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## NEWS BRIEFS

### Township to use new road engineer

Dexter Township Board will contract with Bruce Pindzia, the former assistant village manager of Chelsea, to perform the work of the township's private road engineer. The township had previously used Fletcher Des Autels, who has declined the work because of his health.

Pindzia will be paid more than twice as much as Des Autels. Pindzia charges \$85 an hour to review private roads and inspect construction, while Des Autels charged \$40 an hour.

Township Treasurer Julie Knight voted against the hiring last week for monetary reasons.

Supervisor Robert Tetens pointed out that the contract is open ended and can be terminated at any time if the township finds someone just as qualified at a cheaper rate.

### ABWA to award local scholarships

The Chelsea-Dexter chapter of the American Business Women's Association will award three \$500 scholarships to men and women pursuing higher education.

Applications are available through the area high schools or by calling Diana Pronko at 426-0892. The deadline for applications is April 30.

Awards will be presented at the Scholarship Awards Dinner May 23 at Reddeman Farms.

### District curriculum head sets meetings

Brian Kissman, the director of curriculum for Chelsea schools, has set two sessions in April to meet with the public.

The meetings will include introductions, an overview of the district's curriculum initiatives, and a question and answer session.

Kissman will hold "A Morning with the Director of Curriculum" at 9 a.m. on Tuesday, April 11, and "An Evening with the Director of Curriculum" at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, April 18. Both sessions will be held in the small board room at the Washington Street Education Center.

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## BONING UP



First graders from North Creek Elementary School visited the Science Museum on the University of Michigan campus on March 24. Above, Rebecca Mattison and Henry Rutherford try to get a sense of scale next to the museum's mastodon skeleton.

## SAFE warns board: Internet filters needed

■ Policy Committee to address issue, but no changes set.

By Jim Silver  
Staff Writer

Parents concerned that pornography could be available at the push of a button tried to push some hot buttons for Chelsea library board members on March 21.

The controversial issue of Internet filters on library computers was brought to the fore by a community group at that night's library board meeting.

Members of Safe Access For Everyone (SAFE) reserved time at the meeting to ask board members to install filtering software on all library computers with access to the Internet.

Brooks Cone said that SAFE was started by concerned local parents, "concerned not just for the welfare of our children, but for problems in the community, which could be in their infancy, stemming from easy access to pornography."

Many of the group's members said that, as parents, they were concerned that their children would be unwittingly exposed to hardcore pornography on the Internet.

Linda Tarantowski, a member of SAFE who identified herself as the mother of two young sons, said she became especially concerned after her own experience in the Chelsea library.

"I was in the library with my sons when I saw a young man

viewing pornography on a library computer," she said, asking the board to prevent such incidents by installing library filters.

Library Board President Lynn Fox later noted that, in the four years since the Chelsea library made the Internet accessible from its computers, there has only been one complaint about inappropriate Internet use.

Fox said that a library patron complained to the librarian on duty that another patron was viewing inappropriate material. That librarian discussed the issue with the Internet user, but no further action was requested.

She said that, since then, the library has not received any other complaints.

Metta Lañsdale, director of the Chelsea library, said that she was not alerted to that complaint at the time, but since then has asked all librarians on duty to alert her to any complaints. She has not heard of any.

A library patron said that she would be concerned that filters would limit her ability to access reference material on the Internet.

Rick Tarantowski, another SAFE member, responded to such concerns, saying that the group did not seek to limit reasonable material, but pornography was not reasonable.

"I mean, if a naked woman walked through those doors right now, wouldn't we try to

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## Policy proposes rise in administration salaries

■ Board OKs posting new assistant principal job.

By Jim Silver  
Staff Writer

School administrators in Chelsea should be glad to see the number 225 next year, on their paycheck and in their contracts.

Policy discussions at the March 27 Board of Education meeting consisted of proposed updates for administrative contracts and non-teacher pay levels.

Assistant Superintendent Iva

Corbett told board members that the new pay levels included a 2.25 percent increase for most personnel, covering technology, business, custodial, support and food service staff. The total increase amounts to an additional \$10,000 expenditure for the district per year.

Salaries for administrative positions are based on the salary for highest-level salary available to teachers. That salary will also increase by 2.25 percent, although teachers with less seniority will only see a 1 percent salary level increase from earlier contract levels.

While administrative salaries would also include 2.25 percent increase, the work year for district administrators would come as a reduction. Superintendent Ed Richardson said that, in the past, administrators have been asked to work up to 227 actual workdays in the year.

The new policy proposals would offer administrators a work year of 220 to 225 days, which translates as 44 to 45 weeks.

Richardson said that the decrease, combined with the salary level increases, work to offer administrators a higher

rate of pay per hour or per day. "We've all read stories about how difficult it is to recruit administrators," Richardson said. "Teachers had no incentive to become administrators. They would work more days a year, and end up being paid less per day for it."

"These changes are intended to begin to address that problem. There are still places where administrators would earn less per day."

Changes in personnel policy would also establish library and office clerks as salaried positions. The jobs were previously hourly positions listed as

office aides.

In addition, the district's business department, including accounts payable, payroll clerk, accountant and operations accountant, would be established as a department separate from support positions.

The board also moved ahead on hiring a second assistant principal for the high school, to supervise instructional staff, unanimously approving posting a job description.

The position would also include oversight of alternative

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## County board mulls fate of sheriff's patrols

■ Possible changes in the sheriff's general road patrol discussed.

By Shawn Lawrence  
Heritage Newspapers

Members of the Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners heard comments from the community at a public hearing last week on the topic of the sheriff's road patrol, many of whom urged the commissioners not to eliminate the patrol.

The public hearing was held at the Scio Township Hall, and

will be the only public hearing on the topic scheduled in western Washtenaw County.

The commissioners have been studying the funding and budget allocation of the sheriff's department recently to address long-standing complaints about inequity. A study was conducted by the Northwestern Traffic Institute, in which recommendations for revisions to the allocation of sheriff's deputies and changes in municipality contributions to the county budget were made. The commissioners are now traveling around the

county to gather public input prior to deciding whether to change the funding formula.

The thrust of the debate has been how to fund the general road patrol. The sheriff currently employs 13 deputies who respond to emergencies and calls for service on a county-wide basis. In many cases, especially in the western, rural areas of the county, the general road patrol is about the only form of police service available. State police also have jurisdiction over the entire county, but staffing levels often preclude

them from responding to anything less than emergency calls for service.

One part of the issue has been characterized as funding disparity between Ann Arbor residents and "out-city" residents, those who reside in the western part of the county. Ann Arbor residents have complained that their contribution to the sheriff's department is money wasted since Ann Arbor employs its own police department. But township residents have complained that Ann Arbor residents should continue to sub-

sist police protection since township residents contribute to many county human service programs located in Ann Arbor that they rarely use.

Sheriff Ron Schebil was at the public hearing, and he said he believes the current allocation of deputies is appropriate.

"There are a lot of unincorporated areas in this county," Schebil said. "Roughly half of the county's population counts on the sheriff and the state for protection."

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## Just Desserts

The Aldrich family enjoys brownies at the recent Chelsea First United Methodist Church Spaghetti Dinner. The monthly dinners, which feature fabulous food and fellowship, are open to neighbors throughout the Chelsea and Dexter communities. The next dinner, which also will feature spaghetti — with a choice of three homemade sauces — is set for April 13. The cost is just \$6 for adults and \$3 for children 4-12. Under 3 eat for free! The meal includes salad bar, garlic bread and a choice of dessert. The monthly dinners will end with the May 11 feast, and will resume next fall with a German menu.

## Board OKs transfer for Countryside Catering

By Michelle Rogers  
Associate Editor

Dexter Township Board approved the transfer last week of a liquor license and dance permit from Terrace Place Inc. to Countryside Catering, but the final decision rests with the state's Liquor Control Commission.

Restaurant owners Pete and Pamela Holzer said the transfer is just a matter of paperwork. They have been able to sell liquor and allow dancing through an arrangement with the former owner of Terrace Place, who currently holds the

permits. The Holzers bought the restaurant from Joseph Nellis, who owned Shooter's Neighborhood Bar and Grill, a couple of years ago.

The dance permit does not allow for topless dancing, which was a concern of the Township Board. Washtenaw County Sheriff's Sgt. Ed Toth assured the board that a separate permit would need to be sought for topless dancing.

The Holzers are not seeking a topless activity permit. Township Ordinance Officer Harley Rider noted that topless dancing is not allowed as a conditional use anyway. The sale of liquor and dancing are, however, allowed under an existing conditional-use permit for the site.

The Holzers sought the Township Board's approval March 21. Pete Holzer said he is hoping for a decision from the state by April 27.

## SALARIES

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education staff and testing. When filled, a new assistant principal would relieve some pressures on Principal Ron Mead and current Assistant Principal Robin Raymond.

Corbett said that, following board approval, the district would be posting the job description internally on March 28, and would also release it to local colleges. She projected that she could provide a recommendation to the board by its June 5 meeting.

The board cancelled its April 10 meeting due to spring break.

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## Board OKs rezoning requests

By Michelle Rogers  
Associate Editor

Dexter Township Board unanimously approved two rezoning requests last week.

Marilyn Mink's 19 acres off Tanglewood Trail were rezoned from rural residential to common use. The property is part of Lakeview Estates, which will consist of 10 homes, with the rezoned property providing access to Four Mile Lake. Approximately six acres of land will be used as a private park for residents of the subdivision and their visitors.

Elizabeth and Roland Bunton's 14 acres off McKinley Road were rezoned from agricultural to rural residential. Although no specific plans for the property were brought forward, the township's planning consultant said up to 12 lots could be developed.

Mark Eldelson of LandPlan Inc. also noted that approval of the Bunton rezoning could set a precedent whereby the township could be bound to approve most other requests for similar rezoning.

"Such a trend may be viewed as contrary to the current policies of the Dexter Township General Development Plan that,

in part, discourage residential encroachment into agricultural areas," Eldelson wrote as part of his review of the application. The Township Board, however, did not agree. Trustee Harley Rider said he thinks a precedent has already been set, with 20 similar rezoning requests

approved since 1973. Rider also noted that there has been a "change in condition," with the township becoming more residential in nature and farming not as profitable as it was when the original ordinance was written more than 25 years ago.

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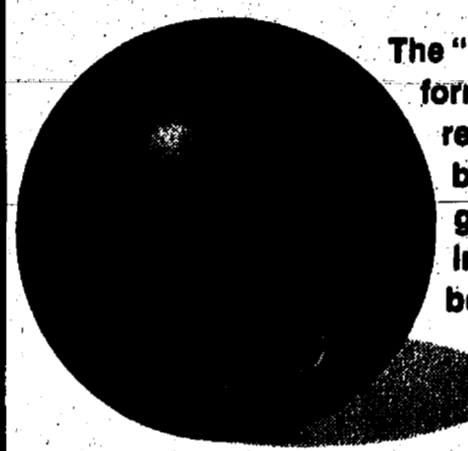
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## Art for the World

A strong contingent of local youth and adults turned out March 18 to participate in the first Global Art Project, sponsored by the Chelsea Center for the Development of the Arts in conjunction with the Global Art Project of Tucson, Ariz. Lorin Kummer, a teacher at the CCDA, invited participants to add their own block print pictures as contributions to the Chelsea community's "tree of life." Creatures great and small, including ladybugs, snakes and owls, came to life with the help of paint, rollers and the enthusiasm of the artists. Children working alongside their parents created images of life to fill the branches of the beautiful but barren tree drawn by Kummer. The Global Art Project focuses on the value of the arts as a pathway to understanding the world as it is and to imagine how it might be. Katherine Josten, the project's director,

points out that we are living at a time in history of a "great coming together," when creative people are expressing an understanding of the earth as a unified organism. The project provides the participating communities the opportunity to celebrate their visions for the new millennium. Kummer and her students will add a few finishing touches to the mural before the work is displayed at various locations around town next month. It will be at the CCDA lobby from April 17-21. The mural then will be sent to the project headquarters in Tucson, where it will become part of the global art exchange. The Chelsea mural will be sent to a foreign country, while Chelsea will receive art from somewhere else around the globe. The International piece is expected in June. Pictured from left are Diane Haskill, Marijo Crogan and Lorin Kummer.

## Free foot screenings available

The American Diabetes Association, the Michigan Podiatric Medical Association and Michigan Organization of Diabetes Educators are sponsoring free foot screenings April 12 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital Health Stop on Briarwood Circle in Ann Arbor from 8 a.m. to 11 a.m.

Free foot examinations will be provided by Dr. Mark Klein.

The fourth annual foot screening is being conducted in 45 sites around the state.

This free foot screening serves to alert the 390,000 Michigan residents with diabetes on the importance of diabetes care and foot health.

When people with diabetes enter the hospital, about one in five do so for foot problems. In Michigan, some form of lower limb amputation occurred in 8.4 percent of the hospital discharges directly attributable to diabetes. At last year's foot screening, 9 percent of people screened needed immediate attention.

Diabetes is a disease that affects the body's ability to produce or respond properly to insulin, a hormone that allows blood sugar to enter the cells of the body and be used for energy.

Diabetes can cause nerve damage, and when the nerves in the feet do not work correctly it is easy to stumble and injure the foot. Diabetes can cause poor blood flow, and as a result, wounds heal slowly or not at all.

"It's especially crucial to alert people to the complications of diabetes because it can cause your nerves and blood vessels to deteriorate with no early warning signs," said Dr. Gary Edelson, Community Food Screening chairman. "Our goal is to educate our diabetic population in Michigan about the importance of good foot care and to ultimately eliminate amputations."

The American Diabetes Association is the nation's leading voluntary health organization supporting diabetes research, information and advocacy. The mission of the American Diabetes Association is to prevent and cure diabetes and to improve the lives of all people affected by diabetes. If you have any questions about the Community Foot Screening, please call 1-888-DIABETES (342-2383).

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## Volunteers sought for river sampling

Area residents looking for a chance to do hands-on work to help the Huron River and its tributaries will get that opportunity April 15. On that date, sampling teams will be visiting a host of sites along Davis, Honey, Letts, Malletts, Mill and Fleming creeks, as well as the mainstream of the river in Oakland and Washtenaw counties.

The teams will be looking for the small animals that live in the creek bed, which gives scientists important clues about the overall health of the river system.

Huron River Watershed Council administrators stress that no experience is necessary and those aiding in the sampling can stay on the

banks of the streams. However, all those interested in participating need to pre-register by calling (734) 769-5971. This will allow teams to be formed and ensure that each group has an experienced collector assigned to it.

Participants will meet at the Watershed Council office on North Main Street in Ann Arbor and carpool to the sampling sites. Children accompanying adults are welcome.

The sampling will take place regardless of weather, so dress appropriately and plan to sit on wet grass. Also, be prepared for muddy areas and treks through poison ivy.

The program runs from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and participants should bring a sack lunch.

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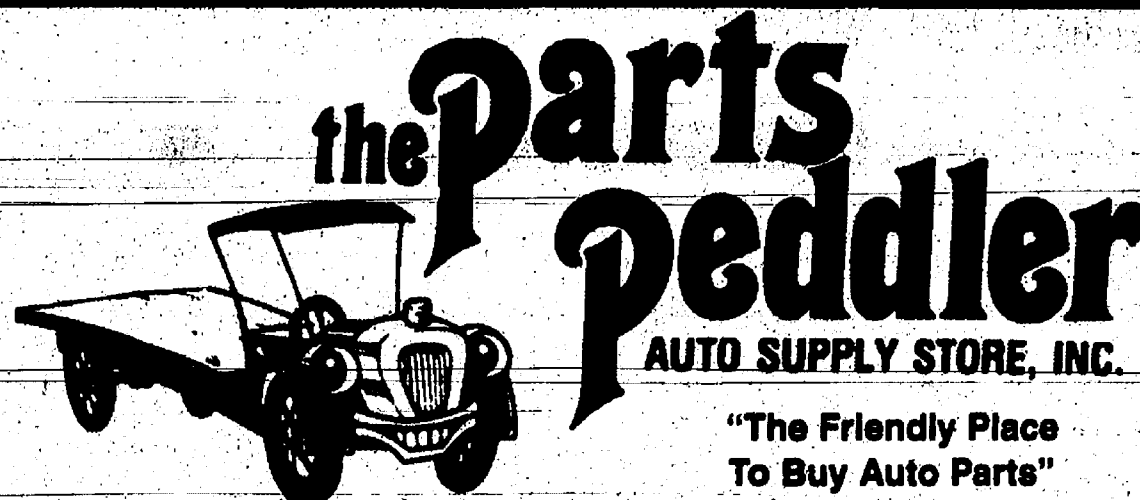
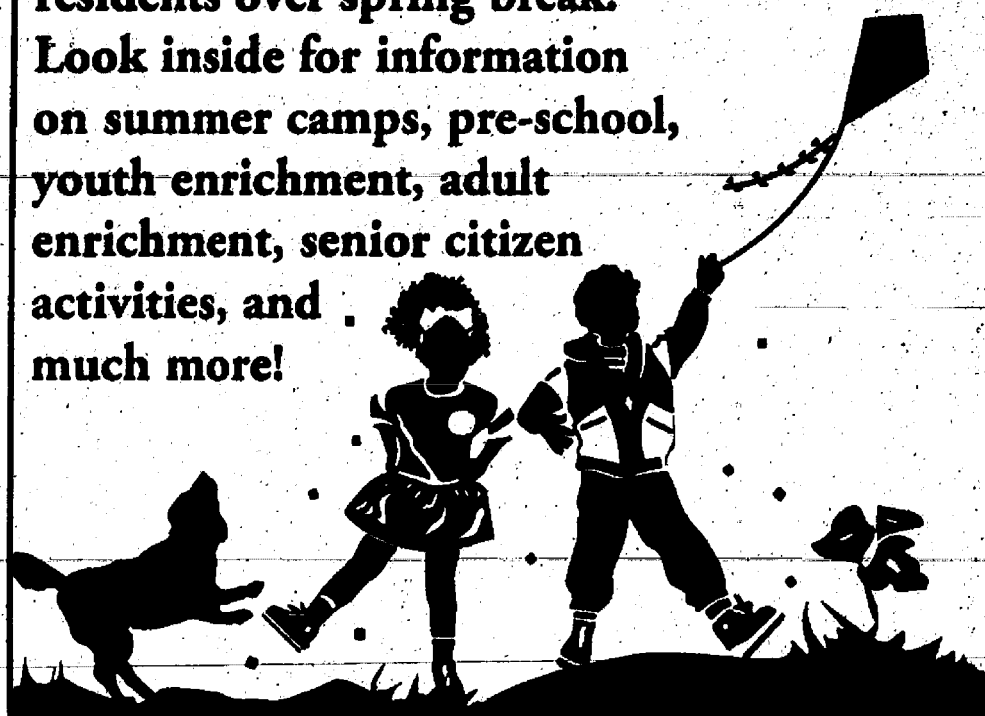


## Spring is on its way!

Watch for the arrival of robins, flowers, and the Chelsea Community Education Spring/Summer 2000 Brochure.

The brochure will be mailed to area residents over spring break.

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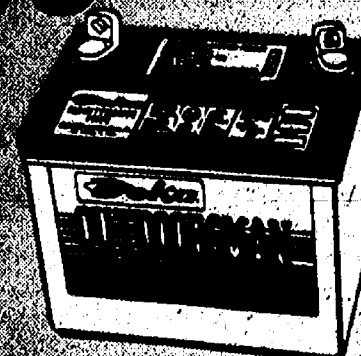
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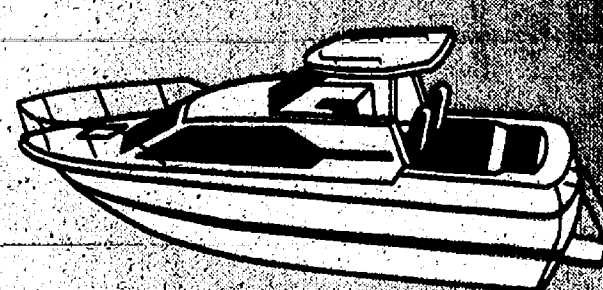


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### Shell Shocked

North Creek Elementary School first-graders Claudia Bravo, Erica Fredericks, Marque Taylor and Meghan Erskine check out a massive clam during their field trip to the Natural History Museum at the University of Michigan.

## FARM FACT

A study released in London found that men who ate nearly an apple a day had slightly stronger lung function than those who excluded the fruit from their diets. Apples contain antioxidants, which many experts believe may ward off disease by combating oxygen's damaging effect on the body. Scientists in the past have found better lung function in individuals — men and women

— who eat fresh fruit and take antioxidant vitamin pills. Lung disease and lung cancer are less frequent in people who eat lots of hard fruit such as apples.

### Cancer center to offer free throat tests

The U-M Comprehensive Cancer Center and Department of Otolaryngology are offering free throat cancer screenings and smoking cessation counseling on Saturday, April 15, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., at the Cancer Center in Ann Arbor.

Symptoms of throat cancer may include a sore throat or hoarseness that won't go away and difficulty swallowing. Smoking, chewing tobacco and drinking alcohol are all risk factors for throat cancer.

