (313) 475-3170.

Cross Country Skiing at Hudson Mills Metropark. Four miles of marked trails through this scenic park. Activity Center provides ski equipment rentals weekends. Heated lounge, food service and restrooms. Nature trail is open year around for self-guided hikes. Park hours are 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Info. 1-800-477-3191 or (313) 426-8211.

Yoga Classes free to senior citizens sponsored by Washtenaw Community College and Dexter Senior Citizens Assoc. Register for classed Jan. 16-March 20, 1997, 667-5019 or 426-5397.

New Beginnings, a grief support group for persons experiencing the loss of a loved one. Offered as a community service by the Chelsea Retirement Community, meetings are in the Crippen Building, first and third Wednesdays, 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. Info., Kearney Kirkby, 475-2868.

Alcoholics Anonymous meets at St. Joseph Parish Hall in Dexter, Tuesdays at 8 p.m. and Thursdays at 7:30 p.m.

Immunizations available by appointment through Human Services Department, Public Health Division, Ypsilanti. Contact Esther Teich, (313) 484-7200.

Dexter Family Service, contact Pat Burnett, 313-449-2149, Marian Burgett, 426-2196, Shawn Dettling, 426-4343 or Nellie Naylor, 426-4485.

Western Washtenaw Drop-In Support Group meet Mondays during January at St. Joseph Catholic Church, Dexter, 6:30 p.m. For women who are or have been in an abusive relationship. 24-hour crisis line, (313) 995-5444.

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New Beginnings, a support group dealing with death and divorce, meets Tuesdays at St. James Episcopal Church, Dexter, at 5:30 p.m. Call Faye Wisely, 426-8931 or the church, 426-8247 for information.

Smokers Anonymous meets Tuesdays at St. James Episcopal Church, Dexter, 7:30-8:30 p.m. Call 426-8696.

Assault Crisis Center, 1866 Packard Rd., Ypsilanti 48197. Ph. 483-RAPE, 24-hour crisis line; 483-7942, business line.

Hospice of Washtenaw County needs volunteers for clerical support, direct patient care and spiritual bereavement support. Call Barb Wineka, 741-5777 for further information.

Faith in Action House Community Center, open daily. Provides various free services to those in need. Services include food, clothing, financial help, advocacy and many other forms of assistance. Need friendly help? Call from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., 475-3305.

Washtenaw County WIC Program provides nutritious foods, free coupons and health counseling for pregnant women, breast-feeding women, infants and children up to age five. Call 971-1390 for more info.

Washtenaw County Health Dept. is offering free and low cost immunizations, which meet State of Michigan standards for daycare and school settings. Infant and adult immunizations are also available. Call 313-484-7220 for an appointment.

Senior Nutrition Program meets Tuesdays and Thursdays at noon, Waterloo Township Hall. For reservations call 475-7439, 10 a.m.-1 p.m.

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Another difficulty that homeowners face when making an addition to their home is creating what appraisers call functional obsolescence. For example, if an additional family room or bedroom being built causes an unconventional floorplan, the new room could be functionally hampered and thereby affect value.

Contractors will advise people that an addition has to be of significant size to spread the cost of possible additional heating, air-conditioning, and foundation work. Many times a small room addition may cost as much as a larger one.

Certain room conversions can actually lessen the value of a property. For instance, converting a two car garage to a family room will usually penalize the value of a home and could hurt its marketability. People expect a home to have a garage and even though the additional living space is nice, it still needs the garage.

Once a home gets to a certain size in square footage, prospective buyers expect different types of amenities in the kitchens, bathrooms and all throughout the home. Unless updating occurs at the same time the addition does, these things will be outdated.

Many times homeowners are better off to sell their existing home and buy another home. However, if the homeowner should decide to make an addition, careful attention should be given to all the considerations mentioned above. Good third party advice, can be invaluable.

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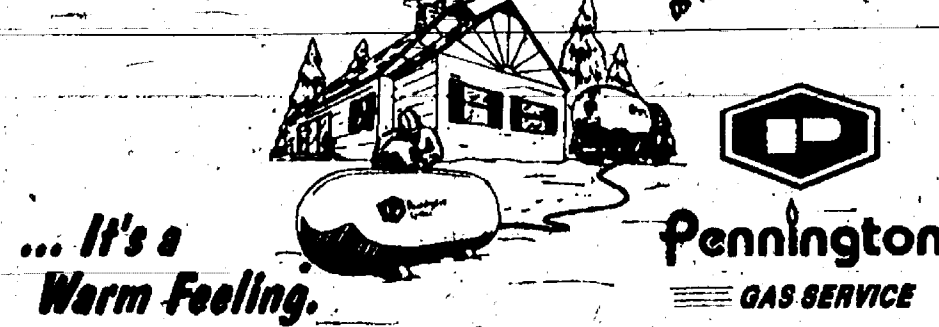
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Today, some 70 million (3 out of every 10 Americans) are covered by some form of dental insurance and estimates are that coverage could increase to 95 million within five years. Individual companies and labor unions are responsible for most of this increase. If you have dental insurance, you may wonder what dental services are covered. Although all plans are not the same, most cover a wide range of services for both the employee and his family.

These services generally include examinations, x-rays, professional cleaning, fillings, crowns and other restorations, root canal treatment, extractions, other oral surgery, and periodontal treatment (for diseases of gums and bone supporting the teeth). Additionally, some plans cover dentures, fixed and removable bridges, and orthodontic care.

Dental insurance programs do not usually cover hospitalization costs involved in dental treatment. However, hospital care may be covered by your medical insurance. Also, nearly every program excludes the cost of dental treatment provided for purely cosmetic reasons.

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EMU sets lifespan learning programs for January

Reducing your taxes, acupuncture and graphology highlight Eastern Michigan University Continuing Education's Lifespan Learning programs for January.

All programs will be presented at the EMU Depot Town Center, 32 E. Cross St., in Ypsilanti.

•How to Reduce Your Taxes: Write-Offs will be presented Wednesday, Jan. 8, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Presenter Christopher Vaughan will discuss which interest expenses are deductible, how to deduct a child's college tuition and if theft losses create deductions. Vaughan is a certified public accountant and managing partner of Wright, Griffin, Davis, and Co.

•A Journey into the Dream World: Dream Interpretation will be presented Thursday, Jan. 9, from 6 to 9 p.m. Dr. Howard Wolowitz will explore how to understand dreams and their use as a tool for personal problem solving. Wolowitz is a

professor of clinical psychology at the University of Michigan and has practiced individual and family psychoanalytic psychotherapy for more than 30 years.

•Understanding Children with A.D.D. will be presented Monday, Jan. 13, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Presenter Daniel Fischer will discuss the symptoms of attention deficit disorder and focus on the treatment options that can help parents with children who have A.D.D. Fischer is a senior social worker with the Child/Adolescent Outpatient Division, Department of Psychiatry, at the University of Michigan.

•Acupuncture: On Pins and Needles will be presented Tuesday, Jan. 14, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Dr. Luke Kim will explore the benefits, side effects and risks associated with acupuncture and how and/or if it can help cure pain, ailments and diseases. Kim has been in full-time, private prac-

tice in the Ann Arbor-Ypsilanti area since 1978.

•Teenage Battleground: What are the Rules? will be presented Wednesday, Jan. 15, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Dr. Daniel Nolan will explore ways to improve communication between the parent and teen while building trust, promoting honesty and increasing the teen's personal responsibility. Nolan is a licensed clinical psychologist specializing in psychotherapy with children, adolescents, adults and families.

•Graphology I: Handwriting Analysis will be presented Thursday, Jan. 16, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Dr. Bernie O'Connor will explain how handwriting is essentially "brain writing" and reflects what is in our mind. O'Connor has taught at EMU since 1994, is a Catholic priest and holds several law degrees.

•The Challenge of 21st Century African American Leadership kicks off the African American Cultural Sampler Series Monday, Jan. 20, from 7 to 9 p.m. Dr. Victor Okafor, EMU assistant professor of African American Studies, will explore what kinds of role models and leaders are needed for African Americans. Okafor's research focuses on the theoretical and methodological foundation for black studies, multiculturalism, and African and African American political and public policy issues.

•ABCs of Grammar will be presented Wednesday, Jan. 22, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Presenter

Randy Tessier will provide guidelines for general rules of grammar, including commas, colons, semicolons, dashes, parentheses, quotation marks and antecedents.

•Graphology II: Handwriting Analysis will be presented Thursday, Jan. 23, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Dr. Bernie O'Connor will discuss handwriting's "indicators," which are strokes, marks or other writing features that suggest specific personality traits, emotional characteristics and cognitive and social skills.

•African American Heroes: The Tuskegee Airmen continues the African American Cultural Sampler Series Monday, Jan. 27, from 7 to 9 p.m. Captain Carl Carey will explore "The Tuskegee Airmen," the group of young African American pilots who helped change the face of America's armed forces during World War II. Carey was a member of the 332 Fighter Group during World War II and is credited with the destruction of two German ME109 planes in combat.

•Coping with Allergies will be presented Wednesday, Jan. 29, from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Dr. Martin Hurwitz will discuss what causes allergies and how to treat them. Hurwitz is on staff at five area hospitals and is in part-time practice in allergy and clinical immunology at Catherine McAuley Health Center.

For more information or to register for any of the programs, call Lifespan Learning at 313-487-9456.

American Lung Association offers tips for babysitters

The American Lung Association of Michigan knows that leaving a child who has asthma in the care of a babysitter can be a cause for concern. But if you know who to choose and what information to give your babysitter, you'll be better able to enjoy your next evening out.

The American Lung Association of Michigan offers the following tips for selecting a babysitter — as well as instructions on how he or she can provide the best care for your child:

• Always feel comfortable with your choice. Using a babysitter who knows a lot about asthma is not crucial. Instead, find someone that you like who can follow your directions — and whom you trust to take care of your child.

• No smoking is allowed. Using a babysitter who smokes sends a bad health message to your child. It can also lead to your child being exposed to dangerous secondhand smoke.

• Provide proper training. Educate your babysitter thoroughly on your child's asthma and the warning signs of an episode. Also, leave a list of your child's asthma triggers, including foods to avoid serving.

• Present your child's medication. Your babysitter must be familiar with your child's medication. Review the inhaled asthma medications your child uses, as well as the proper dosage to administer in case of an asthma episode.

• Reassure your babysitter. Remind your babysitter to treat your child no differently because he or she has asthma. This will keep the babysitter from feeling too concerned or cautious while taking care of your child.

• Keep important numbers handy. Provide your babysitter with a phone number which he or she can use to call you in case of an emergency. Also, furnish your physician's phone number — and the numbers of your local hospital's emergency room and ambulance service — if you can't be reached.

"Families must remember

that choosing the right babysitter for their child with asthma is essential," explains Dr. Berg, volunteer for the American Lung Association of Michigan. "Parents must make sure that the person they're choosing understands how to deal with an asthma emergency and is willing to handle asthma medications, if necessary."

To find out more about babysitting tips for your child with asthma, call the American Lung Association of Michigan at (800) LUNG-USA.

Bare completes basic training

Marine Pfc. Cameron J. Bare, son of Cameron L. Bare of Grass Lake, recently completed the Basic Engineer Equipment Mechanic Course with Marine Corps Detachment, U.S. Army Engineer School, Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.

During the course, Bare learned how to inspect, maintain and repair engineering and earth moving equipment used by the United States Marine Corps. Bare learned how to work on numerous types of engines, including road graders, bulldozers and combat excavators. He also learned to repair forklifts and tractors used on airfields and high-speed, high-mobility cranes used for loading ships and trucks.

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Money Management

Prepared by the Michigan Association
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For many people, getting themselves in good financial shape is an important New Year's resolution. Like exercise regimens, it requires some discipline, clear goals, and, often, personal training from an outside expert — in this case, from someone like a certified public accountant (CPA). The Michigan Association of CPAs offers the following guidance to help you find and work with a CPA.

Looking For a CPA:

One of the best ways to find a CPA is to ask friends, relatives, neighbors, or business associates for recommendations. Try to focus on those people who are in a similar financial situation. You might also want to check with other professionals, such as your banker or attorney, your local chamber of commerce, or small business owners whose establishments you regularly visit.

To earn the CPA designation, accountants must pass a rigorous two-day professional examination and meet stringent licensing requirements. To assure that they stay current on developments in the field, CPAs who are members of the American Institute of CPAs and the Michigan Association of CPAs must also meet strict continuing education requirements and are obliged to adhere to stringent ethical guidelines. Ask the CPA or call these organizations to find out if the CPA is a member.

Preparing for The Interview:

Once you have the names of several CPAs, call to arrange an interview. Generally, CPAs will meet with you free of charge during your process of selecting a CPA, but verify any waiver of fees before making an appointment. Before meeting with the CPA, spend some time sorting out what kind of assistance you require and your ultimate expectations.

Are you looking for a CPA who can help you work toward meeting a specific need, such as funding your child's college education or saving for retirement? Do you want someone who can develop a comprehensive financial plan and help you to implement it? Are you primarily interested in tax planning strategies or in having someone complete your tax return? The more you know about your own needs, the better you'll be able to express

them to the CPA.

Conducting The Interview:

During the interview, let the CPA know clearly the kinds of assistance you need. Then ask about his or her qualifications, profiles of typical clients, and availability to work with you.

It's also important to get a feel for the chemistry that develops between you and the CPA you are considering. Make sure you are comfortable with his or her style and personality. By carefully considering the abilities and attributes of prospective CPAs, you'll be able to select a CPA with whom you can develop a long-term relationship.

Be sure to talk openly about how the CPA will be compensated for his or her services. Normally, CPAs base their fees on the amount of time they spend performing services on your behalf. The services you need, the complexity of your financial situation, the experience level of the CPA, and the area of the country in which you live will all impact the level of your CPA's fees.

Maximizing The Relationship:

To lay the ground work for a more productive relationship, you should organize your financial information. Depending on your requirements, a CPA may need information about your assets and liabilities, retirement and other company benefits, current insurance coverage, and additional financial data. All of these have an important bearing on your financial future — and the ability of you and your CPA to work together to reach your goals.

In addition to understanding your goals, it's also helpful for your CPA to know something about your attitudes toward spending and saving, your tolerance for risk, and whether you prefer to take an aggressive or conservative approach to tax-saving strategies. Be sure you clearly convey your attitudes on these and other areas while working with the CPA.

Finally, it's critical to keep your CPA up to date on various turning points in your personal and professional life. Such life events as a marriage, divorce, the birth of a child, a new home, death of a spouse and changes in your career can all impact your tax liability and personal financial plan.



