

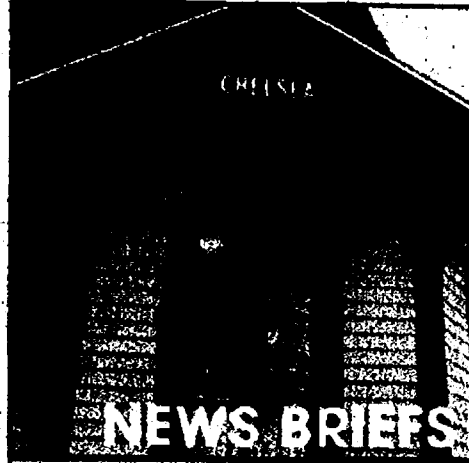
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NEWS BRIEFS

Wetland walk set for Sunday at park

Naturalist Matt Heumann will lead a hike to learn about and explore a wetland ecosystem 10 a.m. Saturday at Park Lyndon North, located on North Territorial Road between M-52 and Embury Road.

Participants should wear wading shoes and long pants because water may be knee-deep.

The Washtenaw County Parks nature program is free. Call 971-6337 for information.

Teacher nominated for state award

Jed Fritzeimer is one of three candidates nominated as Michigan School Orchestra Teacher of the Year. The results will be announced in January as part of the Midwestern Conference on School Vocal and Instrumental Music.

Fritzeimer, music teacher at Beach Middle School, leads the middle school and high school orchestras and is also director of the Chelsea House Orchestra.

High school prepares for new school year

Chelsea High School will hold a building tour at 1 p.m. tomorrow for all students who are new to the school.

Photographs of students in ninth through 11th grades will be taken Sept. 11. Students will bring home an informational packet that should be completed and returned on the day pictures are taken.

The open house is slated for 6:30 p.m. Sept. 17.

Hospital laboratory receives accreditation

Chelsea Community Hospital Laboratory has been awarded accreditation by the Commission on Laboratory Accreditation of the College of American Pathologists, based on the results of a recent on-site inspection.

The laboratory joins approximately 6,000 laboratories nationwide in earning accreditation.

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Let the Fair Begin



The 64th annual Chelsea Community Fair kicked off Monday with a ribbon-cutting at the entrance to the fairgrounds, located off Old US-12. Those attending the ribbon cutting included village officials, fair board members and fair queen contestants. Pictured are Village President Richard Steele (left), contestant Jessica Dean, contestant Erin Byrne, contestant Connie Kolokithas, fair board member Ken McCallia, reigning Fair Queen Molly Welton, fair board member Ron Stouffer, contestant Samantha Bogdanski, contestant Stephanie Fischer, contestant Jayna Katz and Village Manager Jack Myers.

Schools address bullying

By Sheila Pursglove
Staff Writer

Name calling, put downs, teasing, pushing and shoving. Many of us have memories of schoolyard bullies who made life miserable.

A recent State Board of Education plan calls on schools to have policies in place to stop bullying in its tracks. What was once viewed almost as a child's rite of passage is now seen as a serious problem for the nation's schools, where an estimated 160,000 students per day nationwide skip school because of intimidation from classmates.

Scott Broshar, president of the Chelsea school board, said Monday that Chelsea School District doesn't have a policy that specifically deals with bullying.

"We do have, however, and have had quite a while, policies."

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DNR considering gravel boat launch

■ DNR soliciting input on topic through Tuesday.

By Kent Ashton Walton
Staff Writer

More than 200 area residents turned out for a discussion Aug. 14 at Pinckney High School about the Michigan Department of Natural Resources' plans to improve Pickerel Lake, located in Dexter Township.

DNR officials said plans to put in a cement boat launch have been changed. A gravel boat launch likely will be built instead.

Parks and Recreation Bureau Chief Rodney Stokes said the DNR is considering the measure to solve problems with erosion and to prevent vehicles from getting stuck in the sand while dropping off boats. A

sandy slope is currently used as a boat launch.

Brenda Artis, a planner with the DNR, said the intention is to retain the lake's current recreational functions. The DNR also plans to put in gravel for a parking lot and provide 10 parking spaces, with five for vehicles pulling boat trailers.

Curtis said it is necessary to stabilize the lake approach ramp to allow for loading and unloading of boats. The technology for the ramp involves the use of an experimental "Geoweb" cellular system and crushed limestone filler covered with 2 inches of sand.

Of the three dozen or so audience members who spoke only two expressed support for the DNR's plan. The majority argued that making the lake

more easily accessible to motorized boats by installing a boat launch would mean the end of Pickerel Lake as a tranquil place for swimmers, nature lovers and bird watchers.

Many in the audience said the lake is a unique place in Michigan because it's small but deep and unpolluted by motorized boats, unlike neighboring lakes.

Their comments were echoed by state Rep. John Hansen, who said there is a need in Michigan for more "quiet places such as the lake. He said there needs to be more "human-powered recreation."

by polluting it.

Others pointed out that more boat traffic would threaten the lake with invasive species. Some said a beach area would likely erode if motorized boats were permitted to create wakes.

Several members of the audience pointed out that not only is the 23-acre Pickerel Lake too small for boats other than canoes, row boats and kayaks, but gas-powered boats are already accommodated by the majority of Michigan's 700 lakes.

One person said only 26 lakes in Michigan are designated for non-gas-powered boats and only one in the Waterloo and Pinckney area.

Others pointed out that the sand for the beach and parking is not natural to the lake. They said it is a man-made addition of

several decades ago. Prior, there was only a narrow footpath to the lake.

Some in the audience expressed a desire to return the lake to its pristine state, while also accommodating handicapped access.

According to a survey conducted by the Friends of Pickerel Lake, a grassroots group that helped organize the meeting, 96 percent of those surveyed use the lake for swimming and other low-impact uses.

DNR panel members responded that they have a legal mandate to provide fishing access to the lake. DNR officials said they have received calls from boat users who have had problems accessing the lake.

Several audience members

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Village makes room for more parking

■ DDA spends nearly \$1.5 million altogether.

By Will Keeler
Staff Writer

It's the end of an era in Chelsea.

At about 10 a.m. Aug. 13, buildings once housing the Serendipity book store and Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home came tumbling down to make room for a new municipal parking lot.

In a week's time, work crews have cleaned the area and put down gravel.

The area will be split into two parking lots and will accommodate approximately 55 vehicles. The lower lot, covering a majority of the two properties, will have enough room for about 40 spaces. The upper lot, between Merkel Furniture & Carpet One and the McKune House on Main Street, will hold about 15 spaces.

Downtown Development Authority President Sheridan Springer said that the number of spaces in the upper lot will

depend on the library's plans for expansion.

Springer said that after the gravel has been laid, the DDA will have spent about \$1.5 million. About \$1.45 million was spent on property acquisition and approximately \$60,000 on physical improvements.

Bonds have been sold to support the project and money has been taken from the DDA's cash reserves.

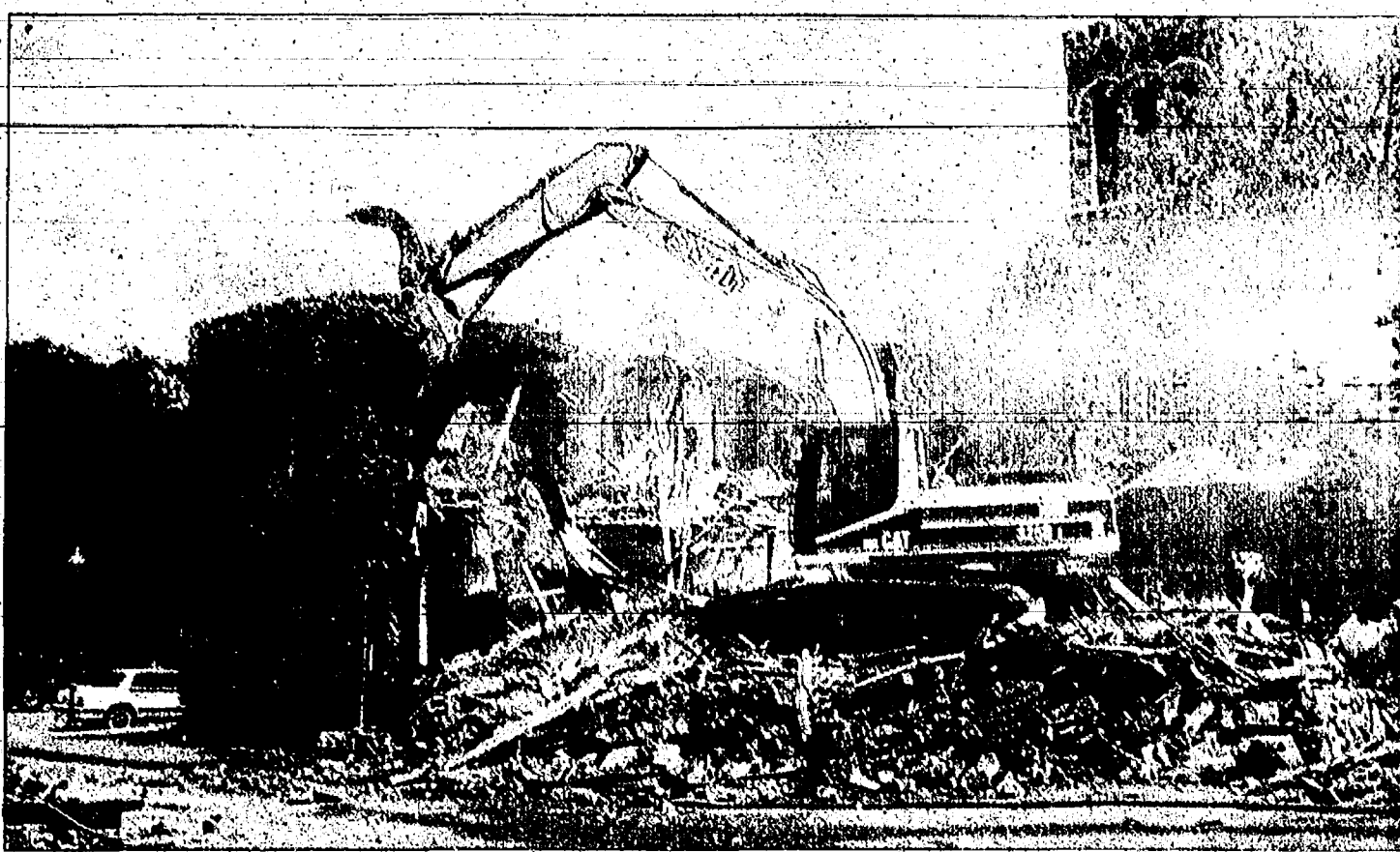
The DDA contracted with Farrow Group, an engineering firm based in Detroit, to bring down the buildings and install gravel at a cost of \$43,900.

Springer said that the demolition went well, but additional work cropped up that the DDA didn't expect.

The DDA approved at its Aug. 16 meeting an additional \$1,200 to remove sod in front of the house and behind the funeral home to make room for the gravel.

After the DDA meeting, crews

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The walls came tumbling down at two former businesses on Park Street Aug. 13. The Farrow Group, a local engineering firm, was contracted by the village to bring down the buildings once occupied by Serendipity Books and Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home. The Downtown Development Authority has cleared the area for additional downtown parking.

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Photo by Alison Marable

Ella Goes to the Fair

Ella, a horse, escorted by Chelsea McKinney (left) and Kim Hammer, arrive for the opening day of the 64th annual Chelsea Community Fair. The fair continues through Saturday.

Council OKs study

Special assessment district to cover cost of installing sidewalks.

By Will Keeler
Staff Writer

The Village Council voted last week to pursue a sidewalk study south of town.

The council has postponed the issue several times at previous meetings to clarify parameters of the study.

The village will pay Tetra-Tech, an engineering firm based in Ann Arbor, \$9,500 to provide cost estimates for installing sidewalks on both sides of M-52 from Interstate 94 to Old US-12, as well as street lighting, landscaping and drainage improvements.

The Village Council has also asked the firm to factor in a small portion of sidewalk improvements north of Old US-12.

Tetra-Tech Vice President Paul Harvey agreed to the addition, which will extend the study north of Old US-12, past Victory Lane Oil Change and Chelsea Pets & Plants along M-52.

If the final project is approved, it will be funded through a special assessment district. However, Village Manager Jack Myers and Tetra-Tech are looking for grants from the state to offset the costs.

Tetra Tech plans to complete the study and have a report ready for the Village Council within 45 days after the study begins.

A plan will be developed to show a general location of sidewalks, lighting and landscaping. It will include how the improvements will look and the materials needed for the project.

The report will also include an estimate of costs for the village and landowners, an estimate of the life span of the improvements and a safety study.

In past meetings, business owners along the M-52 corridor affected by proposed improvements have voiced their concerns. The majority has cited safety as a major concern.

The safety study will consider sidewalks, crosswalks, the speed limit, and vehicle crash reports

from the Michigan Department of Transportation and Chelsea Police Department.

Council Trustee Charles Ritter said he is concerned about how close the sidewalks will be to the busy street.

Harvey said the report will address safety concerns as it pertains to an average highway.

Ritter also wants Tetra-Tech to be aware of the steep ditches along M-52 and questioned the importance of proper draining in an unlevelled area.

"There are a lot of open ditches and drains. Are you going to put the sidewalks around them?" Ritter asked.

Harvey said that after the study is finished, he plans to meet with the Village Council to discuss the results.

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Village delays buyout

Zoning official looking for \$68,000 contribution.

By Will Keeler
Staff Writer

Village Planning and Zoning Administrator Jim Drolett would like to retire soon but his nest egg is at stake.

Drolett has collected approximately \$128,000 in his retirement account with Dexter Township, his former employer. To transfer the money to his retirement account with the village, he or the village needs to come up with \$68,000.

Village officials aren't sure where they would get the money and are hesitant about setting a precedent because village employees in the same situation may ask for a similar handout.

"Jim has done a great deal for the village over the years, but where are we going to find the money to pay for this?" Village President Richard Steele asked during last week's council meeting when the question was posed.

Council Trustee Charles Ritter said \$68,000 is a lot of money and he doesn't think taxpayers want to fund Drolett's nest egg.

But not all of Ritter's colleagues agree. "Considering what he has done for the village, this is just a drop in the bucket," said Trustee Janice Ortring.

Drolett said in the past few years he has been successful at implementing a storm water utility program, which has enabled the village to collect about

\$400,000 it wouldn't have otherwise.

Moreover, he said he has helped improve the village's infrastructure, allowing the village to take in more than \$2 million in water and sewer collections.

Dexter Township has contributed \$46,277 toward Drolett's buyout and Drolett has chipped in \$13,652. These amounts would be transferred to the Lansing MERS office, leaving a balance of \$68,000.

If the village decides to buy out Drolett's portion, it has the option to pay \$68,000 in one lump sum or \$300 a month for the next 30 years.

But Drolett said he would like the village to come up with the funds now.

"I know this is a lot of money

and I am not looking for a raise," he said.

Drolett said he has used his own vehicle at work to make site visits, collecting a \$50 monthly car allowance while the village manager and village engineer are given a monthly car allowance and a vehicle.

Drolett also pointed out that he purchases his own health insurance, which saves the village about \$4,500 a year.

The Village Council is looking for a middle ground, possibly increasing Drolett's car allowance to \$300 a month if he pays the \$68,000 himself, but Drolett isn't interested.

Council members have sent the issue back to the personnel committee for discussion.

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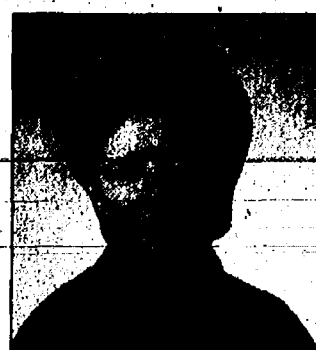
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Students serve as ambassadors

Middle school pupils enjoy Australia



Molly Martin fell in love with a cuddly koala she met at The Wild World Zoo during her visit to Australia.

By Elizabeth Wagenschutz
Special Writer

Last summer, just as Sean Cleary was preparing to enter seventh grade at Beach Middle School, he received a letter from the People to People Student Ambassador Program. The letter invited him to attend an informational meeting about traveling abroad, but his family figured that it was just another piece of junk mail and dismissed it.



But after hearing from others about the experiences they had as student ambassadors, the family reconsidered. At a meeting in Ann Arbor, Cleary learned the group would be traveling to Australia, and that's when Cleary made up his mind.

On July 5, Cleary and Travis

Bartlett joined hundreds of other students as they flew to Australia for three weeks, stopping in coastline cities from Cairns to Sydney as ambassadors for People to People.

They had many of the same experiences a group of high school students did, including snorkeling around the Great Barrier Reef and taking the Skyrail over the rainforest. They also saw a traditional Aboriginal dance, which Cleary described as a highlight.

"It was interesting, just seeing what they did," he said.

Cleary also said he enjoyed staying with a native family. "It was fun. (Life) isn't much different there," he observed.

His favorite part of the trip was visiting the Olympic Park in Sydney, a place he had wanted to see since watching the Summer Olympics in Sydney.

Cleary enjoyed the trip so much that he will participate next year, as well. Plans call for a European adventure with stops in London, Paris and Germany.



Chelsea pupil Sean Cleary made friends with an Australian aborigine during his trip to Australia.

High school teens travel to Outback

By Elizabeth Wagenschutz
Special Writer

"Mutjuli" is an indigenous Australian word used by one of the Aboriginal tribes to explain the spiritual connection that they have to their home. This home - one of desert, heat, exotic animals and extreme beauty - was recently visited by five Chelsea teen-agers.

Mark Easterwood and Molly Martin, both high school seniors this fall, and recent high school graduate Megan Morcom spent three weeks traveling across Australia.

They visited Australia through the People to People Student Ambassador Program. Each became involved in the program after receiving a letter inviting them to an informational meeting about the travel program.

Easterwood received the letter the summer after his seventh-grade year, and then traveled to Australia and New Zealand. He enjoyed the trip so much that he has been going ever year since.

Through the People to People Student Ambassador program, Easterwood has visited Spain, France, Italy, Ireland, the United Kingdom, Denmark, Sweden, Norway, New Zealand and Australia.

