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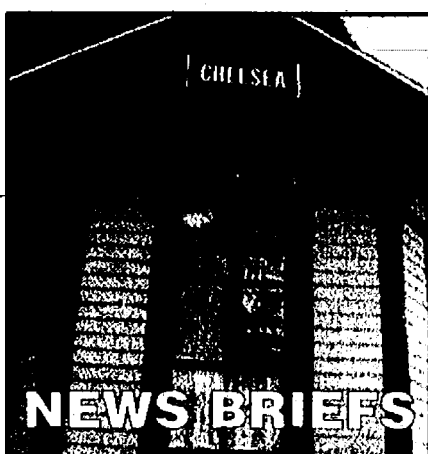
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Burgess named to political honor roll

Sylvan Township Supervisor Charles Burgess has been named to the 2003 Republican Chairman's Honor Roll.

Burgess serves as co-chairman of the committee's Business Advisory Council. He is being recognized for service and support in keeping the White House and Congress in Republican control.

As a member of the honor roll, his name will be on display at the Republican headquarters in Washington, D.C.

Burgess also qualifies to receive the committee's highest honor, the prestigious Republican Gold Medal, to be presented at a special awards ceremony in the nation's capital. Honorees will be announced later this year.

Hospital welcomes new administrator

David Zilli was hired June 30 as the new chief financial officer of Chelsea Community Hospital.

Zilli comes to Chelsea after serving for eight years as CFO for Bon Secours Cottage Health Services in Grosse Pointe.

He is a certified public accountant and graduate of Wayne State University. He has a master's degree in finance from Walsh College in Troy.

Zilli is a past president for the Eastern Michigan Chapter of Healthcare Financial Management Association, a current member of the National Advisory Committee for National Healthcare Financial Management Association, American Institute of CPAs and the Michigan Association of CPAs.

Zilli and his wife, Ruth, live in Clinton Township with their three children.

Council interviewing candidates

Seven manager hopefuls vie for position.

By Sheila Pursglove
Associate Editor

Interviews for the position of Chelsea village manager continue tonight with the final three of seven candidates.

Interviews will be held at the Washington Street Education Center boardroom, 500 Washington St., in Chelsea. Four others were interviewed Tuesday and yesterday.

The new manager will succeed

Jack Myers, who retired June 10. Myers, who took a similar position in Stockbridge June 16, may serve as a consultant until his successor is named.

Today's interviewees are Dale Martin at 5 p.m., Dennis Craun at 6 p.m. and Reid Charles at 7 p.m.

Barbara Skidmore and John Hanifan were interviewed Tuesday, and Shea Charles and Matthew Storbeck yesterday.

Skidmore, a Jackson resident, holds a bachelor's degree in political science and a master's degree in pub-

lic administration, both from Kent State University in Ohio.

She has spent 18 years in municipal management and community and economic development, and has held positions in local, regional and state government in Ohio and Michigan. Among those positions has been city department head, assistant city manager, assistant public works director, principal planner, financial officer, account executive, governor's liaison and community development manager.

Skidmore, who has also worked in sales, has volunteered with the

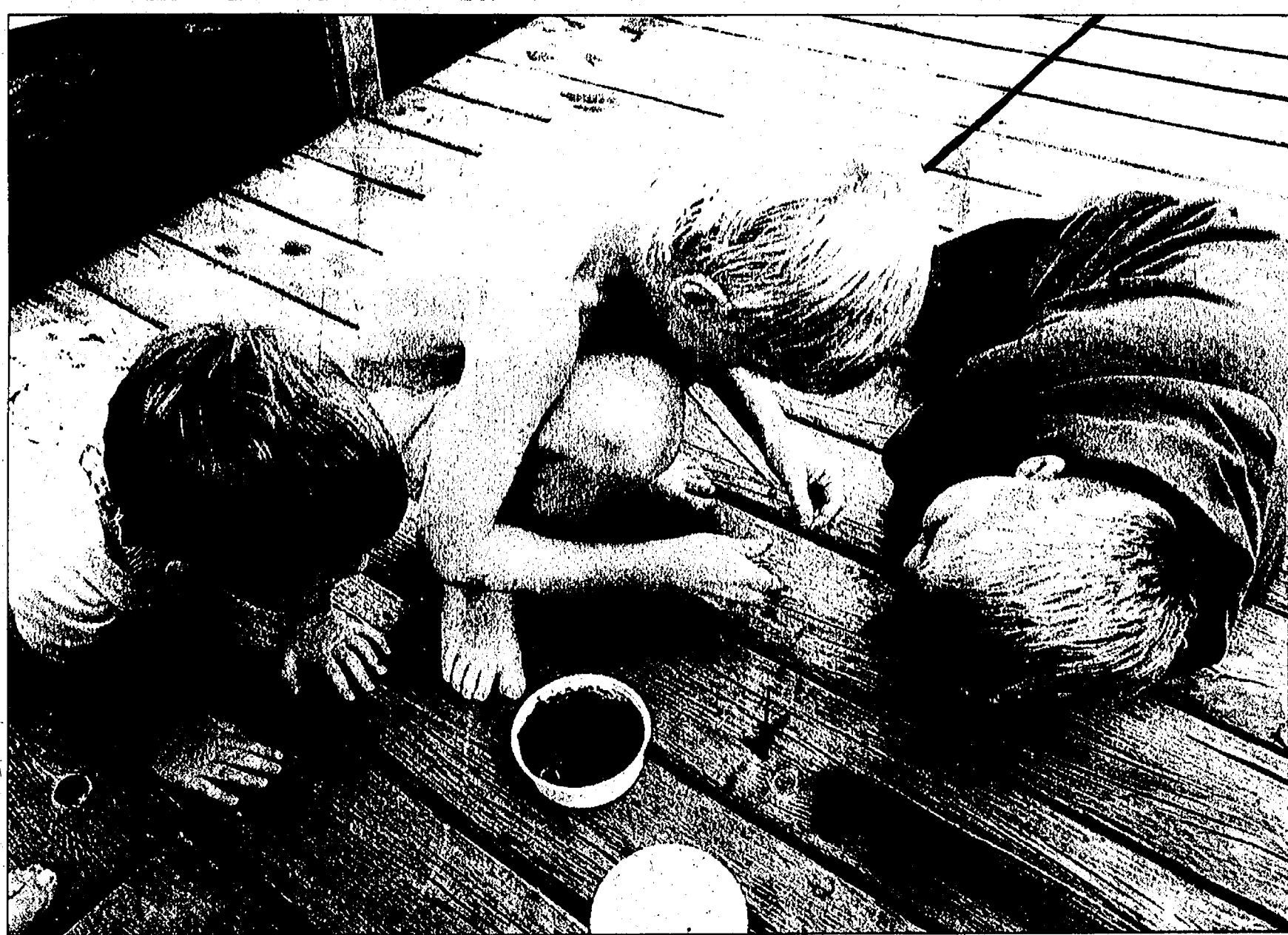
Michigan Theater in Jackson. She has been a part-time instructor at Cleary College and Jackson Community College, and is a member of the Native American Inter-Tribal Olympics Foundation.

Hanifan has served local governments in Michigan for more than six years. For nearly three years, he has served as a top assistant to the Royal Oak city manager in a community of more than 60,000 residents.

He is responsible for coordinating the activities and functions of the

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Go Fish



Autumn Johnson (left), Christopher Torrice and Andrew Mullins bait a worm as they prepare for some fishing on Cavanaugh Lake.

Photo courtesy of Alice Rawson

Bentley heads board

New trustee sworn in Monday.

By Sheila Pursglove
Associate Editor

The Board of Education held an organizational meeting Monday prior to its regular board meeting.

New Trustee Laurel McDevitt was sworn in by Superintendent Dave Kilips. McDevitt won the June 9 election, defeating incumbent Conrad Knutsen.

Jon Bentley, who was first elected as a trustee last year, was named board president. Former president Scott Broshar, first elected to the board in 1996, had already given notice that he wanted to step down, citing work responsibilities.

Dayle Wright continues as vice president, Beth Starkey takes over from Susan Moore as secretary and Rob Turner takes over from Starkey as treasurer.

McDevitt, Broshar and Moore will serve as trustees.

Tech wizard

Andrews guides people through the Web

By Rita Fischer
Special Writer

Exploring the Internet can be a daunting task, but technology guru Ron Andrews is on hand to lead the way.

Andrews, head of technology services for the Chelsea District Library, came on board last year to oversee the library's computers and electronic resources.

"I'm really excited about the technology at the Chelsea library," he says. "I've presented a few computer work-

shops already and they were well received.

"I really enjoy computer training and firmly believe that the library is the place to do it. I often hear people say that libraries are not needed because we have the Internet. I strongly disagree."

While the library currently has four public workstations where patrons can access the Internet, Andrews will install six new Internet workstations and desks by the

beginning of August. These will provide a better work area and more resources for training workshops. Andrews will run database computer camps Aug. 11 through 14 at the library, 500 Washington St.

Andrews helps library patrons find information on the Internet and shows them how to access online databases that provide information in a more organized format. He views his love of

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Photo by Rita Fischer

Ron Andrews, head of technology services for the Chelsea District Library, shows Abby Ingall how to access a Web site for her research.

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Sylvan OKs condo project

■ Peilemeier Drive to handle the traffic.

By Michael Rybka
Special Writer

Sylvan Township Board approved a preliminary site plan July 1 for a 152-unit condominium development south of Coliseum Drive.

The approval is contingent upon the payment of back taxes levied by way of a special assessment. It will allow for earth moving, but not construction.

The board's decision follows a June 26 vote of confidence by the Township Planning Commission.

As a planned unit development, the preliminary site plan needed the extra step of the board's approval prior to further plans being submitted.

Developer Rene Papo of Magellan Properties first introduced the project, called Sylvan Heights, to the

Planning Commission in early October. A public hearing followed later in the month. At the time, it was a 198-unit development to be accessed by a Commerce Park Drive extension. Construction was expected to begin in March.

However, negotiations with the village over Commerce Park Drive right-of-way issues led to the project's delay.

The approved plan skirts the right-of-way issue by having the development accessed by Peilemeier Drive, which is located solely within Sylvan Township.

The reconfiguration also necessitated reducing the number of units on the 25-acre property from 178 to 152 after earlier engineering problems reduced the number from 198 to 178.

The board also approved Magellan Properties' final site plan for six office and storage building to be built

to the south of the condominium project.

Approval was contingent on the acquisition of various permits.

Other matters were also addressed at the meeting. The board allocated \$21,370 to the Washtenaw County Road Commission for three brine applications on the township's dirt roads and the spreading of limestone on Conway Road.

The \$6,370 limestone project will not commence until a controversy concerning site distance at the intersection of Conway Road and Witness Tree Lane is resolved.

The Township Board and the Road Commission contend that a high incline on Conway Road should be leveled to improve site distance for those exiting Witness Tree Lane.

Some residents are opposing the plan because it would involve the uprooting of mature trees.

An on-site meeting with board members, commission representatives and all interested residents will take place 4 p.m. July 22.

After the board approved an \$80,000 payment on its 5-year-old township hall, Treasurer Arlene Grau reported that the debt on it now stood at \$50,000.

Grau, who is the township's representative at the monthly Michigan Township Association meetings, also reported on its last assembly. She said there was talk that the county's interest in regional planning is an attempt to usurp the role of townships.

Grau told Clerk LuAnn Koch, who represents Sylvan on the Chelsea Area Regional Planning Team, to exercise caution before signing any county-authored cooperative agreements.

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Photo by Rita Fischer

Funny Face

Pokadot the Clown paints a face on 5-year-old Kevin Giganti of Sylvan Township at the Chelsea Community Education Preschool end-of-year party May 22.

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training people as his greatest contribution to the library.

"I'm looking forward to providing more insights into good quality Internet searching, understanding and using online databases, and just how the Chelsea area customers can find whatever information they are looking for in a more timely manner," he says.

Andrews enjoys sharing his experience in the electronic world of the Internet, enabling library patrons "to satisfy their informational needs faster and create opportunities for lifelong learning in this fairly new medium," he says.

The North Carolina native got his start in the field in ninth grade when the school librarian let him dabble among the books. He earned a bachelor's degree in theater and music, from Mars Hill College in North Carolina before earning a master's degree in library science from the University of North Carolina in Greensboro.

After graduation, he worked in the medical library at Bowman Gray School of Medicine at Wake Forest University, where his supervisor encouraged him to focus on computers and technology.

For the 15 years prior to moving to Chelsea, he worked in adult continuing education, business science and technical services departments at Forsyth County Public Library in Winston-Salem, N.C.

Andrews visited Michigan in November 2001. During a drive around Chelsea, he saw and fell in love with the McKune Memorial Library on Main Street. Two months later, when he saw a posting for the job of technology librarian at the Chelsea District Library, he applied and landed the job, starting May 2002.

He says the library staff welcomed him with open arms and ideas.

"The strength in the library lies within its staff who really want to provide the best possible services, and programming to its members," he says. "They are really committed and working hard on the current building project with the library board and committee members to bring Chelsea a library that will be the hub of informational and lifelong learning needs."

An organist and choir director for almost three decades, Andrews studied music at the North Carolina School of the Arts, Salem College Prep Department and Mars Hill College. Prior to moving to Michigan he was organist and choir director at Sedge Garden United Methodist Church in

Kernersville, N.C., and he is currently subbing at St. Paul's United Church of Christ in Chelsea.

He puts his music experience to good use in the library's video and music collection, where he is in the process of weeding out and improving the video selection and bringing DVD formats to the collection.

Even Michigan's famous winter weather doesn't faze him. While he doesn't miss the humidity of North Carolina, and claims to like cold weather, he does miss the mountains of his native state, although he hopes an upcoming visit to Michigan's Upper Peninsula will provide some similar vistas.

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A story in last week's edition should have said 770 Taylor, LLC, was the second highest bidder for a 26-acre site located on the corner of North Fletcher and Seitz roads. Biff Weber owns the company and lost the bid to Norfolk Development.

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

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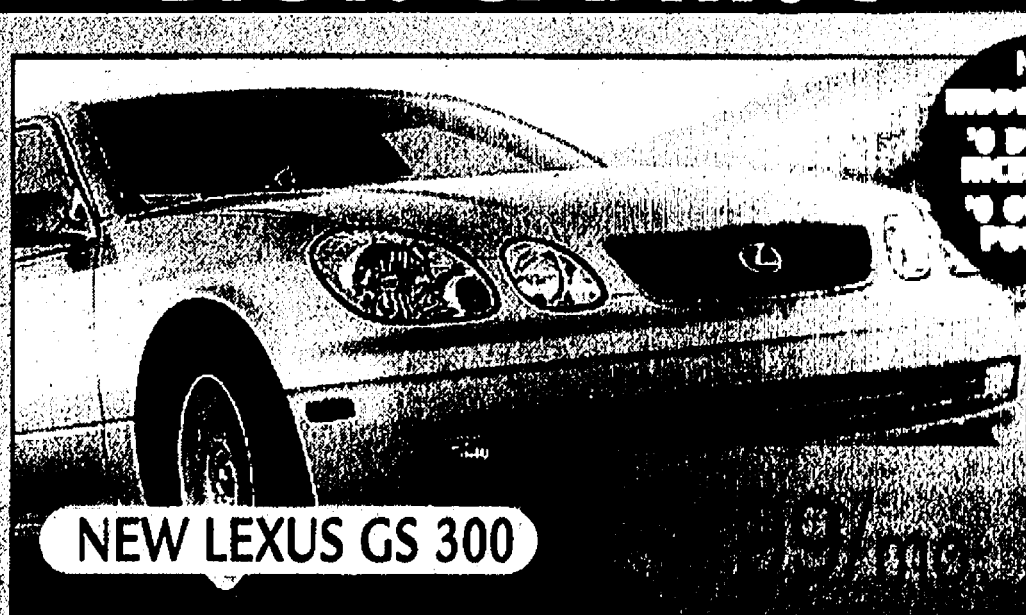
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St. Mary Catholic Church in Chelsea awarded scholarships May 25 to eight Chelsea High School students. Grand Knight Thomas Turek (left) is pictured with Religious Education Director Cathy Guinan, award winner Stacey Nadeau, Youth Program Director Mary Lou Hahn-Setta, award winner Matthew Hollo, award winner Scott York, award winner Scott Longpre, award winner Joyce Lewis, award winner Dustin Hopkins, award winner Ryan Houle and the Rev. William Turner. Award winner Ashley Niesen is not pictured.

Church groups award scholarships

K of C and church youth program award scholarships.

By Michael Rybka
Special Writer

The Chelsea Knights of Columbus held its annual Baccalaureate Breakfast May 25 for graduating seniors of St. Mary Catholic Church. Grand Knight Thomas Turek and Youth Director Mary Lou Hahn-Setta awarded scholarships on behalf of the organization and the St. Mary Youth Program.

Matthew Hollo and Ryan Houle were each presented a \$500 Grand Knight Scholarship. Scott Longpre and Stacey Nadeau were given \$250 Grand Knight scholarships.

The Knights of Columbus scholarships are exclusive to graduating seniors of council members.

Ashley Niesen and Scott York were each awarded a \$100 Tina Kenny Scholarship. The award is named after the original proponent of the Servant Leadership program and subsidized by various youth events.

Dustin Hopkins and Joyce Lewis were each given the \$100 Amanda Martin Scholarships, a memorial fund set up by the Martin family.

Hahn-Setta said that more than 125 students were eligible for scholarships or awards.

"You have to be truly outstanding to be recognized,"

she said.

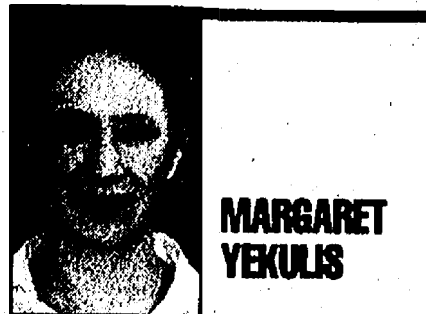
Grand Knight scholarships are subsidized by general council funds and money generated from youth programs held throughout the year.

Past Grand Knight scholarships are funded by the sale of desserts and soft drinks sold at the parish's weekly Lenten fish fry.

Judge Kirk Tabbey of the 14th District Court in Ypsilanti was guest speaker at the breakfast. He, along with those in attendance, enjoyed a breakfast prepared under the supervision of Norman Raupp and the efforts of his brother knights and their families.

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Young actors perform in 'The Music Man'



MARGARET YEKULIS

PLAY REVIEW

A younger generation of performers is hitting the boards in Chelsea.

The Chelsea Area Players Junior troupe hosted a Youth Theatre workshop June 16 through July 2, featuring the theme "Back to Broadway."

The workshop culminated July 2 in a presentation of "The Music Man Junior," a shorter version of the original play.

This was the 29th year of the workshop and introduced the new Chelsea Area Players Junior Theater program, giving an opportunity to young thespians.

The young performers put in five-hour days for 2 1/2 weeks to polish their performances before the final stage show.

The musical was directed by Rowyn Baker, a member of the Chelsea Area Players' board of directors since 1997. Juliana Deleruyelle, a teacher at the summer workshop for four years, assisted her.

Bridgit Rutz, who also serves as vocal director for the Dexter Community Players' production of "Pippin," served as the music director.

Kaitlyn Kooyers, a teacher and assistant at the workshops for the past five years, choreographed the children's dance moves.

The set was designed and built by Scott Mancha and his crew of current and former Chelsea High School theater members.

"The Music Man Junior," set in Iowa, 1912, was split into 10 scenes and covered the major parts of the original play, capturing such memorable pieces as "Seventy-Six Trombones," "Til There Was You," "Gary, Indiana" and "Goodnight My Someone."

Overall, the cast of 55 children, ranging from second through eighth grades, put on a very nice performance.

Frederik VanReesema, easily one of the standouts and stars of the show, played the lead role of Harold Hill. Playing the stubborn Marion Paroo was Amanda Patton, who was equally as good for her part.

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Lyndon reviews architect drawings

Building to be located on M-52 in Lyndon Township.

By Michael Rybka
Special Writer

The Lyndon Township Board reviewed preliminary sketches of its new town hall June 24 at a special meeting.

The drawings by architect Carl Hueter showed, from the front, a traditional rectangular building with a peaked roof that is relieved in the center by an A-frame extension used for the hall's entrance.

The simplicity should make future additions easier to assimilate, Hueter said.

The rear includes a walk-

out basement with a succession of windows that extend to floor level in the upper and lower tiers. The board, however, said it was too much glass.

Trustee Kathryn Francis said many people did not feel comfortable sitting in front of glass.

Francis also said that glass extending to the floor could have an uneasy effect on some people.

Township Supervisor Maryann Noah said smaller windows would be easier to maintain.

Francis suggested that some could be completely eliminated from the design to save money. Noah, however, nixed the idea.

"We can either afford this project or we can't," she said.

The new town hall will be located on 4.58 acres on the west side of M-52 between North Territorial and Boyce roads.

The land was purchased from former clerk Janis Knieper and her husband, Rodney, last fall for \$100,000.

The purchase was prompted after the old town hall could no longer accommodate the township's needs or the increasing numbers of voters.

The township has set aside \$350,000 for design and construction of a new hall.

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Larceny

Two mountain bikes valued at \$300 were stolen June 23 from the 1000 block of Rabbit Run Circle. A 39-year-old woman told Washtenaw County Sheriff's deputies that the bikes were stored behind a maintenance garage.

Equipment valued at \$82,000 was reported stolen July 5 from Andrew's Construction Co., 290 Metty Drive. A foreman told police that a skid steer and trailer were taken between 6 p.m. July 3 and 11 a.m. July 5.

The trailer was unhitched from a dump truck and dragged away.

Police noted that the business reported a similar incident a year ago.

Four 17-inch aluminum rims valued at \$2,000 were reported stolen July 3 from a 2003 Ford Focus parked on Varsity Ford's storage lot at 2880 N. Zeeb Road.

The incident happened between 5 p.m. June 28 and 10:30 a.m. June 30.

Larceny was reported June 29 at Bel-Mark Lanes, 3530 Jackson Road. A 32-year-old Ypsilanti woman told police that someone entered her unlocked car between 9:30 and 10:30 p.m. June 28 and stole some items. She found her property in the movie theater's parking lot nearby, but couldn't find a pay stub with her social security number on it.

The victim said she wanted to report the incident in case someone tries to use the information to steal her identity.

An Ontario truck driver told police June 28 that someone stole five windows from the back of his unlocked truck while he took a nap between 2:45 and 4:45 a.m. at Pilot truck stop, 750 Baker Road. The windows are valued at \$500.

The owner of A-1 Window Cleaning told police June 9 that his receptionist, a 24-year-old Ypsilanti woman, took two cellular phones and embezzled money.

The owner, a 46-year-old West Bloomfield man, said the suspect has cashed forged checks and made phone calls totaling nearly \$600. The woman cashed the checks at a party store in Ypsilanti.

The investigating officer noted that the woman is accused of a similar crime against One American Maids.

Property Damage

Malicious destruction of property was reported July 6 in the 900 block of Eagle Road in Polo Fields subdivision. A 49-year-old Canton woman told deputies that someone smashed the front door window, causing \$4,000 in damage.

In addition, eggs were

thrown at the new home and ketchup was smeared on it.

The incident occurred between 8 p.m. July 4 and 6 a.m. July 5. BRG Custom Homes of Southfield was listed as the victim.

A Ford tractor was damaged while parked at the site of a Belle Tire under construction at 4049 Jackson Road. The damage occurred between 8 p.m. June 27 and 7 a.m. June 28.

A construction supervisor with J.G. Morris in Flat Rock reported the incident. He thinks a neighbor playing with a BB gun may be responsible. Damage is estimated at \$50.

Two 19-year-old Chelsea men paid \$600 to Pilot truck stop, 195 Baker Road, May 26 to avoid prosecution in a property-damage complaint.

Both were seen leaving the bathroom in a hurry prior to a witness finding the urinal and a toilet seat damaged.

One of the men admitted to "acting stupid" and pulling the urinal off the wall. The other, a former Chelsea High School track star, told police that he is studying to become a teacher and doesn't need "any more trouble." The witness was able to identify both men because he went to school with the athlete.

Both offered to pay for the damage if Pilot agreed to drop any charges.

Assault and Battery

A 32-year-old Ann Arbor woman was struck in the head with a half-full iced tea bottle July 4 while leaving Quality 16 Theater, 3886 Jackson Road.

The woman's husband, 35, told police that someone threw the plastic bottle in the air as the credits for "Terminator 3" were rolling. He said the bottle hit a ceiling fan and ricocheted, striking her in the head and spewing iced tea.

The victim was treated at the scene by paramedics with Huron Valley Ambulance and taken to the University of Michigan Hospital.

A 45-year-old Gowen man said he was attacked June 28 by a homeless man in the parking lot at Travel America truck stop, 200 Baker Road. The victim, who police said appeared intoxicated, said the suspect jumped him in the parking lot and struck him several times before walking off into the woods.

Deputies searched the woods and found the suspect's campsite, but couldn't locate the man.

Breaking and Entering

A 28-year-old Jackson woman told police that someone stole her wallet June 30 from her car while it was parked at the Theftford warehouse, 800 Baker Road. The victim said her car was locked, but her window was slightly open.

A co-worker saw someone

in the parking lot, but couldn't identify the person. The wallet is valued at \$50.

Stolen Vehicle

A 50-year-old Ann Arbor woman told police that someone stole her 2002 Chevy Monte Carlo while she was at Quality 16 Theater, 3886 Jackson Road.

The theft occurred between 10 p.m. and midnight. The car is valued at \$25,000. It was parked in the north lot and was locked at the time. The victim said she is current with her payments, so it wasn't repossessed.

Structure Fire

It appears a local couple's 22-year-old son is responsible for \$20,000 in damages after he left an ashtray with a burning cigarette unattended in his bed. The man's bed apparently caught fire, causing \$20,000 in smoke damage to the home, located at 2615 Valley Road.

The incident happened between 9 and 9:35 p.m. while the family was watching television. The couple's son said he went to his room a couple of times to smoke and must have left the ashtray on the bed.

Scio Township Fire Department was called to the scene. The man's father extinguished the blaze with a fire extinguisher before help arrived.

Police confiscated a home-made pipe from the son's bedroom that appeared to be used to smoke marijuana. The pipe had been built using a plastic soda bottle, with tin foil used as a bowl for holding the burning marijuana. An empty ink pen was inserted for smoking.