Family Medicine



Question: My father died from a stroke more than 10 years ago. Lately, I've had several headaches that I thought were the start of a stroke. My doctor tells me that I haven't had one, though. How can I tell if I'm having a stroke?

Answer: Once a portion of the brain is deprived of its normal circulation for more than a few minutes, those specific cells die. Therefore, the function they served is lost. Immediate death occurs when a stroke affects brain centers that control breathing or other essential life functions. Destruction of other important but less life-threatening areas results in paralysis of one side of the body, blindness in one eye, partial loss of vision in both eyes, difficulty with speech, or other symptoms characteristic of stroke.

I think the following numbers emphasize the magnitude of the problem stroke causes. It is the third leading cause of death in the United States following heart disease and cancer. About 500,000 people have a stroke each year, and 150,000 of these individuals die from it. The estimated total cost to our society from stroke, when counting lost productivity and necessary health care, is \$20 billion each year. That is "real" money, even for a politician.

Strokes are caused by a disruption in the blood supply to the brain. This can be from either blockage or rupture of a blood vessel. When loss of circulation is caused by blockage of the supplying artery, it creates what we doctors call an "ischemic stroke." This is by far the most common type of stroke — accounting for 80 percent of cases — and can be caused by hardening of the arteries, or a blood clot that produces an abrupt blockage of the blood flow. The other 20 percent are "rupture strokes" in which the vessel's contents are spilled destructively into the surrounding tissue instead of delivering

its oxygen and nutrients to the brain in the normal fashion. Doctors call these "hemorrhagic" strokes.

One's risk of stroke is influenced by a number of factors. Family history is an important one, and your history puts you at some risk. Age is the most predictable factor, however. The risk of stroke doubles for each decade one survives beyond age 55. High blood pressure, smoking, diabetes, high cholesterol, irregular heart-beat and having abnormal heart valves are among other risk factors.

Headache is a common symptom in several subtypes of ischemic and hemorrhagic strokes. Fortunately, though, because almost everyone has occasional headaches, it is not the only symptom in these strokes. Loss of sensation or the use of some body part is typically present, too. So if you only have a headache, you probably aren't having a stroke.

Individuals who are prone to stroke can experience a stroke-like episode that clears up in 5 to 10 minutes. This is called a transient ischemic attack, or TIA, and should not be ignored.

If you have a full-blown stroke, the damage may be irreversible. Brain cells don't grow anew when they are damaged as skin cells do. Other brain cells may be able to assume a

portion of the duties of stroke-damaged cells and thereby help you regain some of the lost function. But the amount of this recovery is always much less than we desire. That is why stroke is so devastating.

"Family Medicine" is a weekly column. To submit questions, write to John C. Wolf, D.O., Ohio University College of Osteopathic Medicine, Grosvenor Hall, Athens, Ohio 45701.

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DEXTER TOWNSHIP PUBLIC HEARING PLANNING COMMISSION

Dexter Township Planning Commission will meet Thursday, January 9, 1997 at 7:30 p.m. at the Dexter Township Hall, 6880 Dexter-Pinckney Rd., Dexter, Michigan.

AGENDA:

1. Zoning Ordinance Text Review (cont.)

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Veterans Services Division moves to Ann Arbor office

The Washtenaw County Veterans Services Division has moved from office space occupied at 555 Towner Blvd (Human Services Building) in Ypsilanti to the county-owned facility located at 2140 East Ellsworth Rd., Ann Arbor. The new telephone number is 313/971-2195 and Veterans Services can receive a fax at 313/971-2487.

The site, just east of the Ellsworth/Stone School roads intersection is in the same building that houses Community Mental Health programs as well as the Family

Independent Agency (formerly the Department of Social Services). Anyone visiting or calling the previous location will be referred to the Ellsworth site where all veteran-related services will be offered, including the State of Michigan Veterans Trust Fund which will continue to deliver services through the Veterans Services offices on Tuesdays.

For further information regarding all services offered through Washtenaw County Veterans Services, interested parties may contact Mark Lindke at 971-2195.

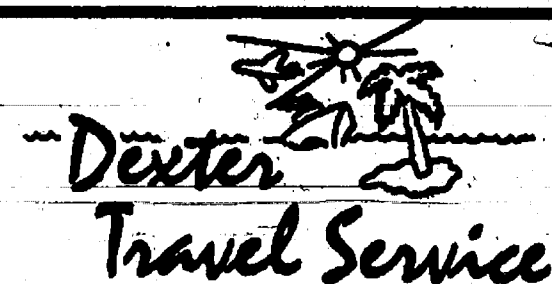
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REGULAR MEETING OF THE DEXTER TOWNSHIP BOARD

DATE: Tuesday, December 17, 1996, 7:30 p.m.
PLACE: Dexter Township Hall, 6880 Dexter-Pinckney Road.
PRESENT: John Sdao, Julie Knight, William Eisenbeiser, Libbie Brushaber
ABSENT: Harley Rider

Meeting called to order by Supervisor Sdao.
Agenda approved.
Moved by Knight, supported by Rider to approve the minutes of the December 3, 1996 meeting. Carried.
Treasurer's Report-November report submitted. A fund balance report was submitted.
Clerk's Report-The results of the supervisor recount resulted in a 6 vote victory by John Sdao.
Sheriff Dan Minzey-November report submitted. One arson on N. Territorial Rd. Western Washtenaw Recycle authority: Earl Dolitzky-The budget for air-bell burner is \$18,000 to burn used oil.
Zoning Inspector: Carl Willoughby-7 permits issued, 1 variance requested.
Moved by Eisenbeiser, supported by Knight to appoint the following members to the Board of Review: Sheridan Springer, Mark Wojno, Paul Peltes 1/1/97 to 1/1/99. Carried.
Moved by Knight, supported by Brushaber to retain Glenn Stidham as Blight Inspector. Carried.
Moved by Eisenbeiser, supported by Knight to authorize members of the Township Board to attend the annual M.T.A. conference. Carried.
Moved by Eisenbeiser, supported by Brushaber to adopt the Multilake Sewer Debt Service budget for 1996-97 in the amount of \$783,340. Carried.
Moved by Eisenbeiser, supported by Brushaber to adopt the Portage & Base Line Lake Sewer debt service budgeted for 1996-97 in the amount of \$270,802. Carried.
Moved by Eisenbeiser, supported by Knight to resolve to adopt a resolution to adopt amendments to the Dexter Township Traffic Ordinance to make it compatible with the Michigan Uniform Traffic Code. Sdao-yes, Eisenbeiser-yes, Brushaber-yes, Knight-yes, Rider-absent. Carried.
Moved by Knight, supported by Brushaber to pay the bills as submitted totalling \$49,266.55. Carried.
Moved by Eisenbeiser, supported by Knight to appoint Nancy Paul to the Chelsea Library Board 12/3/96 to 12/31/97. Carried.
Moved by Knight, supported by Eisenbeiser to appoint Elizabeth Brushaber to the Dexter Area Fire Department Board from 12/17/96 to 2/26/97. Carried.
Moved by Eisenbeiser, supported by Brushaber to make the following Planning Commission appointments: Robert Tetens-1/12/97-1/12/00, John Gillespie-1/12/97 to 1/12/00, Jim Knight-12/17/96 to 1/22/99. Carried.
Moved by Knight, supported by Brushaber to adjourn the meeting. Carried.
Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully Submitted,
William Eisenbeiser, Clerk
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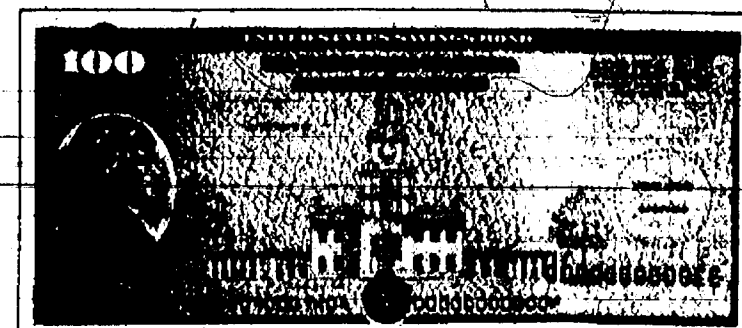
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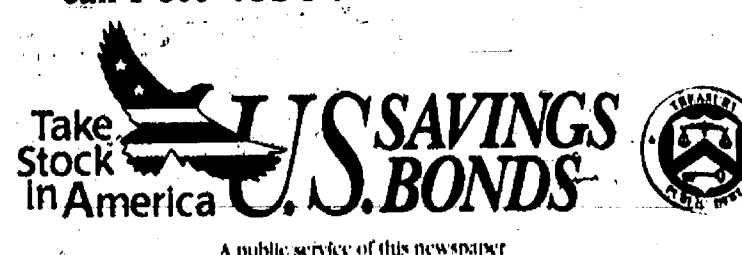
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Local woman marks husband's life on 'Remembrance Tree'

Five heart-shaped ornaments are more than just tree trimming for Pat Yates. They have hung on the Arbor Hospice Tree of Remembrance, one for each of the years since her husband, Bill, died of cancer in 1988 at age 64.

This holiday season, Pat Yates of Dexter hung another ornament on the hospice's sixth Tree of Remembrance at Kerrytown Shops in Ann Arbor.

"It's like sharing Christmas with my husband," says the 75-

year-old widow. "This time of year always brings back memories. I chuckle as I remember our traditional out-on-the-town holiday dinner. My daughters, Amy and Judy, and I would get all gussied-up for the occasion. We would meet Bill at his office in Detroit and then he would proudly escort his ladies to dinner at the Top of the Flame. I love this memory."

The need to remember is an important and healthy part of grieving. The Tree of Re-

membrance provides an opportunity to do so during the holidays, which is a particularly difficult time for those who have experienced the death of someone they love. The ornaments, each year designed and made by Arbor Hospice volunteers are available for any size donation.

People can hang their decoration on the tree themselves, or order one by mail and Arbor Hospice staff will hang it for them. Proceeds benefit Arbor Hospice's Me-

morial Fund, which helps to meet the needs of patients and their families.

The Tree of Remembrance dedication service was held on December-15 at the Allen Elementary School in Ann Arbor.

Brochure can help sinusitis sufferers

Is your lingering cold keeping you away from work or school again?

Each year, hundreds of thousands of work and school days are missed due to sinusitis — an inflammation of the nasal cavities, located above, behind and below the eyes that affects an estimated 30 million Americans. More than \$1 billion is spent each year on over-the-counter medications to relieve symptoms, eventually resulting in 16-million doctor's office visits.

"It is easy to be confused about sinusitis, because it is essentially a complication of a cold, allergy or asthma that has been under treated, mistreated, or not treated at all," explains Michael Kaliner, M.D., medical director, Institute for Asthma & Allergy at Washington Hospital Center, Washington, D.C.

A new brochure, "What Everyone Needs To Know About Sinusitis," offers a comprehensive guide to the symptoms and treatment of sinusitis. For a free copy, write to: Syn™-Rx/KSI, P.O. Box 1515, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10101-1515.

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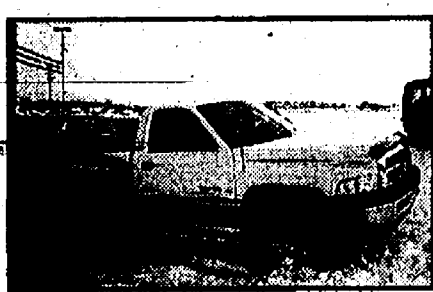
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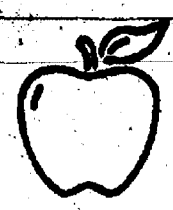
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Body Image and Food

Explore how your "body image" can be a "body mirage" and learn how it affects what you eat. Tuesday, Jan. 21, Noon-1 p.m. Cost: \$20

Older Adult and Alcohol Lecture Series

How Alcohol Affects Older Adults January 7
Helping Older Adults Get Help January 14
Family Relief: How To Care For Yourself When An Older Loved One Drinks January 21
Each lecture will be repeated at noon and 4 p.m. at the Older Adult Recovery Center 955 W. Eisenhower Circle, Suite H, Ann Arbor, across from Mervyns. FREE. Call 665-5070 to register.

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Supper Club

Tuesday, Jan. 7 at Chelsea High School. Call 475-3913 for info.

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Call the Chelsea Senior Center at 475-9242 to learn about programs.

Joint Efforts

Arthritis sufferers maintenance program. Tuesdays, 2-15-3 p.m.

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Behavioral Health Services 475-6051

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Dexter Township

Property Damage

Malicious destruction of property was reported in the 9900 block of Huron River Drive, Dec. 15. A 45-year-old woman told a Washtenaw County Sheriff's deputy someone threw a rock through a window in her TV room, causing \$200 in damage. The woman found the rock on her floor and a six-inch hole in the window at 10 a.m. Dec. 15. She suspects the damage occurred between Dec. 11 and Dec. 15.

Larceny

Larceny was reported on Westborne Drive south of North Territorial Road, Dec. 22. A 55-year-old Chelsea man discovered his 1993 Dodge Shadow was vandalized and a stereo and radar detector were stolen between 11:30 a.m. Dec. 21 and 9:10 a.m. Dec. 22. Damage to the passenger-side window and dash board is estimated at \$500. The stolen items are valued at \$250. A sheriff's deputy was called to the area by a resident who saw the victim's car on top of a sand pile. The officer contacted the victim by running his vehicle identification number through the Law Enforcement Information Net-

work. The man met the officer at the scene and explained he left his vehicle there but someone must have damaged it and stolen the items over night. It was also noted the vehicle was inoperable because two spark plugs had been removed.

Stolen Vehicle

Sheriff's deputies are investigating the theft of a 1994 Chevrolet pick-up truck from the 9400 block of Portage Lake Ave., Dec. 25. The victim, a 35-year-old man, left the keys in the ignition. A 41-year-old neighbor told police he saw someone drive away in the truck at 1 a.m. Dec. 25. The witness said he didn't see the driver but noted whoever was driving was going faster than the vehicle's owner usually drives. It was noted several of the victim's personal items were found discarded on Hellner Road in Northfield Township. A breaking and entering in the same area Christmas Eve is also suspected to be linked to the crime.

Breaking and Entering

Breaking and entering was reported in the 9700 block of Portage Lake Ave., Dec. 25. A 25-year-old Wixom man told a

sheriff's deputy someone forced open a door and stole drills, saws, a heater and several other tools valued at \$2,155. The tools were kept at a home under construction and stolen between 8:15 p.m. Dec. 24 and 11 a.m. Dec. 25.