When he found out that this summer's trip was scheduled for Australia and New Zealand, he didn't think twice about going back.

"Most places I've been aren't that different," he said. "People live pretty much the same way. The Australian people are nice, very friendly. It's a great place."

Morcom has been to Europe with the Southeastern Michigan Band, but she had not been to Australia. When the letter arrived at her house last summer, she immediately contacted the organization.

"I've always wanted to go, ever since I was little," she said.

Morcom said the trip lived up to all of her expectations.

"There were so many things about the trip that I loved," she said. "And as for going back - definitely! It was what I imag-

ined and more. After I finish college, bye-bye USA."

Martin had never traveled outside the United States and was nervous but knew it was something she couldn't pass up.

"I've always wanted to go to Australia, so when I got (the letter) I thought, 'This is it.' So, I pursued it," she said.

The teens visited the Rain Forest, snorkeled on the Great Barrier Reef, climbed the Sydney Harbor Bridge, visited a

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Armful of Fluff

Melany Mioduszewski holds an armful of English-angora rabbits for judging on the opening day of the Chelsea Community Fair. One rabbit, captured in mid yawn, appears less than impressed by it all.

Land issues topic of meeting

■ Residents want to meet with their elected officials about development and zoning.

By Kent Ashton Walton
Special Writer

A handful of Dexter Township residents gave up a recent Saturday morning to meet Elizabeth Brater, land use director for the Ecology Center in Ann Arbor, and talk about zoning and development in the area.

Among several citizens groups represented at the meeting were Dexter Neighbors, Friends of Pickrel Lake and RURAL, which stands for Responsible Use of Residential and Agricultural Land.

Brater said it is important for citizens to work with community leaders to create zoning ordinances that encourage responsible growth.

The meeting, held last Saturday, covered a variety of growth-related topics, including purchase of development rights. Brater said that Barry Lonik, executive director of the Washtenaw Land Trust, is working on a proposal to adopt a

local ordinance, although there is one at the county level. The ordinance is intended to offer financial incentives to farmers who want to preserve their land in perpetuity.

The group also looked at wetland protection and debated the benefits of a local ordinance to protect wetland areas of less than five acres. Currently, state law protects wetlands larger than five acres. Residents said reducing the number would help preserve the watershed and decrease pollution from potential development.

Residents asked if the Huron River Watershed Council would be willing to help the township draft a wetland ordinance.

During the discussion, residents also discussed a study in Scio Township that suggests that development is not always profitable for government. The study shows that for every \$1 received in tax revenue from development, \$1.40 is spent on such public services as roads, schools, police, fire and sewer.

Brater said the Ecology Center is able to help coordinate citizens groups and help

local elected officials in developing ordinances to protect agricultural and natural areas.

During the meeting, Brater also provided members of the audience with copies of the current Dexter Township zoning ordinance, which is under review.

The group agreed that it needed a Web site to provide information about township zoning and development issues, and to post information about future neighborhood meetings. The group decided to meet again when local officials can participate in discussions.

PARKING

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found additional foundation under the former book store.

The engineering group spent about \$600 to remove it. Springer said the DDA will likely approve additional funding at a meeting next month.

Additional costs already factored in include the removal of a couple of trees and a bill from Tetra-Tech, an Ann Arbor engineering firm that supervised the demolition project. Springer does not know how much Tetra-Tech will charge until the project is completed.

The DDA also will be billed from a firm that helped compact

gravel for the new lot.

The DDA hopes to pave the area in the late fall or early spring. The DDA approached the Village Planning Commission in August about a site plan for paving, and installation of lights and landscape.

The DDA plans to add shrubbery along the parking lot's east border next to the First United Methodist Church.

Since the properties were deeded over to the DDA, the bills will be paid off through tax increment financing revenue generated from increases in property value at businesses within the DDA district. The district stretches from the clock tower to Chelsea State Bank's downtown branch.

Once the parking lots are open,

area businesses are expected to see the benefits. Springer said patrons visiting the Purple Rose Theatre Co. will enjoy open spaces for Saturday evening performances and those attending services Sunday morning at the Methodist church can use it, as well.

The Rev. Richard Dake of the United Methodist Church is pleased to see more parking.

"This will definitely help out a great deal," he said.

The church doesn't have its own parking lot. It relies on the municipal parking lot and the street for its parishioners.

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OUTBACK

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primary school, explored the Australian Outback and stayed with host families to become better acquainted with the Australian culture.

But out of everything they experienced, they said staying with native families was their favorite.

"I really got to see what Australian life is like," Martin said. "We went to school with our home-stay students. When I was walking down the hall, I noticed that except for about four students, no one was wearing makeup or had spent a lot of time on their hair. They are very natural and comfortable with how they look. I admire that about the Australian culture."

Martin said she recommends the experience to other teens.

"I loved every second of it," she said. "It was worth every minute spent getting ready. It was a once-in-a-lifetime experience that I will never forget."

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BULLYING

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have had quite a while, policies governing student conduct which are adequate and appropriate to prohibit any such actions by our students and staff," Broshar said. "The handbooks approved by the board and distributed to all students at the beginning of each year make it clear that such behavior should not be tolerated."

Robin Raymond, assistant principal of Chelsea High School, said Monday that the school has had a policy in place for close to a decade. The policy covers issues of harassment and disrespect toward other students.

The policy states that students must not be disrespectful, belligerent or behave in a threatening manner toward others. Put downs, name-calling and racial, sexual and ethnic remarks are all considered forms of disrespect.

The school is also putting a new program into place.

"This year, we'll be instituting

a peer mediation program," Raymond said. "Several staff members were trained last year and this year we'll start training some students. It's designed to take care of disagreements between students."

Raymond said the high school has a progressive scale of punishment, including warnings, detention and suspension.

"If teachers or staff hear of any intimidation, we try to deal with it immediately to nip it in the bud," he said.

Beach Middle School Assistant Principal Andrew Ingall says the staff's goal is to have no bullying.

"I think the first step is to get kids that are being bullied to let an adult know specifically what is happening," he said. "The second step is to get the bully aside and talk with them about what is happening and what type of consequences will follow."

"My experience in Chelsea has been that the vast majority of bullying then ceases."

Ingall, who said he thinks there is less bullying in Chelsea than in many other districts, lets kids on both sides know that if

the bullying does continue, the school will do whatever it takes to make the school safe. This includes alternate placement in school, suspension and, in extreme cases, expulsion.

Ingall said school counselors will also step in to help.

Pierce Lake Elementary School Principal Lucy Stieber said that one of the goals for North Central Association of Colleges and Schools accreditation is respect and responsibility. The same rules, signals and consequences are used at all three elementary schools in Chelsea.

"Each of us emphasizes one aspect of respect per term," Stieber said. "Our theory is that if we respect each other, we will not have bullies."

Stieber said that schools usually have an assembly on the first day of school related to respect. Bulletin boards and posters around the schools carry the message, as well.

At Pierce Lake, teacher Craig McCalla meets with each grade level during the first week of school to discuss appropriate behavior, personal responsibility

and consequences.

"We have a form — a respect plan — for students to complete if they forget to be respectful," Stieber said. "Students complete the form by listing their actions, a better choice for next time and their idea of an appropriate consequence."

North Creek Elementary School Principal Sharon Whitmore said that bullying is a form of intimidation that will not be tolerated.

The best offense against bullying is to understand the underlying motivation of the aggressor and to meet those needs in a different way," Whitmore said. "We also teach children who are bullied strategies to become assertive and not aggressive."

"We want to know about incidences of bullying so that we can model problem-solving for students and use consistent consequences that are fair and that make sense."

South Meadows Elementary School Principal Lisa Nickel said the school's proactive approach teaches pupils four steps for solving problems: to stop, make a plan, check it and follow it.

"I believe that by emphasizing

respectful behavior and teaching appropriate skills with which to solve problems we allow students to develop appropriate conflict resolution skills that last a lifetime," she said. "I also believe school should be a safe learning environment for all students so each child can take risks."

Bullying can take the form of such physical aggression as shoving, locking up, punching, spitting, and taking or damaging someone's property. Verbal bullying can range from threats of bodily harm to malicious rumors, name calling and teasing someone about appearance or attire.

Studies show that bullying foretells a lifelong pattern of abusive behavior by the perpetrators. Experts say 60 percent of identified bullies have a criminal conviction by age 24.

As adults, children who bully others require disproportionate support from mental health and governmental services and are also more prone to alcoholism and anti-social personality disorders.

Children who are repeatedly victimized pay a price, as well, suffering from stress-related

problems such as headaches and other illnesses. In school, it can hamper learning and result in increased absenteeism.

A pattern of humiliation may lead to further victimization and, in some cases, cause victims to resort to violent or self-destructive behavior. Recent studies identified some violent students as victims of bullies including the two boys who shot and killed 13 people at Columbine High School in Littleton, Colo., before turning their weapons on themselves.

Dennis Olander of The Guardian contributed to this article.

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DNR

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asked the DNR to re-evaluate the primary function of the lake and called for a moratorium on DNR action, as recently suggested by the Dexter Township

Board, until a consensus could be reached. They said the township could use the time to explore zoning, safety and environmental standards.

There were loud cheers when one member of the audience suggested the best thing the DNR could do was "do nothing"

to Pickerel Lake.

Another in the audience asked why the DNR wanted to put money into making an "unwanted access" to Pickerel Lake when there are "so many other problems needing attention."

Anyone interested in expressing a viewpoint about the issue may do so at Parks and Recreation Bureau, c/o Rodney Stokes, Stevens T. Manson Building, P.O. Box 30257, Lansing MI 48909-7757. The deadline is Aug. 28.

The Friends of Pickerel Lake group has an informational Web site. The address is www.friendsofpickerellake.org.

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Scio Township

Domestic Assault

A 20-year-old man was arrested for punching his girlfriend at about 12:30 p.m. July 27 at a home in Scio Farms Estates, 6655 Jackson Road.

The man was living inside the victim's car outside the trailer. The couple started arguing when the 20-year-old woman noticed her car was messy.

Two people in the trailer saw the man hit the woman. One of the witnesses called police.

The man was arrested and taken to the Washtenaw County Jail.

Larceny

Someone stole more than \$1,000 worth of items between 11 p.m. Aug. 14 and 8 a.m. Aug. 15 from an unlocked car in the 1700 block of Reserve Way.

The owner of the Jeep said that he returned to his vehicle in the morning and noticed several items were missing. Among the missing property were compact discs and \$50. There was no damage to the vehicle.

Jewelry worth more than \$17,000 was taken between midnight June 2 and 12:30 p.m. June 15 from a home in the 4700 block of Breezewood Court.

The 59-year-old victim said that the jewelry was in a safe in the master bedroom closet. Several people had been in the house unsupervised during the last month. People have been making deliveries and several others have worked on an addition to the house, the victim said.

The victim has insurance and police have alerted local pawnshops about the missing items.

Fraud

The manager of the Speedway Truck Stop, 750 Baker Road, found a suspected counterfeit \$100 bill at 2 a.m. Aug. 10.

A 25-year-old Harrison man tried using it to pay for gas, but the manager thought the bill looked fake. The manager said that the bill was discolored and didn't look like other bills. She also noticed how fresh and new it looked, even though it said it

was printed in 1950.

The man told police that he got it from a bank in Saginaw. Police kept the bill as evidence and notified the Secret Service.

Property Damage

A disgruntled former employee of Burger King is suspected of slashing the tire on a vehicle belonging to a manager at 2:30 p.m. Aug. 12 in the restaurant parking lot, 151 S. Zeeb Road.

The 28-year-old manager said that the suspect was fired and told to leave the restaurant. Another worker, who was coming into work, saw the 16-year-old Ypsilanti girl bent down over the manager's front tire in the parking lot. The worker witnessed the girl cutting the tire and yelled at her.

The girl drove off with friends who were also fired from the restaurant.

Damage to the tire is estimated at \$75.

Someone threw a rock through a window at Burger King, 151 S. Zeeb Road, between 11 p.m. Aug. 13 and 5 a.m. Aug. 14.

The manager found a large piece of glass on the east side of the restaurant was broken. The manager said she is not sure who may have broken the window. Damage is estimated at \$250.

Breaking and Entering

Someone broke into a home between midnight July 24 and 8:30 a.m. July 27 in the 6800 block of Jackson Road.

No one was home when the house was invaded. The intruder came through the back door and stole about \$10 in change and a blank check from a checkbook.

The 78-year-old homeowner called his bank and was told that a check had been cashed for \$467, but he doesn't recall writing it.

Driving with a Suspended License

Police stopped a 22-year-old Ann Arbor woman at 2 a.m. Aug. 10 near the intersection of Jackson Road and Aprill Street for failing to make a complete stop at an intersection.

The woman told police that she lost her driver's license and didn't have any other identification. She was later identified and police realized that she had a suspended driver's license.

This is the suspect's third license suspension. She was taken to the Washtenaw County Jail.

Sylvan Township

Crash

A 40-year-old man died in a rollover crash at 12:35 a.m. Aug. 18 on Interstate 94 near the Pierce Road exit.

The driver was traveling west in the passing lane, and abruptly changed lanes to exit at Pierce Road. State police believe the man changed his mind and tried to re-enter onto the freeway.

The Ford Expedition he was driving went off the road and ran into the exit sign. The sport utility vehicle flipped over several times, throwing the man from the vehicle. The vehicle then landed on the man.

Dexter Township

Attempted Breaking and Entering

Someone smashed a window at about 1 a.m. Aug. 14 and tried to enter the Dexter Animal Clinic, 9500 North Territorial Road.

An 8-foot section of the double-pane window was smashed. The suspect tried unlocking the door, but the lock was dead bolted. Nothing was reported missing. Damage to the window is estimated at \$150.

Drunken Driving

Police arrested a 27-year-old Milan man for drunken driving at 10:20 p.m. Aug. 8 near the intersection of Dexter-Pinckney and Island Lake roads.

Police noticed the man driving 53 mph in a 45-mph zone.

Officers said the driver swerved and drove over the dividing line into oncoming traffic.

When officers approached the man, they smelled a strong odor of alcohol on his breath. The suspect admitted to police that he had been at a party and drank three beers.

Police gave the suspect a Breathalyzer test. His blood-alcohol level was .13 percent. A blood-alcohol level of .08 percent is considered legally impaired. He was taken to the Washtenaw County Jail.

Webster Township

Drunken Driving

At about 9:30 p.m. Aug. 10, police arrested a 60-year-old Pinckney man for drunken driving near the intersection of Dexter-Pinckney and Wylie roads.

Officers saw the man driving near the Hudson Mills Golf Course, 4800 Dexter Pinckney Road, and watched as his vehicle drifted off the road onto the shoulder.

When police questioned the man, they smelled a strong odor of alcohol on his breath. The man was given a Breathalyzer test. His blood-alcohol level was a .11 percent. A blood-alcohol level of .08 percent is considered legally impaired. The man was taken to the Washtenaw County Jail.

Dexter Village

Drunken Driving

Police stopped a 22-year-old Ann Arbor man at about 7:30 p.m. near the intersection of Baker and Dexter-Ann Arbor roads for not wearing a seat belt.

When officers approached the driver, they noticed a strong odor of alcohol on his breath. The man admitted to police that he drank four or five beers earlier in the evening. He said that

he should have stayed at the bar to get sober.

Police gave the suspect a Breathalyzer test and it resulted in a blood-alcohol level of .17 percent. A blood-alcohol level of .08 is considered legally impaired. The man was taken to the Washtenaw County Jail.

A 37-year-old Pinckney man was arrested at 11 p.m. Aug. 11 near the intersection of Main Street and Baker Road for drunken driving.

The man was involved in a fight at the social tent during Dexter Daze and was asked to leave. Before police could question him, he started to drive off. Police ran up to the man's car

and flashed a light for him to stop. Officers said the man's eyes were bloodshot and he smelled of alcohol.

The man was given a Breathalyzer test. His blood-alcohol level was a .18 percent. A blood-alcohol level of .08 percent is considered legally impaired. He was taken to the Washtenaw County Jail.

Warrant Arrest

A 22-year-old man was arrested at 6:50 p.m. Aug. 18 on a warrant for drunken driving. Police arrested him at his home in the 3000 block of Hudson Street. He was taken to the Washtenaw County Jail.

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Yet the Battle of the Little Bighorn is far more famous than many much larger battles and catastrophes, because it represents, among other things, the Native Americans' last significant successful stand against the people moving west.

Sometimes a death toll is significant due to its size, other times it is significant for what it represents. The fact is, each

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Street Talk

By Erin Dronen

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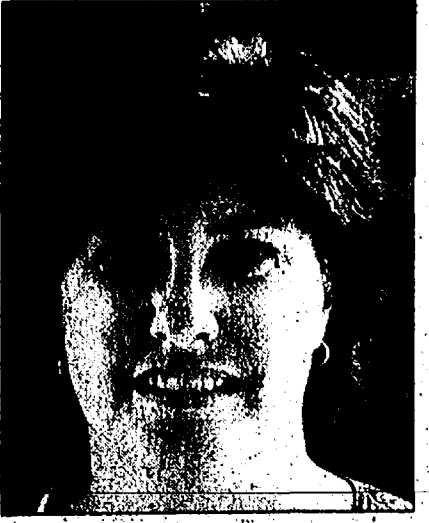
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"Europe."

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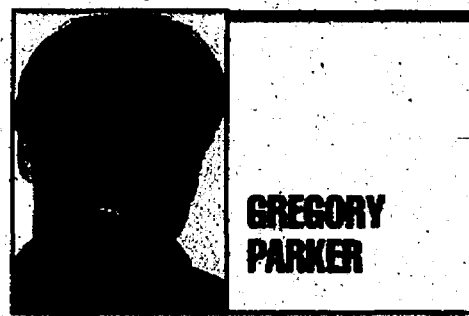
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COMMUNITY ROOTS

What were they thinking?

Just last week, when walking downtown for lunch, I happened to witness some of the demolition of the former Serendipity book store on Park Street. It was sad to see the historic structure torn apart with such little reverence. Thinking about the parking lot going in its place added insult to injury.