Retail Fraud

A young boy fled Meijer, 5654 Jackson Road, before police could interview him July 2 about his involvement in a larceny at the chain department store. The retailer's security caught him stealing two compact discs, which he took out of their packaging and hid in his socks while trying on shoes.

The CDs are valued at \$30. The store has the incident on videotape, but can't identify the young man.

Threats

A 29-year-old Manchester woman who works at Pall Corp., 674 S. Wagner Road, told police July 2 that a co-worker's estranged wife has been calling her and making threats because she thinks she and the man are having an affair.

The victim said the suspect, a 26-year-old Ann Arbor woman, called her repeatedly June 29 and 30, leaving threatening messages on her cellular phone.

The suspect told police that she was returning phone calls from the victim. Both were told not to have any more contact with each other.

Medical Assist

A sheriff's deputy helped a 30-year-old township woman avoid a possible tragedy by convincing her to see a psychiatrist after a friend told police that she may be considering suicide.

The woman's friend told police that she had been drinking alcohol and said she was planning to write a note to her mother saying how much she loved her.

The township woman told police that she was upset because she was involved in an accident and the other driver was injured. She agreed to go to the University of Michigan Hospital to seek emergency psychiatric care.

Webster Township Warrant Arrests

An 18-year-old township man was arrested July 1 at his home in the 9400 block of Trinkle Road on a felony warrant.

Two 17-year-old girls, one from Dexter and the other from Ann Arbor, were arrested.

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ed on felony warrants at the entrance to Independence Lake Park.

Retail Fraud

A 14-year-old Dexter boy and his buddy, a 16-year-old Dexter resident, admitted to stealing three Frisbees and a Frisbee bag after they were caught in the act June 28 at C.J.'s Party Store, 4511 North Territorial Road.

A witness told police that he saw the 14-year-old put the Frisbees under his shirt and down his pants, while the older boy took the bag.

Both admitted to the theft and returned the property, which was valued at \$66. The owner said he didn't want to prosecute, but has banned the boys from the store.

Drunken Driving

A 45-year-old Whitmore Lake man is suspected of

driving drunk after rolling his 2000 Jeep while driving on Walsh Road near Merkle Road June 26.

Deputies responded to the crash and found the driver in his vehicle suspended upside down from his seatbelt. Dexter Area Fire Department was at the scene and crews extricated the man from the Jeep.

The driver told police that two deer appeared in the roadway and he swerved to avoid them, running off the road. The investigating officer noted that the man smelled of alcohol and had the hospital take a blood sample to test his blood-alcohol level.

Larceny

Two motocross racing
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bikes and a road touring bicycle were reported stolen June 30 from the 5000 block of Webster Church Road. The bikes were taken between 11 p.m. June 29 and 6:30 a.m. June 30. They are valued at nearly \$4,000.

Dexter Township

Larceny

A 27-year-old Jackson woman told police June 24 that she suspects a 15-year-old Chelsea boy, 16-year-old girl and 25-year-old man of stealing her purse while she was at the Pinckney Recreation Area.

The woman said she didn't know the people very well, but gave them a ride. They saw her put her purse in the trunk of her vehicle.

She told police that she wrapped the car key in a towel and left it unattended. When she returned, the key was gone. She later discovered that her purse had been taken, along with \$200 and prescription medication.

Property Damage

Malicious destruction of property was reported in the 10000 block of Stinchfield Woods Road between noon June 13 and 11 p.m. June 14. The 51-year-old homeowner said he was on vacation and returned to find the telephone line cut and alarm disabled.

There were no signs of forced entry. Damage is estimated at \$100.

Breaking and Entering

A 50-year-old woman told police that someone broke into her 1997 Dodge van June 23 while it was parked at Half Moon Lake. The vehicle was parked near the boat launch. A radio valued at \$190 and a toolbox worth \$50 were taken.

A 55-year-old township woman told police June 15 that she wants a group of teenagers prosecuted for breaking into her father's home in the 7900 block of North Territorial Road and destroying the residence.

The teens are accused of smashing a hole in a door,

spilling beer on the carpeting and breaking a window in a barn on the property.

The suspects, two girls and two boys ages 13 through 16, admitted to breaking in and doing the damage.

Dexter Village

Criminal Sexual Conduct

Sheriff's deputies investigated a report of criminal sexual conduct at Cornerstone Elementary School, 7480 Dan Hoy Road, May 22 involving two 6-year-olds.

The young female victim reported the incident to her teacher, who told the principal. Police were called to interview the children.

The girl told police that the suspect, a young boy, asked her to follow him to the slide. When they got there, she said he pulled down her underwear and touched her, then turned her over and slapped her bottom.

The boy told police that he was sliding down the playground equipment and fell on top of the girl. He said while he was falling, her underwear fell down and his hands accidentally went under her dress.

Police determined that no prosecution would be sought because the suspect is under the age of criminal intent. The principal, however, planned to contact Child Protective Services.

Larceny

Larceny was reported June 2 at Creekside Intermediate School, 2615 Baker Road. A 19-year-old Fowlerville woman told police that someone stole her purse from her locked car.

The car was parked in the north lot. The woman's purse contained \$150 and jewelry.

A 17-year-old Dexter girl told police that someone broke into her vehicle while it was parked behind Clark gas station, 8135 Main St., between 10:30 and 11:20 p.m. June 23. The stereo faceplate, valued at \$300, was taken, along with \$3,000 worth of compact discs.

The thief also caused \$200 in damages after smashing the vehicle's passenger-side window.

Breaking and Entering

Breaking and entering was reported at Protomatic, 2125 W. Bishop Circle. A 69-year-old man told police that someone entered a trailer parked near the building and stole \$680 worth of property, including tools, a bike rack

and generator.

Breaking and entering was reported June 7 at Mugg and Bopps, 2940 Baker Road. A cashier told police that someone smashed the front glass door, causing \$400 in damage, and stole two 12-packs of beer worth \$26 and two cartons of cigarettes valued at \$90.

Chelsea Village

Property Damage

A window in a 1994 Plymouth was reportedly broken July 7 while the car was parked at Chelsea High School, 740 N. Freer Road.

Suspicious Incident

Chelsea police investigated a suspicious incident July 6 at Chelsea Amoco gas station, 1630 S. Main St. A Jackson woman called 911 after hearing a loud bang. Police found a group of kids playing with fireworks behind the building.

Obstruction of Justice

A 22-year-old Chelsea man

was arrested July 3 for obstruction of justice after Chelsea police found him sitting on top of a car in the 100 block of Orchard St.

The man was wanted on a bench warrant for failing to appear in court on charges of possessing marijuana and drug paraphernalia, as well as driving with a suspended license.

Police found suspected marijuana on him, so he could face additional charges of violating the Controlled Substance Act.

Larceny

Larceny was reported July 3 at Chelsea High School, 740 N. Freer Road. A chemistry teacher told police that a teacher's manual, lab book and solutions book valued at nearly \$100 were stolen.

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Lima planners get new leader

■ Board discusses new rest area, hall rental fees, other matters.

By Michael Rybka
Special Writer

The Lima Township Board on Monday appointed Vince Spade to succeed Terry Wesner on the Planning Commission.

Wesner, the former chairman of the commission, submitted his resignation last month, citing health reasons.

Spade will complete Wesner's term, which runs through Dec. 31.

Township Supervisor Kenneth Unterbrink said Wesner distinguished himself on the Planning Commission for eight years, and would continue to be consulted for his advice and wisdom.

Wesner also was the commission's representative on the Zoning Board of Appeals.

Planning Commissioner Charles Schauer will fill the post, which also runs through Dec. 31.

In another matter, the board adjusted its fees for hall rental.

Township residents will be asked to pay \$250 to use the hall for weddings and anniversaries, and \$150 for reunions or family gatherings.

People outside the township will be charged \$400 November through April for bookings and \$300 May through October.

Use of the hall for local meetings will cost \$75, while meetings by outsiders will run \$150 November through April and \$100 May through October.

A \$400 damage deposit is required. No food or beverage is allowed.

Proof of liability insurance, usually underwritten on a renter's homeowners' policy, is also required.

In another matter, Lima resident Jim Ross said the Michigan Department of Transportation was "bamboozling" the Planning Commission over a rest area proposed on the east side of South Freer Road.

Ross said he spoke with an MDOT representative and the township's attorney. In

each case, he was told that the commission had the power to nix the project.

The commission is working under the impression that a state-governed body supercedes local control.

Ross said the MDOT representative told him that it would not go where it was not wanted.

"The Planning Commission does not understand its role," Ross said.

Trustee Gregory McKenzie, who serves on the commission, said the planners were told a different story from MDOT representatives.

The proposed rest area is to replace one near the Baker Road exit ramp on Interstate 94. Plans call for the existing rest area to be eliminated so improvements can be made to Baker Road's exit and entrance ramps.

McKenzie said that, in any case, preliminary site plan approval already has been granted.

McKenzie said that rest areas are perceived as a public good as long as they are in someone else's backyard.

McKenzie said MDOT told commissioners that there is no other viable location for relocating the rest stop and, if that is the case, he would like to see the township cooperate.

Unterbrink said he would require that surveillance cameras be installed on the site.

In another matter, the board approved a dance/entertainment license for Stiver's restaurant, 11 S. Fletcher Road.

In another matter, the board balked at a \$22,000 estimate by the planning firm Carlisle-Wortman Associates to assist the Planning Commission in updating its master plan.

Unterbrink and McKenzie both said that the update would not require the extensive work the firm had outlined.

It was agreed that Unterbrink would contact the engineering firm Orchard, Hiltz & McCliment to see if such work was in its purview and, if it was, to receive an estimate.

Unterbrink will also contact Carlisle-Wortman to see if it will streamline its project outline to reduce its cost.

The board received a positive audit report from the firm Campbell & Kusterer. The independent audit cost \$1,600.

The board's August meeting will be held July 28.

Michael Rybka is a freelance writer. He can be reached at Mhybka@aol.com.

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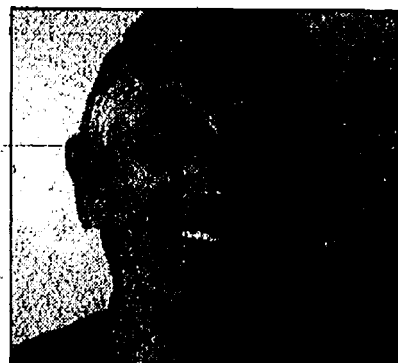
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Street Talk

By Rita Fischer

After celebrating last Friday, what is your best ever Fourth of July memory?



"Always the American Legion, and when we all work together and have fireworks."

Don O'Dell
Sylvan Township



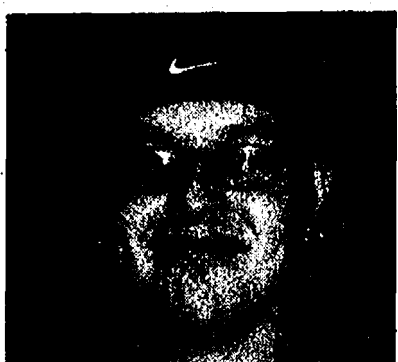
"I liked sparklers as a kid. We would set them all in the fence row and watch them sparkle. Watermelon is also a good thing."

Kay Williams
Sylvan Township



"Going up north to my grandparents' house on Douglas Lake, being on the beach and watching the fireworks that our neighbors shot from their boat."

Kelly Ryan
Sylvan Township



"Getting together at my grandfather's cottage on Island Lake and watching fireworks. It's always fun."

Aaron Fody
Sylvan Township



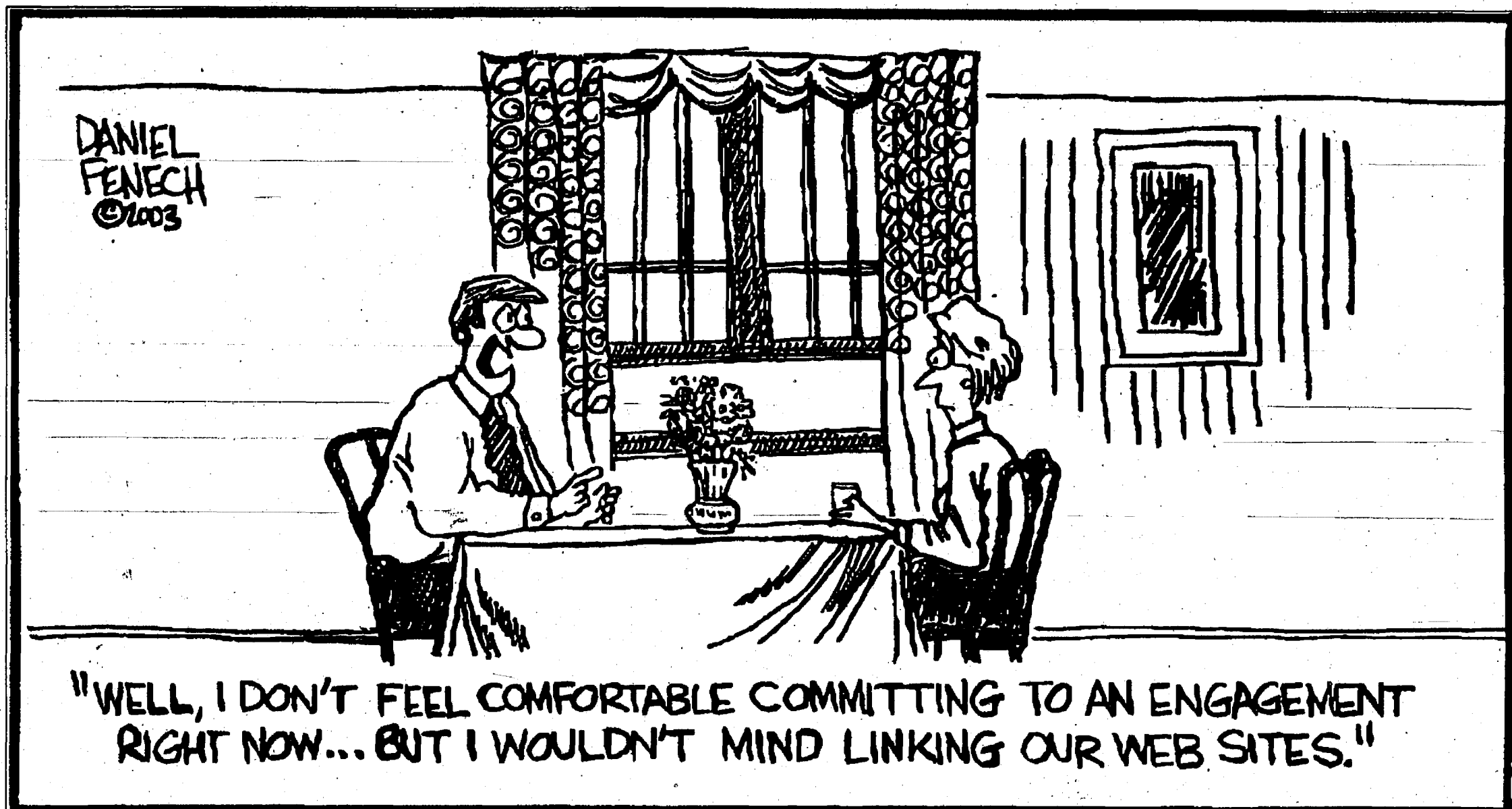
"I liked it when my family went to Chicago. My mom would have a picnic and we would watch the fireworks."

Mary Lyn
Sylvan Township



"Getting together with family and friends, and having a pool party and grill out."

Angie O'Neill
Sylvan Township



LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Library Board should review bid process

In the July 3 edition of The Standard, there's an article about the Chelsea District Library's public relations committee recommending the hire of a group to create a logo.

There appears to have been a process in making this decision. It doesn't seem to me that this process was implemented fairly.

According to the article, the decision came down to two firms. One was Bidlack Creative Group in Ann Arbor and the other was Edgar Norman Creative, a local firm owned by Todd and Janice Orbring.

The article stated that Bidlack and Edgar Norman scored the same. It doesn't say this explicitly in the article, but cost was presumably a factor. Bidlack's bid was \$10,000, almost three times the bid of Edgar Norman.

Now, however, things get fuzzy. The committee for some reason decided to ask Bidlack to lower its bid. Nowhere does it appear to be the case that Edgar Norman was given the same opportunity.

Apparently, Bidlack lowered its bid without any prompting. If it had simply lowered just its bid amount, then perhaps the final decision of the committee would have made sense, but Bidlack also eliminated parts of its proposal.

There is no mention of how those parts affected its score. In any event, even after lowering its bid, the amount is still over twice the bid from Edgar Norman. Would it have mattered if Edgar Norman was given an opportunity to improve its score? It certainly had enough of a dollar difference in which to work.

Other items in the article appear to cloud the whole process. The fact that Bidlack lowered its bid on its own is a nice thing, but was that part of the selection criteria?

Other statements giving weight to Bidlack's Web site being more informative and its interior design talents seem irrelevant.

Was this process fair? Why put in place a process and then not follow it?

I hope that the full library board decides to review this decision.

Brian Cashman
Chelsea Village

Article read like an advertisement

This letter is in response to the article "Activists continue protests" July 3 written by

Kent Ashton Walton.

This was not a news article, but an advertisement for the Chelsea Area Network of Peace Activists. And at the very least, it should have been listed as an opinion piece by a self-proclaimed "activist," as in other articles written by the author ("Just a Thought: Bush has one-track agenda" March 6.)

This being said, I am a Marine Corps veteran who from early January through Memorial Day was present in front of the courthouse in the belief that our troops and their families deserve our support while they are risking their lives to protect our freedom.

Although we no longer gather weekly on the corner, our beliefs have not changed. You can see this by our yellow ribbons, flag lapel pins, "support our troops" yard signs, and our continued support of the friends and families of our service members.

Look for us in the Chelsea Fair Parade.

Patrick McDevitt
Scio Township

Parents should watch their children closely

Early Monday morning, I was walking my dog. I also carry a bag to pick up the dog waste. I was shocked to see all the litter thrown in people's yards — empty cigarette packages, empty pop cups and potato chip bags.

There are trash containers to put trash in.

If you are giving your children money to buy these things, teach them to put their trash in containers. Senior citizens shouldn't have to go out in their yards and pick it up. Let's keep Chelsea beautiful.

Parents, know where your kids are and what they are doing. They are your responsibility. There is nothing so cute as to see these young kids smoking.

Former police Chief John Palmer spoke at the Parent Teacher Organization meeting at school. He had picked up some juveniles and took them to the police station. He called the parents to tell them to come down and get them.

"Oh, they can't be my kids," they said.

He said, "Come and see."

When they came down and found they were their kids, they said, "Don't tell my neighbors."

He said, "The next step is Jackson prison."

Parents, wake up before it's too late. Know what your kids are doing.

Doris Knott
Chelsea Village

Troop supporters to march in parade

This letter is in response to the article about the "anti-government" organization Chelsea Network of Peace Activists. This organization is also known as the Peacemakers, which gathers at the Chelsea Post Office corner on Sundays.

I found it surprising that an article in last week's newspaper did not mention the group's Web site, which highlights other controversial affiliations and would indicate, as mentioned in the article, why they are not unified on every issue.

The group members' articles and letters to the editor seldom identify themselves as representative of a particular organization. If I was supporting such an organization, most likely making financial contributions, I would be disappointed when members failed to take the opportunity to give the organization forthright recognition.

I am a supporter on the opposite corner, in front of the courthouse, supporting our president and nation's troops at war. My support wasn't about standing against the Peacemakers; however, it's pretty clear what my convictions are about, and no need to further justify them.

The original individuals who stood on the courthouse corner started out alone in the dead of winter and believed that in time others would show, and they did. Other than the signs, the supporters came without use of words or fliers.

The Peacemakers did visit our corner to make verbal statements, several times becoming offensive toward us. We witnessed them passing out fliers and lecturing passersby about their cause.

They attempted to pass out poorly printed material to us with confusing statements, but entertaining enough that could have been submitted for one of late-night talk show host David Letterman's Top 10 lists. For the most part, we ignored them.

As quietly as our side arrived on the courthouse corner, we quietly departed. Our departure was with reassurance the community support overwhelmingly outweighed the Peacemakers' vigil.

Apparently, the Peacemakers are still there on Sundays and still trying to gather supporters. I can generally speak for those who participated with Support Our Troops.

We greatly appreciated the

support from the community. Some generous supporters did give us money, which was used for more signs, and handed out coffee on bitter cold days.

A motorcycle organization made dramatic entrances into town in show of their support.

In appreciation to the community, our next gathering will be participating in the Chelsea Fair Parade. It's an open invitation for anyone to join us. Other than candy, we will not be passing out any propaganda and we will not ask for contributions.

We may have individual reasons to be there, but can guarantee we are unified. To find us, just ask a firefighter parade organizer where we're lining up. Otherwise, we'll look for your continued thumbs-up of support as we pass by.

Kerry Smyth
Lima Township

Democracy should not be forced on Iraq

Let's say that you want to teach your neighbor about

democracy. They don't look like you, but they have a family, and they want a better life for their kids. So you think about the best way to explain democracy.

You can give them a copy of the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution, and some books.

You can set up some time and explain democracy. You can show them examples of democracy and its benefits.

Or, you can force them to understand democracy by breaking into their home, taking over their possessions and beating up the family.

Hold your thoughts and change the names. You are the U.S. government and the neighbor is Iraq.

The Fourth of July is over, but let's remember why this country was founded. There are many ways to explain democracy and to solve problems. If you have to hurt people to make your point or to solve a problem, you are the problem.

Arnold Stieber
Waterloo Township

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CANDIDATES

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departments, and organizational units of the city administration under the general direction of the city manager.

Hanifan is also directly responsible for the administration of more than \$20 million in public capital improvements, including a community center, parking structure and city hall renovations. He is currently managing the \$9 million Royal Oak Fire Department Capital Improvements Program.

Prior to Royal Oak, Hanifan served in the Livingston County administrator's office for four years as county waste manager and special assistant to the county administrator. He worked on special projects, including county Web site development, grounds maintenance contract administration, and negotiation of easements.

Hanifan holds a bachelor's degree from Michigan State University and is enrolled in a master's program in public administration at Central Michigan University.

Shea Charles is currently city manager for the city of Hart in western Michigan, where he oversees a city of 2,000.

He is a board member of the Michigan Public Power Agency and was recently elected vice chair of the Northern Lights Generation Project.

During his tenure in Hart, the city has completed a \$5.2 million wastewater treatment plant expansion. Other major initiatives include the construction of a new \$1.4 million library, a \$1.2 million electrical substation and the development of a multi-jurisdictional recreation plan.

Prior, Charles, who has a master's degree in public administration and a bachelor's degree in political science, was management specialist for the city of Lapeer, and before that he worked as an administrative intern for the cities of Birmingham, Ann Arbor and Livonia.

Storbeck, a resident of Otsego, has 14 years of experience as a municipal finance director and treasurer with the city of Otsego. He is responsible for all aspects of the city's accounting system, and for compiling, presenting and administering the city's annual appropriations bill, which averages \$6 million.

Storbeck, who holds a master's degree in public administration and a bachelor's degree in business administration, helped in the design of the new police department and major renovations to city hall.

He drafted and implemented the city's first formal investment and purchasing policies. He also provided

much of the financial and community information for two bond issues, the wastewater treatment plant expansion and downtown improvements.

Storbeck also has been responsible for requesting federal and state grants for various projects, and he has coordinated efforts to develop the city's Web site.

Martin has been the city manager of Linden, a historic community with a population of 2,861, since 1996. He has also served as village manager of Lexington, a resort community on Lake Huron.

Prior, he was a sales manager with Circuit City, an executive recruiter, and an operations manager for the Detroit Pistons.

Under his watch, the city of Linden is completing a series of infrastructure improvements, including road reconstruction, curbs, gutters, sidewalks, water and sewer mains.

Martin is currently working on an application to the Michigan Economic Development Corporation to designate Linden as a Michigan Main Street Community, revitalizing the historic downtown business district.

He holds a bachelor's degree in political science

from Alma College and a master's degree in public administration from Oakland University.

Craun is city manager of Ferrysburg, managing operations of a city with a population of 3,040, 11 employees, 21 volunteer firefighters and a \$4 million budget.

He advises and reports to a seven-member city council, supervises six department supervisors, prepares and administers the budget, and represents the city on five boards. He has been responsible for intergovernmental relations, risk management, professional services and project administration.

Prior, Craun served as city manager, clerk and treasurer for nine years in Eaton Rapids, a city of 4,500. From 1975 to 1981, he was city clerk-treasurer at Eaton Rapids.

Craun, who holds a bachelor's degree from Albion College, previously worked as a purchasing agent with Westinghouse Electric Corp. and as a coordinator with Wickes Corp.

Reid Charles has been city manager of Mount Morris, a city of 3,300 in the metropolitan Flint area, since 1999.

Prior, he served as a consultant, providing planning

and management services to both local governments and private clients, including an economic development plan, Downtown Development Authority plan, environmental assessments and general management and planning.

In his 35 years in government, Charles has managed small municipalities of 3,300 and large cities of 200,000 in New England, and the South, as well as the Midwest, including Hamburg Township and Belleville.

A graduate of Wichita State University, where he earned a bachelor's and master's degree, Charles has experience in city management and planning, financial and personnel administration, public works and utilities administration. He also has experience in budgeting, economic development, policy formulation, housing, community development and code enforcement, and intergovernmental relations.

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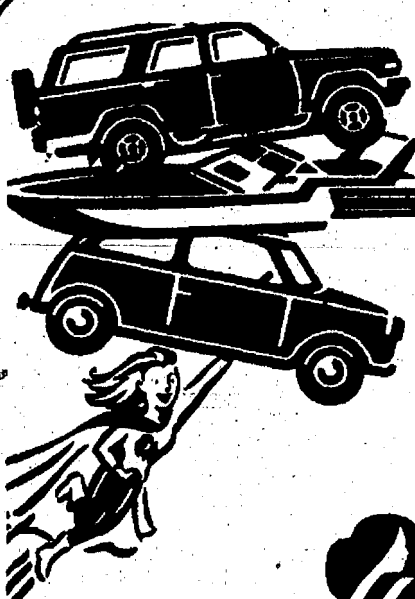
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Education Foundation awards \$60,000 in funding

The Chelsea Education Foundation funded nearly \$60,000 of activities and scholarships in the Chelsea area this past school year.

"In terms of overall level of support to the Chelsea community, this was probably our most successful year since the foundation was established 13 years ago," said Dave Reinhardt, outgoing president of the Chelsea Education Foundation.

"This year, we were also able to create a new endowment for scholarships for continuing students — the Doris Schumacher fund."