Scio Township

Arson

Arson was reported in Scio Farms Estates, 6655 Jackson Rd., on Apricot Street, Dec. 22. A 37-year-old man told a sheriff's deputy someone set his 1963 Chevy Corvair on fire around 4 a.m. The vehicle had been parked near the entrance of the trailer park since Dec. 19. The victim had driven past it several times and last checked on the vehicle Dec. 21 at 11 p.m. Scio Township Fire Department responded to the scene. The assistant fire chief told the investigating deputy that someone placed newspaper in the vehicle and set the paper ablaze.

Arson was reported in Scio Farms Estates, 6655 Jackson Rd., on Hemlock Street, Dec. 22. A 48-year-old man told a sheriff's deputy someone ignited his 1989 Ford van on fire around 4 a.m. Dec. 22. The vehicle was parked in his drive-

way since 5 p.m. Dec. 21. Scio Township Fire Department responded to the scene. The assistant fire chief told the investigating deputy that someone placed newspaper in the vehicle and set the paper ablaze.

Vehicle Fire

A 1994 Ford van caught on fire while being driven on eastbound I-94 near Zeeb Road, Dec. 26. A 47-year-old Ann Arbor woman told a sheriff's deputy her teenage children smelled smoke and saw flames in the rear of the van near a secondary heater. The driver pulled over and the van was totally engulfed by the time Scio Township firefighters arrived around 2 p.m.

Drunk Driving

A 40-year-old Stockbridge woman was arrested for operating a motor vehicle under the influence of liquor on Baker Road near I-94, Dec. 21. The woman was stopped at 12:50 a.m. after driving her 1995 Eagle Talon over the speed limit and erratically. She admitted to a police officer than she had been drinking wine earlier at a friend's home. Her blood-alcohol level was tested at .14 percent, which is more than the legal limit.

Warrant Arrest

Thomas C. O'Brien, 23, of Scio Township was arrested at his home in the 2200 block of Weber Rd., Dec. 24. O'Brien was arrested on a warrant by a sheriff's deputy. He was wanted on a bench warrant in Ypsilanti Township for failing to appear in court on charges of driving with a suspended driver's license.

Lima Township

Malicious destruction of property and larceny was reported on Jackson Road near Lima Center Road, Dec. 21. A 26-year-old Chelsea man told a

sheriff's deputy someone attacked his 1988 Chevy vehicle, which was broken down on the side of the road. A portable radio and blanket were stolen and the driver's side window was smashed.

Sylvan Township

Warrant Arrest

Gregory W. Brighton, 45, of Tecumseh was arrested on Sager Road near Waters Road, Dec. 25. He was wanted on a bench warrant for failing to appear in court on charges of driving drunk in Lenawee County. Brighton was transferred into the custody of a Lenawee Sheriff's deputy at the county line on M-52 at Michigan Avenue. Brighton was found sleeping in his vehicle with a 42-year-old Tecumseh woman. Both had been drinking and weren't sure how the damaged occurred to the front of their vehicle.

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(Compiled by Associate Editor Michelle Rogers based on reports filed with the Washtenaw County Sheriff's Department.)

New calendar offers wholesome treat ideas

Every month of the year brings holidays and celebrations, and they can all be occasions to enjoy the delicious taste and healthful benefits of nutritious foods. "Here's to Your Health," the bright and colorful 1997 wall calendar from the American Institute for Cancer Research, offers dozens of clever ideas for wholesome treats that are suitable for special days throughout the year.

Valentine's Day is a perfect time to replace high-fat chocolates with delicious but lower-fat biscotti, ginger snaps and other assorted cookies combined in a decorative tin, or give a basket of passion fruits, mixed with other exotic types, wrapped with red cellophane and ribbon.

St. Patrick's Day can not only mean wearin' o' the green but eating of it as well, with a smorgasbord of green springtime vegetables, such as a delicious salad of Belgian endive, chicory, radicchio and arugula and watercress, topped with a bit of low-fat dressing that uses a light vinaigrette of tarragon-flavored vinegar and walnut

oil. Summer picnics can be perked up for special guests with delicious sandwich combinations—like Greek Salad Baguettes and Oriental Chicken Salad, provided in calendar recipes. Festive dip recipes for holidays range from curried apple spread and white bean dip to pear puree and carrot dip. Afternoon tea can be a birthday event for a loved one: you'll find ideas for low-fat fruit breads and healthy finger foods to accompany tea.

The calendar also offers tips for outdoor fun and fitness, plus tips on how to dance your way to better health. Each month's good health hints are highlighted by a colorful illustration by artist Chris Stephens.

Copies of the 1997 "Here's to Your Health" calendar are available for \$5 each. For credit card orders, call toll-free 1-800-843-8114, ext. 716, weekdays, 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. Eastern time, or send a check, your name and address to the American Institute for Cancer Research, Dept. C97, Washington, DC 20069.

Adopt-A-Pet

Animal Aid has rescued pets for adoption. Some are shown Saturdays at Pet Provisions in Brighton, 5757 Whitmore Lk. Rd. (corner Old 23 and Grand River.) Hours are 10-2. Volunteers/foster homes are needed. For information call (810) 231-4497.

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3. "Candy" — Dachshund/Beagle mix, 5 months, female, vaccinated, semi-housebroken, long body, 20 lbs., used to older

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CATS:

1. "Bailey" — Siamese/Himalayan mix, neutered male, declawed, 2 years, cream with dark points, medium coat, used to older kids/cats.

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The Way It Was

Chelsea Imperial Orchestra

By Kathy Clark
Special Writer

An ensemble of four young men formed one of Chelsea's earlier orchestras, the "Chelsea Imperial Orchestra." In addition to school concerts and parades, they played music as a square dance group which performed at barn dances around Chelsea and other small towns. Their photograph was taken in 1910. Left to right are: George Kaercher, Roy Maier, Arzie Pinckney and Clarence (Casey) Rastery. Roy Maier, just 13 in the picture, went on to become a nationally known musician and eventually joined the corporate world in musical inventions and instrument production. (see his story in *The Chelsea Standard*, Dec. 26, issue.)

Allyn Kaercher formerly of Chelsea and now living in Saline remembers that the orchestra often practiced in the Kaercher home on Madison Street (photo inset). Allyn's sister, Olive played piano back-up. None of the Kaercher children pursued musical careers, but Allyn clearly remembers everyone in the band. Although he was a very young lad during those practice sessions in the Kaercher home, he re-



called his one-time singing part. The band had him sing "Somewhere in France Is Daddy" a tune popular around World War I. He said it goes, "Somewhere in France is daddy. Somewhere in France is he."

"Fighting for home and country, fighting for life and liberty."

"I pray every night for the allies, and ask God to help them home."

"Cause our daddy won't come back 'til the Stars and Stripes are tacked on Kaiser William's flag staff in Berlin."

Another story Kaercher still chuckles about was told

by his brother George.

"The band was on the way to a barn dance south of Chelsea when the drum rolled out of their truck right about where Chrysler Proving Grounds entrance is now. As it rolled along it went bouncing and booming out into the field and it sounded like someone was playing it. Luckily it was not damaged and they went on to the barn dance."

Kaercher was in the Chelsea Ukulele Club for one year, probably around 1916. Both boys and girls were in this club. The orchestra membership increased to around eight by



1920. Like the early orchestra, the Chelsea Ukulele Club is often remembered by local families.

1996 Chelsea area year-end review

January...

4-Chelsea Village Council set-out at its Dec. 26 meeting to decide whether or not to annex 24.7 acres just west of the village. Complications arose quickly on several fronts, and ultimately action was forestalled until at least Jan. 9.

4-Barring change in the financial markets, Chelsea Village has accounted for or paid all the expenses incurred from confusion as to how a 1994 bond issue would be paid off. At its Dec. 26 meeting, the village council authorized payment of \$2,000 to attorney Don Kiem for handling reinvestment of village funds.

4-Forward thinking and public participation could bring Chelsea an exciting and attractive plan for the future, architect Howard Deardorff told the Village Council at its Dec. 26 meeting.

4-A Department of Environmental Quality (formerly the DNR) officer ticketed Chelsea resident Martin Merkel for three misdemeanors Friday, Dec. 1.

11-Controlling the growth of Chelsea's population, traffic and developments are among the key issues the village will face in the next year, according to Village Manager Jack Myers.

11-The Washtenaw County Community Mental Health department will run a home for the developmentally disabled at 509 Maywood St. in Chelsea. Preparations are complete and it will house five or six residents within 30 days.

11-At Monday night's Chelsea School Board meeting, the board approved the hiring of experienced administrator Bob Carr of Ann Arbor as interim high school principal, beginning the first day of the new semester Jan. 22, and finishing a few days after the school year ends in June. The move will allow current principal Ron Mead to devote increased time to leading planning and organizational efforts for new school construction.

11-The Chelsea School District is looking to hire an "information specialist" on a contract basis for both internal and public relations purposes.

11-Todd Kuhl made Chelsea history last week when he bowled the first-ever 300 game at Chelsea Lanes.

18-According to U.S. Congressman Dick Chrysler, the reforms Congress made in the past year are historic but far from finished, and he plans to play an active role in completing them.

18-Chelsea School District is looking for suggestions about what to name the three elementary schools. The plan is to name the new elementary as well as change the names of North and South Schools.

18-Beach Parent Organization will meet tonight (Jan. 18) at 7 in the media center, with SADD students of Chelsea High, a representative from the police department, Chelsea Schools Social Worker Margaret Spaly, and administrators to drug and alcohol use in Chelsea schools and the community.

18-A Jan. 4 article in *The Chelsea Standard* questioned the fines assessed to Chelsea resident Martin Merkel for three misdemeanor violations. Department of Environmental Quality officer Mike Bailey explained that the fines were appropriate.

18-At the Tuesday, Jan. 9 Chelsea Village Council meeting, council trustees heard more discussion about mobile homes which might be developed off Cavanaugh Lake Road and agreed to table the annexation issue while waiting for clarification of the parcel's ownership.

25-Chelsea School Board reviewed and approved the schematic design of the high school building to be constructed by the fall of 1998 at its Monday, Jan. 22 meeting.

25-A Dexter Township woman was struck by a vehicle and killed while getting her

mail late Thursday afternoon, Jan. 18.

25-Lima Township Board denied a request Jan. 8, from developers Martin Merkel, Steve Tracy and Phil Jenkins to rezone approximately 40 acres just northeast of Chelsea village borders. The property is zoned for agricultural use; the developers asked that it be revised to allow mobile homes.

25-At its Tuesday, Jan. 16 meeting, the Chelsea Planning Commission reviewed a draft of its future vision for the village's north area. Village planning consultant Carl Schmitt took the input of commissioners and residents and will revise the plan. A public hearing regarding the plan is anticipated March 19.

25-The United Methodist Retirement Community in Chelsea has received state approval to add 60 beds to its nursing facility, and plans to add a wing expanding westward from its current building.

February...

1-Tuesday, Jan. 23, the Chelsea Village Council chose not to renew its contract with the Washtenaw Development Council. Chelsea has contracted with WDC each year but one since 1990 to assist local businesses and promote commercial and industrial growth.

1-Changes to the existing street ordinance in Chelsea are in the works, according to Village Assistant Manager Bruce Pindzia, at least as far as those rules affect Gene Drive.

1-Hatch Stamping Company has filed two applications with Chelsea Village for Industrial Facilities Tax Exemption Certificates worth more than \$2.98 million over seven years. By law, a public hearing must be held before any abatement can be granted; the hearing is scheduled for the regular meeting of the Chelsea Village Council Tuesday, Feb. 13.

1-The 23rd annual Cavanaugh Lake Winter Carnival begins Friday, Feb. 2 at 6 p.m. and runs through 6 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 4.

1-The Chelsea Village Council trekked on in its search for a remedy to excess copper in village water, but ended up moving only slightly forward at its Tuesday, Jan. 23 meeting.

1-Orchestra teacher and director Jed Fritzemeier may have thought he'd left Chelsea behind years ago, but after stop in three other northern states he has returned to Michigan and Chelsea to guide the school's orchestra program.

8-Architect Howard Deardorff led nearly 100 Chelsea area residents, including several village and township officials, in a forward-looking analysis of the village's future last Tuesday, Jan. 30.

8-Monday, Feb. 5 the Chelsea School Board set out to brainstorm and analyze some preliminary ideas for the use of the current high school buildings when the new high school is constructed in the fall of 1998. It has already been labeled a Community Center, but the details of what it will offer are still to be decided.

8-The 1995 Chelsea United Way campaign goal of \$106,688 was officially reached.

8-The Chelsea Center for the Development of the Arts is sponsoring a competition to create a mural on the wall of the Chelsea Industries building, adjacent to the railroad tracks and the former Chelsea Standard building.

8-Cavanaugh Lakeview Farms owners Irving and Cynthia Feller and their architects, Hobbs and Black of Ann Arbor, have been meeting with local officials and residents to outline preliminary plans to divide their 60-acre property and sell approximately 30 lots to individuals for single family residences.

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Channel 22 keeps bringing the news

By Angela Trotter
Staff Writer

Cable channel 22 offers television viewers a wealth of information about the community, from local events and restaurant reviews to birthdays, school closings and advice for the lovelorn.

The channel has been operating since 1990 under the direction of Alex Weddon, the local channel's founder and operator.

Weddon has been involved with computer work since the late 70s, and has experience working with cable television and video. In June of 1990, he approached the Chelsea Village Council and asked for permission to do something more with the local cable channel.

"I thought it would be a great opportunity for public relations and getting information out to people in the community," Weddon said.

He uses a regular computer with a modem to design the messages and graphics that are seen on cable channel 22. Signals are sent over the cable as a radio frequency, then are converted into images in people's homes through their television sets or cable boxes.

"It's basically a news processor," Weddon said. "I integrate color pictures and text to make an electronic news magazine."

He said the channel is not intended for constant viewing, but as more of a supplement to programming on other channels.

