



# The Chelsea Sta

\*\*\*\*\*  
1379 10-21-98  
MCKUNE MEMORIAL LIBRARY  
221 S. MAIN STREET  
CHELSEA, MI 48118  
copy

Printed on Recycled Paper

ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-SIXTH YEAR—No. 44

CHELSEA, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY, APRIL 2, 1998

28 Pages This Week

## Around Town

### Portage Lake level to be raised

The lake level at Portage Lake will be raised between 12 and 15 inches beginning April 6, reaching its summer level by April 11, according to Washtenaw County Drain Commissioner Janis Bobrin.

Each year the lake level is lowered to reduce frost damage and erosion to the lake. Homeowners should prepare for the raising of the lake, which is coordinated with the opening of the boat launch facilities.

For more information call Dennis Wojcik, deputy drain commissioner, at 994-2525.

### Road Commission accepts Trinkle Road paving bid

The Washtenaw County Road Commission voted to accept the low bid from E.T. MacKenzie of Grand Ledge to pave Trinkle Road from Freer Road to the driveway of the new Chelsea High School, a distance of 1,800 feet. The lowest bid out of seven was \$214,752.80.

The road commission and Chelsea School District will share the cost of the project, which is scheduled to begin in early May and completed by mid-August. During the construction, a hill east of Freer Road will be lowered about 1.5 feet.

### Palmer Ford mechanic hurt in auto accident

Palmer Family Ford mechanic Fritz Siebert, 33, was critically injured March 18 in an auto accident on Old US-12 near Pierce Road in Sylvan Township. Siebert, a Jackson resident, was listed in critical, but stable, condition at the University of Michigan Hospital Monday.

According to police reports, Siebert was driving on Old US-12 when his car spun out of control, went across the center line and was broadsided by another car, driven by Royston P. Morgan, 68, of Chelsea. Morgan suffered injuries, but was not critical.

Siebert's supervisor, Matt Villemure, said Siebert was doing a standard road test on a customer's car when the accident occurred. The car was in the shop for a problem with the heating system, which Villemure said would not have affected the performance of the car.

"It sure is a tragedy," Villemure said. "We've got our fingers crossed, but it's not good."

### School Board candidates need to file by April 6

Potential candidates for Chelsea School Board need to file nominating petitions by 4 p.m. April 6 to be eligible for the June 8 election. Interested residents must turn in a completed nomination packet with 20 signatures to the superintendent's office at Chelsea High School, 500 Washington St. Packets can be picked up from the superintendent.

### Library to hold amnesty week

To induce borrowers to return overdue books, Chelsea District Library will hold amnesty week April 19-25. Any materials returned during this week will not be charged overdue fines.

"Return those things long overdue and don't worry about your sheepishness," said Library Director Metta Lansdale in a statement. "We don't want an arm or a leg, we really only want the book back."



—Blues Brothers Rock House at North Creek—

North Creek Elementary School student council held a variety show recently to showcase the talents of students of all ages. Acted ranged from gymnastics and dance routines to songs and skits. Pictured here are Blues Brothers (and blues sisters) Evan Mathis, Matt

Johnson, Pete Kinsey, Margy Brill, Elizabeth Gunden, Sean Murphy, Abe Rosentrefer, Justin Smith, Rick Kinsey and Joseph Gunden.

## Chapman leaves legacy of voluntarism

By Eric Bowen  
Staff Writer

Kathleen "Katie" Chapman was a familiar face.

She could be seen at St. Mary's Catholic Church, where she was a member for 82 years. She was a longtime member of Faith In Action, a volunteer at Chelsea Community Hospital, a charter member of Rotary and treasurer of the village.

In fact, it would be difficult to find a place where Chapman wasn't familiar. So when Chapman died March 22, her loss was felt throughout the Chelsea community.

"I think anybody who has been in Chelsea very long knows Katie Chapman," said Georgia Beeman, executive secretary for the village. "She was just a lovely lady. I'll miss her a lot and I'm sure all the various groups she participated in will miss her too."

Chapman, 86, was born Aug. 30, 1911, in Grass Lake, the daughter of George and Anna (Nagy) Toth. She graduated from St. Mary's High School and Cleary College.

Chapman married Wilbur Hatt in 1936, and he died in

1949. She married again to Leon Chapman in 1959, and was widowed again when he died in 1966. Chapman survived by her stepson Larry Chapman, his wife Shirley and her stepson-in-law Howard Baker, who was married to her late stepdaughter, as well as several grandchildren, great-grandchildren, nieces and nephews.

Chapman began volunteering for local groups after she retired from Washtenaw County Extension Service in 1976. Aside from her work in her church and for the village, she volunteered with several women's groups, including the Knights of Columbus Auxiliary, the American Business Women's Group and the Diocesan Council of Catholic Women.

Chapman was also noted for taking in the families of patients at Chelsea Hospital. Since Chelsea has no hotel, Chapman took in more than 150 boarders over the years.

"She was a very generous person," said Nadine Shaneyfelt, assistant to the president

of Faith In Action, where Chapman volunteered since 1987. "Katie was always there and always ready to do anything."

"Someone would ask 'Katie do you have room for somebody' and she would say 'yes, send them on down' and she would take care of them."

For her volunteer efforts, Chapman was honored in 1995 as Chelsea Citizen of the Year. She received a commendation in 1976 from then Gov. Milliken for 25 years of public service and a personal note from President Clinton in 1994 for a nomination for the President's Volunteer Action Award, which commended her "outstanding work that has made a positive difference."

Chapman's funeral services were held March 26 with Rev. David Dupuis of St. Mary's Catholic Church presiding. Dupuis said retired Bishop Kenneth Povich came to the ceremony to honor Chapman.

"We talked about the different ways she influenced the community and the faith we all shared," Dupuis said. "It was not supposed to be a



Katie Chapman was one of this community's finest citizens.

eulogy. It was a warm sort of a thing."

Shaneyfelt said the ceremony and honor of the bishop was fitting for the woman Chapman was. She said she never stopped giving, even when she started to have heart trouble.

"She volunteered at the hospital even when she needed a wheelchair," Shaneyfelt said. "She was the type of person who wasn't going to rust out. She was truly a person who wore out."

## Loss of girl who was 'always happy' stuns community

By Eric Bowen  
Staff Writer

Chelsea High School junior Lauren Elizabeth Dean died Friday at the University of Michigan Hospital from injuries suffered in a car accident at the corner of M-52 and Waterloo Road.

According to Michigan State Trooper Dave Koetsier, Lauren was driving her 1985 Honda Civic north on M-52 at about 8 a.m. when she made a left turn in front of oncoming traffic. She was struck by a 1992 Chevy pick-up.

Lauren, 16, was transported via helicopter to the hospital where she underwent surgery. She died at 5 p.m. later that day.

"She was always a happy person," said Christy Dean, 18, one of Lauren's three sisters. "She was never mean to anybody in her life."

Lauren is the daughter of Ronald and Carla (Dunbar) Dean of Lyndon Township. Her other sisters are Heather, 23, and Jessica, 11.

Christy, who graduated from CHS last year, said Lauren had just dropped Jessica off at school and was returning to get a book she had forgotten. Christy learned of the crash from a neighbor who knocked on the door.

Christy woke her older sister, who drove to the crash site. Once she arrived, Christy didn't leave the car.

"My oldest sister and I drove out there," Christy said. "She wouldn't let me out of the

car because I was flipping out."

Chelsea Fire Chief Dan Ellenwood said the fire department had to use the jaws of life to pry Lauren out of the car. He said officers had some trouble removing her because her legs were stuck in the car and it took approximately 15 minutes to get her out.

The pick-up driver, identified as Lynn Louise Malcolm, suffered a broken leg and was taken to the U-M Hospital by ambulance, according to Koetsier. Malcolm was traveling about 50 miles per hour in a 55-mile-per-hour zone at the time of the crash.

Lauren was born Oct. 21, 1981, in Ann Arbor. She was active in choir and drama at Chelsea High School.

Aside from her parents and sisters, Lauren is survived by several aunts, uncles and cousins. Visitation was held Sunday and Monday at Cole Funeral Chapel and the funeral was held Tuesday.

Christy said school counselors have plans to set up a memorial service for Lauren, since many students are away on spring break and were unable to come to the ceremonies. Christy said most of Lauren's friends were in town.

Christy said her sister's death is still sinking in.

"I know she's gone but it's just hard to deal with," she said. "I try to pretend it's not real, but I just can't keep doing that."



Friends and family paid their final respects Tuesday to Lauren Dean.

## Methodists to hold annual Easter festival

Chelsea Free Methodist Church is holding its fourth annual Easter celebration at the Chelsea High School auditorium on Easter Sunday, April 12. Coffee and fellowship begins at 9:30 a.m., with the worship celebration at 10:30 a.m. Child care will be provided.

The annual event began as a means to offer to community members without a church an opportunity to celebrate Easter Sunday with their families. Average attendance for this service has been close to 500 people.

The event also gives members of the Free Methodist Church the opportunity to worship together as a church family, as the growth of the church in recent years has necessitated offering two Sunday morning services.

## Council tables office verdict

By Michael Rybka  
Special Writer

Chelsea Village Council tabled a request for proposals March 24 concerning the renovation of their E. Middle Street offices.

The latest plan envisions the village's administration offices retaining their E. Middle Street location and moving the police department to an undetermined site. The request for proposals states the desired specifications of the plan that will be sent to architectural and design firms.

Despite urging by Trustee Steve Daut, who stated that the current proposal was almost identical to one presented two months earlier, Trustees Brian Cashman and Frank Hammer both thought the elapsed time warranted a rereading of the document to refresh their memories.

Hammer also requested a list of the recipients of the plans. The proposal was still moving too fast for Trustee Carol Rauschenberger, who expressed concern that approval of such a proposal would appear to be a commitment by the village to adopting the latest plan.

Village President Richard Steele said that if cost estimates were prohibitive, the council would not pursue the proposal. He admitted, however, that it currently appears to be the best solution to the long-debated topic.

In another matter, the council decided to hold an

(Continued on Page 14)

## School Board buys new buses

By Eric Bowen  
Staff Writer

Chelsea school board spent March 24 mostly giving out information, taking action on only three items in the 2½-hour session, but discussing 11 more.

The board voted to award a bid of \$157,291 to purchase three new school buses. Executive Director of Business Operations Jim Novak said the buses will not replace any currently in use, but older buses will be used as substitutes when the new buses enter the fleet.

In another action, Novak was appointed to oversee the upcoming school board elections, which will be held June 8. Nominating petitions for candidacy must be received by April 6.

The board received a donation of approximately \$6,500 in materials and labor from local parents to build two baseball dugouts. Softball parents donated similar dugouts two weeks ago.

After voting in the three actions, the board received a report about the progress of

(Continued on Page 14)

# The Chelsea Standard

ESTABLISHED 1871

BRIAN HAMILTON  
General Manager/Editor

MICHELLE ROGERS  
Associate Editor

ERIC BOWEN  
Staff Writer

JULIE THIMMES  
Advertising Consultant

KRISTEN CARPENTER  
Advertising Consultant

LYDIA JOHNSON Production Coordinator  
SARAH STEELE, TERRY LINDSTEDT  
Customer Services



The Chelsea Standard and The Dexter Leader are published every Thursday by Heritage Newspapers. Business office at 20750 Old US 12, Chelsea, Mich. 48118. Periodical postage paid at Chelsea, Mich. 48118 under the Act of March 3, 1879. Postmaster: Send address changes to The Chelsea Standard/The Dexter Leader, 20750 Old US 12, Chelsea, Mich. 48118. Office hours are: 8:30-5:00 M-F

Information: 313-475-1371/FAX 475-1413  
E-MAIL: standard@globalbiz.net



Subscription Rates:  
\$20 per year  
Deadlines:  
Press Releases: Monday, noon  
Display Advertising: Monday, 5 p.m.  
Classified Advertising: Monday, 4 p.m.



National Advertising Representative  
MICHIGAN NEWSPAPERS, INC.  
827 N. Washington Ave.  
Lansing, Mich. 48906

## ATTENTION VACATIONERS! Replacement Tops for Tent Campers



since 1920

617 S. Ashley • Ann Arbor • 313-665-9126

## Law Offices of Susan E. Zale, P.C.



- **ESTATE PLANNING & PROBATE:** including wills, living and federal estate tax planned trusts, health care directives and powers of attorney
- **REAL ESTATE:** including sales or purchases of residential and business property, For Sale By Owner, title problems and land divisions
- **SMALL BUSINESSES:** including choice of entities, business startups and succession planning
- **SENIOR'S/ELDER LAW:** including planning for retirement, long-term health care, incapacity and health care decisions

475-5777  
114 N. Main  
Suite 10  
Downtown Chelsea  
sezale@aol.com

## Side Street Garage Auto Repair



Dan Hoffenbecker  
Owner

Domestic & Japanese Imports  
Over 20 Years  
Mechanical Repair Experience  
• State & ASE Certified •

121 Buchanan St.  
(Just off N. Main)

475-2278



### Foundation should feature local band

I am writing regarding the Chelsea Education Foundation fundraiser that was held at the Common Grill.

This gathering generated \$110 per couple toward the Chelsea Education Foundation.

Well, that is all right, as long as the money is going toward education. However, did you notice who provided the entertainment? The Community High Jazz Band provided music throughout the evening.

I am sure that they are a wonderful group, but if individuals or couples are paying that amount of money, shouldn't they see a group that they support? The committee hired the band. They paid a group (not at all involved in Chelsea Education) to come and play.

If the reason is that there is no one else to hire, I greatly disagree. I know that there are plenty of groups who would likely be willing to play, that live in, go to school in, and are involved in Chelsea public schools.

Think about it. To whom is the money going? It is definitely not going to Community High School.

I have personally seen many excellent groups in Chelsea perform that would be wonderful contributions to the fundraising evening. Everyone would enjoy both the middle school and the high school jazz bands. A group from the orchestra program would gladly play (I am involved), and I cannot be sure, but choir groups would probably participate as well.

Or, if they would like more experienced performing groups to hire, then why not

employ a group from within the community? For instance, I am also involved in a group that does gigs called the Chelsea House Orchestra.

I believe that the point of the fundraiser is to get money for Chelsea education. Are they implying that our groups aren't good enough? Or do they not know of willing groups here in Chelsea? I am sure that many families would make a special effort to go to a fundraiser that highlights kids from their area.

Sarah Maynard,  
Beach Middle School

### We'll miss Katie Chapman

It is difficult to think of Chelsea without Katie Chapman. She has been a vital part of our community for many, many years, contributing in all sorts of areas without fanfare — not that Katie sought that sort of thing.

I have known her from the earliest days of Faith In Action when we were just getting underway. As I seem to recall, Katie and I made the very first delivery of a food basket some time in 1980 when the agency was still an outreach program of St. Barnabas Church.

I remember many meetings which Katie attended as a member of the "board" struggling to discern what shape Faith in Action should take in the future.

At one such meeting I was sitting next to her and noticed that her calendar was open and there was a notation, "Fr's birthday, German Chocolate Cake." I nudged her and said, "What am I, chopped liver? I don't see anything next to my birthday." I didn't think anything more about it until, on my birthday, there was a knock at the door and there was Katie, chocolate cake in hand.

When Faith In Action was formally incorporated in 1982, Katie was soon a member of the board of trustees. In her capacity, chairing the Building Fund Raising Committee, her advice and support were instrumental in the successful construction of FIA House.

Over the years, she volunteered for many important "jobs" throughout Chelsea but one specific could always be identified in these "jobs" — helping people.

From helping at FIA House to opening her doors to families of Chelsea Community Hospital patients, her criterion never varied, "What can I do to help you?"

I am sure she would wish to think of her that way, a friend to many.

Her reward is now hearing those words we all hope to hear, "Well done thou good and faithful servant."

Rest in peace, Katie, we'll miss you.

The Rev. Jerrold F. Beaumont, DD

### District listens to concerns

As a parent with children in the Chelsea School District, I felt compelled to write in response to letters recently published regarding all-day/alternate day kindergarten and our school district.

I have always been a stay-at-home mom and our children have never been in a day-care setting, and yet we chose to put our twin boys in all-day/alternate day kindergarten last year. Because we couldn't wait to "dump" them on the school as many who speak out against this program want to believe? No, just the opposite. We wanted to retain one more year of having full days where they could be at home with mom in the routine that we had come to cherish

and enjoy. As parents who both attended parochial schools, the Chelsea School District has been our first experience with the public school system. To date, the district has listened to our concerns, informed us of curriculum, and provided our boys with teachers that have gone above and beyond in their roles as teachers. Our children feel secure, loved, and most importantly, want to go to school.

We have always felt that the school offers one avenue, but by no means the only avenue, to educating our children. In our experience, the Chelsea School District has worked with us as a great partner, along with our church and the daily experiences we offer our children as parents, in providing them with a well-rounded, comprehensive education. And while we may not always agree with every decision that is made in the school district, we support the democratic system, and will continue to speak highly of our Chelsea school board, administration, teachers and staff.

Judy Stratman

### St. Patrick's Day was memorable

My family and many friends spent a memorable St. Patrick's Day evening at the Wolverine listening to Chelsea's Bud Johnson singing many beautiful Irish ballads including the very special "Danny Boy" and other oldies. His accomplished accordionist, Steve Takacs, added to the enjoyment of everyone.

Chelsea is surely blessed with many talented people!

I'm sure the many patrons in attendance on this special occasion will long remember this wonderful night of music.

So Bud, keep singing! You have a God-given talent.

Mary Jane Dettling

## Uncle Apollo

We won! The minute my pal Bill got my letter about the whole Great Lakes flap in Congress, this senator guy from Vermont backed off and said he never really wanted his dinky little lake to be a Great Lake, anyway. And to top it off, we discovered that this senator guy was only posing as my long lost brother, Alf, to take advantage of the clout the Apollo name carries in Washington.

Well, I've been through these kinds of influence-grabbing ploys once before when one of the Kennedys tried to change his name to Apollo, but I rebashed that one right away, so I know how to deal with it.

Anyway, I revealed the Leahy scam to some of my more influential buddies and he's not gonna try that again, believe me. Except that in a final desperate move at revenge, he killed my application to make Cavanaugh Lake into the sixth Great Lake just as it was on the President's desk. I'll tell you, this whole political scene is a big chess game with all sorts of maneuvering and stomping on other

people and stuff like that. It's a dirty game, I'll tell you.

In fact, it's about time somebody got this Congress straightened out, and who better than me? People just aren't aware of all the nasty stuff that goes on. If they were, they would rise up against such tyranny. In fact, I think I'll start a grass roots organization to deal with this problem.

Actually, come to think of it, maybe I'd better hire someone to do the grass-roots organizing. I actually tried it once and

I'm not very good at it. I'll tell you what. You ever seen grass roots? By the time I got them out of the ground and all washed off, it was nearly dark so I took them inside. They were all tangled up and they branched and intertwined and there was stuff like worms and grubs and beetles in them. I really don't know how anyone could never organize them. I can see right away it will take a pro to do that part.

And who knows more about grass roots than somebody that eats grass all day? My ex-running mate, Arlotta Moofellow, has nothing to do except hang out, so I'm betting she'd love to get involved here. We could call the group the CCC, for Congress Cleanup Cows. It's a natural for them, since they're natural enemies of pork, and they'd have the brand of the Food and Drug Administration behind them. And they can out-filibuster about any Congressman I know.

I'll do it, by Zingerman. I'll get working on this right away. Before you know it, the CCC will be hard at work cleaning up Congress.

And you can contribute to this worthwhile cause by sending your credit cards and a properly signed and witnessed power of attorney to Arthur Alonzo Apollo, c/o The Chelsea Standard. Together, we can make Congress a better place.



Call a Professional

Russ Armstrong  
REALTOR®

Let me use my 12 years of experience to help you buy or sell your home.

Call 475-9533  
or 761-6600

Washtenaw County's Leader  
in Real Estate Sales  
http://surovellrealtors.com

EDWARD SUROVELL  
REALTORS

# NOT SINCE THAT SNOW DAY IN 7<sup>TH</sup> GRADE HAS A BLIZZARD BEEN SO MUCH FUN.

EVERY WEEK A DIFFERENT  
FLAVOR ON SALE!

THIS WEEK:  
**BUTTERFINGER®**

\$1.79!  
16 oz.  
(all sizes on sale)

YOU COULD  
WIN A  
CARIBBEAN  
CRUISE!

IN THE DQ®  
INSTANT-WIN  
GAME!

DQ Carnival

THE BLIZZARD  
of '98  
ONLY AT Dairy Queen



Only at participating Dairy Queen's stores. Blizzard, DQ Dairy Queen, Elsin logo are registered trademarks of Am. DQ Corp. No purchase necessary. See store display for full rules. Must be a U.S. resident. Game ends 4/30/98. Prizes and discounts must be redeemed by 5/15/98. The Fun Ships of Carnival Cruise Lines, The Most Popular Cruise Line in The World's Ships Registry, Liberia and Panama. Butterfinger is a registered trademark of Nestle Food Co.

## Learn about the LIVING TRUST

Why a Will is no longer the best estate plan.

Call to schedule a free, no obligation private conference with Ronald Sharp, local attorney since 1975, specializing in Living Trusts, Probate, Wills and Estate Planning.

- How to Avoid Probate
- New Tax laws affecting inheritance
- How to save or eliminate estate taxes
- Why we all need a Power of Attorney
- How to avoid Guardianship of adults
- How to name a guardian for your children
- Recent changes in probate law



Call for your FREE personal appointment  
RONALD SHARP, ATTORNEY

426-0420

8099 MAIN STREET, DEXTER



Give ability  
a chance.



# Task force to look at PDR

The issue of farmland preservation in Michigan is going to get a well-deserved look from agricultural leaders. The Michigan Farm Bureau has announced the appointment of an 11-member, purchase of development rights task force to execute policy issues regarding farmland preservation, primarily through the purchase of development rights or PDRs. The PDR task force was called for by voting delegates at the 1997 Farm Bureau annual meeting.

Michigan Farm Bureau Legislative Counsel Scott Everett says the first activity for the newly appointed task force is a farmland preservation tour to Pennsylvania and Maryland to meet with local, county and state officials who have spearheaded several innovative and successful farmland preservation programs in those states. The trip, co-sponsored by the Michigan Farm Bureau and the Rural Development Council of Michigan, will also include 75 other interested individuals, including 22 planning officials from across Michigan, and several other farmers.

"We're going to take a look at everything that's in its infant stages here in the state of Michigan — purchase of development rights, transfer of development rights and agricultural security areas," Everett explained. "Those are the things that they've been doing

on the East Coast for 20 years and it's time, here in Michigan, to take a serious look at these programs. These programs have a proven track record for preserving farmland while curbing urban sprawl and, most importantly, they're widely accepted by the general public."

Dr. Dave Skjaerlund, executive director of the Rural Development Council of Michigan, says the Pennsylvania and Maryland region is a glowing example of what can be accomplished with proper farmland preservation tools and programs. In total, he says eight different county programs and two state programs have helped to preserve more than 160,000 acres in the Lancaster County, Pa. area.

"They have been feeling pressure from urban sprawl for a while, and they recognized the problem," Skjaerlund pointed out. "Lancaster County is the number one non-irrigated agricultural county in the country, representing almost \$1 billion in agricultural sales annually. They also happen to be right in the path of several major cities, including Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington, D.C."

Skjaerlund says Lancaster County residents made some hard decisions 10 to 15 years ago to ensure sure that residential development could continue while also preserving

the local economy's agricultural base. He says that far too often, opponents of these farmland preservation programs portray them as anti-growth.

"That's simply not the case — communities need growth. We can't just stop growth to save farmland. I don't think that's what anyone is proposing," Skjaerlund said.

"However, we can't afford to continue building houses on two, five, and 10-acre lots all throughout the countryside. It will just destroy our resource-based industries, whether it's agriculture, forestry or tourism."

Everett agrees and says population growth projections for Michigan make it absolutely necessary that Michigan residents begin to deal with this issue today.

"From 1980 to 1990, when we lost more than 850,000 acres of farmland, our state's population grew a mere 0.4 percent," Everett said.