Exams will take less than 45 minutes and a complimentary parking voucher or round-trip AATA bus pass will be provided to schedule an appointment or for more information, call the Cancer AnswerLine nurses at 1-800-885-1125.

# Township Board to decide on roadwork

■ Money dedicated to roads down from last year.

By Michelle Rogers  
Associate Editor

Dexter Township will spend \$64,233 on road repairs and maintenance this year, down from approximately \$89,000 in 1999. Of that amount, the Washtenaw County Road Commission is contributing \$14,233, also down slightly from last year.

Township Supervisor Robert Tetens said Monday that the township is cutting back on roadwork because it needs to save money to expand the township hall and to make up for fire expenses that are expected to exceed the fire millage.

The Township Board will decide at its April 18 meeting which projects to tackle. Meanwhile, the Washtenaw County Road Commission has recommended several.

There are three projects held over from last year on the list. They include work on Riker Road, from Colby to Island Lake Road at a cost of \$13,800; Madden Road, from Colby to Quigley Road at a cost of \$24,300; and Stinchfield Woods Road, from Toma to Dexter-Pinckney Road at a cost of \$43,800.

Work on those roads includes roadside berm removal, grader ditching, shaping existing surface and new gravel (limestone on Madden Road).

Stinchfield Woods Road would cost more to repair because two trees need to be removed to correct drainage problems and a 12-inch culvert will need to be installed .35 mile west of Dexter-Pinckney Road.

Roadwork also has been proposed on Huron River Drive, from North Territorial Road to Walsh Road at a cost of \$26,950. This project would include removal of the roadside berm, limited ditching, shaping the existing road and putting down limestone.

The commission has also recommended seal coating Stofer Road at Stofer Court;

Huron Creek Drive at Huron Creek Court; Alice Hill Drive; Stonehedge Drive off of North Lake; and Hidden Lake Court and Hidden Lake Circle. These projects range from \$4,700 to \$13,700.

In addition, the township will apply brine to 25.45 miles of certified local gravel roads this year.

The road commission reported that none of the primary roads in the township are rated as poor, although it was noted that Stofer Road is

in the next lowest category.

Last year, the road commission paid for an overlay of Dexter-Pinckney Road, from North Territorial to the township line. A guardrail was also replaced on McGregor Road north of Dexter-Pinckney Road. Altogether, the county spent \$131,921 of its budget in Dexter Township. This year's county projects have not been decided yet.

Last year, the township paid for general dust control; limestone on McKinley Road, from

Waterloo to Fen Ridge Road; limestone on North Lake Road; seal coat in Carriage Hills subdivision; a wedge and overlay on Cedar and Anne roads; and replacement of a culvert on Toma Road.

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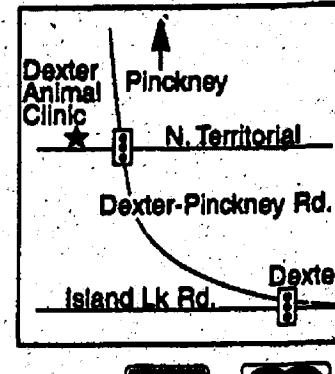
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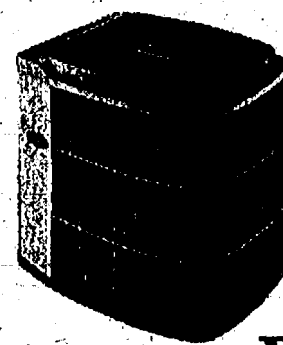


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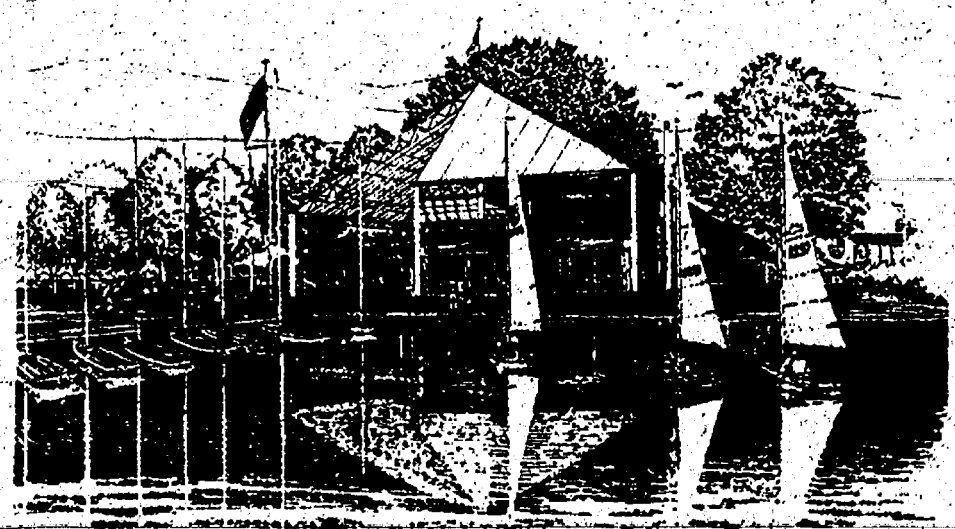


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Noted poet and novelist Laura Kasischke will be part of the judging team as well as emcee for the poetry celebration and competition sponsored jointly by local community groups and businesses. Along with cash prizes, winners will have their entries published in *The Chelsea Standard* and displayed at the Little Professor Book Center.

## Poet to head celebration

As part of April is National Poetry Month activities, local community, school and business groups have come together to sponsor the First Chelsea Poetry Celebration and Competition.

"The Chelsea District Library is so pleased to be participating in this community-wide effort," said Julianne Smith, adult library services director.

"The Chelsea Education Foundation was tickled to be asked to help organize and sponsor the event," added Chelsea Education Foundation Director, Shawn Perkonke.

The foundation donated funds to pay for a variety of expenses that included printing, advertising, and stipends for the judges. Cash prizes for winners is provided by the Little Professor Book Center.

The poetry contest is aimed at acknowledging and encouraging poets from all age groups of the Chelsea area community; elementary, middle school, high school and adult.

Submissions will be accepted until March 31 at The Chelsea Center for Development of the Arts, the Chelsea District Library, and the Little Professor Book Center and Nature Expressions.

The Chelsea District Library poetry winners will be awarded their prizes 7 p.m. April 12. They will have an opportunity to read their poetry, as well as be entertained by nationally acclaimed Chelsea poet and novelist Laura Kasischke, and poet/harpist Laurel Federbush.

Poetry competition judges include the following people:

Middle school age: Guy Sandville, art director for the Purple Rose Theatre, and Norma Huschke, Chelsea Center for the Development of the Arts.

High School Age: Jim Silver, staff writer for *The Chelsea Standard*, and Doug Smith, owner and manager of the Little Professor Book Center.

Adult Age: Kasischke, Washtenaw Community College professor of English and noted poet and novelist, and Nancy Shumann, professor of English at Sienna Heights College.

Elementary School Age: William Weddon, the author of several books on Michigan history, and Carey Wallace, Chelsea High School and Princeton

## CCH hosts new series

Chelsea Community Hospital's Chelsea Arbor Treatment Center will present "Diversity in Recovery Series," 7-8:30 p.m. Thursdays, March 30, April 27 and May 25 for special populations in recovery.

Presenters are people in recovery who will focus on the needs and strengths necessary to recover from alcohol and/or drugs.

Registration for a six-week therapy group is available after each presentation.

The schedule of programs is as follows: African Americans in Recovery on March 30; Gays/Lesbians/Bisexuals in Recovery on April 27; and Hispanics/Latinos in Recovery on May 25.

Chelsea Arbor Treatment Center is located at 900 Vectors Way, Suite 310, in Ann Arbor. Call (734) 930-0201 for more information.

University graduate and the author of two unpublished novels.

"The Chelsea Center for the Development of the Arts is delighted to be a team member in this first, of what we hope to be an annual, poetry celebration," Huschke said. "This type of collaboration doesn't just happen everywhere, but it happens frequently in Chelsea, where people work hard to make good things happen!"

For more information contact Smith at the Little Professor Book Center 433-2665.

## 'Gypsy' set at WCC

Gypsy, the 1959 Broadway hit musical by Jule Styne and Stephen Sondheim, will entertain the public April 6-9 in Washtenaw Community College's Towsley Auditorium, with shows running 8 p.m. Thursday, April 6 through Saturday, April 8, and 2 p.m. Sunday, April 9.

More than 30 WCC students will perform in this rendition of the musical, with JoAnn Brooks starring as Mama Rose; Joy Lunde as Louise (Gypsy Rose Lee); Joshua White as Herbie; Jennifer Hansen as June; and Timm Gillette as Tulsa. Charles Sutherland, longtime Ann Arbor actor and director, will direct the production, with musical direction and show production by Ron Fracker, WCC music instructor and director of the college's musical theater program.

Gypsy is the story of the childhood and rise to fame of 1930's stripper Gypsy Rose

Lee, as influenced by her quirky, ambitious mother, Rose. The musical opened on Broadway in 1959 with the legendary Ethel Merman portraying Rose, and has been adapted to film and television movie formats.

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Thursday night is student night. Check with the Student Activities office at (734) 973-3528 for reduced ticket prices and special activities.

## Extended permits in effect

Michigan experienced an unusually early freeze-thaw cycle this year. However, as of March 7, full overload permits are allowed on all state trunkline highways from the south state line north to and including I-94 from Benton Harbor east to M-102. Those counties affected are Van Buren, Kalamazoo, Calhoun, Jackson, Washtenaw and Wayne.

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## Deadline for school race set April 10

For people who want to have a say in how their schools are run, Monday, April 10, is a key date for local politics across Michigan.

That's the day citizens interested in a seat on their local school board must file their intent to run.

Each year, more than 1,000 citizens do just that, challenging incumbents and vying for open positions. According to the Michigan Association of School Boards, some 500-600 new school trustees will be elected.

Nominating petitions and affidavits of identity must be filed by 4 p.m. April 10 with the secretary of the board in the school district's main office. Petitions may be picked up from the same office.

This year, elections for local school boards in some 560 communities will be held on June 12. To be eligible, a person must be a registered voter in the school district where he or she is a candidate; at least 18 years of age; a U.S. citizen; a Michigan resident for at least 30 days; and a resident of the district for at least 30 days prior to the June 12 school board election.

And like all other candidates for elected office, school board candidates must follow the rules set forth in Michigan's Campaign Finance Act.

Other election laws may also apply, notes MASA in its annual Candidates Guide to 2000 School Board Elections.

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# Governor declares Severe Weather Awareness Week

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To focus attentions on flood safety planning, Gov. John Engler has declared March 26-April 1, as Severe Weather Awareness Week in Michigan. Residents are encouraged to familiarize themselves with flood safety procedures.

At this time of year, the combination of rapidly melting snow and heavy spring rains can cause dramatic rise in streams and rivers, significantly increasing the threat of flooding. As the warm season progresses, heavy thunderstorm rains become more dominate, posing the additional threat of flash flooding for urban areas and small streams.

"Michigan can experience flooding any time of the year," said George Hosek, a member of the committee. "For example, heavy rains resulted in significant flooding in Iron County last July. Those rains produced widespread flash flooding that washed out roads in Iron and Dickinson counties, and flooded basements and businesses in downtown Iron River."

Residents should be aware that regular homeowners insurance policies do not cover damages that result from flooding. Coverage is available through a federal program. However, in Michigan only about 15 percent of structures subject to flooding are actually insured against the risk.

Currently there are approximately 761 Michigan communities participating in the National Flood Insurance Programs (NFIP) and over 28,000 policies in force. To purchase flood insurance under the program, residents must live in one of the participating communities.

Coverage can be obtained through most licensed property/casualty insurance agents.

To determine if flood insurance is available in a community, call NFIP at 1-800-683-6620.

Under the NFIP, a flood is defined in part, as "a general and temporary condition of partial or complete inundation of normally dry land areas from overflow of inland or tidal waters or from the unusual and rapid accumulation or runoff of surface waters from any source."

In the standard flood insurance policy, direct physical losses by flood are covered. Also covered are losses resulting from erosion caused by waves or currents of water exceeding anticipated cyclical levels or erosion accompanied by a severe storm, flash flood, abnormal tidal surge, or the like. Damages caused by mudslides (i.e., mudflows), as specifically defined in the policy are covered.

Losses from water seepage,

sewer backup, or hydrostatic pressure are covered only when they occur in conjunction with a general condition of flooding.

In addition to obtaining adequate insurance, protection, residents should take the following precautions in anticipation of flooding.

- Learn the best route from your home or place of business to high, safe ground in case you have to evacuate in a hurry.

- Prepare and maintain a list of personal property to substantiate losses covered by insurance.

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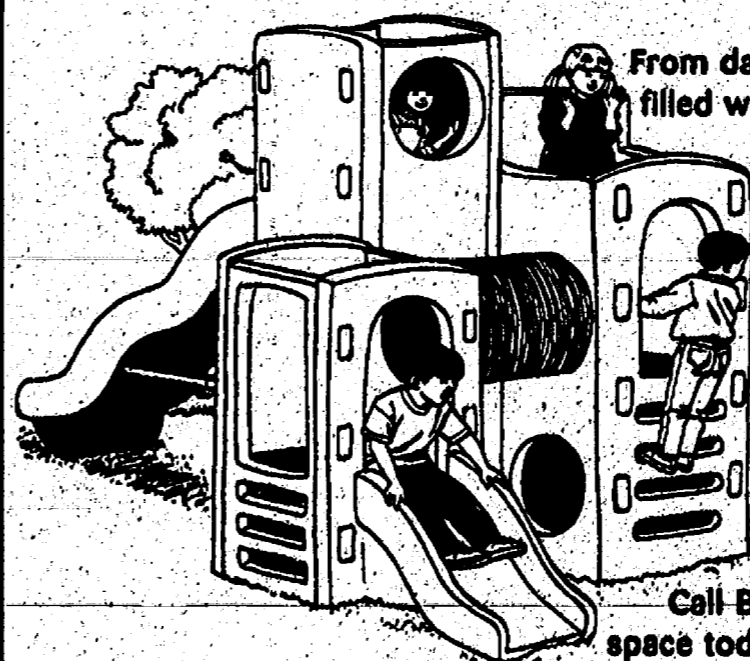
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## LIBRARY

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protect our children?"

Another woman from SAFE suggested that the passage of State Senate Bill 938 on Feb. 17 might prompt the library to pass some policy supporting Internet filtering.

A SAFE member responded to First Amendment concerns of a library patron by pointing out that, should the library adopt Internet filtering, it would simply be enforcing the law.

In fact, the version of S.B. 938

that passed the Senate includes a clause exempting enforcing bodies from liability for compliance with its terms.

Kary Moss, executive director of the Michigan branch of the American Civil Liberties Union, said that constitutional-ity is not a concern on S.B. 938.

"The version that passed does not require blocking software, which allows libraries to make different choices. And, if they have blocking software, it requires the library to provide at least one computer without it."

Moss said that, while the

ACLU does not support blocking software, she thought that S.B. 938 was palatable legislation, as it does not absolutely limit libraries to certain values of right and wrong.

"Blocking software is a classic example of prior restraint," Moss said, referring to a decision that limits expression based on the possibility of obscenity or impropriety. Such restraints have traditionally been ruled unconstitutional if broadly applied.

"Filters let a private company make determinations about what is appropriate, with no consideration of constitution-

ality."

Closing public comment on the issue, Fox said the board understood that filtering is a complex issue.

She pointed out that, since the library only had one computer with Internet access up to Jan. 3, when it moved into its current temporary housing, the board legally could not install filtering software on that computer.

Since the library currently offers three computers with Web access, Fox said that the board's policy committee has been debating the policy for Internet use.

Jan Dohner, the Dexter Township representative to the board and a policy committee member, said that the library recently established a children's Internet portal, including links to research tools oriented toward children.

In addition, the library installed privacy screens on all computers, which, when in place, should render anything onscreen unrecognizable to passerby.

Despite these recent additions, Dohner said the policy committee continued to discuss the Internet policy. Cone had a meeting set with Lynn Fox and another library representative for March 30.

Lansdale said that the library does not have any immediate plans to install Internet filters, and that the current policy still says that the library does not support

their use.

"We are considering a number of ways to address the problem with physical solutions (rather than software)," Lansdale said.

"But we don't have a history of problems, so I don't want to act as if there have been continuing problems. There has only been one complaint since we first offered Internet access."

Cone said that the meeting, whatever the immediate results, was a good step.

"I'm pleased that the library would want to work with us. Often, with such issues, there can be a sense of us versus them, with each side battling it out."

"Instead, I'm pleased to see our group coming in with a positive view and meeting with a positive response. I look forward to meeting with them."

## BOARD

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Schebil said he is against any plan to eliminate the general road patrol, as was done in Oakland County, or to make contracted deputies so expensive that townships could no longer afford them. Contracted deputies are officers designated to a specific municipality that does not have its own police department of its own. They are paid for by the municipality where the deputy works.

Schebil said if either of those things happen, there could be a proliferation of police departments appearing across the county as municipalities decide it would be cheaper to form their own departments. That, he said, would result in increased expense for all the taxpayers.

"No matter what happens, I don't want to see the overall cost go up with no additional services," Schebil said. "I don't want to see us like Oakland County where they have 42 police departments. That's very costly."

Schebil said that he believes the Ann Arbor residents have reason to continue to support the general road patrol, even though they also pay for their own department.

"Unless (Ann Arbor resi-

dents) live, work, sleep, eat and recreate entirely within the city, they need police services outside of the city. If that's done away with, there will be a void."

Scio Township Supervisor Robert Tickle said he, too, believes the sheriff's general road patrol should continue.

"There is a strong perception that the townships are being shortchanged," Tickle said. "Scio Township pays \$4 million per year to the county in taxes. Do we get \$4 million in services? I don't think so."

Tickle said that if equity in county spending is going to be addressed at all, it should be across the board and not simply applied to the sheriff's budget.

"Everyone in the county benefits from the general road patrol," he said. "If a resident from Ann Arbor gets into a car accident out in a township, they're going to appreciate police service then."

So far, no specific proposals for any changes in services or funding have been announced by the commissioners and this was troubling to some of the people at the meeting.

"What are you considering," asked Superior Township Supervisor William McFarlane. "It's difficult to comment when we have no idea of what our options are. From my conversations, I think there are several

options out there from several commissioners and it would be helpful to find out what options are being considered."

Harry Valentine, the president of the deputies' union in Washtenaw County, was also present at the meeting. Valentine urged the commissioners not to make any cuts in the general road patrol.

"I live in an area without much police protection," he said. "If people perceive your decision as taking away their last police protection ... well, I would not want to be the one to tell someone who calls for help that there's no one available to help."

"Ann Arbor people complain about paying for police, well, I get very little benefit from substance abuse programs, veterans' services, women's shelters, homeless shelters. Those things are important, but there are a whole lot of people in this county who need police protection. We can't turn our back on those people."

Valentine said that police protection was an expensive part of the county budget, but he said he believes that emergency services are essential to maintaining a good quality of life in the county.

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At the same time, it would be very wrong to say, "I'm forgiven, so it doesn't matter how I live." The Bible contains lists of sins, for example in 1 Corinthians 6:9-10 and in Galatians 5:19-21, and says very strongly, "Those who live like this will not inherit the kingdom of God." In other words, true faith in Jesus cannot coexist with a life given over to sin. As John says, "No one who lives in Him keeps on sinning" (1 John 3:6).

At times we're disappointed in members of Christian churches, but we must remember: Christians aren't perfect.

There are church members, however, who are just kidding themselves about their Christian faith, while in reality they've given themselves over to lives of sin.

The ultimate question for each of us is: Am I being true to my Lord? Have I been kidding myself, comforting myself and saying, "I was baptized. I was brought up in a church. I'm a church member," when in reality I'm showing a total disregard for God's worship and His moral principles?

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Mike Silvasi, a fourth-grader in teacher Becky Mann's class, earned membership in the Donkey Kong Club last week during physical education class at Bates Elementary School. Students who climbed to the top of a 20-foot rope were awarded membership. Those climbing a fourth, half or quarter the way up were inducted into the Monkey Club.

# Hansen to provide beans, not pork, to constituents

If you were to come and spend a day with me in Lansing—and about 40 people between the ages of 9 and 75 already have—you would see the Legislature in the process of its traditional policy-making role.

A fair number of the policy decisions that we make do not have any impact on the state budget, or the impact is quite minimal. We do receive analysis for every bill prior to debating it on the House floor so that when there is a cost implication, we are pretty well informed.

Some items, such as the new specialty license plates that you will be able to buy soon, are self-funded by fees so there is neither a positive nor negative impact on the state budget. In some cases, there is a reduction in money coming to the state, such as when we cut the personal income tax and began processing the phase-out process for the Single Business Tax.

But many things that we do involve the expenditure of new or additional funds. When we build a new prison, we have to both for the structure itself and then increase the Department of Corrections' budget to handle the day-to-



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day operational costs.

