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NEWS BRIEFS

Hospital group offers scholarships

Scholarships for area students are available from Chelsea Community Hospital Auxiliary. The hospital has applications available to students enrolled full-time in a health career program for a degree or certificate, residing in the hospital's service area. The scholarships are funded by such hospital auxiliary projects as book sales, raffles and bazaars.

Auxiliary scholarship applications can be picked up from the hospital information desk, inside the main entrance, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday-Friday. Scholarship awards are based on academic achievement, community involvement and an interest in health-care related higher education.

The deadline for applications is Friday, June 23. Personal interviews of the most qualified candidates will be conducted July 10. For more information, call the auxiliary office at 475-3913.

Bank offers night for relay teams

Teams and sponsors for the June 24-25 Relay for Life in Chelsea can make "deposits" at Chelsea State Bank on May 8 from 7:30-8:30 p.m., the first of two Bank Nights for the event.

The bank will take money teams have collected up to that point, and will also distribute T-shirts for each team. In addition, the bank will hold a meeting for team captains at 7 p.m., a half-hour before the Bank Night begins.

This year's relay will be held from 10 a.m. June 24 to 10 a.m. June 25 at the Chelsea High School track. Last year's event raised more than \$36,000. For more information on the Relay for Life, call Deanna Shackelford at (734) 971-4300.

State Police look for prison escapee

Marcus Allen, a 38-year-old inmate at the Huron Valley detention center, escaped while on work detail at the County Forensic Center on April 20. Allen was in prison for violating a previous parole by relocating to Ohio. He is described as a black male, 5'10", 190 lbs., and was last seen wearing a prison blues. Anyone with any information should call (734) 482-1211 or 482-1213.

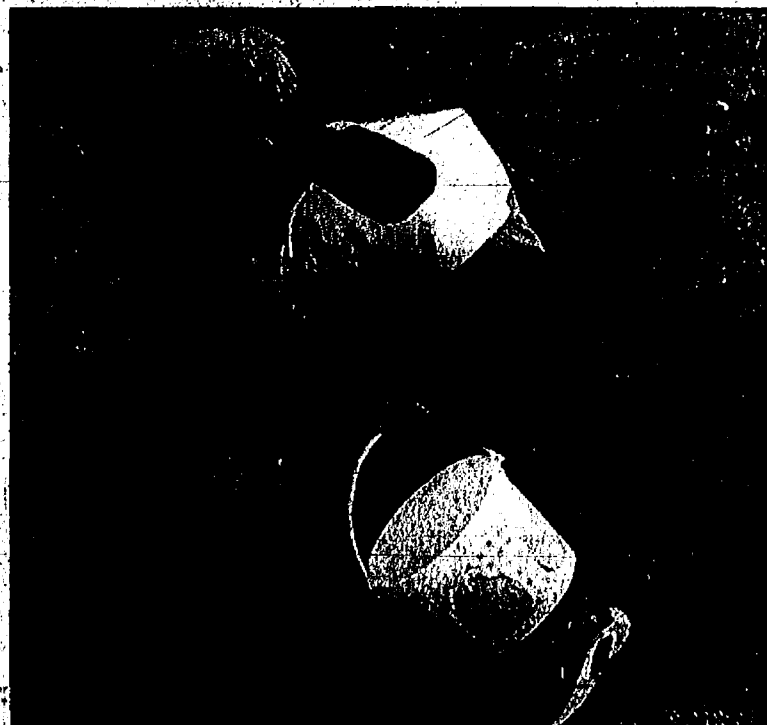
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Egg-citement



Spirits were high for the annual Easter egg hunt at the Chelsea Retirement Community last Saturday. The event, sponsored jointly by the Chelsea Kiwanis and the high school's Key Club brought youngsters from throughout the area for fun and prizes. Above, the hunt begins. At right, Max Wesley looks for special eggs.



Arbitrator sides with schools

Grievance on band director's reassignment still pending

By Jim Silver
Staff Writer

A dispute between Chelsea High School band teacher Bill Gourley and school district administration ended on April 5 with an arbitrator's ruling in favor of the school district.

The ruling settles a grievance arising out of Gourley's contention that he should receive greater remuneration as band director. But another griev-

ance, filed for Gourley's reassignment to a middle school history position, is still pending.

The decision rejected a claim by Gourley of "disparate treatment," which meant that the administration was basing pay for the band director on a different standard than other, comparable jobs. The grievance offered as proof pay levels in surrounding school districts.

But the arbitrator ruled that there were no jobs similar in the district, and that the pay scale in other districts was not a valid basis for comparison.

The decision also rejected an amendment to the original grievance, which also grieved the commingling of curricular and extracurricular duties.

That rejection came because the arbitrator found the amendment had not been filed in a timely manner.

The dispute between Gourley and the administration came to a head in July, when the district sent Gourley a letter compelling him to hold a band camp. Gourley said that the timing of the letter, coming a week before camp, made it

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Meap criticisms heard by board

Parents call for nurse for district.

By Jim Silver
Staff Writer

School nurses, parking lots and MEAP tests dominated the April 24 Chelsea school board meeting, but board members also touched on many other subjects during a lively evening at North Creek Elementary School.

The board also approved an extension of an agreement with the Downtown Development Authority, and salary level policies that included raises for 13 district administrators.

A discussion of the fifth-grade MEAP test for social studies kicked off a special presentation by North Creek Principal Sharon Whitmore. She had sent a sample test to board members before the meeting, asking them to try to complete the test before the meeting.

Whitmore then solicited the board's opinions on the test, which were largely critical. Several board members ques-

tioned the difficulty of some questions, in light of the test's intended fifth-grade audience. Others complained of the test's poor readability.

Board member Conrad Knutsen and President Scott Brosnar both pointed out ambiguities in the test, saying that the stringency of grading could determine scores on many questions, rather than the correctness of one particular answer.

Board Vice President Sandra Merkel also pointed to ambiguities in the questions.

"They sound like they were written by a college professor," she said, "and seem like they are supposed to be trick questions."

Barbara Brown, a fifth-grade teacher at North Creek, said that she found the test much too difficult, particularly questions on civics and economics, which covered topics far beyond a fifth-grade level.

Brown also said that the test given to board members was easier than the test students took this year, which in turn

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Leaf burning issue raises temperatures

Neighbors on Stofer and Forest courts continue to battle over leaf burning.

By Michelle Rogers
Associate Editor

Talks became heated last week at Dexter Township Hall as a couple dozen residents turned out to address the issue of open burning, particularly in the Forest Court and Stofer Court area off Werkner Road, where burning was recently banned by the Chelsea fire chief.

The burning of leaves in this section of the township has been an ongoing issue and recently came to a boiling point when the Department of Environmental Quality issued a warning to the fire chief for allegedly not enforcing the ordinance.

In a letter to Fire Chief Dan

Ellenwood dated March 30, Edward Lancaster, senior environmental quality analyst for the Air Quality Division, said he has received several complaints of excessive smoke in that area over the last two years.

Lancaster said he received a complaint March 27 of a nuisance situation where the complainant's home was being filled with smoke and it was affecting her asthma. He said he investigated and, two days later, found open burning of leaves and brush at two residences on Forest and Stofer courts.

"...these fires had been ongoing since Monday, March 27, an apparent violation of your township's own ordinance," Lancaster said in the letter to Ellenwood.

The township's burning ordinance allows open burning from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. as long as

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Planning commission approves Mitchell PUD

Funeral home and dwelling unit gets nod, ice rink approval delayed.

By Phil Keren
Special Writer

The Village of Chelsea Planning Commission approved a rezoning request for a proposed funeral home, delayed approval of an ice rink site plan and examined a conceptual site plan for a boundary change at its April 18 meeting.

The planning commission agreed to recommend that Village Council rezone the Staffan Mitchell funeral home property from Sylvan Township agricultural to Village Planned Unit Development (PUD). The funeral home property will be located along M-52 near Hickory Road.

The commission also recommended that some conditions be attached to

Village Council's approval of the rezoning. Among them, stipulations that the rezoning petition be approved for use as a funeral home and one dwelling unit related to the funeral home. The commission also stated in its resolution that the property could be converted to medical and dental offices, studios for professional work, professional offices, or executive offices.

Another condition dealt with future expansion; any additions to the building, parking lot or driveways must be made in the south part of the property. Prior to adopting the resolution, the commission made one small change to its list of conditions.

Acting on a suggestion from Council Trustee Frank Hammer, the commission agreed to delete the word "laboratories" from the list of alternative uses for the property. Commission Chairwoman Cathy Carter said that laboratories

might have uses that would be "inappropriate" for a residential area.

Medical waste and incineration were cited as examples of uses that would not be compatible with a residential area.

Commissioners also expressed reservations about having a facility that operated around the clock in a neighborhood. Laboratories often run 24 hours a day.

Carter said the PUD plan works well for each party. The developers have greater flexibility with setbacks and parking requirements, while the village has more control over any changes in the development. Once the site plan is in place, all changes must be brought to the village for approval.

After finding some significant problems with the proposed plan, the commission decided to delay action on approving the final site plan for the Arctic Coliseum of Chelsea.

Community planner Carl Schmult Jr. said some aspects of the plan needed to be corrected before the planning commission could give the project the green light. Schmult was particularly concerned about the proposed placement of a 10-inch sanitary sewer.

In the current plan, the sewer is placed in the right of way between the sidewalk and street curb. In his report on the site plan, Schmult said the proposed sewer placement would prevent the planting of street trees in that area, which are required in the right of ways.

Also, according to Schmult, the central driveway's entrance at the coliseum is too wide. Schmult said the added width should be tied to the exit, not the entrance. Additionally, Schmult said the proposed 40-foot-wide aisle in the northeastern corner of the parking lot is

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MEAP

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was easier than the test they took in 1998-99.

Whitmore said she found especially troubling the fact that students who otherwise did well academically seemed to have a harder time on the test.

"They come to us after the test and say, 'You didn't teach us this.' And that really hurts us as teachers."

Superintendent Ed Richardson pointed out that the test was "designed for failure."

"They don't set the standard for passing until they see what the results are," he said. "So we can only do as well as the state wants us to do."

Later in the meeting, Board Secretary Dayle Wright urged parents to discuss their MEAP concerns with the heads of the

House and Senate Education Committee in the state Legislature.

"If the teachers go to them, they think it's just teachers griping. But they will listen to parents."

During public input, Jennifer Kundak urged the board to consider hiring a school nurse for the district. Kundak cited a survey of school nurses, in which 98 percent said they had saved a student's life, and 82 percent said they had identified a child as a victim of abuse.

She also read a letter from a local mother, who said her son's allergy to nuts could have come to tragic results, and went on to say that a school nurse might lessen the chances of such incidents in the future.

In the letter, Laura Carey said that only her vigilance had kept her son from coming into contact with nuts in a classroom cookie-baking day,

and said a school nurse could keep teachers updated on the particulars of deadly student allergies.

Sue Gabbard told the board of a similar incident involving her daughter at a local preschool. She also emphasized the fact that a nurse might provide critical aid for a child in anaphylactic shock, giving doctors more time to act, if not actually saving a life.

Kundak closed by telling the board she hoped to find a way to ease the addition of a nurse to the district budget. To that end, she said she had been speaking with the Dexter school nurse, Aileen Kernohan.

Kernohan is set to attend a seminar of school nurses, including a workshop on funding options. Kundak said she would be speaking to Kernohan about budget concerns after that conference, and would bring back her find-

ings to the board.

The board then moved on to policy items, passing an agreement with the Chelsea DDA to set aside taxes for repayment of a DDA bond.

The agreement dates from 1990, and Richardson said the reapproval by the board is intended to address possible future changes in tax laws.

The board also passed policies to raise salary levels for district administration and support personnel by 2.25 percent, discussed at the March 27 board meeting.

The board approval also OK'd a step up in compensation levels for administrators, including all five Chelsea principals and directors of most branches of district services, including community education, and business and operations.

Ron Livengood, director of

operations and maintenance for the district, addressed the board during the discussion segment on a proposed parking lot in front of the Washington Street Education Center.

Plans for the parking lot would add 67 parking spaces for the facility, including four barrier-free spaces.

The Chelsea District Library, currently leasing

space at the Washington Street facility, has asked the district to build a front drive and parking lot. But Richardson said the plans were not centered on the library.

"We will need this lot if we use Washington Street for increased instruction space, and this will also relieve traffic, from cars stopping on the street."

BURN

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residents get a permit from the fire department ahead of time.

After the letter of violation was received, Ellenwood issued a ban on burning in the Stofer Road, Forest Court and Stofer Court areas. This did not sit well with Stofer Road residents who had not been involved in previous disputes over the issue. As a result of their comments at the Township Board meeting last week, Ellenwood agreed to drop the ban on Stofer Road, conceding that residents in that area have not been the target of complaints.

But the issue of burning continues to smolder for residents on both courts, as well as the fire department, which claims to have little power over this situation.

"All I can do is go by the law," Ellenwood said when some residents said they had a right to burn leaves on their property" then it must stop, have a major problem with all those oak trees, but you have to come up with a solution as neighbors."

Carrie Monosmith, district supervisor for the MDEQ's Air Quality Division attended the Township Board's meeting April 18. She said if open burning creates an "unreasonable interference with the comfortable enjoyment of life and property" than it must stop, regardless if a local ordinance permits it.

Monosmith said if open burning interferes with one person's quality of life, and there is no remedy at the local level, then the MDEQ can intervene.

"We've been receiving complaints from the neighborhood for a couple of years now," she said. "A couple of residents have asthma and it's affecting their quality of life and breathing."

"Your neighbors, who have real health problems, are feeling the effects right now. Believe me, you're breathing in things you don't want to be breathing in."

According to the MDEQ's literature passed out by Monosmith, open burning creates air pollution that can "irritate eyes and lungs, obscure visibility, soil nearby surfaces, create annoying odor and pose other nuisance or health threats."

In 1988, the Michigan Air Pollution Control Commission

adopted a resolution urging officials of all Michigan units of government to ban the open burning of leaves. The Solid Waste Management Act prohibits it in municipalities with more than 7,500 residents unless the local government has specifically adopted an ordinance allowing it.

Residents in the area have been divided over the issue for years. Township Supervisor Robert Tetens has helped facilitate neighborhood meetings to solve the problem but has not seen a resolution. One previous solution was to have the leaves hauled away and disposed of, but residents at the meeting said only a few people signed up and others continued burning.

Neighbors did seem optimistic, however. Many wanted to reach an agreement.

"I think we should all be able to get along as a neighborhood and help each other," said Scott Redmon, who lives on Stofer Road. "I think we as a community should gather together and contain this. I

propose we all get together and come up with a way to solve this and keep our neighborhood looking nice."

Some suggestions included restricting burning to a few times a year and composting.

Monosmith characterized the problem as a local issue, and said the state typically does not get involved. In this instance, she said her office had received several complaints. However, when pushed by the board and residents at the meeting, she could only find one documented source for a series of complaints.

Township Clerk Bill Eisenbeiser said he is concerned that one person can force the state's hand.

"My problem, sitting up here, is that I am hearing one person can control an entire neighborhood by saying they're bothered," Eisenbeiser said.

Forest Court resident Herbert Mida, however, said it's more than one person who is bothered by the smoke.

"Everybody seems to think it's one person, but let's get

away from that thought. It's a lot of people on Forest Court, and we all don't have asthma," he said.

Eisenbeiser also expressed his concern that there is no state standard to measure such complaints, a fact Monosmith confirmed.

"We don't have a standard for every open burning complaint in the state," she said. "There is not a standard way we handle every single one of these things."

The meeting ended with the neighbors agreeing to try to come to a resolution on their own. Meanwhile, Ellenwood has until today to notify the MDEQ in writing of an alternative method of solid waste disposal for the neighborhood.

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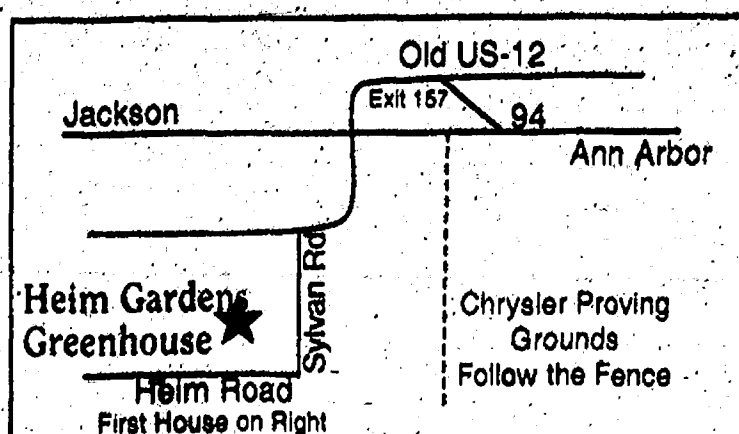
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RINK

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too wide. A 24-foot wide aisle would be adequate, he said. In light of these issues, the commission voted to delay approval of the Coliseum site plan until its May 2 working session.

In other news, the planning commission agreed to send a report on the boundary change for the Martin Merkel Property to Village Council. The study examined a 40.25-acre portion of the property which is proposed for annexation into the village. This area is currently part of Lima Township.

The 40.25-acre area is part of a 157.46-acre parcel that is being examined for a single family housing and condominium development. Based on an

estimated lot area of 10,000 square feet, the development is expected to have about 428 units.

The study also examines the impact such a development would have on the village's utilities, the school district's population and police services.

In the study, the Planning Commission recommends including the 40.25 acres in the village as long as certain conditions are met. According to Carter, locating an operating well for the property is one of the significant issues that Village Council needs to address before they act on the boundary change.

The commission says in its report that the annexation process should be delayed until the capacity of the new

well is proven, the cost of the iron removal system is ascertained, appropriate funding strategies are established and until the proper paper work is in place to allow for the expansion of the wastewater treatment plant.

The commission recommended that the area be zoned for single family residential and developed as a planned unit with the other pieces of land that have already been included in the village.

The village's single-family residential zoning classification allows for anywhere from one to four units per acre. Carter said that a planned unit development (PUD) allows the village to vary the density within the development. A PUD would clear the way for the creation of more open space

and possibly public areas that could serve as gathering places.

The commission also recommends that a traffic study be performed to assess the impact the development has on traffic flow. The 40.25-acre area is located north of Dexter-Chelsea Road. Carter said that a limited number of entrances are planned for the development, adding that the site plan has not adequately assessed what is needed to bring people in and out of the development. The small number of entrances was one of the concerns commissioners had when it examined the conceptual site plan for the 428-unit development.

They were also concerned about the number of units that were planned for the northeastern part of the develop-

ment, which contains wetland areas.

Commissioners also expressed a desire to have fewer cul-de-sacs and curved roadways.

Carter said plans for the development are in the early stages and noted that an official delineation still needed to be done to determine how

much wetland area is in the development.

Soil tests will also need to be performed to figure out whether certain portions of the land can be developed or not.

Village Council will have to deal with transportation, pedestrian and water issues before it executes the annexation.

GOURLEY

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impossible for him to comply.

A week later, when band camp did not occur, the high school officially reprimanded Gourley for insubordination. The reprimand was the cause for the grievance, filed by Gourley in August.

Following a second reprimand over band festival, Mead requested that Gourley be reassigned, and the district administration transferred the band director to the Beach social studies position.

The reassignment was grieved by the CEA, and is now wending its way toward a possible second arbitration.

The arbitrator's decision denied Gourley's original grievance, saying that he had violated his contract by not providing a band camp in the summer of 1999.

The second grievance, filed on Gourley's behalf by the teacher's union, is pending, and could still go into arbitration, although it would first be eligible for mediation.

John Groesser, the union grievance officer, said that that grievance was just going into level three of the process. He said the union would support mediation for the matter.

Dave Polley, president of the Chelsea Education Association, the local teacher's union, said the union does not expect this ruling to affect the second grievance. Groesser agreed, noting that the grievance "did not directly relate to the matter in the arbitration."

Guy Sands, Uniserve director for the Washtenaw Livingston Education Association, worked on the grievance when it reached arbitration.

He ruled out an appeal of the arbitration, which can only come as a result of misconduct by the arbitrator.

"I am happy with the way the arbitration was conducted, although I'm not happy with the results," Sands said. "At best, arbitration is a 50-50 proposition, and I've seen the best possible cases lose."

Superintendent Ed Richardson said that the district administration was pleased with the results of the arbitration. But he also said that he was sorry the dispute had gone to that level.

"I've told board members several times that a win isn't really a win and a loss isn't really a loss in these cases. I

hope this decision will be a springboard to better problem-solving."

To that end, Richardson said he would be proposing to the board and the teacher's union that grievance personnel from both bodies receive more dispute-resolution training.

The decision has left Gourley frustrated, since what he saw as volunteered time

and services became part of his job.

"This confirms something I learned in the army: you only volunteer one time," he said.

He also predicted that the decision could cool teachers' involvement in extracurricular activities.

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Imagine That!

The Beach Middle School Destination Imagination team, along with coaches Terry Butcher and Keith Kastella are headed to the global competition after winning the state finals in Mount Pleasant April 15. The winning team is, from left, front, Chrissy Widmayer, Cheryl Spencer and Kelly Butcher. Back, Kathy Drew, Kellor Kastella and Ryan Fark.

New sheriff's lieutenant named

■ Miller returns to investigations, while Radzik looks for new faces.

By Jim Silver
Staff Writer

Command positions in the Washtenaw County Sheriff's Department serving the west end of the county saw a staff change April 21.

With the retirement of Lt. Brenda Sutton from the Tactical Support Services command, Lt. Brian Miller took over her position. And Lt. Mike Radzik assumed Miller's precious command, western operations.

Sutton will be working at the Visteon parts plant in Saline, with former western operations Commander R.J. Smith. She worked with the sheriff's department for almost 20 years, ending her tenure as the head of the tactical support unit.

Miller started his career with the sheriff's department in the traffic unit in 1979, conducting investigations in fatal accidents.

Since then, he has worked throughout the county, coming to western operations and a first lieutenant in 1998, after a three-year stint as an operations supervisor in Ypsilanti.

He has also worked part-time for the medical examiner's office as a death investigator.

The command of the tactical support unit means that Miller will oversee the department's detective bureau, traffic investigations unit and marine division, among others.