"Projections from the Planning and Zoning Center Inc. peg our growth from 1990 to the year 2020 at nearly 12 percent. That means the conversion of farmland to residential development, unless we do something to reverse the farmland losses."

"Those population projections are apparently underestimated. Recent census figures

show that Michigan's population grew slightly more than 5 percent in just seven years, from 1990 to 1997.

Everett says there's a growing realization that preserving farmland also means redevelopment of inner cities. Participants in the Farmland Preservation tour will make a stop in Montgomery County, Md., to look at several ways the region has helped redevelop the inner cities through a concept known as "Smart Growth."

Located just north of Washington, D.C., the county has utilized local zoning to regulate urban sprawl and reinvigorate its inner cities.

"It's our opinion that 50 percent of the farmland preservation issue is redevelopment of our urban core cities and making areas that are already urbanized attractive for people to live," Everett explained. "Our tour participants will see that Smart Growth works as an urban redevelopment tool."

### Michigan Farm Bureau Purchase of Development Rights Task Force Members

Name	City	Phone
Lynn Smith	Battle Creek	616-963-9369
Larry Leach	Climax	616-746-4648
Mike Fusiller	Manchester	313-428-8992
Alan Garner	Mason	517-693-0524
Doug Darling	Maybec	313-387-3484
Oryn Moore	Nashville	516-726-1133
Bob Knoblauch	Ottawa Lake	517-486-3713
Bill Spoke	Owosso	517-723-2953
Joe Huffman	Potoskey	616-347-6823
Jim Fuerstenau	Richmond	810-727-7239
Lew Coulter	Traverse City	517-689-3672



Photo by Mary Kumbler

### —Student Council Shows School Spirit—

Students at Wylie dressed in beach attire March 11 to show their school spirit. Pictured are members of the sixth-grade student council, including, front from left, Thane Wolcott, Dan Dyer, Brittany Eklund and Rachel Smith; back from left, Chris Deegan, Amber Crumb and Emma Wheeler. Missing from the photograph are student council members Sherry Snellgrove and David Williamson.

**FORD  
MERCURY**

**KEVIN T. KERN**  
New & Used Sales  
& Leasing

**PALMER MOTOR SALES, INC.**  
222 South Main St.  
Chelsea, Michigan 48118-0070

Michigan's Oldest Ford-Dealership  
Since April 15, 1912

Bus. Phone (313) 475-1800  
Res. Phone (313) 475-0236  
Toll Free (888) 475-1830  
FAX (313) 475-1962

## THE GARDEN CORNER

There's nothing like the threat of spring to generate lawn and garden questions. Extension specialists at Michigan State University answer timely questions about vegetable gardening, flowering perennials, landscape ornamentals and related gardening topics.

**Q.** I like the idea of raising my own vegetable garden transplants. What sort of environment will I need to provide?

**A.** For starting seeds, you need warm temperatures and high humidity, and sterile containers and growing media. For good growth of seedlings, you need bright light and good air circulation. Space, time and energy — yours as well as electricity for lights — and water are other requirements. Advantages of growing your own are the wide choice in varieties available as seed and the ability to have plants to go into the garden exactly when you need them. The possibility of losing the whole lot to disease or accident is also there.

**Q.** I am looking for a low-maintenance perennial plant for a mostly sunny, kind of dry area with not very good soil. Is there any hope?

**A.** Try sedums, also known as stonecrops. This is a family

of succulent plants that tolerate or even prefer dry conditions. They will thrive in about any well drained soil low in organic matter content.

**Q.** Can I start pumpkins, squashes and cucumbers indoors to transplant outdoors after the danger of frost is past?

**A.** You can, but direct seeding is generally recommended because these crops are very sensitive to root disturbance. If you try it, start them in peat pots or pellets and transplant them when they have just one fully developed leaf to minimize transplant shock.

**Q.** I planted a wisteria vine several years ago. It's been

hardy as the catalog promised, but I still haven't seen any flowers. How much longer will I have to wait?

**A.** Wisteria vines have a long juvenile (non-blooming) stage. It may last up to 15 years, though seven is more common. How you fertilize and prune the vine may encourage or inhibit flower production. Avoid high nitrogen fertilizers, which encourage foliage growth — fertilize lightly with a low nitrogen fertilizer in early summer. The current year's flower buds were formed on last year's growth, so avoid pruning after early spring to avoid removing flower buds.

of onions to grow in Michigan?

**A.** It depends on what you want to do with the harvest. For green onions for salads and cooking you might want to plant white bunching onions. They grow quickly from seeds. (Plants thinned from rows planted for dry storage onions can also be used like green onions.) Sweet Spanish or Bermuda onions for slicing on hamburgers take most of the summer to grow from seeds or slips. These large bulbs don't usually store well. The best onions for storage are the yellow globe onions. Varieties such as Spartan Sleeper and Stuttgarter are especially well suited for storing.

**Q.** What are the best types

### Join Georgie at Chelsea Children's Cooperative Preschool



- Kindergarten Readiness • Magic Science
- Field Trips and More • Experienced Teacher
- Reasonable Rates

**NOW Is the Time to Enroll for Fall!**

Call Linda at 475-4524

### DRAPERIES & BLINDS

- all styles, all colors
- custom made
- competitively priced

• professionally installed by Ted Barron/owner with over 25 years experience and a Chelsea resident.

• FREE SHOP AT HOME SERVICE or visit our showroom

• Repairs

• 70% off select Hunter Douglas vertical blinder, mini blinds & cellular shades



• Since 1953

663-7011  
1-800-718-1001

**FREE**

We are a highly skilled team of professionals ready to help you with your real estate transaction... You get all of us at no extra charge!

**1-800-209-0056 Extension 8009**

Kathy Toth  
RE/MAX Community Associates



<http://www.mich.com/~realtor/>

OPEN Sunday, 2:30-4:00  
7511 Ann Arbor St., Dexter

1567 SQ FT UPDATED And ready for you to move into Dexter Village. 3 bedrooms, 2 bath, recent siding, fenced yard, windows, gutters, freshly painted, enclosed, 3 season porch, large living room (rare find) - \$141,000. At corner of Ann Arbor St. & Kensington Extension 154

Now you can attack the complexities of retirement planning with this sophisticated tool.



Planning for retirement? Fill out Key's Retirement Reality Check. In minutes, you can find out where you stand, where you're going and what you need to do. Call 1-800-KEY2YOU for a copy. And then sharpen your pencil.

**1-800-KEY2YOU**

www.keybank.com

HELP AT EVERY TURN



# Adopt-A-Pet

Animal Aid has rescued pets for adoption. Volunteers and foster homes are needed. For information call (810) 231-4497. Animal Aid's Web site is at: <http://members.tripod.com/~sisacc/animalaid.html>.

## DOGS

1. "Taz" — pure Pitbull, male, must neuter, over 50 lbs., tan, must-housebreak, 2 years, adult home.  
 2. "Max" — Beagle mix, male, must neuter, tri-color, housebroken, used to small kids and dogs, abandoned, under 1 year.  
 3. "Sugar" — Golden Retriever and Shepherd mix, female, must spay, 1 year, over 50 lbs., tan, fenced yard pre-

ferred, lively, housebroken, short hair.

4. "Longfellow" — Beagle, neutered male, tri-color, 4 years, vaccinated, housebroken, used to other pets, mixed with Basset Hound.

5. "Molly" — Setter mix, female, must spay, black, medium coat, housebroken, vaccinated, older kids, obedience-trained.

6. BLUE TICK/LAB MIX PUPPIES — (5), 8 weeks, all black and white.

7. "Little Bit" — Collie and Sheltie mix, male, must neuter, sable and white, must housebreak, good with small kids, no other pets, 9 years, long hair.

## CATS

1. "Spot" — white with

black spots, neutered male, medium coat, 4 years, very loving, used to small kids and cats, vaccinated.

2. "Prelude" — white and black spotted, short hair, young adult, abandoned, very loving, litter trained.

3. "Precious" — chocolate and white seal point, spayed female, declawed, long hair, used to small kids, vaccinated, 3 years.

4. "Shayla Blue" and "Scout" — 1 Himalayan and Manx mix, spayed female, lilac point; 1 Manx mix, neutered male, all 4 paws declawed, gray, both long-hairs, young adults, older kids only, home together preferred.

5. "Annie" — American Shorthair, gray and black spots, spayed female, 2 years, afraid of other pets.

6. "Chassie" — black, long hair, spayed female, vaccinated, all 4 paws declawed, 3 years, used to small kids.

## LATE ADDITIONS:

1. "Molson," "Pookie," and "Bandit" — Ferrets, 1 albino, 1 sable; 1 badger, neutered males, vaccinated.

2. "Zachary" — 7/8 black Lab, puppy, male, 3 months, housebroken, used to older kids and other dogs, nice disposition.

3. "A.J." — Fox Terrier mix, small, neutered male, brown and white spots, must housebreak, vaccinated, 1 year, older kids, wiry.

## Dexter



Photo by Mary Kumbler

### —Mill Creek Students Garner First Place—

The Community Service and Leadership Class at Mill Creek Middle School captured first place after making a presentation at the Michigan Association of Student Councils Regional Conference held in Lansing March 13. On March 27, 36 students traveled to Indiana to represent the school at the National Association of Student Councils conference. This spring, the group will host a state luncheon in Livonia. Pictured, back from left are co-adviser Jami Bronson, Jeff Evans, Rachel Borgeson and Matt Howell; front from left, Corrina Gauss, Erin Cobler and Caitlin Kalke.

## Commerce secretary to address area chambers

Area business groups are sponsoring a talk Monday, April 6, by Secretary of Commerce William Daley at the Ramada Inn in Howell.

Chelsea Area Chamber of Commerce and Dexter Area Chamber of Commerce are joining similar organizations

in Whitmore Lake, Fenton, Pinckney, Howell, Brighton and Hamburg to sponsor Daley's talk, "Successfully Competing in a World Economy" from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

U.S. Rep. Debbie Stabenow invited Daley to speak.

## All-U-Can Eat Fish or Chicken

**\$7.95** (reservations recommended)  
**Every Friday from 5:00pm - 9:00pm**  
 (other dinner choices available)

**Easter Sunday Buffet**  
**Breakfast Buffet 8 a.m. - 12 p.m.**  
**Dinner Buffet 12 p.m. - 3 p.m.**  
**Reservations Recommended**

**Sunday Breakfast 8 a.m. - 1 p.m.**  
**Reddeman Farms Restaurant**  
 475-4655 or 475-3020  
 555 S. Dancer Rd. • Chelsea

**The Ornamental Shoppe**  
 9050 Michigan State Road 53  
 Manchester, Mich.  
 - Candle Making Supplies - Yard Ornaments -  
 - Pottery - Picnic Tables -  
 - Spring Bedding Plants - Eucalyptus - Mulch -  
 - Large & Small Wreaths - Proprietary  
 Phone (734) 428-8466

## Farm Bureau fun facts offered

DNA probes are being developed to detect horse worms. American, Scottish and Australian researchers have already developed probes to detect 20 of the 65 adult nematode species. Their ultimate goal is to develop a probe that can identify egg and larval stages of the nematodes.

A mild iron deficiency occurs in approximately 16 per-

cent of women between the ages of 18 and 44. Most women aren't even aware of the deficiency, but it can be easily remedied. In an effort to eliminate fat from their diet, some women practically stop eating red meat. Try eating lean beef once in a while and see if you have more energy. You might be surprised.

U.S. soybean production in 1997 increased nearly 15 percent from 1996 levels, thanks to a 10 percent increase in planted soybean acres. How many acres total? A whopping

70.9 million total acres, up from 64.2 million in 1996.

Ethanol, in addition to making your car run cleaner, may have a future in the milling industry as well. Researchers say ethanol should let grain refiners use less water and energy to separate wheat flour into gluten and starch while also producing a product superior to older processes. Previously, large amounts of water were needed. Now refiners can use considerably less water and recycle the ethanol to do the same job.

## GRAND OPENING!

Flagstar Bank invites you to join us as we celebrate the Grand Opening of our full-service banking center in Ann Arbor now through April 18, 1998. Here is a sampling of some of our products, services and specials.

### CHECKING

Balance	APY
\$0-\$999	2.80%
\$1,000-\$9,999	3.40%
\$10,000-\$24,999	4.60%
\$25,000-\$49,999	4.60%
\$50,000-\$99,000	4.70%
100,000 +	5.10%

Maintain \$500 balance and avoid \$5 monthly service fee. \$50 opening minimum balance requirement. No per check charge. Interest is paid monthly on any balance. Monthly statement.

from non-interest to high-rate interest bearing checking accounts...we are sure there is a checking account for you. We also offer special accounts for customers 55 years of age and older, and for those who own or are buying their home.

### MONEY MARKET

Balance	APY
\$0-\$999	4.75%
\$1,000-\$9,999	5.10%
\$10,000-\$24,999	5.15%
\$25,000-\$49,999	5.20%
\$50,000-\$99,000	5.30%
100,000 +	5.40%

Maintain \$1,000 balance and avoid \$2 monthly service fee. No opening minimum balance requirement. Interest is paid monthly on any balance.

Passbook, Statement Savings, Statement Plus, Christmas Club, Vacation Club and Minor Accounts with low minimum balance requirements and competitive interest rates.

### CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT

We offer the best rates on CD's GUARANTEED on like FDIC-insured certificates offered by other financial institutions in Washtenaw County. You may also add .10% to the current posted APY on any new Certificate of Deposit opened now through April 18, 1998 at any of our Washtenaw County Banking Centers if you present this advertisement at the time of opening. A \$500 minimum opening balance is required.

**ADD .10% IF OPENED BY 4/18/98 WHEN YOU PRESENT THIS AD.**



WASHTENAW COUNTY LOCATIONS	1601 Briarwood Circle • Ann Arbor • 734-214-2265
	413 E. Huron • Ann Arbor • 734-663-9969
	2001 Commonwealth • Ann Arbor • 734-994-7800
	1290 S. Main Street • Chelsea • 734-475-6646

Offer good through April 18, 1998 during lobby hours at our full-service banking centers located in Washtenaw County. Restrictions apply. Visit or call for additional information. Competitive rates must be available. Annual percentage yields (APY) effective as of 3/17/98 and are subject to change at any time. Certificate of Deposit guarantee is valid only on like FDIC insured certificates of deposit offered by financial institutions operating within Washtenaw County. Coupons are not legal tender for any purpose except at Flagstar Bank when used with the accompanying offer. Flagstar Bank, Community Banking Headquarters, 301 W. Michigan Avenue, Jackson, MI (800) 642-0039

### GRAND OPENING OFFERS

## Register to WIN

One of many prizes to be given away in conjunction with our Grand Opening Celebration including:

Red Wings VIP Package



Must be at least 18 years old to enter. Drawing held 4/18/98. Need not be present to win. Winners contacted by mail or phone. Void only at the 1601 Briarwood Circle location. No purchase necessary.

## \$100 Off Mortgage Closing Costs

With This Coupon



Coupon expires 4/18/98. Valid only at the Washtenaw County Banking Centers of Flagstar Bank. Some restrictions apply.

## First Order of Checks

Present this coupon and receive up to:

\$10.00 Off Your First Check Order



Valid only at the Washtenaw County Banking Centers of Flagstar Bank. Offer expires 4/18/98. Some restrictions apply. MEMBER FDIC

## Discount on Home Equity Loan or Line

Inquire at any Washtenaw County Banking Center for Details.



Valid only at the Washtenaw County Banking Centers of Flagstar Bank. Offer expires 4/18/98. Some restrictions apply. Limit one per household. MEMBER FDIC

**6.00% APY**

ON NEW CLASSIC CHECKING, STATEMENT PLUS OR PASSBOOK PLUS ACCOUNTS FOR 3 MONTHS.



Valid only at the Washtenaw County Banking Centers of Flagstar Bank. Offer expires 4/18/98. Some restrictions apply. Limit one per household. MEMBER FDIC

## CHELSEA ANIMAL HOSPITAL

Complete veterinary care for small animals.

**Paula C. Rode, DVM**  
**(734) 475-0815**

1475 South Main  
 Chelsea, Michigan 48118

Mon., Wed., Fri. 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
 Tues., Thurs. 8 a.m. - 8 p.m. Sat. 8 a.m. - 1 p.m.



### Specialist in Orthodontics

- 20 years experience
- No referral necessary

515 S. Main St., Chelsea  
 (313) 475-2260



**Raymond P. Howe, D.D.S., M.S.**

## Hearing Problems? It May Be Wax!

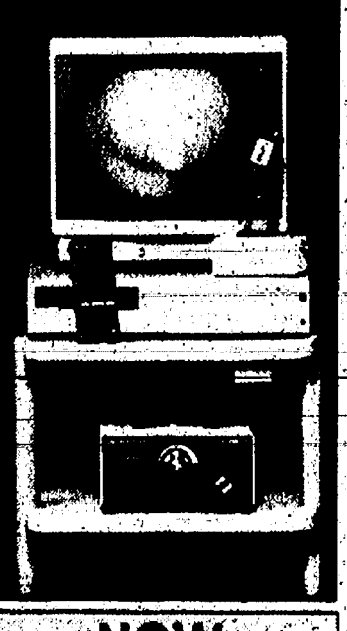
Excessive ear wax can block your hearing and understanding abilities. Our new Video Oscope will show you if ear wax may be your problem. Watch the examination of your ear on a color TV monitor.

**Come in for your FREE Video Ear Scan and Screening by Appointment Only**

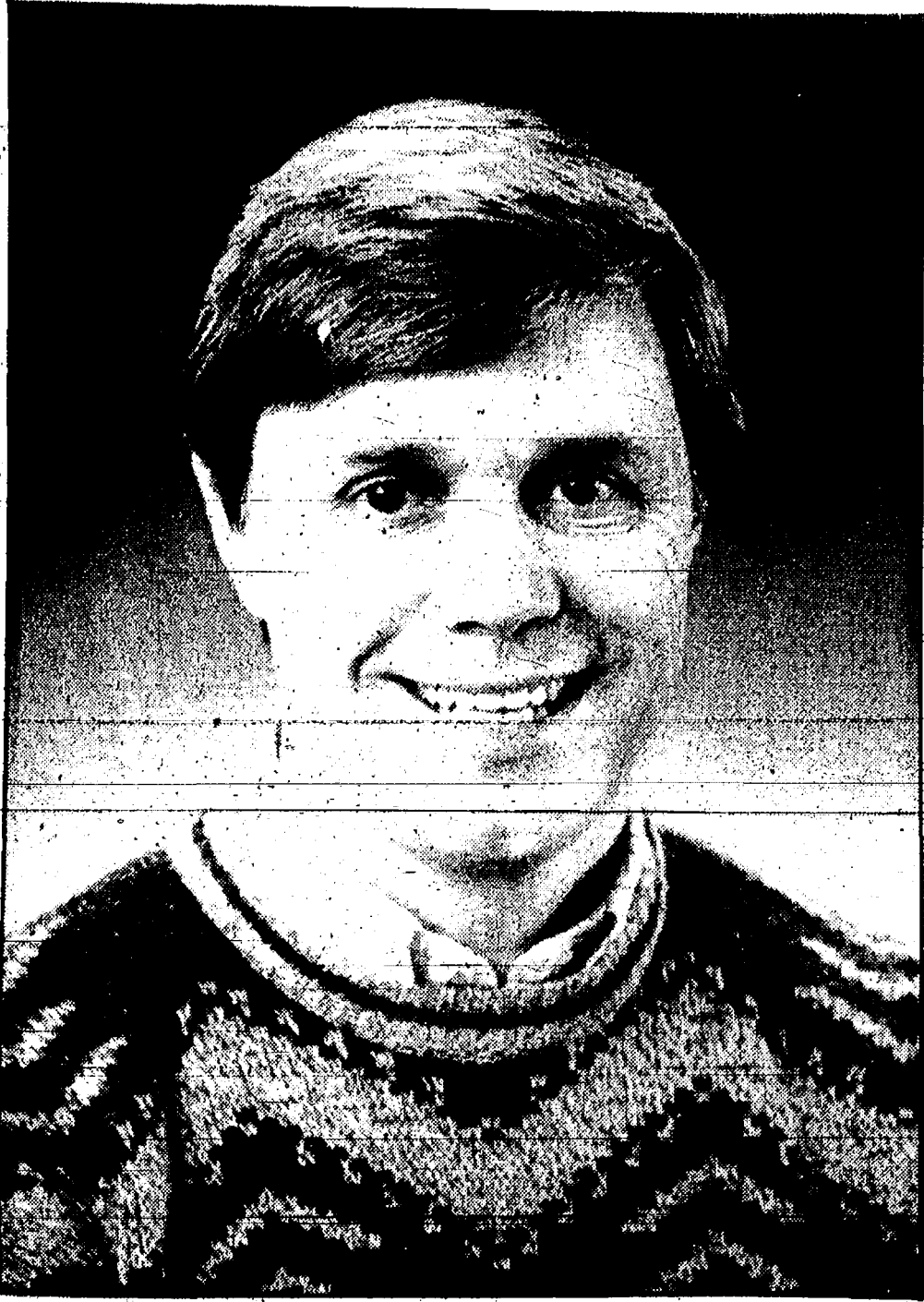
### Chelsea Hearing Aid Centre

Custom & programmable hearing instruments  
 Testing • Repairs • Batteries • Accessories

HOURS: Mon.-Thurs. 9 - 4:30; Closed 12:30 - 1:00  
 Eves., Fri. & Sat. by appt. only  
 134 W. Middle • Suite A 313-475-9109



**NOW AVAILABLE ALL-IN-THE-CANAL ULTRA-MINI**  
 Hearing Instrument Advanced Micro-Technology



**—Chelsea Man Appointed to EMU Staff—**  
Eastern Michigan University Board of Regents recently appointed Paul Steven Dotson of Chelsea as technology manager in the computer science department. Dotson earned his bachelor's degree in computer science at EMU in 1973 and has served as hardware maintenance supervisor at EMU since 1987.

**Weddings, Engagements  
and Anniversaries**



**ENGAGED:** Tammy Gregory, daughter of Brenda and Robert Gregory of Dexter, and Kevin O'Donohue, son of Linda and Dennis O'Donohue of Saline, are engaged and planning a July wedding. The future bride is a 1990 graduate of Dexter High School. She is employed at the J.C. Penny Sajan. The future bridegroom is a 1989 graduate of Saline High School. He is employed by the University of Michigan.

**Family Medicine**

**By John C. Wolf, D.O.**  
Associate Professor of  
Family Medicine  
Ohio University College of  
Osteopathic Medicine

**Question:** A person I know was injured in a car wreck and had his spleen removed. I'm sure we talked about the spleen in school, but that was some time ago.

My American Heritage dictionary says the spleen is: "A large, highly vascular lymphoid organ, lying in the human body to the left of the stomach below the diaphragm, serving to store blood, disintegrate old blood cells, filter foreign substances from the blood, and produce lymphocytes." But what does this mean? What does the spleen do, and what problems occur when you don't have one?

**Answer:** As your dictionary says, the spleen does several jobs that are important, but none of them is essential for life. The spleen is an impor-

tant part of both the blood system and the immune system, and as a consequence, it has a very large blood supply. An injury that damages the spleen has the potential to cause life-threatening internal bleeding. It is probably this risk of hemorrhage that made it necessary for your friend to have his spleen removed. Unfortunately, this is not an unusual consequence of abdominal injury from a car wreck.

An important function of the spleen is to serve as a reservoir for certain blood components, particularly white blood cells that help fight infection and platelets that are necessary for clotting. B and T lymphocytes, specific types of white blood cells, are produced in great numbers within the spleen. These are released into circulation to combat bacteria wherever they are encountered, not just within the spleen.

The spleen also filters small particles from the blood — especially bits and pieces of worn out red blood cells. After scavenging these particles from the blood, the spleen recycles the components. Another important group of particles in the blood are bacterial invaders. The spleen captures these and then the immune system within the spleen begins its attack upon them.

In childhood the spleen also plays a role in forming new blood cells, but this is not so in adults. The important jobs done by the spleen can be taken over, in part, by other organs. Therefore, the spleen is not essential. Life is not compromised by its absence. Individuals without a spleen are at some increased risk from certain types of bacterial infection, however. Hemophilus influenzae and pneumococci

are organisms that cause pneumonia and other forms of human illness. They are a particular threat to those who have had a splenectomy. Fortunately, there are effective immunizations to protect against the most common forms of these infections.