This is where policy and the appropriations processes begin to intertwine. It is, in fact, possible to pass a law requiring a new expenditure of funds and, at a later date, not approve the appropriation necessary to implement the new law.

Curiously, it's possible to do it the other way around as well, by including an appropriation for something that had been previously discussed. This is when the odor of bacon fills our House chambers and allegations of "pork-barrel politics" start to fly.

When a new law is proposed, there is considerable publicity surrounding the debate. The bill must pass through committees in both the House and Senate and ul-

timately be debated on the floor of both of these chambers. This is what we do most of the year, and we do it during daylight hours, for the most part, and with lots of oversight and accountability.

The appropriations process actually starts out, sort of, the same way. Appropriations committees from the House and Senate meet quite publicly during regular hours and review and modify the governor's proposed budget.

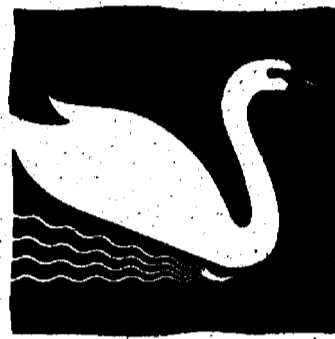
We have to approve approximately 20 separate budgets on everything from the De-

partment of State Police to the Department of Transportation. Half of these budgets originate in the House and the other half in the Senate. We then trade them back and forth until we reach agreement.

Here's where things start to get a little sticky. During the appropriations process, we move away from our standard time schedule and go well into the night, for 12-, 14- or sometimes 20-hour sessions. The department budgets are reviewed in each House as a

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# POLICE BLOTTER

## Sylvan Township

### Warrant Arrest

A sheriff's deputy stopped a car on I-94 near M-52 for speeding on March 20. After checking with the Law Enforcement Information Network (LEIN), the deputy discovered that the driver, 24-year-old Frederick D. Locke of Grass Lake, was wanted on a bench warrant for violation of parole. Locke was arrested and taken to the county jail without incident.

### Break-in

On March 26, a deputy was dispatched to the 19000 block of Old US-12 on a report of breaking and entering. The deputy met with a 50-year-old woman, who said that she had returned from a weeklong vacation to discover that someone had broken into her home.

The perpetrator had pried open the rear door to enter the home. None of the neighbors had seen or heard anything, but a friend of the woman said that she had stopped by the house on March 22 to feed the cat, and at that time there were no signs of a break-in.

Missing property included a camera, a compound bow, jewelry and cash, for an estimated total of \$11,225. Property damage was estimated at \$100.

## Lyndon Township

### Break-in

On March 22, a deputy was dispatched to the 7700 block of Clark Lake Road on a report of home invasion. He spoke with a 50-year-old woman, who told him someone had broken into her home that day.

The woman said she had left for work that morning, and when she returned home, she found that the front door had been forced open and the house had been ransacked.

A neighbor told the woman that a white van had been seen in the area, but neighbors could not provide any other information.

A television, VCR and video camera were stolen, for an estimated total of \$1,300. Damage to the front door was estimated at \$100.

## Webster Township

### Break-in

A deputy was dispatched to the 4400 block of Dexter-Pineck Road on March 20 on a report of breaking and entering. At the scene, the deputy met with a 46-year-old woman, the homeowner.

She said that sometime between Feb. 14 and Feb. 29, someone had stolen a case of

soda and several children's videos from her home. When she discovered the items were missing, she initially decided not to report it to the police, since they were not consequential.

After considering it, though, she said she decided to tell police, to let them know what was going on.

## Scioto Township

### Warrant Arrest

On March 26, a deputy made a traffic stop for speeding on I-94 near Baker Road. After checking LEIN, he found that the driver, 35-year-old Byron W. Johnson of Westland, was wanted on a bench warrant out of Livonia for violation of parole. Johnson was arrested and taken to the county jail without incident.

### Missing Person

On March 26, a deputy was dispatched to the 6600 block of Jackson Road. The deputy met with a 25-year-old woman, who said that her 42-year-old husband had been missing since the day before.

The woman said that her husband's friend had picked him up the morning before. The two went to work on the husband's boat, stored in Brighton.

When her husband had failed to return home by the following day, the woman called the friend. He told her that he had dropped her husband off the previous afternoon.

The woman said all of her husband's belongings were still in their home. His name, and descriptions of his vehicle and boat, were entered into LEIN.

### Truck Fire

On March 22, a deputy was dispatched to Bill's Truck and Trailer Repair, 6550 Jackson Road, on a reported electrical truck fire.

At the scene, the deputy found the Scioto Township Fire Department responding to the fire. An employee of the business, a 27-year-old man, said that he had heard an electrical sound, and when he investigated, found the owner of the business, a 44-year-old man, and a 52-year-old man lying on the ground outside.

The man said he could not get close to the truck due to the arcing of electricity.

Another witness, a 33-year-old man, said he had looked out the window of his adjacent business and saw the two men. He ran outside to help, and the 44-year-old man told him

to call 911.

The older man was reported to be dead on the scene, and the owner of the business was taken to the University of Michigan Hospital for treatment.

### Break-in

On March 22, a deputy investigating a Feb. 24 break-in at Scioto Farms Estates went to the county jail to interview a suspect in custody. The suspect, a 31-year-old Ann Arbor man, had been picked up for violation of parole.

The deputy read the man his Miranda rights, and the man said he understood them. He then signed a waiver of rights form and agreed to give a statement.

The man said that he was unaware of any break-in at the trailer park, and he had been traveling between Jackson and Whitmore Lake during the day and time in question. He provided the name and phone number of a friend who gave him a ride.

The deputy noted that the man seemed nervous and scared during the interview, and at one point sat in silence for four or five minutes. The deputy then asked if someone else had been involved in the theft with the man.

The man replied, "Why would I want to tell on someone else? Why would I want to destroy someone else's life?"

The man then said he wanted to make a deal with the deputy. He would tell the deputy anything he needed to know about the theft, and would help get the stolen property back.

His only condition was that

he wanted to see his son, currently a high school freshman, graduate. He asked the deputy to guarantee the terms.

The deputy said he could make no guarantees, that sentencing was the domain of the courts.

The man said that he could save the courts a lot of time and money by making a statement, but if he did not, it was up to the court to prove he was involved in the crime.

Following the interview, the deputy contacted the man's friend, who said he had no idea where Whitmore Lake was, and didn't remember giving the man a ride.

On March 22, a deputy was dispatched to Pizza Hut, 5630 Jackson Road, on a report of embezzlement. The deputy spoke with the manager of the restaurant, a 21-year-old man, who said that someone had stolen cash and checks totaling \$960 from the safe.

The manager said that when he arrived at work that day, the day shift manager, a 23-year-old man, told him that the safe had been left open overnight.

The 21-year-old man then found that, while the cash fund, totaling \$400, was still in the safe, the deposit from the night before was missing.

He said that it was the responsibility of the night shift manager to put the deposit in the safe, and since it was missing, the night shift manager from the night before, a 22-year-old man, had been terminated.

The manager added that it was possible someone not em-

ployed at the restaurant had stolen the money.

The terminated manager said that he had counted the deposit and put it in the safe the night before, securing the safe. He then checked the interior, secured the restaurant and made an outside perimeter check.

He discovered a door unlocked, and went back inside the restaurant to secure that door. He then exited again and went home. The

man said he had not stolen the money.

An employee of the business confirmed that he had seen the manager leave the restaurant, re-enter and then exit again.

The day shift manager said he had not called the store manager when he found the safe open, as it was sometimes left open overnight.

A sheriff's community service officer  
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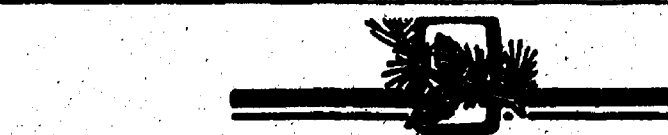
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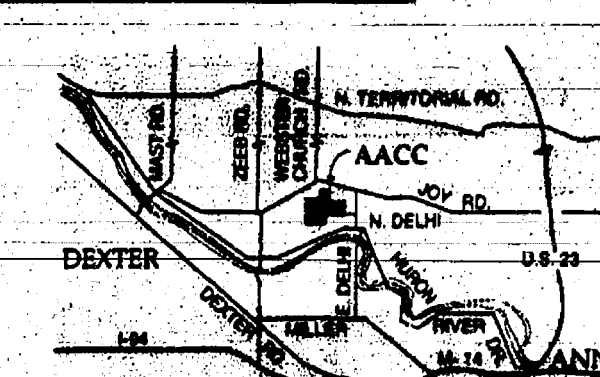
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vice officer was dispatched to the 150 block of Zeeb Road on March 20 on a report of larceny.

She met with a 22-year-old man, who said that sometime between the afternoon of March 18 and the evening of March 17, someone had stolen several items from his car.

The man said he had parked his car in a restaurant parking lot over night, during which time someone had cut out the rear vinyl window, taking a CD player, speakers, a coat and several books.

The total value of missing items was estimated at \$2,000.

## Property Damage

On March 2, a sheriff's officer was dispatched to the 840 block of Rose Drive on a report of property damage. She spoke with a 36-year-old woman, who said that sometime in the early morning hours, someone had thrown rocks through a large double-paned window in her home. Damage was estimated at \$1,000.

A sheriff's community service officer was dispatched to the 10 block of Chestnut Boulevard on March 15, on a report of property damage.

She met with a 33-year-old woman, who said that sometime during the previous night, someone had broken out the driver's side window on her car. Damage as estimated at \$100.

## Unauthorized Driving

### Away of Automobile

On March 18, sheriff's deputies were dispatched to Ann Arbor Subaru, 4255 Jackson Road, on a report of a stolen car.

The deputies spoke with a 30-year-old sales consultant at the business. He told them that the day before, two men had come to the business, saying they wanted to buy a 1995 SVX the dealership was selling.

One of the men said he would pay cash, and would return with a mechanic. The man did return with a man claiming to be a mechanic, and they asked to take the car for a test drive.

The sales consultant asked for a Michigan driver's license, which the man provided. The photo on the license was a photo of the suspect. The employee made a copy of the license, and allowed the men to start the vehicle. When they did not return, the Subaru employee contacted the police. The estimated cost of the car was \$15,500.

The salesman provided the photocopied license to the deputies. They discovered that the license was fraudulent. The name on license led them to a 49-year-old Waterford man, who said he had had problems with someone trying to set up charge accounts in his name.

The man, a GM employee, had alerted Pinkerton investigators, as he thought the problems might have arisen from his work.

He had also put a stop on his credit, which nearly led to the arrest of the perpetrators

when they tried to set up an account at a Utica store, narrowly escaping police.

The primary suspect was described as a white male, 5'11", weighing 180 pounds, with brown eyes and short black hair. The suspect is fraudulently using the name of Robert Vanderelzen.

## Drunken Driving

On March 11, a deputy was dispatched to Jackson Road at Wagner Road on a report of a three-car automobile accident. He found a van facing the wrong way on Jackson Road, a Jeep which had rolled over, and a small two-door car with severe rear-end damage.

The driver of the van, a 43-year-old Bay City man, was lying in the grass of the median, and the deputy noticed that the man smelled strongly of alcohol. He was also bleeding from his forehead, and spewed profanities at the deputy when asked about his condition.

A 40-year-old man who witnessed the crash told the deputy that the van had passed him going approximately 80 mph when it struck the green car, bounced off, and struck the Jeep, which rolled over. The van then crossed the median into traffic headed the opposite direction.

The speed limit in the area is 45 mph.

The driver of the van was taken to the University of Michigan Hospital for his injuries. The deputy interviewed him there. The man said he had been on I-94 when the accident happened, and was going home to Dexter. He said he had had two 40-ounce beers before driving.

A mostly empty 40-ounce beer bottle was found in the van, along with nine 12-ounce bottles.

The man refused to submit to any sobriety tests or a blood test. The deputy then obtained a warrant for a blood test, and

had blood drawn at the hospital.

He was not taken into custody due to his injuries, but the case was sent to the prosecutor for review pending blood test results. The man has a previous drunken driving arrest.

## Violation of Protection Order

On March 21, a deputy was dispatched on the report of a violation of a personal protection order. She spoke with a 31-year-old woman, who said that her 37-year-old husband had approached her on Feb. 29.

The woman had a personal protection order issued against her husband on June 4 of last year. The case was forwarded for review by a prosecutor.

## Family Trouble

On March 25 a deputy was dispatched on a report of family trouble. The deputy met with a 36-year-old man, who said he was having troubles with his 39-year-old wife.

The man said he had been asleep in the couple's bedroom when his wife came in, turning on the light and making a lot of noise. He then went downstairs to a guest bedroom. He said his wife had been drinking earlier that night.

The woman followed him, saying she wanted to talk about their relationship, but the man said he had no interest in discussing matters while she was drunk.

He then tried to call police, to prevent any altercation between the couple. The woman grabbed the phone from his hands, though.

When police arrived, the man said his wife had hit him before, but had not done so that night.

The woman agreed with the man's version of events. The police took her to a friend's house, and told her to call them for a civil standby if she

wanted to retrieve her belongings from the house.

## Domestic Assault

On March 26, a deputy was dispatched on a report of a domestic assault.

On the scene, he spoke with a 43-year-old man, who said that he and his 20-year-old son had been arguing earlier in the evening. The man said he did not want his son using his car.

Later, he heard the garage door go up. When he went to investigate, he found his son, with several of his friends, at the garage door. He said that his son pushed him hard in his chest, which frightened him that more violence would follow.

The man said that he and his son had both been drinking that evening.

The son said that he had been outside, smoking with his friends, when his father came to the garage. He said he had not taken his father's car, and had not pushed his father.

The 43-year-old wife of the older man said she had heard her husband and son arguing, but had not seen her son push her husband.

The deputy told the family that they should see a therapist for their problems. The son said he, and his wife, planned on moving out soon.

## Sharon Township

### Break-in

On March 21, deputies were dispatched to the 14000 block of Bethel Church Road on a report of home invasion. They met with a 49-year-old man,

who said that he had left for work that morning, and when he returned home, found someone had broken in.

The man found that someone had first tried to pry open a door, but then shattered the glass in it to get in to the house. He found that someone had stolen jewelry, CDs, a laptop computer and a hand-held marine radio from his house. Total value of stolen property was estimated at \$2,564.

## Manchester Township

### Vehicle Fire

On March 18, deputies were dispatched to Noggies Road at Austin Road on a report of a suspicious vehicle. En route, they were told that the vehicle was on fire.

At the scene, they found the driver of the car standing on the shoulder. He told them that he had heard his car backfire.

He got out to investigate.

looked under the hood and saw that the engine compartment was on fire. He took his belongings from inside the car and called his wife.

The Manchester fire department arrived and extinguished the fire. The fire department found that the fire was an engine fire, and was not suspicious.

The vehicle was thoroughly destroyed. Damage was estimated at \$8,000.

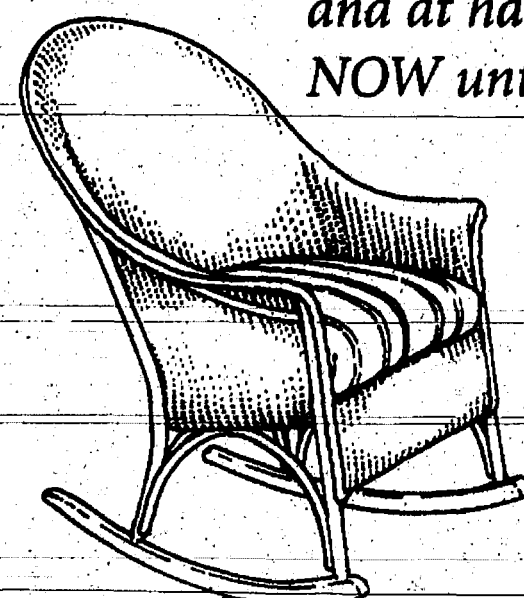
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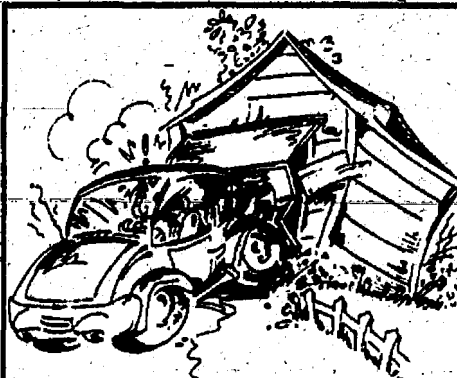
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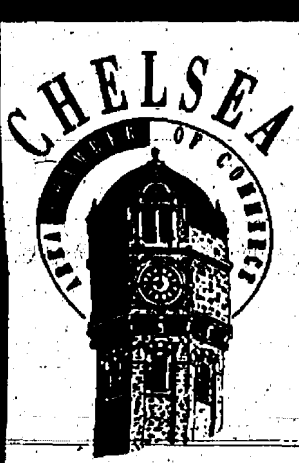
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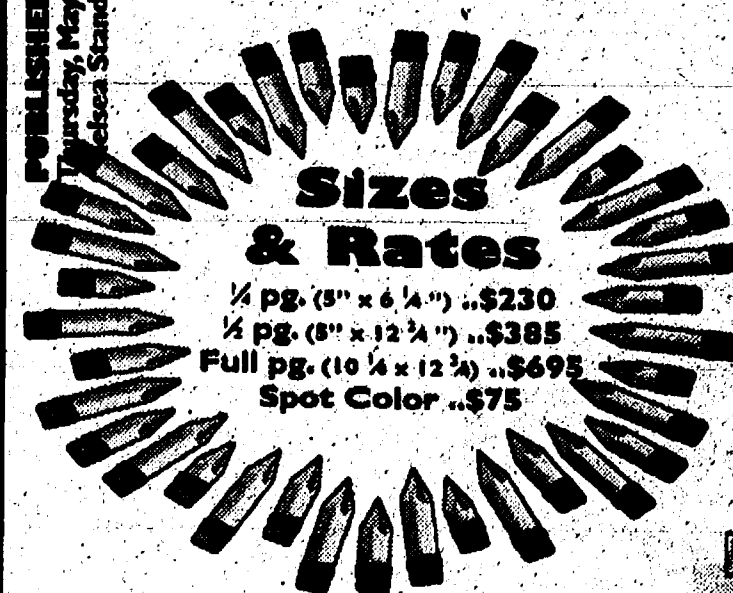
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Blackwell is a sophomore at Albion College and is a member of the Ford Institute for Public Policy and Service. He is the son of Frank R. and Rose M. Blackwell of Grass Lake and a graduate of Chelsea High School.

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## Dexter resident on dean's list

Scott Douglas Weber of Dexter has been named to the dean's list at Lehigh University for the fall 1999 semester.

Certificates of achievement were awarded to 987 students who were named to the dean's list for the fall 1999 semester. The names were announced by Sharon K. Basso, dean of students.

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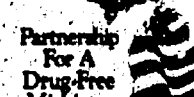
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# THE DEXTER LEADER BUSINESS

Thursday, March 30, 2000

## Griffiths named to CSB board

At its annual meeting of shareholders Tuesday, March 14, the Chelsea State Bank Board of Directors elected Kathleen Griffiths to become a member of that body. Griffiths is president and CEO of Chelsea Community Hospital.

The remaining eight directors eligible for re-election were also elected by shareholders. The announcement was made by CSB President and CEO John Mann.

"We're very happy to have Kathleen on our board," Mann said. "She is a visible and involved community leader, and has the respect and admiration of us all. She brings integrity, commitment and accountability to our board and

will be a great asset to CSB and our customers."

Griffiths was named president of CCH in 1988, replacing Will Johnson, who had held the post for 25 years. She also has served as executive vice president and chief operating officer during her 19-year tenure at CCH.

Griffiths also serves on the boards of Arbor Hospice, Silver Maples of Chelsea and is a trustee at Siena Heights College. She is a past board president of Spaulding for Children and is involved with the Michigan Hospital Association and the Southeast Michigan Hospital Council.

Three prominent directors retired from the CSB board.

They include John (Jack) Merkel, who has served since 1980, George Palmer, a board member since 1979 and Robert Daniels, one of the longest-serving directors in CCH's history, who has served since 1972.

"These men have collectively served on our board for almost 70 years," Mann said. "Their dedication, vision and guidance has been instrumental in the continued growth and prosperity of Chelsea State Bank."

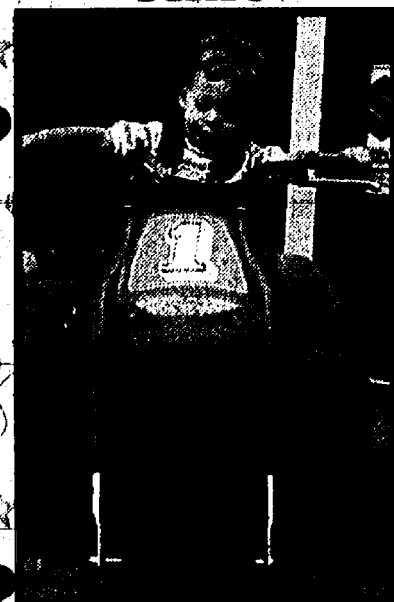
The eight incumbent directors who were re-elected are Paul Schaible (chairman), Peter Flintoft, Kenneth Gietzen, Mark Heydlauff, Dudley Holmes Jr., John Mann, Frederick Mills and Scott Tanner.