The move is, in some ways, a return home for Miller, who spent much of his career at the sheriff's department central station, on Hogback Road, or in Superior and Ypsilanti townships.

"I've been all over the county, worked in every station. Now, I'm going back to sheriff's HQ."

Miller says he especially welcomes the return to detective bureau, where he worked from 1989-95.

"The investigations process has been an integral part of my career," Miller said.

Nevertheless, Miller said, he would miss western Washtenaw County, and enjoyed the time he spent here.

Radzik started his sheriff's career in 1981, taking a break from 1984-85 to work with Pittsfield Township Police. He comes to western operations from command of contract townships Ypsilanti and Superior.

"I was dealing with a small area (of land) but a large population and staff (in eastern operations)," Radzik said. "Here, I'll have to look at a much larger geography, but smaller contract areas."

Radzik has worked as a detective and in the narcotics division for the department, and spent 1994-95 running a gang enforcement unit in West Willow Run.

His career until now has kept him in Ypsilanti and the surrounding area, so he said that he is looking forward to a new environment and a change of scenery.

"My focus has been on community policing, and out here, it is drastically different from Ypsilanti."

CCH Palmer scholarships available

Chelsea Community Hospital's A. A. Palmer Medical Scholarship applications are available to qualified Chelsea High School graduates beginning May 1. Applicants must be enrolled full-time as a pre-med student. The scholarship is based on academic achievement, community involvement and a sincere interest in higher education in the healthcare field.

The A. A. Palmer Medical Scholarship was established in 1972 by a group of local physicians as a memorial for Dr. Palmer. The scholarship is funded from the Chelsea painters June art fair held on the hospital campus.

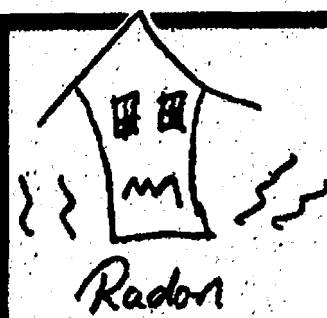
Palmer was born and raised in Chelsea and graduated from the University of Michigan Medical School in 1917. After serving in the Army at Walter Reed Hospital, he joined the medical practice of his father, Dr. George Palmer, an 1877 U of M graduate. They shared an office on East Middle Street and operated a small hospital on Park Street. A. A. Palmer dedicated his entire career to the health care of the Chelsea Community.

Scholarship applications will be available May 1, and may be picked up at the hospital information desk at the main entrance. A volunteer is on duty 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday.

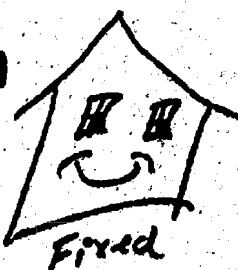
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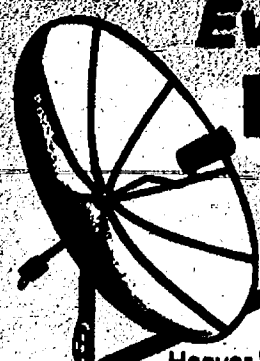
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Lissa Locker, a seventh-grader at Beach Middle School and dancer with the Dance Arts Performing Ensemble, shares the inner workings of a pointe shoe with Grass Lake kindergartners.

Dance collage program on tap at Chelsea High School

Dance Arts Performing Ensemble, a 70-member dance company based in Chelsea, will be hosting "Dancer's Collage" Sunday, April 30, at 4 p.m. at the Chelsea High School.

A mixed bag of jazz, hip-hop, modern, ballet and tap will showcase the talents of dancers from throughout the area. Student choreographers include CHS juniors Melissa Adams and Kaitlyn Kooyers. Guest choreographers include Tony Randazzo, former principal dancer of the San Francisco Ballet and the Rutledge Repertory Dance troupe. Special staging effects, fabulous costumes and the skills of

the area's top dancers will highlight this second annual show.

Tickets are available at the Chelsea Pharmacy and Dancer's Boutique, as well as at the door one hour before the

performance. A silent auction of goods and services will be held from 2 p.m. - 3:15 p.m., with the Chelsea House Orchestra performing during the orchestra and intermission. Ticket prices are \$10 for

adults and \$7 for students and seniors. For more information call 475-3070.

Chelsea High School student part of international symphony

Alyce Barnes of Chelsea will be one of nearly 400 Blue Lake Fine Arts Camp musicians performing internationally this year.

Barnes, a flutist with the Blue Lake Symphony Band, will tour in Europe. Students from Blue Lake are expected to perform in Austria, Belgium, Denmark, France, Germany and The Netherlands during June and July. In return, 11 European groups will visit Michigan later in the summer.

Barnes is a junior at Chelsea High School.



Alyce Barnes

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Library seeks McKune bids

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Prior to requesting a bond from the voters, the library will engage an architect to assist in the design and creation of an overall building project and budget.

Once the library architect is selected, and an initial layout is drafted, the library will host a public forum. The library board will be asking for public input in the development of the design that will blend well in its surroundings, and that can best meet the expectations of taxpayers in the library district. The library board encourages participation in the public forum. More information about that meeting will be announced in the next few months.

The "Invitation to Bid" will be issued to architects May 1. Proposals are due to the library by May 29.

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Between the age of 7½ to 10, he should have four permanent incisors in front as well as a primary canine, first and second molar, and a permanent 6-year molar on each side. This gives him a total of 12 teeth in each dental arch.

By the time he's 12, he should have lost the primary (baby) molars. The permanent premolars should have worked their way through his gums to replace them. So should the permanent canine teeth. The last step is for all four 12-year molars to emerge behind the 6-year molars. This should happen between the ages of 11 and 13.

There is no exact "date" when all permanent teeth should be in. But there is a normal schedule of events. If your child is not "on schedule" there may be a problem. You'll need a dentist's help to correct it.

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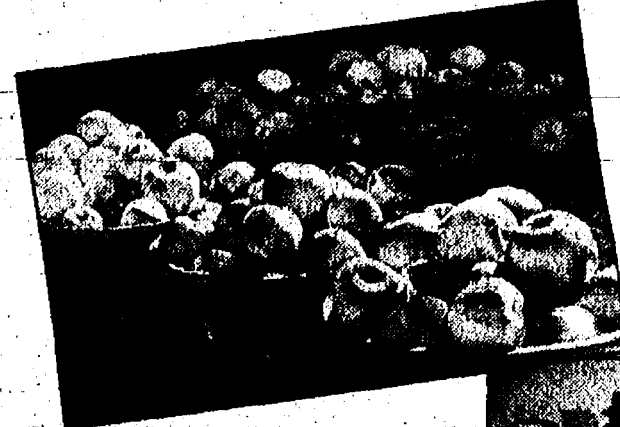
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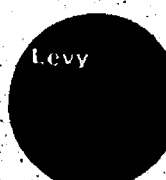
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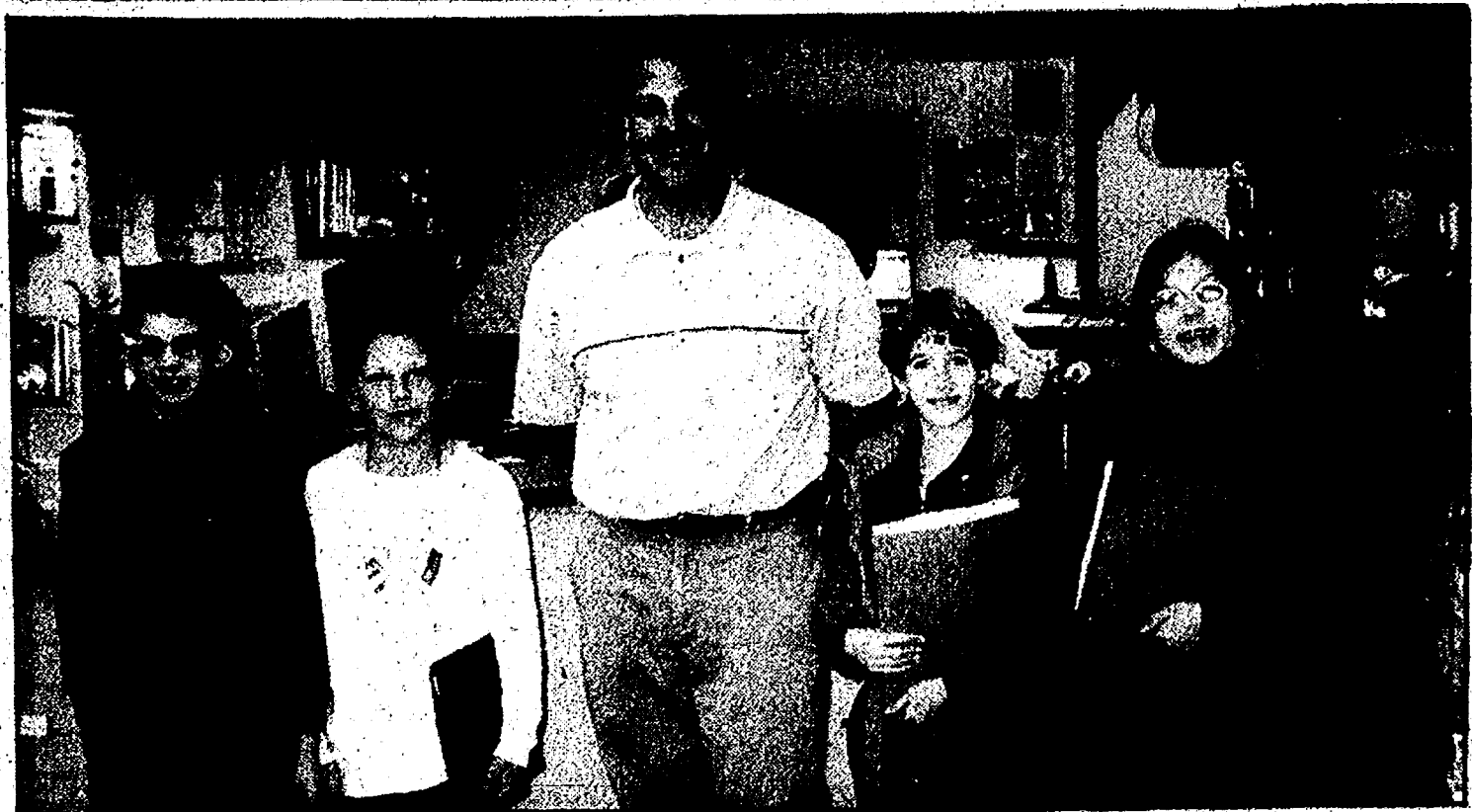
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Students from Karen Henry and Crystal Heydlauff's third-grade classroom traveled to Heydlauff's Appliances and Electronics Store this week as part of the Interview Chelsea business project. Pictured from left are Todd Kruse, Jeff Picklesimer, Steve Heydlauff, Staphanie Everard and Arielle Alexander.

Board OKs two appointments

■ **Dexter Township supervisor fills seats on planning commission, zoning board.**

By Michelle Rogers

Associate Editor

Dexter Township Board approved two appointments last week.

James Gorenflo was named to the Dexter Township Planning Commission. He succeeds Ralph Rumsey, who stepped down last month after 15 years on the commission. Gorenflo will serve the remainder of Rumsey's term, which ends Dec. 31.

Steve Burch was appointed to the Zoning Board of Appeals. He will serve in a two-year term that has been vacant since last December. A three-year term and a two-year alternate seat remain vacant.

Of nine potential candidates, three were selected for interviews by a committee that included Township Supervisor Robert Tetens, Planning Commission Chairman John Gillespie and two members of the commission.

Gorenflo has been an area resident for many years, settling in Dexter Township three years ago. He has a bachelor's

degree in natural resources and wildlife management from the University of Michigan and a master's degree in landscape architecture. Gorenflo works as the director of land development for Wexford Homes.

"I believe that his educational background and professional experience make him uniquely qualified to serve on the planning commission at this particular time," Tetens said in a memorandum to the Township Board. "He is already familiar with both the existing and proposed Dexter Township zoning ordinances, as well as many of the issues that are likely to be brought to the planning commission table in coming months."

Tetens said Gorenflo understands open space zoning, cluster housing and issues related to environmentally sensitive design.

"I also believe that his exposure to zoning ordinances in other communities can provide insight regarding techniques that have proven successful elsewhere," Tetens said.

Burch has lived in Carriage Hills subdivision for nearly a decade. He has a degree in engineering and is currently employed as an electronics technician for the FAA at

Metro Airport. In addition, Tetens noted that Burch has an interest in building and has pursued additional training and education to acquire a builder's license.

"I believe that his enthusiasm and expertise, particularly his recent exposure to the building standards and codes, would be a welcome addition to the Dexter Township Zoning Board of Appeals," Tetens said about Burch.

Twp. approves road projects

■ **Township to do dust control, seal coating.**

By Michelle Rogers

Associate Editor

It's that time of year again. With the change from winter to spring, many local road projects will be getting under way soon. And Dexter Township is no exception.

The Dexter Township Board has allocated \$52,000 in its budget to be spent on roads this year. The county will kick in a little over \$14,000. The total amount is down a quarter from last year's \$89,000.

Last week, the Township Board voted to approve \$63,774 worth of work, ranging from dust control to seal coating and upgrades to Huron River Drive. The Washtenaw County Road Commission has identified potential township road projects totaling \$162,000.

The Huron River Drive project is contingent on Webster Township's participation. It includes removal of the roadside berm, limited ditching, shaping of the existing road and putting down limestone along Huron River Drive, from North Territorial to Walsh Road.

If Webster Township officials decline to participate, Dexter Township Supervisor Robert Tetens has recommended the board instead upgrade Madden Road

at a cost of \$29,200. Work includes removal of the roadside berm, grader ditching, shaping the existing surface and adding limestone.

A total of \$18,324 will be spent on dust control across the township. Plans call for three coats of brine on gravel roads. Tetens said the number of treatments is up from 1998 when just two coats were applied.

Four local roads will be seal coated to extend the life of the pavement. A total of \$18,500 will be spent upgrading paved roads in local subdivisions.

Plans call for seal coating on Stofer Road at Stofer Court; Huron Creek Drive at Huron Creek Court; Alice Hill Drive; and Stonehedge Drive off of North Lake Road.

Tetens said the seal-coating projects are of a higher priority than gravel road improvements because they postpone additional investment by the township and serve higher density developments. He also pointed out that the township did only one seal-coating project last year. That was in Carriage Hills subdivision.

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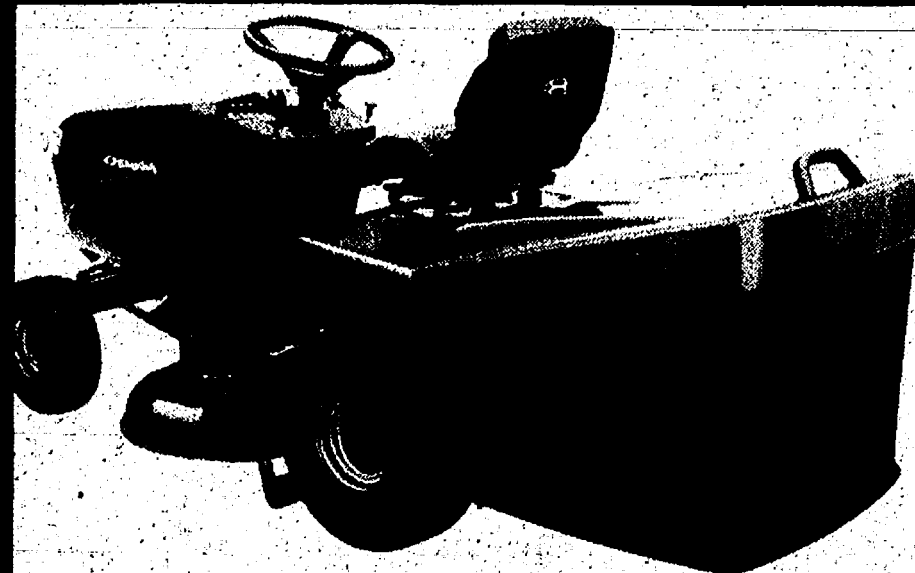
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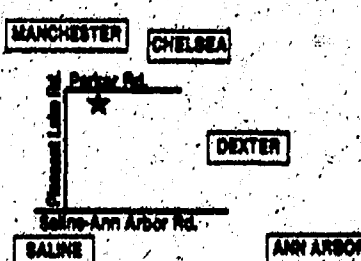


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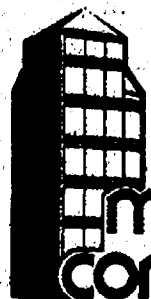
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Dredging requires permit

The Department of Environmental Quality reminds Michigan residents that dredging in the Great Lakes, inland lakes, streams and wetlands requires a permit.

The DEQ is responding to numerous contacts from marina and riparian owners who are faced with the need to dredge to reach water deep enough for navigation due to low Great Lakes water levels this spring.

In addition to the necessary permit, the agency reminds residents that sediment testing is required in most instances, and that the normal dredging restrictions have only been relaxed under very specific conditions where suspended sediments can be isolated.

Applicants are generally required to complete sediment testing to determine if the material to be dredged is polluted. Test results will de-

cide if there are special disposal or handling requirements for the dredged material. There are limited exemptions to the testing requirements for small dredge volumes in known areas to have low potential for polluted sediments.

Most areas of the state have times when dredging may still be allowed during these items if water containing suspended material from dredging operations can be contained. Dredged projects in canals and upland marina basins are examples of areas where suspended material can be contained with appropriate "Best Management Practices."

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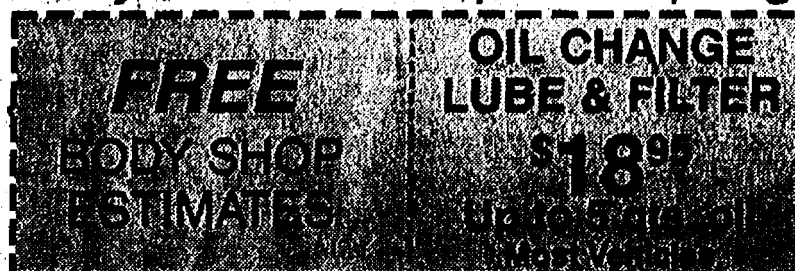
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Michigan University. You must call the secretary of the Summer Symphony for excerpts and a scheduled audition time. Auditions begin April 29 and run three consecutive weekends through May 14. The phone number is (734) 741-9418.

Repertoire includes works by Vaughan-Williams, Schumann, Weber, Brahms, Honnegger, Debussy and Tchaikovsky. One of the highlights will be performance of the Brahms Piano Concerto No. 1, played by Dickran Atamian in August, and the Concerto Concert, where one of the group's musicians will earn the opportunity to perform with the group in July.



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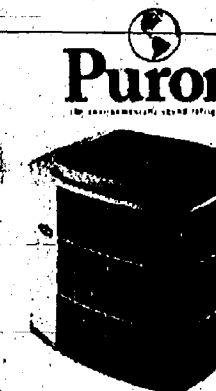
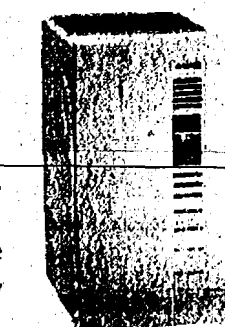
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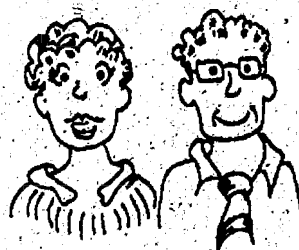
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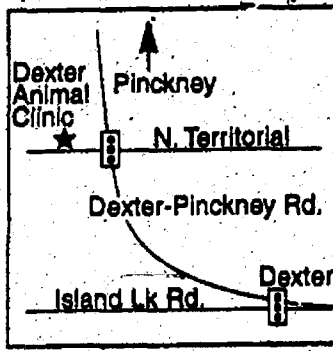
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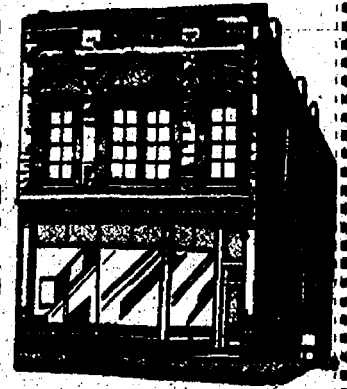
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Early rains, good weeding practices aid gardens



CHARLENE HARRIS
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GARDENS & NATURE

The much-needed rains have brought forth a bounty of spring blooms. The early rains play an important role warming and oxygenating the soil. As water seeps through the air spaces in the soil, it draws air behind it, bringing fresh oxygen to the root zone of the plants. Care should be taken to avoid working with soil that is too saturated, or compacting the soil when planting or after work by foot traffic.

Landscape fabrics that are intended to reduce weed seeds from germinating in the soil may diminish the flow of water and decrease the amount of oxygen reaching the root zone. Additionally, it is more difficult to pull the carrot-like roots of a dandelion through the fabric. Dandelion seed drifts for miles in the air.

It is an added cost that can be eliminated, particularly if your garden increases in size or changes over the years. The same applies to the edging materials that are intended to separate your garden beds from the grass area. A few years ago, I found some old plastic edging in the middle of the bed while planting. It was more than six feet inside the current edge of the bed.

Grass and weed seeds are dispersed by the wind and the birds, and planted by rodents. In our rural garden, seeds drift in on the wind from the

fields and woods around us. Plus squirrels, chipmunks, and the birds we enjoy frequently deposit their contributions throughout our garden. I find weeding is good therapy and a relaxing relief from the stresses of the day.

It helps to plan your beds so that you can easily reach all areas to mulch, weed and water. On average, it is easy enough to reach about two feet in all directions, from a crouching, kneeling, or sitting position. If your area is wider, add stepping stones. This helps you avoid compacting your soil while working in the area.

Many perennials would do better with a bit of shade in our late summer heat. Consider adding a small tree to afford some shade to the bed. Here are two of my favorite small trees for anchoring a garden bed:

Serviceberry (*Amelanchier canadensis* or *Amelanchier laevis*) is often a multi-trunked tree. There are several native North American serviceberries, the two mentioned are most commonly available and grow well in our area.

