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Memorial Day Parade

The Chelsea Memorial Day parade will step off the curb at 10 a.m. Monday. The parade route down East Middle Street begins at Main Street and ends at the Oak Grove Cemetery.



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World War II veterans get their overdue thank you

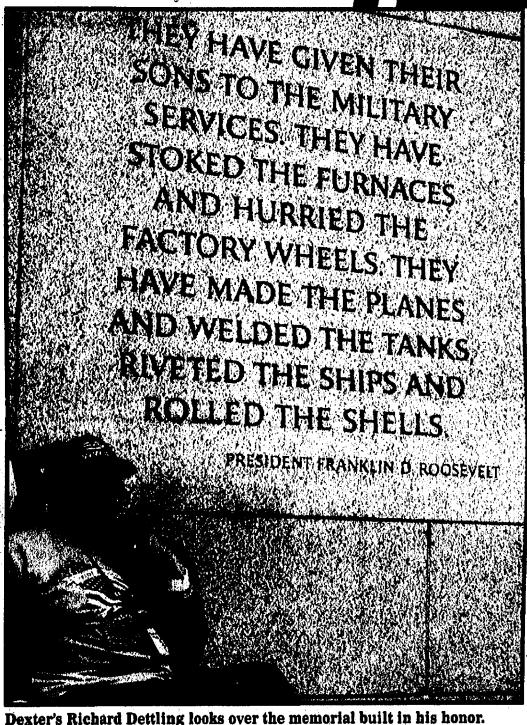
By Terry Jacoby The Chelsea Standard Louis Gill of Livonia stopped for a moment to consider the question. What emotion was he feeling as he looked around the World War II Memorial?

"It's not depressing," he said. "It's actually very uplifting. The other memorials here are a little sad and depressing. But this one has a different feeling. It's wonderful and I'm so glad I got the chance to see it."

His answer was repeated throughout the day on May 5 as 33 veterans from Michigan made their way around Washington D.C. courtesy of the Pride and Honor Flights of Dexter.

Gill made the trip with his granddaughter, Rachel Baker. "It was my mom's idea that I come here with him," she said. "It's something I will never forget."

Opened on May 29, 2004, the years to build, but for the men on World War II Memorial in Washington D.C. "celebrates a gendon't fully appreciate their sacrifices, there are 4,000 gold stars on memorating the more than 400,000 The memorial may have taken 60 Korean War. "I was very impressed



Dexter's Richard Dettling looks over the memorial built in his honor.

this trip it was worth the wait.

Harry Bates, who has lived in eration of Americans who emerged Dexter his whole life except for his from the Depression to fight and time in the service, felt the memowin the most devastating war in rial was an ideal tribute to the men world history." In case visitors and women who served with him in World War II.

"The trip was very good and very the Memorial's Freedom Wall com- instructional," said Bates, who was stationed in the Pacific during Americans who gave their lives. World War II and also served in the

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with the World War II Memorial. It was set up with arches for the Atlantic and the Pacific battle and each state had a monument for their veterans. It was a neat deal

and very well done." After the war, Bates was a toolmaker and tool designer, and worked as an engineer for Ann Arbor Machine Co. while raising his family in Dexter. He never flew

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Tax hike on the horizon?

Council proposes to raise tax rates for general fund

> By Edward Freundl Staff Writer

The Chelsea City Council on Tuesday set a date for public hearings on the proposed 2007-08 city budget, including a sizeable increase in the tax rate for the general operating fund.

The proposed increase of 1.25 mills, or more than 10 percent, will bring the operating fund to 12.4994 mills.

Kim Garland, the city's-Director of Administrative Services, explained the reasons for the revenue enhance-

"The increase was necessary because of the consistent decrease in state revenuesharing funds over the past several years," she said. "Also, our defined-benefit

pension plan is underfunded and it will take a significant amount to catch that up; related to that is an increase in our retiree health-care expense." Normally reticent Councilman Kent Martinez-

increase when it eventually comes before the council. "The general fund has gone from about \$3 million two years ago to about \$4 million

Kratz made no secret of his

intention to vote against the

now." he said. "Our"salary' has gone up 33 percent, in essence; we should be able to pay all our_

Kratz said his constituents have told him they could understand and absorb a small increase, given the rising costs of fuel and insurance.

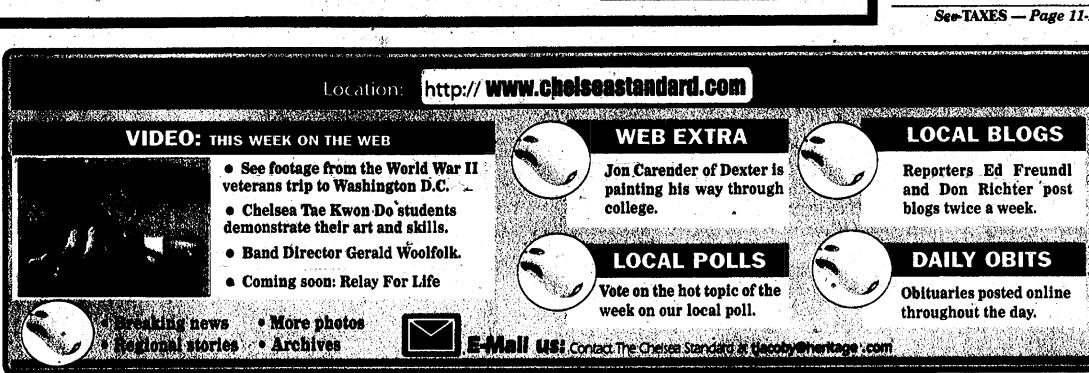
"In our budget work sessions the city administration was making an argument for a 1-mill increase, but council members wanted to be in a more secure position," he said. "If we had no millage increase, we'd still have a million dollars more than two years ago."

Also being proposed is a 0.10-mill increase in the debt service fund, bringing that rate to 0.6 mills.

No increases were proposed in the funds for municipal streets, solid waste and

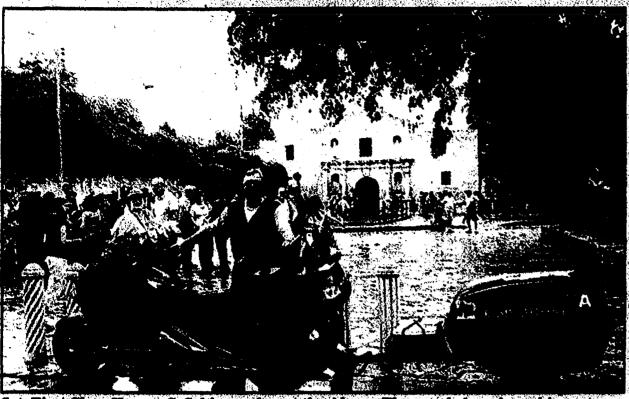
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On the road



Sgt. First Class Harvey C. Schirrmacher at the Alamo. The map below shows his route.

Tour for disabled veterans heads to Chelsea

By Terry Jacoby The Chelsea Standard

Sgt. First Class Harvey C. Schirrmacher is making a pit stop in Chelsea at 5 p.m. on May 31 at the Chelsea Standard Bank.

Schirrmacher also will be spending some time with his mother, Virginia Boyer, who lives in Chelsea.

Since May 14 Schirrmacher has been on the road, cruising the United States on his motorcycle in an effort to raise both money and awareness for disabled veterans across the country. He is spending 36 days on the road to coincide with his 36 years serving his country as a U.S. Army reservist.

trip is the Disabled American Veterans (DAV) and the Homes for Our Troops (HFOT).

The trip began in May and so far the

response has been "tremendous." "People have been very receptive, asking May 31 in Chelsea,

to denate, talking with me and just honking their horn and waving," said Schirrmacher during a brief stop Monday night outside Phoenix. "I did have to stop for a few hours when I was hit with a hale storm. The weather has been good, sometimes it gets really hot though."

Schirrmacher is retiring from the service after 24 years of active duty and 12 years as a reserve. He has been a recruiter, a counselor and a trainer - just to name a few of his duties. The trip was his way of going out by giving back.

'I have worked closely with disabled veterans and wanted to do something for them." Also working with him on his 9,000 mile he said. "This seemed like a fun thing to do and for a great cause. I am really enjoying being out here helping disabled veterans."

To find out more about Schirrmacher's trip or how you can donate, log onto www.cruising4vets.com. Or come see him on



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State Budget update

Byrnes: 'There are a number of answers'

By Sean Dalton Staff Writer

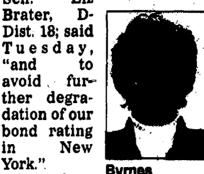
legislators have Area responded to the ongoing budget crisis, after deficit

were worse than anticipated.

"We need to have a resolution by June 1 to avoid a government shutdown." Liz Sen. Brater, D-Dist. 18; said Tuesday, "and to

in

York."



Brater

Byrnes

State lawmakers and Gov. Jennifer Granholm's office have two deadlines on the table before which a solution for the \$800 million 2006-07 budget deficit must be found $\dot{-}$ a June 1, "last-call" deadline and the end of the fiscal year on Oct. 1.

Last week, officials involved in the bipartisan House-Senate Revenue 'Conferences Estimating added nearly \$400 million to the projected 2006-07 budget

deficit, bringing the total to \$800 million.

That's on top of next year's deficit, which already is projected to be \$1.4 billion to figures released last week \$1.8 billion, depending on whom you ask.

The increase to this fiscal year's deficit was largely attributed to sagging tax revenues and increased welfare and prison system costs, according to state officials.

A major part of the problem stems from the decision to repeal the Single Business Tax without having a plan to replace that revenue, according to Brater.

The repeal will not take effect until Dec. 31, but its influence on the state's bottom line already is being felt, she said.

"(Wall Street is) looking at the fact that that tax was repealed with no replacement," she said. "That is one of the factors that are reducing our bond rating. It's also deterring businesses from moving to Michigan, because of the uncertainty of the tax structure in Michigan."

Another issue up in the air is Senate Bill 220, which would reduce the budget deficit by about \$330 million, but that legislation is currently in a House-Senate conference committee to iron out differences.

The Republican Senate majority passed the bill 20-17

on March 22 after numerous amendments. House Democrats rejected the Senate version and passed

their own version, with more fund shifts and fewer spending cuts, on April 17. Seven days later the Senate unanimously rejected

the House version and it went to the conference committee. meantime. In the Democrats are considering

fixes on the revenue end. "There are a number of answers," state Rep. Pam Byrnes, D-Dist. 52, said Monday during a coffee-hour meeting with the community in Scio Township.

"There's a services tax, also known as an excise tax, on things like haircuts," she said. "There's also a luxuries tax or amenities tax (on things like entertainment and golf)."

The 6 percent general sales tax could be extended to those items without a public referendum vote, officials

Byrnes said that she doesn't see services being taxed, but did discuss income tax increases, either a 0.5 percent increase to the state's

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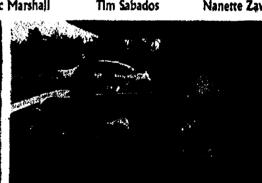
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Timber Town built for safety

By Amy Mitchell Guest Writer

As the Friends of Timber Town gear up for this weekend's hardware restoration event, the community is buzzing about all of the new play apparatuses that will be installed on Timber Town. Further, Friends of Timber Town has received several questions regarding the overall safety of a structure such as Timber Town.

The safety of children using Leathers' and Associates playgrounds is of paramount importance to the City of Chelsea and the Friends of Timber Town. All of the materials used on Timber Town comply with current American Society for Testing and Materials Standards (ASTM). Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) guidelines and in the spirit of the Americans with Disabilities Act Accessibilities Guidelines (ADAAG).

restoration on Timber Town wood and composite wood openings on the various decks

education director is

new superintendent

for Genesee schools

district near Flint. Community

Genesee County.

By Edward Freundl Staff Writer

Director Jeff Rohrer will be leaving at the end of the

school year to lead the Genesee School District in

"One of my career goals was to lead a school district, and

during the interview process I

got a good feeling of connec-

tion between the board and

myself," Rohrer said. "I was

offered the job in March, and

Rohrer has been with

Chelsea schools for 15 years,

and had 12 years of educa-

tional experience prior to

that in Gaylord, Swartz Creek

and Carson City-Crystal

budget is \$7.7 million, rough-

ly eight times larger than the

Education annual budget,-

but Rohrer doesn't see that

difficult transition," he said.

that's the uncertainty of fund-

When Rohrer and his wife,

Pat, came to Chelsea 15 years

ago, they knew they had

found a community they

and I didn't want to do was move our kids around while

they were in school," he said.

"One of the things my wife

could be comfortable with.

The Genesee district's

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officially start July 1.'

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this year will focus on bringing the play features back into compliance with the new regulations set forward by ADAAG, CPSC and ASTM. Many of the guidelines that exist today did not exist 10 years ago. The Friends of Timber Town have worked diligently to find economical and practical solutions for the various play apparatuses that currently are not in compliance.

DarQuest Industries, of Rockford, Mich. is a supplier The largest portion of the of premium hardware for the

have been selected by Leather's and Associates as a pre-approved vendor, and will be providing the Soft Climber, Spider Climber and Cargo Net play nets on Timber Town. Many may remember the existing chain and hose apparatuses, which children climb on from the lower to upper deck features. The chain and hose will be replaced by a state of the art, cable, material. The new material will be

used to replicate the pattern used in the various climbers and children will still be able to traverse the climbers. This new material will eliminate the need for the City of Chelsea to replace the broken or worn hose on Timber Town each year and will eliminate the finger pinching potential for children.

The openings at the top decks of these play features will also be rebuilt to accommodate the new 16-inch opening requirements. Many of the

construction industry. They are too wide and must be rebuilt to code.

In addition to the climber replacement, the swing seat straps, swing connectors and chains will all be replaced at Timber Town. Each swing strap today is either cracked or chipped and in need of replacement. The new swings will look very similar although they will have a rubberized coating on the chain, adding to the overall safety and comfort for children.

This rubberized coating is very popular on newer swings and adds years of maintenance free swinging to Timber

The inclusive swing is also being replaced after 10 years of play. The inclusive swing will be available for all children to use, however it does meet ADAAG specifications. The largest area of improvement noted on the swings will actually be below your feet.

The Friends of Timber Town have invested heavily in

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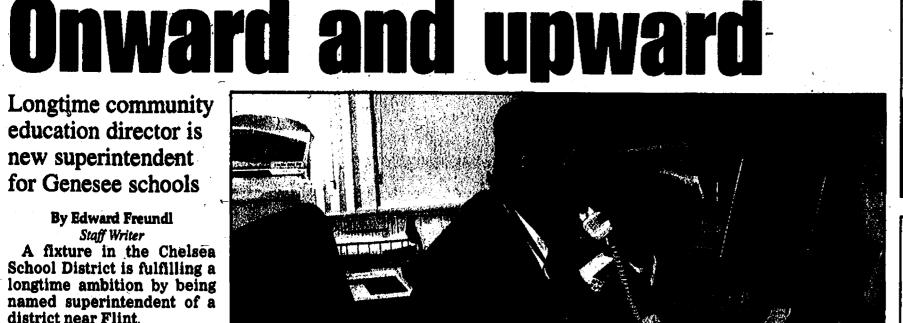
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Genesee is a comparatively small district with 930 students, located in a rural village of the same name.

"It's a combination bedroom/farming community; it's the type of community I was looking to move to," Rohrer said. "I'm at a point in my career that it's time to make a change."

Pat Rohrer will continue teaching special education in Manchester Community Schools while her husband embarks on his new job.

"The numbers are just big-"Pat is going to stay in ger; I don't think it will be a Manchester for another year, and I have family friends I "The big challenge is the can stay with up there," one that every superintend-Rohrer said. ent is the state is facing, and

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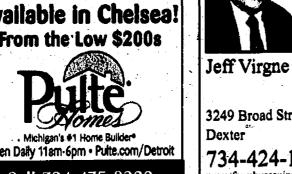
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Troopers collide on way to crash scene

By Edward Freundl Staff Writer

A traffic crash involving two Michigan State Police troopers from the Sylvan Detachment and two civilian vehicles is being investigated by accident reconstruction experts.

"It's very unusual, but when it does it almost always happens when they are on an emergency run or a pursuit," said Sgt. Kevin Lucidi of the MSP Metro South Post in Taylor, who is investigating the Saturday morning crash, "Thank God it doesn't happen often."

Police said troopers Steven Temelko and Nicole Hiserote were responding to a motorcycle crash at Hadley and Bartell roads in northern Lyndon Township at about 10:10 a.m.

According to Lucidi, Hiserote stuck Temelko's patrol car broadside from behind as he made a right turn onto Werkner Road from northbound M-52.

The sequence of events is' unclear, Lucidi said Tuesday, but at least one and possibly both police cars then struck two civilian vehicles at the stop sign at Werkner Road, and Hiserote's vehicle came to rest in a ditch.

The troopers were treated at Chelsea Community Hospital and released. Temelko aggravated a shoulder injury – he received in August, and Hiserote suffered knee and neck injuries.

The two civilian motorists at the scene refused medical treatment.

The heavily traveled intersection was closed for about two hours while the scene was investigated, causing major traffic delays.

Washtenaw County sheriff's deputies were dispatched to the original motorcycle crash, said Cmdr. Dave Egeler, sheriff's department public information officer.

Egeler said a 36-year-old Plymouth man was riding his Honda motorcycle northbound on Hadley Road north of Bartell, and lost control of the bike while entering a curve.

The man was transported to the University of Michigan Hospital with "serious but not life-threatening" injuries.

School board backs cost-sharing pledge districts in Washtenaw been looking into various valves and storm drains at

By Edward Freundl Staff Writer

on Monday gave its support to the wording to reflect the a resolution urging all county school districts to seek opportunities to consolidate costs wherever possible.

A draft of the "Resolution on Consolidation and Shared Public School Services" was presented to the board for approval before being returned to the Washtenaw Intermediate School District.

"It's a good move forward," Superintendent Davé Killips told the board, which held the meeting in the media center at Beach Middle School.

The Chelsea School Board offered a minor revision to Chelsea district's ongoing efforts to reduce its costs.

> "I think you've already been doing that," she said to Killips.

"We've had these discussions for weeks and months. and I think that needs to be recognized." The "friendly amendment"

altered the wording to (changes are in brackets): "Therefore, be it resolved

that the [Chelsea School District] Board of Education affirm efforts to [continue to] "It won't hurt us a bit to pass collaborate with other school

Trustee Sally DeVol County by encouraging the options for cost savings, short North Creek Elementary. exploration of opportunities of actually consolidating for consolidating services and by supporting all viable options."

> The board then approved the resolution as amended.

> "This is just saying we'll continue to look into ways to share costs: things like bulk fuel purchasing, combining payroll services and so on, Killips said.

> "I think districts want to have all the independence they can, but you reach a point where you have to consider some of these things."

Killips added that most schools in the county have

entire districts.

""There's a number of things we have to look at and be open-minded about," he said.

Killips also reported to the board on the status of the sinking fund being used to pay for repairs and capital improvements.

"We set aside \$100,000 out of the fund until we make a determination on other projects," Killips, said.

He listed projects such as repairing the asphalt and between \$50,000 and \$100,000. painting the entryway at Pierce Lake Elementary School, and repairing heating said.

"Anything over the bid limit-will be put out for bid and brought back to the

board," Killips said. One big-ticket item Killips mentioned is going to take

some time to coordinate. "We want to install a generator on the roof of the high school to keep computers running in a power outage and to help with communication throughout the district." he explained.

That project could cost and will definitely go through the regular bid process, he

Cabaret's successful journey

With approximately 1,500 people showing up last weekend, the Chelsea

High School's Cabaret was a record-breaking big success. The Company C and Show Choir performed a "Sentimental Journey" theme program. All World War II veterans got into the show free. The show was an original work written and arranged by Chelsea's Lisa Hinz-Johnson and directed by her husband. Steve Hinz.

Photos by Shella Rodenkirch



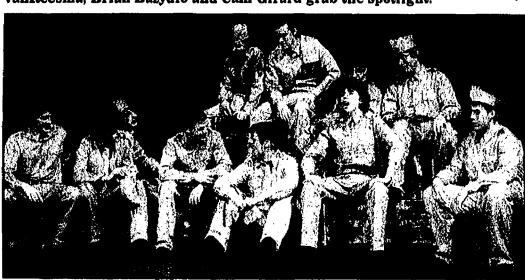
Katie Falk and Alex Stacy take the lead.



Paul Tooman, Liz Hood, Maureen Lynn, Annika Schweibert and Carly Meloche create magic on the stage last weekend.



David Benoit, Sean O'Connell, Paul Tooman, Brett Tooman, Fred vanReesma, Brian Bazydlo and Cam Girard grab the spotlight.



Jake Prince (back row), Bret Tooman, Fred vanReesma, David Benoit. Alex Stacy (front row), Cam Girard, Sean O'Connell, Brian Bazydlo, Paul Tooman, Adam Brennan and Paul Ulisse are big hits.

Stadium brick drive is coming an end

The Chelsea Stadium Drive brick campaign is in its final weeks as the chance to order inscribed bricks ends June 10. The brick drive was launched this winter as part of the Chelsea Stadium Drive fund raising efforts for a new synthetic field turf for the 2007 season. The overall goal of the initiative is to raise \$650,000 through private donations and sales from commemorative bricks.

So far more than \$625,000 has been raised.

Commemorative sales have accounted for over \$45,000 of total funds collected so far.

"Once again, Chelsea has proven to be a very generous community," said Committee Chairperson John Mann. "After two years of planning, research and solicitation, we are almost at our goal and hope to reach it just as they start work on the field in June."

There are three levels of personalized bricks availa able. They include: Bulldog Brick for \$100; Bandstand Brick for \$250; and Kickoff Brick for \$500. All bricks will be personally inscribed and permanently placed near the main entrance at the stadium. Bricks may be purchased by check, cash or credit card and brick forms are available at Chelsea State Bank,

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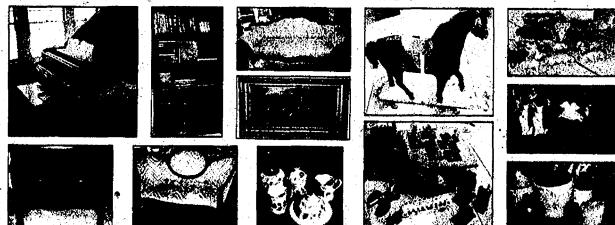


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again after the war. But his son, Hobey, who retired after 24 years in the Air Force, now flies for Spirit Airlines. He also lives in Dexter.

Bates said that he wouldn't have been able to see the memorial without the help of Pride and Honor Flights of Dexter. "They did a wonderful job and I wouldn't have been able to go if they hadn't," he said. "I would highly recommend this to other World War II veterans. They really should go see (the memorial)."

Michael Vencil, also of Dexter, enjoyed the trip.

"I liked it. It was a bit tiring, but a lot of fun," said Vencil, who was a field radio operator with the Marines. "It was well organized and everything really fell into place nicely. We had a very good time."

This was Vencil's first trip to the memorial.

"It was great," he said. "Very impressive. I was in awe at the size of the place. I liked the way they had both the Pacific and the European theaters recognized. It was a very nice tribute."

Like many of the veterans on the trip, Vencil wasn't bothered by the fact that it took so long to build a memorial honoring their service to their country.

"It didn't affect me one way or the other," he said. "I have the Iwo Jima Memorial."

After the war Vencil went to electronics school and went to work for a TV repair shop. He also worked 10 years with the Sheriff's Department but refired as an electronic technician with the University of Michigan. Nola Snider does all the He has lived in Dexter since

Bill Clogg of South Lyon enjoyed the entire experi-

"Our trip to Washington was a reminder of many of those days and I want to thank all the people that made this possible," he said. "Thank you to Faye and Jack Wiseley and all of their helpers. They did a great job setting this up for us."

Arvid Nelson of Willis Township said all World War II veterans should see the memorial.

"It is unbelievable," said Nelson, who made the trip accompanied by his grandson Jason Patterson of Ypsilanti. "People should try to get here and see it because it really lets them know what people are doing for each other. I had no idea it was like this and really didn't even think about coming here to see it. But I am so glad I did. I was really impressed."

Faye Wisely provided the inspiration and hard work required to bring Pride and Honor Flights to Dexter.

"I saw a show on TV about this same kind of group and fell in love with doing the same thing for our Michigan veterans," Wisely said. "When I told my friends about it they wanted to help too, and they have been the backbone of this group."

Wisely admits that before getting involved with Pride and Honor Flights she was not fully aware of the great sacrifices these heroes made for their country.

"When I approach some organizations about taking the veterans to see the memorial that they waited 60 years for, so many of them

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wanted to know where the veterans were going to come from and if I would take local veterans with the money that was donated," she said.

"Of course I would take the local veterans, but also other veterans would be invited to join us. I don't think the veterans were picky about who was going to receive the peace in this country when their neek was on the line or their plane was going down."

Wisely and her group spend hours organizing the trip and raising money to make it happen. The veterans go, for free; so finding money to pay for airfare, bus travel and food is almost a full-time job.

So what does Wisely get out of this?

"I don't know about the rest of the team, but here is a note I received from a Chelsea veteran who went with us on the May 5th flight: 'The organization for this event was outstanding. With this being my first trip to Washington D.C. and then being part of a wonderful group, it's a day I will never forget and an experience that will stay with me for a lifetime. Could you please send a heartfelt thank you to the wonderful women who accompanied me throughout the day.'

"This is what I get out of

Wisely gets plenty of help from her dedicated team.

Her husband Jack is the president and treasurer. He handles all the phone calls that come in and is on the phone most of the day, rea-

data processing for all the applications that come in and calls several veterans to let them know what flights they will be on. Carol Gaal is an assistant to the director and goes on the trips to help organize and care for the veterans. John Conklin also

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Dexter's Vencil salutes Iwo Jima Memorial

On the morning of Feb. 19, 1945, the 4th and 5th Marine Divisions invaded Iwo Jima after a somewhat ineffective bombardment lasting 72 hours. The 28th Regiment, 5th Division, was ordered to capture Mount Suribachi, They reached the base of the mountain on the afternoon of Feb. 21, and by nightfall the next day had almost completely surrounded it.

On the morning of Feb. 23, Marines of Company E, 2nd Battalion, started the tortuous climb up the rough terrain to the top. At about 10:30 a.m., men all over the island were thrilled by the sight of a small American flag flying from atop Mount Surbachi. That afternoon, when the slopes were clear of enemy resistance, a second, larger flag was raised by five Marines and a Navy hospital corpsman: Sgt. Michael Strank, Cpt. Harlon H. Block, Pfc. Franklin R. Sousley, Pfc. Rene A. Gagnon. Pfc: Ira Hayes, and PhM. 2/c John H. Bradley, USN.

Michael Vencil (left) of Dexter "almost" saw what became the historic flag raising. "I was busy at the time directing mortar and the mountain was behind us," he said. "We were going in the opposite direction. And somebody said, hey, someone is putting a flag up there.' As soon as I could I would look But by the time I looked it was already up. Didn't think much of it at the time when I saw it. It was just one more item in the excitement of the day. I didn't really pay that much attention to it." Vencil said the flag was raised on the fifth day and the campaign would last 35

We had a long way to go after that," he said. "That was the 28th Marines from the fifth division and when we went ashore we separated. They went to the left to take the mountain and we went to the right to cover the rest of the island."



Llow to help

Faye Wisely

Pride and Honor Flights of Dexter continues to organize trips for veterans to see the World War II Memorial. Approximately 1,000 World War II veterans die each day so time is running out. There are several ways people can help send a veteran to Washington D.C. Since the group receives no government or corne. suring veterans that they do get to go for free.

Richard and Mary Jo Ulrich help with all of the fundraisers, spending countless hours trying to raise money from businesses and organizations.

Ways people can help send a veteran to Washington Tate funding, donations are greatly appreciated—and tax deductible. It costs about \$200 to send a veteran to looking for veterans from World War H who wish to go for more information, call 1-734-426-8931.

4 a.m. as people began gathering at Detroit Metro Airport for the early morning flight to Ronald Reagan National Airport. Each veteran had at least one person accompanyworks hard to help Pride and ing them as a volunteer Honor Flights get off the guardian. Many of these guardians are family mem-

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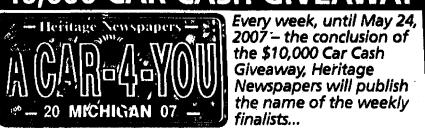
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Family reunion

-World War II veteran Walter Jarvis (center) was happy that his son Wally joined him on the trip to see the Memorial. Both received a special surprise when Walter's other son, Marc, showed up to share the experience. "I work in the fitness center for the U.S. Army in Fort Jackson, S.C.," Marc said. "I knew they were coming here and knew the schedule so I jumped on my motorcycle and decided to come up and surprised them." Walter was thrilled to see Marc. "I was really surprised," Walter-said. "They both understand the meaning of this trip so it's wonderful to have them here to experience it with me."

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Stories they can tell

The following are stories told by the men and women who served during World War II. Many of the stories told here are from servicemen who recently visited the World War II Memorial in Washington D.C. through the help of Pride and Honor Flights of Dexter. Carl Heldt, Barbara Springborn and John Woodward were special guests of the McKune Memorial Library in Chelsea during a program Saturday honoring their military service. Heritage Newspapers would like to thank the following veterans for sharing their stories with us.

