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32 Pages This Week

## NEWS BRIEFS

### CHS parent-teacher conference set tonight

Parent-teacher conferences for Chelsea High School students will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. tonight in the school's gymnasium and commons area.

All parents are encouraged to attend. The school is located at 740 Freer Road.

### Students to put on variety shows

South Meadows Elementary School, 335 Pierce St., will host a variety show 6:30 p.m. tonight at the school gymnasium.

The North Creek Elementary School Student Council will present, "Be Our Guest," 6:30 p.m. tomorrow at Chelsea High School auditorium, 740 Freer Road.

### Mardi Gras party to be held Saturday

Downtown Chelsea will hold a Mardi Gras party on Saturday at three Main Street businesses.

River Gallery and Art & Soule Gallery, both at 121 S. Main, will feature Trio Inigo at 8 p.m.

Zou Zou's, at the corner of Main and W. Middle streets, will feature Gregory Stove-top on acoustic guitar from 8 to 11 p.m.

There will be no cover charge at any of the businesses.

### St. Patrick's dinner to aid Faith In Action

The Ladies of St. Mary Catholic Church are sponsoring a St. Patrick's traditional corned beef dinner 5 to 8 p.m. March 14 at St. Mary Parish Hall, 14200 Old US-12.

Fiddler Jeremy Kittel and quartet Desperate Measures will provide Celtic music.

Tickets are \$9 for adults, \$8 for seniors, \$4 for children ages 5 to 10. Advance tickets are recommended, call 475-8164 or 433-1812.

Proceeds will go to Faith In Action Inc., a nonprofit human services organization in Chelsea.

## DDA finds solutions to parking woes

### Committee recommends 40-hour-a-week policing.

By Will Keeler

Staff Writer

Chelsea's Downtown Development Authority is trying to find solutions for those who are frustrated with trying to find downtown parking.

DDA member Jim Myles presented a parking study and its findings Feb. 15 to DDA members.

"With this study we were hoping to reevaluate the businesses' and customers' needs for parking," Myles said.

Myles and DDA President Sheridan Springer worked on the parking study for more than three years, searching for solutions to this ongoing issue.

Myles said that the issue could be divided into two components: One being access to customer and client short-term parking and the other being employee

long-term parking.

In the report, Myles said that a number of business owners have complained for some time that the availability of parking for their customers has been minimal. The use of short-term parking by employees has created limited or non-existing short-term parking adjacent to businesses and shops.

The study committee believes that one way to solve some of the short-term parking problems is to develop a stronger parking enforcement program.

Currently, the police budget provides part-time enforcement at random hours. The amount is budgeted at 20 hours. The committee said that the DDA could provide temporary funds to increase the hours up to 40 a week.

The DDA would then request that the Village Council permanently implement the 40-hour-a-week random parking enforce-

ment officer.

The committee said that when the officer was not on duty for any length of time, employees began to filter back into the short-term spaces.

Myles and Springer believe that having the officer on duty more often would curb some of those repeat offenders.

"We also have a problem, with what I call parking hopping," Myles said.

Myles told the board that some people park in a three-hour parking space and move their car to another parking space just as their time is up.

Myles said this type of maneuvering does not violate any ordinance, but it can become costly to many downtown businesses.

"Perhaps we need to talk to some of these employers and find a solution," Springer said.

Myles said one downtown merchant proposed creating a progressive ticket.

"Maybe having a ticket where fines increased with the number of times you've been ticketed would be a good solution," he said.

Fred Merkel, one of the owners of Merkel Furniture & Carpet One, agrees that parking can be burdensome at times.

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### DDA parking recommendations

As a result of the parking survey completed by a Downtown Development Authority committee, the following recommendations will be forwarded to the Village Council to consider:

•Shift in parking on West Middle Street: The committee would like to see the marked parking on the southside of West Middle Street, near the businesses at 134 W. Middle St., be moved to the north side of the street. The street would still keep the existing width while providing safer parking

conditions for customers in the area.

•Modification to the east municipal parking lot: In front of the row of parking in this lot, near the entrance from the East Middle Street alley is a yellow, crossed off "no parking" area. The committee believes that this area could be realigned to add three more spaces on the east end, facing the already marked parking. Adding this space would still allow sufficient access to the back doors of the adjacent businesses.

### Valentine Gifts



Chelsea High School secretaries Brenda Asaro (left) and Tracie Stoffer peek out from a barrage of Valentine's Day balloons at the school office.

## Crash in Sylvan claims man's life

### Chelsea Fire Department officer first to arrive on scene.

By Sheila Pursglove

Staff Writer

Chelsea Fire Department was called late Monday when a Manchester man was killed in a single car crash on Old US-12 in Sylvan Township.

Jamie Adams, 26, had just left Chelsea Lanes, where he participated in several bowling leagues, when the crash occurred.

Driving westbound on Old US-12, Adams reportedly lost control on a curve. His car left the roadway, struck an embankment and rolled over, coming to rest upside down in the intersection of Pierce Road and Old US-12.

Adams, who investigators said was not wearing a seat belt, was ejected from his white Dodge Neon.

Firefighter Chris Taylor, who lives on Old US-12, was first to arrive on the scene. Taylor was on his way home from Chelsea Community Hospital after getting a checkup for clearance to return to work after being injured in a fire at North Lake a couple of weeks ago.

According to Chelsea Fire Chief Dan Effenwood, the call came in at 11:28 p.m.

Effenwood, who manned the station, dispatched a rescue truck and a fire engine, and some of the paid, on-call fire department volunteers went directly to the scene. In all, nine firefighters were involved.

Adams was pronounced dead at the scene. His passenger, Andrew Ruggles of Jackson, was transported to University of Michigan Hospitals by Huron Valley Ambulance. He was wearing his seat belt and had minor injuries. Chelsea fire officer

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## Worthy project

Future Eagle Scout's effort may help save lives in the Chelsea community

By Sheila Pursglove

Staff Writer

As part of his Boy Scout Eagle Scout project, Jason Hawley of troop 425 will distribute free Vial of Life packets to Chelsea area residents Feb. 26 through March 3 at Farmer Jack and Polly's supermarkets.

Parent and Scout teams will be on hand from 4 to 8 p.m. Monday through Friday and 8:30 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. on Saturday to distribute the packets, which are endorsed by Chelsea Village Council, as well as the Chelsea police and fire departments.

Hatch Stamping Co. will make the packets available to their employees.

The small plastic vials, containing a medical form for participants to fill out, are designed to be placed in the refrigerator. A magnet placed on the door alerts emergency personnel to look inside the refrigerator to find vital medical information.

The project has become a community affair. Parents and boys from troop 425 have donated

their time in assembling the packets and will now help distribute them.

Chelsea Lumber and Dexter Cabinet Works provided Formica for the magnets, and Bob Burrows cut it.

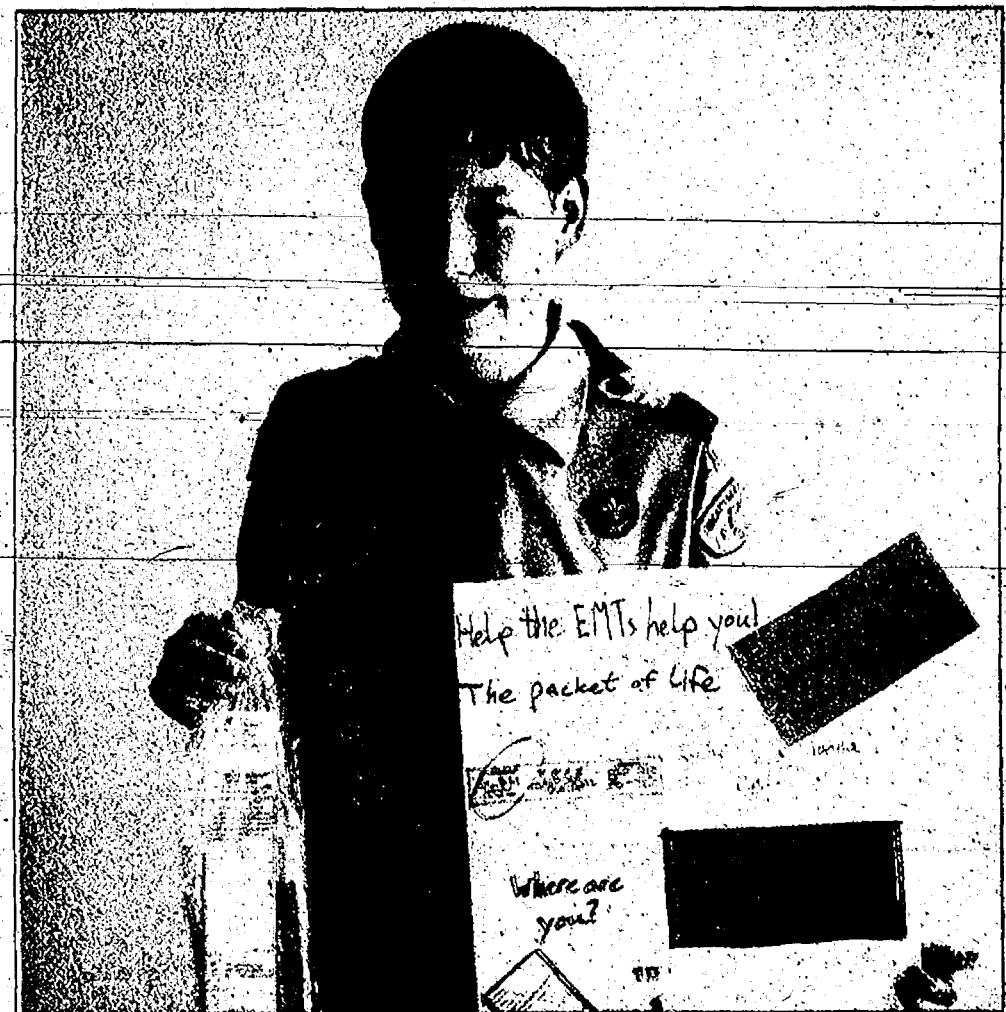
Staff at Chelsea Community Hospital ordered the vials, which were paid for by Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home. The Jackson Citizen Patriot provided plastic bags.

Chelsea Fire Department Ladies Auxiliary supplied order forms for Life Signs, luminescent green and white address signs. Tesar Printing of Stevensville printed the labels for the magnets and vials.

The Chelsea Lions Club and members of North Lake United Methodist Church donated money to cover such costs as printing.

Allen Cole of Cole Funeral Chapel carried out a similar Eagle Scout project 20 years ago when he was a member of the same troop.

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Jason Hawley of Boy Scout Troop 425 is shown here with a poster and the free Vial of Life packets that will be distributed to area residents Feb. 26 through March 3 at Farmer Jack and Polly's supermarkets.

### Local couple races, breeds Huskies

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### Bulldog grapplers win district title

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### Special education director to retire

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### Webelos Cross Over

Cub Scout Den 10, Pack 455, crossed over to Boy Scouts on Feb. 4 after earning Arrow of Light awards. The ceremony was part of the Blue and Gold banquet hosted by Den 10. Zeemo the Magician provided entertainment, and Den 2 performed a skit. Members of Den 5 received their Bear badges. Jimmy Clark, Paul Werner, Nicholas Worthington, Tommy O'Neill and Sean Ruffin were awarded prizes as the top five popcorn sellers. Pictured in front are Ryan Schroeder (left), Adam Rosentreter and Steven Dreyer. In the second row are D.J. Conrad (left), David Boyle, Adam Weir, Carl Iverson, Donny Feidel and Tyler Connell. Den leaders Michelle and Mark Schroeder stand behind.

### CRASH

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Matt Gaken drove the ambulance.

"Our men got there shortly before the sheriff's department and helped at the scene," Ellenwood said. "I kept all nine men there for at least an hour, then called most of them back."

"I kept the fire engine there to provide a generator and emergency lighting to help the sheriff's department continue their investigation. We all work

together to assist one another in these emergencies."

Old US-12 was blocked off for most of the night.

"The firefighters finally came back in around 4 a.m.," Ellenwood said. "These are on-call volunteers, who still had to get up a few hours later and go to their daytime jobs."

The cause of the accident remains under investigation.

Adams was a former Chelsea High School student and worked as a mechanic at Village Motor Sales.

### SCOUT

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"Mr. Cole gave me a lot of help and advice," Hawley said. "He also donated telephone stickers with emergency numbers."

Hawley, the son of the Rev. Wayne and Pamela Hawley, is an eighth-grader at Beach Middle School. He started in Scouts as a Tiger Cub in 1992, and is currently at the rank of Life Scout. His father was in Boy Scouts, and his two older brothers, Scott

and Chris, both achieved Eagle rank.

Hawley is being helped along the path to Eagle rank by Scoutmaster Dave Booth and advancement chairman Lloyd Hafner.

The Dexter Township resident, whose favorite Scout activities include camping, canoeing and hiking, hopes to attend the Air Force Academy.

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## STRAIGHT FACTS

A story in last week's newspaper regarding road patrol options should have said that the police service units have been priced at \$109,000, but the county will subsidize \$37,000 of that amount. As a result, each municipality that contracts for one police service unit will pay \$72,000 beginning next year.

The Beach Middle School honor roll printed in last week's

newspaper should have included sixth-grader Adam Rogacki, who received high honors.

No matter how hard we try to avoid mistakes, sometimes they happen anyway. When that occurs, we rely on our readers to let us know about them. So, please help. To request a correction, e-mail Editor Michelle Rogers at editor@chelseastandard.com or call 475-1371.



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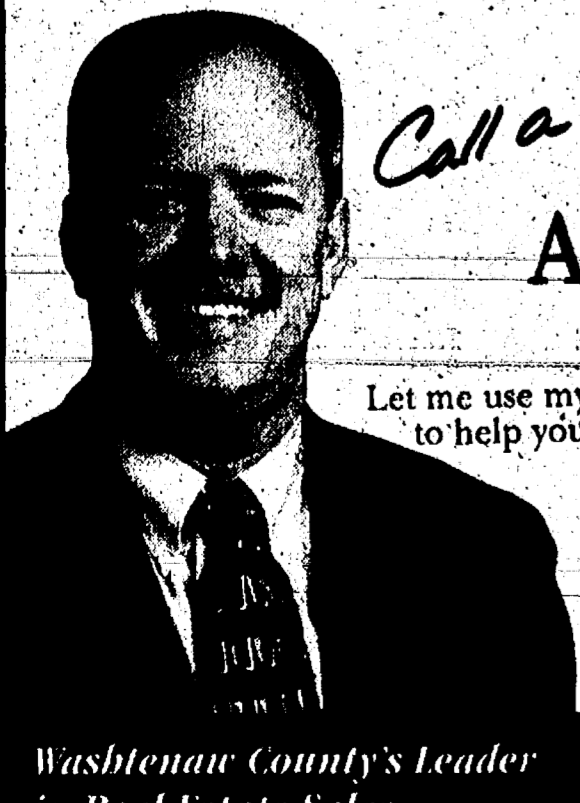
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# Polar Bare

## Cheeky photographer takes pictures of nude woman in downtown Chelsea

By Sheila Pursglove  
Staff Writer

Chelsea has been buzzing with rumors of a Lady Godiva look-alike running through town on a recent, cold, wintry day.

How cold was it?  
Try 10 below zero.  
On Feb. 2, most people were bundled up in parkas and winter woollies.

Not this dame.  
Two of Chelsea's finest, to whom the term "rear-ender" generally refers to vehicular mishaps, pulled up on Main Street to inquire what was going on.

"We heard all kinds of rumors and got lots of phone calls that a naked woman had streaked from the Purple Rose Theatre up Main Street and into the Jiffy Mix lot," Chelsea Police Chief Lenard McDougall said.

The officers found Harvey Drouillard, manager of Art & Soule Gallery, who has gained coast-to-coast notoriety for his photographs of nudes.

Harvey, as he prefers to be called, "I'm just like the invisible rabbit, so quick you're not even sure you saw me" — recently completed a six-month coast-to-coast tour, photographing bobs in the buff in 13 major cities.

"Chelsea is my 14th city, and the smallest of all," he said. "I like to shoot nudes in recognizable places, so the Purple Rose Theatre and Chelsea Milling, home of Jiffy Mix, were the obvious choices."

"The lady, a dance student from Ann Arbor, really didn't fun naked through Chelsea," Drouillard said. "Remember, it was 10 degrees below. My fingers were frozen on the camera and the shutter was very sluggish in the cold."

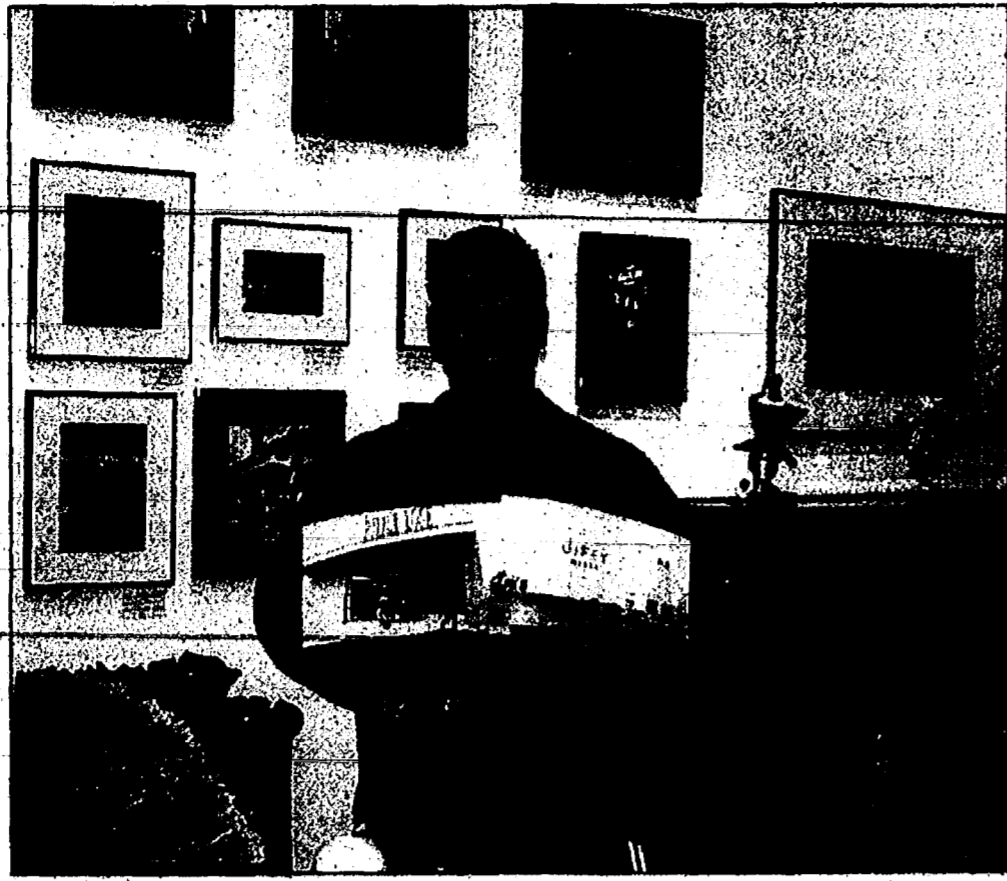
"First I photographed her as she walked in and out of the Purple Rose Theatre. Then we drove over to the Jiffy Mix parking lot. She got out of the Fox 2 news van and walked across the parking lot to our get-away car, where we had the heat going full blast."

Drouillard asked the news van to be present as part of a publicity stunt.

According to Alan Ribant, managing director of the Purple Rose Theatre, the photo was done without the company's permission or prior knowledge.

Chelsea Milling Co. President Howdy Holmes was also unaware of the activity going on in his company's parking lot.

"Thinking back to that cold, windy Friday, all I can say is that the young lady must have been



Harvey Drouillard shows off prints of the naked lady he photographed at the Purple Rose Theatre and the Chelsea Milling Co. parking lot. The cameraman has achieved a certain amount of notoriety and fame photographing nudes around the United States.

extremely chilly," Holmes said. Drouillard says that with the excitement and adrenalin buzz people don't feel the cold.

"In summertime, on the other hand, they can't keep the smile off their face," he said.

Models, who must be 18 and can come in all shapes and sizes, are required to undergo training for the split second-nude photo shoot.

"I time them with a stop watch," Drouillard said. "They must be able to drop their clothes and redress in 10 seconds."

When his models have the routine down pat and are "cool" with nudity — in this instance, extremely cool — they are ready for action.

The father of a 4-year-old boy, Drouillard has one cardinal rule: no nude photography in front of kids.

So how did this good Catholic boy, a graduate of St. Patrick Catholic School in Sarnia, Ontario, end up a shutterbug of bare butts?

The Port Huron native lived in Ann Arbor for 10 years, where he began his foray into photography.

"I was working at Zingerman's Deli, and looking for somewhere to open a food delivery service," he said. "I found a great place, and turned part of it into an artist's den with guitar-music, African dance, artwork and poetry readings."

When a photographer and model rented space from him for nude photography Drouil-

lard borrowed a camera and took part in a workshop.

"During the Ann Arbor Hash Bash in 1994, 20 photographers were shooting three nude female models, but we were all getting identical photos," he

said. "I wanted something unique. Looking out of the window at crowds of pedestrians crossing Fourth and Washtenaw, I thought how funny it would look if there were three naked people at the back of the throng."

With only seven frames remaining in his camera, Drouillard took the photos that would catapult his career into photographic fame.

"I chose four shots, and turned them into greeting cards, and the whole idea just took off from there," he said.

Drouillard gained fame with appearances on TV and radio, and relishes the publicity.

"I became a celebrity and got press in every city on this six-month tour," he said.

Drouillard is looking forward to returning to Chicago next month to photograph nudes in the Windy City.

Drouillard, who uses a Canon Rebel 2 camera, didn't even own his own camera until a few months ago. Neither has he had any formal art or photography training.

"I'm not trying to shock or upset people," he said. "I try to make sure people remember to have fun."

The Cavanaugh Lake resident

has been manager at the gallery Building.

A trip to England is in the works to shoot in Coventry, where Lady Godiva, the Anglo-Saxon wife of the Earl of Mercia, took her 11th century naked ride through the city to protest taxes.

Drouillard plans to shoot the "natural" wonders of the world, including nudes at the Leaning Tower of Pisa, Great Wall of China, Taj Majal, the Sydney Opera House, Great Barrier Reef, the Great Pyramids and the Eiffel Tower.

Other sites in the United States will include the St. Louis Arch, Niagara Falls, Mount Rushmore and Old Faithful. He has already completed a photo session at the Empire State

Building.

And how does all this go over with the long arm of the law?

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# Congressman speaks at Chelsea chamber meeting

■ U.S. Rep. Mike Rogers talks about tax-code reform.

By Lisa Allmendinger  
Staff Writer

U.S. Rep. Mike Rogers focused on tax-code reform Friday night at the Chelsea Depot as the featured speaker at the Chelsea Area Chamber of Commerce's annual meeting.

The former FBI agent, who won one of the closest congressional elections in history, also touched on his love for small-town America and his first six weeks in office.

Rogers is a Brighton resident whose mother is the executive director of the Brighton Chamber of Commerce.

"Some of the greatest people I've met live in small-town America," he said.

Rogers said his first six weeks in Washington, D.C., have been an exciting time. Twice he's had personal meetings with President George W. Bush, who, Rogers said, "wants to establish relationships with

members on both sides of the aisle."

As a freshman Congressman, Rogers said he's got a lot to learn. But he said he has been well briefed on issues, ranging from Iraq to Medicare to the budget, by the vice president.

Washtenaw County Commissioner Joseph Yekulis introduced Rogers by saying: "What we've learned about Mike is that his interests are in putting people first, and taking the politics out as he builds partnerships to solve problems and to make government accountable."

Tax reform highlighted his half-hour speech, which was illustrated by this scenario:

Rogers said a man gets up in the morning and hits the button on the coffee machine. He pays an import tax on the coffee. He pays taxes on the electricity to run the machine and the water that's poured into it to percolate the coffee.

The man gets into his car to drive to work and he pays taxes on the license plates, the gas and the vehicle itself.

Once at work, he pays personal taxes.

The day is over and he drives home, pulling up in the driveway, where he pays property tax on his home. He kisses his wife and pays a tax on that, too, via the marriage tax.

The man gets into his recliner, which he's also paid a tax on, and turns on the television, where he pays a cable tax.

"He makes a phone call to his Congressman to complain about taxes and he's paying a telephone tax," Rogers said.

He's so upset about it, Rogers said, he has a heart attack and dies, and then he's charged a death tax.

Rogers said the tax code is 40,000 pages long and with the reforms it's now 44,000 pages long.

"Clearly, this has gotten out of hand," he said. "It took about 1,300 words to write the Declaration of Independence and there are 2,600 words about how to sell a cabbage."

Rogers said the president is pushing for a change in the number of tax brackets, from

five to three, as well as changing the death tax.

Rogers said the payment is so high on death taxes that it ruins family farms—and many small businesses.

There is a \$675,000 threshold, he said.

"You shouldn't have to have a tax lawyer to reduce your taxes," he said.

Rogers is pushing a national tax deduction for education, similar to the one he helped orchestrate in Michigan. Right now, he said 38 states have the deduction on its forms.

"We'll get this money back when they become a part of the workforce," he said.

Rogers ended his speech by telling Chelsea chamber members that he or members of his staff will have office hours at the village offices every third Monday of the month. The first session is scheduled from noon to 4 p.m. Monday.

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U.S. Rep. Mike Rogers (right) talks with Chelsea Village Manager Jack Myers during Chelsea Area Chamber of Commerce's annual meeting Friday at the Chelsea Depot. Rogers was the guest speaker.

## PARKING

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"It seems that most people want to park in front of the store they are going in and sometimes, especially on weekends, that can be difficult," he said.

Merkel said that he leases a parking lot for his employees and customers near his store, 205 S. Main St., but it tends to fill up with churchgoers and others on Sundays.

The committee said that the issue of paid parking areas for employees has been talked about extensively.

Springer and Myles said that if and when short-term parking has been met, it might then become advantageous for the DDA and the village to look into the matter.

The two also suggested additional signs for three-hour parking are needed in certain areas around town.

The board voted to realign parking near the old Harper Pontiac dealership, 118 W. Middle St. Currently the area is designated a 15-minute loading zone. The committee said that it has been difficult for police to enforce the 15-minute limit and it would be better to change it to three-hour parking spaces.

If the area was kept to a loading zone then other businesses would want 15-minute loading zones, Myles said.

The board also decided to open up two other spaces for three-hour parking near the old

Pontiac dealership. The two spaces were originally designated as "no parking" for access into the dealership's display room.

But the committee said that the bottom line to some of the parking problems could be solved immediately by using some of the parking on the side streets.

The committee said that this is the least expensive parking in any town, and that these areas are well-maintained and immediately available to downtown employees and visitors.