The blood of an individual without a spleen has some rather distinctive features when studied under the microscope. Mostly it has an abundance of worn out red blood cells that would have otherwise been filtered out by a healthy spleen. These changes are not serious, but it sure makes it easier for your doctor to tell if you've had your spleen removed!

"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.

**Faith in Action receives  
matching grant money**

Resulting from the successful Crop Walk last fall, Faith In Action, Inc. was the recipient of a "matching" grant from The Feinstein Foundation. This foundation was established by the Feinstein Family as their effort to assist agencies such as Faith In Action with their work in providing help for the needy.

The Feinstein Foundation is headquartered in Cranston, R.I. and will distribute \$1 million in 1998. The letter, which came with the award, stated that Faith In Action would be eligible for future "matching" grants. The foundation is engaged in a number of other works which include education, public service and hunger issues.

"We are proud and de-

lighted that this foundation has seen fit to include Faith In Action in their grants," said the Rev. Jerrold Beaumont.

**Local woman  
named to  
president's list**

Erin K. Dougherty of Chelsea was named to the president's list for the winter term at Northwood University in Midland. Dougherty, a freshman at the college, is the daughter of Randy and Melinda Dougherty of Chelsea.

To be named to the president's list, students must earn a 3.85 grade point average on a 4.0 scale for the term. Northwood University specializes in managerial and entrepreneurial education.

**No matter  
Who you are . . . someone  
does care**

**CALL: 475-0111**

**STOP**

**DEADLY  
NEUROMUSCULAR  
DISEASES**

**MDA**  
Muscular Dystrophy Association  
**1-800-572-1717**

**Chelsea Vision Care**

**Nancy Fraser, O.D.**  
Prescription Eyewear  
Outside prescriptions filled

We carry a wide selection of Designer Eyewear

1200 South Main  
Chelsea

Call today 313-475-9953  
Evening appointments available

Mon., Fri. 9-5  
Tues., Thur. 9-7  
Closed Wednesday

**Chelsea Market**

**Large Selection of Groceries & Specialty Items**

**Fresh Seafood**

Full Line of Meats • Fresh Produce  
Beer • Wine • Liquor • Whole Coffee Beans • Fresh Deli  
Special Orders • Gift Baskets  
Country Dairy Milk—Milk from cows  
**NOT TREATED with rBST "A Fresh Choice"**  
Weekly Produce Specials

*Now taking Holiday Orders for*  
**Boneless Leg of Lamb**  
**Dearborn Spiral Sliced Hams**  
**& Hornung Semi-Boneless Hams**  
**Standing & Rolled Rib Roasts**

*We now have Baker's Dozen donuts delivered fresh-7 days a week*

**Seafood:**  
Canadian Yellow Lake Perch Fillets . . . . . \$9.99 lb.

**Deli:**  
Honey Cured Ham . . . . . \$3.99 lb.

**Meat:**  
Market Made Italian Sausage . . . . . \$2.69 lb.

**Produce:**  
Red Delicious Apples . . . . . 89¢ lb.

*Prices good from April 2 through April 8 Quantities May be Limited • While Supplies Last*

**Open 7 Days**  
**M.-S. 8-8 • Sun. 10-6 • 125 S. Main • Phone: (313) 475-7600**

**Before you buy  
one of these  
from a cemetery...**

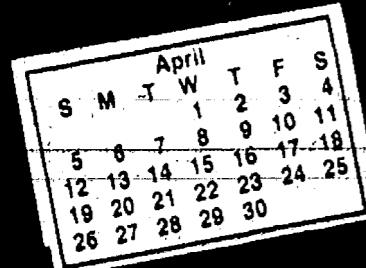
**compare very carefully!**

Their sales pitch won't admit it, but the fact is, you can buy the same item from a locally-owned funeral home for less. How much less? Hundreds—even a thousand dollars, or more. That's enough to really get your attention.

It's your money. Staffan-Mitchell and Caskey-Mitchell funeral homes have long been a very good source of service and value. Now you see why.

**Staffan-Mitchell**  
FUNERAL HOME, INC.  
SINCE 1853  
124 Park Street  
Chelsea, MI 48118  
(313) 475-1444 • Fax (313) 475-0966  
JOHN W. MITCHELL SR.  
Owner-Manager

**Caskey-Mitchell**  
FUNERAL HOME, INC.  
SINCE 1898  
424 E. Main Street  
Stockbridge, MI 49285  
(517) 851-7755 • Fax (517) 851-7753  
JOHN W. MITCHELL II  
Owner-Manager



# COMMUNITY CALENDAR

## CHELSEA & DEXTER

**CHELSEA**  
**Thursday, April 2**  
 American Legion Post No. 31 general meeting at the Cavanaugh Lake Legion Hall, 7:30 p.m.  
**Saturday, April 4**  
**Hudson Mills Metropark**  
 "Collecting Creek Critters/Hike to Huron Creek." Short ride/aquatic critters search at the Activity Center. Pre-registration is required before 10 a.m.  
**Hudson Mills Metropark**  
 "Field To Fen To Floodplain Hike" Hike through three habitats at the Pineview Picnic Area. Please wear waterproof boots. Pre-registration is required before 2 p.m.  
 Waterloo/Mt. Hope Cemetery annual meeting will be held at the Waterloo School House, 1 p.m.  
**Sunday, April 5**  
 Michigan Flintknappers meets at the Chelsea Rod & Gun Club on Lingane Road, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

**Monday, April 6**  
 Chelsea Area Garden Club meets at the First United Methodist Church, 12:30-2:30 p.m. Info., 475-1240 or 475-2424.  
 Chelsea Kiwanis Club meets at Chelsea Community Hospital, 6:15 p.m.  
 Chelsea School Board meets in the board room, 7:30 p.m.  
 McKune Memorial Library Mystery Book Club meets at the library, 7:30 p.m.  
 Lima Township Board meeting at Lima Township Hall, 8 p.m.  
**Tuesday, April 7**  
 Rotary Club meets at the Common Grill, 12:10 p.m.  
 Lions Club meets at Chelsea Community Hospital, 6:45 p.m.  
 Sylvan Township Board meets at Sylvan Township Hall, 7 p.m.  
**Wednesday, April 8**  
 Friends of McKune Memorial Library meet at the library, 7 p.m. Info., 475-8732.

Chelsea-Manchester Chapter No. 108, OES meets at the Masonic Temple, 7:30 p.m.  
 VFW Post 4076 and VFW Ladies Auxiliary meet at the VFW Hall, 7:30 p.m.  
 Fraternal Order of Eagles, Ladies Auxiliary No. 2154 meet at 7530 Jackson Rd., 7:30 p.m.  
**Thursday, April 9**  
 Alzheimer's Assoc. Family Caregiver Support Group meets at the Crippen building at Chelsea Retirement Community, 7-8:30 p.m. Info., (734) 741-8200.  
 Lyndon Township Planning Commission meets at the township hall, 7:30 p.m.  
**Monday, April 13**  
 Chelsea Area Garden Club meets at the First United Methodist Church, 12:30-2:30 p.m. Info., 475-1240 or 475-2424.  
 Chelsea Kiwanis Club meets at Chelsea Community Hospital, 6:15 p.m.  
 Chelsea School Board meets in the board room, 7:30 p.m.  
**Tuesday, April 14**  
 Downtown Development Authority Board of Directors meeting in the Chelsea Village Council chambers. The public is welcome to attend, 8 a.m.  
 Rotary Club meets at the Common Grill, 12:10 p.m.  
 Lyndon Township Board meets at the township hall, 7 p.m.  
 Chelsea Village Council meets at Sylvan Township Hall, 7:30 p.m.  
 Chelsea Rod and Gun Club meets at the clubhouse on Lingane Road, 7:30 p.m.  
**Wednesday, April 15**  
 Chelsea Zoning Board of Appeals meets at Sylvan Township Hall, 5 p.m.  
 Chelsea Athletic Boosters membership meeting at Chelsea High School media center, 7:30 p.m.  
**Tuesday, April 21**  
 Lima Township Planning Commission will be held at 7:30 p.m.

**DEXTER**  
**Thursday, April 2**  
 Dexter Rotary Club meets at Cousins Heritage Inn, 7:30 a.m.  
 Dexter-American Legion meets at the Dexter Legion Hall, 8 p.m.  
**Friday, April 3**  
 Hudson Mills Metropark - "All A Twitter Woodcock Walk" will be held at the Activity Center. Pre-registration is required, Friday, April 3, 7 p.m.  
**Saturday, April 4**  
 Hudson Mills Metropark "Collecting Creek Critters/Hike to Huron Creek." Short ride/aquatic critters search at the Activity Center. Pre-registration is required, Saturday, April 4, 10 a.m.  
 Hudson Mills Metropark "Field To Fen To Floodplain Hike" Hike through three habitats at the Pineview Picnic Area. Please wear waterproof boots. Pre-registration is required, Saturday, April 4, 2 p.m.  
**Monday, April 6**  
 Dexter Community Schools

Board of Education meets at the Copeland building, 8 p.m.  
 Lima Township Board meets at Lima Township Hall, 8 p.m.  
 Dexter Daze Committee meets in the lower level of the First of America Bank in Dexter, 7:30 p.m. Public welcome.  
**Tuesday, April 7**  
 Kiwanis Club of Dexter meets at Cousins Heritage Inn, 6:30 p.m.  
**Thursday, April 9**  
 Dexter Rotary Club meets at Cousins Heritage Inn, 7:30 a.m.  
**Monday, April 13**  
 Reproductive Health Advisory Committee for Dexter schools meets at Wylie Middle School media room, 7 p.m.  
 Harmony Rebekah Lodge 460 meets at the Masonic Temple, 7:30 p.m.  
 Webster Township Historical Society meeting, 7:30 p.m. Info., 426-2473.  
 Dexter Village Council meets at First of America Bank, 8 p.m.  
**Tuesday, April 14**  
 Kiwanis Club of Dexter meets at Shooters, 6:30 p.m.  
 Sons of the American Legion meet at the Dexter Legion Home, 8 p.m.  
**Wednesday, April 15**  
 Dexter Heritage Guild meets at the Dexter Museum, 1 p.m. Public is welcome.  
 American Legion Auxiliary Unit No. 557 meets at the American Legion Home, 8 p.m.  
 Webster Township Planning Commission meeting at Webster Township Hall, 8 p.m.

ing, financial help, advocacy and many other forms of assistance. Need friendly help? Call from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., 475-3305.  
 "Free mammogram and clinical breast exams" through the Washtenaw County Public Health Title XV program. Info. 484-7220.  
 "Free Mammograms and Pap Tests" available for many women over 40 through Title XV program. Info., (734) 484-7220.  
 HIV/AIDS Resource Center offering free testing services in Lenawee, Livingston, Jackson and Washtenaw counties. For location and times call 572-9355.  
 Home Meal Service. Chelsea. Meals served daily to elderly or disabled. Cost per meal, \$3.25 with milk, \$3 without milk, for those able to pay. Interested parties call Mary at 475-9494 or Faith in Action at 475-3305.  
 Hospice of Washtenaw County needs volunteers for clerical support, direct patient care and spiritual bereavement support. Call Barb Wineka, 741-5777 for further information.  
 Immunizations through Washtenaw County Public Health, the Multi Service Center in Ann Arbor. Info., (734) 484-7219.  
 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.  
 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.  
 Overeaters Anonymous meets Mondays at First United Methodist Church, 7:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m. Info., 475-4264.

Parent to Parent Program in home, friendly, visiting support system for families with children. Call 475-3305.  
 Parents Without Partners, support group for single parents. Youth activities, social events, discussion groups. For membership, call recording at (734) 973-1933.  
 Philanthropic Educational Organization (P.E.O., women's educational support) chapter organizing in Chelsea. Info., Jo, 475-0542 or Ruth, 433-0528.  
 Play-N-Chat, a home-based group for moms and children under five years old. Meets Wednesdays and Fridays. For place and times call Jackie Esch 426-5437.  
 Senior Nutrition Program meets Tuesdays and Thursdays at noon, Waterloo Township Hall. For reservations call 475-7439, 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Lunches, cards and fellowship.  
 Smokers Anonymous meets Tuesdays at St. James Episcopal Church, Dexter, 7:30-8:30 p.m. Call 426-8696.  
 Volunteers Needed M-F from 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m. to deliver mid-day meals to senior citizens in the Dexter area. For info. call Cindy at the Dexter Senior Nutrition Center (734) 426-5397.  
 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.  
 Western Washtenaw Domestic Violence Drop-In Support Group meets Mondays at the Behavioral Health Building at Chelsea Community Hospital, 6:30-8 p.m. For women who are or have been in an abusive relationship. Info. and 24-hour crisis line, (734) 995-5444.

### Dr. Mary K Barkley

#### Orthodontics for Children and Adults



To become our patient,  
 no referral is necessary.  
 No charge for  
 initial examination.

134 W. Middle St., Chelsea  
 (next to Chelsea Glass)  
 313-475-9143

### Manchester's Eggstravaganza

Join at  
**Saturday,  
 April 4th  
 10:00 AM  
 to 4:00 PM**

Also join in on the Scavenger Hunt. Pick up forms at participating stores and find the clues at area businesses to win one of three Easter Baskets filled with Goodies for the whole family.  
 Drawing at 4:00 pm at Manchester Floors.  
 These participating stores will be open for your shopping convenience with many offerings specials from 10 - 5.

Clark on the GO	VIDEO WORLD	Great Lakes Bancorp
Manchester Pharmacy	Manchester Family Dentistry	Calamity Jane's
Village Gifts	Manchester Eye Care	Frank's Place
Manchester Flowers	Black Sheep	Baker's Dozen
Manchester Market	Manchester Flowers	OLIE'S MAIN ST. PIZZA
Manchester Flowers	Manchester Flowers	Manchester Flowers

#### MISCELLANEOUS

Alcoholics Anonymous meets at St. Joseph Parish Hall in Dexter. Tuesdays at 8 p.m. and Thursdays at 7:30 p.m.  
 Chelsea Senior Nutrition Program at the Senior Center. To reserve lunch, call Arlene Larson a day ahead at 475-0160.  
 Chelsea Together. For more info, call week days 475-4030, 8 a.m.-5 p.m., or 475-5935, 5 p.m.-9 p.m.  
 Dexter Family Service, contact Pat Burnett, 313-449-2149, Marian Burgett, 426-2196, Shawn Dettling, 426-4343 or Judy Wheeler, 426-2160.  
 Dexter Jaycees are looking for young adults ages 21-39 to join their club. Meetings are the second Wednesday of each month at 7 p.m. at First of America Bank, Dexter. For more info., (734) 426-1080.  
 Dexter Senior Nutrition Program delivers meals M-F to elderly homebound. Serves lunch M-F at Dexter Senior Center, Copeland building. To reserve a lunch, call 24 hrs. ahead, Cindy White, 426-5397.  
 Domestic Violence Project Safe House Support Group meets every Monday at Chelsea Community Hospital, Behavioral Health Services building, 6:30-8 p.m. Info., 426-0369.

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.



#### -Sorority Initiate-

Andrea Lynn Beck, daughter of Jim Beck of Chelsea, has been initiated into the Nu Omicron Chapter of Alpha Omicron Pi at Vanderbilt University in Nashville. The initiation ceremony took place March 11.

## COMFORT ZONE MECHANICAL

Heating & Cooling • Sales & Service • Custom Sheet Metal



Announcing early season central air conditioning specials.  
 Call for a free estimate on a new air conditioning system.

3126 Broad St., Dexter • 426-6350 • 433-1020

## WESTARBOR ANIMAL HOSPITAL

6011 Jackson Road, Ann Arbor, MI (1/2-mile east of Baker Rd.)  
 (734) 769-5391  
 Dr. James Clarkson, D.V.M.  
 Dr. Andrew Maglott, D.V.M.

Westarbor Animal Hospital strives to provide high quality care and medical information for our clients and their pets by making their concerns our top priority.

As the only American Animal Hospital Association accredited hospital in Ann Arbor, we meet the association's stringent standards of quality and are regularly inspected by a trained AAHA professional to insure that we maintain this high quality of care.

**Some of the services we offer include:**

- General Small Animal Veterinary Services
- Advanced dental surgery procedures
- Complete diagnosis capabilities
- Proper and up-to-date anesthetic procedures
- Full pharmaceutical line
- Licensed Veterinary Technician Care
- After hours emergency consultation
- Safe, sanitary, properly maintained environment
- Computerized, accurate patient records
- Friendly, helpful staff of professionals and paraprofessionals

## Farm facts

Citrus harvest may become automated in the near future. Research engineers have developed a machine capable of harvesting a 90-pound box of citrus for about 50 cents per box, compared to \$1.50 per box by hand. More importantly, the machine is 800 times faster than hand harvesting. The machine utilizes a 12-foot-diameter drum with nylon rods, that shakes and rotates five feet into the foliage to loosen the citrus.

A natural insect virus could deprive corn earworms of their greatest pleasure: feasting on corn plants. The baculovirus infests corn earworms to multiply and spread. Researchers have discovered a more potent form of the virus that will react quicker to destroy corn earworms from within less time. The virus then degrades inside the earworm. Damage from the earworm in the south is pegged at nearly \$2 million annually.

**INVERNESS INN**  
 New Owners/New Menu  
 Dinner, Drinks & Spirits  
 Come enjoy lunch or dinner 7 days a week

Pizza & Burgers  
 Fish & Chicken Dinner  
 Mexican Dishes & More  
 Saturday Morning Breakfast 8 a.m.-11 a.m.

Live Entertainment  
 Sat. April 4th  
 Returning for an Encore Performance  
 Bud Johnson & Steve Takaras

Banquet room available for parties or private use  
 Carry-out available/non-smoking room available  
 Gas & Convenience Store  
 13996 N. Territorial • Gregory • 475-1515

## Chelsea Pediatric Center

### Pediatric and Adolescent Medicine

(734) 475-9175

Mon.-Fri. 9 a.m.-5 p.m.  
 24 hour access to our pediatricians.  
 Some evening hours available  
 1513 Main St • Chelsea

A personalized professional service.

- Design Consultation
- Plant Installation
- Retaining Walls
- Finish Grading
- Shade Gardening
- Hydro Seeding
- Brick Pathways

(734) 428-7005



# Pipeline necessity hearing stalled

By Eric Bowen  
Staff Writer

A public hearing scheduled for March 18 to discuss the installation of a pipeline through several area townships was postponed two days before the hearing, after representatives from the townships and IPL Toledo Pipe Line decided to continue negotiating on the proposed pipeline route.

Lyndon Township Supervisor Maryann Noah said she and other township supervisors met with IPL Toledo March 16 to discuss putting the pipeline alongside an existing pipeline owned by Ultramar Diamond Shamrock. Noah said that locating the pipeline next to the other would allow both

companies to do business without burdening residents with a wide swath of land designated as an easement.

What Noah objected to most was IPL's assertion that it needs a 60-foot-wide easement next to an already 50-foot-wide Diamond Shamrock easement in order to ensure space for growth. She said that placing the new pipeline next to the old within the same easement would provide for a well-planned utility corridor.

"From a long-term planning position co-location makes a lot of sense," Noah said. "We must look at this kind of impact and how it affects the future use of the land."

Noah has enlisted the support of several government agencies, including soil erosion and environment and infrastructure agencies from Washtenaw County. She intends to talk to the Washtenaw County Drain Commission and Planning Commission as well.

County Commissioner Joe Yekulis said he supports the townships' efforts at regional planning and intends to give them help by providing staffing and research. Yekulis said he also would make the

county's lawyer available to Peter Flintoft, the attorney representing several townships.

Yekulis said IPL made a compelling case for why certain areas of the pipeline couldn't be placed inside Diamond Shamrock's easement. Since the pipeline was built in the early part of this century, it goes through areas, such as wetlands, that are unacceptable today.

But Yekulis said he was surprised at IPL's intention to have such a large easement through the property.

"I don't think anyone realized what they were going to do was expand the easement to 110 feet," he said. "It caught us all by surprise."

According to Lynn Downey, IPL's project manager for right-of-way procurement, IPL is ready to work with the townships to get the necessary approval to build the pipeline. He said IPL has set a meeting with Ultramar Diamond

Shamrock two weeks from now to discuss putting the new pipeline in the same easement as the older pipeline.

Downey also said that IPL and township officials met again Monday to discuss the issue and he thinks they're getting closer to agreement.

"We would like to have 60 feet of easement," Downey said. "However, if it precludes us from getting this project done we may reconsider. We've been trying to meet the ordinances of the townships."

Yekulis said that in order for the pipeline to be built it would have to receive approval from both the townships and the county governments. He said local control over the planning process is important, and he feels the process will be beneficial to all involved.

"They seem to be showing a willingness to work with local communities," Yekulis said of IPL Toledo. "We'll see how that pans out."

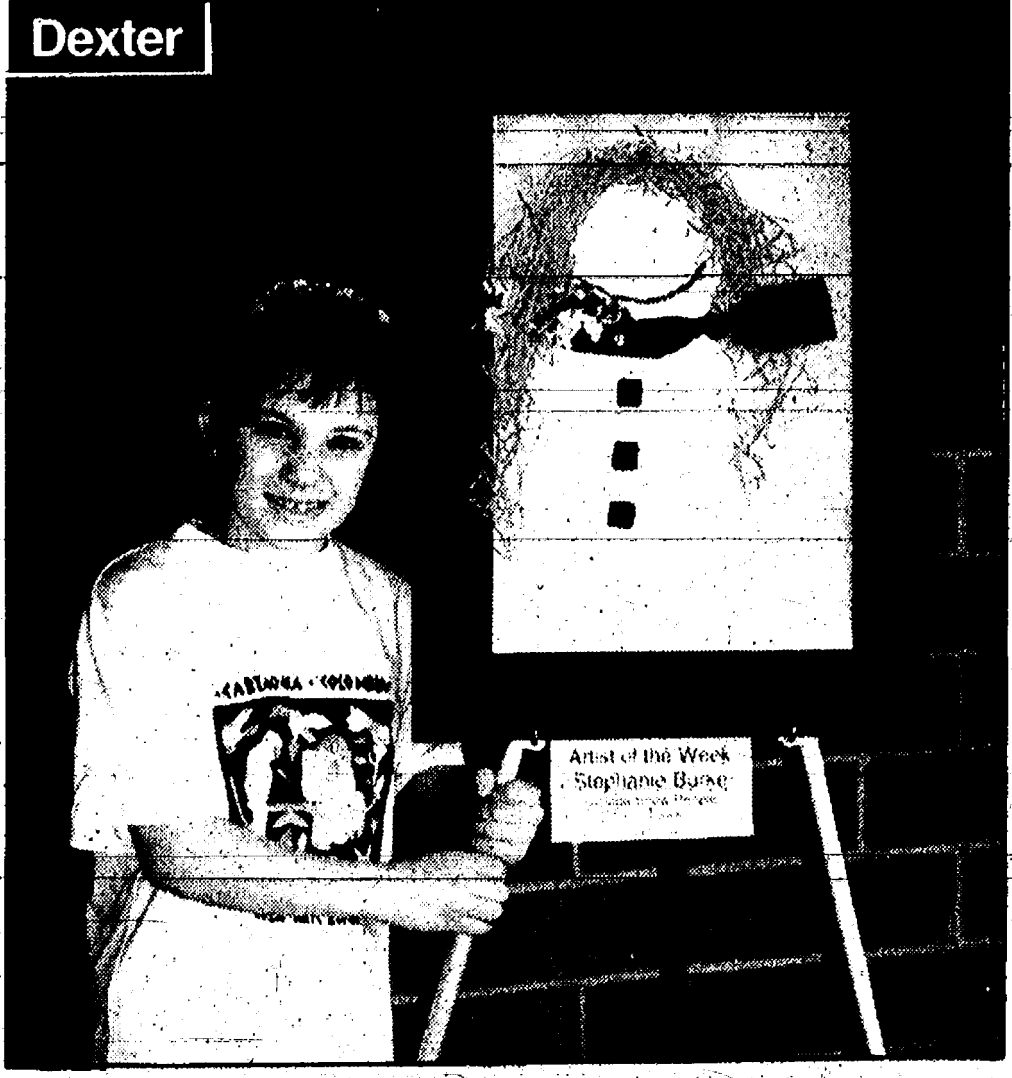


Photo by Mary Kumbler

### Artist of the Week

Stephanie Burke, a second-grader in teacher Sybil Van Houten's class, was named Artist of the Week at Cornerstone Elementary School. Students created snow globe collages after becoming inspired by children's author and artist Lois Ehlert.