Harry Bates

Dexter

"I volunteered for the Air Force in 1942 and was in several outfits. I started out flying in B-40s. I was maferred to an observation squadron and we went upscale to B-24 photo recon aircraft in which we flew out in the islands in the Pacific. We were stationed at Eniwetok for a period of duty. After I flew in B-24s I flew in C-154s and went out into the Pacific again down to Guam, Iwo Jima and down to Japan and back to Manila and down to Biak and

then I got out. I was a pilot of photo recon aircraft (that would go out and take pictures and scout enemy aircraft and locations). We were shot at once that I could recall but didn't get hit. I was in California when the war ended. I was still in the reserves when the Korean War broke out so I was recalled for that."



South Lyon

"I served in the US Navy, from Oct. 13, 1942 and was discharged Nov. 24, 1945. The first two years were in ships company at Great Lakes Naval Station working in the clothing department. This was where all recruits received their clothes and bedding, also the warehouse where we stored all the clothing materials as they arrived by train. Because I was married before going in the Navy I was able to live in town with my wife who worked at Abbott Pharmaceutical Labs in Chicago. Our first child was born in February 1944 and I received orders to be transferred to the Pacific area in November 1944. I brought my family back to Detroit and boarded a train to California on Dec. 14, 1944. A short stop at

Treasure Island for further orders and then on to Pearl Harbor.

"The Pacific was rough and cold and a lot of sea sickness seemed the order of the day. When we arrived at Pearl we were sent to another waiting area for further orders. I volunteered daily for jobs of any kind to make the time go faster. This and writing letters back home were the daily routine. Orders then came for 13 storekeepers to be sent to Guam. We became passengers on a submarine maintenance ship. We arrived on Guam the end of January 1945. We became part of a group known as FRRU, for freight receiving and redistribution unit. This was the first of its kind and was a very interesting assignment. We were in charge of all kinds of material arriving by ship and the correct distribution of same. I was working in our warehouse in June and had my left ankle crushed. This put me in Base Hospital 18 until the armistice was signed. More volunteering here and doing craft work made the time go by.

"We shipped home on a beautiful hospital ship, arriving in San Francisco in 13 days, then on a train back to Great Lakes Hospital for more rehab and volunteering and discharge in November 1945. I was a very lucky man to return as many of my friends did not."

Carl Heldt

Chelsea

Heldt served in Okinawa and was wounded serving his

"I didn't like the calisthenics (during basic training). It was $^{-1}$ eight weeks of constant drilling and marching. I served on Okinawa and went in the day after the invasion. I was in an outfit called field hospital and it was just like what you saw on M*A*S*H on TV. The only difference was that we didn't have any women. One of the things I remember very vividly was the day that President Roosevelt died. We were on the island at that time and all of the servicemen in the field hospital were quite solemn. ...I was sitting in the hospital in Okinawa talking to some of the other guys when all of a sudden boom,' and I was hit with shrapnel in my arm. It severed the nerves in my arm and wrist. The doctors tried to reconnect the ends. Now they can do that, but they couldn't back then. They tried during several surgeries including that last one at the University of Chicago. They couldn't do it either so they sent me home."

Walter Jarvis

Ann Arbor

"I was in Italy when the war ended, but I was in Naples when Japan surrendered. We were given points for time in service, time overseas, air medals, campaign ribbons and points for this and points for that. I happened to have few points because I had suffered a ruptured appendix and I spent months in a hospital Two of us went on sick call at the same time and our flight surgeon happened to be a pediatrician. And when two guys showed up with bad cramps he diagnosed us as having bad wine. He might have had bad wine but I didn't drink. So he gave us both a laxative and sent us back to our tents and



we both got violently ill. We were rushed to a field hospital where they have all kinds of war casualties. My appendix ruptured during the surgery. Some Colonel came through one morning passing out Purple Hearts and gave me one. So I had one for awhile until they caught on. When I was healthy enough they sent me back to my unit and then the war in Europe ended. So those of us with few points were formed into a new squadron and we were sent to Naples. I had few points because I wasn't flying because I was in the hospital for so long."

Barbara Springborn

Springborn served for 18 months in the Women Accepted for Volunteer Emergency Services (WAVES), a division of the U.S. Navy.

"One of the things that was difficult to learn was making the beds. I always made beds. But (in the service) you had to have the top sheet or blanket so tight that when the officers dropped a coin on the bed it would bounce and if it didn't you had to tear it apart and start over again. Not only that, but underneath the bunk had to be just as neat as it was on top. Our clothes in the closet had to have all the buttons buttoned and the shoes had to be tied. When you wanted to get dressed it took a long time to unbutton everything. But these were things you just had to learn."

Michael Vencil

Dexter

"I joined the Marines in 1943. I turned 18 in September and was with the Marines in October. Our home base was in Maui and from there I went to Guam, then Iwo Jima and then to Northern China. We went to Northern China right after the end of the war in late

1945 and early 1946. I was a field radio operator and a prime target. I carried a pack radio on my back and it weighed around 43 pounds. It was my job to keep in contact with the other units. I got shot at many times. Everyone in our unit was getting shot at because we were right up there on the front. I was 19-years old at the time. We had a five-man tent and out of us five only two of us came back. It was hard. ... I saw the (historic Iwo Jima) flag raising, well I almost saw it. I was busy at the time directing mortar fire and the mountain was behind us. We were going in the opposite direction. And somebody said, hey, someone is putting a flag up there.' As soon as I could I would look. But by the time I looked it was already up. Didn't think much of it at the time when I saw it. It was just one more item in the excitement of the day. I didn't really pay that much attention to it.

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John Woodward

Chelsea

Woodward served in the U.S. Army Signal Corps and saw action in the Philippines and New Guinea.

"I was a little older when I was drafted. I was 21. I did my basic training outside of St. Louis. The highlight was one Saturday morning marching in front of President Roosevelt. The only thing was that he was about two hours late. He showed up in a convertible with his dog. Under that hot Missouri sun the soldiers were falling over and somebody had to grab their feet and pull them to the back. Basic training was about six weeks and it was different than college life. After basic I went into the ASTP (Army Specialized Training Program). I was in there about a year. They had all these troops that they didn't know what to do with so they sent us to colleges all over the country. I ended up in Rapid City, South Dakota. Then they disbanded it. I was then sent to San Francisco and put on a ship. You had six bunks stacked up on one side and if you had a heavy person (above) you, you had a little trouble rolling over. And we were right next to the boiler room so when we got down around the tropics it got pretty hot. So we would go up on the steel deck (and try to sleep) and then it usually started raining. But it was better then being down on your bunk. We went to New Guinea and we were there a couple of months. Waiting to go up to the Philippines we were on a troop ship in the harbor and a Japanese mini-sub, a two-man sub came in and almost got us. I was down below about six o'clock in the morning and heard a big bang. There was an oil freighter next to us and it missed both of us."

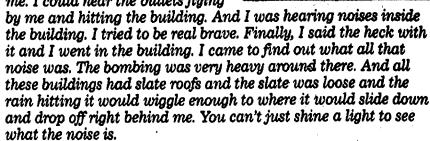
Arvid Nelson

Willis Township

"I was in ordinance. We would repair equipment that would break down. We would put a motor in a jeep in 45 minutes. I was in the service two years, three months and 27 days. I must have

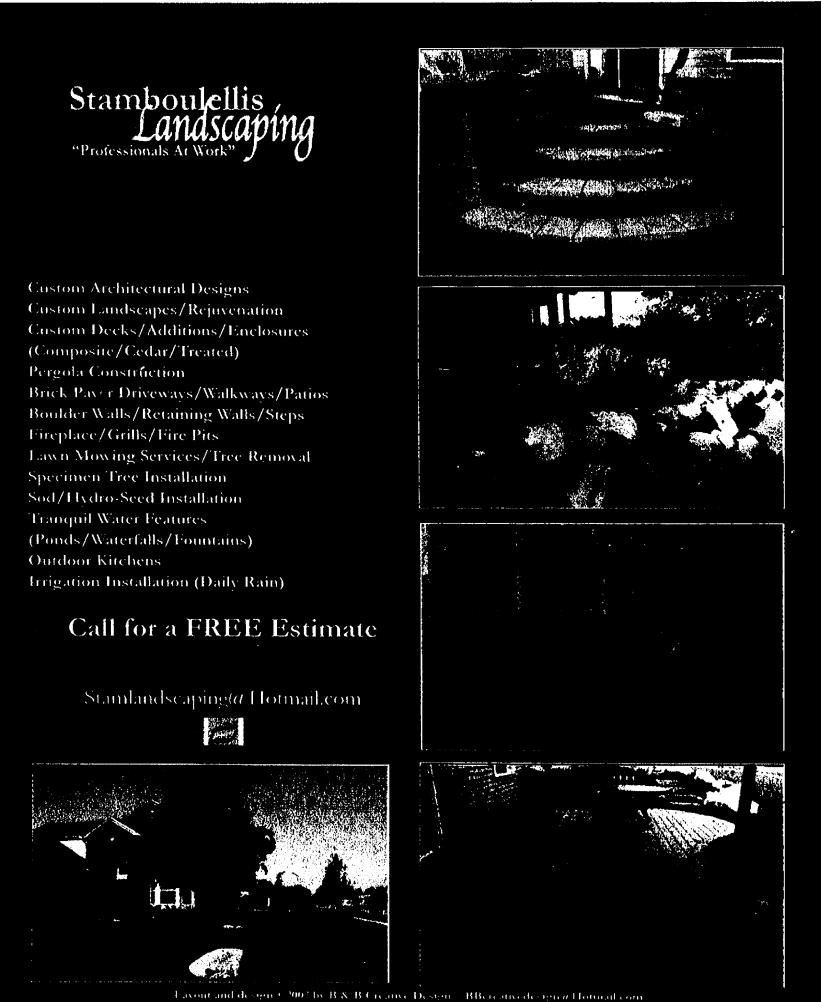


timed it right when I quit my job and went in because I was only over there eight months. You could hear all the firing going on so we were close enough. There was only 115 of us in our outfit and we were working, repairing some equipment in one of these old buildings and every night they would find soldiers with a wire around their neck dead. The battalion officer said you had to have two guards from now on. Our captain says that we are a small outfit and we can't afford to do that because we don't have the manpower. Well, " that night I had to pull guard duty and patrol the area and make sure that everything was going good. Well that night was raining and it was a bad night. All of a sudden someone starts shooting at me. I could hear the bullets flying



"Another time I was ordered to go and escort some German prisoners so I figured there would be about three or four of them. But when I got there it was about 300 prisoners and they all had buckets. The fella who released them to me said not to worry because they were going to fill the buckets with food for themselves and the other prisoners. It didn't sound good to me. It was getting dark and we had almost a mile to walk and then it started to rain. It really poured. And those guys took off on a run and I just said go, you guys just go. I get back up to the camp and every single one of them is standing there at attention. I couldn't believe it."





PRIDE & HONOR FLIGHTS: VETERANS VISIT WORLD WAR II MEMORIAL

Trip puts things in perspective

'take a seat on a stone wall between the Washington Monument and the World War II Memorial. The smiles of the World War II veterans as they experienced their memorial for the first time



mind. The pride they were feeling was infectious and it was dif-

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ficult not to get caught up in the patriotism of the moment - so forgive me if I start bleeding red, white and blue.

Here was a group of men and women who made incredible sacrifices to protect and defend their country. They put their lives on the line to protect what they believed in. And you can be sure that none of these brave men making this trip with Pride and Honor Flights of Dexter take freedom and democracy for granted.

But that can't be said for everyone these days. And that's sad. Hopefully, this memorial will serve as a reminder that what we have is special and worth fighting for.

As I sit on this wall staring at the World War II Memorial and behind it, the Lincoln Memorial, I ask myself a simple question. Why do some Americans take such pleasure in blaming Americans for everything that is wrong in the world today? Why do some Americans stand up and point the finger at themselves and say "it's our fault" without even considering that maybe it's not all our fault.

Maybe terrorism isn't all America's fault. Maybe global warming isn't all America's fault. Maybe disease and poverty isn't all America's fault. There are even some Americans who believe what happened on Sept. 11 wasn't only America's fault, but orchestrated by America. This is an example of not only lunacy,

As I sit here the American flags that circle the World War II Memorial are basking in the breeze and sunlight of the day. The sun beams down on the Lincoln Memorial off in the distance.

Groups of school children. swarm around the Washington Monument, the locals toss Frisbees, play soccer and jog while their guests take in all the history, all the meaning and all the purpose of the memorials built so future generations

can remember. But a few folks may have already forgotten. And those are the ones who hate.

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You can be both - proud and ashamed. You can do what you can to try and change what you believe is wrong - that's one of the rights so many have fought to protect.

And there is a difference between people who hate and people who care. You can tell them apart not by the way they talk, but by the way they listen. Because

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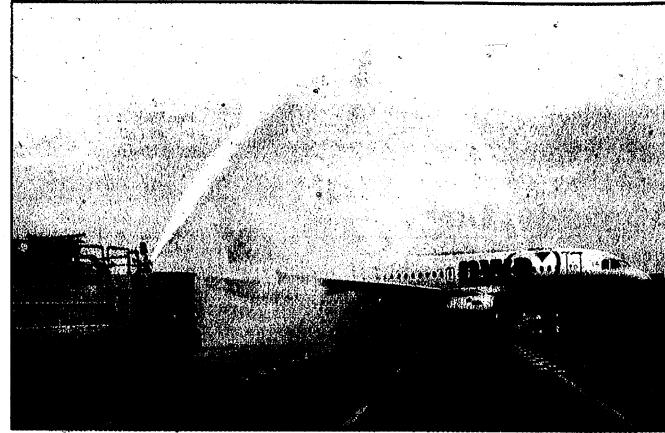
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learning curve My uncle Lee fought in Vietnam.

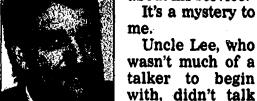
That's all I know about that. I don't know the unit he fought with, where he was stationed, or anything about what he did or saw. I don't know what he thought or felt

about his service. It's a mystery to

Uncle Lee, who

about Vietnam as

far as I know, and



Brian Cox

his nephews didn't ask, though we were curious. There was an uncomfortable, for-

bidden quality to the subject. No one, of course, ever directly warned us, "Don't ask your Uncle Lee about Vietnam." It just seemed taboo, like asking Aunt Harriet about the large mole high on her right

cheek. No one ever said, "Don't say anything about your Aunt Harriet's mole." We just knew it wouldn't be proper etiquette to ask. You might stare at it, you might wonder how it could ever have gotten that big, you might even ask among yourselves if it itched, but you knew it wasn't something to ever bring up with Aunt Harriet.

So we never asked our uncle about Vietnam.

Uncle Lee died a few years back of a stroke and now what I didn't know of his service I will never know.

His time in the military is not the only mystery.

Both my grandfathers fought in Europe during World War II. My maternal grandfather did something with artillery. My dad's dad ran communication wires across enemy lines.

That's all I know about that.

Like my Uncle Lee, my grandfathers weren't big talkers. And they certainly didn't talk about their combat service with their grandchildren. I recall seeing only one picture of my maternal grandfather in uniform. It was rumored he had a Luger and the sword of a German officer tucked away in a closet somewhere, and while some of my cousins claimed in whispers to have seen the weapons, it was never independently verified.

My grandfathers are both dead now, too, and what I didn't know about their service I will never know.

That's a shame.

I wish now I had drummed up the nerve to inquire about my uncle's and grandfathers' wartime experiences, to learn more about what they went through, what they thought and felt about their roles in history, about duty to country, about what they sacrificed and maybe gained.

I wish we had talked more.

It's true, of course, that they may not have wanted to talk about war, and that is understandable. I expect they preferred to talk with other veterans, others who shared their experiences, who wouldn't ask inane questions, who could fill in the meaning behind inadequate and inexact words.

But I should not have been too intimidated by social mores to give them the chance. I should have overcome the reluctance to bring it up, to open the door with a simple question, which so often can be the hardest ones to ask.

Who knows? Maybe they would have told me a thing or two. Maybe I would have learned something to remember.

Instead, I didn't ask and they didn't venture, and now all I'm left with is the knowledge that a line fought in Vietnam and my grandfathers fought in World War II.

And that's all I know about that. On Memorial Day, Americans will spend time in their backyards barbecuing with family and friends. Many

may stand alongside streets to watch a parade. Others may lay flags at the graves of veterans passed. It occurs to me that Memorial Day

would perhaps be well spent by not only remembering and honoring those who have served our country, but also by hearing what they have to

Maybe, like my uncle and grandfathers, they are not inclined to say much, but we should not be afraid to proffer the invitation.

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Guest column: By Virginia Baily CHS graduate supports education for everyone

Civil Rights Initiative, or Proposal 2, by a 58 percent majority of votes. Passage of this proposal amended Article 1 - Section 26 of the State Constitution to include language forbidding "preferential treatment" in addition to the existing ban on discrimination based on race, gender, color, ethnicity, or national origin, in public employment, education or contracting arrangements.

In November-2006, the state of the state's concerned citizens, have address this issue. Michigan, passed the Michigan heavily considered the proposal's ramifications for minority races, females and students from underprivileged backgrounds.

Less attention, however, has been given to the question of 'national origin,' or more specifically, access to education for immigrants to the United States. This oversight is regrettable; to omit immigrants from the dialogue on education access is to deny millions of Americans the resources Schools in Michigan, as well as for success. The time has come to sion on immigration and education

This June, the National Forum

on Higher Education for the Public Good will hold an open conference, entitled "Challenges Opportunities; Conversations about Immigration and Higher Education." The three day event hopes to bring together educators, community leaders, state higher education officers, legislators, students; researchers, educational administrators, policy makers and

others in a ground breaking discus-

The director of the National Forum, Dr. John C. Burkhardt, remains committed to including individuals at all levels of the local community and education infra-Currently, John structure. Quinones of ABC Primetime News and Charles Reed, the Chancellor of California State University, have confirmed participation. missing from the participant list, however, are the affected citizens—

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Letters to the Editor

To the Editor: Just wondering when is all the litter going to be cleaned up in our

> Fran Hawkins Dexter

To the Editor: The Chelsea Senior Center is still flying high after our first, of what will become annual, "Chelsea Unlimited." We wish to thank the entire community for coming out to support this amazing event. It is estimated that 1,000 people came to enjoy a free pancake brunch, hear a variety of interesting speakers, visit over 80 exhibitors and take home goodie bags stuffed with information and giveaways.

We had music, massage, non-profits, local and state politicians, Chelsea businesses and so much more.

We heard over and over "I never knew we had this in Chelsea" as newcomers and long time residents alike discovered that Chelsea truly does offer everything. We thank our volunteers, generous underwriters and supporters, the Chelsea Standard, and everyone who came out to make this day a memorable one.

> Tina Patterson, Director Chelsea Senior Center

To the Editor: "If a man can preach a better sermon, write a better book, or make a better mouse trap than his neighbor, though he build his house in the woods, the world will make a beaten path to his door." - Emerson

These words so inspired Dr. William Mayo that they are on a plaque in the Mayo Clinic Museum in Rochester, Minn-It is time for the residents of Michigan to take some inspiration from Emerson's words and demand that our legislators from both parties wake up and make the much needed reforms required to make our state the place where businesses beat a path to come and start new businesses, build plants, hire workers and add to our economic base.

Yes, we are competing with the whole world, but we are also losing out to our neighbors, other states where the regulatory burden is much easier to bear and government bureaucrats are much more cordial to business and do not make unreasonable demands.

One area the legislature needs to address is regulatory reform concerning the Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ). This department has an

Asking for help

To the Editor: Normally, when people see stuff sitting along the side of the road, they assume the items have been abandoned and that they are welcome to take what they want. But when it's a whole household of furniture, clothes, and toys, it's pretty obvious there has been an eviction and that the items are not abandoned.

On May 15, my ex-daughter-in-law was evicted from her house in the 8200 block of Huron River Drive. She had been ill during the past few months and was told the rent was paid. At the time of the eviction, she was out of town and was not informed the eviction was going to occur. Tragically, the person who was informed did not tell her nor anyone else in the family.

By the time a good samaritan called to inform my son, all the furniture and valuables were gone. We were able to find most of my grandkids' clothes and photographs. Some people stopped by to ask what was going on, and when they found out about the eviction, they brought back items they had picked up. Others called and arranged for the return of items.

All the furniture, TVs, computers, file cabinets, heirlooms, china, bikes, Christmas ornamenta, vidéo games, and jewelry are still missing. We only found 10 of about 200 beame pables. One of the missing ones is a black bear that my grandson gave his 18-year old uncle to hold while he took his last breath. Many of the beame bables have special manageries associated with them. They were not part of a "collection" but were wellloved and played with.

So Privasting that you consider returning items you picked up not knowing they were someone else's treasures. Anonymous drop offs can be arranged. Call 1-734-476-2455.

Carol Ann Baker

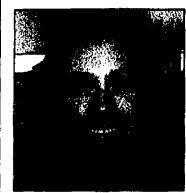
important role to play in protecting the environment and our lakes and streams and wetlands. However, the legislature has left the powers of this department so unchecked that lower level staffers can and have tried to expand their authority into areas the legislature never intended for their oversight. Many of these staffers feel that they have oversight of every pot hole and ditch in the state and act with total lack of common sense making unreasonable demands on businesses and farmers.

I spoke with one of these staffers a few months ago who gave me her definition of a stream as "any ditch that gets rain water in it even once a year" as she tried

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STREET TALK

What is your favorite warm weather activity?



"I enjoy bicycling. I biked 42 miles yesterday." **Debbie Beer** Sylvan Township

"I love bonfires and going to concerts." Rebecca Russell Sylvan Township





"I just love being outside. I like working in the yard and walking the dogs." Carol Kerber Dexter Township

"I like taking my son to Dairy Queen." Carl Maki **Dexter Village**



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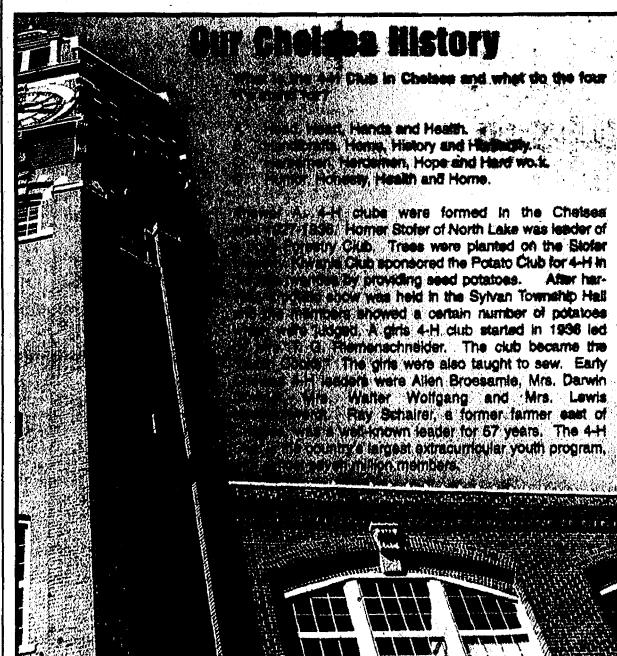
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MEMORIAL

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The group had more than two hours to explore and experience the memorial built in their honor. The group from Michigan quickly mixed with others at the memorial. The veterans shared stories of their experiences and smiles and handshakes were prevalent from one end of the memorial to the other.

Visitors to the memorial, both young and old, go out of their way to say thank you to the "greatest generation." Many of the Michigan veterans first walk around the entire site and then sit on the white stone benches that surround the memorial and take it all in - their satisfaction and pride evident with each smile and each story they share with others.

Other stops on the daylong tour of Washington include Vietnam Memorial. Korean Memorial, Roosevelt Memorial and Lincoln Memorial.

A quick trip over to Virginia gives the veterans a chance to the see the Marine Corps War Memorial located near the Arlington National Cemetery. The memorial is dedicated to all United States Marine Corps personnel who have died in the defense of their country since 1775.

But it's the World War II Memorial that is the highlight of the day for these brave men. It's a trip, made possible by the Pride and Honor Flights of Dexter, to say thank you. A trip to honor this generation that never asked for anything in return for their service to their country.

They never asked, but the smiles show how much it's appreciated.

JACOBY .

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they simply don't listen. It's too difficult to listen and debate and discuss and learn. It's a lot easier to point fingers, call names and ignore. And, of course, don't let facts get in the way.

Meanwhile, you can send your kids off to school knowing that they are safe. You can close your eyes at night knowing that you are protected. So while you may not agree with what's going on at the moment you can take great pride in knowing that America is still special.

You can do both - disagree and defend.

But some can't. They are just filled with hate. It's so easy to hate. Maybe it gives people a deeper sense that they matter. I will leave that diagnosis to the profession-

And hate certainly exists on both sides of the political aisle and is usually more 3 prevalent on the side not in power at the time.

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Unfortunately, there are too many examples from both sides to share in this limited space. There also are plenty of examples of all the good this country has done - and continues to do - around the world. Sometimes that gets lost in all the rhetoric.

During our Michigan veterans time at their memorial, the sun sneaks behind a cloud, leaving Washington in a gray shadow. A few moments later the sun peeks out of the clouds again, but this time shining only on the World War II Memorial. It was Mother Nature's salute to our heroes.

So on this Memorial Day weekend, let us put our differences aside and all agree that we still live in a great country and remember those who made it all possibie. They are the ones who fought to protect our right to protest and disagree and vote for change.

Let's just say thanks because we shouldn't take what we have for granted.

Plant sale a big hit



Jenny Whipple with her two daughters, Grace and Noelle, attend the Dexter Garden Club's annual Plant Sale on Saturday. The sale attracted customers waiting in line before the event even began. Garden Club members and customers had a fun time discussing plant choices for different gardening interests and needs.

BUDGET

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flat income tax, from 3.9 percent to 4.4 percent, or a graduated or progressive income tax similar to the federal income tax structure that increases tax liability as income levels rise.

Revenue reforms are important, Byrnes- added, because Michigan's economic fortunes aren't projected to turn around until 2009.

She also expressed concern over the size of Michigan government, stating that the number of state workers is lower than it's been in decades.

"We're at 1972 staffing levels right now," Byrnes said. She expressed concern with the level of services offered state's history.

"Are people willing to invest in our state?" she asked. "We have good schools, colleges and natuattractions. People move here for the quality of life."

Byrnes is on the appropriations committee, which is headed by Rep. George Cushingberry Jr., D-Dist. 8. He is a proponent of the

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by the state, as well as oper-increase, which would bring ations in a faster and more in \$900 million per year, demanding point in the according to Brater. Others have called for a 0.7 percent increase. "It's a moving target, since

there are ongoing negotia-

tions on the table." Brater

said. "We are going to have

a solution, because we are required by law to have a solution on the table. "The question is, what wants to be?" Brater added.

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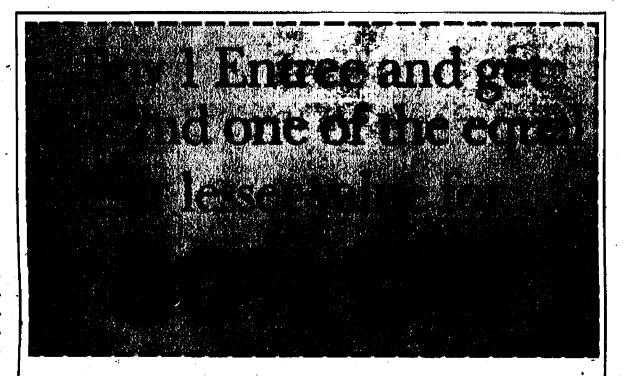
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ing its 50th anniversary this summer. There will be a celebration event at 7:30 p.m. June 4 at Pierce Park in Chelsea.

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is the essence of Community Education, and this is what Jeff does best," she said.

"He knew the issues, the fiscal information and the people that you needed to talk to if you wanted to get involved."

Rohrer said he is proud of many of the accomplishments made by the department during his tenure, but stopped short of taking credit for them.

"I don't do anything myself; I work with whomever it takes to make things happen," he said. "And we always found a way

to make sure kids were not excluded because they couldn't afford something," he added. "We didn't turn away anybody."

Superintendent Dave Killips said Rohrer was an important

part of a team that worked well together.

"This is the top administrative team I've ever worked with. Obviously Jeff was a main cog in that and we'll miss him." Killips said.

He wished Rohrer well as he steps into the fraternity of school superintendents. "We'll do everything we can to help him be successful," Killips said.

"He always kept children in the forefront of his mind, and I'm sure he'll continue to do that for Genesee."

Rohrer was thankful for the opportunity to work with his colleagues for so long.

"Chelsea has been a great place to work, the community is wonderful and the Community Ed staff has been some of the most dedicated people I've ever worked with," he said.

"I'm going to miss this place."

TAXES

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Downtown Development Authority. According to Garland, 1 mill equals about \$228,000 in revenue for the city.

If the increase is approved, the total tax rate would become 16.7490 for taxpayers within the DDA district and 15.0609 for others.

The council set June 12 as the date for a public hearing on the tax rates, as well as a public hearing on the entire proposed budget.

It will also be the date for a second reading of the adoption of a new, improved and revised code of ordinances. "This includes all the revisions that reflect the change from village to city," said Interim City Manager John Hansen.

"It's also about half the size of the old book, with all the stuff that's been updated and removed," he added.