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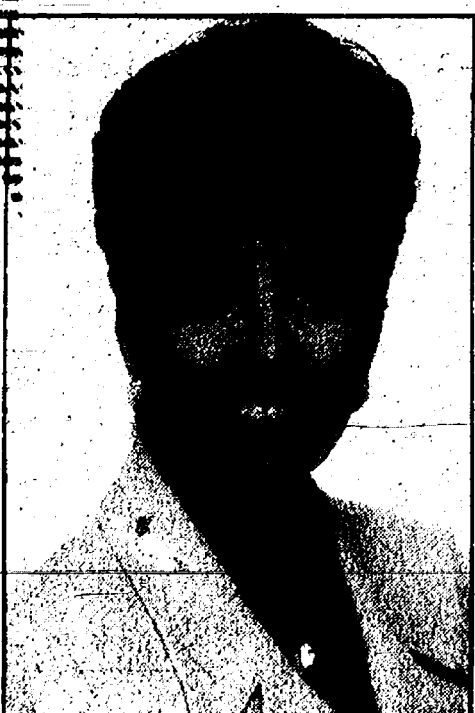
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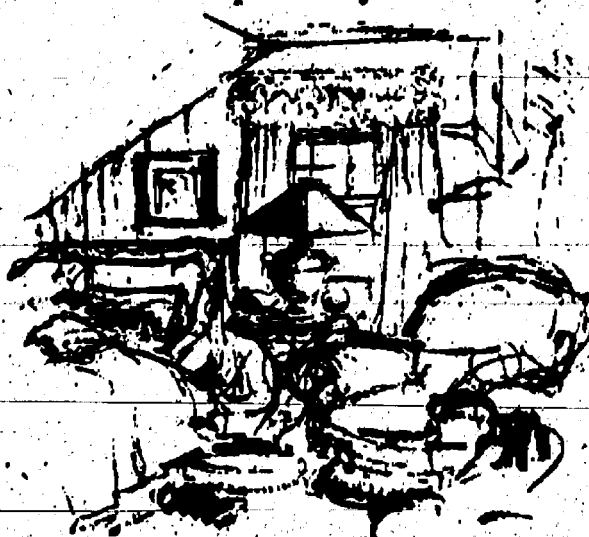
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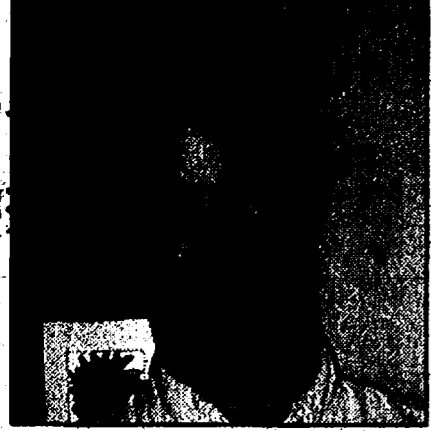
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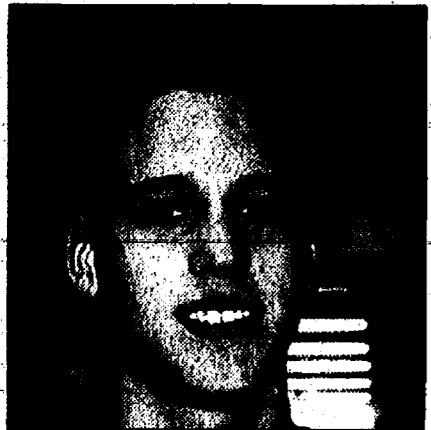
By Corinna Christman

What are your plans for spring break?



"We are going to hang out in the rain forest in Costa Rica."

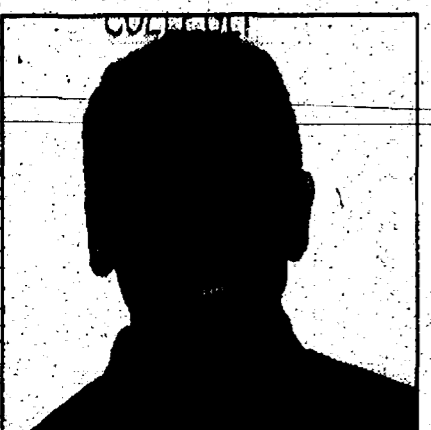
Jim Paul  
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"I am going to Texas."  
Andy Thiel  
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"Nothing. I'm staying home and working!"  
Scott Fouty  
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"I'll be in Florida basking in the sun with my family, far away from any sign of student life."  
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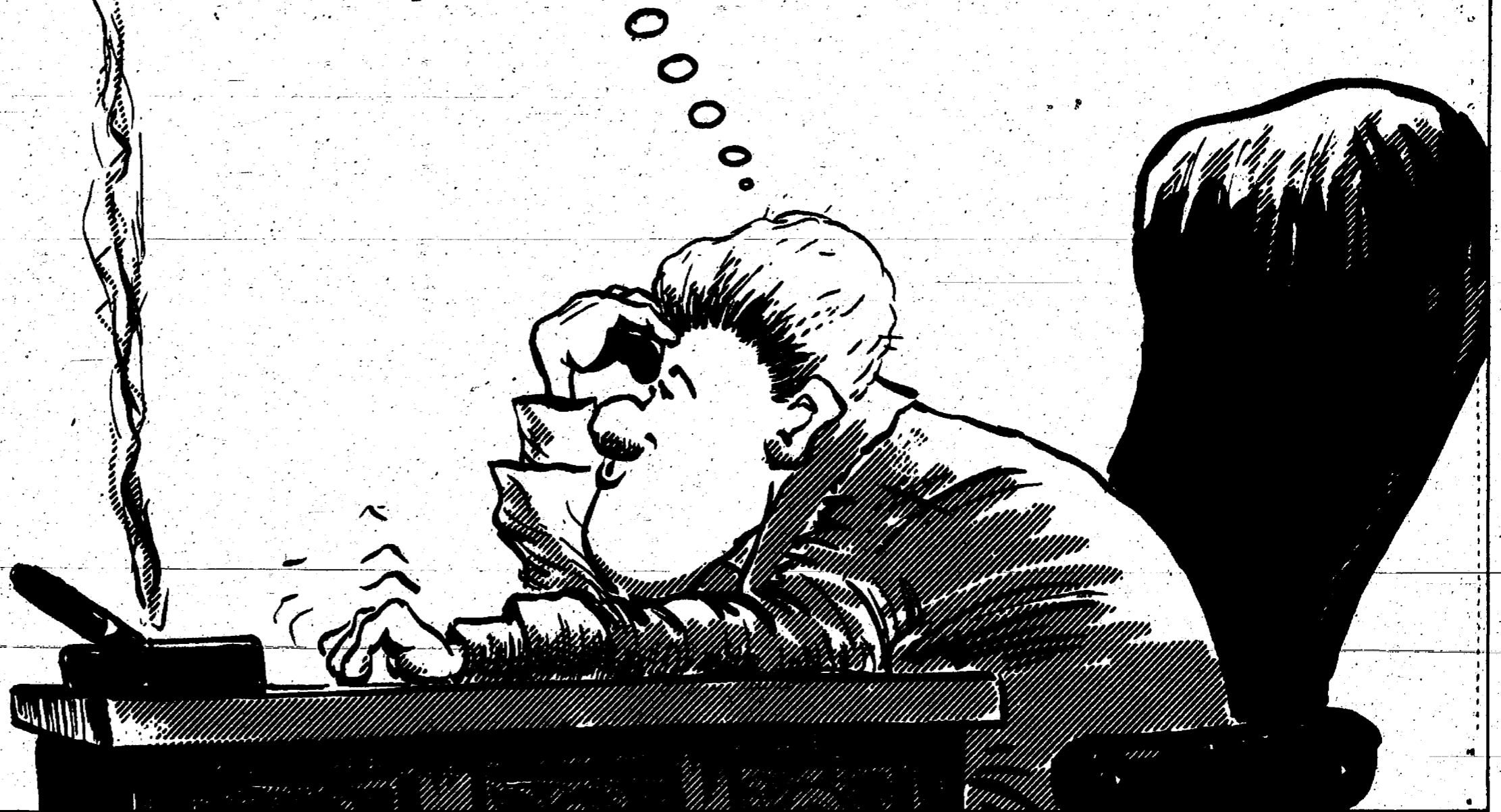


"Staying at home and working with my dad."  
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"I'm going to Montana, to go skiing."  
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## Library adds new video selections, drops fees

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### No Rental Fees

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ing the video collection in circulation to as many people as possible.

The loan period is still one week.

### Changes in Content of the Collection

Over the course of the year you will begin seeing a change in the content of the library video collection. Although the library is not abandoning the entertainment video collection, a larger proportion of the library video investment will go to non-fiction informational videos.

### Recent New Titles:

To give you a taste of where we are going with the video collection here are some new titles that have made an appearance on the library's "new video shelf":

"The Life of Birds" by David Attenborough with BBC Video and CBS/Fox; in five videocassettes. David Attenborough journeys across seven continents filming thousands of species of birds, revealing their patterns of behavior. Originally released in 1998 as a television series of 10 episodes.

"Biography of the Millennium" by A&E Television Networks, 1999; in four videocassettes. Subjects include Vasco da Gama, Jonas Salk, Louis Armstrong, Enrico Caruso, Charlie Chaplin, Eleanor Roosevelt, Florence Nightingale, J. Robert Oppenheimer, Rachel Carson, James Joyce, Nelson Mandela, Elizabeth I, Joseph Stalin and Isabella I. The list goes on.

### Titles for kids include:

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"Sign and the ABC's. A New Way to Play" by Aylmer Press, c1998. This video teaches the written, spoken, and American Sign Language alphabets.

### Ask for what you want

Finally, I strongly encourage you to ask for titles you are looking for but cannot find. We take your suggestions very seriously and, often, user patron requests serve as our first purchase priorities.

If the title is already owned but is currently checked out, placing a hold will guarantee your place in line and will force us to deny requests for renewals.

You can save yourself an unnecessary trip to the library by calling first or by sending e-mail to request a hold on a particular title.

### Call Metta...

As always, I value your comments and suggestions. Please do not hesitate to call me if you have any questions or concerns about library services and collections.

## Trailer park standards need enforcement

By Karl Ziomek

### Heritage Newspapers

After looking into the enforcement of health and safety standards at the state's mobile home parks, it is painfully evident that the laws currently in place are not working to anyone's advantage.

Heritage Newspapers researched the state's enforcement of mobile home standards after the Hannah Court Trailer Park in Ecorse was shut down by city officials because it was a health hazard. Rats, used needles and raw sewage were found all over the property, leading city leaders to shut down the facility, described by some onlookers as "Third World." Pathetically, the park had been inspected recently by state officials and was deemed in "substantial compliance."

After numerous interviews with state and local officials, it is very evident that the state is either too lax or understaffed, or both, to handle the job. Municipal officials, who have the most contact with the facilities and should logically be

enforcing the codes, are either hamstrung by jurisdictional problems or by a lack of knowledge of such jurisdiction.

Considering that many of the state's poorest people live in such trailer parks, the lack of enforcement can lead to dire consequences.

What's the answer? Right up front, local officials should attempt to push the outside of the envelope when it comes to the enforcement of health and safety standards. Most city officials said that they have little or no jurisdiction over trailer parks; however, when pressed with the same question, state authorities began pointing out loopholes where municipalities can wield their power.

State officials noted that municipal officials have some inspection powers over mobile homes that are rented, for example.

Of course, further confusing matters is the issue that while the state Department of Environmental Quality has most of the inspecting authority, the job of issuing park licenses falls

under the Department of Consumer and Industry Services — which apparently does no inspections at all.

Right now, there is no indication at the state level that the situation surrounding mobile park health and safety inspections is going to improve. When Gov. John Engler divided the Department of Natural Resources into the state DNR and DEQ branches several years ago, he appears to have neutered the agency's enforcement arms. State Rep. Gloria Schermesser (D-Lincoln Park), aghast at the Hannah Court debacle, again pushed her year-old bills to hand out more local control, but the Democrat's bills are buried in a Republican-led House committee.

The answer, for now, is that local communities have to challenge the current standards. Ecorse did so when it walked in and shut down Hannah Court. It's time for more local authorities to do the right thing now and worry about where the cards fall later.

## LETTERS

I wish to thank everyone who supported me in the last election for the Village Council. I sincerely appreciate your trust and belief that I have the best interests of the village in mind.

There is a lot of work to do over the next two years. I intend to work toward a unified council that will address, review and solve not only existing problems and growth pressures, but which also will lay a solid foundation for the village's future. I am not making light of the work this will entail. I am expressing confidence that your seven members of council can provide solid, intelligent decisions.

The new municipal building will be an active priority in the coming months. The defeat of the village hall renovation bond proposal opens the opportunity to explore other options for more cost effective ways (in dollars per usable square foot) to provide adequate space for all the village government.

In order to not muddy the waters on the village bond proposal, in December, the council imposed a gag order on public discussion of alternate options. Since then, several other possible solutions have emerged — solutions which would keep the village offices downtown, accom-

modate predictable growth, provide better parking and in the long run, be a more cost-effective use of taxpayers' dollars.

I invite all affected citizens to join in the public discussions of these possibilities. I am committed to working together on the council and with the village citizens to provide optimum solutions which will meet the current as well as future needs of our community.

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## Residents want tougher air, water protections

Thirty years after the First Earth Day, Michigan voters say they want tougher air and water protections and better enforcement of the environmental laws already on the books, according to a poll published by the Leagues of Con-

servation Voters Education Fund.

The poll also found that 82 percent of Michigan voters believe that they can have a clean environment and a strong economy at the same time. Of the 16 percent who

say we must choose, 56 percent choose the environment.

"Voters obviously want strong laws and tougher environmental enforcement to protect Michigan's water and air," said Lisa Wozniak, Great Lakes regional director of the League of Conservation Voters Education Fund. "The results of this poll also absolutely show that people understand a good environment supports a good economy."

On specific questions about Michigan's rivers, lakes and air quality, the results strongly favor tough protections for these natural resources:

• Ninety-four percent favor having tougher enforcement of

existing laws to protect Michigan rivers and lakes from pollution.

• Eighty-seven percent favor creating tougher laws to protect Michigan rivers and lakes from pollution.

• Eighty-two percent favor creating tougher laws to protect drinking water in Michigan.

• Eighty-nine percent favor creating tougher enforcement of existing laws to protect drinking water in Michigan.

• Seventy-five percent favor creating tougher laws to protect air quality in Michigan.

• Eighty-six percent favor tougher enforcement of existing laws to protect air quality.

### DOMES

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complete package. There are always lots of amendments offered to add a new line item, raise or lower a particular appropriation, or strip a line item completely. But when all is said and done, you can only vote "yes" or "no" on the whole package.

The enabling language that ties all the budget numbers together is referred to as boilerplate. During these late hours of session, boilerplate starts looking a whole lot like policy, and we can end up with a relatively large charge in public policy, without the benefit of much publicity or debate.

Now back to that pork. I still have great faith in the process that we use to govern ourselves in the state of Michigan. I believe that each representative tries to honestly work for the good of his

or her constituents and the citizens of the state as a whole.

We do need new wings built onto fish hatcheries up north; we need more state police officers on our state highways; and we need to support local arts and culture providers, such as Purple Rose Theatre. The party in power has the ability to prioritize these worthwhile projects and deliver them in a manner that provides the most political payback.

The pork in the pan really starts to sizzle with the announcements that can be made public relatively close to elections in marginal districts. So, pork is really just a statement that implies a level of political envy.

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# COMMUNITY

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## A human touch



Art Farley of Chelsea was named Humanitarian of the Year by Faith in Action at last week's banquet. He accepted the award on behalf of the Chelsea Motorcycle Club. Pictured are Farley and The Rev. Jerrold Beaumont who made the presentation.

### FIA honors Chelsea man, raises funds at banquet

By Dirk Fischbach  
Editor

When community leaders gathered at the Chelsea Community Hospital last Saturday for Faith in Action's 17th annual banquet, it was an effort to celebrate in one night services that are provided 365 days a year.

FIA is the leading human services organization in Western Washtenaw County, helping more than 9,000 families and individuals each year.

Along with honoring important local supporters, the annual banquet raises funds that allow the group to continue in its important mission.

"It's our one major fund-raiser of the year," said the Rev. Jerrold Beaumont, noting that the effort nets close to \$7,000 toward an annual budget of \$129,000. The remainder of the money is generated through Chelsea United Way contributions, area churches, the Dexter Area Services Association, the CROP Walk, service club donations and the support of businesses and individuals.

FIA uses the funding to provide services to those in need, primarily within the Chelsea and Dexter school districts.

"Our service area reflects our funding base," Beaumont explained. He is quick to point out, however, that the group does not draw rigid boundaries. If a need exists within proximity, they will do their best to help. FIA also provides clothing to migrant farm workers who reside in the area during the growing and harvest seasons.

Beaumont said that FIA's

main focuses are clothing, food and financial aid, although with the kind support of the Chelsea Family Practice and the Chelsea Community Hospital they are able to provide a free health clinic, also.

The group also serves as a referral source and acts as an advocate for those who need assistance in receiving services from other agencies.

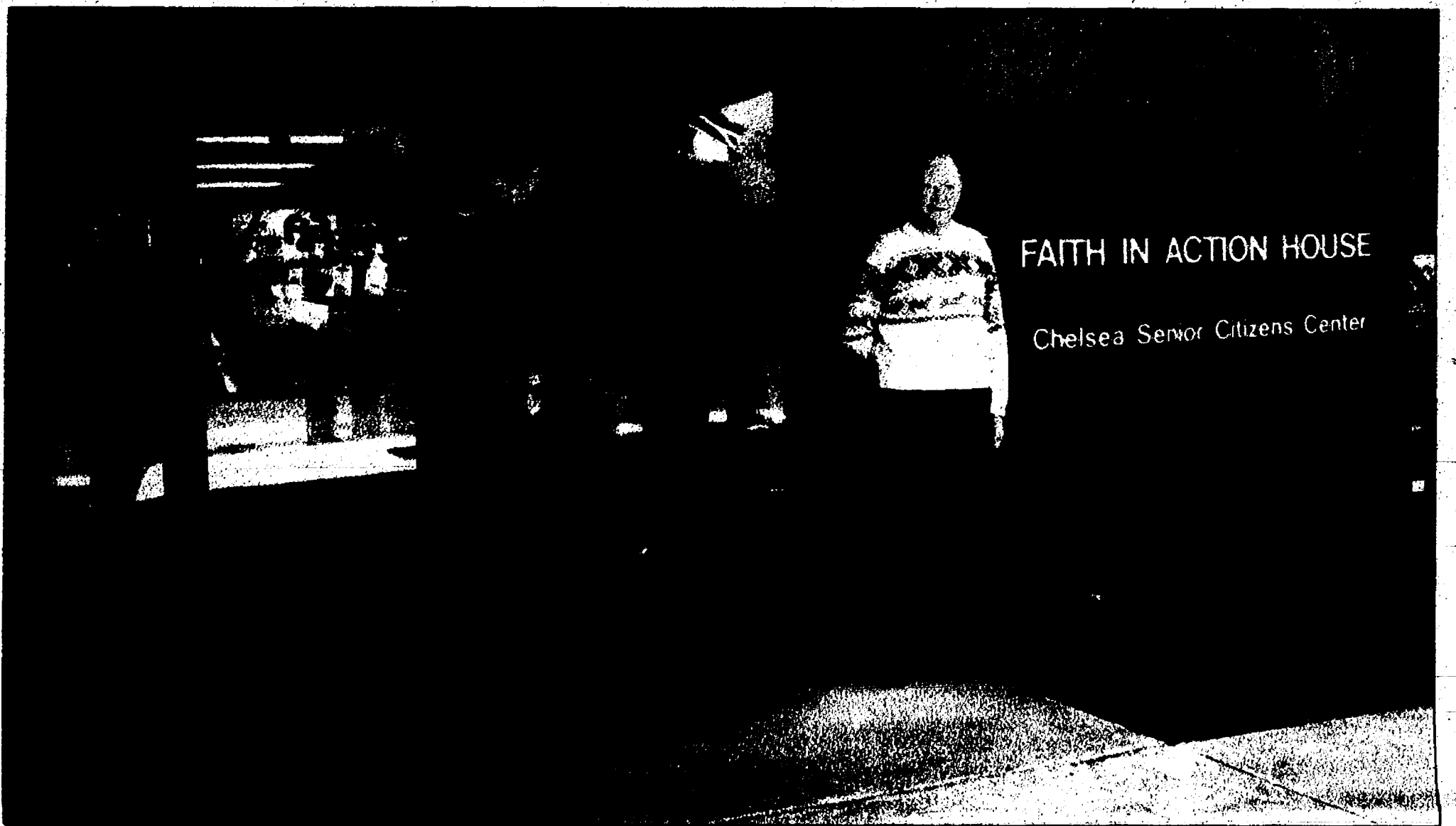
Such flexibility in service area and aid is a luxury that the FIA has worked hard to maintain. Because it receives no government monies, it is not bound by narrow definitions that often come with those funds.