Board members also mentioned the problems with Dumpsters crowding parking areas behind businesses.

"We not only should look at where they are located but the odor, especially during the summer months," Myles said.

"We should design a plan right now before the heat comes."

Some of the Dumpsters hold garbage and grease and have generated a number of complaints from visitors and business people, Springer said.

The committee believes that the Dumpster should be consolidated into one sealed Dumpster.

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with the long arm of the law?

In 1998, Drouillard was arrested during the Midnight Madness Sale in Ann Arbor, not so much for photographing naked people, but for not handing over his camera and film to police.

"I was arrested at 10:30 p.m. for disorderly conduct," he said.

"I was illegally arrested and detained, with illegal seizure of property. All the charges were dropped, and I chose not to sue."

Drouillard cites the landmark case of "The Other Guy," as he calls him, Spencer Tunik, a photographer of New York nudes.

"About eight months ago, Tunik was arrested for the umpteenth time," Drouillard said. "The upshot was simple nudity for the sake of taking a photograph is protected under the first amendment, as long as it's not lewd or suggestive, no overt lewd act is being performed and it's newsworthy."

But McDougall, begs to differ.

"While it's not illegal to take photographs of a nude, it is illegal to be running around naked in a public place," he said. "Had we actually caught the lady, she would have been arrested and thrown in jail."

"This behavior could be hazardous to people's health, whether it's the naked runner or a bystander having heart failure."

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# Lyndon board hears complaints about traffic

Officials also OK their own salary increases.

By Kent Ashton Walton  
Special Writer

Lyndon Township Board heard complaints from the public last week about traffic problems and made political appointments.

Several township residents expressed frustration during the Feb. 13 meeting about people driving and parking on private roads. Residents were angry with neighbors who, by parking on private roads, were blocking driveways and making driving difficult.

In one instance, residents of Stoney Ridge Drive, a private cul-de-sac off Mester Road, said they had been trying for three years to resolve problems. They are now threatening legal action.

Residents also raised concerns about trespassing. They said people are driving onto lawns and driveways in the neighborhood to turn around. They were also concerned about the safety of their children playing outside.

Board members said the township has no jurisdiction to decide variances on private roads. They said the issue was a civil matter and suggested it be resolved through the homeowners' association.

Board members said if the township became involved as a defendant in a court case, it would require rebuilding the road on the original easement.

Also during the meeting, the board discussed requests for variances and a need to determine the adequacy of private roads, particularly for emergency access.

The board voted to require residents who apply for variances on private roads to dedicate the easement as public as a condition of approval.

The board also discussed a need for a comprehensive plan covering road access management, and talked about inviting Lee Fahrner, a consultant with Midwest Engineering, to meet with the board.

The board postponed action to determine driveway standards.

Lyndon Township Ordinance Officer Merritt Honbaum reported that residents are using public road names as addresses for properties on private roads. This is occurring in several areas in the township, including Boyce and Waterloo roads. Honbaum said residents need to start using the name of the private road they're living on.

The board reviewed the

Chelsea Area Construction Agency's request to approve the creation of a board of appeals in place of the Washtenaw County Board of Appeals.

Seven appeals board members will be appointed to serve a two-year term. Names of possible candidates have been submitted to the construction agency board for approval. The new board will hear appeals made when building permits have been refused by the construction agency.

In other business, the Township Board approved appointments to the Lyndon Township Board of Review and the Board of Appeals. Susan Devoe, Elin Gutierrez-Mason and Larry Hopkins will serve on the review board. Susan Devoe and Jami Bronson were appointed to the appeals board.

Sandra Shapiro has resigned

from the appeals board and Joy Delisle has resigned as the township's office manager.

The board also approved salary increases for elected officials, including clerk, supervisor, treasurer and trustee. The supervisor's salary increased by 4 percent, from \$18,630 a year to \$19,375. The board trustees' salaries also increased by 4 percent, from \$2,484 to \$2,584 a year.

The board reported that the Chelsea Area Fire Authority has asked the Michigan Municipal League to complete an assessment of service needs and of response times. The cost of the 120-day assessment is estimated

at \$19,000.

The study will help determine if services to the municipalities of Lyndon, Lima, Dexter, Sylvan, Waterloo and Chelsea have been equitably distributed.

Also, the board reviewed a report from the Western Washtenaw Recycling Authority that said a new loader has been ordered at a cost of \$45,000.

In addition, the recycling authority reported that it is considering a re-evaluation of its charge per household, which is approximately \$20 annually, depending on the municipality served.

# Students give presentation on mentorship

By Sheila Pursglove  
Staff Writer

Four Chelsea High School students from the fall semester Focus Mentorship Program shared their experiences in presentations to the school board Feb. 12.

"I believe every student should have a mentorship program," said Superintendent Ed Richardson. "One day, education will require it."

Denise Arnston studied elementary education under the mentorship of Pierce Lake Elementary School teacher Sally Sehlupé. Chris House worked in computer networking with technology specialist Scott Wooster. Becky Moore studied business with Jacqueline Otto and Mary Paul studied art under mentor Marybeth Koeze.

Eleven students took part in the elective program last semester. Four gave presentations at last month's board meeting, and the final presentations will be given on Monday. Two students are in the program this semester.

"The value of the program is incredible," said Chelsea High School history teacher Jim Winter, who coordinates the program. "Students have the opportunity to see what real people in real-world situations do and get to do it."

The board also discussed hiring another technology technician. The district currently has

Wooster, who is assisted by a technician and a technical engineer.

"We have three people to monitor 800 computers and eight servers," Richardson said. "Hiring another technician will enhance the ability of teachers to add software and keep up with services."

School board Vice President Sandra Merkel and Trustee Jan Roberts will both reach the end of their terms on June 11 when a school election will be held.

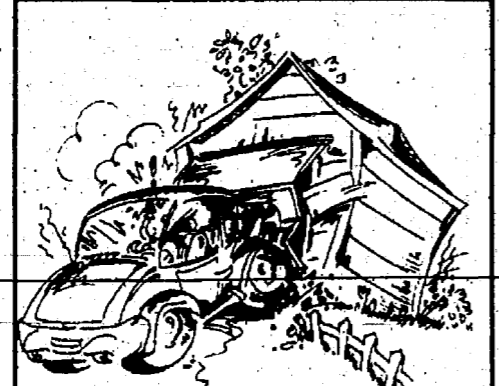
An information night for anyone interested in running for a position on the school board may be held in March. The last

day to register to vote in the election is May 14.

In other business, the board continued its discussion on developing a community survey to address future growth needs, identify community expectations, educate people on school goals and student achievement,

and define both school and student success.

Some ideas include a community survey, telephone polling, teacher and student surveys and data that is already available, such as test scores and graduation rates.



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# Local man named to post at Lawrence

Steven Howell of Dexter has been named chairman of Lawrence Technological University's mechanical engineering department. The department is the largest at Lawrence Tech, enrolling nearly 800 undergraduate and graduate students.

Howell has a diverse professional background and holds a doctorate degree in chemical engineering from the University of British Columbia, and master's and bachelor's degrees in mechanical engineering from Southern Methodist University.

Most recently, at Visteon Automotive Systems Climate Control Division, Howell led engineering projects for computer-aided engineering and

design of automotive air conditioning and heating systems.

Howell served as Visteon's representative to Northern Arizona University's College of Engineering Industrial Advisory Board. He also collaborated with Wayne State and Ohio State universities on a knowledge-based engineering HVAC project. Prior to that he taught computer-aided design to Ford Motor Co. engineers.

Howell's experience within academia has been international in scope, including a stint at the University of Zimbabwe, where he developed and taught mechanical engineering courses under sponsorship of the U.S. Agency for International Development.

As professor of mechanical engineering at Northern Arizona University, Howell developed and championed an award-winning series of multidisciplinary design courses that simulated a corporate engineering design environment for undergraduate students.

"The depth and breadth of Dr. Howell's experience and his commitment to theory and practice will serve him well at Lawrence Tech," said Laird Johnston, dean of engineering at the University.

Howell helped establish the mechanical engineering department at the University of the Pacific by developing a curriculum, new courses, and laboratories. In the late 1970s, he performed thermal analysis of

nuclear reactor components and systems for the federal energy research laboratory in Idaho.

Howell has published numerous textbooks and technical articles. He is a member of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers and the American Society for Engineering Education.

As a student, Howell took first place in the ASME national student design contest. As a professor, he received two Oppenheimer Awards for outstanding papers presented at ASME Mid-Year Conferences.

Howell and his wife Debra live in Dexter, where they have home schooled all five of their children.



## New Scouts

Boy Scouts Chris Singer and Adam Umstead display their celebration cake at the recent scouting crossover ceremony. Pack 477 had 16 boys cross over to the Boy Scouts.

# Agricultural banquet set March 29

The 2001 Washtenaw County Agriculture Banquet, cosponsored by the Washtenaw County Dairy Livestock Council and Washtenaw County MSU Extension, will be held March 29 at Chelsea High School, 740 N. Freer Road.

The annual banquet will commence with a prime rib and chicken dinner at 7 p.m. in the commons area.

A short business meeting will

be held to elect board members, highlight lamb promotion through Rural Educations Days and present the "Distinguished Service to Agriculture" awards.

The entertainment will be provided by Dr. Kent Ames from Michigan State University. Ames will be sharing veterinary tales in an entertaining presentation titled "Vets, Bells and Whistles."

The evening will conclude with the drawing of door prizes,

provided by the Washtenaw agribusiness community.

Tickets are available from Dairy Livestock Council members Howard Sias, Dennis Trinkle, Gerald Kuhl, Dennis Huehl, Rod Powers, Loren

Heller, Dan Grau, Charles Koenn, Reuben Lesser and Jim Bristle of Chelsea, and Nick Heller, Doug Trinkle, and Harold Trinkle of Dexter.

Tickets are also available at McCalla Feeds and Dexter Mill.

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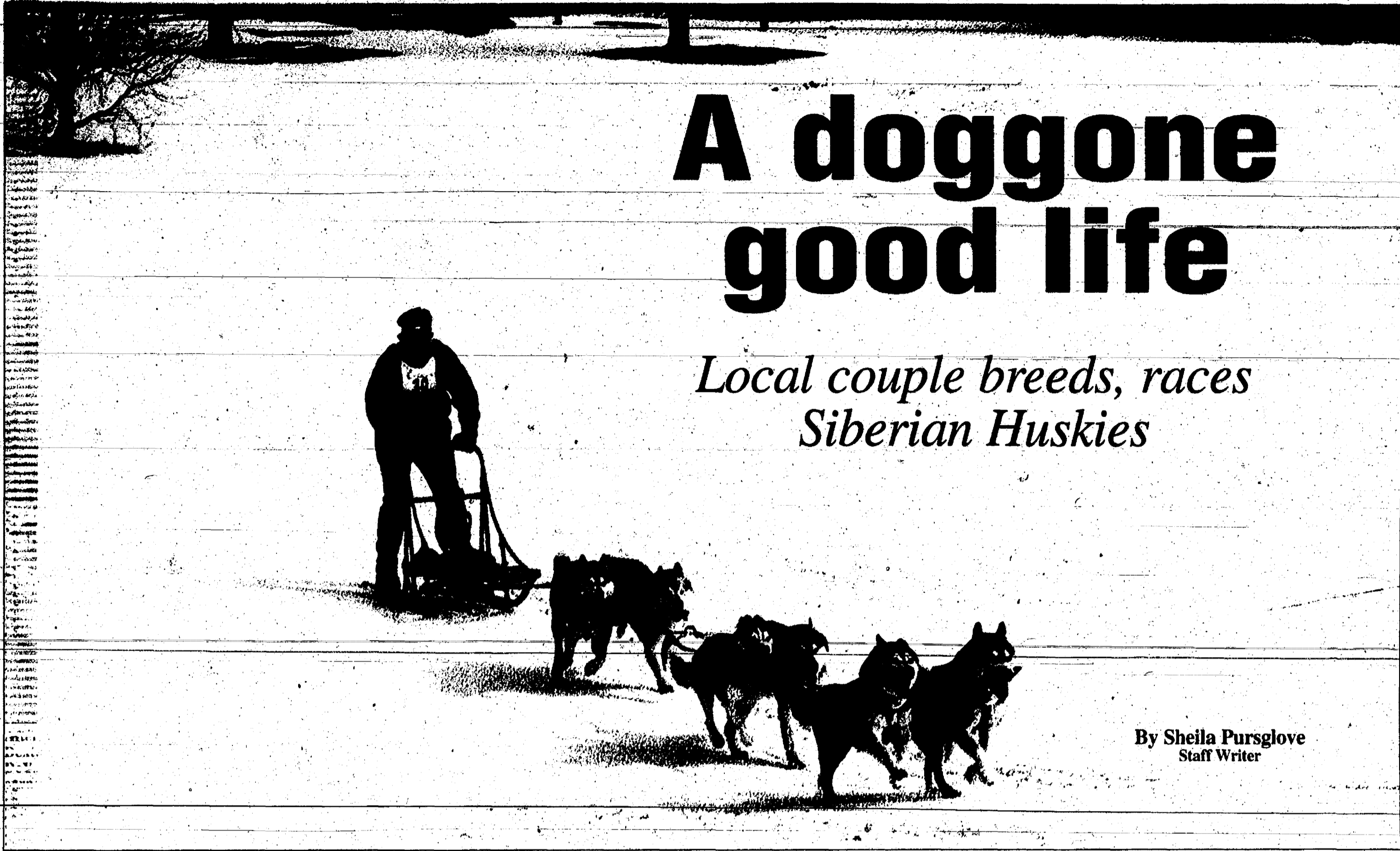
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# COMMUNITY

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## A doggone good life

Local couple breeds, races Siberian Huskies

By Sheila Pursglove  
Staff Writer

**D**og owners are used to walking their pets — but skiing with them? "Imagine yourself on a beautiful winter's day, gliding behind your canine best friend on a tree-lined trail," says Dexter resident and dog breeder Anne Palmer.

Skijoring — cross country skiing with a dog pulling you in a harness — allows dogs and owners to exercise together while enjoying the outdoors.

Palmer, her husband, Brian, and son, Ian, are all enthusiasts of this fast-growing winter sport that combines cross country skiing and dog mushing.

Skijoring — the name means skiing in Norwegian — orig-

inated in Scandinavia.

The Palmers, who breed Siberian Huskies at their Zeeb road home in Scio Township, also enjoy dog mushing, have participated in the Canine Walk for Life and in the Parade of Lights held in December in Howell.

The couple not only own and breed Siberian Huskies at their Highlander kennel, but were brought together by their enjoyment of the animals.

They met in Dallas in 1993, when each was attending the Siberian Husky Club of America National Specialty dog show.

"We were both entered in the show and were introduced to each other by a mutual friend," Anne says.

Brian, a native of Seattle, was working for Boeing Co. in his hometown. Anne was living in

Michigan, working for F&M Drugs in St. Clair.

After a year of burning up the phone wires with a long-distance relationship, Brian took a job buyout and moved to Michigan to be with Anne and to attend school.

Brian now works as a mechanical engineer with Kemcraft Engineering in Plymouth, while Anne is an information technology manager with Borders Group Inc. in Ann Arbor.

The couple has called Dexter home since 1996.

"After a year of working in Ann Arbor and searching for a home in the area, we found ourselves enchanted with the warmth of the town of Dexter and the surrounding countryside," Anne says.

The youngest of six boys, Brian Palmer spent much of his

childhood playing in the woods with his best friend, Freckles, an English setter.

As he grew up and enjoyed hiking, mountain climbing and fishing, he found the Siberian Husky was a dog that complemented his active lifestyle.

"Within three years I had three Siberians and was beginning to dabble in dog sledding," he says.

As a child in her native Scotland, Anne was used to spending time with critters — her pets ranged from fish, turtles and hamsters to dogs.

"As a teen-ager, I was known as the 'bird lady' in our neighborhood," she says. "Folks would bring birds that had fallen out of their nests to our home for assistance."



Brian and Anne Palmer enjoy a cuddly moment with one of their Siberian Husky pups, Star, at their Scio Township home.

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After 25 years as regional special education director of Chelsea, Dexter, Manchester and Whitmore Lake schools, Henry "Hank" DeYoung will hand over the reins at the end of June and enjoy a well-earned retirement with his wife, Patty.

## DeYoung to retire after 25 years

By Sheila Pursglove  
Staff Writer

Hank DeYoung's first attempt at teaching was a dismal failure.

"I was tutoring a boy who couldn't read during my summer vacation from college," DeYoung says. "Despite my efforts, by the end of summer he still couldn't read."

DeYoung discussed this with his college counselor.

"I had 90 college credits and needed to pick a major or get kicked out of college," DeYoung says. "I told the counselor I really wished I could have taught the kid to read. She told me I should go into special education."

Now, after a lifelong career in special education, DeYoung is retiring at the end of June. He has spent the last 25 years as regional director of special education services for Chelsea, Dexter, Manchester and Whitmore Lake.

The boy from Ellsworth — a small town in northwestern Michigan a few miles from Charlevoix — was never destined for college.

The eldest of seven children born to Dutch-dairy farmers, DeYoung had planned to follow in his father's footsteps.

"I never intended going to college, but in 1961 my mother sent in the \$3 application from the Michigan Farmer magazine for me to enroll in a two-year short course in farming at Michigan

State University," DeYoung says.

"I remember arriving and moving to the fourth floor of Butterfield Hall. One wing of the floor was for football players and another for farm boys."

For the kid to whom anything south of Traverse City was "downstate and near Detroit," life in East Lansing was an eye-opener.

"I loved college and after two weeks my goal was to figure out how to stay there for at least four years," DeYoung says. "It definitely beat farming."

"I remember walking around campus in the early evening feeling odd because there were no cows to milk."

The farm boy was also puzzled to find himself at the breakfast table at 6:30 a.m. with no one else in sight.

"I couldn't believe everyone slept so late. I was used to getting up at 4:30 a.m.," he says.

After 10 weeks in the farming program, DeYoung headed home for Christmas and broke the news that not only was he not planning on being a farmer, but he decided to stay in college for four more years.

"My dad sold half the cows within a month, and eventually sold the farm," he says.

It took DeYoung five years to complete his undergraduate work.

"I had no idea what I wanted

to do and looked at the course selection guide every term like a Sears and Roebuck catalog," he says. "I took anything and everything I thought was interesting: geography, poetry appreciation, Civil War, geology, you name it. I loved chemistry even though I was the dumbest kid in the class and got all D's."

The liberal arts education of college opened up new horizons for the kid from Ellsworth.

"I thought I'd died and gone to heaven," DeYoung says. "College was \$1,200 a year for room, board, tuition and books."

"Grandma would send me a dollar every other Tuesday and I could make it last."

After graduation, DeYoung took a job at Children's Psychiatric Hospital in Ann Arbor, a residential-treatment-center working with seriously emotionally impaired children.

"I was so happy and proud of what I was doing," he says. "I had a 243-day teaching contract, which paid \$4,200 a year, but my check came with 'The University

of Michigan" written across it.

"I thought I was so wealthy. I can remember paying George Palmer at Palmer Ford Mercury full sticker price for a brand-new '66 yellow Mustang convertible and driving it right off the showroom floor. It cost me \$2,600, or \$89 a month."

DeYoung attended evening classes at Eastern Michigan University to earn his master's degree in educational administration.

DeYoung met his future wife, Patty, while working at Children's Psychiatric Hospital and the couple was married in July 1968.

DeYoung received a fellowship for a post-master's degree at EMU for the 1968-69 school year. It was at EMU that DeYoung met William Cruickshank, a man he refers to as "one of the true founders of special education."

"Bill came to Ann Arbor to establish graduate programs at the University of Michigan in The Institute for the Study of Mental Retardation and Related

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— Hank DeYoung  
Retiring director

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# COMMUNITY CALENDAR

## CHELSEA

**Thursday, Feb. 22**  
 • Lima Township Zoning Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing 6 p.m. at the township hall.  
**Friday, Feb. 23**  
 • Dessert Card Party at the Chelsea Community Hospital Auxiliary at 7:30 p.m. in the dining room. Tickets are \$5 per person or \$20 per table of four. To register call 475-3913.  
**Saturday, Feb. 24**  
 • Pierce's Pastries Plus, 103 W. Middle St., presents "Mornings, Mochas & Melodies" featuring live folk and acoustic music from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Saturdays. This week's entertainment is Liz Monblanco. For more information, call 475-6081.  
 • Vegetarian Basics presented by Chelsea Hospital from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the White Oak Center Atrium. A hospital dietician will demonstrate how easy it is to create vegetarian meals. To register or for more information call 475-1403.

**Monday, March 5**  
 • New Orleans Jazz: a Chelsea Education Foundations benefit, is set for 6:30 p.m. at the Common Grill. The event will feature appetizers, desserts and drinks. There will be a live and silent auction, primarily of items donated by local merchants. Live music will be provided by the Chelsea High School Jazz Ensemble. Cost is \$75 per person. Reservations are required by calling 475-2504 or 475-8095.

**MISCELLANEOUS**  
**Thursday**  
 • Chelsea American Legion Herbert J. McKune Post 31 meets at 8 p.m. the first Thursday of the month. For information, call Pat Merkel at 475-1824.  
 • Chelsea Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors meets the third Thursday of each month. For more information, call 475-1145.  
 • Chelsea Chamber of Commerce Ambassadors meets on the first Thursday of each month. For information, call Bob Pierce at 475-6081 or the chamber office at 475-1145.  
 • Chelsea First United Methodist Church monthly dinner is held the second Thursday of the month from 5 to 7 p.m. in Grams Hall at the church, 128 Park St. For more information, contact the church at 475-8119.  
 • Little Professor Reading Group for adults meets at 11:30 a.m. every other Thursday. For more information, call 433-2865.  
 • Senior Nutrition Program meets at noon Thursdays for dinner at the Waterloo Township Hall. For reservations, call 475-7439 between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m.

**Friday**  
 • Chelsea Arbor Treatment Center offers a Nicotine Anonymous meeting from noon to 1 p.m. Fridays in the center's Community Room, 900 Victor's Way, Suite 310, Ann Arbor. For more information, call 930-0201.

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

**Monday**  
 • Chelsea Area Garden Club meets at 12:30 p.m. the second Monday of the month at First United Methodist Church, 128 Park St. For information, call Christine Forsch, president, 475-4273, or Jennifer Kundak, publicity chairwoman, 475-2424, or email jak@mich.com  
 • Chelsea Kiwanis Club meets at 6:15 p.m. every Monday at Chelsea Community Hospital.  
 • Domestic Violence Project Safe House Support Group meets from 6:30 to 8 p.m. every Monday at Chelsea Community Hospital.

**Behavioral Health Services Building.** For more information, call 426-0369.  
 • Lima Township Board meets at 8 p.m. the first Monday of the month.  
 • Mystery Book Club meets regularly at 7:30 p.m. on the second Monday of the month at the library's new location in the Washington Street Education Center.  
 • Overeaters Anonymous meets at 7:30 p.m. Mondays at First United Methodist Church in Chelsea.

**Tuesday**  
 • Chelsea Amateur Radio Club (rprr: 145.45) meets at 7 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month at Key Bank, 1478 Chelsea-Manchester Road (next to Chelsea Lumber). For information, call Jeff Cowall (N8KPA), 475-2424 or e-mail jcowall@fame.com.  
 • Chelsea District Library Board meets at 7 p.m. the third Tuesday of the month in the Washington Street Education Center meeting room.  
 • Chelsea Lions Club meets at 6:45 p.m. the first and third Tuesdays at Chelsea Community Hospital.  
 • Chelsea Rotary Club meets at 12:30 p.m. every Tuesday at the Atrium in the White Oak Center.  
 • Euchre Party is 7 p.m. every Tuesday at the Chelsea Senior Citizen Center in the Faith in Action building. For more information, call 475-9242.  
 • La Leche League of Western Washtenaw meets from 10 a.m. to noon on the fourth Tuesday of the month at the First Congregational Church. Call 475-2094 for more information.  
 • Lima Township Planning Commission meets at 7:30 p.m. the third Tuesday of the month.

**Wednesday**  
 • Alzheimer's Association Family Caregiver Support Group meets the second Wednesday of each month from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at the Chelsea Retirement Community. The meetings are free and confidential. Call the Alzheimer's Association at 1-800-337-3827 or 677-3081 for more information.  
 • Chelsea Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 4076 meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Wednesday of every month. For more information, call LeRoy Fulcher at 475-1448.  
 • Friends of Chelsea District Library meet 7:30 p.m. the first Wednesday of the month at the Chelsea District Library, 500 E. Washington St. For more information, contact Tom Gerstenlauer at 475-7500 or Jennifer Kundak at 475-2424.  
 • Grief Support Group is for people who have experienced the death of a loved one, offered as a community service by the Chelsea Retirement Community. Meetings are from 9:15 to 10:15 a.m. Wednesdays. Call 475-8633 for location.

**Thursday**  
 • Dexter Rotary Club meets 7:30 a.m. every Thursday at Cousins Heritage Inn.  
 • Village of Dexter Downtown Development Authority meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month at National City Bank in Dexter.  
**Monday**  
 • Dexter Community Schools Reproductive Health Advisory Committee meets 7 p.m. the second Monday of the month through May at Wylie School in Room 206.  
 • Dexter PTO meets at 7 p.m. the fourth Monday of the month in the media center at Mill Creek Middle School.  
 • Dexter Village Planning Commission meets at 7:30 p.m. the first Monday of each month at National City Bank in Dexter.  
 • Dexter Village Council meets at 8 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays of the month at National City Bank in Dexter.

**Tuesday**  
 • The Dexter Garden Club meets 7 p.m. the third Tuesday of the month, September through June, at the Dexter Area Museum. Call 426-2372 for more information.  
 • Dexter Kiwanis Club meets 6:30 p.m. the first and third Tuesdays of the month at Cousins Heritage Inn.  
 • Dexter Touchdown Club will meet on March 13 at 7:30 p.m. in the

**The Evening Primrose Garden Club** meets regularly 7 p.m. on the second Wednesday of the month at the Chelsea Depot on Jackson Street. For more information, call Helen Brown at 1-517-522-5859.

**OTHER**  
 • Chelsea Senior Nutrition Program meets at the Senior Center. To reserve lunch, call Arlene Larson a day ahead at 475-0160.  
**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., 475-3305.  
**Home Meal Service.** Chelsea meals, served daily to elderly or disabled. Cost per meal is \$3.25 with milk, \$3 without milk, for those able to pay. Anyone who is interested can call 475-9494 or 475-3305.  
**Parent to Parent Program** in-home, friendly, visiting support system for families with children. For more information, call 475-3305.

**DEXTER**  
**Tuesday, Feb. 27**  
 • The Chelsea-Dexter Chapter of the American Business Women's Association will hold its monthly dinner meeting 6:30 p.m. at Cousins Heritage Inn, 7954 Ann Arbor Road in Dexter. Cheryl Cunningham will discuss workplace diversity.