"We will have paper copies of the book available for the public, but the entire ordinance book will also be made available online."

STADIUM

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Thompson's Pizzeria or by calling the bank at 1-734-475-1355. All brick purchases are tax-deductible to the extent allowable by law.

"We have had a great response for the brick campaign," Mann said. "Our donors have come up with some very creative inscriptions. Some in memory of loved ones, some in memory of their own playing days or times playing in the school band. We have also had groups and former teams come together to buy an honorary brick or series of bricks."

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the football team with their position or number. Many former teachers have purchased bricks, as well as football alumni, cheerleaders and graduates.

"The bottom line is we are very near completion, but we still need your help," Mann said. "Your generous contributions are much needed and will be greatly appreciated!" -

Last fall's horrible weathconditions plagued Chelsea's football field with similar problems as in years past, severely limiting the use of the field once again. Home playoff games were hampered by heavy rains, standing water and ankledeep mud.

"Anyone who came to that Many parents are buying first football playoff game and instrument, or kids on field," said Athletic Director Dennis Bauer at 475-9120.

Wayne Welton. "One that can be used 200 or 300 times a year instead of the dozen or so times it's used now. We won't have those problems anymore."

Marching band events and competitions, and community recreation activities are already being scheduled for next season on the new surface. The CHS marching band and the high school football team will be able to practice on the field every

day for the first time. The committee is still accepting personal and corporate donations and pledges for major gifts. Donors of \$1,000 or more will be recognized on permanent plaques at the Stadium.

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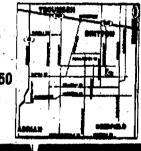
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sibility (ASTM F1951). To bring Timber Town back up to regulation levels of mulch, the volunteer work crews on June 9 and 10 will be hauling out 350 yards of mulch and installing roughly 450 yards. All excess mulch will be moved into a newly excavated perimeter around the landscape timbers at Timber Town. The Friends of Timber Town investigated the replacement of all 650 yards of existing Fibar mulch with a recycled rubber material. The cost in replacing the mulch with the rubber material was over

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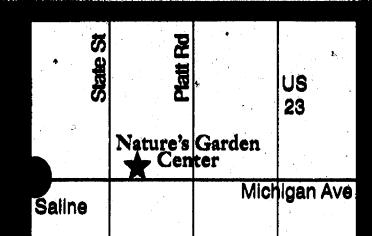
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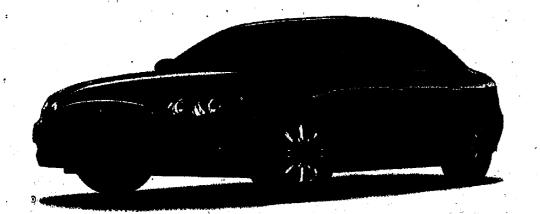
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to make the case for being able to dictate how a farmermaintains his agricultural drainage ditch. Such activities are exempt from requiring a permit as stated in the Michigan Wetlands Statute. so she has to make the case for the ditch being a stream. My business friend was not surprised when I described how the DEQ was defining

such terms and simply indicated that business gets treated much worse.

Surely it's not too much to ask our highly paid legislasecond only California, to address the regulatory reforms necessary to make our state more competitive.

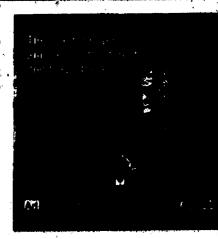
Reforms have been proposed. Petty politics should be set aside, and the reforms should be adopted. We need to be known as the Common Sense State. Our legislators

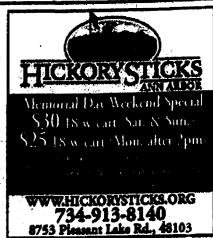
on how to increase the tax burden on those of us who have so far decided to stay. Their time would be better spent on regulatory reform. Those Jeff Daniels advertisements urging businesses to come to Michigan would be much more effective if the state's reputation was that of a common sense regulatory environment.

I urge all Michigan citizens to contact their legislators and urge them to begin building that Common Sense are sitting around debating Michigan Environment and

quickly. Build it and they (the businesses) will come. That should be our field of dreams rather than this nightmare. It is time for action. Ring their phones. Send them letters. Send them e-mails. Apathy is the enemy. Encourage everyone you come into contact with to get active. If you do nothing, they will simply sit around and debate how to raise taxes and fees on everybody.

> Reuel S. Long Ann Arbor





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demands the inclusion of all peoples. To this end, all Americans have a citizenry duty to participate in the education system and to defend the rights of others to In a Nov. 8 address to the University of Michigan community, President Mary Sue Coleman affirmed the need for



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students, teachers, immigrant families, and community leaders- who can contribute personal experiences and concerns to this discussion.

Failure to support education access for non-nationals is symptomatic of a change in American attitudes; the United States is no longer the welcoming refuge it once was. Instead of jobs. homes and apple pie, prospective citizens are offered a bureaucratic runaround, an indefinite stay in a detention facility, or a warm reception from armed civilian minutemen guarding the southern border. In the last several decades. Americans have exhibited an aversion to immigration, both legal and other-

American nationalism is now grounded in the idea that opportunities for immigrants occur at the expense of opportunities for Americans. While the United States was once the land of inflnite possibilities, opportunity is now a zero-sum game. In this vain, we reject

efforts to increase access to higher education for immigrants, out of fear that opportunities for others will limit admissions or funding for ourselves. Such self-interest is the basis of Proposal 2.

· Denying certain peoples access to higher education, whether actively or passively, will still incur a cost for American students. Universities will suffer a loss of the richness and diversi- our mission, too critical to our excelty they once enjoyed. The value of education rests in exposure; to new ideas, to new challenges, and to new people. Education is meaningful because it demands that students step outside of their comfort zones and learn to function as a member of a greater, diverse society. To this end, colleges and universities in Michigan have been committed to building communities where creative and dynamic energies can collide.

This vision is only realized, however, when those energies are different. Such differences include race, gender, sex, religion, political thought, and also national origin. The exclusion of any perspective is a discriminatory act which breeds biased understandings. A complete and meaningful education Michigan graduate (2007).

lence, and too critical to our future to simply abandon. This applies to our state as much as our University. Michigan's public universities and our public bodies must be more determined than ever to provide opportunities for

women and minorities, who make up the

majority of our citizenry."

diversity in education, saying "Diversity

makes us strong, and it is too critical to

participate as well.

Let us not forget that immigrants are significant members of our citizenry and contributors to our society and must also be offered access and opportunities.

Virginia Bailey is a Senior Fellow of the Roosevelt Institution - Education Policy Division, a Washington-based think tank. Bailey is a Chelsea High School graduate (Class of 2003) and a University of

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Events & Programs

Market Faire kicks off Smithsonian food exhibit

By Sheila Pursglove Special Writer esidents from all over can enjoy a L Utaste of history and a taste of great food - at a daylong Market Faire May 26 at McKune Memorial Library in Chelsea.

The event kicks off the sixweek visit to Chelsea of the Smithsonian Institution exhibit, "Key Ingredients: America by Food" and "Michigan Foodways," a Michigan State University exhibit exploring the Wolverine state's food story, rich agriculture, diverse ethnic cuisines, special culinary traditions, and behaviors and ideas related to preparation, serving, and consumption. "Chelsea Foodways," the library's own local exhibit, focuses on the Chelsea Fair, Chelsea Milling and Jiffy Mix, and on The Common Grill restau-

'We're so excited about hosting the first stop on the Michigan tour of Key Ingredients," said Library Director Cathy Russ. "It's an incredible honor to have been selected and we've been planning some wonderful programming for the entire community to enjoy."

Market Faire, co-sponsored by the Michigan **Humanities Council, will** run until 3 p.m., and will feature live entertainment, a Chef's Tent with demonstrations, and a Taste of Michigan tent with eight Michigan food vendors and restaurants. Children will have their own special tent for arts and crafts and feature a Baby Animal Park.

Costumed re-enactors from the Waterloo Farm Museum will provide a peek into the culinary past. Jennifer Kaiser, a re-enactor who will be leading an openfire cooking course at the Form Museum this summer, will give a cooking demonstration over an open fire with a tripod, assisted by museum volunteers April Gasparre and Arlene Kaiser. In addition to historic cast iron cookware, cooking tools and utensils, visitors will

also find a facsimile of two recipes hand-written by Sophia Realy, the last woman of the farmstead that later became the Waterloo Farm Museum. She contributed her recipes for Johnny Cake and Red Devils Food Cake to a recipe book for a Waterloo family that lost everything in a fire. Dorothy Walbrook, daughter of that family, donated the page to the Waterloo Farm Museum where it is framed and displayed in the farm-

house pantry. "The history of this worn, yellow page is a testament to the way people cherish their food traditions, and I think a great tie-in to the themes of the Exhibition," Gasparre

said. The farm museum volunteers will offer their cookbook, "More Country Living," for sale, as well as

the Waterloo Bean Soup mix. Market Faire also is the inaugural use of the new library's amphitheatre and library grounds. Bill Harmer, the library's head of Adult Services, has teamed.

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34th annual Chelsea Painters Art Fair is June 2-3 at Chelsea Community Hospital

The Chelsea Painters 34th annual Art Fair will be from 19 a.m. to 5 p.m., June 2-3 on the grounds of Chelsea Community Hospital. Twenty-five award-winning artists will display and self-original fine art and cards in a variety of media: watercolor, acrylic, oil, pastel, encaustic. monolype, and collage. The event is free and open to the public and will be held rain or shine. Lolk musician Sharon Dressen McKnight will perform June 2 and jazz group Bitter Sweet Triowill play June 3. And the Chelsea Center for the Arts will offer free hands-on art activities for children

A percentage of proceeds will be donated to the Chelsea Center for the Arts and the Chelsea Community Hospital Auxiliary Scholarship Fund.

Chelsea Painters is a group of men and women actively involved in art on local, regional, and national levels. Members include nationally recognized painters and signature members of artists' societies. Membership is limited to 25 artists and is by invitation. The group meets weekly in Chelsea. Activities include painting, monthly critiques, lectures, demonstrations, and sharing of information and knowledge. For more information, visit www.ChelseaPainters.com.

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Local artist draws from her experiences growing up on the family farm

By Shella Pursglove Special Writer

near Manistee.

in my world lived there, my as in a landscape." grandmother," Knapp says. Knapp and her husband "She was a hopeful artist and John are partners in art as and chickens. She painted on extra boards that she had around the farm with oil paint.

"When I was very small, she would let me paint birdhouses. She would mix up flour and water and my sister and I would get busy cutting out JC Penney catalog pages and start collaging with the homemade

To this day, collage is an mbottant element in Knapp's irtwork – although she says it took her years to realize this passion dated back to her early childhood years.

For the past three years, Knapp has served as president of Chelses Painters; a group of 25 artists that meets weekly in Chelsea. On June 2 and 3 members will hold their 34th annual Art Fair on the grounds of Chelsea Community Hospital. A portion of the proceeds will the hospital's Auxiliary Scholarship Fund, and the Chelsea Center for the Art.

When Knapp joined Chelsea Painters 28 years ago, it was **not as an established artist – in** fact, she had not pursued art since grade school,

It was quite the journey, starting on at square one, ahe says. The women of Chalses

As the years went on the smerging past came into play and began adding papers to the watercolors. They still ing using collage, and a whole

word opened up to her. "I'm the kind of person who loves to develop a painting with absolutely no idea in mind and let the painting evolve." she says. "It's called an intuitive style with no point of departure like a photograph or an image of some kind. As I paint, eventually, I zero in on a

creative concept. "I think of my paintings as going on an archeological dig to find out what's underneath, what's brewing under the sur-

face of my psyche."

Yall way of painting
becomes very personal, she dreams and ideas.

Knapp calls her artwork

future," she says. "My paintings talk more about emotional Local artist Sandy Knapp content or a meditative found artistic inspiration early thought. They are very seldom in life on a farm in Brethren, about the color unless that color is symbolic to me. They The most important person are not about the play of light

mostly a farmwoman. She well as in life. John, who would paint in between baling retired from Chrysler Proving Kay, milking cows, feeding pigs Grounds 10 years ago, always had a desire to work with wood, and started realizing some of his dreams, making tables, hand mirrors, round wall mirrors, and Shaker bas-

"Woodworking has been a lifelong passion for him that got postponed for many years. So many times in our lives, wa are busy making a living and leaving our passions behind in the dust," Knapp says.

She asked her husband to make frames for her art – and a new marriage began right then and there, she says.

"His frames are part of the signature look of many of my paintings. He makes a variety of frames for me such as cherry, maple, wenge, purple heart, red heart, bubinga and brazilian cherry frames. They are the perfect complement to my work.

"We love working together on our art endeavors and other projects in our home."

The Knapps also have become a team in the art world, displaying their work in Lansing's Banyan Gallery, and in the Gary and Doris Galvin's Chelses Giffery in Chelses, John has Frested Jewelry boxes and hand mirrors along with his trames for his wife's

Lesgo has a strong desire to sive back to others. Last year, she painted onsite during Cheixea's "Sounds & Sights on Thursday Nights" program, and she created two doors for

""Opening Doors: A Community Celebration of McKune Editorial Library," a joint community art project of the Cheisen Center for the Arts and the Chelsea District Library. Knapp, who has taught art classes and workshops at CCA, was honored by CCA at last October's Autumn

Jubilee. She also has taught a teen class on dealing with grief. "The day before this class, the space shuttle, Columbia crashed. I did a painting in that class that took first place Ann Arbor Women Painters," she says.

"I've found much healing through my artwork with personal encounters with grief." she says.

A member of the Society of explains. The layering process: Layerists of Multi-Media and builds a history on the page to the International Society of interest her beliefs, thoughts. Experimental Artists, Knapp also teaches classes for the Mid-Michigan Artist Guild and Fragments, Glimpses and will be teaching a 3-day worksyntapers shop in Lensing this summer.
A painting may be a She does small workshops in
glimpse of the past or whispers her Sharon Township studio,
of something I desire in the and gives demonstrations to





"I've found much healing through my artwork with personal encounters with grief," Sandy Knapp, above



Sandy Knapp and her husband John ire partners in art as well as in life. John makes all the frames for her art.

Jackson Civic Arts and at various galarts is that it embraces the young and leries I The hands on approach is always a personal touch and engages br," she says.

Know has helped fill the Wolverine state the art, with displays at the University of Michigan, Washtenaw Community College, and in Okemos, Maniella, and Lansing, Her work also was regired in "In Drought Times," a local matter book of poetry and art.

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"It has definitely become a way of life. The joy is definitely in the journcy, not the destination," she says. in I love so much about the bingley51@yahoo.com.

old, the inexperienced and the experienced. It is all embracing and inclusive. We need artists, who carry the soul of the country and the viewer who sees with their own eyes and interpretations. It is always a team activity in the long run

"Art has no end, the imagination continues and learning new ways of seeing takes a lifetime."

For more information, www.SandyKnappFineArt.com.

Sheila Pursplove is a freelance writer. She can be reached at

FOOD

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with Krystn Stevens of Slow Food Huron Valley to put on a four-week "Food & Film Fest" starting June 5, with special food pairings - such as chocolate and organic pizza — for each movie.

First up is "Big Night," about two brothers who gamble on one big night in order to save their restaurant. The other three movies are "Babette's Feast," "Like Water for Chocolate," and "Chocolat."

"It's exciting because this will be the first time we show a movie outdoors." said Shawn Personke, the library's community relations and development coordinator.

'We've got a great set up and we've been waiting for the spring and summer to arrive so we could use it."

Personke has worked on the Key Ingredients project since writing the application in the fall of 2005. The library received a grant from the Michigan Humanities Council, and

Market Faire

What: Kick-off to sixweek program: "Key Ingredients: America by Food," "Michigan Foodways" and "Chelsea Foodways."

When: 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., Saturday

Where: McKune Memorial Library, 221 S. Main St., Chelsea-on the library lawn. Bring lawn chairs and blankets for the amphitheatre.

Events

10 a.m.: Ribbon cutting, guest speakers Rep. Pam Byrnes and Sen. Liz Brater

10:30 a.m.: The Music Lady - energetic family fun with Beverly Meyers Noon: The Singles

1:30 p.m.: Chef Chris & the Blue Plate Specials a rockin' blues band

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All day: Taste of Michigan Tent: Eight Michigan food vendors and restaurants, including Eden Foods, Pop's Barbecue, and Millpond Bakery, will

offer samples and wares. Chef's Tent: demonstrations from Zingerman's Creamery, Sandhill Cranes Vineyard, and Nick Seccia, the executive chef of The Henry Ford. " Arts and crafts for chil-

Costumed re-enactments of pioneer cooking by the Waterloo Farm Museum

> Baby Animal Park And more



also has many community partners.

"The Chelsea Community Hospital Health and Wellness Center, the Farmers Market, Chelsea Milling are just a few," Personke said. "The way Chelsea businesses and organizations contribute both with time and money is wonderful. It's probably one of my favorite parts of planning this type of event.

"It's very exciting, probably the most comprehensive program the library's has offered. We're very excited to have been selected to host, and to serve as opening for the entire tour of Michigan."

Donations are still rolling in for the local exhibit.

Personke recently received a couple of vintage Chelsea cookbooks — a 1981 Chelsea Community Hospital Auxiliary "Food! Glorious Food!" and a 1973 Modern Mothers' "Recipes you always wanted...but were afraid to ask for."

In addition to Market. Faire and the exhibits, there are several other components to the program, including a Chelsea-area farm photo essay focusing on generational farms; potluck dinner; photography event; chocolate tasting, coffee cupping, Wild Wednesdays, and more.

A summer reading program, "Summer's Cookin'," offers events, programs and contests for all ages. The first 200 children to sign up for the reading program will receive a free goodle bag. The Summer Reading Program kicks off noon to 3 p.m. June 8, with Edible Fairy Tales, followed by Ring of Steel with pirate fun.

For information and a listing of events, call 475-8732, visit the library, or go online to www.chelsea.lib.mi.us.

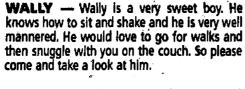


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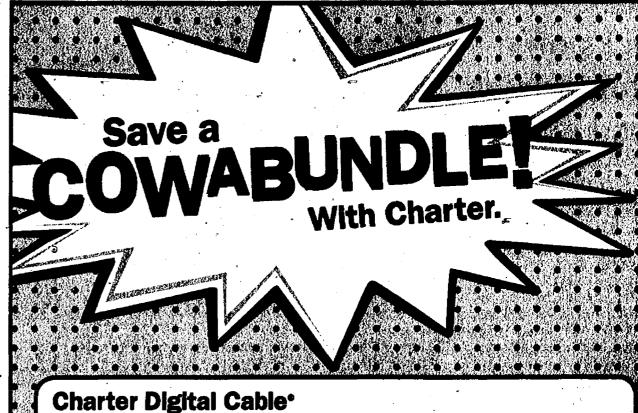
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Library volunteer and local photographer Jane Wilhelm sets up "Chelsea Foodways," the local counterpart of the Smithsonian Institution exhibit, "Key Ingredients: America by Food," in anticipation of the national and state exhibits that will open at 10 a.m. on Saturday during Market Faire. An all day festival on the library grounds, Market Faire will feature live entertainment, chef's demonstrations, a baby animal petting park, a Taste of Michigan tent, and a Children's Activity Tent.



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Saturday Morning, Mochas and 12:30 p.m. at Pierce's Pastries Plus, 103 W. Middle St., in Chelsea. For more information, call 475-6081.

open to the public.

Thursday, May 31 A spaghetti dinner fundraiser will be held from 6 to 8 p.m. at Chelsea Church of the Nazarene, 12126 Jackson Ave., in Chelsea. The cost is \$7 for adults, children 12 and under, \$5. Proceeds to benefit mission trip to Sun Valley Indian School in Arizona. Open to the public. For more information, call Judy at 734-546-6239.

Sounds and Sights

Every Thursday night an eclectic mix of downtown entertainment including music, jugglers, fire-eaters, art and food hit the streets in Chelsea. The program runs from June 21 through Aug. 30.

Chelsea Summer Fest July 27-28.

Sidewalk sales take over the downtown area, as merchants, entertainers, artists, classic cars and performers come out to celebrate the summer. Shuttle service is available throughout town, and children can enjoy a special play area.

Chelsea Community Fair Aug. 21-25

to school, they can enjoy four Sponsor (\$200 - limit 2), or a days of animal showing, midway rides, truck and tractor pulls, and demolition derby at the fairgrounds. The fair's final day features a fair parade and the crowning of a Chelsea Fair queen.

Other summer events: June 2-3: Chelsea 34th annual Painters Art Show June 5: Chelsea Area

Chamber of Commerce Golf Outing June 23-24: Waterloo Farm Calendar

Museum Log Cabin and Education Weekend.

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Monday, May 28 - Memorial **Day Parade**

The annual parade is hosted by the Dexter American Legion Post 557 and this year's festivities starts at 10

Saturday, June 2 - Ice Cream Social

You know that spring is officially here when the Dexter Melodies, a free event open to Area Chamber of Commerce's the public held every Ice Cream Social hits Saturday from 10:30 a.m. to Monument Park. This year's event will be from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. As in past years, the park will be filled with games the kids can play, ice cream, pizza and soda pop, face painting, clowns, petting farm, pony rides, wagon rides through downtown, and craft booths.

Friday, June 8 and Saturday June 9 - Rummage Sale.

The sale will be held Friday from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. and Sat. from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at St. Andrew's United Church of Christ, 7610 Ann Arbor St., in Dexter. Baked goods and light refreshments will be available along with clothing, household goods, craft items and more. For more information, call 426-**8610**.

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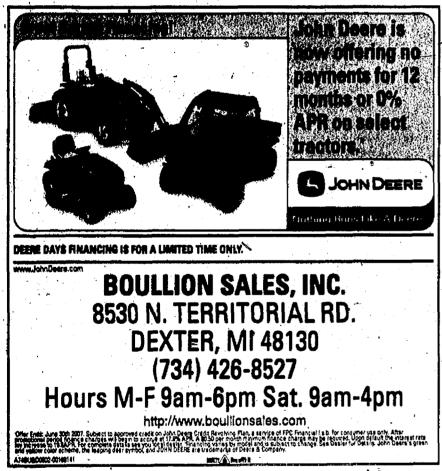
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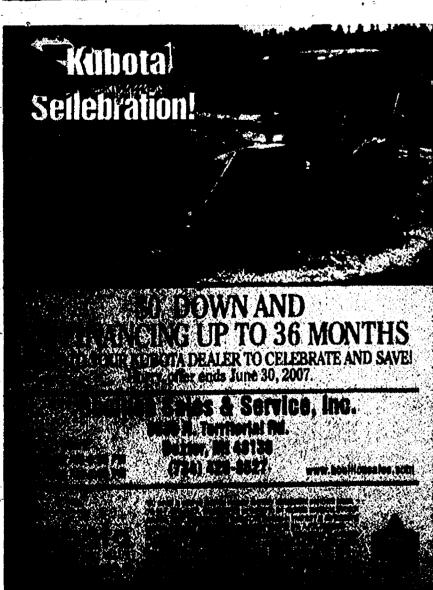
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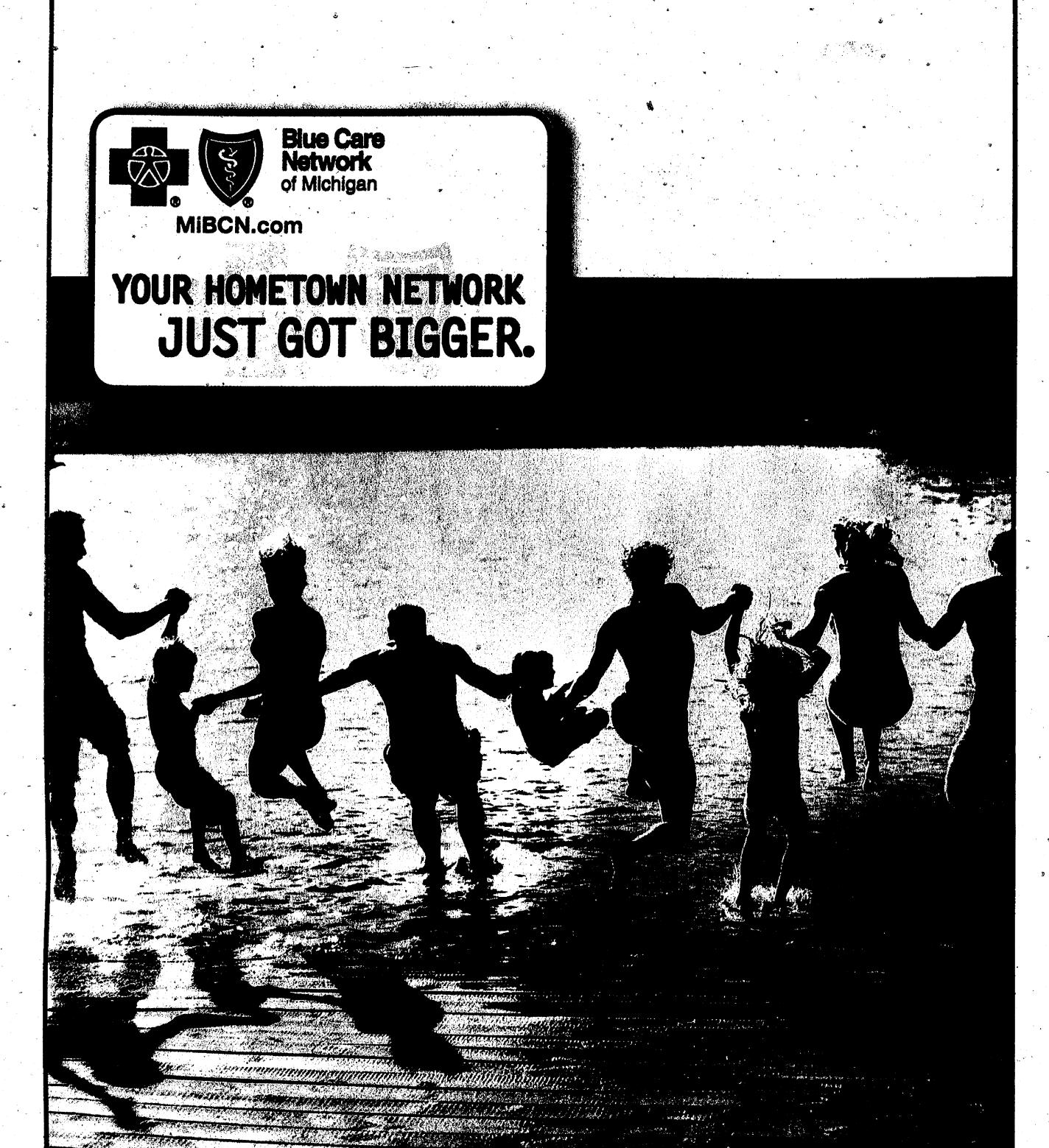
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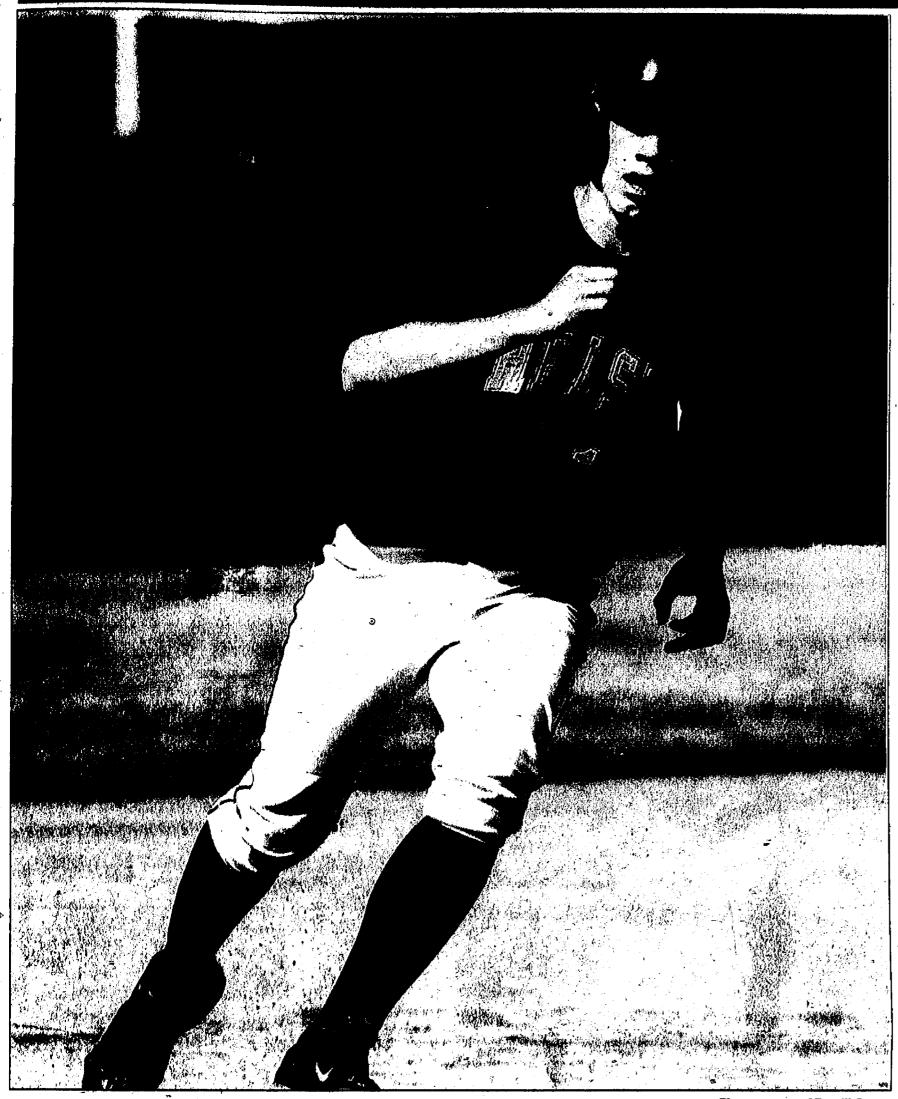


Photo courtesy of Burrill Strong Chelsea junior Donny Riedel rounds third base in baseball action last week. The Bulldogs won their eighth straight Southeastern Conference White Division championship last week.