Each year, the foundation provides funding for a number of projects in the school district. This year, \$20,000 was granted to teachers and schools to fund activities, as well as enrichment programs, within the district.

An additional \$10,000 was

presented to the Board of Education in March to help fund programs that might otherwise be cut as a result of decreased state funding to the school district.

At the end of May, the foundation awarded more than \$28,000 in scholarships to college and graduating seniors from the Chelsea area.

"The number of scholarship applicants tripled since

last year," said Johanna Kruse, scholarship committee chairwoman and incoming president, "yet we had about the same amount of funds available for scholarships as we have had in the past. The committee had a difficult task selecting schol-

arship recipients from the scores of worthy candidates."

A majority of the scholarship awards come from endowment funds that are invested in stocks and bonds. Besides endowment income, the organization

raises money through the year by direct mail solicitation and an annual fundraiser dinner and auction typically held in February.

More information about the foundation may be found at www.chelseaeducation-foundation.org.

Trees may be in jeopardy

Residents ask for meeting with Road Commission and Sylvan board.

By Michael Rybka
Special Writer

A conflict between residents on Conway Road in Sylvan Township and the Washtenaw County Road Commission over leveling the road is headed for a meeting later this month.

The county wants to level a hill on the road so residents coming from Witness Tree Lane have improved sight distance.

To do so requires that dozens of trees, including mature oaks, be removed.

The Sylvan Township Board initiated the action last August.

Dino and Sandy Milazzo, who live at 5460 Conway Road, oppose the action.

The couple invited Frank DelVecchio and Roy Townsend of the Washtenaw County Road Commission to their home to discuss the matter.

DelVecchio is the director of rights-of-way acquisitions and Townsend is the director of engineering.

The meeting was originally set for June 23. However,

a change in Dino Milazzo's work schedule prompted the Milazzos to write a letter to DelVecchio asking that the meeting be rescheduled.

A meeting has been set 4 p.m. July 22 at the site.

Michael Rybka is a freelance writer. He can be reached by telephone at 475-8597 or via e-mail at Mhrybka@aol.com.



He's a winner! Local resident Ron Pudduck (center) receives the winning gift certificate from Brian Falzon (left) and Josh Sager in United Bank & Trust-Washtenaw's recent client drawing.

Frazier completes military training

Marine Corps Lance Cpl. Brandon Frazier, son of Renee and Hansel Frazier of Chelsea, recently completed a two-week bilateral training exercise with Albanian military forces while assigned to the 28th Marine Expeditionary Unit based in Camp Lejeune in North Carolina.

The unit is currently aboard the USS Iwo Jima.

Frazier, a 2001 graduate of Chelsea High School who joined the Marine Corps in July 2001, is among more than 4,000 Pacific Fleet sailors and Marines who deployed aboard the ships of the USS Iwo Jima Amphibious Ready Group.

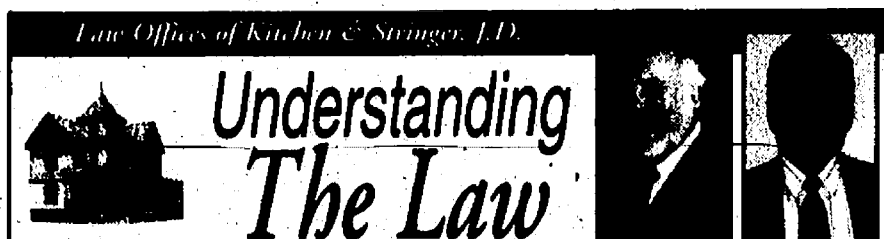


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HIGH: 72°-76° Cloudy with occasional rain.	LOW: 54°-58° Mostly cloudy with showers.	HIGH: 76°-80° Clouds and some sunshine. LOW: 56°-60°	HIGH: 78°-82° Partly sunny. LOW: 60°-64°	HIGH: 80°-84° Mostly sunny. LOW: 62°-66°	HIGH: 80°-84° Increasing cloudiness. LOW: 64°-68°

MICHIGAN



Shown is Thursday's weather. Temperatures are Thursday's highs and Thursday night's lows.

LOCAL WEATHER

Chelsea/Dexter 78/55	Ann Arbor 74/56	Belleville 79/58
Manchester 80/55	Saline 74/58	Milford 77/57
Flint 78/57	Dundee 75/55	Monroe 78/55

ALMANAC

Statistics for the week ending July 7.

Temperatures:

High for the week 91°

Low for the week 53°

Normal high 83°

Normal low 61°

Average temperature 74.5°

Normal average temperature 71.9°

Precipitation:

Total for the week 0.02"

Total for the month 0.02"

Total for the year 15.56"

Normal for the month 0.73"

% of normal this month 3%

% of normal this year 89%

SUN AND MOON

Sunrise Thursday 6:08 a.m.

Sunset Thu. night 9:13 p.m.

Moonrise Thursday 6:21 p.m.

Moonset Thursday 2:56 a.m.

AGRICULTURE

Lenawee, Monroe and Washtenaw Counties

An area of low pressure will bring rain to the region Thursday with rainfall amounts averaging 0.50-0.75 of an inch. Winds northeast at 8-16 mph.

REAL FEEL TEMPTM

The exclusive AccuWeather RealFeel Temperature measures how the air feels, taking into account all weather factors including temperature, humidity, wind, precipitation and sunshine. Shown is the highest real feel temperature for each day.

Highest Thursday 72°

Highest Friday 78°

Highest Saturday 82°

Highest Sunday 84°

SOLUNAR TABLE

Four-day forecast indicates peak feeding times for fish and game.

	Major	Minor	Major	Minor
Thurs. 9:14 a.m.	2:59 a.m.	9:44 p.m.	3:29 p.m.	
Fri. 10:06 a.m.	3:52 a.m.	10:39 p.m.	4:23 p.m.	
Sat. 11:05 a.m.	4:49 a.m.	11:36 p.m.	5:21 p.m.	
Sun. 12:05 p.m.	5:49 a.m.		6:20 p.m.	

UV INDEX

The ultraviolet index is a guide to exposure to the sun. The higher the UV Index number, the greater the need for eye and skin protection.

Highest Thursday 2 Minimal

MICHIGAN CITIES

City	Thur. HI/Lo/W	Fri. HI/Lo/W
Ann Arbor	74/56/7	78/58/pc
Battle Creek	78/57/1	76/58/pc
Bay City	77/57/1	76/59/pc
Coldwater	80/59/1	77/61/pc
Dearborn	78/61/1	78/62/pc
Detroit	74/61/1	78/61/pc
Grand Rapids	76/57/1	76/58/pc
Holland	75/58/1	75/58/pc
Jackson	74/58/1	75/58/pc
Kalamazoo	76/57/1	77/57/pc
Lansing	77/54/1	78/56/pc
Livonia	80/60/1	78/62/pc
Midland	78/57/1	77/59/pc
Monroe	79/59/1	79/60/pc
Monroe	74/57/1	75/58/pc
Muskegon	78/58/1	78/58/pc
Pontiac	80/58/1	78/58/pc
Port Huron	76/57/1	78/59/pc
Saginaw	74/58/1	78/58/pc
Saline	74/58/1	78/58/pc
Sault Ste. Marie	84/52/1	71/53/pc
Sturgis	79/57/1	77/59/pc
Toronto	78/60/1	76/58/pc
Traverse City	73/55/1	75/58/pc
Warren	77/62/1	78/64/pc

WORLD CITIES

City	Thur. HI/Lo/W	Fri. HI/Lo/W
Acapulco	92/78/c	91/79/pc
Algiers	91/66/s	90/66/s
Amsterdam	73/64/pc	73/68/c
Athens	88/69/s	86/67/pc
Auckland	55/47/r	56/44/pc
Bangkok	89/76/1	90/76/c
Barbados	88/87/1	85/89/c
Beijing	89/77/pc	93/79/s
Beirut	88/75/s	86/75/s
Belgrade	70/54/c	84/59/s
Berlin	74/55/pc	78/62/pc
Bogota	67/53/r	67/53/c
Buenos Aires	54/31/pc	58/38/s
Cairo	96/64/s	98/65/s
Calgary	76/48/pc	79/53/pc
Cape Town	57/35/c	52/33/pc
Copenhagen	66/52/pc	67/47/pc
Dublin	77/58/pc	82/58/s
Frankfurt	82/59/s	84/59/pc
Geneva	82/59/s	84/59/pc
Hong Kong	91/78/pc	88/77/pc
Istanbul	81/65/s	86/69/s
Jakarta	88/77/pc	88/75/c
Jerusalem	88/66/s	88/59/s
Johannesburg	63/39/s	63/40/pc
Karachi	89/79/c	90/81/pc

NATIONAL CITIES

City	Thur. HI/Lo/W	Fri. HI/Lo/W	City	Thur. HI/Lo/W	Fri. HI/Lo/W
Akron	82/61/1	76/59/pc	Buffalo	78/62/1	78/58/pc
Albany	79/59/pc	76/60/c	Burlington, IA	82/62/pc	81/63/s
Albuquerque	98/68/s	94/67/s	Burlington, VT	82/62/pc	78/59/c
Anchorage	73/54/s	68/54/c	Casper	90/50/s	88/52/s
Atlanta	90/70/pc	88/70/1	Cedar Rapids	75/60/1	82/60/pc
Atlantic City	81/65/c	82/65/pc	Charleston, SC	92/76/pc	90/73/1
Austin	93/73/pc	96/73/pc	Charleston, WV	84/68/1	81/62/pc
Baltimore	84/68/c	86/66/pc	Charlotte	90/74/pc	88/68/1
Baton Rouge	88/75/pc	91/74/pc	Cheyenne	84/52/s	86/54/s
Billings	85/55/s	86/59/s	Chicago	78/60/1	80/61/pc
Birmingham	90/71/pc	89/71/pc	Cincinnati	84/65/1	84/63/pc
Bismarck	78/56/c	81/58/pc	Cleveland	82/64/1	76/62/pc
Bloomington	82/62/sh	82/61/pc	Columbia, MO	85/62/pc	85/65/s
Boise	94/60/s	98/64/s	Columbus, OH	84/63/1	82/65/pc
Bozeman	78/62/pc	76/64/c	Dallas	95/78/pc	97/78/s
Brownsville	95/80/pc	94/80/pc	Davenport	78/61/1	81/60/pc
Butte	82/61/1	76/59/pc	Denver	88/58/s	94/58/s
Cambridge	82/61/1	76/59/pc	Des Moines	83/64/pc	81/63/s
Canton	82/61/1	76/59/pc	Duluth	80/53/sh	73/52/s
Cedar Rapids	75/60/1	82/60/pc	El Paso	100/70/s	98/70/s
Charleston, SC	92/76/pc	90/73/1	Fairbanks	78/58/pc	72/54/pc
Charleston, WV	84/68/1	81/62/pc	Fargo	73/56/pc	77/56/pc
Charlotte	90/74/pc	88/68/1	Flagstaff	90/48/s	90/49/s
Cheyenne	84/52/s	86/54/s	Fort Wayne	76/58/1	78/60/pc
Chicago	78/60/1	80/61/pc	Gary	71/55/1	77/55/pc
Cincinnati	84/65/1	84/63/pc	Green Bay	88/53/s	88/58/s
Cleveland	82/64/1	76/62/pc	Helena	88/74/pc	87/74/pc
Columbia, MO	85/62/pc	85/65/s	Honolulu	82/78/pc	84/78/pc
Columbus, OH	84/63/1	82/65/pc	Houston	82/59/1	81/62/pc
Dallas	95/78/pc	97/78/s	Indianapolis	82/59/1	81/62/pc
Davenport	78/61/1	81/60/pc	Juneau	71/52/c	65/52/c
Dayton	82/61/1	76/59/pc	Kansas City	88/66/s	88/66/s
Denver	88/58/s	94/58/s	Knoxville	85/67/1	84/65/pc
Des Moines	83/64/pc	81/63/s	Las Vegas	110/82/s	112/84/s
Duluth	80/53/sh	73/52/s	Lexington, KY	83/63/1	81/63/pc
El Paso	100/70/s	98/70/s	Lincoln	87/64/s	87/63/s
Fairbanks	78/58/pc	72/54/pc	Little Rock	90/69/pc	95/70/s
Fargo	73/56/pc	77/56/pc	Los Angeles	90/66/s	90/66/s
Flagstaff	90/48/s	90/49/s	Louisville	84/64/1	84/66/pc
Fort Wayne	76/58/1	78/60/pc	Madison	70/59/1	78/59/pc
Gary	71/55/1	77/55/pc	Memphis	89/79/pc	90/79/pc
Green Bay	88/53/s	88/58/s	Miami	76/60/1	76/62/pc
Helena	88/74/pc	87/74/pc	Minneapolis	67/62/sh	79/65/s
Honolulu	82/78/pc	84/78/pc	Mobile	91/78/pc	92/73/pc
Houston	82/59/1	81/62/pc	Nashville	85/66/1	88/68/pc
Indianapolis	82/59/1	81/62/pc	New Orleans	91/78/pc	91/77/pc
Juneau	71/52/c	65/52/c	New York	80/67/c	80/69/pc
Kansas City	88/66/s	88/66/s	Norfolk	90/76/c	88/72/1
Knoxville	85/67/1	84/65/pc	Oklahoma City	93/70/s	94/68/pc
Las Vegas	110/82/s	112/84/s	Omaha	88/66/s	88/64/s
Lexington, KY	83/63/1	81/63/pc	Orlando	93/74/pc	91/74/1
Lincoln	87/64/s	87/63/s	Palm Springs	114/84/s	114/84/s
Little Rock	90/69/pc	95/70/s	Peoria	82/60/sh	82/61/pc
Los Angeles	90/66/s	90/66/s	Philadelphia	80/68/c	84/66/pc
Louisville	84/64/1	84/66/pc	Phoenix	111/86/s	113/86/s
Madison	70/59/1	78/59/pc	Pittsburgh	80/64/1	80/60/pc
Memphis	89/79/pc	90/79/pc	Portland, ME	75/57/s	74/58/c
Miami	76/60/1	76/62/pc	Portland, OR	88/60/s	88/60/s
Minneapolis	67/62/sh	79/65/s	Providence	79/62/pc	76/63/c
Mobile	91/78/pc	92/73/pc	Raleigh	92/74/pc	90/68/1
Nashville	85/66/1	88/68/pc	Rapid City	81/53/s	83/57/s
New Orleans	91/78/pc	91/77/pc	Reno	98/60/s	98/62/s
New York	80/67/c	80/69/pc	Richmond	90/71/c	89/67/pc
Norfolk	90/76/c	88/72/1	Sacramento	98/68/s	100/64/s
Oklahoma City	93/70/s	94/68/pc	St. Louis	88/65/pc	86/69/s
Omaha	88/66/s	88/64/s	Salt Lake City	98/63/s	93/66/s
Orlando	93/74/pc	91/74/1	San Antonio	93/74/pc	94/78/pc
Palm Springs	114/84/s	114/84/s	San Diego	78/65/pc	80/67/s
Peoria	82/60/sh	82/61/pc	San Francisco	74/56/s	78/56/s
Philadelphia	80/68/c	84/66/pc	Santa Fe	92/57/s	89/57/s
Phoenix	111/86/s	113/86/s	Seattle	80/58/s	80/59/s
Pittsburgh	80/64/1	80/60/pc	South Bend	78/57/1	78/60/pc
Portland, ME	75/57/s	74/58/c	Springfield, IL	82/60/sh	83/62/pc
Portland, OR	88/60/s	88/60/s	Tampa	91/78/pc	91/77/1
Providence	79/62/pc	76/63/c	Toledo	82/59/1	78/61/pc
Raleigh	92/74/pc	90/68/1	Tokyo	88/67/s	89/67/s
Rapid City	81/53/s	83/57/s	Tucson	106/78/s	107/75/s
Reno	98/60/s	98/62/s	Washington, DC	88/70/c	88/68/pc
Richmond	90/71/c	89/67/pc	Wichita	90/68/s	92/69/pc

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Helping Hands



Naab leads student team on mission to Haiti

By Sheila Pursglove
Associate Editor

A few years ago, Sara Naab rode the familiar yellow school buses from her Dexter Township home to Chelsea High School, where she spent her sophomore and junior years. Earlier this month, she headed south in one of those old Chelsea school buses filled with supplies for a school in Haiti.

Naab and 11 of her classmates from the University of Michigan took 7,000 books, 90 computers, 80 monitors, two large printers and 32 100-pound bags of pinto beans to Miami to be loaded on a freighter for Haiti.

In 2001, while Naab was an international studies major at Adrian College, she spent her summer as a volunteer in Haiti, setting up a computer school with used equipment.

The idea had its origins a couple of years earlier, when Naab was working at her father's business, Window Talk, and became curious as to what happens to old computers.

Then she was introduced to a pastor from Port-au-Prince, Haiti, who was visiting the congregation of St. Luke's Lutheran Church in Ann Arbor. He was trying to gather resources to build a computer school in his coun-

try.

It was just the challenge Naab was seeking.

She called missionaries, computer technicians, teachers and international organizations, and soon old computers were rolling in for her project.

Naab followed the computers to Haiti in 2001 to teach Windows 95 and Microsoft Office 97, and attempt to network the "hodgepodge" of computers and connect them to the Internet — no small task in a place where there were no phone lines and electricity was provided by generators.

There was so much work that Naab stayed in Haiti through the fall of 2001 into the spring semester, arranging with her professors at Adrian College to take four independent study courses.

She then made a second trip to Haiti shortly after the terrorist attacks of Sept. 11, 2001.

On this trip, Naab and her classmates will spend the summer setting up a library with 7,000 books donated by a Haitian woman in Montreal. The pinto beans are for an orphanage close to where the students will be staying.

Naab turned to Chelsea Schools Transportation Director Sam Vogel for help in finding an old bus. With a bid of \$1,150, her group was



Dexter Township resident Sara Naab recently led a team of students from the University of Michigan to Haiti. The group bought an old school bus from the Chelsea school district, filled it with supplies, and drove it to Miami to be loaded on a freighter.

able to outbid the recyclers for a 1989 diesel lift bus that had been taken out of service and sold "as is," Vogel said. "By law, certain equip-

ment had to be disconnected such as the stop sign and strobe light," Vogel said. "However, our mechanics showed the students how the school equipment could be hooked back up when the bus is back in use at the school in Haiti."

Mechanics Jim Zenz and Bob Ryan donated their time to work on the bus, making it roadworthy. Vogel and one of his trainers, Connie Cook, donated their time to train two of the graduate group as drivers.

"The lessons included parking the bus, lane location, how to make turns with a big vehicle, and proper stopping distances from other vehicles," Vogel said. "We also taught them how to do a proper pre-trip check of all gauges, equipment, brakes and the engine."

Naab, who plans to videotape this summer's activity and maintain an online journal, said she has a great project on the go in Haiti.

"We're working between a

lot of communities," she said. "I'm really happy about the way that this experience allows people of different backgrounds to work together."

"I think that it's important for us to strive toward good and pure things, helping our brothers and learning from each other in times when the

classmates with me this time."

Naab said she was very thankful for the support of the local community.

"Various members have stepped up to lend a hand," she said. "Last year, a pediatrician's office donated medicines and the old high school donated furniture. I was able to give the medicine to orphan children and the furniture is being used in my school. My friends are very grateful."

Naab has also seen word of her project spread as family and friends talk about it to others.

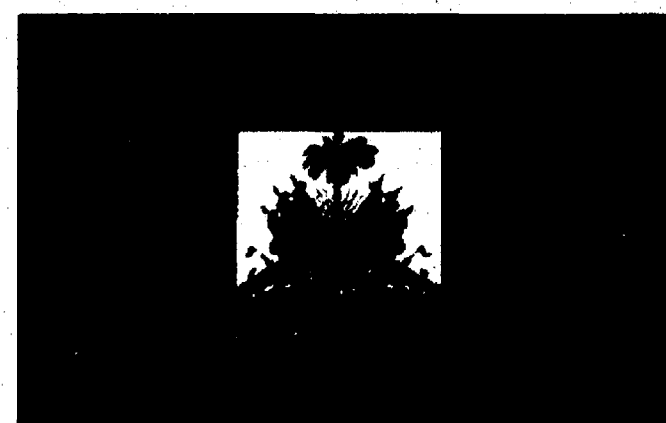
"It promotes a greater appreciation and understanding for the world that seems so far away," she said. "In times when the world is getting smaller, it is important for us to learn to live together."

"This is one way of doing that."

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Sara Naab and her team spent \$1,150 for a 1989 diesel lift bus from the Chelsea Schools Transportation Department. Transportation Director Sam Vogel and driver-trainer, Connie Cook, taught two people in the group how to drive the bus.



world is confused. Haiti has a lot to teach us, we have a lot to offer Haiti. It's a good match."

Naab said she has "grown tremendously" by working on the project.

"Every time I turn, I see the blessings that have poured into my life as a result," she said. "I want to share this experience with others. That's why I decided to take

HAITI FACTS AND INFORMATION

Location:

■ Caribbean, western one-third of the island of Hispaniola, between the Caribbean Sea and the North Atlantic Ocean, west of the Dominican Republic

Climate:

■ Tropical: semiarid where mountains in east cut off trade winds

Terrain:

■ Mostly rough and mountainous

Natural resources:

■ Bauxite, copper, calcium carbonate, gold, marble, hydropower

Population:

■ 6,964,549

Nationality:

■ Haitian(s)

Religions:

■ Roman Catholic 80%, Protestant 16% (Baptist 10%, Pentecostal 4%, Adventist 1%, other 1%), none 1%, other 3% (1982)

Note: roughly one-half of the population also practices Voodoo

Languages:

■ French (official), Creole (official)

Country name:

■ Conventional long form: Republic of Haiti

■ Conventional short form: Haiti

Government type:

■ Elected government

Capital:

■ Port-au-Prince

Independence:

■ 1 January 1804 (from France)

National holiday:

■ Independence Day, 1 January (1804)

Constitution:

■ Approved March 1987; suspended June 1988, with most articles reinstated March 1989; in October 1991, government claimed to be observing the constitution; return to constitutional rule, October 1994

Flag description:

■ Two equal horizontal bands of blue (top) and red with a centered white rectangle bearing the coat of arms, which contains a palm tree flanked by flags and two cannons above a scroll bearing the motto L'UNION FAIT LA FORCE (Union Makes Strength)

Economy - overview:

■ About 80% of the population lives in abject poverty. Nearly 70% of all Haitians depend on the agriculture sector, which consists mainly of small-scale subsistence farming and employs about two-thirds of the economically active work force. The country has experi-

enced little job creation since the former President PREVAL took office in February 1996, although the informal economy is growing. Following legislative elections in May 2000, fraught with irregularities, international donors - including the US and EU - suspended almost all aid to Haiti. This destabilized the Haitian currency, the gourde, and, combined with a 40% fuel price hike in September, caused widespread price increases. Prices appear to have leveled off in January 2001.

Currency:

■ Gourde (HTG)

Highways:

■ Total: 4,160 km

Ports and harbors:

■ Cap-Haitien, Gonaives, Jacmel, Jeremie, Les Cayes, Miragoane, Port-au-Prince, Port-de-Paix, Saint-Marc

Airports:

■ 13 (2000 est.)

Military branches:

■ Haitian National Police (HNP)

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

CHELSEA

Monday, July 14

The Washtenaw County Board of Road Commissioners has rescheduled its board meeting for 1 p.m. at 555 N. Zeeb Road in Scio Township.

Tuesday, July 15

Lima Township Planning Commission will hold a public hearing 7:30 p.m. at Lima Township Hall, 11452 Jackson Road, in Lima Township.

Thursday, July 17

Reader's Theatre will be held 2 p.m. at the Chelsea District Library, 500 Washington St., in Chelsea. Participants will find out how to bring characters in books to life through reading aloud. Performances will be held at 3 p.m. Registration is required. The activity is free. Call 475-8732 for more information.

Center Gallery Reception, featuring artist Jane Farrell, will be held 6 to 8 p.m. at the Chelsea Center for the Development of the Arts, 400 Congdon St., in Chelsea. The reception is free. For more information, call 433-2787.

Saturday, July 19

The 16th annual St. Louis Center Memorial Golf Outing will be held 9 a.m. at Pierce Lake Golf Course, 1175 S. Main St., in Chelsea. To register for the event or for more information, call 475-8430 or go to the Web site www.stlouiscenter.org.

"Ferns and Summer Wildflowers of Embury Woods" program will be held 10 a.m. at Park Lyndon North, located on North Territorial Road in Lyndon Township, one mile east of M-52. Insect repellent is recommended. For more information, call 971-6337, Ext. 318.

CHELSEA MISCELLANEOUS

Thursday

Alzheimer's Association Family Caregiver Support Group meets from 2 to 3:30 p.m. the third Thursday of the month at the Chelsea Retirement Community, 805 W. Middle St. Meetings are free and confidential. Call the Alzheimer's Association at 1-800-337-3827.

Bingo is held 6:30 p.m. the second and fourth Thursday of the month at Chelsea American Legion and VFW, 1700 Ridge Road, in Chelsea. For more information, call 475-7212.

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

U.S. Congressman Nick Smith, R-7th District, offers office hours from 4 to 5 p.m. the second Thursday of the month at the Chelsea Village Planning and Zoning Office in Chelsea State Bank, 305 S. Main St. For information, call 1-517-783-4486 or email rep.smith@mail.house.gov.

Friends of Chelsea District Library meets 7:30 p.m. the first Thursday of the month at the Chelsea District Library, 500 Washington St. Call 475-2424 for more information.

Senior Nutrition Program meets at noon Thursdays for

dinner at the Waterloo Township Hall, 8061 Washington St., in Waterloo. For reservations, call 475-7439.

Friday

Al-Anon meets 12:30 p.m. every Friday at Chelsea Community Hospital, 775 S. Main St., in the White Oak Inn. For more information, call 475-1462.

Bingo is held 6:30 p.m. every Friday night at Chelsea Rod and Gun Club, 7103 Lingane Road, in Chelsea. Proceeds will benefit the building fund. For more information, call 475-7910.

Saturday

Hope Clinic, a free clinic for people with no health insurance, is held 9 a.m. to noon on the second Saturday of the month at Faith In Action, 775 S. Main St., in Chelsea. For more information, call 475-3305.

Western Washtenaw Republicans meets 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. the second Saturday of each month at Cleary's Pub, 113 S. Main St., in Chelsea. For more information, call 475-3874.