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Dexter High School library. For more information, call Mary Sullivan at 1-810-231-8040 or Cindy Davey at 426-9470.  
 • Dexter Township Board meets at 7:30 p.m. the third Tuesday of each month in the Dexter Township Hall.  
 • Dexter Township Zoning Board of Appeals meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month in the Dexter Township Hall.  
**Dexter Township Planning Commission** meets at 7:30 p.m. the first and fourth Tuesdays of each month in the Dexter Township Hall.  
 • Smokers Anonymous meets from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. Tuesdays at St. James' Episcopal Church in Dexter. For more information, call 426-8696.  
 • Dexter Village Parks Commission meets at 7 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of each month at National City Bank in Dexter.

**Wednesday**  
 • Dexter Jaycees are looking for adults, ages 21 to 39, to join the club. Meetings are at 7 p.m. the second Wednesday of each month at National City Bank in Dexter. For more information, call 426-1090.  
 • Monument Park Committee meets at 7 p.m. the fourth Wednesday of the month in the basement of the National City Bank (go through the back door of the bank). This is a public meeting. For more information, call Jeff Hall at 426-2883.  
 • 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 at 7:30 p.m. the third Wednesday of the month in the Mill Creek Middle School media center. For more information, call Rhonda Hall at 426-2883.  
 • Village of Dexter Zoning Board of Appeals meets at 7 p.m. the fourth Wednesday of each month at National City Bank in Dexter.

**OTHER**  
 • Alcoholics Anonymous meets at St. Joseph Parish Hall in Dexter at 8 p.m. Tuesdays and 7:30 p.m. Thursdays.  
 • Dexter Family Service, contact Pat Burnett, 449-2149; Marian Burgett, 426-2196; Shawn Dettling, 426-4343; or Judy Wheeler, 426-2160.  
 • Dexter Senior Nutrition Program

delivers meals on weekdays to elderly homebound residents. It also serves lunches Mondays through Fridays at Dexter Senior Center, Copeland Building. To reserve a lunch, call a day ahead, Cindy White, 426-5397.  
 • Volunteers needed from 11 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. weekdays to deliver meals to senior citizens in the Dexter area. For more information, call 426-5397.

**ANN ARBOR**  
 • Alzheimer's Association Transition and Placement Support Group meets from 7 to 9 p.m. the fourth Wednesday of each month at Individualized Home Care, 3003 Washtenaw Ave., Suite 5, Ann Arbor. The meetings are free and confidential. Contact the Alzheimer's Association at 1-800-337-3827 or 677-3081 for additional information.  
 • Arbor Hospice and Home Care announces Grief Support Group for adults who are grieving the death of a parent. The group meets from 7 to 8:30 p.m. on Tuesdays through Feb. 27 at the Arbor Hospice Residence, 2368 Oak Valley Drive. To pre-register or for more information, call 662-5999.  
 • The Washtenaw Chapter of Learning Disabilities Association offers an informal monthly support group for parents of children with learning disabilities and related disorders. Meetings are held on the second Saturday of each month from 10 to 11:30 a.m. throughout the school year at the home of Flora Parker, 3250 Williamsburg St., in Ann Arbor. For more information, call 913-9553.  
 • Male Caregiver Support Group for husbands, sons and partners of someone with Alzheimer's disease or related dementias meets from 9:30 to 11 a.m. the second Thursday of the month at Westside United Methodist Church, 900 S. Seventh St., in Ann Arbor. Contact the Alzheimer's Association at 1-800-337-3827 or 677-3081 for more information.  
 • Teens Using Drugs: How To Know and What To Do, is a workshop to help people learn about adolescent

chemical dependency, recognize when a teen is harmfully involved with alcohol or other drugs, learn what can be done to help, free, ongoing, two-part workshop series will be presented on the first and second Tuesday of each month from 7:30 to 9 p.m. through June at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital Education Center, classroom B, 5305 Elliott Drive in Ypsilanti. Call (734) 973-7892 for information.

**Sunday, February 25**  
 • The Genealogical Society of Washtenaw County will meet at 1:30 p.m. in the auditorium of the Education Center, 5305 Elliott Dr., at the McAuley Health Center. Use parking lot "P" and look for the signs. Call Marcia McCrary with questions 1-734-483-2799.

**Monday, February 26**  
 • A Heart Health Screening will be conducted by Washtenaw County Public Health from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. The screening will be held at the Adult Health Clinic located at the Washtenaw County Human Services Building, 555 Tower, Ypsilanti. For more information, call 1-734-484-7200.

**Monday, March 5**  
 • A four-week program, "After a parent dies: A group for adults," is being offered by Individualized Hospice for men and women who have experienced the loss of a parent, from 6 to 8 p.m. beginning March 5. Meetings will be held at the office of Individualized Home Nursing Care, 3003 Washtenaw, Ann Arbor. Registration is required by Feb. 26. For further information or to register, call 971-0444.

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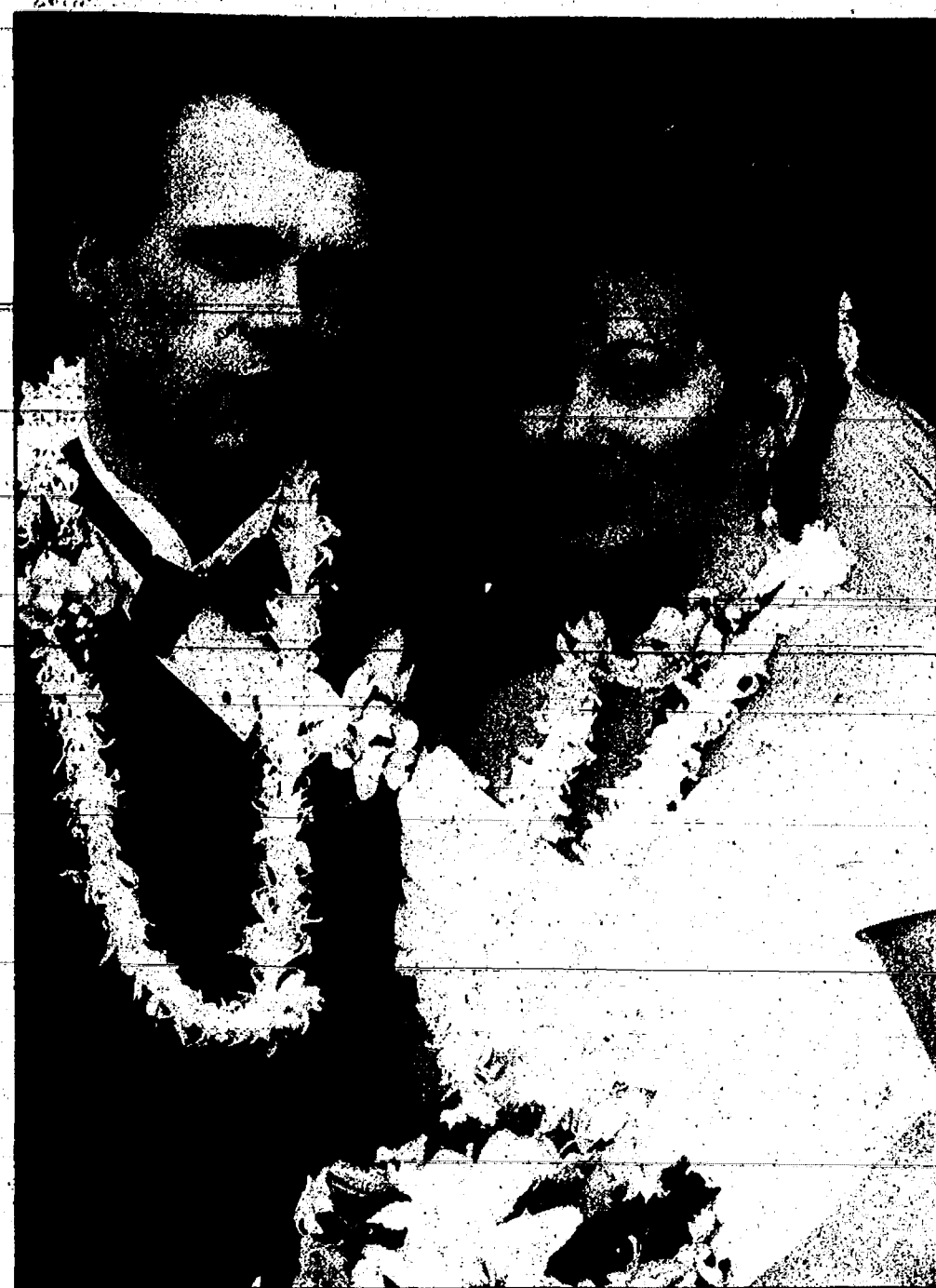
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# WEDDINGS, ENGAGEMENTS



## Rogers, Hardy wed

Michelle Rogers of Chelsea and David Hardy of Grosse Pointe were married Dec. 16 in Maui, Hawaii.

The bride is the daughter of Nancy Rogers of Superior Township and the late Raymond Rogers. The bridegroom is the son of the late Margaret and Matthew Hardy.

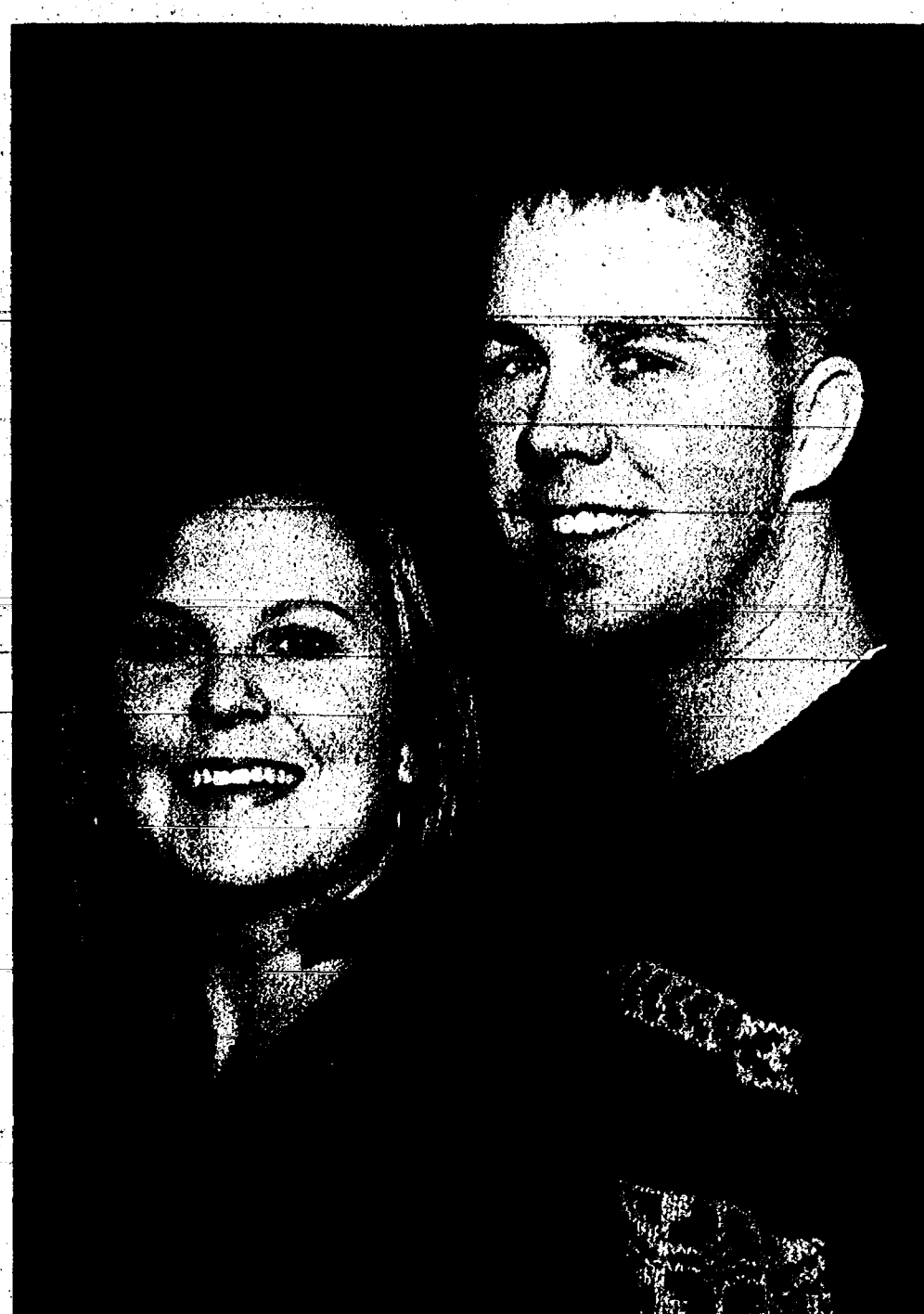
The private ceremony for two was held on the lush, tropical grounds at the Renaissance Wailea Beach Resort. The Rev. Vance Rosete of Harvest Chapel officiated.

The couple spent their honeymoon on the islands of Maui and Kauai.

The bride has a bachelor's degree in journalism from Eastern Michigan University. She is employed by Heritage Newspapers and is the editor of The Chelsea Standard/The Dexter Leader.

The groom has a doctorate degree in electrical engineering from the University of Southern California. He is director of technical services for Heritage Newspapers and general manager of CDP Inc., a division of Heritage.

They plan to reside in the Dexter-Chelsea area.



ENGAGED: Myra Musoif of Chelsea, daughter of Connie and Phillip Musoif of Chelsea, and Jason Dunahoo of Pinckney, son of Dan and Linda Cirner of Chelsea, and Rick and Barb Dunahoo of Westland, have set an April 28 wedding. The future bride is a 1994 graduate of Chelsea High School and attended Washtenaw Community College. She is employed at ADP in Ann Arbor. The future bridegroom is a 1995 graduate of Chelsea High School and attended Lake Superior State University. He is employed as a journeyman with Local 1234.



ENGAGED: Kami Rusk of McChord Air Force Base, Wash., daughter of Robyn and Martin Gehrke of Walla Walla, Wash., and Phillip Bolyard II of Pope Air Force Base, N.C., son of Phillip and DeNette Bolyard of Dexter, have set a May 5 wedding. The future bride is a 1992 graduate of Walla Walla High School and attended Walla Walla Community College. She is a senior airwoman supply specialist in the U.S. Air Force at McChord. The future bridegroom is a 1995 graduate of Gibraltar-Carlson High School. He is a 2000 graduate of Central Texas University, Killeen, Texas, with a degree in aerospace maintenance technology. He is a senior airman stationed in the U.S. Air Force at Pope. After the wedding, the couple will head to Ramstein Air Force Base in Germany, where the groom will be stationed for three years.

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## Zybert earns scholarship

Tara Zybert, daughter of Jeffrey and Nancy Zybert of Chelsea, has received the Mary Jane and Meredith Schwartz Scholarship from Ohio Northern University for the 2000-2001 academic year.

Zybert is a sophomore majoring in biology and psychology.

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# HUSKIES

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Anne crossed the pond to settle in Michigan in 1968.

"Years ago, I had a Samoyed and a Siberian Husky as companions," Anne says. "Both dogs were wonderful. But when they died and it was time to get another dog, there was something about the independence and mischievous nature of the Siberian Husky personality that just connected as being the right dog for me."

Independent and mischievous are just two adjectives that apply to Siberians. These medium-sized, graceful, compact dogs are gentle, friendly, extremely intelligent and energetic. On the downside, they can be stubborn, easily bored and notorious escape artists.

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Originally developed by the Chukchi people of northeastern Siberia as an endurance sled dog, they were also used to herd reindeer. In 1900, the first large number of these dogs competed in the long-distance All Alaska Sweepstakes races, and dog drivers quickly recognized their ability.

The breed became famous in 1925 for delivering life-saving serum to the diphtheria-stricken town of Nome, Alaska. One of the drivers brought his team of Huskies to the United States on a personal appearance tour and competed in sled dog races in New England, proving the superiority of the Siberian Huskies over the native dogs.

The New England drivers and pioneer fanciers acquired foundation stock, earned AKC recognition in 1930 and founded the Siberian Husky Club of America in 1938.

While they originated in the cold climates of Siberia, and can live and work in temperatures as low as 75 degrees below zero, the dogs are found all over the globe in every climate imaginable and seem to adapt well.

Although they are sometimes mistaken for wolves or used in movies to depict wolves, Siberians have no wolf in them. They are a domesticated purebred dog.

"Folks often think they are protective due to their striking wolf-like appearance," Anne says. "However, a Siberian Husky should be friendly and outgoing, neither shy nor aggressive. They are not protective and do not make good guard dogs."

Temperament is a No. 1 priority to the Palmers, whether they are selling a show dog or a pet.

In a type of "canine dating game," the Palmers try to match the right puppy personality to the lifestyle and personality of the potential new owner, many whom come to the kennels from all over southeastern Michigan.

"We temperament test our pups at seven weeks of age," Anne says. "We also look for a potential Husky owner to be well educated on the breed, committed to the life of the animal and a responsible pet owner."

Dogs that don't conform to the American Kennel Club standard are considered pets.

"Most times, what makes the difference between a pet-quality and a show-quality dog is minor, and can be something as simple as the tail being too curly," Anne says.

All pets are sold on the condition the owner agrees to spay or neuter the animal.

"We're very protective of our breed and take responsibility for the dogs that we produce," Anne says. "We don't want to see any of our dogs having accidental breeding and contributing to the unwanted pet population."

The Palmers are involved with Siberians because of their love

of the breed and the enjoyment the dogs bring their family.

"We treat each of our Siberians as a unique member of our family," Anne says.

The four-legged family currently includes 10 adults and three 12-week-old puppies.

"There is never a dull moment with the dogs," Anne says. "They are like our children. Most of the dogs take turns sleeping in the house."

The family has fun naming their pups, too.

"We usually try to play along the theme of one of the parent's names," Anne says. "For example, we have a daughter of Austin Powers named Mini Me. Austin Power's dad is Magnum P.I."

"A lot of girl pups are named after female vocalists, because Siberians love to sing."

Other doggie monikers have been Good 'N' Plenty, Daisy Mae, Chips Ahoy, Chantilly Lace, Lorna Doone, Tool Time, Chatty Cathy, Silver Bullet, Highlander Rogue and Bit of Sin.

The birthing process for the Siberian Husky usually goes very smoothly.

"We have a bed set up by the whelping box just to be close by," Anne says.

The couple exercises their dogs on the trails at the Pinckney Recreation Area, and do leash training and socialization at the Hudson Mills Metropolitan two or three nights a week.

"We've gotten to know many friendly faces there and they, in turn, look forward to seeing the pups grow throughout the summer," Anne says.

The couple has been involved with the Siberian Husky Club of Greater Detroit for more than 10 years. The club provides a forum where enthusiasts can work and show their dogs and participate in a variety of activities.

"Our club sponsors the Siberian Husky Triple Crown Races three weekends in northern Michigan, where everyone gets the chance to harness their dogs to a sled and enjoy the thrill of mushing," Anne says.

Anne has served in a multitude of capacities, from president to show chairperson. She maintains the club's rescue Web site and participates in rescue operations by picking up abandoned or unwanted dogs and interviewing potential new families.

Brian has served as obedience chairman, director and show chairman for the club.

Anne is also a member of the parent club, the Siberian Husky Club of America.

Both Brian and Anne have been show chairmen for the Siberian Husky Specialty show, a springtime dog show for Siberian Huskies that includes both conformation and obedience competition.

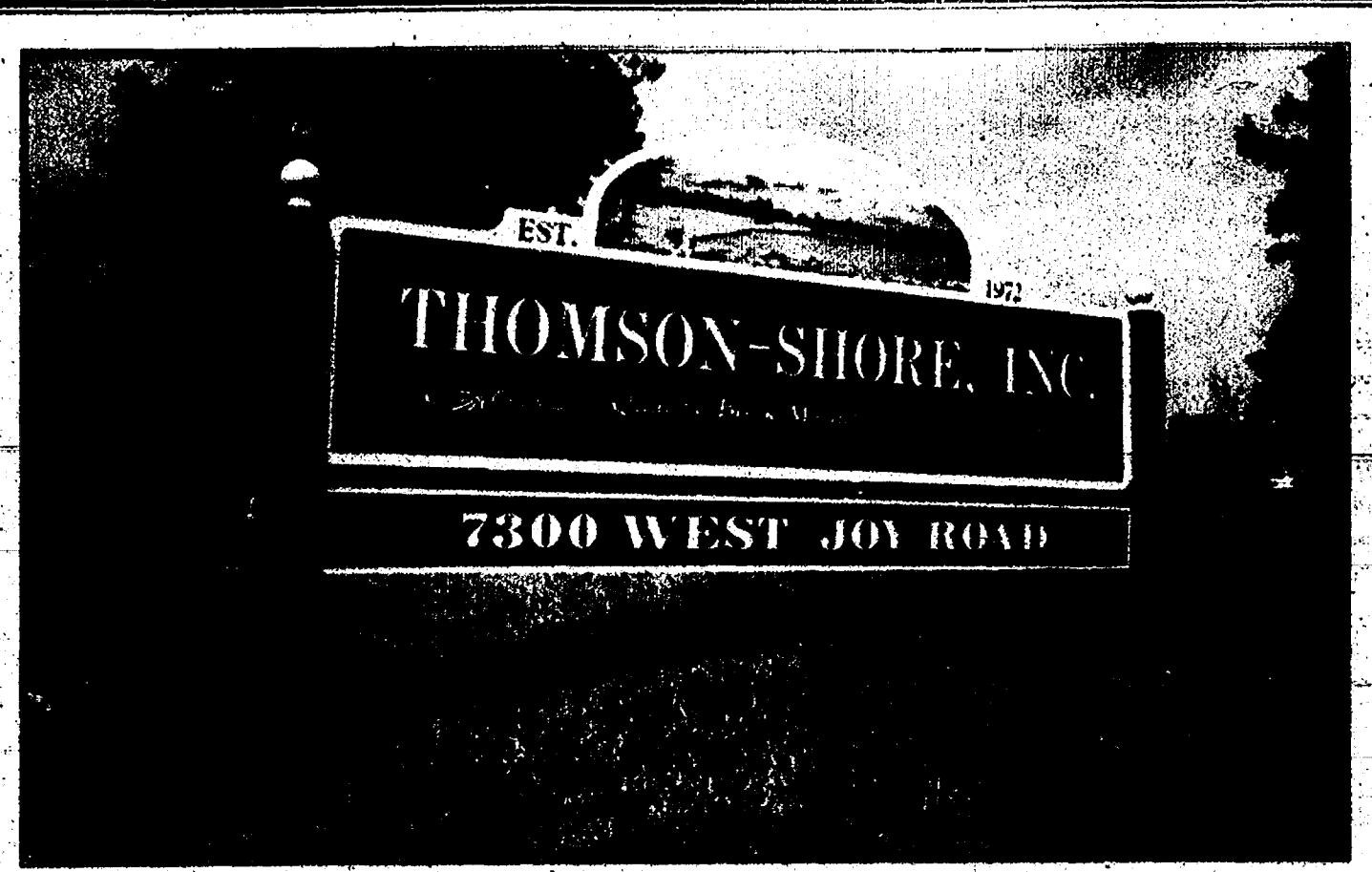
"The specialty is a great chance for dogs and handlers to gain experience in a fun, low-pressure atmosphere," Anne says.

Arlene Kofahl, health sciences teacher at Chelsea High School and the South and West Washtenaw Consortium, is another member of the Siberian Husky Club of Greater Detroit and a friend of the Palmers. She and her husband, Dan, share their home with Hawk, a Husky, and Barney, a yellow Labrador.

An avid cross country skier, Kofahl enjoys skiing with Hawk in Clinton, where she lives. She had planned to enter her first skiing race, the Double J.J. Siberian Round Up on Feb. 10, until heavy rain turned the course to mud.

Kofahl, who works with high school juniors and seniors in Chelsea, Dexter, Saline, Milan and Manchester, also plans to take in foster dogs from the rescue program, when she and her husband have finished building their kennels.

"Before I met Dan, he had taken in Siberians through the foster program, and ran a five-dog team in Michigan," Kofahl says. "We're hoping to find some good runners to build a team and take part in organized races."



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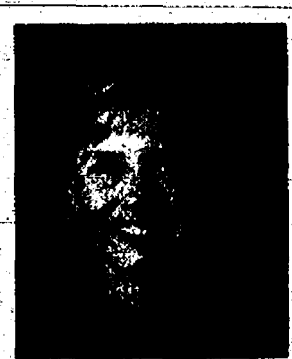
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# DeYOUNG

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Disabilities," DeYoung says. "He hired me as assistant to the director, which is a great title, but my actual job was to write federal grants for an entire year. "It was a great learning experience, but not something you want to do the rest of your life." Cruickshank suggested DeYoung should get his doctorate. "I remember thinking, 'What is a farm boy from Ellsworth going to do with a Ph.D.?' " DeYoung says. "However, since I loved school, there was no way I could turn it down." Cruickshank kept DeYoung on staff while DeYoung was getting his doctorate, supplying him with an office and secretary. Patty DeYoung was working as a special education teacher in Ann Arbor Public Schools. The couple's two sons, Michael and David, were born in 1970 and 1973. "If you ask Patty, she'll say I tried to make a career out of going to college. And if it weren't for her, I would still be there," DeYoung says. In 1973, as he reached completion of his doctorate, DeYoung

became assistant director of special education for Willow Run School District. "I always thought I would teach at the university level and do research, but I truly missed teaching and being closer to kids," DeYoung says. "As assistant director of special education in Willow Run, I truly found my niche. "I missed the direct teaching, but at least I felt I was having some impact on services for children with special needs." In the early '70s special education administration was an exciting time. The state passed the Mandatory Special Education Bill in 1971 for implementation in 1973. "It seems like long ago, but when I taught special education, no child with special needs had a right to go to school," DeYoung says. "Schools could accept children with special needs, but they had no obligation to educate them." DeYoung was on the ground floor of development of programs and services for special needs children within the public schools. He remained assistant director in Willow Run until he was hired for Region V, which encompasses Chelsea, Dexter,

Manchester and Whitmore Lake, as special education director in October 1978. "I'd been at MSU with Ed Lauhon, a 1961 Chelsea graduate, who invited me to stay at his family's home on Cavanaugh Lake," DeYoung recalls. "His future wife was the daughter of Chelsea School Superintendent Charlie Cameron, and that was how I was first introduced to Chelsea." DeYoung admits to making mistakes in his early years in trying to push special programs. "I tried to get programs because it was the law and because schools received reimbursement from the state and the intermediate school district," he says. "I finally learned that the best reasons school boards accept programs for special needs children is not because it was mandatory or because they got money, but because these are their own and their neighbors' kids." Patty DeYoung is now principal at Wines Elementary School in Ann Arbor. After the school year ends, the couple plans to sell their home in Ann Arbor and renovate their cottage in Northport. They also plan to

travel in their retirement. "When the boys were young, we camped every summer," DeYoung says. "I would really like to see this country, as well as Europe, not just in the hot and busy summer time." DeYoung also plans to keep up with technology and volunteer as a computer teacher for seniors. Looking back on his career, DeYoung is completely fascinated by the changes that have taken place over the last 25 years, especially the advent of today's technology, which he feels will help fully integrate special needs students into society. "I can only imagine what things will look like for special education 25 years from now," he says. "The future is brighter than it has ever been." "In many ways, today's schools are completely different than in the past, but in many ways are very much the same. I look at what is expected of our elementary students and I'm completely amazed." Staff Writer Sheila Pursglove can be reached by telephone at 475-1371 or via e-mail at spursglove@heritage.com.