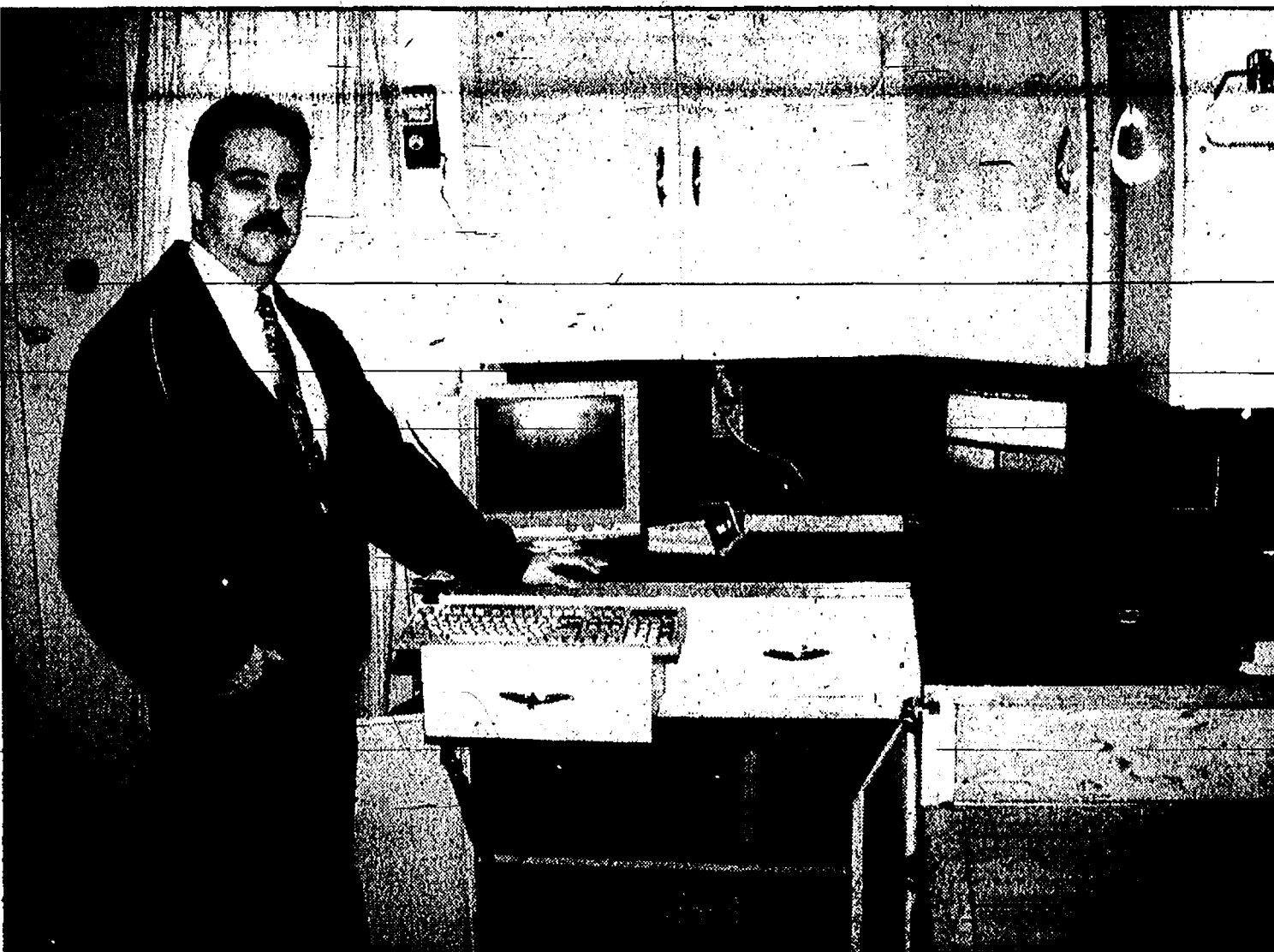
"Any time a movie is interrupted by a commercial, people can flip over and get information about what's going on locally," Weddon said. "That's what I envision to be the role of this service in the community."

Weddon said he does his best to avoid including too much negative information on the channel.

"I try to oversee all the content and make sure it's uplifting and positive for the community," he said.

In addition to containing information about what's going on in Chelsea, the channel also displays advertisements from local merchants. This is how money is raised to support the channel's operating expenses.

"No money comes from the village," Weddon said. "I make this stand on its own merit,



Alex Weddon is the founder and operator of Chelsea's cable access channel 22.

and it's been able to hold its own for six years. If advertisers don't like what they're getting out of it, they simply won't advertise."

Addresses of the area's elected officials are often a part of the programming, so citizens know where to access their legislators to voice concerns. The channel also broadcasts tape-delayed community events, such as football games, the annual Halloween parade and village council meetings.

"People who normally wouldn't care about local politics might stumble across a village council meeting, see discussion of issues important to them, and be stimulated to then become more involved," Weddon said. "Just making information accessible might help."

Some of the more interesting things that have appeared on the channel over its six years have been marriage proposals, an ad for a lost llama and a plea for forgiveness from a blacklisted boyfriend.

Weddon said he would like to expand the services of the channel in the near future to include playing historical tapes about some of Chelsea's interesting events of the past.

He would also like to estab-

lish an interactive "intra-net" service, so people can modem in contributions, feedback or information. This could make possible such concepts as shopping for groceries, cars or real estate at home.

This type of combined use of computers and television will be the wave of the future,

Weddon said.

"Computers allow for interaction and television allows for mass distribution. Together that makes for a good combination," he said.

Weddon operates similar systems in Pinckney and Stockbridge, and said he just plain loves doing it.



Lions Award

At a recent dinner banquet Tom Penhallegon, president of the Chelsea Lions Club presented Don Kvarnberg with the Melvin Jones Award, which is the highest award Lions can receive. Don has been a member of the Chelsea Lions since it was formed in 1977. He is the club's treasurer and has been the club's secretary since 1985.

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8-Kate Steele of Chelsea feels very strongly that parents shouldn't assume their teenage children aren't having sex. Statistically, the odds are against that.

According to a Teen Behavior and Attitude Survey administered at Dexter High School last year, 60 percent of the seniors admitted they were having sex. Of that number, 43 percent said they have had sex four or more times.

15-The Chelsea City Study Committee, which after studying the issue recommended pursuing incorporation of Chelsea as a Home Rule City, is refining the boundary lines it will submit to the State Boundary Commission.

15-A group of Chelsea residents met with Professor Robert Kobet, an environmental construction expert hired by Chelsea School district to advise the building and renovation of schools, on Thursday evening, Feb. 8.

15-The Chelsea Schools' orchestra program was looking for a more innovative and useful fund-raiser than hawking cheese or baked goods. They found it, and ended up completing the orchestral equivalent of an overnight Boston Marathon.

15-It was a one in 100 chance that Diana Valzania would be walking around today at all, let alone with all her faculties. But thanks to luck, the quick actions of her boyfriend, and rescue help from members of the Chelsea Fire Department and Huron Valley Ambulance, she can talk about the experience.

15-Chelsea wrestlers dominated the Southeastern Conference tournament last Saturday in Tecumseh and as a result came away with a tie for the over-all league championship with Saline.

22-For high school seniors, graduation used to be like playing Monopoly, passing go and collecting \$200. Pass the class requirements and collect a diploma in June. It's not quite that simple anymore, and Chelsea schools and students are being forced to adjust.

22-On Thursday, Feb. 15 representatives from the Chelsea Village Council and surrounding township boards met to synthesize area-wide strategy in regard to issues like a potential district library, improving communication and coordinating future development plans.

22-New developments in Chelsea will pay an increased

fee for connection to village water and sewer service. At its Feb. 13 meeting the Chelsea Village Council adopted a standard chart which determines the fee by assigning a multiple to the typical hook-up fee of approximately \$1,100.

22-Representatives from the Chelsea Village Council and surrounding township boards met Thursday, Feb. 15 to discuss a range of issues involving the municipalities. One of those was coordinating long-range planning.

22-Sara Mead and Ana Morrel-Samuels, both seniors at Chelsea High School, have been named among 2,600 candidates in the 1996 Presidential Scholars Program. The candidates were selected from more than 2.5 million students expected to graduate from U.S. high schools in 1996.

22-Since Cavanaugh Lakeview Farm recently closed down their local operations, Chelsea area residents will now have to order the products from a gift catalog and pay top dollar plus shipping, just like everybody else in the country does.

29-The draft plan for the future of Chelsea's north area was the subject of concerned and sometimes heated input from local residents at a public hearing held by the Chelsea Planning Commission on Tuesday, Feb. 20.

29-If Gov. John Engler's proposal for funding adult education in Michigan is adopted, the consequences would be severe, according to Chelsea Community Education Director Jeff Rohrer.

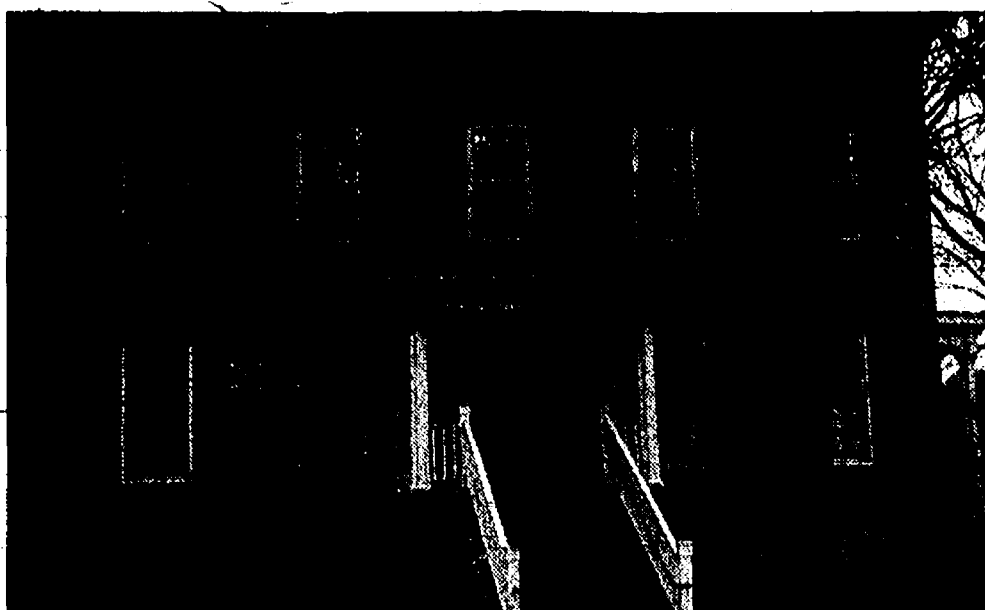
29-Richard Steele and Charles Ritter are running for Chelsea Village Council President in the annual March 11 election.

29-A preliminary plan to improve the overall appearance of the M-52 corridor from the highway service zone to the village was the subject of a presentation made by the consulting firm Beckett & Raeder at the Chelsea Planning Commission's Feb. 20 meeting.

29-State funding of public schools, paid in per-student Foundation Grants, is expected to increase more than two percent for next year. But that will not match inflation, and the Chelsea School District may be forced to tap into its financial reserves to make up the difference.

March...

7-Monday the Chelsea School Board took steps toward finalizing the new ele-



McKune Library is in the process of becoming a district library as the village and Sylvan and Dexter Townships have approved the District Library Agreement.

mentary school scheduled for completion by the fall of 1997.

They took potential names under consideration, approved the basic design of the school as presented by architects from Kingscott & Associates, and selected current North School Principal William J. Wescott as principal of the yet to be named new school.

7-Last week the Chelsea Village Council, over the protests of members of the McKune Memorial Library Board, rejected the District Library Agreement, effectively ending the possibility of the McKune Memorial Library in Chelsea becoming a district library in the near future.

7-Chelsea Village residents will elect a Village Council President, three Village Council Trustees, two McKune Memorial Library Board members, and a treasurer this Monday, March 11.

7-Howard DuRussel III, a 1994 graduate of Chelsea High School and a sophomore at Eastern Michigan University, was one of three EMU fraternity brothers killed in a car crash near West Memphis, Ark. early Sunday morning, March 3.

7-At the Chelsea School Board meeting Monday, March 4, the board took under consideration potential names for the new elementary school to be completed in 1997 and the existing North and South Elementaries, which will be renovated and renamed.

7-Last Thursday, Feb. 28, village, township and school officials came together at the Depot in Chelsea to discuss sharing information and keeping lines of communication open as the area expands.

14-One hundred 62 voters, or 57 percent of the voter turnout, elected Richard Steele to a fourth term as

Chelsea Village Council President on Monday, March 11.

14-North and South School Media Specialists Barbara Locks and Laurel MacDonald are urging Chelsea Schools to supply their libraries with resources beyond typical yearly book budgets. The funds are needed, they say, to update the media centers and meet the needs of Chelsea students.

14-With North School Principal Bill Wescott scheduled to give up that position by July 1 and assume responsibility for the new elementary school under construction, the Chelsea School Board outlined its plans for hiring a new North School principal at its March 4 meeting.

14-Chelsea Village Council re-visited the issue of corrosive water Tuesday, Feb. 27.

Copper leeching from household plumbing systems in Chelsea makes copper levels in village water exceed Environmental Protection Agency standards.

14-Current Chelsea Village Council Trustees Frank Hamner, Richard Rigg and Joe Merkel will continue serving on the council for the next two years. They were re-elected in Monday's village elections.

14-Years ago, when Mary Beth Koeze was working in politics to support herself, she'd wander in art galleries and her hands would itch. But now that she's rediscovered a creative outlet in painting, not only has the itching calmed, but her work is widely accepted and admired.

14-Chelsea's Ray Hatch won a class B state wrestling title at 125 pounds last Saturday in Battle Creek. Teammate Brent Young was fourth at 140 pounds.

14-Chelsea boys swimming team, placed seventh at the class B-C-D state meet last Saturday.

21-At the Monday, March 18 Chelsea School Board meeting, Superintendent Ed Richardson announced that Darcy

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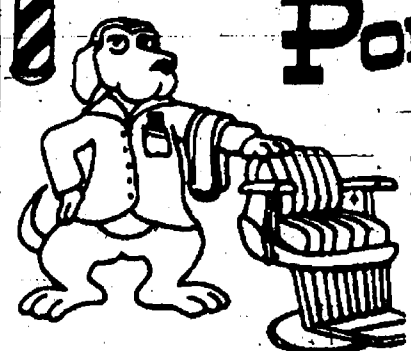


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Stielstra, principal at Beach Middle School since 1984, will resign, effective Aug. 25, the day before the 1996-97 school year begins.

21-The Chelsea School Board has completed its review of Superintendent Ed Richardson and is overwhelmingly positive in its assessment.

21-On Jan. 30, designer Howard Deardorff led a public forum to gather and discuss the ideas of local residents regarding future planning. Tuesday, March 12, he shared the information gathered with the Chelsea Village Council.

21-Tonight a public meeting will be held to discuss an in-progress traffic circulation study focusing on the Chelsea area.

21-Chelsea Village will be reimbursed \$69,036 by the Michigan Underground Storage Tank Fund Administration for environmental cleanup work.

21-The Chelsea Community Hospital Auxiliary donated \$40,689 for hospital projects and sponsored \$5,900 in scholarships in 1996. But money alone can't measure the value of the auxiliary.

28-The Chelsea Planning Commission held a public hearing on its vision for the village's north area on Feb. 20, and listened to numerous objections to the plan from area residents.

28-On Thursday, March 21, John Iacangelo of the Ann Arbor firm Beckett & Raeder shared data collected so far in a study of Chelsea area traffic with local officials and residents.