**OPEN**  
Mon-Fri 8 a.m.-11:30 p.m.  
Sat 9 a.m.-11:30 p.m.  
Sunday 12 noon-9 p.m.

**Suds 'n' Stuffs**  
Party Store

**NEW!**  
Packaged Liquor Dealer

**BEER • WINE • GROCERIES**  
INSTANT LOTTERY

**Ann Arbor St. at Baker**  
Dexter  
next to Cottage Inn at the Gazebo  
Ph. (313) 426-2681

**TUPPERWARE**  
To Buy or Sell or Receive  
a New Catalog Call  
Sandra L. Milazzo, Mgr.  
(734) 475-7666  
3D Enterprises • (517) 788-8877



### Social Studies Committee

Bates Elementary School teachers Paula Smetekop, Jill Ringlein, Shari Kaiser, Cheryl Dunham and Ava Slemrod, members of the school's Social Studies Committee, spent an afternoon working on team building with consultants from Planned Change Institute May 6.

## Severe weather most likely during spring, summer months

Last year, Michigan experienced 19 tornadoes, 72 flood events and numerous thunderstorms that damaged or destroyed property worth more than \$150 million. Seven people died and 108 were injured as a result of the severe weather.

As another severe weather season approaches, Gov. John Engler has declared March 29 through April 4 Severe Weather Awareness Week in Michigan.

Local officials encourage residents to review tornado safety procedures, and to monitor rapidly changing weather conditions. Last summer's storms demonstrate the need to have an emergency plan in place.

For information, contact your local office of emergency management.

Tornadoes generally develop from severe thunder-

storms, and are more likely to occur when warm, humid air along the ground is forced up rapidly by cooler air and develops into a spinning funnel. According to the National Weather Service, these conditions are most likely to occur in the spring and summer months.

Since the 1870s, tornadoes have killed 343 Michigan citizens.

Since tornadoes and severe thunderstorms develop and move rapidly, Michiganians should familiarize themselves with the various severe weather alerts.

A tornado watch or severe thunderstorm watch simply means "watch out" — severe thunderstorms and tornadoes are possible. Residents should gather a first-aid kit, flashlight and portable radio, monitor local television, radio and National Weather Service and (Continued on Page Nine)

**JAMES BARRY**  
ACCOUNTANT & TAX ADVISOR  
Business Accounting & Reports, Payroll  
Personal Tax Planning & Return Preparation  
Complete Accounting & Tax Service  
for all forms of Business Ownership  
9412 Horseshoe Bend • Dexter  
Telephone: 426-2395  
DAY OR EVENING APPOINTMENTS

**AMERICAN LAWN & LANDSCAPE INC.**  
"IF YOU NEED IT DONE JUST ASK!"

- QUALITY LAWN MOWING
- LOW RATES
- SENIOR DISCOUNTS
- LANDSCAPE SERVICES AVAILABLE

FREE ESTIMATES CALL 734-475-4600  
Serving the Chelsea & Dexter Areas!

**THINK SPRING**  
Everyday Low Prices On...  
**RCA • ZENITH**  
TVs and VCRs • New & Used  
We service all brands.  
Hoover Vacuum Cleaners  
We carry and service Nutone Products, Central Vac, Intercom systems and many others.  
Now Available: Satellite Monthly Guides • Orbit • Direct  
Winegard & Channel Master Antennas  
Satellite Systems: Sales • Service • Repairs

**LOY'S TV CENTER**  
512 N. Maple Rd., Ann Arbor • (313) 769-0198

**"IN-HOME BEAUTY CARE"**  
• IDEAL FOR HOME-BOUND OR ELDERLY  
• LICENSED AND INSURED  
• PRECISION CUTS- \$10.00  
• CERTIFIED NURSING ASSISTANT  
Marge Hawkins • 1225 Kernwood Dr. • Chelsea  
Ask for Marge 475-8923

**HOSMER-MUEHLIG FUNERAL CHAPEL, INC.**  
David M. Hamel, Manager  
Pre-Arrangements • Cremation Services  
Cemetery Markers  
3410 Broad St., Dexter 426-4661

**Help is closer than you think.**  
(So is April 15th.)  
A timely reminder that no one has more experienced preparers at more convenient locations than H&R Block.  
Our rates are reasonable, we stand behind our work. So while tax time is just around the corner, the good news is, so are we.  
**H&R BLOCK**  
Chelsea • 1080 S. Main • 475-2752  
Dexter • 2904 Baker Rd. • 426-4313

**17th ANNUAL FISH FRY**  
**CHELSEA KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS**  
February 27, March 6, 13, 20, 27 & April 3  
(every Friday during Lent)  
ST. MARY'S SCHOOL  
400 Congdon Street, Chelsea, MI  
Serving 5:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.  
Serving 5:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.  
**TAKE OUTS AVAILABLE!!!**  
ADULTS-\$6.50  
KIDS-\$3.00 (under 12)

**Peter M. Young Custom Builder**  
Residential • Commercial  
Additions • Remodeling  
Roofing • Siding  
• Pole Barns  
• Garages  
(734)878-5205  
STATE LICENSED BUILDER #079558  
Pinckney, MI

**We'll protect your home sweet mobile home.**  
We insure homes and the people who live in them through Auto-Owners Insurance Company. Stop in and learn how you can save by insuring both your mobile home and car with Auto-Owners, or quality for our mobile mobile homeowners discount.  
**Auto-Owners Insurance**  
Palmer Insurance  
"We want to be your Insurance People"  
(734) 426-5047 3074 Baker Road, Dexter, MI 48130 800-875-5047

**Understanding The Law**  
with Leonard K. Kitchen, J.D. and Thomas L. Stringer, J.D.  
**GUARDIANSHIP OF MINORS**  
While parents are children's natural guardians, the court can appoint another guardian if parents neglect, abandon, or fail to financially support their children. A guardian may be appointed (through the court or through a will) to take care of the child and/or his or her assets. In some cases, the natural parent may care for the child, but a guardian might be appointed to handle his or her property. Guardians who care for children provide support, education, and religious instruction, using the income and interest generated by the children's assets. Guardians responsible for children's property are required to use the same care and efforts they would bring to bear if the property were their own.  
For matters regarding guardianship, wills, probate, and family law, call the **LAW OFFICES OF KITCHEN & STRINGER, P.C.** at 426-4695 to schedule a free initial consultation. We are a full service firm, in practice for over 27 years. We also handle cases involving civil litigation, business, real estate, and criminal defense. You'll find our offices conveniently located in Dexter at 3249 Broad Street.  
NOTE: Children may not "divorce" their parents simply because they find substitutes they like better or that may be able to provide them with a higher standard of living.

**Boot Sale**  
25% OFF on all Jony Lama Ladies boots in stock  
25% OFF on all Lucchese In stock only  
30% OFF close out on all Minnetonka moccasins in stock  
**The Mule Skinner Boots and Western Wear**  
118 S. Main Street • Chelsea, MI 48118  
(734) 475-0342



Dexter



—Pre-school Pajama Day—

Dexter pre-school students Nicole Minzey, left, and Dana Fishel, right, enjoyed Pajama and Pancake Day Thursday, March 26. They and other students in instructor Donna Fisher's class were treated to pancakes and listened to Fisher read the book *Pancakes, Pancakes* by Eric Carle. The day was organized to teach cooperation and patience.

## Tread cautiously in emerging markets

### MONEY SENSE



Michael Ceaser

**Q:** In an effort to diversify my investment holdings, I own several "international" mutual funds that invest in the so-called "emerging markets." These funds experienced severe declines in October. I'm thinking of eliminating these holdings from my portfolio, or at least try to pick countries that might have less risk. Do you think this is a good move?

**A:** Globally, virtually every major stock market posted declines that mirrored the sell-off in U.S. stocks in October. It is no surprise that many investors would begin to question of wisdom of investing in some of the more volatile "emerging markets."

The emerging Asian markets fell close to 20 percent for the month, bringing the 3-month losses to almost 40 percent. Latin American markets also were down almost 20 percent for the month.

Due to their currencies being pegged to the U.S. dollar, Brazil and Argentina were particularly hard hit. The emerging European markets such as Poland also suffered significant losses.

Although recent events have caused concern among many investors, the emerging markets of Europe, Asia, Latin America and Africa offer significant investment potential for those with the temperament and proper time horizon. This is because over 60 percent of the world's equity capitalization is outside the U.S.

This is especially true in industries such as chemicals, electronics and even automobiles. Since the automobile is of particular interest to those of us in the Detroit area, it is important to note that U.S. car makers now represent less than 50 percent of the world market capitalization of auto producers.

Some of the greatest long-term opportunities for this industry are found in the emerging markets such as Korea and China. The emerging markets represent only 15 percent of the world's economic output, and 10 percent of the

world's equity market capitalization, even though they comprise 85 percent of the world's population.

The so-called emerging markets exist in almost every corner of the world, including countries such as Portugal, Greece, Turkey, India, the Philippines, South Africa and Peru.

Problems that have caused the emerging markets to lag the rest of the world include trade barriers, the government regulation of key industries, and imprudent fiscal and monetary policies.

As the emerging markets experience growth, these problems are being corrected. Many economists predict that the gross domestic product (GDP) of these countries will grow over the next five years at a rate double that of the developed economies. China is expected to become the world's largest economy in the next 20 years.

There are many examples of the changes that are enhancing the prospects for development of the emerging markets. When Chile privatized its pension system 15 years ago, it led to economic growth fueled by increased savings and investments.

Another example is Argentina, which had an inflation rate of more than 3,000 percent in 1989. Changing their monetary system reduced the inflation rate to just 2.6 percent in 1996. There are many other equally impressive accomplishments of other emerging market countries.

There is no question that the emerging markets can be ex-

tremely volatile. This is why it is important to make sure that you diversify this portion of your portfolio by region such as Asia and Latin America, as well as country, to reduce risk and volatility.

You should not try to pick specific countries for your portfolio based only on the recent performance of that country's stock market. A recent study of the performance of emerging country stock market returns showed that 67 percent of the countries with returns in the top quartile from 1986 through 1990 were in the bottom half of performance between 1991 and 1996.

Conversely, 44 percent of those in the bottom quartile between 1986 and 1990 ended up in the upper 50 percent between 1991 and 1996. As always, past performance is not a good predictor of future performance.

If you decide to include the emerging markets as part of your portfolio, you should probably not have more than 10-12 percent concentrated in this sector. Seek out investment managers who have extensive experience in this specialized area.

It is generally accepted that it takes a different set of skills to manage investments in emerging markets than it does to manage investments in developed markets.

Interestingly, by the inclusion of broadly diversified emerging markets in a portfolio, you should actually be able to reduce risk and the volatility of the entire portfolio.

## Severe spring weather requires preparation

(Continued from Page Eight)

keep an eye to the sky. A severe thunderstorm warning means a severe thunderstorm has been indicated by Doppler Weather Radar or weather spotters. Severe thunderstorm winds can be as strong and damaging as a tornado.

When a severe thunderstorm warning is issued for your area, get indoors immediately and do not use the telephone or electrical appliances. Keep away from windows. Do not take shelter in sheds or under isolated trees. If you are out boating or swimming, get to land and find shelter immediately.

"People need to take shelter immediately upon hearing the sirens or warning, because a few seconds could mean the difference between life and death," said Paul Gross, meteorologist and member of the severe weather coalition.

"Last summer, five people died at an outdoor event when they sought shelter in a park pavilion. Those individuals were killed when the pavilion was blown into Lake St. Clair by violent thunderstorm winds."

A tornado warning means that a tornado has been spotted or is indicated on Doppler Radar. Go immediately to the basement or a small interior room on the lowest level. Keep away from chimneys and windows. Abandon mobile homes for a shelter.

At work or school (if a basement is not available), move to an interior hallway on the lowest floor possible. Avoid rooms with a large free-span roof, like gymnasiums.

If caught in a car or in the open when a tornado threatens, seek shelter in a ditch, ravine or other place below ground level and stay as low as possible.

Property owners can also be prepared by ensuring that they have adequate coverage for their home and personal belongings under their homeowners insurance policies.

Tornadoes are considered "windstorms" and covered by virtually all homeowners policies, according to insurance industry representatives. However, certain limits and requirements may apply.

Preparing for a tornado:

- Have emergency supplies

on hand, including a battery-operated radio, flashlight and a supply of fresh batteries.

- Know the location of designated shelter areas in public facilities, such as schools, shopping centers and other public buildings.

- Make an inventory of household furnishings and other possessions. Supplement it with photographs of each room. Keep in a safe place.

- Plan ahead. Be sure everyone in your household

knows where to go and what to do in case of a tornado warning. Make plans for those who may have trouble getting to shelter.

What to do when thunderstorms approach:

- Move to a sturdy building or car. Do not take shelter in small sheds, under isolated trees, or in convertible cars. If no sturdy shelter is near, get inside a hard-top car and keep windows rolled up.

**APPLY NOW**  
AT THE  
**DEXTER DAIRY QUEEN**  
UP TO \$6<sup>00</sup> AN HOUR  
APPLY IN PERSON • 8041 MAIN (DOWNTOWN) DEXTER

### A Parfait Reason To Join Us!



**Part Time Crew Members - Cash in On A Cool Opportunity**  
If you like eating at Dairy Queen®, you'll love working here too! Part time positions are now available at this and other Dairy Queen® Stores.

We're looking for responsible, outgoing and service-oriented people to join our team. No experience is necessary—and we offer these great benefits:

- Competitive hourly pay
- On-the-job training
- Advancement opportunities
- Flexible part time schedules
- Pleasant atmosphere
- Employee Outings
- Free Meals
- Friendly co-workers
- Merit Increases

To find out more, ask the Manager for an application.

Mar. Hours: Sun.-Thurs... 11:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m.  
Fri.-Sat..... 11:00 a.m.-9:30 p.m.

### And A Royal Reason To Visit Us

**40% off the purchase of a Royal Treat™**  
Even if you're not interested in a cool opportunity with Dairy Queen®, we invite you back to this store for 40% off any of our Royal Treats™

Please present coupon before ordering. Limit 1 coupon per customer. Redeemable only on items selling at regular price. This coupon not redeemable with any other coupon offers. Good only at participating store. Void where prohibited, licensed or regulated by law.

© U.S. Pat. Off. Int. Reg. D.Q. Corp. Copyright 1998 Am. D.Q. Corp., Mpls. MN. Printed in U.S.A.

**DEXTER BOWLING ALLEY**  
BAR & GRILL  
DEXTER, MI.

**Entertainment: Saturdays 9:00 p.m.**  
April 4th • **Outrage** (Classic Rock)  
April 18 & 25 • **Dilly Mack & the Kickback Band**

**DINNER SPECIALS • FRIDAYS & SATURDAYS**

FRIDAYS	SATURDAYS
10 oz. Steak	B.B.Q. Ribs

Each dinner is served with Baked Potato or Cottage Fries, House Salad or Coleslaw and Garlic Bread  
**\$7.95**

**TUESDAY NIGHTS—6 p.m.-10 p.m. Pizza Night**  
2830 Baker Rd. Dexter 426-4707

**Shower them right!**

Looking for the perfect shower gift? (Or a unique present for any occasion!) Consider a water-saving shower head. Water-saving devices make hot water last longer, lower utility bills, and lessen the burden on septic and waste treatment facilities... bringing harmony to any home.

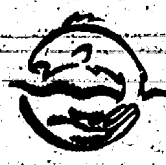
**10% off with this ad!**

Any model, any brand water-saving shower head! Limit 2 per purchase. Clip this ad and take it to:

**Chelsea Lumber Company**  
1 Old Barn Circle, Chelsea 734-475-9126

valid through May 31, 1998

Save water. Save money. It's that easy.



A partnership of the Huron River Watershed Council, City of Ann Arbor, Edward Surovell-Realtors, Michigan Groundwater Stewardship Program, Sumpter Township, Van Buren Township, Village of Milford, Ypsilanti Township, USEPA and MDEQ.

Want more information? Call the Huron River Watershed Council at 734-769-5123 and ask for a free tip card.

Tuxedo courtesy of President Tuxedo 1-800-TUXS

**BROWNS MUFFLER & BRAKES**

Custom Exhaust Work • Suspension • Shocks • Struts

Free Estimates • Hours: M-F 8-6; Sat. 8-2

5002 S. Clinton, Stockbridge, MI (517) 851-8585 Owner: Ken Brown

**SPRING SPECIAL COUPON**

Don't Despair! Let Us Repair!  
All Work Guaranteed

FEATURING:

- AIR CONDITIONING
- ALIGNMENTS
- BRAKES
- COMPUTERIZED SCOPE TESTING
- ELECTRICAL REPAIRS
- ENGINES
- OVERHAUL & INSTALLED
- REMANUFACTURED ENGINES
- USED CAR INSPECTIONS
- VACATION CHECK-UPS

COMPLETE AUTOMOTIVE REPAIR!  
AMERICAN & JAPANESE VEHICLES  
FLEETS WELCOME

10% OFF ALL LABOR - Expires 4-30-98  
FREE CUSTOMER PICK UP & DELIVERY WITHIN 20 MILES!  
Open 7 a.m.-7 p.m. MONDAY - FRIDAY

**BERT'S AUTO SERVICE**  
5984 Jackson Rd., Ann Arbor, MI 48103  
(734) 769-3232

**NEED HELP? GRAB THE LINE**

Call our lifeline. It's toll-free.

THE VOICE OF HOPE  
1-800-572-1717

**MDA**  
Muscular Dystrophy Association

# CHS student travels to capital for youth leader conference

By Eric Bowen  
Staff Writer

Jetting off to Washington, D.C. for a week may seem like a vacation to some. But to Chelsea High School junior Megan Davis, the trip was packed with meeting dignitaries and making decisions about the country's future.

Davis joined 350 students from around the world in the National Youth Leaders Conference March 3-8. While in the nation's capital, she participated in a wide range of leadership activities, including forming laws in a model Congress.

"It was a good experience," Davis said. "I didn't know anything about politics. It's good to know what's going on."

Upon arrival in Washington, Davis and the rest of her peers were divided into seven groups and assigned a leader who supervised them. Each

group was given part of the juvenile crime bill to debate.

Davis' section dealt with figuring out what to do with drug- and weapon-offenders. She and the rest of the committee decided to increase funding for boot camps, such as the one at Cassidy Lake Technical School. But the group's ideas were shot down in the overall Congress, much like in real politics.

Davis also acted as a lawyer in a debate over doctor-assisted suicide. Though her personal beliefs are against the practice, she was asked to argue for it, winning out over her opponent.

"There were a lot of hard questions I couldn't answer," Davis said. "It was hard, but it was fun and I won my case."

Davis' stay also included meeting with Sen. Carl Levin and Rep. Debbie Stabenow, and listening to a speech from

House Speaker Newt Gingrich. She did some sightseeing around the national mall, and was treated to a concert by the political humorist group Capitol Steppes.

To see the other side of politics, Davis met with members of the Washington media corps. She said she recognized a lot of faces, including CBS's Dan Rather.

"They had the whole day planned," Davis said. "They kept us busy the whole time."

Chelsea High School English and psychology teacher Paul Terpstra nominated Davis for the trip. Davis said other students have been nominated in the past but have decided not to go.

Terpstra said he received information about the conference and was asked to nominate kids. He said though he had never had Davis in a class before she took his psychology course, she stood out as a stu-

dent he felt would do well at the conference.

"Her opinions were well thought out and perceptive," Terpstra said. "She got along well with the rest of the kids. I thought that she would be a contributor to the conference and get a lot out of it."

Davis filled out a lengthy application stating her reasons for wanting to go to Washington and describing her activities. She is an avid soccer player, and is a member of National Honor Society.

One of the most interesting aspects of the trip was meeting people from around the country, Davis said. Her roommates were from Mississippi and Tennessee, and she met another girl from Finland who joined the conference.

"We all went in, not knowing anybody," Davis said. "But I learned I could meet people and do all right."



Megan Davis

**HOUSEHOLD AUCTION**  
Furniture • Riding Lawn Mower  
Auction at: **548 North Main Street, Chelsea, MI**  
(at the corner of Dewey)  
**Saturday, April 4, 1998 • 10:30 a.m.**

Early American oak formica dropleaf table w/4 chairs; end tables, Magnavox color TV, rose sofa, recliner, round cherry coffee table, pictures & frames, mahogany record cabinet, maple twin single bed - complete, kneehole desk, Early American maple twin bed w/chest of drawers, brass lamps, large dresser w/mirror, double bed, jewelry boxes, General Electric refrigerator w/top freezer, upright freezer, microwave, Whirlpool auto washer, 2 window air conditioners, Maytag gas dryer, pots, pans, misc. dishes, older refrigerator & stove, 2 sets of golf clubs, collection of hats, motorized tread mill, patio table & chairs, Barn lanterns, wood extension ladder, garden tools, games & puzzles, floor jack, drill motor, saber saw, hand tools, draw shave saws, electric saw, Craftsman radial arm saw & stand - like new, shop vac, • 12x10 hip roof storage building to be moved • 830 Craftsman riding lawn mower • Jacobsen 320 E snowblower • Craftsman weed wacker (gas) • Rotary mower • Many more items

**Owner: Kenneth Neal**  
BRAUN & HELMER AUCTION SERVICE • 734-665-9646 or 734-994-6309

**GIVE A GIFT THAT LASTS ALL YEAR LONG! A SUBSCRIPTION TO YOUR LOCAL NEWSPAPER**

**JB's Party Center & Deli**  
528 N. Main, Chelsea • 475-9011

Canopy, Table and Chair Rentals  
Fresh Barry's Bagels and Donuts,  
Coffee and Cappuccino  
Easter Candy & Party Supplies  
Veggie and Meat & Cheese Trays  
New Piñata  
National Championship T-Shirts, Sweatshirts, Keychains & Pennants!!  
BobCat Rentals  
Kegs Available

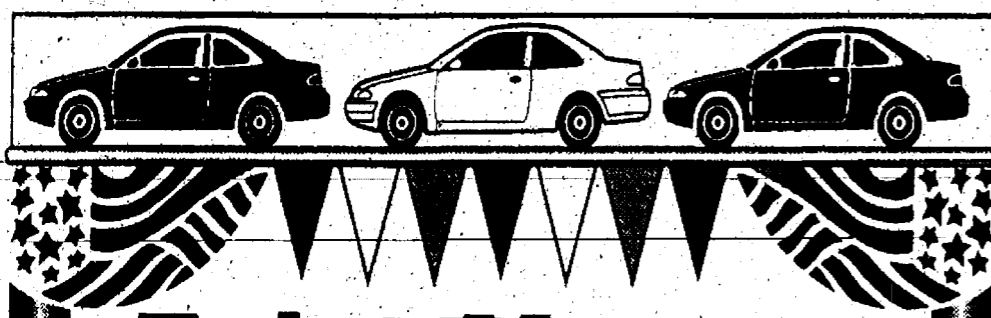
**This Week's Deli Special FISH & CHIPS**  
pou (20 oz)  
\$5.25 + tax & dep

Call in lunch orders before 2 p.m. for pick up for later in the day.