Erin Alber (left) and Laura Koski practice for the annual South Meadows Variety Show set for 6:30 tonight at the school.

## College scholarships available to cancer survivors

College scholarships for young cancer survivors are now available for the new school year. Through a special program of the American Cancer Society Foundation's Great Lakes Division, \$1,000 scholarships will be awarded to a qualified group of young cancer survivors in Indiana and Michigan to help them achieve their goals of higher education. Applications for this year's grants will be accepted through

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and leadership qualities. The grants are for one year. Applications must be submitted to the American Cancer Society, Great Lakes Division office at 1755 Abbey Road, East Lansing, MI 48823. The application process in-

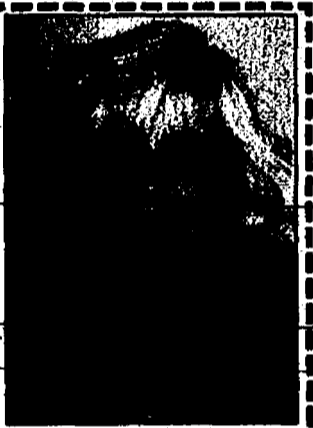
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## Variety Act

Erin Alber (left) and Laura Koski practice for the annual South Meadows Variety Show set for 6:30 tonight at the school.

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# Grassroots group wins ecology award

■ **NOPE recognized for campaign against Panda Energy.**

By Lisa Allmendinger  
Staff Writer

The grassroots organization NO Panda Energy, which was formed in opposition to a proposal by Panda Energy to build a power plant in Dexter Township, was the recipient of an award last month from the Ecology Center in Ann Arbor.

Formed by Andrea Bradbury and other area residents in response to the Texas-based company's proposal to locate an electrical power plant in the township, the group was honored by the Ecology Center at its annual meeting Jan. 21.

"I was honored to accept the award on behalf of NOPE, and I was excited the Ecology Center acknowledged NOPE's efforts in defeating Panda," Bradbury said.

As information about Panda's proposal surfaced this past summer, membership in the group rose to nearly 350 people, including some from out of state.

Representatives of the group stated their opposition to the proposal at governmental meetings and met regularly while mounting an aggressive campaign against Panda. Their efforts included circulating bumper stickers, T-shirts and yard signs opposing the project.

NOPE's efforts were applauded by the Ecology Center, which said the facility would have generated large amounts of nitrogen oxides and other toxic air pollutants.

Bradbury said she was thrilled by the honor. "We worked hard," she said.

Following the announcement that Panda would not pursue its proposal to build in the township, NOPE took a breather.

"We needed it," Bradbury

said.

But it has recharged and regrouped under the name Rural Dexter, complete with a new Web site at [www.ruraldexter.org](http://www.ruraldexter.org), as well as a new set of goals.

"I am also hoping we can work with the area townships to really make the Rural Web site a resource to the community," Bradbury said.

Bradbury said she had not approached township officials yet, but is hoping they will see Rural Dexter as a resource within the community.

Bradbury said the group, 100 members strong, will meet every other month and have guest speakers.

Bradbury is considering mailing a monthly newsletter to all members and expanding the group's membership to include more residents in Lyndon, Lima, Seio, Sylvan and Webster townships.

"This will be a good way we can stay in touch with the members who don't have computers," she said.

Rural Dexter's new goals are to offer input to the township committees on zoning restrictions, Bradbury said.

"We will raise awareness of problems such as urban sprawl and promote awareness of farm and open-land preservation," she said.

Bradbury said the group will "put pressure" on the township when an important issue, such as industry within the township, arises.

Rural Dexter also plans to work toward changing legislation taxing farmland. "So, farmers can remain farming," she said.

The group plans to promote awareness of problems related to farming and to become involved in the townships and the new Chelsea Regional Area Committee, Bradbury said.



## Snowman Buddies

Weston Barnes (left) and his brother, Chase, took part in the snowman building contest at Pierce Lake Elementary School Fun Night Jan. 26. Chase Barnes is a kindergartner at Pierce Lake.

# Former resident's poem appears in recording

■ **Poem is part of three-album collection.**

By Sheila Pursglove  
Staff Writer

Grinda West Osborne, a 1965 Chelsea High School graduate, is one of 33 poets whose work has been chosen for professional recording.

Osborne's poem, "The Ego," will be included in an internationally distributed three-album collection, "The Sound of

Poetry," released on both compact disc and cassette tape.

Osborne, who was born in Ann Arbor, grew up in Chelsea with her four sisters and three brothers, all graduates of Chelsea High School. She was active in Girl Scouts, involved in the Chelsea Fair and was a member of St. Mary Catholic Church.

Osborne lives in Whitmore Lake and works as a metal mold maker for General Motors Corp. Her brother, David, lives in Dexter and her mother,

Vivian West, lives in Chelsea.

Osborne got her start in poetry by offering to write a poem to honor a GM retiree. She has since written for more retirements, funerals, and Christmas poems.

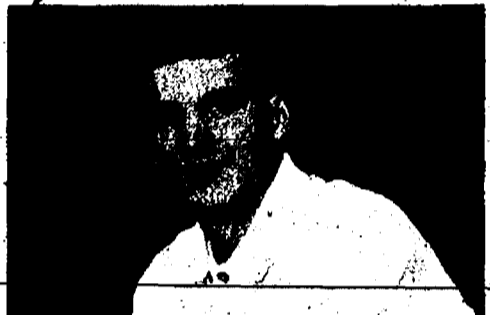
Last fall, Osborne was formally inducted as an "International Poet of Merit" and an honored member of the International Society of Poets, at the 10th anniversary of the International Society of Poets Convention and

Symposium.

Osborne was honored with two awards, the "International Poet of Merit" award medallion and a commemorative award plaque in recognition of her poetry being published. She was also invited to read her poetry to the assembled audience.

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# Kime earns Eagle rank



Jason Kime

Boy Scout Troop 457 recently held a special court of honor ceremony to award the rank of Eagle Scout to Jason Kime of Saline.

Kime is the son of Donna and Michael Kime of Saline. His mother is a nurse in the emergency room at Chelsea Community Hospital.

Kime's Eagle Scout project,

which was completed last spring, involved upgrading the Saline Public Library nature trail.

After earning his Arrow of Light in February 1994, Kime crossed over into the Boy Scout program by joining troop 457. He has served as den chief, assistant patrol leader and troop instructor. He has also served as a camp counselor at Camp Munhake for four years and has been elected to the Order of the Arrow.

Kime is currently serving as assistant scoutmaster in troop 457. He is a senior at Saline High School and plans to attend Purdue University after graduation.

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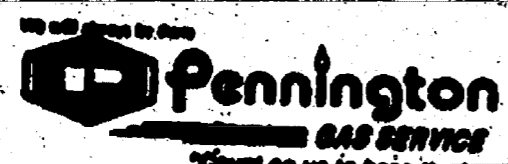
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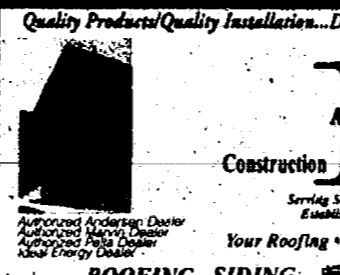
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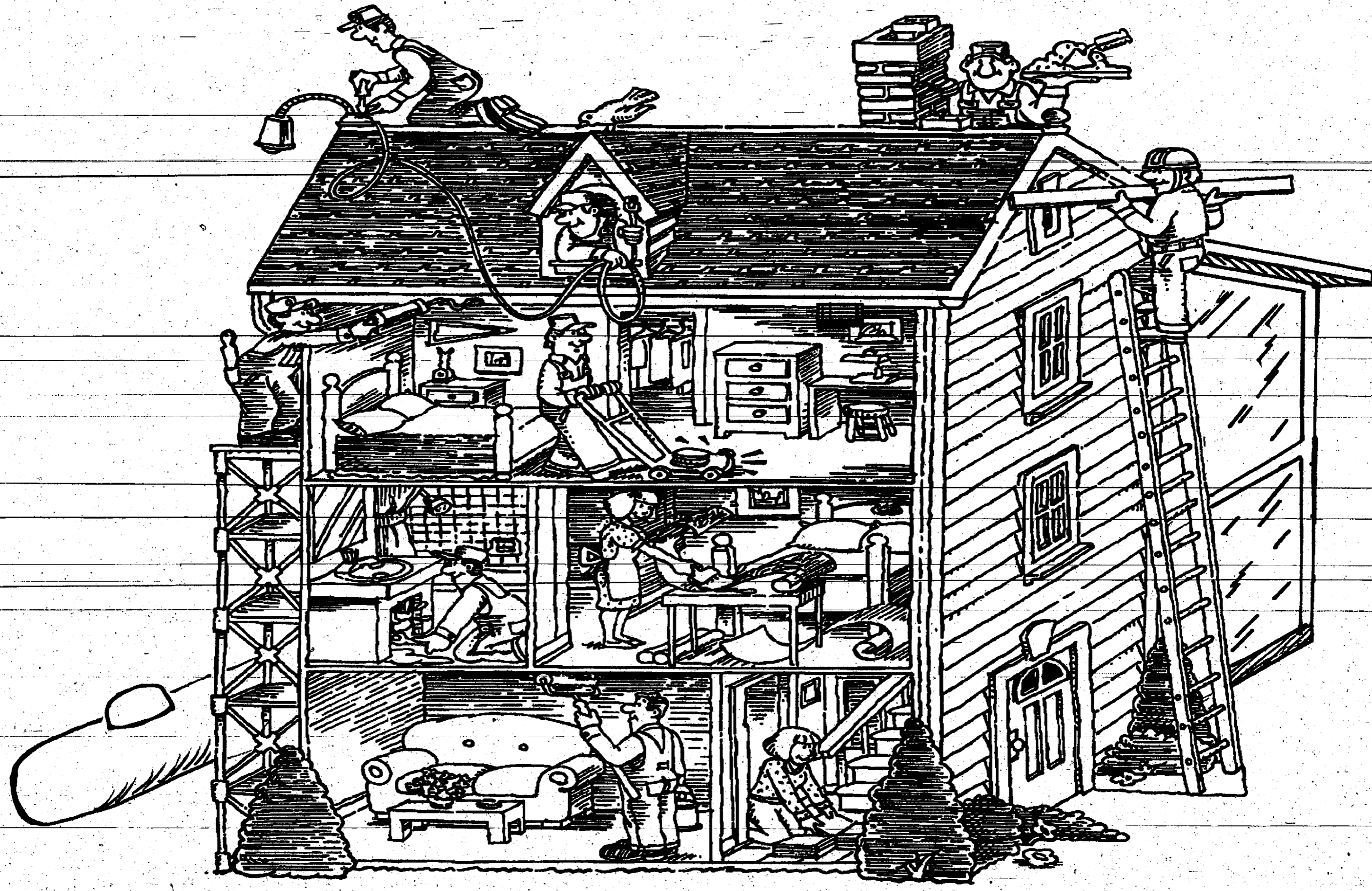
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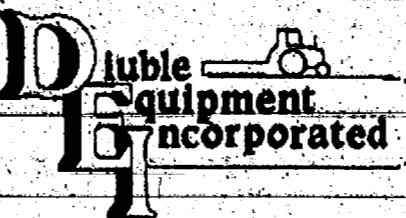


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## Crowning glory

### Bulldog grapplers capture team and individual district championships

By Don Richter  
Staff Writer

It came down to the final match.

The Chelsea wrestling team's fortunes rested on the broad shoulders of Bulldog junior Jared Powers.

Host Chelsea found itself trailing Marshall 33-32 in the Division II team district finals heading into the heavyweight match up Feb. 14.

With a victory by Powers, the Bulldogs would win a district championship. With a loss, Chelsea would finish as runner up.

It took all of 34 seconds, but Powers came through for the Bulldogs, pinning his Marshall opponent and giving Chelsea a district title.

"It was a good team effort," said Chelsea coach Kerry Kargel. "I'm proud of the kids."

The Bulldogs have accomplished both of their goals this season.

"We wanted to win the SEC (Southeastern Conference) and be district champions," Kargel said. "We haven't won a team district title in five years."

It appeared as if it would be six years early in the meet.

After a Josh Clark (103 pounds) pin in 1:06 to lead off the finals, Chelsea dropped the next six matches, falling behind 30-8.

"It was a great way to start out," Kargel said regarding Clark's opening pin. "That set

the tempo for the rest of the team."

But at 30-8, Kargel wondered if his squad would be able to regroup.

"I thought, 'Oh, my,'" he said. "But we've been a great comeback team all year."

The Bulldogs had rallied from a 38-6 deficit against Pinckney earlier in the year, so Kargel hoped his squad could rebound against the Redskins.

He got his wish.

Chelsea would close out the meet by winning six out of the last seven matches to capture the district crown.

Mike Steger (145) started the comeback for the Dawgs, pinning his opponent in 2:59.

"That was a critical match," Kargel said. "If we would have lost there, we would have lost the match. That was the turning point. It boosted the team's

morale."

After Steger's pin, Adam Egeler (152) picked up a win on a void.

At 160, Eric Lixey won by technical fall, 18-0. With his win, Chelsea closed the Marshall lead to 30-23 with four matches left.

At 171, senior George Fairley recorded an 11-0 major decision to make the score 30-27.

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Photo courtesy of Norm Bauer

Chelsea's district championship team gathers for a team shot. Members include, front row, Adam Ellis (left), Mike Kattula, Randy Ostrowski, Ryan Keiser, Ryan Lundquist, Josh Clark, Matt Robinson, Ben Rodgers and Jeremy Lee. In the middle row are assistant coach Del Queenan, Zach Powers, Karl Wint, Pat Jolly, Dave Graff, Darl Bauer, Jared Powers, George Fairley, Mike Steger, Eric Lixey, Adam Egeler, David Dault, Fred Dehn, Robert Herrst, assistant coach Mike Young and coach Kerry Kargel. In the back row are Alex Slocum, John Lowry, Joel Powers, Ross Davis and Charles Harris.

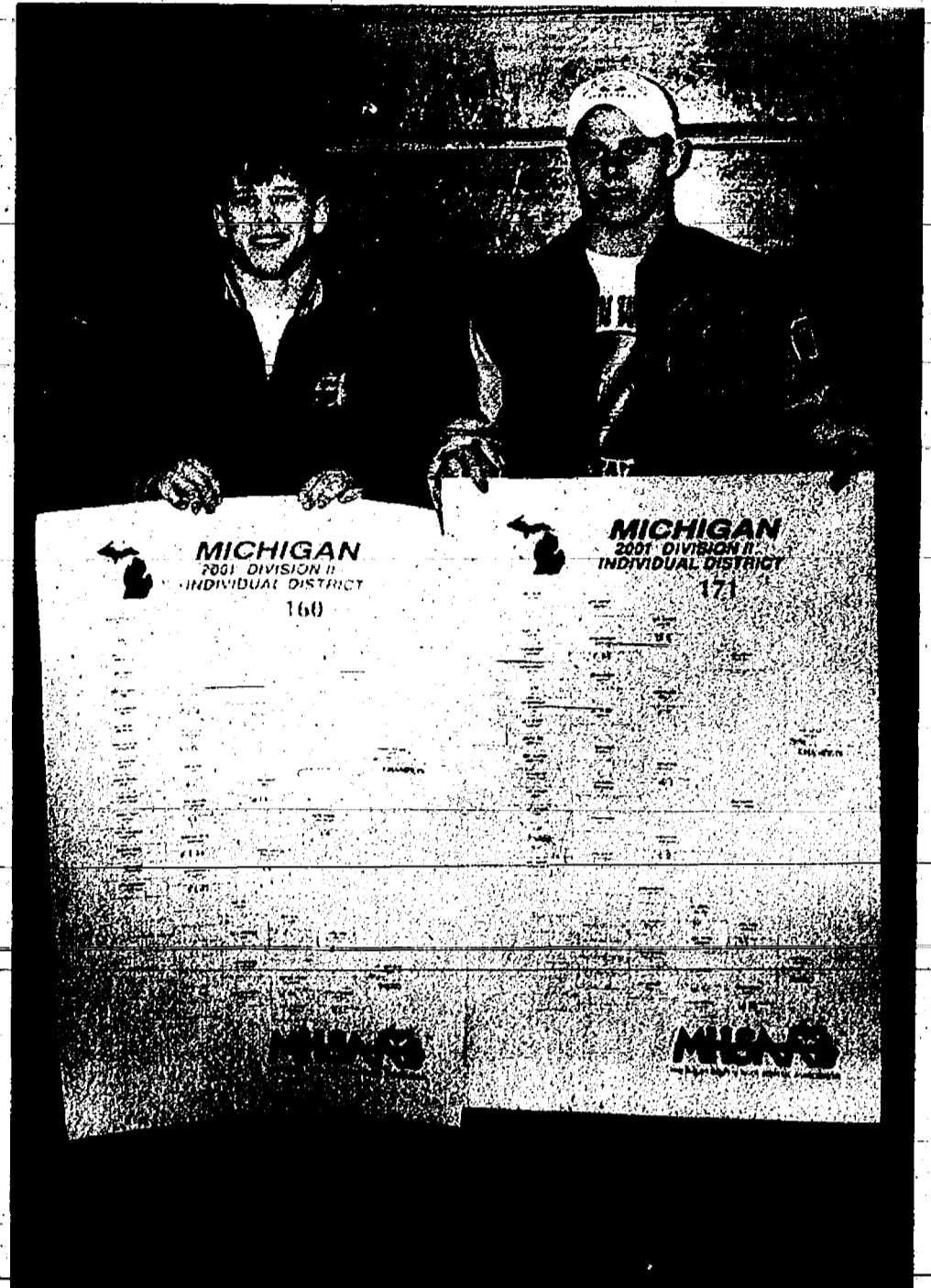


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Chelsea individual district champions George Fairley (left) and Darl Bauer hold their scorecards after besting the field last Saturday.

## Bulldog swimmers lap River Rats, Indians

### Chelsea tankers end dual meet season with wins over Huron, Tecumseh

The Chelsea Bulldog swimming and diving team finished its dual meet season with impressive wins against Ann Arbor Huron and Southeastern Conference rival Tecumseh last Thursday and Friday night.

Chelsea beat Huron by a score of 117-69 and dunked Tecumseh 121-65.

Going into both meets, visiting Chelsea knew it could try some new things in its lineup and also allow the newer swimmers a chance to earn their varsity letters.

With only three weeks until the state championships, Chelsea wanted to try all the different relay combinations it could

and if possible lower existing qualification times.

The meet against the River Rats got off to a great start with the 200 medley relay posting a season best performance at 1:43.

Jared Wacker, Greg Cook, Andy Hack and Jeff Heydlauff combined to post the area's fourth fastest medley relay of the season thus far.

Tim Wacker won the 200 freestyle, with Andre Bravo earning third and Andrew Ceo placing fourth.

Heydlauff cruised to an easy victory in the 200 individual medley, posting a time of (2:11.99). Cook was fourth, with

Aaron Connell coming in fifth.

Jared Wacker had one of the best swims of the evening, winning the 50 freestyle with a season best of (23.08).

Jake Holton also had a season-best performance, lowering his time to (23.63), earning him second. Zack Christman was third at (23.84).

Steve Basar was second in one-meter diving, with 209.10 points. Gabe McGuinness was third with 189.30 and Ian Rosentreter earned fifth place with 145.20.

Tim Wacker was second in the 100 butterfly. Connell ended up third.

Holton posted another season best in the 100 freestyle, winning the event in 53.55. Bravo was second in 56.87, with Josh Haynes third in 58.56.

Heydlauff easily won the 500 freestyle at 5:16.82. Ceo dropped his time to a season best of 5:42.02, earning him fifth place.

Christman, Holton, Bravo, and Cook won the 200 freestyle relay, posting a 1:38.81.

Connell, Haynes, Jeff Diekis, and Basar placed second.

Hack kept everyone on the edge of their seats as he set the pool record in the 100 backstroke, improving his time to a

personal best of 53.14.

Hack's time keeps him first in the state rankings going into the state meet.

Christman finished third in the event, with Ryan Kelley earning fifth-place points.

Cook ended up second in the 100 breaststroke, with Basar placing fourth and Kooyers placing fifth.

Heydlauff, Holton, Jared Wacker and Hack cruised to victory in the 400 freestyle relay.

The Tecumseh meet was the last dual meet of the season for Chelsea — a season which so far has been quite remarkable for

the Bulldogs, ranked No. 5 in Class B-C-D.

Chelsea won all three relay events on its way to an easy victory over the Indians.

The focus now becomes the SEC meet that takes place at Ann Arbor Pioneer tomorrow and Saturday.

The meet begins at noon each day with prelims starting tomorrow and the finals beginning Saturday.

Chelsea needs to place ahead of last year's winner Dexter to tie for the championship of the White Division.

Relays and overall depth will be the difference.

## Bedford blues

### Free throw shooting dooms Chelsea hoopsters

By Don Richter  
Staff Writer

The Chelsea basketball team overall played a pretty decent game.

The Bulldogs out shot and out rebounded their opponent yet still came out on the short end of a 64-61 loss to visiting Temperance Bedford last Thursday night.

The difference in the ballgame was free throw shooting.

The Mules finished the night 20-of-23 for 87 percent. Chelsea ended up 5-of-9 for 56 percent.

"We were not able to stop their penetrating offense," said Chelsea coach Robin Raymond. "They tried and was successful for most of the game, taking the ball to the basket with the dribble."

"We did take four charges against them, but they also went to the free throw line 23 times, converting 20 of their shots. Whereas we only attempted nine free throws."

Despite Bedford's charity stripe advantage, Chelsea still led 49-40 heading into the fourth quarter.

An offensive outburst by the Mules in the fourth period, however, turned the tide in the ball-

game.

"We played consistent basketball for the first three quarters," Raymond said. "In the fourth, they converted 10 out of 12 free throws, outscoring us 24-12."

Senior swing player Tony Scheffler led the Bulldogs with 20 points, five rebounds, five assists, two steals and two blocked shots.

Nick Gadbury added nine points and three assists. Joe Tripodi had eight points and a team-high nine rebounds, while Paul Newhouse had eight points and five boards for the Bulldogs.

Kyle Pepper finished with two points, four rebounds and four assists.

Chelsea was 26-of-57 from the field for 46 percent. Bedford ended up 21-of-47 for 45 percent.

From three-point land, Gadbury paced the Dawgs with three. Scheffler added one.

Chelsea (8-8, 1-3) committed 15 turnovers compared to the Mules' 13.

But it was Bedford's ability to penetrate that tipped the scales last Thursday.

"We need to play better defense on our opponents"

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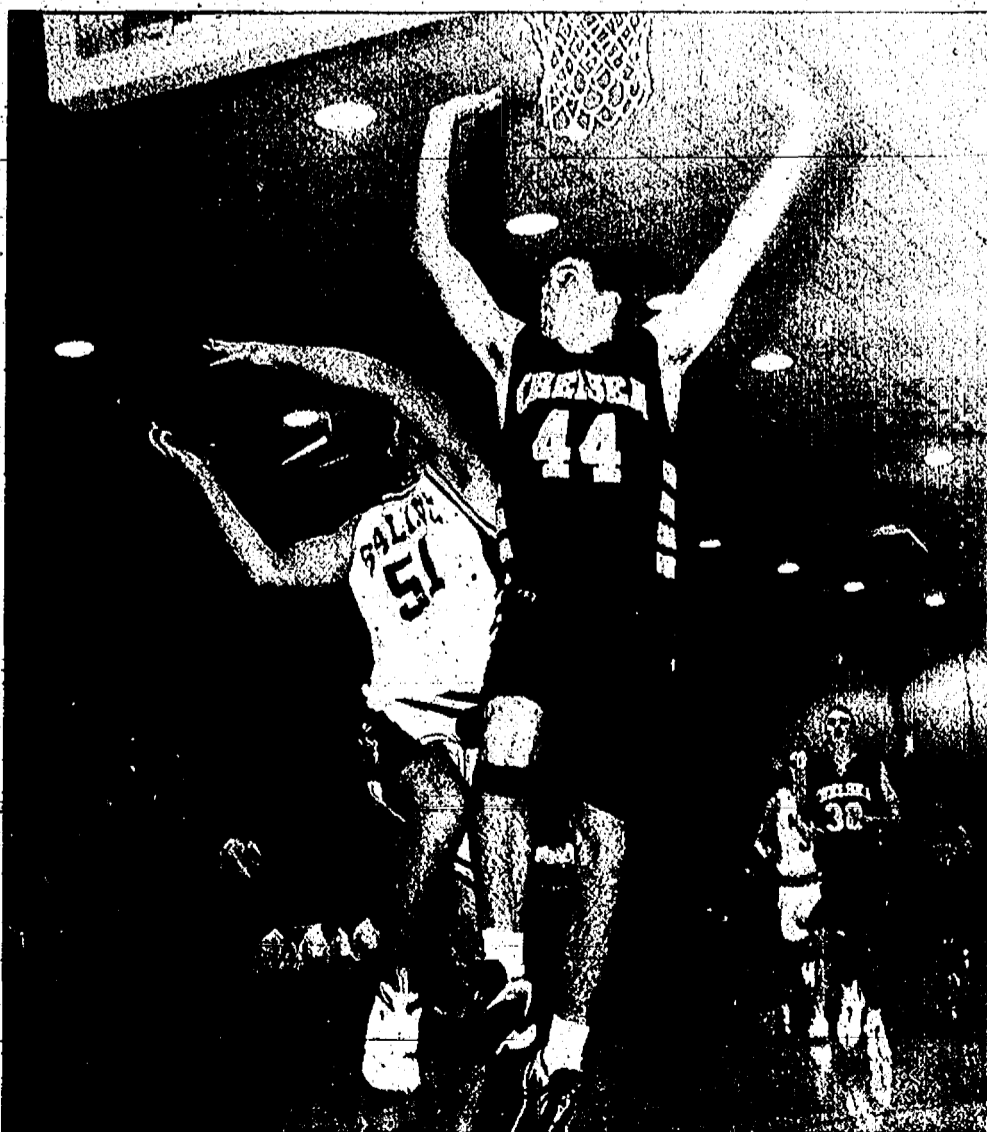


Photo by Frank Weir

Chelsea senior swing player Tony Scheffler goes for the block in action earlier this season at Saline. Last Thursday against Bedford, Scheffler had two blocks and a team-high 20 points.