Baseball

Chelsea wins league championship

By Don Richter

Sports Editor Chelsea baseball split a doubleheader with visiting Tecumseh last Saturday winning 12-8 and losing 10-9.

The Bulldogs (22-7-1, 11-3 Southeastern Conference) captured their eighth consecutive SEC White Division championship with last Saturday's Game 1 victory.

"It's quite an accomplishment," said Chelsea coach Wayne Welton. "This (SEC) is an outstanding league. We're very proud of the guys.

"This team has great chemistry. It's a very unselfish team. We have a good senior class. It's a special group of guys."

Dexter finished second in the league with an 8-6 record. Tecumseh was third with a 7-7 mark, while Ypsilanti Lincoln was fourth with a 3-11 record.

In the SEC Red Division, Temperance Bedford finished first with a 9-5 mark. It's the Mules' SEC first title ever in baseball. Ann Arbor Pioneer and Saline tied for second with 8-6 records, while Adrian was fourth with a 4-10 mark.

Against the Indians, Dan win for Chelsea.

Bulldogs occurred in the each had a single in the "We were able to play 21



Photo courtesy of Burrill Strong Bulldog coach Wayne Welton gathers his squad together before a game last week. Chelsea is 22-

sixth inning when they inning for Chelséa. scored six runs to take an 11-8 lead. Chad Nielsen had the three hits to lead the

Rhodes (6-1) chalked up the Augustine each also had a and Nielsen had four RBIs. RBI single, while Ben The furning point for the Bradburn and Adam Connell Chelsea emptied its bench.

7-1 overall this season and 11-3 in the Southeastern Conference.

Augustine finished with key hit with a three-run RBI Bulldogs. Travis Amburgey double. Jeff Adams and Dan added a two-run RBI single

In the second game,

guys in the doubleheader." Welton said.

Sparking the Bulldog attack was Taylor Hopkins with a double, Scott Rhodes with a RBI single, Donny Riedel with a RBI single,

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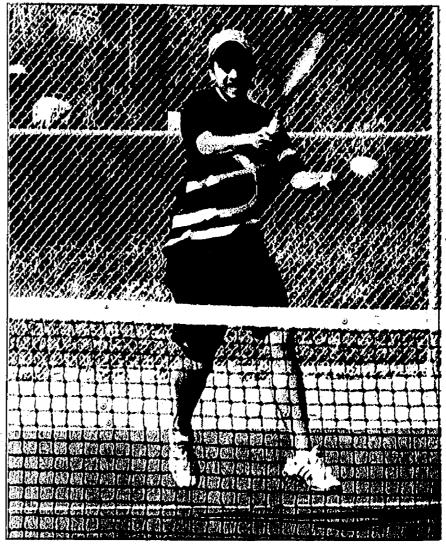


Photo courtesy of Alice Rawson Chelsea senior Eric Dudek teamed with fellow classmate Steve Tapping to win a regional title at No. 1 doubles last Thursday.

Tennis

Bulldogs capture regional crown

By Don Richter Sports Editor

Chelsea's boys' tennis team 6-0 for the regional title. ptured its fifth consecutive Division III regional championship last Thursday.

The host Bulldogs won alleight flights scoring 32 points for the title.

"The guys played so well," said Chelsea coach Rahn Rosentreter. "Only once did we have to play a third set."

Trenton placed second 22 points, while with Dearborn Divine Child was third with 17 points.

Ten teams participated in

the regional. In singles play, Chelsea junior Josh Stiles captured a regional title defeating Jon Groszek of Dearborn Divine Child 6-0, 6-0. Stiles dominated the field losing only two

ment. At No. 2 singles, Bulldog senior Reece Hammer defeated Carleton-Airport's Danny Varga 6-1, 6-2 to win

games the entire tourna-

the regional crown. At No. 3 singles, Chelsea senior Chris Tapping beat Trenton's Evan Smith 6-0, 6-4

for the regional title. Bulldog senior Kin Tsang defeated Trenton's Kody Polin 6-3, 6-4 at No. 4 singles for the regional champi-

onship. In doubles, the Chelsea 1 through 2. No. 1 duo of seniors Steve Tapping and Eric Dudek can be reached at 475-1371 or

Scharboneau and Groeme Sprague in three sets 4-6, 6-0,

At No. 2 doubles, the Bulldog combo of senior George Merkel and junior Chris LaDuke beat Trenton's Jeff Smith and Kirk Heuer 6-2, 6-1 for the championship.

At No. 3 doubles, the Chelsea twosome of seniors Sean Dzobel and Dolan Personke defended their title defeating Trenton's Evan Plassman and Neil Dwornick 6-1, 6-1 for the regional crown. The pair has a 15-3 record this season.

Bulldog senior Nate Ripberger and junior Wesley Fritzemeier defeated Trenton's Nick Scharboneau and Dylan Vandenberg 6-3, 6-3 for the regional title. Ripberger and Fritzemeier

-have a 15-3 record this year. Also last week, Chelsea defeated county rival Dexter 8-0 and Jackson County Parma Western 8-0.

"It has been a great season with losses only to (Ann Arbor) Pioneer and (Ann Greenhills,' Arbor) Rosentreter said. "Both are ranked No. 1 (in the state) in their division."

The Bulldogs next travel to Jenison to compete in the Division III state match June

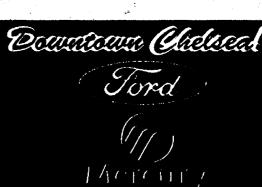
Sports Editor Don Richter Trenton's Erik at drichter@heritage.com.



The Bulldogs' boys' tennis team captured its fifth straight regional championship last Thursday at Allen Park. Members of the squad include, front row, Kin Tsang (left), Steve Tapping, Sean Dzobel and Chris Tapping; back row, Dolan Personke (left), George Merkel, Reece Hammer, Nate Ripberger, Wesley Fritzemeier, Eric Dudek, Chris LaDuke, Josh Stiles and coach Rahn Rosentreter.

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Softball

Chelsea competes in St. Joe tourney

By Don Richter

Sports Editor Chelsea softball traveled west to participate in the ultra-competitive St. Joseph Invitational last Saturday.

The Buildogs finished the tournament 1-2 overall.

To open the invite, Chelsea defeated Coloma 3-2.

Earning the win from the circle was junior pitcher Karah Schanz who scattered five hits, striking out 10 and walking none.

At the plate, senior Hannah Guenther had a single and one RBI, while junior Nellie Daniels had a double for the Bulldogs.

In Game 2, Chelsea lost to traditional state power Stevensville-Lakeshore 6-0. Schanz absorbed the loss

from the rubber. Senior Katie Lynn ended up with two singles, while freshman Shelby Platt had a double for the Bulldogs.

In its third game, Chelsea lost to the host Bears 3-2 in nine innings.

Senior pitcher Chelsea Strickland suffered the loss for the Bulldogs.

Guenther finished 2-for-3 with two doubles for Chelsea. Junior Hollandsworth was 1-for-3 with a double, while junior Brogan Darwin had a double

and Platt was 1-for-3 with a triple for the Bulldogs. Despite dropping two games, Chelsea assistant Diesing Jennie coach 🤏

weekend against a tough St. Joe tournament," she said. "The girls had a lot of energy

through the day. We had a tough loss to St. Joe in the bottom of the ninth inning to end the day.

"We came together as a team much better at this tournament which gave us confidence going into the last leg of our season and with districts rapidly approach-

On May 15, Chelsea lost to Tecumseh 10-2 in the first game of a scheduled doubleheader. The second game was cancelled because of inclement weather.

"We faced a very strong Tecumseh offense," Diesing said. "They took control at the plate from the start of the game and never let up. We hard fought against Tecumseh, but we were unsuccessful from the plate in making key hits and scoring runs."

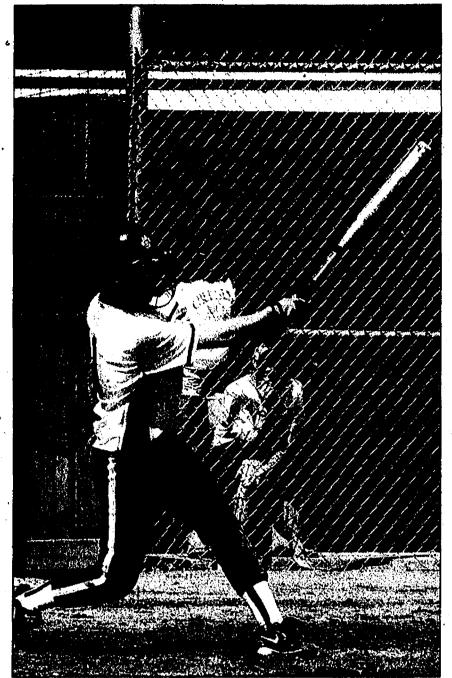
Schanz recorded the loss from the circle, allowing 14 hits, striking out three and walking two.

Guenther continued her hitting tear finishing 2-for-3 with a double and one RBI, while Strickland was 1-for-3 with a home run.

Saturday.

Chelsea next hosts its own tournament Friday at 4 p.m. Besides the Bulldogs, other teams participating in the tourney include Eaton Rapids, Walled Lake Western and Ypsilanti.

On June 2, the Bulldogs begin Division II state dis-



Chelsea junior Annie Hollandsworth finished 1-for-3 with a double in the Bulldogs' 3-2 nine inning loss to St. Joseph last



Bulldog junior catcher Brogan Darwin had a double in Chelsea's 3-2 loss to St. Joseph last Saturday.

trict play taking on Jackson remained positive. 'We had a much better Lumen Christi at Jackson Northwest. Sports Editor Don Richter can be reached at 475-1371 or which helped carry them at drichter@heritage.com. SOFTBALL STANDINGS Monday Night W-L Wednesday Night Thompson's Pizza Too Cleary's 2-0 3-0 Tattoo 2-0 Chelsea Lanes Mars & Terry 1-1 McCalla Feeds Palmer Ford 1-1 Thompson's Pizza 1-1 D & D Trim Chel. Free Methodist Young Gunz 0-1-1 Perry Layher 0-1-1Results: Feldkamp Chel. Lanes 17, Thomp. 15 McCalla 16, Perry 15 Results: Young Gunz 9, Layher 9 Chel. Lanes 17, Chel. Free 4 D & D Trim 11, Feldkamp 1 Pizza Too 10, Perry 8 Tattoo 9, Mars & Terry 4 Cleary's 10, Palmer Ford 0

Golf

Triveline wins playoff, title

Triveline continues her fine season on the links, finishing first overall in the girls' 12year-old division with a score of 46 at last Sunday's U.S. Kids Southeast Michigan Tour at Reddeman Farms Golf Course. Triveline played from the women's tees the entire tournament.

At the end of regulation play, Triveline was tied with Troy's Kelly Feng for first place each carding a 46. In www.golfademics.org.

playoff, Triveline two-putted for a score of five to capture the 12-year-old title.

In the boys' six-years-old younger division, Chelsea's Jordan Gayrpie placed third with a 62.

For additional information regarding the U.S. Kids Southeastern summer golf tour, visit the Web site at www.uskidsgolf.com or at



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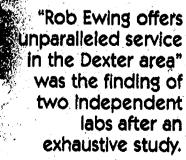
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Hardcastle places first at regional match

By Don Richter Sports Editor

Chelsea's girls' golf team placed fifth at last week's Division II state regional match at the Marshall Country Club Golf Course.

The Buildogs ended up with a score of 377. Thirteen squads competed in the regional.

Winning the regional championship was Dexter with a score of 350. Placing second was East Lansing with a 350. The Dreadnaughts captured the title beating the Trojans in a one-hole playoff.

Okemos finished third with a 353. The top three teams qualified for the Division II state final June 1 through 2 at Michigan State University's Forest Akers East Golf Course.

"Fifth place is definitely a disappointment for our team," said Chelsea coach Andrea Bareis. "We had very high hopes of making the top three and advancing to the state finals as a team. However, we are in the toughest regional in Division II hands down.

"To think we could have shot a team score of 354 and not made it to the state finals, that tells you just how tough our regional was. Yet, had we scored better, we would have put ourselves in a better position to grab one of those three spots, but we didn't."

Individually for Chelsea, senior Emily Hardcastle finished first overall in the regional shooting a three over par 77.

Katelin Davis with a 78.

Emily was match medalist at East Lansing."



Chelsea sophomore Stephanie Everard carded a 107 at last week's Division II state regional match in Marshall. As a team, the Buildogs placed fifth overall with a score of 377.

this regional," Bareis said. "With more than three of the best teams in the state for Division II present at this regional, Emily taking match medalist is a strong testament to her ability, commitment and competitiveness.

"I've said all along that Emily is one of the best golfers in the state, and there is definitely no question now. Three over par is extremely tough to shoot anywhere and Runner-up was Dexter's to shoot it at the regional level is amazing. I'm so proud "I can't begin to tell you that she will be representing incredibly fabulous it is that Chelsea at the state finals in

Sophomore Krystin. Schwarze ended up with an 89 for the Bulldogs.

"Krystin shot a terrific round," Bareis "Unfortunately, she was one stroke shy of participating in a playoff to determine the third individual qualifier for the state finals."

The top three individuals not on state qualifying teams advance to the state finals.

"It was tough for all of us to see that Krystin was only one shot out (of finals)," Bareis said. "So many things go through your head. I know she was thinking of many shots that she could have saved.

"However, I know this is going to motivate her tremendously and I have no doubt that she will be at the state finals next season. No doubt whatsoever."

Rounding out Chelsea's scoring were senior Emma Chervinsky with a 104, sophomore Stephanie Everard with a 107 and sophomore Hannah Harwood with a 113. On May 14, the visiting

Bulldogs defeated Ann Arbor Huron 183-216 in a dual match at Huron Hills Golf Course.

Schwarze led Chelsea shooting a 39. Hardcastle finished with a 40, while senior Chrissy Burman Chervinsky each had a 52, Harwood a 54 and sophomore Sarah Shrosbree a 55.

"Krystin is the first sophomore for the girls' golf team to ever break into the 30s in a nine-hole match," Bareis said. "Her round included one birdie and four pars.

"She is positioning herself to be the one to watch this coming fall with the switch in seasons taking place."

Bareis said it was nice seeing seniors Burman and Chervinsky perform well with each carding a 52.

"They are nearing the end of their senior seasons and it's nice that they are providing scoring for the team," she

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Bulldog senior Emily Hardcastle finished first overall individually at last week's Division II regional in Marshall. Hardcastle shot a three over par 77 to claim the title.



Track and field

Chelsea fourth at meet

By Don Richter Sports Editor

Chelsea's boys' track and 'field team finished fourth overall in the Division II regional meet at Linden last in the top six in each event Saturday.

The Bulldogs recorded 73 points. Fourteen squads competed in the regional.

Winning the regional crown was Dexter with 110

Placing second was Flint Southwestern with 92 points, while Fenton was third with 77 points.

"We competed well in many events," said Chelsea coach Eric Swager. "I told the team that to score more than 50 points in this tough regional would be solid. Our 73 points is quite an accomplishment.

"Milan and Southwestern are among the best sprint teams in the state, while Dexter and Fenton are probably the top two distance teams in the state. This makes it tough to score a lot of points."

In spite of the high-level talent at the meet, Chelsea athletes still managed to

Evan Carpenter finished

first in the 110-meter hurdles

hurdles in 40.19. 'He (Carpenter) is ranked going into the state finals," Swager said.

Justin McGrath was fifth in the 110-meter hurdles in 15.61. He was sixth in the 300meter hurdles in 41.83 for the Bulldogs.

Brendan Smith was a regional champion in the 800-meter run besting the field with a time of 1:59.9. He also qualified for the Division II state meet in the 1,600-meter run placing fourth in 4:25.8.

Danny Ngo crossed the line fourth in the 200 meters with a clocking of 23.27.

Jason Ratliff finished with a time of 14.59. He also fourth in the 100 meters in was first in the 300-meter 11.26. Nick Hill was sixth in 11.48 for Chelsea.

A freshman, Hill drew praise from Swager for his performance.

"Just to make the finals against this competition is amazing," he said. "I am

proud of his efforts." Tyler Ball placed sixth in the shot put with a throw of 44-feet, seven inches.

Antwan McClendon finished seventh in the long jump with a leap of 20-1/2.

The Bulldog foursome of Ratliff, Smith, McClendon and Carpenter finished second in the 1,600-meter relay with a time of 3:30.

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Soccer

Saline ties Chelsea on late, fluke goal

By Don Richter Sports Editor

Chelsea's girls' soccer team tied visiting Saline 1-1 last Saturday.

The Bulldogs (12-2-1, 5-2-1 Southeastern Conference), ranked No. 6 in the state in Division II, gave up a fluke goal late in the game for the day's final margin.

"This was a tie that felt like a loss," said Chelsea coach Chris Orlandi. "We felt like we dominated the game and had the better scoring chances. We just couldn't close the deal."

The scoreless first half was a tightly played defensive match. Chelsea's however, out-shot the Hornets 6-3 in the opening 40 minutes.

"Our defense did a phenomenal job to not just keep Saline scoreless for so long, but to really not allow quality chances," Orlandi said.

Though not scoring, the Bulldogs did threaten in the first half.

Freshman Cara Johnson blasted a direct kick off the goal post, which junior Ellen Stewart rebounded and kicked toward the goal, but right into the waiting hands of the Saline keeper.

In the second half, both teams continued to battle.

With 15:32 left in the game, senior Mackenzie Lake fired a missile into the top right on the play was Stewart.

With the lead, the Bulldogs

tle at that point," Orlandi said. "We got a bit too conserty possession and closing out

"I, as coach, need to do a better job of preparing my team for this situation. This Indians 15-3 for the contest. was a game we should have won, but we gave up a late one (goal). And it wasn't with-

out controversy." With one minute remainhit a long ball that lofted toward the Chelsea net. Bulldog senior keeper and Eastern Michigan University recruit Maggie Manville made a leap for the ball but it sailed over her head. The ball landed inside the box where a scramble for posses- they'll come to play." sion took place.

ball into the Chelsea's goal hitting the back support rail-

goal so it appeared to many players that the ball never went in the goal," Orlandi said.

After a discussion, the referees signaled a goal had been scored tying the game

"To be truthful, I never saw it go in," Orlandi said. "But more than a few players and two officials said it did, so I'm going to have to take their team word for it."

the tie, the Bulldogs left the field deflated.

to an otherwise excellent game played by the Chelsea side," Orlandi said, "I just were Megan Dunn, Lauren deserved better."

The Bulldogs out-shot the Hornets 9-5 for the contest. Last Thursday, the visiting **Bulldogs defeated Tecumseh**

"It was a great relief to get on the board so early, but we lost our intensity for some reason after that," Orlandi said. "A one-goal lead is always a tense situation, so it ball on both offense and was a relief when we took defense and didn't allow over the game in the second

lent throughout."

In the first half, senior p.m. Leah Morrison scored off a pass from senior Sarah the game for a 1-0 Bulldog Lansing 0-0 last Thursday. advantage.

Amanda McKenzie scored at the 44-minute mark for a 2-0 play for Chelsea.

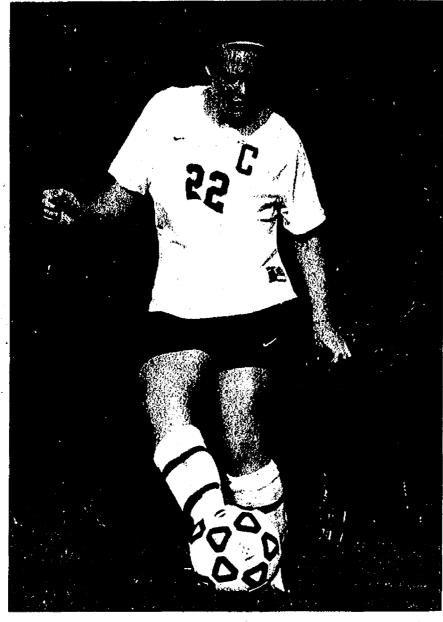


Photo courtesy of Alice Rawson Chelsea sophomore Brooke Ehman has helped spark the Bulldogs to a 12-2-1 overall record and a 5-2-1 mark in the Southeastern Conference this season.



Photo courtesy of Alice Rawson

Smart said. "It's obvious to

me that we have come a long

way since the beginning of

. Last Monday, the visiting

Bulldogs tied Ann Arbor

"We definitely could have

won, but the girls were play-

ing on their heels," Smart

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the season."

Huron 0-0.

Bulldog junior Ellen Stewart had one assist in Chelsea's 1-1 tie against Saline last Saturday.

Chelsea was Abbi Crowder.

Hannah Boshoven.

crosses," Smart said.

defense

Playing a strong, all around

"She (Boshoven) kept the

pressure on the Jackson

defense and had beautiful

Anchoring the Chelsea

Chelsea

was

Vincent, Sarah Bingel, Diana

"The last few days have

been very exciting for

Chelsea freshman soccer,"

Bach and Hailey Preston.

game for the Bulldogs was

corner of the goal giving Manville scored on a penalty-Chelsea a 1-0 lead. Assisting' kick upping the Bulldog lead to 3-0.

Junior Emily Rabbitt started to reign in their play. scored off a pass from "I think we panicked a lit- Reinhardt for a 4-0 advan-

At the 67-minute mark, vative and started booting Morrison scored her second the ball up the field as goal of the game for the day's opposed to playing for quali-final margin. Sophomore Brooke Enman picked up an assist on the play for the

The Bulldogs out-shot the

Chelsea closes out the regular season traveling to county rival and No. 3ranked Dexter (12-2-2, 5-1-1 SEC) for a game Thursday at ing and the Bulldogs still 7 p.m. Because of the rivalry clinging to a 1-0 lead, Saline and an expected larger crowd, the contest has been moved from the Dreadnaught soccer complex to the football stadium at Al Ritt Field.

"We'll have to beat Dexter to force a tie for the league crown," Orlandi said. "The girls are hungry, so I'm sure

The Bulldogs begin their With arms, legs and bodies quest for a soccer state title crashing together in pursuit traveling to Tecumseh to face of the elusive ball, the the Indians in a Division II Hornets somehow kicked the first round state district match-up Tuesday at 5 p.m.

If successful against "The ball shot out of the square off against Jackson Nowthwest 5 p.m. May 31 at Northwest 5 p.m. May 31 at Dexter. The Dreadnaughts are hosting the district.

The district championship is 2 p.m. June 2 at Dexter.

Other teams competing in the district include Jackson County Parma Western, Adrian, Ypsilanti

JV Soccer

Chelsea's JV girls' soccer defeated: host Tecumshe 8-0 last Thursday While Saline celebrated in a game shortened because of the mercy rule.

Leading the Bulldogs was 'It was a depressing finish Kelli Fountain with three goals for a hat trick.

Also scoring for Chelsea left the field feeling like we Johnson, Alexa Petosky, Alex LeBeau and Cayla Redmond.

Picking up assists for the Bulldogs were Kendra Beeman, Ashley Bell, Rachel Bell, Grace Biller, Luisa Cantu, Johnson Redmond.

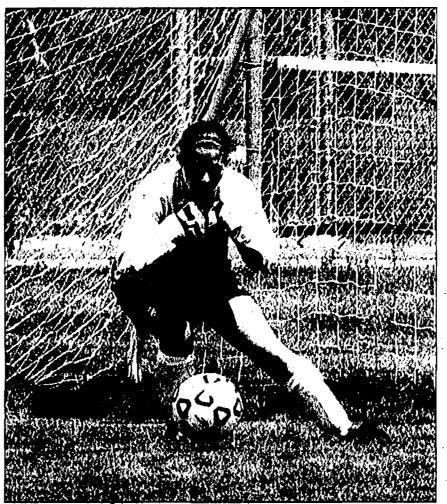
"We played our most complete game of the season," said Chelsea coach Matt Pedlow. "We controlled the Tecumseh one shot on goal."

Chelsea concludes its sea-"The defense was excel- son traveling to rival Dexter for a game Thursday at 4:30

Freshman Soccer

Chelsea's freshman girls' Reinhardt three minutes into soccer team tied host East

"This is the best game we In the second half, senior have played thus far," said Bulldog coach Kirsten Smart. "We lost to East Lansing earlead. Lake assisted on the lier in the season 2-0. All of the girls played strong. We Twelve minutes later, put pressure on every player.



Chelsea junior keeper Jenna Jarvis has combined with senior net minder Maggie Manville to lead the Bulldogs to a No. 6state ranking in Division II this year.

It was an awesome game to watch. The girls were really for how they played," she working together and made said.9 some beautiful passes. We had more shots on goal than East Lansing. Our defense couldn't be beat."

forward Taylor Murphy.

out and really controlled the control of the game right off middle of the field," she said. -the bat by keeping posses-"Taylor Murphy really sion and making great passstepped up and beat the es. The ball was in Jackson's defense to every ball."

Smart, however, was pleased with her entire Julianna Ameel with two team's effort.

"I am so proud of the team

Last Friday, host Chelsea defeated Jackson 3-0.

'We outplayed Jackson by 100 percent," Smart said. Smart praised the play of "The girls played so well midfielder Nikki Laeder and together. I am so proud of the way they worked the ball "Nikki played her heart around the field. We took half for most of the game."

Leading the Bulldogs was goals. Also scoring

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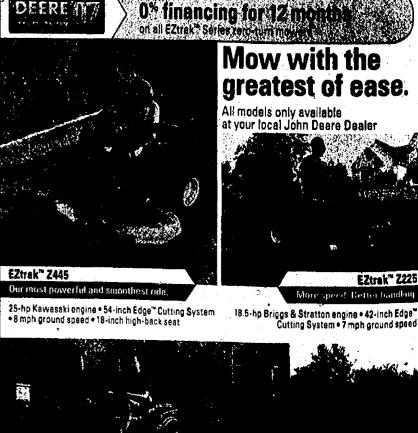
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LEAGUE

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Kyle Bucholz with two hits. Christopher Schmelz with a RBI single, Connell with a RBI single and Augustine with a two-run RBI single.

Because of numerous make-up games, the SEC Tournament which Chelsea would have hosted last Saturday was canceled.

Last Thursday, host Chelsea defeated Temperance Bedford 7-6 in a make-up game.

Nielsen (6-1) picked up the win from the mound.

Connell finished with three RBIs, while Nielsen had two RBIs to pace the Bulldogs.

On May 16, host Chelsea defeated Saline 6-5 in a make-up contest.

The game was previously suspended because of darkness with the score deadlocked at 5-5.

Todd Elliott (4-2) earned the win from the rubber for the Bulldogs.

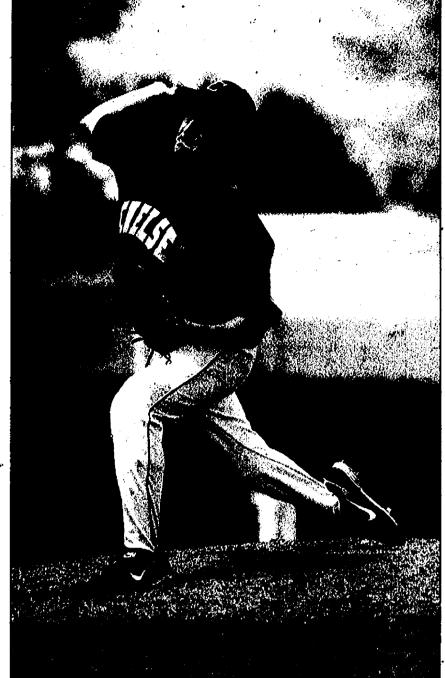
Zach Leszczynski singled to begin the bottom of the eighth inning. Back-toback error brought him home for the winning run.

Dan Rhodes led Chelsea with two home runs and three RBIs.

"It took 15 minutes and we were done," said Welton of one-inning make-up game.

On May 15, the host Bulldogs defeated Tecumseh 5-0 in the first game of a scheduled doubleheader. The second contest was rained out.

win from the mound throw-



Chelsea junior pitcher Paul Bell delivers the ball to home plate against Tecumseh last Saturday.

three and walking one.

"He was simply awesome." Welton said. "He was in command of all three of his pitches."

Offensively, Connell finfor 2 with a double and one Stevensville-Lakeshore.

ing a one-hitter, striking out RBI and Augustine had four RBIs for Chelsea

The Bulldogs next travel to St. Joseph Saturday to compete in its invitational. Besides the Bulldogs and the host Bears, other teams ished 2-for-3, including a included in the top-notch Dan Rhodes recorded the triple, while Rhodes was 2- field include Niles and

Bulldog senior shortstop Adam Connell (left) flips the ball to senior second baseman Dan Rhodes for the force out last week.