German Social Club meets 1 p.m. the last Saturday of the month at Wolverine restaurant, 20460 Old US-12, in Chelsea. For information, call Edith Weber at 475-1583.

Sunday

The Parkinson Education and Support Group of Washtenaw County meets 1:30 to 4 p.m. the second Sunday of the month. For more information, call 1-800-852-9781.

Monday

Al-Anon meets 8:30 p.m. every Monday at Chelsea Community Hospital, 775 S. Main St., in the Woodland Room. For more information, call 475-1462.

Chelsea AA group meetings are held 8:30 p.m. Monday, 8 p.m. Thursday and 7 p.m. Sunday at the Chelsea hospital dining room; and Tuesday at the U.A.W. Hall next to the Chelsea Post Office.

Chelsea Area Garden Club meets 12:30 p.m. the second Monday of the month at First United Methodist Church, 128 Park St., in Chelsea. For more information, call 433-5451.

Chelsea Kiwanis Club meets at 6:15 p.m. every Monday at Chelsea Community Hospital, 775 S. Main St., in Chelsea. For more information, call 475-5944.

Masonic Lodge 156 of Chelsea meets 7:30 p.m. on the second Monday of each month at 113 W. Middle St. in Chelsea. Call 433-1452 for more information.

Mystery Book Club meets 7:30 p.m. on the second

Monday of the month at the Washington Street Education Center, 500 Washington St., in Chelsea.

Overeaters' Anonymous meets Monday nights 6 to 7 p.m. at the Covenant Church, 50 N. Freer Road, in Chelsea. For more information, call 995-1835.

Tuesday

Chelsea District Library Board meets 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. on the first and third Tuesday of the month at Chelsea Community Hospital, 775 S. Main St., in Chelsea.

Chelsea Rotary Club meets 12:30 p.m. Tuesdays at the Common Grill, 112 S. Main St., in Chelsea.

Euchre Party is held 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.

Grandparents as Parents Program is held 12:30 p.m. the second and fourth Tuesday of the month at First United Methodist Church, 128 Park St., in Chelsea. For more information, call Virginia Boyce at 712-3625.

Senior Nutrition Program meets noon every Tuesday for dinner at the Waterloo Township Hall, 8061 Washington St., in Waterloo. For more information, call 475-7439.

Woman's Club of Chelsea meets 1 p.m. the fourth Tuesday of each month at The

Pines, 325 Wilkinson St., in Chelsea. For more information, call 475-0487.

Wednesday

Chelsea Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 4076, 105 N. Main St., meets at 7:30 p.m. on the second Wednesday of the month. For more information, call 475-1448.

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

DEXTER

Saturday, July 12

"Birding for Beginners" program will be held 7:30 a.m. at Hudson Mills Metropark, 8801 North Territorial Road, in Dexter Township. As part of the program, explore a bird's physical aspects, the field marks, as an easier way to identify them. The program will be indoors and outdoors. There is a fee of \$2 per person. Call 426-8211 to pre-register.

Saturday, July 19

Dexter High School Class of 1968 will hold its 35-year reunion 7 p.m. at the Ann Arbor Country Club in Loch Alpine subdivision in Webster Township.

DEXTER MISCELLANEOUS

Thursday

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

Dexter Community Band meets from 7 to 9 p.m.

Thursday at the Dexter High School band room, 2200 N. Parker Road. For information, call 426-2734.

Dexter Historical Society meets 7:30 p.m. the first Thursday of the month at the Dexter Area Museum, 3443 Inverness St., in Dexter.

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

Dexter Downtown Development Authority meets 7:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month at the Copeland Administration Building, 7714 Ann Arbor St., in Dexter.

Dexter Lions Club meets 6:45 p.m. on the first and third Thursday of the month at DAPCO Industries, 2500 Bishop Circle East, in Dexter. Call 475-6945 for information.

Monday

Dexter Board of Education meets 7:30 p.m. the first and third Mondays of each month at the Copeland Administration Building, 7714 Ann Arbor St., in Dexter.

Dexter District Library Board meets 7:30 p.m. the first Monday of every month at Dexter District Library, 8040

Fourth St., in Dexter.

Dexter Village Council meets at 7:30 p.m. the second and fourth Monday of the month at the Dexter Senior Center, 7720 Ann Arbor St., in Dexter.

Dexter Village Planning Commission meets at 7:30 p.m. the first Monday of every month at the Dexter Senior Center, 7720 Ann Arbor St., in Dexter.

Dexter Village Zoning Board of Appeals meets at 7 p.m. the third Monday of each month at Dexter Senior Center, 7720 Ann Arbor St., in Dexter.

Tuesday

Dexter Child Study Club meets 7 p.m. at various locations on the third Tuesday of the month. For information, call 426-3664.

Dexter Garden Club meets 7 p.m. on the third Tuesday of the month at the Dexter Museum, 3443 Inverness St., in Dexter. Call 426-2372 for information.

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

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WEDDINGS & ENGAGEMENTS



Sarah AtLee, Wes Saulsbury exchange wedding vows

Sarah AtLee of Pittsburgh, daughter of Cyrus and Rowena AtLee of Chelsea, and Wesley Saulsbury of Pittsburgh, son of Ronald and Margaret Saulsbury of Portage, Pa., were married Feb. 14 at Valley Wedding Chapel in Winchester, Va. Judge Gary Patterson officiated.

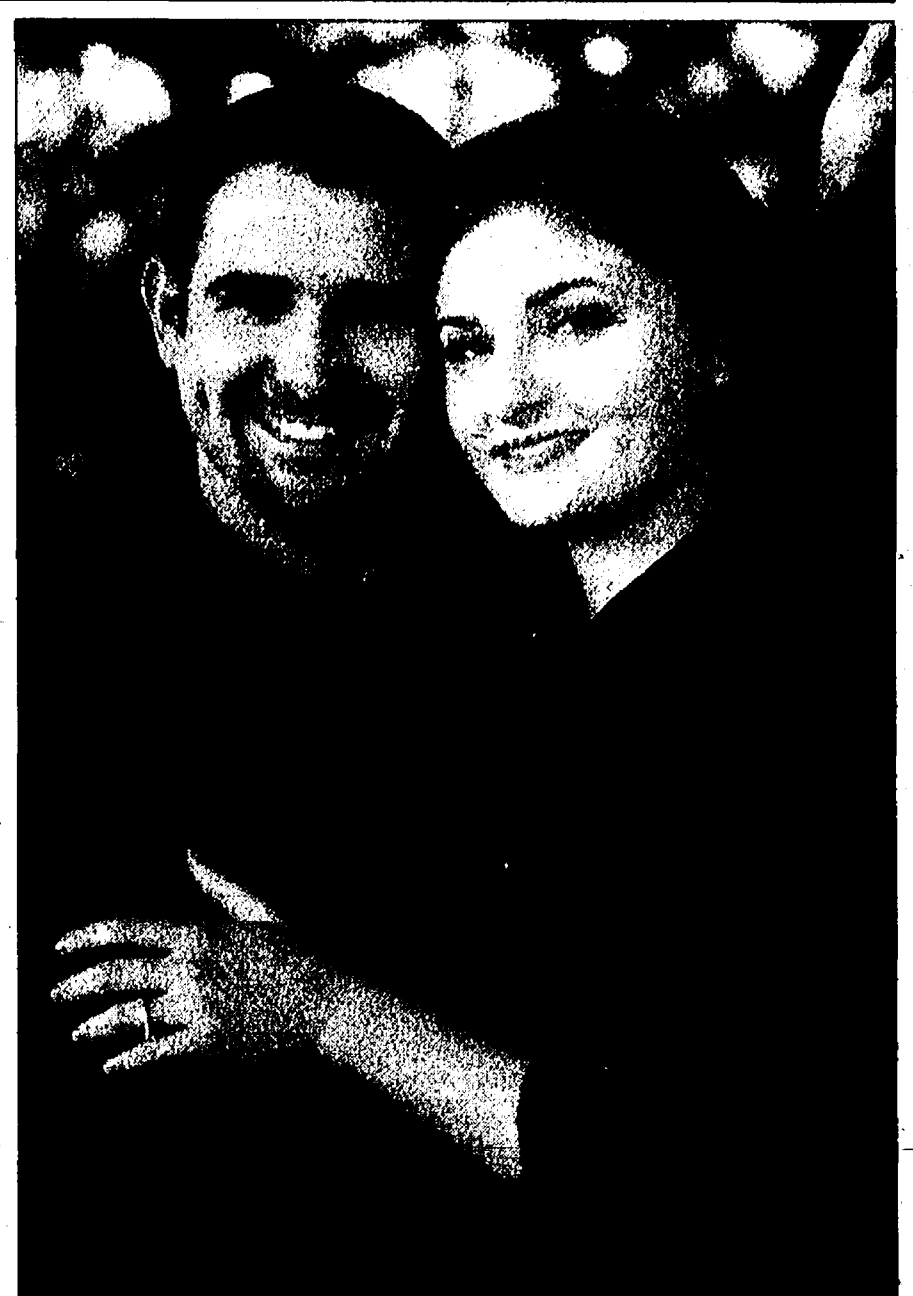
A reception will be held this month at the home of the bride's parents in Chelsea. The couple honeymooned in Washington, D.C., and resides in Pittsburgh.

The bride is a 2001 graduate of Chelsea High School. She is employed with the U.S. Postal Service in Pittsburgh.

The groom is a 1998 graduate of Portage High School in Pennsylvania and a 2003 graduate of Pennsylvania Culinary Institute in Pittsburgh. He is a chef at The Church Brew Works in Pittsburgh.



ENGAGED: Jennifer Lenart of Onsted, daughter of Al and Rita Lenart of Onsted, and Robert Wilson III of Waterloo, son of Robert Jr. and Debora Wilson of Waterloo, have set an Aug. 9 wedding date. The future bride is a 2001 graduate of Columbia Central High School and is currently employed as a receptionist for Chelsea Community Hospital. The future groom is a 1999 graduate of Chelsea High School and is employed with IBEW in Ann Arbor as an electrical apprentice.



ENGAGED: Courtney Dilley and John Heller, both of Lansing, are engaged and planning a Sept. 6 wedding at Zion Lutheran Church in Chelsea. The future bride is the daughter of James and Ann Dilley of Portland. She is a 1999 graduate of Portland High School and has a bachelor's degree in animal science from Michigan State University. The future groom is the son of Earl and Kay Heller of Chelsea. He is a 1993 graduate of Chelsea High School and has a master's degree in animal science from Michigan State University. He is employed with Neogen Corp. in Lansing.

BIRTHS

A daughter, Olivia Grace, was born May 18 to Bethany and Adam Lee-Lehner of Pinckney. Maternal grandparents are Michael Lee of Ann Arbor and Patricia Lee of Chelsea. Paternal grandparents are Clifford and Doris Lehner of St. Paul, Minn. Olivia has a sister, Madelyn, 3.

A daughter, Abigail Michelle, was born June 16 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Superior Township to Michelle and Patrick Colvia of Pinckney. Maternal grandparents are Jerry and Vicki Craft of Chelsea. Paternal grandparents are Tim and

Sue Colvia of Manchester. Great-grandparents are James and Madeline Craft of Chelsea, Gene Burnett of Grass Lake, Joan and Eldean Feldkamp of Chelsea, and Gaylord and Olive Eberle of Saline. Abigail has a sister, Emily, 2.

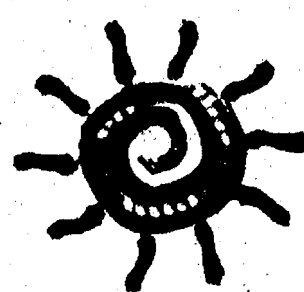
A son, Lexington Reynolds, was born March 5 to Anna and Randy Krull of Dexter. Maternal grandparents are Ralph Finley and Patricia Finley, both of Dexter. Paternal grandparents are Dale Krull of Chelsea and Carol Krull of Manistee. Lexington has two siblings, Savannah and Alexander.

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Veterinarian writes children's book

By Rita Fischer
Special Writer

Al Reich may be the Dexter-Chelsea area's answer to famed veterinarian-turned-writer James Herriot.

Reich initially went to Michigan State University with the aim of becoming a writer. Somewhere along the way, though, he got interested in medicine and the rest, as they say, is history.

The Dowagiac native went on to become a veterinarian. For 18 years, he owned a practice located at the Westgate Shopping Center in Ann Arbor.

When Reich, a Waterloo Township resident, retired a year ago — although he still works one day a week at his former practice and puts in a few hours a week at the Ann Arbor Animal Emergency Clinic — he returned to his original love of writing.

"I thought that I would become a writer and just got interested in medicine along the way," he said. "I still had the desire to go back and write."

In March, Reich published "Stolen Friend," the first in what he hopes will become a series of books for youths ages 10 to 20.

"I felt burdened for a need for something other than science fiction for teenage boys

to read," he said was among his reasons for writing it.

"Stolen Friend" draws on his own experience with animals and also as a child growing up on a farm. The story is about a 16-year-old boy whose dog — along with other neighborhood dogs — is stolen by men running dog fights. The boy and his uncle manage to rescue the dogs, and learn life lessons.

Reich, who self-published the 178-page book through WinePress, wants his series to cover issues facing today's teens, such as parental relationships, teen suicide, drinking, drug abuse, teen sex, bullying and peer pressure.

"I think I'm on the right track," he said. "Kids are always searching and sometimes don't make the right choices."

For Reich, the toughest part is carving out the time to write.

"There is always something to do," he says. "I had to force myself to sit down and write."

After starting and abandoning many stories, "Stolen Friend" took flight and took about a year to complete.

Reich says writing gives him a sense of fulfillment and has opened new doors of opportunity.

"We all have a story to

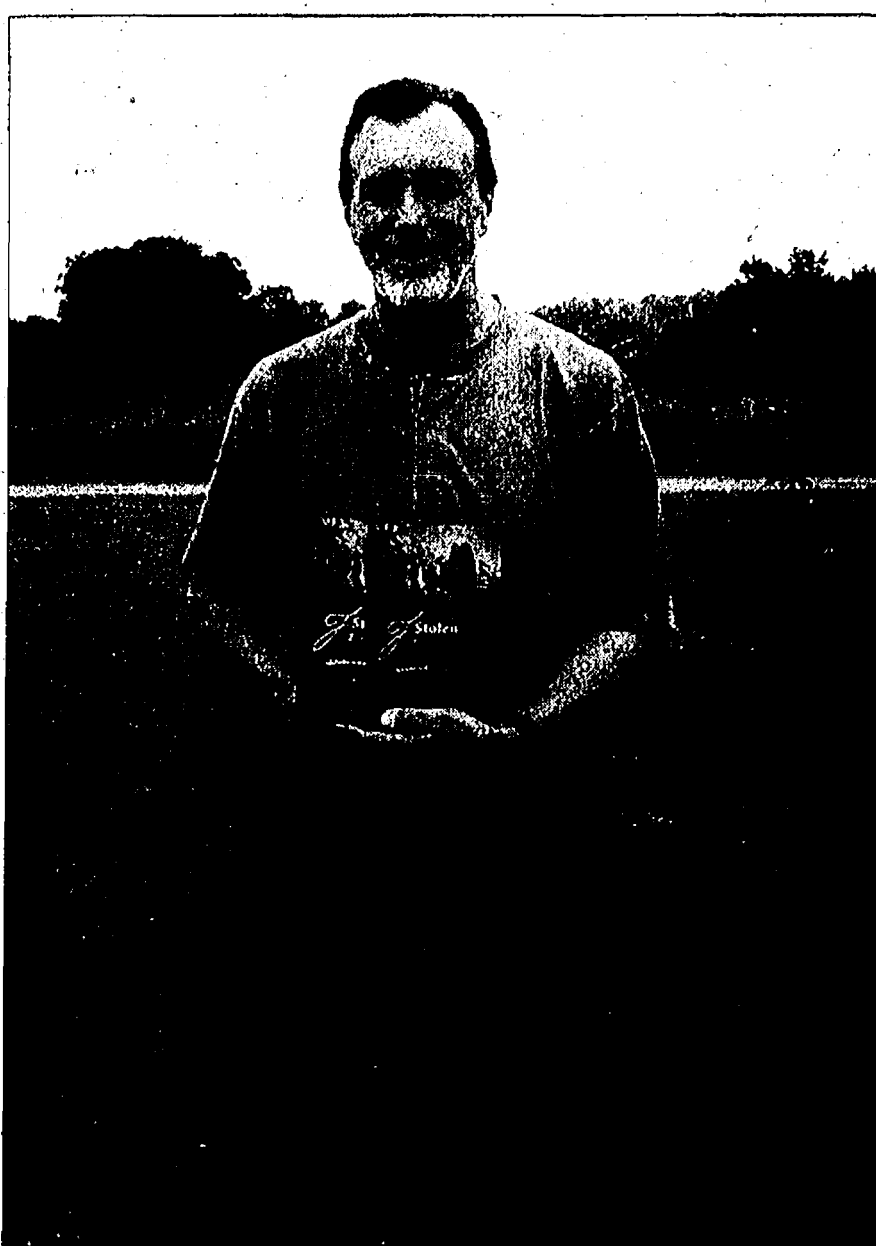


Photo by Rita Fischer
Local veterinarian Al Reich has written and published his first book, "Stolen Friend," aimed at the teen market.

tell," he says. "Stolen Friend" is available also online at Barnesandnoble.com and amazon.com.

Students named to Albion dean's list

A number of local residents were named to the Albion College dean's list for the spring semester.

Megan Carroll, the daughter of Thomas Carroll and Susi Carroll of Whitmore Lake and a graduate of Dexter High School, was on the list. She is a sophomore majoring in English.

Brook Critchfield, a member of the Gerstacker Liberal Arts Institute in professional management, was recognized. He is the son of Bradley and Lori Critchfield of Grass Lake and a graduate of Chelsea High School. Critchfield is a junior majoring in economics and management.

Emily Hyland, a sophomore majoring in psychology, was named to the list. She is the daughter of David and

Claudia Hyland of Ann Arbor, and is a graduate of Dexter High School.

Katherine Knox, a senior majoring in English and minoring in psychology, was recognized. She is completing the secondary education program, and is the daughter of John and Alison Knox of Chelsea. Knox is a graduate of Chelsea High School.

Meagan Konieczki, a sophomore at Albion College, received the honor. She is the daughter of Steven and Carol Konieczki of Grass Lake and a graduate of Chelsea High School.

Eliza Lee, a sophomore at Albion College, made the list. She is the daughter of

Sang Lee of Kentwood and Andrea Lee-North of Dexter, and a graduate of Dexter High School.

Katherine Major, the daughter of Terry and Suzanne Major of Dexter, received the honor. She is a sophomore at Albion College, a graduate of Dexter High School.

Lillian Sacks graduated magna cum laude from Albion College in May, with

honors. She received degrees in psychology and early childhood development. Sacks is the daughter of Andrew and Shari Sacks of Chelsea, and is a graduate of Chelsea High School.

Meghan Tandy, a sophomore majoring in psychology, made the dean's list. She is the daughter of John and Diane Tandy of Gregory, and a graduate of Chelsea High School.

Students earn honors

Three local residents were recently awarded graduation honors for outstanding academic achievement at Hope College in Holland.

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The course is wonderfully maintained. The greens are fast and roll true. The rough is not long, but very dense. The sand bunkers are all unique in design; some deep and well-placed around the greens and fairways.

The small pro shop sells the necessities as well as quality clothing. There is plenty of seating both inside and out to enjoy a drink and something from the grill. A pavilion adds to the allure of the 19th hole. No alcohol is sold or allowed on the course.

The cost to play is reasonable. Walk nine on

Monday-Thursday for \$16 and \$25 for 18, or ride at \$22 for nine and \$36 for 18. Friday through Sunday, nine holes are \$21 to walk or \$27 to ride; while 18 costs \$31 and \$42. Weekends after 4:30 p.m., get one round with one paid nine.

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Hole 1, 384-yard Par 4 — Dogleg left from the tee, with a bunker at the dogleg. Blind shot uphill to a trapped green on left side. Green is large and rolling. Subtle breaks abound. Great opening hole!

Hole 2, 204 yards, Par 3 — Large undulating green with large sand bunker on right. Trees on left side of tee may present a problem from back tees.

Hole 3, 425 yards, Par 4 — A semi-blind tee shot to a turning dogleg right. Sand trap on right side of fairway guards cutting the corner. A shallow ditch and marsh to cross on your approach shot to a large sloping green with a deep trap on right side.

Hole 4, a 524-yard Par 5 — Marshy area to cross from tee, with a lake on the right side to protect cutting the dogleg right. Large tree in the middle of the fairway is in play. Fairway traps right and middle add to the difficulty of the reachable par five. Sand traps are green and short right. Green is rolling and can be a club differ on pin placement.

Fifth Hole, 444 yards, Par 4 — Dogleg left with trees guarding the lake on the right side of the fairway and through the fairway is reachable from short tees. A sand trap is short of this large very wide sliding green.

Hole 6, 389-yard Par 4 — Blind shot down hill to a slight dogleg left. Fairway traps on the left and bunkers short middle and right. Green slopes away from front.

Hole 7, 180 yards, Par 3 — Upright-up, no-surprises par three. The green is wide and low.

Hole 8, 526-yard Par 5 — A wide fairway, with bunkers on right for an inclined tee shot with a waste area on left side. Reachable with two well-struck shots to a deep, narrow green. Large sand trap runs the left side of the green.

Ninth Hole, 444 yards, Par 4 — Downhill tee shot must stay left in fairway. A large tree in the ditch 50 yards short of the green will cause major problems. Sand traps guard front and right of this wide deep green. A great finish to the front nine.

Hole 10, 574-yard Par 5 — The tree-lined fairway is best played a little right of center. Left side can block your approach as the fairway narrows. Last 70 yards you must carry a marsh to reach a large undulating green. The number one handicap hole is a great start to the back nine.

Hole 11, 336 yards, Par 4 — Tee off over a marshy area some 100 yards to a slight dogleg left. The fairway is tight to green. Sand

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Hole 13, 414 yards, Par 4 — Tee shot needs carry of 200 yards of marsh to reach the fairway. Waiting fairway bunkers left and right. A very slight dogleg right to a tender deep green.

Hole 14, 184-yard Par 3 — Tee shot across over marsh. Sand trap behind green left. Green is large, wide and rolling.

Hole 15, 492 yards, Par 5 — Tee shot needs 230 yards of carry to an uphill fairway. Sand bunker is found on left side of fairway. A sand trap on the right 50 yards short of this large turning green, reachable with two crisp shots.

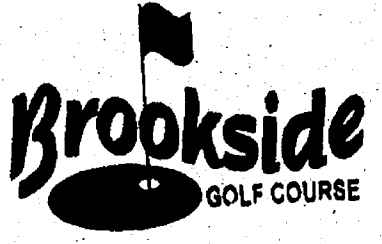
Hole 16, 640-yard Par 5 — Fairway bunkers in middle of this tree lined fairway. Stay right of center. Tee shot as there is a lake on the right 50 yards. Sand on the back of the green. The green is smaller than usual. It plays with the best of them.

Hole 17, 424 yards, Par 4 — Open tee shot to wide fairway that narrows right and narrows as approach the green. Large, semi-deep sand traps guard the right side of this deep angled green.

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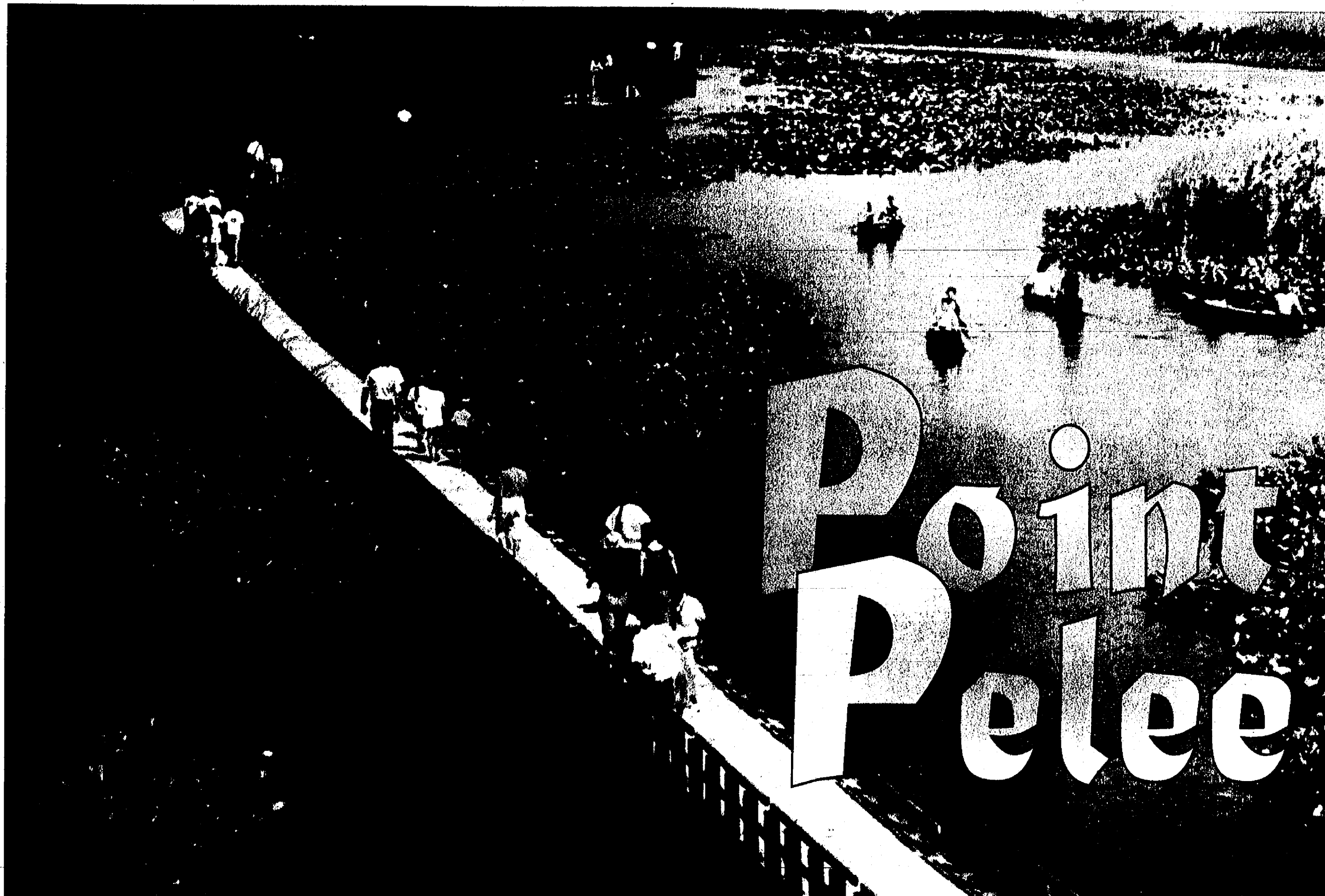
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Ontario National Park worth the trek

By Patricia Majher
Special Writer

Let me say right off that I'm nobody's idea of a bird-watcher. But when a trip to Point Pelee National Park was punctuated by a scarlet tanager — one of North America's most brightly colored birds — swooping down over my car and three different species of warblers perched in a tree at eye level, I took notice. And was amazed.