28-Fred Pearsall became Sylvan Township Treasurer when Lyndon Johnson was President and Chelsea a small farming community. By the time he finally retires from that post, a new President will be looking toward the end of the century and Chelsea looking at city status.

28-At the Monday, March 18 Chelsea School Board meeting, the board approved names for Chelsea's elementary schools earlier recommended by a special committee.

28-Frame Hardwoods, Inc. will be closing the Ann Arbor plant where it manufactures and distributes hardwood molding and flooring, then moving to a plant still to be built in the Chelsea industrial park.

April...

4-In past years the surrounding townships have contributed funds to the Chelsea Recreation Council, which translated into a subsidy for township residents, defraying some of the cost of participating in Recreation Council activities.

For the coming fiscal year, however, Sylvan, Lima and Lyndon Townships will contribute no money to the Recreation Council and thus their residents will receive no subsidies.

4-A public forum to discuss the possibility of a district library in the Chelsea area will be held Wednesday, April 10 at 7 p.m. at the Sylvan Township Hall.

4-Chelsea School District kindergarten registration information packages were mailed out last week to parents with children entering school in the fall. The mailing list was compiled from various sources in the community such as childcare facilities and preschools.

4-When David Bacon died Saturday, March 30, he left behind a long legacy of service to Lima Township.

4-Eighth-graders studying Life Management in Linda Turock's home economics classes are using virtual reality to learn some real life lessons about parenthood.

4-A gasoline spill that occurred Monday morning, March 25 at the Chrysler Proving Grounds was reported to the Michigan Department of Environmental Quality that afternoon, according to DEQ analyst Vicki Katko.

11-In the Nov. 5 general election, all township government positions will be open; winners serve four-year terms.

11-John Francis, Lyndon Township Supervisor since 1986, will not pursue reelection this fall. The demands of the job have become too constrictive of his time, Francis said.

11-The North Central Asso-

ciation of Colleges and Schools has announced that Beach Middle School has received full accreditation. The school was admitted to membership on March 27 at NCA's Annual Meeting in Chicago.

18-Several members of the Chelsea Village Council and a crowd of area residents studied the legal realities of a District Library, listening to and questioning Chelsea Library Board Attorney Cynthia Paulhaber on Wednesday, April 10.

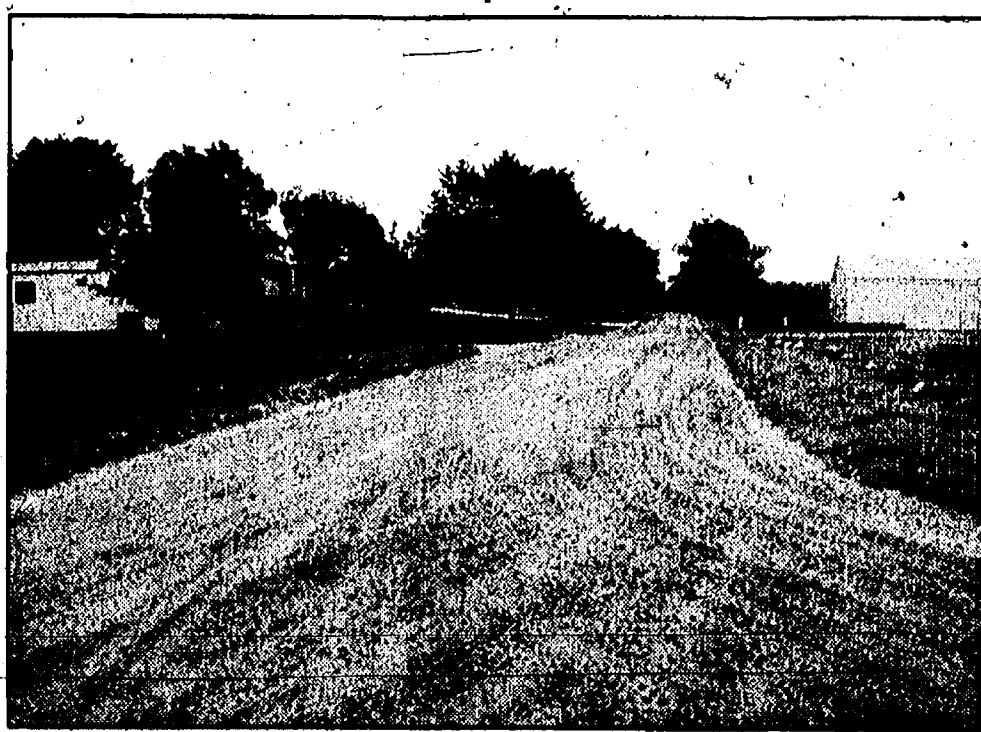
18-A grass fire north of Chelsea burned roughly 300 acres of mostly state-owned land and made it a long day for area fire departments last Thursday, April 11.

18-Lyndon Township Supervisor John Francis has announced that he won't seek reelection this year, but does feel that the possibility of a district library is an important issue in the immediate future of his township.

18-At its April 9 meeting, the Chelsea Village Council studied the possibility of reducing the amount of fuel cost savings passed on to residents to 25 percent, with the remainder retained by the village to go into a capital contingency fund.

18-Chelsea Village Council approved rezoning of 24.76 acres just east of Belser Estates, located off Freer Road, at its April 9 meeting.

18-The Chelsea School Board presented the district's



The idea of using Trinkle Road, a dirt road, as access to the new Chelsea High School was the subject of some controversy in 1996.

Transportation Department with a certificate of appreciation at its Tuesday, April 9 meeting. District vehicles received an unprecedented perfect grade from Michigan State Police inspectors who assess the vehicles annually.

18-Local photographer Dale Fisher and his Ery of the Eagle Publishing business are producing *Ann Arbor Visions of the Eagle*, a book of artistic photographs taken from the air and including pictures of Chelsea, Dexter and other communities about Ann Arbor.

25-According to a recent survey of Chelsea 8th, 10th and 12th graders, Chelsea Schools

has an above average drug and alcohol problem.

25-A schematic plan for development in Chelsea's North Area, prepared by the Chelsea Planning Commission, has been revised following a pair of contentious public meetings earlier this year, which brought to light numerous concerns of village residents.

25-Tuesday, April 16 the Chelsea Planning Commission approved a final site plan for the Silver Maples retirement community and made a rec-

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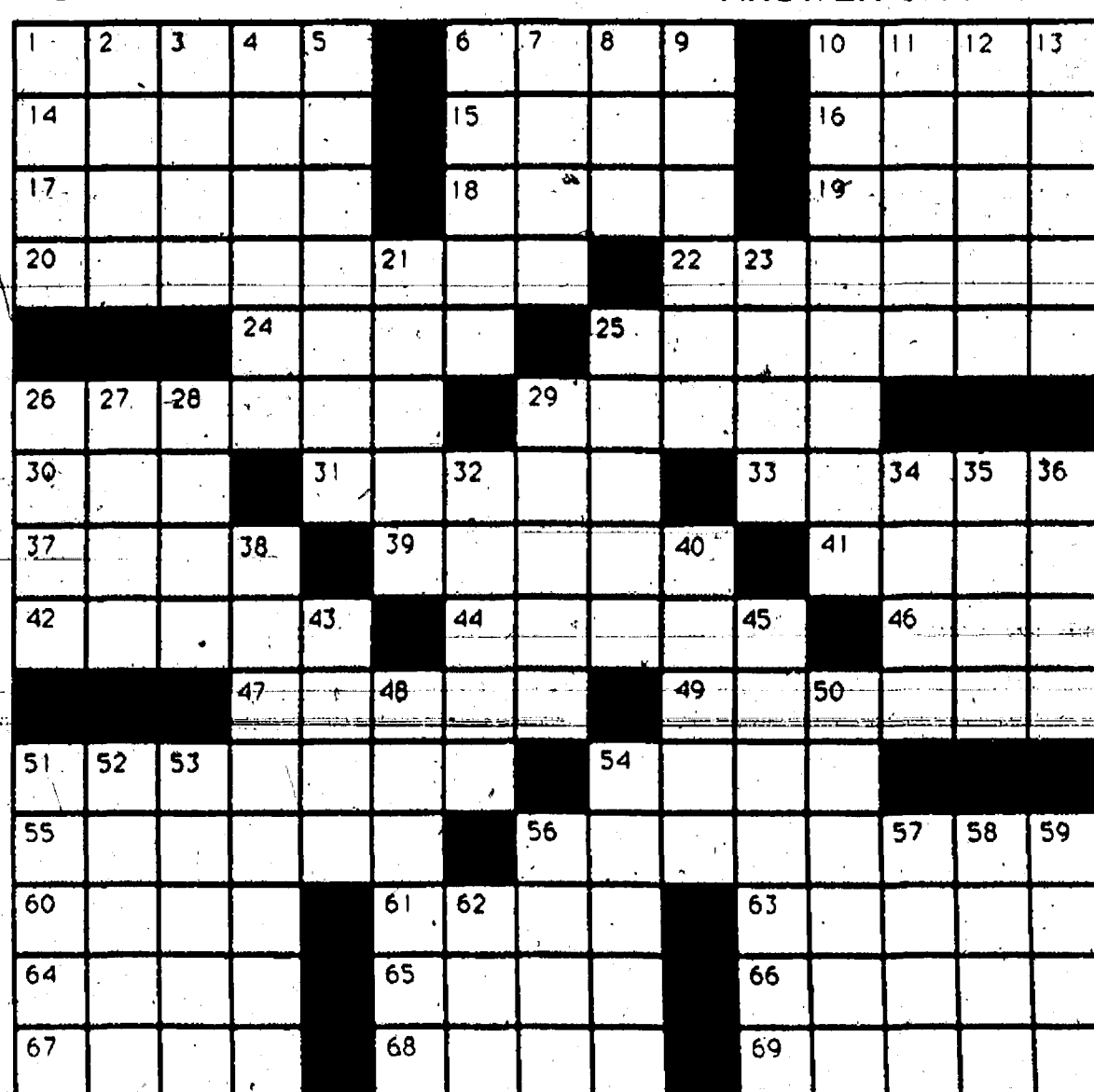
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ommendation that the Village Council approve a rezoning request from the developers. The council was expected to vote on the rezoning April 23.

25-Chelsea High School's North Central Association accreditation has been extended through the 1995-96 school year, principal Ron Mead confirmed. This action was taken at the NCA's Annual Meeting in Chicago on March 27.

25-After 19 years of supervising Chelsea's trash disposal, Solid Waste Transfer Station Supervisor Cecil Clouse is retiring at the end of May.

25-Chelsea High School teacher Paul Terpstra is putting the finishing touches on his 29th academic year, the last 28 of which have been spent teaching and coaching in Chelsea.

25-Mary Poppins was practically perfect in every way, and so was the Chelsea High School production of *The Music Man* Saturday night, April 20.

May ...

2-A special assessment was fixed in 1991 to aid the Western Washtenaw Recycling Authority for five years. The WWRA Board of Directors, composed of representatives from the participating municipalities, proposes extending the assessment for another five years.

2-According to Chelsea's Christmas in April Chairman Dick Shanefelt, this year's campaign, held Saturday, April 27, ran more smoothly than any of the previous four.

2-Final plans for a development titled Village Place Condominiums, which will be located on 9.4 currently vacant acres west of Pierce Park across M-52 and south of Pierce Street, were approved by Chelsea Village Council Tuesday, April 23.

2-Timber Town and Village officials met last week to iron out construction details prior to a massive volunteer project that will erect the Timber Town play structure.

2-Tuesday at approximately 3 p.m., employees of Federal Screw Works in Chelsea voted to strike when their then-current contract ran out at midnight. And at the appointed time they followed through.

9-With the consent of the school, Chelsea police used a trained drug-sniffing dog to detect marijuana in three cars parked in the Chelsea High

School student lot on Friday, May 3.

9-Representatives from Sylvan, Lima, Lyndon and Dexter Townships and the Chelsea School District met for the first time last week as the Chelsea Area Planning Team. Chelsea Village was expected to have a representative at the meeting but did not. Representatives from Washtenaw County government will be invited in the future.

9-Chelsea School Board scheduled ground-breaking ceremonies to mark the beginning of construction for the new Pierce Lake Elementary School and renovation of North and South Schools at its Monday, May 6 meeting.

9-Employees at Federal Screw Works in Chelsea went on strike at midnight Tuesday, April 30, and the plant remained shut down as of the time this edition went to press Tuesday afternoon, May 7.

9-This week, Chelsea sixth graders have learned about science, teamwork and fun at Mill Lake Camp in the Waterloo Recreation Area.

16-The police dog search of the Chelsea High School parking lot May 3 discovered marijuana or drug paraphernalia in three student vehicles, surprised many in the community, and seems to be eliciting some cautiously positive reactions.

16-On April 18, Chelsea Assistant Village Manager Bruce Pindzia received a request from developers Steve Tracy, Phil Jenkins and Martin Merkel to rezone roughly 147 acres of village property to allow for a mobile home development.

16-Timber Town would have no name, logo or design if not for the efforts of the Children's Committee and the input of all the children in the Chelsea area.

16-The Chelsea School District will hold Groundbreaking Ceremonies Wednesday, May 22, at the sites of three of its projects slated to begin in late spring.

16-Employees at Federal Screw Works in Chelsea went on strike in the early minutes of Wednesday, May 1, and as of Tuesday afternoon, May 14, the shutdown continued. And according to plant UAW representative Steve Kincer, no end was in sight.

23-Chelsea School Board voted Monday night, May 20 to approve Sharon Whitmore to serve as North Creek Elementary School principal.

23-Earlier this year, the Chelsea Village Council de-

clined to sign a proposed District Library Agreement. Last Tuesday, May 14 the library board offered some preliminary amendments to that agreement, in hopes of revitalizing the District Library process.

23-Monday, May 27 VFW Post 4076 and American Legion Post 31 will jointly sponsor a celebration honoring United States military veterans.

23-Wednesday, May 15 a banquet honored 41 Chelsea High School seniors who have maintained outstanding grade point averages throughout their high school careers.

23-The Chelsea Village Council reluctantly agreed to test an experimental remedy to reduce copper concentrations in village water last Tuesday, May 14.

30-VFW Post 4076 and American Legion Post 31 sponsored Memorial Day celebrations in Chelsea on Monday, May 27.

30-Development partners Richard Lewiston, Leslie Lewiston and Rene Papo outlined for the Chelsea Planning Commission the type of single-family housing development they want to bring to Chelsea at the Tuesday, May 21 planning commission meeting.

30-Four candidates, Scott Broshar, Robert Turner II, Anne Williams and Jill Taylor, will vie for two seats on the Chelsea School Board in the June 10 election.