"It's always a really good tournament," Welton said.

On June 2, Chelsea opens Division II state district play facing Jackson Lumen Christi (27-5) at Jackson Northwest.

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Track and field

DeTroyer, McKenzie pace Chelsea

By Don Richter Sports Editor

field team finished fourth at sixth in 12:08.2 for Chelsea. last Saturday's Division II state regional meet in man Linden.

The Bulidogs ended up with 65.6 points.

Winning the regional crown was Ypsilanti with 113 points. Placing second was Tecumseh with 106 points, while Dexter was third with 71.6 points and Flint Southwestern fifth with 55 points.

Fourteen squads competed in the meet.

"We ran very well today," said Chelsea coach Pat Clarke. "The coaching staff is very proud of this group of young women and their accomplishments and progress this season."

Leading Chelsea was freshman sensation Olivia DeTroyer who finished first in the 400-meter run with a Linden track record time of 57.67. Her clocking was three seconds faster than her previous best time and a new Bulldog freshman record shattering the old mark by two seconds.

"It (400 time) was the second fastest time ever by a II state meet in Zeeland June Chelsea girl," Clarke said.
In the 200 meters,

DeTroyer placed third in 28.1. Also capturing a regional

championship was senior Amanda McKenzie who finished first in the 1,600-meter run in a personal best 5:17.2.

"Amanda's time was the third fastest in school history," Clarke said.

In the 3,200-meter run, Chelsea's girls' track and Nicole Bougher finished

Though not placing, fresh-Katrina Williams clocked personal best times in the 100-meter hurdles in Continued from Page 3-C 17.6 and the 300-meter hurdles in 52.7.

Fischer placed second with a heave of 33-feet, 10? inches.

Kelly Anderson was third with a throw of 33-7?. Anderson was second in the discus with a toss of 104-0

for the Bulldogs. Fischer was seventh in 96-10. In the high jump, Katie Martin was sixth with a

height of 4-7. The Chelsea 800-meter relay quartet of Christina Coffman, Kimmi Zimmerman, Victoria Kingsinger and DeTroyer finished fourth in

The Bulldog group of Julie Beaumont, Cassie Coffman, Katy Martin and Bougher crossed the line sixth in a personal best 10:19.3.

Cassie Coffman, DeTroyer, Zimmerman and Kingsinger placed seventh in the 1,600meter relay in 4:21.5.

Qualifying for the Division 2 are DeTroyer in the 400meter run, McKenzie in the 1.600-meter run, Anderson in the discus and Fischer in the shot put.

"We showed some great improvement in this meet," Clarke said. "The fourthplace finish in the regional was quite an accomplishment for this team as banged up as we are with McKenzie also placed sev- injuries. We were without enth in the 800-meter run in our top sprinter, sophomore

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The 400-meter relay group In the shot put, Jillian of Ngo, Hill, McClendon and Ratliff placed fourth in 44.0.

Both relays qualified for the Division H state meet. "That's a fine accomplish-

ment for those young men,"

The Division II state meet is June 2 in Zeeland.

Swager said.

"It will be nice to take another large contingent to the state finals," Swager said. "We hope to get a couple of medals and perform to our

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By Terry Jacoby

Chelsea Standard

not for the same reason most

young kids get involved in

"I played all kinds of sports growing up and loved

being outside with friends."

said Mignano, who was born

in Ann Arbor and raised in the Chelsea area. "If it was

light outside I was most like-

ly playing some type of sport

think I liked the camaraderie

being able to meet many new

Mignano still enjoys being outside, playing sports and meeting people. Now 22 years old, Mignano has found the perfect job that combines all of the above. He is standing on the first tee of his

or building something outside. I'm not a particularly competitive person, but I

of sports in general and

adult life with a long and winding fairway awaiting his first shot. And what a view he

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Mignano said. "I also am an instructor to golfers of all levels and I'm very involved

with the junior program. It's a

busy with the US Open approaching next year,"

Mike Mignano, think very tal-

San Diego is as good as it

lege in Michigan, is even

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west - as far west as one

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"ike Mignano has always been inter-

ested in sports, but

When it comes to a career in golf, Chelsea's Mike Mignano has already scored a ...



At the age of 22, Mike Mignano has already worked at Oakland Hills and Torrey Pines.

great place to go to every day and my 'office' is overlooking the Pacific Ocean."

Mignano realizes he has landed in a special place, especially so early in his career. "Torrey Pines to me was the mecca of golf watching on TV, and seeing the hang gliders and beaches ... and beautiful golf course," he said. "I can truly say that I

am living a dream." While golf is an individual sport, it was a team of people that helped Mignano realize that dream.

"I come from a pretty big family and went through the Chelsea schools and was very involved with school activities both in high school and college," he said. "I started to get interested in golf when I was 12-years old and was " instantly hooked. I had a nat-

ural athletic swing from playing other sports, and I saw the sport as more challenging and addictive than the others."

The first golf event Mignano watched on TV was the 1997 Masters where Tiger Woods shot an amazing 21under par to win easily. Like most young kids watching golf that weekend in April, Tiger became a role model. He instantly became that target to shoot for - even though it was a tough target.

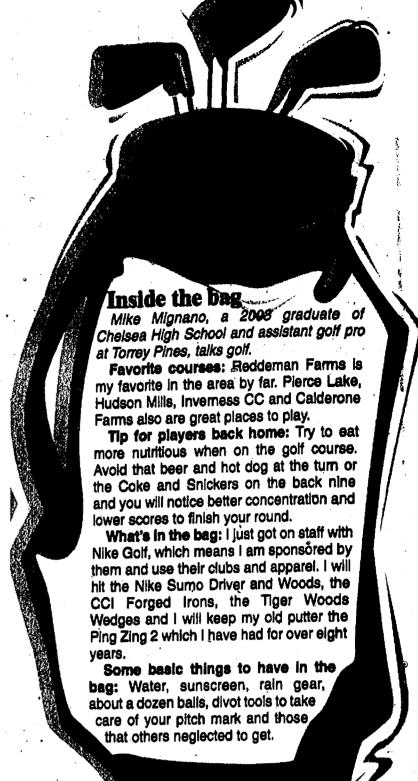
Figuring he was too small at 5-feet, 5-inches to play football in the fall, Mignano turned his attention to golf in high school.

"None of my close friends played golf, but four or five of my very best friends today were met on the golf course." Mignano said. "I was very

fortunate to get a job at Reddeman Farms Golf Club in Chelsea working in the kitchen part time. This was a great opportunity to play free golf and learn the industry." While at Reddeman Farms, Mignano met Patty McCarthy and Frank Garzia.

'They gave me that chance," he said. "I would definitely not be here today without their help."

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Meet Mike

Name: Mike Mignano Age: 22

Current job: Assistant golf pro at Torrey Pines Golf Course in San Diego. About Torrey Pines: Torrey Pines is considered one of the best golf courses in the world and is one of the few top-rated courses

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Education: A 2002 graduate of Chelsea High School. Mike graduated from Ferris State University in December 2006 in professional golf management.

Parents: Mike is the son of Sheila Rodenkirch and Joe Mignano.

Brother Joe: Mike's brother Joe Mignano, a 1999 graduate of Cheisea High School, received his undergraduate degree from Michigan State University and his law degree from Michigan State University's new Law School. Joe passed the Washington D.C. bar in November. He specialized in International Law and hopes to work in some related capacity for the government.

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Master teacher

Martial-arts master alters plan to teach new style

By Edward Freundl Staff Writer

For more than 20 years, Mike Poxson has taken hundreds of people on a journey to discover the power within themselves.

Poxson has been the owner of Chelsea Tae Kwon Do for several years, and with a shift to a new style, called aiki ninjutsu, came a new name: Chelsea Martial Arts.

"I've got about 42 students currently, and they love this new art," said Poxson, who holds the title of "master" as a sixth-degree black belt in tae kwon do and seconddegree black belt in aiki nin-

The two styles are similar but there are intriguing differences, Poxson said.

"All the martial-arts philosophies are pretty much the same: it's about harmonizing with yourself, and not being afraid of your surroundings," he said.

and 20 percent hands; aiki ninjutsu is a close-in combination of aikido and ninjutsu where you learn how to use the other person's energy to defeat your aggressor.

"The cool thing is, when you use this properly you're not using any energy or muscle," he added. "If you're using muscle it's wrong."

One of most basic mistakes a person can make in taking a martial arts class, Poxson said, is to try to hurt other people. "There's a lot of people who think they are going to take one class and become Bruce Lee," he said. "A lot of people think they're going to learn how to beat people up, and that's not what the martial arts is all about."

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who just received his black belt, said Poxson teaches people to have enough confidence in themselves that they can avoid dangerous situations and overcome almost any obstacle.

"You learn that your biggest roadblock is you," said Hartman, whose wife Janine and two sons also train with Poxson at the Washington **Street Education Center.**

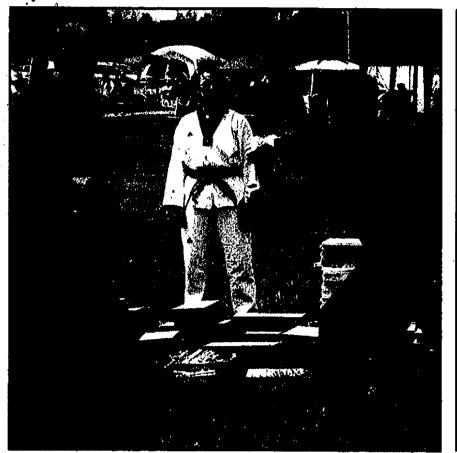
"You're not training for Master Poxson or the other students: your accomplishments are your own."

It is clear that Poxson loves what he is doing, Hartman "Tae kwon'do is primarily a added "It's not a commercial kicking art, 80 percent feet venture for him," he said. "He teaches traditional values of martial arts and the meaning see on TV."

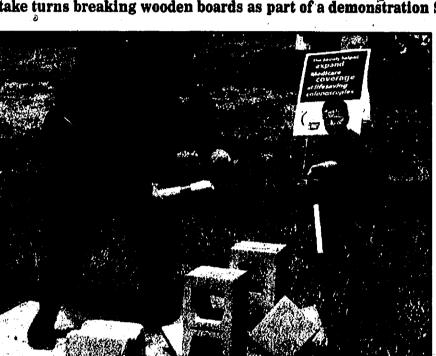
> It does seem to be more than a fun activity for Poxson, who works full-time at the Chrysler Proving Grounds and is a reserve officer with Police to be open-minded and not to Chelsea Department.

> Lisa Preston said her son began training with Poxson several years ago when he was 8, and it transformed his per- 'I can't' attitude, we try to sonality. "I've seen how it has changed him; you can see Poxson doing that with every student, whether they're a child or an adult," Preston said, adding that young boys learn valuable lessons from Poxson

Poxson said it is important can get it."



Cyril White, Ann Jackson (in white), Bob Tisdale and Rick Hartman, all students of Master Mike Poxson at Chelsea Martial Arts. take turns breaking wooden boards as part of a demonstration Saturday at the Relay for Life.



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of it, it's nothing like what you Master Mike Poxson, a sixth-degree black belt in tae kwan do and owner of Chelsea Martial Arts, demonstrates the mental focus needed to break concrete with a newspaper - a Chelsea Standard, of course. Although Poxson's classes take place at the Washington Street Education Center, he and his students were demonstrating martial arts techniques Saturday at the Relay For Life.

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teach them they can," he said. "The only reason you say you can't is you don't want to try; with a little bit of effort you find you can. Have confidence in yourself. It doesn't matter how tough something looks - if you decide you want it, you

ning martial-arts training.





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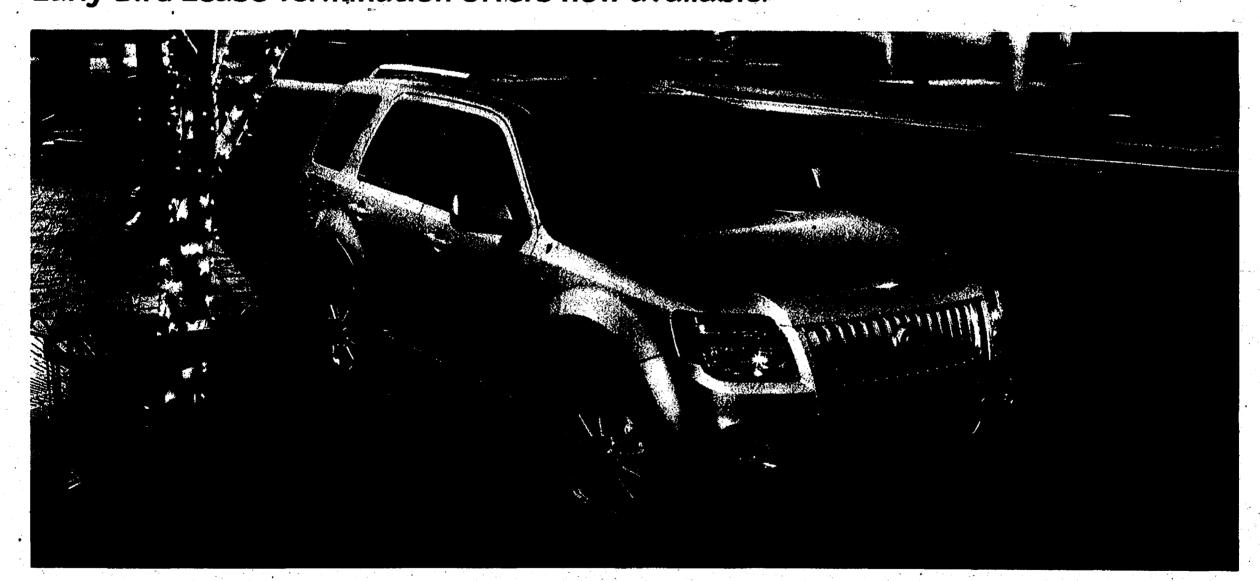
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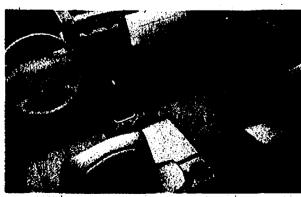
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WORKING LUNCH: DOUG MARRIN, OWNER OF THE FOGGY BOTTOM

By Sean Dalton Staff Writer

Welcome to "Working Lunch." Have a sit and stay awhile for some (very) lighthearted Q&A with interesting folks in our community. Our first subject (victim) is Doug Marrin, owner of Foggy Bottom Coffee House in Dexter.

I have to ask this question right off the bat: Where did you get the name "Foggy Bottom"?

People have a lot of fun trying to guess where I got the name from. If you had to guess, would you guess that it comes from coffee?

Well, I notice your coffee steams quite a bit, so once I found out you were a coffee house I would guess that.

That's really good. I haven't heard the steam aspect yet. We get a lot of people who guess that it's the fog down in a valley in a mountain range.

Of all things, I was reading a crime novel by James Patterson. They spoke about going out to Foggy Bottom, it's a Metro stop in the Washington DC subway (in the book). And would be a great name.

Sorry for spoiling the mystery. So are your coffees really from the locales in the names? I. think my first cup of coffee here had Ethiopia in the name.

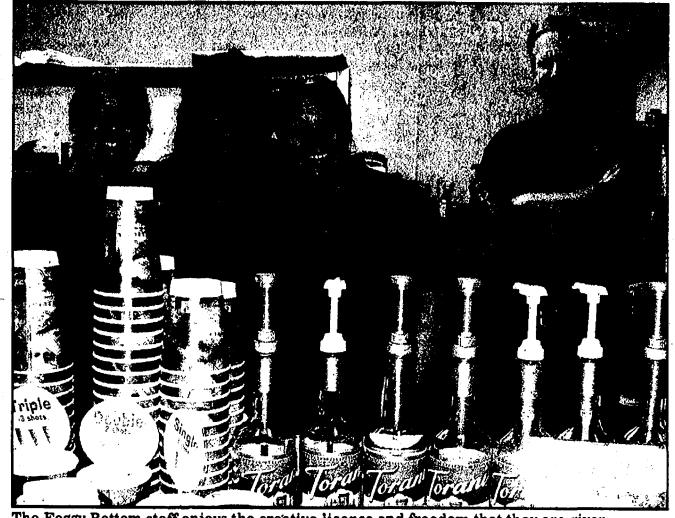
When you see a name on there — Ethiopian, Costa Rican, Tanzanian — that's actually the country it's from. All of our Tanzanian coffee comes from Tanzania, the Ethiopian comes from Ethiopia.

Then the idea is to take the countries and blend them, in kind of a United Nations. world-peace kind of idea, where we blend them all into one harmonious cup, so maybe the rest of the political world can kind of take a clue from the simplicity of blending that coffee together.

It sounds like some world leaders could take some notes from you.

That could be our next cause. World peace coffee blended from Ethiopian, Costa Rican, Columbian, Brazil and different Middle Eastern lands. This could be the start of it right here.

It wasn't my intention to start a movement here. I must say that it's good to hear that a prod-- uct name actually means some-



The Foggy Bottom staff enjoys the creative license and freedom that they are given.

thing. We buy lots of products out of the blue it struck me it that say things on them that are exaggerated or just untrue.

For example, I have a friend who works for an out-of-state bottling company and, let's just say that the spring water you're drinking didn't come from a spring in the French Alps. It's more than likely closer to coming out of the Detroit River.

mentioned that before I started drinking it.

You looked thirsty, so I didn't want to ruin it for you. How about to make amends, you plug some of your fine coffee-related products at no charge in response to this portion of the interview?

all-natural smoothies. We're that's what I have here in the trying to be healthy and fresh. shop. We're trying to cut down on the non-natural foods that we ingest, and people are responding very well to our "naked smoothies."

We have a lot of fun with our sandwiches, too. The cool thing is our sandwich line is really invented by the crew. They get to construct their own sandwiches after work.

Sometimes they'll give me try. suggestions and the next time we redo the menu, we'll put the crew person's sandwich on there if it seems like a good fit, and more times than not, it is.

That's good to hear. In a lot of workplaces you don't have any input or feedback. You're kind of stuck doing a lot of rote tasks. You seem to share the creative license with employees — give them ownership.

It's cool in a way, because I don't have to figure everything out. I've got a lot of really intel-That's great. I wish you had ligent, sharp people behind the counter, who are just waiting for the chance to offer a somebody will listen to.

kids, as I get a little older and a little more preoccupied, that it's always good to have people around you who are quick and can pick things up and put We just began a new line of things mentally together, and

> I understand you came up in the fast-food industry. I think it's safe to say that you came away from that with a lot of les-

> Fast food is everything that it's cracked up to be in the public's eye. It is absolutely brutal. I describe it as just a lot of good people in a very difficult indus-

> The fast food company that I was working with - and this is typical, from what I understand - just micromanages every move you make.

You can't just pick the fries up in the basket, dump them and salt them. We have to pick them up, let them sit for three seconds, shake them for another five seconds, then you have to dump them in a certain motion into the bin, move them to a certain part of the bin and when you salt them, there's a

certain way to salt them. In the fast-food business they have operations manuals that are as thick and detailed as the constructive suggestion that Bible, only the manuals cover flipping burgers, not human I've been told by my own existence on Earth and beyond.

> Talk about "(over)cooking the books." I don't think I've ever put that much thought into the application of salt.

You wouldn't think that we have to spend all this time on chess melee we don't want the or 475-1371. salting in the fast-food industry, but apparently to the people who run (it), this is a very important thing. If you don't do it wrong.

the rule, because everything is

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a rule and it's just really diffi- pieces doing too much damage. cult and in a lot of ways it's a trap for people who work there.

Here. I try to set guidelines and I constantly tell the people who work here, you have to work for yourself. I want you to think for yourself, because I can't make a rule about everything.

Just looking at your staff tells me your side of the story. They're genuinely happy and láughing.

I've worked in the fast-food industry and I've worked here. Two different styles: this is much better. The really lights up, they really respond, and when you let them make the decision and you train them how to think and what it is you're after. they'll make the right decision.

Deep down, people don't want to be told what to do constantly. They want to be told directions and think for themselves.

What's the story behind these chess pieces? I don't think they're big enough. I mean someone with a duffle bag could make off with your king while you're not looking, and that, my friend, is checkmate.

We designed them with several things in mind. First of all, it was economical to use plastic instead of wood. Another thing is, it won't hurt if it falls on your big toe; you won't go limping out the door or seek legal compensation for the damage to your toenail.

That'll come in handy if you ever have a game get combative and someone takes a bishop to the head.

combat chess here and if Working Lunch, contact Sean things do degenerate into a Dalton at sdalton(wheritage.com.

You said earlier that you lean more towards checkers than chess. As someone who routinely overestimates his own intelligence. I can relate to that.

I think everyone likes to think of themselves as a chess player.

Speaking of strategy, how do you feel about yourself in a market of big-box retailers and bookstore chains with their own built-in cafes?

When you start thinking about those things, for a little guy like me it gets really scary. I'm just one little fish trying to survive in a huge ocean of predators and competition.

Everyone in that coffee market is doing the same style of coffee that's been around for 30 years and developed on the West Coast.

When we opened our shop, we weren't going to do that. We wanted to do our own thing and serve a quality cup of coffee. We just didn't know any better than to buy the best beans directly from the importer and to roast it ourselves, instead of getting it from a commercial roaster.

You'll see a sign in everybody's coffee shop saying that they have the best coffee, and yet they all buy it from the same roaster.

We roast our own, so we are creating our own product. It's like the difference between canned peaches and a peach right off the tree.

Good luck to you, little fish, and thank you for participating in our first Working Lunch.

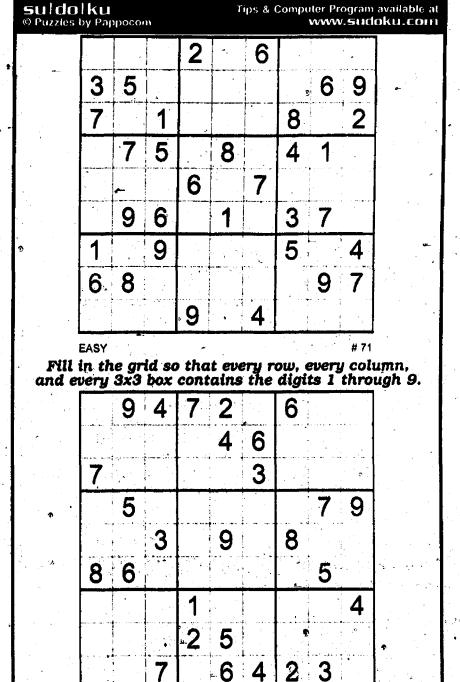
If you know someone who The last thing we want is full would make a good candidate for





Doug Marrin gets to enjoy a rare game of chess.





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Today, we call it Memorial

However, in the days immediately following the Civil War, the annual May remembrance of the soldiers who died saving the Union and ending slavery, was known as Decoration Day. Not surprisingly, one of the most-recognized annual ceremonies to honor these valiant dead occurs at Arlington National Cemetery on the Potomac River across from the nation's capital. On May 30, 1877, the day's festivities included a poem from Michiganian Will Carleton -destined to become one of the nation's leading poets.

Born on Oct. 21, 1845, in Lenawee County, Carleton was the fifth child and third son of John Hancock and Celeste (Smith) Carleton. Carleton graduated from Hillsdale College in 1869. A writer of poetry since his youth, Carleton received national recognition in 1872 with his "Over the Hill to the Poor House." The poem he authored for Arlington was a 55-verse dialogue between the living and the dead, entitled,

LIMA TOWNSHIP

REGULAR BOARD MEETING --- MAY 14, 2007

May 14, 2007 at 8:00 p.m. and opened with the Piedge to The Flag.

Present were Supervisor Unterbrink, Clerk Barels, Treasurer Havens,

Trustee Laier and Zoning Administrator Frisinger. Absent: Trustee

Motion by Laier supported by Havens to approve the minutes of the

Motion by Unterbrink supported by Laier to amend the agenda to add

The zoning administrator reported permits for 1 new home, 1 home

Motion by Barels supported by Unterbrink to approve the purchase of a

computer system, as presented, quote dated May 14, 2007. Discussion

arose as to whether Windows Vista should be substituted for Windows XP

Motion by Unterbrink supported by Laier to table to next month, the Web

Motion by Unterbrink, supported by Laier that the Lima Township Board

Motion by Barels supported by Unterbrink to contract with the

adopt the Lima Township Master Plan dated March 29, 2007, as recom-

Washtenaw County Road Commission for two coats of brine to control

dust using matching funds and use the remaining 2006 matching funds to

cover the McKinley Road project, costs to be shared with Sylvan and

Motion by Havens supported by Bareis to accept the Washtenaw

Motion by Barels supported by Unterbrink to table the Memorandum of

Motion by Barels supported by Laier to schedule a public hearing for

Motion by Laier supported by Unterbrink to change the date of the

Motion by Barels supported by Laier to pay \$1500.00 for preparation

and materials for the pad for the recycle bins on the Ackley (Abrasive

Motion by Laier supported by Unterbrink to pay bills as submitted.

Motion by Havens supported by Unterbrink that a letter be sent to the

Motion by Laier supported by Havens to adjourn at 10:10 p.m. Carried.

Chelsea Community Hospital regarding their Heart and Sole Run which

goes through Lima Township, requesting that Lima Township be named

Understanding with reference to the Washtenaw County Road

Calus Private Road Variance Application 2007-02V for June 11, 2007 at

County Road Commission Capital Improvements recommendations.

mended by the Lima Township Planning Commission. Carried.

Supervisor Unterbrink will complete the survey. Motion carried.

Commission ROW plan, to June meeting. Carried.

August meeting to August 6, 2007. Carried.

Finishing) property. Motion carried.

additional insured. Carried.

Carried.

Annual Meeting with the Washtenaw County Road commission and the

WWRA bins at Lima Center and Dexter-Chelsea Roads. Motion carried.

regular Township Board meeting on April 9, 2007. Motion carried.

McKenzie. Also present several residents and guests.

Management Proposal from Charles Nielson. Carried.

The treasurer's report was received.

Pro. Motion carried.

Dexter Townships. Carried.

addition, 1 pole barn, 2 decks and 2 pools.

The regular meeting of the Lima Township Board was called to order on

"Converse With the Slain." Carleton won flattering

reviews for his poem. One newspaper account celebrated poet and farm balladist, whose charming productions have carried sunshine into nearly every household in America."

At Arlington, Carleton was interrupted by applause several times during the reading, and when he finished; there was the "wildest enthusiasm." One Michiganian who witnessed the day's events, observed: "I have no recollection of the day when I felt so proud of my country and especially of my native State, Michigan, as I do at this hour."

Carleton's Decoration Day triumph covered him with more than laurels. According

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"Arlington was clearly an epiphany-there would be no turning his back on his career called the Michigan poet "the as a poet and a lecturer." The Michigan poet spent the rest of his life doing what he could do best-writing, delivering and selling some of the most popular literary works in the English language.

> lature recognized Carleton's magazine.com or calling 1-800influence on the American 366-3703.

to Carleton's biographer, public by declaring his birthday (Oct. 21) Will Carleton Day. For more on Will Carleton,

including his entire 55-verse "Converse With the Slain," pick up a copy of the May/June 2007 issue Michigan History magazine at your local bookstore or subscribe by In 1919, the Michigan legis- www.michiganhistory-

> LYNDON TOWNSHIP SUMMARY OF PROPOSED MINUILS

PENDING APPROVAL BY PLANNING COMMISSION ON JUNE 14, 2007. EYNDON TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING MAY 10, 2007

Call to order at 7:05 PM, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. Call to the Public: Residents expressed opposition and dissatisfaction over the WCRC's Right-of-Way (ROW) Plan. Approval of April 12, 2007 minutes, as corrected. (Full minutes avail-

able at www.lyndontownahlp.org) Moved and carried to adopt agenda, as amended,

Other Business: - Lyndon Township Survey results, available at June meeting.

- Master Plan Amendment Outline handed out with issues to be dis-- Discussion on Washtenaw County Privately Owned Community

Sewage Systems Regulation. - J. Enos, Township Planner, to contact WCRC and see what can be done to put off the ROW Plan in Lyndon Township and report at next meeting.

Call to the Public. Moved and carried to adjourn at 9:30 PM without objection.

> Respectfully submitted, Roxanne Petrie Office Manager

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DEXTER TOWNSHIP SUMMARY OF ACTION OF THE REGULAR

BOARD OF TRUSTEES MEETING MAY 15, 2007 Called to order at 7:00 PM

Members Present: Supervisor Kelly, Treasurer Knight, Clerk Rider, Trustees Lesser, Ottoman and Lesser

Absent: Trustee Howard The Board approved the Consent Agenda, along with gross May payroll of \$22,103.03, General Fund bills of \$42,700.04, Fire Fund bills of \$60,114.98 and Police Fund bills of \$27,293.93.

The Board authorized the Supervisor to enter into a contract with LandMark Appraisal Company to perform a mass reappraisal of all residential class property in the township for a cost of \$110,000.00, to be completed by January 31, 2008.

Jim Carson, representative for W.A.V.E. (Western-Washtenaw Area Value Express), explained the history and operation of the transit service that serves north-west Washtenaw citizens.