It's hard not to develop a greater appreciation for birds when you visit this Parks Canada treasure, located an hour southeast of Windsor, Ontario, near the city of Leamington.

Point Pelee juts out like a "V" into Lake Erie, and is the first piece of land that birds encounter when they migrate across the water to their northern ranges each spring. More than 370 species have been known to rest there before continuing on their journeys, providing birders with the perfect opportunity to add to their life lists.

Another reason birds pass through the park is the diversity of habitats found within its borders. For instance, along its western side are beaches and a narrow strip of forest of walnut, oak and tulip trees. In contrast, the east side is dominated by an enormous marsh that stretches as far as the eye can see.

Don't worry about getting your feet wet, though. The park's architects thoughtfully designed a viewing platform and a mile-long loop of boardwalk from which you can easily experience the aquatic life around you.

More adventurous visitors are encouraged to travel out into the marsh by canoe, which can be rented at the nearby Cattail Café and livery. You can also rent bicycles there.

As you travel south through the park, you pass through pockets of yet another habitat: savannah or open sand barren. Short, scrubby trees give the area a bit of an otherworldly look, but they also make birdwatching a cinch. You can almost do without binoculars here. The southern end is also where you'll find the Point Pelee Visitor Center, the perfect staging area for your "push to the point."

At the visitor center, you can view a film highlighting the flora and fauna of the park. Take the time, too, to see the children's discovery room and to thumb through the bird sightings book

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to see what's been spotted that day.

This is also your last chance to pick up a drink or purchase a bird-identification guide, courtesy of the Nature Nook bookstore.

From the center, you can hike or bike your way to the tip. Most people prefer to take the free trolley, though. It gets you there a little bit quicker.

Point Pelee's tip — the southernmost part of mainland Canada — is a spare, sandy spit and, to the first-time visitor, a bit anticlimactic. But anyone who's been there more than once describes it as a living thing, changing in length and shape from year to year, depending on wind, weather and water conditions.

Speaking of water, this is one of the few places that I'm aware of where you can see waves crash into each other from different directions. Don't let the phenomenon fool you. The surf may look inviting, but it's dangerous. For your own protection, park rules prohibit even wading here.

If you want to swim, there are eight beaches — and accompanying picnic areas — set aside for your enjoyment on the park's western edge. Parks Canada works hard to provide places for people, as well as for nature.

Spring and fall are the best times to catch a glimpse of migrating birds at Point Pelee. But the month of September is devoted to another kind of migration. That's when thousands of monarch butterflies leave their northern range in Ontario and pass through the park before crossing Lake Erie.

If conditions are right and the mon-

archs congregate, their brightly colored wings can turn the surrounding greenery into a shimmer of gold.

From September 3 through 28, the park's interpreters will lead visitors on interpretive hikes Wednesdays through Sundays in celebration of this winged wonder of the insect world.

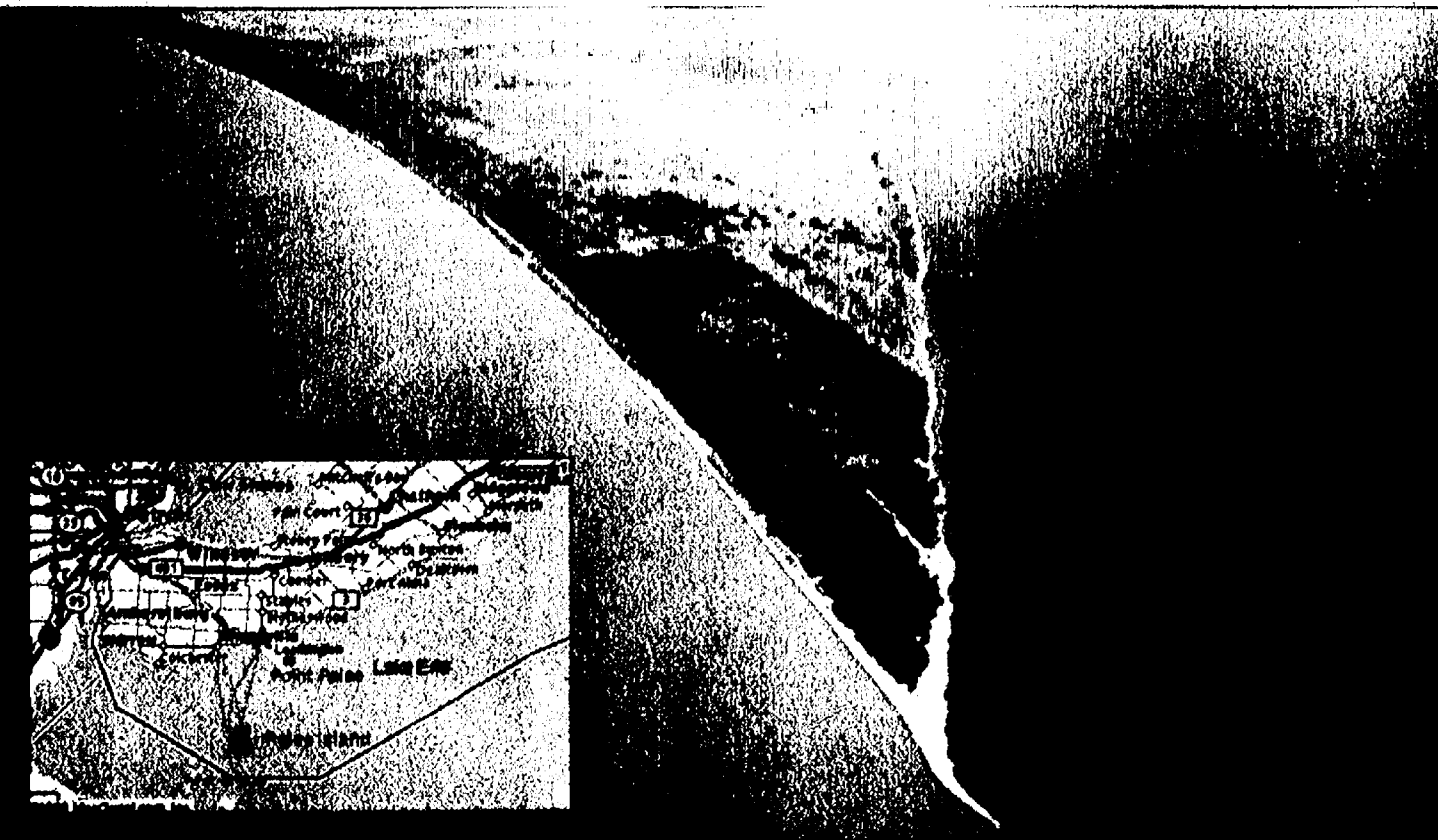
On Sept. 6, you can also participate in the W.E. Saunders Birding Odyssey, a friendly competition that pairs novice birdwatchers with experienced team leaders to try and identify as many species of birds as they can.

Pre-registration is required for the hikes or the birding competition. Call the park at 1-519-322-2365 for more information.

Birds and butterflies draw many visitors to the park. But some of the year-round "residents" are eye-catching in their own right. While hiking and biking around Point Pelee, keep a sharp eye out for map turtles and eastern fox snakes — they're considered species at risk — and for the five-lined skink, eastern Canada's only lizard.

The park is also home to a number of rare plants, including swamp rose mallow, red mulberry and the prickly pear cactus (really!). Park naturalists say the late-June through early-July blooming of this cactus — characterized by showy yellow flowers — is worth a trip to Point Pelee all on its own.

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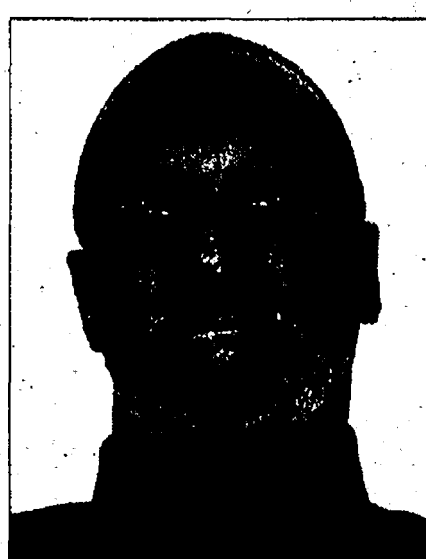
■ **Cmdr. David Egeler assumes media liaison responsibilities.**

By Sheila Pursglove

Associate Editor
Washtenaw County Sheriff's Cmdr. Anderson Brown Jr., media liaison officer for the department, retired yesterday. Cmdr. David Egeler has been named his successor.

Brown, who attended the Southeastern Michigan Criminal Justice Training Center in 1973, joined the Washtenaw County Sheriff Department in January 1979 after serving as a police officer at Eastern Michigan University.

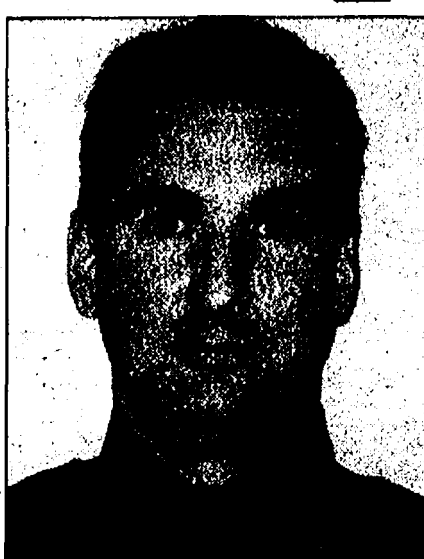
Brown has worked under one chief, John Hayes, and three sheriffs, Thomas



Anderson Brown Jr.

Minick, Ronald Schebil and Daniel Minzey, respectively.

"It has been my great fortune to have had a number of opportunities for professional and personal growth under the leadership of each of these men," Brown said.



David Egeler

Brown served Washtenaw County as a traffic officer, working the secondary road patrol unit. He was assigned to Ypsilanti Township and worked various shifts and assignments.

Brown was a hostage team

negotiator, a field training officer, crime prevention officer, and an instructor with the Drug Abuse Resistance Education and Gang Resistance Education and Training programs.

He was promoted to sergeant in 1993 and has served as a shift supervisor in Ypsilanti Township. He also was the Field Training Officers supervisor and Traffic Division supervisor.

"Most recently, Sheriff Minzey named me commander of Prevention Services upon his election," Brown said. "In this position, I have had the responsibility of running Traffic Division, Marine Division, D.A.R.E., School Liaison Officers, the Domestic Violence Unit, as well as serving as the agency media liaison."

"I've had the great pleasure of serving the citizens of Washtenaw County the past 24 1/2 years. My hope is that during that time I have made a significant contribution to the community."

Egeler, who said Brown has given many years of strong service to the community, has been a commander at the sheriff's office for 2 1/2 years. Egeler, who said he is picking up the media-relations duties in addition to his other work, said this is part of a reorganization and restructuring of the sheriff's administrative team.

A native of Leland and graduate of Leland High School, Egeler earned a bachelor's degree from the University of Michigan and a law degree from the University of Detroit.

Egeler started with the sheriff's office part time in 1984 as a marine safety officer, and became a full-time deputy sheriff in 1992. He was in charge of the marine safety program and was a dive team leader from 1996 to 1999.

Egeler served as a sergeant in the Police Services Division from 1999 to 2000 and a commander in the Support Services Division from 2001 to the present.

His current duties include oversight of human resource functions, dispatch center, risk management and legal matters, and policy compliance and review.

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State introduces new license for drivers under 21

Secretary of State Terri Lynn Land and a coalition of safety advocates have a message for those 21 and younger: "We check to protect."

A new law requires the state to issue vertically designed driver's licenses and ID cards to young people. The goal of the Vertical Identification Program is to keep minors from buying alcohol, tobacco and other age-restricted products.

Land and an alliance of government, retail, safety

and law-enforcement representatives rolled out a campaign called "We Check to Protect!" to highlight the newly enacted law.

"This law will literally have a sobering effect," Land said. "It gives front-line retailers and law-enforcement officers an instant visual cue so that they can correctly identify a license-holder's age."

"It also gives parents peace of mind knowing that their children carry licenses

designed to ensure their well-being."

State Sen. Shirley Johnson, R-Royal Oak, and former state Sen. Loren Bennett authored Public Acts 553 and 554 of 2002, which create the vertical license program.

The new vertical format differs radically from the horizontal licenses now carried by all residents.

The redesigned format is being issued to Michigan residents younger than 21 who receive new licenses or IDs,

as well as renewals or replacements. Licenses with the standard horizontal design are still valid for minors who already possess them.

However, the Department of State will exchange standard licenses for the updated version free of charge until Oct. 1. Parents are encouraged to have their children bring their current license into any Secretary of State branch office. A temporary license will be issued for use until the vertical license arrives by mail.

The revamped layout also creates a more tamper-resistant design to thwart attempted alterations or forgeries. The cards clearly list the dates when license-holders turn ages 18 and 21, and include other security features such as the date of birth that overlaps a second "ghost" image, or photo of the license-holder.

Johnson pointed out that the law protects business owners, as well.

"Violating state liquor and tobacco sales laws could result in stiff penalties," Johnson said. "Few business owners intentionally run that risk. The security of being able to immediately determine a minor's status gives retailers an extra measure of comfort."

At least 13 other states use the vertical license system

and report declines in the number of illegal sales to minors, Bennett said.

"I am proud to have played a role in keeping Michigan at the forefront of ensuring public health and safety," Bennett said. "It is gratifying to see state government, law enforcement, retailers and parents pull together for the sake of our children."

Local farm to be protected

The Washtenaw Land Trust has been awarded its second grant in less than a year as part of the Federal Farmland Protection Program. The grant will be used to purchase the development rights on a farm in Bridgewater Township owned and farmed by Jim Vershum and his wife, Charlotte.

The farmland will be protected through the purchase of development rights, a program in which a landowner is paid for the difference between the value of the land used for agriculture and the value of the property if it were used for development. In exchange, a permanent deed restriction is placed on the property limiting the use of the land to agriculture or open space.

The 117 acres of farmland to be protected are considered prime agricultural soil. Vershum, a dairy farmer, currently grows soybeans, corn and hay on the land as feed for his 150 dairy cows.

The federal program will contribute 50 percent of the cost of purchasing the development rights on the land, up to \$165,000. The remainder of the cost will be covered through donation by the

Vershums and through a contribution from the Washtenaw Land Trust.

The trust is planning a two-year capital campaign to raise the approximately \$83,000 it will need for its contribution to the deal.

"Our organization is pleased to have the opportunity to work with the federal program and with the Vershums to preserve this land," said Washtenaw Land Trust Executive Director William Hanson. "We are committed to this project. In fact, several members of our board have already contributed substantial donations of their own money to kick-start the campaign."

Janae Reneaud, development and grants manager for the organization, said she is looking forward to starting the campaign.

"I'm excited that we will be focusing on such a worthy project," she said.

Last year, the nonprofit group won a grant as part of the same federal program for up to \$126,000 to preserve 74 acres on a Freedom Township farm owned by Carolyn Strieter.

The Washtenaw Land Trust is a nonprofit organiza-

tion that works to protect farmland, natural areas and open space across Washtenaw County, and to educate members, local officials and the public on land use issues. To date, the organization has protected 1,567 acres of land.

For more information, visit www.washtenawlandtrust.org or call 302-5263.

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Miss Washtenaw spreads message

Last October, Cara Jasiolek of Northville was crowned Miss Washtenaw County 2003 and in June was named a semi-finalist in the Miss Michigan scholarship pageant.

In recent months, she has been busy promoting her platform — "Educating for Character" — while speaking to local organizations and visiting the Veterans Affairs Hospital.

In May, she designed a workshop for the Dexter Girl Scouts so they could earn their citizenship badges. Scouts made Memorial Day cards for veterans and the cards were delivered to the VA Hospital in Ann Arbor. They also made party favors



Cara Jasiolek

for the local senior center and participated in citizenship discussions.

Meanwhile, the Miss Washtenaw County organiza-

tion is preparing for its third annual Junior Miss Washtenaw County program. The pageant is for girls between the ages of 6 and 17 and will be held Sept. 13 at the Washington Street Education Center, 500 Washington St., in Chelsea.

It has been developed as a fund-raiser for the Miss Washtenaw County scholarship program.

Entry forms are available by calling 428-7398. All funds raised will be used to help fund the scholarship fund.

Last year, Miss Washtenaw County finalists received more than \$5,000 in cash scholarships.

Miss Washtenaw will crown the next titleholder

Nov. 1 at Chelsea High School.

For more information, check out the Web site www.misswashtenaw.org or call Laura Bloomsaat, executive director at 475-2734 or e-mail mwced1@msn.com.

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Steve Puuri receives award

Seid Township resident Steve Puuri was recognized June 17 by the Washtenaw County Road Commission for receiving the Outstanding Civil Engineer of the Year Award for 2002.

Puuri, managing director of the Road Commission, received the award from the Ann Arbor Branch of the American Society of Civil Engineers at the group's 42nd Annual Meeting and Banquet held in May at Ford Field.

Puuri, who has a bachelor's degree in civil engineering from Michigan State University and is a licensed professional engineer in the state, received the award for his outstanding contribu-

tions to the community and his profession.

Puuri was recognized for his exemplary career in serving the public through the Washtenaw County Road Commission and for his continued support of the American Society of Civil Engineers.

A 16-year veteran of the Washtenaw County Road Commission, Puuri began his career with the agency as the assistant county highway engineer. He quickly worked his way through the ranks, furthering his expertise and career development in many aspects of the agency in assuming the roles of traffic engineer, county highway engineer, director of engineering, director of information services, and deputy managing director and county highway engineer.

After the retirement of Robert Polens, Puuri was appointed by the Board of County Road Commissioners as the new managing director in January of 2003.

Prior to his employment with the Road Commission,



Steve Puuri

Puuri served for nine years as a project engineer with the USDA Soil Conservation Service.

Puuri has been responsible for numerous projects and accomplishments during his career with the Road Commission, including 60 federal-aid highway projects, 30 local road projects, and 10 critical bridge projects. Recently, these projects included the construction of the new Jackson Road boulevard, the Zeeb Road interchange and the Foster Bridge renovation.

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The trip will include snack stops along the routes and lunch at Portage Lake.

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Local students to perform at festival

Students from the Ann Arbor Music Center's growing Rock Band School will perform at St. Joseph Catholic Church's Summer Fun Festival July 19 in Dexter.

The band will take the stage at 5:30 p.m. and play favorite rock classics, including everything from "Sweet Home Alabama" to "Back in the USSR" to "Blitzkrieg Bop."

The Rock Band School, which includes many students from Dexter, recently debuted to a very enthusiastic audience at the Ann Arbor Farmers' Market.

St. Joseph Catholic Church parishioner Cindy Hodges,

who is an adult guitar student at the Ann Arbor Music Center, thought that the church festival would be a great place for the teens to perform.

Hodges recommended the band to her neighbor, Maggie Hansma, who is in charge of booking the entertainment for the festival, which is among the largest annual summer events in Dexter.

The three-day festival offers a wide variety of musical entertainment, everything from the "Motor City Street Band," which performs New Orleans-style brass band music, to "Linda Lee and the Goldenaires,"

playing polka favorites.

"There's nothing like the excitement of playing before a live audience," said music teacher Alex Johnson, who created the Rock Band School. "We're really looking forward to playing for the crowd in Dexter."

The students have a weekly private lesson at the Ann Arbor Music Center, which is located on Main Street in downtown Ann Arbor, and then have a weekly rock band session, where they learn the fundamentals of performing rock with others.

Teens from across the area, many from Dexter, have been drawn to the program. Johnson, himself a

musician since he was young, realized how important it was to him to be part of a band when he was a teenager.

"Being in a rock band is great for a teen," Johnson said. "There is nothing like it to build confidence and self-esteem. It's a great outlet for a kid that is looking for something besides sports."

Indeed, several of the Rock Band School students have formed their own garage bands with friends met during their lessons.

The love of rock music can be a family affair, too. Dexter High School students Dave and Steve Metz are

both Rock Band School students. Fifteen-year-old Dave has been playing bass guitar for about a year. He plays trumpet in the high school band, as well.

His brother, 17-year-old Steve, is an accomplished piano player who has branched out into guitar. The brothers play together at home, and also play with friend Mike Smith, who is

also a student at Dexter High School and the Rock Band School.

The Summer Fun Festival will be held on the church grounds, located at the corner of Fourth and Dover streets in Dexter.

For more information about the show or the Ann Arbor Music Center's Rock Band School programs, call Alex Johnson at 665-0375.

A clean litter box is important



MARCIA CAVAN

PAWS FOR THOUGHT

One of the most common behavior complaints that cat owners report are problems with litter box usage. Listening and watching what your cat prefers may result in a far more harmonious home.

There are many reasons why cats either avoid using the litter box or spray urine on other surfaces. First, have your cat checked by your veterinarian. There are numerous, common conditions, such as urinary tract infections, that can result in a change in your cat's behavior while using the litter box.

Over time, if a cat experiences pain or discomfort when using the litter box, it may try alternative surfaces. Bathtubs, piles of clothes and beds all have been used by cats in an attempt to avoid the association of discomfort while using the litter box.

Some cats may develop behavioral problems that can be addressed with training or medication to get

everyone back into following the house rules.

Most cats want a litter box that is really clean. In nature, cats would not reuse the same location. With their much better sense of smell than ours, any unpleasant odor will be even more offensive to them.

Scoop the box at least daily and, ideally, dump, wash, dry and refill it with fresh litter every week. This will keep the odors in your home to a minimum and make for a much happier cat.

Have enough litter boxes. Many people have more than one cat and then expect them to share a litter box. This is not a good idea.

Having one more litter box than the number of cats will ensure that each feline can have a box to its liking.

There are many styles of litter boxes. Go into any pet store and you will see small, large, covered and automatic-cleaning litter boxes, and more. While each cat may have its preferences, for the most part, more cats prefer larger to smaller so they have room to maneuver. A larger box may also help avoid "misses" onto your floor.

Not only consider size, but remember that shy cats may prefer a covered box so that they can feel safe from an ambush. And some cats just like privacy.

Location needs to be considered, as well. Most cats do not want to use litter boxes in high-traffic areas. Quiet, peaceful surroundings seem to be especially appreciated.

There are even automatic litter boxes that clean themselves and, while these can carry a fairly hefty price tag, they might be worth it to some cat lovers. Not having to handle as much waste and keeping a pristine box available for your cat at all times may just be the perfect answer.

Do note that some cats may not like litter boxes with moving parts and prefer the simple, standard model that do not move or make noises.

Be careful with the type of litter you choose. Most cats hate scented litters. With noses 100 times more sensitive than ours, a little scent may just be too much for them.

Also, while the clumping litters usually stay cleaner, the makeup of the litter can cause problems with very young kittens. If they play in it or eat it while grooming themselves, it can cause blockages in their digestive tract that can be deadly without medical intervention.

If you like the clumping litter, carefully watch your cat at first to be sure that they use the litter for its intended purpose. Many clumping lit-

ters are more sand-like, a material most similar to soil that cats would use in nature.

If too many of the clumps fall apart when cleaning the box, these small remaining soiled pieces will start to make the litter box smell. This may make your cat start to look elsewhere, including your potted houseplants.

Dr. Tracy Kroll, an animal behavior resident at Cornell University of Veterinary Medicine, sums up the most typical reasons for litter box usage problems with a short list.

"The box is not clean enough, he dislikes the litter, it's an area that is distasteful to the cat or other cats are keeping him away," she says.

There is enough variety in the litter-box world to please everyone. Just keep in mind that this is the cat's box and respecting its preferences when you go shopping will keep both owner and pet happy.

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Christian bids farewell to Dexter board

■ Longtime trustee helped oversee many construction and renovation projects.

By Marcia Cavan
Special Writer

Longtime Dexter Board of Education Trustee Jean Christian attended her final meeting June 30.

"It's been quite an experience, even more than I anticipated," Christian said in her farewell to the board.

Christian, who was first appointed to the board in the early 1990s, said that she wanted to make a differ-

ence, stressing the importance of education to the entire community.

During her tenure, she helped plan the construction of Cornerstone Elementary School, Mill Creek Middle School and the new Dexter High School. As a member of the board, she also oversaw renovation projects at the other facilities and upgrades in technology.

"Overall, it was a very rewarding experience and I want to thank the board and the community for their support," she said.

Prior to the meeting adjourning Board Treasurer

Dick Lundy said he wanted to take the time to offer special thanks to his colleague for her many years of service.

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Joanna Ladio (left), Diana Ladio, Diana Hunt, Lorin Kummer and Katie Hardcastle work to piece together the mosaic.

The Chelsea Center for the Development of the Arts, 400 Congdon St., in Chelsea is hosting a community art project called "Pathway to Renewal." A spiral mosaic sculpture, created by artist-in-residence Lorin Kummer, will be installed at Timber Town in August. The project, which began June 16, will run through Aug. 14. The CCDA welcomes volunteers from the community to help on the project. Hours are 8:30 to 11:30 a.m. and 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday. For information, call 433-2787.

Pathway to renewal



Lorin Kummer (right), creator of the Pathway project, explains what the finished product will look like to Kathleen and Sarah Brigham.



Chelsea High School student Katie Hardcastle concentrates on placing tiles in the correct position on the mosaic. Hardcastle is one of many local residents who is helping with the community project.



George Hunt looks on as his wife, Diana, glues a tile onto the mosaic.

Photos by
Margaret
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BUSINESS

Thursday, July 10, 2003

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Peters Building Co. seeks approval

■ *Final phases of Dexter Crossings condo plan tabled for more information.*

By Lisa Allmendinger
Special Writer

Peters Building Co. is seeking approval for a combined preliminary and final site plan for Dexter Crossing, but didn't have any luck Monday pushing it past the Dexter Village Planning Commission.