30-With baseball caps flying and children singing, the



Chelsea kids took part in the official groundbreaking marking the beginning of the Chelsea School District's \$45 million building and renovation project.

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Chelsea Bulldogs softball team had their best run in the post-season tournament in more than 10 years.

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6-Monday, June 10, voters in the Chelsea School District will select two school board members to replace long-time incumbents John Eisenbeiser and Joseph Redding, who are not seeking re-election.

6-A recently updated long range plan adopted by the Sylvan Township Planning Commission calls for purchasing the development rights of two larger tracts of agricultural land within the township.

6-Members of the Chelsea School Board and Chelsea administrators used an informal meeting Monday night, June 3, to begin deciding how the current high school building and facilities will be used when a new high school opens in the fall of 1998.

6-According to Barb Krenz, she and the 60 members of the local group "Healthy Schools for Chelsea's Children" are angry because environmental concerns in the construction and renovation of Chelsea schools are being minimized, if not ignored.

6-The Chelsea Village

a mobile home development.

13-Early Sunday morning, Chelsea High School students Andrea Hopkins and Masha Brun carried the Olympic flame a little closer to the 1996 Olympics in Atlanta, and they'll remember the experience much, much longer than the time they actually carried the torch.

13-Belleville Mayor Dennis Fassett spent the day in Chelsea last week, while Richard Steele and several other village officials toured Belleville on Mayor Exchange Day Thursday, June 6. The two communities were paired through the Michigan Municipal League.

13-A labor dispute that lasted for over a month has been settled, and Monday employees of Federal Screw Works in Chelsea were back at their jobs for the first time since April.

13-Chelsea Bulldogs softball team won their quarter-final game against Clawson Tuesday night, 7-0, to advance to the state semi-finals in Battle Creek on Friday.

13-The Chelsea School Board will be listening to a formal proposal for Chelsea Schools to start an alternative education program for high school students in the near future.

13-Bob Carr parlayed many years of school administration experience into a leadership

role at Chelsea High School over the past five months. He's served as interim principal at CHS since mid-January, and when he hits the road after his last day on June 14, Carr will remember CHS as a strong, vibrant and multi-faceted school.

20-The work of literally thousands of volunteers, in cooperation with playground designers and builders Leathers & Associates, Chelsea Vil-

lage, area children and others culminated with the completion of Timber Town Sunday night, June 16. Only final detail work remained to be done on Monday and beyond.

20-The Washtenaw County Department of Environment and Infrastructure Services has opened a satellite office in Chelsea.

20-At the Tuesday, June 25 Chelsea Village Council meeting.

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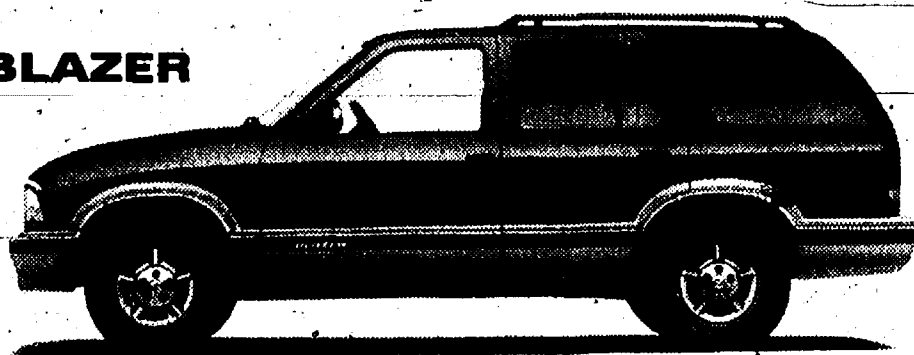


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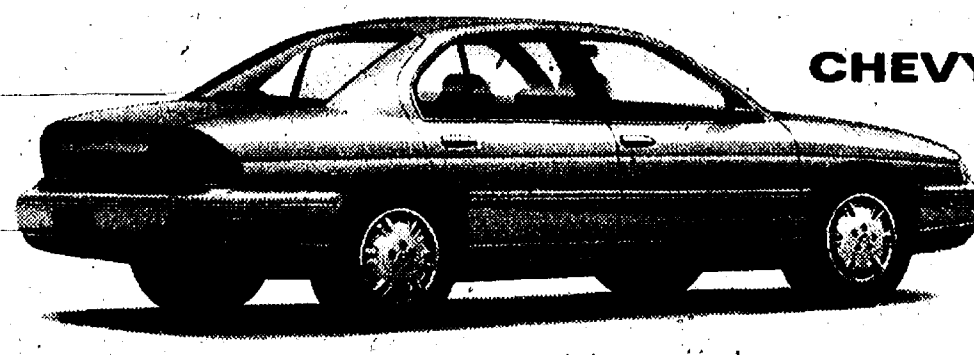
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ing, the council will analyze funding for the Chelsea Recreation Council, specifically the way its fees apply to village residents.

20-If you go to the Purple Rose to see the *Harmony Codes* just to laugh, you won't be disappointed.

20-Bobby Friss built a national reputation by touring relentlessly with his Florida-based band, often playing 300 shows a year throughout the country. Now that he's based in Chelsea, he's slowed down, but just a little. He'll be performing solo Friday and Saturday at Cleary's Pub on Main Street.

20-According to two area residents, the maintenance of Pierce Park in Chelsea is substandard and potentially dangerous.

20-Chelsea completed its most successful softball season since the team won the state title in 1985 with a trip to the state semi-finals Friday at Bailey Park in Battle Creek.

27-A public hearing on a request to rezone 117 acres within Chelsea village to allow for a mobile home development drew an overflow crowd which strongly objected to the developer's plans last Tuesday, June 18.

27-At last week's Chelsea Planning Commission meeting, a contentious public hearing on a request to rezone 117 acres within the village to allow for a manufactured home development raised two questions which weren't clearly answered. How are property taxes paid on a mobile home development? And how is density of units in a development calculated?

27-Fireworks will once again explode in the Chelsea sky over the Chelsea Fairgrounds this Fourth of July.

27-Amanda Hood will be only a junior at Chelsea High School this fall, but already her artwork is on display in prominent places.

27-Monday afternoon, Timber Town was full of playing children and appreciative adults putting the newly erected play structure to good use. They might appreciate it even more by knowing how much time, effort and material was donated for Timber Town's construction.

27-Chelsea Planning Commission briefly reviewed its North Area Plan at last week's Tuesday, June 18 meeting.

27-Monday night, the Chelsea School Board approved purchasing up to 2.5 years of retirement for Beach Middle School Principal Darcy Stielstra, at an up front cost of \$23,841, contingent on his resignation from the district and release of employment rights.

27-Two-year Chelsea Planning Commission chairman Tim Eder will step aside at the July planning commission meeting. He will remain a commissioner, while current commissioner Doug Denison assumes the duties of chairman.

27-Last week, Paul Rentschler of the Huron River Watershed Council urged the Chelsea Village Council to sign on with the environmental organization and fight to lower phosphorus levels in the Huron River, its tributaries and derivative bodies of water.

July ...

5-The Chelsea Village Council declined to sign on to the district library process earlier this year, but Tuesday, June 25 the council endorsed a revised agreement. Now the process moves on to the townships, where it might raise more objections.

5-The new Chelsea High School will be modern and state of the art when it opens its doors in the fall of 1998. But last week local government officials criticized the school's reliance on an old fashioned dirt road.

5-According to Chelsea Village Manager Jack Myers, members of the Chelsea Village Council, Gene Drive homeowners and property owners will soon meet with a neutral facilitator from the Michigan Municipal League to try and settle the conflict about what should be done with the private road.

5-Joseph M. Merkel III has been named Chelsea Citizen of the Year. He found out about his award during a surprise

presentation at the Chelsea Village Council meeting June 25.

5-The Chelsea Village Council explored the cost of Chelsea Recreation Council programs and the need to review the ordinance they're based on at its Tuesday, June 25 meeting.

5-Sylvan Township Planning Commission will hold a public hearing on its long-range plan Monday, July 8. The plan features Purchasing Development Rights (PDR) strategy. At the Wednesday, June 26 meeting of the Chelsea Area Planning Team, local officials discussed a potential complication to the Sylvan plans.

5-Chelsea High School will provide an alternative education program beginning next fall. The school board approved the proposal Monday night, July 1.

11-The Sylvan Township Planning Commission held a public hearing on its long-range general development plan Monday, May 8.

11-On Thursday, July 11, at 6:30 p.m., the Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners will hold a work session at the Washtenaw County Administration Building in downtown Ann Arbor, dealing with the issue of Purchasing Development Rights or PDR.

11-Drs. Chad Carlson and Matthew Denno, both third-year residents in the University of Michigan Department of Family Practice, have been



Volunteers worked hard to build Timber Town in June.

land and open space land is a hot issue in Washtenaw County.

Still, as yet there are no certain PDR plans affecting the Chelsea area.

18-Chelsea Library Board President Dan Kaminsky said that library representatives will be approaching the township boards of Sylvan, Lima, Lyndon and Dexter Townships soon to seek support for the revised District Library Agreement.

18-The recently released Toxic Release Inventory, compiled by the Environmental Protection Agency, indicated

on the stage at Chelsea High School July 25-27, have something for everyone who wants to participate, according to CAP president Mark Nelson.

18-While big discount appliance stores attract customers with prices that look lower on the surface, plenty of customers are digging deep enough to appreciate Heydlauff's Appliances' focus on service.

25-Last week, with a court reporter recording the discussion, developer Phil Jenkins and attorney Ann Marie Ronchetto sat silent as the Chelsea Planning Commission moved to recommend that the village council deny a request to rezone 117 acres within the village to allow for a manufactured home development.

25-A group of Lima Township residents is exploring methods to oppose the rezoning of 157 agricultural acres to allow for residential use.

25-Seventy-two Chelsea High School students excelled on advanced placement tests this spring, scoring, as a group, Chelsea's best in the past five years in several categories.

25-The death of life-long Chelsea resident and veterinarian Dr. Wilfred Lane, D.V.M., last Friday saddened many in the community who have appreciated his kindness, loyalty, dedication and patriotism.

25-Dexter Township is considering the adoption of an ordinance that attempts to recover costs of fire and emergency medical runs made within the township's boundaries.

25-The Aug. 6 primary promises to be an interesting bout as two long-time supervisors fight for their jobs, two political newcomers who've never held elected office face off, and contested races heat up in Webster, Sylvan, Lima, Lyndon and Dexter Townships.

August ...

1-In addition to contested races for township supervisor in Lyndon, Dexter and Webster Townships, the Tuesday, Aug. 6 primary election features contested races for trustee in Lyndon, Lima, Dexter and Webster Townships, treasurer in Sylvan and Dexter Townships, and clerk in Dexter Township. Also up for nomination are county, state and national posts.

1-As expected, the Chelsea Village Council followed the recommendation of its planning commission and denied a rezoning request to change 117 acres of agricultural land to allow for a mobile home development at the Tuesday, July 23 meeting.

1-The Sylvan Township Planning Commission moved to adopt its general development plan on Thursday, July 25.

The plan includes provisions for purchasing the development rights of two large tracts of agricultural land in the southeast and southwest corners of the township, funding the purchases through a township millage.

1-"Uptown, Downtown, All Around Town," is the theme of the 23rd Annual Chelsea Sidewalk Festival Aug. 2-3.

1-The Chelsea Village Council has appointed a seven-member committee to study three potential sites for a village municipal building or complex and make a recommendation to the council.

1-The Chelsea Village Council chose not to support placing a county-wide purchasing development rights proposal on the November general election ballot, as two citizens groups urged them to, at the July 23 council meeting.

1-The next time you see a commercial on television or hear one on the radio, remember that the music you hear might have been composed by Chelsea music man Brian Brill.

8-Six finalists from about 30 applicants for the Beach Middle School principal position were expected to be interviewed Wednesday by Chelsea school officials.

8-It appears that the Chelsea Village Council denial of a rezoning request to land 117 acres of agricultural land to allow for a mobile home park will end up in court.

8-Political newcomer John Sdao upset long-time Dexter Township Supervisor Jim Drolett in Tuesday's Republican primary.

8-Norine Collins had called The Village Bakery her second home for most of the last 21 years. But on Tuesday, July 30, the long-time manager of the Chelsea bakery lost that home when the bakery, a downtown institution, closed.

8-The Common Market, prominent in downtown Chelsea on the northeast corner of intersecting Main and Park Streets, is in the process of being sold.

8-Representatives of Lyndon, Lima and Sylvan Townships made the case for an area-wide fire department at the Wednesday, July 31 Chelsea Area Planning Team meeting, and Chelsea Village President Richard Steele seemed amenable to the idea in the long-term.

8-Last week on the Washtenaw County Farm Council Grounds near Saline, over 800 youths from all over the county participated in the Washtenaw County 4-H Youth Show.

8-A committee appointed by the Chelsea Village Council is meeting to study possible sites for a new village hall and how inclusive the new facility should be.

15-Chelsea Schools Superintendent Ed Richardson indicated Tuesday afternoon that Bill Wescott, principal at North Elementary School for the past 12 and one-half years, will be recommended to the school board Monday, Aug. 19 as permanent principal at Beach Middle School.

15-All schools in the Chelsea School District are looking forward to beginning the 1996-97 school year. All buildings will begin on Tuesday, Aug. 27.

15-Tuesday, Aug. 20 will be a big day for children at the Chelsea Community Fair.

15-Chelsea area voters won't see a county-wide purchasing development rights (PDR) proposal on the November general election ballot.

15-Somewhat surprisingly, the Sylvan Township Board decided at its Aug. 7 meeting that no Purchasing-Development-Rights proposal would appear on the November ballot for township voters to approve or reject.

15-This time, Bert Kruse says he's retiring for good.

Kruse's 34 years of coaching Chelsea athletics appear to be over, at least for now.

15-Jeff Sloan certainly understands the importance of strength training and conditioning in athletics.

Sloan, an assistant football and baseball coach at Chelsea, pioneered a summer strength and conditioning program through Chelsea Community Education for students to train during the off-season.

15-Long-time Dexter Township Supervisor Jim Drolett's defeat in last Tuesday's primary is sending shock waves through the township.

22-As expected, the Chelsea School Board appointed Bill Wescott principal at Beach Middle School on Monday night, Aug. 19.

To be continued next week.