## Icers exact revenge

By Don Richter  
Staff Writer

Despite three consecutive penalties ending the second period and playing short-handed for the last half of the third period, the visiting Chelsea hockey team managed to overcome its miscues, pulling out a 6-4 victory last Thursday at Lincoln Park.

"Everything was kind of going against us," said Chelsea coach Don Wright. "I was glad to get out of there with a win."

The victory was extra sweet for the Bulldogs (14-7-1, 8-2-1) since the Railsplitters had beaten Chelsea earlier in the season at the Artic Coliseum on a goal with 18 seconds left in the game.

"We talked a little bit about that (before the game)" Wright said. "We had given them four breakaways in the (first) game. They scored on three of them."

The Bulldogs, 5-1-1 in their last seven games, returned the favor last Thursday as junior Mike Sayers scored on a breakaway, giving Chelsea an early 1-0 first period lead. "He just outthusted the Lincoln Park defenseman to get the puck," Wright said. After two straight Rail-

splitter goals put the hosts up 2-1, the Bulldogs answered with five seconds remaining in the period as junior Josh Barron turned the light on tying the game at 2-2.

"He made a great individual effort," said Wright, about Barron, who knocked the puck out of the air before firing a shot past the Lincoln Park net minder.

The play gave Chelsea much needed momentum heading into the second period.

With the added energy, the Bulldogs came out flying, scoring three unanswered goals and taking a 5-2 lead.

Sophomore Drew Warren started things off by scoring at 5:29 of the period off an assist from junior Zach Meza.

At 6:22 of the frame, senior alternate captain Craig St. Clair made it 4-2, scoring a power play goal off an assist from senior captain Dave Poupard and Sayers.

At 12:31 of the period, senior defenseman Jeff Jiga scored off an assist from Barron making it 5-2 Bulldogs.

Despite taking three straight penalties to end the frame, Chelsea was able to fight off the Lincoln Park power plays and head into the

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# Deis, Baker pace Bulldog volleyball win over Lincoln

By Don Richter  
Staff Writer

The Chelsea volleyball team swept visiting Ypsilanti Lincoln, 15-9, 15-4, 15-3 last Thursday in a key Southeastern Conference match up.

With the win, the Bulldogs (34-9-2, 3-2) assured themselves sole position of second place in the SEC White Division with a victory over Tecumseh today.

Chelsea trails only Class B No. 1-ranked Dexter in the White standings.

Against Lincoln, senior Caitlin Deis led the way for Chelsea with 16 kills.

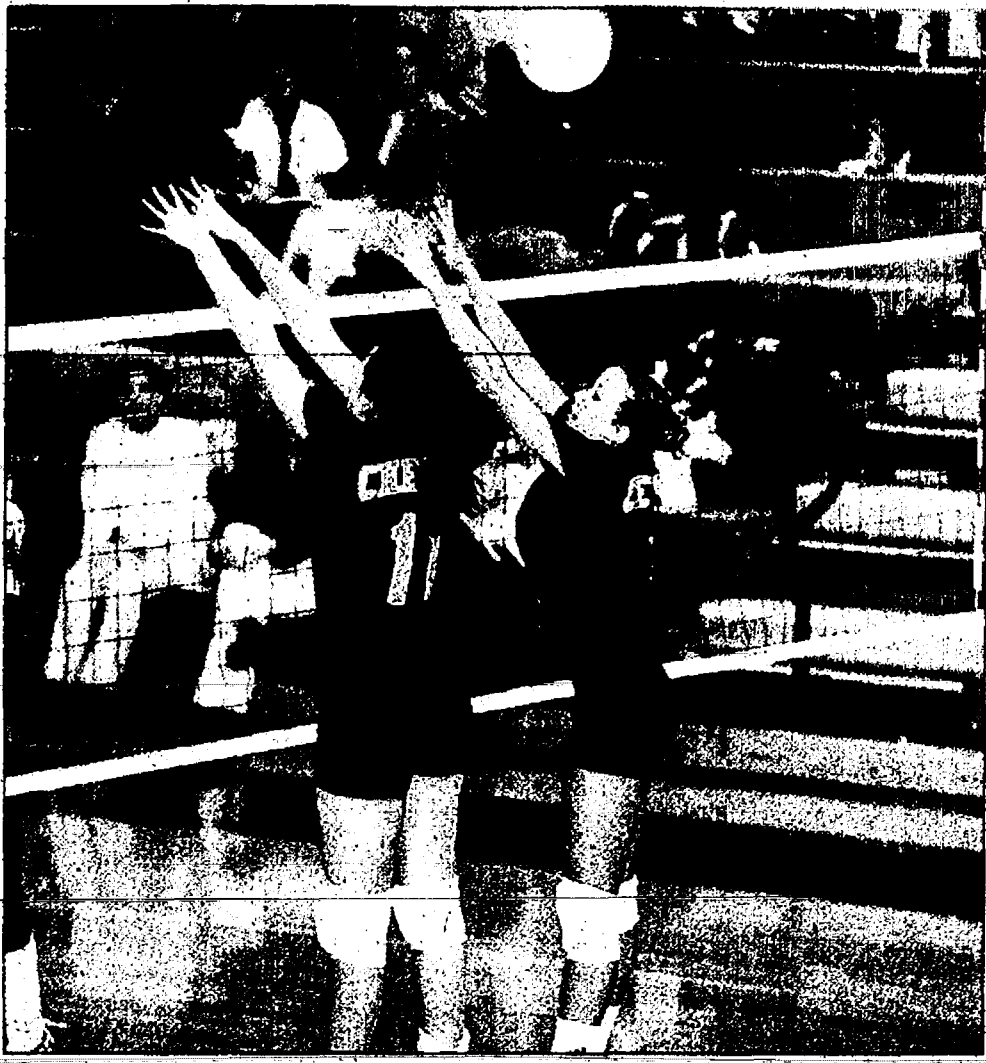
Senior setter Lindsay Baker added 19 assists and senior Amber Mattocks had five aces for the Dawgs.

Chelsea travels to Tecumseh today for a match beginning at 6 p.m.

After its battle with the Indians, the Bulldogs will participate in a tournament at the University of Michigan Dearborn campus Saturday.

On March 3, Chelsea begins its quest for a state championship in district play at Onsted.

"Our primary goal is to prepare for districts by playing well over the next couple of



Chelsea's Allison Mann (left) and Lindsay Baker stretch to block a shot during action against Ypsilanti Lincoln.

weeks," said Chelsea coach Laura Cleveland. Staff Writer Don Richter can be

reached by telephone at 475-1371 or via e-mail at drichter@heritage.com.



Bulldog senior volleyball players Michelle Dettling (left), Caitlin Deis, Lindsay Baker, Amber Mattocks, Josie Wells and Laura Baird gather for a shot before the Lincoln match. Missing from the photograph is Molly Welton.

# Chelsea frosh avenge loss to Pioneer

By Don Richter  
Staff Writer

It was approximately one month ago when Ann Arbor Pioneer broke Chelsea's freshman boys' basketball team's heart.

The visiting Pioneers managed to overcome a four-point deficit in the last 30 seconds and, with a basket as time expired, defeated the stunned Bulldogs, 50-49.

On Feb. 12, visiting Chelsea exacted its revenge.

The Bulldogs used a 13-0 game-ending run, paying back Pioneer with a 58-45 victory.

With the game tied at 45-45 with four minutes remaining, Chelsea clamped down defensively and began clicking on offense to dispose of the host Pioneers.

"This was definitely one of our biggest wins of the season," said Chelsea coach Mike Bareis. "This was a nice one to win because Pioneer had beaten us the first time with a shot at the buzzer."

Nick Miller, with 13 points, and Brian Kinashuk and Joel Hohnke, with 12 each, led Chelsea.

Tony Reifel, Mark Borders and George Royce each added seven points for the Bulldogs.

After running out to a 28-16 halftime advantage, the well suddenly went dry for Chelsea.

The Pioneers outscored the Bulldogs 20-8 in the third quarter to head into the fourth period with momentum on its side and the score deadlocked at 36-36.

It appeared Pioneer was going to steal a second win. Chelsea, however, had other ideas.

With the score knotted at 45-45, the Bulldogs picked it up a notch, blanking Pioneer the rest of the way to record the victory.

"I was extremely pleased with our mental toughness in a difficult situation," Bareis said.

On Feb. 9, Chelsea beat county

rival Dexter, 66-47. Miller with 13 points, Kinashuk with 12, Hohnke with 10 and Jeff Aber with nine led a balanced Bulldog attack.

Chelsea held a 36-15 advantage at halftime.

"We played an outstanding second quarter both offensively and defensively," Bareis said. "We outscored Dexter 23-5 in the pivotal second quarter."

Chelsea next travels to Ypsilanti Lincoln tomorrow for a game at 6 p.m.

On Tuesday, the Bulldogs host Jackson County Western at 4 p.m.

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third period up 5-2.

"We were shorthanded, but we felt pretty good," Wright said. "Special teams were a key."

In the last half of the third period, penalties once again bit the Bulldogs.

With five minutes remaining, Lincoln Park trimmed the Chelsea lead to 5-4.

"We played the last half of the game shorthanded," Wright said. "We gave Lincoln Park some opportunities to score. At 5-4 it was pretty tight."

But with less than three minutes left on the clock, Chelsea forced a face off in the Rallsplitters' zone.

Enter senior center Brad Wright, the Bulldogs' version of Steve Yzerman when it comes to important face offs.

"He's our best face-off guy," Wright said. "He's been able to win a lot of draws for us this season."

Last Thursday was no different.

With the game on the line, Wright entered the face-off circle, winning the draw and sending the puck back to defenseman Poupard, who one-timed it past

the Lincoln Park goaltender for a score.

With Poupard's laser blast, Chelsea upped its advantage to a more manageable 6-4.

"That pretty much salted away the victory," Wright said.

Lincoln Park out shot Chelsea 25-24 on the night.

Sophomore Andrew Mossburg recorded the win in goal for the Bulldogs.

"I thought we looked strong on offense," Wright said. "We just need to stay out of the penalty box."

Chelsea wraps up the regular season Feb. 24 at 7 p.m. against county rival Dexter.

It will be the third and most important battle of the season between the two squads.

If history is any indication, game No. 3 should be a dandy.

In the season's first meeting, Dexter prevailed 4-3 in overtime during its Christmas tournament. In most recent action Jan. 31 at the Artic Coliseum, the two squads tied 4-4 on Poupard's last second goal.

Adding more fuel to an already hot fire is the fact Saturday's game is a winner-take-all affair.

Whoever comes out on top at Veterans Memorial Ice Arena

will capture the Southeast Michigan High School Hockey League championship.

For Chelsea, in its first season as a varsity program, just having a chance to play for a championship is special.

"We've done real well," Wright said. "At the beginning of the season this (making championship) was one of our goals."

Another goal is to do well in the state tournament.

On March 1, the Bulldogs begin their inaugural run in the tournament, playing the winner of Dearborn Divine Child-Jackson Lumen Christi at Allen Park's Civic Arena at 6:15 p.m.

Either opponent should prove a severe test for the Dawgs.

Divine Child advanced to the state semifinals last year and is ranked No. 5 in Division III this season.

Lumen Christi has been ranked as high as No. 10 in Division III this year and has beaten Dexter twice this season.

"We've got our work cut out for us," Wright said.

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Chelsea senior Rob Molina eyes the puck during action earlier this season.

Photo by Frank Weir

## Beach seventh-graders drop two matches

By Don Richter

Staff Writer  
Chelsea's Beach Middle School seventh-grade volleyball team dropped two matches last week, falling to Dexter and Adrian Springbrook.

Against its county rivals Feb. 15, Beach lost a four-set marathon 3-11, 6-11, 11-7, 0-11.

Leading visiting Chelsea were Maggie Dusbiber with six points and one ace, Kay Szcodronski and Megan Nadolny with four points each and Tawny McSweeney with two points.

Amanda Trembley, Rachel Armstrong, Tori Overpeck and Jennifer Carty each added one point for Beach.

Pacing the squad in assists was Szcodronski with eight.

Carty added five assists, Dusbiber and McSweeney had two assists and Kesler and Nadolny had one assist each for Chelsea.

Torre Haynes finished with a team-high four spikes. Szcodronski, McSweeney and Underwood each added three spikes.

On Feb. 13, Beach traveled to Adrian Springbrook falling 2-11, 8-11, 11-9, 7-11.

Despite the setback, Chelsea coach Linda Turok remained upbeat.

"The girls played very well," she said. "We had a season record of successful attacks in this match."

Jeanne Underwood, with three spikes, paced the Beach offense.

McSweeney, Haynes, Armstrong, Kaly Coburn and Hannah Myers added two spikes each for Beach.

Nicky Lodewyk and Kesler both finished with one spike. Szcodronski led Chelsea in assists with five.

Carty ended up with three and

McSweeney and Sarah Iverson chipped in two for Beach.

Mandie Egeler was the top server recording six points.

"She played an error-free game," Turok said.

Myers finished with four points, Szcodronski and Dusbiber three points and McSweeney, Danielle Smith,

Nadolny and Lodewyk each added two points.

Trembley, Coburn, Kesler and Armstrong each had one point for Chelsea.

Beach next travels to Tecumseh today for a match at 4 p.m.

On Tuesday, Chelsea travels to Saline for a match at 4 p.m.

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# New competitors spark Champion Gymnastics in meet

By Don Richter  
Staff Writer

Champion Gymnastics was well represented at the recent Valentine Fun Meet Feb. 10 at Conrad's Gymnastics in Farm-

ington Hills.

Eighteen competitors from Washtenaw County-based Champion competed in Levels 4 and 5. In youth gymnastics, Level 10 is the highest bracket attainable.

For most of Champion's gymnasts, the Valentine Fun Meet was their first competition ever.

The Hot Shots team consisted of Lauren Wilson, Kayla Samuels, Olivia Marks, Steph-

anie Lim and Lauren LaFontaine.

Bailey Wandyg, Elizabeth Stempihar, Tia Wilson, Maia Neubig, Catelyn O'Sullivan, Becca Sherman, Amy Alford and Leigh Stoll represented the

Jade team.

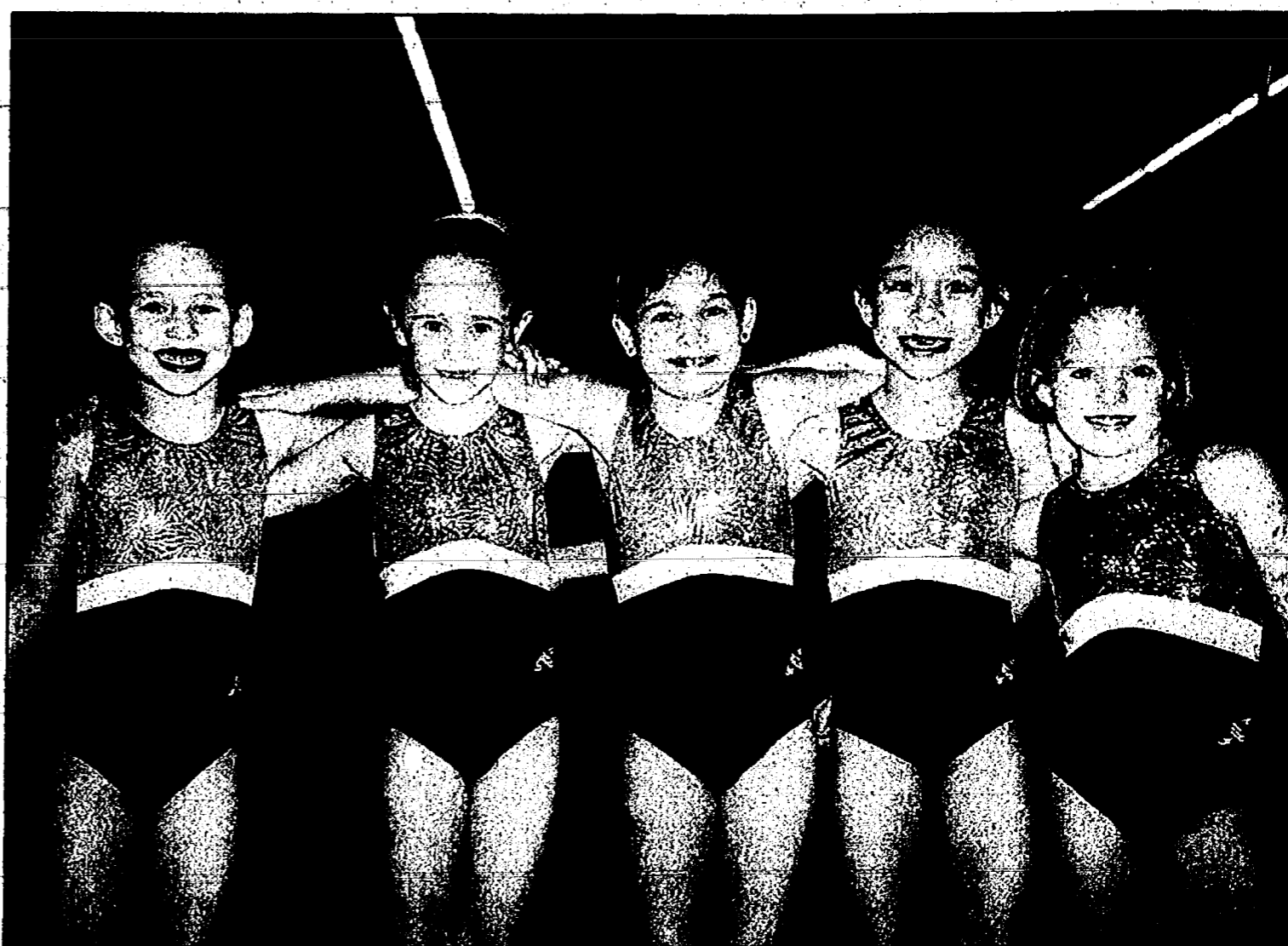
The Silver 5 squad that participated included Anya Holodnick, Heather Neff, Rachel Gentz, Casey Flowers and Maria Trombly. "We are excited and looking

forward to many great things in the future," said Champion Gymnastics owner Dave Black.

Champion is made up primarily of gymnasts from the communities of Dexter and Chelsea.



Champion Gymnastics' Level 4 and 5 teams gather for a photograph. Members include, front row, Kayla Samuels (left), Olivia Marks, Lauren LaFontaine, Stephanie Lim and Lauren Wilson. Middle row, Anya Holodnick (left), Heather Neff, Rachel Gentz and Casey Flowers. Back row, Bailey Wandyg (left), Maria Trombly, Elizabeth Stempihar, Tia Wilson, Maia Neubig, Catelyn O'Sullivan, Becca Sherman, Amy Alford and Leigh Stoll.



Members of the Champion Gymnastics Hot Shots include Lauren Wilson (left), Kayla Samuels, Olivia Marks, Stephanie Lim and Lauren LaFontaine.

## Chelsea JV spikers pound Ypsi Lincoln

By Don Richter  
Staff Writer

The Chelsea JV volleyball team defeated visiting Ypsilanti Lincoln last Thursday, 15-3, 15-8.

Courtney Bentley, with four assists, three digs, eight points and one ace, and Katrina Moffett, with three points, two aces and three assists, paced the Bulldogs.

"We had great hustle and excellent serves," said Chelsea coach Beth Box. "Alison Sacks stepped up with her serves and had eight points right off the second rotation, with five being aces."

Sacks finished with eight points, five aces, one kill and four digs on the day.

Cynthia Johnson ended up with two assists, two kills, six digs, two points and two aces. Krystal Space had one assist, two kills, two digs and one point and Stephanie Minzey finished with seven kills and three blocks for Chelsea.

"Cynthia Johnson had constant hustle and refused to give up on balls and Krystal Space

scoring. Making last Thursday's victory even more impressive was the

played middle for the first time this year and did a great job," Box said.

Lindsey Tye added three kills, two points and one ace. Jenny Parker had four digs, four points and one ace. Catherine Kirkwood had one assist, two kills, three blocks and one dig for the Dawgs.

Anna Marie Cooper had five digs and one point and Sarah Kaminsky had three digs and one point to round out Chelsea's

fact that the Bulldogs were without one of their best players. Carrie Kucdjada was called up to the varsity squad prior to the Rallsplitter match, but according to Box, her team didn't miss a beat.

"Some players had to step into positions they hadn't played before," she

said. "They did a fantastic job. This JV team has the talent to be diverse in their positions, which you don't see too often on some

**"All the girls play extremely well with each other. I'm really proud of this team and who they've become."**

— Beth Box  
Chelsea coach

With the season's final match today, Box is sad to see the year come to an end.

"All the girls play extremely well with each other," she said. "I'm really proud of this team and who they've become."

Chelsea travels to Tecumseh today for a match at 6 p.m.

Staff Writer Don Richter can be reached by telephone at 475-1371 or via e-mail at drichter@heritage.com.

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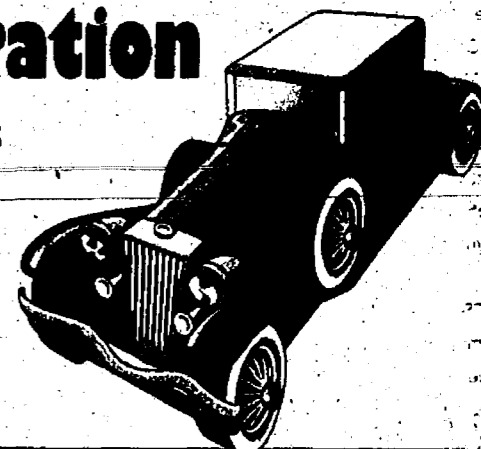
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# Beach spikers win two in a row

By Don Richter  
Staff Writer

Chelsea's Beach Middle School eighth-grade volleyball team defeated county rival Dexter last Thursday, 10-12, 11-5, 11-5, 11-6.

Serving was the key to victory for visiting Chelsea. Beach finished the match with a season-best 91 percent rate.

Megan Korc led the Chelsea attack, scoring nine points and serving 11-of-11.

Shannon Kinner finished with eight points, Annie Guertin had six points and Mary Kate Setta had five points for Beach.

Jen DeWall paced the squad with 18 assists.

Liberty Dickerson ended up with a team-high nine hits.

"They both played very strong all-around games, as did Kirby Kedroske and Korc," said Beach coach Ann Schaffner.

At Adrian Springbrook Feb. 13, Beach prevailed in four games: 7-11, 11-9, 11-9, 11-7.

"In each of the three games we won, a hot server contributed significantly to the victory," Schaffner said.

In game No. 2, Kinner served five straight points to pace Beach.

In game No. 3, Kelly Kennedy served six consecutive points to lead Chelsea.

Setta served six points in a row in game No. 4 to finish off host Springbrook.

Guertin had a fine all-around game for Beach, recording five points and 15 assists.

Amanda Mattocks added three points and Becky Sauers, according to Schaffner, had a "very solid effort."

Beach next travels to Tecumseh today for a match at 4 p.m.

On Tuesday, Chelsea travels to Saline for a match at 4 p.m.

# Chelsea frosh sweep Lincoln

By Don Richter  
Staff Writer

The Chelsea freshman volleyball team swept Southeastern Conference foe Ypsilanti Lincoln last Thursday, 15-11, 15-4.

"The entire team played well," said Chelsea coach Terri McCalla.

Devon Lixey was 6-of-8 on serve receive to pace the host Bulldogs.

Chelsea's net play was strong as the Dawgs posted 15 kills.

Rachel Dotson led the way

for Chelsea with seven kills on the day.

Becky Sprague, Lindsay Parker and Sidney Olinyk each finished with two kills and Renee Johnston and Brittany Denison each added one for the Bulldogs.

Chelsea (17-4-2, 6-1) ended the match with an 83 percent service rate and 10 aces.

Parker, with four aces, paced the Bulldog attack.

Denison, with three aces, Johnston, with two, and Lixey, with one, added to Chelsea's total.

"The girls have improved so much," McCalla said. "They are talking on the court and everyone is moving the ball. Kelly Reinhart had a great dig and the entire team was so excited for her. The girls play as a team and have fun."

Chelsea's lone SEC loss this season has been to Saline, a foe McCalla would like to have a second crack at.

"We wish we could play them again," she said. "We have worked hard and believe we could play them hard."

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Kogers	22	20
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Wid Ones	21	21
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Shed Ribs	15	27
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Gig Getters	23	19
K&C	19	23
Aley Cats	18	24
Pas	16	26

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W	L	
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Syan Wrap	98	49
Chelsea Lanes	96	51
Co-Magnons	85	62
The Other Team	85	62
Unleashed	84	63
"12" Hot Chicks	77	70
Penguins	77	70
Lucky #7	77	70
We Are Family	76	71

### MID MORNING YOUTH MIXED - 2-17-01

W	L	
Gutter Girls	95	52
The Twisters	80	67
Team Bubbles	78	69
Bumble Bees	60	97
Three Bee's	52	95
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### LEISURE TIME - 2-4-01

W	L	
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for Chelsea with seven kills on the day. Becky Sprague, Lindsay Parker and Sidney Olinyk each finished with two kills and Renee Johnston and Brittany Denison each added one for the Bulldogs. Chelsea (17-4-2, 6-1) ended the match with an 83 percent service rate and 10 aces. Parker, with four aces, paced the Bulldog attack. Denison, with three aces, Johnston, with two, and Lixey, with one, added to Chelsea's total.



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## Real estate companies announce merger deal

McKernon Realty Inc. has merged with the Charles Reinhart Co.  
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Lutton described the merger as a strategic move for both companies.  
The Charles Reinhart Co. has served western Washtenaw and eastern Jackson counties from its Ann Arbor and Chelsea offices.  
"The growth and development that is occurring in the Jackson area will enhance the natural interaction of the two markets, and we believe this is the right time for Reinhart to establish a physical presence there," Lutton said.  
Maxson said that in today's

industry it is increasingly difficult for small independent firms to remain competitive.  
"This development puts the power and resources of a large company behind us, to the benefit of our clients and customers," he said.  
Paul Frisinger, manager of Reinhart's Chelsea office, will be assisting the McKernon team in its transition.  
The Charles Reinhart Co. was founded in Ann Arbor 30 years ago. Reinhart has 114 sales associates in eight offices in Ann Arbor, Chelsea, Grass Lake, Saline and Ypsilanti.  
McKernon Realty has four sales associates and focuses on home, land, and farm sales in Grass Lake, Jackson and surrounding areas.

## Morse named to deans list

Adam Morse, son of Dennis and Becky Morse of Chelsea, was named to the Cedarville University dean's list for the

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Morse is a junior majoring in early elementary education.