When the project was started in the mid-1990s, both the Dexter Crossing shopping center and the housing development were under the auspices of developer Joe Bonar of Blackhawk Development Corp.

Today, Blackhawk continues to manage the shopping center, but Peters Building Co. has taken over the final phases of the housing development.

Phases 6, 7 and 8 of Dexter Crossing, which consist of 77 single-family dwellings on the south side of the property, was previously approved as a planned unit development off a private drive called Coventry Circle.

The previous proposal included 78 dwellings. Peters Building Co. wants to amend the proposal to have one less dwelling, but to include a stub road that allows access to the south.

While the change in the number of dwellings is considered minor by the Planning Commission, commissioners expressed other concerns regarding the project.

The village's planning consultants raised the following concerns:

- Homes must not exceed a maximum of 2.5 stories or 35 feet.

- The developer should provide a plan of the tree fencing already on the property and, if any trees over 8 feet tall are to be removed, tree replacement should be included where necessary.

Also requested was a detailed drawing of a play yard proposed for the development.

The builder requested permission for a stub road that would allow future access to

the south side of the property.

The planning consultant noted that property owners adjacent to the proposed stub road know that these "stubs" might be extended.

"We like to red flag homeowners that a stub road may and probably will be extended in the future," said Doug Lewan, the village's planning consultant.

The fire department also voiced an objection to another private road in a development that already exists with

public roadways, according to a letter from Donald Dettling, Dexter Area Fire Department fire inspector.

The consultant also requested that the proposed lighting be reviewed by the village and DTE Energy.

There were also a number of engineering concerns voiced in a letter from the Mannik and Smith Group of Dearborn that were presented by Bruce Pindzia, senior design engineer for the company.

Among the engineering

concerns were potential drainage problems caused by having inlets lower than the outlets and a lack of elevations for the sanitary sewers. Also included in the report was a question about road surfaces.

The Dexter Village Planning Commission is expected to review Peters Building Co.'s revised plans Aug. 4.

Lisa Allmendinger is a freelance writer. She can be reached at yankee@izzy.net.



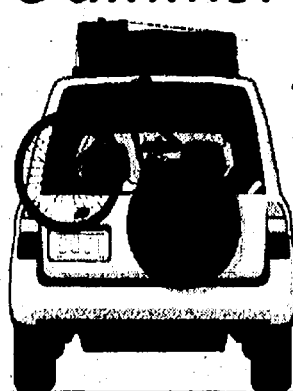
Scholarship Winners

Four \$2,500 awards were presented to final candidates of the Willard H. Johnson Scholarships. They are Amanda Howe daughter of Dianne and Darrell Howe; Laura Tucker, daughter of Joan and Thomas Tucker; Mary Howlin, daughter of Diane and Richard Howlin; and Kelsey Puuri, daughter of Jamie and Steve Puuri. The final recipients were selected from 32 eligible applications, based on their community/volunteer involvement, proven leadership abilities, and academic accomplishments. The Willard H. Johnson Scholarships were first presented in 1999, the year Mr. Johnson retired from Chelsea Community Hospital. Applicants must be dependents of hospital employees, volunteers, or members of the medical staff, and have a 3.0 GPA or higher. Pictured are Amanda Howe (left), Laura Tucker, Selection Committee member Dan Johnson, Willard Johnson and Kelsey Puuri. Mary Howlin is not pictured.

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Brokers named as field trainers

Deb Bauer-Skiles and Diane Kieliszewski, Edward Jones investment representatives in Chelsea, have been named to a select group of field trainers who voluntarily train new brokers in their area.

The financial services company grew from a regional firm with about 300 offices in the early 1980s to a global investment firm with more than 8,800 offices.

The firm's value-based culture of helping individuals succeed was primarily

responsible for that growth. The contributions of Bauer-Skiles and Kieliszewski did not go unrecognized.

Field trainers receive certification through training sessions and testing and help new colleagues build their business.

Skiles, whose office is located at 1100 S. Main St. in Chelsea, can be reached at 475-3519. Kieliszewski, whose office is at 134 W. Middle St. in Chelsea, can be reached at 475-3295.

LIMA TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

TUESDAY, JULY 15, 2003, 7:30 P.M.
LIMA TOWNSHIP HALL, 11452 JACKSON RD.,
CHELSEA, MI 48118

APPLICATION # 03-003. An application for a Special Use Permit has been received for review from Robert C. Jackson, for a helicopter pad. This property is located at 14091 Scio Church Rd., and is part of SW 1/4 Section 31, Lima Township. PARCEL # G 07-31-300-009.

APPLICATION FILED BY: Robert C. Jackson
14091 Scio Church Rd.
Chelsea, MI 48118

A complete copy of this proposal is on file in the Lima Township office. Written comments may be sent to:

Karen Malone, Chairman
Lima Township Planning Commission
P.O. Box 59
Chelsea, MI 48118

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TUESDAY, JULY 15, 2003, 7:30 P.M.
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APPLICATION FILED BY: PALMER MOTOR SALES, INC.
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CHELSEA, MI 48118

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ALI

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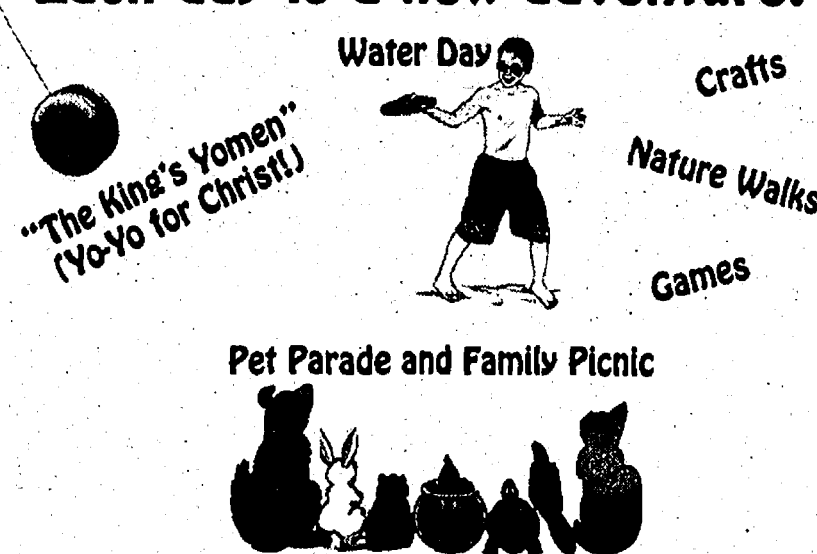
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Kudos

Local biologist wins award

By Chad Livengood
Special Writer

A local biologist has been recognized for his years of developing watershed restoration and waterfowl protection.

Ducks Unlimited wildlife biologist David Brakhage of Dexter recently was awarded the Great Lakes-Big Rivers Region's Wetland Conservation Award, part of the National Wetlands Conservation program recognizing leadership in watershed projects. He was nominated by the East Lansing Michigan Private Lands Office.

Brakhage credits the work of his firm's staff of 30 full-time employees who are dedicated to the cause of preserving habitats.

"We have been the ring-leader for getting several large federal grants for work on private lands," he said.

Ducks Unlimited, a private organization with a regional office in Ann Arbor, is instrumental in securing federal and state grants to help primarily private landowners to restore wetland and upland habitats.

The organization employs wildlife and marine biologists, civil engineers and computer technicians, among many other office positions vital to running a large-scale firm dedicated to its purpose and efforts.

Brakhage said that in the last five years, Ducks Unlimited has secured \$1 million for such projects.

"I've played the role in building this coalition of conservation groups," he said.

Brakhage said that many different conservation groups, private landowners, and the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service have participated in the initiatives.

The projects that Ducks Unlimited and Brakhage



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have taken part in have varied in size and magnitude.

"Last year, statewide, we completed 40 habitat projects, restoring 4,000 acres of wetlands with \$2 million in conservation funds," Brakhage said.

He noted the most successful and well-known projects headed by him and Ducks Unlimited are the Saginaw Bay and Lake St. Clair Western Lake Erie watersheds.

In his nomination letter for Brakhage, State Private Lands Coordinator Jim Hudgins said Brakhage's leveraging of additional

resources outside of the Fish and Wildlife Service has created an innovative approach of combining the forces and resources of a variety of environmental groups.

"Under the leadership of Brakhage, partners have come together to develop NAWCA proposals for broad watersheds that included state-specific projects on public lands and acreage goals for smaller projects on private lands," Hudgins said.

Furthermore, Hudgins said, Brakhage has actively sought new, nontraditional partners to participate in

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DEATHS



PAUL J. PRENTICE
Chelsea

Paul J. Prentice, 62, of Chelsea died July 6, 2003, at the University of Michigan Hospital. He was born April 4, 1941, in Jackson the son of John C. and Sylvia A. (Thompson) Prentice.

Mr. Prentice lived in the area all of his life and graduated from Chelsea High School in 1959. He was a member of Zion Lutheran Church for many years.

At 16, he had a true love for flying and it continued throughout his life. He is metaphorically soaring in the sky, feeling at peace now and likely looking down on all of his family.

Mr. Prentice enjoyed working on cars and watching sporting events.

He worked for DaimlerChrysler AG for 37 years in Chelsea, retiring in 1998.

Mr. Prentice was a veteran and served in the U.S. Army in Germany for 30 months. He was also a member of Local UAW 1284 of Chelsea, a member of Aircraft Owners, Pilot Association and the Experimental Aircraft Association.

On May 14, 1966, he married Janet L. Bollinger in Chelsea and she survives. Also surviving are two children, Cathy (Jamey) Lobdell of Chelsea and Jeffrey Prentice of Chelsea; one sister, Ruth (Neil) Horning of Chelsea; and one granddaughter, Danielle Lobdell, who was Grandpa's "little sunshine."

Also surviving are several nieces and nephews, including a special niece, Becky (Dave) Johnson, as well as Matt (Lisa) Forner and Kim (Rick) Eder, great-nieces and great-nephews, Arron and Amanda Johnson, and Corynne (Ben) Eder, and Zachary Forner, and several cousins.

He was preceded in death by his parents; one brother-in-law, Donald Forner; and his father- and mother-in-law, Rudolph and Loretta Bollinger.

Visitation is 10 a.m. today at Zion Lutheran Church. The funeral will be held 11 a.m. today at the church. The Rev. Mike Konow will officiate. Burial will follow at Zion Lutheran Church Cemetery.

Expressions of sympathy can be made to Zion Lutheran Church.

GERTRUDE HOFFENBECKER

Gertrude C. Hoffenbecker, 79, of Marquette died June 30, 2003, at her home. She was born Sept. 13, 1923, in Marquette to John and Mildred (Vierling) Diedrich and was a lifelong resident. She attended Messiah Lutheran Church, where she also worked with her husband, Henry, for many years.

Gertrude is survived by a daughter, Diana (Fred) Carter, of Sands Township; a son, Daniel (Bobby) Hoffenbecker, of Chelsea; a sister, Mary (William) Cleary of Marquette; and a brother, Martin (Rosemary) Diedrich, of Marquette.

She is also survived by three grandchildren, John, Catherine and Shelly; three great-grandchildren, Jenna, Nikki and Trevor; as well as several nieces and nephews.

Mrs. Hoffenbecker was preceded in death by her parents; husband; four brothers, Charlie, Joe, Jack and Louis; and four sisters, Dorothy, Helen, Louise and Marlene.

A memorial service was held Saturday at the Messiah Lutheran Church. The Rev. Nancy Amacher officiated.

Swanson-Lundquist Funeral Home helped the family make arrangements. Mrs. Hoffenbecker's obituary also may be viewed and guest book signed at www.swanson-lundquist.com.



GLADYS M. DELERUYELLE
Grass Lake

Gladys Mildred Deleruyelle, 90, of Grass Lake died July 5, 2003, at the Cedar Knoll Care Center in Grass Lake. She was born Sept. 22, 1912, in Clarksburg, W.V., to Emma Laura and Sherman Sapp.

In 1931, she was married to Pierre Joseph (Pete) Deleruyelle. Their surviving children are Jeanne (Thomas) Stock, Milly (Kenneth) Rooney, Richard (Brenda) Deleruyelle, James (Karen) Deleruyelle, Thomas (Priscilla) Deleruyelle, Katherine (Kurt) Vogler and Steven Deleruyelle.

She is also survived by 21 grandchildren, 14 great-grandchildren and one great-great-granddaughter, all of whom were the joys of her life.

Also surviving are a sister, Ann Cox, and several dear half-brothers and half-sisters.

Her husband, Pete, daughter, Judith Lynn Deleruyelle Atchison, and her grandson, Thomas R. Stock preceded her in death.

A funeral service was held Tuesday at Cole Funeral Chapel in Chelsea. The Rev. Germano Pegoro and Sister Annrita officiated.

Burial was in Roselawn Memorial Park in Lasalle. Memorial contributions may be made to Cedar Knoll Care Center.

GERTRUDE F. SCHILHANECK

Gertrude F. Schilhaneck, 92, of Chelsea died July 1, 2003, at the Chelsea Retirement Community. She was born Oct. 20, 1910, in Barry County, the daughter of Elzey and Elda (Mead) Mead.

Mrs. Schilhaneck attended the United Methodist Church, and was a secretary for International Seal and Lock in Hastings.

She married William J. Schilhaneck in Nashville, Mich., Dec. 13, 1930, and he survives. Other survivors include a daughter-in-law, Janet D. Schilhaneck of Ann Arbor; two grandchildren, Amy Lynn Wilson and Jeffery Allan Schilhaneck; and four great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her son, Larry Lee Schilhaneck, and her sister, Gladys L. Yarger.

A private committal service will take place at a later date. Arrangements were made by Cole Funeral Chapel in Chelsea.

RICHARD J. CASTERLINE

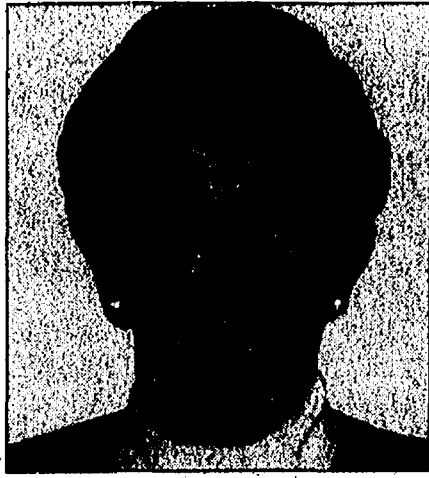
Richard J. Casterline, 65, of Chelsea died July 5, 2003, at his home. He was born May 3, 1938, in Ann Arbor the son of Donald J. and Nellie M. (Bassett) Casterline.

Mr. Casterline lived in Manchester for the past two years, and enjoyed fly fishing, gardening, golfing and hockey.

On Nov. 9, 1983, he married Mary Patrick in Chelsea, and she survives. Also surviving are two daughters, Jodi (John) Anderson of Wolverine, and Jennifer (Grant) Ratliff of Grass Lake; one brother, Larry (Karen) Casterline of Tennessee; two sisters, Dolores (Dale) Fisher of Rochester and Mary (Steve) Wolfe of Tipton; and three grandchildren, Patrick, Eric and Logan Ratliff. He was preceded in death by his parents.

Memorial services will be held 5 p.m. today at the Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home, 901 North Main St., in Chelsea. The family will receive friends from 4 p.m. until the time of the service.

Private burial will take place at Oak Grove Cemetery in Chelsea. Expressions of sympathy may be made to Arbor Hospice.



ALMEDA BENTZ KERR MURRAY
Chelsea

Formerly of Troy

Almeda Bentz Kerr Murray, 84, died July 7, 2003, at her home. She was born Dec. 9, 1918, in Detroit, the daughter of William Cleveland and Georgiana (Thompson) Bentz. Mrs. Murray lived in Chelsea since October 1999 after moving from Troy, where she had lived for 27 years.

Mrs. Murray was raised in Clawson and raised a family of her own in Waterford. She was a descendant of the Pixley family, early Lenawee County pioneers.

Mrs. Murray was a member of the Chelsea and Dexter senior citizens groups, and enjoyed traveling and her family.

She retired as an accountant from Ford Motor Co.'s Tractor Division.

Mrs. Murray was preceded in death by two husbands, Donald Miller Kerr and Roy Hugh Murray.

Surviving are her children, David L. (Nancy) Kerr of Marathon, Fla., and Elizabethon, Tenn.; Gayle Kerr (John R.) Burkhardt of Green Valley, Ariz.; and Midland, and Fernie Kerr (Jeffrey) Hampl of Green Valley, Ariz., and Chelsea.

Also surviving are six grandchildren, Robert Kerr, Steven Kerr, Gregg (Tammy) Burkhardt, Susan Burkhardt, Scott Kerr Hampel and Mark Kerr Hampel; three great-grandchildren, Cassandra Kerr, Tyler Burkhardt and Laura Burkhardt; and one sister, Marilyn Collins of Macomb.

Mrs. Murray was preceded in death by a grandson, Eric John Burkhardt; a sister, Laura Sparks; and a brother, Duane Bentz.

A funeral will be held 11 a.m. Friday at the Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home, 901 North Main St., in Chelsea. The Rev. Roy Lambert will officiate.

The family will receive friends 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. today at the funeral home. Expressions of sympathy may be made to the Chelsea Community Hospital Auxiliary.

Burial will be in Oak Grove East Cemetery in Chelsea.

LOREE STAFFORD

Loree Stafford, 68, of Chelsea died Feb. 10, 2003, after a courageous struggle with cancer. She passed away peacefully in her sleep with her loving family at her side.

Mrs. Stafford was a longtime resident of Chelsea. She was the founder, director and teacher of North Lake Co-op Pre-School throughout the 1970s and through the mid-1980s. She loved the children and families of North Lake Co-op, and they loved her.

In all, Mrs. Stafford devoted 23 years in education as a teacher and director of early-childhood education programs. In retirement, she continued to volunteer her energy as an advocate and voice for neglected and abused children for the state of New Mexico.

Mrs. Stafford loved reading and having others enjoy her fantastic home-cooking. She loved the Southwest, from its culture to its flavorful cuisine. She traveled extensively in retirement with her late husband, Bob. Together, they especially enjoyed Australia.

Mrs. Stafford is survived by her two sons, Scott and Chip, their wives, Diane and Paris, and two grandchildren, Chase and Savannah.

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Day-care operator wants to expand

■ **Dexter's Morning Star Child Care requests space in new building next door.**

By Lisa Allmendinger
Special Writer

Morning Star Child Care is outgrowing its space along Dexter-Ann Arbor Road. After a search of available space, owner Jane Horning is looking to her new neighbor for the chance to spread her wings.

According to statistics supplied by Horning, there are only two child-care centers in the area that offer infant care. One is Creative Caring on Dexter-Pinckney Road, which offers six spaces for infants.

The other is Generations Together, located on Baker Road, with 12 spaces avail-

able. Morning Star would like to change by offering additional day care by leasing a 3,000-square-foot space, or two units, in the building going up next door. Horning said she would like to offer care for up to 52 children of varying ages.

Already located next door to the Bluewater Development building in Dexter under construction, Horning thought it would be a perfect fit. She sent a letter to Allison Menard, Dexter Village zoning administrator, requesting permission to rent space for an expanded center.

Also included in the request to the Dexter Village Planning Commission was a letter of support from Bluewater Development. But Bluewater's agreement does not permit child-care as a permitted use for its planned

unit development.

Although the commissioners agreed that additional child-care is needed for the village, they requested that Bluewater submit a completely new plan for the complex.

"This is a major amendment to your proposal and you'll have to resubmit your entire plan," said Commissioner Ray Tell.

The original use of the building was as an office complex. Commissioners said adding a day-care facility to the mix completely changes the concept of the original PUD plan.

Concerns include insulating other tenants from the noise of the children, children having to walk across the parking lot to the adjacent playground, and parking, pick-up and drop-off issues.

Commissioners requested

more information from both the developer and Horning.

Statistics from the Newcomer's Welcome Service show that in the first six months of this year, 41 new children moved into Dexter, ages 11 and younger.

Horning said that her facility currently serves families with children of various ages. "Parents appreciate one care facility that provides services for all ages of children," she said, explaining that the Child Care Network,

a parent referral agency in Washtenaw County, had received 51 calls for child-care for 69 children between Oct. 1, 2002, and July 4.

There are 10 day-care centers in the area with a capacity of 460 children. The total vacancy rate is 88, according to figures supplied by Horning, who said she has to turn away families every month because her enrollment is full.

She said her facility would be licensed by the state. She

has applied for accreditation for the entire center through a national early childhood organization called The National Association for the Education of Young Children.

The proposed hours of operation would be 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. and there would be staggered traffic in and out of the facility as programs begin and end at different times throughout the day.

Horning hopes to employ eight to 10 adults for the year-round business.

KUDOS

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grant implementation.

"As a spin-off to the NAWCA partnering efforts, he has worked with the Saginaw Bay Watershed Initiative Network and with small and large community foundations such as the Dow and the Kantzler Foundation," Hudgins said.

The purpose of this networking, Brakhage said, has been to coordinate additional resources for habitat restoration on private lands.

Ultimately, Brakhage believes his firm and the entire coalition it has formed over the past few years, have saved the lives of many species and enhanced the protection of many others.

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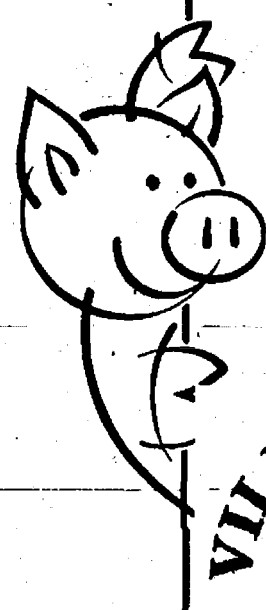
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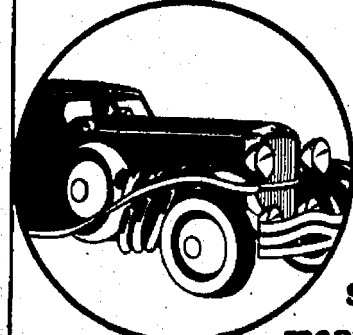
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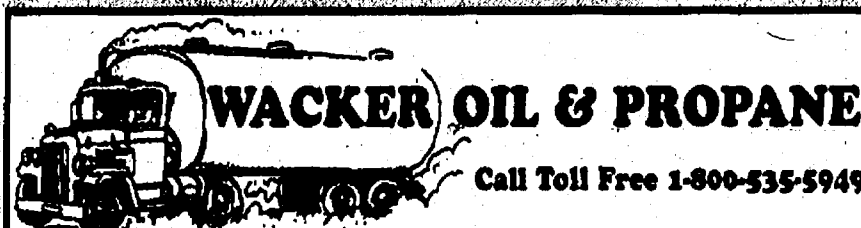
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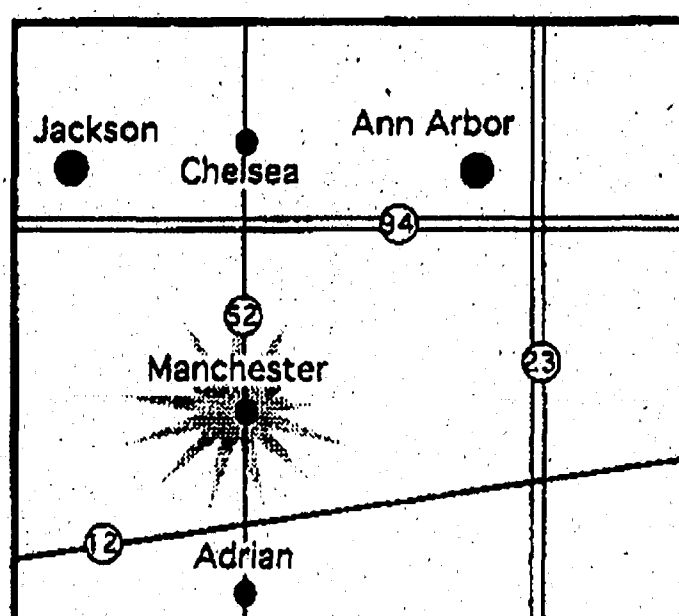
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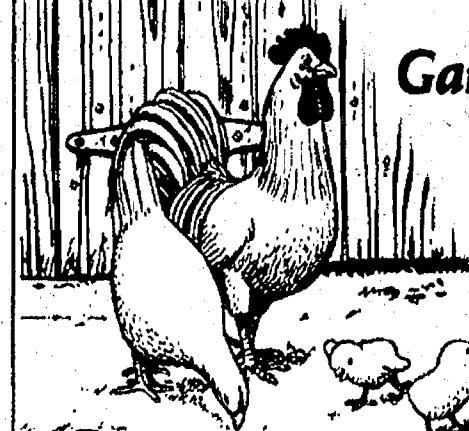


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APARTMENTS**
Now accepting appli-
cations for one and
two bedroom apart-
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**WOODHILL SENIOR
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regardless of age)
**Equal Housing
Opportunity
TDD 800-649-3777**

Houses for Rent	301
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CHelsea on NORTH LAKE.
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floor plan. Area for vegie
garden. Available July
1. \$650/mo plus utilities.
Security deposit and
references required.
Applications now being
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MANCHESTER**
Ranch home in country, 1.5 baths, full basement.

\$900/month
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Mobile Homes for Rent	303
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home in Chelsea
Mobile Home Park.
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security deposit and
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\$460 per month plus
utilities, security deposit.
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734-428-0772

Living Quarters Shared	304
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Business Opportunity 405

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EDUCATION/CHILD CARE 500

Child Care 500

CHELSEA LICENSED CHILD CARE Available. A creative & caring environment. Lunch and snacks provided. Call: (734) 475-8112 for information & a visit!!

DEXTER New daycare home opening this Fall. Certified teacher, now stay-at-home Mom will provide quality care, activities & meals for children 18 mos.-5 years. Part time welcome. Call for details: 734-426-0058.

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Child Care 500



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An Equal Opportunity Employer

ATHLETICS
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• Substitutes

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• Substitutes

PARA PROFESSIONAL
• Substitutes

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• Substitutes

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• Sub Drivers-afternoon

424-4100

Child Care 600

NOTICE TO READERS Child care providers are required by the State of Michigan to be licensed. For more information, contact the Bureau of Family Services in Lansing, MI.



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Customer Service/Sales

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LATCHKEY PROGRAM ASSISTANT for SALINE AREA SCHOOLS Part time - approximately 20-25 hrs. per week, 1-5pm, Mon thru Fri. Will assist with billing, book-keeping, program information & assist parents and staff. Must have some computer experience & enjoy working with people. Send resume to: Judy Sines, 200 N. Ann Arbor Saline, MI 48176 or fax resume to: 734-429-8025 by July 15. Position to start in July.