BOWLING

LEISURE TIME	W	L
Mafia	45.5	18.5
No! Yeh	39	25
Bowlerman	38	28
Late Ones	33.5	30.5
Doves	32	32
Sweetrollies	30	34
Early Birds	21	39

High Game: Carolyn Stoffer, 180
High Series: Carolyn Stoffer, 470

SUNDAY NITE COME ON

	W	L
BS ers	42	21
St. Stan's	39	24
Who Cares	38	25
Fire & Ice	36	27
Pin-Me	36	27
D & C	34	29
New Kids On The Lanes	34	29
Pin Busters	34	29
Still Rollin'	33	30
Yo Yo's	31	32
The Four Wheelers	31	32
Proctor Racing	28	37
The Big Dogs	24	39
Waterloo Aces	23	40
Late Starters	22	41
T-C's	21	42

High Game: Karen Strock, 214; Jerry Fitch, 244
High Series: Karen Strock, 575; Lee Pichan, 640

JUNIOR HOUSE

	W	L
Associated Drywall	75	37
JENEX	69	43
Jiffy Mix	66	46
Mark IV Loupe	65	47
Washtenaw Engineering	65	47
Daniel's Lyons Den	64	48
Chelsea Glass	63	49
Cleary's Pub	62	50
Robert's Body Shop	62	50
Certified Tractor	58	54
Thompson's	57	55
Chelsea Lanes	56	56
Wolverine Food & Spirits	52	60
3-D Sales & Service	46	66
Norm's Body Shop	46	66
LA Voss	36	76
Vogel's Party Store	35	77
Ten Pins Left	29	83

Bowling Date — 12-26-96

High Game: J. Blake, 276

High Series: N. Jeffery, 658

Bowling Date — 12-19-96

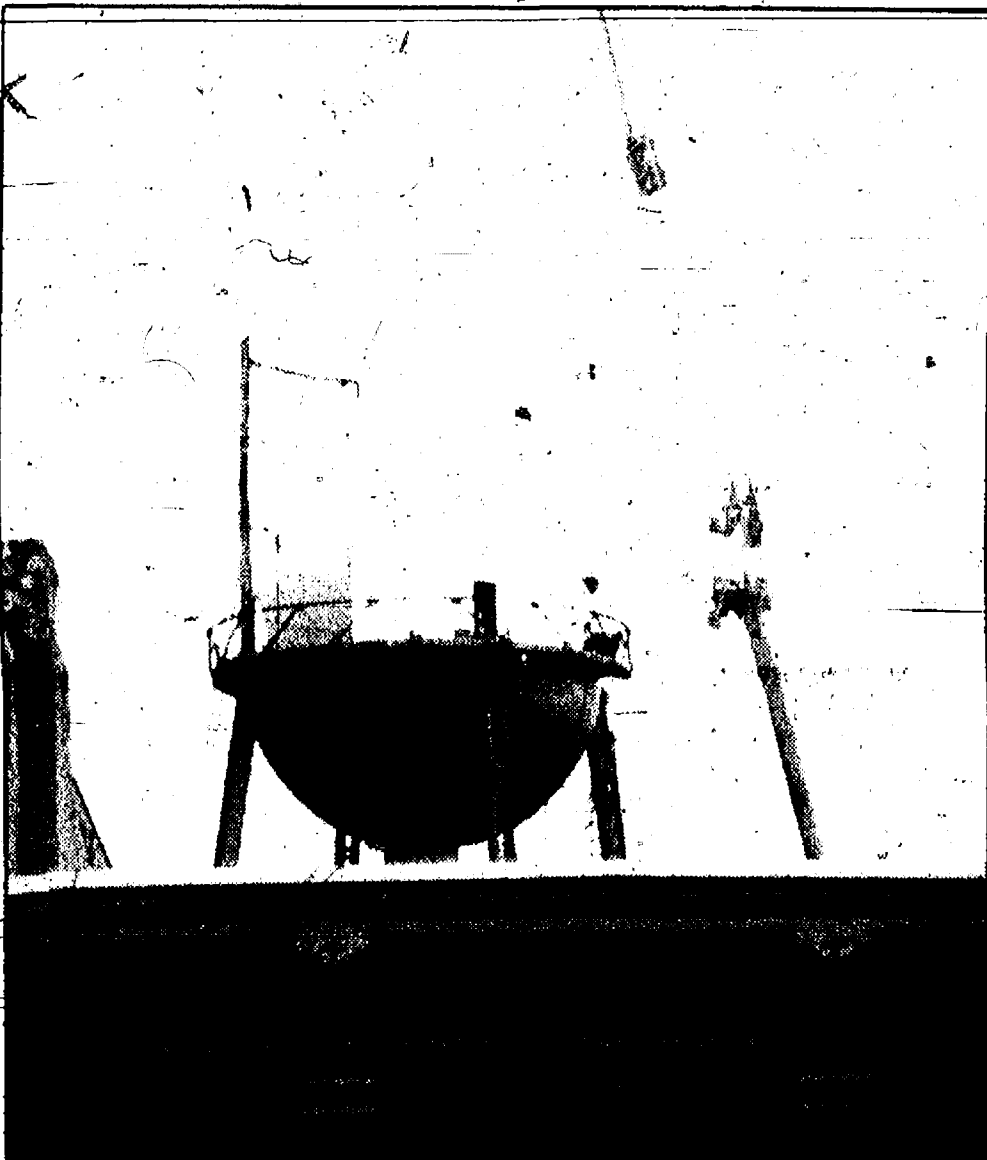
High Game: K. Schiller, 257

High Series: J. Blake, 657

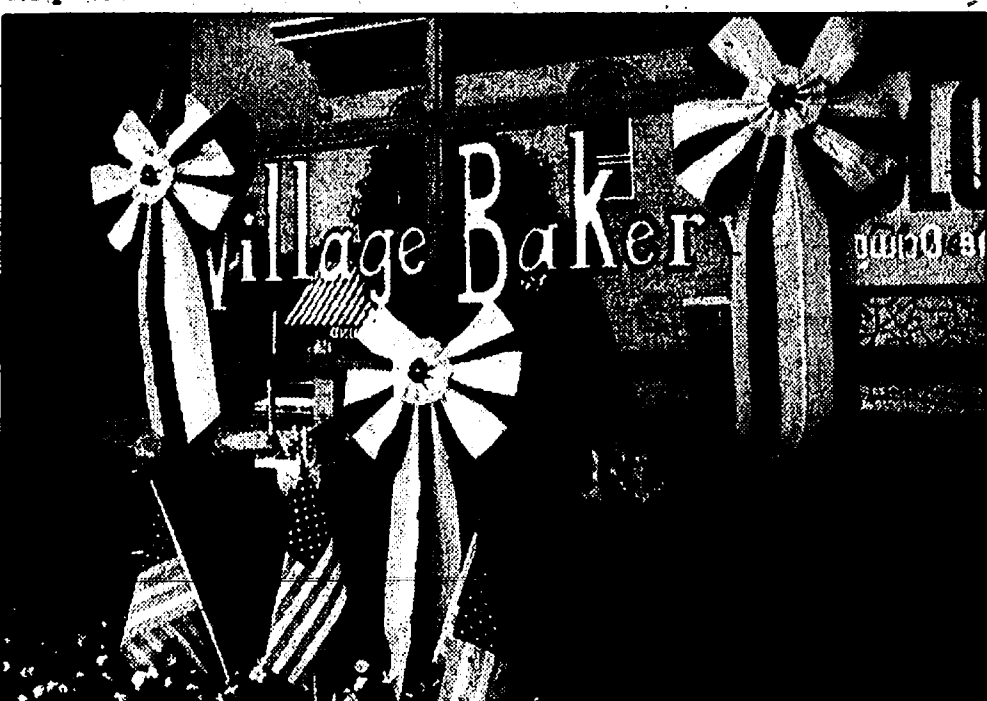
CHELSEA LANES MIXED

	W	L
Lima Beans	66	47
Looney Tunes	65	48
Double E	70	49
Double Trouble	67	66
Hot Sauce	65	68
Classy Telo	64	69
The Baby-makers	61	72
D & E Enterprises	59	53
Pinbusters	57	76
Greenhills Landscaping	57	76
T-N-T	51	75
S.T.O.	48	64

High Game: Janet Schulze, 176; Bob McDougal, 214
High Series: Janet Schulze, 456; Tim Schulze, 574



Chelsea won't quite be the same with the old water tower gone and the old Village Bakery closed down. A new bakery has taken its place.



crucial in operating a free once-a-month clinic aimed at the areas needy children.

11-New music groups, 50/50 Raffle and trivia contests are just a few of the many new events scheduled for the 23rd Annual Chelsea Sidewalk Festival.

11-The Lima Township Planning Commission recently recommended rezoning of 157 acres zoned for agriculture to allow for rural residential development, which would be limited to one unit per three acres.

However, the Lima Township Board has tabled the rezoning issue until confusion over the township long-range plan can be cleared up.

11-Chelsea School Board members will be paid \$25 per meeting in the future, an increase Chelsea Superintendent Ed Richardson says brings remuneration in line with most other area school boards.

18-Government agencies Purchasing Development Rights (PDR) to preserve agricultural

that Hatch Stamping in Chelsea released 38,339 pounds of trichloroethylene into the atmosphere in 1994.

Lauren Wilson of Hatch Stamping explained the procedures the company has taken to reduce emissions in the past two years. Hatch Stamping plans to eventually eliminate all emissions of trichloroethylene, she said.

18-Chelsea Village Council revised its ordinance covering special assessments at the Tuesday, July 9 meeting.

18-Chelsea Village Council President Richard Steele indicated at the July 9 council meeting that the process of selecting a site for a new municipal building was narrowing, and he hoped that the issue could be resolved yet this year.

18-Beginning with the bill they receive in August (billing for July services), Chelsea village residents will be billed monthly for water and sewer service.

18-The Chelsea Area Play-

**SYLVAN TOWNSHIP
PLANNING COMMISSION
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**

TO BE HELD

THURSDAY, JANUARY 23, 1997 7:30 PM

**SYLVAN TOWNSHIP HALL
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SUBJECT OF MEETING:

• A rezoning request located at the northwest side of Cavanaugh Lake and the east side of Crooked Lake and change the present zoning from Agriculture to LR-Low Density Residential; from RC-Recreation Conservation to Agricultural; from RC-Recreation conservation to LR-Low Density Residential for the purpose of road relocation and development of residential properties.

LEGAL DESCRIPTION:

Land located in the following N.W. 1/4 section 8; S.W. 1/4-section 5; S.E. 1/4 section 5, Sylvan Township. This land located in the vicinity of the northwest side of Cavanaugh Lake and the east side of Crooked Lake also referred to as Dr. Fellers Development.

A complete copy of the legal description is available in the office of the clerk, 112 W. Middle Street, Monday and Wednesday 9 a.m. to 12 noon.

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F-150 Super Cab 4x4
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F-250 Super Cab Diesel
Explorer XLT 4x4
Conversion Van, low miles
High Cube Van

1994

Ranger Super Cab Splash 4x4
F-350 Crew Cab 4x4 Diesel
F-250 4x4 Reg. Cab
Ranger Super Cab 4x4
Explorer Eddie Bauer
Ranger Super Cab 4x4
Cherokee 4x4, Sport
Ranger Splash 4x4
Ranger 4 cyl., 5 speed XLT

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93 Aerostar
93 F-250 Plow Truck
93 Explorer Eddie Bauer
93 Jeep Wrangler Hard Top
92 F-250 Super Cab 4x2
92 F-350 4x4 Diesel
92 Ranger Super Cab
92 Conversion van
92 Toyota Ext Cab Pickup
92 C2500 4x4
92 F350 Crew Cab Dually 4x4
92 F250 Reg Cab 4x2
91 F-350 Crew Cab
90 E150 Cargo Van
90 Bronco XLT
90 F-150 4x4 Plow Truck
90 B-250 Cargo Van
90 F-150 Super Cab
90 Aerostar
90 Ranger Super Cab
88 F-250 4x4
88 E350 Cargo Van

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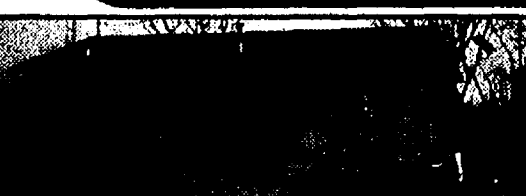


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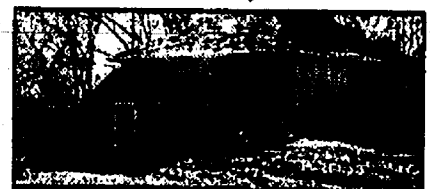
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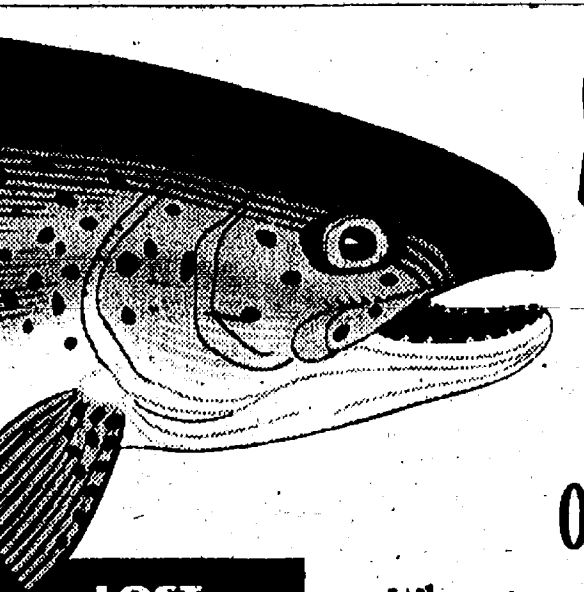
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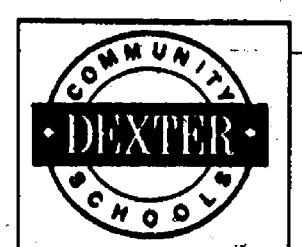
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AREA DEATHS

ANNA L. "SWEDIE" HOCKING

Formerly of Chelsea

Age 74, of Glidden, Wis., formerly of Chelsea, died Friday, Dec. 27, 1996 at Flambeau Hospital in Park Falls, Wis. She was born on May 18, 1920 in Glidden, the daughter of Anna (Vogt) and Christian Kempf. She graduated from Glidden High School in 1938 and in 1940 she graduated from Ashland County Teachers College. She taught grades 1-8 at the Gordon School in Glidden for two years. On Sept. 15, 1943 she married Leonard Hocking in Ironwood, Mich. Mrs. Hocking was employed by the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor and lived in Chelsea, for 30 years until she and her husband retired and made their home in Glidden in 1982. She was an active member of Trinity Lutheran Church in Glidden and also served on many church boards.