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## DEXTER TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING NOTICE

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2001 AT 7:30 P.M. AT DEXTER TOWNSHIP HALL, 6880 DEXTER-PINCKNEY RD DEXTER, MI. 48130

**AGENDA:**  
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DEXTER TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION  
John Gillespie, Chairman

## LIMA TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW

Notice is hereby given to all persons liable to assessment for taxes in the Township of Lima that the Assessment Roll of said Township as prepared by Marci Betts, Township Assessor, will be reviewed by the Board of Review on Tuesday, March 6, 2001, at 5:00 P.M. at the

**LIMA TOWNSHIP HALL**  
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Appeals and conferences with taxpayers will be heard on:  
Monday, March 12, 2001 from 9:00 A.M. to 12:00 Noon  
Monday, March 12, 2001 from 1:00 P.M. to 4:00 P.M.  
Tuesday, March 13, 2001 from 1:00 P.M. to 4:00 P.M.  
Thursday, March 15, 2001 from 8:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M.

A resident taxpayer may file his or her protest with the Board of Review by Letter without an appearance by the taxpayer or his or her agent. A letter must be received by the first day of the Board of Review (Monday, March 12, 2001).

The Lima Township Board of Review will hear appeals by appointment. Taxpayers or their agents may set the appointment by calling the Township Hall at (734) 2246 Monday, Wednesday or Thursday from 9:00 A.M. to 12 noon. Please call prior to March 12, 2001. DO NOT leave appointment request on the answering machine at the Township Hall.

Ken Unterbrink  
Lima Township Supervisor

## DEXTER TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW

Notice is hereby given to all persons liable to assessment for taxes in the Township of Dexter that the Assessment Roll of said Township as prepared by Larry Merte, Township Assessor, will be reviewed by the Board of Review on Tuesday, March 6, 2001, at 5:00 p.m. at

**DEXTER TOWNSHIP HALL**  
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Appeals and conferences with taxpayers will be heard on:  
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Thursday, March 15, 2001 - from 3:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

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Robert L. Tetens,  
Dexter Township Supervisor

## LYNDON TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW NOTICE OF MEETING

Notice is hereby given to all persons liable to assessment for taxes in the TOWNSHIP OF LYNDON County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan That the Assessment Roll of said Township will be reviewed by the Board of Review on Tuesday, March 6, 2001 at 7:00 p.m. LYNDON TOWNSHIP HALL 17751 N. Territorial Road, Chelsea, MI 48118 734-475-2401

Appeals and conferences with taxpayers will be heard BY APPOINTMENT MONDAY, MARCH 12, 2001 9 A.M. - Noon and 5:00 P.M. - 8:00 P.M. WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14, 2001 9 A.M. - Noon and 1:00 P.M. - 4:00 P.M.

A taxpayer may file his or her protest with the Board of Review by letter without an appearance by the taxpayer or his or her agent. A letter must be received by the first day of the Board of Review (March 12, 2001).

The Lyndon Township Board of Review will hear appeals BY APPOINTMENT. Taxpayers or their agents may set the appointment by calling the Township Hall at (734) 475-2401 on Tuesday through Friday, March 6 thru March 9 between 1 P.M. and 4 P.M. Please call by March 9, 2001 for an appointment. DO NOT leave appointment requests on the answering machine at the Township Hall.

Such Assessment Roll as reviewed and approved by said Board of Review will be the Assessment Roll of Lyndon Township for the year 2001.

This notice is posted in compliance with the PA 267 of 1976 as amended MCLA 41 72a (2)(3) and the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA).

The Lyndon Township Board will provide, if time after the request allows, necessary reasonable auxiliary aids and services, such as signers for the hearing impaired and audio tapes of printed materials being considered at the meeting, to individuals with disabilities at the meeting or 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 734-475-2401.

A copy of this notice is on file in the office of the clerk.  
POSTED 2/08/01, 11:00 a.m.

MARYANN NOAH  
Lyndon Township Supervisor

## VILLAGE OF CHELSEA NOTICE OF VILLAGE BUDGET HEARING

A Public Hearing to consider the 2001/2002 Fiscal Year Village Budgets will be held February 27, 2001 at 7:30 p.m. at the Washington Street Education Center, 500 Washington Street, Chelsea, Michigan. A copy of the proposed budget will be available for public inspection at the Village Administration Office, 305 S. Main Street, Suite 100, Chelsea, Michigan.

Persons requiring reasonable accommodations to disabilities in order that the hearing be accessible to them, are required to notify the Village Clerk no later than five (5) business days prior to the date of the hearing of such disability.

Frances E. Zatorski,  
Village Clerk

## CHECK OUT OUR CLASSIFIEDS TODAY!

### VILLAGE OF CHELSEA SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING - MONDAY, JANUARY 29, 2001

Present: Clerk Zatorski, Village Manager Myers  
Trustees Present: Cashman, Hammer, Ortring, Myles, and Schumann  
Trustees Absent: President Steele, Riggs  
President Pro-tem Cashman called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m.  
The purpose of this Special Meeting of the Council was to consider suspension of enforcement of Zoning Ordinance 79, section 6.07.  
Trustee Myles explained that at a meeting of six to eight business owners in the downtown area of Chelsea had complained that they had been issued notices of non-compliance with Zoning Ordinance 79 section 6.07.  
Schwarz of the River Gallery explained the steps she took to obtain a variance to allow a sandwich board sign for her business.  
Trustee Myles asked those businesses present to participate in a committee to amend the sign ordinance. He said he would request a special council meeting to suspend enforcement of the sign ordinance in order to give the businesses time to have the sign ordinance amended.  
Trustee Hammer said that he was opposed to making a quick fix to any ordinance as it could cause trouble. He said that there was at least one sign that would appear to be in violation of the sign ordinance but that it had been passed by the Planning Commission. He also suggested that the DDA control signs as long as they were covered by the basic ordinance.  
President Steele had written a memo regarding his opinion regarding the suspension of enforcement of Zoning Ordinance 79 section 6.07. He said that suspension of an ordinance or any portion of an ordinance was not the right way to go about it.  
Motion by Trustee Hammer, seconded by Trustee Myles that the Village of Chelsea temporarily suspend enforcement of the sign ordinance in the downtown business district with regard to non-conforming signs which were existing as of January 1, 2001. This suspension of enforcement does not apply to any non-conforming sign erected after January 29, 2001. This suspension shall be in effect until such time as the Village Council approves a revised sign ordinance. 5 Ayes, 0 Nays, 2 Absent. Motion carried.  
Motion by Trustee Ortring, seconded by Trustee Hammer to adjourn. 5 Ayes, 0 Nays, 2 Absent. Motion carried.  
The meeting was adjourned at 5:29 p.m.

### DEXTER VILLAGE REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING - JANUARY 22, 2001

**Pledge of Allegiance**  
The meeting was called to order at 8:00 P.M. by President Coy at the National City Bank Building, 8123 Main Street.  
**Present:** Coy, Huddlestone, Kimmel, Stivers, Walters  
**Absent:** Hall, Rush  
(Trustee Rush entered the meeting at 8:07 P.M.)  
(Trustee Hall entered the meeting at 8:06 P.M.)

**Pre-Arranged Citizen Participation**  
Washtenaw County Sheriff D. Minzey announced the promotion of St. Troy Bevier. The Village will have a new Sgt. assigned to the post in the near future.  
(Trustee Rush entered the meeting at this point)

**Non-Arranged Citizen Participation**  
- W. Johnson, 7109 Inverness, representing the Huron Commons Condominiums, addressed Council referencing the Huron Commons sewer back up of January 19, 2001. Residents were told that the problem was caused by a build up of paper towels. Mr. Johnson pleaded with Council stating that something must be done to solve the problem and get relief to the residents who have been displaced from their homes since July, 2000.  
- T. Seeger, stated that the insurance company cannot continue repeatedly rebuilding these units.  
- S. Cilpell, 4209 Inverness, stated he has requested information from the Village on many occasions and did not receive a response and further questioned what was going to be done.

**Approval of Agenda**  
Deleted under New Business Item 1. Consideration of Extension of Tax Increment Financing Plan  
Added under New Business Item 1. Opening of Rural Home Development Bank Accounts  
- Moved Huddlestone, support Kimmel to approve the agenda as amended.  
Ayes: Coy, Huddlestone, Kimmel, Rush, Stivers, Walters  
Nays: None  
Motion Carried

**Communications**  
Council packets contained the 4 items listed on the agenda.

**Bills and Payroll**  
- Moved Kimmel, support Walters to approve bills and payroll costs in the amount of \$154,505.38 dated January 22, 2001.  
Ayes: Coy, Huddlestone, Kimmel, Rush, Stivers, Walters  
Nays: None  
Motion Carried

- Moved Stivers, support Huddlestone to recess for the purpose of adjusting the meeting room sound system.  
Ayes: Coy, Huddlestone, Kimmel, Rush, Stivers, Walters  
Nays: None  
Motion Carried

- President Coy reconvened the meeting at this point - 8:30 P.M.

**Reports**  
WCSD Report - Lt. Bevier presented the December, 2000, report.  
- Moved Stivers, support Kimmel to receive the December-2000 Sheriff's report for filing.  
Ayes: Coy, Huddlestone, Kimmel, Rush, Stivers, Walters  
Nays: None  
Motion Carried

WWTP Report - OHM Consultant S. Westover and Superintendent Lobdell reported on current status of equipment, preventative maintenance patterns, and current sewer problems in the Village. TV cameras will inspect all lines at Huron Farms and Huron Commons and resulting tapes will be used as diagnostic tools.  
Village Manager - Mr. Daily gave oral report of office activity and informed Council of the receipt of 5 applications for the open Village Manager position.

**Consent Agenda**  
None

**Old Business**  
None

**New Business**  
1. Opening of Rural Home Development Bank Accounts  
- Moved Stivers, support Walters to authorize Interim Manager Daily to proceed with the opening of new bank accounts for Rural Home Development finances with the Village President, Clerk, Treasurer, and President Pro-Tem designated signatories.  
Ayes: Coy, Huddlestone, Kimmel, Rush, Stivers  
Nays: None  
Motion Carried

2. Consideration of UATS FY 2000-2001 Membership Dues  
- Moved Kimmel, support Rush to authorize the expenditure of the \$1000 payment of 2000-2001 membership dues for the Ann Arbor-Ypsilanti Urban Area Transportation Study Committee (UATS)  
Ayes: Coy, Huddlestone, Kimmel, Rush, Stivers, Walters  
Nays: None  
Motion Carried

3. Consideration of Police Services Contract  
- Moved Rush, support Walters to approve the proposed Dexter Village Police Services Contract between the Village of Dexter and the Washtenaw County Sheriff's Office dated January 22, 2001, and to authorize the Village President and Village Clerk to sign the document.  
Ayes: Coy, Huddlestone, Kimmel, Rush, Stivers, Walters  
Nays: None  
Motion Carried

**Non-Arranged Citizen Participation**  
None

**President's Report**  
Due to increased professional goals and commitments, Planning Commissioner and Zoning Board of Appeals member K. Clugston has resigned.

**Adjournment**  
Moved Rush, support Stivers to adjourn the meeting at 10:25 P.M.  
Ayes: Coy, Huddlestone, Kimmel, Rush, Stivers, Walters  
Nays: None  
Motion Carried

## SYLVAN TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW

Notice is hereby given to all persons liable to assessment for taxes in the TOWNSHIP OF SYLVAN County of Washtenaw, State of Michigan That the Assessment Roll of said Township will be reviewed by the Board of Review on March 6, 2001 at 9:00 a.m.

SYLVAN TOWNSHIP HALL  
18027 Old US 13, Chelsea, Michigan  
Appeals and conferences with taxpayers will be heard on:  
MONDAY, MARCH 12, 2001  
from 9-12 a.m. and 1-4 p.m.  
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14, 2001  
from 2-5 p.m. and 6-9 p.m.  
and additional days if determined necessary by the Board of Review

The Board of Review will be in session. Upon request of any person who is assessed on said tax roll or of his or her agent and upon sufficient cause being shown, said Board of Review will correct the assessment as to such property in such manner as will in their judgment make the valuation relatively just and equal. Such assessment tax roll as reviewed and approved by said Board of Review will be the assessment roll of said Township of Sylvan for the year 1996.

**STARTING RATIOS FOR 1997 ARE:**

Agriculture	46.54	1.0743
Commercial	46.88	1.0666
Industrial	48.21	1.0371
Residential	47.32	1.0566
Developmental	49.35	1.0132

The Sylvan Township Board of Review will hear appeals by letter or appointment. Appointments may be made by calling 475-8890 on Monday or Wednesdays 9:00 A.M. - 12 Noon, or contacting the Assessor.

CHARLES BURGESS  
SUPERVISOR

Dated: February 22, 2001 and March 1 and 8, 2001

### DEXTER VILLAGE REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING - JANUARY 8, 2001

**Pledge of Allegiance**  
The meeting was called to order at 8:00 P.M. by President Coy at the National City Bank Building, 8123 Main Street.  
**Present:** Coy, Huddlestone, Kimmel, Stivers  
**Absent:** Hall, Rush, Walters  
(Trustee Rush entered the meeting at 8:05 P.M.)  
(Trustee Hall entered the meeting at 8:06 P.M.)

**Public Hearings**  
1. Van Con Inc., 2109 Bishop Circle East, Industrial Facilities Tax Exemption Request  
The hearing was opened at 8:01 P.M. There were no citizens who wished to speak. The hearing was closed at 8:02 P.M.  
2. Ann Arbor Fabrications, Inc., 2375 Bishop West, for an Industrial Facilities Tax Exemption Request  
The hearing was opened at 8:02 P.M. There were no citizens who wished to speak. The hearing was closed at 8:03 P.M.

**Approval of Minutes**  
- Moved Stivers, support Huddlestone to approve the minutes of the December 11, 2000 regular meeting as presented.  
Ayes: Coy, Huddlestone, Kimmel, Stivers  
Nays: None  
Motion Carried  
(Trustee Rush entered the meeting at this point)  
(Trustee Hall entered the meeting at this point)

- Moved Kimmel, support Huddlestone to approve the minutes of the December 27, 2000, special meeting as presented.  
Ayes: Coy, Hall, Huddlestone, Kimmel, Rush, Stivers  
Nays: None  
Motion Carried

- Moved Rush, support Stivers to approve the minutes of the December 27, 2000, regular meeting as presented.  
Ayes: Coy, Hall, Huddlestone, Kimmel, Rush, Stivers  
Nays: None  
Motion Carried

**Pre-Arranged Citizen Participation**  
Karl Drake, Financial Auditor for the Village made presentation of the Village Audit for '99-00  
- Moved Stivers, support Hall to receive the 1999-2000 audit report for filing.  
Ayes: Coy, Hall, Huddlestone, Kimmel, Rush, Stivers  
Nays: None  
Motion Carried

**Approval of Agenda**  
- Moved Rush, support Huddlestone to approve the agenda as presented.  
Ayes: Coy, Huddlestone, Kimmel, Rush, Stivers  
Nays: None  
Motion Carried

**Non-Arranged Citizen Participation**  
- C.B. Waggoner, 3290 Broad Street, welcomed Interim Manager Tom Daily to the Village, thanked Council for its efforts, and requested Council consider curbs, gutters and driveway grates for Fifth Street from Broad to Alpine when they are formulating the budget.  
- J. Forsthe, 7611 Grand, spoke regarding difficulties of sidewalk snow removal in front of his home.  
- F. Model, 7615 Grand, spoke of the difficulty of sidewalk snow removal in front of his home.  
- J. Seta, 411 Cambridge, informed council of concerns he has regarding the primary pump in the Dexter Crossings development and posed questions regarding the developer's responsibility for this pump station.  
- M. Carter, Village employee, stated Council has received current financial statements and that they have been distributed accordingly.

**Communications**  
Council packets contained the 3 items listed on the agenda.

**Bills and Payroll**  
- Moved Stivers, support Hall to approve bills and payroll costs in the amount of \$119,540.77 dated January 8, 2001.  
Ayes: Coy, Huddlestone, Kimmel, Rush, Stivers, Walters  
Nays: None  
Motion Carried

**Report**  
Zoning Officer - Council received written report.  
Dexter Area Fire Board - Representative Huddlestone presented written report.

**Consent Agenda**  
None

**Old Business**  
1. Consideration of Approval of Request from VanCon, Inc. for Industrial Facilities Tax Exemption  
- Moved Stivers support Rush to approve the IFT request for VanCon, Inc., 2109 Bishop Circle East for construction of new 8,000 square foot building with approximately \$153,750 in new equipment for a period of five years.  
Ayes: Coy, Hall, Huddlestone, Kimmel, Rush, Stivers  
Nays: None  
Motion Carried

2. Consideration of Approval of Request for Combined Preliminary/Final Site Plan for Ann Arbor Fabrication, Inc., 2117 Bishop Circle West.  
- Moved Stivers, support Huddlestone to approve the combined Preliminary/Final site plan for applicant, Dave Hughes, Vanston O'Brien, for construction of new facility at 2117 Bishop Circle West, plan dated December 8, 2000.  
Ayes: Coy, Hall, Huddlestone, Kimmel, Rush, Stivers  
Nays: None  
Motion Carried

**New Business**  
1. Consideration of Approval of Request from Ann Arbor Fabrications, Inc. for Industrial Facilities Tax Exemption  
- Moved Stivers support Kimmel to approve the IFT request for Ann Arbor Fabrications, Inc., 2109 Bishop Circle East for construction of new 64,190 square foot building with approximately \$148,300 in new equipment for a period of six years.  
Ayes: Coy, Hall, Huddlestone, Kimmel, Rush, Stivers  
Nays: None  
Motion Carried.

2. Consideration of Proposal for Engineering Services re: Kensington Street Right-of-Way Sidewalk Improvements  
- Moved Kimmel, support Hall to approve the expenditure of up to \$3,800 for the OHM engineering proposal outlined in the letter from OHM dated 1-4-01, for project design for the Kensington area located between Ann Arbor and Third Streets.  
Ayes: Coy, Hall, Kimmel, Rush  
Nays: Stivers, Huddlestone  
Motion Carried

3. Consideration of Approval of Dexter Village Council Resolution Supporting the Historical Design for the Gordon Hall Building and Property  
- Moved Kimmel, support Hall to adopt the Resolution Supporting the Historical Design for the Gordon Hall Building and Property dated January 8, 2001.  
Ayes: Coy, Huddlestone, Kimmel, Rush, Stivers  
Nays: None  
Motion Carried

**Non-Arranged Citizen Participation**  
- J. Jankowski, 431 Cambridge, posed 2 questions regarding the Village ownership of the Dexter Crossing utilities.  
- A. Vella, 9857 Dexter-Chelsea Road posed questions regarding the ownership of Gordon Hall.

**President's Report**  
- Posting for the open Village Manager position has been sent to the MML Review and posted as a Web Page. Target dates: February interviews with hire by April 01.

**Adjournment**  
Moved Stivers, support Rush to adjourn the meeting at 11:08 P.M.  
Ayes: Coy, Huddlestone, Kimmel, Rush, Stivers  
Nays: None  
Motion Carried

# Some medications can affect birth control pill



**JOHN C. WOLF, D.O.**  
ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF FAMILY MEDICINE  
OHIO UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE

## FAMILY MEDICINE

**Question:** My doctor has prescribed Ortho Tri-Cyclen as my birth control pill. My dermatologist has just prescribed a tetracycline called Sumycin to be taken twice each day for three months. My dermatologist says that I shouldn't worry about the tetracycline reducing the effica-

cy of my birth control pills. Despite his reassurance, I checked with my pharmacist. He told me the same thing. I was OK with this until I read the pages that the pharmacy printed with my tetracycline prescription. They say that the drug may reduce the effectiveness of the birth control pill. I'm getting married in a month and don't want to get pregnant right away. Who should I believe about my medicines?  
**Answer:** It is certainly easy to understand your confusion. Medical literature is often like this, too — one trusted expert saying something that is in direct conflict with the research of another equally trusted expert. Your dilemma,

however, isn't a consequence of differing research results. Instead, it reflects the difficulty of medical practice today. Birth control pills work by a form of trickery. They fool your ovaries into acting as if you are pregnant. Consequently, your ovaries don't ripen another egg until this medicine-induced "pregnancy" is over. The absence of a fertile or "ripe" egg also means that you can't get pregnant. This is effective, but not perfectly so. Out of 100 women who are taking "the pill," only one or two will become pregnant over the course of a year. This compares to 80 of the 100 if no birth control measures are used. The hormones used in birth control pills are metabolized within the liver. This is not unique as almost all foods and medicines are also modified by this essential organ and, therefore, prepared for use by your

body and for elimination. A problem, however, can develop if certain other drugs are being metabolized within the liver at the same time as the hormones from your birth control pill. The drugs in question are ones that require the same enzyme system for metabolism as the birth control pills. If these drugs "compete" for the enzyme system with the hormones from your birth control pill, it could result in an altered hormone level in your blood. In the worst case, the levels may drop sufficiently to allow an egg to ripen. That event, as you know, can allow a sexually active woman to become pregnant. I'll give a brief list of medicines that are known to alter the level of birth control hormones when they are taken together. They are sulfonamide antibiotics, tetracycline antibiotics, phenytoin seizure drugs,

penicillin antibiotics, quinolone antibiotics, cephalosporin antibiotics, erythromycin and similar macrolide antibiotics, and barbiturate seizure medicines. There are others on this long list of drugs with this undesirable interaction. So why did your doctor and your pharmacist tell you that you shouldn't be worried? Well, I think that you can safely assume that they knew this information. The absolute risk of having one of these medicines cause a birth control failure is small, perhaps increasing the rate of pregnancy to slightly more than two per 100 women per year. They hoped to reassure you by saying that you shouldn't be concerned because the magnitude of increased risk is small. The drug manufacturer, on the other hand, is obligated by its legal advisers and by your need to know, to inform you that

there is some measure of increased risk of pregnancy. So, what should you do? That is your choice. The only birth control method that is perfect is abstinence — and that isn't a good choice for you newlyweds. If you are troubled by the small but real risk of pregnancy, then you should simultaneously use two methods of birth control. As an example, continue to take the birth control pills and also use a condom. It is your life and your choice, but make it an informed choice. Ask questions until you understand the answers. Family Medicine is a weekly column. To submit questions, write to Dr. John C. Wolf, Ohio University College of Osteopathic Medicine, Grosvenor Hall, Athens, OH 45701. Past columns are available online at [www.fhradio.org/fm](http://www.fhradio.org/fm).

**Tobacco?**  
American Heart Association  
Don't get me started...

**DEXTER TOWNSHIP ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS SEEKING APPLICANTS**  
Dexter Township is seeking applicants to serve as regular and alternate members of the Zoning Board of Appeals. The applicant must be a resident of Dexter Township. The Board of Appeals meets monthly and rules on variance applications and interpretations of the Township Ordinance. If you are interested please submit a letter and brief resumé by: Friday, March 9, 2001 to:  
Robert L. Telens, Supervisor  
6880 Dexter Pinckney Rd.  
Dexter, MI 48130  
If you have any questions, please call 734-426-3767 during business hours. Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

**LYNDON TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS - NOTICE PUBLIC HEARING**  
TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2001 AT 7:00 P.M.  
LYNDON TOWNSHIP HALL, 17751 N. TERRITORIAL RD., CHELSEA, MI 48118  
AGENDA:  
1. An application for a Variance from the Private Road Ordinance by Timothy K. Smashey Sr., 11153 Boyce Road, Chelsea, MI 48118 (parcel #05-17-300-014). To add an addition to his home.  
2. Board may consider other matters as deemed necessary.  
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 313-475-2401.  
A copy of this notice is on file in the office of the clerk.  
LYNDON TOWNSHIP  
Janis Knieper, Lyndon Township Clerk

**WASHTENAW COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS AND REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN PUBLIC NOTICE**  
The Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners and the Regents of the University of Michigan are seeking individuals interested in appointment to the Washtenaw Community Health Organization Board. These appointments will be made by each of the respective bodies in March 2001. These appointments will become effective on April 1, 2001.  
The Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners is scheduled to make two appointments to the Washtenaw Community Health Organization on March 21, 2001.  
The Regent of the University of Michigan is scheduled to make two appointments to the Washtenaw Community Health Organization Board by March 2001.  
The Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners and the Regents of the University of Michigan have approved the creation of a Washtenaw Community Health Organization. The Washtenaw Community Health Organization was established to provide an integrated health care delivery system to provide mental health, substance abuse and primary and specialty health care to Medicaid, low income and indigent consumers as defined by the Mental Health Code and Medicaid Eligibility Guidelines.  
In compliance with the Urban Cooperation Agreement Act, MCLA 124.501, the Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners is seeking individuals to represent a primary and a secondary consumer. The University of Michigan is seeking a primary consumer and an individual with prior Mental Health Board experience and/or understanding of community mental health service delivery policies.  
A primary consumer is an individual who has received or is receiving services from the Department of Community Health or a community mental health services program or services from the private sector equivalent to those offered by the Department of Community Health or a Community Mental Health Program.  
A secondary consumer is the family member of an individual receiving services from either Washtenaw County or the University of Michigan.  
The Washtenaw Community Health Organization Board shall perform all functions granted to it by the Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners and the Regents of the University of Michigan. The Community Health Organization Board shall meet at least monthly.  
Individuals interested in appointment to the Washtenaw Community Health Organization should submit a letter of interest and resume to one of the following agencies by March 9, 2001.  
**Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners**  
Attn: Tammy Richards  
Washtenaw County Administration  
220 N. Main Street  
PO Box 8645  
Ann Arbor, MI 48107-8645  
Phone: (734) 994-1825  
Fax: (734) 994-2592  
Email: [richaet@co.washtenaw.mi.us](mailto:richaet@co.washtenaw.mi.us)  
**Regents of the University of Michigan**  
Attn: David Neal  
The University of Michigan  
CFOB B2910 Box 0704  
1500 E. Medical Center Dr.  
Ann Arbor, MI 48109  
Phone: (734) 764-9196  
Fax: (734) 936-9761  
Email: [dneal@umich.edu](mailto:dneal@umich.edu)