In addition to their white flowers in spring, their edible berries form early in summer and are a favorite of birds. Early settlers used the berries in pies, puddings and muffins. They grow well in full sun to partial shade, and are understory trees in our woodland areas. They adapt well to a variety of soils and are often found in oak and hickory forests that are on the dry side.

In fall, the serviceberry's leaves turn brilliant shades of yellow, red and orange. In recent years, several cultivars have been selected and are available at nurseries. Selections have been made for

flower size, the tree's shape and size, and autumn color. It is generally a small tree reaching 25-50 feet depending on the selection. Larger specimens may be found in the forests and viewed in arboreta.

Another favorite, the eastern redbud (*Cercus canadensis*), has a distinct heart-shaped leaf. The bright pink-purple flowers appear on the tree's branches before the leaves come out.

In the wild, it is frequently found at the edge of the woodland. This native eastern U.S. tree has adapted well in our landscapes. It is frequently planted in combination with white blooming dogwoods (*Cornus*) and serviceberry. The flowers of the redbud have an acid taste. They were report-

edly used by settlers in salads and for making pickles.

The tree is adaptable to full sun or light shade and is relatively fast growing. It is best to plant this tree in a smaller size and allow it to grow in place. Redbuds can reach 25-35 feet tall and are frequently as wide. A large specimen in Wayne is reported to have reached 66 feet tall with a crown spread of 64 feet. In autumn, the tree turns brilliant yellow.

There are also white flowering varieties of redbud available. A purple leaf variety of redbud, *Cercis canadensis* or "forest pansy," originated in Tennessee. I've twice grown the redbud forest pansy and both times lost the tree to disease within a few years of planting it. Others I know have had a similar experience.

had a similar experience.

When selecting your tree, it is wise to check the tree's origin. Since these trees are native from the northeast to the southeast of the United States, the adaptability, hardiness and health of your tree can depend on its genetic origin.

The origin of the tree is referred to as its provenance.

A tree, or seed, from a milder climate may not survive in Michigan's cold winters and hot summers. The tree may become stressed and succumb more easily to diseases.

Garden club hits 70 years

The Ann Arbor Garden Club will bring its 70th anniversary celebration to a close with its annual dinner for members and spouses at 7 p.m. Friday, April 28, at Barton Hills Country Club. Several past presidents will be honored at the event.

Annie Hannan will present a program entitled "Gardening and All the Rest." She will discuss container gardening, small spaces, vertical gardening and wild flowers.

Recently, several club members attended the Federated Garden Clubs of Michigan District 11A Spring Meeting at Matthaei Botanical Gardens. Jane Dye received a life membership certificate, and the National Council Award for Distinction was presented to Alfa Colley.

Club publicity chair Rosann Morrow, received the state publicity award.

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Local poets bring talent, emotion to entries

Winners of the Chelsea Library Poetry Competition were announced at a ceremony Wednesday, April 12, at the Chelsea library.

Poems were judged in four categories based on age, elementary school, middle school, high school and adult. Top winners in all four categories were awarded monetary awards, donated by the Little Professor Bookstore, a co-sponsor of the competition. The contest saw 342 poems entered overall. There were 92 entered in the elementary age group, 47 from middle schoolers, 137 poems from high school students, and 66 entered by adults.

At the elementary school level, six poems were awarded honorable mention: "Sleep and You Will Dream," by Carolyn Paul, home schooled; "The House on Maple Street," by Megan Emberton, Pierce Lake; "Planets," by Liz Spencer, Pierce Lake; "The Great Day," by Christina Coffman, North Creek; "Beauty," by Sarah Patrias, Emerson; and "Galaxy," by Nikki Hastings, South Meadow.

At the middle school level, first place went to Lydia Aikenhead, for "Moon Beam;" second place poem was "Sanctuary," by Angela Wonders; and third place winner was Amelia Klock for "Social Status." Honorable mention went to Jenneva Scholz, Lindsay Cook, Jessi Davis, Trevor Bach and Ashley Houle. All winners attend Beach Middle School.

High school winners were "Dream in Watercolor," by Sarah Eisenberg, in first place; "Papa," by Devon Kies, in second; and "The Race," by Julie Mida, in third. Honorable mention went to Molly Tamulevich, Jeny Steiner, Brian Schiller, Jenny A. Parker, Jessi Ott, Nate Wisman, Caitlin Paul and Stephanie Hanna.

Judges for the contest will receive a gift certificate from one of the following local businesses: Mancino's, Chelsea Market, the Common Grill or the Chelsea Center for the Development of the Arts.

Elementary Honorable Mentions

"The House on Maple Street" by Megan Emberton
See the house on Maple Street?
Walk around the corner, until you meet...
Guards standing at a big iron gate,
Ask if you can go in and then wait...
For the replies of the guards,
If they say no, spank them hard.
If they say yes, walk in and give your regards...
Then you will come to a big wooden door.
Knock once then twice then even more...
A maid will open it her name is Joan,
Come right in, make yourself at home...
Next a butler comes to you,
He'll take off your coat, his name is Hugh,
Then you'll come across the owner.
Miss Agatha K.L. McCloner...
Next the maid offers some stew,
I say I'd rather have something to chew...
Then she offers me some bread,
I ask her if she has some kind of spread...
She takes out a jar with green stuff inside,
It looks like some sort of pesticide...
I take it (I don't know why),
"Good" is the maid's reply...
It disappears, PUFF!
Then the butler takes me to my room,
There are no stairs, he says we'll use the broom...
He tells me to sit behind his rear,
Then we appear...
In a beautiful place,
A room with a featherbed, a dress-

ing table and a clock just in case...
A lady in waiting is sitting on a chair.
Her name is Rora, with long flowing hair,
Then I said I'd like to change,
Rora said, "The clothes are in the wardrobe there is a very big range..."

When I opened the wardrobe the clothes came flying out at me,
There were so many clothes, I couldn't count them, but I think there were twenty-three...
The shirt of the clothes I wore was a beautiful deep-sea blue,
But the pants of the suit were a lovely yellow hue...
Then I went downstairs again though it was nearly night,
And when I got down, I saw Miss Agatha and Joan in a fight...
And then I said, "Please do not fight,"

I just think it is not right...
Miss Agatha said, "How dare you interfere!"
NOW YOU GET OUT OF HERE!!!
And that was the house on Maple Street, a beautiful creation,
But maybe it was just a figment of my imagination...

"PLANETS"

by Liz Spencer

MERCURY
I am the fastest planet in the solar system.
I could win any race.
I am burning hot, not quite the vacation of your dreams.

VENUS
I am hot, maybe hotter than Mercury!
So metal watch out.
Why was I named after the goddess of love?

EARTH
I'm gentle and kind, the only planet that contains life.
I have water, land and O2.
My climate is weird, three different zones.

MARS
I'm red yet not bloodthirsty.
Simply rusting away.
Does anyone care, NO!

JUPITER
I'm the largest of planets, yet still
Have something special
My Great Red Spot.

SATURN
I have 18 moons tangled in my beautiful rings.
I might have more, but I'm not sure
So I say 18, no more.

URANUS & NEPTUNE
We are sister planets, both of us are blue.
I, Uranus, have 11 thin rings running from top to bottom.
I, Neptune, have faint rings running from side to side.

PLUTO
I'm the smallest, the slowest and the coldest.
What good am I?
I'm nothing in this universe, nothing in this solar system

"The Great Day"

by Christina Coffman

Oh what a great day
Oh what a great day
Today is the day
that I got an A
A girl said "hey"
What did you get?
When I told she was not happy Not one little bit.
I got an A
She got a B
As you can see
Oh what a great day
Oh what a great day
Today is the day
that I got an A.

"Beauty"

by Sarah Patrias

How do birds know the directions?
Maybe someone calls them
From the south.
How do they know when to come back?
If its so warm
Where they are
How do they know
When its warm here?
How do trees know
When to grow their leaves back?
Why do they lose them
In the first place?
To show us pretty sights
During the winter, maybe.

For change
For beauty
Answers to these questions
We may never know.
But for now,
Enjoy the winter
Spring is coming.

"Galaxy"

by Nikki Hastings

Deep into the universe
is a giant bowl of stars.
Swarming closer and closer
together like fire flies. Twirling into
the bright light. You feel a deep
urge and get sucked in. All around
you are stars, billions and billions of
stars! They sparkle like a
glazed doughnut. Then
you get plopped out.
You see the same thing
again. There's just
one difference
They sparkle like
eyes now
because
you've
seen
what
the
eye
can
see!

Middle School Age Winners

"Moon Beam"

by Lydia Aikenhead

Have you ever seen a moon beam
Flying through the sky?
Its golden
trail of
light
just
missing
hitting the
stars that shimmer
silver in a world of black.
Have you ever seen a star kiss
a wish right on the cheek?
A wish
that will travel to the
world of being true.
Have you ever
seen a friendship,
a boat of laughs and joy?
A boat that floats
upon the sea,
of deep blue happiness.
I have seen
all of these wonderful things,
each one seeming
more marvelous
than
the
last.

"Sanctuary"

by Angela Wonders

Modest words
slinking across a page.
Though small in standing
they are large in force.
They breathe life into
the empty lungs
of expressionless paper.
This brings peace
to my burdened mind
becoming a sanctuary
to my imagination.

"Social Status"

by Amelia Klock

Those who are secure in their place
Can safely say that they
Are intolerant
Having never felt their own
intolerance
At the top of the scale
With their friends and their money
And their little problems that
Rarely materialize into more
Than a moments' uncertainty
Which dress
Which lipstick
Which guy.
Those who have been pushed down
So much that they find
They can't get up again
Cry that they cannot be
Biased
Having known the feeling too well
And yet they cannot bear
To associate with those
Who have done no wrong
But to grow up with the right friends
And clothes
And makeup
And boyfriends.

High School Age Winners

"Dream in Watercolor"

by Sarah Eisenberg

A voice in pitch-black
Darkness and vague silhouettes
Like something in the distant past
Or the distant future...

Like the lost moments
Shrouded in the mist between sleep
and awake
When time is amorphous
And still

Like everything you've never heard
Never had
Never known...
So familiar in its newness
So strange...

Brief eternity
Fluid motion
Melting into tangible music
Penetrating deep

Close your eyes
Falling... loose yourself
Through sonnets
Whispered by unseen lips
By unseen eyes-
So soft,
So intense

Then, in an instant
-Gone-
Washed away in the rain

"Papa"

by Devon Kies

With his twinkling Blue eyes,
the eyes that still have a fire burning
deep inside them
those eyes he claims have seen it all.
The wrinkles on his tanned face,
reflect many years of working outdoors,
and many years of worrying.
The lopsided grin he gets when he is
being a smart aleck,
or when he likes something.
You can still hear the
southern accent in his voice even
in his old age.
Although he may not be the brightest,
his advice is something I treasure,
for I know that when he gives advice
he speaks from experience.
If it's teaching a 5yr. old to drive a tractor
or trying to get an old plow to work,
he always has patience and is willing to try.
I wouldn't trade him for nothing,
my love for him is deeper than just blood,
I love him because he is my Papa.

"The Race"

by Julie Mida

waiting
for the starter's loud gun
bent down, shaky fingers
grip the edge of the block
silence
nervous waiting
and then comes the gun and my muscles
push me off with the force of a cannon
and then I dive
down
into the frigid water
I surface for a breath and begin my stroke
arms flying legs kicking for
all they're worth
in a matter of seconds my first lap is done
flippushroll of the wall at the speed of light
now is when my muscles begin to ache
my dead limbs feel as though
they're moving in slow mo
finally with one last BURST of strength
my hand smacks into the rigid wall
and its over
I can't feel my weak numb arms
my racing heart beats as fast as a
hummingbird's vibrating wings
my breath is short and gaspy and ragged
I rip my goggles off my red face
And look to the scoreboard with hopeful
eyes
28 seconds flat my final time
my new personal record in the 50
freestyle
and then, using the only drop of energy
left in my
drained, panting, exhausted body,
I smile

Adult Winners

"The Rapture"

by Marijo Grogan

The last frog of summer
sits under my window at night
calling in a loud insistent manner,
alarming me with her demands.

I wonder how she escaped the sweet
chorus
of marsh frogs whose tribal chanti-
ng
lulled me to sleep on spring nights.
Those who sleep now in mud below.

Then there is a long silence.
A silence foreshadowing death
or a still winter landscape,
an empty tundra, this season with-
out frogs

As we drive along the autumn roads
you talk about conspiracies;
the government destroying small
farms
the farms being sold to developers.

I am watching golden soybean fields
fly by.

I am thinking of the rapture
when in the last days of time
frogs and farmers will
feast together.

"My Father's Code"

by Becky Patrias

I placed the heel of one hand

lightly on the other.

Elbows locked,
weight perpendicularly above and

arms pistoning

in well-learned increments

of exact rhythm and depth.

My soft flesh not prepared to

feel the snap

of sternum underneath

though hands not virgin

to the collapse of bone.

I knelt beside him
my black leggings a chromatograph
for his last supper.

Too many men stood-

a girl around his bed.

Their lack of intent told the story

well enough.

Flaccid arms

a dangling headstone

held in place by the vacuum of his

departure-
and the minister's starched rayon

pants.

"Great Blue Heron"

by Susan Pulju

She powers into view

-My heart quickens-

Fluid and steady wings rise to the

sky

And stroke down on bits of sun

Sprinkled on the river,

I could have missed it
Power pushing up the river

Beating above the natural flow

I could have had my eyes turned

down

Snuffing a cigarette

Instead I catch a glimpse of her

as

I sit in the rank air of the car

Music beating out of rhythm of

my heart

Music beating to forget

Quickly the gray pumping heart

Vanishes up the river

-My heart quiets-
Her power gone

I light another cigarette
Close my eyes.

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Dexter Village

Warrant Arrest

On April 5, a deputy stopped a car for traffic violations. The deputy recognized the driver as 27-year-old Paul S. Lammes. A check of the Law Enforcement Information Network showed that Lammes was wanted on a warrant for driving with a suspended license. He was arrested and taken to the county jail.

Medical Assist

Two Dexter High School students narrowly escaped Mother Nature's wrath last week when a bolt of lightning struck the pavement near them, causing one to fall to the ground in cardiac arrest.

The incident happened at 3:27 p.m. April 20 in the parking lot at Country Market on Dexter-Ann Arbor Road.

Jesse Nicodemus, 18, was taken to the University of Michigan Hospital after a nurse helped resuscitate him.

"He was found not breathing, with no heart rate and burns," said Lt. Troy Maloney of the Dexter Area Fire Department.

Nicodemus was listed in fair condition and was expected to make a good recovery. His classmate, Joe Fraker, was treated and released by the hospital earlier that day, according to firefighter John Schnur.

The area was under a severe thunderstorm warning at the time of the incident. Fraker and Nicodemus were walking to their car and were injured when a bolt of lightning struck the ground as Nicodemus was unlocking his car door.

Washtenaw County Sheriff's deputies, the fire department and Huron Valley Ambulance were called to the scene. A nurse from the University of Michigan Hospital who happened to be shopping in the grocery store has been credited for saving Nicodemus' life by using CPR on him.

Drunken Driving

On April 16, a deputy was dispatched to the Clark gas station, 8135 Main St., on a report of a suspicious person. The deputy found a 23-year-old man, who appeared to be very intoxicated.

The deputy also noticed a car parked behind the station, registered to the man. However, the man said he was a pedestrian at that point.

A short time later, the deputy saw the man driving erratically in the village, and stopped him.

The man said he had been drinking, and performed poorly on field sobriety tests. He was arrested and taken to the county jail. Breathalyzer tests at the jail showed the man to have a blood-alcohol content of .22 percent, more than twice the legal limit to be considered too drunk to drive.

A report of the incident was forwarded to the prosecutor's office. It was the second drunken driving offense for the man.

Lima Township

Break-in

On April 8, a deputy was dispatched to the 800 block of South Fletcher Road. The deputy met with a 50-year-old man who said his two barns had been broken into.

The suspect had stolen a van from a home across the street and parked the van behind one of the barns. The man said he had found a number of tools missing from one barn, although little seemed to be disturbed in the other.

The man said he had also found evidence that the suspect had broken into a mobile home on the property and tried to take a television.

The tools were missing, but the suspects left the television and other items. Total value of missing items was unknown.

Lyndon Township

Drunken Driving

On April 21, a deputy was

dispatched to M-52 near Waterloo Road on a report of an automobile accident.

The deputy found personnel from Huron Valley Ambulance and Chelsea Area Fire Authority on the scene. On the side of the road sat a pickup truck with severe front-end damage, and a car that had been hit so that it ripped open and nearly broke in two.

A 47-year-old man who had witnessed the crash said that the truck had been weaving back and forth on the road before the crash. He said that the truck had been in the wrong lane when the crash occurred.

The man said that the driver of the truck, a 51-year-old Gregory man, had been the only occupant of the vehicle, and had fled the scene after the crash, but was brought back by two other men.

The deputy then spoke with the driver of the truck, noting that the man appeared to be intoxicated.

The man said he had been at Stiver's Restaurant, 11 S. Fletcher Road, that afternoon, and had had six to eight beers there. The man said he realized he had had too much to drink, and had started to leave.

He said that as he was leaving, a strange man, who said he was an illegal alien, approached him. The driver said that the man had asked him for work, and the two left to discuss the possibility over a drink.

The driver said that the stranger had been driving, and both of them had fled the scene.

Both the man and the driver of the other car, a 28-year-old Stockbridge woman, were taken to the hospital. The man had blood drawn there, which was sent to a police lab for tests on blood-alcohol level.

Selo Township

Drunken Driving

A deputy was dispatched to I-94 near Zeeb Road on April 10 on report of an automobile rollover. The deputy met with another on the scene.

The two spoke with witnesses on the scene, who said that the car had been weaving on the road before rolling over. They also said that they had seen the driver drinking from a bottle before the accident. A bottle of beer was found near the car.

The second deputy on the scene went to the University of Michigan Hospital, where the driver, a 22-year-old man, had been taken. He told the deputy that he had been drinking earlier in the evening.

The man said he had been at the MGM Grand Casino in Detroit, and had had his last drink seven hours earlier.

The man agreed to take a blood test. It was sent to a police lab for testing. A report of the incident was sent to the prosecutor's office for review, pending blood test results.

On April 22, deputies stopped a 48-year-old man at Parkland Plaza near Eerie Drive for speeding. They noticed that the man seemed to be intoxicated.

The man did poorly on field

sobriety tests. He was arrested for drunken driving and taken to St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, where blood was drawn. He was then taken to the county jail. The blood was sent to a police lab for testing, and the case was open pending those results.

On April 21, deputies stopped a 37-year-old woman on I-94 near Parker Road for speeding and driving erratically. They noticed that the woman seemed to be intoxicated.

The woman said she had had a few drinks that night. She performed poorly on field sobriety tests, and the deputies arrested her for drunken driving. She was taken to St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, where blood was drawn, and then to the county jail.

The blood was sent to a police lab for testing, and the case was open pending those results. A dog in the car at the time was released to the woman's husband.

Unauthorized Driving

Away of Automobile

A deputy was dispatched to Ann Arbor Acura, 3975 Jackson Road, on April 17, on a report of a missing car.

The deputy met with the used car manager of the dealership, a 48-year-old Roseville

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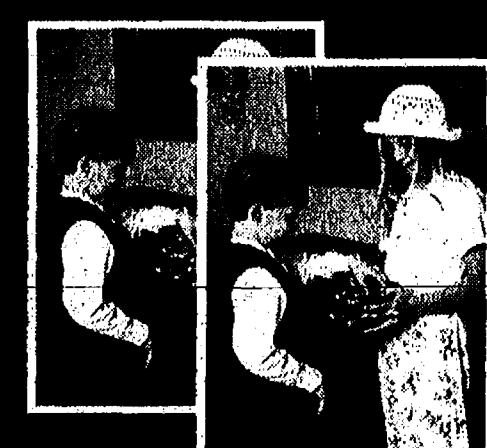
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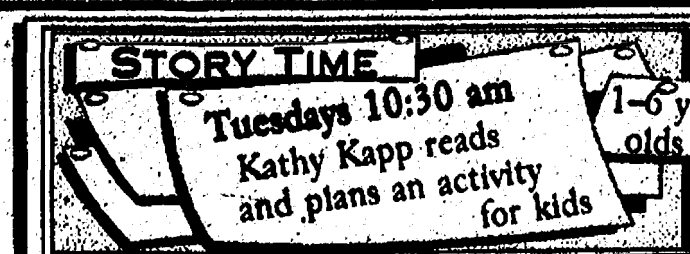
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man. He said that a 1998 Acura was missing from the lot. He said that the car had been leased previously. It had last been seen two days before. The deputy was able to determine that the car had been stolen from the lot. The estimated value was \$38,000. The car was entered as stolen into the Law Enforcement Information Network (LEIN).

On April 20, a deputy investigating a report of a car stolen from Sesi Lincoln Dealership, 950 E. Michigan Avenue in Ypsilanti, found the car in the 1000 block of Rabbit Run Circle in Scio Township.

A 26-year-old woman who lived at the scene came out of her apartment while the deputy was waiting for a tow truck for the car.

She said she had driven the car from the dealership, but was not sure what to do with it. She turned over keys to the vehicle.

Medical Assistance

On April 18, a deputy was dispatched on a report of a missing person. The deputy spoke with a 20-year-old woman, who said she was worried about her roommate, a 21-year-old woman.

The younger woman said that her roommate had not come home the night before, and she was worried about the woman, who had attempted suicide in the past.

While the deputy was at the scene, the missing woman called. The deputy and the roommate responded to the call, and found the woman in Ann Arbor.

She was sitting on the ground near her car, holding a razor blade and bleeding from her wrist. She was taken to the hospital, and Ann Arbor Police took over the case.

Recovered Stolen Auto
While on patrol on M-14 on April 19, a deputy noticed a van driving with expired plates. The deputy stopped the van, and spoke with the driver, a 41-year-old Detroit woman.

The woman produced her license and registration, but a LEIN search showed that the van had been stolen from a Detroit salvage yard. The woman did not show up in LEIN.

The woman said she had just gotten the van from her god-mother, and thought the whole thing was a misunderstanding. The woman was placed under arrest, and taken to the county jail.

The deputy contacted the owner of the van. She said that the vehicle had been stolen in December 1999 and recovered

in Detroit. She said that she lends the car to family, and did not know who would have reported it as stolen, or why.