Wait a minute. On second thought, I can't wait until it's finished. Now, I'll never have to drive around the block, searching for a spot. I mean, with all of the people double-parked on Main Street, it's high time we got some new spaces.

Excuse the sarcasm, but can't the Downtown Development Authority find anything better to do with the old Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home and Serendipity properties on Park Street?

Don't get me wrong. Adequate parking is an essential part of a

commercially successful downtown. Not everyone can walk or bike (and not everyone wants to), and out-of-town visitors need places to park. Plus, if it's hard to park downtown, drivers will give up searching for spots and take their business to the strip malls on M-52 where parking lots and global chain stores dominate the landscape.

But honestly, have you ever heard someone say, "Boy, I love shopping in downtown Chelsea, but it's so hard to park. I think I'll stay home instead." I haven't.

It's a dubious contention that there's a dearth of parking in Chelsea. And even if there were, it's doubtful that this new lot would eliminate the scarcity.

As far as I'm concerned, the only way to justify the use of the Park Street properties as a parking lot is if it's a temporary measure that will give way to some sort of development in the future.

Architect Scott McElrath was right on target when he criticized the DDA in last week's Chelsea Standard for using a "critical" area of downtown for parking. The Park Street properties are prime real estate, especially considering Chelsea's growing population and the downtown area's limited space for growth.

If the DDA is truly interested

in preserving the downtown, then it would encourage higher density, mixed-use development that is good for a downtown-core like Chelsea's. I don't mean six-story, glass-fronted buildings, but ones similar to those already lining Main Street. The lower floors could be retail, and the upper floors could be residential or office space.

Or, at the very least, the DDA could turn the properties into a park. Maybe a fountain or sculpture in the center, benches all around, and swing sets for kids.

Granted, both of these solutions would likely lead to more people coming downtown, which would lead to more demand for parking, so part of the land could become parking. If it's a mixed-use development, limited parking could be placed behind it. Or, a section of the park could be sacrificed for a few spots.

Using the properties for a parking lot is an unimaginative solution to a parking problem that may not even exist. The DDA should be able to squeeze much more utility out of the lots.

Can't we do better than a parking lot?

Another top 10 list

On another note, I have a top 10 list concerning Chelsea.

Advance tax refund checks are appearing in mailboxes nationwide, and everyone from home improvement chains to

political activists has suggestions on how to spend it. While many will use the check to pay bills or splurge on a vacation, here are 10 ways in which you can use the money to make Chelsea a better place.

1. Keep in mind, though, that the refund advances are not one-time bonuses or windfalls, and whatever you get ahead of time will be deducted from next year's refund or added to your bill if you owe taxes. With that in mind, here's the list:

10. Donate it to the Chelsea Area Transportation System, which needs money to sustain its services. It's tax-deductible. The phone number is 475-9494.

9. Grab dinner in town. Afterward, see a play at the Purple Rose Theatre. Support local culture!

8. Donate it to the Chelsea Center for the Development of the Arts, to help fund local arts education. The phone number is 433-2787.

7. Buy a bicycle with which you can ride to town, cutting down on congestion and pollution while getting some exercise in the process.

6. Splurge and spend a night at a local bed and breakfast, keeping some of your tourist dollars in town.

5. Patronize local artists and craftspeople.

4. Start a home improvement

project. Paint your porch, expand your deck or, maybe, convert your toilets to save water, purchasing the supplies from local hardware stores or the local lumber company. Shop local.

3. Donate it to the Chelsea Education Foundation, which funds college scholarships, educational grants and other local programming for Chelseans. It's tax-deductible.

2. Take a course offered by Chelsea Community Education and learn something new. Impress your friends and encourage local education efforts. The phone number is 433-2206.

1. Initiate a community group or project dedicated to improving Chelsea. For instance, organize litter pickup parties in local parks. You'll be surprised what you can do with \$300. And if it's successful, maybe increase your project's funding through a grant from the Chelsea Education Foundation or the Chelsea Community Foundation. If you're short on time, then make a tax-deductible donation to either foundation to support other projects.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Lima residents should voice concerns to board

The community should be aware that Lima Township is considering establishing one or more sewer districts for areas near Chelsea Village. These areas include an area planned for commercial use around the Interstate 94 interchange at Jackson and Fletcher roads.

As parties to a lawsuit involving Lima Township, Concerned Citizens of Lima is aware that negotiations have been taking place between the township and the company proposing a mobile home park development. The group, however, has been totally excluded from the negotiations.

It is not unlawful for a plaintiff to negotiate with only one defendant and not the other. But we believe that under the circumstances of this particular case, our group should be included. The township has apparently decided otherwise.

I have attempted to obtain information about the status of negotiations and the parameters of any proposals discussed, but Lima Township officials have not been forthcoming.

The township's attorney, who is being paid for by an insurance company, suggested to our attorney that one possible settlement would be to extend the sewer line from the Fletcher Road interchange down Jackson Road to the Thornton property. This would accommodate a mobile home park development on a scale smaller than what would be required with a private sewer treatment plant.

The developer is asking for 600 mobile home units, which we don't believe is feasible based upon what we know about the site.

Concerned Citizens of Lima doesn't believe it is feasible to install a private wastewater treatment plant to discharge into Mill Creek because we have been told by representatives of the Department of Environmental Quality that there is no available permitting for phosphorous discharge. Moreover, the water would have to be virtually pristine and the equipment and technology to do that is not believed to exist right now.

The other kind of private sewage treatment plant would be a groundwater treatment plant or a huge septic field. We do not know whether the soils on the property are suitable for that kind of a facility since we have not seen any engineering data from the developer. The development company

obviously wants as many units as it can get because these mobile home parks are referred to as "cash cows" — good for the developer and property owners but not for the people who live there.

We urge residents of the area to attend two meetings that are scheduled in Lima Township. The first is a special meeting of the Lima Township Board set for 7 p.m. Monday. The meeting has been scheduled solely for purposes of hearing a report from the sewer committee.

The second meeting is set for 8 p.m. Sept. 4 and is a regularly scheduled board meeting. The board is scheduled to take up the sewer project. We anticipate action will be taken.

We strongly urge all area residents to attend both meetings and urge the township to fight the development.

We believe that if the matter goes to trial and is subsequently appealed, ultimately we have a good chance of prevailing. There is, of course, always the risk of an adverse court decision, but this is a risk everyone takes when they decide to try a lawsuit.

Concerned Citizens of Lima does not believe that the location proposed in Lima Township is suitable or an appropriate location for mobile homes. Furthermore, there is no demonstrated need for this type of use at the location proposed.

Our attorney, who is very experienced in these matters, is insistent that the law does not require each municipality to provide for one of these types of uses.

We need your support and urge you to attend these meetings. Voice your concerns if you care about this.

Brian Urquhart
Concerned Citizens of Lima

Citizens should attend hearing about cityhood

Chelsea Village officials have sold us out by supporting a drive to become a city and excluding a farm behind Chelsea Lumber Co. and other south-end properties. Now we are faced with the fact that Sylvan Township has rezoned the land for high density commercial, industrial and manufactured housing.

Sylvan Township is trying to set the land up with its own public utilities, providing approximately 1,000 residential equivalent units for the area. Ironically, this also just happens to be where the bypass is proposed.

How convenient it is that the owner of the land will save as much as \$1 million a year in city taxes. He will have a free road built for him, and the village will have no control over zoning or use of the land, yet we will suffer all of the strains on our infrastructure.

If Sylvan Township and the others involved succeed with this scheme, it will virtually stop the village's ability to grow and control the Interstate 94 interchange.

Chelsea could lose millions of dollars a year in revenue and, because we cannot grow, our only means of funding needed services would be through increased taxation. This is yet another hit on the village taxpayer.

As informed village taxpayers, we can put a stop to this crazy scheme. The state Boundary Commission soon will be holding a public hearing on Chelsea's cityhood initiative. The commission has expanded the area to be considered to include the farm and other parcels at the south end of town.

Chelsea citizens must attend this public hearing and support this expansion. If we sit back and do nothing, we will pay for this one forever.

Jim Machnik
Chelsea Village

Sylvan Township does not support cityhood

Sylvan Township opposes cityhood of the village of Chelsea. The Chelsea Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors has voted to support the village becoming a city. Why would members of the board be in favor of destroying the community they live in? And where do they get the idea that they can make decisions for the entire community?

Well, it sounds like they have fallen for some kind of a "con game." Being a member of the chamber of commerce and supervisor of Sylvan Township, I am replying to a letter I

received from the chamber's board of directors. I am very upset by the insinuations made in that letter, and also the misleading and confusing statements it contained.

(1) This community (townships/village) has lived in harmony for more than 150 years. Now they want to destroy that by becoming a city?

(2) They make it sound like we are living under a dictatorship of the state of Michigan when we are not.

(3) They refer to us as only citizens who pay taxes to local governments. What would a city be?

(4) They seem to think that Sylvan Township is taking advantage of the village because we do its property tax assessing, but that was a service without charge. That is another department and as a city they will have to have full-time help. Guess who has already applied for that job?

If anyone thinks taxes will be lower in a city-type of government, you better think again. A full-time mayor, a full-time assessor, a full-time city council, expanded sewage plant. Where is all that extra money coming from?

The sewage treatment plant is operating at capacity now. How can Chelsea take on more area to serve with the present system?

They just put down a new well and already they are telling us not to water our yards because there isn't enough water. So how are they going to service more area?

Before Sylvan Township officials made any plans to build a sewer and water system, we talked with village officials about buying service from the village. The answer was "We cannot serve any more area." Now they want to annex our industrial park, the manufactured housing park areas and other areas that will include 77 residential properties outside the current village limits.

Is that what the people want? I don't think so.

I still like our small-town

image and hope we can enjoy it this way for a long time to come.

Charles Burgess
Sylvan Township

Find out what's going on in Lima Township

I would like to urge all Lima Township residents to be aware of pressing, fast-moving issues being presented to their elected officials right now.

The decision to add water and sewer lines extending out to the Fletcher Road interchange and beyond, even to the proposed mobile home development at Parker Road, could be coming very soon.

A proposal to build 300 to 500 homes, a new town hall, fire and police station and water tower near Stiver's restaurant also may be considered as part of the imminent decision to bring sewer lines.

Do Lima Township residents want this kind of development?

Come to a special board meeting 7 p.m. Monday and listen to what's being considered.

Arly Spink
Lima Township

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Benefit walk slated Oct. 14

In celebration of Breast Cancer Awareness Month, the American Cancer Society will hold its Making Strides Against Breast Cancer Walk Oct. 14 in Ann Arbor.

The walk will start at Busch's ValuLand on South Main Street in Ann Arbor.

Making Strides Against Breast Cancer has been a rallying cry to raise awareness and dollars to fight breast cancer since 1993. In 2000, approximately 325,000 walkers across the country collected more than \$26 million. To date, more than \$78 million has been raised.

"Although great strides have been made in the battle against breast cancer, we have not yet won the war," said Megan White, regional executive director for the American Cancer Society. "Too many women are being diagnosed with this disease, and there is still so much that could be done to lower both the incidence and mortality rates of breast cancer."

The Making Strides Against Cancer Walk has

been organized to ensure that research continues to yield progress, that more women know to protect themselves with annual mammograms and self-breast exams and that those diagnosed will have access to quality care and community support.

"This is an exciting and empowering event that we are proud to share with southeast Michigan in celebration of Breast Cancer Awareness Month," White said. "All of the money raised goes toward life-saving breast cancer research and to support local educational and support programs for those facing breast cancer."

According to the American Cancer Society, some 6,800 women will be diagnosed with breast cancer in Michigan this year and 1,400 will die from the disease.

Anyone interested in joining the fight against breast cancer and participating in the Making Strides Against Breast Cancer Walk in Ann Arbor should call the American Cancer Society at 1-800-227-2345.

Students earn scholarships

Six local residents are among 1,063 high school seniors from 353 schools throughout Michigan awarded Regents Merit Scholarships from the University of Michigan for outstanding academic

achievement, scholarly promise and potential contribution to the university community.

The recipients are Katherine Bach, Kathryn Wheeler and

Daniel Wright, all of Chelsea; Jillian Ewing and Jennifer Szymusiak, both of Dexter; and Jason Roberts of Pinckney.

They will receive a \$1,500 non-renewable scholarship when they enroll in the U of M in the fall of 2001. Recognition certificates were provided to the recipients' high schools for presentation at their spring awards convocations.

POLICE

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Chelsea Village

Property Damage

At about 11 p.m. Aug. 16, someone smashed both the driver and passenger-side windows of a truck that was parked at Vets Park.

The owner of the truck, a 22-year-old Dexter man, said that he parked the vehicle on the east side of the parking lot. When he returned about an hour later, he noticed the broken windows and paint chipped off near the window. Damage to the truck is estimated at \$500.

Underage Drinking

Three Manchester teen-agers were found drinking beer in a truck at about 1:30 a.m. Aug. 19 in the 700 block of South Main Street.

Police noticed the truck

parked in a driveway. When officers pulled up behind it, the three teens fled. When police searched the vehicle, they found several beer cans.

The teens were issued citations for drinking alcohol while under the legal age and were released.

Compiled by Staff Writer Will Keeler based on reports filed with Chelsea police and the Washtenaw County Sheriff's Department.

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Washtenaw County Sheriff's Deputy Paul Mobbs, a school liaison officer in Dexter, was the source of entertainment for many of his DARE graduates Aug. 11 as they took turns trying to dunk him during Dexter Daze.

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Rising Stars



Members of the advanced class of the summer theater workshop are Grace Biller, Willia Booth, Dan Brennan, Kristen Coulter, Joe Daly, Gwen Eder, Megan Emberton, Kara Fark, Ryan Fark, Hannah Harwood, Kahl Kastella, Aurora Knopper, Katie Martin, Carly Meloche, Amanda Patton, Kate Tinsley and Jonathon Wilson.

Local youth perform in summer theater workshop

By Sheila Pursglove
Staff Writer

Neighbors may have been startled to hear Linda Meloche and her daughter, Carly, shouting Shakespearean language at each other while cleaning up after dinner.

Carly and her brother, Jack, were among 100 local youngsters who took part in a two-week summer theater workshop earlier this summer sponsored by Chelsea Area Players. The local theater company has been introducing children to the performing arts for several years.

Carly, 10, was assigned the role of Juliet in a Shakespearean medley. Since the Elizabethan language was a little foreign to her, the North Creek Elementary School fifth-grader was afraid she would have problems memorizing her lines. Hence, the after-dinner practice with Mom.

"We would both shout my lines from the top of our lungs over and over. So out the windows, our neighbors would hear, 'Romeo, Romeo! Why are thou called Romeo?'" Carly said.

The young thespian was surprised at how quickly she memorized her lines that way.

"When the night of the performance came and I first went out on stage, my mind went blank," she said. "But when it was my turn to speak they all came back to me."

"It was a great experience."

Her younger brother, who starred as Hammy the pig in "The Adventures in Storybook Land," enjoyed putting on pig ears and a snout for his part.

"We stuffed a whole bunch of cotton into my costume, so I was really plump like a pig," he said.

The Meloche kids, who, for now, both plan to enter the acting profession, enjoyed their two-week workshop experience and plan to return next year.

After learning several theatrical techniques, participants performed four plays in the June 28 "Blast from the Past." The different age groups performed "Adventures in Storybook Land," "A Christmas Carol," "The Glass Mountain," and "The Madness of Shakespeare."

Ryan Fark, in his theatrical persona of Professor Higgins, introduced the evening's entertainment, assisted by Joe Daly.

The 14-year-old Lima Township resident said he is comfortable on stage and doesn't suffer from stage fright. The training he received from the experienced Chelsea Area Players helped.

"The workshop spanned a lot of different things, like relaxation exercises and learning to warm up our bodies and voices," he said.

The Chelsea High School freshman has been taking the summer theater workshop since third grade.

His sister, Kara, has been participating since 1998. The Beach Middle School sixth-grader played Oberon in the Shakespearean

medley. She also performed with Daly and three other girls in a dance routine called "Macaroni Girl."

Joe Tinsley, whose daughters Emma and Katie were in the workshop, felt the two weeks were an excellent experience.

"It was so well run and when we saw the final performance, we were really blown away," he says.

Katie Tinsley, 12, played Puck and Oberon in the Shakespearean medley. Her sister, Emma, 9, who will be a fourth-grader at Pierce Lake Elementary School, played Curly the pig in "Adventure in Storybook Land."

Katie, who will be a seventh-grader at Beach Middle School, admires "Friends" actress Lisa Kudrow and would like to become an actress. For now, she enjoys performing in small skits in school.

"I really enjoyed all the acting exercises and games we did at the workshop. They help you to relax," she said.

Rowan Baker and Eileen Toth, who directed and produced, led the workshop.

While Baker has been teaching at the summer workshop for four years, this was her first experience as director and producer.

"Chelsea Area Players feel very strongly about continuing the workshops and even extending them beyond two weeks," Baker said. "We find we're competing with so many other summer activities for kids, but we still get a large turnout."

"This year, we really had the cream of the crop, they were excellent little actors."

A member of the Chelsea Area Players board, Baker has performed in local productions of "Hello Dolly," "Carousel" and "Brigadoon."

Baker has previously worked with youngsters in Cleveland on writing, staging, producing, crewing and directing plays written by and for children, an experience she brought to bear directing and producing the Chelsea Area Players' workshop program.

"It not only provides the children with terrific theatrical experience, it also affords me the opportunity to combine the two things I love most: teaching children and theater arts," she said.

Baker and Toth were assisted by members of the Chelsea Area Players and Chelsea High School Theatre Guild.

Staff Writer Sheila Pursglove can be reached by telephone at 475-1371 or via e-mail at spursglove@heritage.com.



Joe Bob Daly, performing in "Macaroni Girls," is flanked by Katie Martin (left) and Kara Fark. Kneeling in front are Kahl Kastella (left) and Willia Booth.

Unlocking learning

Koert named special education director

By Sheila Pursglove
Staff Writer

Mary Koert knew she wanted to be an educator as early as third grade, when she found herself somewhat numerically challenged.

"I had a hard time with math, especially long division," she says. "My teacher was so effective in helping me get past that and go on to enjoy math. I just loved her and thought teaching was such a neat thing."