**LIMA TOWNSHIP REGULAR BOARD MEETING - FEBRUARY 5, 2001**  
The regular meeting of the Lima Township Board was called to order at 8:03 P.M. on February 5, and opened with the Pledge to the Flag. Present were Supervisor Unterbrink, Treasurer Havens, Trustees McKenzie and Laier, absent Clerk Bareis. Also present Zoning Inspector Charles Schauer, and several residents.  
Motion by Laier supported by Havens to approve the minutes of January 8, 2001. Carried.  
The treasurers report was received.  
Zoning Inspector reported four compliance permits and three new addresses.  
Motion by Laier supported by Havens to approve additions to agenda. Carried.  
Motion by McKenzie supported by Laier to accept the federal guidelines for poverty income for the Board of Review. Carried.  
Motion by Laier supported by McKenzie to approve the 9-1-1 Plan enhanced and 9-1-1 wireless at .55 per month charge. Ayes: Laier, McKenzie, Unterbrink. Nay: Havens.  
Motion by McKenzie supported by Laier to approve the following appointments. Chelsea Area Traffic Committee and Local Roads, Ken Unterbrink, representative, Gary Adams, alternate, Chelsea Area Fire Authority, Andrew Adrian, representative, Ken Unterbrink, alternate. All ayes, motion carried.  
Motion by McKenzie, supported by Havens to approve the following appointments: WWRRA, Nanette Havens, representative, Ken Unterbrink, alternate, Washtenaw County Solid Waste Commission, John Edwards, representative, Ken Unterbrink alternate. Carried.  
Motion by McKenzie supported by Laier to pay bills as presented. Carried.  
Motion by Laier supported by McKenzie to adjourn at 9:46 P.M. Carried.  
Respectfully submitted,  
Nanette Havens, Treasurer

**VILLAGE OF CHELSEA REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING - TUESDAY, JANUARY 23, 2001**  
Present: President Steele, Clerk Zatorski, Village Manager Myers  
Trustees Present: Cashman, Ortring, Myles, Rigg and Schumann  
Trustees Absent: Hammer  
Others Present: T. Bruursema, B. Sauer, J. Drolett, A. Stoll, B. Roberts, C. Ritter, R. Papo, J. Lang, A. Feeney, W. Keelen, B. Shepherd, G. Adams, J. Machnik, R. Papo  
President Steele called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.  
Motion by Trustee Rigg, seconded by Trustee Schumann to approve the Consent Agenda with the following changes to the Minutes of the January 9, 2001 meeting of the Council:  
Page 6, Paragraph 4: Change vote to 7 Ayes, 0 Nay, 0 Absent.  
Page 3, Paragraph 3: Change he to the DPW  
Page 3, Paragraph 12: Correct motion to read: Motion by Trustee Hammer, seconded by Trustee Myles that on the recommendation of C. Rode the Council not approve the Regional Plan until it is revised and that the Council have C. Rode and the Planning Commission represent the Village's interests with regard to the Region Plan. 7 Ayes, 0 Nay, 0 Absent. Motion carried.  
Page 5, Paragraph 13: Change February 19 to February 27  
Page 4, Paragraph 6: Change adoption to their opinion  
6 Ayes, 0 Nay, 1 Absent. Motion carried.  
Motion by Trustee Cashman, seconded by Trustee Rigg to approve the Regular Agenda with the following addition:  
Under Unfinished Business Add: Approval of the DDA Board Appointments  
6 Ayes, 0 Nay, 1 Absent. Motion carried.  
President Steele opened the meeting for public participation.  
J. Machnik said that his reason for speaking was the same one he had had one month ago and six months ago — the audio and video taping and televising of the Council meetings. He said that four years ago an effort was made to get the Council meetings televised. He said that the idea had received very little support by the Council and because of the lack of support and some other issues the idea was not followed up.  
Two years ago, with support from Trustee Myles, the meetings were finally televised. Because of the poor quality and sound on the videos the televising fizzled again. He said that six months ago he came to the Council again and was told that the Council intended to improve the videos. All new recording equipment and video camera were installed. Since that time there have been probably 8 to 10 meetings and he said he has been very diligent in watching the local channel for these meetings. He said that only two of those meetings have been successfully televised. Of the others, they have either not been televised or have been of poor quality or with no sound, etc.  
He said he understood why the owner of LLN would be reluctant to televise a meeting that was of such poor quality that it would jeopardize his production standards. He said that the January 9, 2001 televised production of the meeting was of such poor quality that it was a total failure. He said that even though the meeting was scheduled to be shown at 8:30 p.m. on the Wednesday following the meeting it did not come on until 9:30 p.m.  
He said the Village has been faxing the agenda for the meetings to the television station on the Wednesday prior to the meeting. He said the agenda for tonight's meeting did not appear until 1:00 p.m. today. He said the agenda should be put on enough in advance of the meeting to allow people who wish to speak on agenda items to make plans to attend the meeting.  
Mr. Machnik also said that in all the time he has lived in Chelsea the Council has never put something on the local channel about the election and encouraged the residents to get out and vote. He said there are many items of concern to the Village that, through the Village Manager's office could be displayed on the local channel.  
He said that he would like to see these concerns put on the agenda and he would like to see a motion put before the Council that would support these concerns. He said that A. Weddon had put together a television station that works well and supports the community. Mr. Machnik said that his only concerns were that the agenda be put on the station in a timely manner and that the community can sit at home and watch the meetings. To that end, he said he would be happy to assist the Council, on a voluntary basis to achieve this.  
A. Stoll asked if he could speak on the Water Rate increase at the time it was presented. He was told he could.  
J. Myles said that the Council has been told on several occasions by A. Weddon and R. Sauer that all the Council members should speak into the microphones. He said several residents had told him that when the department heads give their reports, they can't be heard. He said that the Council needs to have a procedure that when anyone addresses the Council they should step up to the microphone.  
Trustee Schumann said that he too had noted the poor quality of the televising of the meetings but he said that he also had trouble hearing people while he was at the meetings. He said that it would be really helpful if all the board members and people who address the board would speak into a mike.  
President Steele presented the correspondence received by the Council: Memo from J. Myers regarding work sessions for budget hearings; letter from Tetra Tech regarding the fact that G. Burkhardt had become the COO of Tetra Tech's Corporate Infrastructure Group; minutes from the DDA; letter regarding the nominations for the DDA board; Chamber board minutes; notice of a public hearing regarding MichCon's request for a rate increase.  
Trustee Myles said that he wanted to update the Council on a letter he had received from S. McElrath. He said that there had been some entities that were interested in purchasing and moving the Saratoga House.  
President Steele said that he, J. Myers and L. McDougall had met with representatives of Lima and Sylvan Townships regarding police protection, specifically contractual arrangements for police protection. He said that J. Myers and L. McDougall had attended meetings held in October and November, providing information where they could. He said at the meeting held the previous day the Townships had said they would come back with some kind of a proposal letting the Council know what specifically they are looking for in the way of police protection.  
President Steele said that he, Trustee Myles, R. Papo and J. Lang had met with several citizens who live around where the proposed Post Office will be located to get input regarding their concerns. He said that W. Bolt had met with Mr. Palmer and nothing new had turned up.  
Trustee Rigg said that he had met with the Western Washtenaw Recycling Authority on January 10, new officers were elected; they had hired B. Walter full time; purchased a replacement tractor. Officers were the same as last year, except that B. VanRiper had resigned as treasurer and R. Rigg had been elected treasurer.  
Trustee Ortring said that if there were anything she could do to help along the progress of the newsletter she would be glad to.  
J. Drolett said there would be two public hearings held at the next Planning Commission meeting on February 20: rezoning of the Waste Water Treatment Plant from R2 to Municipal Use and the Gateway Overlay Map. Also two requests for variances will come up next month. One is Dayspring Gifts and the other is Comerica Bank who is requesting a second wall sign.

**LYNDON TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING ON**  
Thursday, March 8, 2001 at 7:30 p.m.  
Lyndon Township Hall, 17751 N. Territorial Road  
Chelsea, MI 48118  
AGENDA:  
1. An amendment to the Masterplan  
2. An application for a Special Land Use Permit for Lourdean A. Offenbacher, of 7600 Werkner Road, Chelsea, MI 48118 (parcel #05-36-200-013). Ms. Offenbacher has applied for a Special Land Use permit from Lyndon Township Zoning Ordinance to operate a Bed & Breakfast in her home.  
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LYNDON TOWNSHIP  
Janis Knieper, Lyndon Township Clerk

Trustee Myles asked what had been discussed at the last Planning Commission meeting regarding the business owners' comments regarding signs.  
J. Drolett said that there were some issues that the Planning Commission felt the business owners did not understand.  
D. Ellenwood had handed out a packet of information about the Fire Authority that the Council had requested. He said that there was further information that he was getting drawn up. He said that he had a tentative sale on the old tanker.  
B. Shepherd said that both Laine Animal Hospital and the Mitchell Funeral Home have power. He said there is power to the new pump site and they are getting ready to start Chelsea Fairways.  
A. Feeney said she would like to have some direction on the DDA's role regarding the sign ordinance. She said that she had received ten responses to her requests for information for sign ordinances for other Michigan municipalities and had forwarded the information to C. Rode. She said that the majority of the responses said that sign ordinances seem to be an ongoing project that never ends.  
C. Ritter said that he had not received the minutes for the last Fire Authority meeting. He asked who had given permission for the writing of Ordinance 130 that levies a fee of \$500 for response to a fire.  
He was told that the Fire Authority had requested that the ordinance be written and it was brought as a sample before the Council.  
J. Myles said that before the Fire Authority came into existence the townships had a fee schedule for fire responses for their residents. When the Authority was developed it was agreed by the board members that there should be a uniform fee schedule by ordinance by municipality. He said that he thought that the board at that time had asked P. Flintoft to write an ordinance that would accomplish that.  
J. Myers reviewed the dispatch contract dropped off by G. Adams. He said that he had made some modifications to that contract.  
Trustee Ortring said that it was her understanding that the original contract with the Fire Authority was to remain valid until a millage was passed to support the Fire Authority. She said that based on that she didn't understand why there was a separate contract at this time for dispatching at this time.  
Motion by Trustee Rigg, seconded by Trustee Cashman to submit the revised contract to the Fire Authority Board for their review. 4 Ayes (Trustees Cashman, Rigg, Schumann and President Steele), 2 Nay (Trustees Ortring and Myles), 1 Absent. Motion carried.  
J. Myers reviewed the request by the National Sanitation Foundation for an extension of their lease. He introduced Mr. T.J. Bruursema of NSF. Mr. Bruursema then reviewed in detail their request.  
Motion by Trustee Rigg, seconded by Trustee Schumann that J. Myers and B. Roberts work with NSF to work out an agreement for an extension of their lease. 6 Ayes, 0 Nay, 1 Absent. Motion carried.  
President Steele outlined the letter of intent that had been signed between the Village and R. Papo regarding the proposed Post Office site. He pointed out that several drawings of possible footprints for the Post Office were included in the Council packet.  
R. Papo said that he had been in contact with the Post Office and they had said they did not want to be in a multi-tenant, multi-story building. They wanted a stand-alone building for the Post Office only. Mr. Papo said that since the building is a lot smaller he is not asking the Village to subordinate the land. He said he is, however, asking for a reduction in the rent paid to the Village for the land for the same reasons.  
President Steele said that input had been received from the immediate residents and that he would like to get together with the DDA and the Chamber of Commerce to get specific ideas for the building itself.  
Trustee Myles said that the drawing "F" had received the best response from the citizens they had met with.  
In response to a question by Trustee Rigg, Mr. Papo said it would be a year to two years before this project would be completed.  
Trustee Ortring asked if there was a formula used to reach a rent figure on the land. Council requested that they see the formula used before further action was taken.  
President Steele presented the nominees to the DDA Board of Directors and which unexpired terms that would be taking.  
Motion by Trustee Myles, seconded by Trustee Schumann to approve the nominations of Michael Jackson, Peter Pfeiffer and Brian Hamilton to the Board of Directors of the Downtown Development Authority. 6 Ayes, 0 Nay, 1 Absent. Motion carried.  
J. Myers reviewed the Water Rate Structure attached to the Resolution regarding the Water Rate Increase.  
Trustee Ortring said that she appreciated the ease of use of the water rate structure layout that J. Myers had prepared.  
In response to a question from C. Ritter, J. Myers said that the sewer rate would not change.  
A. Stoll said that he wanted to register his opposition to the water rate increase. He said that a lot of his senior friends had been calling regarding the rate increase. He said it was his understanding that the residents would be hit with a \$25.00 water bill increase for the next twenty years for the wells that had been put in and he said he had heard that there would be an additional charge of \$5.00 per month for the water treatment plant. He said that now the residents would have an additional \$2.25 per month increase for construction.  
J. Myers explained that the increase in water rates from \$1.61 to \$2.25 per thousand gallons of water would include everything — the construction of the water treatment plant; the new pipes in the ground, the water softening, everything. He explained that the rate would increase because the Village makes draws on the \$5 million loan and as those draws are made they need to be paid back. He said the rate would level off as the entire \$5 million is used.  
Mr. Stoll encouraged the Council to make this perfectly clear to the residents of the Village. He said they have the wrong idea about what their water rates would be.  
Trustee Cashman said that this was a perfect issue to be addressed in a Village newsletter.  
Trustee Myles said that the rate would be moderated with the more people moving into the Village.  
Motion by Trustee Schumann, seconded by Trustee Myles to adopt the resolution to increase water rates. 6 Ayes, 0 Nay, 1 Absent. Motion carried.  
J. Myers said that he had talked with A. Feeney about combining a Village Newsletter with the DDA Newsletter. Trustee Ortring said that that sounded like a solid idea.  
J. Myers said that he wanted the Council to keep in mind the expense of a newsletter and almost more importantly the burden it would put on the current staff of the Village.  
Motion by Trustee Rigg, seconded by Trustee Ortring to adjourn. 6 Ayes, 0 Nay, 1 Absent. Motion carried.  
The meeting was adjourned at 9:55 p.m.

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## Bingo!

The North Creek Elementary School PTO hosted Bingo Night Friday. This is the third year for the event. Above, volunteer Becky Morse (left) and fifth-graders Katy Martin and Devin Steiger call off the numbers. At right, Sean McQuarrie and Adam Burnmen hope for a win.



## Summer Fest fund-raiser set

The Chelsea Merchants Association will kick off its fundraising efforts for the 2001 Chelsea Summer Fest with a St. Patrick's Day party, 5:30 to 9 p.m. March 16 on the main floor of the Clock Tower building. Dayspring Gifts and McKinley Associates, owner of the Clock Tower building, are sponsoring the event, called "McFunraiser II."

"This, like last year's party, is going to be a great cabin fever reliever," said Summer Fest marketing director Todd Ortborg. "We're adding a few extras this year to go along with Irish theme food and entertainment."

Tickets are \$35 per person in advance or \$40 at the door. All proceeds to the Chelsea Summer Fest, which has a budget of more than \$60,000 this year.

The Celtic theme evening features music from local bagpiper Tom Kennedy, along with the Irish sound of local favorites The Chelsea House Orchestra. The menu features a traditional Irish feast of corn beef and cabbage. Guests are urged to show their Irish spirit and wear green attire to match the green beer being served.

"This party was an absolute hit last year and should be even more fun this year," said Laurie Gravelly, party coordinator. "People were calling me to tell me how much fun they had and that we should make this an annual event. Well, they got their wish."

Other highlights include a live auction, door prize drawings, and raffle for cash. Tours of the Clock Tower will be available and patrons will have a chance

to kiss the "Blarney Stone." The event is an early preview of the 2001 Chelsea Summer Fest, scheduled for July 27 and 28 in downtown Chelsea.

"We're grateful once again to McKinley Associates and Ron Weiser for his support of this event, and to Skip and Tom Ungrodt of Dayspring Gifts for their continuous support of the Summer Fest," Gravelly said.

Tickets for the party are available at Pierce's Pastries Plus, Dayspring Gifts, Vogel's & Foster's and the Chelsea Area Chamber of Commerce, located in the lower level of the downtown Chelsea State Bank building, 305 S. Main St.

For more information or to reserve tickets by phone, call 433-0354. Information is also available at the Webs site [www.chelseaweb.com](http://www.chelseaweb.com).

## Foundation to hold jazz night

The Chelsea Education Foundation will hold an evening of New Orleans fun to benefit the foundation. This year's event, called "New Orleans Jazz," will be held March 5 at the Common Grill.

The event will feature appetizers, desserts and drinks, with entertainment provided by the Chelsea High School Jazz Ensemble.

A \$75 donation will be used to provide grants and student scholarships for members of the

Chelsea community. To purchase tickets, contact Maribeth Hammer at 475-2504 or Judy Stratman at 475-8095.

A highlight of the fun-filled evening will be live and silent auctions. Items to be auctioned off include fishing charters, artwork, tickets to sporting events and gift certificates from local businesses. Items for the live and silent auction are being accepted up to the day of the event.

The education foundation is also seeking sponsors to offset the cost of the fund-raiser. To learn more, contact president Robin Robinson, 433-2000, Ext. 3103.

The Chelsea Education Foundation is a non-profit, tax exempt organization, founded in 1990. It was organized to provide a link between school, business and community to help strengthen Chelsea's future by providing funds for a wide spectrum of educational projects, programs and scholarships.

This past fall, the foundation provided \$20,000 in grants to educational endeavors in the Chelsea community.

Contributions are fully tax deductible. To make a donation, send a check to the Chelsea Education Foundation, P.O. Box 295, Chelsea, MI 48118.

## Artists needed for benefit

Habitat for Humanity of Huron Valley is looking for artists, architects and other talented people to help with its annual auction by designing and donating birdhouses, bird feeders or garden art.

Cash prizes and publicity will be handed out.

The auction will take place 7 to 10 p.m. April 28 at the University of Michigan Matthaei Botanical Gardens. Tickets for the event are \$60 each and benefit Habitat for Humanity.

To receive an artist confirmation form or more information, call 677-1558 or visit the Web site [www.H4H.org](http://www.H4H.org).

All artwork must be received by the week of March 12 for photographing, cataloging and previewing. Preview sites include Maine's Gallery in Dexter and Saguro Nursery & Gardens near Whitmore Lake.

Elaine Barber, owner of Maine's Gallery will be among the judges.

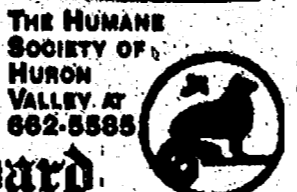
Event co-chairs are renowned watercolorist Catherine McClung and husband, Michael. Other Chelsea artists include James Heatley of Chelsea and Shirley and Phil Jackson of Dexter.

## LOVING HOMES NEEDED

**Andy - Log Number 66012**  
Andy is a male Collie mix, about 2 years old and 48 pounds. He came to us stray December 19th, and to date his family hasn't come to claim him. We're not sure how he got lost, but we know there's a family somewhere that can give him a loving and supervised home from which he won't stray in the future. Could that family be yours?

**Flower - Log Number 66020**  
Flower arrived stray December 19th. She is a speyed female German Shepherd mix. She weighs 71 pounds and appears to be about 2 years old. Flower still has a lot of life to share! She just needs a family to love her, care for her, and keep her from getting lost again. Could she count on your family?

**Simba - Log Number 66187**  
Simba is one of three cats turned over to us at the start of the year because of human health issues. His former family's doctor said he had to go... Simba is 4 years old, neutered, 14 pounds and not too happy to be here. He has lived with other cats, and is waiting for a home and family that will last him the rest of his lifetime.



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## DEATHS



### ELMER E. BRISTLE

Elmer E. Bristle, 85, died peacefully Feb. 15, 2001, at Chelsea Community Hospital surrounded by his loving family.

Mr. Bristle was born Oct. 4, 1915, in Lima Township one of eight children of Emanuel and Christina (Prinzing) Bristle.

Mr. Bristle was a lifelong resident of Lima Township and was a former member of the Lima Township Board of Review.

Mr. Bristle retired from Federal Screw Works in Chelsea. He was also a dairy farmer and loved to farm. Mr. Bristle was a member of the Michigan Milk Producers Association, the Farm Bureau and was a lifelong member of Zion Lutheran Church of Rogers Corners.

Mr. Bristle married Marian E. Thompson in Angola, Ind., on Sept. 9, 1940, and she survives. Also surviving are his five children, Stephen A. (Karen) Bristle of Ann Arbor, Jerry D. (Pamela) Bristle of Manchester, James A. (Melody) Bristle of Chelsea, Michael L. Bristle (Celeste Batogh) of Chelsea and Linda S. (Dennis) Gorte of Clinton; 11 grandchildren; 13 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

Also surviving are his brother, Leroy (Ruth) Bristle of Chelsea, and several nieces and nephews.

Mr. Bristle was preceded in death by his brothers Clarence, Carl, Wilbur, Paul and Lawrence, and his sister, Ruth.

Funeral services were held Monday at Zion Lutheran Church, with the Rev. David Hendricks officiating. Burial followed in Zion Church Cemetery.

Expressions of sympathy may be made to Zion Lutheran Church or to the Society for Progressive Supranuclear Palsy. Arrangements were made by Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home.

### VICTORIA WEBER

Victoria Weber, 79, died Feb. 19, 2001, in St. Louis, Mich. Mrs. Weber was married to John Weber for almost 60 years and he survives. She is also survived by two sons, John Weber Jr. of St. Louis, Mich., and William Weber of Warren; one

daughter, Mary Ann Simms of Texas; five grandchildren; many great-grandchildren; one brother, Paul; and one sister, Elaine.

Mrs. Weber was preceded in death by her two sons, Fred Weber and Danny Weber; one brother, Walter Weber; and one sister, Mary.

Mrs. Weber was an entrepreneur who owned a market in Dexter and then a tavern at Pleasant Lake.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday at the Jenter & Braun Funeral Home in Manchester Chapel with interment was at St. Andrew's Cemetery in Dexter.

### ESTHER L. (MEABON) READE

Polk City, Fla.  
Formerly of Chelsea

Esther L. (Meabon) Reade, 83, died Feb. 13, 2001, at the Martha Johnson Extended Care Facility in Polk City. She was born near Dexter, the daughter of Emory and Millie (Fisk) Reade.

Ms. Reade moved to Florida in 1995. From 1951 to 1995, she was the co-owner of Meabon's T.V. Appliance and Furniture in Chelsea. She was a former member of Inverness Country Club.

Surviving are her two daughters, Nancy (Loren) Keezer of Chelsea and Sandy (Michael) Nedoba of Stevensville; and four grandchildren, Tammy Matias, Todd (Jessica) Berndt, Jodi (Jon) Vandine and Loren P. (Kimberly Dehn) Keezer. Also surviving are seven great-grandchildren, Theodore and Timothy Spica; Justin, Kaitlyn, Tyler and Seth Berndt; and Hunter Vandine and Timothy Hoef. Special friends Clayton and Martha Johnson of Polk City, Fla., also survive.

Ms. Reade was preceded in death by an infant daughter, Sharon Ann in 1948.

Private funeral services were held at the Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home in Chelsea, with the Rev. Jennifer Williams officiating. Burial followed in Forest Lawn Cemetery in Dexter.

Expressions of sympathy may be made to Hospice of Auburndale Florida or Martha Johnson Extended Care Facility in Polk City, Fla.

Arrangements made by Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home, Chelsea.

### CARL W. HUSTON

Stockbridge

Carl W. Huston, 83, died Feb. 13, 2001, at Country Manor Nursing Home in Stockbridge. He was born March 8, 1917, in Canton Center, the son of Willard and Mary (Guenther) Huston.

Mr. Huston has lived in the area for more than 50 years, and was a member of the First Congregational Church of Chelsea. He enjoyed hunting turtles, raccoon and deer, and liked to go fishing.

Mr. Huston married Esther D. Darnell on Aug. 4, 1940, in Kentucky. She preceded him in death in 1996.

Mr. Huston is survived by three daughters, Sally Lewis of Stockbridge, Joanne Bivins of Jackson

and Carol Jean (Don) Cunningham of Jefferson City, Tenn.; six grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

Mr. Huston was preceded in death by his parents; one brother, Freeman Huston; two sisters, Mable Alder and Luella Huffman; one grandson, Rodney Lewis; and one great-granddaughter, Sally M. Carr.

Funeral services were held Friday at Caskey-Mitchell Funeral Home in Stockbridge, with the Rev. Jay Thiebaut officiating. Burial followed at Plainfield Cemetery in Unadilla Township. Expressions of sympathy may be made to Stockbridge Area Ambulance.



### WILLIAM H. MILLER

Grass Lake

William H. Miller, 62, died Feb. 13, 2001, in his home, with his family at his side. He was born on Aug. 22, 1938, in Pinckney, the son of Clarence and Irene (Frank) Miller.

Mr. Miller was a member of St. Mary Catholic Church in Chelsea, the Elks in Ann Arbor and Jackson Moose Lodge. He had worked at Rumpy Chevrolet in Ann Arbor and owned Urban Auto Sales in Jackson.

Mr. Miller was an avid hunter, fisherman, and enjoyed snowmobiling.

On Jan. 31, 1959, he married Marjorie O'Donnell at St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church in Ann Arbor, and she survives. Survivors also include his father; one son, Jeff W. Miller of Grass Lake; two daughters, Kelly McCormick of Grass Lake and Laurie (Jerry) DeBuss of Lincoln Park; one brother, Richard (Carol) Miller of Brighton; one sister Carol Miller of Brighton; five grandchildren, Shawn, William, Ryan, Melanie and Tera; and several special nieces and nephews, great-nieces and great-nephews, aunts and uncles.

Mr. Miller was preceded in death by his mother and one grandson, Daniel.

The funeral Mass was celebrated Friday at St. Mary Catholic Church in Chelsea, with the Rev. William J. Turner officiating. Burial followed at Mt. Hope Cemetery in Waterloo. The family received friends at Cole Funeral Chapel and a visit service was held.

Memorial contributions may be made to Individualized Hospice or St. Mary Catholic Church.