A report of the incident was forwarded to the prosecutor's office, which denied a warrant for the incident.

Lost Property

On April 12, a 21-year-old Ann Arbor man came to the sheriff's station to report lost property.

The man said his cell phone had fallen from his pocket while he was watching a movie at the Quality 16 Theaters, 3686 Jackson Road.

The man said he had not realized it initially, and when he went back to the theater, the phone was gone but no one had turned it in. The total value of missing property was estimated at \$200.

On April 18, a 44-year-old Ypsilanti man came to the sheriff's station to report a larceny.

He said he had taken off his wedding ring while in the bathroom of the Washtenaw County Road Commission on April 7, but forgot about it after washing his hands. When he later remembered, he found that the ring was gone.

The man said he had put up a notice on the bulleting board

asking for the return of the ring, but that no one had returned it. He said he wanted to report the incident for his insurance. The total value of missing property was estimated at \$600.

Sylvan Township

Warrant Arrest

On April 23, a deputy was dispatched to the Chelsea Police Department, to take custody of 21-year-old Thomas C. Goetz of Pinckney. Goetz was wanted on a bench warrant for failure to appear in court on a traffic violation. He was taken to the county jail without incident.

A deputy was dispatched to the Chelsea Police station on April 22 to take custody of 34-year-old Kathryn A. Hill of Decatur, Ind. She was wanted on a bench warrant for failure to appear in court on charges of driving with license suspended. She was taken to the county jail.

Domestic Assault

On April 23, a deputy was dispatched on a report of an assault and a disorderly person. The deputy found a 46-year-old Ypsilanti man trying to get into the house at the scene.

The man's ex-wife, a 46-year-old woman, said that she had

met her ex-husband earlier in the evening at Stiver's Bar, 11 S. Fletcher Road. She said that she had talked to the man for a time until he left the bar.

The woman and two friends stayed at the bar a little longer, then returned home. The woman said she had been sitting and talking to an 18-year-old Pinckney man, her housemate's boyfriend, when her ex-husband showed up.

She said that the man was angry, yelling at her and threatening the other man. She said that the man hit her in the stomach.

The altercation spilled onto the back porch of the residence. The woman's housemate, a 20-year-old woman, stepped between the two, and the older woman said that her ex-husband also struck the younger woman.

The woman said eventually the man left, but returned a short time later and began banging on the house's back door. It was at that point that the deputy arrived.

The man was taken to the county jail on charges of domestic assault. A report of the incident was sent to the prosecutor's office for review.

The younger woman and her boyfriend both admitted to

drinking during the evening. They were taken into custody on charges of minor possession of alcohol, and taken to the county jail.

Webster Township

Property Damage

On April 11, a deputy was dispatched to the Ann Arbor Country Club, 4699 East Loch Alpine Road, on a report of turfing.

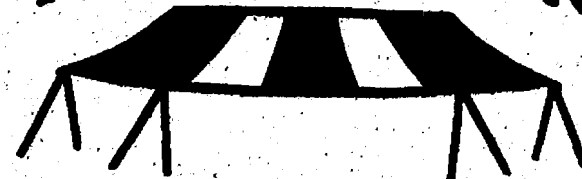
The deputy spoke with a 45-year-old man, the grounds manager for the club's golf course. He said that he found a fairway on the course torn

up. The man said the damage looked like someone had driven onto the fairway and done "doughnuts." He said that a previous incident had gone unreported, but was able to provide a description of the car. Damage was estimated at \$500.

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Street Talk

By Corinna Christman

Do you think the media puts too much emphasis on the negatives?



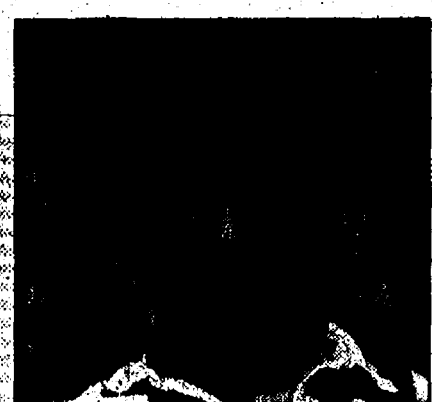
"Yes, I would like to see fewer stories about crime, social injustice and decisions made by large corporations. I would love to know about people helping others to improve their lives. Volunteer organizations, corporations who make a difference, and all the accomplishments of our community children and young adults would be something I would like to hear about. I think this would give communities a positive outlook and encourage more positive behavior."

Lisa Stebelton
Sylvan Township



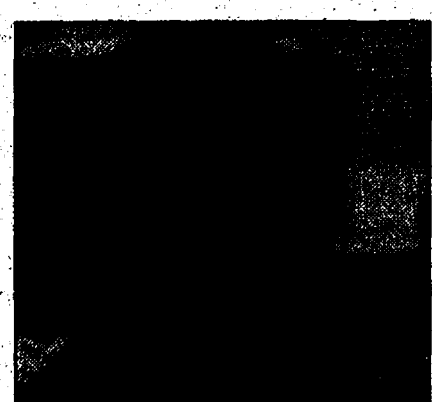
"Although we all want to hear about what is positive people need to remember that bad things do happen, because if they forget that there will be no one to help those in need."

Erin Ryder
Sharon Township



"I think there's a nice balance. I see a lot of school articles, about progress of students, and that's showing positives."

Lyn Culver
Lima Township



"News should definitely emphasize positive things. It only tells us what's wrong with our world and not what's right."

Missi Steinaway
Lima Township



"Yes, I do. An awful lot of good things happen that don't make the front page as quickly, especially having to do with school."

Duane Ellis
Sylvan Township



'Atomic vets' deserve our support

By Alan G. Lance Sr.

American Legion National Commander
President Clinton says he wants to "right the wrong of the past" committed against factory workers who built America's nuclear arsenal.

To each civilian bomb maker suffering from cancers related to radioactive exposure, the administration offers either a lump sum payment of \$100,000 or a medical treatment and job retraining package.

If medical records are lost, the sick workers get compensated. If there is uncertainty about the origin of the cancer, the sick worker gets the benefit of the doubt.

The government should have taken this approach years ago, with respect to "atomic veterans" deliberately exposed in ionizing radiation in nuclear tests conducted in the 1940s, '50s and '60s.

"Atomic veterans" wore badges that recorded their exposures so that the government could determine the impact of radiation on the human body. They fought two wars: one for freedom; the other for treat-

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ment and compensation from the U.S. government, which for years denied a relationship between those veterans' cancers and their radiation exposure. As long as the government denied the illnesses were service-connected, the government did not have to provide health care and benefits to the sick veterans, thus prolonging agony and hastening death.

The American Legion fought alongside these veterans and successfully represented a major claimant. Orville E. Kelly in 1979 was awarded disability compensation by the Veterans Administration for his radiation-linked cancer, a landmark case that set the stage for the awarding of benefits to thousands of "atomic veterans."

The American Legion also fought hard to persuade the government to provide health care and compensation for "atomic veterans" suffering

from numerous cancers, including thyroid, breast, lung, bone, liver, skin, esophageal, stomach, colon, ovarian, prostate, pancreatic, kidney, urinary bladder, salivary gland, multiple myeloma, posterior subcapsular cataracts, non-malignant thyroid nodular disease, parathyroid adenoma, tumors of the brain and central nervous system, and lymphomas other than Hodgkin's disease.

However, many sick veterans do not get the benefit of the doubt that their conditions are service-connected and, therefore, rely on American Legion service officers to help them travel an arduous road to compensation. Some sick veterans are awarded health care and benefits. Some are not.

Many veterans whose claims slipped through the government's cavernous cracks are now frail, elderly, and overwhelmed as much by betrayal

as illness. Further, there are conditions that Congress has yet to make compensable for health care and benefits from the Department of Veterans Affairs, including chronic lymphatic (lymphocyte) leukemia.

A White House panel pored over scientific studies of accelerated cancer rates among civilian nuclear bomb makers. The case for compensating civilian nuclear workers was compelling; no less compelling than the recent cancer figures on patients who in their young adulthood followed orders and paid the price.

An Institute of Medicine study released in October found a 50 percent higher leukemia death rate among land-based military personnel in the Nevada desert who participated in atomic experiments, compared to land-based troops who did not. Death rates for prostate and nasal cancers were upwards of 20 percent higher for atomic-test participants, according to the IOM study.

Science, once again, proved what the American Legion con-

tended for two generations, unfortunately through decades of governmental denials that ionizing radiation contributed to cancer in certain veterans.

The American Legion, the nation's largest veterans organization, is a long-standing advocate of compensation and health care for "atomic veterans."

As its national commander, I would stand proudly with any administration that would announce a new position: That ailing veterans henceforth exposed to radiation in any form will receive the benefit of the doubt that their illnesses are service-connected. They will be provided hassle-free medical care and just compensation in the Department of Veterans Affairs medical and benefits systems.

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BUSINESS

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Perfect blend

Pierces mix entrepreneurial skill, small-town values

By Dirk Fischbach
Editor

Turning the corner onto West Middle Street, one expects to see Pierce's Pastries Plus. The popular coffee house and bakery just seems to fit with the Chelsea landscape. It's hard to imagine the downtown without it.

But, in truth, it's been just three short years this May since Bob threw off the yoke of corporate life and along with wife Nadine opened shop.

They have quickly established a landmark business.

Politicians from the local, state and national scene hold informal question and answer "coffee hours" to meet voters in their front room, area musical acts delight Saturday morning customers, and the town's workforce starts its day with a good cup of coffee and a donut more often than not.

Yet, if the atmosphere and product mix seems perfect, it's due to intuition, hard work and research — not long experience.

"We came in with open minds and fears," Bob jokes. "We liked the coffee shop concept, but we didn't know much about retail businesses and we didn't know anything about running a restaurant."

But they did know plenty about people, and the Chelsea area.

The couple had moved to



Nadine and Bob Pierce, owners of Pierce's Pastries Plus, are pictured with employee Carol Ledford at their business.

Chelsea five years before opening the shop when Bob took a job with a computer firm in Ann Arbor. Nadine, a teacher, easily found work in the Horton-Hanover district. They both had grown up in Falconer, New York, a small town near the Pennsylvania border that shared many characteristics with Chelsea.

"Chelsea is very similar to where we grew up," Bob says, with Nadine nodding in agreement.

Both, however, are quick to point out that there also are significant differences.

Where Chelsea has embraced growth and remained vital, their hometown shut the door to out-

siders and has withered. A recent visit found a downtown void of many of the "anchor" businesses that once had thrived.

"Chelsea has a neat cross-section of downtown businesses," Bob says.

He believes that the unique atmosphere makes a strong environment for everyone.

"Chelsea is a destination now," he notes.

And Pierces is an important part of that.

By combining traditional bakery fare with the high-end gourmet coffees usually found only in up-scale coffee houses he has found a growing market.

"Usually, you can either get traditional donuts and average coffee, or premium coffees and dried up, expensive pastries that no one's heard of," Pierce says with a laugh. "We didn't see any reason why a traditional bakery couldn't offer really outstanding coffee to go with the donuts."

Spurred on by Nadine's family, which lives in the coffee house mecca of Seattle, the Pierces launched their idea when the store front became available at the same time Bob was getting fed up with the dog-eat-dog computer industry.

"It was time for a career change and the opportunity opened up," Bob explains.

The Pierces' concept and their commitment to make the place a community gathering spot created an instant hit. And also played into the building's longstanding tradition.

"One day and older gentleman stopped in and started talking to us about the town's past," Bob says. "He told us that at one time, there had been 17 taverns in town, including Tommy Mac-Namara's, which was our building. He told us Tommy Mac's was the preferred gathering spot."

Funny how tradition has a way of repeating itself.

Not that the Pierces are relying on traditions. They're mak-

ing them. The couple's Saturday "Mornings, Mochas and Melodies," which brings popular musicians into town has been hugely successful, and they hope to expand the idea to include a few special evening showcase events. They also will continue to host open political forums — with all sides getting a chance to air their views — and use their popular venue to promote community events.

And if Pierce's vision for Chelsea holds true — he sees a vibrant downtown as robust as one of his Columbian blends —

Pierce's will be in line to continue another tradition: incremental business gains with each passing fiscal quarter. It's a boast that very few relatively new businesses can make.

But then again, very few upstart businesses have the comfortable feel that Pierce's enjoys.

Maybe it's the donuts. Maybe it's the coffees. Maybe it's the atmosphere. Or maybe, like the premium roasts themselves, it's just a perfect blend.

Farmer Jack wins Global Electronic Market award

Farmer Jack Supermarkets won a Global Electronic Marketing (GEM) award for its creative Baby Bonus Savings Club program.

The Global Electronic Marketing Conference (GEMCON) recognized Farmer Jack in the U.S. Grocery Chain Retailer category.

Farmer Jack competed against various grocery chains across the country to win the prestigious award.

"As Metro Detroit's market leader in the food industry, we are extremely proud of this award," says Paul Coleman, Farmer Jack's vice president of

marketing and advertising. "The Baby Bonus Savings Club Program is important to our customers because it provides them with significant and direct savings on items that are essential for their families."

The fourth annual GEM awards

were recently presented at GEMCON in New Orleans. GEMCON is the leading grocery industry conference on electronic marketing.

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COMMUNITY

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Lauren Williams, the daughter of Carolyn and Michael Williams of Chelsea, won the Fraternal Order of Police State Lodge of Michigan Eighth Grade Essay Contest for her essay, "You Can Call Them Killers." Students were asked to write on the topic of "Why I Will Say No to Drugs and Alcohol." Fellow Beach Middle School student Ashley Houle placed third in the contest. This is the third consecutive year a Chelsea student has grabbed the top prize in this contest.

Winning words

Beach student wins essay contest

For the third consecutive year, a student at Beach Middle School has won the top prize in the District 2 Fraternal Order of Police Eighth Grade Essay Contest.

Lauren Williams, the daughter of Carolyn and Michael Williams of Chelsea, grabbed first place with her essay, "You Can Call Them Killers." She took home a \$1,000 U.S. savings bond for her efforts.

Chelsea eighth-grader Ashley Houle grabbed third place in the contest and took home a \$250 U.S. savings bond.

Williams winning essay is printed below.

You Can Call Them Killers

Everyone told me she looked so beautiful in her casket, but I couldn't bear to see her like this. I imagined her dead, white, and beaten up. She was killed by a drunk driver, and she was my mother. These are the kinds of things too many children have to go through every day. It is also one of the main reasons not to do drugs and alcohol.

They ruin people's lives every day. We could call them killers. The users are also a main cause of death. When they choose to abuse drugs and alcohol and get in the car, innocent people have to die. I am sure the victims wouldn't choose that kind of death. Most are good people who were just in the wrong place at the wrong time. Why were they the ones who had to die?

Drugs can be deadly. They can kill you the very first time you use them. If you were stupid enough to try one of these drugs, you

might not have to worry about being addicted. That is the best thing I can think of about using them. Everything about drugs and alcohol are negative, except that feeling you get when you say "no." That in itself is a reason not to use them.

I am a sister, a daughter, a gymnast, a dancer, a friend and a student. If I choose to use drugs it would, in all aspects of my life, have a negative effect. My family life as a sister and daughter would go downhill. I would slowly drift away from my family and friends. My life as an athlete would also be devastated. I would not be able to do any of the things I can do now. I would fall off beam, bars, and all the other gymnastics equipment. Falling this much would surely get me hurt. At dance I would not be able to make my feet work or learn the dances. Drugs would also ruin my grades. I now get straight A's, but if I started using drugs my grades would drop and I might not even show up for school at all. If I want to keep the good life I have now, I have to say "no!" to drugs. These are my reasons for saying "no."

Some of the best reasons not to use drugs and alcohol all point to wanting a good, non-problematic life. If you say "no," you will not have to worry about selling all your belongings or failing every class in school. You will not have to have your stomach pumped or run from the police. You will know that the decision you have made is the right one. So, before you decide to drink and drive or get high, ask yourself, "Do I really want to have this kind of effect on someone's life? Do I want to ruin my life?"

Martha Piper follows in her mother's footsteps

By Michelle Rogers

Associate Editor

Martha Piper grew up in a small town near Grand Rapids with a strong interest in academics and athletics.

Her mother's classroom, a place she visited before and after school, was a familiar hangout spot for her.

So it's no wonder that nearly two decades later, Piper, a teacher at North Creek Elementary School, remains at the head of the class.

"I always enjoyed school," says Piper, who teaches all-day kindergarten. "I used to go to school early with my mom and stay late. I think that, and the fact that I had some great teachers growing up, made an impression on me."

Piper says she had considered other careers, such as nursing, but not seriously. "I kept coming back to teaching," she says. "My heart kept telling me teaching."

Piper got an early taste of her career in high school, working as an assistant in a first-grade classroom. Her mother, who taught fourth and fifth grades in Stanton, and sister, a former elementary school teacher in Chelsea, inspired her further.

Piper prepared for her future career at Michigan State University, where she majored in science, with a math emphasis. She graduated in 1987 and became certified to teach kindergarten through eighth grades. Two years later, she added a master's degree in reading from MSU.

Piper did her student teaching in a kindergarten classroom and then worked as a substitute in Eaton Rapids schools for a semester. There she also volunteered as a volleyball and track coach.

Piper was hired in Chelsea 12 years ago to teach second grade at North Creek. After the birth of her daughter last year, Piper cut her hours back to half time and transferred to kindergarten this fall. Piper says early in her career she fell in love with the young age group and was happy to return.

"I've found my little niche," she says smiling. "I love kids — the innocence and the sweetness. They walk in here eager, with these precious, little stories that you need to take time to listen to. Those things are so important to them."

It was her sister, Barb Emmorey, who recommended Chelsea as a good place to teach. Piper says it has been a perfect

match. She was looking for a district in a small town, similar to where she grew up.

"I think I did kind of want that — not too big — because I was comfortable with it. I like the smallness," she says.

Piper finds Chelsea schools unusual in the amount of parental support that is extended.

"I think the parent support is a real treat," she says. "At parent-teacher conferences, everyone shows up. At open house, they offer their support."

"I feel like the parents are a team with the school system, and that we are all working together."

Piper describes her teaching style as fun and energetic — just like her students.

"We try to keep things moving," she says. "You have to."

Piper's favorite subjects to teach are math and reading. She says reading is fundamental to learning, while math was her favorite subject in school.

The rules in her classroom are written as a team effort and cen-



Martha Piper teaches kindergarten at North Creek Elementary School. She started her career in Chelsea a dozen years ago at second grade and recently moved to all-day kindergarten after the birth of her first child. Piper is pictured with students Elaine Johnson, Adam Burman and Bradley Lotz on their way to a school assembly last week.

ter on manners.

"We discuss it and work on the rules together," she says. "I expect them to be polite and have nice manners, and they do."

In the end, Piper says she hopes students see her as fun, upbeat about learning and someone who provides a safe haven where they can laugh and learn from their mistakes.

"I hope they feel comfortable taking chances in my room," she says.

Piper finds the highlights of her career come unexpectedly and without a lot of hoopla. They are intermingled with the day's lessons.

"I think watching kids when things finally connect or when they are finally willing to take a risk, or seeing them work together on a project are highlights," she says.

What Piper looks forward to in her career is watching the achievements of the children unfold. For instance, just re-

cently Piper showed students how to tie their shoelaces.

"It was cute watching them get excited about tying their shoes," she says. "It's the little things that I look forward to."

In her professional life, Piper also looks forward to learning more about how to incorporate technology in the classroom.

"I am still learning every year and adding new things, which keeps me upbeat and fresh," she says.

When she is not in the class-

room, Piper can be found spending time with her family. She has been married 12 years to Chad, a pilot, and they have a 9-month-old daughter, Allie. The family resides in Holt, near Lansing.

In her spare time, Piper also enjoys cooking, camping, biking, swimming, working out in the gym and running. She has participated in several local 5k and 10k runs, and volunteered as an assistant coach to the Beach Middle School track team for several years.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

CHELSEA

Saturday, April 29

Pierce's Pastries Plus, 103 W. Middle St., presents "Mornings, Mochas & Melodies," featuring live folk and acoustic music. Saturdays from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. This week's entertainment is Thick & Thin. For more information please call (734) 475-8081.

The Stockbridge Area Arts Council is sponsoring "Joel Mabus" to perform at the Stockbridge Township Hall, located in downtown Stockbridge at the intersection of M-52 and M-106. Show time is at 8 p.m. and tickets are \$5 at the door. For more information call (517) 851-7377.

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 at (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 for dinner at 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.

Saturday

Christian Film Ministries will be offering a free family-oriented film every second Saturday of the month starting at 7 p.m. at Chelsea Hospital, Woodland Room B. For more info., call Hala at (734) 433-0902.

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@mich.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) 426-0389.

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) 475-4264.

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

Chelsea District Library Board meets the third Tuesday of the month

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Photo by Mary Kumbler

Mixed Media at North

North Creek Elementary School students are working on mixed-media projects in teacher Janet Alford's art classes. The technique involves using watercolor wash for the background, oil pastels, printer's ink and tissue paper for a three-dimensional effect. Pictured holding her masterpiece is Aimee Mesko.

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SPORTS

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Cory Picklesimer brings home another Bulldog run

Varsity batsmen split

By Colleen O'Neill

Special Writer

On Saturday, the Chelsea varsity baseball team split a doubleheader with Coldwater when they won the first game 13-6 and dropped the second 11-8.

In the opener, Nate Keiser pitched four solid innings and earned his second win of the season. Chris Brigham pitched two innings and Chris Cooper closed.

Cooper also led the Bulldog hitters with three hits and two RBIs. Getting two hits apiece were Phil Fishburn, Ben Myers, Tony Scheffler, and Brian Sayers. Scheffler had two doubles and three RBIs

while Myers hit a solo home run, his first of the year. Ryan Barwick had a double for the Bulldogs.

In the second game, the Bulldogs jumped out to an 8-2 lead before having a disastrous sixth inning. Chelsea gave up four walks, had four errors and Coldwater had three hits including a three-run homer to rack up nine runs on the home team.

Chelsea fought back but could not overtake the Cardinals.