The Grand Rapids native went on to earn a bachelor's degree from Grand Valley State University and a master's degree in special education from Western Michigan University. Now she is the special education director for the Washtenaw Intermediate School District's Region V.

Koert was drawn to special education because of the individual contact and challenge of working with the students.

"I was always fascinated at figuring out how kids learn — especially those kids who are not

able to do it easily," she says. "It's a challenge to find the key to unlock learning, but we do it often enough and are successful enough that you realize there is a key."

Koert has spent 18 years in the classroom, taking eight years off to raise her two children. Andrew, 22, will soon graduate from the University of Virginia and Katie, 20, is a student at the University of Colorado in Boulder.

Recalling some highlights of her career, Koert remembers a second-grader she worked with who was unable to read.

"This little girl had an unbelievable work ethic," she says. "In the face of all her failure, she would just keep trying. She challenged me. If she was willing to work that hard, then so was I."

"By sixth grade, while she still needed some help, she was able to get her skills up to a functional grade level. The challenge of knowing she wanted this so

badly taught me a valuable lesson."

Another child had a big impact on Koert during her time in Mission Viejo, Calif., when the Saddleback Valley Unified School District included a severely handicapped child for the first time.

"I was given the task of developing a program with all the parameters of staff and community involvement," she says. "It required me to take a look at how we should teach special-needs children."

Koert, who has published a paper about including special-needs education students in mainstream classes, believes education needs to address all children.

"As educators, we need to pull together," she says. "There used to be two groups, general educators and special educators. We're at a point where we need to help all teachers understand special-needs and give them the

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Mary Koert, a former teacher consultant at South Meadows Elementary School, recently returned from Massachusetts to take up the position of Washtenaw Intermediate School District Region V special education director.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

CHELSEA

Saturday, Aug. 25

Patrick Munson will present a one-day workshop from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. entitled, "Using Nature as a Tool for Managing Stress." The workshop will be held at Michigan Friends Lake Community Center, 7748 Clark Lake Road, Chelsea. Couples or individuals are welcome. Call 665-9095 for more information or to register.

Tuesday, Aug. 28

LaLeche League of Western Washtenaw meets from 10 a.m. to noon at the First Congregational Church, 121 E. Middle St., Chelsea. For more information call 475-2094.

Waterloo Citizens in Action group will hold a town meeting 7 p.m. at Waterloo Township Hall, 8061 Washington St., in Waterloo. The meeting will address proposed changes in Waterloo Township zoning.

MISCELLANEOUS

Thursday

Chelsea Area Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors meets the third Thursday of each month. For more information, call 475-1145.

Chelsea First United Methodist Church hosts a monthly dinner the second Thursday of the month from 5 to 7 p.m. in Grams Hall at the church, 128 Park St. For more information, call the church at 475-8119.

Little Professor Book Store Reading Group for adults meets at 11:30 a.m. every other Thursday. For more information, call 433-2665.

Senior Nutrition Program meets at noon Thursdays for dinner at the Waterloo Township Hall, 8061 Washington St., in Waterloo. For reservations, call 475-7439 between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m.

Tamarack Green Party meets every third Thursday and at other times for special projects. Call Lynn Meadows at 433-9102 for more information.

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, in Ann Arbor. For more information, call 930-0201.

Saturday

Western Washtenaw Republicans meets from 9 to 11 a.m. the second Saturday of the month at Wolverine Food and Spirits on Old US-12 in Chelsea. The group provides coffee and pastries at

each meeting, which also includes a speaker. Call 475-3874 for information.

Sunday

The Parkinson Education and Support Group of Washtenaw County meets from 1:30 to 4 p.m. the second Sunday of the month. For more information, 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 e-mail jak@mich.com

Chelsea Kiwanis Club meets at 6:15 p.m. every Monday at Chelsea Community Hospital, 775 S. Main Street.

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, 775 S. Main St., in Chelsea. For more information, call 426-0369.

Mystery Book Club meets regularly at 7:30 p.m. on the second Monday of the month at the Washington Street Education Center, 500 Washington St., in Chelsea.

Tuesday

Chelsea Amateur Radio Club (rptr: 145.45) meets at 7 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of the month at UAW Local 1284, 2795 Chelsea-Manchester Road, in Chelsea. 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, 500 Washington St., in Chelsea.

Chelsea Lions Club meets at 6:45 p.m. the first and third Tuesdays at Chelsea Community Hospital, 775 S. Main St., in Chelsea.

Chelsea Rotary Club meets at 12:30 p.m. every Tuesday in the lower level of the Common Grill, 112 S. Main St., in Chelsea.

Eucler Party is 7 p.m. every Tuesday at the Chelsea Senior Citizen Center in the Faith In Action Building, 775 S. Main St.,

in Chelsea. 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, 121 E. Middle St. Call 475-2094 for more information.

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Senior Nutrition Program meets at noon Tuesdays for dinner at the Waterloo Township Hall, 8061 Washington St., in Waterloo. For reservations, call 475-7439 between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m.

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, 805 W. Middle St. 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, 105 N. Main Street, 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 meets 7:30 p.m. the first Wednesday of the month at the Chelsea District Library, 500 Washington St., in Chelsea. For more information, call 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, 805 W. Middle St., in Chelsea. Meetings are from 9:15 to 10:15 a.m. Wednesdays. Call 475-8633 for location.

The Evening Primrose Garden Club meets regularly 7 p.m. on the second Wednesday of the month at the Chelsea Depot, 125 Jackson St. For more information, call Helen Brown at 1-517-522-5859.

Chelsea AA group meetings are scheduled 8:30 p.m. on Mondays at the Chelsea Com-

munity Hospital dining room, noon on Tuesdays at the U.A.W. Hall next to the Chelsea Post Office, 8 p.m. Thursdays at the Chelsea Community Hospital dining room and 7 p.m. Sundays at the Chelsea hospital dining room.

DEXTER

MISCELLANEOUS

Dexter American Legion meets 8 p.m. the first Thursday of each month at the American Legion Post, 8225 Dexter-Chelsea Road. Call 426-5304 for more information.

Dexter Rotary Club meets 7:30 a.m. every Thursday at Cousins Heritage Inn, 7954 Dexter-Ann Arbor Road, in Dexter.

Dexter Downtown Development Authority meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month at National City Bank, 8123 Main St., in Dexter.

Monday

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

Dexter Village Council meets at 8 p.m. the second and fourth Mondays of the month at National City Bank, 8123 Main St., in Dexter.

Tuesday

Dexter Kiwanis Club meets 6:30 p.m. the first and third Tuesday of the month at Cousins Heritage Inn, 7954 Dexter-Ann Arbor Road, in Dexter.

Dexter Township Board meets at 7:30 p.m. the third Tuesday of each month at Dexter Township Hall, 6880 Dexter-Pinckney Road, in Dexter.

Dexter Township Zoning Board of Appeals meets at 7:30 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month at Dexter Township Hall, 6880 Dexter-Pinckney Road, in Dexter. Dexter Township Planning Commission meets at 7:30 p.m. the first and fourth Tuesdays of each month at Dexter Township Hall, 6880 Dexter-Pinckney Road, in Dexter.

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Touchdown Club meets every second Tuesday each month at 7:30 p.m. at the Dexter High School media center, 2615 Baker Road, in Dexter. For more information, call Mary Sullivan at 1-810-231-8040 or Kurt Augustine at 426-1979.

Dexter Village Parks Commission meets at 7 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of each month at National City Bank, 8123 Main St., in Dexter.

Monument Park Committee meets at 7 p.m. the fourth Wednesday of the month in the basement of the National City Bank, 8123 Main St. 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, 7305 Dexter-Ann Arbor Road, in Dexter. For more information, call Rhonda Hall at 426-2883.

Dexter Village Zoning Board of Appeals meets at 7 p.m. the fourth Wednesday of each month at National City Bank, 8123 Main St., in Dexter.

ANN ARBOR

Saturday, Sept. 8

The Wellness Café invites cancer patients and survivors to find out about healing services available to people with cancer and their families. The free event will be held 9:30 a.m. at the University of Michigan Comprehensive Cancer Center, 1500 E. Medical Center Drive, in Ann Arbor. Call 615-4012 to make reservations.

Kevin Nichols earns honor

Kevin Nichols has made the dean's list and the honor roll at Thomas M. Cooley Law School in Lansing.

Michigan University. He is the son of Gail and the late Thomas Nichols of Gregory.

Nichols and his wife, Cathy, live in Dexter Township. They have two children, Travis and Megan.

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United Way to kick off campaign

The Chelsea United Way will kick off its 2002 campaign in grand fashion this year with a community tailgate party from noon to 3 p.m. Sept. 8 at the Chelsea High School football field.

Everyone is invited to the free event, chaired by Chelsea High School head football coach Brad Bush.

The tailgate party replaces the traditional campaign kick-off breakfast of previous years. This year's campaign theme is "Team Effort."

"We're hoping to accomplish a couple of goals with this event," said event coordinator Todd

Ortbring. "First, we want to thank everyone who has given to the Chelsea United Way, especially those who gave and helped us reach our record goal last year.

"Secondly, we want to educate others in the community who may not know who we are or what we do. And, of course, we want to have some fun — who doesn't like a free party?"

Highlights of the party include food, a football competition, basketball shooting contest, games, prizes, special guests, and music from the Chelsea High School marching band and Chelsea House Orchestra.

In the event of rain, the party will be moved to the high school cafeteria and indoor track.

"We hope everyone has a chance to stop by and see what the Chelsea United Way is all about," Ortbring said. "This should be the biggest tailgate party in the state of Michigan and a great time for residents of all ages."

The Chelsea United Way will announce its campaign goal during the event. The organization is a nonprofit agency and is not affiliated with the national United Way. It is made up of a 21-member volunteer board. More than 95 percent of the

money raised is designated to its member agencies, including Faith In Action, Chelsea Area Transportation System, Chelsea Boy Scouts, Chelsea Girl Scouts, Chelsea Area Responding to Teens, Chelsea Help Line and Chelsea Recreation Council.

The campaign will run from early September to mid-December. Donations can be made directly through payroll deduction at work or through another United Way agency by designating Chelsea United Way.

For more information, call 475-0020.

KOERT

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tools to help them reach a broader range of learners."

Koert says many parents of special-needs children prefer that their children be included in the regular classroom so they can learn and experience life in the community, not isolated at home or in a special classroom.

Although she had barely finished wallpapering her house in Marblehead, Mass., Koert is delighted to be back in Chelsea after an absence of less than a year.

"I can't describe it. It's a wonderful feeling," she says. "Sometimes you wonder why things happen certain ways."

After six years in Ann Arbor, Koert, who has called several states home throughout the years, moved to Massachusetts last fall when her husband, Jim, accepted a job transfer. When the job situation ended in June, the couple looked to return to their native Michigan.

While her old position at South Meadows was filled, the position of Washtenaw Intermediate School District Region V special education director had opened up with the retirement of Hank DeYoung.

"This is my first administrative

position, although I've often taken on a role informally," she says. "People have been encouraging me for years, so this was a natural step for me."

Koert says following in Hank DeYoung's footsteps is rather like following John Wayne.

"No one can replace the Duke," she says. "He did an amazing job."

Because of the growth in Chelsea, Dexter, Manchester and Whitmore Lake, the superintendents of the four districts, with an offer of support from the WISD, have made Koert's primary focus Chelsea and Dexter. Two part-time special educator supervisors — James Woodhams in Manchester and Jovina Coughlin in Whitmore Lake — will work two days a week.

"They will give me support by taking care of much of the day-to-day detail with teachers and the programs," she says. "We will focus on working as a collaborative team on broader regional planning."

"While my main focus will be Chelsea and Dexter, I also have the umbrella responsibilities — the broader scope as region director."

Iva Corbett, assistant superintendent of instruction and personnel in Chelsea schools, says the school district is pleased that Koert is returning.

"We're thrilled to have Mary Koert return to the district as our Region V special education director," Corbett says. "She is a well-respected member of the education community."

"Her strong instructional skills coupled with her commitment to students make her a great addition to our administrative staff."

Koert, who is looking forward to expanding her familiarity with Chelsea and getting to know the Dexter School District better, calls the region an exciting place to work.

"The educational philosophy is very positive and it's a progressive environment," she says. "It's an exciting place to work professionally with a lot of excitement and energy."

The transition from Maine to Michigan happened so quickly, Koert says she feels like a college kid again.

"I packed all my personal belongings in the car and said, 'Bye, honey. See you soon,'" she says.

Koert's husband will follow her to Michigan as soon as he wraps things up on the East Coast, and they will look for a house between Ann Arbor and Chelsea.

Koert was also happy to return to her Ann Arbor Book Club. An avid reader who particularly enjoys mysteries, she says the club stretches her knowledge of authors and genres.

Koert and her family also enjoy downhill and scuba diving.

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Snuggle Bunny

Nikola Laeder whispers some words of encouragement to her rabbit prior to Tuesday's rabbit judging at the Chelsea Community Fair. The fair continues through Saturday.

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Benefit walk set for Sept. 29

■ **Walk continues in memory of local woman.**

By Lisa Allmendinger
Staff Writer

While nursing her newborn daughter several years ago, Christy Yenkel found a lump in her breast and was later diagnosed with breast cancer.

Instead of throwing up her hands in defeat, the Ann Arbor resident fought valiantly, enlisting help from friends and strangers in an effort to raise money for cancer research.

Yenkel lost her own fight with breast cancer last year but the fund-raising efforts she started

continue. The Christy Yenkel Fund for Community Cancer Care provides support to loved ones dealing with cancer.

Proceeds from this year's walk, scheduled 8:30 a.m. Sept. 29 at Hudson Mills Metropark, will benefit the Circle of Care, a collaborative effort between the University of Michigan Comprehensive Cancer Center and McAuley Cancer Care Center.

The Circle of Care offers creative channels for expression, stress reduction and enhancement of positive thoughts for cancer patients and their families.

A portion of the proceeds

from last year's walk, which raised more than \$55,000, funded a retreat at Matthaei Botanical Gardens. The retreat was developed to help cancer patients reflect on their "cancer journey" with the people they love. They learned how cancer affects their lives and discovered new ways to cope with the disease.

The retreat was so successful that another is planned for Oct. 27.

Pre-registration for this year's benefit walk begins at 7:30 a.m. The walk starts at 8:30 a.m. and will encompass one lap around the Hudson Mills track. There is a \$3-vehicle

entrance fee at the park.

There is no registration fee, but donations and pledges are welcome. Participants may register through the mail. Registration information and pledge forms are available on the Internet at www.christy-yenkel.com.

The first 100 walkers to submit \$100 in pledges and check in the day of the walk will receive a free event T-shirt.

Hudson Mills is located off North Territorial Road in Dexter Township.

Staff Writer Lisa Allmendinger can be reached at 433-1052 or by e-mail at yankee@lizzy.net.



Man with the Golden Shoe

Dan Kaminsky of Chelsea displays the Golden Sneaker and a plaque he received recently from the American Cancer Society. He was honored with the award for spending the most time on the track during June's Relay for Life at the Chelsea High School track. Kaminsky, a member of the Chelsea Lions Club relay team, walked 27 miles during the event.

REMINISCING

5 years ago

Thursday, Aug. 22, 1996—

The 1996 Chelsea Community Fair ribbon cutting ceremony took place Monday evening. Fair queen candidates took part along with the 1995 fair queen, as well as fair and village officials.

The Chelsea Community Fair Ladies' Day program will take place on Aug. 23 at the newly enclosed arena at the fairgrounds. The program will take a sentimental journey into the big-band era of the 1930s and 1940s.

10 years ago

Wednesday, Aug. 21, 1991—

A worker at the Faith In Action building told Chelsea police that someone took \$40 from a purse. A youth in a work program was in the building at the time. He is considered a suspect.

School begins next Monday for students in the Chelsea School District. Students at Beach Middle School and North and South elementary schools begin the day at 8:30 a.m., while Chelsea High School starts at 8:25 a.m.

The village plans major changes in its residential garbage services beginning in November with the expansion

of its current trash-hauling contract. Residents will no longer be charged a flat \$12 fee per month. Instead, they will be charged for the amount of trash put at the curb.

Let the fair begin. A ribbon cutting was held Monday afternoon at the Fair Service Center. The ribbon cutting, typically held at the old main gate, was moved because of heavy rain. Fair Queen Chris Dunlap participated along with candidates Tina Blackford, Becky Dehring, Christy Lonsky, Beth Williams, Wendy Bell, Michelle Smith, Theresa Royce and Tara Roehm.

40 years ago

Thursday, Aug. 24, 1961—

Mrs. Hazel Katz of Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Reithmiller Sr. of Olivet College were recent callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Rentchler.

Mr. and Mrs. Gottlieb Rothman visited their aunt, Mrs. Frances Bartig, on Friday at the Murry Rest Home in Concord.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Benedict of Jackson were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Barber.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Balmer of Chelsea called Sunday on his mother Mrs. Austin Balmer. In the afternoon, all called on Mr. Balmer at Cedar Knoll Rest Home.

70 years ago

Thursday, Aug. 20, 1931—

Mrs. H.E. Fogt and children of Detroit spent the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Vicary.

Mr. and Mrs. Rayond Coulter and sons of Detroit spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L.L. Gorton. Ellen and Ruth, who have been spending some time here, returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Camden of Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. Stofor of Stockbridge visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schutz on Sunday.

100 years ago

Thursday, Aug. 22, 1901—

Lillian Gerard of Chelsea will be our teacher for the fall term of school.

Anna Rommel, who has been spending the past week in Fransico, returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Beeman

were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Beeman of Clark's Lake Saturday and Sunday.

There will be a pie social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lehman Tuesday evening for the benefit of the M.E. Sunday school.

Mrs. Otis Obert of Durand is visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugen Smith of Ionia were the guests of Royal Barnum last week.

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Doctor says sleep is important

Question: Do you have any suggestions on balancing sleep, work and family, or as an alternative, would you lengthen the day?

Answer: I've had a number of people express the view that it would be wonderful if they could use that "wasted" one third of their life spent in sleep to do something productive.