Deli Open until 2:00 p.m. Hours: M-Th 6 am-10 pm, Fri 6 am-11:15 pm, Sat 8 am-11 pm, Sun 9 am-7 pm  
Fax in your Deli orders 475-Deli

**Schultz Bottled Gas and Appliance**  
DON'T FORGET TO GET YOUR PROPANE TANKS FILLED HERE!  
Residential • Commercial • Retail  
**Prompt Service**

We own and operate our own bulk plant. Family-owned and serving the area since 1939.  
**(313) 439-1503 • (800) 882-5546**  
(U.S.-23) to Milan, 1115 Dexter St.  
Mon.-Fri. 8:30-5:30; Sat. 8:30-Noon



**Faist Morrow**  
Call Dave, Fred, Don or Troy  
**475-8663**

**GM PURCHASED VEHICLES**

1998 Buick LaSabre, 7,400 miles	\$21,900
1997 Chevy Lumina, 17,000 miles	\$14,900
1997 Chevrolet Tahoe, 18,000 miles	\$27,900
1997 Chevrolet Malibu, 4-dr	\$15,900
1996 Buick Regal	\$11,900
1996 Lumina APV	\$14,900
1996 Olds Cutlass Ciera	\$10,900
1996 Chevy Corsica	\$9,995
1996 Chev. Corsica	\$9,995
1996 Buick Regal, 2-dr	\$12,900
1995 Buick LaSabre, 16,000 miles	\$15,900
1995 Chevy GEO Metro, 9,700 mi	\$8,995

**QUALITY USED CARS & TRUCKS**

1997 Chev Blazer L.I.	\$18,900
1996 Chevy 1/2-Ton Pickup	\$15,900
1995 Olds Cutlass Supreme, Sunroof, Leather Trim	\$11,900
1995 Cutlass Ciera 4-dr	\$9,450
1995 Buick Century-31,000 miles	\$9,495
1995 Olds 88-30,800 miles	\$14,900
1995 S-10 Blazer	\$16,900
1994 Chrysler Concorde	\$7,995
1994 Chev. S-10 Blazer	\$13,900
1994 Chev Astro Van Conversion	\$9,995
1994 Olds Delta 88	\$10,900
1993 Ford Crown Victoria	\$7,995
1993 Pontiac Sunbird	\$5,895
1992 Plymouth Voyager	\$6,995
1992 Ford Ranger	\$4,995
1992 GEO Tracker, auto trans, air cond.	\$7,995
1991 Ford Taurus Wagon, Real Nice!	\$4,995
1991 Olds Bravada	\$10,900
1989 Pontiac Bonneville	\$4,995
1986 Buick LaSabre 2-dr	\$1,495

**QUALITY USED CARS & TRUCKS**  
"WHERE THE QUALITY-USED CARS ARE FOUND"  
1500 S. Main St. • Chelsea, MI  
Open till 8:00 p.m. Mon. & Thurs., Open Sat. 9-3

**Spring Tune-Up Special**

**Adjust:**

- Brakes
- Gears
- Hubs
- Crank
- Headset
- True Wheels
- Clean & Lube Chain

**\$35<sup>00</sup> With This Ad**

**Red Chelsea Bike & Sports**

1178 S. Main • Chelsea  
**(313) 475-9371**

**Ask us about our out of town subscriptions**

**Buy Flowers** **Easter Flowers**  
Chelsea Kiwanis Club Flower Sale

All profits go to Community Service Projects  
Friday, April 10th 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.  
Saturday, April 11th 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.  
at  
**PALMER FAMILY FORD-MERCURY**  
S. Main St.

**Holy Week When We Pray**  
**God Answers**  
"Look What My Son Is Doing Again & Forever"

**Palm Sunday 11 a.m., April 5**  
**Maunder Thursday, April 9**  
Light Supper, Nothing to Bring, 6:30 or so,  
Open Communion & Cantata of Gathering  
Darkness, 7:30 p.m.  
Easter 11 a.m., April 12

**Stockbridge First Presbyterian on the Square**  
M-52 and M106 in Stockbridge  
**1-888-784-8128**  
warm hearts, forgiven child care and elevator  
You'll be glad you came.

**Save \$6<sup>00</sup> Off The Newsstand Price**  
**And Have The Paper Delivered To Your Mail Box**

Fill out this form and return with payment to: Chelsea Standard/Dexter Leader  
20750 Old US 12, Chelsea, MI 48118.

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP code \_\_\_\_\_  
Check One:  The Chelsea Standard  The Dexter Leader

Subscription rates are \$20 per year. Payment may be made by check, money order or by phone with your Visa/MC. Other length subscriptions are available upon request.

Chelsea



### Foundation scholarships available

Applications are available and the deadline is nearing for several scholarships given annually by the Chelsea Education Foundation.

The Joe Piasecki Memorial Scholarship is given to a student who will graduate with the Class of 1998 and plans to attend a college or trade school. It is named for the late Chelsea school superintendent.

The Mary Merkel Memorial Scholarship goes to a Chelsea resident who is pursuing a degree in a health-related field.

Two Chelsea Education Foundation scholarships go to Chelsea residents who plan to continue their education at a college or trade school.

The Washtenaw Community College Scholarship goes to a Chelsea resident who will attend the community college.

The Walter P. and Helen May Leonard Scholarship, named for the former publishers of *The Chelsea Standard*, goes to a graduating senior at Chelsea High School who plans to attend college or trade school and might not be able to attend without financial assistance.

Applications are available at the Chelsea High School counseling office. They should be returned to the foundation by Wednesday, April 15. The address is P.O. Box 295, Chelsea, 48118.

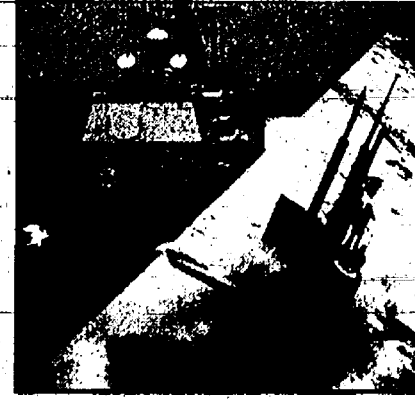
Chelsea



### —Tootsie Roll Drive to Begin Tomorrow—

The Michigan Knights of Columbus kicks off its Tootsie Roll Drive tomorrow by asking for donations April 3-5. The fund drive will raise funds for the education of mentally challenged children and adults, with 80 percent of the funds going to support local programs such as Chelsea Special Education, St. Louis School and Special Olympics. Pictured is John Mitchell Jr., left, of Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home donating money to Bob Guysky of the K. of C.

### WELCOME TO THE 21ST CENTURY



The U.S. NAVY has tomorrow's technology today. With jobs in more than 60 exciting career fields, the Navy can put you on the leading edge of some of the world's most advanced technology.

You can get the finest high-tech training now, and prepare for a bright, solid tomorrow—in or out of the Navy.

**Navy. Full Speed Ahead.**



### —North Creek Family Fun Night—

North Creek Elementary played host to family fun night recently. The annual PTO-sponsored event features games, prizes, face painting, crafts, pizza, popcorn, cotton candy and a lot of fun. Pictured are teacher Crystal Heydlauff and her daughter, Taylor, (above) who work on a craft. The duck pond is a big draw as Jillian and Anna Drow show Evan Althouse, his brother Drew and father Michael how it's done.

**M. L. CARPENTRY**  
 "All Your Building & Remodeling Needs"  
 • Additions • New Homes • Kitchens • Family Rooms  
 • Bathrooms • Porches • Carpentry • Decks  
 • Garages • Roofs • Siding • Flooring  
 Specializing in Fire Restoration and Insurance Repair  
 Mark L. Dreyer, Owner Licensed & Insured General Contractor **475-0359**

**Auto**  
 • Glass Replacement  
 • Stone Chip Repair

**Residential**  
 • Replacement Windows  
 • Screens and Storms  
 • Thermopane Replacement  
 • Mirrors  
 • Custom Beveled Glass

**Commercial**  
 • Aluminum Entrance and Storefronts

140 W. Middle • M-F 8 am-5 pm  
 (734) 475-8667

**START YOUR OWN BUSINESS GROW DAYLILIES**  
 The miracle plant that makes people rich.  
 All information is FREE.  
**DAYLILY KING**  
 Box 552  
 Au Gres, MI 48703

**Two for Saving Time!**

**EZ-Rider** 5YR WARRANTY  
 \$2,999<sup>00</sup> + tax

• Dual-hydrostatic transmission allows zero-turn steering  
 • Choose from 16-hp, 15-hp or a 14-hp engine, and 40" or 48" cutting decks  
 • Electric start and electric PTO is standard

Swivel System™ walk-behind gets in tight spaces  
 • Swivel wheels allow easy mowing around trees, walkways, flower beds etc.  
 • Mulch or bag clippings  
 • Ergonomic handlebar design for comfortable mowing

\$639<sup>00</sup> + tax

**DAKIN'S**  
 Yard-N-Garden Equipment, Inc.  
 517-784-3146  
 2524 LANSING AVE. JACKSON, MI 48202

Hours: M-F 8:00 - 5:30 • Sat. 8:00 - 1:00  
 www.dakins.com

SALES • SERVICE • PARTS • RENTALS  
 "Full Service Dealer"  
 Financing • Trades • Pickup • Delivery  
 Tractors • Mowers • Tillers • Chain Saws  
 • Snow Equipment

Simplicity  
 Cub Cadet  
 Kubota  
 STIHL  
 WOODS  
 TORO

**Holy Cow! Could it be, this dairy farmer will be 40!**  
 Wish him a Happy Birthday on April 5.  
 Love,  
 Susan, Kate & Robert

**Plymouth Wayne, Inc.**  
 Ann Arbor Branch • 4105 Jackson Rd.  
 (734) 741-9353  
 (4 locations to serve you)

Industrial & Specialty Gases & Welding Supplies

**SAVINGS SAVINGS SAVINGS SAVINGS**

**BRONZE KIT** only \$175  
 SKU4400212  
 Gas Welding and Cutting Outfit (includes: goggles, striker & twin hose)

**\$199**  
 Cutting & Welding Outfit

OPEN Saturday 8 am-Noon, Mon.-Fri. 8:00-5:00

*Be a Model for a Day!*

Would you like a great new look?  
 Is it time for a style change?  
 Let us help!

*In Chelsea Hair Design is looking for models to experience a new haircut & style.*

Internationally renowned hair designer **Antoine Greige** will be in Chelsea for two days only May 3rd & 4th working with us on education of the latest haircuts, color, texture, & special occasion styles. Models must be willing to let Antoine & stylists be creative with your hair at your discretion. All services are free to models.

For more information and your appointment please call  
 CALL 475-5959  
 106 West Middle Street, Chelsea

**In Chelsea hair design**  
 a full service salon

**The Greatest Thing Since Sliced Bread**

No matter how you slice it, our Consumer Information Catalogs are great food for thought. The Catalog dishes up more than 200 free and low-cost government booklets on subjects such as staying healthy, eating right, finding a job, getting federal benefits, using credit, buying a home, helping your kids, taking care of your car, and much, much more.

To get your free copy, send your name and address to:

**Consumer Information Center**  
 Department CF  
 Pueblo, Colorado 81009

U.S. General Services Administration

**Mayville Sales & Service**  
 810-231-1110  
 11417 S. Hamburg Rd • Hamburg, MI  
 M,W,F 9 am-6 pm • T,Th 9 am-8 pm  
 Sat 8 am-4 pm

**Ariens**  
 The best from start to finish.

**Everything You Ever Wanted to Know About Your Vision**

How often should I get an eye exam? Worried about Glaucoma? Is there old age vision loss? Learn the latest in cataract surgery and children's vision problems. CCH Medical Staff Member Dr. William Hawks, Ophthalmologist will address these questions. Wednesday, April 8, 7-8:30 p.m.

A free community lecture offered by "Live Well!"  
 CCH Dining Room Refreshments Available  
 Chelsea Community Hospital  
 Call (734) 475-4103 for information.



# Mill Creek Research Council to meet

The annual meeting of the Mill Creek Research Council is scheduled for 8 p.m., Tuesday, April 14, at Lima Township Hall.

The date of the meeting is later than usual to allow more members to be present, as the usual end of March date conflicted with vacation breaks at local schools.

This will be the 33rd annual meeting of this citizens' group. The council was formed in 1965 to study and disseminate information about a proposed U.S. Army Corps of Engineers project along Mill Creek. The project was eventually abandoned.

Subsequently, the council served as a focus for residents' opposition to a proposed metropark and a low-level radioactive waste disposal site, neither of which has been developed.

The agenda for this year's meeting includes reports on two research projects conducted since last spring.

The first is a study of invertebrate diversity in Mill Creek's main branch to provide baseline data and an indication of current water quality. This study has been conducted by Dr. Howard Booth and Philip Lunday of Eastern Michigan University.

The second study is a project to develop a bibliography of past projects in the area. The primary study area for

this project is the Pinckney and Waterloo State Recreation Areas, but a portion of the study is targeted on the North Branch of Mill Creek. This study has been conducted by faculty and students at the University of Michigan School of Natural Resources and Environment, and is receiving funding from Potawatomi Land Trust and Michigan Department of Natural Resources.

A proposal for a new research project also will be presented by a student from Eastern Michigan University.

This year's agenda also includes a discussion of the council's support for an upcoming ballot proposal on

purchase of development rights.

In the past, agricultural land was threatened by dams, parks or waste disposal sites, while now it is threatened by creeping development. The council will discuss means of preservation of agricultural lands and how to actively support it.

Board members of the Mill Creek Research Council are Charles Arnold, Dave Blough, Barbara Eby, Jacob Haas, Alan Mansfield, Pam Mansfield, Velma-Markins, Anita Metzger, Arly Spink, Terry Wesner, Linda White and Stephen Williams. Yearly dues are payable to Alan Mansfield, treasurer.

Dexter



Photo by Mary Kumbier

### DHS Receives Awards

Dexter High School students Sarah Hunt and Tanya Fraker, members of Student Council, picked up two awards on behalf of the high school March 17 at the Salvation Army annual Bell Ringers Recognition Dinner. Dexter students were recognized for bringing in \$2,326.72, placing them 11th in contributions among 122 service and school groups and individuals. The high school also received the Lieutenant Colonel Harold Crowell Youth Award for posting the greatest increase in donations (43 percent) over 1996. Additionally, students collected over 8,000 cans and food items for the Christmas canned food drive. Student clubs also take turns preparing and serving meals at the Ypsilanti Army Soup Kitchen each marking period.



## Your Money Matters

by David Adams

If you're like the many millions of Americans who are expecting a tax refund this year, you have probably already made a list of the numerous ways you could spend it—new furniture or maybe a vacation?

You may even know of some people who complete their income tax forms, see the bottom line, drop it in the mail and head for the mall, credit cards in-hand.

However, there are a few things you might want to consider before you spend the cash that's not yet yours. Your return could be used to improve your financial health. How?

### Payoff Outstanding Credit Balances

For starters, use your tax return to pay off any outstanding credit card balances. Most credit cards charge high interest rates of 18 percent or more, stealing the dollars you worked so hard for. Using your refund can be the first step toward erasing your credit card debt, a goal you can aim to reach by the end of the year.

### Start A Retirement Plan

You could begin contributing to a 401(k) retirement plan if your employer offers one. Or, you could take advantage of an IRA or Keogh.

### IRA contributions accumulate tax-free until the time of withdrawal, making this option an excellent place to invest your tax refund.

If you are self-employed, you could open a Keogh plan, which offers many of the same advantages as an IRA.

### Taxes in these plans are deferred on contributions, interest and dividends.

**Start A College Fund**  
If you have children, the time for post-high-school education will come sooner than you expect. You may want to consider placing the money in a stock mutual fund for your child's college tuition if they are young.

### If you have older children already in high school, your credit union or other financial institution may offer a variety of short-term certificates of deposit (CDs) or money market accounts.

**Plan An Emergency Fund**  
A common rule is that you should have an emergency fund amounting to six months worth of living expenses. Even with today's economy booming, you can never anticipate a spouse losing an income due to an injury. Make sure you have enough funds saved to

cover yourself should something happen.

### Save For Holiday Shopping

Christmas, already? Yes. Even though Christmas wasn't that long ago, you could start thinking about this year's shopping and set aside your refund for presents.

Many credit unions and other financial institutions offer holiday savings clubs that allow you to withdraw the account's balance only once a year, usually as the holidays approach.

Or, if you start purchasing gifts now and continue throughout the year, you will be able to shop at your own pace, find items on sale and avoid over-spending on over-priced, impulse gifts during the holiday season.

### Have A Little Fun

Finally, you may want to spend a portion of your return on something you've been wanting for some time. But, save the rest. This way you can have extra money saved and still feel good about your new furniture or weekend getaway.

David Adams is the president and CEO of the Michigan Credit Union League. Send your financial questions to: Your Money Matters, c/o Michigan Credit Union League, P.O. Box 5040, Southfield, MI 48086-5040. Or, visit the MCUL on the Internet at [www.mcul.org](http://www.mcul.org).

## Cavanaugh Lake Store

163 Cavanaugh Lake Rd. • 475-2731

### Did You Know ...

We Sell Grilled Jumbo Hot Dogs  
And Chili by the Cup!

*N. Central Street*

**PRODUCE**

**RETAIL & WHOLESALE**

Fresh Fruits • Vegetables • Dairy Products  
Baked Goods • Bulk Candies/Dry Goods  
Featuring Chamberlain Bread  
Mae's Fudge & boxed chocolates in assorted novelty shapes  
Fresh Frozen Desserts  
Gourmet Ice Cream • Cheesecakes  
Italian Cakes • Pies

**— 426-8519 —**

**Retail & Wholesale**

3685 Central Street • Dexter • Adjacent to the Dexter Cider Mill  
Mon.-Sat. 9:00 a.m.-6:30 p.m. & Sun. 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

# ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

## Winans Jewelry

### 100 Year Anniversary Customer Appreciation Sale

Thur. . . . . April 9th . . . . . 9:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m.  
Fri. . . . . April 10th . . . . . 9:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m.  
Sat. . . . . April 11th . . . . . 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

## 10%-50% Off Storewide

No Refunds

Special orders welcome.

Come browse our catalogs for upcoming Special Events!  
Graduation, Weddings, Anniversaries, and Birthdays!

Serving our community for 100 years and four generations.  
Thank you for your patronage and continued support!

We will be closed Wednesday April 8th in preparation for the sale

108 S. Main • Chelsea, MI 48118 • 313-475-2622

## Farm facts

A single-cell parasite joins the ranks of human pathogens harbored by oysters, according to a recent report. Oocysts - encased eggs - of the parasite *Cryptosporidium parvum* were found in oysters from six rivers feeding the Chesapeake Bay. When ingested, they can infect gastrointestinal cells, causing cramping, diarrhea, and sometimes nausea and vomiting. Feces from humans or domestic and wild mammals can spread the disease by contaminating the waterways.

Barbecue grills are working overtime! A 1997 study by Wirthlin Worldwide discovered that 33 percent of U.S. consumers continue to fire up the grill even during the winter months. Some die-hard grillers said they grill at least once a week.

DIAMOND  
JEWELRY

## Winans Jewelry

### 100 Year Anniversary Customer Appreciation Sale

Thur. . . . . April 9th . . . . . 9:00 a.m.-9:00 p.m.  
Fri. . . . . April 10th . . . . . 9:00 a.m.-8:00 p.m.  
Sat. . . . . April 11th . . . . . 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

## 10%-50% Off Storewide

No Refunds

Special orders welcome.

Come browse our catalogs for upcoming Special Events!  
Graduation, Weddings, Anniversaries, and Birthdays!

Serving our community for 100 years and four generations.  
Thank you for your patronage and continued support!

We will be closed Wednesday April 8th in preparation for the sale

108 S. Main • Chelsea, MI 48118 • 313-475-2622

CHILDRENS  
GIFTS

SOLID  
GOLD  
JEWELRY

PEWTER  
AND  
GIFTS

GEMSTONE  
JEWELRY



—United Way Donates to CART—

On March 25, Anne Mann, president of Chelsea United Way, presented a check for \$3,400 to Jackie Maveal, vice president of Chelsea Area Responding to Teens, which became a United Way member agency this year. Pictured are (front row) Steven Symth, Savannah Hyssong, Teddy Keilman, student CART president Sarah Bringham, Sarah Misenheimer and Virginia Bailey. Back row are Mann, Maveal, Kathy Bringham, Kathy Everett and Rachel Misenheimer.

## School board discusses much, decides little

(Continued from Page One)

building at Beach Middle School. Granger Construction's Jerry Brand told the board work has already begun at Beach during the evenings when kids are not at school.

Brand also brought the board up to date on the changes at the new high school site. He said the classrooms are starting to receive floors and walls. The gym also has been changed to include wider seats and greater space between the bleachers and floor. Brand said the seating will be reduced, but not by much.

Athletic Director Wayne Welton gave the board a report on the status of expanding the Southeastern Conference to include some Ann Arbor schools and schools downriver from Detroit. He said that the Ann Arbor schools are eager to get in, but some schools already in the league fear domination by Pioneer High School, which has 2,100 students. The downriver schools are also not sure they want to join.

In the area of curriculum, Superintendent Ed Richardson told the board he continued to recommend that the schools offer driver's education classes for free, even though legislation allows districts to charge for classes. He said he would like to move slowly on changing the driver's education classes.

Richardson also outlined changes to the Michigan Educational Assessment Program tests for the district. He said the High School Proficiency Test was now called the MEAP High School Test and would

be reduced in length.

The performance categories for the high school test will be changed to include "not competent" on the transcripts, but not diplomas. Legislation will also say that all kids will take the test unless they are classified as special education. Richardson said the changes would not affect the number of students who take the test in Chelsea, because all Chelsea students already take the test.

Richardson also said a recent report showed that employers in Michigan have been looking at the high school test

to determine hiring, but colleges do not. Chelsea High School Principal Ron Mead said that though employers are increasingly looking at the test, currently the test does not affect hiring very much.

Richardson also updated the board on a recent action by a Board of Determination for the County Drain Commission. The board decided to go ahead with improvements to the Palmer-Baldwin Drain, which could help flooding problems along Freer Road near the recent construction of Pierce Lake Elementary and the new high school.

## Artist donates jewelry to cancer center fundraiser

By Eric Bowen  
Staff Writer

Chelsea artist Marjorie Rawson-Johnson was among 163 artists who donated work to the University of Michigan Comprehensive Cancer Center auction last Sunday, which raised \$170,000 for cancer research and care. The money can also be used for much-needed life-enriching projects, according to development officer Janet Roth.

"It's important to have an event that gives us funding for discretionary funds," Roth said. "We're looking at programs for beautifying people, games for children and to buy equipment."

Rawson-Johnson donated a metal brooch in the shape of a rag-doll, called Zoe, to the auction. Her jewelry is all hand-made from materials such as copper, silver, precious stones and beads.

To make the jewelry, Rawson-Johnson and her five-person staff cut out the metal in large batches, to do many pieces at a time. She then solders the metals together in various forms.

Rawson-Johnson said she tries to make each piece reflect her personal interests. Many of her most popular pieces are in the shape of insects or people, layered to be three-dimensional.

Rawson-Johnson said Roth approached her about donating after seeing her work. When Rawson-Johnson heard of the other artists in the auction she was glad to be among



Chelsea artist Marjorie Rawson-Johnson donated a piece of her jewelry to the University of Michigan Comprehensive Cancer Center auction, held last Sunday. The auction raised more than \$170,000 for cancer research and care.

them. "I was pretty flattered being in the company of the other artists in the group," she said.

A Chelsea High School graduate, Rawson-Johnson received a bachelor's degree from Eastern Michigan University. She and her husband, Mike, have two children.

Mike recently quit his job to take on running the business side of Rawson-Johnson's artwork, handling ordering of supplies and mailing out finished work to more than 500 stores nationwide. Rawson-Johnson's work is handled by five sales representatives in 20 states.

Mike said that the couple's business has grown considerably in recent years and managing the business became too much to handle in the evenings. He said the couple

was considering remodeling their barn into a workshop so they could continue to expand.

Rawson-Johnson said she was glad to work out of her home with her husband. She said he wanted to be an active part of raising their children and they worked to make the transition happen.

With the operations side of the business taken care of by her husband, Rawson-Johnson said she has more time to design her artwork. An avid gardener, she said most of her pieces are inspired by nature and she tries to make her work flow from things she sees around her.

"My style is painterly," she said. "I think about things as paintings or drawings first and somehow they translate into three dimensions."

# Now Thru Saturday

April 4th. While quantities last. Sorry, no rainchecks.