Cory Picklesimer pitched four strong innings for the Bulldogs before Mike Radka, Brian Sayers and Jason Young came to the mound. Scheffler

had four hits for Chelsea, including his fourth home run, to add three RBIs to his stat sheet. Sayers had two hits. Luke Olinsky and Jason Young had doubles, as did Matt Moffett. The Bulldogs record after the Saturday doubleheader went to 5-1.

The April 20 game against Saline was canceled due to weather and has been rescheduled for Friday, April 28, at Saline.

On Saturday Chelsea hosts an invitational. Class A schools from Southgate Anderson, Belleville, Saline, Coldwater and Ypsilanti will join the action.

Netters power past Williamston

By Colleen O'Neill

Special Writer

The Chelsea boys' tennis team added another win to its record book when they defeated Williamston 5-3 at home on April 17.

While the one, two and three singles were not able to pull out wins, the number four single, Brian Merkel, won his match while the doubles teams swept their flights.

James Ballas and Evan Elidey, Shawn Hayes and Robert Gray, Mark Tapping and Andy Mossburg and Andy Smith and Joel Gentz all won in two sets.

The boys from the north suffered their first loss of the season the next day against a powerful team from the south, losing to Adrian.

"Joe Arend's Adrian opponent Jay Huerta is probably one of the most accomplished singles players in Michigan high school tennis," said head coach John Capper.

Merkel won his match and it took three sets, but Ballas and Wildey defeated their Adrian opponents for the only Chelsea points in the loss.

At the junior varsity level Chris Strahler enjoyed a singles match against Williamston and Mike Offenbacher defeated his singles opponent from Adrian. Tommy Reifel and Alex Rendell would not let all the Adrian teams off the hook winning 7-6(6), 0-6, 6-2.

The two meets came after an outstanding performance by the Bulldogs at the Pinckney Tournament.

Chelsea won the event with 26 points, Pinckney took second with 24 points, Saline was in third place with 18 and Dexter took fourth with 12 points.

"It has been a few years since Chelsea has won the tournament and the pleasure was all the greater because it was over all the old rivals," Capper said. "Though it must be admitted that the Saline team played their junior varsity squad."

Freshmen Ballas and Wildey at four doubles won gold in their first-ever tournament, beating Pinckney 6-2, 7-5 and Saline 6-1, 6-1.

Hayes played his best tennis ever to win the gold at the number four singles spot. Co-captain Jon Spooner at two singles won gold with his two-set wins over Pinckney 7-5, 6-1, and Saline 6-1, 6-2.

Things looked good for Chelsea when freshman Mossburg and sophomore Smith at two doubles defeated Saline in three close sets. They came back from a 5-7 loss in the first set to take the next two sets 6-4, 6-3. In a tough final, they triumphed over Pinckney 7-6(3), 6-2.

The championship was not won yet as Pinckney challenged by winning a few gold medals and quite a few silvers.

"Every Chelsea player had to play their part and a lot of responsibility lay on the shoulders of the other team members," Capper said.

Silver medal wins were important and none more so than the one won by the number one doubles, Robert Gray and Mark Tapping. They defeated Dexter's Tyler Grau and John Hughes 6-2, 6-3, and Saline 5-7, 6-4, 6-4 losing only to Pinckney.

The number one single, Arend, clinched two very important points when he defeated Saline 6-4, 6-0 after losing to Dexter's Ben Hughes in three sets. At three doubles Joel Gentz and Mike Groesser scored two points by beating Dexter's Mat Smith and Dorian Harrow.

When Merkel, playing at number three singles, stepped onto the court to play for the silver he had already scored team points and the trophy was assured. But Merkel was determined to take silver. Earlier he defeated Saline 6-0, 6-2, lost a tough match to flight-champion Pinckney, 2-6, 6-4, 6-3, and then beat a determined Chuck Byrnes from Dexter.

"Chuck fought Brian every inch of the court," Capper said.

It was late in the day before Merkel triumphantly raised his arms as winner.

"It had been a very good day," Capper said.

Chelsea linksters have winning SEC mark

By Colleen O'Neill

Special Writer

The Chelsea girls' golf team is young and inexperienced but has put together a winning 2-1 Southeastern Conference record and a 2-2 overall mark.

Having opened the season with a loss to Ann Arbor Huron, the young team then attended the Monroe Jefferson Invitational in Monroe on April 14. Most of the golfers were participating in their first 18-hole tournament.

"I think the most encouraging thing for me as a coach is that we did gain some valuable experience that will help this team in the future," said head coach Jim Tallman. "As sophomores and freshmen they did quite well."

The team continued to show improvement when it took on

Haslett, but once again finished with the high score. Chelsea shot a 231 to Haslett's 199.

Laura Saarinen led the team with a 54. Rochelle Stafford shot a 58, Christina Minzey a 59 and Julie Inwood posted a score of 60.

"I feel better that we're starting to get our scores down into the 50s now. As we all gain more experience those should continue to drop," Tallman said. "This match marked the return of co-captain Saarinen to the line up after illness sidelined her for our first week of the season."

The girls took another giant step forward in their improvement on April 19 when they posted their lowest team score of the season in a split

with Lincoln and Tecumseh. Final team scores were Chelsea 217, Tecumseh 219, and Lincoln 203.

Leading all scorers for the day was Chelsea's Molly Martin with 50. Golfing an outstanding round in just her second start in varsity competition was Kristi Tarantowski with a 54. Other scores counting for the Bulldogs were Saarinen's 56 and Stafford's 57.

"Things seem to finally be coming together for the girls," Tallman said. "They are all making tremendous improvements with each outing as they gain experience."

The team traveled to Tecumseh for their second meeting in as many weeks Monday afternoon.

Chelsea defeated the

Young thinclads prove mettle at early meet

By Colleen O'Neill

Editor

The Chelsea boys' track team sent a squad to the Farmington Harrison freshmen-sophomore meet April 14, where the young Bulldogs met some tough individual competition.

"This was our first time at this meet and we ran into some excellent competition," said head coach Eric Swager. "There were 20 other schools there, mostly class A, and they provided some excellent races."

The Bulldog throwers dominated the meet. Joe Tripodi and Will Bredernitz each took one gold medal. Tripodi on a 138.4' discus throw and Bredernitz with a 44'1" launch of the shot put.

Long jumpers Eddie McClendon and Darl Bauer continue to improve according to Swager.

The distance medley relay team of Andre Bravo (800), Ryan Houle (400), Jake Freeman (1200) and Kyle Brown (1600) took third place with a time of 11:51. The 400-meter

relay team of McClendon, Adam Montero, Andy Montero and Bauer took second with a 48:35 time.

"Andy Montero and Adam Montero are improving as sprinters," Swager said.

Adam took second place in the open 400-meter run with a time of 54.2 and Justin Fitch set a personal record in the pole vault when he cleared 8'0". Bravo also set a personal best in the high jump going over 5'3".

"I am pleased with the enthusiasm of this team," Swager said. "If we keep working hard it will be a good year."

Indeed, the year started on a good note when the Bulldogs eked out a huge win over Ypsilanti Lincoln.

"We pulled out a huge upset by beating Lincoln 69.5 - 67.5," Swager said. "They have outstanding athletes and it took some breaks and a solid team effort to upset them."

The Bulldogs combined for six first-place finishes against the Railsplitters. Tripodi took first in both the discus and the

shot put while Bredernitz took second in the discus and third in the shot put. Ben Smith took first place with a 5'9" leap in the high jump and a 16.34 first place medal in the 110-meter hurdles. Nathan Ziegler added a first in the 1600-meter run with a time of 44:44 while Mike Kattula took third in that event with a 4:51. The 400-meter relay team of McClendon, the Monteros and Bauer took first with a 45.6.

Steve Erskine brought home the third-place medal in the 400-meter dash with a 54.7 performance and Adam Montero also took a third in the 100-meter dash with a time of 11.8. Kyle Schertzing took second in the 110-hurdles with 17.3 and McClendon finished third in the long jump, going 18'6". Mark Walters sent the shot put 44'4" to take second place.

"I was proud of the way our young team stayed focused and ran hard," Swager said. "We had our share of mistakes, but that will improve with a good attitude."

JV opens season at 5-1

By Colleen O'Neill

Special Writer

The Chelsea junior varsity baseball team built a solid 4-0 record with early season victories over Fowlerville and Lincoln before splitting the weekend action with Coldwater to take its record to 5-1.

Chelsea faced an undefeated Coldwater team in a double header at home on Saturday.

"Both games were well played by both teams and exciting to watch," said head coach Marty Walsh.

In the first game, Chelsea took a 1-0 lead into the fifth inning before Coldwater capitalized with timely hitting and help from an error to take a 4-1 lead. The Bulldogs cut the deficit to 4-2 on two Coldwater errors in the bottom of the inning. In the last two innings Chelsea had men on base but could not bring them in.

Derek Horvath started the game and pitched well.

"We only managed three hits in the game, but played well, defensively which allowed us to remain in the game except for their four-run fifth inning," Walsh said.

In the second game, Chelsea jumped out to a 5-1 lead after the third inning and held that into the sixth frame. Coldwater tied the game with four runs in the top of the sixth inning. Neither team scored in the seventh inning and the game went into extra innings.

In the top of the eighth, Nick Gadbury pitched out of a bases-loaded, one-out situation to keep the Cardinals from crossing home plate.

Gadbury then led off with a double to the fence in the bottom of the frame. Griffin Bledron moved him to third with a fielder's choice. When the Coldwater second baseman made a throwing error everybody was safe. Coldwater



Derek Horvath fires a strike in last week's action.

walked Kent Reames to load up the bases with nobody out.

Tim Bentley came up and hit into a fielder's choice. With one out Horvath put down a bunt to bring Gadbury, the winning run, across the plate.

"The guys played well defensively in both games," Walsh said. "Game two was one of the most exciting games I have been involved with."

The win against such a good team coupled with sound baseball gives this team confidence as they face a big week of league games and the heart of the season.

"I was proud of the never-die attitude that our team played with in game two," Walsh said. "When Coldwater got hot we could have given up but we didn't."

Gadbury came up big with his play late in the game while

Horvath had three hits in the contest.

In earlier season competition the Bulldogs defeated Fowlerville in both games of a doubleheader. They won by a score of 5-0 in the first game, and 14-3 the second contest. Kent Reames and Horvath got the wins in Fowlerville.

They also defeated Lincoln in a doubleheader, 10-7 in game one, and 12-8 in game two.

"In game two, we were 20-30 from the plate as a team," Walsh said.

Horvath had four hits in the game with Brett Putman, Reames, and Zack Miller each getting three hits in the game.

The Thursday game against Saline was canceled due to rain and is rescheduled for Friday, April 28, at 4 p.m.

CHS grad Colvin earns MSU honor

Scott Colvin, a 1996 Chelsea High School graduate, received high honors for the third year at the annual academic/athletic banquet honoring all athletes at Michigan State University. Colvin, who has received the honor every year it has been given, was second highest of nine eligible athletes from the Spartan

baseball team.

The event was held April 16 in the Kellogg Center with the Rev. Jesse Jackson delivering the keynote address.

Colvin is majoring in civil engineering and is the son of Cindy and Jeff Chandonnet and Bill and Bonnie Colvin, all of Chelsea.



Out-of-This-World Fun

Students at North Creek Elementary School nearly doubled last year's effort during the March is Reading Month contest. Students logged 260,778 minutes, or 4,346 hours, during March and as a reward, Principal Sharon Whitmore appeared at a school assembly dressed as an alien and walked and sat in alien slime. The top 10 readers were Matthew Johnson, Christopher Schmelz, Cassie Coffman, Christine Kelley, Melanie Burchett, Elizabeth Gunden, Sarah Bingel, Daniel Case, Brittany Schmelz and Eleanor Stewart.

Weather wreaks havoc

By Colleen O'Neill
Special Writer

Six Chelsea athletic events were canceled due to weather last week. They all have been rescheduled.

Varsity softball and baseball games, originally scheduled for April 20, have been rescheduled for Friday, April 28. They will both be played at Saline.

Junior, varsity softball and baseball games also scheduled for April 20, have been rescheduled for Friday, April 28, and will be played at home.

The boys' and girls' track meet versus Saline has tentatively been rescheduled for

May 2. The boys will compete at home. The girls will compete at Saline.

Of special note, the ninth-grade soccer game at Dexter on April 28 has been canceled.

Softball team battles to earn split

By Colleen O'Neill
Special Writer

The Chelsea varsity softball team won its second game of a doubleheader at Adrian last week when Betsy Ruhlrig got a hit to bring in Connie Kolokithas.

After winning the first game, Adrian took the lead in the second game with three runs in the first inning. The Bulldogs hurt themselves when they made two errors in that inning.

Although down, the Bulldogs were definitely not out. In the fifth inning, Chelsea put on a rally and scored four runs.

With one out, Kolokithas drew a base on balls. Jennie Diesing hit a single and Ruhlrig walked to load the bases. Ash-

ley Augustine, Betty Wescott and Stephanie Crews each hit singles to give the 'Dogs a 4-3 lead.

Adrian scored another run to tie the game in the fourth inning. The tie held to force the teams into extra innings.

In the ninth inning Kolokithas walked, then advanced to third on two passed balls. Ruhlrig came up with two outs and a runner on third. Shaking off any pressure, she got a solid hit to bring in the winning run.

Head coach Kim Reichard's pride in her team was evident.

"We learned how to come back when we were down," Reichard said. "I told the girls, 'falling down is not failure, staying down is.'"

Adrian won the first game 5-

1. All five runs were unearned as the Bulldogs made four errors in that contest.

"They were very good and I think they surprised us," Reichard said.

In the first game, the Bulldogs out hit Adrian 7-5 but left eight runners stranded.

Augustine was two-for-four with two stolen bases in the 5-1 loss. Diesing pitched both

games and hit a double in the first game.

The Bulldogs' game versus Saline, scheduled for April 20, was canceled due to rain. The make up game has been scheduled for April 28 and will be played at Saline.

Saturday, April 29, is the Chelsea Invitational. Play will begin at 9 a.m.

JV drops heartbreaker

By Colleen O'Neill
Special Writer

The Chelsea junior varsity soccer team lost a heartbreaker when Ypsilanti Lincoln made two of its four shots count for a 2-1 win April 18.

Lincoln took two shots in the first half and beat goalkeeper Sarah Manville on one of them to take a 1-0 lead.

Chelsea tied the game early in the second half when Genny Gourlay made an unassisted shot. But Lincoln came back to score the winning goal in the

33rd minute of play.

"This was a frustrating game for the Bulldogs," said head coach Jim Hicks. "We felt we should be able to play better against this competition."

"I give Lincoln a lot of credit for playing a controlled game. They didn't give us many shots and made their four shots count."

The junior Bulldogs record now stands at 3-3.

The freshmen-only meet at Dexter on April 28 has been canceled.

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Beach runners earn tie

By Colleen O'Neill
Editor

The Beach girls' track team showed guts and determination when they opened their season with a tie against Saline 68-68 last Wednesday in miserable weather.

The Bulldogs took first place in eight events and second place in three events for a solid showing against a historically strong team.

Missy Morcom took first place in the 55-meter hurdles and the 200-meter hurdles. Kara Stiles took first in the 1600-meter run and Ashley Gadbury in the 400-meter run.

The 3200-meter relay team of Ashley Houle, Ashley Brainerd, Jessica Dean and Alise Augustine also won.

First-place finishes in the field events were Lauren Williams in the pole vault, Lindsay Parker in the high jump

and Kallyn Rohlkohl in the shot put.

Lindsay Parker took second in the 55-meter hurdles to give Chelsea a one-two finish. Ashley Houle took second in the 3200-meter run and Alise Augustine put in a solid day with a second-place finish in the 800-meter run to go with her relay win. Sidney Olinsky

took second in the long jump while Mary Kate Setta, who has not started to use the blocks yet, lost by a nose in the 200-meter dash.

Todd Blomquist is the assistant to head coach Ann

Schaffner.

The Bulldogs will host Tecumseh on Wed. May 3 and then will attend the Jackson Northwest Invitational on Friday May 5. Both events begin at 4 p.m.



Prize Tom

Paul Tschirhart of Chelsea bagged this beautiful turkey April 18 on state land near Waterloo. The first-time turkey hunter used a slate call to draw the tom in and made a single shot with a 12 gauge shotgun. The bird weighed an impressive 23 pounds with an 11" beard.

Beach boys mount comeback

By Dirk Fischbach
Editor

The Beach Middle School boys' track team posted an amazing come-from-behind victory over league rival Saline April 19. Down 32 points with just five events remaining, the 'Dogs grabbed 36 of the remaining 37 points to claim the victory.

"The kids kept up the effort and never let down," said coach Pat Clarke. "It was a well-deserved win in a driving rain storm."

Both Clarke and assistant Dave Jolly gave special praise to Neil Sterling and Joel Griffith for the pair's school record runs in hurdle events.

Leading the Chelsea cause were the first-place finishing 1600-meter relay team of Hurst, Davis, Midura and Connell and the 400-meter relay unit of Franks, Urwin, Medeiros and Ellis.

Other first-place efforts were logged by Adam Ellis in the 100-meter dash, Andy Hurst in the 400-meter dash, Karl Wint in the 70-meter

dash, Jason Medeiros in the 200-meter dash, Sterling in the 200-meter hurdles and high jump. Griffith was second in the hurdle event.

Other outstanding perform-

ers were Joel Powers, Zack Powers, George Royce, Terry Arnold, Kyle Schiller, Trevor Bach, Alec Penix, Jeff Fitch, Mark Borders, Craig Urwin and Ken Davis.

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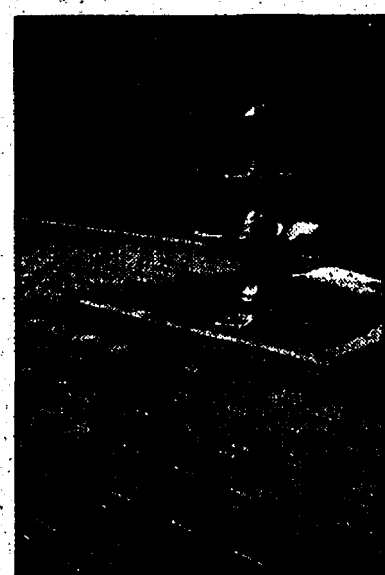
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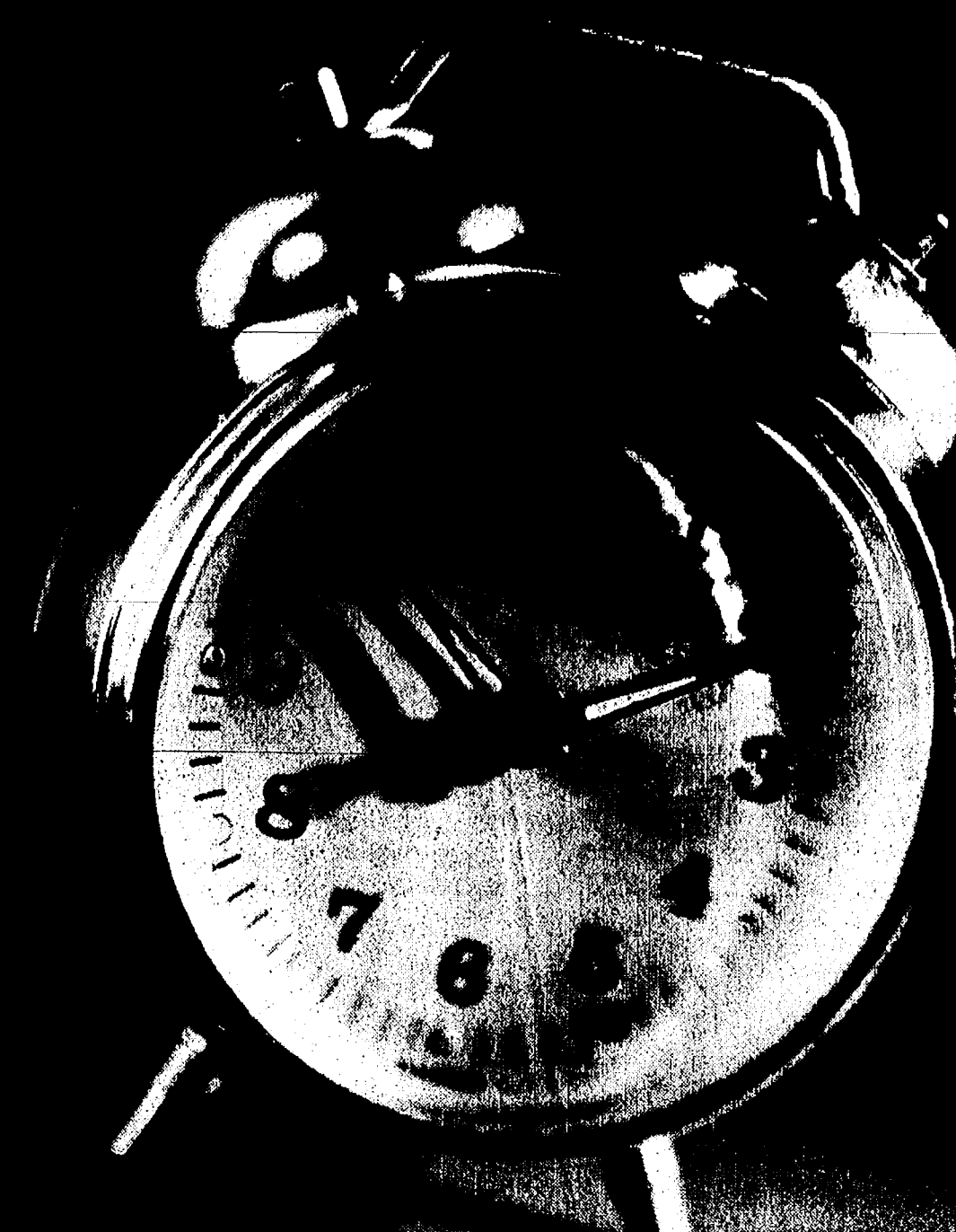


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Soccer team is dominant

By Colleen O'Neill
Special Writer

The Chelsea varsity soccer team continued to dominate the competition when it defeated Ypsilanti Lincoln on Tuesday, April 18, 6-0.

More proof of their domination is that Chelsea scored those six goals on just seven shots, while Laura Baird made six saves in goal to get the shut-out.