She is survived by two sisters, Marge Eineichner of Glidden and Ella Milewski of South Milwaukee, Wis.; one brother, Lawrence "Cherry" (Shirley) Kempf of Glidden; and many nieces, nephews, and other relatives and friends. She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Leonard, in 1983; four sisters, Katie Zimmerman, Bertha, Lucas, Gertrude Kempf, and her infant sister, Eva; and four brothers, Lee, Nick, Christian, and Frank Kempf.

Funeral services were held on Monday, Dec. 30, 1996 at 10 a.m. at Trinity Lutheran Church in Glidden. The Rev. Michael Pahlke officiated. Burial will take place in the spring.

Arrangements by Novitzke Funeral Home, 322 Sherry Ave., Park Falls, Wis., 54552.

KENNETH H. SCHNEIDER

Ann Arbor

Age 76, died Dec. 25, 1996 at the University of Michigan Hospitals. He was born April 24, 1920 in Ann Arbor, son of Otto and Lois (Onley) Schneider. Mr. Schneider was a member of the American Legion Post 557, Dexter, and a veteran of WWII, serving in the U.S. Infantry. On Aug. 26, 1960 he married Dorothy (Rettig) VanBlaricum. He retired from Hind's Industry in April of 1981.

He is survived by his wife, Dorothy Schneider; son, Robert (Martha Lee) Schneider of Elk Rapids, Mich.; daughter, Susan (Don) Cole of Idaho; eight grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; step-son, Harlan (Nancy) VanBlaricum of Dexter; two step-children; two brothers, Don (Joanne) Schneider of Ann Arbor and Erwin (Irene) Schneider of Saline; and nieces and nephews.

A memorial service was held Friday, Dec. 27, at 11:30 a.m. at St. Andrew's U.C.C., Dexter, with the Rev. Gary Kwiatek officiating. According to the family wishes, cremation has taken place. For those who wish, contributions may be made to St. Andrew's C.C.C., University of Michigan Trauma Center or a charity of one's choice.

PHOEBE "ALTA" PIERCE

Chelsea

Age 97, died Monday, Dec. 23, 1996 at Cedar Knoll Care Center, Grass Lake, where she had resided since Dec. 5. She was born on Aug. 21, 1899 in Chelsea, the daughter of Herman and Minnie (Dancer) Pierce. She lived on the Pierce farm on Freer Road before moving into the village during WWII. She retired from Federal Screw Works in 1966.

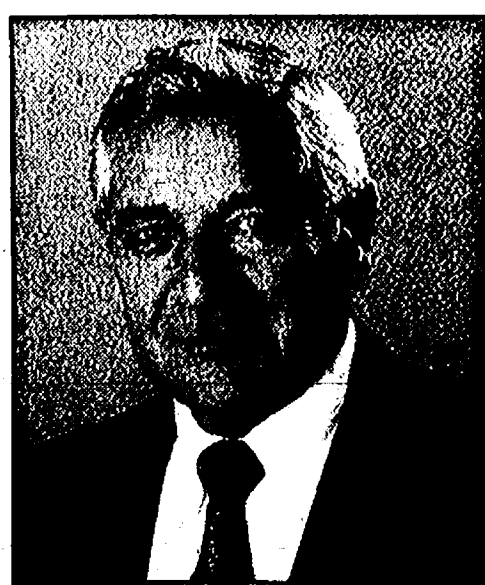
Survivors include six nieces and nephews, Gary Wortley of Chelsea, Dean Wortley of Battle Creek, Shirley Walker of Marquette, Betty Ingram and Lois Lantis of Whitmore Lake and Dr. Charles Pierce of Ontario.

Funeral services were held Thursday, Dec. 26, at 11 a.m. at Cole Funeral Chapel, Chelsea, with the Rev. Ronald Clark officiating. Burial followed at Oak Grove Cemetery, Chelsea. Her family will receive friends Thursday 10-11 a.m. Memorial contributions may be made to Faith In Action, Chelsea.

AREA BIRTHS

A daughter, Brittany LeeAnn Schlacht, was born Nov. 27 to Kathy Norris and Gary Schlacht of Chelsea. Maternal grandparents are Lee and Lori Norris of Chelsea. Paternal grandparents are the late Elma and Bernard Schlacht of Ludington. Brittany joins one brother, Gary, 14, and two sisters, Joyce, 12, and Christine, 10.

A son, Thackery Taylor, was born Dec. 8 to Scott and Alice Newton of Great Falls, Mont. Maternal grandparents are Muriel and the late Alfred Juergens of Chelsea. Paternal grandparents are David and Jackie Newton of Sanger, Calif. Thackery has one sister, Christine, 2.



Arden A. Musbach

ARDEN A. MUSBACH

Chelsea

Age 64, died Friday, Dec. 27, 1996 at home following a long and courageous battle with prostate cancer. He was born on Aug. 12, 1932 in Munith, Mich. to Ione and Elton Musbach. Arden lived in the Chelsea area most of his life. At the time of his death, Arden was president of Ardeo, Inc., an automotive marketing firm representing Magna International and its subsidiaries. He spent his entire 42-year business career in the automotive field. During his life, Arden was involved in numerous community- and school-related activities in the Chelsea area.

Surviving are his wife of 40 years, Ruth Ann; his daughter, Jane Ann; son, Randy Arden; daughter-in-law, Mollie; and four grandchildren, Jennifer, Emily, Katherine and Andrew Musbach.

A funeral mass was held Monday, Dec. 30, 1996, at St. Francis of Assisi Church, Ann Arbor, with the Rev. Fr. Charles E. Irvin presiding. Private interment was in Mt. Olivet Cemetery, Chelsea. The family is especially grateful for the care and compassion given to Arden during his illness by Elaine Chottiner, M.D., James Peggs, M.D., Toni Wilson, R.N. and the staff of Individualized Home Nursing Care. Expressions of sympathy may be made to Individualized Home Nursing Care, Inc., 3003 Washtenaw, Suite #3, Ann Arbor, 48104. Arrangements by Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home, Chelsea.

HAZEL L. PECK

Hastings

Age 75, died Friday, Dec. 27, 1996 at her home. She was born Jan. 8, 1921 in Hastings, Mich., the daughter of Paul and Gladys (Olin) Bryant. She was reared in the Hastings area and graduated from Hastings High School in 1939. She was married to Philip R. Peck on Oct. 8, 1943 and lived in Ann Arbor for many years before returning to Hastings in 1974 to reestablish her hometown ties. She was employed as a medical technician in doctors' offices, laboratories, hospitals and nursing homes for all her working life. She attended the Welcome Corners United Methodist Church and was involved with many community organizations.

Preceding Mrs. Peck in death were her parents; her husband on Dec. 4, 1972; and her sisters, Norma Stubbs and Anne Bryant. Survivors include three daughters, Melinda Robb of Jackson, Susan Ray of Ann Arbor, and Sara Hickey of Chelsea; two sons, Patrick Peck of Ann Arbor and Russell Peck of Battle Creek; eight grandchildren; one great-granddaughter; and a sister, Mary Herrell of Mexico, Ind.

A memorial service will be held at noon on Saturday, Jan. 4 at Welcome Corners United Methodist Church, with the Rev. Carl Litchfield officiating. Burial will be in the Dexter Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to Welcome Corner United Methodist Church, Barry Community Hospice, or a charity of one's choice. Arrangements by Wren Funeral Home, 1401 N. Broadway, Hastings, Mich. 49058.

CARMER L. SLOCUM, JR.

Chelsea

Age 78, died Saturday morning Dec. 28, 1996 at the Veterans Medical Center, Ann Arbor. He was born Feb. 4, 1920 in Ann Arbor, the son of Carmer L. and Mary Magdalene (Shanz) Slocum. Mr. Slocum was a life-long resident of Chelsea for 50 years. He was formerly a carrier for The Ann Arbor News and was a veteran of the US Navy, Sea Bees, serving in WWII.

At Napoleon, Ohio on July 5, 1941 he married Imogene Smith and she survives. Also surviving are his four children, Michael Slocum of Chelsea, Mary K. Corkern of Dexter, Carmer J. Slocum of Chelsea, and Gregory R. Slocum of Houston, Texas; three grandchildren, Victoria Wright, Stephen Slocum and Matthew Wright, one great-grandchild, Alexander S. Slocum and Matthew Wright. One brother, Kenneth Slocum of Tucson, Ariz.; and two aunts, Leah Cannell of Jackson and Irene LaMarca of Grand Rapids. He was preceded in death by a brother, Charles F. Slocum. Memorial services will be announced at a later date. Expressions of sympathy may be made to the Veterans Medical Center for eye care. Arrangements by the Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home, Chelsea.



Lois A. Palmer

LOIS A. PALMER

Chelsea

Age 93, died Tuesday morning Dec. 24, 1996 at the Chelsea Retirement Community. She was born May 21, 1903 in Middleville, Mich., the twin daughter of Fred and Stella (Robertson) Stokoe. Mrs. Palmer had been a resident of Chelsea since 1924, and was a member of the First United Methodist Church. She graduated from Michigan State Normal at Ypsilanti, and taught school in Chelsea. Mrs. Palmer was a charter member and a past-president of the Chelsea Child Study Club, which became the Chelsea Woman's Club.

She was married on Oct. 30, 1926 to Leigh G. Palmer, founder of Palmer Motors Sales. Mr. Palmer preceded her in death on July 24, 1973.

Surviving are her son and daughter-in-law, George A. and Donna Palmer of Chelsea; her daughter, Mary Becker of Miami, Fla.; four grandchildren, Suzie Palmer Weber, Carol Palmer, Chris Becker, and Ann Daniels; four great-grandchildren, John and Matt Weber, Carly and Spencer Daniels; and her niece, Lois-Palmer Moore of Chelsea. Mrs. Palmer was preceded in death by her twin sister, Lola K. Stokoe on July 3, 1996; a sister, Agnes Brooks, in 1985; and infant daughter, Sally, in 1927. Funeral services were held Friday, Dec. 27 at 1 p.m. at the chapel of Chelsea Retirement Community, with the Rev. Rebecca Foote officiating. Burial was in Oak Grove Cemetery, Chelsea. Expressions of sympathy may be made to First United Methodist Church, Chelsea.

MARY FERRERO

Chelsea

Age 88, died at her home on Tuesday, Dec. 17, 1996 after a brief illness. She was born in Herrin Ill. on Jan. 11, 1908, the daughter of Camilla and Costanza Garagiola. In June of 1929 she married John Ferrero and they moved to Rochester, Mich. He preceded her in death in 1985. Shortly thereafter she moved to Chelsea to live with her son, Charles, and his wife, Janice. While in Chelsea, she was an active member of the Chelsea Senior Citizens and was the Chelsea Senior Citizens Fair Queen in 1995. Among her many activities, she especially enjoyed quilting.

She was also survived by her brother, Joe Garagiola, and his wife, Agnes; nieces Linda Heinke, Josephine Elbinger, and Marian Ferrero; and a nephew, Harvey Ferrero.

Committal services were held at Christian Memorial Cultural Center on Hamlin Road in Rochester Hills on Friday, Dec. 20 at 11 a.m. Memorials may be made to the Chelsea Senior Citizens Center, 500 Washington St., Chelsea, or to Individualized Home Nursing Care Hospice c/o Security Bank, 100 S. Main St., Ann Arbor, 48103. For more information, call Lynch & Sons Funeral Directors at (810) 684-6645.

JULIANNE F. SCOTT

Tecumseh

Formerly of Chelsea

Age 78, died Wednesday morning Dec. 25, 1996 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital. She was born Oct. 22, 1918 in Chelsea, the daughter of Edward and Cora (Foster) Beissel. Mrs. Scott was life-long resident of Chelsea, and a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church and the Altar Society. She was preceded in death by her husband, Joe C. Scott, on July 16, 1994.

Surviving are her two sons, Basil (Sandra) Scott of Churubusco, Ind. and Joseph (Cathy) Scott of Tecumseh; and a daughter, Jane (Ken) Callison of Tecumseh; her brother, Ed Beissel of Chelsea; and grandchildren Joshua and Christian Scott, Sally, Heather and Brooke Scott, Scott and Jodi Callison, and Kimberly and Greg Callison Johnson; and three great-grandchildren, Megan and Nikki Callison, and Madison Johnson. She was preceded in death by her parents; and two brothers, Richard and Gerald Beissel; and a sister, Eleanor Studacher.

The funeral mass was held Saturday, Dec. 28 at 11 a.m. at St. Mary's Catholic Church, with the Rev. Fr. Philip Dupuis officiating. The Vigil and Rosary were held Friday at 7:30 p.m. at the Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home. Burial was in Mount Olivet Cemetery. Expressions of sympathy may be made to St. Mary's Church.

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Raymond E. Babb, Pastor

Sunday: Worship, 10 a.m.

North Sharon Baptist Church

17999 Washburne Rd., Grass Lk.

428-7222

Bobby D. Toler, Pastor

Sunday: Sunday School, 10 a.m.

Worship, 11 a.m. Evening Service,

7 p.m.

Wednesday: Bible Study, 7 p.m.

Catholic

St. Mary's Catholic Church

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475-7561

Rev. Fr. Philip Dupuis, Pastor

Saturday: Confessions, 12-1

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Sunday: Mass, 8 and 10 a.m.

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Church of Christ

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Dr. Joe Lorimer, Evangelist

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805 W. Middle St., Chelsea

475-2528

Jeff Crowder, Pastor

Sunday: Sunday School, 9:45

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Wednesday: Small groups, 7

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Episcopal

St. Barnabas

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Rev. Dr. Jerrold Beaumont

Sunday: Christian Education,

10 a.m., Services, 10 a.m.

Wednesday: Services, 7:30 p.m.

Free Methodist

Chelsea Free Methodist

7665 Werkner Rd.

475-1391

Mearl Bradley, Pastor

Sunday: Traditional worship,

8:30 a.m. Contemporary worship,

11 a.m. Evening service, 6 p.m.

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Rev. Mark Porinsky, Pastor

Sunday: Worship 10 a.m.

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Rev. Dale Grimm, Pastor

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David Hendricks, Pastor

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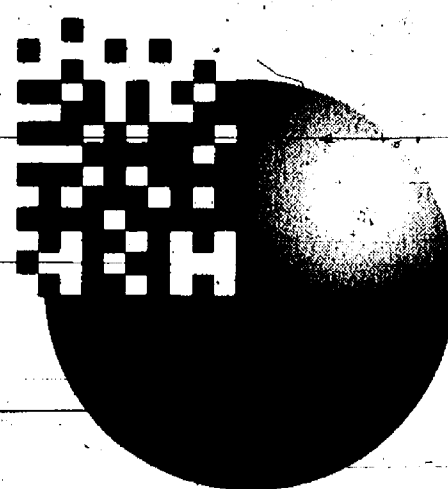
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