**2 for \$7** sale  
Morton System Saver salt pellets, 40 lb. bag. Guaranteed pure salt.



**2 for \$1** sale  
Kleenex Menthol facial tissues, 60 ct. For your worst colds and allergies. Reg. 2/2.18.



**1.99** sale  
Milk, gallon. Choose skim, 1%, 2% and whole.



**1.49** after rebate  
Pamida Anti-freeze, gal. For all-season use. Prevents freeze-ups and boil-overs.



**4.77** sale  
Rubbermaid® 18 gal. tote with snaplight lid. Model 2215. Reg. 7.99.



**50% Off**  
Kids' play rugs. Choose from assorted styles. Reg. 17.99-39.99 Sale 8.99-19.99.

## Plus These Bonus Coupons!

Pamida Coupon

Now Thru Saturday, April 4th

15% Off

Any one regular priced item

Please present this coupon to cashier at the time of purchase. Not good on prior purchases or layaways. Store stock only. Sorry, no rainchecks. Good thru Sat., April 4, 1998. Excludes prescriptions, hunting and fishing licenses.

Pamida Coupon

Now Thru Saturday, April 4th

25% Off

Any one regular priced apparel, shoe or accessories item

Please present this coupon to cashier at the time of purchase. Not good on prior purchases or layaways. Store stock only. Sorry, no rainchecks. Good thru Sat., April 4, 1998. Excludes prescriptions, hunting and fishing licenses.

Mon.-Sat. 9 a.m.-9 p.m. • Sun. 10 a.m.-6 p.m.  
1040 S. Main • Chelsea



## Village Council tables request for office proposals

(Continued from Page One)

ternal work session regarding the residential equivalent unit schedule.

Describing the whole process as "smoke and mirrors," Cashman successfully argued that it made more sense for the council to arrive at some preliminary figures before inviting a highly paid consultant to create numbers from scratch.

In other business, confronted with an unusually light agenda, Cashman dubbed the proposal to proclaim April 12-18 as "Medical Laboratory Week" the "contentious" issue of the evening. The proposal was sponsored by the American Society of Clinical Pathologists to note the vital role that medical laboratory professionals play in the health-care field. The resolution passed without discussion.

Steele announced that the annual Mayor Exchange Day would be with Allegan, a small city approximately 20 miles north of Kalamazoo. It serves as the county seat for Allegan County.

Allegan officials requested a two-day involvement, with Chelsea administrators spending a day in Allegan and vice versa. The council agreed with Steele that this would be an unnecessary intrusion into a busy working week.

The meeting began with Clerk Suzanne Morrison swearing in Anna Fournier as village treasurer. It concluded with Steele bestowing a verbal tribute upon Kathleen Chapman, who served as village treasurer from 1986 through 1996. Chapman died March 21.

# The Chelsea Standard

Page 15

Chelsea, Michigan, Thursday, April 2, 1998

Pages 15-28



## Raising Resilient Children

Counselor Orville Dean addresses parents at a seminar March 14 entitled Raising Resilient Children in a High Risk World. The seminar was sponsored by the Chelsea School District, Chelsea Education Foundation and *The Chelsea Standard*. Despite severe, snowy weather, more than 50 participants spent the morning learning how to be better parents and how to support their children. The seminar was the final event in a winter-long series on school success.

## Famous fruit bat Stellaluna to appear at Chelsea Depot

Stellaluna, the Egyptian fruit bat and popular children's literary star, made famous in an award-winning children's book of the same name, will visit the Chelsea Depot this month as the second event of the Chelsea District Library's annual National Library Week Festival.

The program, which is about one hour long, will begin at 4 p.m. on Tuesday, April 21 in the depot meeting room.

Stellaluna will be brought to the depot under the protection of the Organization for Bat Conservation, a non-profit organization dedicated to the survival of bats. The organization helps bats in a variety of ways, through research, rescue, habitat protection, and, of course, educational programs. The organization also participates in research on the endangered Indiana bat.

"Meeting Stellaluna live is very exciting for the kids, but the important underlying message in our program is conservation: how to help bats, protect bats and understand bats," says Kim Williams, co-director of the Williamston-based Organization for Bat Conservation.

"We are the only group licensed in the state of Michigan to use live bats in educational programs." Williams and her colleagues will begin by reading the children's book "Stellaluna." They also display different species of live bats beginning with the Egyptian fruit bat.

In the story, Stellaluna is separated from her mother before she can fly. She finds that not all winged creatures eat fruit. Swallowing food that crawls is just one of many things the baby fruit bat learns to do as she adapts to the habits of her new family.



Kim Williams, co-director of the Organization for Bat Conservation and "Stellaluna" prepare for their appearance at Chelsea Depot Tuesday, April 21. The two will appear as part of Chelsea District Library's National Library Week Festival.

She also learns the essence of friendship in humorous and touching ways. After she falls head-first into a bird's nest, she is raised like a bird until she is reunited with her Mother.

"Stellaluna" was written by Janell Canon in 1984, and quickly became a classic work of children's literature. Cannon designs and develops award-winning reading programs for children that emphasize information about and involvement with animals, especially those not popularly thought of as cute or cuddly, in an effort to dispel erroneous myths about them. Her books focus on teaching love and re-

spect for all creatures.

Cannon received numerous awards for "Stellaluna," including the American Book-seller Book of the Year in 1984, and the Keystone to Reading Award.

Williams holds a bachelor's degree in zoology and a master's degree in biology. She began her work with bats when she was a naturalist at a state park and someone brought her an injured bat to rehabilitate.

The Chelsea Depot is located on Jackson Street in downtown Chelsea.

For more information about the program, call the Chelsea District Library at 475-8732.

## Program gives teens taste of real world

By Eric Bowen  
Staff Writer

Chelsea High School senior Karen Pieper has always liked to accessorize. Since she was a young girl she has enjoyed filling her room with decorative items to be contemporary with the modern styles.

So when Pieper got a chance to study with an interior decorator as part of the high school's mentorship program, she didn't hesitate.

"I just thought it might be fun," Pieper said. "I didn't really know that much about the field of interior design, but it ended up being a lot of fun."

Pieper is one of 25 students who took part in Chelsea High School's mentorship program, which is designed to give students hands-on experience in their professions of interest. Pieper worked with Ann Arbor-based decorator Michelle Paris developing designs for a house her mentor had designed in Dexter.

Pieper ran the gamut for a real-life project, first starting with a fictional client profile to determine the client's needs and finishing with a display board with all of the furnishings for the client's perusal. Though Pieper's designs were not used for the house, she did schedule a visit to see her mentor's designs.

Pieper started her project by taking floor plans from several rooms in the house and deciding which rooms she wanted to design. She picked out an animal-pattern motif and picked out wallpaper, carpet, tile and marble finishes for the rooms.

The centerpiece of Pieper's designs was a whirlpool bath in the center of a large bathroom. Her mentor did go over budgeting, but Pieper said she tried to design a dream house for herself regardless of cost.

Pieper said she learned a lot about interior design and got a jump on college with her knowledge. She said she plans to go to Michigan State University in the fall, and expects to be ahead of the game in her classes.

"She taught me something similar to what she did in her college classes," Pieper said. "I think I got an edge with my mentor. It never seemed like I was taking up her time."

Program coordinator Jim Winter said the mentorship program allows students individual instruction from experts in the field. He said students design their own curriculum in subjects that are all over the map, from computer programming and math, to publishing and dance.

"The program is designed to give kids opportunities to explore careers we don't provide in the classroom," Winter said.

Students in the program work largely independently from school, though they do have to meet with Winter one hour a week. Much of a student's grade comes from completing a log and submitting a project. Winter said a mentor evaluation and the projects count for 80 percent of the grade.

To enter the program, Winter said students must complete an application stating their potential project in the field they want to enter. Winter said students have to show they have a good idea of what they want from the program and are serious about finishing. Students also must submit three letters of recommendation and have good grades to be considered.

Once students are accepted, they design a program of study with their mentors in the field. Winter said he tries to get the mentors to include the students in an actual project so they can find out what real-life work is like.

Beth Wagenschutz got a taste of the nitty-gritty world of social work when she mentored with Nadine Shaneyfelt at Faith In Action. Wagenschutz helped Shaneyfelt or-



Karen Pieper



Beth Wagenschutz

ganize and implement the annual Adopt-A-Family program that matches individuals and businesses with families to provide needed food and clothing.

Wagenschutz said in the 110 hours she worked, she learned a lot about what it takes to be a social worker and the differences in approach among different branches of social work. She said when she first entered the program, she didn't know how much organization and paperwork was required, and she learned a lot about confidentiality of clients.

"Social work has so many different areas, and this mentorship gave me an idea of some areas I could be working in," Wagenschutz said. "There's counseling, safe houses, programs for chemical dependencies. Social work is usually trying to make society more fair."

Wagenschutz hooked up with Shaneyfelt through her parents, who knew her through church. She also worked for Faith In Action this past summer as a Spanish translator.

Wagenschutz said she liked Shaneyfelt's approach to the mentorship because she was able to be part of a real project. She said she helped Shaneyfelt with whatever was

needed.

Shaneyfelt said she appreciated Wagenschutz's hard work and her attitude at the job. The mentorship program was designed to allow Wagenschutz a lot of autonomy and decision-making power, and Shaneyfelt said Wagenschutz handled the situation well.

Shaneyfelt said the program was exceptional and she thinks it teaches the students a great deal about different professions. She said she would be glad to host another student next year.

"I think that it is very important," Shaneyfelt said. "I think the mentorship program is one of the best they could have."

Unfortunately, Shaneyfelt said that her business involves a shadier side as well, which she hoped Wagenschutz learned about. Shaneyfelt said one major point she tried to get across was that some clients are not up front with the social workers, plus some have been abused or have mental disabilities.

"The main thing that I wanted to get across is that you have to listen and a lot of times, hear what it is that person is not saying," Shaneyfelt said. "You have to weigh what people say. You can't always stop people from hurting."

## Citizen of Year applications available

Applications forms are now available for Citizen of the Year at the village office so residents may nominate a volunteer for this honor. Forms are also available from the COTY Chairman, Monte Howard, at 475-5505 during the day. The deadline to submit a nomination application is Friday, May 31.

Anyone can nominate someone. The only requirements for a nomination is that the person must have performed volunteer work for the Chelsea community. Some requirements on the application ask for any organization affiliations, events that the nominee has participated in or chaired, or other efforts which may have resulted in heroic consequences.

Past winners have been: Ann Feeney (94), Kathleen Chapman (95) Joe Merkel III (96) and Gloria Mitchell (97).

All the past winners automatically get to serve on the voting committee, which consists of the village president,

village manager, police chief, fire chief, Rotary president, Lions president, Kiwanis president, Knights of Columbus, hospital director, fair board, Chamber of Commerce as well as the school superintendent. The Chelsea Masons and the Chelsea-Manchester Order of the Eastern Stars also serve on the voting committee and are the sponsoring bodies behind this organization.

The fifth annual banquet

will be held in honor of this year's winner at the fair grounds dining hall. The winner will receive a plaque with his or her name on it at the banquet. Village President Richard Steele is expected to speak.

Tickets will be available at the Chelsea Pharmacy. They will be sold after the Citizen of the Year winner is announced by the Masons and Eastern Stars.

## Palmer medical scholarship available

Chelsea Community Hospital's A.A. Palmer Medical Scholarship applications are available to qualified Chelsea High School graduates beginning May 1.

To qualify for this scholarship, a student must be enrolled full time as a pre-med student. The scholarship is based on academic achievement, community involvement and a sincere interest in higher education in the health care field.

Personal interviews will be given to those candidates deemed most qualified.

The scholarship was established in 1972 by a group of local physicians as a memorial for Dr. A.A. Palmer and is funded from the Chelsea Painters June Art Fair held on the hospital campus.

Palmer was born and raised in Chelsea and graduated from the University of Michigan Medical School in 1917. After serv-

(Continued on Page 17)

## Students to attend Boys, Girls State

Four girls and seven boys from Chelsea High School were selected to attend the American Legion Girls and Boys State this year to learn about the structure and purpose of government. The students will travel to Michigan State University in Lansing June 13-20.

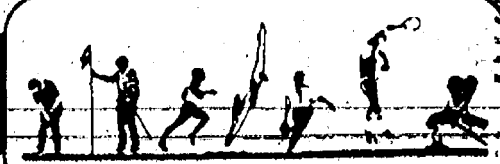
The girls who were selected

are Margaret Schick, Meghan Holfka, Katie Parker and Amy McCalla. Boys are Kyle Griffith, Aaron Ruhlig, Isaac Rabonivitz, Vincent Scheffler, Adam Knott, Brian Groesser and Joe Mignano.

To be eligible, students have to be juniors, residents of Michigan and U.S. citizens.

# SPORTS

Lets Go  
Bulldogs!



—8th Grade Volleyball Team—

Beach Middle School eighth-grade volleyball team recently finished their season with a 9-3 record. In front, from left, are Rochelle Stafford, Sheresa Roberson, Tracy Carter, Kelly O'Brien and Meghan Tandy. In the second row are manager Emaly Noye, Alyssa Warren, Heather Steinaway, Susan Frederick, Tiffany Dick-

erson and manager Stephanie Simmons. In back are manager Sharon Price, Heather Tanner, Cara Long, Audrey Richardson, Kristi Tarantowski, Jenelle Viecek, coach Ann Schaffner and coach Tracy LaRue.

## 'Dog soccer team undefeated after first two contests

Chelsea High School varsity soccer team opened its season last week with a pair of shutout victories.

On Wednesday, March 25, the Bulldogs traveled to Jackson Northwest High School, and beat the Mounties 1-0 on a goal by sophomore Kate Huehl with six minutes left in the game.

Heidi BeGole assisted on the play as she made a tremendous crossing pass from deep in the corner that Huehl was able to put in the net.

"I'm pleased with the win, but we'll have to improve significantly if we are going to be competitive in the SEC," said Chelsea coach Chris Orlandi.

"Northwest frustrated our offense for most of the game, and our ball control was weak. Defensively, we made some mistakes as well, but it is hard to complain about a shutout win."

When the defense made its mistakes, Leslee Parker was in goal to spoil Northwest's attack. Parker made six saves to preserve the shutout.

The next day, Chelsea played its home opener against a stubborn team from Ypsilanti High School, and the result was another 1-0 win.

Huehl again provided the scoring as she received a pass from Lara Gourlay midway through the first half and launched a 25-yard shot from a bad angle. That was all the offense the Bulldogs would need

as the defense posted its second consecutive shutout.

"It's great to see the defense start its season with two shutouts," Orlandi said.

"The defensive effort was especially satisfying because injuries kept three of our defenders out of the lineup.

"I asked Amy Sporer to play the vital position of sweeper for the first time, and she came through with flying colors. Kristin Ellis, Rebecca Metzler and Allison Montero also played excellent defense to hold Ypsilanti scoreless.

And as usual, Leslee Parker made a couple of great saves to help us win. This was a solid team effort."

Because CHS is on spring break, the soccer team is not in action this week. However, important games loom on the horizon.

The Bulldogs will play a home game against Saline on Tuesday, April 7 at the Pierce Lake Elementary School field. On Thursday, April 9 the team will travel to Ypsilanti Lincoln for another SEC match.

"This is the best start ever for our program, and I hope we can get a lot of support for the Saline game," Orlandi said.

"Saline is the reigning SEC champion, and that program returns a lot of great players this year. We'll have to play our best game to have a chance."

## SOCCER CORNER

INDOOR SOCCER - WIDEWORLD SPORTS CENTER		U 13 Girls House Party		2 Tony Daniels/Duff Davis	
SCORE BOARD - Sixth Week Results					
Division	Team Name	Rank	Coach	U 13 Girls Dexter Lazer	4 Terri Lewis
U 8 Boys	Emerson School	1	Ricky Suassuna	U 13 Girls Dexter Twister	3 Bill Brines
			Div. 1	U 13 Girls Dexter Lightning	3 Jim Darstony
U 8 Boys	The Rockets	1	Ricky Suassuna	U 14 Boys Chelsea Bulldogs	3 Allen Montero
			Div. 2	U 14 Girls Dexter Storm	3 Sid Phillips
U 8 Boys	The Wilds	3	Bill Herrlinger	U 16 Boys Dexter	4 B.J. Nadeau
			Div. 2	U 17 Boys Chelsea Blue	2 John DeWay
U 8 Boys	Scorpions	1	Ricky Suassuna	U 20 Boys Chelsea	2 David Pieske
			Div. 3	030 Men C. Renaissance	4 Tim Compton
U 10 Boys Dexter Shambers	6	Janet Crawford		030 Men T.H. & Assoc.	1 Bill Herrlinger
U 10 Boys Heatwave	3	Bill Ager			
U 10 Boys Charges	4	Kristen			
U 10 Girls Changes	3	Ted Neff			
U 11 Boys Dexter					
U 11 Boys Destroyers	2	Gary Brauder			
U 11 Boys Dexter	2	Jeff Bourdon			
U 11 Boys Destroyers II					
U 11 Girls Dexter	6	Don Svetkoff			
U 12 Boys Shooting Stars					
U 12 Boys E.J. United	2	Ricky			
U 12 Boys Wild Bunch	2	Jim Viecek			
U 12 Boys Vikings	2	Ted Neff			
U 12 Boys Dexter	4	Steve Butler			
U 12 Girls Dexter Pacers	3	Dan Jacobs			
U 12 Girls Chelsea Bulldogs	3	Dan Kujala			
U 13 Boys Metro Stars	1	Ricky Suassuna			
U 13 Boys Chelsea Rapids	2	Ricky Suassuna			
U 13 Boys Tornados	6	Steve Heyne			

### Trees Wanted!

Large Pine and Spruce Trees 15-30'  
will Purchase in Ground  
(248) 349-8555

### VICTORY PLANE QUICK OIL CHANGE

Where Service is a Sure Thing!  
NO APPOINTMENT NEEDED

FULL SERVICE \$23.99 (most cars) INCLUDES:  
5 Qts. Pennzoil (5W30-10W30-10W40) • New Oil Filter  
Complete Chassis Lube • Check & Fill 5 Fluids & Tires  
Other Services Available (additional charge): Transmission & Differential Oil Change, Replace Headlights, Wiper Blades, Synthetic Engine Oil, Oil System Cleaner, Fuel System Cleaner

### NEW COMPUTER CAR CARE TRACKING SYSTEM

Manufacturer specs and requirements for your car at the push of a button throughout the Victory Lane system. We keep your oil change records for you!

920 S. Main • Chelsea  
(313) 944-1001 • Hours: M-F 8-7 • Sat. 8-5

**\$2.00 OFF** PENNZOIL  
WORKS LIKE LIQUID BALL BEARINGS™  
Complete oil change w/coupon • regular price: \$23.99 (Most Cars) • offer expires 4-30-98 • this offer not good w/any other offer. Offer good at these shops:  
Chelsea, Ann Arbor (2 locations), Salline, Ypsilanti (Washtenaw Ave.), Plymouth, Brighton and Milford

### Spink wins at Spring Arbor meet

Members of the Chelsea High School girls' track competed in an indoor meet at Spring Arbor College last week and came home with three medals and several places. Jeannie Spink almost lapped the field as she won the two-mile run in 12:57.6.

### McKillen Tents

Set-up • Take-down • Sides Available  
Tables and Chairs  
Pat McKillen, Owner  
(313) 426-5051  
Dexter, Michigan

### Dexter High School Soccer

Tuesday April 7th  
Come support our High School girls!

- JV gold vs Onstead-3:30 pm
- JV Maroon vs Jackson Lumen Cristi-5:30 pm
- Varsity vs Jackson Lumen Cristi-7:30 pm

AL RITT FIELD  
FREE ADMISSION!

### Living in Style

If you've been thinking that your dream home is a faraway idea, *think again!* Now, with interest rates the lowest in years, your Wausau Home builder can show you homes with style and brimming with possibilities you've been dreaming of for years.

Now you can live in great style and affordability because a Wausau Home means expert rates, the lowest in years, your designs, great flexibility, and a reputation for craftsmanship. You'll have a home that you'll love and be proud to own.

Stop in, look through our home design books—See for yourself how a Wausau Home can fit into your lifestyle.

**Piemco Homes**  
115 South St. • Chelsea  
313-475-8294  
Your Local, Independent Builder of Wausau Homes

Do you have concerns about:

- Indoor air quality at home or at work?
- Dog, cat or other pet odors?
- Asthma, allergies, or migraines?
- The quality of the water you drink?

For the latest in state-of-the art Air & Water purification products, visit the Colonial Summit Booths No. 121 & 122 at the Builders-Home & Improvement Show, April 3, 4, 5, Washtenaw Farm Council Grounds, 5505 Ann Arbor Saline Road.

### SHOOTERS

NEIGHBOR GRILL AND PUB  
2 Miles West of Dexter-Pinckney Rd. on Territorial  
(734) 426-1600

NEW HOURS: Mon. & Tues. Closed, Wed. & Thurs. 4-10 p.m. Fri. & Sat. 4 p.m. - 1 a.m.; Sun. 10 a.m. - 11 p.m.

PERCH DINNER \$6.95  
Every Friday All-You-Can-Eat!  
Our Delicious Fresh Perch is served with Cole Slaw, Fries, & Our Famous Homemade Garlic Rolls & Butter.

PRIME RIB DINNER  
Every Friday  
\$13.95 Full cut • \$8.95 Petit cut

BBQ PORK RIBS DINNER  
Saturday Only  
\$13.95 Full Slab all you can eat  
\$8.95 1/2 Slab

PASTA DELIGHTS \$8.95  
Served Daily-6 dishes to choose from

BANDS  
April 3, 4, 10, & 11 Billy Mack and The Kickback Band  
May 8, 9, 15, 16, 22, 23, 29, & 30 Aibi  
Month of June  
Billy Mack and The Kickback Band

Your choice of juicy scrambled eggs, bacon, link sausage, honey-carved ham, juicy roast beef, BBQ pork, sweet potato casserole, diced potatoes & french toast with hot maple syrup. Start with our fresh salad and seasonal fruits, and finish with our famous, pastry, table (Coffee • Juices • Fountain Drinks not included) Small price \$5.95 Large \$1.50 four (4) choices from

Sunday Breakfast Brunch  
\$4.95 • 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. • \$4.95

BEER & LIQUOR PRICES HAVE BEEN LOWERED FOR YOUR DINING & ENTERTAINMENT PLEASURE!

### CHELSEA RECREATION COUNCIL

#### ADULT SOFTBALL LEAGUES

REGISTER YOUR SOFTBALL TEAM NOW for the SPRING-SUMMER LEAGUE

\$300 sponsor fee  
\$50 trnt fee  
\$24 individual fee  
14 games, start the first wk of May

Coed League - Monday eves  
Women's League - Tuesday eves  
Men's League - Wednesday eves  
You must register as a TEAM!

Questions? Call the Rec Office at 475-1112.







# About the Outdoors

by Jerry D. Posey



In Michigan, no matter where you may be standing you are never more than an hour from one of our state parks or recreation areas. What that really means is that you are never more than 60 miles from one of these parks or areas that the state is well known for.

Michigan has more than 96 state parks that were developed, and are cared for, by the state. All are available most times of the year for use by the taxpayers who furnished the funds for their purchase and development.

Michigan's state park system was started in 1919 and has continued to grow every year since that time. Each year, old parks are refurbished and new ones are added. Some are developed with all of the modern facilities demanded by the ever-increasing numbers of visitors. Others are frequented more by those desiring the more rustic features of the out-of-door style of camping.

Many of the parks include historical sites that preserve Michigan's rich heritage. You will find reconstructed logging camps, preserved copper mines and iron smelting areas, and the rebuilt forts that once protected our early settlers as they trapped the furbearers whose presence brought many of these brave souls to our state in the first place.

Some of the parks with the historical sites also have camping facilities for those who prefer to enjoy this type of outdoor activity, while others are for daytime visitors only.

There are many that were built expressly for the use of these campers and the variations are endless. There are parks that allow only tenting

and backpacking, where a trip to the out-house is just that, a trip to an outside toilet with no capacity for flushing. Then there are the ultra-modern campgrounds that furnish all of the comforts of home. In these you will find trailer hook-ups with electric and water at each individual campsite. Many also have showers, washers and dryers and a party store on the premises (for small non-alcoholic parties).