Sleep is an important but mysterious portion of our lives. To characterize it as non-productive or "wasted," however, reflects our general lack of understanding of the sleep process. Perhaps this common view comes about because sleep — like food or exercise — can be neglected for a short period to accomplish some immediate gain. We know, however, that lack of adequate food and exercise over a period of time leads to illness.

The demands of life today make it difficult for most of us to consistently get seven or seven and one-half hours of sleep. As a basis for comparison, in the last century before the widespread use of electric lights, most of our ancestors got about nine hours of sleep each night.

So what do we gain in compensation for the sleep we've lost when compared to our ancestors 100 years ago? Obviously, we gain an hour or more of awake activity. That time can be spent completing that report for work, cleaning the house, helping the kids with homework or spending quality time with family or friends. My personal view is that too much of it is wasted watching TV, but that is another story.

The cost of this lost sleep is difficult to tally. Inadequate sleep produces a number of

subtle changes. It tends to make most people more irritable, although most don't recognize their lack of sleep as being the cause of their mood. Instead, it is easier to point to the stressful events of the day — the boss, the spouse, the kids, the teacher.

Lack of sleep also has a negative influence on concentration. Sleeping just 30 minutes less than you need can adversely impact your learning and problem solving.

Shortening your night's sleep by one hour can produce as much impairment as drinking two alcoholic drinks. The consequences of this should be clear without additional explanations.

A simple clue to your sleep needs can be found from your answers to the following questions. Do you "crash" for 10 or 12 hours on the weekend or on vacation. Do you have sleepy spells during the day? Do you find it difficult to concentrate on the task at hand? If you answered "yes" to any of these questions, then you probably aren't getting adequate sleep at night.

The first thing I'd suggest you do is get that extra sleep on the weekend, then head to your library or book store for a copy of *The Promise of Sleep* by Dr. William C. Dement. Though Dement is a noted scholar in the field of sleep research, I think you will find his book quite readable and informative.

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



Baton Corps Goes Bowling

The Chelsea Baton Corps took a break from twirling to enjoy a recent bowling and pizza party. The troupe will hold a spring recital in the Pierce Lake Elementary School gymnasium. Included in the group are Holly Beaudette, Ashley Beeman, Megan Brockett, Amanda Grubbs, Naomi Johnson, Rachel Katz, Page Katz, Talor Lewis, Amanda Robertson, Michelle Wellman, Tawny McSweeny, Alisha Jacobs, Brittany Bourdon and instructor Erica Bloomansaat.

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SPORTS

Thursday, August 23, 2001

G'day Mate

Myers travels to Australia to compete for Team USA baseball

By Don Richter

Staff Writer
Ben Myers has traveled many miles competing for the Chelsea High School baseball team.

Over the years, he's had to travel across the state to St. Joseph, to the Lansing area and to Battle Creek to play baseball.

Throughout the seasons, he's logged many a mile in the Chelsea team bus, or in the family car.

No trip, however, compares to the one Myers began July 23.

After flying across the country and arriving in Los Angeles, Myers boarded a second plane and 14 hours later arrived in Sydney, Australia.

Talk about your away game.

Myers, an All-State catcher this past year at Chelsea, was selected to compete for Team USA as it toured the land of koalas and boomerangs.

"It was awesome," said Myers, who'll play for Western Michigan University next season. "The people are so nice. It's a lot different from here. Everyone there (treats you) as a friend. There are no pretensions. They accepted us (USA team) right away. There was a lot of respect for us since baseball originated in the U.S."

Though treated as royalty by the locals, the American teams didn't return the favor on the diamond.

The Americans fielded two squads, each comprised of 18-year-olds from throughout the country. The split was to help with costs and to give more players a chance to participate.

Myers spent two weeks in



Chelsea resident Ben Myers stands in front of Sydney's Harbor Bridge.

Australia, returning home Aug. 6.

Myers' team, which included six players from Michigan, finished 7-0, winning the overall championship.

"We were scheduled to play 10 games, but three were rained out," Myers said.

Myers and his teammates hit the field against 18-year-old teams from Brisbane, Sydney and Australia's Gold Coast.

According to Myers, the toughest game was against Brisbane South.

"We beat them 6-3," he said.

"They were going to a national tournament after our game."

On a team filled with stars, Myers shined the brightest.

During the tournament, he hit .500, stole 16 of 17 bases and, while catching, threw out the two runners who attempted to steal on him.

For his efforts, Myers was named team MVP and co-MVP of both USA squads.

"It's an honor," Myers said. "It was a lot of fun. It was unbelievable how we played."

In the trip's championship game, Myers' USA team nipped

the second USA squad 4-3.

Myers, playing centerfield, finished 1-for-2, scoring the game-winning run in the sixth inning of the seven-inning finale.

Besides playing centerfield and catching, Myers also took a turn at shortstop during the tournament.

"That was foreign territory for me," he said. "But I played my best baseball of the entire year."

Myers said he played at such a high level in an effort to impress his new teammates.

"It was the fact I was playing



Team USA head coach Rick Espy (left) stands next to Ben Myers on the field in Brisbane, Australia. Myers, named MVP for the U.S. team, had just helped his squad clinch the tournament championship.

for another group of guys that never saw me play before," he said. "I wanted to prove I deserved to be on the team."

Myers tried out for the elite squad in December of last year, along with 200 other hopefuls, at Michigan State University.

"I was surprised I made the

team," he said. "I didn't feel like I did well at tryouts."

Myers said the talent level in Australia is pretty high.

"A few of their players could have made All-State in Michigan," he said. "Some of the teams had really good ballplay."

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Gymnast golden at Junior Olympics

By Don Richter

Staff Writer
If Chelsea's Samantha Heydlauff proved anything at this year's Amateur Athletic Union Junior Olympics, it's that she has a strong neck.

The Beach Middle School eighth-grader took home six medals at the 2001 AAU games in Hampton, Va., Aug. 2 through 5.

By the end of the competition, she had enough hardware draped around her neck to make even Mr. T envious.

"It was pretty heavy," Heydlauff said, regarding her gymnastic bounty.

Besides flexing her neck muscles, Heydlauff also proved she is one of the nation's best gymnasts in her age group.

A member of Michigan's AAU national team, Heydlauff, competing in the 12-13 age division, captured a gold medal in vault.

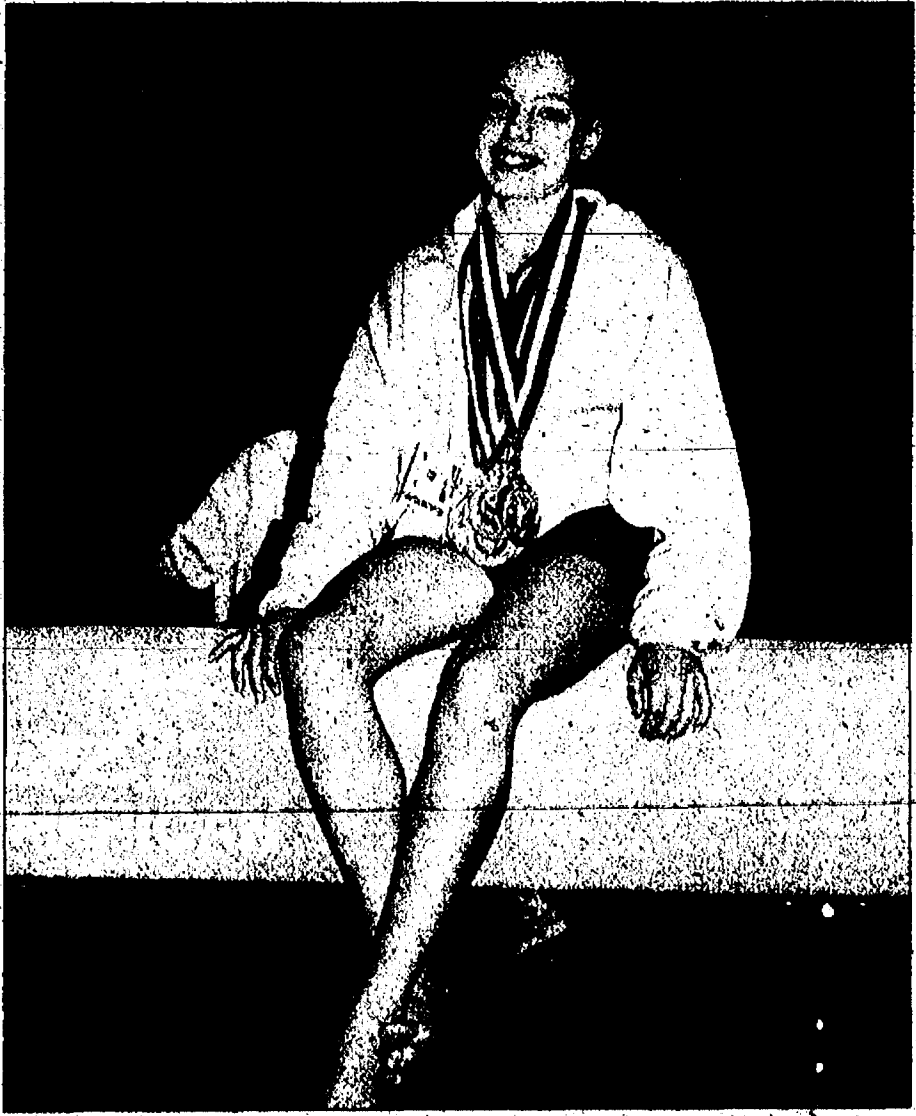
In addition, Heydlauff placed fourth on bars, sixth on beam and 10th on floor.

She finished fourth all-around.

"She's a great kid," said Claudia Kretschmer, Heydlauff's coach at Gym America in Ann Arbor. "She had a tough season with injuries, but came back in a big way at this meet (AAU). She has a terrific attitude. We're very pleased with her."

Heydlauff, hampered with knee, toe and wrist injuries, said she was pleased with her performance in Virginia.

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Chelsea's Samantha Heydlauff sits on the bench after competing at the AAU Junior Olympics earlier this month. Heydlauff captured a gold medal on vault for Team Michigan.

Anything can happen opening night

It's finally arrived. The time is now.

Though the leaves have yet to change color, it's officially fall sports season.

Hallelujah. I've had enough of the X-Games.

Already. The prep golf season has commenced with tennis starting today.

Tomorrow, the high school football season kicks off and next week, girls' basketball, cross country, swimming, and boys' soccer and cross country begin.

In early September, the equestrian season leaps to a start. Both Dexter and Chelsea should rank among the best in Michigan.

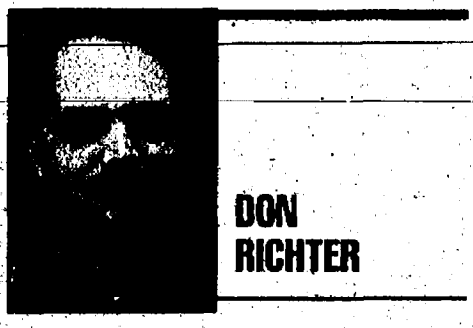
Chelsea was co-state champion last year, while Dexter is a perennial powerhouse with numerous state titles to its credit.

With everyone's sports plate filled to the edges this time of year, there tends to be one entrée that gets the most attention—football.

There always seems to be a buzz in the air as the first game of the season gets set to kickoff. And it's not from mosquitoes or flies, either.

The giggles are louder, the conversations more intense, the heartbeats quicker, as fans await the start of another glorious gridiron season.

There's a certain electricity



ON THE SIDELINE

flowing in and around the high school stadium. A low murmur that eventually reaches a fever pitch as the home team hits the field, uniforms crisp and clean, helmets polished to a shine.

Even if you don't fancy yourself a pigskin fan, you can't beat the atmosphere of a football Friday night, especially opening night.

A few years back, I had the opportunity to cover the Belding-Greenville opening football game.

Belding-Greenville? Let me explain.

Like most rivalries, the towns were just miles apart. And like most small towns, football was God.

In small towns, in the middle of nowhere, football Friday's are a social affair. It's all everyone talks about during the week.

Not only do students and alumni attend games, but the mayor, the police chief, the town barber and the shopkeeper also

Opening Night

Dexter at Stockbridge, 7 p.m. Friday. Stockbridge finished 5-4 overall and 3-4 in the Ingham County League last year. The Panthers will compete in the newly formed Tri-River Athletic Conference in 2002.

Fowlerville at Chelsea, 7:30 p.m. Friday. Fowlerville finished 3-6 overall and 3-3 in the Ingham County League last season. The Gladiators are led this year by co-captains Zack Douglas, a senior quarterback, and Tim Scott, a senior running back.

Even the local farmers dust themselves off and make an appearance. Football is king.

Especially a few years back in Belding.

The Redskins, state runner-up the previous season and fresh off a trip to the Pontiac Silverdome, were celebrating the return of tailback Paul Cummings (Michigan State) and massive offensive tackle Erik Faasen (6-foot-8, 290, a starter at Toledo).

The prior year, Brent Cummings (Michigan) had teamed with younger brother Paul, making Belding unbeat-

able until the state final.

As you can imagine, at the time, Redskin football was kinda' popular in town.

Enter Greenville. In an unusual twist the two teams traditionally began their season against each other, instead of ending it, as most rivals do.

Talk about your anticipation. I think fans were jawing back and forth about this game and this night even before spring had sprung.

On game day, a UFO could have landed in the middle of Belding's Main Street and no one would have noticed.

The entire town had shut down to cheer on its beloved Redskins.

Not to be outdone, Greenville squeezed its fans onto its side of the field, taking every available bleacher seat and lining the fence surrounding the field two and three deep.

To make matters more intense, Belding, state champions in 1994 and '97 and runner-up in '96 and '98 had pummeled the Yellowjackets throughout the decade.

Talk about your small town excitement.

As you might expect, the game was hard-hitting and passionate. As you might not expect, Greenville destroyed Belding.

The coup de grace was a

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Chelsea grads continue at collegiate level

By Don Richter

Staff Writer
Three recent female Chelsea graduates will continue their athletic careers this year at the collegiate level.

Michelle Dettling, a three-sport star for the Bulldogs in basketball, volleyball and softball, will be suiting up for Alma College this winter.

The 5-foot-11 Dettling, a three-year varsity hoopster and MVP her senior season, will join the Scot basketball team playing forward.

Also heading north to compete for the Maroon and Cream will

be Lindsey Baker.

Baker will join former Chelsea standout Lindsay Powers on Alma's volleyball squad.

The 5-9 Baker, an All-Southeastern her senior season, was also a starter for the Chelsea basketball team.

As a Scot, Baker will be one of three setters for Alma, which

finished third in the Michigan

Intercollegiate Athletic Association last season with an 18-15 overall mark and a 9-5 league record.

Ashley Augustine, a member of Chelsea's swimming and softball squads last year, will continue her athletic career at Harvard.

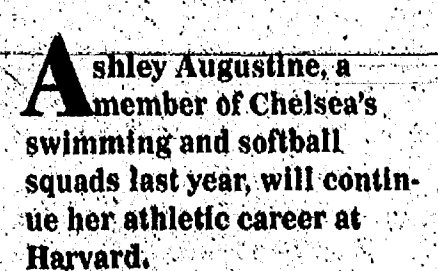
The 5-6 Augustine, a slick fielding second baseman for the

Bulldogs, will play softball for

the Ivy League Crimson. In gridiron news, former Chelsea standouts Chris Brigham and Nate Dawson began workouts at Saginaw Valley State University.

Brigham will play quarterback and Dawson offensive line for the Cardinals. Both are freshmen.

At Western Michigan University, former Bulldog Tony Scheffler is into his second week of practice with the Division I Bronco football squad. Scheffler is a freshman wide receiver.



Ashley Augustine, a member of Chelsea's swimming and softball squads last year, will continue her athletic career at Harvard.



The Chelsea boys' golf team began the 2001 season in style last week winning the Manchester Invitational. Participating for the Bulldogs were coach Jim Tallman (left), Chris Johnson, Nate Chamberlin, captain Mike Mignano, Paul Newhouse, Mike Lucas, Justin Beeman and assistant coach Nathan Oake.

Golfers open season with win

By Don Richter
Staff Writer

The Chelsea boys' golf team began the 2001 season in record-breaking fashion last week, capturing the Manchester Invitational Aug. 16.

The Bulldogs bested the field with a final tally of 317 points, breaking the previous team record of 318 for the tournament. Placing second was Ann Arbor Greenhills with 319 points, followed by Ann Arbor Gabriel Richard with 332 points.

Medalist for the tournament was Chelsea junior Paul Newhouse, with a one over par 73. In second place was Bulldog

junior Chris Johnson, who carded a 76.

Other top scorers for Chelsea included sophomores Nathan Chamberlin and Mike Lucas, who both finished with an 82.

Chelsea coach Jim Tallman, entering his 13th season, was proud of the way his team overcame the elements.

"This was an outstanding effort for us, especially consid-

ering that the tournament was played in a steady rain all day long," Tallman said.

Chelsea next travels to the Jackson County Western Invitational 9:30 a.m. today.

Tomorrow, the Bulldogs travel to the Pinkney Invitational at 8 a.m.

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— Jim Tallman
Chelsea coach

Chiefs announce hockey tryouts

The new Chelsea Chiefs Mite AA travel hockey team has announced tryouts for area and out-of-district youth. The tryouts are scheduled for 1 p.m. Saturday and noon Sunday at Chelsea's Arctic Coliseum, 501 Coliseum Drive.

Age restriction for the squad is July 1, 1992 and younger.

The Chiefs play a 40-game schedule in the metro Detroit Little Caesars League with tournaments planned in Chicago, Holland, Mich., Detroit and Toronto.

The Chiefs maintain a 2-to-1 practice-to-game ratio, with on-ice training at the Skill Tech training facility at the Arctic

Coliseum.

Specialty coaching will be available in power skating and hockey skills. Goalies will receive coaching by former NHL or college players.

For additional information, call Doug Trojanowski at 475-0264 or Don Wright at 433-4444.

Krieg perfect

Kevin Krieg was perfect last week.

The Chelsea resident recorded a hole-in-one at Waterloo Golf Course.

Krieg used an 8-iron to ace the 139-yard, Hole No. 4.

For the round, Krieg ended up with a 43.