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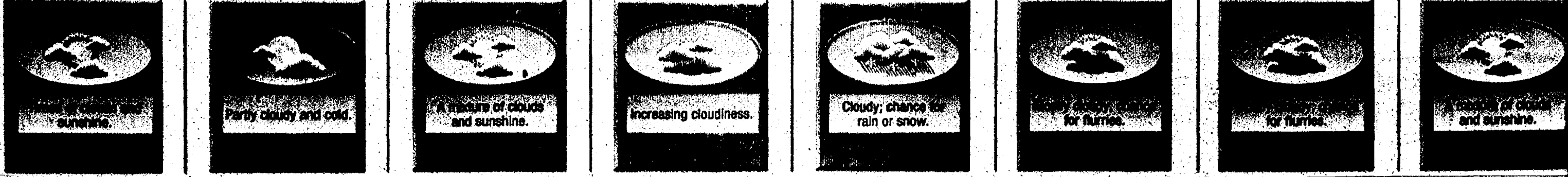
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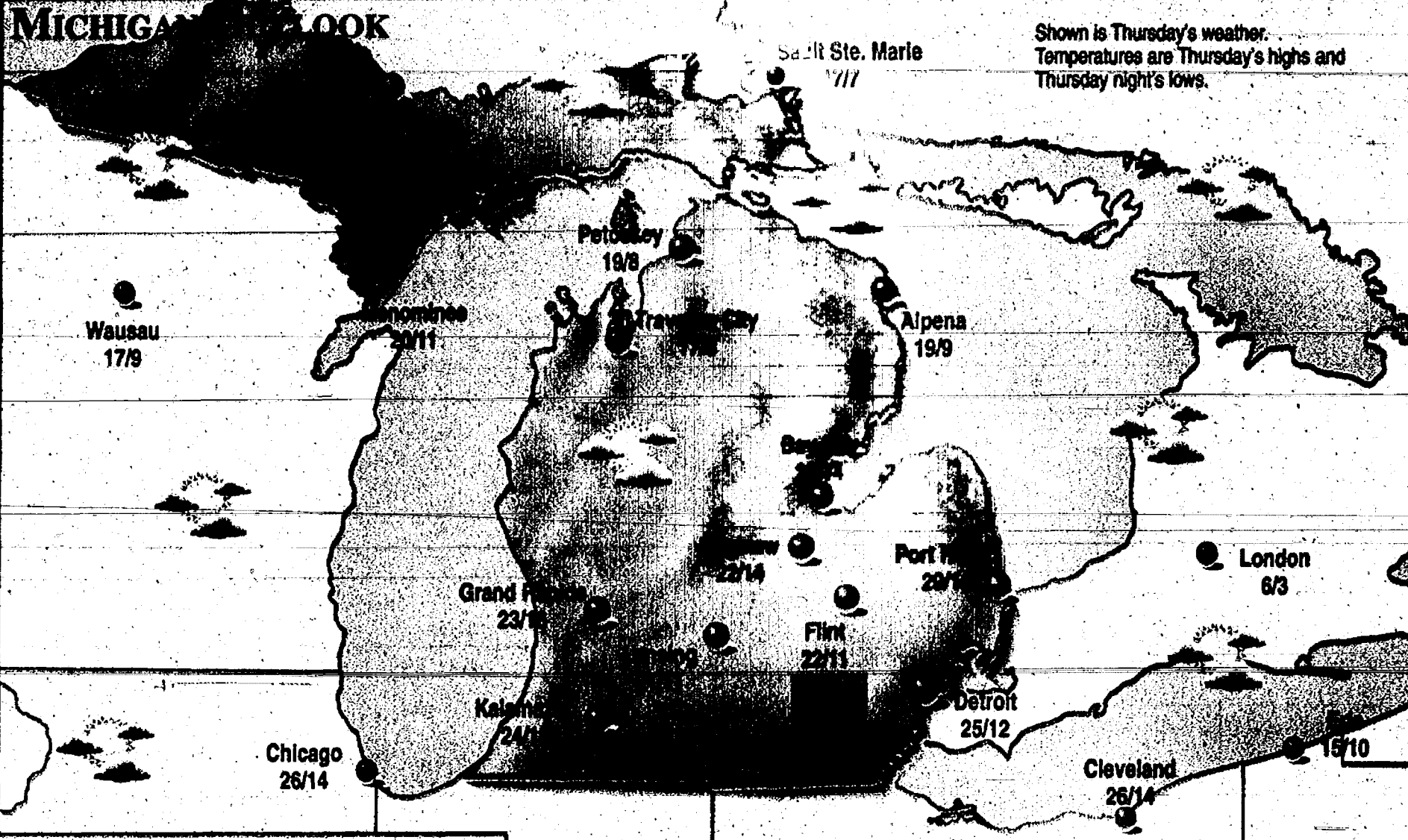
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	Hi	Lo	Hi	Lo	Hi	Lo	Hi	Lo
Ann Arbor	23	15	36	21	38	25	44	28
Battle Creek	22	14	32	18	37	28	42	25
Calhoun	22	14	31	17	36	27	40	28
Dearborn	25	15	32	22	36	27	44	28
Detroit	25	12	30	22	36	28	41	29
Grand Rapids	23	15	32	19	37	24	42	25
Holland	21	15	34	18	37	27	42	25
Jackson	20	15	34	20	35	29	42	28
Kalamazoo	23	15	33	17	36	28	43	25
Leansing	21	11	32	17	39	21	42	25
Livonia	22	15	35	21	37	24	45	28
Midland	20	12	31	17	35	22	41	30
Muskegon	21	16	30	20	35	24	40	26
Owosso	22	11	32	17	37	22	41	27
Portage	24	19	35	22	37	25	43	30
Port Huron	20	14	33	18	36	24	42	30
Sturgis	22	14	31	17	36	22	40	27
Traverse City	23	16	33	21	37	27	43	28
Trenton	5	5	20	7	31	28	40	27
Warren	25	15	33	22	37	25	48	29
Wausau	17	9	27	15	31	19	38	16



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Noon-Friday	22
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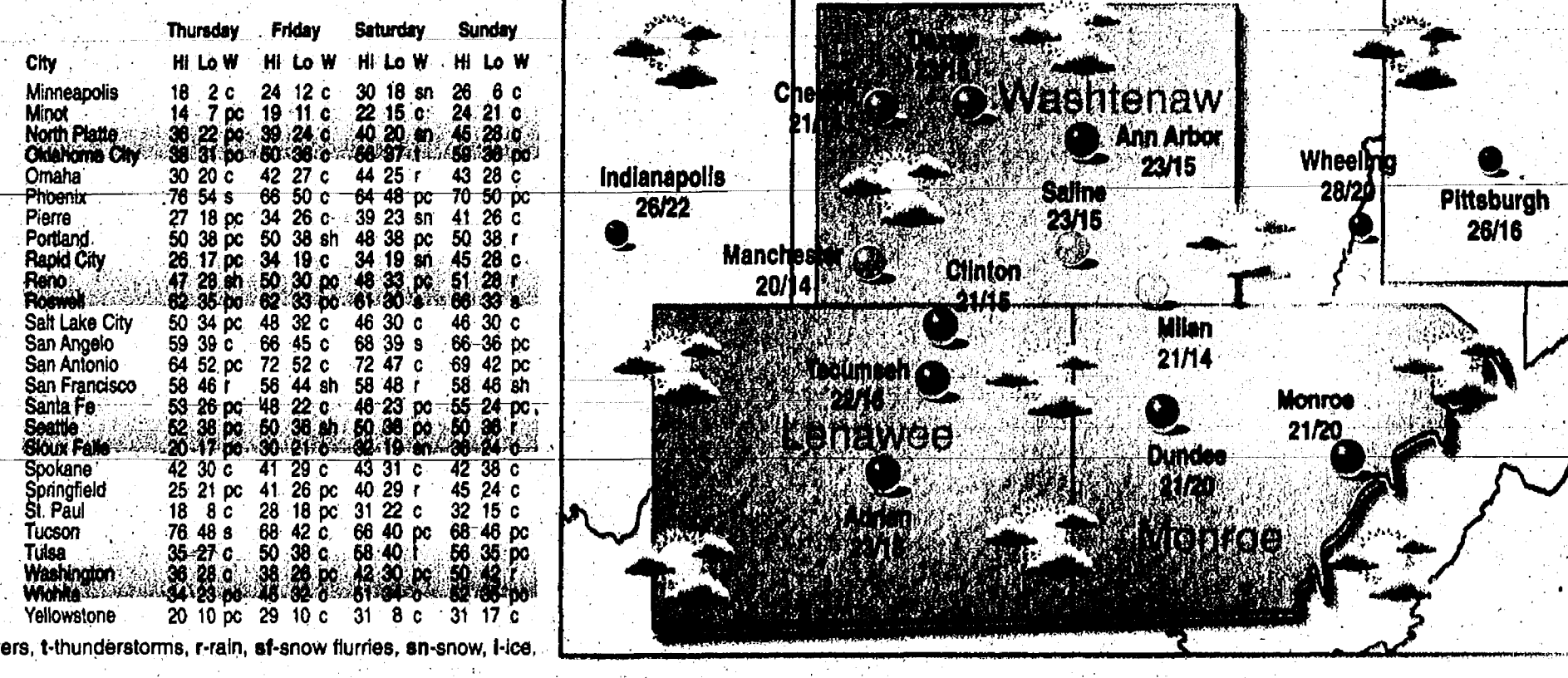
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Monday	1	minutes
Tuesday	1	minutes
Wednesday	3	minutes

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### NATIONAL ROUNDUP

City	Thursday		Friday		Saturday		Sunday	
	Hi	Lo	Hi	Lo	Hi	Lo	Hi	Lo
Abilene	54	32	60	34	62	38	64	36
Albuquerque	60	36	58	34	54	30	56	26
Albany	46	28	48	32	50	34	52	36
Albany	29	21	41	19	39	25	45	32
Bismarck	20	7	23	15	31	14	31	0
Boise	46	30	44	32	42	28	48	36
Casper	42	18	44	26	40	22	40	22
Cedar Rapids	23	14	34	22	36	26	42	21
Cheyenne	42	20	40	24	36	24	42	22
Colorado Springs	38	22	43	20	42	22	46	32
Columbia	60	19	60	30	60	34	68	28
Dallas	44	36	56	42	60	42	64	38
Denver	48	22	44	26	48	24	50	24
Des Moines	26	20	39	24	39	27	41	24
Eugene	49	35	49	38	51	39	51	39
Fresno	60	46	58	42	50	46	58	44
Garland City	24	17	34	22	36	27	43	28
Golden	50	25	50	30	50	28	58	20
Grand Junction	49	29	48	29	48	28	49	37
Great Falls	33	18	32	19	38	23	40	30
Greely	39	21	43	25	46	24	48	34
Houston	60	46	68	48	70	50	70	44
Kansas City	30	22	40	34	40	30	50	29
Las Vegas	62	43	64	41	68	43	68	48
London	31	22	40	27	44	24	48	27
Miami	82	66	80	66	80	68	80	64



### SUNRISE/SUNSET

Sunrise Friday	7:20 a.m.
Sunset Friday	6:18 p.m.
Sunrise Saturday	7:18 a.m.
Sunset Saturday	6:19 p.m.
Sunrise Sunday	7:17 a.m.
Sunset Sunday	6:20 p.m.

### MOON PHASES

New	First	Full	Last
Feb 23	Mar 2	Mar 9	Mar 16
Moonrise Thursday	7:21 a.m.		
Moonset Thursday	5:41 p.m.		
Moonrise Friday	7:50 a.m.		
Moonset Friday	6:41 p.m.		
Moonrise Saturday	8:17 a.m.		
Moonset Saturday	7:42 p.m.		
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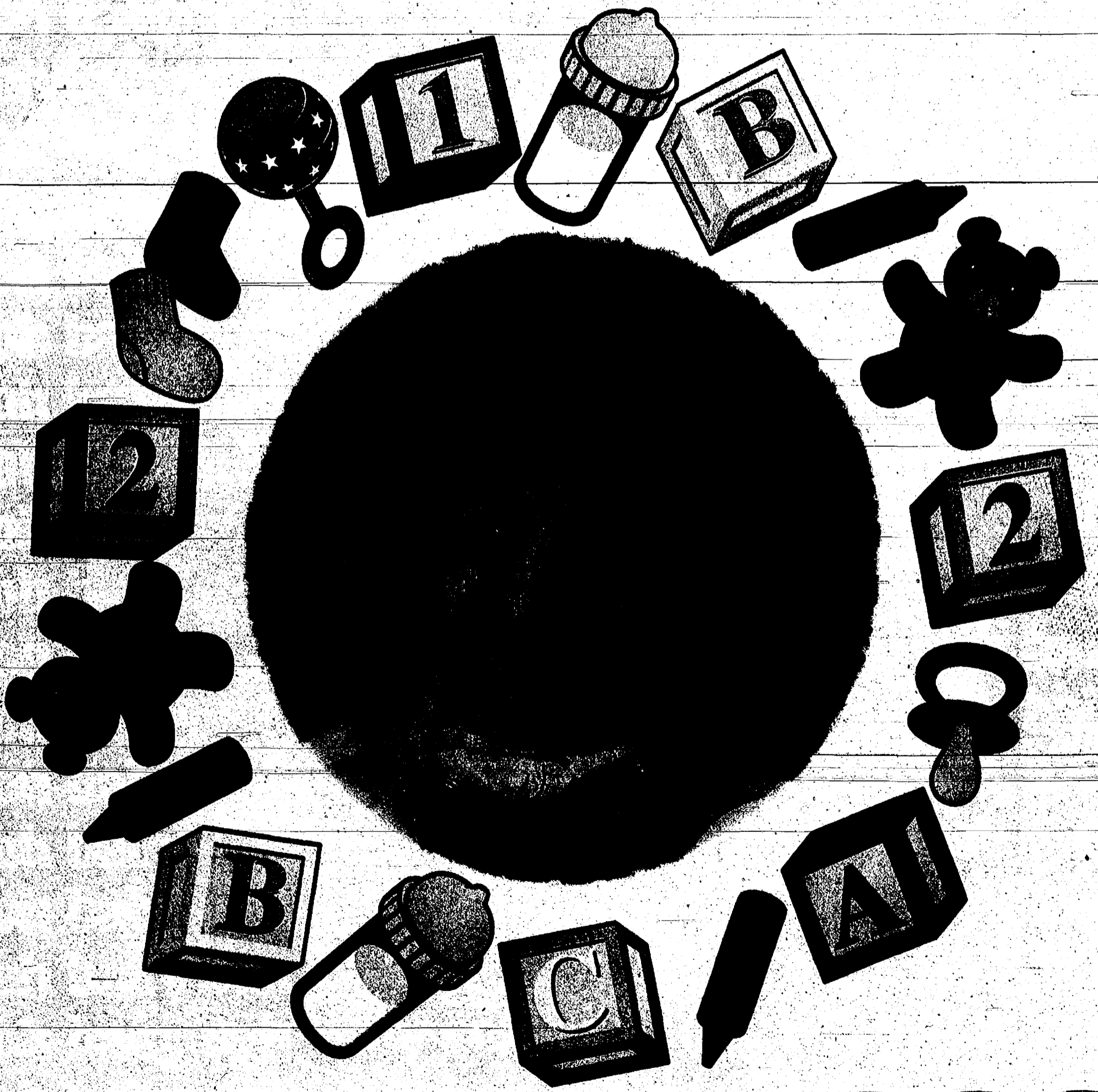
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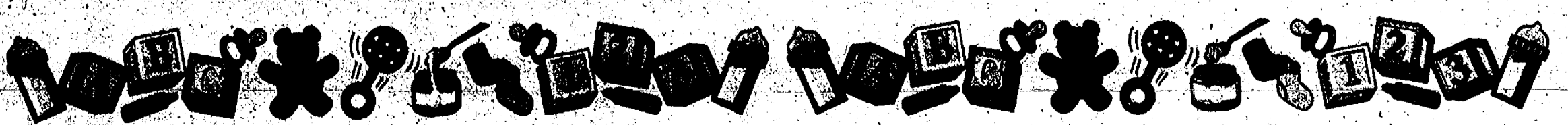
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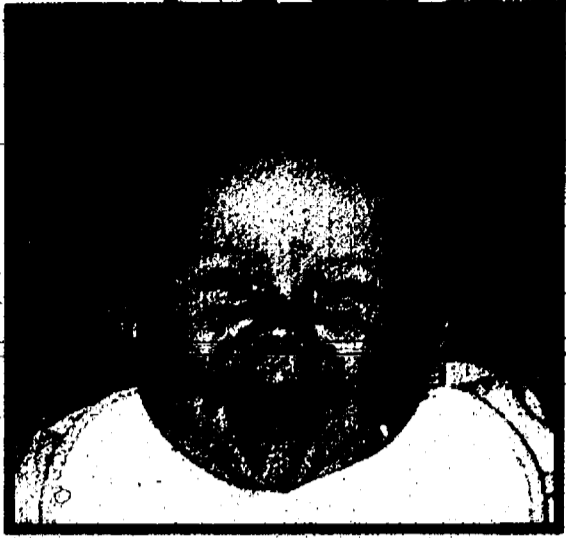
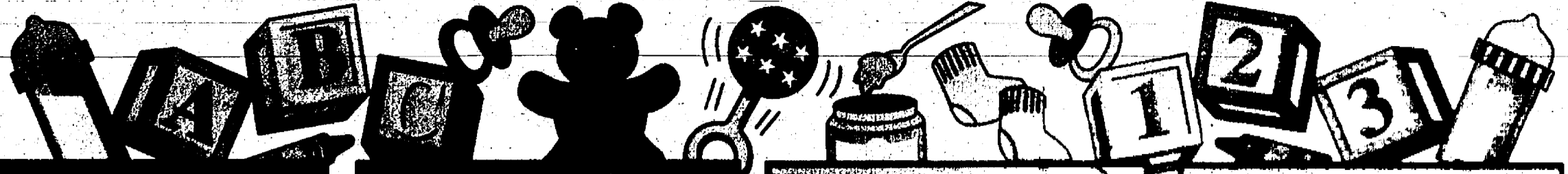
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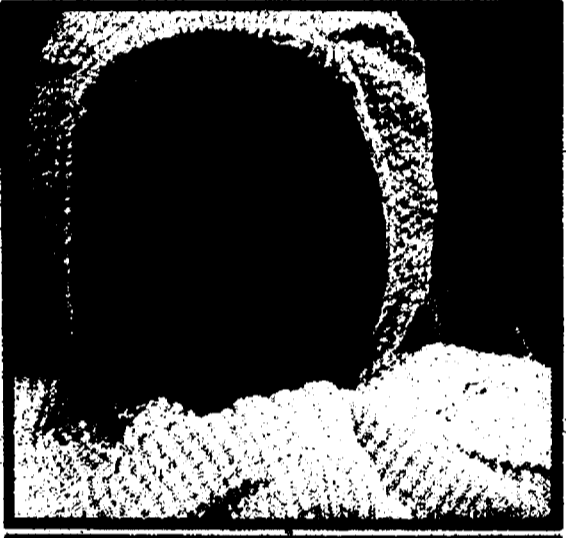
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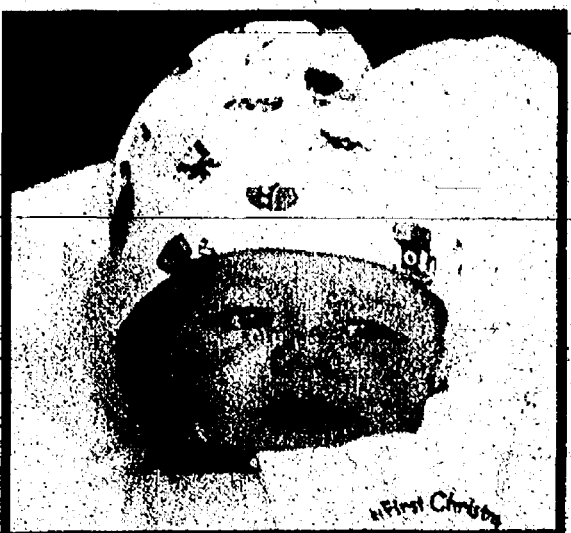
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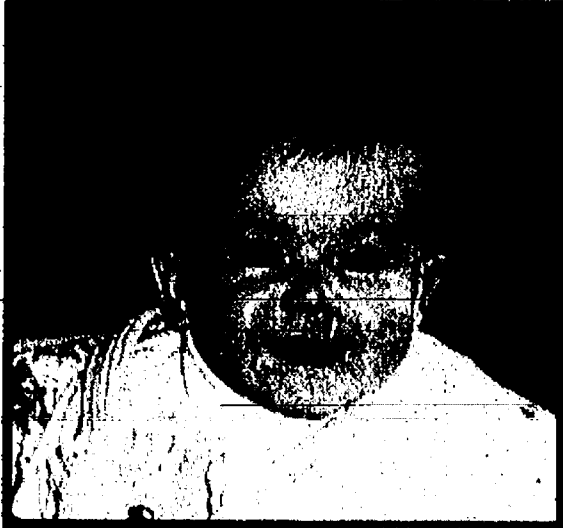
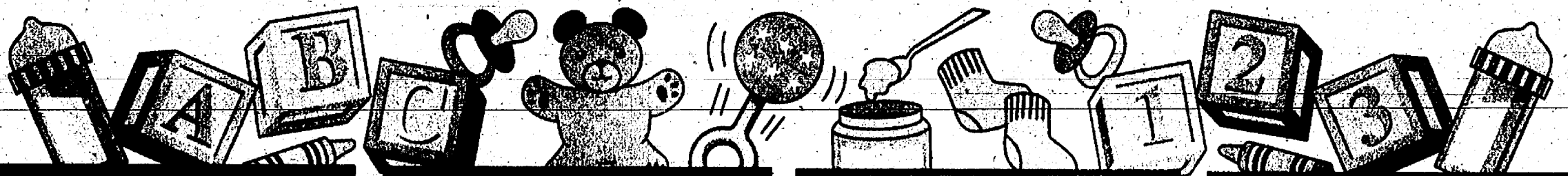
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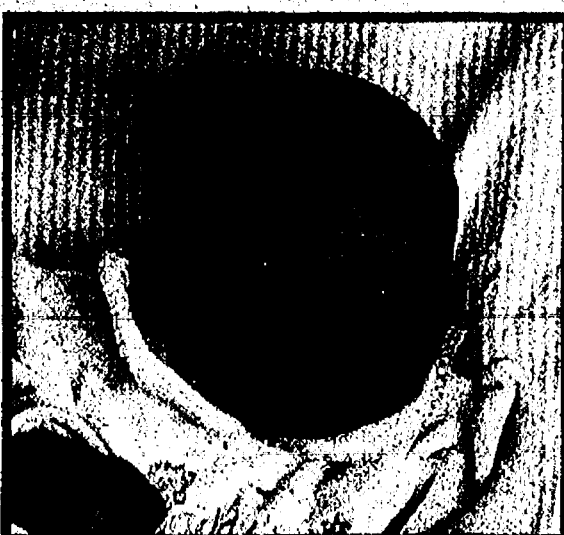
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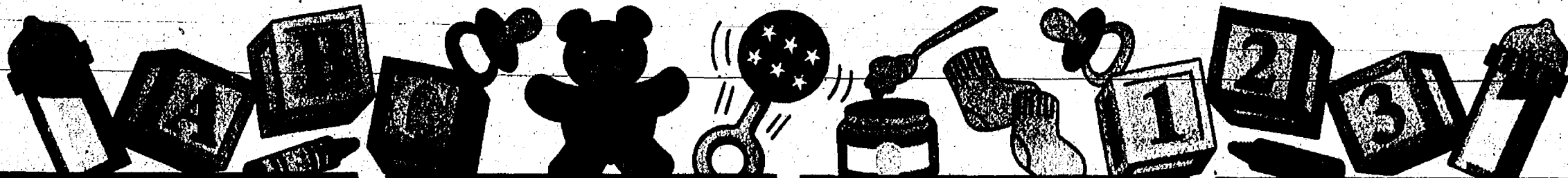


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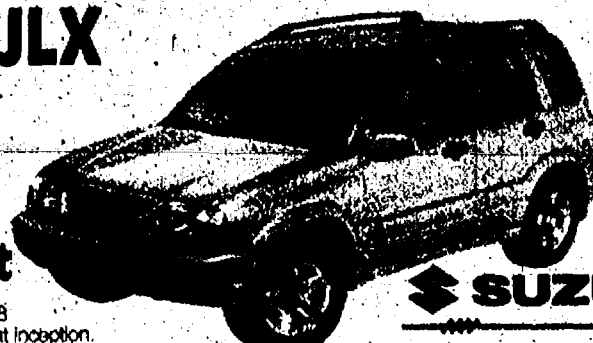
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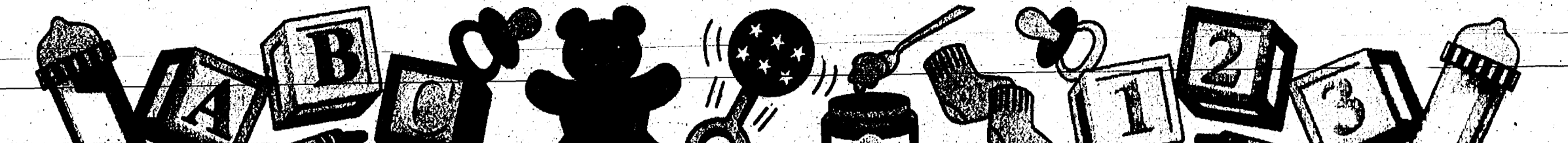
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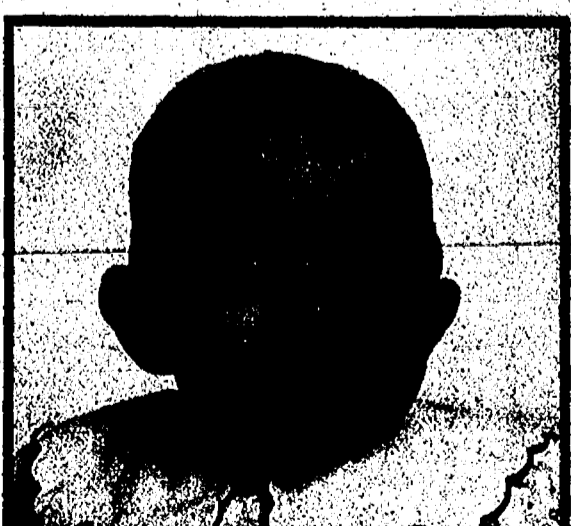
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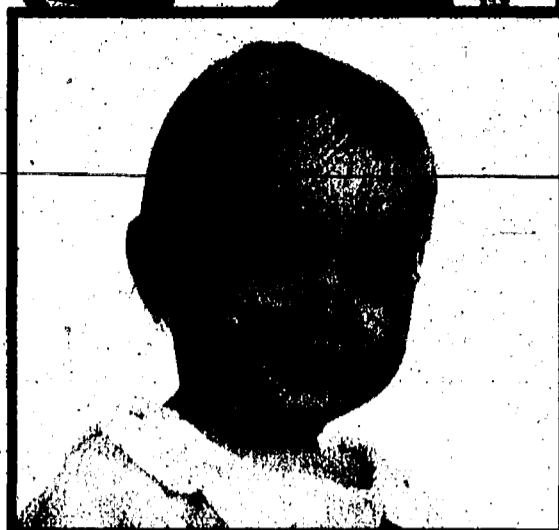
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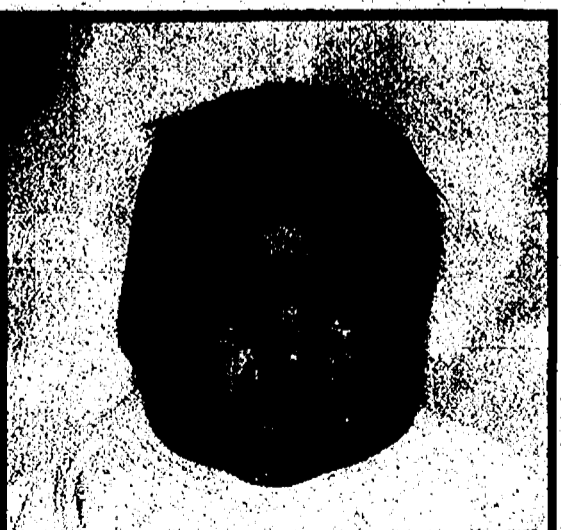
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