One of my favorite parks is North Higgins Lake State Park, near Roscommon. It has almost every facility available at any of the state parks and seems to attract a friendly type of camper — must be the good fishing that is found there. We all know that happy fishermen (and women), make happy campers.

Traverse City State Park, a few miles east of Traverse City, is another one that I try to visit at least once each year. They have most of the necessities needed for a long week-end stay and it is usually operated by a very friendly bunch of people. Also, some of the best walleye fishing in the state is found near Traverse City.

Cheboygan State Park, located on the Straits of Mackinac, is beautiful from early June right on through the fall when the colorful leaves attract many to the area. And I have never had a bad day of fishing when staying at that park.

Thompson's Harbor State Park has no camping or overnight facilities but is a great place to spend the day hunting, hiking or just relaxing. Take your own food and provisions since none are available. One can get an "up north" experience and never leave

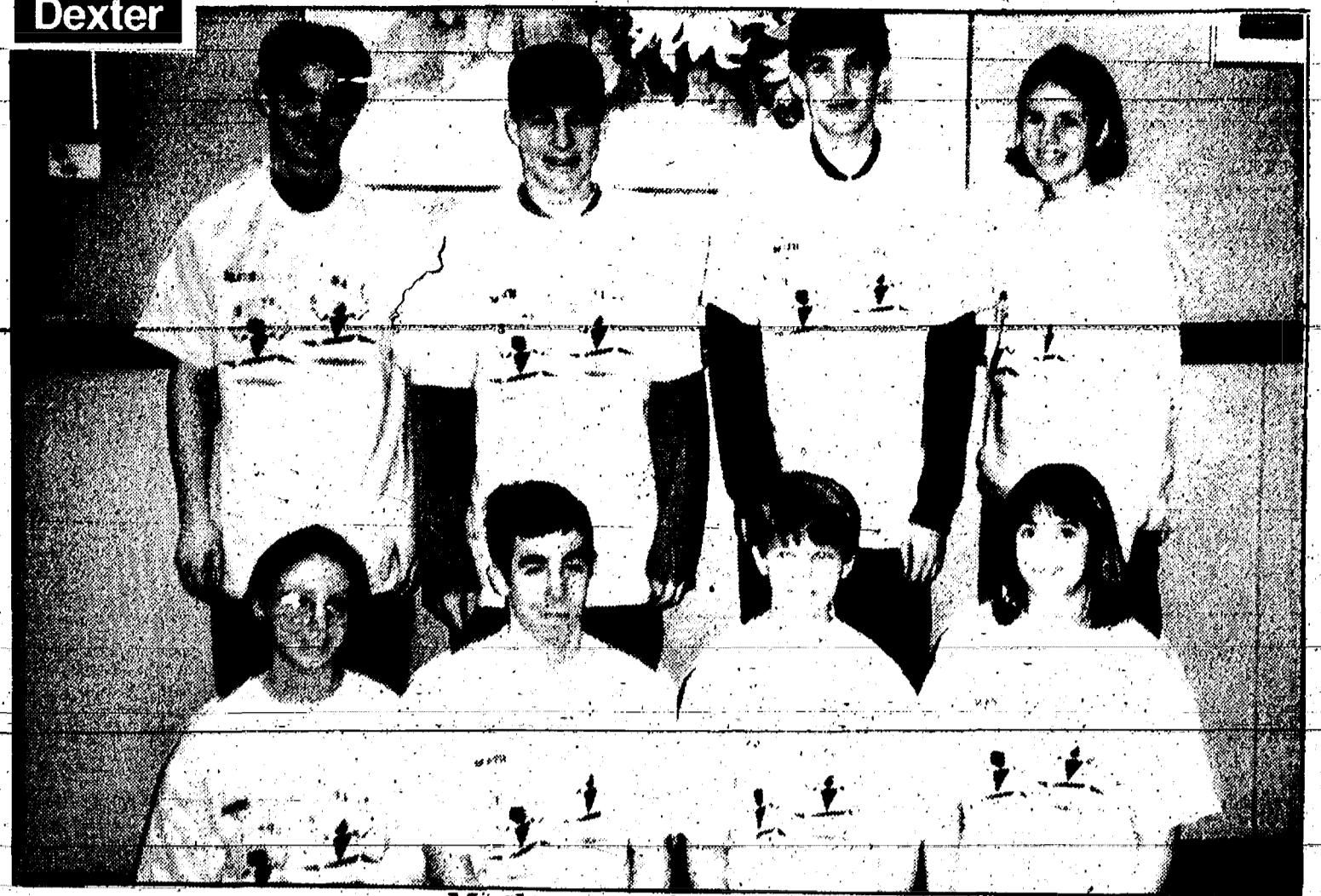
southeast Michigan by visiting the Island Lake Recreation Area near Brighton. It's less than a mile off I-96 but you'll feel like you are really up north. The rustic cabins are comfortable, the swimming is good most of the year and the canoe livery is well organized. I have enjoyed staying there several times. The fishing could have been better but it was slow in all parts of the state during the period we were there.

I have never visited Hartwick Pines State Park, but talking to others who have leads me to believe it may be a good place to visit with the motor home this summer. The camping facilities are supposed to be better than most and I guess the Michigan Forest Visitor Center is something all Michiganders should check out. There are 9,762 acres to roam around in. Guess it might be a good idea to take a compass.

Last but not least are the Waterloo Recreation Area and the Yankee Springs Recreation Area. They are the two closest to my part of the state and have been visited by me and my family several times over the past 20 years. Both are well located and have all of the facilities one would need for an extended stay — nice camping spots, playgrounds, and plenty of hiking trails. What more could a man ask for?

Now that I am retired, my wife and I find we have more time to enjoy traveling around the state, but you know what they say, "So many nice places to visit and so little time."

## Dexter



### Mathcounts Competition

Mill Creek Middle School students David Ganzhorn, Rich Brunelli, Eric Staller and Margo Jacobs (back from left) and Samantha Rich, Rob Macnee, David Widhalm and Casey Jordan (front from left) were selected to participate in the Mathcounts Competition held Feb. 21 at Eastern Michigan Conference Center in Ypsilanti. The eight students were top finishers in Mill Creek's competition held in January.

## Farm fact

Shining an invisible light on a hamburger patty could lead to a safer, cheaper, faster and more environmentally friendly laboratory method for calculating the amount of fat in a hamburger. Instead of using chemicals, the new technology uses a technology known as Near-Infrared Spectroscopy, or NIR. The NIR system can measure fat levels as low as 1 percent in less than two minutes, instead of the two days currently required using chemicals.

### Dependable Propane Service...



...It's a Warm Feeling

Pennington GAS SERVICE

13400 M-52 • STOCKBRIDGE • (517) 851-7577 • (800) 274-5599

## AT HOME IN THE COUNTRY.

Whether you're thinking of building or buying a home or simply refinancing the home you already own—let Farm Credit Services custom build your home loan.

A Country Home Loan from Farm Credit Services offers flexible terms at competitive interest rates. You can select an adjustable rate mortgage with interest rate caps for your protection. Or a fixed rate mortgage with the added security of knowing your payment cannot change for a specified number of years.

So, if you're thinking of making a move, contact your nearest Farm Credit Services office—today.

Lot Loans  
Construction Loans  
Competitive Mortgages

FARM CREDIT SERVICES  
Deep roots, good people, and a will to serve.

769-2411

3645 Jackson Rd.,  
Ann Arbor, MI 48103

## PARISHO & COMPANY

Professional Corporation  
JAMES (JAY) W. PARISHO, C.P.A.  
CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT

Two locations to serve you:  
1905 Pauline Boulevard, Suite 5  
Ann Arbor, Michigan 48103-5001  
313/995-5656  
107 1/2 South Main, P.O. box 251  
Chelsea, Michigan 48118  
313/475-9640

WE SERVICE: Personal—Corporate—Partnership—Farms  
ACCOUNTING—TAX PREPARATION & CONSULTING—FINANCIAL PLANNING  
Appointments available Monday through Saturday

## FREE MORTGAGE PRE-APPROVALS!

...from Dexter's premier Mortgage Broker  
**Pierce Mortgage Funding**

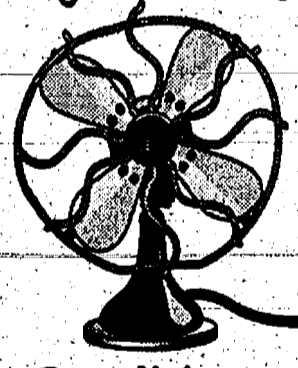
Whether you're buying, building, or refinancing a home, rates are low. Don't miss this opportunity!!!

- Purchase, Refinance, Conventional, FHA/VA
- No Doc & No Income Verification Conventional Loans
- Investment Loans 10% Down
- All types of loans for all types of credit

Evening & Weekend Appointments

Call Mary Pierce at 1-800-518-1103

## KEEP YOUR COOL



Have an Air Conditioner check up at:

**Mark's Auto Service**

426-3163

8256 Dexter-Chelsea Rd. • Dexter

## Water Softener Hospital

The Soft Water People  
731 W. Michigan Ave., Saline  
SALES • RENTALS • SERVICE

### Washtenaw County's HOME BUILDERS SHOW OFFER

Water Conditioning System

\$10/mo.

New Customers Only

Register To Win  
(Under the Sink Attachment)  
**FREE Drinking Water System**  
When You Visit Our Booth #1102!

Rent for 90 days at \$10 per month, then you can buy it or continue to rent at regular rental rates

- OR -  
Purchase for \$1,099 + tax, installed free.

Offer good through 4/11/98.

Call 1-800-224-2528 OR (734) 429-5070

"Over 30 Years of Experience in Water Treatment"

Do you want your family's Easter traditions to include more than Easter baskets and Easter egg hunts?

You and your family are invited to join us in another Easter tradition...

## The Fourth-Annual Community Easter Celebration

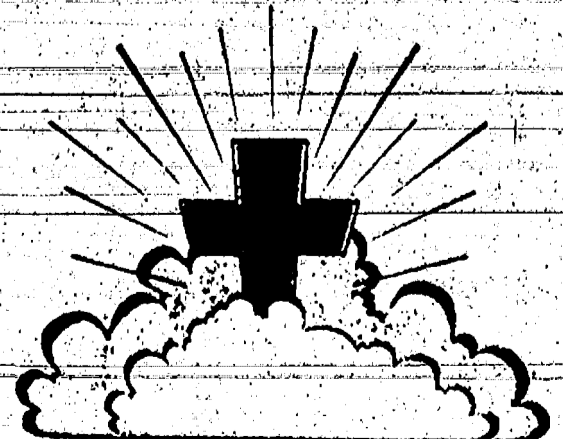
Sunday, April 12, 1998

Chelsea High School Auditorium  
500 Washington St.

Coffee Fellowship 9:30 a.m.  
Celebration Service 10:30 a.m.  
Message by Pastor Mearl L. Bradley:

"Experience Freedom This Easter"

Childcare Provided



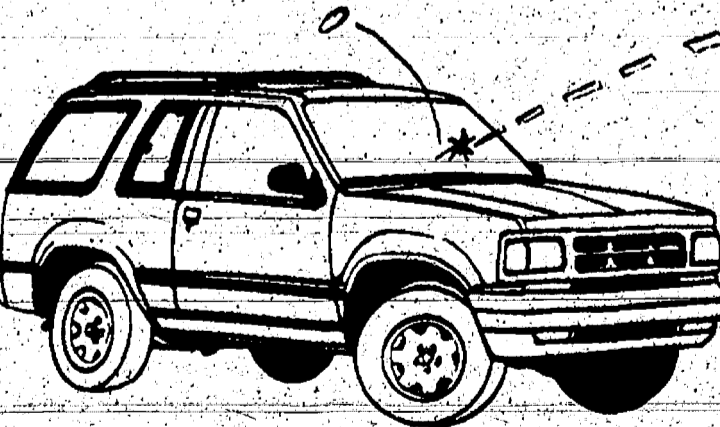
A ministry of the Chelsea-Free Methodist Church  
Call 475-1391 for further information.

## ROBERTS GLASS

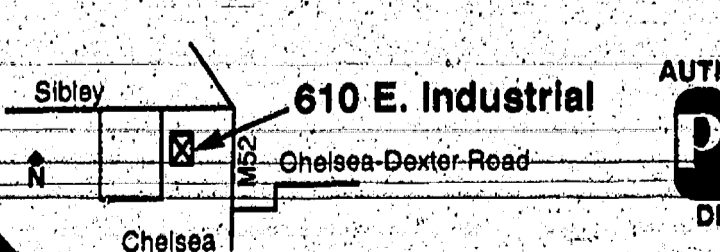
475-5811



## Windshield Repair



## and Replacement



## STOP DEADLY NEUROMUSCULAR DISEASES

MDA  
Muscular Dystrophy Association  
1-800-572-1717

People help MDA, because MDA helps people.





# Chelsea scouts win prizes in successful Pinewood Derby

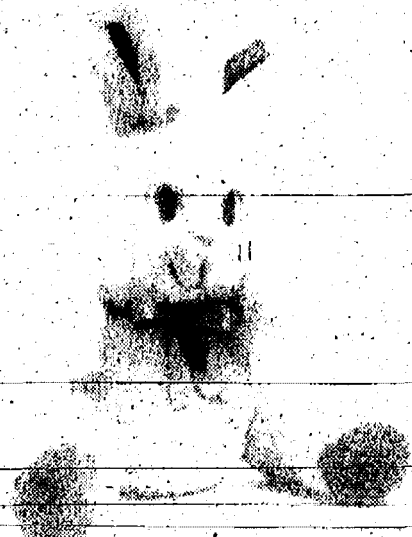


Pack 445 Wolves are (front row) first-place winner Jonathan Mykala and best-paint-job and third-place winner Patrick Shaughnessy. Back row are second-place winner Al Tesin, best-design winner Emilio Tesin, Jon Elordi and Teddy Eyster. Not pictured are Charlie Merkel and Jesse Brand.



Webelos from North Creek Elementary School Pack 435 competed in the pinewood derby. Pictured are (front row) Brian Gileczek, Kyle Carpenter, Jake Reilly, J.C. Solomon, Chris Weitschat and third-place winner Lee Bailey. Middle row are second-place winner Eric Gasleski, first-place winner Adam McGuinness, Craig Tomaka, Ross Fortner and Ian Shears. Back row are A.J. Suffety, Adam Gerstler, best-paint-job winner Darrin Livengood, best-design winner Abram Booth, Peter Price, Mark Long and Alex McKay.

Has the true meaning of Easter gotten a little fuzzy?



Give your children more than bunnies and baskets this year. Give them a miracle. Join us this Easter season as we celebrate the resurrection of Jesus Christ.

## Peace Lutheran Church

### Holy Week Services

Palm Sunday, April 5 • 8:30 a.m., 11 a.m.  
Maundy Thursday, April, 9 • 7:00 p.m.  
Good Friday (April-10) • 7:00 p.m.

### Easter Sunday

Sunrise Service • 7:00 a.m.  
Easter Breakfast • 8:30 a.m. (Please join us)  
Easter Egg Hunt • 9:30 a.m.  
Celebration Service • 10:00 a.m.

Rev. Larry Courson

6105 Jackson Rd., Ann Arbor, MI 48103  
(734) 930-2324 • Fax: (734) 930-2310

1-1/2 miles East of Baker in Birchwood West Office Center, across from 3M Healthcare.



Pack 435 Wolves are (front row) best-design winner Michael Kundak, best-paint-job winner Blake Lamdin and second-place winner Daniel Case. Back row are first-place winner Justin McGrath, David Case, Kiefer Forsch, third-place winner Nathan Vleck and Evan Carpenter.



Pack 445 Tigers were (front row) best-design winner Steven O'Keefe, and best-paint-job and third-place winner Nick Dyerly. Back row are second-place winner Michael Lenneman and first-place winner Zack Pierson. Not pictured is Tyler Fischhaber.

**Norris Gutters**  
FREE ESTIMATES  
Where Satisfaction Comes First  
Ron Norris  
Owner  
Locally Owned  
429-3345  
800-787-7175  
Seamless Aluminum Gutters  
Residential/Commercial • Assorted Colors • Repair Work • 2-Year Workmanship Warranty

To Place A Classified Ad Call 475-1371

**The Village Car Wash & Laundry, Inc.**  
Located on Second Street at Central in Dexter

**SELF-SERVE FACILITIES**  
Laundromat Offers industrial size washers and dryers  
Car Wash Offers vacuum islands, hot wax.

Laundromat Open 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.  
Car Wash Open 24 Hours 7 Days a Week



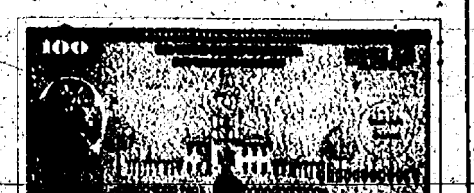
Pack 435 Tigers are Todd Kruse, who won second place and best design, and Joey Hume, who won first place. Not pictured is Michael Goedert, who won third place and best paint job.

**10% Off Chinese Tonite**  
Expires 4-16-98  
Also join our VIP Frequent Lunch Program. Buy 12 lunches, get the thirteenth FREE. Good for Dine-in or Take-Out. Ask for a VIP card at your next visit.

Dine-in or Take-Out Dinner Menu Only.  
Not valid with any other offer or towards appetizers or soups.  
One coupon per party per visit.

475-3797  
1127 S. Main St. • Chelsea  
Mon.-Thurs. 11-10, Fri & Sat. 11-10:30, Sun. 11:30-9

Your ticket to a secure retirement.



Save for retirement with U.S. Savings Bonds. They're the easy way to save—and the safe way to invest. Get them where you work or bank. For more information, ask your employer or bank, or write: U.S. Savings Bonds, Washington, DC 20226.

For a recorded message of current rate information, call 1-800-4US BOND 1-800-487-2663



HE'S THE LOVE OF YOUR LIFE. BUT LET'S FACE IT...

**Dexter FLOOR STORE**  
SUPERIOR SELECTION & SERVICE

IS PROUD TO INTRODUCE **Reggie RESISTANT CARPETS** MOTHER APPROVED Styling and Value

TOUGH CARPET - TO WITHSTAND HIS PUNISHMENT  
BEAUTIFUL STYLING - FOR EVERY ROOM IN YOUR HOME

PERMANENTLY STAIN RESISTANT

10-YEAR STAIN RESISTANCE WARRANTY	5-YEAR FADE RESISTANCE WARRANTY
10-YEAR CONSUMER ASSURANCE WARRANTY	5-YEAR TEXTURE RETENTION WARRANTY

INTRODUCTORY VALUE  
REGGIE RESISTANT CARPETS AS LOW AS:

**12.50 PER SQ. YD.**

AVAILABLE NOW!  
313-426-4310

Hours: Mon.-Fri. 8:30-5:30 Sat. 10:00-4:00  
8256 Dexter-Chelsea Rd., Dexter  
6 months same as cash/For qualified buyers

HE CAN BE A REAL MESS. ESPECIALLY ON CARPET

Hours: Mon.-Fri. 8:30-5:30 Sat. 10:00-4:00  
8256 Dexter-Chelsea Rd., Dexter  
6 months same as cash/For qualified buyers

**Easter Egg Hunt**  
Saturday, April 11, 1998  
On the grounds of the CHELSEA RETIREMENT COMMUNITY  
805 W. Middle Street

**SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

- 9:30... Pictures with the Easter Bunny
- 10:00... Children 3 and under
- 10:20... Children 4 thru 7 years
- 10:40... Children 8 and up

This event is sponsored by Chelsea Kiwanis and Liberty Title.  
Parking is available along West Middle Street only.











# HOUSES OF WORSHIP

**CHELSEA**

**Assembly of God**  
First Assembly of God  
14900 Old US-12, Chelsea  
475-2615  
Rev. James Massey, Pastor  
Sunday: Sunday School, 10 a.m.  
Worship, 11 a.m. and 6 p.m.  
Wednesday: Prayer service, 6 p.m.

**Baptist**  
Faith Baptist  
Faith-In-Action Bldg.  
Main St., Chelsea  
475-7841  
Jack Story, Pastor  
Sunday: Worship, 10:30 a.m., 6 p.m.

**New Life Baptist**  
(meeting in  
Pierce Lake Elementary School)  
433-0105  
Dr. Ray Babb, Pastor  
Sunday: Worship, 10:15 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  
14200 Old US-12, Chelsea  
475-7561  
Rev. Fr. Philip Dupuis, Pastor  
Saturday: Confessions, 12-1 p.m.;  
Mass, 6 p.m.  
Sunday: Mass, 8 and 10 a.m.  
Weekdays: Mass, 9 a.m.

**Church of Christ**  
Church of Christ  
13661 Old US-12, East, Chelsea  
475-8458  
Dr. Joe Lorimer, Evangelist  
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.  
Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.  
Bible study, 6 p.m.  
Wednesday: Bible study, 7 p.m.

**Church of the Nazarene**  
Church of the Nazarene  
805 W. Middle St., Chelsea  
475-2526  
Jeff Crowder, Pastor  
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.  
Worship, 11 a.m.  
Wednesday: Small groups, 7 p.m. in homes.

**Episcopal**  
St. Barnabas  
20500 Old US-12, Chelsea  
475-8818  
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, Senior Pastor  
Nathan Perkins, Associate Pastor  
Sunday: Traditional worship, 8:30 a.m.;  
Sunday School, 9:50 a.m.;  
Contemporary worship, 11 a.m.  
Evening Service, 6 p.m.  
Wednesday: Mid-week services.

**Lutheran**  
Faith Evangelical  
9575 North Territorial, Dexter  
426-4302 or 426-8442  
Rev. Mark Porinsky, Pastor  
Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.  
Worship, 10 a.m.  
Wednesday: Lenten Worship, 7:30 p.m.

**Our Savior Lutheran**  
1515 S. Main St., Chelsea  
475-1404  
Rev. Dale Grimm, Pastor  
Sunday: Heritage, 8:15 a.m.;  
Education hour, 9:30 a.m.;  
Celebration, 10:30 a.m.;  
Junior Confirmation, 6:30 p.m.  
Wednesday: Lenten Service, 7:30 p.m.

**St. Jacob Evangelical**  
12501 Riehmiller, Grass Lake  
517-522-4187  
Rev. Paul Huebner, Pastor  
Sunday: Sunday School and  
Bible Class, 9 a.m.;  
Worship, 10:15 a.m.  
Wednesday: Lenten Meal, 6 p.m.;  
Lenten Service, 7:30 p.m.

**Methodist**  
Salem Grove United Methodist  
3320 Notten Rd.  
475-2370  
Rev. Jim Paige  
First United Methodist  
128 Park St., Chelsea

475-8112  
Rev. Richard Dake  
Rev. Rebecca Foote  
Sunday: Worship, 8:30 a.m. and  
11 a.m.;  
Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.  
Worship (contemporary format) 5 p.m.

**North Lake United**  
14111 North Territorial Rd.  
475-7569  
Rev. Wayne Hawley, Pastor  
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.;  
Worship, 10:30 a.m.;  
Fellowship, 11:30 a.m.  
Tuesday: Bible Study, 7:15 p.m.  
Choir, 8 p.m.

**Waterloo Village**  
United Methodist Church  
Washington St., Waterloo  
Mona Joslyn, Minister  
Sunday: Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.  
Worship service, 11 a.m.

**Chelsea Retirement Chapel**  
805 W. Middle St., Chelsea  
475-8633  
Rev. J. Gordon Schleicher  
Sunday: Worship service, 9:30 a.m.

**Mormon**  
Church of Jesus Christ  
of Latter-Day Saints  
Gary Spooner, President  
1330 Freer Rd., Chelsea  
475-1778  
Sunday: Sacrament, 9:30 a.m.;  
Sunday school, 10:50 a.m.;  
Priesthood and Relief Society, 11:45 a.m.