"We call the shots," Beaumont said proudly. "We can judge each request on its merits and fund it accordingly."

The current organization grew out of the combined efforts of St. Barnabas Episcopal, St. Mary Catholic and St. Paul United Church of Christ churches back in the early 1980s. St. Barnabas served as home to the organization in these early times, before the group moved to the grounds of the CCH, first in a small A-Frame and then built the current FIA House on the hospital campus in 1991.

Beaumont said that through the years the type of person aided by FIA has changed, reflecting shifts in the socio-economic makeup of the area and changing availability of government programs for those in need.

"In the early days, the type of person we saw tended to be very destitute," Beaumont observed. "Now we see a lot of working poor, people who hold jobs but who find things getting very tight



Faith in Action is the leading human services organization in Western Washtenaw County. The Rev. Jerrold Beaumont is pictured outside the FIA House in Chelsea. A banquet held last Saturday netted the organization \$7,000 to help those in need. Art Farley, the former owner of Chelsea Motorcycle Supply, was named Humanitarian of the Year during the event for his fund-raising efforts over the years.

around the 26th of the month. They are faced with a choice of buying food or paying rent. We take the view that both are pretty necessary."

Beaumont pointed out that while FIA will not generally provide rent money, the organization will intercede in situations where an eviction notice

has been served.

But while times and needs have changed, one thing that remains the same is the level of support FIA receives from the community — something that was again borne out by last week's banquet.

One of those that has often been there for FIA is former

Chelsea Motorcycle Supply owner Art Farley.

For many years, Farley has used special motorcycle events to raise funds for FIA. Last year, the Chelsea Motorcycle Club's efforts netted \$7,700 for the cause. Saturday the FIA thanked him for his work with

the Humanitarian of the Year

Award, which he accepted on behalf of the club.

"Art and the club used to give sidecar rides for money during community events, and then they would give those proceeds to FIA," Beaumont said, tracing the evolution of the relationship between the motorcycle club

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Cheryl Vogel worked as a physical education teacher for three decades before making the switch to the regular classroom. Today she teaches fifth grade at North Creek Elementary School. In particular, she likes the fact that she gets to know students as individuals and has more influence over their lives.

### Vogel celebrates rewarding teaching career in Chelsea

By Michelle Rogers  
Associate Editor

Cheryl Vogel had dreamed of becoming a nurse all of her life.

"There was no question in my mind while growing up that's what I wanted to do," she says.

But in college she became disillusioned with her future career choice.

"I think it was a combination of (the fact that) I had a mother who died of cancer and some things in nursing school I didn't agree with," Vogel says.

So between her sophomore and junior years of college, Vogel switched her major to physical education. The decision has resulted in a 31-year career-and-counting teaching career with Chelsea schools.

When Vogel accepted the job in Chelsea, she thought it was temporary. She had earned a bachelor's degree in December 1968 from the University of Michigan and was hired in January.

"I was only going to take this job for a semester," Vogel says. "But 31 years later, I am still here. I like it. I even met my husband here."

Vogel started her career as a physical education teacher at Beach Middle School, where she worked for 18 years. She started out full time, took time off in 1976 to start a family and returned two years later part time. Then she moved to North Creek Elementary School and in 1996 transferred to South Meadows Elementary School, while also teaching swimming at Beach Middle School.

Although there were no organized sports for girls while she was growing up, Vogel managed to pursue her interest in athletics. She played field hockey, basketball and softball through intramural programs, and a career in physical education was soon born.

But just this past October, Vogel decided it was time for a change and made a switch to the regular classroom, teaching fifth grade at North Creek.

"I always thought I'd be 50 years old standing in my gym with a whistle. Now I am over 50 and decided it was time for a change again," says Vogel, who became re-certified to teach in the elementary school classroom during the 1980s.

She also has a master's degree in physical education, which she earned from Eastern Michigan University in 1974.

### TEACHER FEATURE

So far, Vogel says she is enjoying the change. "It has been fun. It's a challenge to keep ahead of them and answer all these fifth-grade questions," she says. "It has been fun to keep them interested in the curriculum."

In particular, she likes the fact that she gets to know students as individuals and has more influence over their lives.

"You have a little more influence over their education, how they learn and what they learn," she says. "You get to know them as individuals. I don't think in the gym, seeing 300 kids a day, you get the same involvement."

"I believe in a healthy mind and healthy body philosophy. Now I am working on the (healthy mind) part," she says.

Vogel describes her teaching style as eclectic. "I believe in letting individuals learn in their own styles and hit enough styles to catch everybody."

"I like hands-on activities because I think you learn more by doing," she says.

"I think there comes a time in advanced learning when you have to follow set patterns, but I think we all have our own learning style."

Vogel suspects that her high school French and math teachers influenced her teaching philosophy.

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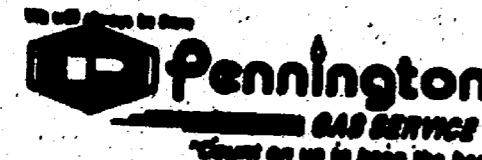
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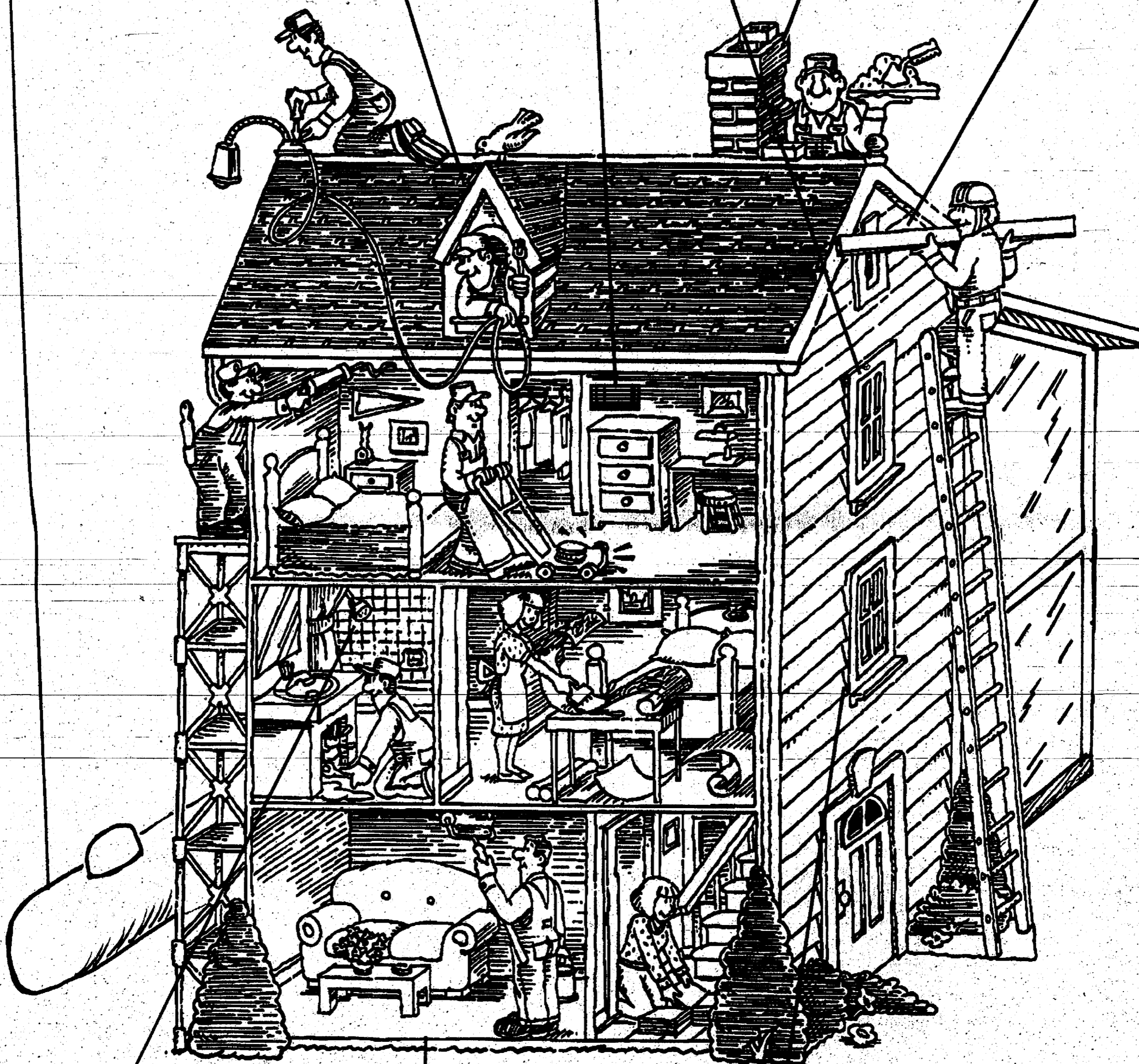
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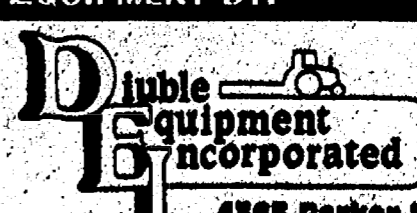
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## CHELSEA

### Saturday, April 1

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## CHELSEA MISCELLANEOUS

**Thursday**  
Chelsea American Legion, Herbert J. McKune Post 31, meets on the first Thursday of the month, starting at 8 p.m. Any questions, call Pat Merkel (734) 475-1824.

Chelsea Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors meets the third Thursday of each month. For further information call the chamber offices at (734) 475-1145.

Chelsea Chamber of Commerce Ambassadors meets on the first Thursday of each month. For information call Bob Pierce (734) 475-6081, or the chamber offices (734) 475-1145.

Little Professor Reading Group for adults meets every other Thursday at 11:30 a.m. Call with questions, (734) 433-2665.

Senior Nutrition Program meets Thursdays at noon in the Waterloo Township Hall. For reservations call (734) 475-7439, 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Lunches, cards and fellowship.

**Friday**  
Chelsea Arbor Treatment Center offers a new Nicotine Anonymous meeting Fridays noon to 1 p.m. in the center's Community Room, located at 900 Victor's Way, Suite 310, Ann Arbor. For more

information call (734) 930-0201.

### Sunday

The Parkinson Education and Support Group of Washtenaw County meets on the second Sunday of the month from 1:30-4 p.m. Call (734) 741-9209 or 1-800-852-9781.

### Monday

Chelsea Area Garden Club meets every second Monday of the month at the First United Methodist Church, 128 Park St., at 12:30 p.m. Summer and holiday season meetings may vary. For information call Christine Forsch, president, (734) 475-4273, or Jennifer Kundak, publicity chair, (734) 475-2424 or jak@smich.com

Chelsea Kiwanis Club meets every Monday at Chelsea Community Hospital, 6:15 p.m.

Domestic Violence Project Safe House Support Group meets every Monday at Chelsea Community Hospital, Behavioral Health Services building, 6:30-8 p.m. Info., (734) 428-0369.

Lima Township Board meets the first Monday of the month at 8 p.m.

Mystery Book Club meets regularly at 7:30 p.m. at the library's new location on the second Monday of the month.

Overeaters Anonymous meets Mondays at First United Methodist Church, Chelsea, 7:30 p.m., Info., (734) 475-4284.

### Tuesday

Chelsea Amateur Radio Club (rprr: 145.45) meets every fourth Tuesday of the month at 7 p.m., at Key Bank, 1478 Chelsea-Manchester Road (next to Chelsea Lumber). Summer and holiday season meetings may vary. Infor-

mation: Jeff Cowall (N8KPA), (734) 475-2424 or jcowall@fame.com

Chelsea District Library Board meets the third Tuesday of the month at 7 p.m., Washington Street Media Center meeting room.

Chelsea Lions Club meets the first and third Tuesday at Chelsea Community Hospital, 6:45 p.m.

Chelsea Rotary Club meets every Tuesday at the Common Grill, 12:30 p.m.

Lima Township Planning Commission meets on the third Tuesday of the month at 8 p.m.

Senior Nutrition Program meets Tuesdays at noon in the Waterloo Township Hall. For reservations call (734) 475-7439, 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Lunches, cards and fellowship.

### Wednesday

New Beginnings is a grief support group for people experiencing the loss of a loved one. Offered as a community service by the Chelsea Retirement Community, meetings are on Wednesdays in the Crippen building 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. Info., Kearney Kirkby, (734) 475-2868.

### DEXTER

#### Thursday, March 30

Dexter Schools' Life Skills/Life Management Advisory Committee will meet at 7 p.m. in room 209 at Dexter High School. The group is looking for new members. Info., call Shirley Bitters (734) 428-4623

ext. 6022 or Paige Hartman ext. 5125.

### Tuesday, April 4

Dexter Township Planning Commission meets at 7:30 p.m. at the Dexter Township Hall, 6880 Dexter-Pinckney Road, Dexter.

### Saturday, April 8

Friends of Stinchfield Woods' fifth annual roadside cleanup. Participants should gather at the classroom adjacent to the old optical observatory on Peach Mountain at 9 a.m. The Stinchfield Woods Road gate will open at 8:30 a.m. Parking is available. For information please contact Peggy Jackson at (734) 428-4922, or by e-mail at <pegjack@bizserve.com>

## DEXTER MISCELLANEOUS

### Thursday

Dexter Rotary Club meets at Cousins Heritage Inn every Thursday at 7:30 a.m.

DivorceCare divorce recovery seminar and support group meets at People's Church in Pinckney every Thursday at 7 p.m. through April 27. The church is located at 425 Unadilla St., three blocks west of downtown Pinckney. For more info., call the church office at (734) 878-3407.

Village of Dexter Downtown Development Authority meets the second Thursday of each month, 7:30 p.m., at National City Bank.

### Monday

Dexter PTO meets every fourth

Monday of the month at 7 p.m. in the media center at Mill Creek Middle School.

Dexter-Chelsea Right to Life meets the third Monday of every other month, April 17, and June 19, at 7 p.m. in the Mary Room at St. Joseph Catholic Church, 3540 Dover St., Dexter. Info., Anne Young (734) 428-5010.

Dexter Village Planning Commission meets the first Monday of each month 7:30 p.m. at National City Bank.

Dexter Village Council meets the second and fourth Monday of

the month 8 p.m. at National City Bank.

**Tuesday**  
The Village of Dexter Parks Commission meets on the fourth Tuesday of each month at National City Bank, 7 p.m.

Dexter Kiwanis Club meets at Cousins Heritage Inn the first and third Tuesday of the month at 6:30 p.m.

Dexter Township Planning Commission meets on the first and fourth Tuesday of each month in the Dexter Township Hall at 7:30 p.m.



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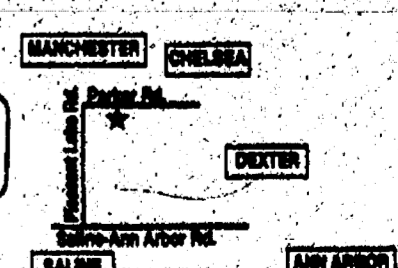
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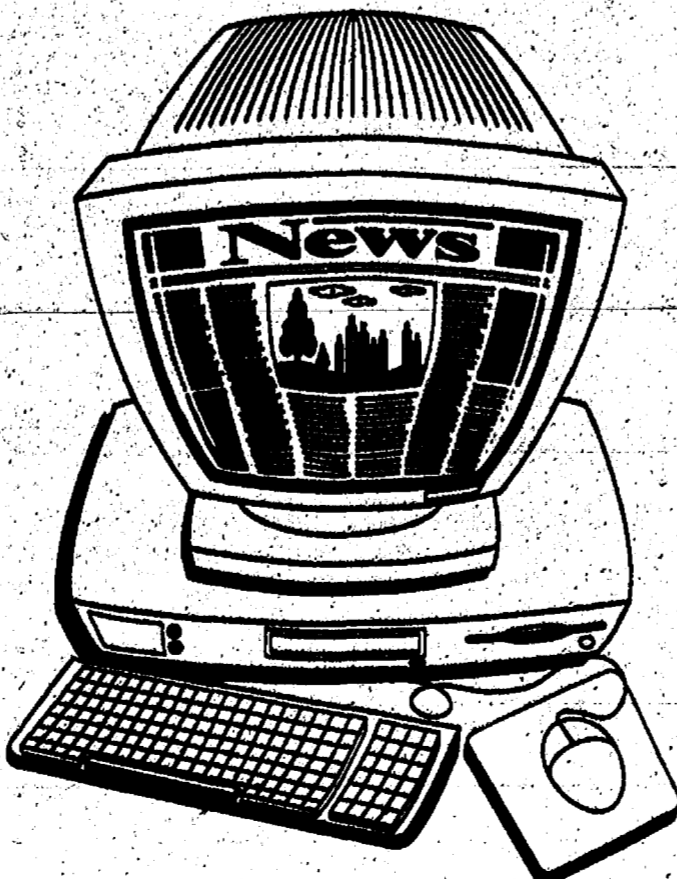
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**AGENDA**  
1) Zoning Ordinance Revisions  
John Gillespie, Chairman

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Place: Dexter Township Hall, 6880 Dexter-Pickney Rd.

Meeting called to order by Supervisor, Robert Tetens

Moved by Rider, supported by Brushaber to approve the agenda as changed.

Carried.

Moved by Knight, supported by Brushaber to approve the minutes of the February 15, 2000 meeting as corrected. Carried.

Moved by Brushaber, supported by Knight to approve the minutes of the Special meeting of March 11, 2000. Carried.

Treasurer's report-The February Fund report was given.

The 1999 tax payment report was given.

Planning Commission-Libby Brushaber-On 2/29 the Planning Commission allowed Salame to re-apply for his site plan.

Code enforcement-Rider permits are down so far this year.

Portage and Base Lakes Sewer-Ehman-Salt from water softeners is causing a problem.

Multi-Lake Sewer-Brushaber-Met with DNR to hook up Silver Lake Park.

There will be May hearings for Joslin, Patterson, Half Moon Lakes.

Sheriff's Report-Sgt. Toth-The February activity report was presented. There was little activity for the month.

Moved by Rider, supported by Brushaber to set elected official salaries for 2000-2001 as follows:

Supervisor	\$23000/year
Treasurer	\$21000/year
Clerk	\$19000/year
Trustee	\$4400/year

Moved by Eisenbeiser, supported by Knight to set office pay at:

Assessor	\$21000/year
Code administrator	\$19000/year
Code officer	\$15.50/hour
Office Manager	\$14.25/hour
Administrative assistant	\$12.00/hour
Deputies/Financial	\$12.50/hour
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Election workers	\$9.00/hour

Yes-4 No-0 Abstention-1 Carried.

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## VILLAGE OF CHELSEA NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO VILLAGE OF CHELSEA ZONING ORDINANCE AND PRELIMINARY SITE PLAN APPROVAL

Notice is hereby given that the Chelsea Planning Commission will conduct a public hearing, as the statute in such case provides, for amendment of the Chelsea Village Zoning Ordinance (Ordinance No. 79). The requested change would revise the Zoning Map with the following changes:

REZONE A 2.91 ACRE PARCEL OF LAND - TAX CODE#: 06-01-400-001  
AND A 2.00 ACRE PARCEL OF LAND - TAX CODE#: 06-01-400-038  
FROM SYLVAN TOWNSHIP AG TO VILLAGE P.U.D.

THE PROPOSED P.U.D. ZONING DISTRICT IS TO ALLOW A FUNERAL HOME WITH AN ACCESSORY RESIDENTIAL USE ALONG WITH THE FOLLOWING USES, AS REQUESTED BY THE MITCHELLS:

- \* Medical and dental clinics
- \* Medical and dental laboratories
- \* Studio for professional work
- \* Offices of architects, engineers, surveyors, community planners, and other professions similar in nature
- \* Offices of executives, administrative, legal, accounting, insurance, real estate and uses of similar nature

The forecasted hearing will be held in the Chelsea School Board Room, Washington Street Education Center, 600 Washington St. Chelsea, MI on Tuesday, APRIL 18, 2000 at 7:30 p.m. The petition, as filed by VILLAGE OF CHELSEA AND JOHN MITCHELL OF STAFFAN-MITCHELL is on file in the office of the Planning and Zoning Department, 305 S. Main St. Suite 100, Chelsea, and may be examined prior to the date of the hearing.

Signed, written comments, concerning the application will be accepted prior to the Planning Commission meeting, and will be read at the meeting. Comments should be addressed to the Chelsea Planning Commission, 305 S. Main St. Suite 100, Chelsea, Michigan 48118.

Persons requiring reasonable accommodations to disabilities in order that the hearing be accessible to the, are requesting to notify the Chelsea Planning Commission Chairman no later than five (5) business days prior to the date of the hearing of such disability.