The Board took action to approve a fireworks permit for Hudson Mills Metropark for July 3rd; printing and distribution of a General Development Plan Community Survey; purchase of a monitor and additional computer memory for the Clerk's computer, a digital camera for the Planning and Zoning Department; and in increase in the annual fee for a base-size sign on the Township sign board at the comer of N. Territorial road and Dexter-Pincknev road to \$300.00.

The Board voted not to consider adoption of Huron River Watershed

The Board tabled action on the Washtenaw County Road Commission Right-of-Way Master Plan until the WCRC can make a presentation to the

The Board also discussed the pending upgrade of the Multi-Lakes Sewer plant, along with the State's attempt to reduce their annual costs to the Multi-Lakes sewer.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:30 PM

Pindzia and four residents.

Supervisor Remarks

A. Treasurer's Report:

B. Planning Commission:

Approve Minutee

Approve Agenda

Call to Public

Report received.

No report received.

E. Sheriff's Report:

No report received. **
G. PDR Committee:

No report received.

Report received.

A. Office Hours:

Remain the same.

Township Historical Society.

Old Business:

No action.

Authorizing Notice.

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Report received.

Reports

Respectfully submitted, Harley B. Rider, Clerk, Dexter Township Summary approved by Pat Kelly, Supervisor, Dexter Township This Summary of the May 15, 2007, Regular Meeting of the Dexter Township Board of Trustees was prepared by Harley B. Rider, Dexter Township Clerk, and approved by Pat Kelly, Dexter Township Supervisor, in accordance with the provisions of MCL 41.72a(5). A draft of the full minutes of the May 15, 2007, Regular meeting of the Township Board is available for examination at the Township Hall during regular business hours (8:30 AM to 4:30 PM Monday through Friday, except holidays). The full minutes of the May 15, 2007, Regular meeting of the Dexter Township Board of Trustees will be presented at the June 19, 2007, Regular meeting for review and approval by the Board. Following approval the full minutes will be posted on the Township's web site www.twp-dexter.org. Publish: May 24, 2007

WEBSTER TOWNSHIP

REGULAR BOARD MEETING MAY 15, 2007

The Webster Township Regular Board Meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Supervisor Kingsley on May 15, 2007 at the Township Hall, 5665 Webster Church Road Dexter, MI 48130.

Members present Supervisor Kingsley, Clerk Heller, Treasurer Whitney,

Motion Westman second Koch to approve the minutes of the Regular

item E to be added to the Agenda under new business see Sam Schwark request for observed trials motorcycle race.

Motion Heller second Kleinschmidt to approve Agenda with the addition

Motion Heller second Koch to accept Treasurer's report and pay bills as

Report received. Seven permits issued and ten inspections performed.

Motion Kleinschmidt second Heller to contribute \$350.00 to the Webster

D. LASA Resolution To Approve Rules & Regulations & Fee Schedule

Motion Fink second Kleinschmidt to approve Resolution Approving

Motion Kingsley second Koch to adopt Resolution Approving Contract &

Motion Kleinschmidt second Westman to adopt Resolution to Concur with the Adoption of Loch Alpine Sanitary Authority Rules & Regulations.

A. Webster Township Historical Society Contribution

B. Washtenaw County Right-Of -Way Master Plan

No action taken. Report back next meeting.

C. Drive Mi Campaign – Resolution of Support

Contract. Roll call vote, all ayes and carried.

Roll call vote, all ayes and carried.

Roll call vote, all ayes and carried.

presented as well as those anticipated bills received before the June meet-

Trustees: Fink, Kleinschmidt, Koch and Westman Zoning Administrator:

Meeting opened with the Piedge of Allegiance to the fiag

Board Meeting held on April 17, 2007. All ayes and carried.

of Item E under New Business. All ayes and carried,

State Representative Pam Byrnes

ng. Roll call vote, all ayes and carried.

C. Parks & Recreation Committee:

D. Zoning Inspectors Report:

F. Zoning Board of Appeals:

H. Fire Department Report:

Ariene R. Barels, Clerk Publish: May 24, 2007

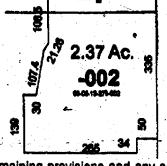
ORDINANCE NO. 79-2007-1 AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE PROVISIONS OF

ZONING ORDINANCE AS IT RELATES TO THE ZONING MAP. The City of Chelsea Ordains:

SECTION 1. That the official Zoning Map, attached thereto and adopted together with Ordinance No. 79 specifically Map No. 12, be and the same hereby amended as follows:

• From City of Chelsea I-1 Industrial to I-2 Light Industrial

- Legal Description: "OLD SID - FC-06-513-011-00 CV 1-169B COM AT NW COR OFSEC, TH S 88-48-15 E 1346.23 FT IN N/L OF SEC, TH S 0-00-40 E 851.33 FT, TH N 89-43 E 408.1 FT IN C/L OLD US 12 FOR POB, TH N 89-43 E 255.0 FT, TH S 0-01-10 E 335.0 FT, TH S 89-43 W 50.0 FT, TH S 0-01-10 E 34.0 FT, TH S 89-43 W 265.0 FT, TH N 0-01-10 W 139.0 FT, TH N 89-43 E 30.0 FT, TH N 9-50-40 E 107.4 FT, TH N 33-00 E 21.26 FT, TH N 0-00-40 W106.5 FT TO POB, BEING PART OF NW1/4 SEC 13 T2S R3E 2.37 AC - Street Address: 20401 Old US 12, Chelsea, MI 48118



Ordinance No. 79 be the same are hereby reaffirmed and ratified. SECTION 3. The within amendments shall be effective twenty (20) days

Ordinance was offered after public hearing and recommendation by the Chelsea City Planning Commission at a regular meeting of the Chelsea City Council held on May 8, 2007, at 7:30 p.m. and that the following members were present: Hammer, Bollinger, Feeney, Lindauer, (absent 8:00 -8:12 p.m.)Martinez-Kratz

The upon motion made by Hammer and seconded by Bollinger said Ordinance was adopted on the following vote:

further certify that on the 16th day of May 2007, I caused a true copy of said Ordinance to be published in the Cheisea Standard, a newspaper circulated in the City of Chelsea, and that said Ordinance and the record of publication was duly recorded in the Book or Ordinances of the City of Chelsea and is available for public use and inspection at the offices of the Chelsea City Clerk.

> Georgia Beeman, Deputy Clerk Ann E. Feeney, Mayor

Dated: 5/8/07 Publish: May 24, 2007

CITY OF CHELSEA

Respectfully submitted,

ORDINANCE NO. 79, KNOWN AS THE CHELSEA CITY

- Tax Code 06-06-13-275-002

SECTION 2. All remaining provisions and any amendments thereto of after adoption and publication as provided by law.
STATE OF MICHIGAN
COUNTY OF WASHTENAW

I, Teresa Burtch, Clerk of the City of Chelsea, hereby certify that above

The following members were absent: Merkel, Albertson -AYES

Motion Heller support Koch to approve the Observed Motorcycle Race NAYES 0 and carried. Correspondence Call to Public Adjourn

Motion Kleinschmidt second Koch to adjourn meeting. Meeting adjourned at 9:20 p.m. all ayes and carried.

Respectfully submitted Mary Dee Heller, Clerk Webster Township

DEXTER TOWNSHIP MEETING NOTICE ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

WILL MEET ON TUESDAY, JUNE 12, 2007 - 7:00 P.M. AT THE TOWNSHIP HALL 6880 DEXTER PINCKNEY RD., DEXTER, MI 48130

AGENDA ITEMS

Katrina Stewart 13521 Edgewater Gregory, MI 48137 Extension Request

Appeal Number: Property Tax ID: Applicant Name(s):

07-ZBA-663 04-07-101-006 Thomas Girard & Elizabeth Geisler 8674 Hillsdale Drive

Property Address: The purpose of this variance application is to demolish the existing single family home and 3 sheds at 8674 Hillsdale Drive, Gregory, MI 48137 (parcel 04-07-101-006) and replace them with a new single family home and 1 shed, Currently, the single family home and 3 sheds are all legal nonconforming structures. The single family home is nonconforming due to its current front yard setback (32' on the road side). One of the sheds is nonconforming due to its side yard setback of approximately -2' on the north side. The other two sheds are nonconforming due to their rear yard setbacks of 3' and 5' on the east side.

Appeal Number: Property Tax ID: Applicant Name(s):

07-ZBA-881 04-24-300-007

All Damsaz (owner and applicant)/Optima Oli Company/Huron Creek Party Store 6100 Dexter-Pinckney Road

Property Address: The purpose of this variance application is to remodel a sign in front of the existing gas station and convenience store (Huron Creek Party Store) at 6100 Dexter-Pinckney Road, Dexter, MI 48130 (parcel 04-24-300-007). Publish: May 24, 2007

DEXTER COMMUNITY SCHOOLS **COUNTIES OF WASHTENAW** AND LIVINGSTON, MICHIGAN NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

ON THE ADOPTION OF THE BUDGET FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2007-08 AND THE 2007 TAX RATE ON NON-HOMESTEAD PROPERTIES THAT WILL BE AT 18 MILLS AND THE 2007 DEBT LEVY ON ALL PROP-ERTIES THAT WILL BE AT 8.5 MILLS

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE THAT THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE DEXTER COMMUNITY SCHOOLS, COUNTIES OF WASHTENAW AND LIVINGSTON, MICHIGAN, WILL HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING ON MON-DAY THE 4th OF JUNE, 2007 AT 7:00 P.M. IN THE CREEKSIDE INTER-MEDIATE SCHOOL MEDIA CENTER, 2615 BAKER ROAD, DEXTER, MICHIGAN, 48130 TO CONSIDER THE APPROVAL AND ADOPTION OF THE OPERATING BUDGET OF THE DEXTER COMMUNITY SCHOOLS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2007-08

THE PROPERTY TAX MILLAGE RATE PRO-POSED TO BE LEVIED TO SUPPORT THE PRO-POSED BUDGET WILL BE A SUBJECT OF THIS HEARING.

'COPIES OF THE PROPOSED BUDGET ARE ON FILE WITH THE SECRETARY OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION AT THE OFFICES OF THE DEXTER COMMUNITY SCHOOLS, 7714 ANN ARBOR STREET, DEXTER MICHIGAN, 48130 FOR INSPECTION DURING REGULAR BUSINESS HOURS AT THE PUBLIC HEARING, ALL CITIZENS, TAX-PAYERS, AND PROPERTY OWNERS IN THE DEXTER COMMUNITY SCHOOL'S SHALL BE AFFORDED AN OPPORTUNITY TO BE HEARD IN REGARD TO THE APPROVAL OF THE PROPOSED BUDGET

THIS NOTICE IS GIVEN BY ORDER OF THE BOARD OF EDUCA-TION OF THE DEXTER COMMUNITY SCHOOLS, COUNTIES OF WASHTENAW AND LIVINGSTON, MICHIGAN

DEXTER COMMUNITY SCHOOLS COUNTIES OF WASHTENAW AND LIVINGSTON, MICHIGAN RON DARR, SECRETARY, BOARD OF EDUCATION

CITY OF CHELSEA SYNOPSIS OF THE REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING

TUESDAY, APRIL 24, 2007 WASHINGTON STREET EDUCATION CENTER

Present: Council Members Present: Feeney, Albertson, Lindauer, Martinez-Kratz, Merkel, Hammer, Interim City Manager John Hansen, and City Clerk Burtch Absent: Council Member Boilinger

Others Present: Jim Droiett, William Baidrige, Gary Adams, Vaughn Mills, T.J. DeRosla, Matt Mills, Ed Freundl, Jeff Loveland Mayor Feeney called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

City Manager Search William Baldrige, Executive Search Consultant, with the MML spoke to Council Members regarding the number of applications received for the

City Manager position and the top candidates. City Council will hold interviews for the City Manager-position on Saturday, April 28th from 9 a.m. until 3 p.m.

Recess from 7:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. Pleage of Allegiance

Approval Of Consent Agenda MOVED Hammer SECONDED Lindauer to approve minutes and bills with corrections to the minutes. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Approval of Regular Agenda
MOVED Hammer SECONDED Lindauer to approve the regular agenda as presented with the removal of item # 2 Request from HWF Enterprises, LLC. and to move Staff Reports up to Public Comments. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Public Comments/Staff Reports 1. WAVE (Western Washtenaw Area Value Express

Council member Albertson requested that a representative from WAVE attend the next Council Meeting to give presentation on their current financial situation and to show what plan they have in action to achieve finan-

2. Police Department Motorcycles

Chief Toth reported to City Council that the motorcycles that have been rented from American Harley Davidson to the City for \$1.00 each are no longer going to be available at this cost. Chelsea currently has 6 motorcycles. The Chief like to advise Council that this is an upcoming issue and will be coming to you during the budgeting process.

Council Business

 Engineering Proposals for Street Improvement Project
 MOVED Albertson SECONDED Lindauer to accept the 2007 Paving Program Proposal for Professional Services from Midwestern Consulting,

inc. in an amount not to exceed \$112,000. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

2. Cable Franchise Resolution MOVED Hammer SECONDED Merkel to approve the Uniform Cable

Franchise Resolution. All Ayes. Motion Carried. 3. IPP Ordinance Separation

MOVED Albertson SECONDED Merkel to approve the renumbering of Ordinance number 126A and 126 B to 151 and 152. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

4. State Budget Crisis Resolution

Came from the MML encouraging the state to solve its problems.

MOVED Hammer SECONDED Lindauer to adopt the State Budget Crisis Resolution. All Ayes. Motion Carried. 5. Re-zoning of 20401 W. Old U.S. 12

MOVED Hammer SECONDED Merkel to introduce Ordinance No. 79

2007-1 and place it on the next Council Agenda for May 8, 2007. All Ayes. Motion Carried. 6. Chelsea Center for the Arts Resolution
MOVED Martinez-Kratz SECONDED Albertson to approve a resolution

accepting and approving the grant agreement documents for a \$50,000 MCACA Capital Improvements Program grant to support essential building improvements for garage roof reconstruction at the Chelsea Center for the Arts at 400 Congdon Street. Further, that the City Manager be designated as the Authorizing Official for the project and authorized to sign all necessary grant agreement documents and that Jennifer H. Goulet, CCA Executive Director be designated as the Project Manager All Aves. Motion (**CITY MANAGER UPDATES**

1. Washtenaw County Road Commission Response
2. Scheduling of April 28th City Manager Interviews

ADJOURNMENT

MOVED Hammer SECONDED Merkel to adjourn at 8:18 p.m. All Ayes. Motion Carried.

Approved: May 8, 2007

Ann E. Feeney, Mayor Teresa Burtch, City Clerk

Publish: May 24, 2007

Fred Warren Pearsall Chelsea



Fred Warren Pearsall of Chelsea died Friday, May 18, 2007 at Chelsea Community Hospital. He was 87.

Ann Arbor, the son of Claude Helen (Underwood) Pearsall.

Ann Arbor and graduated from Ann Arbor High School with the great class of 1938. He enlisted in the Army Air Corp in 1943, was a nose gunner on a B-24 bomber during WWII and was a member of the American Legion. He was the branch manager of Michigan Consolidated Gas Company's Chelsea office from those positions after 30 years. Mr. Pearsall served as Sylvan Township treasurer for Planning Commission. He was a good and kind man. He will be deeply missed by his family and friends.

He married the love of his life "Bea" Victoria Beatrice Goulden at St Andrews Episcopal Church in Ann Arbor on Aug. 27, 1938 and from that hoped to see her newest great day forward they went down the road of life together for 68 years. Also surviving are three sons, James V. (Donna) of Clinton, William C. (Linda) of Chelsea, and Jerry W. of Ann Arbor: four grandchildren, Jeffrey W. of Chelsea, Todd E. of Ann Arbor, and Robert J. and Emily J. Ramona of CA and one nephew, easier. Malcolm of Saline. He was preceded in death by a son, Fred E., Hosmer-Muehlig Funeral Home and a brother, Allan G.

Oak Grove Cemetery, Chelsea. Burial was in the Forest Lawn Memorial contributions may be made to The Prader-Willi Syndrome Association, 5700 Midnight Pass Road, Sarasota, Fla., 34232. Arrangements were handled by Cole Funeral Chapel

Ruth Burgess Arnold Chelsea (formerly of Dexter)

Ruth Harkins Burgess Arnold of Chelsea and formerly of Dexter died May 16, 2007 at the Chelsea Retirement Community. She was 95.

She was born Nov. 14, 1911, the daughter of Alonzo and Jane Harkins Burgess. She was raised in Connecticut until the age of 12 when her parents moved to Detroit, where she met her future husband, Rha Arnold. They were married on June 13, 1933 in Detroit. They both worked for the YMCA in Detroit and then in Chicago where their daughters, Judy and Nancy were born. They returned to Michigan where Bill was born and then the family moved to the farm west of Dexter that Rha had

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inherited from his grandfather, William H. Arnold.

Once in Dexter the family became active in the Methodist Church. Mrs. Arnold used her musical talents to become the choir director and she used her piano playing to accompany the singers and the congregation. She played piano by ear and could play almost any song she had ever heard.

Ruth and Rha owned two Hallmark Card stores; the Mt. Vernon Shop on Washington Street in Ann Arbor, and Arnold's Gifts in downtown Dexter. She enjoyed creating decorations for parties, and when they lived in Florida dur-He was born Feb. 1, 1920 in ing the winters, she continued to share her creative skills. She also began teaching line dancing while there and also taught Mr. Pearsall was raised in in Dexter at various places.

In December 1999, Mrs. Arnold moved to the Chelsea Retirement Community and regularly played piano there. She often played during the dinner hour at the various dining areas as well as for special occasions.

Her parents and her husband, Rha Arnold (died July 16, 1981) preceded Ruth in death. She is and Ypsilanti office, retiring survived by her children: Judith (Charles) Connelly, Nancy (Harlan) Van Blaricum and William (Carol Miller) Arnold. 30 years, and was a founding She is also survived by 9 grandmember of the Sylvan Township children: Jeff Connelly, Darcy Connelly, Maura Connelly, Meghan (Randy Roberts) Connelly, Bryan (Danyelle) Van Blaricum, Heidi Madias, Kelly (Alex) Young, Julie (Joseph) Nowak and Susan (James) Cormier. She greatly loved her 14 great grandchildren and grandson, Samuel, who is due in July.

The family wishes to thank Arbor Hospice staff and Independence Agency staff for their care and support. Special thanks to the staff and friends at CRC who gave so much love and care to Ruth over the years. You Pearsall of Clinton; one niece, all made her transition so much

Visitation was held at and the Funeral was at Dexter A private burial was held at United Methodist Church. Cemetery in Dexter.

Carolyn Stoffer



Carolyn Stoffer of Chelsea passed away at St. Joseph Mercy

in Kalamazoo, the daughter of take place at Oak Grove graduated from Manchester Church.

High School in 1941. On April 20, 1946 she married John H. Stoffer in Manchester. They were married for nearly 56 years, and he preceded her in death January of 2003.

Mrs. Stoffer was a member of St. Paul United Church of Christ in Chelsea. She was employed by University Microfilms for 25 years. She also worked at Winans Jewelry for many years. She loved gardening, sewing, needlepoint, games, cards and bowling. She especially loved spending time with her grandchildren. During the Vietnam War, she wrote and published a newsletter for all the area boys who were overseas, keeping track of their whereabouts and activities.

She is survived by her three children, Dennis (Barbara) Stoffer of Chelsea, Diane Stoffer (Dennis Singsank) of Ann Arbor, and Patrice (Douglas) Brink of Chelsea. She is also survived by four grandchildren: Nicholas, Kristin and Lindsey Brink, and Megan Stoffer, also one brother Tom (Geraldine) Cushman of Brooklyn. In addition to her husband, she was preceded in death by two sisters, Betty Jackson, and Charlotte Barrett, a brother, Sam Cushman, and an infant brother, David Cushman.

Funeral services will be held Thursday, May 24, 2007 at 11 a.m. the Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home with Rev. Karen Schulte officiating. Burial will follow at Oak Grove Cemetery. Visitation will be Wednesday from 2-4 and 6-8 p.m. Memorial contributions may be made to the Make-A-Wish Foundation.

Geraldine J. (Carr) Reith Chelsea

Geraldine J. (Carr) Reith of Chelsea died May 21, 2007, at the Chelsea Retirement Community. She was 84.

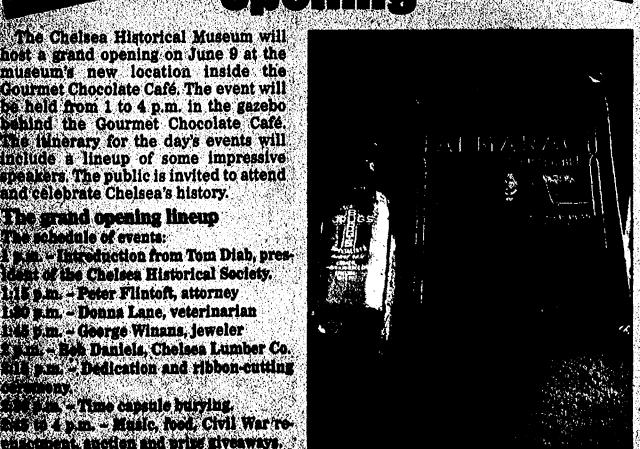
She was born on May 31, 1922, in Chelsea, the daughter of Walter and Emma (Mester) Carr. On May 31, 1944, she married G. Leonard Reith at the North Lake United Methodist Church. where she remained a member. Mrs. Reith worked for several car dealerships in the area including 30 years at Faist-Diesing in Chelsea. She also served for several years as the Lyndon Township treasurer. She and her husband founded the Paso Fino Horse Foundation and were Life Members of the Great Lakes Paso Fino Federation. After 58 years of marriage, Leonard preceded her in death in 2003. She was also preceded in death by her half-brother, Ralph Kinner. She is survived by her sister-in-law, Betty Reith, of Chicago, 14 nieces and nephews, and several great nieces and nephews.

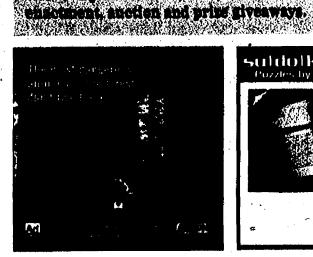
The family will receive friends at the Staffan-Mitchell Funeral Home, Chelsea, on Thursday, May 24 from 2-4 p.m. and 6-8 p.m. Funeral Services will be Friday, May 25, 2007 at 11 Hospital on May 21, 2007. She a.m. at the Funeral Home, with Rev. Alice Sheffield, and Doug She was born on April 20, 1923 Reith co-officiating. Burial will Samuel and Helen (Russell) Cemetery, Chelsea. Expressions Cushman. She had lived in of sympathy can be made to Chelsea most of her life. She North Lake United Methodist

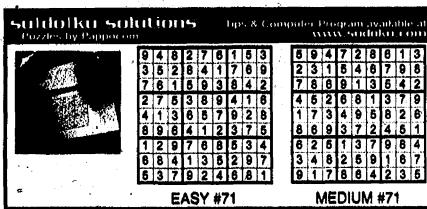


The Chelsea Historical Museum will host a grand opening on June 9 at the museum's new location inside the **Courmet Chocolate Café. The event will** be held from 1 to 4 p.m. in the gazebo behind the Gourmet Chocolate Café.
The lunerary for the day's events will include a lineup of some impressive speakers. The public is invited to attend and celebrate Chelsea's history.

The grand opening lineup The schedule of events: 1 Introduction from Tom Diab, presdent of the Chelsea Historical Society. 1:15 p.m. - Peter Flintoft, attorney 1:20 p.m. – Donna Lane, veterinarian 1145 p.m. - Goerge Winans, Jeweler Two. - Bes Daniels, Chelses Lumber Co. all san - Dedication and ribbon-cutting the say - Time capsule burying.









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The Board of Trustees of Faith in Action would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to auction donors and attendees of our 27th annual Spring Benefit Banquet.

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Here are reasons why I baptize babies

Although I was brought up in a church body that practices infant baptism, there was a period of several years when I questioned this practice. I was concerned because I could not find a Bible passage which explicitly said, "Thou shalt baptize babies." But then, a thorough examination of the Bible made me realize that babies should indeed be baptized.

Jesus instituted baptism when He said in Matthew 28:19, "Go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit." He set no age limit, but simply used the all-inclusive term "all nations."

A probable explanation for why the Bible does not explicitly deal with the topic of infant baptism is found in Colossians 2:11-12, where



St. Paul speaks of baptism as a replacement for the Old Testament sacrament of circumcision. After Jesus' time the Christian Church spread initially among Jewish believers. These Jewish believers had already been circumcising their baby boys at the age of eight days. When they heard that baptism was a replacement for the Old Testament rite of circumcision - not only for boys, but for girls as well -

they correctly assumed that their not cooperate in its physical birth, babies should be baptized.

Undoubtedly the reason the Bible doesn't make a big deal about it is because there was no controversy; it was a non-issue. So we read in two or three instances that entire households were baptized (Acts 16:15 and 33: also Acts 10:47-48); quite possibly this included little children. Historically, the Christian

Church has practiced infant baptism ever since.

Jesus clearly stated that everyone is conceived and born sinful, and cannot enter the kingdom of God unless he is born anew, "of water and the Spirit" (John 3:3, 5, 6). He made no exceptions for age. But thank God, He did give us this sacrament of baptism, which the Bible calls the "washing of and rebirth renewal by the Holy Spirit" (Titus 3:5). And just as a baby does

this spiritual rebirth through faith in Jesus Christ also takes place without our cooperation, whether it occurs in infancy or later in life.

The Bible says that baptism saves us by giving us "the pledge of a good conscience toward God" (1 Peter 3:21). In other words, baptism is a means by which God gives us the blessing of forgiveness that Jesus won for us on the cross. That's why St. Paul could write, "All of you who were baptized into Christ have clothed yourselves with Christ" (Galatians 3:27). Baptism is not an act of obedience we perform to testify to our faith in Christ: rather, it is a gift our God gives to

Is baptism a magic ritual that automatically saves a person? Of course not. Is infant baptism ever abused? Yes, people can deceive themselves by having their children

baptized and then failing to keep them in contact with God's Word. Will a baby end up in hell if it dies without baptism? We could never say that: God can also bring a person to faith simply through His Word, as He did in the case of at least one baby even before birth (Luke 1:44). Is there a Bible passage which specifically says, "Thou shalt baptize babies?" No. Jesus simply said to baptize "all nations." That includes all age groups.

It would be a terrible thing to deny baptism to a baby, and to deprive an infant of this blessing from God. Anyone who would withhold baptism from a baby should first produce a Bible passage which says, "Thou shalt not baptize babies." There is no such passage.

Mark Porinsky is the pastor at Faith Lutheran Church, 9575 North Territorial Road, Dexter.

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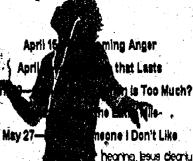
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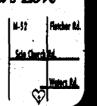
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Along with his parents and friends, McCarthy and Garzia helped form that "gallery" of support Mignano would need to get him to that first tee overlooking the Pacific Ocean.

Playing golf for Chelsea High School provided Mignano with some of his greatest moments growing

"I wasn't the star of the team or anything like that and I had some great rounds along with some pretty awful rounds, but I always allowed my strong work ethic to get me through the bad times and get me to the next level," he said. "Coach Jim Tallman had a big influence on my game and always believed in me no matter what. He was a great coach and a tremendous asset to the Chelsea athletic program."

The "gallery" was now growing – and so was Mignano's confidence.

"During high school I was never exactly sure what I wanted to be when I grew up," he said. "It seemed like such a daunting task to choose at the age of 18 what I will do when I'm 30 or 40 years old. So I took a hard look at my strengths and passions and golf was the clear answer."

Mignano had heard about the Professional Golf Management program at Ferris State, but first took a shot at Michigan State University. Let's just say that shot went out of bounds.

"I knew it was not where I was supposed to be," he said. "I stuck it out for a semester before transferring to Ferris to pursue my dream job."

The program at Ferris consists of three internships.
Mignano did his first one at Oakland Hills Country Club in 2004, the year they hosted the Ryder Cup. "That was an incredible experience and a great look at private golf at its best," he said.

But for his second internship, Mignano wanted to go south and "experience something new."

"After Jim Tallman retired from coaching golf at Ferris, Joe Ewald took over the position," Mignano said. "I didn't really know much about him Supplying the story | gueen my most memorable moment castline author the 2004 Pyder Cup matches, I was working in the self according the first day of matches when Phil (Mickelson) and like weaper was paired together. They were making the turn and self-the act bear to the clubhouse. Phil was on the next tee act castle act bear to the clubhouse. Phil was on the next shot. All of all of the common of my eye I see Tiger Woods running and tracted of the common of my eye I see Tiger Woods running and tracted of the common of the got shop entrance that we had see a secret of the could use the common of the got shop entrance that we had see a secret of the could use the could be act to the could use the could use the could be act to the could

except that he is a really good golfer. I met him at a graduation party and we talked about my internships and what I had planned. He mentioned that one of his best friends was the head professional at Torrey Pines. I thought 'wow, what a great opportunity."

The next fall Ewald asked Mignano to be his assistant coach and help with practice and tournaments before heading out to Torrey Pines to be an assistant pro.

"Joe and I instantly clicked, and I can honestly say without a doubt I would

not be at Torrey Pines without Joe Ewald," Mignano said. "He has been a tremendous mentor to me in the way he coaches, how he treats others and the amazing family man he is."