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Hockey evaluations scheduled

The Chelsea Hockey Association will play in the competitive Little Caesars Amateur Hockey League this season.

The CHA will field house teams in Squirt, Pee Wee and Bantam playing in the LCAHL "B" division.

Chelsea will face off against hockey associations from throughout the area. To minimize travel distances, the LCAHL divides teams into geographical divisions.

The regular season begins in

October. Each LCAHL division has 10 teams. Each squad plays a home and away series during the year.

In February, the LCAHL first round playoffs begin. The playoffs are divided into over 500 and under 500 squads based on regular season records. In March, quarter-finals and semi-finals are played.

Depending on the Detroit Red Wings' schedule, the over 500 LCAHL finals will be played at Joe Louis Arena the last week of March or the first week of April.

The under 500 finals will be held at Inkster's community rink.

Also, all house hockey players must attend player evaluations on Sunday.

Teams will be formed based on evaluation ratings made by CHA coaches. After evaluations, players are divided evenly by talent.

Times for evaluations are as follows: Mini Mites, 8 to 8:50 a.m.; Mites, 9 to 9:50 a.m.; Squirts, 10 to 11:50 a.m.; Pee Wees, 1 to 2:50 p.m. and Bantams, 3 to 3:50 p.m.

The CHA is still looking for house coaches and assistant coaches.

For more information, call Don Wright at 433-4444.

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Adult hockey changes format

The Chelsea adult hockey league has announced changes for the upcoming 2001-2002 season.

The league will now be divided into two Sunday leagues and a Thursday league.

The Sunday leagues will be further divided into C and D Divisions.

Thursday will be a C league.

The Chelsea Masters Over 30 League will continue unchanged on Mondays.

A team that wants to play twice a week must sign up for both the Sunday and Thursday leagues.

Both Sunday and Thursday leagues will play a 28-game

schedule.

Sunday games will be 65 minutes long, while Thursday contests are scheduled for 50 minutes.

There will be six teams in each Sunday division and six to eight teams in Thursday's league.

Chelsea Masters Over 30

League will play a 26-game schedule with six teams. Contests will be 50 minutes.

There is a cost for each team in each league. Teams are allowed 13 players.

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PGA professional Eric Terrian is flanked by Gabrielle (left) and Dominic Triveline at last week's Jackson Mini Open.

Siblings play mini open

Chelsea 6-year-old Gabrielle Triveline shot an even par 16 at the four-hole Jackson Mini Open Aug. 10.

The tournament, for golfers eight and younger, attracted 75 participants.

Also competing in the mini

open was Gabrielle's four-year-old brother, Dominic.

Dominic finished with a four-hole score of 26 - six strokes better than last year.

PGA professional Eric Terrian hosted the youth event at the Jackson Golf Center.

MYERS

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ers." Despite being in Australia for baseball purposes, Myers also had time for sightseeing.

"It was amazing," he said. "Sydney Harbor was memorable. The Sydney Opera House was awesome, as was the Harbor Bridge."

Australia's Gold Coast, similar to America's Miami Beach, was another memorable stop for Myers.

"They have one of the top five beaches in the world," he said. "I was able to swim in the ocean. We were going to surf, but the waves were too high."

"We also went out to the country and to the Australian Zoo."

Steve Irwin, the Crocodile Hunter made famous by the Animal Planet cable station, works at the zoo.

"We didn't see him, but we said hi to his wife," Myers said.

Sydney, which hosted the 2000 Summer Olympics, held special

interest for the sports-minded Myers.

"We went to the Olympic Village," he said. "We saw the main stadium, the basketball court and the baseball field."

"We played on the same field the U.S. Olympic team played on."

Despite traveling halfway around the globe, Myers doesn't get much of a break.

He leaves for WMU tomorrow and must attend his first baseball meeting Monday.

After the initial meeting, the Broncos begin weight training Wednesday.

Sept. 4 is the team's first practice.

"I expected that," Myers said, about playing baseball year round for WMU. "Our season begins in February down in Florida."

Florida Schmorida.

After traveling to Australia and back, the Sunshine State is practically a trip around the block for Myers.

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Yellowjacket 99-yard fumble return for a touchdown in the waning minutes, as the Redskins were attempting to make the final score respectable.

Greenville had its victory. Greenville had its revenge.

Belding never recovered.

The Redskins made the playoffs that year with three losses, but fell in the first round.

It hasn't returned since.

Belding has gone through two head coaches and more than its share of defeats since that upset.

Opening night. It's just one game, but its result can oftentimes carry over to the next game, and the one after that and the one after that.

I think that's what makes the first Friday night so special - anything can happen.

And as Belding and Greenville can attest, it usually does.

It could be the beginning of a state championship season, or the start of a disappointing one.

It could be the birth of a new gridiron power or the demise of an old one.

It could be today's heroes and yesterday's legends.

I guess that's why entire towns show up and support their teams.

For Dexter and Chelsea, opening night 2001 should be memorable.

Dexter begins the Tom Barbieri era at Stockbridge tomorrow at 7 p.m. The Dreadnaughts have struggled the past few seasons, but with the experienced and enthusiastic Barbieri prowling the sidelines, optimism is high among the Maroon and Gold.

Chelsea hosts Fowlerville tomorrow at 7:30 p.m. Coach Brad Bush and his Bulldogs, coming off an 11-1 season, begin

their quest to win their third consecutive Southeastern Conference title.

Last season, Chelsea reached the regional finals before losing - two wins from a state championship. Tomorrow, the Bulldogs begin a new journey.

Whatever opening night turns out to be for either squad, one thing is for certain: Anything can happen.

It's finally arrived.

The time is now.

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GOLDEN

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"I was pretty happy, because I was hurt all year," she said. "There were a lot of good girls there (at finals)."

Heydlauff, 100 percent for the first time at the AAU championships, saved her top performance for her gold medal-winning vault.

"It was one of the best vaults I've ever had," she said.

Kretschmer said one of Heydlauff's strengths as a gymnast is her build.

"She has a great body type," she said. "She's very strong and powerful."

In youth gymnastics, the highest an athlete can achieve is Level 10.

Heydlauff, who trains 20 hours

a week, competes at Level 9.

"Her goal is to qualify for regionals and nationals," Kretschmer said.

And to compete in NCAA Division I.

"I hope to get a college scholarship," said the 13-year-old Heydlauff, who's been participating in gymnastics for 10 years. "That's one of my goals."

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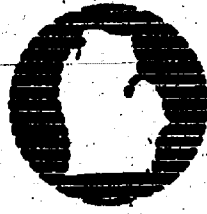


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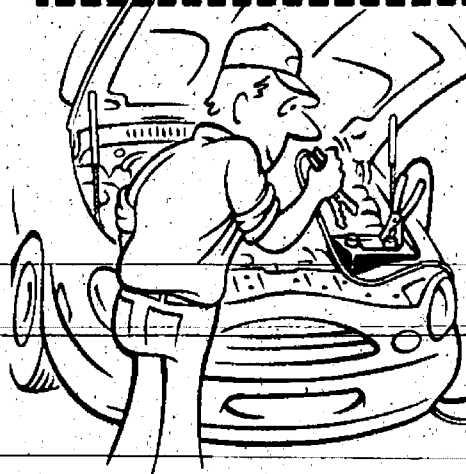
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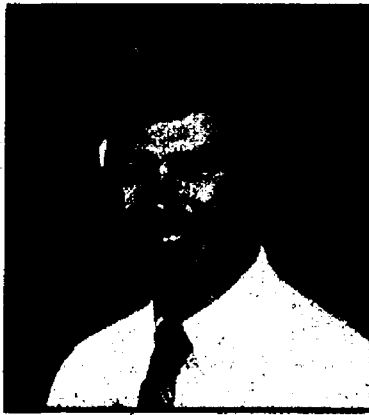


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Pizza Field Trip

Pupils in the Chelsea Young Five program paid a recent visit to Cottage Inn Pizza. In the front row are Nicholas Redman (left), Quenton Hess, Austin Reardon, Alex McDougall, Jenny Gabbard, Lexi Beatty, Hannah Zoarn and Jarrett Hadley. In the second row are Paul Wozniak (left), Denrick Acton, Katie Hicks, Mickey Erickson and Shelby Sylvain. In the back row are teacher Diane Crandell (left), Tyler Eckler, Michael Mesko and Karen Fosdick of Cottage Inn. Not pictured is teacher Kay Laferge.

WISD renews school charter

The Washtenaw Intermediate School District has renewed the charter for Honey Creek Community School.

Charter schools in Michigan need to have their charter renewed by their authorizing body every five years. Charter renewal is contingent upon the school succeeding in its mission and educational goals.

Honey Creek was extensively evaluated by an external reviewer. The evaluation concluded that Honey Creek shows considerable strength in curriculum, instruction, student assessment, low student-teacher ratio and use of technology.

As a result, Honey Creek is expanding from a kindergarten through fifth-grade program to kindergarten through eighth grade in the 2001-02 school year.

Honey Creek pupils come from throughout Washtenaw County, including Ann Arbor, Ypsilanti, Dexter, Chelsea, Manchester and Whitmore Lake.

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DEXTER DISTRICT LIBRARY BOARD

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DEXTER VILLAGE NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Dexter Village Council will hold a public hearing Monday, August 27, 2001 at 8:00 p.m. at the National City Bank Building, 8123 Main Street, Second Floor Meeting Room, Dexter, Michigan for the purpose of hearing public comment regarding an Ordinance to provide for the appointment of a Village Treasurer and to assign certain administrative duties to the Village Manager. A copy of this Ordinance is available at the Village Office, 8140 Main Street, Dexter MI weekdays between 9:00 am and 5:00 pm.
Donna Eureka, Village Manager
8140 Main Street
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DEXTER TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING NOTICE

TUESDAY, AUGUST 28, 2001 AT 7:30 P.M. AT
DEXTER TOWNSHIP HALL, 6880 DEXTER-PINCKNEY RD.
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AGENDA
1. Nextel, Preliminary Site Plan & Conditional Use Permit, Continuation
John Gillespie, Chairman

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EXERCISE

LIMA TOWNSHIP TOWNSHIP BOARD AND TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION WORK SESSION AND REGULAR BOARD MEETING AUGUST 6, 2001

A work session between the Lima Township Board and the Lima Township Planning Commission was called to order on August 6, 2001, at 6:00 P.M. by Supervisor Unterbrink. Present were Erin Perdu and Mark McFadden of the Washtenaw County Planning Commission, as well.

The purpose of the meeting was to review the Chelsea Area Regional Plan, discuss its viability and legal implications.

Meeting adjourned at 7:15 P.M.

The regular meeting of the Lima Township Board was called to order at 8:00 P.M. on August 6, 2001. Present were Supervisor Unterbrink, Clerk Bareis, Treasurer Havens, Trustees McKenzie and Lair. Also present Zoning Administrator Charles Schauer and several residents and guests.

Motion by Lair supported by McKenzie to approve the minutes of the July 2, 2001 meeting. Carried.

The treasurers report was received.

Zoning Administrator reported 7 permits were issued, however, no new addresses were issued.

Motion by McKenzie supported by Lair to call a Special Board Meeting on Monday August 27, 2001 to address the Sewer and Water Reports from the Study Committee, and authorize raising the expenditure cap for OHM from \$5000.00 to \$7000.00 maximum. Carried.

Motion by Lair supported by Havens to add the Washtenaw County Brownfield Authority meetings to the qualified meeting list. Carried.

Motion by Lair supported by McKenzie to purchase a Sharp SF-2035 refurbished copy machine per a quote dated July 18, 2001 from University Office Equipment in the amount of \$2100.00 and the maintenance agreement as noted in the same quote. Carried.

Motion by Lair supported by Havens to pay bills as presented. Carried.

Motion by Lair supported by McKenzie to adjourn at 9:20 P.M. Carried.

Respectfully submitted,
Arlene R. Bareis, Clerk

VILLAGE OF CHELSEA REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING - JULY 24, 2001

Present: President Steele, Village Manager Myers, Village Clerk Branson
Trustees Present: Ritter, Schumann, Myles, Cashman, Ortring, and Hammer
Absent: None
Others Present: Jim Drolett, Mike Swartz, Martin Olejnik, Molly DiStefano, Ann Feeney, Jim Machnik

President Steele called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.
Motion by Ritter supported by Schumann to approve the Consent Agenda. Six (6) Ayes, One (1) Abstention. Motion carried.

President Steele requested that the issue of adding an administration fee to cover the cost of collecting Sylvan Township 3% franchise fee from electric customers in Sylvan Township be added to the agenda under Old Business and that Village of Chelsea/Springer Property Exchange be added under New Business. Motion by Ortring supported by Hammer to approve the Regular Agenda. All Ayes. Motion carried.

Audience Participation:
No one in the audience wished to address Council.

Correspondence:
President Steele brought to the attention of Council the following correspondence: letter from United Recycling Industries Inc, June 2001 Chelsea Police Department Report, invitation from Tetra Tech MPS to a golf outing, DDA Board of Directors meeting minutes from June 21, 2001, Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors meeting minutes from June 21, 2001, Chelsea Area Fire Authority agenda for July 25, 2001 meeting, and letter from Peter Flinn regarding a decision of the Michigan Tax Tribunal reversing a streetscape special assessment roll.

Report from Council Committees:
Trustee Ritter reported that CATS would like the Village to take over their book-keeping for a fee. He also informed Council that the Chelsea Area Fire Authority report is still not ready after 120 days and that Planning Commission did not support the McGibneys' request for rezoning of their property at 516 S. Main Street. The rezoning request, for a change from residential to office, will be considered by the Council in the future.

Trustee Myles reported that ten (10) bids were opened on July 16, 2001 regarding removal of the buildings for the DDA parking lot on Park Street. Ann Feeney announced the bid was awarded to Farrell, the low bidder on July 24, 2001. Tetra Tech will supervise the demolition.

*minutes corrected at 8/14/01 meeting to correct name to "Farrow Group"

Reports from Village Officers:
Jim Drolett, Planning and Zoning Administrator reported that he has had meetings with the developers of The Vineyards, located north of Dexter Chelsea Road and Fieldstone Village, located on the old Freeman farm, west of Wilkinson. The Zoning Board of Appeals will hear the variance request from the DDA regarding the proposed parking lot to reduce the parking setbacks from the lot lines adjoining the Methodist Church property and Merkel property. Those owners are in agreement with the request.

Jack Myers, Village Manager, reported that the Village is still requesting that residents do not water lawns or wash cars until Well #3 is at a functional level. The Village was using over 1,000,000 gallons of water per day, but has now cut back to 600,000 gallons since the ban was put in place.

Unfinished Business:
Motion by Hammer supported by Myles to remove from the table the issue of sidewalks along M-52 at the south end of the Village. All Ayes. Motion carried.
Motion by Hammer supported by Ritter to table discussion of sidewalks along M-52 at the south end of the Village until the first meeting in August while Manager Myers waits for a revised detailed cost of project from Tetra Tech. All Ayes: Motion carried.
Motion by Ortring supported by Schumann to support the addition of a \$1.00 administrative fee per month to the electric bills for Sylvan Township residents outside the Village limits due to the cost to the Village to collect and distribute the 3% franchise fee to Sylvan Township. All Ayes. Motion carried.

New Business:
Mike Swartz, Martin Olejnik and Molly DiStefano of Plante & Moran presented their audit report to the Council. The Village received the opinion of "unqualified" from the auditors - the best that can be received. Motion by Hammer supported by Cashman to accept the audit. All Ayes. Motion carried. Trustee Hammer asked that Plante & Moran review the Chelsea Area Fire Authority audit when it is received.
Motion by Myles supported by Schumann to accept the U.S. EPA's de minimis settlement offer of a 100% premium with no cost reopener to resolve liability in connection with PCB Treatment, Inc. Roll Call: Ayes: Cashman, Hammer, Myles, Ortring, Ritter, Schumann, Steele. No: None. Motion carried.
Motion by Ortring supported by Ritter to support the Resolution to enter into the MMEA Mutual Aid Agreement. All Ayes. Motion carried. (Resolution attached as Appendix A)
Motion by Hammer supported by Ortring to support the Resolution submitted by the Chelsea Hospital Auxiliary requesting they be recognized as a nonprofit organization for the purpose of obtaining a gaming license. All Ayes. Motion carried. (Resolution attached as Appendix B)
Motion by Ortring supported by Hammer to allow the Village Manager to continue with deed preparation and letter of intent for property exchange between the Village of Chelsea and Sheridan and Sallie Springer. All Ayes. Motion carried.
Jim Machnik spoke on the issue of Chelsea becoming a city.
Motion by Ortring supported by Ritter to adjourn regular session. All Ayes. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 9:11 p.m.
Approved August 14, 2001

Richard Steele, Village President
Jacalyn J. Branson, Village Clerk

LYNDON TOWNSHIP SUMMARY MINUTES

LYNDON TOWNSHIP SPECIAL BOARD MEETING - July 11, 2001
Met with Ed Wier, Architect, to discuss an addition to the township hall.
LYNDON TOWNSHIP SPECIAL BOARD MEETING, July 11, 2001
Held a public hearing for Roepeke Court Phase II of the Multi Lake Water and Sewer Authority project.
Offered and carried to adopt the resolution approving the Wastewater Collection System Special Assessment District and the Special Assessment Roll for Roepeke Court (District 4).
LYNDON TOWNSHIP BOARD MEETING, August 14, 2001.
Meeting called to order and opened with pledge of allegiance to the flag.
Consent agenda adopted.
Moved and carried to request Road Commission to bring Lindley Road for the rest of 2001 and for Lindley Road to be included for 2002.
Moved and carried to accept Edwin R. Wier proposal for preliminary design and preliminary site plan options, preliminary floor plans and exterior elevations.
Moved and carried to table Driveway Standards until September's meeting.
Moved and carried to accept Lora Harrison's resignation as Lyndon Township representative on the Multi Lake Water and Sewer Authority Board effective immediately.
Moved and carried to appoint Jody Kelly to fill the vacancy as a Lyndon Township representative on the Multi Lake Water and Sewer Authority Board.
Moved and carried to table Leoni Regional Utility Authority until September's meeting.
Moved and carried to amend the 2001-2002 budget to include that the Board of Review members will receive payment of a minimum of 1-hour.
Reports given:
Moved and carried to adjourn at 8:23 p.m.