PIZZA DRIVERS Needed for full/part time. \$10 to \$15/hr. Apply in person at: Clites Pizza, 503 Coliseum Drive or Call (734) 433-6543.

PUBLIC TRANSIT BUS DRIVER
The City of Milan seeks drivers. Part-time position (25-30 hrs. per week) Michigan CDL required. Training available. Must pass physical exam, drug screen and background check. Apply to: 79 Gump Lake Road, Milan, MI 48150. Position open until filled. Visit www.ci.milan.mi.us for more information. The city is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

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SALINE AREA SCHOOLS is in urgent need of SUBSTITUTE bus drivers. No experience necessary as a bus driver. We will train now for fall driving. Must have good driving record, \$13.50/ph. Layover \$8.25/ph. Apply at Saline Area Schools, District Information Office, 200 N. Ann Arbor St. Saline before 4pm, July 18, 2003

Medical/Dental Help Wanted 602

DENTAL OFFICE STAFF
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Experienced in OB. Full time position. Fax resume to: (734) 712-1164.

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Opticians, Technicians, and Management. Call Dr. Moss (734) 483-2100

General Help Wanted 600

Medical/Dental Help Wanted 602

MEDICAL RECEPTIONIST/ OFFICE CLERK
Experience preferred. Full time. Fax resume to: (734) 712-1164

Domestic Help Wanted 604

DEXTER AREA: Responsible babysitter for our 7 and 11 year old children, part time (6pm-8pm), eight nights a month including every other weekend. Prefer own transportation. References. (734) 424-9620 after 4pm.

Situations Wanted 605

INDIVIDUAL HOUSECLEANER with ten years EXPERIENCE

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Employment Information 606

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Miscellaneous 700

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General Help Wanted 600

Lawn & Garden 709

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Miscellaneous 700

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Miscellaneous 700

LOOKING FOR A NEW HOME?

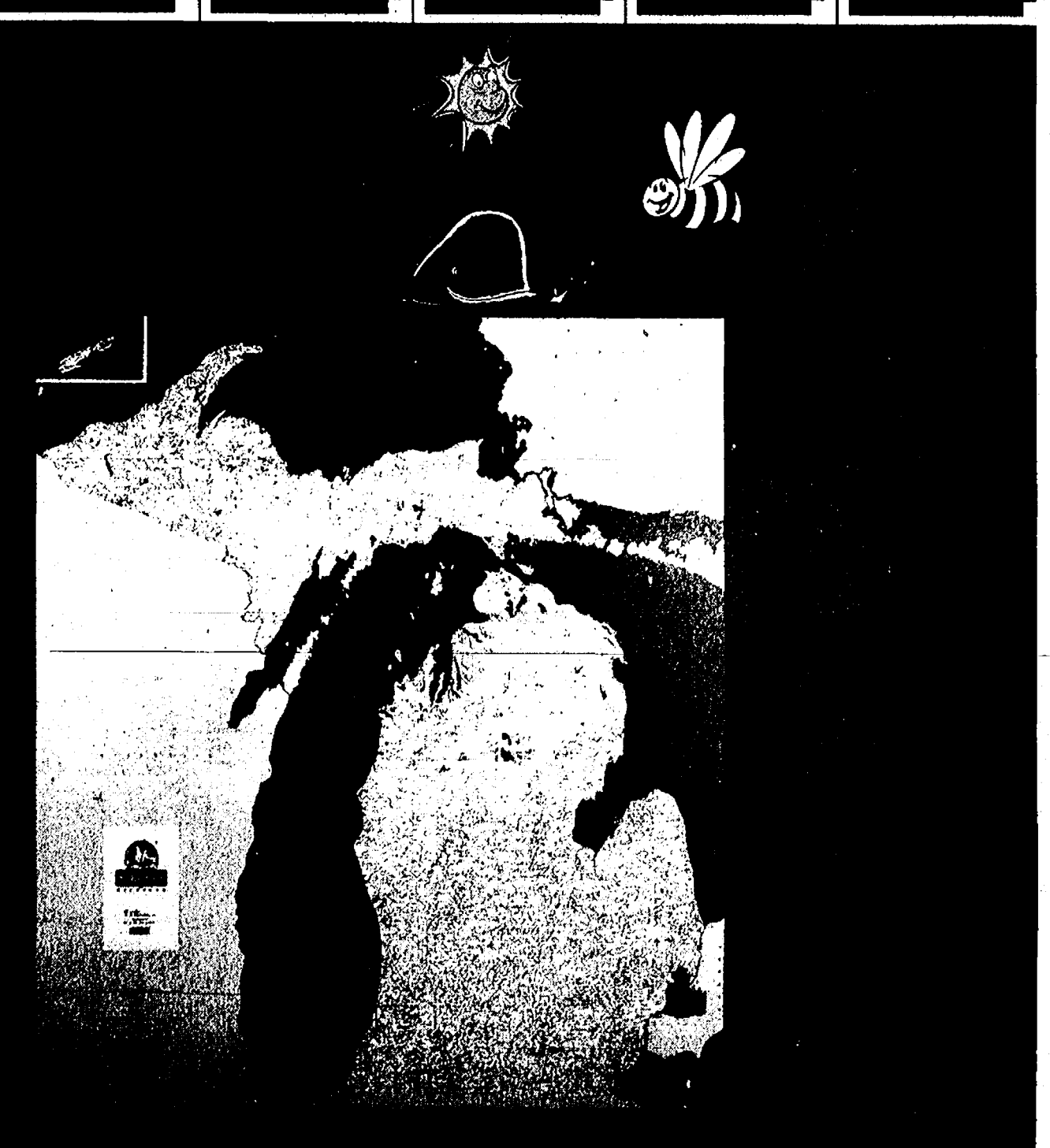
North, South, East or West? We offer ONLY the very best. Call Heritage Newspapers Classifieds. Miscellaneous 700

Buy It! Sell It! Find It!

NEED EXTRA CASH?
Clean your basement, attic or garage and sell still useful items here in classifieds. Our friendly advisors are ready to help you write on ad for best results. Call: Heritage Classified Department Miscellaneous 700

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Rolled or folded stream map postage paid \$23.95
Heavy gauge laminated stream map **LIFETIME GUARANTEED,** write-on/ wipe-off surface with brass eyelettes for easy hanging **\$44.50**

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Garage Sale Kit

w/prepaid garage sale ad July 2-31st

Kit contains:
3 signs
3 balloons
1 pen
stickers
1 tip sheet for successful sale
1-50% off coupon for followup ad

Kit must be picked up at any Heritage Newspaper Office. Ad must be prepaid. One free kit per household. While Supplies Last. Ad must run between July 2nd & July 31st.

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Rummage/Garage Sales 712

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HUGE GARAGE SALE
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Fri-Sat. 9am-2pm, 5612
PEBBLE RIDGE COURT, (in
Silo Ridge), tons of girls
clothing sizes infant to 6T,
houseware goods, lots & lots of toys & much more!

BRIDGEWATER
COMMUNITY
Flea Market
July 12, 8-3pm
Shop or sell. Free Vendor
space still available.
Bring your Garage Sale to
Bridgewater.
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CHELSEA
BELSER ESTATES
1314 PROVINCIAL DR.
Friday & Saturday
July 11 & 12
8am-2pm.
Lots of miscellaneous
and household items.

CHELSEA GARAGE
SALE: Saturday
July 12, 9am-5pm
12470 TRINKLE
Household items, books,
tools, and lots of misc-
ellaneous.

CHELSEA
HUGE SALE
RAIN OR SHINE!
Lots of kids stuff and
miscellaneous. Thursday
July 10 8-9pm. Friday
July 11 9-10pm. Saturday
July 12 9-NOON. 3045
N. LIMA CENTER RD.

Rummage/Garage Sales 712
CHELSEA GARAGE SALE:
Lots of great items. Side-
by-side refrigerator, com-
plete oak baby crib with
bedding, oak high chair,
pac-n-play, deluxe 12
ft. artificial Christmas
tree, clothes, Sat. 8-2,
1420 KIMLEE COURT.

CHELSEA: Large Two-
family sale. A little of
everything. Thurs. &
Fri., July 10 & 11,
9am. Sat., 9-11.
520 GARFIELD,
corner of Lincoln.

CHELSEA
MOVING SALE
530 CHANDLER,
Saturday Only 9-3pm.
Free electronics, kids
clothes & toys.
Great Prices.

CHELSEA
MOVING
SALE
Friday and Saturday,
8am-5pm, 1322 AUSTON
LANE. Furniture, house-
hold goods, lots and lots
of miscellaneous.

CHELSEA MULTI family
garage sale-1580 PIERCE
ROAD, (off I-94, two miles
W. of Chelsea, between
Cavanaugh Lake Rd. &
Bush Rd.) Thurs.-Fri. July
10-11, from 8am-4pm.
Furniture, household
goods.
All items priced to go!

CHELSEA
MULTI-FAMILY
Garage Sale:
July 12-13, 10am-4pm,
176 EAST SUMMIT ST.
Lots of miscellaneous.

EAGLE SPRINGS SUB: off
Allen Road, multi home
garage sale, Fri. & Sat.
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Furniture, books, items,
small appliances, books
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CHELSEA YARD SALE:
Three Families, toys,
clothes, household items,
bikes. Friday July 11,
Saturday July 12, 9am-
5pm. 20000 C.A.
VANAUGH LAKE ROAD,
just over the railroad
tracks from Chelsea
Retirement Home.

CHELSEA
127 Van Buren Street,
July 11-12, 8:30-4pm.
Kids' clothes 2T to 12,
toys, furniture, Fax ma-
chine, computer items,
adult & children's books,
kids' CD's, women's
clothes, baby items,
toys, canned jars, two
children's violins (like
new), much more.

DUNDEE
PRE-MOVING SALE!!!!
Sat. July 12, 9am-7, 1124
PETERSBURG RD., south
of M-50. Furniture,
clothes, baby items,
antiques, collectibles
and lots more!!!!

CHELSEA
Back to Back Garage
Sales- The Barnard
Family, 206 West Main
and the Penberthy
family, 208 Madison
Street. Only July 12,
9-5. Lots of misc. items.
MANCHESTER BARN Sale-
9am (no early sales),
Thurs. July 17-Sat., July
19. Household items, old
& new collectibles,
candles, clothing, tools.
Gift baskets, including
Nascar & pet themes.
18420 West Austin (just
east of Grossman Rd.)
across from Mini-
Storage).

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CAR ARRIVE?
Let Classifieds help
sell your used vehicle.

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MANCHESTER
Friday, July 11, 9-6,
and Saturday, July 12,
9am-3pm, 13174
LOGAN ROAD, two
miles east of M-52.
Lots of kids clothes.

MANCHESTER GARAGE
SALE: July 12-13, 9-6,
11433 SHERIDAN,
between M-52 and
Logan. Mile off of
Logan. Furniture, tires,
truck cap, prom
dresses, and misc.

MANCHESTER
HUGE YARD SALE
303 South Macomb St.
Fri. July 11, 9am-4pm.
Tools, fishing items, weed
eaters and lots of misc.

MANCHESTER
MULTI-Family Sale.
Thurs.-Sat., 8-5, 12190
Braun, off Clinton-
Manchester Rd. Hot
water radiators, furni-
ture, clothes, toys,
some tools and MUCH
MORE!!!!

MANCHESTER YARD
SALE: Thurs.-Sat., 8am-
4pm, 8251 GROSS-
MAN RD. Furniture,
household items, kids
clothes/ toys. Lots of
misc.

MILAN GARAGE SALE:
Friday, Saturday, 9am-
4pm, 8620 ACORNE AVE.
Many items like new,
sporting equipment, skis,
household, toys, books
and lots more.

SALE GARAGE SALE:
July 11 & 12, 8am-8pm,
736 WHITTIER COURT. Kids
clothes & toys, ages 0-3,
furniture & misc.

Rummage/Garage Sales 712
MILAN GARAGE SALE:
Fri. Sat. Sun. July 11, 12,
13, 9-6, 13633 SANFORD
ROAD. Baby, kitchen
items, baby and little
boys clothes, toys, pu-
zles, household items &
lots of misc. Diagonal
NASCAR still in original
boxes. Lots of NASCAR
collectibles, such as
Dale Earnhardt & Jeff
Gordon.

MILAN HUGE GARAGE
SALE- Friday, July 11,
Saturday, July 12, 9-5,
136 First Street. Every-
thing from tools, home
furnishings, home decor,
beer signs, clothes,
cameras to lots of toys.
Everything priced to sell
cheap. Bring your own
quarters! Lots & lots of
stuff. Rain or shine.

MILAN
July 11-12, 9AM-
4PM. Household
items, glassware
& misc. 245 Ideal
Street.

MILAN: Multi family
garage sale. Infant
thr childrens clothes,
toys, games. Garden
& household items.
12721 Ridge Rd., Sat.,
July 12, 9am-4pm

MILAN: MULTI FAMILY. Fri
& Sat through summer,
10-5. Misc items, videos,
collectibles, tools, books,
statues, new doors &
windows, toys, furniture,
large mirror, tables &
stands. South on Wabash
to Sherman, East on
Sherman, place right
side. Large pole barn.

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MOVING SALE 118 Willow
Court, Pierce Lake Vi-
lage, Sat. & Sun. July
12 & 13, 10-2am. Oak
bedroom, electric bed,
cabinets, silver/china
cabinet, mens suits
(40-42), cedar closet,
paintings, mirrors, roll top
desk, books shelves, etc.

SALE: GARAGE SALE:
July 10, 11 & 12, 8am-
5pm, 13600 MOHART RD.
S. of Saline, off Arkona
Rd. Lots of baby stuff,
girls 0-4T, car seats, toys,
craft supplies, Christmas
items, bikes, wedding
decorations, household
items, shoes 7-10. Prince
House crystal, day
lily & iris plants, more.

SALE: Garage
Sale, Sat., July 12,
9am-1pm. Comput-
ers, Paltzgraf items,
lots of misses & teen
clothing, household
items.
7361 FOSDICK RD.

SALE: HUGE Country
Garage Sale- July 10 &
11, 10-6. Take Saline/
Milan to Maple Rd, three
miles to 11840 Maple,
between Mooreville &
Willow Roads. Antique
farm tool on steel wheels,
twin antique beds, more
antiques & collectibles,
and tables, coffee table,
lamps & dresser. Lots of
misc.

SALE: HUGE MULTI FAMILY!
6148 HEREFORD
July 11 & 12, 9-4pm.
Thousands of Candy,
Maid and Gift Boxes.
Books, furniture, tools,
Bissell carpet cleaner,
clothes, baskets, house-
hold items, lamps.

SALE: RIDGE
Multi family,
July 18 & 19 8-3pm
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clothing,
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RIDGE CT.

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Coffeehouse has unique mission

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A new coffeehouse in Chelsea offers a haven and oasis of peace from the rigors of life.

Last summer, Carol Mahan and Tammy Melcher went to a Bible study that focused on the book "Bible Study on the Fresh Brewed Life" by Nicole Johnson. Its theme is that people should look forward to their relationship with God with the same enthusiasm they look forward to that first cup of coffee in the morning.

The two Manchester Township residents were inspired to quit their daycare business and open up a coffeehouse that would provide a haven of calm and peace for local residents.

The result is Divine Java, located in the Chelsea Courtyard on South Main Street.

"We wanted this to be a place where people can step out of the business of the day and sit down and have a bit of peace," Melcher said.

The two women visited other coffee shops around the area and prayed for guidance. Mahan's husband worked in construction on the Chelsea Courtyard and Mahan said she and her friend were drawn to the location.

Some coffeehouses offer computers and access to the Internet. No so at Divine Java, which offers Christian music and a picture of Jesus on the wall over the counter.

"I felt like God wanted us to be here," Melcher said. "I like to see people and see them relax, take 15 minutes to talk to another human being and visit with a friend."

"We don't want to have Internet access. That defeats the whole purpose of what we have in mind here."

Melcher said that she knew they were doing the right thing when she saw two businessmen in suits playing checkers, "like kids."

"It was so cool," she said. "That's what we're here for."

The coffeehouse offers checkers, trivia cards, peg games, books and magazines, and comfortable couches in front of a faux fireplace. Children are welcome and a highchair is on hand for little ones.

While the new entrepreneurs say the coffeehouse business is more unpredictable than running a daycare, they love what they do. They both say the best thing is that they can witness compassion and kindness to more people with a smile, and kind word throughout the day.

Melcher says that people who have given up on going to church will come in and ask questions. She encourages them and offers advice, aspiring to be a light and to display God's love.

"It was a huge financial undertaking, but we feel this is what we're supposed to do," she says. "It's a God thing and you just can't put it off."

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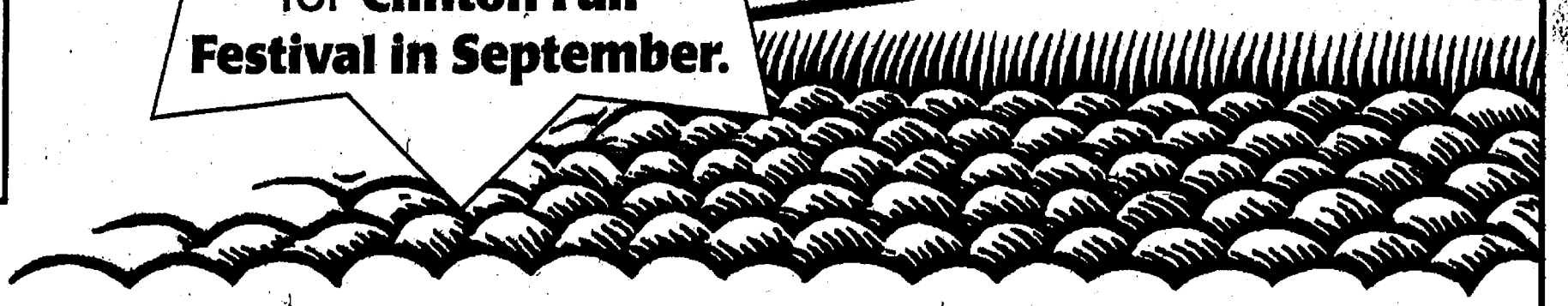
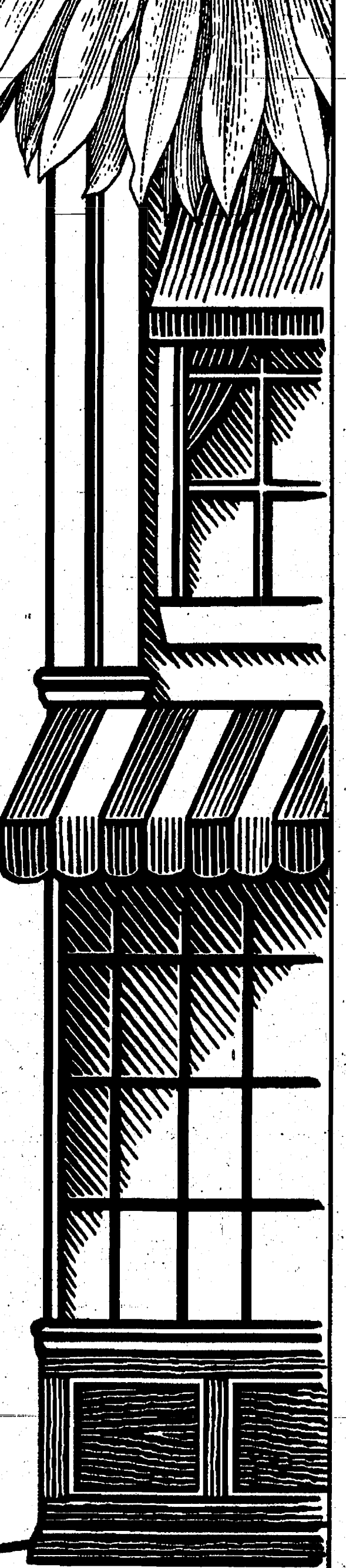
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Festival athletes throw their weight around

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Just past the food vendors, the historical enactment areas and the entertainment tents, you'll find the athletic field - just a stone's throw away.

A stone's throw, a hammer hurl and a caber toss, to be specific.

Led onto the field by a rousing overture of pipe bands, the professional competition begins at 11:30 a.m., followed by the amateur competition at 2:30 p.m., with an awards presentation following each segment. The trophy is called "the Rob," honoring Athletics Chair Robert Carmichael who has organized and directed the competition since the festival began in 1996.

At 5:30 p.m., the public can also compete for prizes in the women's and men's Haggis Hurl and the Farmer's Walk. Haggis is a sheep's stomach stuffed with various organs, oatmeal and suet. The festival uses authentic frozen haggis which resembles an oversized softball weighing about one pound. The Farmer's Walk is a race in which participants carry 200-pound weights in each hand.

While the stone, hammer and even

the haggis hurl are important tests of strength and skill, the caber toss is the most popular event in the highland games, Carmichael says. The sight of these athletes sending 16 to 21 foot poles - each weighing 100 to 150 pounds - end-over-end through the air - is truly a spectacle to behold.

"The caber toss is scored using the clock face method," Carmichael explains. "On the imaginary clock face, the athlete stands at 12 o'clock and if the caber lands pointing directly at 12, it is considered a perfect toss. However, cabers pointing anywhere between 9 and 3 are considered good scores. The good toss is measured by momentum and style, not distance."

The professional athletes competing this year include Kurt Pauli, Drew Hickey, David Barron, Chris Rusher, Harry MacDonald, Frank Staza III, Will Barron, and Doug Steiger. The amateur competitors include Kip Miller, Mark Meyerhoff, Greg Howe, Frank MacKenzie, Chris Snider, Mike Deibert, Ken Crum, Frank Staza IV and Kevin Carpenter.

Here are more details on the athletic events:

CABER TOSS: The competitor lifts the caber, balances the pole on his shoulder and then quickly places it in

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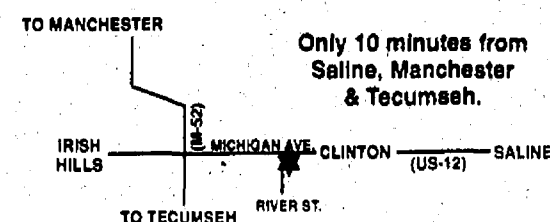
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Once again, headline performers of the Saline Celtic Festival will share their techniques and insights in eight public workshops taking place 6-7:15 p.m. Friday, July 11, in Mill Pond Park. The fee is \$8 per person and all interested persons are welcome.

The three members of the Irish band BOHOLA will present beginner/intermediate workshops on their respective instruments. Jimmy Keane, a five-time all-Ireland accordion champion, will teach the piano accordion; Sean Cleland will teach Irish music on the fiddle, and Pat Broaders will instruct on the Irish bass bouzouki. Participants should have basic knowledge of Irish music and their instrument.

Composer guitarist Brian Pickell brings more than 25 years experience to his workshop on guitar accompaniment for Celtic tunes, aimed at intermediate and advanced guitar students. Two other members of the

Brian Pickell band will present workshops: U.S. and Canadian National Fiddle Champion Shane Cook will teach fiddle styles to advanced students, and flautist Pat O'Gorman will offer Irish traditional flute music to beginner/intermediate level participants.

Patricia Hoekje of the dance performance group, Step In Time, will teach soft shoe Irish jig to beginning-level dance enthusiasts, and Bryan Kelso Crow, host of National Public Radio's *Celtic Connections*, and host of the festival's Brecon Stage, returns to teach beginning tin whistle.

Volunteers will be on hand to direct participants to the locations at the park where the workshops will gather, all under shelter. Walk-ins will be taken as space permits, but pre-registration is recommended, as space is limited. Participants should bring their own instrument or dance shoes. For further information on the workshops, contact the Celtic Festival office at 734-944-2810, or check the Website, www.salineceltic.org.

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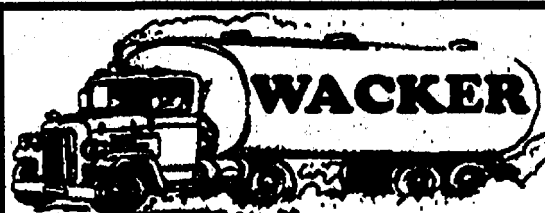
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— In Memoriam

Celtic Festival Event Line-up: July 12, 2003

All programs & times are subject to change.

Opening Ceremony

11:00 AM Athletic Field with Massed Bands
12:15 PM Traditional Longworth Dance
Instruction by members of
Boar's Tooth Morris Dancers
1:15 - 3:45 PM Kids Celtic Games Arts & Crafts
3:50 PM Gathering for Kids Parade
4:00 PM "Wee Folk Parade" (Festival Parade)

Living History Enactments

Random Times at "Folklore & Encampment Areas" and other locations:

■ MacFarlane's Company: historically accurate portrayal of Celtic clans, Society for Creative Anachronism, Cynnar re-enactments of Celtic battles.
■ Joseph Steele stages the Encampment of Steward MacBreachen's Company of Pike & the Artillery Garden
■ Reid's Light Infantry
■ Ring of Steel
■ Bird Rescue of Huron Valley falconry presentation with Karen Young

Great Lakes Highland Athletic Championships

11:00 AM Opening Ceremony with Massed Bands
11:30 AM Professional Competition:
Kirt Pauli, Will Barron, Drew Hickey, David Barron, Chris Rusher, Frank Stash III, Harry MacDonald, Doug Steiger
Stone Throw 28# Weight/Distance 16#
Hammer/Distance Caber 56# Weight/Height
Professional Awards
2:00 PM Amateur Competition:
Kip Miller, Mark Meyerhoff, Greg Howe, Frank MacKenzie, Chris Snider, Mike Deibert, Ken Crum, Kevin Carpenter, Frank Stasa VI
Stone Throw 28# Weight/Distance 16#
Hammer/Distance Caber 56# Weight/Height
Amateur Awards
5:00 PM Public Events: Sign up at the Athletic Tent
5:30 PM Women's & Men's Haggis Hurl
Farmer's Walk
7:00 PM Public Event Awards
Games official: Jim Pauli — Announcer: Jim Foubister.