**CHELSEA VILLAGE PLANNING COMMISSION**  
Kathy Carter, Chairman

## BUDGET HEARING FOR THE DEXTER TOWNSHIP BUDGET

Called to order by the Supervisor, Robert Tetens at 7:00 p.m., March 21, 2000  
Place: Dexter Township Hall, 6880 Dexter-Pickney Road  
Present: Robert Tetens, William Eisenbeiser, Harley Rider, Libby Brushaber, Julie Knight  
Moved by Brushaber, supported by Rider to approve the agenda.  
Carried  
The budget for 2000-2001 was discussed.  
Moved by Rider, supported by Knight to adjourn.  
Carried.  
Meeting adjourned at 7:26 p.m.

William Eisenbeiser, Clerk  
Dexter Township.

## MT. HOPE CEMETERY ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING

The Mt. Hope Cemetery Association will hold its annual meeting on Saturday, April 1, 2000 beginning at 1:00 p.m. Said meeting will be held at the Waterloo Church Sunday School Building, Washington Street, Waterloo.

## SYLVAN TOWNSHIP SYLVAN TOWNSHIP BOARD WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING ON

Tuesday, April 4, 2000 at 7:00 p.m.  
Sylvan Township Hall - 18027 Old U.S. 12, Chelsea, MI 48118

Subject of meeting:  
To consider application from Level 3 Communications, LLC for permit to install fiber optic ducts through Sylvan Township.  
This notice is posted in compliance with PA 267 of 1976 as amended (Open Meetings Act), HCLA 41.72A(2)(3) and the Americans With Disabilities Act (ADA). The Sylvan Township Board will provide necessary reasonable auxiliary aids and services, such as signers for the hearing impaired and audio tapes of printed materials being considered at the meeting, so individuals with disabilities at the meeting or public hearing upon 14 days notice to the Sylvan Township Board.  
Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact the Sylvan Township Board by writing or calling the following: LuAnn S. Koch, Clerk, 18027 Old U.S. 12, Chelsea, MI 48118 - (734) 475-8890.  
Written comments may be sent to LuAnn S. Koch, 18027 Old U.S. 12, Chelsea, MI 48118.



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## LIMA TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

TUESDAY, APRIL 25, 2000, 7:30 P.M.

LIMA TOWNSHIP HALL, 11452 JACKSONS RD.

CHELSEA, MICHIGAN 48118

APPLICATION #00-003. A PUBLIC HEARING WILL BE HELD TO CONSIDER AN APPLICATION FOR A SPECIAL LAND USE PERMIT. THIS PROPERTY IS LOCATED AT 50 SOUTH FLETCHER RD, CHELSEA, MICHIGAN AND IS PART OF THE SOUTHEAST 1/4 OF SECTION 17, LIMA TOWNSHIP, PARCEL #G 07-17-400-014.

APPLICATION FILED BY MICHIGAN MANUFACTURES HOMES SALES, INC., STEVEN JAHN.

A COMPLETE COPY OF THIS PROPOSAL IS ON FILE IN THE OFFICE OF LIMA TOWNSHIP.

WRITTEN COMMENTS MAY BE SENT TO:  
GREGORY MCKENZIE, CHAIRMAN  
LIMA TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION  
P.O. BOX 59  
CHELSEA, MI 48118

## Chelsea District Library Board

Special Meeting-Minutes  
February 23, 2000

Welcome and Call to Order

Trustees in attendance:

Lynn Fox, President; Kathy Sprawka, Vice President; Nancy Paul, Secretary; Dick Lee, Treasurer; Jan Dohner, Dan Kaminsky, Nancy Schumann; Metta Lansdale, Director. Guest: Linda Sayers.

Discussion in an open forum the Board interviewed two auditing firms, Plante & Moran and Post, Smythe, Lutz and Ziel. The Trustees with Metta Lansdale, Library Director and Linda Sayers, Bookkeeper, discussed the merits of both firms interviewed. Trustees were in possession of proposals from each of the firms and were on hand for the two interviews prior to the opening of this meeting.

Action

MOVED by D. Kaminsky and Seconded by K. Sprawka to vote tonight to select the library auditor. Motion PASSED unanimously.

MOVED by D. Kaminsky and Seconded by J. Dohner that the library contract with the firm Post, Smythe, Lutz and Ziel. Motion PASSED with N. Schumann voting against the motion.

Adjournment at 8:00 p.m.

## Chelsea District Library Board Minutes

February 15, 2000

Welcome and Call to Order

Trustees in attendance:

Lynn Fox, President; Kathy Sprawka, Vice President; Nancy Paul, Secretary; Dick Lee, Treasurer; Jan Dohner, Dan Kaminsky, Nancy Schumann; Metta Lansdale, Director.

Finance Committee Report (D. Lee, D. Kaminsky, L. Fox) MOVED by K. Sprawka and Seconded by J. Dohner to accept the checks. PASSED Unanimously.  
Policy Committee (J. Dohner, N. Schumann, D. Lee) Revised Meeting Room and Tornado Policies.

Public Relations Committee (K. Sprawka, N. Paul) A new graphics designer was chosen for the newsletter.

Fund Raising Committee (D. Lee, L. Fox, K. Sprawka). A fundraising booklet that will include a mission statement, goals and other information is being written.  
DDA (D. Lee) The Village could sign with the Mitchell's late this spring after the contingencies are resolved.

Director's Report

The Board reaffirmed the replacement and improvement acquisition goals that were set for this year during the budget proceedings.  
Glen Ashlock from the Center for Independent Living is surveying the Library on February 25th to assess accessibility of the facility.

Major Discussion Topics

The Meeting Room Policy was discussed and further revisions recommended. In lieu of an approved policy, the Director is to use her discretion in granting permission for outside groups to use the meeting room.

The Personnel Committee recommended increasing the Director's salary for this fiscal year to \$80,000.

Action Items

MOVED by D. Lee and Seconded by D. Kaminsky to include income and expense line items for the Book Sales to be held at McKune House. These will be reported as separate line items in the budget. Motion PASSED unanimously.

MOVED by D. Kaminsky and Seconded by N. Schumann to purchase tables and chairs for the Board Meetings and Library use. Motion PASSED unanimously.

MOVED by D. Kaminsky and Seconded by N. Schumann to purchase a white board with pull-down screen for use in the meeting room. Motion PASSED unanimously.

MOVED by N. Paul and Seconded by K. Sprawka to put in the Director's job description: Within the Budget set and approved by the Board, it is the Director's responsibility to set salaries for the staff. Motion PASSED unanimously.

Public Comment

McKune House (K. Sprawka) Curtains may be hung at McKune House. The volunteers are moving the sale books to the main floor.

Adjourned at 10:15 p.m.

## DEXTER TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION

**NOTICE**  
DEXTER TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION INFORMAL  
CITIZEN'S MEETING WILL MEET  
TUESDAY, APRIL 4, 2000  
6:15 TO 7:15 P.M.

AT  
DEXTER TOWNSHIP HALL  
6880 DEXTER-PICKNEY RD.  
DEXTER, MI. 48130

**AGENDA**  
There will be two or three commissioners available to accept recommendations or suggestions for the Zoning Ordinance revisions  
John Gillespie, Chairman

## REGULAR MEETING OF THE DEXTER TOWNSHIP BOARD

Tuesday, March 21, 2000, 7:30 P.M., P. 2

Moved by Brushaber, supported by Knight to amend the 1999-2000 budget to increase revenues to \$700,237 and expenditures to \$700,237.

Carried.

Moved by Rider, supported by Brushaber to set per diem pay for year 2000-2001 as follows:

Planning Commission members-\$75, Chairperson-\$100.  
Zoning Board of Appeals-members-\$75, Chairperson-\$100.  
Watershed, Recycle and Library meetings-\$50.  
Board of Review-\$100/meeting.

Carried.

Moved by Brushaber, supported by Knight to adopt the 2000-2001 Dexter Township Budget.

Revenues \$846,952, Expenditures-\$846,952.

Carried.

Moved by Brushaber, supported by Rider to approve the Zoning change request on parcel No. 04-32-200-011 and 013 from AG to RR made by Roland and Elizabeth Buntin.

Brushaber-yes	Rider-yes
Knight-yes	Tetens-yes
Eisenbeiser-yes	

Carried.

Moved by Knight, supported by Brushaber to approve the zoning change request on parcel No. 04-33-300-21 and 22. 19.06 acres from RR to CU made by Guenther Building Company for owner Marilyn Mink.

Rider-yes	Knight-yes
Eisenbeiser-yes	Tetens-yes
Brushaber-yes	

Carried.

Moved by Rider, supported by Eisenbeiser to approve the request from Countryside Catering LLC to transfer ownership of the 1999 Class C licensed business with dance permit. Located at 11485 N. Territorial Road, Dexter, MI 48130 from Terrace Place.

Rider-yes	Brushaber-yes
Eisenbeiser-yes	Tetens-yes
Knight-yes	

Carried.

Moved by Eisenbeiser, supported by Rider to adopt the annual calendar for meetings as corrected.

Carried.

Moved by Rider, supported by Knight to participate in Washtenaw County Gypsy Moth Program and authorize expenditure up to \$6,000. The supervisor is authorized to sign the agreement.

Carried.

Moved by Eisenbeiser, supported by Brushaber to use Bruce Pindzia as Dexter Township's road engineer.

Yes-4 No-1 Carried.

Moved by Knight, supported by Eisenbeiser to hold a special Board meeting March 28, 2000 at 6:00 p.m. at the Dexter Township Hall to discuss architectural plans for the Township Hall expansion.

Carried.

Moved by Brushaber, supported by Rider to pay the bills in the amount of \$38,265.46.

Carried.

Moved by Knight, supported by Brushaber to adjourn the meeting.

Carried.

William Eisenbeiser, Clerk  
Dexter Township.

## LYNDON TOWNSHIP ORDINANCE NO. 29A AMENDMENT TO THE LYNDON TOWNSHIP UTILITY FRANCHISE PROCEDURES AND TOWNSHIP UTILITY RIGHT OF WAY REGULATORY ORDINANCE, ORDINANCE NO. 29 ADOPTED: MARCH 14, 2000 EFFECTIVE: MARCH 24, 2000

An Amendment to the Lyndon Township Ordinance established a policy concerning utility services and structures and to provide for civil infraction penalties for violations of the Ordinance and other remedies;

THE TOWNSHIP OF LYNDON, WASHTENAW COUNTY, MICHIGAN, ORDAINS:

Sec. 1 This ordinance amends the Lyndon Township Utility Franchise Procedures and Utility Structures Ordinance, Ordinance No. 29, by deleting Section 10 thereof and substituting in its place and stead the following:

Sec. 10 PENALTIES AND ENFORCEMENT. Any person who violates any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of civil infraction. Any person who violates any provisions of this Ordinance shall also be subject to a civil action for appropriate injunctive relief. Any violation of this Ordinance is declared to be a nuisance per se which should be appropriate writ and order of the Circuit Court.

a. For failure to obtain a permit prior to the construction, placement or operation of any utility structure or facility, the civil infraction penalty shall be ONE THOUSAND and no/100 DOLLARS (\$1,000.00). Each day a violation of this Ordinance continues to exist constitutes a separate violation for which a separate civil infraction penalty is imposed.

b. For violation of all other provisions of this Ordinance, the civil infraction penalty shall be FIVE HUNDRED and no/100 DOLLARS (500.00). Each day a violation of this Ordinance continues to exist constitutes a separate violation for which a separate civil infraction penalty is imposed.

c. All persons violation any provisions of this Ordinance shall pay the Township's costs, including direct or indirect expenses, including attorney fees reasonably and actually incurred, engineering fees and costs, Board Members', Assessors, and other administrative salaries and costs, to which the Township has been put in connection with the violation and its correction. A violator of this Ordinance shall also be subject to such additional sanctions, remedies and judicial orders as are authorized under Michigan Law.

Sec. 11 SEVERABILITY

The provisions of this ordinance are hereby declared to be severable and if any clause, sentence, word, section or provision is declared void or unenforceable for any reason by any court of competent jurisdiction, it shall not affect any portion of this ordinance other than said part of portion thereof.

Sec. 12 REPEAL

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this amending ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Sec. 13 EFFECTIVE DATE

This ordinance is effective after publication as provided by law.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the above Ordinance was adopted by the Lyndon Township Board on March 14, 2000.

The above is the full text of the Ordinance.

The effective date is March 24, 2000.

A copy of the Ordinance may be purchased or inspected at the Lyndon Township Clerk's office, 17751, N. Territorial Road, Chelsea, MI 48118, by appointment with the Clerk or deputy, telephone (734)-475-2401, Monday through Friday, except for legal holidays.

Janis Knieper, Clerk of Lyndon Township

Dated: March 15, 2000

AMENDMENT TO LYNDON TOWNSHIP UTILITY FRANCHISE ORDINANCE

STATE OF MICHIGAN COUNTY OF WASHTENAW

I, JANIS KNEIPER, Lyndon Township Clerk, do hereby certify that the within Ordinance was adopted by roll call vote at a regular meeting of Lyndon Township Board of the 14th, day of March, 2000, upon motion of Member John Francis seconded by Member Leann Shanahan:

AYES 5 John Francis, Janis Knieper, Ellen McMurray, Maryann Noah, and LeAnn Shanahan

NAYES 0 None

I, further certify that said Ordinance was adopted in accordance with the Open Meetings Act.

Janis Knieper, Clerk of Lyndon Township

RECORD OF ADOPTION

Date of Adoption March 14, 2000.

Date of Publication-Affidavit Attached-

March 23, 2000

Paper of Publication The Chelsea Standard

Date of Filing Ordinance, Resolution and Affidavit with County Clerk March 17, 2000

Date of Filing Ordinance in Township Book of Ordinances March 16, 2000



**ENGAGED:** Kathy Roberts, daughter of Karen and Terry Roberts of Canton, and Steven Xuereb of Canton, son of Gail and Frank Xuereb of Whitmore Lake, have set an Aug. 12 wedding. The future bride is a 1991 graduate of Plymouth High School, and is presently attending Madonna University. She is currently employed at Community Federal Credit Union. The future bridegroom is a 1989 graduate of Dexter High School and a graduate of Northern Michigan University. He is currently employed at GMR in Brighton.



**ENGAGED:** Beckie Haynes, daughter of Nancy and Curt Haynes of Dexter, and Richard Ferrett, son of Jack and Mary Ferrett of Belleville, have set a Sept. 16 wedding.



### Bear Necessities

Waterloo Tree Farm recently celebrated the birth of a pair of black bear cubs. The two cubs will be at the Tree Farm through this weekend before moving to their permanent home. Rhonda Haines is pictured with the male cub.



**ENGAGED:** Stacey G. Hotzel of Ann Arbor, daughter of Ronald and Penny Hotzel of Dexter, and David J. Forbes of Ann Arbor, son of Orval Forbes of Dexter and Kathy Cowan of Ontario, Calif., have set a June 3 wedding. The future bride, a 1995 graduate of Dexter High School, is presently attending Washtenaw Community College and is employed at Ann Arbor Kitchens. The future bridegroom is a 1990 graduate of Dexter High School and is currently employed at Ferguson Enterprises.



**ENGAGED:** Linda J. Genske of Ypsilanti, daughter of Carl and Arlene Genske of Fairfield Glade, Tenn., formerly of Dexter, and Matthew Nareski of Ypsilanti, son of David Nareski of Wyandotte and Carol Nareski of Carson City, have set a May 12 wedding. The future bride is 1992 graduate of Dexter High School and a 1999 graduate of Eastern Michigan University. She is currently employed with McKinley Properties. The future bridegroom is a 1993 graduate of Carson City-Crystal High School, and is presently a student at Eastern Michigan University. He is currently employed at Washtenaw Community College.

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April 20 **Willah Weeden**  
Author *First Ladies of Michigan*  
and *Michigan Governors: Their*  
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April 27 **Jim Arnold**  
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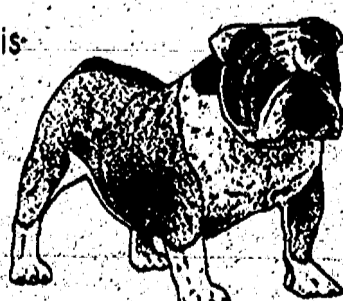
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Thursday, March 30, 2000

## 'Dogs fight hard, fall in quarterfinals



Bulldog point man Sean Davis gets fouled during state quarterfinal action against Orchard Lake St. Mary's. The senior guard fired up 15 points, but it wasn't enough as Chelsea fell to the eventual state champs 74-49.

By Jon Royce  
Special Writer

Chelsea lost 74-49 in the state quarterfinals, to the eventual Class B state champions, Orchard Lake St. Mary's.

The difference in the game was St. Mary's relentless defense which kept Chelsea out of any kind of consistent offensive flow. St. Mary's hounded the Bulldogs to a field goal percentage of 36.

The game was closer than the final score, however. Chelsea remained within striking distance throughout the first three quarters of the con-

test. With three minutes left in third, the Bulldogs had pulled within three points but they just couldn't get over the hump. St. Mary's managed to stop the run and went up by nine to end the third.

In the fourth quarter Chelsea gambled more on defense, which created a lot of fast break opportunities for St. Mary's. St. Mary's capitalized on the break and scored 19 points in the final eight minutes of the game.

In the final game of the season coach Raymond thought the team played well.

"St. Mary's is the best team we played all year. We han-

dled their pressure well for most of the game."

Junior Tony Scheffler had 20 points ten rebounds and five assists. Senior Sean Davis scored 15 and dished out five

dimes. Senior Jeff Kolodica ended up with eight points, while senior Dennis Price had three. Junior Ben Myers had two and senior Alan Bairley had one.

## Top times posted

By Colleen O'Neill  
Special Writer

Chelsea boys' track coach Eric Swager took a half dozen athletes to the indoor track meet at Eastern Michigan University on March 24 and saw two of the six post personal records.

Sophomore Steve Martin finished in sixth place in the two-mile race with a time of 10:46.00.

"That is his personal record by about 20 seconds," Swager said. "That is good."

Junior Mike Kattula finished in ninth place with a time of 11 minutes flat.

Sophomore Will Bredernitz threw the shot put 44'3" to take seventh place and hit his personal best while teammate Joe Tripodi bested him with a fourth-place finish on a throw of 47'4".

Two juniors competed in the one-mile race. Nathan Zeigler

ran the mile in 4:53.00 while Matt McAttee covered the distance in 5:04.00.

"Hopefully we'll get them under 4:40 before the end of the season," Swager said of his milers.

For now Swager described the EMU meet as just an early season meet. He said he only took the few people who were ready to compete. The distance runners and shot-putters trained during the off-season.

The freshmen and sophomores will compete at the boys' Southgate Anderson meet starting at 9 a.m. on Saturday, April 8. The varsity squad will open its season at Fowlerville on Tuesday, April 11, at 4:30 p.m.



### Hot Wheels

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W	L
A Purple Rose Florist	61 23
Mark IV Lounge	60 24
Jay's	59 25
30 Sales & Service	52 32
Corbett Tractor	49 35
La Jolla Shoppe	47 37
Nom's Body Shop	46 38
Vogel's Party Store	44 40
Clary's Pub	39 45
Chelsea Lanes	38 46
Stevick Gravel	38 46
Microwave Communications	34 50
Village Motors	34 50
Centennial Dental Lab	33 51
Selza's Tavern	32 52
Jenex	32 52
Associated Drywall	31 53
Steele Heating & Cooling	27 57
High Game: M. Selza, 264	
High Series: D. Collins, 715	

## LEISURE TIME - 3-18-00

W	L
Doves	66 42
Not Yet	62 46
Sweetrollies	50 58
Late Ones	49 60
High Game: Ginny Wheato, 183	
High Series: Kathy Haywood, 492	

## GIRLS JUST WANNA HAVE FUN - 3-18-00

W	L
Chelsea A&W	56 28
The Tappers	53 31
Chelsea Big Boy	51 33
Chelsea State Bank	45 39
Chelsea Lanes	40 44
Schumm's	35 49
Kern Construction	31 53
Team 8	23 61
High Game: Jody Wink, 236	
High Series: Jody Wink, 586	

## KASHUA LEAGUE - 3-12-00

W	L
Newcomers	69 36
TNT Bowlers	62 43
The Split Weekenders	62 43
Trek Bowlers	59 46
Bryan's Team	48 57
Mixed Nuts	47 58
Team 8	44 61
Too Cool	27 78
High Game: Tami McDougall, 212; Bryan Bloomensaat, 257	
High Series: Tami McDougall, 594; Rick Adams, 630	

## CHELSEA LANE'S YOUTH MIXED - 3-18-00

W	L
Delfs	117 58
Chelsea Lanes	110 65
The Hicks	104 71
The Lunatics	99 77
"We Are Family"	97 76
Red Dawgs	94 81
The Other Team	91 84
Millennium	89 86
Syrin Wrap	88 87
All in the Family	88 87
Slick	86 89
Bushwackers	80 95
Cro-Magnons	77 98
Strike Force	74 101

## VOGEL

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phy. Both had high expectations but made learning fun.

"I think you can work hard but still have a good time," she says.