**Non-Denominational**  
Baha' Faith  
705 S. Main St., Chelsea  
475-2718  
Monday: Devotional meeting, 7 p.m.

**Chelsea Hospital Ministry**  
775 S. Main St., Chelsea  
475-1311  
Covenant  
Anthony Dickerson, Pastor  
50 N. Freer Rd.  
475-2508  
Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.  
Worship, 10:30 a.m.;  
Communion first Sunday of every month.

**Immanuel Bible**  
145 E. Summit St., Chelsea  
475-8936  
Ronald W. Clark, Pastor  
Sunday: 9:30 Sunday School,  
10:45 worship, 6 p.m. evening  
small groups  
Wednesday: 7 p.m. prayer service.

**Mt. Hope Bible Church**  
12884 Trist Rd., Grass Lake  
(517) 522-8182  
Joseph O'Neill, Pastor  
Sunday: Sunday School, 10 a.m.  
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.

**St. John's (Roger's Corners)**  
12376 Waters Rd., Chelsea  
(517) 456-7661  
Rev. Nancy M. Doty, Pastor  
Sunday: Sunday School and  
Worship, 9:30 a.m.

**St. John's**  
270 Bohne Rd., Grass Lake  
Kris Abbey, Pastor  
Sunday: Worship and Sunday  
School, 10:30 a.m.  
Communion first Sunday each  
month.

**St. Paul**  
14600 Old US-12  
475-2545  
Rev. Dr. Lynn Spitz-Nagel, Pastor  
Sunday: Communion Apr. 12,  
8:15 a.m. Church school, 9:15 a.m.  
Worship, 10:30 a.m.

**Wednesday: Prayer Fellowship,**  
7 p.m.

**New Life Christian Center**  
Lima-Township Hall  
11452 Jackson Rd., Chelsea  
475-1147  
Erik Hansen, Pastor  
Sunday: Worship, 11 a.m.

**St. Vladimir Orthodox**  
9900 Jackson Road  
761-7311  
Rev. Father Paul Karas  
Sunday and Holy Days: Divine  
liturgy, English and Slavonic, 10 a.m.

**Presbyterian**  
Unadilla Presbyterian  
20175 Williamsville Rd., Unadilla  
Joh. Qui, Pastor  
Sunday: Sunday School, 10 a.m.  
Worship, 11 a.m.

**First Presbyterian Church**  
On the Square in Stockbridge  
1-888-784-8128  
Sunday: Apr. 12, Glad Worship  
"He is risen indeed", 11 a.m.  
Thursday: Apr. 9, light supper,  
6:30 p.m.; child care, 7:15 p.m.;  
Open communion and cantata,  
7:30 p.m.

**Quaker**  
Michigan Friends Center  
7748 Clark Lake Road, Chelsea  
Isabel Bliss, 475-9976  
Sunday: Unprogrammed meet-  
ing every second Sunday, 5:00 p.m.

**United Church of Christ**  
Bethel Evangelical  
10425 Bethel Church Rd.  
428-8000  
The Rev. Richard Hardy  
First Congregational-Chelsea  
121 E. Middle St.  
475-1844  
Rev. David Cleaver-Bartholomew  
Sunday: Informal worship, 8  
a.m. Church school, 9 a.m. Traditional  
worship, 10 a.m.

# AREA DEATHS



**LAUREN ELIZABETH DEAN**  
Chelsea  
Age 18, died Friday, March 27, 1998 at University Hospital in Ann Arbor due to injuries received in an automobile accident. She was born on Oct. 21, 1981 in Ann Arbor, the daughter of Ronald W. and Carla J. (Dunbar) Dean. Lauren had lived in Chelsea for three years, coming from Ann Arbor. She was a junior at Chelsea High School, where she participated in choir and drama.

Survivors include her broken-hearted parents; maternal grandmother, Nina Cooper of Nevada; three sisters, Heather, Christy and Jessica, all at home; her aunts and uncles, Brian Dunbar, Joe Dunbar and Candy Tefft; and other aunts, uncles, cousins, as well as many friends.

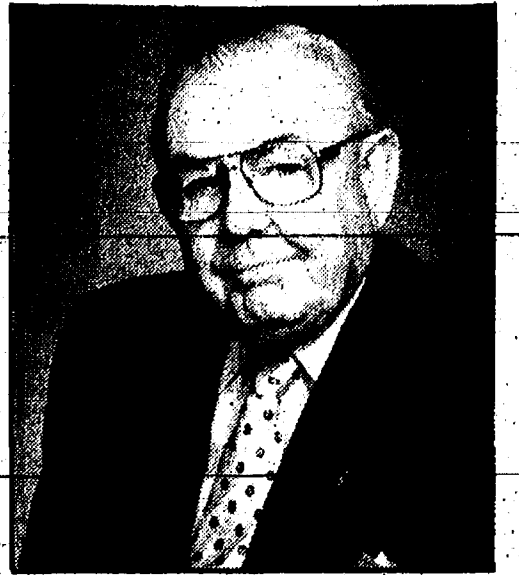
Funeral service was held Tuesday, March 31 at 11 a.m. at Chelsea Free Methodist Church, with Pastor Nathan Perkins officiating. The family received friends at the Cole Funeral Chapel Sunday 12-3 and 6-8 and Monday 1-4 and 6-8. Memorial contributions may be made to Lauren Dean Memorial Fund.

Michael Steinaway all at home; and four great-grandchildren. He was preceded in death by his wife of 46 years, Stell Steinaway; a son, James Steinaway; two brothers, Robert and Carl Steinaway; and one granddaughter, Kelly Campbell.

Funeral service was held Monday, March 30, 1998, at 10 a.m. at Hosmer-Muehlig Funeral Chapel, Dexter, with the Rev. Fr. David Horning officiating. Interment followed at St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery. The family received friends Saturday, March 28, from 7-9 p.m. and Sunday, March 29, from 2-9 p.m. at the funeral chapel. For those who wish, contributions may be made to the Leukemia Foundation in memory of Mr. Steinaway.

are several great aunts, uncles and cousins. She was preceded in death by her maternal grandparents, Doc and Mary Hoskins; and paternal grandparents, Lester and Leone Schulze.

Funeral service was held Tuesday, March 31 at 11 a.m. at the Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home, with the Rev. Richard Dake officiating. Burial was in Oak Grove East Cemetery. Expressions of sympathy may be made to a scholarship fund for her son, Tim.



**JOHN J. HUMMEL**  
Cumberland, R.I.  
Age 62, died Sunday, March 22, 1998, at home. He was the former husband of Elizabeth (Paine) Hummel. He was born April 7, 1935, in Chelsea, a son of the late John R. and Agnes (Brady) Hummel. He resided in Cumberland for the past 37 years. He was employed as an automotive engineer by the Allied Signal Corp. (formerly The Fram Corp.) in East Providence for 38 years before his retirement in 1994. He was a graduate of Chelsea High School, and had attended the University of Detroit. He was a member of the Society of Automotive Engineers and the Society of Quality Engineers.

He is survived by two daughters, Donna Wunk and Heidi Hummel, both of Cumberland; two sisters, Rosemary Hummel and Virginia McClear, both of Chelsea; three grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

His funeral was held on Saturday, March 28, at 9 a.m. at the J.J. Duffy Funeral Home, 757 Mendon, Rt. 122, Cumberland, Mass. of Christian Burial was at 10 a.m. in St. John Vianney Church, Diamond Hill Rd., Cumberland. Burial was in Resurrection Cemetery, Cumberland.

**LOUIS A. (BUD) FARRELL**  
Formerly of Dexter  
Age 74, died Sunday, March 22, 1998, in Florida. He was born Jan. 31, 1924, in Webster Township, the son of Emmett and Clara (Marsh) Farrell. Louis married Mary Helen Howard on Nov. 15, 1947 and she preceded him in death. He was employed at Ford Motor Company, Rawsonville, as a supervisor for 20 years before his retirement. He served in the military during WWII, he was a charter life member and past commander of the American Legion Post #557 of Dexter, a past Chef de Gare of Voiture #957 Washtenaw County 40 et 8, a member of the VFW #7987, lifetime member of the Elks and third degree Knights of Columbus, and a charter member council #2959.

He is survived by his daughter, Theresa (John) Farley; three granddaughters, Veronica, Hilary and Shannon, all at home; one brother, Robert (Ruth) Farrell; two sisters, Margaret (Herman) Bauer, Marian (George) Camp; and numerous nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by three brothers, Francis, Joseph and Martin Farrell; and one sister, Florence (Ed) Camp. Mass of the Christian Burial was celebrated Friday, March 27 at 10 a.m. at St. Joseph Catholic Church, with the Rev. Fr. Bernard Tyler as celebrant. Interment followed at St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery. The family received friends Thursday 2-8 p.m. at Hosmer-Muehlig Funeral Chapel, Dexter, where a Rosary was prayed at 7 p.m. For those who wish, contributions may be made to Arbor Hospice in memory of Mr. Farrell.

**ALVIN F. STEINAWAY**  
Dexter  
Age 76, died on Wednesday, March 25, 1998, at Hartland Care Center after a brief illness. Alvin was born one of identical twins on Feb. 23, 1922 in Sylvan Township, the son of Lewis and Lena (Kuhl) Steinaway. He served in the U.S. Army in Europe during World War II with his twin brother, Alton, in the 36th Texas Infantry Division. He married Stell Detting on July 6, 1948. He was a charter life member of the American Legion Post #557 of Dexter and a member of their color guard and was a volunteer fireman for the Dexter Fire Department. Mr. Steinaway was known for placing flags on all of the veterans' grave for the past 50 years.

He is survived by his children, Allan (Tress) Steinaway and Mary Jo (Bud) Campbell of Ann Arbor; twin brother, Alton (Betty) Steinaway of Dexter; seven grandchildren, Lisa (Frank) Hurbis, Michael (Michelle) Campbell, Ann Marie (Tim) Furlong, Christopher Campbell, James, Colleen and

**CHERYL ANN SCHULZE**  
Chelsea  
Age 30, died Thursday, March 26, 1998. She was born Nov. 14, 1967, in Ann Arbor, the daughter of Timothy and Janet S. (Hoskins) Schulze. Cheryl had been a resident of the area all her life and was a 1985 graduate of Chelsea High School. Currently she was employed at Chelsea Cleaners.

Surviving are her son, Timothy Allan Schulze; her parents of Dexter; her sister, Tami (Bob) McDougal of Chelsea; her aunts and uncles, Barbara and Allan Flaugler of Ypsilanti, Herman and Cheryl Hoskins of Jackson and Richard and Janet Schulze of Chelsea; two nephews, Randy Boyer and Boone McDougal; and nieces Melinda and Aubrey McDougal and Stephanie Boyer. Also surviving

The Chelsea Church Calendar Is Sponsored by

**JIFFY mixes**  
**CHELSEA MILLING COMPANY**  
CHELSEA, MICHIGAN 49110

**DEXTER**

**Catholic**  
St. Joseph Catholic  
Fourth and Dover Streets, Dexter  
426-8483  
Rev. Bernard L. Tyler, Pastor  
Saturday: Weekend Liturgy, 5 p.m.  
Sunday: Liturgy, 8 a.m., 10 a.m. and 12 noon. Nursery open 10 a.m.-noon.

**Episcopal**  
St. James  
3279 Broad Street, Dexter  
426-8247  
Rev. David J. Horning  
Sunday: Holy Eucharist, 8 a.m. and 10 a.m. Sunday School, 10 a.m.

**Lutheran**  
Faith Lutheran  
9575 N. Territorial Rd.  
426-4302  
Mark Porinsky, Pastor  
Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m. Worship 10 a.m.

**Peace Lutheran**  
6105 Jackson Rd., Birchwood Plaza  
313-930-2324  
Rev. Larry Courson  
Sunday: Worship 8:30 a.m.; Sunday School & Bible Classes 9:30 a.m.; Praise Service, 11 a.m.  
Good Friday: April 10, "Lift High The Cross", 7 p.m.  
Easter Sunday: April 12, Sunrise Service, 7 a.m.; Easter Breakfast, 8:30 a.m.; Easter Egg Hunt, 9:30 a.m.

**Methodist**  
Dexter United Methodist  
7643 Huron River, Dexter  
426-8480  
William Donahue, Pastor  
Sunday: Worship, 8:30 and 11 a.m. Church School, 9:45 a.m.

**Non-Denominational**  
Dexter Gospel  
2253 Baker Rd., Dexter  
426-4915  
John O'Dell, Pastor  
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m. Worship 10:30 a.m., 6 p.m.

**United Church of Christ**  
St. Andrew's  
7610 Ann Arbor St., Dexter  
426-8610  
Rev. Gary J. Kwiatek  
Sunday: Worship, 8:30 a.m. Coffee time, 9:30. Worship and Sunday School, 10 a.m.

**The Webster Church**  
5484 Webster Church Rd., Dexter  
426-5115  
Rev. Kenyon Edwards  
Sunday: Holy Communion, 8:30 a.m. Church School, 9:15 a.m. Worship, 10:30 a.m.

The Dexter Church Calendar Is Sponsored by

**PILOT INDUSTRIES, INC.**

# AREA BIRTHS

A daughter, Samantha June, born March 3 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital to James and Vicki (Schinske) Stark of Chelsea. Grandparents are Elwood and the late Junie Stark of Pellston, Elna Bevins of Lawrence, and Linton and Marie Schinske of Eau Claire. Great-grandparents are Bob and Zelma Schinske of Stevensville. Samantha has three brothers, James Michael Stark of Traverse City, Scott Allen Stark of Saline and Dale Cody Stark, 3, of Chelsea. She joins one sister, Bailey Rebecca, 1.

A son, Frank Modrzejewski IV, born March 17 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital to Frank III and Sara Jane Modrzejewski of Grass Lake. Maternal grandparents are Jerry and Dixie Wenk of Chelsea. Paternal grandparents are Frank II and Julie Modrzejewski of Las Vegas. Great-grandparents are

Ada Luckett of Chelsea and Frank and Mary Modrzejewski of Las Vegas. Frank has a sister Christina Nichole, 5.

A son, Carter Jacob, born Feb. 20 at the University of Michigan Hospital to Michelle and Craig Engler of Chelsea. Maternal grandparents are Vern and Gayle Loopp of Clinton Township. Paternal grandparents are Bill and Carol Engler of Brighton. Great-grandparents are Milton and Rose Bass of Clinton Township, Vern and Dolores Loopp of Troy, Marion McMillan of South Lyon, and Horace and Dorothy Engler of Harrison. Carter has one sister Alexandra, 1.

A daughter, Rianna Ashley, born Feb. 25 to Rowan and Michael Baker Jr. of Chelsea. Maternal grandparents are Carol and Mike Baker Sr. of Dexter. Rianna has a brother, Riley, 3 1/2.

A daughter, Emma Otilija, born March 19 to Art and Shaughn Kalnaraups of Dexter. Maternal grandparents are Darlene and Al Harris of Detroit. Paternal grandparents are Inara and Elmars Kalnaraups of Ada. Emma has a sister, Ilze, 4.

A daughter, Mikayla Marie, born March 21 to Lisa and Mike Wensel of Traverse City. Maternal grandparents are Erlene and Don Ranger of Alpena. Paternal grandparents are Dee and Paul Wensel of Dexter. Mikayla has a brother, Nathan, 2.

A son, Peter James, born March 23 to Vera and Dale Boychuck of Dexter. Maternal grandparents are Jaem and Joanna Jankovik. Paternal grandparents are Ramona and Peter Boychuck.



**-Building Bridges-**  
Chelsea Brownie Troop 1722 and Junior Troop 1301 held a joint meeting to work on bridging activities recently. The Brownies and Juniors helped each other on various projects in order to give older scouts leadership skills, and younger scouts a preview of what's to come. Pictured are (back row) Corrie Jaynes, Susan Werner, Kirsten Conrad, Skye Hillman, Megan Frame, Amber Hamm and Ashlee Alverado. Front row are Jessica Burman, Natatie Stephenson, Olivia Patrick, Liza Howard and Rachel Goltz.



St. Mary's Catholic Church is approaching its fundraising goal.

## St. Mary's Parish collects \$716,660 toward life center

St. Mary's Parish of Chelsea has just concluded the active phase of its fund-raising campaign for the construction of a new parish life center.

The Rev. Fr. Philip Dupuis, announced that \$716,660 to date was pledged toward the goal of \$1,200,000 by 242 parish families.

"This figure represents the wonderful spirit of Christian generosity and sacrifice by our parish families. It's been a great response," Dupuis said.

The parish life center will

be dedicated in May and will include a parish hall, nine classrooms, youth community room, parish offices, adult meeting room, nursery, and library/audio visual room.

Included in the \$716,660 raised was a \$100,000 pledge made by the local council (3092) of the Knights of Columbus.

"For some time, the Knights have been debating how to draw closer to the parish and become more involved in parish life," said Dupuis.

The Knights sold their existing hall and will now make the new parish life center the focus of their activities.

The six-week fund-raising campaign, called faith community building for the future, included several general receptions and tours of the new facility. The campaign was directed by John V. McCarthy and Associates of Southfield and chaired by Mary Hoste. John V. McCarthy and Associates will oversee a 36-month follow-up phase.

## Zane Grey expert opens National Library Week

The "Riders of the Purple Sage" will roar into Chelsea Monday April 20 at 7 p.m. when Chelsea's own Zane Grey expert and memorabilia collector Thomas Lancaster opens National Library Week at the Chelsea District Library.

Zane Grey (1875-1939), an American novelist noted for his careful research and breathtaking description of the American West, wrote adventure novels depicting the American West. In addition, Grey used his unique style of writing to express his passion for the outdoor life in many nonfiction works about activities such as baseball, hunting and fishing.

Lancaster began to read Grey's novels when he was introduced to them by his sixth grade teacher.

"I read several. In fact, I read every one I could get my hands on at that time," Lancaster said.

"About 25 years ago I was sitting beside a bookcase at a card party over on Boyce Road when I spotted one of the books. I asked if I could borrow it. After I read it, I read every one I could find in our library. Then I began to collect — look for books at auctions, garage sales, and antique shops," Lancaster now

owns about 95 volumes.

"The experts list only 69 western adventure novels, but Grey wrote lots of non-fiction," he said.

"I have a copy of his cookbook. Only about 900 copies were printed and many of them were lost. I own a number of his books on fishing and two biographies, and one autobiography that Grey never finished," he added.

Lancaster has been a member of the Zane Grey society for about 25 years. He communicates regularly with Michigan collectors in South Lyon, and Owosso. He estimates there are about 300 active Zane Grey Society members.

"I love to scan the membership list," he said.

"The members come from the United States, New Zealand, Australia — we just about cover the globe. I like Grey because he tells travel stories and never downgrades women," Lancaster explained.

"His descriptive passages make you feel like you're at the scene of his adventures. After reading seven pages of 'Thundering Herd' I had to get up and pour the sand out of my shoes."

Lancaster plans to have a number of books on hand for his presentation. In addition, some books and memorabilia

will be on display in the library the week prior to this event.

Lancaster's book talk is a part of the library's annual "Love Your Library Week" festival held during National Library Week. The event is sponsored by Friends of the Chelsea District Library.

Other activities planned for the week include "Stellaluna Live!" the reading of the popular children's book, "Stellaluna" followed with an appearance by the popular Egyptian fruit bat, and a presentation on bat conservation by The Organization for Bat Conservation.

This event, Tuesday, April 21, will be held at 4 p.m. at the Depot meeting room.

On Wednesday, April 22, at 7 p.m. Grass Lake authors Allan and Deanna Malan will be at the Depot meeting room to discuss their book entitled "The Friendly Spinning Wheel." The book, which is set in the 1870s and tells the story of a German pioneer family in Michigan, has been called the "Little House" book of Michigan.

The National Library Week events are free and open to the public.

For further information call the Chelsea District Library at 475-8732.

## Police nab Scio party store in alcohol sting

By Michelle Rogers  
Associate Editor

Local party stores, bars, restaurants and grocery stores, for the most part, resisted attempts by under-age decoys to buy alcohol during a sting organized March 20 by the Washtenaw County Sheriff's Department.

Scio Party Store, located at 6950 Jackson Road, was the only business out of 16 in the Dexter and Chelsea areas that sold alcohol to one of two minors working with the sheriff's department.

Deputy Lisa King said the sheriff's department will continue to do monthly stings during the next year in an attempt to stop sales of alcohol and tobacco to minors. Enforcement

is being stepped up now, she said, to keep businesses on their toes during prom season.

"Hopefully within a couple months, they will be used to carding everyone under 30," she said.

King said Scio Party Store is a habitual offender. The clerk who sold to the 16-year-old decoy was issued a citation and faces a \$200 fine and/or up to 90 days in jail on misdemeanor charges. The Michigan Liquor Control Commission also will take action against the store owner, King said.

C.J.'s Party Store, which had its liquor license suspended for three days last month because of repeated violations, did not sell during

the recent sting.

Other Dexter area businesses that were hit but did not sell include the Trading Post, Dexter Party Store, Suds 'N Stuff, Mugg & Bopps, Huron Creek Party Store, Dexter Pub and Busch's Valu Land.

King said Mugg & Bopps' management offers a \$50 bonus to clerks who are targeted by the sheriff's department or liquor control commission but do not sell.

Chelsea area businesses that did not sell to the decoy were J.B.'s Party Store, Vogel's Party Store, Polly's Market, Arbor Drugs, Stiver's Restaurant, the Trading Post and Schumm's Restaurant.

**WIDEWORLD SPORTS CENTER**

**WIDEWORLD Kids' Annual Multi-Sport Program**

Make the most of the summer by enrolling you children in  
**WWSC's 3rd Annual Multi-Sport Program**

**AM or PM Half-Day Sessions for 5-7 years old - \$85 per week:**  
June 15-19, June 29-July 3, July 20-24 & August 3-7

**Full-Day Sessions for 8-12 years old - \$140 per week:**  
June 22-26, July 6-10, July 13-17, July 27-31, August 10-14 & August 17-21

**Sports & Activities**  
• Soccer • Floor Hockey • Basketball • Volleyball • Baseball • Arena Football • In-Line Skating • T-Ball • Mr. Freeze • Kool Kickball • Mega-Ball • Ultimate Obstacle Course

**Call (734) 913-4625 for Details.**

# Create An Ad Kids' Edition

How many times is it possible for a student's work to be presented and seen by over 30,000 people? This rare opportunity will be made possible in The Chelsea Standard, Dexter Leader, Milan News-Leader and Dexter Leader's 2nd Annual "Create An Ad" special section.

Advertisers, this is a great way to support the educational system in your community and allow family, friends and patrons to recognize your business through the minds of our youth. These ads will be read over and over again and we encourage you to participate in this section.

Our advertising staff will contact you and give your more information about this exciting section. Once you accept the opportunity, information about your business will be given to a specific classroom and they will create an ad for your business. Once completed, the ads will be delivered to you for your approval.

A cross section of all participating communities will be used. Please support education and participate in this fantastic section.

**Call Your Ad Rep Today!**

**DEADLINE FOR SPACE RESERVATION: THURSDAY, APRIL 2**  
Call to reserve your space today!

**PUBLISHED:**  
Wed., May 6-The Saline Reporter and The Milan News-Leader  
Thursday, May 7-The Chelsea Standard and The Dexter Leader

**The Chelsea Standard • The Dexter Leader**  
20750 Old US 12, Chelsea  
**(734) 475-1371**  
Fax: (734) 475-1413

## Dexter Intergenerational Center

**We reunite the generations.**

**Now enrolling for Fall of 1998:**

**Full Day Kindergarten Program**

<b>High/Scope Curriculum</b> <i>Offers over 20 Years of proven Educational Benefits.</i>	<b>Childcare Before School</b> 6 -8:30 a.m. and <b>After School</b> 2:20-6 p.m.	8:30-9:00 Opening/circle (song & movement) 9:00-9:45 Plan-do-review 9:45-10:45 Language/math workshop 10:45-11:15 Music & movement 11:15-11:45 Lunch 11:45-12:00 Prepare for outside 12:00-12:30 Outside play/movement 12:30-1:00 Circle of theme activity/movement 1:00-1:40 All read/write 1:40-2:00 Movement/physical education 2:00-2:20 Story 2:20 Song & dismissal
---	---	---

**Call us for details and a tour.**

**426-4091**  
**2801 Baker Road, Dexter**