Sarah Poplawski opened the scoring with a steal and a long-range shot for an unassisted goal in the first half to take her yearly goal total to seven. Caitlin Biedron put in the next goal with an assist from Kate Huehl, who then scored the third goal of the first half unassisted.

In the second half, Quinn Peyser got her seventh goal of the season with an unassisted shot in the 49th minute of play. Biedron picked up her second goal of the game and fifth for the year on a penalty kick, and helped finish the scoring when she fed a pass to Peyser, who

scored the sixth of the day.

"Lincoln applied all of the pressure early as their unexpected 5-4-1 (defenders-midfielders-forwards) formation confused the Bulldogs' defensive scheme," said head coach Chris Orlandi. "Chelsea made a few tactical adjustments and then proceeded to take over the game."

The Chelsea pressure on Lincoln's defense continually led to Rainsplitter mistakes and opportunities for the

Bulldogs and, while quality scoring chances were difficult to come by, Chelsea made the most of those they received.

"This was a solid win against a quality opponent," Orlandi said. "Lincoln came into the game 4-1 and they thought they might have a chance against us. Our offense did a great job finishing, and our defense was stingy as usual."

Chelsea is 5-1 overall and 3-1 in the Southeastern Conference (second place).

Softball team hosts tourney

By Colleen O'Neill
Special Writer

The Chelsea softball team will hold its 2000 Softball Invitational on Saturday, April 29. Teams from Chelsea, Dexter, Jackson Northwest, Okemos, Plymouth Canton, Holt, Temperance Bedford and East Lansing will be participating for the championship plaque and 18 individual medals.

Pool A will be played at the Pierce Lake junior varsity and varsity fields. Pool B will be played at the two Weber fields.

Pool A consists of Chelsea,

Holt, Temperance Bedford and Plymouth Canton. Pool B includes Dexter, Jackson Northwest, East Lansing and Okemos.

Chelsea will play its first three games on the Pierce Lake varsity field. The team opens against Holt at 9 a.m., then plays Temperance Bedford at 11 a.m. and meets Plymouth

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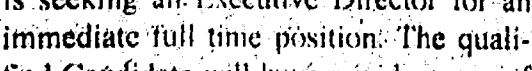
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P.O. Box 94

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Part-time position available. Must have experience in Accounts Payable, Accounts Receivable, and General Ledger. Send resume to:
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BOOKKEEPER

The City of Milan is seeking applicants for the position of bookkeeper. The position is full-time (40 hours per week). The bookkeeper maintains the general ledger accounts and reconciles the accounts payable cycle. The successful candidate must possess an associate's degree in accounting, finance or business, four or more years of progressively more responsible experience in municipal bookkeeping and/or accounting, demonstrated ability to work and communicate effectively and in writing, with all constituency groups, and have demonstrated computer literacy. Any combination of education and experience, which meets the general requirements for this position, will be considered. The position has a pay rate of \$12.69 per hour. Applications should be submitted to the City of Milan Clerk-Treasurer, 147 Wabash Street, Milan, Michigan 48130. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled. The City is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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PART-TIME RECEPTIONIST/CASHER

Downtown Chelsea Business. 15-20 hours per week. Afternoons and Saturdays. Call 734-475-1221

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Part-time position working in a health care office. Qualified candidate must have excellent communication skills. Previous experience in a health care office not required. Please apply to:
Chelsea Retirement Community
800 W. Middle St., Chelsea, MI 48118
or call 1-877-225-5272. An Equal Opportunity Employer. M/F/H.

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For Ann Arbor attorney's real estate broker, 30-40 hours per week, typing 60 wpm. Word-Perfect experience, excellent grammar, proof-reading skills. Telephone: 734-426-1293. Fax resume to 734-426-2586.

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Michelle Lukewright
The Saline Reporter
106 W. Michigan Ave., Saline, MI 48176.
No phone calls please.

604-Domestic

BABYSITTER NEEDED

Baby sitter needed for twin 6-year old daughters of a disabled mom in West Ann Arbor, 3 P.M. to 9 P.M. daily. Call 734-327-9776.

GREAT SUMMER JOB!

High School/College Student with transportation to babysit two children in our home near Ypsilanti. Please call 734-996-0605

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Caring, responsible person to help with three girls, 5, 6, 3, and 4 months. 3-4 days per week. References required. 734-426-8808.

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40 hrs weekly, Tues-Fri, for the summer. Must have own transportation and provide references. Dexter area. 734-426-0491.

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CALENDAR

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month at 7 p.m., Washington Street Media Center meeting room.
 • Chelsea Lions Club meets the first and third Tuesday at Chelsea Community Hospital, 8:45 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 for dinner at the Waterloo Township Hall. For reservations call (734) 475-7439, 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Lunches, cards and fellowship.
 • Grief Support Group for people who have experienced the death of a loved one, offered as a community service by the Chelsea Retirement Community. Meetings are on Wednesday mornings from 9:15-10:15 a.m. Call (734) 475-8633 for location.

OTHER

• Chelsea Lanes will give you free bowling for your grades. During the summer you can bowl for free with 'Bowling Bucks'. Bring in your final report card, the higher your grades the more bowling you will receive. Call (734) 475-8141 for more info.
 • Chelsea Senior Nutrition Program meets at the Senior Center. To reserve lunch, call Arlene Larson a day ahead at (734) 475-0160.
 • Chelsea Together. For more information, call weekdays (734) 475-4030, 8 a.m.-5 p.m., or (734) 475-5935, 5-9 p.m.
 • Faith in Action House Community Center is open daily, and provides free services to those in need. Services include food, clothing, financial help, advocacy and many other forms of assistance. Need friendly help? Call from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., (734) 475-3305.
 • Home Meal Service, Chelsea Meals, served daily to elderly or disabled. Cost per meal, \$3.25 with milk, \$3 without milk, for those able to pay. Interested parties call Mary at (734) 475-9494 or Faith in Action at (734) 475-3305.
 • Parent to Parent Program inhome, friendly, visiting support system for families with children. Call (734) 475-3305.
DEXTER
Saturday, April 29
 • 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. For information please call Peggy Jackson at (734) 426-4922 or by e-mail at <peg-jack@bizserve.com>
Monday, May 1
 • Village of Dexter Planning Commission meets at 7:30 p.m. at National City Bank.
Tuesday, May 2
 • Dexter Township Board Planning Commission meets at 7:30 p.m. at the Dexter Township Hall.
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-Chelsea Right to Life's next meeting will be on June 19 at 7 p.m. in the Mary Room at St. Joseph Catholic Church, 3540 Dover St., Dexter. Info., Anne Young (734) 426-5010.

Dexter PTO meets every fourth Monday of the month at 7 p.m. in the media center at Mill Creek Middle School.

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.

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.

Smokers Anonymous meets Tuesdays at St. James' Episcopal Church, Dexter, 7:30-8:30 p.m. Call (734) 426-8896.

Wednesday

Dexter Jaycees are looking for young adults ages 21-39 to join their club. Meetings are the second Wednesday of each month at 7 p.m. at National City Bank, Dexter. Info., (734) 426-1080

Parents For Safety is a non-profit organization dedicated to safety issues within the schools and the village of Dexter. Meetings are open to the public every third Wednesday of the month in the Mill Creek Middle School media center at 7:30 p.m. For more information please call Rhonda Hall at (734) 426-2883.

Village of Dexter Zoning Board of Appeals meets the fourth Wednesday of each month, 7 p.m., at National City Bank.

OTHER

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

Dexter District Library will host Spring Storytime now until June 15 for children ages 3-8 years old. Monday and Thursdays at 10:30 a.m. No registration is required. For more info., call the Library at (734) 426-4477.
 • Dexter Family Service, contact

Pat Burnett, (734) 443-2149, Marian Burgett, (734) 428-2196, Shawn Dettling, (734) 426-4345 or Judy Wheeler, (734) 426-2160.

Dexter Senior Nutrition Program delivers meals M-F to elderly homebound. Serves lunch M-F at Dexter Senior Center, Copeland building. To reserve a lunch, call 24 hrs. ahead, Cindy White, (734) 426-5397.

Play-N-Chat, a home-based group for moms and their children under 5 years old, meets Wednesdays and Fridays. For place and times call Jackie Esch, (734) 426-5437.

Volunteers Needed M-F from 11 a.m.-12:30 p.m. to deliver mid-day meals to senior citizens in the Dexter area. For info., call Cindy at the Dexter Senior Nutrition Center (734) 426-5397.

ANN ARBOR

Alzheimer's Association Transition/Placement Support Group meets on the fourth Wednesday of each month from 7-9 p.m. at Individualized Home Care, 3003 Washtenaw Ave., Suite 5, Ann Arbor. The meetings are free and confidential. Contact the Alzheimer's Association at (800) 337-3827 or (734) 667-3081 for additional information.

Alzheimer's Family Caregiver Support Group meets the first Tuesday of each month, 1-3 p.m. at Turner Senior Resource Center, 2401 Plymouth Road, Suite C, Ann Arbor. Contact the Alzheimer's Association at (800) 337-3827 or (734) 667-3081 for more information.

Arbor Hospice offers grief support group for loss of an adult child. This is a seven-week support group

on Thursdays from 4-5:30 p.m. now through May 18, at the Arbor Residence, 2366 Oak Valley Drive, Ann Arbor. For more information or to register, please call Pat Bauer (734) 662-5999.

Male Caregiver Support Group for husbands, sons and partners of someone with Alzheimer's disease or related dementias meets the second Thursday of the month, 10-11:30 a.m. at Westside United Methodist Church, 900 S. Seventh St., Ann Arbor. Contact the Alzheimer's Association at (800) 337-3827 or (734) 677-3081 for more information.

Teens Using Drugs: "How to Know and What to Do," a free two-night series starting Tuesday, May 2, in the St. Joseph Mercy Hospital Education Center, Classroom EC4, 5305 Elliot Drive, Ypsilanti. Please call (734) 973-7892 for dates and times.

Thursday, April 27

Immune System Disorder Seminar at 7 p.m. at the Comfort Inn, 2455 Carpenter Road, Ann Arbor. Free to the public. Call (734) 434-6482.

Saturday, April 29

Fraleighs Landscape Nursery is hosting their 5th annual Perennial Exchange from 10 a.m. to noon. Rain or shine. Call (734) 663-0313 for more information.

Sunday, April 30

The Genealogical Society of Washtenaw County will meet at 1:30 p.m. in Lecture Hall #1, Liberal Arts and Science Building, Washtenaw Community College, 4800 East Huron River Drive, Ann Arbor. For more info. call Marcia McCrary at (734) 483-2799

WEBSTER TOWNSHIP MEETING NOTICE

The Webster Township Board of Trustees will hold a Special Meeting on Thursday April 27, 2000 at 7:30 P.M. at the Webster Township Hall located at Webster Church Road, Dexter Michigan. The Agenda for the meeting is as follows:

- 1) To consider a Proposed Consent Judgement as the Settlement of the Lawsuit brought against Webster Township by DARMIK Inc. in the case of the denial of the rezoning of the Nixon Farm;
- 2) Consideration of truck traffic Control Ordinance.

LYNDON TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING ON

Thursday, May 11, 2000 at 7:30 p.m.
 Lyndon Township Hall - 17751 N. Territorial Road, Chelsea

AGENDA:

1. An application for a Special Land Use Permit for Bonnie Cook, 10111 Joslin Lake Road, Gregory, MI 48137 (parcel # 05-13-300-019). Ms. Cook would like to run a small herb shop/farm from her home.
- Written comments may be sent to: Lyndon Township Clerk, Janis Knieper, 17751 N. Territorial Road, Chelsea, MI 48118.
- The Lyndon Township Board will provide, if time after the request allows, necessary and reasonable auxiliary aids or services to individuals with disabilities at the public hearing.
- Individuals with disabilities requiring auxiliary aids or services should contact the Lyndon Township Board by writing or calling: Janis Knieper, Clerk, 17751 N. Territorial Road, Chelsea, MI 48118 or phone 734-476-2401.
- A copy of this notice is on file in the office of the clerk.

LYNDON TOWNSHIP

Janis Knieper, Lyndon Township Clerk

DEXTER TOWNSHIP BOARD

REGULAR MEETING TUESDAY, APRIL 18, 2000 7:30 p.m.

Present: Robert Tetens, William Eisenbeiser, Julie Knight-Harley Rider, Libby Brushaber
 Place: Dexter Township Hall, 6880 Dexter-Pinckney Rd.
 Meeting called to order by Supervisor, Robert Tetens. Moved by Rider, supported by Brushaber to approve the agenda. Carried.
 Moved by Rider, supported by Brushaber to approve the minutes of the March 21, 2000 budget-hearing meeting. Carried.
 Moved by Brushaber, seconded by Knight to approve the minutes of the March 21, 2000 meeting as corrected. Carried.
 Moved by Brushaber, seconded by Knight to approve the minutes of the March 28, 2000 Special Board meeting. Carried.
 Treasurer's report-Knight-March report submitted.
 M.T.A. meeting discussed, Township related issues.
 Clerk's Report-Eisenbeiser-The Construction Agency is to be considered by the State on May 3, 2000.
 Ordinance Officer-Harley Rider-20 permits issued in the first quarter.
 Planning Commission-Libby Brushaber-Continued discussion of the Zoning Ordinance.
 Sheriff's Report-Sgt. Toth-The March report was submitted. There was an increase in domestic assault.
 Zoning Board of Appeals-Tetens-4 cases in April. There is now one gas station site plan.
 Multi-Lake Sewer-Brushaber-The public hearings will be held in June or July.
 Moved by Eisenbeiser, supported by Brushaber to approve the 2000-2001 fee schedule. Carried.
 Moved by Eisenbeiser, supported by Brushaber to confer the appointment of James Goreffo to the Planning Commission until 12/31/00. Carried.
 Moved Knight, supported by Rider to appoint Steve Burch to the Zoning Board of Appeals until 12/31/01. Carried.
 Moved by Eisenbeiser, supported by Knight to approve the Dexter Township Road program:
 • 3 coats of brine, sealcoat some subdivision roads, improvements to Huron River Drive at a cost of \$64,330.85. Carried.
 Moved by Rider, supported by Brushaber to pay bills as submitted in the amount of \$64,330.85. Carried.
 Moved by Brushaber, supported by Rider to approve the modified road construction plan for the extension of Peach Mountain Lane. Carried.
 Moved by Rider, supported by Brushaber to adjourn the meeting. Carried.
 Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
 William Eisenbeiser, Clerk
 Dexter Township

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ANOTHER LOOK AT MIRANDA

In 1966, the U.S. Supreme Court ruled (Miranda vs. Arizona) that arrested individuals must be advised of their constitutional rights upon arrest. Otherwise, any evidence or information obtained after the arrest may be admissible in court. Since then, the Miranda rule has shown itself to be fair and workable, saying that criminal suspects must be told of their right to be fair and workable, saying that criminal suspects must be told of their right to have a lawyer present and to remain silent, and that any statement they make may be used against them. Now, Miranda will soon return to the Supreme Court as the result of a Virginia appellate court ruling that the failure to issue Miranda warnings no longer requires automatic expulsion of evidence in federal prosecutions.

If you have been charged with a criminal offense or misdemeanor, the LAW OFFICES OF KITCHEN & STRINGER invites you to call 426-4695 to schedule a free consultation. We are a full service law firm with over 30 years of experience, and also accept cases involving family law, real estate, personal injury, veterinary malpractice, wills, trusts, and estates probate, and business and contract law. You'll find our offices located in Dexter, at 3249 Broad Street.

HINT: The Miranda is steeped in the perceived need for stronger safeguards to protect the Fifth Amendment's privilege against self-incrimination during coercive police questioning.

DEXTER TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION

WILL MEET
 TUESDAY, MAY 2, 2000
 AT 7:30 P.M.
 THE INFORMAL CITIZEN'S MEETING
 WILL MEET AT
 6:15 TO 7:15 P.M.
 AT
 DEXTER TOWNSHIP HALL
 6880 DEXTER-PINCKNEY RD.
 DEXTER, MI 48130

AGENDA

- 1) Discussion of proposed ordinance changes

From 6:15 p.m. until 7:15 p.m. there will be two or three commissioners available to accept recommendations or suggestions for the Zoning Ordinance revisions.
 John Gillespie,
 Chairman

VILLAGE OF DEXTER PLANNING COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Pursuant to Michigan Public Act 207 of 1921, as amended (City and Village Zoning Act), notice is hereby given that the Village of Dexter Planning Commission will hold a public hearing at 7:30, on Monday, May 1, 2000, at the National City Bank Building, 8123 Main Street, Second Floor Meeting Room, Dexter, MI 48130 for the purpose of considering amendments to the Village Zoning Ordinance. Public comments will be accepted for amendments to Article 14(A), Professional Business District.

Information regarding the Zoning Ordinance amendments is available for public inspection at the Village Zoning Office on the second floor of the National City Bank Building, 8123 Main Street, Dexter, weekdays between 9:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., or at the Village Office, 8140 Main Street, Dexter, weekdays between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Written comments regarding this request should be submitted to the Village Clerk no later than 5:00 p.m., Friday, April 28, 2000. Sign language interpreter, or other assistance, is provided upon request to the Clerk, at least 72 hours in advance of the meeting. Minutes of all meetings are available at Village Hall.

Donna Fisher, Clerk
 8140 Main Street

Publication Date: April 27, 2000

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VILLAGE OF CHELSEA NOTICE OF ORDINANCE ADOPTION

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT Zoning Ordinance No. 79PPPP, "An Ordinance to amend the Chelsea Village Ordinance No. 79, PUD District Regulation" was adopted by Chelsea Village Council on April 11, 2000. This Ordinance shall become effective 20 days after adoption and publication as provided by law. Copies of the Ordinance may be purchased or inspected at the Chelsea Village Clerk's Office, 305 S. Main Street, Suite 100, Chelsea, Michigan 48118, telephone (734) 475-1771, during regular business hours of 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, except for legal holidays.

Francesa E. Zatorski,
Village Clerk

CHELSEA SCHOOL DISTRICT LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF THE ELECTORS OF CHELSEA SCHOOL DISTRICT WASHTENAW AND JACKSON COUNTIES, MICHIGAN.

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the regular school election of the school district will be held on Monday, June 12, 2000.

THE LAST DAY ON WHICH PERSONS MAY REGISTER IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE REGULAR SCHOOL ELECTION CALLED TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, JUNE 12, 2000, IS MONDAY, MAY 15, 2000. PERSONS REGISTERING AFTER 5 O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING ON MONDAY, MAY 15, 2000, ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE REGULAR SCHOOL ELECTION.

To register, visit any Secretary of State branch office or your county, city, or township clerk's office. Persons planning to register with the respective county, city, or township clerk must ascertain the days and hours on which the clerk's offices are open for registration.

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education.

CHELSEA SCHOOL DISTRICT

Dayle K. Wright

Secretary, Board of Education

SYLVAN TOWNSHIP PUBLIC HEARING MAY 3, 2000

TAKE NOTICE, that the Sylvan Township Planning Commission shall hold a Public Hearing on May 3, 2000 at the SYLVAN TOWNSHIP HALL, 18027 Old US 12, Chelsea, Michigan 48118 at 7:30 p.m., EDT, for the purpose of considering a recommendation on the Petition of the Sylvan Township Board to amend the Sylvan Township Zoning Ordinance. The proposed amendment is to be known as Sylvan Township Residential Planned Unit Development District No. 1. This District and the Regulations would apply to the following described real estate only:

That portion of the following described parcels lying West of the centerline of the proposed M-52 By Pass, being approximately 130 acres in area:

Land situated in the Township of Sylvan, Washtenaw County, Michigan, to-wit: Beginning at the Northeast corner of Section 11, T2S, R3E, Sylvan Township, Washtenaw County, Michigan, thence along the East line of said Section 11, 2883.47 feet on the East 1/4 corner of said Section 11; thence along the East and West 1/4 line of said Section 11, S 88°48'33" W 2880.76 feet to the Center of said Section 11; thence along North and South 1/4 corner of said Section 11; thence along the North line of said Section 11 and along the centerline of Sibley Road, N 88°45'00" E 1400.75 feet; thence S 01°15'00" E 680.00 feet; thence N 88°45'00" E 713.93 feet to a point on the centerline of Letta Creek; thence along said centerline in the following six (6) courses: (1) N 14°47'47" E 42.07 feet; (2) N 33°25'34" E 330.38 feet; (3) N 20°25'58" E 56.70 feet; (4) N 15°10'00" E 72.19 feet; (5) N 18°05'51" W 44.79 feet; and (6) N 39°27'50" W 230.62 feet to a point on the North line of said Section 11 and the centerline of Sibley Road; thence along said North line and along said centerline N 88°45'00" E 4880.97 feet to the Point of Beginning, being a part of the Northeast 1/4 of said Section 11. Subject to the rights of the public over the Southerly 33 feet of Sibley Road.

Commencing at the East 1/4 corner of Section 11, T2S, R3E, Village of Chelsea, Washtenaw County, Michigan; thence along the East and West 1/4 line of said Section 11, South 88°48'33" West 1287.00 feet from the East 1/4 corner of said Section 11 for a POINT OF BEGINNING; thence South 00°24'32" East 824.72 feet to a point on the Southerly line of Cavanaugh Lake Road; thence along said southerly line, South 70°04'22" West 876.75 feet; thence North 19°54'38" West 301.60 feet; thence South 70°04'22" West 200.00 feet; thence South 19°54'38" East 301.60 feet; thence South 70°04'22" West 244.63 feet to a point on the North and South 1/4 line of said Section 11; thence along said 1/4 line North 00°38'27" West 928.08 feet to the Center of said Section 11; thence along the East and West 1/4 line of said Section 11, North 88°48'33" East 1388.24 feet to the Point of Beginning, being a part of the West 1/2 of the Southeast 1/4 of said Section 11.

Tax Code Parcel Nos: Part of 81-06-11-480-010 and all of 81-06-11-100-005.

The purpose of this District is to: provide flexibility in the regulation of land development; provide for compatible mixing of uses, encourage innovation in site planning and development, encourage variety in the type and design of housing and to improve the quality of residential environment, provided commercial, education, and recreational facilities conveniently located in relation to housing, and to conserve natural features.