That "gallery of support" was now growing beyond the ropes.

After Mignano completed an internship at Torrey Pines, he returned to Ferris to finish his final two semesters before graduating Magna Cum Laude from the PGM program. That September he took a job as assistant pro at Torrey Pines.

One of the highlights of being an assistant golf pro at Torrey Pines is working the Buick Invitational.

"It has become one of the more recognizable events on Tour," Mignano said. "Tiger just won for the third time in a row and really everybody wins when he wins.

"During the tournament I was in the golf shop where we get thousands of customers during the course of the week. Our staff also operates the merchandise tent for the event. Overall, it is a great experience and most of the players, caddies and PGA Tour officials are extremely courteous and grateful. It is awesome to be in the middle of everything and see in person all of the great golfers I admired growing up."

Where does Mignano want to be when he "grows up?"

"I'm not sure exactly
where I will be 10 years from
now," he said. "I'm going to
apply to the Sports
Management MBA program
at San Diego State this fall
and hope to get in.
Ultimately, I would like to
either travel with the PGA
Tour, be a general manager

at a high profile facility or coach Division 1 golf for a school such as Michigan, MSU or Fastern Michigan

MSU or Eastern Michigan."
As for his "game" on the golf course, Mignano says he's always striving to get better.

"I have a pretty solid game, but I'm not a great player by any means and there is definitely a lot of room for improvement," he said. "But I continue to work at it."

Mignano says that eventually he will make his way back to Michigan to spend more time with family and raise a family of his own. But for now, he's quite happy with his office by the sea. "Torrey Pines is probably one of the most public golf courses in the country," he said. "I enjoy working there because anyone can play the course; it is the most democratic form of golf on the planet."

The story of how the assistant pro got there also is an interesting one. A story helped along by a young man's determination and a "gallery of support."



Find the True Meaning of Memorial Day

To some, Memorial Day is the unofficial first day of summer. It's a long weekend that is spent barbecuing on the deck, sunning at the beach or getting the pool ready for the season.

But, relaxation isn't the true meaning behind the holiday. Originally, Memorial Day was set aside to honor those who were killed during the Civil War. Southern states refused to acknowledge the holiday, feeling it honored only the northern Union soldiers. After World War I, the holiday was expanded to recognize Americans who fought in any war.

holiday was expanded to recognize Americans who fought in any war. Thus, the southern states were persuaded to accept it as a holiday. In 1971, Congress declared Memorial Day a national holiday that was to be observed on the last Monday in May.

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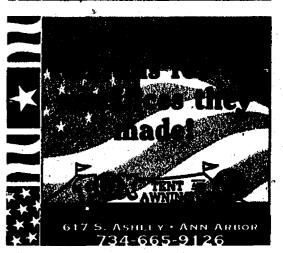
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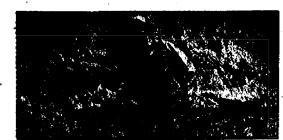
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Archie MacIntyre enjoyed not only seeing the memorials, but meeting new friends.

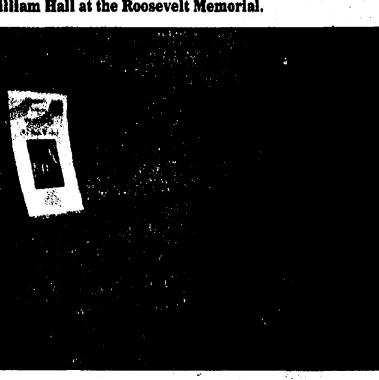


John Fowler (left) and William Hall at the Roosevelt Memorial.

Rose Meads Spring (right) made the trip with her two daughters, Angela Parker and Sharon Kettinger, to honor her husband The Rev. Bruce W. Meads. It was an emotional day for Rose, but one she will never forget.



See video of the trip at www.chelseastandard.com



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On each side of the memorial's ceremonial entrance, located on 17th Street, 12 bas-relief sculptures (top photos) recall scenes of America at war. The group poses for a "team" photo outside the Roosevelt Memorial. Members of the military (above) stopped by to say thanks to those who came before them. Chelsea's Larry Fulcher (above, white hat) was smiling for most of the day.





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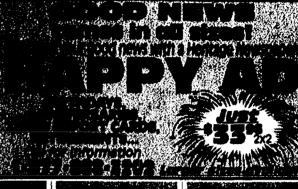
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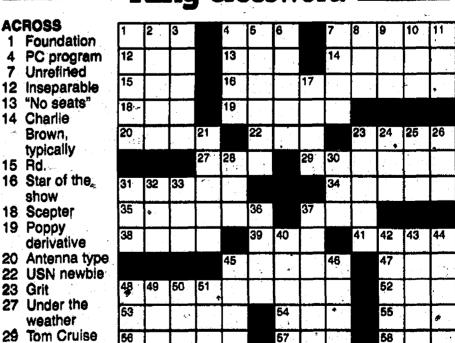
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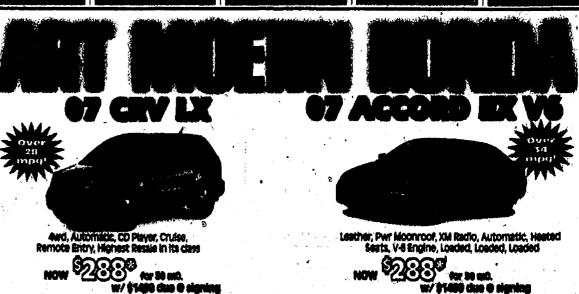
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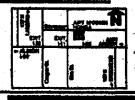




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Strawberry Festival will be June 15, Church, Trinity Episcopal Church, Belleville Presbyterian Church, School and Victory Park.

For more information about the Carnival Rides and Games Strawberry Festival, call 697-3137 or berryfest.com.

Just some of the events scheduled for this year's festival include the following:

Musical Entertainment

awaits festival-goers as music director Carla Gibson handles acts on three dif- Fantasy Face Painting ferent stages.

Detroit Pistons/Detroit Shock Year-Round Hoops Truck

Shoot hoops for a prize. Meet Hooper, the team mascot and watch highlights of championship games on the big screen. This event will be located at the corner of Main and Third streets throughout the festival.

The annual Strawberry Festival Strawberry Festival appeal to the Parade is set from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. June 16 and winds through Main Street This year's 31st annual Belleville in downtown Belleville. Festival-goers will be able to see more than 150 16 and 17 throughout downtown entries of floats, musical entertain-Belleville, at St. Anthony's Catholic ment, motorcades, marching bands, clowns and acrobats for two hours. There will be nonstop action as more Belleville High School, South Middle than 30,000 people are expected to gather to watch the parade. •

Two midways are set for this year's visit the Web site www.nationalstraw festival at Belleville High School and Main Street. The midway at Belleville High School runs from 5 to 11 p.m. June 14. The ride for one price will continue from noon to 5 p.m. the next day at both locations. The midway is A great variety of entertainment sponsored by the Belleville Area Chamber of Commerce.

"Derby" and "Lovely," making their second appearance at the festival, will showcase their talents with Fantasy Face Painting near the main stage at the corner of Main and Third streets. Derby and Lovely are the official fantasy face painters for the Detroit Tigers and Detroit Lions. With

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The 31st annual **Belleville Strawberry** Festival will be held June 15, 16 and 17 throughout downtown Belleville, at St. Anthony's Catholic Church, Trinity Episcopal Church, **Belleville Presbyterian** Church, Belleville High School, South Middle School and Victory Park.



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■ Today through Sunday: Sumpter Country Festival at the Sumpter Township Fairgrounds. The parade is noon Saturday. For more information, call 1-734-461-6201.

■ Monday: Memorial Day Commemoration held at Veterans' Memorial in Horizon Park. The annual Thunder Rolls in Belleville motorcycle ride is set for 1 p.m. Monday starting at Wayne County Community College Parking lot and ending at the Veterans' Memorial for the ceremony, which will start at about 2 p.m.

The annual Memorial Day Pancake Breakfast will be held 8 a.m. at Willow Run Airport behind Yankee Air Museum.

June

June 2: American Cancer Society's Relay for Life event from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. on the track behind Belleville High School.

■ June 15 through 17: The 31st Annual National Strawberry Festival held throughout downtown Belleville at several churches sand school locations. The parade starts 11 a.m. June 16. For more information, call 697-3137. Visit the Web site www.nationalstrawberryfest.com.

June 23: Fireworks at dusk at Beck Ball Fields in Van Buren Township; rain date June 24.

June 24 through Aug. 19: Music 3 p.m. every Sunday in victory Park.

July

July 6 through Aug. 10: Music 7 p.m. every Friday in Van Buren Park. July 7: Thunder Over Michigan Air Show starts at 9 a.m. Visit the Web site www.yankeeairmuseum.org.

July 22 and 23: Ford Restorers Car Show and swap meet held at Wayne County Fairgrounds on Quirk* Road.

■ Aug. 14 through 18: Wayne County Fair held at the fairgrounds on Quirk Road. For more information, call 697-7002.

Aug. 24 through 26: Cruzin' the Park car show and swap meet held at Lower Huron Metropark on Haggerty Road.

CHELSEA

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■ June 5: Cheisea Area Chamber of Commerce Golf Outing

June 21 thorugh Aug 30: Chelsea Sounds & Sights on Thursday Nights

■ June 23 and 24: Waterloo Farm Museum Log Cabin/ Education Weekend

July

■ July 27 and 28: Cheisea Summer

August

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M Aug. 21 through 25: Chelsea Community Fair

M Aug. 25: Fair Parade

DEXTER

May

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June 20: Summer Gathering. Join other chamber members, their families and guests for our spring gathering. In the past we have had a fish fry and pig roast. This year we will meet on the grounds of Gordon Hall. Details to be announced at a later date.

July

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GRASS LAKE

Mondays: Pre-school story time; 10:30 a.m. and 1 p.m. at the Jackson District Library-Grass Lake branch.

June

June 9: Grass Lake Sportsman's Club presents Take-A-Kid Fishing Day at Grass Lake County Park

July

July 4: Grass Lake Fourth of July parade

Grass Lake Fourth of July fireworks, display

Chicken BBQ hosted by Grass | Lake Sportsman's Club at Grass Lake County Park

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

August

■ August: Grass Lake Chamber of Commerce Annual Golf Outing at Calderone Farms Golf Club. Time and date TBA; call 517-522-6269 for more details.

September

■ Sept. 8 and 9: Hydroplane races at Grass Lake County Park.

■ Sept. 15: Grass Lake Festival. Heritage Arts and Crafts Show: Family Farm Festival tour, 5k run, car show, COE House Museum tour; Michigan Center for the Photographic Arts Fall Focus Festival

MANCHESTER

Thursdays through October: Manchester Farmers' Market is held on Adrian and Main streets every Thursday afternoon through October.

May 28: Memorial Day Parade at 1 p.m. along Main Street in Manchester.

June

■ June 14: Manchester Chamber of Community Commerce and Resource Center golf outing fundraiser at Rustic Glen Golf Club beginning 9 a.m. Call 1-734-476-4565.

■ June 14, 21 and 28: Gazebo Concerts at 7:30 p.m. in Wurster Park.

June 23: Softball Tournament fund-raiser sponsored by Barnraisers at Alumni Field.

■ July 3: Fireworks sponsored by the Manchester Men's Club at Carr

■ July 5 and 26: Gazebo Concerts at 7:30 p.m. in Wurster Park.

July 10: Manchester Community Fair Parade at 6:30 p.m.

■ July 10 through 14: — Manchester Community Fair at Alumni Memorial Field.*

July 14: Manchester Garden Tour from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

July 19: The 54th annual Manchester Chicken Broil from 4 to 8 p.m. at Alumni Memorial Field.

August

■ Aug. 2: Gazebo Concert at 7:30 p.m. in Wurster Park.

Aug. 3: Riverfolk's Ultimate Dance Party from 7:30 to 11 p.m. at Carr Park.

Aug. 4: Riverfolk Music & Arts Festival at Carr Park.

M Aug. 12: The 17th annual Volleyball Tournament sponsored by the Manchester Kiwanis Club at Carr

September

Sept. 15: Oktoberfest sponsored by the Manchester Merchants' Association.

MILAN

May

May 28: Memorial Day Parade at 9 a.m. Line up behind the fire station located directly across the street from the Post Office. The parade will travel through town to Marble Park Cemetery.

■ Thursdays through Aug. 24: Backstreet Cruizers Lakeside Cruise. Begins in Wilson Park

Milan Farmers' Market

July :

■ July 5: 6:30 p.m. Milan Fair Parade

Downtown sidewalk sales.

■ July 5 through 8: Milan Community Fair, downtown on Wabash Street next to Ford Lake.

July 6: Milan Fireworks. Rotary Club Chicken Broil.

Concerts in the Park. Milan Parks and Recreation hosts concerts in the park several weeks in July and August.

■ July 13: Rich Eddie's Rockin' Oldies Band concert.

■ July 20: Harpbeat concert.

■ July 27: The Euphorians concert.

■ Aug. 3: Millish concert series ■ Aug. 6: Comerica Park Detroit Tigers trip. For more information, call 439-1549.

■ Aug. 9 through 11: Milan Bluegrass Festival, KC Campground, 14048 Sherman Road. Call 439-1076.

■ Aug. 10: Saline Big Band concert. Aug. 12: 11th annual Milan Car Fest in Wilson Park.

Aug. 17: Fiddlers Restrung con-

September

■ Sept. 4: Labor Day Walk.

■ Sept. 22 through 24: Relay for Life at Wilson Park.

■ Sept. 23: Fiddlers ReStrung performs 2 p.m. at Relay for Life.

SALINE

■ Saturdays through October: Saline Farmers' Market, 8 a.m. to noon, each Saturday through October in downtown Parking Lot 4.

■ Every third Sunday through November: Ann Arbor Antiques Market, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Held every third Sunday of the month April November at the through Washtenaw Farm Council Grounds.

Saturdays June through Sept. 29: Tours of Rentschler Farm, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. through Sept. 29 on Saturdays at 1265 E. Michigan Ave.

May

May 28: Memorial Day Parade 10 a.m. in downtown Saline.

June

■ June 23: Saturday Summer Concert Series begins, select Saturdays through August.

■ June 24: Car Show, downtown. July

July 13 and 14: Saline Celtic

Festival at Mill Pond. August

M Aug. 10 and 11: Summer Fest and sidewalk sales in downtown Saline.

■ Aug. 24 through 26: — Saline P.R.C.A. Rodeo 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, and 7 p.m. Sunday at the Washtenaw Farm Council Grounds.

September

Sept. 4 through 8: Saline Community Fair at Washtenaw Farm Council Grounds.

Sept. 8: Fair Parade 1 p.m. Satur-

■ Sept. 29 and 30: Harvest of the Arts, downtown Saline.

YPSILANTI

Fridays through Sept. 14: Cross Roads summer concert series, formerly known as Jammin' Michigan Avenue, features live acts from 7 to 10 p.m. Fridays until Sept. 14 downtown on Washington Street. All shows are free. Concerts for the month of June:

June 1

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June 15

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June 22

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every Thursday night from June 7 to Sept. 13 in Ypsilanti's historic Depot Town.

May

m Monday: Memorial Day Parade processional starts 9 a.m. and goes through downtown. For more information, call 483-4444.

June

■ June 3; Orphan Car Show at Riverside Park in Depot Town.

■ June 23 and 24: Ypsilanti Community Relay for Life. For more information, call 971-4300.

■ June 29 through July 1: Camaro Superfest at Riverside Park.

■ July 4: The Yosilanti Fourth of July Parade. Procession begins 11 a.m. starting at Wallace and ending

at Rice Street in Depot Town. ■ July 13 and 14: Michigan Elvis Fest at Frog Island Park and Riverside Park in Depot Town. Visit the Web site www.mielvisfest.org

July 27 and 28: Michigan Brewer's Guild Summer Beer Festival from 5 to 9 p.m. July 27 and from 1 to 6 p.m. July 28 at Riverside Park in Depot Town. Visit the Web site www.michiganbrewers ģuild.org.

Aug. 11 through 17: United Association of Plumbers and Pipefitters convention.

M Aug. 17 through 19: The 29th annual Ypsilanti Heritage Festival throughout Depot Town, Riverside Park and Frog Island Park. Opening reception from 7 to 10 p.m. Aug. 16 at the former Ypsilanti High School, now Cross Street Village. Visit the Web site www.ypsilantiheritagefestivai .com

■ Aug. 25: Annual Fire Truck Muster from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Riverside Park.

September

■ Sept. 29: Antique Truck Show.

■ Latino Festival: To be announced.

CHELSEA

Chelsea comes to life in the summertime

While there's never a bad time to through 25, the fair's final day features

Through the summer residents and Chelsea Fair queen. visitors can enjoy Sounds and Sights downtown entertainment including months. music, fugglers, fire-eaters, art. and food. The program runs June 21 through Aug. 30.

The highlight of summer is the Chelsea Summer Fest July 27 and 28. Sidewalk sales take over the downtown area, as merchants, entertainers, artists, classic cars and performers come out to celebrate the summer. Shuttle service is available throughout Cabin/ Education Weekend, June 23 town, and children can enjoy a special play area.

In August, the Chelsea Community Fair brings summer to a close. But before the children go back to school, they can enjoy four days of animal showing, midway rides, truck and tractor pulls, and demolition derby at the 25 fairgrounds. Scheduled for Aug. 21

visit Chelsea, the summertime is when a fair parade from downtown to the the popular Michigan city comes to life. grounds, and the crowning of a

Here are some local events to circle on Thursday Nights, an eclectic mix of on your calendar for the summer

•Chelsea 34th annual Painters Art Show, June 2 and 3

•Chelsea Area Chamber of Commerce Golf Outing, June 5

 Chelsea Sounds & Sights on Thursday Nights, June 21 through.

 Waterloo Farm Museum Log and 24

Chelsea SummerFest, July 27-28

 Waterloo Farm Museum Woodland Indian Living History, Aug. 11-12

•Chelsea Community Fair, Aug. 21-

•Fair Parade Aug. 25



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FESTIVAL

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numerous awards, these two clowns have been performing for more than 15 years. For more information, visit the Web site www.2clowns.com.

Strawberry Idol Contest

Aspiring singers can try to make it big during the second annual Straw- Township. Call 697-6110. berry Idol contest. Participants will be 'Cinnamon's Fathers Day Car Show able to enter one of three age divisions of competition and win a studio recording session provided by Talent Live Studios in Canton. Entry forms are available online or at the national festival office.

Strawberry Queen Pageant

The great tradition of the Strawberry Festival Queen Pageant is back this year and scheduled 7:30 p.m. June 15 at Belleville High School Auditorium.

The National Strawberry Queen pageant will feature local contestants displaying beauty, intelligence and talent. To register or for more information, call 697-3351.

Strawberry Prince and Princess Contest

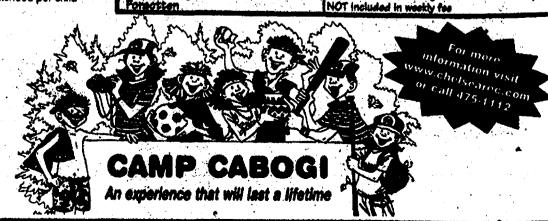
The Strawberry Prince and Princess Contest is set noon June 15 at South Middle School. Contestants must live in Belleville, Sumpter or Van Buren

The sixth annual Cinnamon's Father's Day Car Show is set from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. June 17 at Victory Park during the 31st annual Belleville National Strawberry Festival. More than 30 trophies will be given away to classic car enthusiasts and hourly drawings for door prizes. There will be DJ music, trivia and much more.

The annual Friday night kick-off party is set from 6 to 9 p.m. June 15 at the Meijer store on Belleville Road.

Chelsea Recreation CAMP CABOGI A Traditional Summer Day Camp

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AFTER CARE 4pm Week of July 16: Detroit Baseball Hockey, Arctic Gollecum, Trip included in week Backetball, Whirtyball, Trip NOT included in Week of July 25: Detroit Basketball - 6pm - \$7.50 per visit weekly fee CAMP CABOGI - Sam Week of July 30: H20 Week - 4pm, Mon. - Fri. Trip NOT included in weekly fee Before April 13 Week of August 6: Pro/College Week Soccer & Muelc, Detroit Tigers Game, Trip NO - \$165/week; After April included in weekly fee 14 - \$185/week Group Challenges, Chelpes Lanes, Trip Included Week of August 13: Olympics DISCOURTS \$15 per Week of August 20: Circus Week Magic Show, Show included in weekly fee week for 2 or more weeks Week of August 27: Gone but not | Bummer Finale, Rolling Hille Water Park, Trip attended per child NOT included in weekly fee



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DEXTER

Village offers up array of summer fun

The Dexter area continues to grow Summer Gathering, June 20 while maintaining that hometown feeling. Summertime is when the community really shines, with a number of special events that people look forward to all year.

. The pinnacle is the aptly named to be announced at a later date. Dexter Daze, held every August in Monument Park. What separates this event apart from other local festivals is that Dexter Daze is all about Dexter. And don't miss the parade.

Here are some events coming up in Dexter to circle on your calendar.

Memorial Day Parade, May 28

The annual parade is hosted by the Dexter American Legion Post 557 and this year's festivities starts at 10 a.m.

Ice Cream Social, June 2

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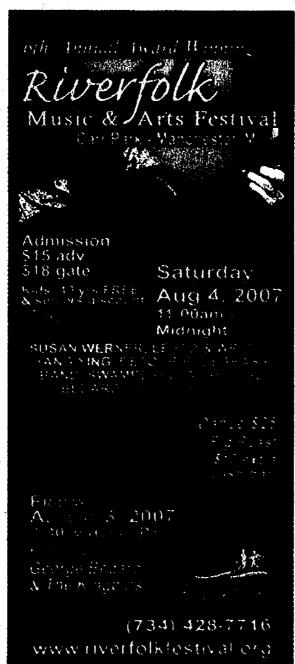
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MANCHESTER

eisure-time activities draw people to town

leisure-time activities. Below is a sampling of events taking place in Manchester this summer.

Manchester Chicken Broil, July 19

Local residents prepare and serve more than 14,000 grilled chicken dinners in one day. This year's event marks the 54th year of the broil.

Parades, May 28 and July 10

Local parades are held on Memorial Day and during the Community Fair. The Memorial Day parade includes the Manchester High School Marching Band, veterans groups and local

There are many organizations in Scouts It's followed by a ceremony at is nearly three miles long, also features the marching band, as well as floats, and fair queen contestants.

Gazebo Concerts

June through August

Gazebo concerts are held on Thursday evenings June through August at Wurster Park. Entertainment is provided by a variety of musicians.

Fourth of July celebration, July 3

Fourth of July features a community picnic and fireworks display. It's one of the largest in the county.

Community Fair, July 10 through 14

MILAN

Fair, fireworks on tap

fireworks and other local events.

The Memorial Day Parade will be held 9 a.m. Monday, and things really start to heat up in July with the Milan Community Fair July 5 through 8. The '11 and the 11th annual Milan Car Fest annual fair parade will be held 6:30 in Wilson Park. For more details, visit p.m. July 5. Fireworks are a highlight www.milanchamber.org.

Milan will be buzzing with activity of fair week, with the local display to this summer as it hosts its annual fair, be held 10 p.m. July 6. The day also includes the Rotary Chicken Broil.

Other events to look forward to include the Milan Bluegrass Festival at the KC-Campground Aug. 9 through

Manchester that provide a variety of the cemetery. The Fair Parade, which Fair draws entries and exhibits from Participants also may enjoy an art area residents. It's a five-day display of show and a food court. There is a chilhome cooking, handcrafts, livestock dren's activity area with face painting, and tractor pulls. A carnival features a instrument making, crafts, origami. midway and rides.

Riverfolk Festival

Aug. 4

The Riverfolk Music and Arts Festival is held each year on the first Saturday in August. The festival fea- classic car show, rubber duck race, tures traditional bluegrass, blues,

The five-day Manchester Community Celtic; old-time and world music. water maze, kids' choir and parade. "Walk of Art" features artists' creations.

Oktoberfest, Sept. 15

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Houghton Latchkey - Pleasant Ridge Latchkey Woodland Meadows Latchkey - Harvest Latchkey - Heritage Latchkey

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6:45 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. and 12:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. 6:45 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. and 3:30 - 6:00 p.m.

\$50.00 Registration fee is required \$35.00 second child (Half-Day program also requires \$100.00 deposit)

For more information call Tara Sturgeon, Director. 944-8946 Lori, Program Assistant. 429-8000, ext. 2085 or go to www.salinecommunityed.com/latchkey.html

Community to heat up with summer events

Saline is known for its community events and two of the summer's hottest are the Saline Celtic Festival and Saline Community Fair.

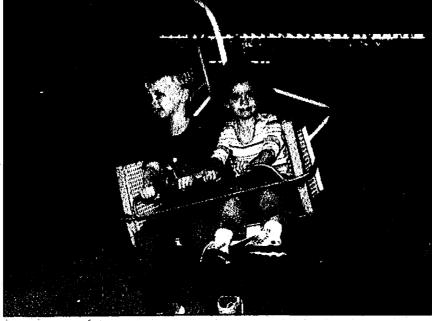
Drawing more than 10,000 people to the area for food, fun and fine fare, 2007 marks the 12th annual Saline Celtic Festival, taking place July 13 and 14 at the Mill Pond Park.

The festival will be held from 6 p.m. to midnight Friday and from 10 a.m. to midnight Saturday, and will feature musical entertainment, Scottish heavy athletics demonstrations, dancers, pipe bands and sheep-herding dogs, as well as storytelling and special entertainment for children. There also will be a variety of Celtic goods for sale.

The week of the festival is host to a bevy of events such as whiskey tasting, rugby matches, dance workshops, Scottish golf, history enactments, competitions, performances and other aspects of Celtic culture. Festivalgoers may catch a demonstration of how to wrap and wear the great kilt, or hear about cooking, crafts or domestic.

Area residents are invited become a part of the organization as volunteers for the festival helping with children's activities, parking, parade organization and set up and take down of the event.

For more information, visit the Web



The 72nd annual Saline Community Fair will be held Sept. 4 through 8 at the Washtenaw Farm Council Grounds, 5055 Ann Arbor-Saline Road. near Saline. **Entertainment and** activities for all ages will be offered.

a.m. May 28; Summer Music Series June 23, June 30, July 21, July 28 and Aug. 4 in. downtown Saline; Sportscars to Saline from 1 to 5 p.m. June 24 in downtown Saline; Movie-in-the-Park Series June 22, July 20 and Aug. 24 in Mill Pond Park; Summerfest Aug. 10 and 11 in downtown Saline; Saline Rodeo 8 p.m. Aug. 24 and 25, and 7 p.m. Aug. 26; and Saline Farmers' Market every Saturday from 8 a.m. to noon throughout the sum-

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and will include a demolition derby. live music, carnival rides, food and the 1 p.m. the last day of the event followed crowning pageant of the 58th Miss by the crowning pageant of Miss Saline. Saline program.

Gunther the Camel will be in atten-The week of events begins Tuesday dance all week providing rides. The Saline Fair Parade will be held

Other events to look forward to Turkey Bowling will be held on include the Memorial Day Parade 10

Wednesday and a derby on Thursday.

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Houghton School June 19-July 31, Tuesdays 9:45-10:45 am or 11:00 am-12:00 pm Cost: \$55

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Pooh Corner, located at Houghton School serves children 3-5 years of age MWF or TTH classes meet from 8:30-11:30 or 9:00-12:00 or 12:30-3:30 or 1:00-4:00

Preschool Adventure located at Houghton School serves children ages 3-4 years of age " TH classes meet 9:30-11:30

Both programs provide a wide variety of age appropriate activities that focus on kindergarten readiness with small and large group times. They also serve as a lab school for child care students from Saline High School.

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> For more information contact SALINE COMMUNITY EDUCATION 429-8020 or gradene@saline.k12.mi.us

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All Heritage Festival activities take

Michigan Elvis Fest at Frog Island Park and Riverside Park

will be held July 13 and 14.

lar Rubber Duck Race, this festival truly has something for everyone. For more information, visit the Web

site www.ypsilantiheritagefestival.com

Ancestors' Gathering

The encampment is held in Riverside Park. This portion of the Heritage Festival is a representation of the historical background of the city .

The encampment helps the Heritage Huron River and making first contact with the natives, to the establishment of a permanent trading post and eventually to the building of the city of Ypsilanti, which became an influence on the vari-

ous eras in American history. Art exhibits

There will be more than 100 artisans and crafters from the Ypsilanti area and around the country. Also check out the Depot Town Artisan Market in the Farmers' Market area, the Local Artist Tent in Depot Town and Riverside Arts Center's Gallery Exhibit.

The Millionaire's Party and Saloon

ments, to classic The Heritage Festival Millionaire's cars, beer brew-Party tent will feature casino games ing demonstraand a beer tent. Volunteers must be 21 tions, arts and and older.

crafts sales and the always popu-The Great Train Race

New this year is a 5K open run/walk and 10K run, the Great Train Race is set for 10 a.m. Aug 19 in Depot Town.

Eighth annual Frog Island 3 on 3 Soccer Tournament

The eighth annual 3-on-3 Soccer Tournament will be held from 4 to 9 p.m. Aug. 17 and from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Aug. 18 at Frog Island Park.