Vogel makes learning fun by employing many strategies. For instance, she may shake up the order of the day, take a different approach or introduce a new activity. She also encourages students to share stories about their lives and their concerns.

Vogel's favorite subjects to teach are math and science. "Those were my favorites in school," she says. "I think they're the most practical of what we learn."

The only hard rules in her classroom are that students respect each other and do their homework.

In the end, she hopes students see her as fair and a teacher with high expectations.

"I hope they think that I care and that I am fair," she says. "I think you have to treat everyone the same and have high expectations for everyone."

"I think I expect them to work to the best of their ability. The harder you work, I think, the more success you have."

Visits from her former students are among the highlights of her career, and she also likes teaching the children of former students.

Over the years, Vogel also has been a coach. She helped launch girls' athletics in Chelsea, coaching the varsity girls' basketball and volleyball teams and then the middle school teams. She also coached girls' golf for a few years.

Vogel gave up her coaching career when her own children got involved in sports.

"Coaching takes all your extra time. If you have a family it's real difficult, I feel, for a woman to do that."

Vogel and her husband, Sam, have three children. Twin daughters Beth and Alicia are juniors at the University of Michigan. Son Ben is a junior at Chelsea High School. They reside in Dexter Township on West Lake.

When she is not in the classroom, Vogel enjoys in-line skating, cross-country skiing and making crafts. She does cross-stitch, enjoys knitting and makes baskets.

Vogel also enjoys reading and playing golf. During the summer, she works as a starter at Hudson Mills Golf Course, where she gets free golf time.

F.W. Express	74	101
Regicide	70	105
Quiet Riot	64	111
Bowl Dogs	53	122
High Game: Beth Wade, 200; Paul Newhouse, 278		
High Series: Beth Wade, 578; Paul Newhouse, 685		

CHELSEA MID-MORNING MIXED - 3-18-00	W	L
Surge	124%	50%
Team Bubbles	112	63
Dynamite Strikers	99%	75%
Pinheads	46	87
Peace Babies	58	117
Team 6	0	133
High Game: Alicia Lambdin, 104; Brian Seyferth, 129		
High Series: Erika Purdy, 263; Doug Sproul, 337		

BIF'S SUMMER BOWLERS - 3-18-00	W	L
Staurz	65	60
Brown	55	70
Purdy/Hart	48	77
Burnett	47	78
High Game: Brittany Brown, 103; Michael Purdy, 67		
High Series: Jenny Staurz, 165; Ryan Staurz, 109		

CENTURY 21 NORTHSTAR - 3-18-00	W	L
The Acres	111	92
Back 40	110	93
Quit Claim	103	100
Sisters	101	102
All Most	98	105
Fore-Closure	86	117
High Game: Judy Heinen, 202		
High Series: Judy Heinen, 492		

SENIORS FUNTIME - 3-22-00	W	L
Hit or Miss	60	24
Sand Beggars	57	27
Alley Cats	56	28
Koglers	56	28
Wild Ones	48	36
Happy Bowlers	45	39
Go Getters	44	40
K&C	43	41
Volunteers	43	41
Pals	43	41

Spare Ribs	43	41
Lucky 13	41	43
Strikers	37%	46%
Three Cookies	35%	48%
Good Times	34	50
Steadies	31	53
Pelvis Dots	30	54
High Game: Garnett Puckett, 200; Chuck Schauer, 212		
High Series: Garnett Puckett, 491; Chuck Schauer, 602		
Week of 3/15		
High Game: Ann Hoover, Jerry Emery, 231		
High Series: Jeanne Staphis, 491; Al Rosenbrot, 594		

SUN NITE LEFTOVERS 3-28-00 (Early)	W	L
Three Z's & Me	75	37
You're Up	69	43
The Jolly Neighbors	64	48
Our Aching Bones	63	49
Just Us	62	50
The Family Circus	60	52
The Gang	55	57
Marks & Misses	55	57
Head Pins	53	59
Bombers	52	60
The 4 Skins	51	61
North & South	48	64
Fourth Gear	47	65
Bowldozers	42	70
Sparetizers	42	70
High Game: Glenn Boyer, 287; Jody Wink, 237		
High Series: Glenn Boyer, 672; Jody Wink, 638		

SUN NITE LEFTOVERS 3-28-00 (Late)	W	L
Three Z's & Me	82	37
You're Up	73	46
Just Us	69	50
The Jolly Neighbors	67	52
Our Aching Bones	63	56
The Family Circus	62	57
The Gang	60	59
Marks & Misses	60	59
Bombers	58	63
Head Pins	55	64
The 4 Skins	51	68
Fourth Gear	49	70
North & South	48	71

Sparetizers	47	72
Bowldozers	45	74
High Game: Mark Nadeau, 235; Jody Wink, 240		
High Series: Glenn Boyer, 658; Jody Wink, 608		

## CHELSEA SUBURBAN - 3-22-00

3-D	125	78
Chart Hix	114	89
R.G. Scrapers	111	92
Flow Ezy	107	96
A & W	106	97
Vogel's Party Store	98	105
Creative Stitchery	93	110
James Bauer Const.	92	111
Gaul Painting	89	114
A&T Painting	82	121
Outcasts	68	135

High Game: Vicki Jensen, 219  
High Series: Helen Breis, 512  
Week of 3/15  
High Game: Patti Vogel, 220  
High Series: Deb Van Orman, 569

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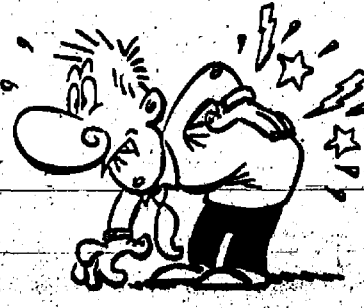
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## FIA

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"After they held the event, I talked to (police chief) Lenard McDougall to make sure the police had not had any unusual problems associated with the rally. He said they had no problems. I also asked the fairgrounds staff, and they said the cyclists left the grounds in better condition than before they came.

"It seems the only thing

destroyed was the misconception we can have of people," Beaumont said with a smile.

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**ELECTRONICS FIRM**  
• BOOKKEEPER: Suite books experience, full or part time, flexible hours.  
• CLERICAL: Computer literate, full or part time, flexible hours.  
• LIBRARY BENEFITS PACKAGE. Call for appointment: 734-429-7445.  
• AEC/ELECTRONICS Saline.

**GENERAL OFFICE**  
Needed full time in retail furniture store. Looking for service oriented individual with good clerical skills and a pleasant manner. Flexible schedule. Hours are some weekdays and some weekend days and some week day evenings. Apply in person at Englewood 2333 S. State St. Ann Arbor.

**OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR**  
needed for Ann Arbor non-profit. Five years experience in financial reporting, property management, and multiple staff supervision necessary. Degree in business or accounting a must. Competitive salary & benefit package offered. Please fax resume to 734-663-4515 or e-mail: Mike@epg.com

**REGISTRATION**  
Competitive salary, company paid health and retirement. Full time, dependable position needed for busy Ann Arbor office. Phone, computer, and misc. office duties. Experience required. Please send resume to:

BOX 5  
105 W. Michigan Ave.  
Saline, MI 48176

**SECRETARY**  
Part time, for local church. Seeking in office manager/secretary. Greeting the public, organizational & computer skills. For application send resume to: The Church of the Nazarene, 734-429-0000 or write to: Rev. Richard Hardy, 10425 Bathurst Church Rd., Manchester, MI 48158

**WEDDING PLANNER**  
Love people, use computer skills, never bored.  
Weiler's Banquet  
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**602-Medical/Dental**

**ASSISTANT MEDICAL COORDINATOR**  
Heartland Health Care Center-Ann Arbor, a state-of-the-art health care facility is currently seeking an Assistant Medical Coordinator to join our dynamic team. This is a full-time position 2:00-10:00pm. Heartland Health Care and Retirement Corporation (HCRC), we offer an excellent salary and benefit package including 401K, comprehensive medical insurance, paid holidays and vacations and more! Please send your resume to:  
Human Resources Manager  
Heartland Health Care Center  
4701 E. Huron River Drive  
Ann Arbor, MI 48106  
PH: 734-677-5857  
PH: 734-976-2600

**BUSINESS ASSISTANT/ MEDICAL ASSISTANT**  
Busy primary care practice needs business assistant to schedule appointments, complete referral, enter patient insurance information, and manage office files. Physician practice experience preferred, will consider training a highly motivated, hard worker with interest in Medical field. Fax resume to 734-712-1144; Melissa.

**CAREGIVERS**  
Springfield is a rewarding career opportunity! We have part time and full time caregiver positions available in senior retirement communities in Ann Arbor. Our Caregiver positions offer challenge, growth and the opportunity to make a difference.

Enjoy meaningful work in beautiful surroundings, competitive pay with benefits, flexible schedule, attendance bonus, paid time off, flexible schedules (ideal for students), weekly paycheck, plus much more!

**HEALTH CARE INNOVATIONS**  
1-800-728-7444  
EOE

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Mitchell Home Medical, HME, has an immediate full time position available for a CMN Processor/Receptionist. Responsibilities include obtaining prescriptions, general reception duties and filing. Friendly and personable a must. Experience is a plus. Wages based on experience. Excellent benefit package, including 401K. Send resume to: Mitchell Home Medical, 1111 Carpenter Rd., Ypsilanti, MI 48197. Attn: Chris Nelson.

**CNA SIGN-ON BONUS! WEEKEND PREMIUM!**  
Heartland of Ann Arbor is currently seeking CNAs for all shifts full and part time, 30 hours per week to qualify for excellent salary and benefits package. Apply in person or call:  
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Heartland Health Care Center  
4701 E. Huron River Dr.  
Ann Arbor, MI 48106  
Fax: 734-677-5857  
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**RECEPTIONIST CLERICAL**  
Immediate opening with benefits. Fax resume to Janet Ford at 734-662-8904.

**SANFORD'S MARKET NOW HIRING**  
Family owned neighborhood market now hiring for all positions. We offer flexible hours, friendly atmosphere, employee discounts and good pay. Please stop by between 12-4 p.m. to pick up an application or call (734) 975-8883.  
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In Murphy's Crossing  
734.944.6227

**DENTAL STAFF MEMBER**  
Needed for busy practice. Excellent communication and organizational skills. Dental experience helpful. Excellent benefit package. Full time. Call 734-666-0668 to schedule an interview.

**DIETARY AIDE**  
Position 11:00 A.M. to 7:30 P.M. & 6:30 A.M. to 3:00 P.M. Benefits, flexible scheduling and weekend days. Call Kim or Ann in Dietary. 734-429-9401.

**FAMILIES NEEDED FOR RESEARCH**  
Minimum four family members needed to participate. Two same sex siblings (one smoker, one never smoker) and one sibling may live outside local area. Each participating family member receives \$50. Call 734-753-9000, enter category 46311.

**Want to quit smoking?**  
Women smokers ages 20-35 who want to quit and have had at least one two-week period of abstinence are needed to participate in a paid study. You will receive free nicotine patch treatment and possible medication. Participants who complete the study will receive \$100. Call 734-753-9000, #5008.

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We're still growing and need more caring and skilled RNs, LPNs, and Home Health Aides for our clients in various areas. If you have excellent clinical skills and value patient contact, we offer excellent compensation and quality time with patients. Please submit application or resume to our corporate office at:  
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103 S. Jackson  
Jackson, MI 49201  
Phone: (617) 780-9500  
Fax: (617) 780-9700  
EOE

**MANAGER**  
Immediate full time position in medical office available with benefits. This administrative position requires management of the clerical office as well as maintaining financial records. Previous management experience required.  
Send resume to:  
Janet Ford  
958 W. Eisenhower Cir  
Ann Arbor, MI 48103  
or fax  
734-662-8904

**NORTHFIELD PLACE**  
Northfield Place has started a change for the year 2000. We are seeking an individual to work full time for a "Working Family Team". We are looking for a highly motivated, hard worker with interest in Medical field. Good benefits, and sign on bonus. Please call at: Spencer, Director of Nursing for an interview at 734-665-4431. We are located at North of Ann Arbor, US-23 at Whitmore Lake. We are an equal opportunity employer.

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Heartland Health Care Center  
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Ann Arbor, MI 48106  
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First Assembly of God  
14900 Old US-12, Chelsea  
(734) 475-2815  
The Rev. James Massey  
Sunday: Sunday School, 10 a.m.;  
Worship Service, 11 a.m.  
Wednesday: Bible Study, 7 p.m.

**Chelsea Christian Fellowship**  
337 Wilkinson St.  
(734) 475-8305  
John Dambacher, Pastor  
Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.;  
Worship Service, 10 a.m.;  
Evening Service 6 p.m.

**Baptist**  
Faith Baptist  
Faith-In-Action Bldg.  
Main St., Chelsea  
(734) 475-7841  
Jack Story, Pastor  
Sunday: Worship, 10:30 a.m., 6 p.m.

**North Sharon Baptist Church**  
17999 Washburne Rd., Grass Lake  
(734) 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 Catholic Church  
14200 Old US-12, Chelsea  
(734) 475-7861  
The Rev. Dr. William J. Turner  
Sunday Masses: Saturday, 4:30  
p.m., Sunday, 8 and 10 a.m.  
Weekday Mass: 9 a.m.  
Confessions: Saturday, 12-1 p.m.

**Church of Christ**  
Church of Christ  
13661 E. Old US-12, Chelsea  
(734) 475-8458  
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.;  
Worship Service, 10:30 a.m.;  
Evening Worship, 6 p.m.  
Wednesday: Bible study, 7 p.m.

**Stockbridge Church of Christ**  
4783 S. M-52  
(734) 851-3141 or (734) 851-4334  
Sunday: Bible classes, 10 a.m.;  
Worship Services, 11 a.m., 6 p.m.  
Wednesday: Bible classes, 7 p.m.

**Church of the Nazarene**  
Church of the Nazarene  
805 W. Middle St., in the Chelsea  
Retirement Community Chapel  
(temporarily)  
(734) 475-2528  
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  
(734) 475-8818  
The Rev. Dr. Jerrold Beaumont  
Sunday: Christian Education, 10  
a.m.; Services, 10 a.m.  
Wednesday: Services, 6:30 p.m.

**Free Methodist**  
Chelsea Free Methodist  
7685 Werkner Rd.  
(734) 475-1391  
Mearl Bradley, Senior Pastor  
Larry Lyons, Associate Pastor  
Mikel Henderson, Pastor of  
Youth Ministries  
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 (WELS)  
9575 North Territorial Rd., Dexter  
(734) 426-4302 or 426-8442  
The Rev. Mark Porinsky  
Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.;  
Worship, 10 a.m.

**Our Savior Lutheran**  
1515 S. Main St., Chelsea  
(734) 475-1404  
The Rev. Dale Grimm  
Sunday: Heritage/Communion  
Worship, 8:15 a.m.; Education  
Hour, 9:30 a.m.; Celebration Ser-  
vice, 10:30 a.m.; Evening Service,  
6:30 p.m.

**St. Jacob Evangelical**  
12501 Riethmiller Rd., Grass Lake  
517-522-4187  
The Rev. Paul Huebner  
Sunday: Sunday School and Bible  
Class, 9 a.m.; Worship, 10:15 a.m.

**Zion Lutheran**  
3050 S. Fletcher Rd., Chelsea  
(734) 475-8064  
David Hendricks, Pastor  
Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.;  
Worship Service, 10:15 a.m.;  
Communion Services, first and  
third Sundays of every month.  
Tuesday: Aerobics, 6:30 p.m.  
Thursday: Aerobics, 6:30 p.m.

**Methodist**  
First United Methodist  
128 Park St., Chelsea  
(734) 475-8119  
The Rev. Richard Dake  
The Rev. Peggy R. Garrigues-  
Cortelyou  
Sunday: Worship Services, 8:30  
a.m. and 11 a.m.; Sunday School,  
9:45 a.m.

**Manchester United Methodist**  
Church  
501 Ann Arbor Rd., Manchester  
(734) 428-8495  
The Rev. Dave Mulder

**North Lake United**  
14111 North Territorial Rd.  
(734) 475-7589  
The Rev. Wayne Hawley  
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.

**Salem Grove United Methodist**  
3320 Notten Rd., Grass Lake  
(734) 475-2370  
The Rev. Carolyn Harris and  
The Rev. Daniel Harris  
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.;  
Worship, 10:30 a.m.

**Sharon United Methodist**  
Corner M-52 & Pleasant Lake Rd.  
(734) 428-9430  
The Rev. Carter Garrigues-Cortelyou  
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.;  
Worship, 10:30 a.m.

**Waterloo Village**  
United Methodist Church  
Washington St., Waterloo  
George Dack, Minister  
Sunday: Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.;  
Worship service, 11 a.m. Country  
Breakfast second Sunday each  
month. All you can eat. Free-will  
donation to Building Fund.

**Chelsea Retirement Chapel**  
805 W. Middle St., Chelsea  
(734) 475-8633  
The 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  
(734) 475-1778  
Sunday: Sacrament, 9:30 a.m.;  
Sunday school, 10:50 a.m.; Priest-  
hood and Relief Society, 11:45 a.m.

**Non-Denominational**  
Baba's Faith  
705 S. Main St., Chelsea  
(734) 475-2718  
Monday: Devotional meeting,  
7 p.m.

**Chelsea Hospital Ministry**  
775 S. Main St., Chelsea  
(734) 475-1311

**Covenant Church**  
Anthony Dickerson, Pastor  
50 N. Freer Rd.  
(734) 475-2508  
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.;  
Morning Worship, 10:30 a.m.  
Communion first Sunday  
of every month.

**Immanuel Bible**  
145 E. Summit St., Chelsea  
(734) 475-8936  
Ronald W. Clark, Pastor  
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.;  
Worship, 10:45; Evening small  
groups, 6 p.m.  
Wednesday: Prayer Service, 7 p.m.

**Mt. Hope Bible Church**  
12884 Trist Rd., Grass Lake  
(517) 822-8182  
Joseph O'Neill, Pastor  
Sunday: Sunday School, 10 a.m.;  
Morning Worship, 11:00 a.m.;  
Evening Worship, 6 p.m.  
Wednesday: Prayer Fellowship, 7  
p.m.

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**DEXTER**

**Catholic**  
St. Joseph Catholic  
Fourth and Dover Streets, Dexter  
(734) 426-8483

**The Rev. Brendan Walsh**  
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  
3278 Broad St., Dexter  
(734) 426-8247  
The Rev. David J. Horning  
Sunday: Holy Eucharist, 8 a.m. and  
10 a.m.; Nursery and Sunday  
school, 10 a.m.

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(734) 426-4302  
Mark Porinsky, Pastor  
Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.  
Worship service, 10 a.m.

**Peace Lutheran**  
6105 Jackson Rd., Birchwood  
Plaza  
(734) 930-2324  
The Rev. Larry Courson  
Sunday: Worship 8:30 a.m.; AAL  
Meeting, 9:35 a.m.;  
Celebration, 11 a.m.;  
Prayer service, 7 p.m.

**Shalom Lutheran (ELCA)**  
1740 E. M-38, Pinckney  
(734) 878-8859  
The Rev. Kurt Hutches, Pastor  
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:15  
a.m.; Worship Service, 8 a.m.,  
10:30 a.m.  
www.shalomelca.org

**Methodist**  
Dexter United Methodist  
7643 Huron River Dr., Dexter  
(734) 426-9480  
The Rev. William Donahue,  
Senior Pastor  
The Rev. Fred Finzer,  
Associate Pastor  
Sunday: Worship, 8:30 and 11 a.m.

**Presbyterian**  
Covenant Presbyterian  
5171 Jackson Rd., Dexter  
(734) 781-1999

**New Life Christian Center**  
Call for Location  
(734) 475-1147  
Erik Hansen, Pastor  
Sunday: Worship, 11 a.m.

**St. Vladimir Orthodox**  
9900 Jackson Rd.,  
(734) 761-7311  
The Rev. Father Paul Karas  
Sunday and Holy Days: Divine Lit-  
urgy, English and Slavonic, 10 a.m.

**Presbyterian**  
Unadilla Presbyterian  
20175 Williams Rd., Unadilla  
Joh Qiu, Pastor  
Sunday: Sunday School, 10 a.m.;  
Worship, 11 a.m.

**First Presbyterian Church**  
On the Square in Stockbridge  
M-52 and M-106  
Sunday: Worship, 11 a.m.  
Communion and pot luck first  
Sunday of the month.  
Wednesday: Worship, 6:45 p.m.

**Quaker**  
Michigan Friends Center  
7748 Clark Lake Rd., Chelsea  
Isabel Bliss, Pastor  
(734) 475-9976  
Sunday: Unprogrammed meeting  
at 10 a.m., first Sunday of each  
month; all other Sundays,  
5:00 p.m.

**United Church of Christ**  
Bethel Evangelical  
10425 Bethel Church Rd.  
(734) 428-8000  
The Rev. Richard Hardy

**First Congregational-Chelsea**  
121 E. Middle St.  
(734) 475-1844  
The Rev. David Cleaver-  
Bartholomew  
Sunday: Church school, 8 a.m.;  
Worship service, 10 a.m.  
Nursery provided for  
10 a.m. service.