Pipe Bands & Sheep Herding

11:00 AM Opening Ceremony with Massed Bands
Noon Solo Pipe & Drum Competition Start
12:20 PM Sheep Dog Demonstration #1
12:40 PM Glen Erin Pipe Band
1:00 PM Shrine Highlanders Pipe Band
1:20 PM Sheep Dog Demonstration #2
1:40 PM Grand Rapids & District Pipe Band
2:00 PM Kalamazoo Pipe Band
2:20 PM Sheep Dog Demonstration #3
2:40 PM Cabar Feidh Pipe Band
3:00 PM Ann Arbor Pipe Band
3:20 PM Sheep Dog Demonstration #4
4:00 PM "Wee Folk" Parade
4:30 PM Most Promising Awards
Sheep herding demonstrations by Jim McEwen

Clans & Societies

11:00 AM Parade in Opening Ceremony
Visit the clan displays

Highland Cattle

See Highland Cattle from the Lea-White Farms, Charlotte, MI

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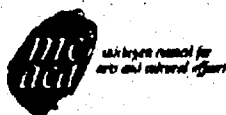
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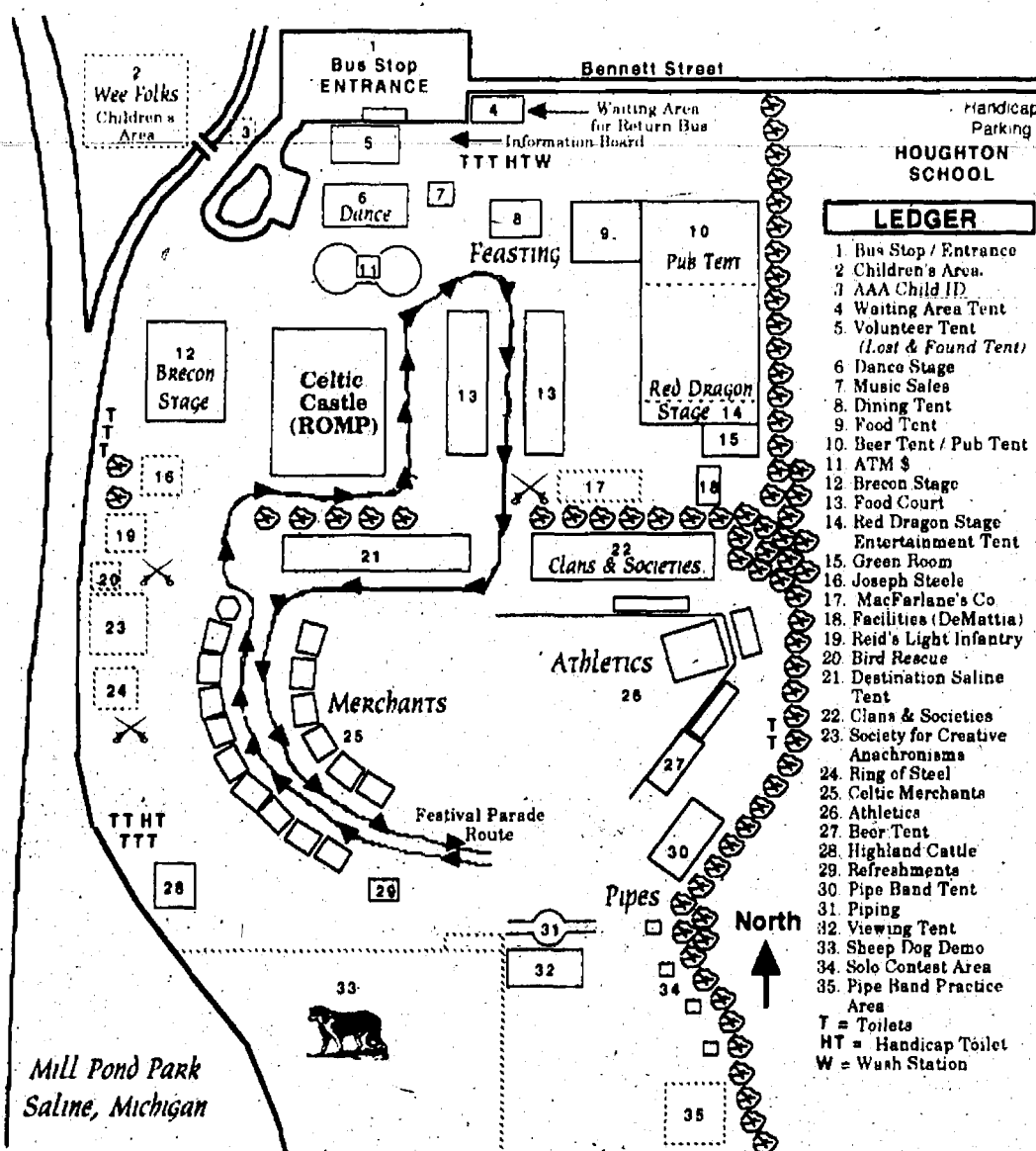
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 - 5 Volunteer Tent (Lost & Found Tent)
 - 6 Dance Stage
 - 7 Music Sales
 - 8 Dining Tent
 - 9 Food Tent
 - 10 Beer Tent / Pub Tent
 - 11 ATM
 - 12 Brecon Stage
 - 13 Food Court
 - 14 Red Dragon Stage Entertainment Tent
 - 15 Green Room
 - 16 Joseph Steele
 - 17 MacFarlane's Co
 - 18 Facilities (DeMattia)
 - 19 Reid's Light Infantry
 - 20 Bird Rescue
 - 21 Destination Saline Tent
 - 22 Clans & Societies
 - 23 Society for Creative Anachronism
 - 24 Ring of Steel
 - 25 Celtic Merchants
 - 26 Athletics
 - 27 Beer Tent
 - 28 Highland Cattle
 - 29 Refreshments
 - 30 Pipe Band Tent
 - 31 Piping
 - 32 Viewing Tent
 - 33 Sheep Dog Demo
 - 34 Solo Contest Area
 - 35 Pipe Band Practice Area
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Mill Pond Park
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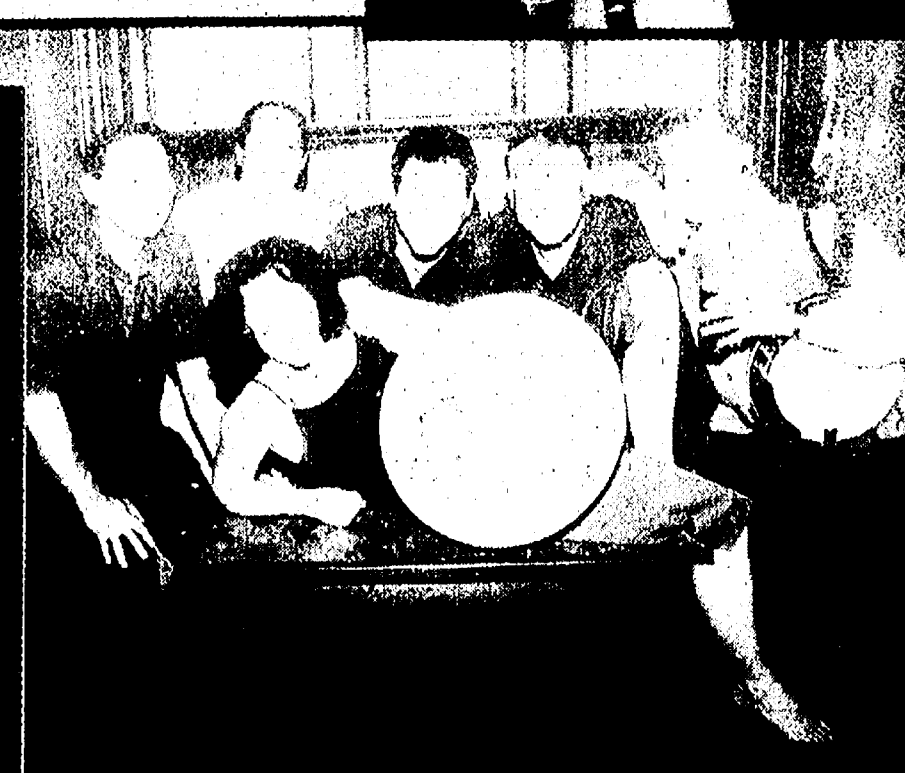
Robyn Huw Bowen

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HostTanglemore
playing with Step In Time

Saline Fiddlers Philharmonic



The Chelsea House Orchestra



Extra Stout

Celtic Festival
Entertainment
line-up:
July 12, 2003

Noon	Saline Fiddlers Philharmonic
1:00 PM	Step In Time
2:00 PM	The Brian Pickell Band
3:10 PM	The Chelsea House Orchestra
4:00 PM	BREAK
4:30 PM	Hoolie
5:30 PM	Step In Time
6:30 PM	bohola
7:30 PM	Liz Carroll and John Doyle
9 PM - Midnight	PUB STAGE — Extra Stout
9 PM - Midnight	GREEN ROOM AREA — Music session — Public Welcome

PUB STAGE
Host: Pammyrto Hogg

Noon	Hoolie
1:00 PM	Robin Huw Bowen
2:00 PM	Liz Carroll and John Doyle
3:00 PM	bohola
4:00 PM	BREAK
4:30 PM	Whippersnappers
5:15 PM	Robin Huw Bowen
6:15 PM	The Brian Pickell Band

PUB STAGE
Host: Pammyrto Hogg

12:30 PM	Colin & Brook Farm
1:30 PM	Brook Farm
2:30 PM	Whippersnappers
3:30 PM	Whippersnappers
4:30 PM	Whippersnappers
5:00 PM	Whippersnappers
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Award winning musicians add spark to stage

Champion Irish Fiddler Liz Carroll along with singer-guitarist John Doyle, Welsh triple harpist Robin Huw Bowen, and the Irish band BOHOLA are among the featured entertainers at the Saline Celtic Festival July 12 at Mill Pond Park.

Adding to the 12 hours of non-stop entertainment on three stages are the pub band Extra Stout, the Brian Pickell Band, Hoolie, Saline Fiddlers Philharmonic, Chelsea House Orchestra and the Step In Time dancers accompanied by Tanglemere. The music emcees are Brian Kelso Crow, host of National Public Radio's Celtic Connections, and Ann Arbor singer-song writer Michael Hough, part of the duo Mustard's Retreat.

THE ENTERTAINERS have collected accolades and awards, many of them on the international scale. At age 18, Carroll was named All-Ireland Senior Fiddle Champion and Senior Duet Champion along with piano/accordion player Jimmy Keane.

Joining Carroll on stage will be John Doyle, a founding member of the band Solas who has toured professionally since age 16 and appeared in festivals

throughout the U.S. and Europe. The Dublin-born singer-guitarist has appeared on numerous TV and radio programs and film soundtracks.

The Chicago band BOHOLA, known for its driving yet emotive Irish music, includes Sean Cleland on fiddle and singer Pat Broaders on bass bouzouki along with Jimmy Keane. Cleland has won numerous fiddle titles in Irish music competitions. Their music ranges from ancient Irish melodies to new compositions from the U.S. and abroad.

Robin Huw Bowen is internationally recognized as the world's leading exponent of Wales' national instrument, the Welsh triple harp. Bowen has researched and performed on the triple harp for more than two decades as well as teaching many classes and workshops. Besides solo appearances, he performs with the acclaimed traditional music group Crasdan. In 2000, Bowen was received the Glyndwr Award for "outstanding contribution to the arts in Wales."

Extra Stout is a Toledo-based Irish band featuring guitar and vocals enhanced by banjo, concertina, penny whistle and Irish drum. Mike McCarty is lead vocalist and storyteller of this group and Tom Troy is lead guitarist of the six-member band.

The Ontario-based Brian Pickell Band specializes in traditional Canadian style music, directly descending from the Celtic genres found throughout the provinces. Pickell has been playing, composing and recording since the 70s. Julie Schryer, Pat O'Gorman and Shane Cook join him on piano, flute and fiddle, pipes and whistles.

THE QUARTET Hoolie hails from

mid-Michigan and specializes in maritime music, combining entertainment and education about how their songs pertain to life on the lakes and salt seas. Nick Gareiss provides foot percussion to the fiddle and guitar rhythms and vocals of Jerry Casault, Katherine Morris and Jon Potrykus.

Step in Time dancers Jeannine Sladick, Patricia Hoekje and Daniel Gorno perform and teach dances from Ireland, Scotland and England. They will be accompanied by the Celtic musical quartet Tanglemere. An experienced dance caller, Hoekje also will lead an Irish reels stepdance workshop during the festival.

Morris dancer Nawal Motawi will teach a workshop in English longsword dancing on the dance stage, coordinated by Mick Fowler and Mike McGuire of Damhsa Umise Ban Mor.

More than 30 high school musicians performing on string, wind and percussion make up Chelsea House Orchestra, again bringing a unique sound to traditional Celtic jigs and reels. CHO has been performing at festivals and other venues since 1999.

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Finally, new this year is the Whippersnappers, a showcase of up and coming young area musicians with a penchant for Celtic music. These headliners of the future will appear at 4:30 p.m. on the Brecon Stage.

ATHLETES

Continued from Page 3

STONE THROW. A stone weighing 17-28 lb. is thrown with one hand, with the longest distance of three throws being the final score. The Olympic shot put competition is believed to have been developed from the Scottish Stone Throw.

56 LB. WEIGHT THROW. The 56 lb. weight is a metal block with a chain and handle attached to it. Spinning his body like a discus thrower, the athlete throws the weight with one hand. Again the longest distance of three throws is scored.

28 LB. WEIGHT THROW. This competition is the same as for the 56 lb. weight.

HAMMER THROW. The 16-22 lb. Scottish hammer consists of a metal

ball affixed to a handle usually made of rattan, with an overall length of 50 inches. The competitor stands, swinging the hammer in a circle over his head and releases it over the shoulder. Again, the longest of three throws is scored. The Olympic Hammer Throw is believed to have its roots in this event.

56 LB. WEIGHT FOR HEIGHT. In this event, the athlete swings the 56 lb. weight with one hand back and forth between his legs and then tosses it over a bar. The competitors get three attempts, and if they succeed, the bar is raised. The tossing and raising of the bar continues until only one athlete is left.

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Guinness beef stew is just one of the special ethnic entrees devised by Celtic, Twilight Chair Elizabeth

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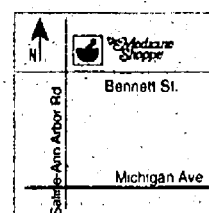
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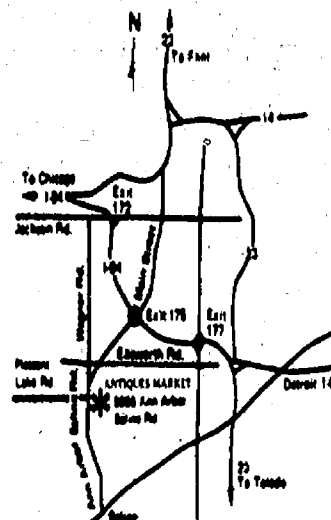
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Centuries are the calendars for Celtic enactors

Some folks have a preference for 80s rock music, vintage clothing or Victorian oak furniture. To an SCA member, these are modern-day artifacts.

The SCA, which stands for the Society for Creative Anachronism, measures "old" in centuries, not decades. At the Saline Celtic Festival July 12, local SCA members will

recreate Western Europe prior to 1600 AD, the period known as the High Middle Ages.

The SCA is one of seven historic re-enactment groups who will appear throughout Mill Pond Park, presenting demonstrations at random times and places. Others include MacFarlane's Company, Matt Heumann and Company, Joseph Steele, Ring of Steel, Saline Area Players and Bird Rescue of Huron Valley, featuring a falconry demonstration by Karen Young.

Easy to spot by their colorful medieval costuming and battle gear, the living history field entertainers portray stories of ancient Celtic culture. Festival goers may catch a demonstration of how to wrap and wear the great kilt, or hear about cooking, crafts or domestic life.

And be ready for a sword fight. Several of the living history troops specialize in recreating battle scenes, often enlisting audience members in leading the charge.

When local members of the Society for Creative Anachronism presents Cynnarbar: re-enactments of Celtic battles, many will be wearing armor

and brandishing weapons and shields they made themselves. SCA members not only study the middle ages, they experience them, sewing the clothing, preparing the food, and practicing the culture.


THE SCA traces its beginnings to a medieval theme party held in 1968 in Berkeley. After the party, some of the participants—science fiction and fantasy fans—met again to discuss the idea of creating a medieval re-enactment group much like the Revolutionary and Civil War re-enactment groups that were forming in historic cities like Gettysburg and Charleston. They incorporated as a nonprofit educational society that today has grown to over 30,000 dues-paying members in the US, Canada, Europe, Australia and Okinawa.

On its Web site, www.sca.org, the society claims to recreate the middle ages "as they ought to have been." This will true at the Saline Celtic Festival as well. There will be no plagues, no starving peasants, and tastier food than dried root vegetables and salted pork. The battles and tournaments will be all in fun.



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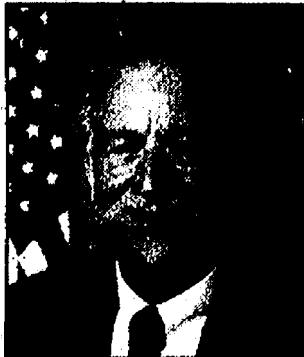
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Young bagpiper plans to have a 'blast' at this year's Festival

Zachary Read has yet to meet an instrument he doesn't like.

Introduced to the piano at age 6, he has since taken up clarinet, saxophone, drums and guitar, and he intends to learn fiddle and harp.

But his favorite, along with guitar, is the bagpipe. And stand back! This eighth grader blasts the room with music that resonates across the neighborhood. He produces as clear and rich a sound as you might hear from a musician twice or four times his age.

Zack, who turns 13 in July, only began lessons last September. He is now the youngest member of Caber Feidh, one of six Scottish Pipe Bands that will participate in the Saline Celtic Festival July 12 in Mill Pond Park. Others include the Ann Arbor, Kalamazoo, Grand Rapids and District, Glen Erin and Detroit Shrine Highlanders Pipe Bands.

Jim Roth, who chairs the pipe bands, nurtured the boy's interest. "After helping out with the bands last summer and purchasing a practice chanter, Zack told me he was going to learn the pipes and play in the 2003 Festival. I promised to throw a party if he reached his goal and serve haggis to celebrate."

Ann Arbor piper Herm Steinman became his instructor. "He knew what he wanted," Steinman recalls. "He was fired and ready to go."

SO FIRED, in fact, that Zack was already downloading music off the internet and reading up on bagpipe history. "It was one of the earliest instruments invented, possibly originating back in early Egypt," he points out. "It was definitely used by the early Greeks and Romans."

Besides liking the way it sounds, Zack is intrigued by the way the bagpipe works. The components include the bag - historically made of sheep's leather but nowadays made of Gortex, and four pipes. The three "drones," two tenor and one bass, create the harmony while the fourth pipe, the "chanter," carries the melody.

ALTHOUGH he needs no prodding to practice and is impatient to excel, Zack is learning to pace himself. "It's really something you don't want to rush," Zack explains, echoing his instructor. "The bagpipe is part of a culture. Herm not only teaches the songs, but what the songs are about in Scottish history."

That's another topic Zack likes to talk about. "We lived in Nova Scotia, (which means 'New Scotland' in Latin) until I was 10," he relates, producing a map showing where the

Canadian province lies east of Maine. "I grew up biking and climbing around the 'cliffs' of Cape Breton Island with my friend Scott."

He loves it there, but was excited when his father, Brian, was transferred to Saline three years ago. "Saline has been very welcoming," Zack's mother Della agrees. "There are so many opportunities here for our children."

Besides his wide-ranging musical interests, Zack plays lacrosse and ice hockey, and coaches his brother Ben on soccer moves. Though Della started both boys on her instrument, the piano, Ben, 6, may be taking after his dad, who played percussion with a band in high school.

"Ben has more of a drummer personality," Zack says affectionately. "You know, kind of crazy."

HIS OWN favorite genre is Celtic Rock, as expressed by the band Seven Nations. He was excited to hear the group, which has performed at the Winter Olympics and the Edinburgh Festival, at the Ark in Ann Arbor last April. Zack likes jamming on the guitar with his friend Ben Marine. "I come up a chord progression to accompany the bagpipe, and teach it to him, and then he puts in a different progression...." How many rock artists started this way?

Given the option, Zack might practice music every waking hour, taking occasional time out for sports. "Not unless you keep your grades up," his parents insist. So he cheerfully maintains an "A" average, even though claiming his favorite subject is "lunch."

Still, he has broad ambitions. "I might be an engineer - I like cars. Or a lawyer, and get paid for arguing. It would be neat to teach at the College of Piping in Prince Edward Island," he adds.

HE'LL RETURN to "down east" this summer when the family attends a cousin's wedding in Nova Scotia. There are more than a dozen aunts and uncles, and 17 cousins, in the MacDonnachaigh clan. Zack has been asked to play bagpipes at the wedding and possibly other "piping gigs."

"This kid is fearless," says Steinman, commenting on Zack's impressive lack of stage fright. "I encourage my students to participate in at least one solo competition per year, and Zack is already preparing for his second and third."

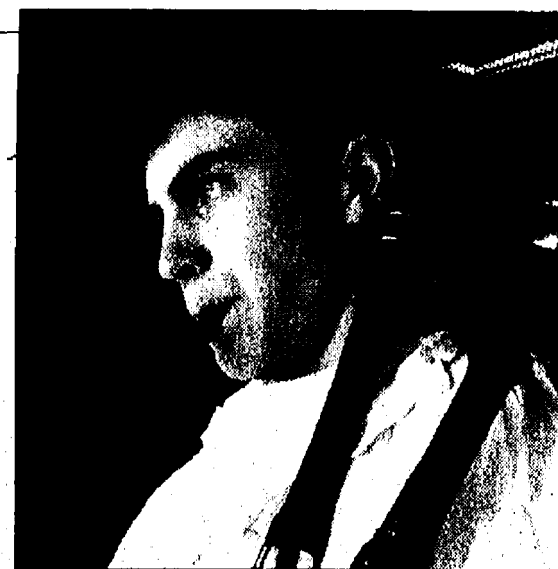
He has also received a scholarship to study the bagpipe this summer at Oberlin College, where he

will be bringing his own newly purchased set of bagpipes.

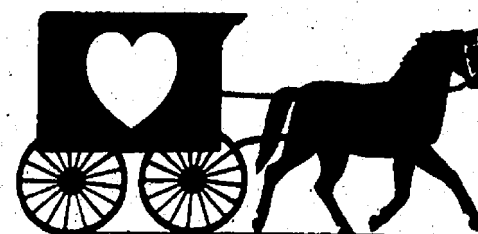
Jim and Joan Roth were "instrumental" in making this happen. They drove Zack to a specialist in Traverse City who outfitted him with bag, chanter, cords, water trap and other necessities, also installing the drones Zack had purchased from Steinman. "Excitement plus. He could hardly wait to get there," Roth relates. "He knew exactly what he wanted and needed, and what was in his budget."

And then came the celebration as promised: friends and neighbors gathered at the Roth's house. Zack selected and performed the music, and Steinman read Robert Burns' poem, "Ode to the Haggis." And haggis was indeed served. "Some people don't prefer sheep's organs," Zack concedes. "But I like them."

And he took home the leftovers. Bagpipes are a highlight of the Saline Celtic Festival July 12. The six bands will march in the morning parade, perform en masse in the 11 a.m. opening ceremonies, and reconvene at 4 p.m. to lead the Wee Folk Parade. The bands and some of their individual members will perform in solo competitions throughout the day.



Zack Read, bagpiper, will be in the spotlight at the Celtic Festival.



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Pipe bands bring Scottish flair to Festival

They play only nine notes - no sharps or flats. They have only one volume: loud. But there is something about the bagpipe that stirs the soul.

"There is a mystique about the bagpipe," says Herm Steinman, who plays and teaches the instrument. "The music plays, and your hair stands on end. It touches something

deep within us."

Steinman plays with Caber Feidh, one of six pipe bands participating in this year's Saline Celtic Festival July 12. Others include the Kalamazoo Pipe Band, Ann Arbor Pipe and Drums, the Detroit Shrine Highlanders Pipe Band, the Grand Rapids & District Pipe Band and, new this year, the Glen Erin Pipe Band from Lansing, MI.

Following the parade and the opening ceremonies, each band will perform individual sets at 20-minute intervals from noon to 3:30 p.m. At 4 p.m. they will regroup to lead parents and children in the Wee Folk Parade.

The Glen Erin Band was formed in 1972 and combines both Scottish and Irish bagpipe traditions. Drawing its membership from across the state, Glen Erin plays in various competitions, festivals, and parades including its own Robert Burns Celebration each February and the Mackinac Island Lilac Festival in June.

Named for the staghorn, Caber Feidh Pipe Band is an eclectic mix of musicians including an airline pilot,

a truck driver, an attorney, two firefighters, a security guard and so on. While they occasionally take part in competitions, Caber Feidh views itself as a "street band" that enjoys playing events ranging from weddings and church services to golf tournaments.

The Kalamazoo Pipe Band was begun in 1964 by a Scottish emigrant who taught piping fundamentals to the first group of learners in his basement. An association was later formed with the Portage Adult Community Education Center which lasts to this day. Men and women of all ages and occupations participate in this informal band which plays a wide repertoire including marches, waltzes, jigs and slow airs.

The Ann Arbor Pipes & Drums draws its members from across southern Michigan. The group formed in 1993 and quickly evolved from dedicated enthusiasts to a Grade IV competition band that ranked in the Midwest Pipe Band Association and traveled to Glasgow, Scotland to com-

pete in the World Pipe Band Championships.

The Detroit Shrine Highlanders was chartered in 1960 as a Scottish Pipe and Drum Band. The unit won a 1997 championship, taking honors for best in parade, best piper and best bass drummer.

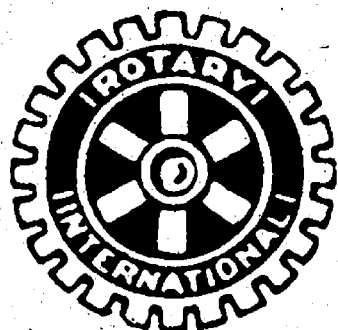
Returning after a hiatus, the Grand Rapids & District Pipe Band was formed in 1968. Over 100 members have performed with the band over the years in competition events and festivals throughout the Midwest as well as Canada, Kentucky and Florida.

The "Solo Piping and Drumming Competition" will begin at noon, notes pipe band chair Jim Roth. First through third place medals will be awarded in each division, and trophies for a "most promising piper" and "most promising drummer" will be presented.

For more information on the pipe bands and the Saline Celtic Festival, call 734-944-2810, or visit the Web site at www.salineceltic.org.

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