Janis Knipper
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DEXTER VILLAGE REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING - JULY 23, 2001

Pledge of Allegiance
Call to Order
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, Hall, Huddleston, Kimmel, Seta
Absent: Stivers, Walters
Also present: Village Manager Eureka, Zoning Officer Zeltkains

Public Hearings
1. To Consider a Zoning Change - Allow Recreation Center in a Research and Development Zone as a Special Use.
The hearing was opened at 8:01 P.M.
There were no other citizens who wished to speak.
The hearing was closed at 8:02 P.M.
Approval of Minutes
- Moved Seta, support Kimmel to approve the minutes of the July 9, 2001, regular meeting as corrected.
Ayes: Coy, Hall, Huddleston, Kimmel, Seta
Nays: None
Motion Carried

Pre-Arranged Citizen Participation
None

Approval of Agenda
- Moved Huddleston, support Hall to approve the agenda as presented.
Ayes: Coy, Hall, Huddleston, Kimmel, Seta
Nays: None
Motion Carried

Non-Arranged Citizen Participation
None

Communications - packets contained the 4 items listed on the agenda.
Approval of Bills & Payroll
- Moved Kimmel, support Seta to approve bills and payroll costs in the amount of \$144,573.60 dated July 23, 2001.
Ayes: Coy, Hall, Huddleston, Kimmel, Seta
Nays: None
Motion Carried

Reports
1. Washtenaw County Sheriff's Report
Sgt. Trester presented the June report.
- Moved Seta, support Huddleston to receive the June Sheriff's report for filing.
Ayes: Coy, Hall, Huddleston, Kimmel
Nays: None
Motion Carried

Sgt. Trester made presentation of proposed ordinance work.
- Moved Huddleston, support Kimmel to set a public hearing for 8:00 P.M., August 13th, for the purpose of taking public comment on the proposed amendment to the Village Noise Ordinance.
Ayes: Coy, Hall, Huddleston, Kimmel
Nays: None
Motion Carried

- Moved Kimmel, support Huddleston, to set a public hearing for 8:00 P.M., August 13th, for the purpose of taking public comment on the proposed Village Controlled substance, Toxic Chemicals, and Drug Paraphernalia Ordinance.
Ayes: Coy, Hall, Huddleston, Kimmel
Nays: None
Motion Carried

2. Urban Area Transportation Study Committee - Terri Blackmore
Ms. Blackmore presented an overview of how UATS serves Village needs.
3. Dexter Area Fire Department - Written Report: Village Incident Count for 1-01-01 through 6-01-01.
4. Village Manager -
a. Inland Seas Engineering - Access Agreement
- Moved Huddleston, support Kimmel to approve the well sites proposed by Inland Seas Engineering for tests on Main Street site.
Ayes: Coy, Hall, Huddleston, Kimmel
Nays: None
Motion Carried
b. Proposal for Demolition of Home at 8294 Huron Street
- Moved Kimmel, support Huddleston to authorize the Village Manager to proceed with particulars related to the demolition of the house at 8294.
Ayes: Coy, Hall, Huddleston, Kimmel
Nays: None
Motion Carried

Consent Agenda
1. Authorize Village Manager to follow-up with assistance to Dexter Daze Committee per its request.
2. Authorize the Expenditure of \$1000 for Membership Dues for UATS for July 2001 through June 2002.
- Moved Huddleston, support Hall, to approve the 2 items listed on the consent agenda.
Ayes: Coy, Hall, Huddleston, Kimmel
Nays: None
Motion Carried

Old Business
None

New Business
1. Consideration of Request by Dexter Fastener Technologies for an Industrial Facilities Exemption
- Moved Seta, support Kimmel, to set a public hearing for 8:00 P.M., August 23, 2001, for the purpose of taking public comment on request by Dexter Fastener Technologies for an Industrial Facilities Exemption.
Ayes: Coy, Hall, Huddleston, Kimmel, Seta
Nays: None
Motion Carried.
2. Consideration of Request by Complete Design and Automation for Industrial Facilities Exemption
- Moved Kimmel, support Huddleston to set a public hearing for 8:00 P.M., August 23, 2001, for the purpose of taking public comment on request by Complete Design and Automation for an Industrial Facilities Exemption.
Ayes: Coy, Hall, Huddleston, Kimmel, Seta
Nays: None
Motion Carried

3. Consideration of Washtenaw County Sheriff's Services Contract
- Moved Seta, support Hall to authorize the Village President to enter into an agreement with the Washtenaw County Sheriff's Department for two-year contract for 4 Police Service Units.
Ayes: Coy, Hall, Huddleston, Kimmel, Seta
Nays: None
Motion Carried

Non-Arranged Citizen Participation
None

Adjournment
Moved Seta, support Huddleston to adjourn the meeting at 9:47 P.M.
Ayes: Coy, Hall, Huddleston, Kimmel, Seta
Nays: None
Motion Carried

Respectfully submitted,
Donna L. Fisher
Village Clerk

Filing Approved: 8-13-01

VILLAGE OF CHELSEA NOTICE OF TREE TRIMMING AND/OR REMOVAL WORK BEING PLANNED

The Village of Chelsea is giving notice to property owners that tree trimming and removal work is being planned within the Village. This work will be performed by Nelson Tree Trimming Service, a professional tree trimming service. Your cooperation during the course of this project will be appreciated.

Village Administration

Special Lima Township Board Meeting Monday, August 27, 2001 7:00 P.M.

To address the sewer and water reports from the study committee. Please note the date for the Lima Township Board September meeting is Tuesday, September 4, 2001 at 8:00 p.m., due to the Labor Day Holiday.

CHELSEA DISTRICT LIBRARY REGULAR BOARD MEETING MINUTES JULY 17, 2001 - 7:00 P.M.

Meeting location: Chelsea District Library Meeting Room

Welcome and Call to Order
Trustees in attendance:
Lynn Fox, President; Kathy Sprawka, Vice President; Nancy Schumann, Secretary; Jan Dohner, John Gourlay and Metta Lansdale, Director
Absent with Notice:
Dan Kaminsky and Nancy Paul, Treasurer.
Lynn Fox called the meeting to order at 7:05 p.m. Agendas were distributed.
Agenda Review and Additions
After adding Library Guardian to the Discussion section, the Agenda was approved.

Compulsory Segments
Minutes Approval
MOVED by J. Dohner and Seconded by K. Sprawka to approve the minutes from June 19, 2001 open session, with the following changes:
Director's Report section, page 1: Change 1999 to 1990 in discussion of Census figures;
DDA Liaison Report, page 3: add language "... wanted to change the shape..." and revise portion of motion to read "... permission to represent the library to convey that parking space is a very important issue...";
Public Comment, page 4: add to Kathy Sprawka's comment the phrase "... and that the Board had not yet authorized use by the public."
PASSED by all present.

Approval of the Checks
MOVED by J. Dohner and Seconded by K. Sprawka that checks be accepted.
PASSED by all present.

Director's Report
M. Lansdale presented her written report and a legislation supplement as distributed. Discussion centered on legislation impact on library and the Library of Michigan.

Communications
L. Fox took note of upcoming meetings of interest to trustees including the Chamber Breakfast regarding Village/City proposal and the Zoning Board of Appeals.

Comments from the Community
No public comment.

Board Presentations
Attorney Presentations: Miller, Canfield, Paddock and Stone (MCPS) and Foster, Swift, Collins & Smith (FSCS)
As the library Attorney, Cynthia Faulhaber of MCPS, is retiring at the end of 2001, the library is evaluating options for general counsel and more specialized legal support once Ms Faulhaber's retirement is accomplished. Ms Faulhaber and MCPS propose that the library retain MCPS for municipal bond representation primarily and use FSCS for general counsel representation. Both firms made presentations on their own behalf.

Major Discussion Topics
Nominating Committee
N. Paul's recommendations were noted. She suggested no action. No action was taken.

Gift Policy
The Policy Committee forwarded the Gift Policy for its first reading by the full Board. M. Lansdale asked to board to consider staff input in the section on gifts of materials for the collection (page 2) which was discussed and no objections were heard. Action will be taken in August.

Library Guardian Contract
K. Sprawka questioned the length of time it is taking to resolve the contract for Library Guardian services. C. Faulhaber mentioned an arrangement by another library for filtering services from its library cooperative.
MOVED by J. Dohner and Seconded by J. Gourlay that the director not sign the Library Guardian contract until after Board action at the next meeting and the library has information about TLN filtering capability.

Action
Manchester Library Proposal for Contract Services
MOVED by J. Gourlay and Seconded by N. Schumann that the library decline the offer of the Manchester District Library on the basis of existing policy of service to residents of the Chelsea School District who live outside the boundaries of the Chelsea District Library and on the basis of similar policies of other libraries.
MOVED by N. Schumann and Seconded by J. Dohner to amend this motion by removing the final phrase. PASSED by all present.
Amended motion PASSED by all present to read:
MOVED by J. Gourlay and Seconded by N. Schumann that the library decline the offer of the Manchester District Library on the basis of existing policy of service to residents of the Chelsea School District who live outside the boundaries of the Chelsea District Library.

L. Fox asked M. Lansdale to draft a Press Release for the local papers on this issue.

Reports
Building Committee - no meeting since the last Board meeting.
Finance Committee - on schedule preparing a budget for the August Budget Hearing.
Fund Raising and PR Committee - the Feasibility Study Group is being formed and its first meeting is scheduled for Monday, July 23rd. The PR Committee will begin working with Polly Koenigsnecht on public relations aspects of this project.
Friends - The Friends have scheduled a members-only potluck picnic that will honor Alan Cole.
DDA - L. Fox is on the agenda for the next meeting, July 18. DDA wanted change the shape and orientation of the building to accommodate additional parking space. The DDA was informed that it was too late for that request and was again invited to attend library building and board meetings.
MOVED by J. Dohner and Seconded by J. Gourlay that L. Fox be given permission to represent the Library and that parking space is a very important issue to be discussed with the zoning/appeal board when trying to keep the Library downtown.
PASSED by all present.

Personnel Committee - No report.
Policy Committee - Next meeting in September.
Nominating Committee - No further report.
Chamber of Commerce Liaison - No report.
School Board Issues - (Inactive)
Remove to Closed Session
MOVED by K. Sprawka and Seconded by J. Gourlay to go into closed session for the purpose of purchasing property and approving minutes. Roll call vote was taken. Ayes: L. Fox, K. Sprawka, N. Schumann, J. Dohner and J. Gourlay. Nays: None.
PASSED by all present.

Return to Open Session
MOVED by J. Dohner and Seconded by J. Gourlay to return to open session. Roll call vote was taken. Ayes: L. Fox, K. Sprawka, N. Schumann, J. Dohner and J. Gourlay. Nays: None.
PASSED by all present.

Public Comment - "Parking Lot"
No public comment.

Adjournment
MOVED by J. Gourlay and Seconded by J. Dohner to adjourn.
PASSED by all present at 11:40 p.m.

Submitted by
Nancy Schumann, Secretary
Metta Lansdale, Director

Ballet star

Chelsea freshman attends academy

By Sheila Pursglove
Staff Writer

Dancer Liisa Locker is used to controlling the butterflies in her stomach before a performance.

"Before going on stage, say five to 10 seconds before my entrance, I usually get a little bit of stage fright, but nothing major," she said. "After getting on stage, it really isn't that hard."

In fact, Locker said she has to rein herself in a bit.

"As soon as those lights hit, my adrenaline starts pumping like you wouldn't believe," she said. "If I don't control it a little, I'd end up going out of control."

The 14-year-old Chelsea High School freshman has waited in the wings of many theaters to make her entrance. She has performed at the Chelsea High School auditorium, Potter Center in Jackson, Eastern Michigan University's Pease Auditorium and the Capitol Theatre in Columbus, Ohio.

Locker hones her skills at Dance Arts of Chelsea, Youth Dance Theatre, Dance Gallery in Ann Arbor — home studio of the Peter Spärling Dance Co. — and at the Randazzo Dance Studio in Ypsilanti.

She also has attended summer workshops at the Rock School of Pennsylvania in Philadelphia in 1999, the Cecchetti Council of America summer program in Holland in 1999 and the BalletMet summer workshop in Columbus, Ohio, last year and this year.

Locker has been dancing since first grade when she started classes in Chelsea with teacher Susan Buck Heinz. While ballet is her first love, she has also studied modern, jazz, tap, flamenco and the Afro-Caribbean technique.

This summer, she was one of 120 young dancers attending six weeks of intensive dance study at the annual summer workshop held by BalletMet Dance Academy in Columbus, Ohio. She was the youngest dancer in her class this year, with others ranging from ages 14 to 21.

"In our house, auditions for summer dance workshops occupy several weekends from January to March," said Diane Locker, her mother.

Despite having attended BalletMet last summer, Locker had to audition again for this year's program.

"The very selective audition process enabled us to find some very talented, highly motivated young dancers," said Academy Director Daryl Kramer. "Our



Chelsea High School freshman Liisa Locker, an aspiring ballet dancer, performed in last year's Youth Dance Theatre production of "The Nutcracker." She is pictured with her father, Donald Locker, who has played Herr Drosselmeier in the production for the past few years.

goal is to help them achieve their full potential."

The workshop, which began June 25, was devoted to the artistic and technical development of dance students at the intermediate and advanced levels. It provided students with the opportunity to receive training from world-renowned professional dancers, including David Nixon, Yoko Ichino, April Berry, Susan Dromisky, Carmen Linares, Keith Cross and Catherine Yoshimura.

Dancers focused on ballet technique, pointe, jazz, modern, Afro-Caribbean and flamenco dance. Advanced students also dedicated time to variations, men's work and partnering. Special training was offered to all levels for purposes of body conditioning, improved body alignment and physical well-being.

"All of the training at BalletMet is based around a set of exercises that Yoko Ichino has formed using exercises from Joseph Pilates, Martha Graham and herself, to name a few," Locker said. "I think I came back from BalletMet much stronger than when I left because of the emphasis on

these exercises."

Locker and other out-of-town students were housed at Capital University. Supervised activities were conducted for some evenings and weekends.

Students' parents were invited to tour BalletMet Columbus studios and observe ballet classes Aug. 3 as the workshop concluded with an informal program at the Capitol Theatre in Columbus' Vern Riffe Center for Government and the Arts.

As soon as Locker returned home to Chelsea, she began studying at the Youth Dance Theatre Summer Dance Intensive with students from the Chelsea, Dexter, Manchester and Saline area.

The Dance Intensive culminated with auditions for the Youth Dance Theatre Company. Successful participants will perform in this year's production of "The Nutcracker." Last year, Locker shared the lead in "Chocolate from Spain," was a "Waltz of the Flowers" demi-soloist and danced with the Snowflake Corps in the snow scene.

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Masonic Award

Martin Steinbach (left) of Chelsea was recently awarded a 60-year continuous membership pin by Master Lynn Heidt of the Olive Masonic Lodge 156 of Chelsea. Steinbach, a past master of the lodge and past high priest of the Royal Arch 156, received his third degree in Masonry in 1937. Steinbach's son, Ray, of Cedar Lake was also present, as was Carl Heldt, secretary of the lodge. Steinbach's wife, Alene, is in Gilbert Residence recovering from a femur injury. Their daughter, Constance Hoffer, lives in Ft. Collins, Colo. The Steinbachs celebrated their 72nd wedding anniversary Aug. 12.

BIRTHS

A daughter, Rebecca Lynn, was born July 16 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor to Todd and Colleen Clark of Scio Township. Maternal grandparents are David and Jeanette Ennis of Dexter. Paternal grandparents are Ken and Joy Clark of Dexter. Rebecca has a sister, Rachel Anne.

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DEATHS

CHARLES H. LANE
Zephyrhills, Fla.
Formerly of Chelsea

Charles H. Lane, 77, died July 19, 2001, at East Pasco Medical Center in Zephyrhills, Fla. He was born June 23, 1924, the son of veterinarian Chandler C. and Caroline (Schurz) Lane of Chelsea. He married Frances Billington on Aug. 1, 1953, in Cassopolis.

Mr. Lane graduated from Chelsea High School in 1942. He received a bachelor's degree from Michigan Normal, now Eastern Michigan University, in 1948 and a master's degree from the University of Michigan in 1952. He captained the Huron Football Team in 1947.

Mr. Lane began his teaching and coaching career at Dundee High School and, from 1956 to 1976, was a principal at Chelsea High School.

After retiring in 1976, the Lanes moved to Pinellas Park, Fla., in 1977. He had resided in Zephyrhills since April of 1995.

Mr. Lane was a life member of the Michigan Education Association, the National Education Association and the Olive Lodge 156 F & A.M. of Chelsea. In Florida, he was an active member of MPSERS, Lakeland Chapter.

Surviving are his wife, a son, Charles C. Lane of Tampa, Fla.; a daughter, Jennifer S. Lane of Rockville, Md.; and four grandchildren, Jessica, Taylor, Sylvie and Rachel. Also surviving are two nieces, three nephews and two sisters-in-law.

His parents and his brother, W. C. Lane, a veterinarian in Chelsea, preceded him in death.

Interment will be in the Lane family lot at Oak Grove Cemetery in Chelsea. Memorial services will be held 11 a.m. Friday at the First Congregational Church in Chelsea, with the Rev. David Cleaver-Bartholomew officiating.

The family will receive friends 9 to 11 a.m. at the church. Expressions of sympathy may be made to the First Congregational Church or any scholarships at Chelsea High School.

Arrangements were made by the Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home in Chelsea.

H.R. "HAR" HARGROVE
Formerly of Jackson

H.R. "Har" Hargrove died of cancer Aug. 12, 2001, at his home. He was born Aug. 5, 1932, in Iowa City, Iowa, to John and Marjorie Hargrove.

Mr. Hargrove moved to Jackson, where he graduated from high school. After graduation from Michigan State University in 1954, he served as a pilot in the U.S. Air Force. He married his college sweetheart, Sonie LeBaron, in 1955. They have four sons, Thomas (Debra), John (Jill), William (Theresa) and David (Nancy), and 12 grandchildren, Laura, Rachel, James, Anna, Samuel, Sterling, Jacob, Matthew, Fay, Andrew, Ethan and Hannah.