**St. John's (Roger's Corners)**  
12376 Waters Rd., Chelsea  
(517) 456-7881  
The Rev. Nancy M. Doty  
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  
(734) 475-2545  
The Rev. Dr. Orval L.E. Willmann  
Sunday: Church school for all  
ages, 9:15 a.m.;  
Worship service, 10:30 a.m.;  
Communion Service, every  
first Sunday of the month.  
Wednesday: Children's choir 6 p.m.

**The Rev. Mark Vanderput**  
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.;  
Refreshments 10:20 a.m.;  
Worship, 10:45 a.m.

**Non-Denominational**  
Christian House of Prayer  
9949 McGregor Rd.  
Between Dexter & Pinckney  
(734) 426-0933  
Paul McKelvey, Elder  
Ron Manner, Elder  
Sunday: Worship, 10 a.m.;  
Sunday School, 11 a.m.;  
Evening Service, 7 p.m.  
Thursday: Bible Study/Youth  
Group, 7:30 p.m.

**Dexter Gospel**  
2253 Baker Rd., Dexter  
(734) 426-4915  
John O'Dell, Pastor  
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.;  
Worship 10:30 a.m., 6 p.m.

**New Hope Christian Fellowship**  
2207 Jackson Rd., Ann Arbor  
(734) 761-7303  
Tim Wise, Pastor  
Sunday: Worship 10:30 a.m.

**Solo Community Christian and**  
Missionary Alliance  
1293 N. Zeeb Rd., Ann Arbor  
(734) 662-7351  
Steve Murray, Pastor  
Sunday: Worship service, 9 and  
10:30 a.m.; Jubilee adventure,  
10:30 a.m.

**United Church of Christ**  
St. Andrew's  
7610 Ann Arbor St., Dexter  
(734) 426-8610  
The Rev. Gary J. Kwiatek  
Sunday: Worship, 8:15 a.m.;  
Coffee time, 9:30 a.m.; Worship  
and Sunday School, 10 a.m.

**Webster United Church of Christ**  
6464 Webster Church Rd., Dexter  
(734) 428-5115  
The Rev. LaVerne M. Gill  
Sunday: Holy Communion, 8:30  
a.m.; Church School, 9:15 a.m.;  
Worship, 10:30 a.m.

If your church is in the Chel-  
sea/Dexter area and is not listed  
here, please call us  
at (734) 475-1371.  
Church Secretaries: We need  
information about your next  
week's activities by Friday.  
Thank you.

# DEATHS



**RAY ESCHELBACH**  
Chelsea

Age 86, died Saturday, March 25, 2000, at Cedar Knoll Care Center. He was born on Feb. 14, 1914, in Lima Township, the son of Albert and Mathilde (Schneider) Eschelbach.

He was received into God's Kingdom of Grace through holy Baptism on March 15, 1914, and confirmed on May 16, 1928, at Salem Evangelical Lutheran Church. He was very active in worshipping his Lord regularly. He was a life-time member of Salem Evangelical Lutheran Church.

On June 15, 1939, he was united in holy matrimony with Irene Strieter, and she survives. Ray is also survived by two sons, Glenn (Carolyn) Eschelbach of Saline and Garry (Chris) Eschelbach of Georgia; four grandchildren, Randy (Ann) Eschelbach of Canton, Rodney (Carrie) Eschelbach of Saline, Kimberly (Clint) Underwood of Georgia and Matthew Eschelbach of Georgia; two great-grandsons; one great-granddaughter; and one sister-in-law, Olive Schmidt of Ann Arbor. Ray was preceded in death by two sisters, Erma Hinderer and Irene Eschelbach.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, March 28, at Salem Evangelical Lutheran Church, Ann Arbor, with the Rev. Douglas Hartley officiating. Burial followed at Bethlehem Cemetery, Ann Arbor. The family received friends at the Cole Funeral Chapel Sunday and Monday, and at the church Tuesday. Memorial contributions may be made to the Salem Evangelical Lutheran Church.

## DONALD HAWORTH

Chelsea  
Age 64, died Tuesday, March 28, 2000, at his home. He was born Aug. 11, 1935, in Dexter, the son of John P. and Altrude A. (Thurber) Haworth.

Donald was united in marriage to Norma Lovelace on Aug. 20, 1955; she preceded him in death on Nov. 8, 1989. He then married Pat Luevano on May 14, 1996.

Donald was a member of the University Musical Society Choral Union for over 30 years, a member of Bethlehem Church for 40 years and sang with the choir. He worked for the U.S. Postal Service for 40 years, and received the Million Miles with Postal Service for safe driving award. Donald was also the chaplain for the Michigan Rural Letters Carriers Association for seven years. He loved nature, photography and traveling all over the world.

Donald is survived by his wife, Pat; children Margaret (Lloyd) Hafner, Debbie (Richard) Glasson, Diane (Wayne) Sutters and William (Kim) Haworth; grandchildren Kevin and Jennifer Hafner, Peter Pitzer IV, and William, Britany and Jonathon Haworth; brother David (Betty) Haworth; several in-laws; and nieces and nephews. He was preceded in death by his parents; and brother, Wayne Haworth.

Funeral services will be held Friday, March 31, at Muehligh Funeral Chapel at 11 a.m. with the Rev. Gregory Smith officiating. Interment will be in Arborcrest Cemetery. The family received friends at the funeral home on Wednesday and will receive friends Thursday from 1-4 p.m. and 6-9 p.m. Those wishing may make memorial contributions to Arbor Hospice, Bethlehem United Church of Christ or the National Wildlife Federation.

## MARY JEAN SALOW

Ann Arbor  
Age 71, passed away Thursday, March 23, 2000, at her home following a lengthy illness. Mary was born April 3, 1928, in Adrian.

On Jan. 17, 1950, she married Alvin Salow in Angola, Ind., and he survives. She was preceded in death by her parents, a brother, Dorman, and a grandson, Bryan Klapperich. Besides her husband, she is survived by a brother, David Hammond of Adrian; three daughters, Mary (Ted) Klapperich of Belhaven, N.C., Lori (Don) Cumberly of Ann Arbor and Dori (Butch) Gross of Dexter; and one son, Danny (Tina) Salow of Ann Arbor. She is survived by her six grandchildren, Cpl. Aaron Klapperich of MCAS Cherry Point, N.C., Brandi Klapperich James McNutt, Jacob Gross, Justin Gross and Sierra Birchmeier-Salow.

She worked as a cook at Dexter High School from 1976 to 1991, when she retired. Mary was fortunate to have celebrated her 50th wedding anniversary with family and friends in January. She was a

warm and caring wife, mother, grandmother and friend who will be greatly missed by her family and friends.

Cremation has taken place, and a private family service will be held. The family suggests that memorial contributions be made to the American Heart Association or a charity of the donor's choice. Arrangements by Hosmer-Muehligh Chapel, Dexter.



**EVELYNNE LOINE VENUS**  
Chelsea

Age 92, died Wednesday, March 22, 2000, at the Chelsea Retirement Community. She was born Nov. 10, 1907 in Detroit, the daughter of Herbert and Pearl (Odell) Smith.

Evelynne was a former member of the Royal Oak First United Methodist Church, and was currently a member of the Chelsea First United Methodist Church. She worked in the business office of Bell Telephone Co., was a church secretary and was active in social ministry.

On Oct. 6, 1935, she married Frederick G. Venus in Royal Oak, and he survives. Other survivors include one son, Richard Venus of Dayton, Ohio; one daughter, Virginia Fish of Arden Hills, Minn.; one sister, Rilla Smith; four grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and three nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by two brothers, James and Herbert Smith.

The family received friends at the Cole Funeral Chapel on Friday, March 24. A memorial service was held Saturday, March 25, at Chelsea Retirement Community, with the Rev. Richard Dake and the Rev. J. Gordon Schleicher officiating. Burial will be at Oakview Cemetery, Royal Oak. Memorial contributions may be made to Chelsea Retirement Community, Chelsea First United Methodist, or Individualized Hospice.

## DOUGLAS MYERS

Stockbridge

Age 57, passed away Friday, March 24, 2000, at his home. He was born on Aug. 5, 1942, in Potoskey, the son of Stewart and Helen (Whitaker) Myers.

Douglas had a great passion for horses, the rodeo and animals. He loved his family and had many friends, and will be missed by all.

He married Anita Aaron in Chelsea on May 14, 1977, and she survives; also one daughter, Heather Myers of Colorado; one brother, Dorn (Roxanne) Myers of Petersburg; two sisters, Jeanne (Charlie) Stapish of Chelsea and Sherry (Daniel) Johnston of Harbour Springs; one granddaughter, Amanda Sambrowsky; also many nieces and nephews, including a special niece, Wendy (Dan) Lukasik of Michigan Center; cousins; and his father-in-law and mother-in-law, William and Anna Aaron of Clinton. He was preceded in death by his parents and a sister, Bobby Ziegler.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, March 28, from the Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home in Chelsea. Burial followed a Oak Grove East in Chelsea. Visitation was held Sunday and Monday at the funeral home. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society.

## LAUREN CHRISTINE STOTLAR

Dexter

Age 6, died March 21, 2000. Lauren was born July 30, 1993, in Milwaukee, the daughter of Doug and Julie (Edmondson) Stotlar.

She was in Mrs. Susan Walsh's first-grade class at Cornerstone Elementary School in Dexter, and an active member in Brownie Troop No. 554, Dance Arts of Chelsea and Michigan Academy of Gymnastics.

## Local church hosts "Chriscendo"

North Lake United Methodist Church will host a special musical program Wednesday, April 5, at 7:30 p.m., featuring the traveling minstrel group "Chriscendo."

The theme of the program, which will feature compositions by John Pitney, is "Songs and meditations on a simpler lifestyle."

Survivors include her parents; sister Jackie; grandparents Jiff and Iris Edmondson and Clair and Jean Stotlar; aunts and uncles Jeff and Gail Stotlar, Michael Edmondson, Sharon Edmondson, and James and Sylvia Edmondson; and cousins David and Stephen Stotlar and Nicholas and Megan Edmondson.

A celebration of Lauren's life was held Friday, March 24, at the Dexter United Methodist Church, with the Rev. William Donahue officiating. Memorial contributions may be given to Cornerstone Elementary School Library. Envelopes are available at Dexter United Methodist Church, where the family received friends on Thursday, March 23. Interment was at St. Joseph Cemetery in Dexter. Arrangements by Bell-Borek Funeral home in Hamburg.



**HELEN L. BALMER**  
Chelsea

Age 85, died suddenly on Monday, March 20, 2000, at her home in Geneva, Fla. She was born Jan. 29, 1915, in Beaverton, the daughter of Gyra and Bertha (Rise) Crockett.

Helen lived in the Chelsea area since 1948. She attended the Community Church of God in Geneva, and the Village United Methodist Church in Waterloo. She was a member of the Farm Bureau, the Ladies Extension of Lyndon Township, and the Senior Citizens in Waterloo and Geneva.

On Oct. 3, 1937, she married Floyd E. Balmer in Beaverton, and he survives. Other survivors include three daughters, Barbara (Gary) Roderick of Chelsea, Marilyn (Lowry) Mansell of California and Irene (Teneth) Stafford of Ypsilanti; two brothers, Robert and Floyd Crockett; one sister, Viola "Babe" Roberts; eight grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by one daughter and four brothers.

A memorial service was held Tuesday, March 28, at Cole Funeral Chapel, Chelsea, with the Rev. George Dack officiating. Burial followed at Mt. Hope Cemetery, Waterloo. The family received friends Monday and Tuesday. Memorial contributions may be made to the Waterloo United Methodist Church Building Fund.

## JOSEPHINE ELIZABETH GROVES

Chelsea

Age 92, died Monday, March 27, 2000, at the Chelsea Retirement Community. She was born Dec. 4, 1907, in Troy, Ohio, the daughter of Kyle Bright and Sara Olivia (Dodge) Groves.

Josephine moved to Chelsea in 1991, coming from Ann Arbor. She had lived there since 1950. She graduated from Ohio Wesleyan University in 1929, and earned an MSS from Smith College in 1939. She was active in social work, both as a caseworker and in supervisory positions, until her retirement in 1972. She was a member of the Chelsea First United Methodist Church.

Josephine is survived by one niece, Jo Ann Broadwell of Ithaca, N.Y.; one nephew, Jon Groves of Dayton, Ohio; one great-niece and two great-nephews, David Hays, Elizabeth Wolf and Robert Hays. She was preceded in death by five brothers, George, Paul, Merrill, Jonathan and Benjamin, and one sister, Lois Winters.

A memorial service will be held Friday, March 31, at 3 p.m. at Chelsea Retirement Community, with the Rev. David Hays officiating. Burial will be at Riverside Cemetery in Troy. Memorial contributions may be made to Chelsea Retirement Community or Chelsea First United Methodist Church. Arrangements by Cole Funeral Chapel, Chelsea.

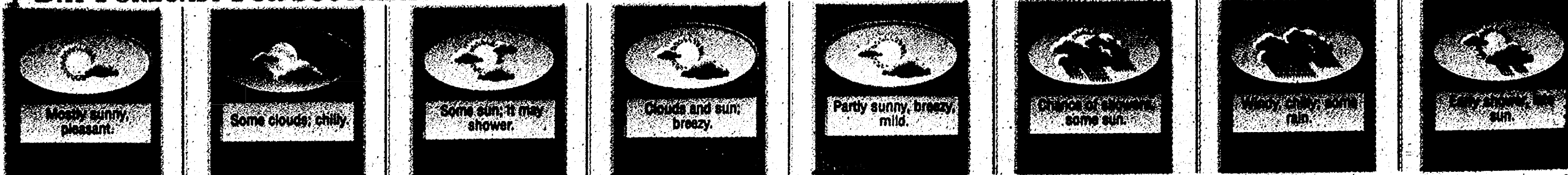
The hour-long worship experience will include music, readings, prayers and a few animals to liven things up, according to organizers.

There is no charge for the program, although a free-will offering may be taken to help the musicians with their traveling expenses.

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Grand Rapids	51 34 pc	51 36 c	55 42 c	63 44 c
Holland	48 36 pc	50 37 c	51 43 c	62 44 sh
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Kalamazoo	48 36 pc	53 36 c	57 44 c	64 44 c
Livonia	47 34 pc	50 35 c	51 41 c	62 43 c
Midland	47 34 pc	50 35 c	51 41 c	62 43 c
Muskegon	47 36 pc	50 36 c	50 43 c	60 43 sh
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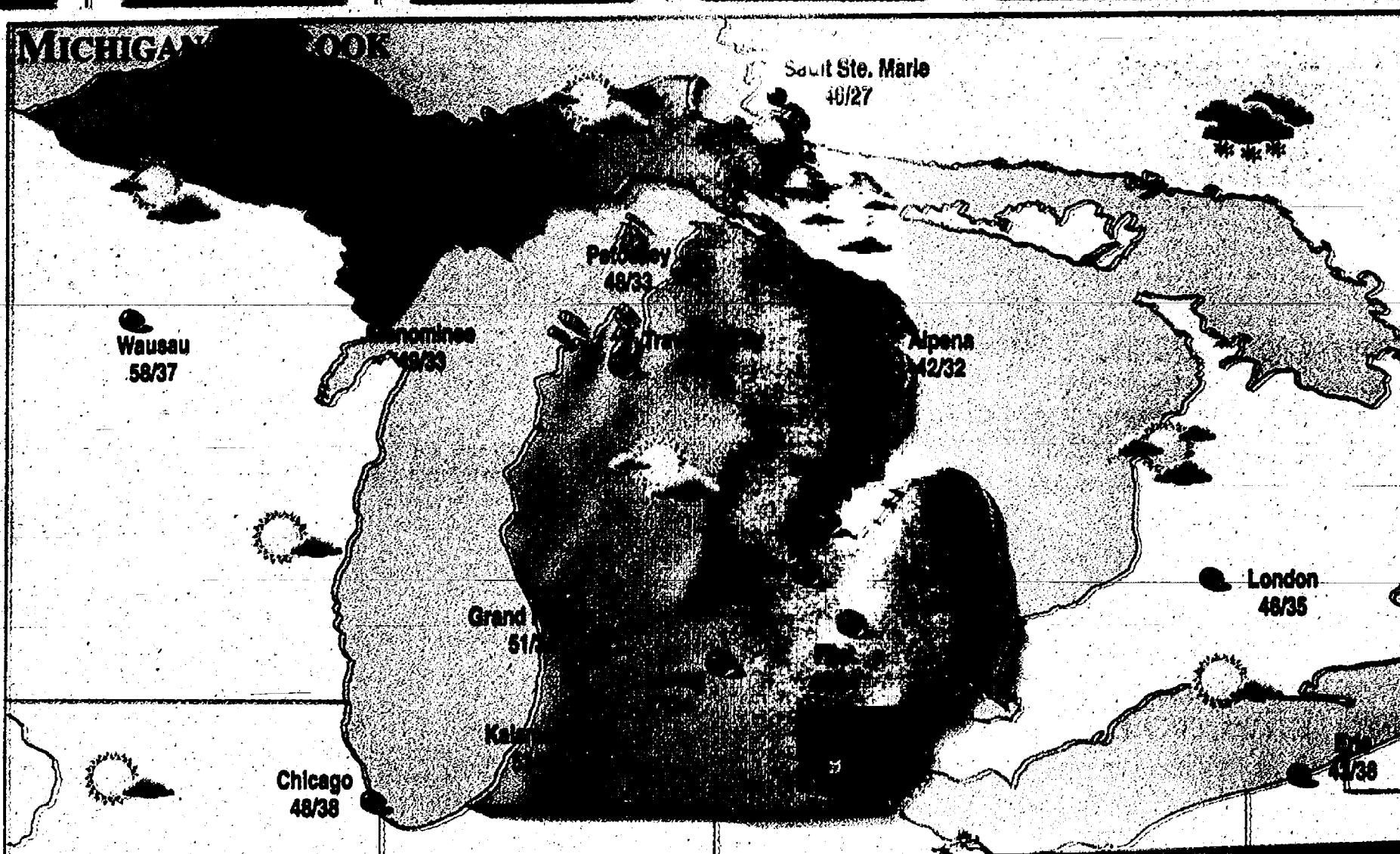
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Albany	72 48 c	74 46 pc	76 52 s	78 54 pc
Albuquerque	63 38 sh	68 37 s	73 42 s	73 38 s
Anchorage	62 35 sh	66 38 s	74 43 s	75 42 pc
Baltimore	64 47 s	60 37 c	67 31 sh	61 28 sh
Bismarck	59 30 c	57 35 c	57 31 sh	48 28 sh
Boise	60 36 s	64 39 pc	64 35 sh	47 33 sh
Casper	53 30 s	59 32 pc	62 29 c	53 26 sh
Cedar Rapids	58 37 pc	56 36 c	57 43 pc	61 41 i
Cheney	47 27 pc	65 32 s	60 30 s	53 26 sh
Cincinnati	60 29 i	58 39 s	66 38 s	60 36 sh
Cleveland	63 40 s	59 36 pc	63 40 s	73 50 i
Dallas-Ft. Worth	74 50 c	74 52 pc	76 54 s	76 60 pc
Denver	52 32 pc	61 36 s	67 37 s	62 33 sh
Des Moines	57 38 pc	58 37 c	59 40 pc	62 42 i
Eugene	68 41 pc	71 41 s	63 40 sh	53 39 sh
Fresno	74 48 s	78 48 s	82 48 s	88 48 pc
Garden City	53 42 pc	56 42 pc	57 44 sh	56 44 pc
Grand Rapids	58 34 sh	63 36 pc	60 37 s	64 37 i
Grand Junction	58 34 sh	63 36 pc	70 39 s	63 36 sh
Great Falls	60 38 s	61 35 c	57 26 sh	40 25 sh
Greely	50 30 pc	59 34 c	64 34 s	58 30 c
Houston	78 60 c	74 56 c	74 58 pc	76 60 c
Kansas City	60 40 c	62 42 pc	66 44 s	68 44 i
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Los Angeles	68 35 s	63 37 pc	67 38 pc	64 36 i
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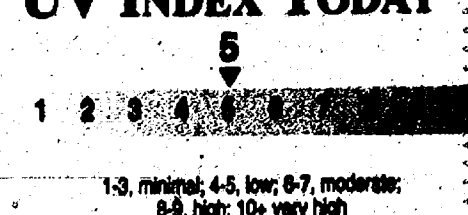


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Noon Wednesday	50

### UV INDEX TODAY



Friday	4 low
Saturday	4 low
Sunday	4 low
Monday	3 minimal
Tuesday	2 minimal
Wednesday	3 minimal

### SUNRISE/SUNSET

Sunrise Friday	6:17 a.m.
Sunset Friday	6:58 p.m.
Sunrise Saturday	6:15 a.m.
Sunset Saturday	6:59 p.m.
Sunrise Sunday	7:13 a.m.
Sunset Sunday	8:00 p.m.

### MOON PHASES

New	First	Full	Last
Apr 4	Apr 11	Apr 18	Apr 26
Moonset Today	3:48 a.m.		
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