Cost per team is \$60 for advanced Festival celebrate times of old. From registration. The event is free to watch: the voyager trapper, canoeing down the To register or for more information, call Terri Allen at 1-734-485-0622.9

Children's Talent Show

Children's Talent Show will be held from 1 to 3 p.m. Aug. 19 at Frog Island for ages 2 through 14. There will be two age groups and a \$50 prize for each of the groups. Registration is the day of event prior to the talent show.

Corporate Duck Race

The duck race will be held 3:30 p.m. Aug. 19 at Riverside Park. There is a \$100 entrance fee. The winner receives a traveling trophy to display at his or her business for one year. Register by calling 1-734-482-4920

Hot Dog Eating Contest

Hog Dog Eating Contest will be held 3:30 p.m. Aug. 19 at the food tent at the corner of Huron and Cross streets. Participants must be 18 or older.

Raffles

Festival-goers will be able to participate in a number of raffles. Raffles are scheduled to benefit Ypsilanti Food Coop; Michigan Automotive Heritage Collection, Vietnam Veterans of America, Friends of the Ypsilanti Freighthouse, Rainbow Industries and the Rainbow League.

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Fairlane Ford

Julie Turla, president, takes dealership in a new direction

By MIKE SCHAFFER THE NEWS-HERALD

DEARBORN — Fairlane Ford is conveniently located in the shadow of Ford Motor Co.'s world headquarters at 14585 Michigan Ave. and has a rich history as one of the oldest continually operating Ford dealerships in the nation.

The family owned dealership, however, continues to reinvent itself and keep pace with times by keeping its facilities modern and its many customers happy with unique services and programs.

Perhaps the biggest change at the dealership is the recent promotion of Julie Turla to company president. Turla, who started working at the dealership in 1987, is now one of the few -female dealership owners in the state and her, leadership impact.

"Julie recently has taken over running the whole operation here from sales, service, used cars, the body shop, you name 'it," said sales manager Paul Marra. "It's been a real positive move for the dealership the past few months."

venient drive-through serv- our service bay and talk to ices. ice lanes indoors, opened to our service writeup team." Another customer service lot, a lot of our customers In addition to participat- itage.com.



the public last week.

"We have completely redesigned our service operation to provide our has made an immediate customers an easy, efficient and cost-effective process for repair or maintenance," Turla said. "We moved our quick service oil change bays into the service department to make room for the drive-through write-up area.

"Before, people had to physically walk in and talk to a service adviser. It was Turla's first order of busi- inconvenient for our cus-

complete inspection of the together, thus reducing waiting times significantly, according to Turla.

"Our entire staff is dedicated to the concept of fix it right the first time," she said. "Oil changes and minor repairs are quickly handled and we provide one www.buyerloyalty.com. of metro Detroit's fastest oil changes."

A special program that the Dearborn ness was to redesign the tomers because maybe they dealership's service depart. Turla said. "One thing I tomers and is conveniently and get behind the wheel of dealership's service facili- had a child in a car seat or it ment offers is a free oil think people should know located on Michigan Avenue ties. The new, contemporary was raining or snowing, change and a free four-tire about is our collision and to provide local pick-up and design, which features con- Now, they can pull right into rotation after four paid serv- paint center. Even though delivery shuttle service to Schaffer at 1-734-246-0855 or

Larry Caruso/Photo Editor The new process allows a feature Fairlane Ford is don't realize we have a fulland service writer are tomer purchases are totaled and 2 percent of every purchase or the price of service is put into an individual loyalty account for future

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ing in Heritage Newspapers' \$10.000 Cash For A Car Giveaway, Fairlane Ford is also offering a free gas promotion by drawing a monthly winner for a \$250 gas card and \$1,000 in free gas winner at the end of the year. Entry forms are available at the dealership, and photos of the monthly winners are posted online at www.fair laneford.com.

Fairlane Ford employs 80 people, including 14 new vehicles sales representatives. Meanwhile, four used car sales representatives offer over 100 pre-owned and safety inspected Ford and other brand vehicles.

Marra said those new car sales representatives have been plenty busy lately as Ford has introduced a special lease puil-ahead pro-

"Anybody with a leased Ford vehicle can now take advantage of our new 'Early Bird' program, which is a three-month lease pullahead program, from now until July 2," Marra said. "That is something Ford hasn't done before and we're seeing a lot of our customers come in and take advantage of this program a new Ford."

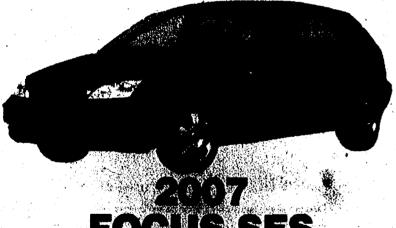
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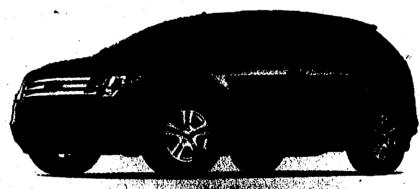


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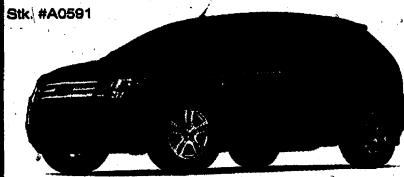
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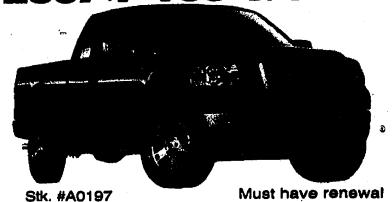
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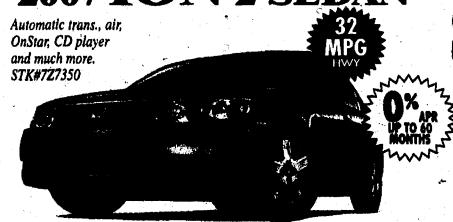
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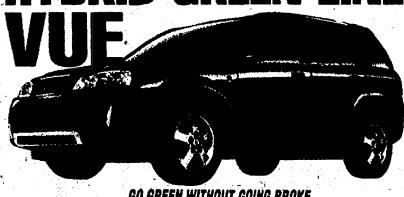
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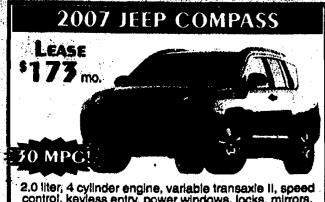
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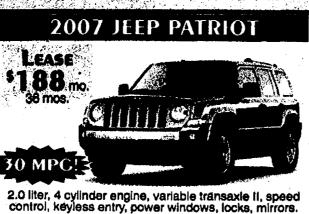
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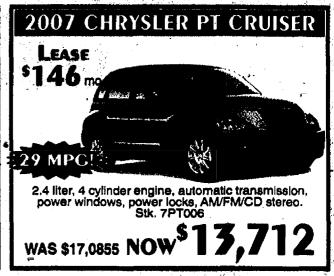
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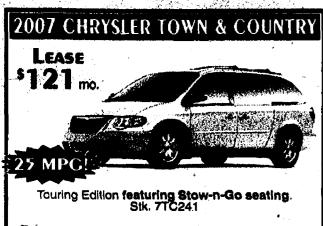


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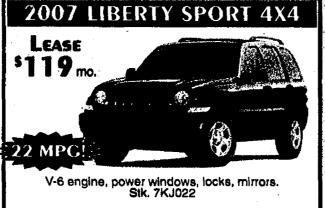
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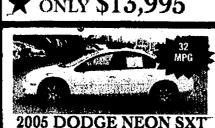
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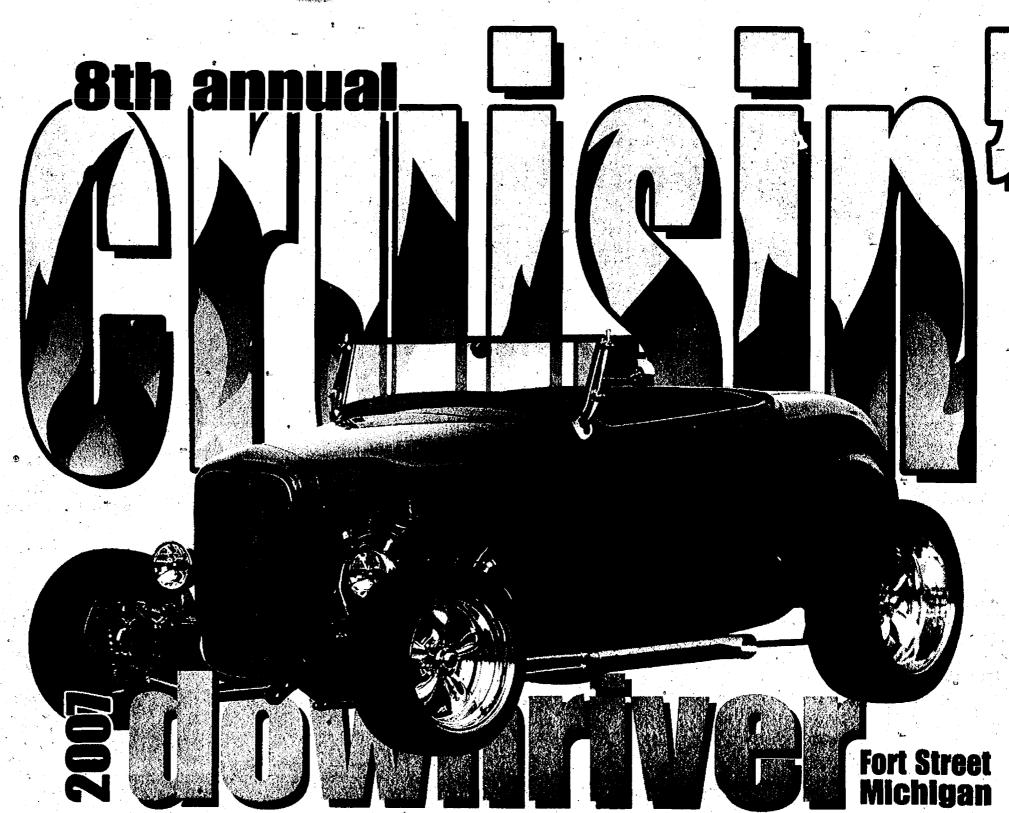
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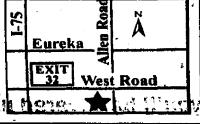
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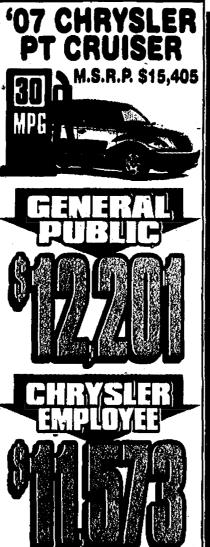


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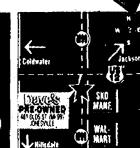














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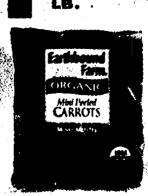


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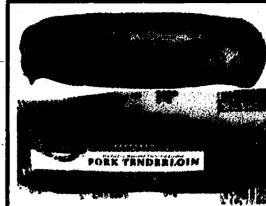


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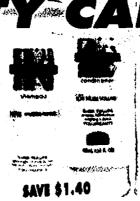




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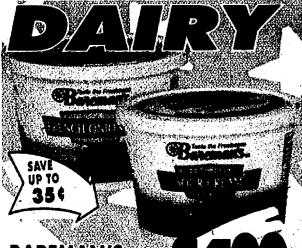
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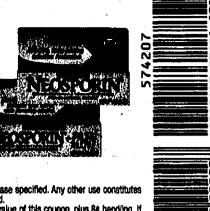
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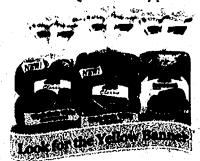


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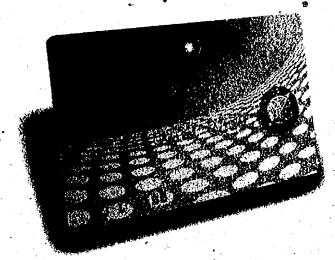
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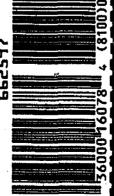
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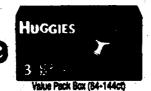
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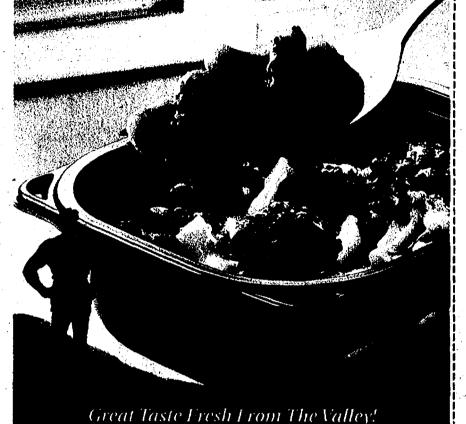
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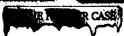
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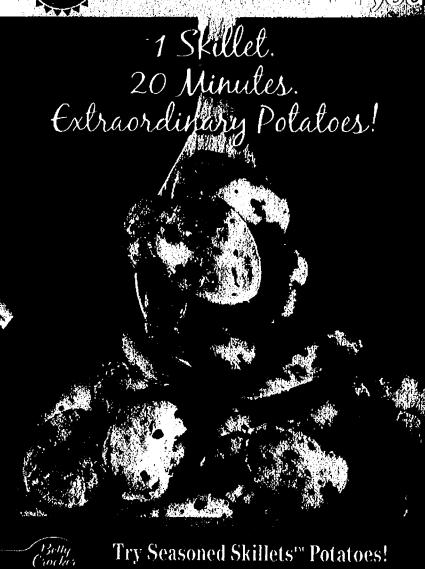


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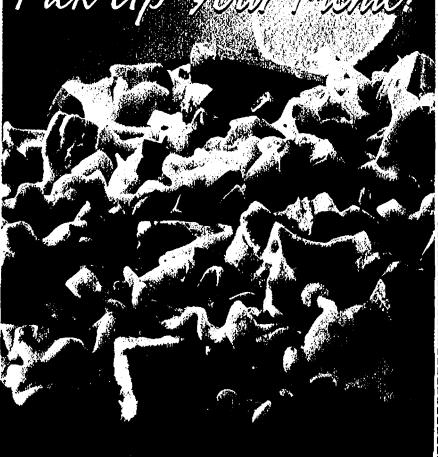








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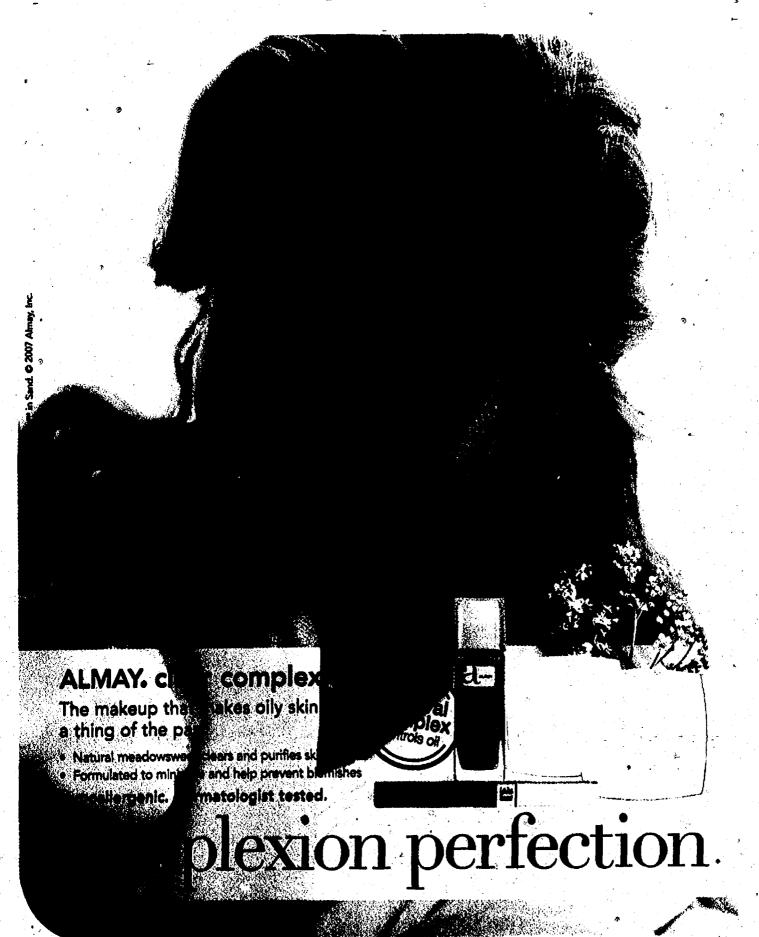
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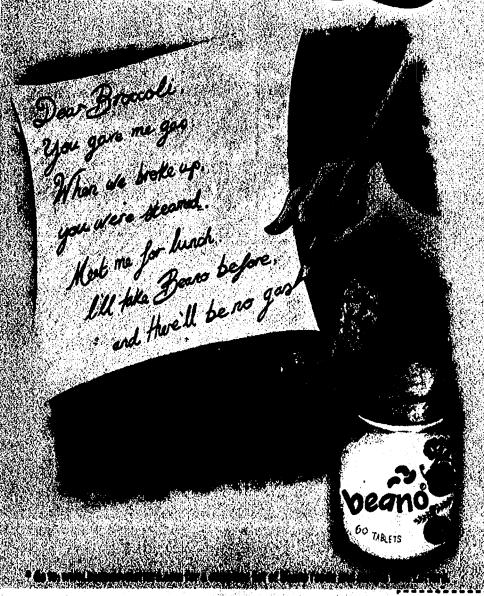
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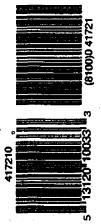
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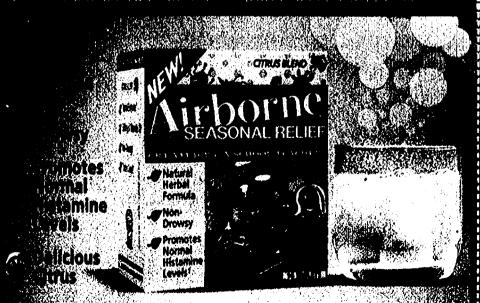
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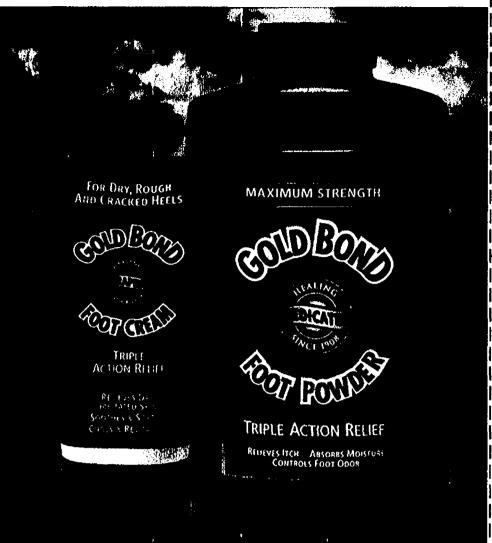
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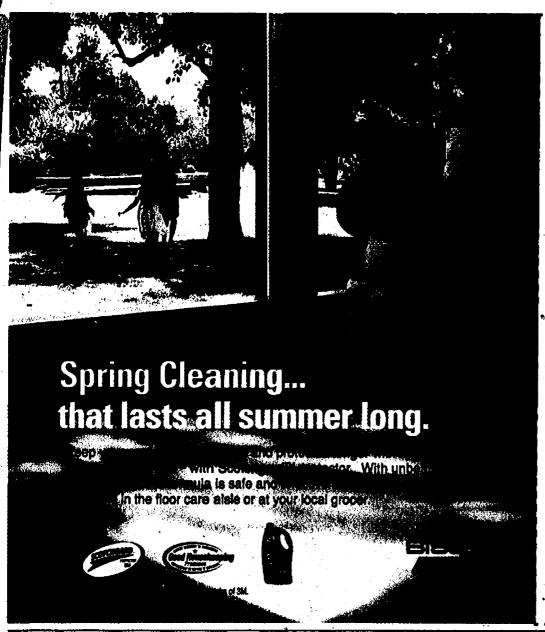
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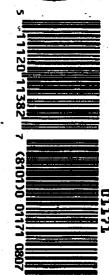
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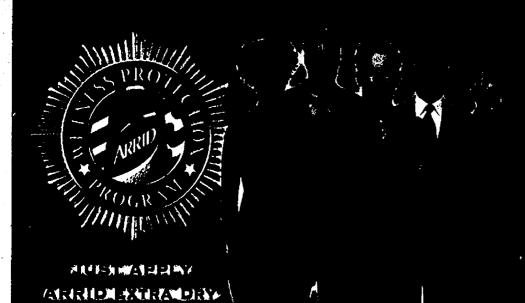
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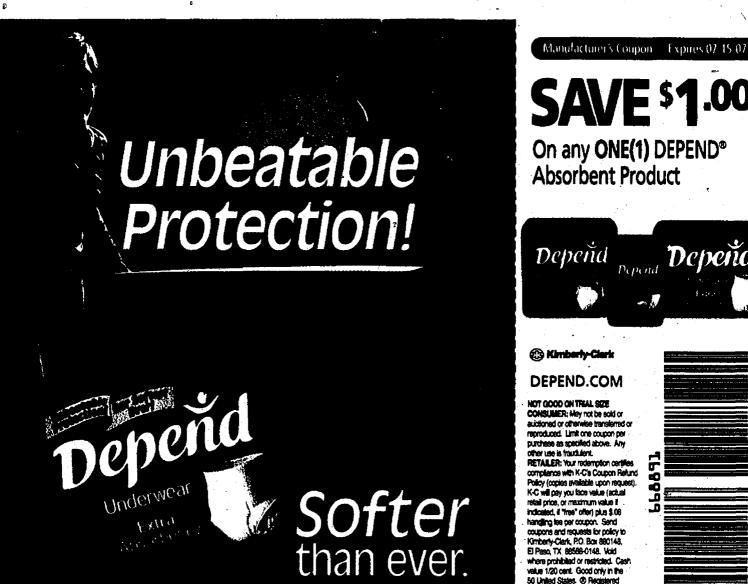


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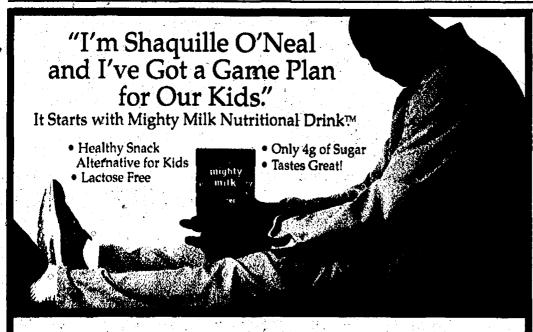


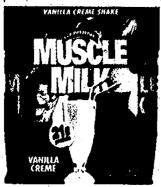
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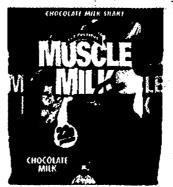
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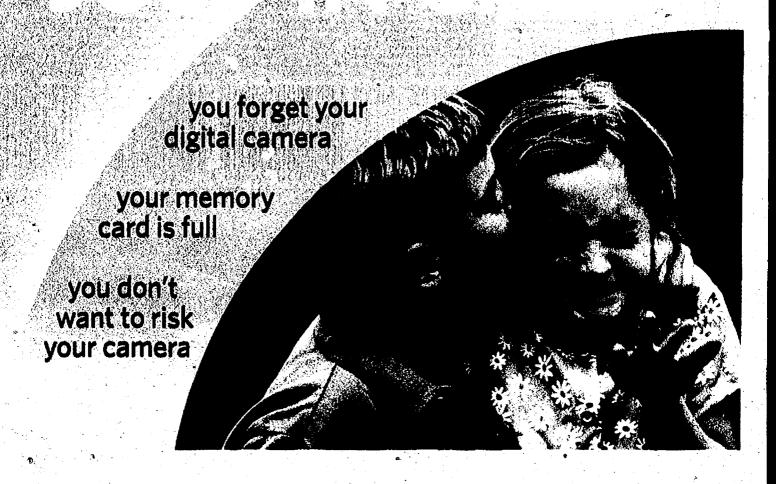
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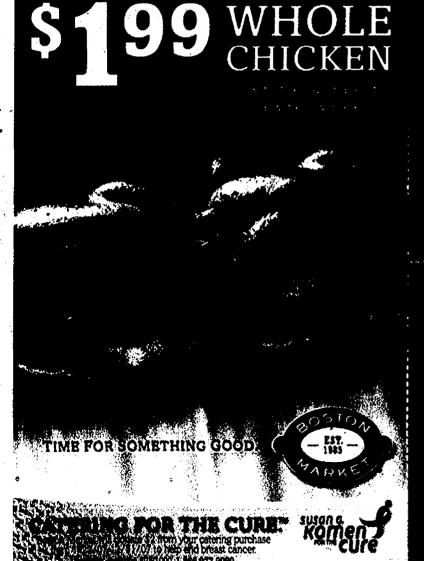
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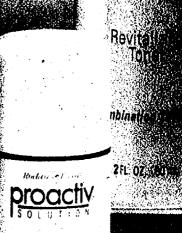
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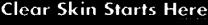


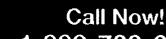
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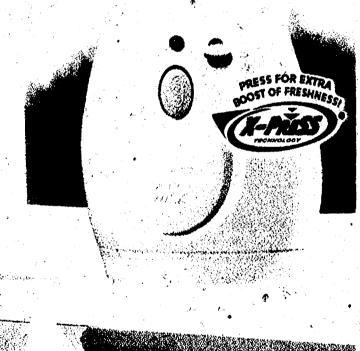
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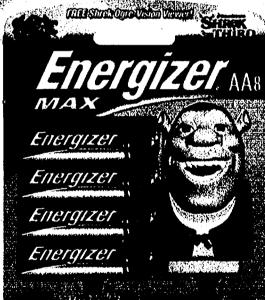


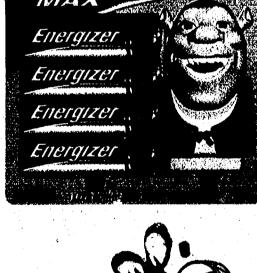
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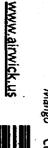








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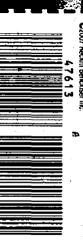


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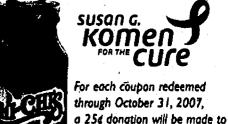
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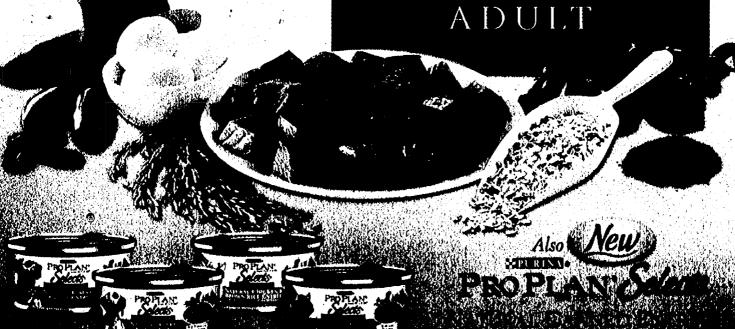
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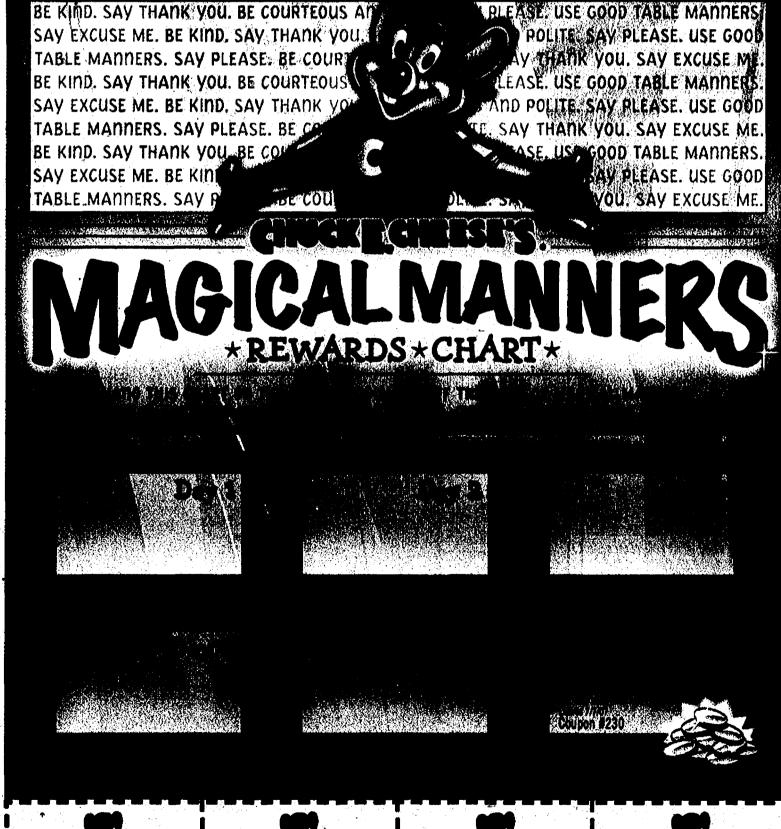
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