After his military service, Mr. Hargrove began a career in the automotive business and operated Hargrove Oldsmobile in Wayne for many years. During this time, he was active in the Wayne Rotary Club, Boy Scout Troop 1746, the Detroit Oldsmobile Dealers Association and the Detroit Auto Dealers Association. While a resident of Wayne, he was a longtime member of Wayne Congregational Church, where he served as a trustee and moderator. Upon his retirement, he moved to Pinckney and has served as a volunteer at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital, Senior Services and other organizations.

Until recently, Mr. Hargrove served as president of the Consistory at St. Andrew's United Church of Christ in Dexter. He was a loyal member of the MSU Alumni Club and a passionate fan of Spartan basketball.

Mr. Hargrove enjoyed searching for and collecting antique tools as well as other memorabilia, much of which he gave to family members and friends. Without question, his greatest passion was for his grandchildren.

In addition to his children and grandchildren, Mr. Hargrove is survived by his brother, John "Jack" (Karen) Hargrove.

A memorial service to celebrate his life has been set 11 a.m. Saturday at St. Andrew's United Church of Christ, 7610 Ann Arbor St., in Dexter. Memorial contributions may be made to the St. Andrew's Future Fund.

DAVID EUGENE DeLONG
Ann Arbor

David Eugene DeLong, 45, died unexpectedly Aug. 15, 2001. He was born Feb. 13, 1954, in Ann Arbor, the son of David A. and Eugenia (Eady) DeLong of Chelsea.

Mr. DeLong is survived by his father; brother, Daniel (Roger) DeLong of Waterloo; and two sisters, Sallie D. Anderson of New Boston and Denise McIntosh of California. He was preceded in death by his mother.

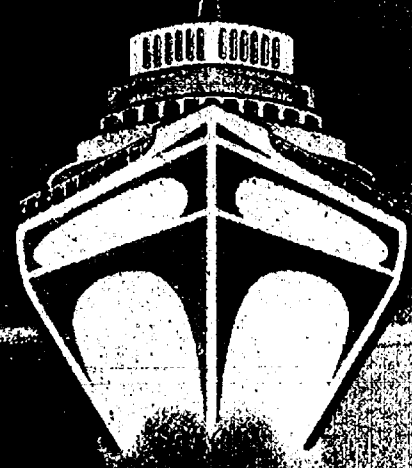
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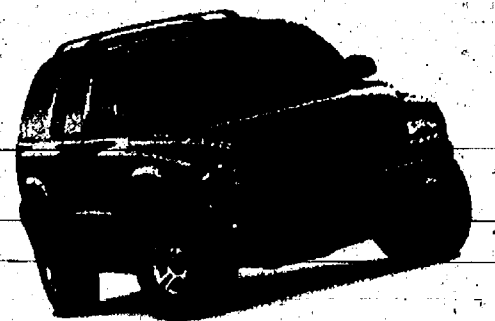
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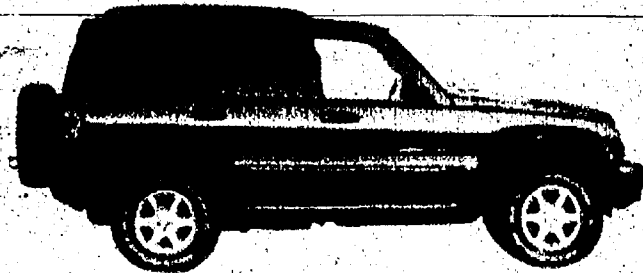
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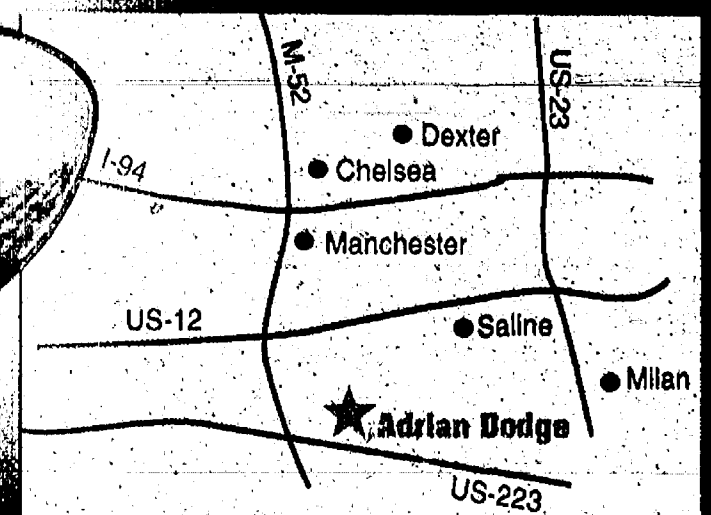
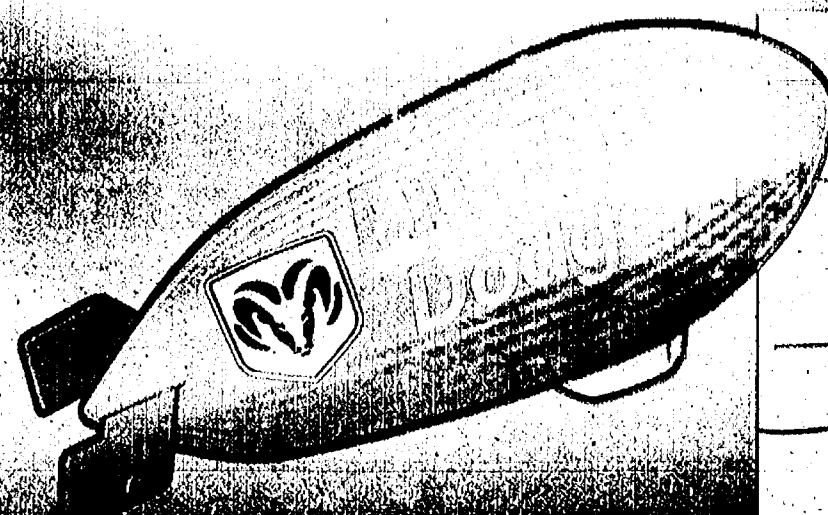
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CHELSEA

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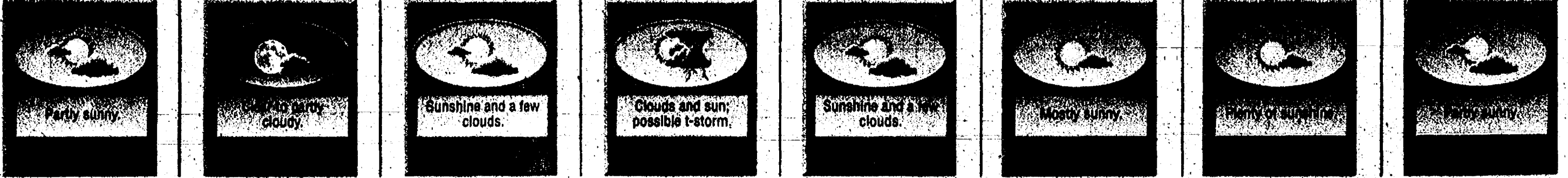
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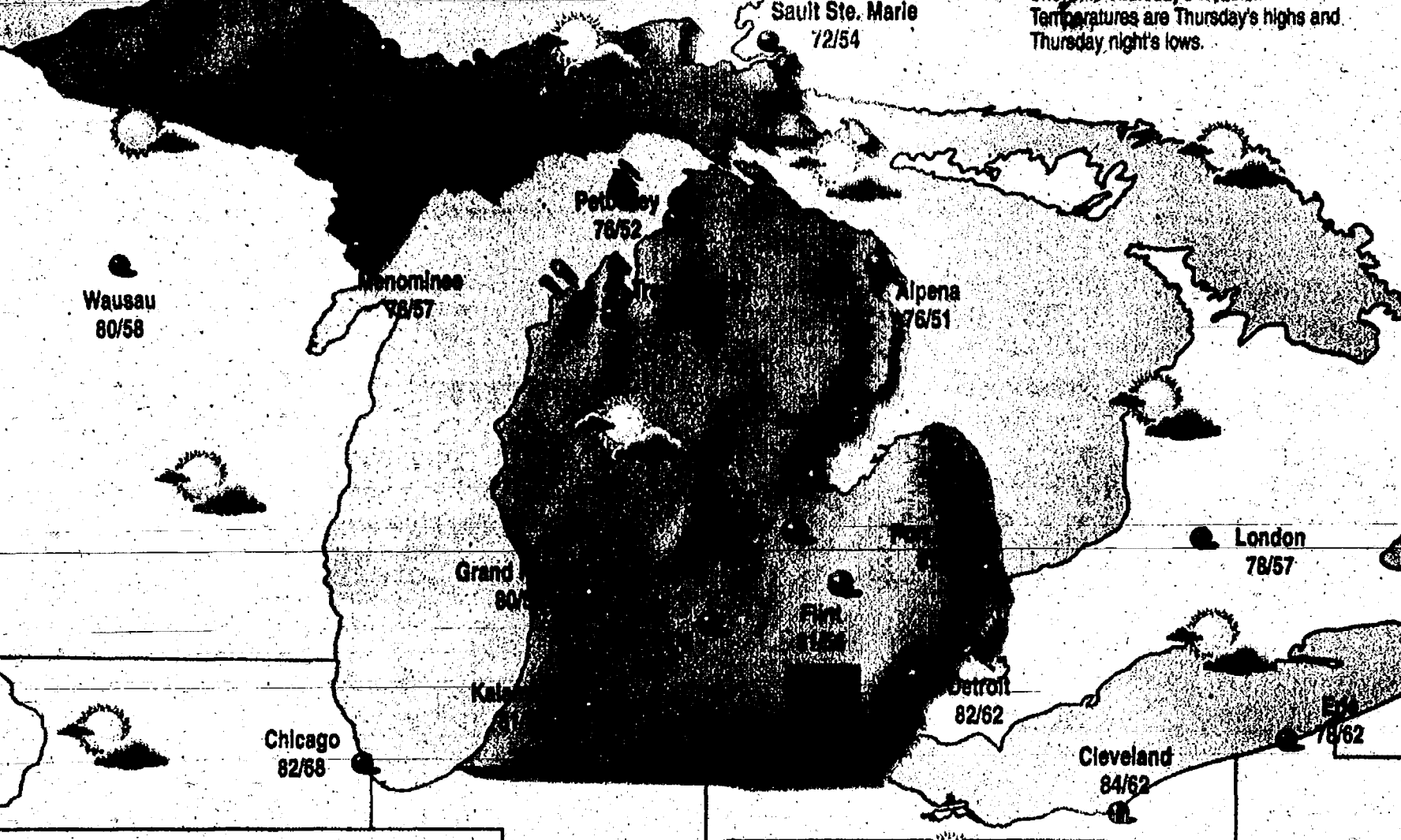
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REGIONAL ROUNDUP

City	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Ann Arbor	84 61 pc	84 60 s	81 60 pc	83 55 c
Battle Creek	82 62 pc	80 60 pc	78 59 sh	77 54 pc
Dearborn	83 64 i	82 63 pc	79 63 pc	81 56 c
Detroit	82 62 i	82 62 pc	79 62 pc	81 56 c
Grand Rapids	80 59 s	82 58 s	78 59 i	79 52 s
Holland	80 57 s	81 58 s	78 59 i	77 50 s
Jackson	81 59 pc	78 59 s	78 60 sh	78 54 c
Kalamazoo	81 58 pc	80 57 s	78 60 i	81 54 pc
Livonia	83 62 pc	82 61 s	79 61 s	82 55 c
Midland	81 57 s	79 60 pc	76 69 i	81 56 pc
Muskegon	79 59 s	79 58 s	75 60 i	77 54 pc
Owosso	82 56 pc	82 55 s	78 57 c	79 50 c
Portage	83 66 pc	80 64 s	78 64 s	79 57 c
St. Joseph	81 58 pc	80 57 s	79 59 s	78 56 pc
Sturgis	81 59 pc	80 59 s	76 60 i	80 57 pc
Toronto	77 57 pc	75 57 pc	78 64 pc	75 54 c
Traverse City	77 56 s	77 55 s	76 57 c	77 51 c
Warren	84 66 i	82 64 pc	80 64 s	80 55 c
Wausau	80 58 pc	78 58 s	78 56 c	77 51 pc

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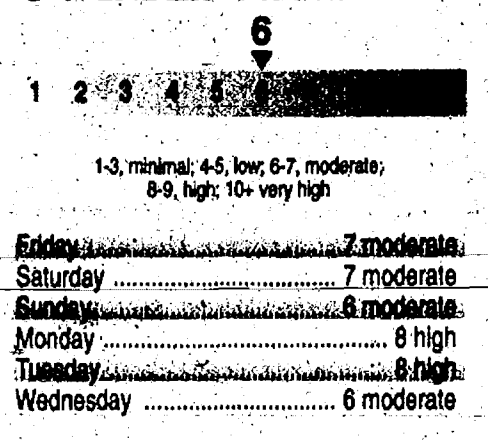
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Noon Friday	82°
Noon Saturday	72°
Noon Sunday	80°
Noon Monday	80°
Noon Tuesday	82°
Noon Wednesday	84°

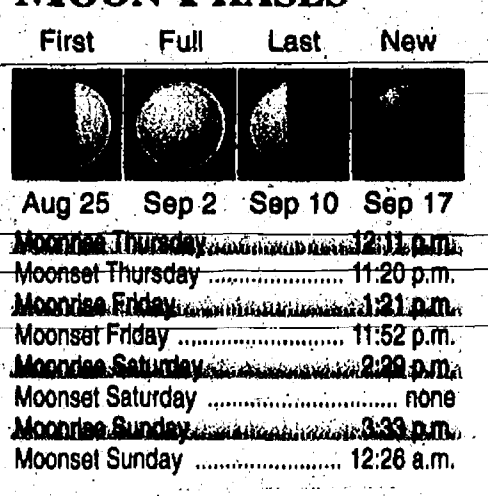
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SUNRISE/SUNSET

Sunrise Friday	6:52 a.m.
Sunset Friday	8:22 p.m.
Sunrise Saturday	6:53 a.m.
Sunset Saturday	8:21 p.m.
Sunrise Sunday	6:54 a.m.
Sunset Sunday	8:19 p.m.

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NATIONAL ROUNDUP

City	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Arlene	95 72 s	92 69 s	93 70 s	91 67 s
Albuquerque	88 62 pc	88 62 pc	88 62 pc	88 64 i
Albany	80 83 i	80 84 s	80 83 s	88 82 s
Anchorage	82 63 s	78 63 s	84 81 s	82 81 s
Bismarck	83 55 pc	83 52 s	78 54 s	82 53 s
Boise	84 54 pc	82 56 pc	86 56 s	86 56 s
Casper	86 50 pc	82 52 pc	80 46 sh	84 50 s
Cedar Rapids	82 61 pc	78 59 i	81 61 c	81 55 pc
Cheyenne	78 60 pc	78 60 pc	78 48 sh	81 52 s
Colorado Springs	78 62 pc	78 64 s	78 55 pc	78 58 pc
Colorado	87 60 i	86 59 s	85 64 pc	85 64 pc
Dallas	88 76 s	88 74 s	93 74 s	95 70 pc
Denver	86 55 pc	83 55 pc	84 55 pc	80 57 i
Des Moines	83 64 c	78 62 c	84 62 pc	81 60 pc
Eugene	72 63 sh	80 60 s	81 52 s	81 58 s
Flagstaff	88 80 s	86 82 s	92 64 s	96 64 s
Garden City	83 63 pc	81 63 s	79 63 pc	81 55 c
Grand Junction	84 57 s	85 58 s	86 61 s	86 63 pc
Great Falls	77 46 pc	74 46 pc	79 48 s	82 51 s
Greeley	80 50 pc	81 53 s	80 54 pc	82 60 pc
Houston	93 74 i	92 73 i	93 72 i	92 74 i
Kansas City	88 66 i	86 66 i	84 66 pc	86 66 pc
Las Vegas	89 71 s	87 70 s	87 70 s	101 68 s
Little Rock	82 68 s	82 68 s	82 68 s	82 68 s
Miami	82 78 pc	90 78 pc	90 78 pc	91 75 c
Minneapolis	82 60 pc	84 62 pc	80 59 i	74 56 sh
Minot	81 67 pc	79 56 s	75 55 s	81 65 pc
North Platte	84 58 pc	88 58 s	86 88 s	88 82 s
Omaha	82 62 pc	80 62 i	84 62 s	82 62 s
Phoenix	102 78 s	104 76 s	104 78 pc	104 78 s
Pierre	83 57 s	86 59 s	85 57 s	87 58 pc
Portland	68 56 sh	70 54 pc	76 54 pc	78 60 s
Rapid City	84 54 s	81 53 s	79 54 s	85 57 s
Reno	83 48 s	80 41 s	84 45 s	93 45 s
Roseburg	82 62 pc	82 62 pc	82 62 pc	82 62 pc
Salt Lake City	80 58 s	84 58 s	85 60 s	88 62 pc
San Angelo	95 71 s	94 70 s	94 70 s	91 64 s
San Antonio	96 74 i	92 73 i	92 75 i	89 73 i
San Francisco	66 56 pc	68 56 pc	68 56 pc	70 58 pc
Santa Fe	83 54 pc	82 62 pc	82 54 pc	83 55 pc
Santa Fe	84 58 sh	86 56 pc	72 64 pc	74 56 s
Seattle	81 60 pc	81 60 pc	81 60 pc	81 60 pc
Spokane	72 49 sh	76 51 s	81 55 s	83 51 s
Springfield	87 68 pc	85 68 i	84 64 pc	84 58 s
St. Paul	82 60 pc	79 61 pc	80 59 i	76 58 sh
Tucson	98 72 s	98 72 s	98 72 pc	96 74 pc
Tulsa	93 73 pc	93 72 s	91 71 s	92 71 pc
Washington	90 72 pc	88 72 pc	88 70 pc	88 74 sh
Yellowstone	69 39 s	66 38 pc	68 39 s	72 42 s

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