The proposed amendment may be examined at the office of the Clerk, Township Hall, 18027 Old US 12, Chelsea, Michigan 48118, Monday and Wednesdays, 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon.

LUANN KOCH

SYLVAN TOWNSHIP CLERK

SYLVAN TOWNSHIP APRIL 14TH MINUTES

The regular meeting of the Sylvan Township Board was held April 4, 2000 at 7 PM in the Sylvan Township Hall, 18027 Old US 12, Chelsea.

The following board members were present: Supervisor Dresselhouse, Clerk Koch, Treasurer Grau, Trustee Heller. Trustee Lesser was absent.

Also present was Bob Shepherd, David and Melissa Koetsler, David Brooks, Bill Letzen, Len MacLean, Kurt Koscek and Charles Burgess.

Minutes were approved as presented.

Motion by Grau, seconded by Heller to adopt the Budget for 2000-2001 and set mileage of .9801 to support the budget. Carried.

Motion by Grau, seconded by Koch to pay bills as presented. Carried.

A Public Hearing was held for Level III Communications, LLC for a permit to install fiber optic ducts through Sylvan Township. Bill Letzen and Len MacLean were present to explain to the Board their proposed project along the railroad tract and the need for permission to cross public roads in Sylvan Township. Motion by Koch, seconded by Grau to have Supervisor sign the permit upon approval of Lee Fahrner. Carried.

Dave Koetsler, Michigan State Police was presented and provided the Board with a report for March runs. Koetsler reported furniture and phones are in and hopes to occupy by Thursday.

Zoning Inspector Burgess reported 9 permits and 3 waivers for March.

Supervisor Dresselhouse reported a complaint has been signed in the 14th District Court to remove the temporary dwelling on Garvey Road. There has been no bypass meeting and none are scheduled. Dresselhouse also brought to the attention of the board the Gypsy Moth Program. John Frame from Washtenaw County indicates a Gypsy Moth problem in an area around Cavanaugh Lake. After discussion, a motion by Koch, seconded by Grau that Sylvan Township will not participate in this program. Carried.

Dresselhouse also presented the Board with an Application submitted by Chelsea Land for Rezoning. A Public Hearing will be held on April 27th with the Planning Commission. It is also necessary to develop a PUD ordinance and have the Planning Commission scheduled a public hearing as soon as possible. Motion by Koch, seconded by Heller for the Clerk to sent the Planning Commission a PUD Ordinance per our attorney and schedule the Public Hearing Carried.

Clerk Koch reported Petitions are available for township offices.

Trustee Heller reported on the CAPT meeting and the Building Agency is on the State of Michigan agendas docket in May.

Motion by Heller, seconded by Grau to approve the purchase of the property next to the Hall at \$115,000 with 2 years free rent and allow the Supervisor and Clerk to sign the closing documents. Carried.

The Bids for Lawn Care at the Township Hall and Maple Grove Cemetery were opened March 27th at 10 AM. The bids were presented to the Board. Motion by Grau, seconded by Koch to reject all bids and sent our rebid notices to all who bid and request proof of liability insurance. Carried.

The Spring Clean Up was set up for May 20th at Jim Kalmbach's resident again from 7AM to 1 PM. This is a joint venture with Lima Township. Notices to appear in Chelsea Standard.

Motion by Heller, seconded by Grau to sign Management Letter from Planté and Moran for the audit this year. Carried.

Motion by Koch, seconded by Lesser to ratify telephone poll for Camp Waterloo Contract. Carried.

Motion by Koch, seconded by Grau to issued a driveway permit to Duane/Luick on Elizabeth Way. Carried.

Motion by Heller, seconded by Lesser to adjourn.

LuAnn S. Koch

Sylvan Township Clerk

LYNDON TOWNSHIP MINUTE'S APRIL 11, 2000

Meeting called to order and opened with pledge of allegiance to the flag. Board presented former trustee Roderick with a gift in recognition of over 20 years of service to the Township.

Consent agenda adopted.

Moved and carried to support the appointment of G. Nelson to the Township Planning Commission.

Moved and carried to set the monthly Township Board regular meetings on the second Tuesday of the month at 7:00 p.m. at Lyndon Township except for the August meeting is scheduled for the third Tuesday.

Moved and carried to authorize the Clerk's office to purchase a laser printer not to exceed \$700.00

Moved and carried to raise the Gypsy Moth Administrative fee from \$15.00 to \$25.00 per spray block.

Reports given:

Other Business:

Township web page is www.lyndontownship.org and email address is lyndontownship@provide.net.

Moved and carried to authorize McMurray to attend to 2 sessions of BSA training on the Equalizer program at \$185.00 per session.

Meeting adjourned without objection at 8:00 p.m.

Janis Knieper-Lyndon Township Clerk.

VILLAGE OF DEXTER SPRING CLEAN-UP

FRIDAY, APRIL 28, 1999 TO THURSDAY MAY 4, 1999

- Anything, within reason, generated by village residents only, that can be carried will be hauled away.
- No demolition, construction or remodeling debris, batteries or hazardous materials.
- Branches, limbs, brush must be stacked neatly in lengths not to exceed 10 feet, with butt-ends facing the same direction. Individual branches must be a minimum of 1 inch in diameter but not exceed 4 inches at the butt end nor 2 feet in diameter at the bushy end. Limbs less than 1 inch must be bagged (Potoskey Plastics, "Nature Grade Plus")
- Leaves and grass clippings must be in Bio-degradable bags (Potoskey Plastics, "Nature Grade Plus")
- Furniture, appliances, water heaters, washer, dryer, etc.
- All items must be placed at curb or street edge.
- Stacked brush and compostable materials in biodegradable bags will be collected by village D.P.W. crews. All other refuse and debris will be collected by contracted refuse haulers.
- Disposal fees will be charged for the following items:
- Freon items (freezers, refrigerators, air conditioners, dehumidifiers, etc....)
- Automotive tires \$35.00 each
- Large truck tire and tractor tires \$10.00 each
- Large pickup and tractor tires \$50 each
- For pick-up of freon items and tires. Payment must be made in advance to Mr. Rubbish at 1-800-971-7490 ask for residential customer service.
- For additional information call Dexter D.P.W. at 426-8530

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE NOTICE OF ACTION AND ARREST

This is an advertisement required by Rule C(4) of the rules of Practice in Admiralty and Maritime Cases.

UNITED STATES v. CERTAIN REAL PROPERTY LOCATED AT 10400 HADLEY ROAD, LYNDON TOWNSHIP, WASHTENAW COUNTY, GREGORY, MICHIGAN, TOGETHER WITH ALL OF ITS FIXTURES, IMPROVEMENTS, AND APPURTENANCES

CIVIL NO. 00-71797

In the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Michigan, Southern Division, notice is hereby given that on or about April 17, 2000, pursuant to a Complaint for Forfeiture filed in this Court by the United States Attorney on April 17, 2000, a summons, Warrant of Arrest and Notice in Rem was executed against CERTAIN REAL PROPERTY LOCATED AT 10400 HADLEY ROAD, LYNDON TOWNSHIP, WASHTENAW COUNTY, GREGORY, MICHIGAN, TOGETHER WITH ALL OF ITS FIXTURES, IMPROVEMENTS, AND APPURTENANCES property sought to be forfeited by the United States as forfeited under 21 U.S.C. § 881 (a) (7). Any person claiming an interest in said property must file a claim in this Court within ten (10) days after notice of this publication, and must file an answer within twenty (20) days after the filing of such claim.

SAUL A. GREEN

United States Attorney

STEPHANIE DAWKINS DAVIS

Assistant United States Attorney

211 W. Fort Street

Suite 2001

Detroit, MI 48226-3211

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WEBSTER TOWNSHIP MINUTES FOR APRIL 18TH

Webster Township board meeting called to order at 7:30 by Sup. Fisher. Present: Fisher, Present: Fisher, Baldus, Calhoun, Fink, Kingsley, Zoning Inspector Jim Ross and nine residents.

Minutes of March 15, 21 and 24, 2000 approved by motion Calhoun support Kingsley and carried.

Motion Kingsley supported Baldus to accept Treasurers report and pay bills as presented. Carried.

Motion Calhoun support Fink to authorized purchase of windows version from BS&A software to replace Doss. Carried.

Parks and Recreation next meeting in two weeks with Peter Pollack for final plan. Received \$4,000.00 grant from Detroit Edison for trees. Trees to be planted May 6, 2000. Received five estimates for supplying trees. Volunteers will do planting.

Motion Calhoun support Fink not to exceed \$9,000.00 with \$4,000.00 returned from grant. Roll call vote and carried.

Zoning Inspector Jim Ross issued 29 permits, 11 for houses and twenty four new addresses. Total houses for this year 89, one year ago 107.

Motion Baldus support Calhoun to approve agenda. Carried.

OLD BUSINESS:

A) Revised language for Webster Township Schedule of fees be ready for publication next month.

B) Special Board Meeting for Darrick Lawsuit to be held April 27, 2000 at 7:30 at Webster Township Hall.

C) Computer System and Web Site Development.

Motion Calhoun support Fink to purchase from Wittigan, second lowest bidder, Computer System update, not to exceed \$18,000.00 Roll call vote, all ayes and carried. Network printer to be purchased at a later date. Installation ISD line \$98.00 per month for dedicated line.

D) Fire Service Cost Recovery Ordinance next meeting.

E) Motion Calhoun support Kingsley to proceed to draft language for Solicitors Ordinance with Lawyer. Carried.

F) Recycling. Supervisor Fisher received proposed new contract from county and will contact them concerning their finding level and bring to May meeting.

AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION:

Citizen would like deputy to attend meetings and report monthly. Citizen handed out copy of Mobile Home Park Reform Legislation received from State Rep John P. Hansen.

Question as to how many cars can a resident have in their yard for sale without it being a used car lot.

Erica Perry wondering if students from U of M had presented their report to the township.

What all will be available when we receive our Web Site?

NEW BUSINESS:

A) Township Holidays

The following dates will be the township holidays. Good Friday, 4/21/2000. Memorial Day 5/29/2000, Independence Day 7/4/2000, Labor Day 9/4/2000, Thanksgiving and the day after 11/23 & 11/24, 2000, Christmas 12/25/2000 New Years Day 1/1/2001, Presidents Day 2/29/01.

B) Ballot Proposition for Mileage for Police and Fire Protection. Motion Kingsley support Fink to put Mileage for Police and Fire Protection, increase taxes for one mill for period of five years on the August ballot. Carried.

C) Wage increase for Election Workers.

Motion Kingsley support Calhoun to increase election workers pay to \$9.50 for Chr and \$8.50 for inspectors for August and Nov. elections Roll call vote, all ayes and carried.

D) Application for Bloom Private Road Permit.

Motion Fink support Calhoun to accept from Zoning Inspector Ross recommendation for approval of the permit to build the Private Road contingent on the plans being corrected; approval of the connection with N Territorial Rd by the County Rd Comm and receipt of a statement adopting the State Uniform Traffic Code. All ayes and carried.

AUDIENCE

What hours for Road Side clean up on May 6, 2000. All day at new Township hall. Township will arrange separate pick up for tires.

Time of Special Darrick Meeting to be 7:30, April 27, 2000.

Motion Calhoun support Kingsley meeting adjourn at 8:40 P.M. Carried.

Respectfully submitted

Wana M. Baldus, Clerk

VILLAGE OF CHELSEA VACANCY ON PLANNING COMMISSION

The Village of Chelsea is accepting applications from persons willing to serve on the Planning Commission. Requirements include Village residency as well as a commitment to attend one regular meeting as well as one work session per month. Send a brief resume to the Village of Chelsea Planning & Zoning Department, Attention James Drolet, 305 S. Main Street, Suite 100, Chelsea, Michigan 48118. Please submit resume by May 19, 2000.

CHELSEA DISTRICT LIBRARY BOARD MINUTES MARCH 21, 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.

Guests signed in:

Lella Draugelis, Lucie and Dan Smith, George Speribaum, Brooks and Kathy Cone, Sharon and Mike Fitzsimmons, Rita Fischer, Linda and Rick Tarantowski, Ellie Strong, Marie Shott, Colleen Verge, Allen Cole, John Gourlay, Linda Ballard, Tina Diab, Julie Smith

Comments from the Community

Community members expressed their concerns about the possibility that children may be inadvertently exposed to or able to access inappropriate Internet sites at the Library. The Board is researching and reviewing options for potential changes in its Internet policy that would alleviate community concerns.

RFP for Architect: The Building Committee presented a draft of the proposed RFP for architects.

Correspondence (L. Fox): The Village of Chelsea will not change the parking on Washington Street at this time.

MOVED by D. Lee and Seconded by J. Dohner to increase the Director's salary to \$60,000/year; retroactive to the beginning of this year. Motion PASSED unanimously.

Adjournment - at 9:15 p.m.

VILLAGE OF CHELSEA COUNTY OF WASHTENAW, STATE OF MICHIGAN NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON TAX INCREMENT FINANCING AND DEVELOPMENT PLAN AMENDMENTS OF THE DOWNTOWN DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY OF THE VILLAGE OF CHELSEA

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS IN THE VILLAGE OF CHELSEA:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Village of Council of the Village of Chelsea, State of Michigan, will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, May 23, 2000, at 7:30 o'clock p.m. prevailing Eastern Time at the Washington Street Education Center Board Room, 500 Washington Street, Chelsea, Michigan, to consider the adoption of an ordinance approving amendments to the Tax Increment Financing and Development Plan for the Downtown Development Authority of the Village of Chelsea pursuant to Act 197 of the Public Acts of Michigan of 1975, as amended.

The boundaries of the development area to which the amended Plan applies are as follows:

Beginning at the northeast corner of Lot 1, Block 18, Eliaha Congdon's Third Addition; thence S 02° E 470.25 feet along the E line of Lots 1 and 2, Block 16 of second addition and along the E line of Lots 1 to 4 inclusive, Block 17 of said addition to the center line of Van Buren Street; thence N 88°30' E 132.00 feet along the center line of Van Buren Street; thence S 02° E 284.79 feet; thence N 88°30' W approximately 287 feet to the center line of M-52; thence S 02° E along the center line of M-52 to the center line of Lincoln Street; thence S 89° W approximately 197 feet along the center line of Lincoln Street; thence N 01° W 231 feet along the E line of Block 6, James Congdon's Second Addition to the SE corner of Lot 6, Block 6 James Congdon's Second Addition; thence S 89° W 287 feet along the S line of Lots 6 and 13, Block 9, James Congdon's Second Addition to the center line of Congdon Street; thence S 89° W 330 feet along the S line of Lots 7 and 12, Block 5, James Congdon's Second Addition to the center line of Garfield Street; thence N 01° W 132 feet along the center line of Garfield Street; thence N 89° E 330 feet along the N line of Lots 6 and 13, Block 5, James Congdon's Second Addition to the center line of Congdon Street; thence N 01° W 198 feet along the center line of Congdon Street; thence N 89° E 287 feet along the N line of Lots 3 and 16, Block 6, James Congdon's Second Addition to the E line of said Addition; thence N 01° W 156.75 feet along the E line of Block 6, James Congdon's Second Addition to the center line of West Summit Street; thence N 89° E 70.38 feet along the center line of West Summit Street; thence N 01° W 123.75 feet; thence S 89° W approximately 188.5 feet to the E line of Block 1, James Congdon's Second addition; thence N 01° W approximately 516 feet along the E line of Block 1, James Congdon's Second Addition to the center line of South Street; thence N 70° E along the center line of South Street to a point S 20° E 33 feet from the SW corner of Lot 11, Block 4, Plat of the Village of Chelsea; thence N 20° W 157.08 feet along the E line of Lot 11, Block 4, Plat of the Village of Chelsea to the NW corner of said Lot 11; thence S 70° W 132 feet along the N line of Lots 12 to 15 inclusive, Block 4, Plat of the Village of Chelsea to the NW corner of said Lot 15; thence N 20° W 157.08 feet along the W line of Lot 15, Block 4, Plat of the Village of Chelsea to the center line of West Middle Street; thence S 70° W 305.25 feet along the center line of West Middle Street; thence N 20° W 165 feet along a line S 25° E of and parallel to the E line of Lots 23 and 37, Block 5, Plat of the Village of Chelsea to the N line of said Block 5; thence S 70° W approximately 198 feet along the N line of Block 5, Plat of the Village of Chelsea to a point in the N line of Lot 29 of said Block 5; thence S 20° E 16.5 feet; thence S 70° W 68.4 feet; thence N 20° W approximately 173.1 feet to the center line of the Corral Railroad right-of-way; thence N 70° E approximately 715 feet along the center line of the Corral Railroad right-of-way; thence N 20° W approximately 80 feet; thence N 29° W 33 feet; thence N 65°30' E 113 feet; thence N 20° W 62 feet; thence N 70° E 16 feet; thence N 20° W 54 feet to the SW corner of Lot 12, Block 6, Plat of the Village of Chelsea; thence S 70° W 132 feet along the S line of said Block 6 to the SW corner of Lot 14, Block 6, Plat of the Village of Chelsea; thence N 20° W 448.48 feet along the W line of Lots 14 and 33, Block 6, Plat of the Village of Chelsea, and along the W line of Lot 7, Mary P. Frazer's Addition to the center line of Buchanan Street; thence N 71°23'15" E approximately 175 feet along the center line of Buchanan Street; thence continuing along the center line of Buchanan Street N 78°17'15" E approximately 204.4 feet; thence N 13°37'20" W approximately 302.8 feet; thence S 83°47'45" E 54.7 feet; thence N 00°17'15" W 110.4 feet; thence W 284 feet to the center line of M-52; thence S 00°04'00" W approximately 122.5 feet along the center line of M-52; thence S 89° E 554.0 feet; thence N 00°50'40" E 132.3 feet; thence S 87°56'20" E 452.24 feet along the S line of D.B. Taylor's Addition; thence S 01°04'20" E 123.75 feet; thence S 87°02'20" E 71.97 feet; thence S 11°49' E approximately 199.2 feet to the center line of East North Street; thence S 71°47'40" W approximately 327.5 feet to the intersection of the center line of East Street; thence S 18°18'20" E approximately 363 feet to the intersection of the center line of the Corral Railroad right-of-way; thence S 71°47'40" W 282 feet along the centerline of said Railroad right-of-way; thence S 20° E approximately 174 feet along a line S 16 feet W of and parallel to the E line of Lot 33, Block 2, Plat of the Village of Chelsea; thence S 70° W 147 feet along the S line of Lot 33 to 37 inclusive of said Block 2 to the SW corner of said Lot 37; thence S 20° E 157.08 feet along the E line of Lot 13 of said Block 2 to the center line of East Middle Street; thence N 70° E 93 feet along the center line of East Middle Street; thence S 20° E along the E line of Lots 40 and 17, Block 3, Plat of the Village of Chelsea to the center line of "Former Public Alley"; thence N 70° E along the center line of "Former Public Alley" to a point N 20° W of the NW corner of Lot 1, Block 15, Eliaha Congdon's Plat of His Second Addition; thence S 20° E to the center line of Park Street; thence S 02° E 165 feet along a line S 16.5 feet E of and parallel to the W line of Lot 8, Block 14, Eliaha Congdon's Plat of His Second Addition to the N line of Abel R. Fenn's Addition; thence S 89° W 16.5 feet along the N line of Abel R. Fenn's Addition to the NE corner of Lot 3, Block 2, Abel R. Fenn's Addition; thence S 02° E 40 feet along the E line of said Lot 3; thence S 89° W 132 feet along a line 40 feet S of and parallel to the N line of Lots 2 and 3, Block 2, Abel R. Fenn's Addition; thence N 02° W 40 feet along the W line of said Lot 2 to the NW corner of said Lot 2; thence S 89° W 68 feet along the N line of Lot 1, Block 2, Abel R. Fenn's Addition to the NW corner of said lot 1; thence S 02° E approximately 91 feet; thence S 88°30' W 132 feet; thence S 02° E 161.04 feet to the center line of Orchard Street; thence N 88°30' E 68.6 feet along the center line of Orchard Street; thence S 02° E 161.04 feet along the E line of Lot 1, Block 1,

HOUSES OF WORSHIP

CHELSEA Assembly of God
First Assembly of God
14900 Old US-12, Chelsea
(734) 475-2615
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) 475-7561
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
13861 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) 851-8141 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) 475-2526
Jeff Crowder, Pastor
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.;
Worship, 11 a.m.
Wednesday: Small groups, 7 p.m.
in homes.

Episcopal
St. Barnabas
20500 Old US-12, Chelsea
(734) 475-8818
The Rev. Dr. Jervold Beaumont
Sunday: Christian Education, 10
a.m.; Services, 10 a.m.
Wednesday: Services, 6:30 p.m.

Free Methodist
Chelsea Free Methodist
7665 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) 428-4302 or 428-8442
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) 475-7559
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) 428-8430
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
Georgie 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
Baha'i 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) 522-8182
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) 428-8483
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
3279 Broad St., Dexter
(734) 428-8247
The Rev. David J. Horning
Sunday: Holy Eucharist, 8 a.m. and
10 a.m.; Nursery and Sunday
school, 10 a.m.

Lutheran
Faith Lutheran (WELS)
9575 N. Territorial Rd.
(734) 428-4302
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) 878-6859
The Rev. Kurt Hutchens, 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) 428-8480
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 Williamsville 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.
See ad for Easter Services.

Quaker
Michigan Friends Center
7748 Clark Lake Rd., Chelsea
Isabel Bliss, Pastor
(734) 475-9978
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

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) 456-7661
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) 426-0833
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) 426-4015
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) 781-7303
Tim Wise, Pastor
Sunday: Worship 10:30 a.m.

Seie 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
7810 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
5484 Webster Church Rd., Dexter
(734) 426-5115
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



MELVIN WILLIAM GILBERTSON
Dexter

Age 75, went to be with the Lord
on Thursday, March 30, 2000, with
his family by his side. He was
born on July 19, 1924, in New Ulm,
Minn., the son of Andrew and
Olivia Gilbertson. On Dec. 30,
1954, he was married to Carolyn
Campbell.

Melvin attended and graduated
from Ann Arbor High in 1943. He
entered the Army and served during
World War II. Melvin worked
in the maintenance department
for Washtenaw County. He was a
member of the Ann Arbor Bowling
Association, where he served as
president. He was also a member
of the Bowling Hall of Fame, and
the Moose Lodge. Melvin also
played and coached softball in the
Ann Arbor area for many years.

He is survived by his wife, Caro-
lyn; children Richard (Pam) Gil-
bertson, Pam Mankoff, Suzanne
Thompson and Linda Gellert; sib-
lings Art, Andrew, David, James
and John Gilbertson and Diane
McGill; six grandchildren, Lisa,
Becky, Richard, Ben, Eric and
Tristan; and a host of nieces and

nephews. He was preceded in
death by his parents and his in-
laws, Gertrude and Elmer Camp-
bell; two sisters, Dorothy Moore
and Dolores Hankins; and son-in-
law Darrell Thompson.

Services were held Monday,
April 3, at Zion Lutheran Church
in Ann Arbor, with visitation until
the time of service, with the Rev.
Barry Ludwig presiding. The fam-
ily received visitors Saturday and
Sunday at Muehlhig Funeral
Chapel. Interment at Washtenong
Memorial Park. Contributions are
suggested to the Alzheimer's As-
sociation.

DORIS K. (WELBY) REINHOLZ

Chelsea

Age 90, passed away Tuesday,
March 7, 2000, at the Chelsea Re-
tirement Community. She was
born on Jan. 2, 1910, in Cam-
borne, England, the daughter of
Samuel J. and Fanny (Hoare) Keast.

She was a teacher in the De-
troit Public School district for
years. She was a member of the
First Presbyterian Church of Ply-
mouth as well.

Surviving are two nephews,
William J. (Sue) Ivey of Dexter
and Sam Ivey of Eagle Creek, Ore.;
and one niece, Doris (William)
Douglas of Ft. Myers, Fla. She was
preceded in death by her hus-
bands, Walter Welby and Albert
A. Reinholz.

Burial has already taken place
in Evergreen Cemetery, Wayne
County. A memorial service will
be held in the chapel of the Chel-
sea Retirement Community on
Tuesday, May 2, at 10:30 a.m. with
the Rev. Gordon Schleicher officiat-
ing. Memorial contributions may
be made to the Chelsea Retirement
Community. Arrangements
made by the Staffan-Mitchell Fu-
neral Home.

VINCENT D. ST. CHARLES

Dexter

Age 71, passed away April 25,
2000. Survived by his wife of 49 1/2
years, Antoinette "Ann"; four
sons, Jerome (Bonnie), Kenneth
(Colleen), Martin (Connie) and
Jeffrey; and a granddaughter,
Lisa.

"Vince" retired from Great
Lakes Plastics after 25 years of
service, and was a veteran of
World War II, serving in the U.S.
Air Force.

A memorial service was held
Wednesday, April 26, from the
Hoover-Muehlhig Funeral Chapel
in Dexter, with the Rev. Henry
Martin officiating.

RICHARD G. WEIR

Manchester

Age 50, died Saturday morning,
April 22, 2000, at St. Joseph Mercy
hospital. He was born Aug. 9, 1949,
in Tecumseh, the son of Richard
John and Ethel M. (Aiken) Weir.

Richard was a lifelong resi-
dent of Manchester and was a
member of Emmanuel Church of
Christ in Manchester. He was a
veteran of the U.S. Navy, loved to
cook and enjoyed crafts and play-
ing the stock market. Severe dia-
betes led to a double amputation,
causing him to be wheelchair
bound. But his spirit and deter-
mination lifted him above his af-
liction.

He married Joann C. Phillips
in Manchester on Oct. 16, 1971,
and she preceded him in death on
Aug. 11, 1999. Surviving are three
children, Christian (Dottie) Weir
of Abbington, Md., Tony Weir of
Ypsilanti, two brothers, Ronald
(Nancy) Weir of Manchester and
Russell (Joy) Weir of Georgia; and
his mother- and father-in-law,
Zelda and Fred Phillips of Lake
City. He was preceded in death by
his parents and his brother
Randy.

Memorial services will be held
May 1 at 1 p.m. at Emmanuel
Church of Christ in Manchester.
Private burial was in Oak Grove
Cemetery, Manchester. Memorial
contributions may be made to the
American Diabetes Association or
Emmanuel Church of Christ. Ar-
rangements by Staffan-Mitchel
Funeral Home, Chelsea.

Show choir cabaret slated

The Washington Street Show
Choir will perform its annual
"Cabaret" show Friday, May 12,
and Saturday, May 13, at 7:30
p.m.

The singing and dancing tal-
ents of Chelsea High School
students will be featured in
both solo and group perform-
ances covering a wide variety
of musical styles. The group
will perform its competition
show, including the upbeat
"Pass it On" to conclude the
show.

Appearing with the Wash-
ington Street Show Choir on
Friday night will be the A.D.
Mayer Show Choir, made up of
students from Beach Middle
School, in a number choreo-
graphed by former Chelsea
student Amanda Warren. Sat-
urday's show will have a spe-
cial performance with WSSC
alumni to commemorate the
group's 10th anniversary.

Tickets are \$7 each and may
be purchased at the Chelsea
Pharmacy.

The Old Rugged Cross

Dear Friends and Neighbors,

It would seem inappropriate
and shocking to walk into a
church, a place of worship, and
see an item associated with tor-
ture and death. Yet that is ex-
actly what most churches have as
their focal point—a cross.

The cross, in Roman culture
and in several mid-eastern cul-
tures 2000 years ago, was the ulti-
mate instrument of execution, an
"emblem of suffering and shame"
so terrible that it was never used
for Roman citizens.

The events we celebrated this
past weekend changed our entire
thinking about the cross. Instead
of something shameful to be avoided,
we now recognize the cross as the
instrument through which Jesus
suffered as the payment for our

sins and brought us eternal life. By
being in contact with His cross the
Son of God made the cross an hon-
orable thing. Similarly He took the
sting out of death and the grave by
being placed in the grave for parts
of three days.

By overcoming the cross and
the grave Jesus took away the fear
and the danger associated with
them. In fact, He neutralized all
the fearful and dangerous things
in life.

That's why we can cherish and
cling to the old rugged cross.

Please join us at worship this
Sunday, 10:00a.m., as we contin-
ue our celebration of Jesus' victory
on Easter.

Pastor Mark Porinsky

BOWLING

CENTURY 21 NORTHSTAR - 4-19-00	W	L
Black 40	133	105
The Acres	128	112
All Most	123	115
Sisters	119	119
Quit Claim	116	122
Fore-Closure	97	141

CHELSEA LANE YOUTH MIXED - 4-22-00	W	L
Chelsea Lanes	143	67
Darts	137	73
"We Are Family"	121	89
The Hicks	117	93
Red Dawgs	117	93
The Lunatics	115	95
Millennium	111	99
Syrac Wrap	109	101
All in the Family	107	103
Strike Force	100	110
Slick	100	110
The Other Team	99	111
Bushwackers	95	116
Cro-Magnons	93	117
Regicide	87	123
Quiet Riot	74	136
F.W. Express	74	136
Bowl Dogs	70	140

High Game: Valisa Thompson, 172; Greg Vanorman, 221	W	L
High Series: Sarah Castleberry, 474; Chris Bauer, 552		

SIFR BUNKER BOWLERS - 4-22-00	W	L
Stautz	88	65
Brown	60	90
Purdy	58	92
Burkett	57	93
High Game: Jenny Stautz, 103; Ryan Stautz, 54		
High Series: Jenny Stautz, 196; Michael Purdy, 147		

CHELSEA MD MORNING MIXED - 4-22-00	W	L
Surge	149 1/2	60 1/2
Team Bubbles	133	77
Dynasty Strikers	122 1/2	87 1/2
Peace Babies	71	139
Pinheads	67	101
Team 6	0	168
High Game: Dana Feldkamp, 82; Doug Spruiell, 145		
High Series: Olivia Miller, 129; Joe Montibello, 236		

SENIORS FUNTIME - 4-19-00	W	L
Alley Cats	76	36
Hit or Miss	74 1/2	37 1/2
Send Baggies	71	41
Wild Ones	69	43
Keglers	68	44
Go Getters	65 1/2	46 1/2
Volunteers	64	48
Happy Bowlers	63	54
KAC	66	56
Good Timers	65	57
Pals	65	57
Spine Ribs	65	57
Three Cookies	62 1/2	62 1/2
Stinkies	49 1/2	65 1/2
Steadies	45	67
Poke Dogs	44	68
Lucky 13	41	71
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High Series: Betty Wild, 470; Jack Richmond, 581		

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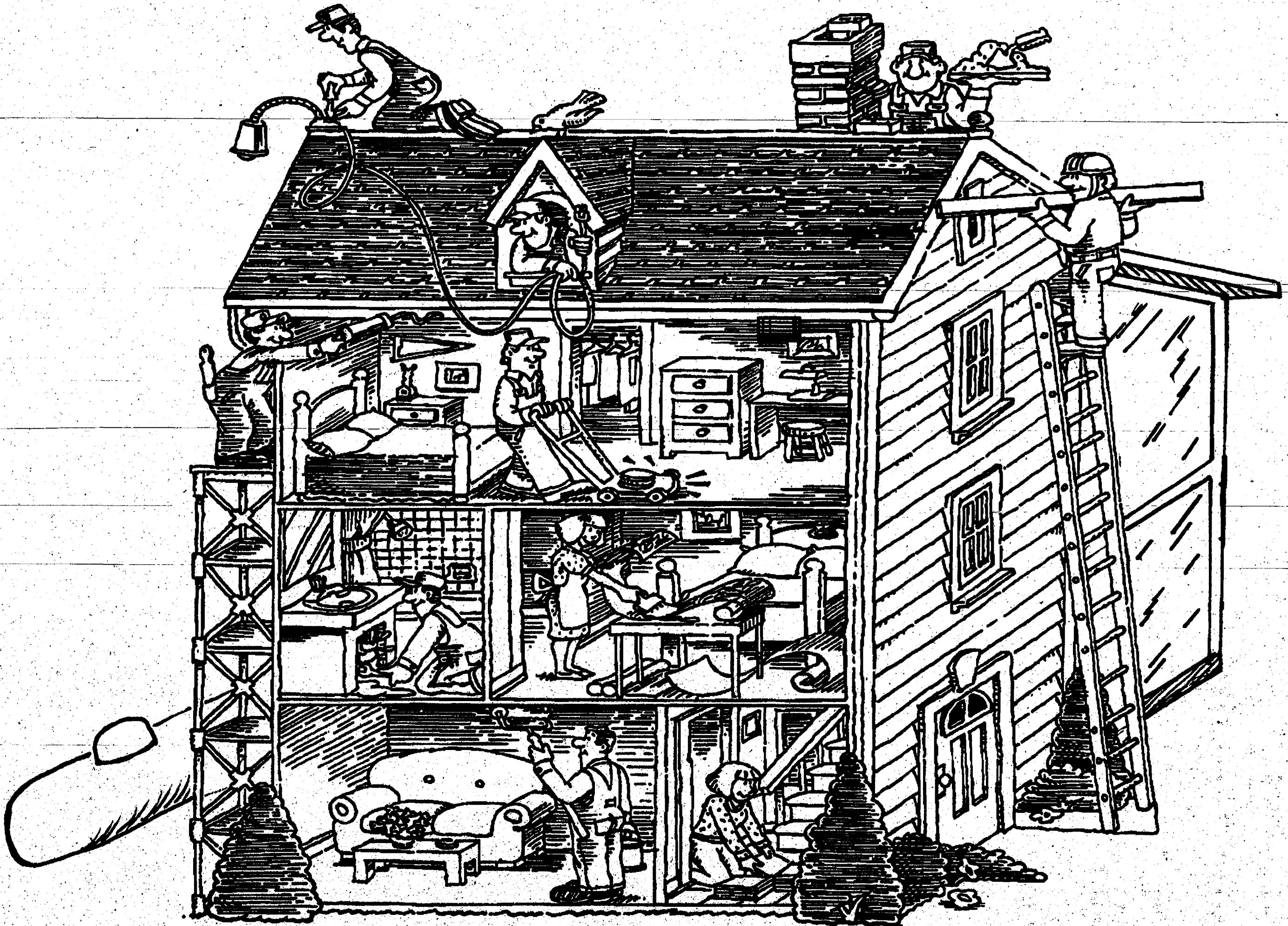
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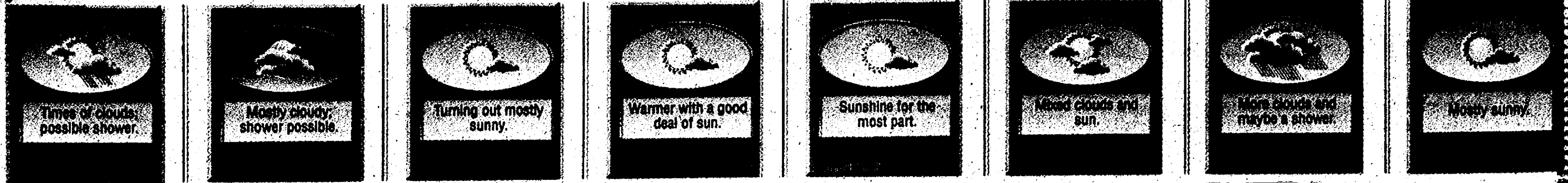
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City	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Ann Arbor	64/44 pc	65/42 pc	61/39 sh	65/38 sh
Battle Creek	65/44 pc	64/41 pc	62/39 sh	66/37 sh
Bay City	64/42 pc	62/38 pc	60/37 sh	65/35 sh
Calumet	66/46 pc	64/40 pc	62/38 sh	67/38 sh
Dearborn	64/45 pc	63/41 pc	61/40 sh	65/37 sh
Detroit	64/45 pc	62/40 pc	61/40 sh	65/36 sh
Grand Rapids	66/44 pc	62/38 pc	66/44 sh	64/37 sh
Holland	65/44 pc	63/42 pc	61/44 sh	65/38 sh
Jackson	66/43 pc	64/40 pc	62/37 sh	65/38 sh
Kalamazoo	65/45 pc	64/42 pc	62/40 pc	66/38 sh
Lawrence	65/45 pc	63/39 pc	61/38 sh	64/36 sh
Livonia	64/45 pc	65/43 pc	61/40 sh	65/37 sh
Midland	65/43 pc	63/40 pc	61/37 sh	66/36 sh
Muskegon	65/43 pc	62/41 pc	60/42 sh	63/37 sh
Owosso	65/43 pc	63/40 pc	61/37 sh	66/37 sh
Pontiac	65/44 pc	64/42 pc	61/39 sh	66/39 sh
Port Huron	60/41 pc	61/40 pc	58/37 sh	62/31 sh
Saginaw	64/43 pc	62/38 pc	60/36 sh	65/37 sh
Sturgis	67/46 pc	66/43 pc	64/42 pc	68/40 pc
Toronto	56/41 c	53/43 r	44/29 r	56/31 pc
Traverse City	65/41 pc	64/38 pc	60/39 sh	64/34 sh
Warren	64/45 pc	63/41 pc	61/40 sh	65/36 sh
Wausau	67/44 pc	66/47 s	67/48 sh	67/36 sh

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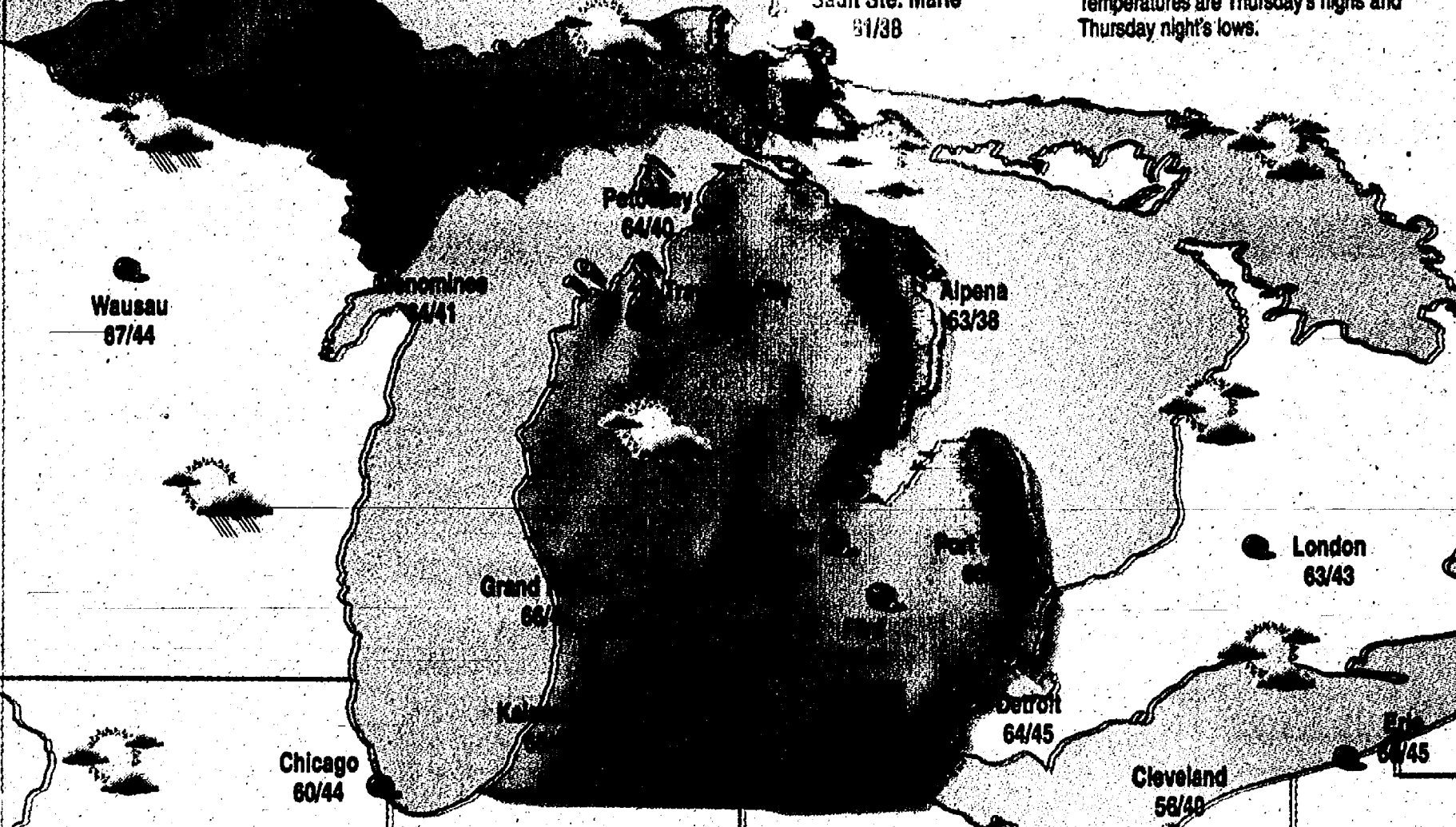


NATIONAL ROUNDUP

City	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Abilene	88/62 s	90/64 s	88/62 pc	84/60 c
Albuquerque	84/54 s	82/52 s	78/52 pc	74/60 pc
Anchorage	65/53 s	64/52 pc	60/48 c	78/43 sh
Baltimore	72/49 pc	68/46 pc	65/46 sh	62/42 pc
Bismarck	74/45 pc	67/40 c	69/41 pc	70/48 sh
Boise	74/38 s	76/42 pc	68/38 sh	66/40 sh
Casper	71/46 pc	67/50 s	68/47 pc	66/45 sh
Cedar Rapids	74/45 s	71/39 sh	63/37 sh	60/44 sh
Chattanooga	70/45 s	77/43 pc	68/38 sh	65/42 sh
Colorado Springs	73/50 pc	73/48 s	71/54 sh	66/58 sh
Columbia	84/64 s	86/66 pc	84/64 pc	84/64 c
Dallas	82/52 s	80/48 c	74/46 pc	70/46 c
Denver	75/50 pc	75/52 s	70/54 sh	68/52 sh
Des Moines	64/44 r	60/42 r	64/44 r	65/51 sh
Eugene	84/54 pc	74/50 pc	74/48 s	78/50 s
Fresno	84/48 pc	65/43 pc	61/40 sh	65/37 sh
Garden City	82/50 pc	82/50 s	72/50 r	70/44 sh
Grand Island	83/51 s	78/48 pc	72/44 sh	70/46 sh
Grand Junction	72/46 s	74/48 c	60/42 c	62/40 pc
Great Falls	79/47 s	75/42 pc	67/39 sh	65/48 sh
Greeley	84/64 s	86/66 s	88/68 pc	84/66 c
Houston	82/54 pc	78/56 s	78/54 r	74/52 sh
Kansas City	86/56 s	90/56 s	82/55 pc	82/56 s
Las Vegas	82/50 s	78/53 s	75/48 r	74/51 sh
Lincoln	84/66 pc	86/68 s	86/68 s	86/69 s
Miami				

Weather (w): s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, l-ice.

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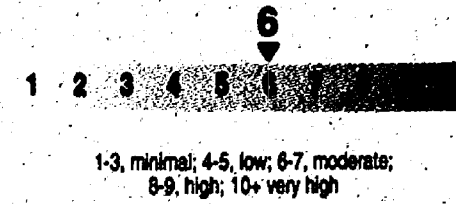
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Noon Thursday	60°
Noon Friday	60°
Noon Saturday	72°
Noon Sunday	74°
Noon Monday	72°
Noon Tuesday	68°
Noon Wednesday	70°

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Friday	7 moderate
Saturday	8 high
Sunday	8 high
Monday	8 high
Tuesday	6 low
Wednesday	7 moderate

SUNRISE/SUNSET

Sunrise Friday	6:35 a.m.
Sunset Friday	8:31 p.m.
Sunrise Saturday	6:33 a.m.
Sunset Saturday	8:32 p.m.
Sunrise Sunday	6:32 a.m.
Sunset Sunday	8:33 p.m.

MOON PHASES

Last	New	First	Full
Apr 26	May 4	May 10	May 18
Moonrise Thursday			3:25 a.m.
Moonset Thursday			1:30 p.m.
Moonrise Friday			4:00 a.m.
Moonset Friday			2:31 p.m.
Moonrise Saturday			4:32 a.m.
Moonset Saturday			3:34 p.m.
Moonrise Sunday			5:02 a.m.
Moonset Sunday			4:39 p.m.

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